

Smyrna Tops Atlantic 4-1 in Tuesday Action

Smyrna High's baseball team pounded Atlantic's hurler, Tommy Salter, for six bingles and capitalized on six Pirate errors to fashion a 4-1 victory over the Pirates Tuesday at Atlantic.

Smyrna's record is now 2-2 and Atlantic's is 0-3. Tommy Salter was the losing pitcher with Roy Styron the winner.

Styron was lifted in the fifth for Jimmy Lewis after he had given up one run, two hits, whiffed seven, and walked six. Lewis, in his three-inning stint on the hill, pitched five, walked one, and gave up one single.

Salter Whiffs Nine

Salter, going the distance for the Pirates, gave up four runs, six hits, and nine and walked one.

The scoreboard showed a line of errors until the top of the third when Smyrna pushed a run across the plate on two singles and a stolen base.

Osborne Owens singled to open the frame, stole second after Jimmy Lewis popped out, hesitated there as Bruce Babbitt grounded out, and scored on Jimmy Golden's single. Errors popped to end the frame.

Smyrna came back in the top of the fourth with three insurance runs after two men were out. Two errors, a single and a double accounted for the tallies.

Owens Doubles

Styron was safe at first on an error, moving to second on Pigott's single. Owens sent both runners scampering across the plate with a line double, taking third on the throw to the plate in an attempt to nab Pigott.

Another Pirate error allowed Pigott to score as Lewis was safe at first. Babbitt grounded out to end the inning. In the home half, Atlantic scored their lone tally.

Styron, pitching well until this frame, loaded the bases on free tickets and forced in the Pirate tally with a base on balls.

With one out Williamson walked then stole second. Taylor struck out, but Styron lost his control and issued free tickets to Gillikin and Salter to load the bases.

Al Morris Scores

Styron then walked Al Morris to force in Williamson. A Morris popped to short ending the inning.

Leading hitter for Smyrna was Owens with three for four, two singles and a double. Taylor, Willis, and Salter got the only hits given up by Smyrna pitching.

Smyrna was host to Swansboro yesterday. Jim Lewis was the starting hurler. On the mound for Swansboro was Cal Duplissey.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Smyrna 001 300 0-4 6 0
Atlantic 000 100 0-1 3 6

Jacksonville Tops Knights 4-1 on Errors

Four Queen Street bobbles, three coming in the second inning, gave the Jacksonville Nine a 4-1 victory over the Knights Wednesday in a game played at Beaufort.

Queen Street scored its lone tally in the home half of the first only to see the visitors come back in the second with two runs, and adding two insurance runs in the third to ice the game away.

Edward Godette, on the hill all the way for Queen Street, was charged with the loss. Jarman, Jacksonville twirler, was the winner.

Godette Fans Four

Godette was nicked for eight hits, four runs, whiffed four, and walked two. Jarman gave up one run, allowed four hits, walked three, and fanned eight.

The Knights' record now in conference play is 1-2. They will play Trenton at Trenton Tuesday, returning home Friday for a return engagement.

Queen Street opened the scoring in the first when Hazel walked to open the inning, and after two outs, Matthew Godette doubled him home. Godette was out stealing third to end the frame.

Jacksonville forged two runs in the second on three errors, a walk, and a single to take the lead. They added the insurance runs in the third on a hit, a walk, and an error.

O. Farmville Leads Attack

O. Farmville led the visitors' attack with three for four, a double and two singles. He was followed by another Farmville, one for three; Humphrey and Armstrong, one for four.

Koonce and Hazel led Queen Street with one for two followed by Branch and Matthew Godette, one for three. M. Godette got the only extra base hit off Jarman, a double.

Knights Lose To Wilmington

Home Team Clubs Visitors For Three Extra Base Blows in Winning 7-3

The Wilmington High baseball nine sifted the efforts of two Queen Street High hurlers for three hits, all extra base blows, and took advantage of four miscues Tuesday on their home field to down the visitors 7-3.

Wilmington grabbed two runs in the first, one in the second, two in the third, and two in the sixth for the conference win. The Knights got all three tallies in the fifth.

Winning hurler was James Alford, who was lifted in the fifth in favor of McLaurin, who finished the game. Henry Fenner, Queen Street starter, was charged with the loss. He was relieved in the third by Herbert Collins.

Alford Fans Five

Alford in his five-inning stint allowed three hits, gave up three runs, whiffed four, walked five, and hit one batter. McLaurin in relief was combed for three hits, gave up no runs, fanned five, and walked none.

Fenner was charged with five runs, one hit, a triple, walked three, hit three batters, and struck out one. Collins, coming in with the bases loaded in the third, whiffed the side, being charged with two runs, two hits, a triple and a double; fanned eight, and walked none.

Wilmington, scoring five runs in the first three innings, were leading 5-0 into the top half of the fifth, when the Knights suddenly came to life and pushed three markers across the plate.

Frank Hazel drew a walk, moving to third on Nolen's single. Anderson was safe at first on an error charged to the Wilmington third sacker as Hazel scored.

Godette Singles

Matthew Godette came through in the clutch with a single scoring both Nolen and Anderson. With runners on second and third, McLaurin came in for Alford and whiffed the side.

The home team scored two runs in the bottom of the sixth to lead 7-3. The Knights threatened in the seventh with three hits, but Godette was out trying to score from second to end the game.

Leading sluggers for Queen Street were Hazel, two for three, and Godette, two for four. Wilmington's hits were scattered with Moore tops with one for two, a double.

Walker and Bowers both tripled for the victors. Queen Street had three earned runs and Wilmington had two.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Wilmington 212 002 2-7 3 2
Queen Street 000 030 0-3 6 4