

All Drivers Are Required To Secure New North Carolina Driver's License

Facts Concerning The Re-Issuance Of Driver Licenses

In accordance with the law passed by the 1947 General Assembly of North Carolina requiring the re-issuance of Motor Vehicle driver licenses, the following schedule has been made: the period beginning July 1, 1947, and ending on December 31, 1947, is the time for all driver license holders, whose sur-names begin with the letters A or B to apply for new licenses. Persons whose names do not begin with one of the above letters cannot apply for re-issuance of license in this period.

The period beginning January 1, 1948, and ending on June 30, 1948, will be the time for all operators whose sur-names begin with either of the letters C or D to apply for re-issuance of licenses. All Motor Vehicle drivers whose sur-names begin with a letter other than A, B, C or D will be notified by press releases at the proper time as to when they should appear for the re-examination.

The operator's license issued under the 1947 Safety Act shall automatically expire on the birthday of the licensee in the fourth year following the year of issuance, and no license shall be issued to any operator after the expiration of his license until such operator has again passed the required examination.

Everyone will get a complete examination. The examination is made up of four parts. These parts are: (1) An Eye test (2) Highway Sign test (3) Driving Rules test (4) Road test.

The poorest visual reading that will permit passing with glasses is 20-50. This may be with both eyes together, or it may be with best eye alone. The Sign test consists of the showing to the applicant several pictures containing Highway Warning signs. The applicant will be requested to tell what a driver should do when he comes to such a sign. Inability to read is not grounds for denying a driver license. The Rule section of the examination consists of twenty-five simple questions that deal with the safe operation of a motor vehicle. The Road test will consist of a drive of some twelve to fifteen city blocks. In the past some applicants have begun road tests with the understanding that the Examiner would tell him to pass red lights, exceed speed limits, and otherwise drive improperly. This, however, has not been the policy in North Carolina nor will it be during this re-issuance.

Previous practices governing the issuance and use of Learners Permits will not be changed. The only change that will occur with respect to fees charged will be the increase in the cost of an operator's license from one to two dollars.

History Duplin County Chapter, A. R. C.

On December 7, 1941 the Red Cross in Duplin County was an active and growing concern. It was organized in 1914 during the World War I period and because of the depression and need for Red Cross clothing in Duplin County, the chapter was reorganized in August 1932. Mr. J. E. Jerritt of Kenansville was made chairman, which office he has held continuously since that date. Mrs. Inez C. Boney was secretary. This office was held by her until November 1943. From December 7, 1941 until November 1, 1943, Mrs. Inez C. Boney, Mrs. Grace C. Vinn, Mrs. Helen Beems, Miss Doris Rouse and other staff members which the

Welfare Department happened to have, gave part time each day to the Red Cross as volunteer workers. This volunteer group helped with the fund-raising campaigns and organized production corps in every section of the county. Files were set up keeping the data of cases handled.

November 1, 1943, Mrs. George Strang became the first full-time paid worker in the Duplin County Chapter, with headquarters in the Welfare Building in Kenansville. She served in a most gracious manner for six months as Executive Secretary with Home Service responsibilities. She made many contacts throughout the county and

encouraged the work in every way she could and organized the Camp and Hospital Council.

When Mrs. Strang resigned, Mrs. N. B. Boney was appointed to the position as Executive Secretary with Home Service duties. The work of the chapter increased to such a degree that in July 1945 a part-time stenographer was added to the staff. Again during this extreme busy period, Mrs. Inez C. Boney and the Welfare Office Force did much volunteer work and continued to stand ready at all times for service.

This being a rural county, the outstanding activity has been Home Service. However, the production corps, and Camp & Hospital Council have been quite active. We had many nutrition, First Aid and Home Nursing classes in the various local units. The Junior Red Cross has been most active since 1932. Mrs. N. B. Boney served as Junior Red Cross Director from 1932 until 1943. Mr. O. P. Johnson served in 1943-44. During this period 100% of our colored and white schools were enrolled. Mrs. George Bennett has served since 1944. The work continues to hold the interest of the schools. Several hundred educational boxes were sent overseas. Many products have been furnished the Camp & Hospital Council by the Juniors.

