

# Pittman Twirls Two-Hitter As Eagles Rout Atlantic 10-0

Jerry Pittman, in his first appearance on the mound for the Morehead City High Eagles this year, gave up just two hits and whiffed 12 Pirates Tuesday as his team walloped Atlantic High 10-0 on the Eagles' diamond.

The Eagles clouted Tommy Salter, on the rubber for the Pirates, for 14 bingles, including a triple by Jimmy Willis and doubles by Bobby Willis and Jerry Conner.

The Pirates' two hits came in the second inning and in the sixth. Carlton Willis, Atlantic third sacker, singled to right in the second, and Alfred Morris, leftfield, singled to left in the sixth.

### Eagles Score

Both teams went scoreless in the opening frame. The Eagles garnered one run in the second on two hits and three errors.

Kemp Wickizer hit a long fly to center which was missed by Laurie Morris, Pirate center fielder, with Wickizer stopping at second. Jim Willis singled, sending Wickizer to third. Willis went to second on Bryan Salter's error at second.

On the error Wickizer attempted to reach home but was tagged out. Gene Smith singled, driving Willis home for the first tally. An error by Carlton Willis on Norman Larkee's smash and a walk to Bradley McIntosh loaded the bases, but Bobby Willis lined to Carlton Willis to end the frame.

Atlantic threatened to score in the third as Tommy Salter walked, stole second, and took third on an error by Larkee. Pittman promptly erased the threat striking out Laurie Morris and Bryan Salter.

### Jim Willis Triples

Two Eagle hits gave the Eagles two runs in the fourth. Jimmy Willis tripled to open the inning followed by a walk to Gene Smith. Larkee sacrificed Jimmy Willis home for the first run and McIntosh singled driving Smith home. Bobby Willis went down from pitcher to first and Walter Thomas struck out to end the frame.

The big inning came in the fifth when four hits and four walks gave the Eagles five runs. Two singles and a walk loaded the sacks with two out.

Salter walked Smith forcing in the first run and McIntosh rapped out his third hit driving in Jim Willis and Wickizer. Bobby Willis lashed out a double sending Larkee, who walked, and McIntosh home.

Walks to Thomas and Pittman loaded the bases again, but Conner skied to William Gaskill at short ending the frame. The Eagles got two more in the sixth on hits by Wickizer, Jim Willis, McIntosh and Bobby Willis.

### Larkee Heads Double Play

The Eagles erased a possible threat in the fourth by nipping Rodney Taylor and Carlton Willis in a double play headed by Larkee.

Bradley McIntosh and Jim Willis led the Eagles with a perfect day, getting four for four. Gene Smith also had a perfect day at the plate, connecting one for one.

Pittman issued five free tickets and Salter gave up seven, four coming in the fifth inning. He also whiffed four Eagles.

Score by innings: R. H. E. Morehead City 010 252 x—10 14 1 Atlantic ..... 000 000 0— 0 2 3

### Jerry Schumacher

## Phones Can be Tricky; Which End is Which?

Bill Skarren made a very important phone call from the golf shop the other day. The conversation went something like this, "You go get one, for heavens sake talk louder." Now we don't know what the "Go get one" meant though we can guess.

It wasn't until after Bill had said four or five times, "Heavens sake, talk louder" that everyone in the golf shop suddenly burst out laughing. For there was Bill talking with the telephone receiver upside down. He was listening from the mouth piece and wondering why he couldn't hear.

While this column is not intended to be a Hollywood review, it seems in passing no more than fitting to say a few words about the movie, The Glenn Miller Story. Now as we all know Hollywood and its

## Jones Central To Host Eagles

The Morehead City Eagles baseball team, currently riding a two-game winning streak, will travel to Trenton today for a tilt with Jones Central.

Coach Gannon Talbert said yesterday that Walter Thomas, with a record of 1-0, will start on the rubber for the Eagles. He also announced the probable starting lineup.

Norman Larkee will start at second with Brad McIntosh at short, Jerry Pittman will be at third, and Jerry Conner will start at first. Bobby Willis will be behind the plate.

Jimmy Willis will start at center with either Jerry Parker or Gene Smith at left and Kemp Wickizer in right.

Jones Central nipped the Eagles after a two-game winning streak last year, in the beginning of the season. Coach Talbert hopes to hurdle Jones Central before taking on Smyrna Tuesday.

## Smyrna Gets Forfeit Win

The baseball tilt between Smyrna and Atlantic, scheduled for this afternoon at Atlantic, has been called off, with Atlantic forfeiting to Smyrna. No reason was given for cancelling the game.

