

Good Sportsmanship Is Main Factor to Success

By ANNE SEXTON

The youngsters as well as the teen-agers really get a kick out of this nice, warm, sun-shiny weather we are having now. Every day they try something new. They are simply bursting with vim and vigor. . . never appear tired. . . and always on the go.

Every school I visit, I find the boys out on the field with a ball and bat playing that all time game. . . baseball. I have yet to find a boy that didn't enjoy that sport. Regardless of their ages, that is one game that seems to fascinate everyone.

The high school clubs are busy practicing trying to better themselves. Every team wants to be the best. . . which is only natural. Every player practices long and hard.

No one wants to be a disappointment to their club, their school, or the people who go to see them play. Of course, they realize that their team can't possibly win every time. . . somebody has to lose sometime, but you can be sure every player will do his best to make his team come out on top.

GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP is the main factor in anything one undertakes to do. . . WORK or PLAY. When one has that, he or she can get along anywhere, anytime. . . with anyone. It doesn't come easy. One has to work hard and try hard.

JEALOUSY is one thing that one should try to overcome. What good does it do to sulk, or perhaps say words that will hurt your fellow man just because he or she can do the same thing you are doing. . . only better? Wouldn't it be much nicer to congratulate them, admit they are better, and TRY harder the next time? You'd be surprised the good it does.

RESENTMENT is another thing that isn't good for anyone. Always remember everyone can't have the very best of everything. MAKE THE BEST OF WHAT YOU HAVE and don't feel hard or bitter towards others because they

Daddy Joe Has 74th Birthday

Eure.—Mr. and Mrs. Paris Eure of Winton, entertained at their home Sunday with a birthday dinner in honor of her father Joe Landing 74th birthday.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Warren and daughter, Beverly, of Norfolk, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Howell and Miss Dianne Howell, Mrs. Mary Harrell, Mr. and Mrs. Timmie Felton of Eure, Mr. and Mrs. Putt Landing, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Lee Landing and Frank Landing of Plymouth, Mr. and Mrs. Paris Eure, Dan Frank and Sandra Eure, Miss Kate Liverman, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Horton and son, Joey, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kerper and children of Winton.

happen to be more fortunate than you. Just remember you are equally as good, and act accordingly.

ANGER and TEMPER are two things that one has to work doubly hard trying to overcome. Needless to say, everyone becomes ANGRY at times. It just isn't human nature not to. When something or someone displeases us and we become angry; it's awfully hard sometime to control that thing called TEMPER. Not being able to control one's TEMPER causes more trouble and grief than any one thing in the world.

It's so easy to become angry; say things to hurt someone just to get even. . . but, where does it get you? After the trouble is over and things have cooled down a bit, there is nothing left but a feeling of regretfulness.

You say to yourself, "why did I say those things? Why did I act as I did? If I just had my time to go over, I'm sure I would never say such words or do those terrible things!"

However, that time cannot be lived over. The words that were spoken, the acts of unkindnesses that were committed will remain. The only alternative left is to apologize. Please be big enough to do that!

Now is the time to say to yourself, "the next time I become angry I will STOP and THINK before I ACT. . . and by all means, DO IT!"

Whether it be work or play, if one can overcome JEALOUSY, ANGER, RESENTMENT and TEMPER then GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP IS INEVITABLE!

Drum Hill

By MRS. JACK WHITEHURST

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Everett of Suffolk were Sunday guest of his mother, Mrs. George Wilkins.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Worrell were Saturday guests of his brothers Clarence, John and Walter Worrell and their families near Eason Cross Roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Allen and son, Eddie of Suffolk were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitehurst.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Baker, Sr. were Saturday and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Baker of Portsmouth. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Baker, Jr. The Bakers were called to the bedside Saturday of Clyde's little baby girl, Shelia, who was critically ill in Mary View hospital. Shelia was improved some and recognized her mother, and father Sunday a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Whitehurst and daughter, Mrs. Carroll Allen and her three sons, Michael, Joe, and Gary spent Sunday afternoon with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Twine of Belvidere.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Worrell were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Collier and family near Whaleyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitehurst and son, Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Allen and son, Eddie of Suffolk spent Sunday afternoon and were supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Baker of Warrick. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Parker and Horace Baker.

Pvt. Bobby Gene Shorter of the U. S. Army arrived Sunday morning from Fort Jackson, S. C. for a 14 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter King.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Baker and daughter, Rita are able to be out after being confined to their home sick under physicians care last week. Rita resumed her school work this week.

Mrs. Dora Baker of Suffolk spent part of last week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Baker.

Mrs. R. H. Worrell attended the WMU Meeting at Buleah Baptist Church at Sunbury Thursday Mrs. Worrell also called to see Mrs. E. E. Parker and Mrs. J. N. Boyce of Sunbury late Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Walter Matthews and two sons of Richmond were weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mathias and Miss Mary Pierce. Other guest of the Mathias were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mathias of Hampton, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Freeman of Gates.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. William Brown and two children, Janet and Roy visited in and around Bethel Sunday afternoon.