The biggest and most concentrated production done was during the years 1942 and 1943, however, these tabulated records have been misplaced. The production corps made, labeled, packed and shipped the following supplies beginning April 1943 through May 1946:

For Army: 751 sleeveless sweaters, 20 with sleeves, 118 mufflers, 160 helmets, 636 filled kit bags, 210 utility bags, 127 bedside bags, 143 housewives, 457 layette articles.

For Navy: 39 Sweaters, 30 pairs socks.

For War Relief: 14 Woman's dresses, 19 Children's dresses, 24 mens shirts, 2 boy's suits, 37 boy's shirts, 1 large shirt, 1 muffler, 12 pairs mens pajamas, 11 womens circular shawls, 1 infant kimona.

Much credit for the amount of work is due to Mrs. R. E. Wall of Warsaw who was production chairman. Upon her resignation, Mrs. Henry Stevens, Jr., of Warsaw was appointed chairman and she carried on most cheerfully. Both of these chairmen were given splendid cooperation by the local units in the county set-up. The Faison unit excelled in amount of knitting; Wallace unit excelled with kit-bags, while the Rose Hill and Kenansville units cooperated in over-all participation.

Dr. Gustav Ulrich of Seven Springs RFD, was Fund-Raising Campaign Manager for this war period, during which time our contributions were: 1942 \$2,895.92; 1943 \$7,000.00; 1944 \$15,082.17; 1945 \$14,663.34; and 1946 \$8,276.67.

Mr. Ulrich received the full cooperation of all local units. M. F. Allen, Jr., served as Chapter Treasurer from June 1943 until the present time. During his services for 12 months with the Merchant Marine, Mr. F. W. McGowan filled his place.

For the past five years 6,444 cases were serviced with grants or loans made in the amount of \$4-168.66.

Our organization has run smoothly and effectively largely due to the wonderful spirit of the chairman, J. E. Jerritt, who has worked willingly throughout this entire period. Reported by Louise K. Boney, Executive Secretary A. R. C. Duplin County Chapter Kenansville, N. C.

Baseball Roundup

By: BILL CARROLL

(Too Late For Last Week)

Warsaw Red Sox, the hot and cold ball club in the Weed Circuit, has been see-sawing up and down in the standings the past week. Due, mostly, to the lack of batting power and mediocre pitching. As of last Thursday the Crimson Hose were in 5th place.

Here's the way it went as our reporter, Bill Carroll, saw it May 29 through June 4:

Thursday, May 29
The locals journeyed over to Sanford but due to rain the game was washed out. This brought on a double header June 12 at Sanford. As Wilmington lost to Smithfield at the Leaf's park 1-0, the Sox went into a tie for third place.

May 30 Warsaw 6 Sanford 3
The Sox played, according to this writer's opinion, their best game of the season Friday night, when the locals doubled the score on the Sanford Spinners to the tune of 6-3.

Cy Faircloth was hot as a \$2 pistol after a little nervous start in the first 3 innings. The Zeb Harrington boys scoring 1 run in each inning and then Cy slammed the door in their faces. Here's how they scored: (1st inning) Guinn walked, stole second, and scored when Jones, the Sox catcher, threw wild to third - one run without even the ball hit in fair territory - Shoffner struck out - Wilson walked, Nesselrode forced Wilson at second on a fielder's choice; that was the only time "Big Hank" got on base, he didn't even get a hit in the game - Nessoning got a single, but Pugh was out short to first to end the inning - Warsaw went down 1-2-3 Jordan popped to pitcher, Wilmer went down on strikes and Milner out to pitcher to first. (2nd inning) Hedrick singled, dan

Butcher was on, error by short - Hedrick going to second, passed ball advanced runners. House grounded out second to first. Neither runner advanced. Hedrick scored when Guinn hit a fast ball to Wilmer second base who made the out, second to first. Butcher pulling in at third. Shoffner was out at first unassisted to end the inning.

Warsaw in 2nd: Bohannon flied out to 3rd; Stephens called out on strikes; Scrobola hit deep to center.

Score end of 2 innings Sanford 2 Warsaw 0.

(3rd Inning) Wilson got a single for Sanford; Nesselrode hit to 2nd not in time for a play on Wilson, out 2nd to 1st; Nessoning singled to right who juggled the ball scoring. Wilson - Nessoning stole second but Pugh popped up to second. Hedrick ended the third inning by flying out to first.