Smyrna's next game will be with Morehead City Tuesday on the Smyrna field.

Coach Stewart Daniels has eight holdovers from last year's team which won seven tilts and lost three. Heading the list is ace twirler Roy Styron.

Also back from last year is Bruce Babbitt, Otis Willis, Crawford Pickett, Osborne Davis, Guion Simpson, Elbert Mears, Walker Gillikin, and Jimmy Golden.

Coach Daniels will have to revamp his mound staff, building it around Styron. As for the infield and outfield, he has most of his mainstays returning.

Thirty boys answered the first call to practice which was narrowed down to 15 by this week, Coach Daniels said.

There are six bachelors on the Detroit Lion football squad—Jim Doran, Joe Schmidt, Harley Sewell, Dick Stanfel, Carl Karilivacz and Gene Gedman.

## County Baseball League Members Begin Practice

By SHELLY SMOYER Sports Editor

With the advent of warmer weather, members of the Carteret County Baseball League have begun to work out with county high school teams, looking forward to the start of the league season.

Teams practicing with high school nines are Beaufort, Salter Path and Morehead City. It is said that a meeting of the league will be called shortly to make plans for the coming season and draw up the by-laws and constitution. League president is Dick Lockey, Newport.

The Wildwood entry has been reconditioning its field and reports say it is in fine shape.

On the schoolboy side, most of the schools have started their seasons. Morehead City and Atlantic have already met. Smyrna swings into action today, leaving Beaufort and Newport yet to get into action.

Newport is having scheduling difficulties and Beaufort had to delay scheduling until the State Class A tourney was finished.

Every time the Sea Dogs took to the court at Aberdeen there were Beaufort fans in the crowd pulling for the boys to win. Approximately 20 were on hand for Saturday's tilt. About 200 saw the afternoon games.

Wiley Taylor Jr. says some of the Sea Dogs played a little golf Saturday morning with General George C. Marshall. The team stayed in Aberdeen during the tourney.

Another honor came to Beaufort when Gehrman Holland, 6-1 forward, was named to the All-Tourney second team. He won the distinction by his fine defensive work on rebounds and posting 70 points during the tourney.

Beaufort showed why they were District Two Champions when they recovered from a stinging defeat, delivered by Odell in the opening

round, to grab fifth place in the tourney.

The National Association of Basketball Coaches rules committee this week gave its okay to a proposal changing the one-and-one free throw rule. The new rule says that the automatic two free throws in the last three minutes of play will be eliminated. This means that foul shots will remain the same all during the game.

The new rule now reads the player will be given a second or bonus shot if the first one is made. If the first shot is missed the ball will remain in play. The old rule gave the player a second shot if the first one was missed.

The new rule does not apply to a player being fouled in the act of shooting. The player will still have two shots coming.

To us this new rule stresses good shooting from the charity line; in other words a sort of skill test, if you make one you get another shot.

It might be that since this rule has been adopted, players will have a real incentive to improve their accuracy from the charity line. It surely will pay.

Governor W. B. Umstead has set aside this week as National Wildlife Week in North Carolina. Theme this year is solving the water pollution problem. Governor Umstead pointed out in his proclamation that care of our natural resources should be of the utmost importance to the sportsman.

Although we in Carteret County are not troubled by stream pollution, many of the other counties are losing vast numbers of fish through the dumping of waste material in streams and rivers.

Here in Carteret County we can aid in protecting our game by seeing that adequate cover and feed are supplied to keep our stock of quail, cottontails, and squirrels at the proper level for good hunting by conserving our natural resources.

## Victory Smiles



Gehrman Holland and Murray Pittman flash victory smiles in the Aberdeen gym after downing Stanley 56-52 to enter the consolation finals. Holland connected for 29 points, a new individual record, in the game. Pittman's excellent floor game helped the Sea Dogs rally in the final minutes to nudge Stanley.

### Always Keeps Spare Handy

Alton, Ill. (AP) — Anthony McClintock recently broke a leg while bowling. It didn't bother him much. He had a friend rush him home where he picked up a

spare. Then he returned and finished his match. McClintock lost his right leg in World War II. "I always keep a spare artificial leg around home just in case of trouble," he says.

## Announcement

I wish to thank my many friends for their kindness and consideration during my recent illness.

I am recovering rapidly and have been advised by my doctor that my illness is of a temporary nature and that I may expect to be out within the coming week.

