

# SPORT SHOTS

BY CHARLES CARPENTER

## DOTS AND DASHES

Boyce Stone, promising right handed pitcher with the Class D Shelby Farmers, dropped a heart-breaker Monday night in Shelby after stringing up a pair of shut-outs. Leading 5 to 0 going into the top of the eighth and with 25 scoreless innings behind him, Newton-Conover got to him for 4 runs. In the 9th after two out a team-mate error plus a homer by Dan Stafford cost him the game. Stone has been learning lots this year and we hope he will go up . . . . George Wilson, Crowders Mountain base-baller with the Birmingham farm club of the Boston Red Sox, is having himself a great year in the AA Southern. Latest figures have him hitting .353, 107 hits in 3003 times at bat. In a July 22 game with Little Rock he had a homer, drove in 2 runs, and scored 3. Next day he went 0 for 2, BUT scored 3 runs, in the first game of a double header and hit a homer in the second, 2 rbi, 2 -runs scored. On the 24th he hit 3 for 3, scored 2 runs, batted in one, hit a homer and a double. He didn't play Sunday or Monday, Birmingham losing three straight to Mobile, the loop-runner-up. He's headed for the Red Sox . . . . Gene Goforth notched a win for Rex Mills in the semi-pro loop last Saturday — Nice write-up by Ray Eastwood of the Forest City Courier in the Observer the other day, subject one Charles Ballard. The local slugger has really been tagging them for the Rutherford County Owls in his first year as a

pro . . . J. H. Pressly, Clemson grad of 1919 and new golf pro and manager of the Kings Mountain Country Club, reportedly shot a 38 first time around the local course . . . Annual pro champs collegiate all-star game, scheduled for Soldier Field, Chicago, August 20. Southern stars on the collegiate squad include Bill (Earthquake) Smith, UNC, tackle, Bob Leonetti, Wake Forest, guard, and Nick Ognovich, Wake Forest, halfback. The college boys are favored because of a powerful two-attack offensive, single wing-back and "T" . . . The U. S. Olympic team is walking-off with the team title . . . We missed on the junior battle of Area 4 honors, stringing along with Buddy Lewis's powerful Gastonia nine. Hickory took them in two straight, Joe Church hurling both victories . . . The Lions club should "show" the best horse show in history Labor Day. It's the fifth annual affair and Jake Cooper heads the committee in charge. Horseman Jimmy Harris heads the entries department and he knows the exhibitors well, should have quite a lineup.

Excessive heat kills hundreds of persons every summer. Both worker and vacationer are its victims. Safety experts of the Accident Prevention Department, Association of Casualty and Surety Companies, remind all to guard against over-exertion these balmy days, take frequent rest periods, wear a hat while working in the sun.

## RAMBLING SKETCHES OF Oak Grove News

By Mrs. William Wright

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Patterson and sons of Patterson Grove were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bell and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ledford, Mrs. Mattie and Miss Martha Sue Ledford spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Ware of Patterson Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Culp Ford of Shelby were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ware. Other guests in the Ware home were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stone, Jr., and little son, Billy, of El Bethel, and Mr. and Mrs. Menzell Phifer of Kings Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bell and son Micky, spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex McMillan of Bessemer City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Philbeck and children and Mrs. Mayme Gibson were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Quince Philbeck.

Mrs. M. C. Ramsey entertained her daughter Miss Kathleen Ramsey with a household shower Friday night. A large crowd was present for the occasion. The honoree received many nice gifts.

Mrs. Laura Wolfe, Mrs. Kathleen Plonk and daughters Misses Virginia and Rachel Plonk of the St. Luke section spent a while Sunday evening with the former's daughter and little grandson, Mrs. Stokes Wright and Chas. Thomas Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goforth of Patterson Grove spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lovelace and children and Mrs. Cummings of Tampa, Fla., returned home Saturday after spending a few days with Mrs. Lovelace's mother, Mrs. Ann McSwain and Mrs. Cumming's daughter, Mrs. Modene Thornburg.

Mrs. Laura Harrill of California is spending sometime here with her brother, Mr. T. M. Ware and Mrs. Ware and other relatives.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Spencer were Mr. and Mrs. Coy Davis and daughter, Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Huffstetler, and daughter, Jean, Mrs. Annie Mae Bolin and daughter, Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lindsay and children, Helen, Judy and A. C., all of Gastonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bell and son, spent the week end in Gastonia. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Spencer left Monday morning for Washington, D. C. to spend their vacation. Mrs. Ann McSwain spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Champion. Mr. and Mrs. Stokes Wright and son Charles, the scribe and husband spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. H. T. Wright. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Ledford and daughter, Joyce of Shelby, spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Ledford and Miss Martha Sue Ledford.

A new \$100,000 agricultural marketing center was opened in Clinton recently.

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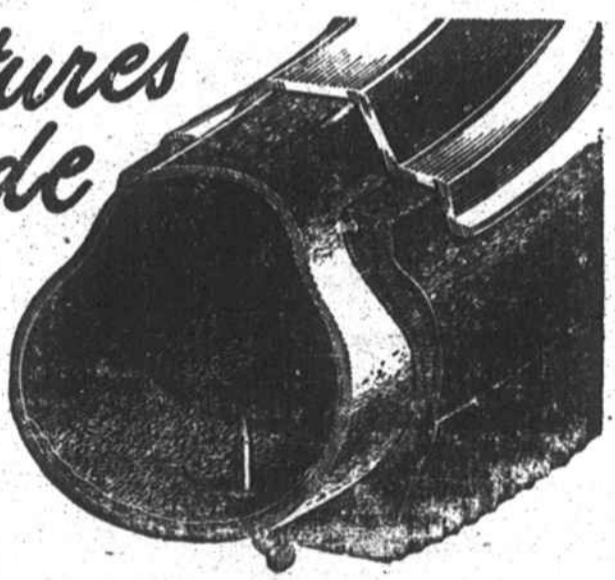
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