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Atkins Pitches, Robertson Bats Teams To Victory

Heavy scoring in the first two innings gave the Grove Stone men a 3 to 0 decision over the Ridgecrest Staff in the game of the week at the grammar school field Tuesday night. On the same program the Staff girls eked out an victory over a fighting team of Presbyterians who didn't believe they were defeated until the girl was out.

Jackie Atkins, who improved as the game progressed, held the Ridgecrest team to a meagerly two hits and struck out the big blow for the winners in the second when Jake Robertson, who is one of the few can shift from baseball to ball without losing his effectiveness, hammered out a triple the bases jammed.

	1	2	3	1	8	9
	0	1	2	4	0	7
Grove Stone	AB	R	H			
Mill, 2b	1	3	0			
Don, rf	2	3	2			
on, rf	2	0	0			
on, ss	5	0	1			
Robertson, 1b	5	0	1			
ford, c	2	1	0			
Marrett, lf	1	0	0			
te, cf	4	1	0			
en, 3b	4	1	2			
ins, p	4	1	0			
Grove Staff	AB	R	H			
l, 2b	3	0	0			
p	3	0	1			
um, cf	4	0	0			
es, lf	3	0	0			

Interesting Books Received At Library

The following new books have just been received at the Black Mountain Public Library. They will make good summer reading for adults.

UMBERTO'S CIRCUS by Edward Bass. A colorful and unusual tale about a talented boy who became the king of a colorful circus which traveled all over Europe.

NIGHTRUNNERS OF BENGAL by John Masters. "The most exciting historical novel of the new year," says the Saturday Review of this absorbing tale of love and danger in India during a turbulent mutiny of the last century.

Summer Hours: 2 P. M. to 6:00 P. M. except Wednesday and Sunday.

Patronize your library.

Rogers, 1b	2	1	0
Parson, rf	2	0	0
Stocks, 3b	3	1	0
Hatfield, ss	3	1	0
Fellows, c	3	0	1
Grove S.	2	5	0
Staff	0	1	0

RIDGECREST . . . ramblings

Guests of Dr. and Mrs. Hight C Moore recently were Mr. and Mrs. W. Milligan Moore, Statesville, and their daughter, Mrs. Walton her children of Atlanta. The occasion was the 76th birthday anniversary of Mr. Milligan Moore, a newspaper man, who has been with the Statesville daily for many years.

Miss Belle Murray, New Smyrna Beach, Fla., Miss Ruth Dugger and Miss Virginia Warren are at the Murray cottage on Craven Hill for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Morgan and little daughters, Susan and Elizabeth, Raleigh, are at the North Carolina cottage for a couple of weeks. Mr. Morgan is state training union director for North Carolina Baptists. While here he is a member of the faculty of the training union conference now in session at the auditorium.

Ridgecrest homes are filled with people these days. Large crowds are attending the training union conferences. The meeting which ended Wednesday enrolled nearly 3,000.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Biddix are at home after a stay of several months at Tryon where Mr. Biddix was in the service of the Southern Railway company. Welcome back home, neighbors.

Returning to their home in Winter Park, Fla., Friday were Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Smith and little son, Kelly, after a two-weeks' stay with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Craven.

O. E. S. Initiates Two New Members

Black Mountain Chapter 200, O. E. S., held initiation night Tuesday, July 10, in the J. O. U. A. M. hall. Mrs. Reva S. Hinkle, worthy matron, presided during the business. Mrs. B. A. Moeller and Miss Marian Moeller were initiated into the O. E. S.

BACK TO HOOSIERLAND

Mr. and Mrs. George Stone have moved to Indianapolis, Ind., to make their home.

Friendship Wins Over Baptists

Friendship girls beat the Baptists and the American Legion nine boiled out an 11 to 9 triumph over Clearwater in games in the Community Softball league on July 9.

For Friendship Jewel English, Roberts, and Harwood all had three hits each. Wilhide and Gouge had two apiece for the Baptists.

Harry Hyder, fleet-footed shortstop, punched out three hits as he paced the Legion to victory over Clearwater in a game that saw both teams score heavily in the late innings. Wilson and Turner solved the offerings of the enemy hurler for two safeties each.

Friendship	1	3	4	0	9	9
Baptists	0	0	3	2	1	6
Legion	0	2	1	0	1	6
Clearwater	2	0	3	1	0	3

Yancey Jones visited his mother, Mrs. Robert Jones, on the Black Mountain highway during the week end. Yancey is stationed at Camp Rucker in Alabama.

Friends of J. Henry Harrell are glad to learn he is improved in health and is now at Reising Nursing Home at 77 Kenilworth road, Asheville, having moved there from Mission hospital one day last week.

Mrs. R. Earl Hurst has been ill several days at her home. Her many friends are glad to know that she is improving and all wish for her a speedy and complete recovery.

Nothing delights the heart of one more than the kindness and courtesy of good neighbors. That the people of Ridgecrest rate high in kindness is demonstrated in their attitude toward this scribe in gathering the news of the community. Their prompt and court-

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