

Cleveland Cloth Mill Organizes Fast Semi-Pro Diamond Outfit

To Play Spindale In First Clash Of Season Here Today

Outstanding Players On Team Roster

Plans Which Have Been Contemplated For Past Few Weeks Finally Come To Head.

Shelby is going to have a fast semi-pro baseball outfit this year. That is the joyful tidings announced yesterday by officials of the Cleveland Cloth mill.

The first game of the season will be played with Spindale at the city park here today.

Plans have been in progress for a number of weeks, and baseball fans here have been watching the outcome of negotiations with fanatical interest. Shelby has several textile outfits, but they are all tied up in the Twin-State loop. The cloth mill team will be the only one to represent the team in inter-sectional games, and the announcement that the formation has been completed is being greeted with intense approval.

High Enthusiasm

The enthusiasm at the mill is affecting not only the players but mill officials as well. One of them stated to The Star representative that "we are going to put the best team on the field that is possible. We have put out good teams in past years, but this year's will be the best ever."

The team has been practicing for over two weeks, and initial performances bear out the official's statement.

Brilliant Performers

Among the stars on the roster may be found the names of the following: McBee, who will act as manager and who is considered one of the best second basemen in semi-pro baseball; Milky Gold, former Shelby high star, semi-pro player, and captain elect of the Wake Forest college nine; Lloyd Little, well-known to Shelby fans for his accomplishments during past years; Lefty Bens, former Texas leaguer who will hold down first base; Ken Mayhew, brilliant shortstop of the Shelby high team several years ago; and a whole galaxy of other stars. The whole Cleveland Cloth village is behind the movement and the enthusiasm is spreading all over Shelby. Prospects for a successful season are the brightest in many years.

Game Today

The game at the city park today should furnish some indication of the strength of the team, although the line-up will be tentative. Officials are negotiating with players throughout western North Carolina, and those who are not able to keep up the standards will be moved out to make places to others who can produce a winning team.

A. C. Dellinger is acting as booking agent for the team. Any managers who desire games may obtain them by writing him in care of the Cleveland Cloth mills, Shelby. He says however that "we want games with the best teams of the two Carolinas. We are going to put out one of the fastest outfits in our history, and we want engagements with teams of the same calibre."

Young People At St. Peters Elect Officers For Year

Group Plans To Attend Annual Methodist Conference At Lake Junaluska.

(Special To The Star.) ST. PETERS, June 13.—The young people of this community are taking a more active interest in their church work as the time for the annual Methodist conference at Lake Junaluska draws near.

Every summer, young people from the Methodist church of the south, spend a week at this summer resort. The class from this community will go on July 16 and return July 20.

The interest in the trip this year is at a higher pitch than ever before. The league met Sunday evening and elected officers for the coming year. Dixon Willis was chosen president, Ray Willis, vice president, and Nell Willis, secretary. Other officers were also elected. The new officers will take over their positions on October 1, 1934.

Equalization Board To Meet June 18th

A board of equalization and review, to meet on Monday, June 18, for the assessment of new buildings and equalization of others burned or destroyed recently, was appointed by the county commissioners on Monday.

Members of the board are J. B. Nolan, W. J. Arey, both of Shelby, and E. L. Campbell of Kings Mountain.

"Alp" Opposes "Playboy"



Shown above is the man mountain, Primo Carnera, who will step into the Madison Square Garden ring tomorrow night to protect his world heavyweight championship against the onslaughts of Max Baer, \$500,000 playboy and heart throb. The bout has attracted more attention than any other prize fight in recent years, and indications are that the gate receipts will pile above \$300,000. Both fighters were examined Tuesday for the second time, and found fit to enter the ring.

Game Friday Is Expected To Be One Of Year's Best

To Play Off Dispute At Kings Mtn.

Kings Mountain baseball fans are all up in the air over the prospect of the play-off game between the Kings Mountain Athletic club and the Goodfellows set for the new park here Friday afternoon.

The game will be played to settle the dispute that arose over a freak play in the game between the two teams Saturday, June 1. It will be remembered that the close game had reached the 11th inning with the two outfits tied at one-all.

Play Disputed

The Goodfellows' short stop hit a single to the first baseman, who booted the ball under the end of a pile of lumber, from which he was unable to extricate it. The runner stretched the hit into a two bagger, then went on to third, and finally pulled up in home before the ball was recovered. The run was counted giving the Goodfellows a 2-1 victory.

