

**#49 1960 May 24 East Coast Men League -Braxton Piner Pitches a 1-Hitter;
Beaufort beat Beaufort Men League**

Salter Path Nine Routed 22-0 By Beaufort Sunday

The Beaufort town baseball team continued to show their power in County League play Sunday afternoon as they banged out 16 hits and buried Salter Path 22-0 in a game played at Beaufort.

Tommy Salter, ace southpaw of the Beaufort team, gained credit for his fifth consecutive pitching win by setting Salter Path down with just one hit, a single by Gary Guthrie in the first inning. The big lefthander registered 17 strikeouts.

Pacing the Beaufort hitting barrage were Roy Ceckerham, who had three hits in six trips to the plate, including an eighth inning homerun, and John Hamilton who collected three hits in four trips to the plate.

James Fittman started on the mound for Salter Path and took the loss.

Smyrna Wins 21-1 Behind Braxton Piner's One-Hitter

Southpaw Braxton Piner pitched seven innings of perfect baseball Sunday afternoon in hurling the Smyrna town team to a 21-1 win over Broad Creek in County League play. Broad Creek got to Piner for one hit and one run in the eighth inning after he had set down 21 consecutive batters.

Smyrna, meanwhile, was jumping on two Broad Creek pitchers for 23 hits, including three each by Alton Paul, Jim Parkin, Crawford Pigott, Louis Thomas, Braxton Piner and Mack Pigott. The big hit of the game was a two-run homer by Crawford Pigott in the first inning.

Jimmy Lawrence was the starting and losing pitcher for Broad Creek. He was relieved by Chuck Hall in the fourth inning.

This was the first start of the year for Piner and he went all the way registering 14 strikeouts.