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Hitting and Missing.....

Your guess is as good as ours, but anyway, we are going to try pick a few football winners. This is being written Friday so you can tell today how good or bad we were.

We think that Carolina will take Wake Forest, but believe that Wake will cause trouble.

We believe that Duke will win from V. M. I. and not be bothered too much.

Navy will probably win from William and Mary. Virginia should trounce Lehigh by a fair score.

Tennessee can probably go as high as she wants to over Mercer.

Clemson over Wofford; Tulane over Boston and then we say Pitt over Ohio State.

Picking winners should not be as much trouble now as it will be later as a majority of the teams start with weak foes.

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Golf Tournament.....

Many golfers will be on the course today unless rain prevents. The golf tournament is on and the boys are fighting for holes. It will be lots of fun to watch this tournament as you will see all kinds of golf. You will see some of the best in this section and some of the worst. If you don't believe the latter part of the statement just follow some of the boys in the fourth and fifth flight.

Anyway you take it the crowd will be out for a good time and tournaments like this help.

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Saturday Is Vacation Day.....

Many football fans left here Saturday heading for football games over the state. We suppose that the Carolina Wake Forest game attracted more than any other although Duke and V.M.I. drew quite a few.

There will be games each Saturday now for the next eight or nine weeks and Person county people will spend their part of money for football tickets. Many people here really like this game called football and they don't mind taking off a little time to see a game.

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Max Baer Wins Again.....

On Thursday night of last week Maxie Baer won over Pat Comeskey in the first round of a fifteen round scheduled fight.

Maxie did not have to do much fighting, but what he did was just right and the bout was over in less than a round.

All of this may prove that Mr. Baer is not yet through as a fighter or it may prove that Mr. Comeskey was not quite ready for the Thursday affair.



Make your pictures pointed. In this shot, the sign helps tell the story. Such details often "make" a picture.

WHEN you see an opportunity for a picture, shoot it—but don't always stop there. Think a bit, and see if there isn't a way to improve the shot and make it more pointed.

Every good picture has a point—it tells you something when you look at it. The more definite you can make the idea or "story," the better the picture. And often little added details, things that don't occur to you at first glance, yield a much-improved shot.

For example, consider the boys and their wagon-works, as shown above. Chances are, Dad supplied the tools and the idea, and shot a first picture in the backyard. Then, very likely, the "men working" sign down the street suggested a better background—one that would make the picture more effective—so the scene was changed for a second shot. Incidentally, this shot might have been even better if it included the whole sign.

That's the way a lot of good pictures are made. The first picture doesn't have to be the final one. If an idea is good, it's worth repeating later—in a different location, or with different subjects. Oftentimes,

in examining a print, you can see points where the picture might be improved—and in a great many cases, it's easy enough to get a second shot.

To make your pictures more pointed, here are some tips. First, show the action clearly, so anybody can tell what is going on. The camera position has a lot to do with this, and sometimes a shift of a foot or so to one side will make a world of difference. Holding the camera higher or lower makes a difference, too.

Second, eliminate things that don't contribute to the picture idea. If there are objects that have no part in telling the story, move them aside, or choose a viewpoint that leaves them out of the picture. Third, keep the interest within the picture. Let the subjects look at what they're doing. Few pictures demand that the subject look at the camera, or even appear aware of it.

Try these hints, when you're shooting pictures—and when the first shot isn't perfect, get a second one. It's a poor idea that isn't worth two or more pictures.

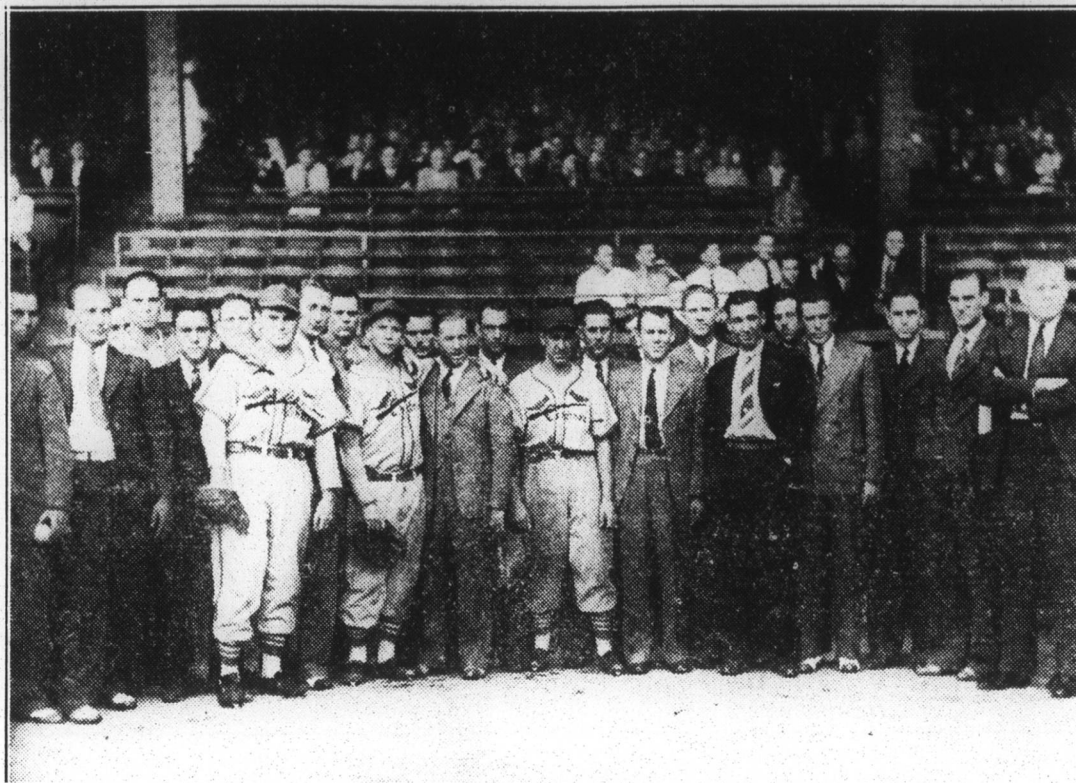
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Roxboro Cheers Its Big-Leaguer