SOCIETY

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Carter had as their dinner guest Sunday Mrs. Belle Parker of Tyner.

Miss Erdine Franklin spent the weekend with Miss Daisy Ellis in Suffolk.

Mrs. J. P. Boone of Suffolk is visiting her sister, Mrs. Maxey Harrell and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hayes were in Edenton Sunday the guests of Mrs. Hayes' sister, Mrs. George Hoskins and Mr. Hoskins.

Mrs. H. V. Beamon visited in Charlottesville, Va., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Joyner and children, Dennis and Betty, visited Mrs. Mary Keeter in Roanoke Rapids last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. W. R. Cowper visited her brother in Charleston, S. C., this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Fleming had as their guests Sunday, their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Fleming, and daughter, Delores, of Newport News, Va.

Mrs. J. P. Boone and Mrs. Maxey Harrell were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Howell in White Oak, Sunday.

Mrs. T. L. Carter and Mrs. L. C. Carter of Gatesville, Mrs. C. H. Carter and her guest, Mrs. Belle Parker, visited in Edenton Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. P. Godwin, Jr., spent last week in Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lilley had as their guests for the weekend their daughters, Misses Paige and Erline Lilley and their guests, Misses Ann Tucker, Joan Eason and Wilda Blizzard all of East Carolina College, Greenville. Miss Armezia Miller of Gates spent Saturday and Sunday nights with them.

Spending Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lilley were their son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Lilley and two sons of Scotland Neck and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Felton and son, Gary, of Winton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lloyd Askew and daughter, Suzanne, were in Conway Sunday and were the guests of Mrs. Askew's father, Norfleet Sumner.

Mrs. L. L. Harrell of Pink Hill, N. C., is staying a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hayes. Mrs. Hayes invites all of Mrs. Harrell's friends to visit her while there.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lilley, Misses Paige and Erline Lilley, Ann Tucker, Joan Eason and Wilda Blizzard, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Felton and son, Gary, enjoyed a fish fry at Gattington Beach Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Franks of Kinston, N. C., visited Mrs. Franks' father, Mr. F. E. Smith, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Halstead Bryant and daughter, Connie, have returned to their home in Murfreesboro after staying the past two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett L. Riddick and two children of Raleigh and Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Wood and three children of Edenton were the weekend guests of Mrs. Emmett Riddick.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Morris and sons, Dale and Davey, were the Sunday night diner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sexton in Winton.

Shower Held for Mrs. Broughton

Eure.—Mrs. Eldon Umphlett and Mrs. A. D. Umphlett entertained Saturday night from 8 until 10 o'clock honoring Mrs. Robert Broughton of Portsmouth a recent bride in the home of Mrs. Ruth Umphlett at a miscellaneous shower.

Entertainment during the evening consisted of contests with prizes won which in turn were presented to the honoree.

The hostesses served refreshments to Mrs. Claude Felton, Mrs. Alton Umphlett, Mrs. Wilbur Eure, Mrs. Ella Jones, Mrs. Sue Stallings, Mrs. Ruben Mulder, Mrs. Troy Greene, Mrs. Jim Parker, Mrs. R. Hill, Mrs. Mary Alice Taylor, Mrs. Minnie Jenkins, Mrs. Nathan Eure, Miss Gwendolyn Eure, Mrs. Chester Jenkins, Mrs. Paul Sawyer, Mrs. C. E. Sawyer, Mrs. Henry D. Eure, Mrs. W. L. Askew, Mrs. Cecil Smith, Miss Lida Eure, Mrs. Robert Broughton, Mrs. Ruth Umphlett, Mrs. Eldon Umphlett and Mrs. A. D. Umphlett.

Mrs. Broughton received numerous gifts.

Paige Lilley Counselor at East Carolina

Greenville.—Paige Lilley of Gatesville was one of the thirty-four students from the sophomore class of 1955-1956 at East Carolina College, who was chosen to act as one of the student counselors, or "Big Sisters," to freshmen women entering the college next September. Twenty-eight will assist in orienting new students living in Cotton Hall, dormitory for freshmen women; four will be with freshmen living in one wing of Ragsdale Hall; and two, with freshmen in Wilson Hall.

It is an honor to be chosen as a student counselor, states Mrs. Hazel Clark, advisor to freshmen at the college. In order to qualify, the student must maintain a good scholastic average throughout her freshman year. She must also have demonstrated her ability as a student leader, as well as a good dormitory and campus citizen.

Lawn Party for Peggy's Birthday

Gates.—Mrs. Frank Sieling very delightfully entertained at the eight birthday of her daughter, Peggy, Saturday afternoon from 3 until 5 on the lawn of her home here. The lawn was decorated with pink and white crepe paper and balloons.

