

Calypso Nine Wins County Conference Title Again

Calypso for the second straight year captured the Duplin conference baseball crown by downing two opponents last week. Donald Pate hurled a one-hitter last Tuesday to give Calypso a 5-2 win over Wallace, and came back Thursday to pitch a 6-1 victory over Penderlea.

Wallace, the only conference club to defeat Calypso this season, held the winners to only four hits, but a triple by Stanley Byrd and their own weak fielding enabled the victors to move undis-

puted into first place in the standings. In the Penderlea game, Calypso lost no time in cinching the pennant by pushing over three runs in the first inning, two in the fourth, and one in the fifth. Penderlea's lone tally came in the third.

With L. S. Guy, with a triple and two singles, leading the way, Calypso batters jumped on Penderlea's pitching for 12 hits, including a number of extra base blows. Jiggs Harris and Pate each had a double and a single, while Billy-Ray Godwin and M. D. Davis unleashed triples.

Calypso's three runs in the first came on doubles by Harris, and singles by Swinson, Pate and Guy. Triples by Davis and Godwin and Guy's single accounted for the two tallies in the fourth, and the lone run in the fifth came on Pate's two-bagger and Guy's triple.

Pate allowed only four hits and struck out nine Penderlea hitters.

Mayor's Court Held On Tuesdays Now

Those arrested over the weekend will come to trial quicker under the administration's change in the court dates.

Mayor B. E. Bryan and Mayor Pro Tem Robert Shackelford jointly announced this week that Mayor's court will be held each Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock, instead of Saturday afternoon as was the practice for the past several years.

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Festival by Faison Was Held Friday

Students at the Faison school showed parents and friends what they have learned in music and physical education this year at a spring festival Friday.

The festival began with a musical program in the auditorium, and continued with physical education in the gymnasium.

For the musical program the first grade sang "The Candy Shop"; the second and third grades sang "Open Up Your Heart"; the fourth and fifth grades, a medley of "Cribbribin", "The Ashgrove" and "Jacob's Ladder"; the elementary glee club, "Send Out Thy Light"; and the high school glee club, "Desert Song."

In the gym, the third and fourth grades put on the bunny hop and hokey pokey dance; the fifth and sixth, the Mexican Hat dance; the sixth, seventh, and eighth, square dance; the ninth grade, rope jumping; 10th, 11th, and 12th, volleyball; the 12th, badminton; the sixth through 12th, tumbling; and the same group, mass calisthenics.

Final Meeting for PTA Group Thurs.

The Mount Olive Parent-Teachers Association will hold its final meeting of the school year in the elementary school auditorium Thursday night, starting at 8 o'clock.

Officers for next year will be installed at this meeting. The elementary rhythm band will be in charge of the program.

Spring Freeze Has Cut Berries Short

Strawberries did not pick up on the local market last week, and producers have given up hope that there will be an increase in sales.

One broker said the spring freeze killed most of the blooms, and those that bloomed after the chill did not produce as they should. Producers say they expect no increase in the sale volume.

Except Friday, when no berries were sold on the market, a few

Victory as Byrd Slams

Mount Olive High school's baseball team pulled another game out of the fire with a late-inning rally to nip Nahunta 10-9 here Tuesday afternoon.

Trailing 8-6 going into the bottom of the fifth, the Panthers took advantage of Nahunta's wildness to score four runs on two hits, back-to-back doubles by Morris Herring and Robert Tillman, to go into the lead, which they never relinquished.

Nahunta jumped on Dave Gillis, Mount Olive's starting pitcher, for five runs in the first inning, and sent him to the showers before he could get two men out. Carson Lane, who started the season as an outfielder, came in to relieve and kept the visitors under control to gain credit for the win.

Lane, making his first mound appearance, gave up two runs in the second, and Nahunta forged ahead 7-0, but in the Panthers' half five straight walks and a grand-slam homer by Billy Byrd, his second in as many games, gave Mount Olive five runs.

The Panthers picked up another run in the fourth on two walks and a single by Byrd, who led Mount Olive at bat with three hits in five.

During the six and two-thirds innings he labored on the hill for Mount Olive, Lane allowed five hits and permitted Nahunta to score in the second, and one run in each of the fourth and sixth.

Athletic Group Acts On Baseball Rumor

The Wayne County Athletic Association convened in Goldsboro last Monday night and acted on reports that some baseball players at Nahunta have been playing with semi-pro teams.

Nahunta officials were instructed to investigate the report that some players from that school had participated in semi-pro games, and if they did to bar such players from and to send a written report to G. I. Carriker, president of the association.

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Other new officers elected and installed at the meeting Friday night were: Elmer Brock, first vice commander; Everett Lee Kornegay, second vice commander; David Vann Smith, third vice commander; J. Rodney Southerland, Jr., adjutant; Ray Herring, chaplain; Bryce Ficken, service officer; S. M. Davis, historian, and Newby Price, sergeant-at-arms.

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