

Eagles Down Smyrna 11-1

Morehead City High's baseball team Tuesday posted its fifth Seashore Conference win walloping Smyrna 11-1 on the Morehead City diamond.

The Eagles started to work early, plating four runs in the first inning and adding six more in the second for a 10-0 lead. Smyrna grabbed its lone tally in the fourth, and the Eagles added another in the fifth.

For Walt Thomas, the victory made his hurling record 4-0 and Roy Styron, Smyrna's ace southpaw, suffered his first loss. Smyrna now has a record of 1-1.

The Eagles put together six walks and an error in the first frame for their four tallies. Styron was having trouble with his control and loaded the bases with free tickets.

Forces in First Run

Kemp Wickizer then walked, forcing in the first run. Jerry Pittman skied to Pigott, at short, for the second out, but Walker Gillikin muffed a throw at first allowing two runs to scamper home as Jimmie Willis was called safe. Walks to Jerry Conner and Gene Smith forced in the fourth run.

Norman Larkee, ninth man up, skied to O. Willis, at second, for the third out, ending a hectic first. But the second was even wilder as the Eagles batted around again.

Brad McIntosh led off with a single, followed by a walk to Bobby Willis. Thomas connected for a double, sending McIntosh home and Bobby Willis was safe when Bruce Babbitt dropped the ball at the plate.

Wickizer fanned the breezes, but Pittman walked. With two men on, Jimmy Willis sent a scorching grounder to short, Thomas beating the peg home. Conner flied to

Queen Street High Downs Jacksonville 6-5 Tuesday

Queen Street High School's baseball team opened its baseball season with a close 6-5 win over Jacksonville Tuesday at Jacksonville.

Scoring four runs on one hit, three walks, and two errors in the fourth put the Knights in the lead. They added the insurance run in the fifth.

Jacksonville cored one in the first, went ahead with two tallies in the third, and scored once in the fourth and fifth.

Winning pitcher was Edward Godette, who relieved starter Henry Fenner in the second. Godette was relieved in the fifth by Bernard Carter.

Losing hurler was Jones, who was relieved in the sixth by Green. The hurlers for both teams had trouble with their control, getting into trouble by issuing free passes.

Queen Street hurlers gave up one hit each. Jones gave up three hits and Green none.

Frank Hazel scored Queen Street's first run in the first when he walked, was sacrificed to second, and came home on Matthew Godette's single. Jacksonville tied it up in the bottom of the first then went ahead in the third.

One hit and two Queen Street errors gave the Jacksonville club two runs, going ahead 3-1. The Knights went ahead in the fourth scoring four runs on one hit, three walks and two errors.