Several games were played Mildred Eure won the prize for pinning the Donkeys tail. The games were under the directions of Mrs. J. R. Freeman, Jr., and Mrs. H. C. Eason.

Refreshments were served to the following, Martha Duplissey, Douglas and James Carter, Elaine Mathias, Nelle Brown, Jimmy Hayes, Tommie Council, Lucy Riddick Carter, Bob and Steve Carroll, Beckie and Charles Warren Cross, Jackie Eure, George and Frankie Owens, Elaine and Annebelle Edmonds, Terry Lind, Lila, Rebecca, Lou, Rachelle Eure, Deborah Tyler, Nancy Hayes, Paige Langston, G. T. Williams, Carolyn Winn, Clarine Pollock, Evelyn, Mabel Have and Gretchen Godwin, Non Wyatt, John Worrell, Anna Freeman, Ora Mathias, Rose Ellen Currell, Norman Lee Harrell, Willard Nixon, Jean and Bob Bishop, Mildred Eure, Virginia Ellis, Johnny Ellis, Forest and Allen Matthews, Mesdames, Walter Matthews, Wallace Mathias, J. E. Hayes, Jr., Thomas Council, Robert J. Carroll, C. V. Cross, Jr., Howard Eure, Dick Tyler, Lloyd Hayes, John Robert Langston, Julian Freeman, J. R. Freeman, Jr., J. R. Freeman, Sr., H. C. Eason.

NEW FHA OFFICERS

Hobbsville.—The following officers have recently been elected by the Hobbsville Future Homemakers of America chapter:

President, Ernestine Stallings; Vice President, Ann Overman; Secretary, Annie Marie Riddick; Treasurer, Gloria Hoffer; Parliamentarian, Blanche Riddick; Historian, Betty Rea Riddick; Reporter, Loretta Benton; Song Leader, Edla Hoffer; Pianist, Norma Mae Rountree.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

Religion for Living

By J. L. WALTER MOOSE

"You are the salt of the earth; but if salt has lost its taste, how can its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything except to be thrown out and trodden under foot by men." Matthew 5:13.

Christ called his disciples "salt." Why? Because salt has three qualities that every Christian should possess. Salt purifies, preserves and flavors. To the people of Jesus' day salt was even more indispensable than to us. It was almost the sole method of preserving foods, especially meat. The fishermen depended upon salt to preserve his catch until he could get it to market. Salt was a necessity.

Therefore, said Jesus, the Christian ought to be a purifying and refreshing influence to the life of the community in which he lives. St. Augustine tells us of an early Christian custom. When a person became a Christian "Christ's salt" was put in his mouth to remind him that when a person decides to follow Christ he takes on the qualities of salt. Thus his life was purified and saved, and through him the life of the community was lifted a little closer to God.

Almighty and Most Merciful God, in whose hands are all the things of heaven and earth, hear the prayers of thy people, and grant us thy peace all the days of our life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Home Club Meets With Mrs. Parker

Corapeake.—In the home of Mrs. W. K. Parker, "Quick Breads" was the demonstration given by the president, Mrs. Walter Ward at the April meeting on Monday afternoon of the Corapeake Home Demonstration Club. Three visitors, Mrs. Elton Taylor, Mrs. Lee Riddick and Mrs. J. C. Vann were recognized and extended a hearty welcome. After singing "The Old North State" devotions were given by Mrs. Louis Mathias. At the roll call two members were noted absent. Mrs. Frank Barnes gave a report of the District Federation meeting held at Sandy Cross.

Mrs. Walter Ward, in the absence of the Home Agent, Miss Griffin, gave the demonstration on Biscuit Mix in baking biscuits and also baking a cake using the mix. For refreshments Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Parker prepared ham biscuits and a banana filling was used for the layer cake which was also served with cold drinks to the members and guest that included Mrs. Earl Taylor, Mrs. John L. Lassiter, Mrs. M. A. Perry, Mrs. Louis Mathias, Mrs. Elgin Byrum, Mrs. Hallett Rountree, Mrs. Walter Ward, Mrs. Homer Eure, Mrs. Ethel Parker, Mrs. Frank Barnes, Mrs. Elton Taylor, Mrs. J. C. Vann, Mrs. Lee Riddick and Tommie Ward.

Gates

By MRS. H. C. EASON
Miss Lois Hayes of Newport News was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hayes. Mr. and Mrs. John Tyler and family of Robersonville and Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Laster of Suffolk visited Mr. and Mrs.

Dick Tyler and Mrs. P. C. Tyler during the weekend. The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar S. Edwards and family returned home Thursday from Asheville where they spent the past 10 days visiting relatives and the Rev. E. Carroll, H. C. Eason attended the funeral and burial of Mrs. Sallie Doughtie at Harrell Church Friday afternoon.

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