(Jones hit by pitcher for a pass. Faircloth flied out to right. Jordan lifted an out to short.

Score Sanford 3 Warsaw 0.
This isn't all folks, don't go away yet, the 8th inning is coming up. Let's dish out the whole game to'em Bob - just for once!

4th inning - Sanford - Butcher grounded out 3rd to 1st. House got a single. Guinn flied out to right. Shoffner forced House, short to 2nd. Warsaw - Wilmer got the first hit off House, a double between left and center. Milner out 2nd to 1st. Wilmer pulling in at 3rd. Bohannon out on grounder.

Score Sanford 3 Warsaw 0.
5th inning - Wilson lined out to Lail who made a nice catch. Mighty Nesselrode hit the dust, swinging. Nessoning Walked. Pugh forced Nessoning second to short.

Warsaw - Scrobola out on close playstretching a single into a double - didn't tag him, just had one of his dogs on the bag, center to second. Lail out pitcher to first. Jones skyed out to left.

6th inning - Hedrick grounded out. Jordan to Milner. Butcher walked. Butcher out, Jones to Jordan stealing. House grounded out.

Warsaw - Faircloth grounded out. Jordan walked. Wilmer forced Jordan 3rd to 2nd on a fielders choice, Milner grounded out.

7th inning - Guinn flied out. Shoffner grounded out. Wilson out short to 1st.

Warsaw - Bohannon flied out. Stephens popped to 2nd. Scrobola popped to 3rd.

8th inning - Nesselrode grounded out. Nessoning got a single, stole second. Pugh flied to left. Hedrick popped to second.

Warsaw - Lail flied to center. Jones hit by pitcher for a pass. Faircloth beat out an infield hit to third. Jordan walked filling the bases. Wilmer hit to second who threw high to short trying for a double play, Jones scoring, Faircloth going to third. All safe. Milner flied out to 3rd. Bohannon got a single over second scoring Faircloth and Jordan to tie the score. Wilmer going to second. Stephens walked to jam the bases. Scrobola got a nice double down third base line that went to the corner of left field fence, scoring Wilmer and Bohannon, Stephens on third Scrobola on second.

McFadden relieves Sanford's House; Lail beat out an infield hit to score Stephens, Scrobola was out by a step trying to score on the same play.

Score Sanford 3 Warsaw 6
9th inning - Butcher hit to 3rd who threw high to first. Butcher going to second on the play. McFadden out on a ground ball 2nd to 1st. Butcher going to 3rd. Guinn tried to sacrifice and was out pitcher to 1st. Jordan made a beautiful catch of Shoffner's linedrive to end the game.

May 31 Warsaw at Wilmington
The Sox got salted down 13-0 by the Pirates down at the port city Saturday night. Lefty Louis Cheshire allowed the Red Sox only 6 hits while the Buc's were having a field day off Hampton - Conn with Wink Andrews coming to his aid in the 8th. The Pirates gathered 16 hits off Conn for 13 runs and 1 hit off Andrews.

The win dropped the Sox into 4th place and the Pirates moved up a notch.
June 1 - Pirates at Warsaw
The Sox gained revenge Sunday by sinking the Pirates 10-3 to move into a tie for 3rd place. Cyclone Johnson was on the hill for Warsaw and scattered 9 hits for only 3 runs. Lefty Hewlett did the twirling for the losers and was touched for ten hits - Townsend relieved him in the 9th and gave up 1 hit.

Warsaw scored 2 runs in the first inning. Jordan walked, stole second and scored on Bohannon's double. Lail hit to score Bohannon.

In the second the winning runs were scored when Johnson singled, went to 3rd on Jordan's single, Jordan went to second on an error and Wilson drove in two runs with a hit.

Wilmington scored in the 5th. Hewlett doubled with two men out and Muscemeci drove him in with a single. The other runs for Wilmington were scored in the 8th when Davis was hit by Johnson, Edens rattled the fence with a double and Pokelamba drove Ed in home for the final run.

The Sox battled around in the 8th to score 5 runs on 4 walks, 2 hits a triple steal and one error. Final score Warsaw 10 - Wilmington 3.

