

Martins To Play Edenton Tonight

The Williamstons of the Martin County Baseball League will play an exhibition game tonight at 8:00 o'clock in the WHS park against a semi-pro team from Edenton. Manager J. P. Hedsbeth has been giving his team some stiff workouts and believes they are ready for some competitive practice.

Present plans call for the hurling job to be divided among three men with Bob Newell, a lefthander going three innings, Ed Rowland three and Billy Peele three.

The starting lineup had not been decided upon yesterday and Manager Hedsbeth has indicated that positions will all be open until just before the regular league season opens a week from next Sunday.

Several other teams in the Martin County League have already played exhibition games, Robertsonville having a couple or so behind them, Everetts at least one, and Bear Grass one.

Seeking to Bolster Finances of Club

One night recently nine men gathered together to see about the support of a Williamston baseball club. They dug deep in their pockets and came up with \$3.00 apiece. This was necessary to add to the treasury in order that the \$50.00 entrance fee could be made for Williamston.

A finance committee will now go forth and raise the initial amount of money necessary to equip the team, the publicity chairman has announced. "Please give generously," he said, "as it is

NOT TODAY

A last minute change in the plans for the Columbia High-Williamston Green Wave contest was announced today too late to be included in the regular high school sports story which had already been printed.

Columbia will play here on Wednesday afternoon instead of this afternoon. The change was made because of some conflicts in Columbia's school work.

Participating In Special Practice

Corporal Raymond D. Whitehurst, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Whitehurst, of Route 2, has been selected to take part in the gigantic airborne maneuvers underway in the Carolinas. "Exercise Swamer", as the Army and Air Force refer to it will be the largest maneuvers of the summer and will be the first since the war that involves the two Airborne Divisions.

A member of the Division Artillery of the 11th Airborne Division of Pacific warfare, Whitehurst qualified as a parachutist with a number of jumps to his credit. As an Artilleryman, the local soldier will be charged with helping deliver heavy fire power in support of the airborne operation.

Battery B, 674th Abn F A Bn, commanded by 1st Lt. Bertram K. Gorwitz, of which Whitehurst is a member, will be parachuted and air transported into the "fighting" area. Not only will the jumping Artilleryman come floating down on silk, but they intend to bring their calibered guns down on parachutes too.

Recent weeks have found the men of the "Angels" polishing their big guns, in eager anticipation of the war like practice session.

our duty to each succeeding generation that they have a chance for clean sportsmanship and fair play."

It is felt that the team this year has a fair amount of talent available and if it can get off to a good start will be able to take care of most of its own expenses through the gate receipts resulting from improved play which is necessary to attract paying crowds.

Safety Training For the Children

The way your child walks, runs, and plays may well determine his future or lack of it, the Department of Motor Vehicles told North Carolina parents today.

The Department pointed out that inadequate safety training on the part of parents is an indirect cause for many of the annual traffic deaths among children under 15 years of age.

The Department figures show that 116 children under 15 were killed in traffic accidents in North Carolina last year. About a third of the children were playing in the street at the time, about one-sixth of them ran or walked from behind parked cars and a fourth of them were struck while crossing between intersections. In far too many of these cases the child had never been taught that what he was doing was dangerous.

It's ridiculous for parents to ignore the fact that, sooner or later, Junior is going to have to be cut loose and sent into traffic alone, the Department said. Self reliance in coping with today's traffic must be taught our children. They must know how to walk and play safely.

The Department urged parents to impress the following rules on their children:

1. Remember—the streets are for cars—not scooters, tricycles or play.

2. Cross the street only at the corner, preferably at one with an automatic signal or traffic officer. Look both ways, then for turning traffic, and cross only when the way is clear.

3. Never forget that bicycles are subject to the same rules and regulations governing automobiles, including the careful observance of signs and signals.

With 116 children under 15 years of age, alone, killed in traffic accidents last year, the Department said, it's time we quit laying the blame exclusively on the shoulders of the motorists, the child's immaturity and Fate. Parents must know that they are involved as deeply in this problem as anyone!

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