I will do my best to see all of you in the near future.

Sincerely,  
J. W. H. ROBERTS

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## Pro Golfers Improve Game

San Antonio, Tex. (AP) — Back in 1928 Bill Mehlhorn won the Texas Open golf tournament with 297.

Bill wouldn't have been seventy-fifth in the Open this year with such a score.

Consider Dave Douglas, a top-notch golfer. Douglas shot 273—11 under par for 72 holes—and didn't even finish in the money. It required 272 to win \$110—the last place prize.

Chandler Harper won the tournament with 256. Ted Kroll shot a flat 60 for 18 holes. His other rounds were 66-73-69. Yet his 268 wound up in a tie for eighth place and he won \$440.

What's the reason for such scoring on the same course?

Ed Furgol, although he didn't finish in the money here, says: "Players are getting better, courses are better, equipment is better."

But Furgol, a veteran of 10 tournament tours, has the key to the gains made by the players this year—why there are so many more

## Weather Cancels Two Queen Street Ball Games

The game between Queen Street High School and Wilmington, scheduled for Wednesday, was rained out. Today's game, scheduled for the Queen Street field with Wilmington, was also postponed.

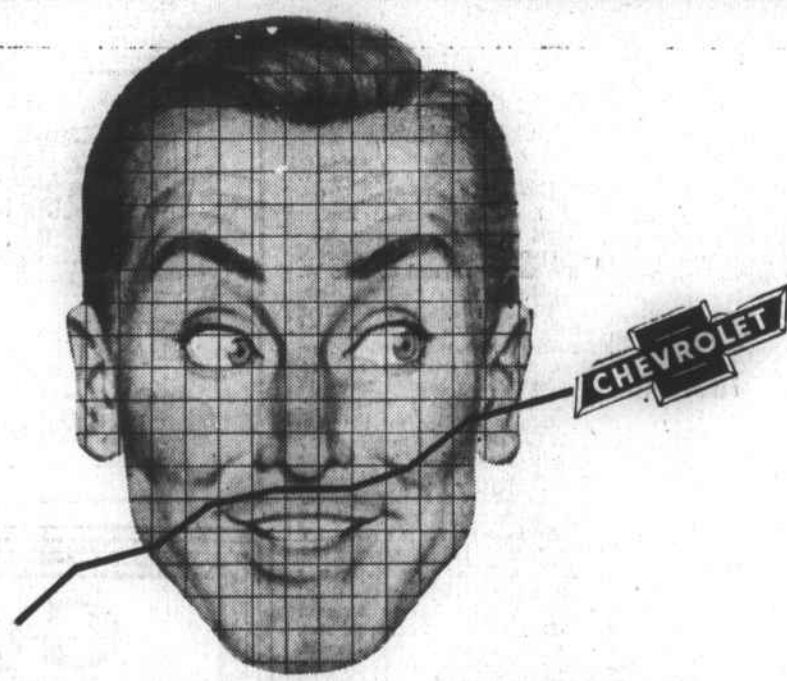
The games will be replayed April 13 and 29. The Queen Street baseballers will swing into action next week. Team and date will be announced later, Bernie Jones, Queen Street sports reporter, said.

Miami (AP) — Most horse trainers are proud to have one stakes winner during a year. But Harry Trotsek is extra-proud. He developed nine different stakes winners during 1953 and five of them were \$100,000 races. Trotsek handles the Hasty House Farm horses who will race in Hialeah this winter.

good players than ever before. This is acknowledged by all.

"I never before saw so much rubber burned on the practice ground," said Furgol. "These fellows practice from morning until night."

The way these guys score on the winter tour these days, a golfer has to work all the time. Golf just doesn't appear to be fun anymore.



## What do automobile sales records mean to me?

Well, let's begin right at the beginning. When you go out to buy a car, you look for the best possible value at the lowest possible price. Right?

Sure, but I don't see where that enters into it.

Here's the point: Automobile sales records are a big factor in determining which make of car will give you the most for your money.

How do you figure?

You see, it all goes back to the one thing that has made our country the best fed, best clothed, best housed and "best car'd" in the world—mass production. We Americans make things by the mil-

lions so we can make them better and sell them for less.

I know that mass production is mighty important.

It's the same way with cars. Mass production methods bring down the cost and bring up the quality.

Check.

Naturally, the car manufacturer who sells the most, builds the most. And, through bigger production, he enjoys greater efficiency and effects greater economies. These savings can be passed along to you in terms of higher quality and lower cost.

Now you're talking my language.

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