The play was protested by the Athletic officials, who turned the decision over to league officials. At a special meeting Monday night, the play was ruled only a two bagger, and it was decided to play the game over.

Game Stirs Interest

The approaching conflict has stirred more excitement in Kings Mountain baseball circles than any similar occurrence in months. Supporters of both outfits are loud in their predictions as to how the play-off will result, and supporters of other nines in the league are watching for the result with peculiar interest.

Should the Goodfellows take the victory, it will leave them with two wins against two losses, the same percentage as the Athletics. However, should K. M. A. C. pull through with a win this time, it will push them into a four-way tie with other league outfits with a record of three wins against one loss, while lowering the Goodfellows to one win and three losses.

Both teams are evenly matched as was shown by the result of the protested game which went 11 innings before the freak play resulted, and indications point to the biggest crowd ever to turn out for a game at Kings Mountain.

White Sox To Play Charlotte On Monday

The Shelby White Sox, colored baseball team, will meet a Charlotte nine at the city ball park here Monday afternoon. The White Sox lost in the first encounter and are set to take revenge. They have played seven games this season, winning four, and defeated Statesville last week 13 to 2.

Tar Heel Teams Have Great Year



The scholastic year now drawing to a close has witnessed one of the most remarkable records ever made by University of North Carolina athletic teams. They won three Southern Conference championships, four state championships, and were unbeaten in dual tennis matches in the south. Pictured above are the men who coached and captained these outstanding teams and played leading parts in the year's victory march.

Hard Luck Guy In Political Jobs Is Stanley Winborne

Appointed To Office Twice But Had To Enter Campaign Six Times To Hold On.

(By M. R. DUNNAGAN)

RALEIGH, June 12.—Stanley Winborne, Public Utilities Commissioner, can well qualify as the original hard luck guy in the less than five years of his political career. Within that period, which will not end for several months yet, he will have been appointed to office twice, but will have had to enter a campaign to keep the office six times after the election this fall.

Mr. Winborne, of Murfreesboro, was named as a member of the former State Corporation Commission by Governor Gardner in February, 1930, to fill the unexpired term of A. J. Maxwell, named as Commissioner of Revenue, after I. M. Bailey had served several months of the unexpired term. In the June primary following his appointment, Mr. Winborne had no opposition as nominee for the unexpired term. But it was then that his troubles began.

In the general election in the fall of 1930, Mr. Winborne won out over his republican opponent, J. A. Campbell, Raleigh, for the unexpired Maxwell term. Again in the June primary of 1932 he was called upon to enter into a contest for the regular term with E. C. Macon, Asheville, winning by about 87,000 majority and carrying all but four counties, Burke, Clay, Hyde, and Macon. Again that fall in the general election over his republican opponent.

But he had not entered upon his duties under the new election before the 1933 general assembly met and a few weeks later, after he had been sworn in, the general assembly abolished his job in its action in abolishing the former corporation commission, along with those of Chairman W. T. Lee and Commissioner George P. Peil. However, in March of that year Governor Baringham appointed him as State Utilities Commissioner, the new job created to take the place of the old.

In the recent June primary Mr. Winborne was again opposed by Mr. Macon and won out by an increasing majority, and has been informed by election officials that he carried every county in the state this time, although he lost four to Macon in 1932. And, still again, he will come up for election in the general election this fall, opposed by Calvin Zimmerman, Raleigh, Republican candidate. Probably few men in public life

Long Term Relief Seen By Hopkins

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calling for solution he pictured "intelligent use of land." "We are going to see hundreds of thousands of families earning a substantial part of their living from small pieces of land and living in decent houses," he said.

"No civilized country in the world has such miserable housing as we do—the rural slums as well as the city slums."

"Homes for the workers will be built if necessary by government subsidy," he said in picturing the need for better housing.

Advocating unemployment and health insurance, he said "we have got to give people definite security against unemployment and sickness." He also advocated old age pensions and pensions for others unable to work.

"These security guarantees cannot be given by private industry or charity," he said.

He predicted that public works on a large scale will go on in this country "for years to come."

County Won't Borrow For Shelby Schools

What's to be done about the three Shelby school projects, for which Federal grants have been made, but which contractors will not meet, is today undetermined. Several weeks ago, bids were opened and all were rejected since they came above the allotments.