June 2 Dunn 10 - Warsaw 9
The Warsaw "FALLING STARS" fell to 4th place Monday night losing a tough game to Jack Bell and crew, 10-9. The Dunn-Erwin twins winning runs were registered in the top half of the 9th. Warsaw pushed across 3 runs in the 9th but couldn't quite overcome their visitor's lead.

June 3 Dunn 7 - Warsaw 6
The Dunn-Erwin Twins scored 5 runs in the first 3 innings but the Warsaw team didn't say quit until the 9th and had tied the score. Faircloth was on the mound for the Sox and pitched good ball after the 3rd inning scattering 10 hits. Warsaw was guilty of 5 errors. Johnny Koehli was the winning pitcher, allowing 10 hits.

The Sox trailing 6-4 in the top half of the 9th tied it up when Bohannon blasted a 350 foot home run with Milner on base. However, Dunn scored in the bottom of the 9th when Bell singled, Jackson walked, with no one out Carl Johnson relieved Faircloth and pitched to Denning who singled on a hard hit ball through the box. The loss dropped the Sox into 5th place and second division for the first time.

June 4 Red Springs at Warsaw
In one of the best games seen at the local park, Red Springs caked out a 3-2 win over the Red Sox in 14 innings. Warsaw playing with two regulars out of the line up. Wilmer local second baseman, injured an ankle at Dunn Tuesday night. Wink Andrews substituted for him tonight and played errorless ball. Earl Lail had to leave the game when hit on the head with a pitched ball by Miller in the 5th inning. Fortune substituted but went hitless but made a nice catch in center when Scrobola moved into third.

Hampton Conn went the whole 14 innings, striking out 14 and allowing 12 scattered hits. And several times would have won with a single, but it wasn't in the cards. Conn deserved a lot of credit although shaded by Miller, Red Springs left-hander, who also pitched a fine game giving up 11 hits and striking out 5. Red Springs scored a run in the first, fifth and 14th. With 2 men out in the first, Wolfe singled, stole second and struck out on a triple by Mangia. Conn struckout Mangia to retire the side.

In the 5th Miller popped to 3rd. Rogers got a single, scored on Brown's triple. This tied the score at 2-2. Conn got the next two batters striking out Wolfe and Mangia flying out to short.

Warsaw scored two runs in the bottom of the second - Bohannon walked, but was caught between 1st and 2nd when Miller caught him off first with a trick delivery. Jones grounded out 2nd to 1st. Scrobola who led Warsaw's hitting with 5 for 6 including 2 doubles, hit his first two-bagger. Stephens parked one over right to put the Sox ahead 2-1.

Scrobola tried to break the marathon in the 13th after Jones had flied out to start it off. Scrobola singled. Stephens hit to Wood who made a nice stop of a ground ball at second and came within an inch of beating it out at first. Scrobola going to second. Andrews beat out a slow roller to third for a hit. Scrobola came home but was out sliding in.

The winning run was scored in the 14th. Miller singled. Rogers bunted to third but no one covered the bag at first and no play could be made. Miller goes to second. Brown sacrificed Miller to third. Scored on a fly to left by Wolfe, the throw in, not in time. There's your ball game as Warsaw went down 1-2-3 in their half of the 14th.

This leaves the Sox in fifth place but if they continue to play as good as tonight's game they will win some games brother. - Guess I've been writing about 14 innings, so signing off.

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

When Ed's Crops Failed

Three years ago Ed Smith's luck went bad. His crops failed, and it wasn't long before Ed's home and furnishings were up for auction.

Half the town turned out, and Ed must have thought his neighbors were a bunch of hungry vultures—buying up all his precious possessions for a song.

When it was over, and the auctioneer had left, Sam Abernathy turns to the crowd and says: "All right, folks, let's take time out for a glass of beer, and then put this stuff back where it belongs!"

Two hours later, Ed was in possession of his home and furnishings; and the folks who'd paid for them were sitting around Ed's fire enjoying a neighborly glass of beer—to show their friendship and their confidence in Ed.

Today, Ed's back on his feet—another constructive member of the community. And from where I sit, we've all been well repaid—a good investment in a good man.

Joe Marsh

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