Old Enos Still Going Strong, Too

Often it is said that when a man is doing something before home folks, right then is when he does his worse, but that's not the way with Enos, for it was when his former teammates were watching him play that he did about as good as any one could. The odd part is he is still going strong. Recently he has been collecting above the average hits in each tilt the Cardinals play.

Enos is an easy-going type of player and that's the type that is needed to stick in the big leagues.

Baer Startles Fight Experts

Jersey City, N. J. — Bids were in order yesterday for a rebuilding job on heavyweight title as piraions of Patrick Edward Comiskey as the fight world speculated anew on the merit of the game's most unpredictable figure—Max Baer.

The 31-year-old Max, transferring to explosive fists the energy often reserved for clowning, knocked out the youthful Patterson (N. J.) fighter, who was rated the most likely challenger for Joe Louis' crown, in 2 minutes and 39 seconds of the first round of their scheduled 15-round bout at Roosevelt Stadium Thursday night.

When Referee Jack Dempsey stopped the fight Comiskey was draped over the top strands of the ropes like a limp rag. He had been down for an eight count a few seconds earlier.

A wicked short right caught green Pat solidly on the button to mark the beginning of the end. Comiskey had started out dancing lightly and stabbing the grim Max with darting lefts.

Disappointed, but not discouraged, Comiskey asked rather weakly for a return match.

Homecoming Day To Be Celebrated By Roxboro High

The Roxboro High Homecoming game will be October 4 at 3:30 o'clock on the Roxboro Athletic field. Roxboro on this date will play Henderson, and the game is expected to be an exciting one since both schools appear to have strong teams.

A prominent feature of the game will be the performance of the Roxboro High school band, which will make its first appearance on the football field.

The Ca-Vel baseball team, of Collins & Aikman Corporation Roxboro upholstery mills, turned up full force in Philadelphia week before last to watch their former teammate, Enos Slaughter, now of the St. Louis Cards, help wallop the Phillies. Howard and Carlton Slaughter following in the footsteps of their famous brother, now play for Collins.

Enos put on a good show for the hometown boys, slamming out five hits including a spectacular home run over the right field wall with the bases loaded. He is shown here with two of his Cardinal teammates, Jimmy Brown and Johnny Mize, surrounding by the Ca-Vel team.

Ramblers Defeat Oxford Friday By 7-0 Score

In the season's opener on Friday afternoon, the Roxboro Ramblers journeyed to Oxford and defeated the Yellow Jackets by a score of 7 to 0.

Roxboro's winning marker came in the second quarter when Red Day, Rambler's quarterback, faded back and heaved a long one to Gus Holeman, who completed it for a 35-yard gain and a touchdown.

For the extra point Milo Dixon, on a line play, went over.

In commenting on the game Coach George Wirtz said he could see several rough spots that would have to be ironed out before next Friday's encounter, but taking everything into consideration, the boys played good ball.

Officials for the game were:

referee, Royster (Carolina); umpire, Johnson (Wisconsin); and head linesman, Overton (Oxford High).

Girls' Softball Team Organized At High School

With a turnout of 52 girls, Roxboro High school has organized a girls' softball team. Three teams were selected by faculty adviser, Mrs. M. C. Trowbridge. Captains selected by each team are as follows: Nancy Jackson, Mary Powell and Allene Humphries.

All the girls participating are

very interested in this form of athletics.

When interviewed Mrs. Trowbridge complimented the girls on their vigor and high spirit. She says, "they are good material."



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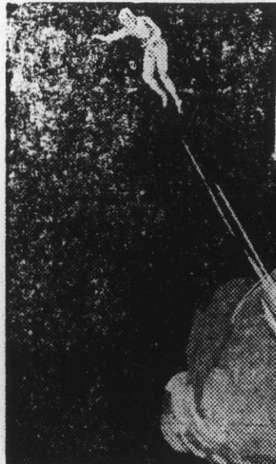
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The Great Wilno Featured In Endy Bros. Shows At Person County Fair



The Great Wilno will be shot over two giant Ferris Wheels twice daily during the Person County Fair as the feature free attraction on the mammoth midway of the Endy Bros. Shows.

It is believed that the Endy Bros. Shows are bringing the largest portable amusement park in the world to the Person County Fair coming direct from the New Jersey State Fair at Trenton, N. J.

An interesting array of tented shows and sensational riding devices will grace the "mile long midway". Some of these are the French Casino and Scandals and the Chinese Expose on the Dope or Narcotic racket. The ever popular Circus Side show has a complete assortment of Freaks from all parts of the world. There are a host of other attractions and the latest in riding devices.