The schools affected are the High School, which requests an arcade, the negro school and the Dover school. Capt. B. L. Smith, superintendent of city schools, appeared before the board of county commissioners Monday requesting that the county borrow money to make up the difference between the grants and the bids, but his request was not granted.

Wm. M. Padgett Of Charlotte Is Dead

Funeral services for William Max Padgett, 62, who died at his home near Charlotte Sunday night, were held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of his brother, T. R. Padgett, in Forest City. Burial was made in Cool Springs cemetery in Forest City.

Mr. Padgett is survived by his wife, five sons, Hague, Roy, Russell and Woodrow Padgett, and three daughters, Mrs. Norval Mull and Misses Marie and Edna Padgett.

He had to contest so many times for their jobs, a condition which qualifies Mr. Winborne as the original hard luck man.

Jobless Relief Will Cost U. S. 2 Billion By August

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Direct unemployment relief will have cost the federal government more than \$2,000,000,000 by August 1. Relief officials predict another billion will be added to that amount within the next year.

The Roosevelt administration will have spent \$1,600,000,000 by July 1, in the 13 months since Harry L. Hopkins became federal emergency relief administrator.

That total does not include many millions spent by the agricultural adjustment administration for food stuffs turned over to the federal surplus relief corporation for distribution to needy unemployed.

Direct unemployment relief appropriations in the last 23 months have totaled \$1,150,000,000. First came \$300,000,000 during the Hoover administration, allotted to states and taken from their federal aid highway funds.

Then the Roosevelt administration appropriated \$500,000,000 for direct relief grants.

The public works administration gave \$400,000,000 to finance the civil works program. Another \$950,000,000 was voted by congress last winter. A bill for over \$1,000,000,000 for direct relief is now before congress.

Relief expenditures now are running about \$110,000,000 a month. Officials estimate 4,000,000 families—17,000,000 people—were on relief rolls in May.

A rural rehabilitation program of the relief administration is just starting. Hopkins estimated today that close to \$100,000,000 would

have been spent within the next year. The government expects to get back at least 75 per cent through repayment of loans.

The civil works and emergency works programs which gave employment to more than 4,000,000 at times, are said by relief officials to have resulted in hundreds of millions of dollars worth of construction and other work of public benefit.

Southern Inaugurates New Tourist Rates

Railroad Slashes Its Rates To Increase Travel To Western North Carolina.

ATLANTA, June 12.—Effective June 10 the Southern Railway Company inaugurates its summer passenger train service into the mountain resorts section of Western North Carolina. Sleeping car service was established to Asheville from New Orleans, Richmond and Atlanta and summer trains Nos. 1 and 2 were added between Spartanburg and Asheville to handle the New Orleans and Atlanta sleeping cars. On June 20th overnight sleeping car service will be added in connection with trains Nos. 23 and 24 from Savannah to Asheville.

Southern passenger officials further state that the usual all-expense tours of the Smoky Mountains tourist company will be available from Asheville to and through the Great Smoky Mountains National Park and to other points of interest in the regions.

Cabarrus Democrats Name C. A. Isehour

CONCORD, June 12.—All Democrats of the county, who find it convenient to attend, were elected as delegates to the state Democratic convention in Raleigh, June 21 at the Cabarrus county Democratic convention this afternoon.

Following the convention the county executive committee elected C. A. Isehour, chairman; Miss Rosa Mund, Concord; Col. G. F. McAllister, Mt. Pleasant, and Roy C. Probst, Kannapolis, vice chairman; A. R. Hoover, treasurer, and Mrs. Ethel Griffin Black, secretary.

Penny Column

LOST: TUESDAY AFTERNOON white and grey collie, about three months old. Finder please notify Mrs. R. R. Rabon, Lee street, Re-ward.

FOR RENT: 6 ROOM HOUSE on East Warren St. Mrs. H. A. Logan, 404 N. Morgan St. If 13c

LOST: GOLD SORORITY PEN between 304 W. Warren street and Carolina theatre, Tuesday night. Finder notify Reid Ransauer, etc.

ADMINISTRATOR NOTICE: Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Ella L. Roberts, deceased of Cleveland county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to present them to me properly proven on or before the 9th day of June, 1934 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereof. All persons owing the said estate will please make immediate settlement to the undersigned. This 13th day of June, 1934. A. A. ROBERTS, Shelby, Administrator of Estate of Ella L. Roberts. 6 June 1934

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