

BASEBALL PRESSBOX

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The strong Wilmington Pirate organization plays here Sunday starting at 3:30 P.M. This is the same squad that last year defeated Beaufort two out of three, all played here and last Sunday handed Atlantic its first setback of the season 10 to 6 in a game played at Atlantic.

Beaufort made it six consecutive wins against no losses for the season during the past eight days by downing Straits here June 30th 3 to 2, racking up another against the same team at Straits last Saturday, July 3rd 15 to 5 and wallpning Jamesville here July 4th 9 to 2.

The Independence Day game saw Harry Vanhorn, local pitcher, meting out just six and fanning five as Beaufort was laying down a barrage of fifteen base knocks off Carson and not a single Beaufort man struck out. Six of the fifteen safeties were for extra bases. Ray Hassell got two doubles and a single in five chances, G. Hassell a double and triple for four, F. Longest a double and two singles for five, Vanhorn three singles for five, Chas. Hassell walked three times and singled once and Horton hit twice. Beaufort scored three in the first on four hits, a base on balls, wild pitch, stolen base and two errors; a base on balls, sacrifice and a hit accounted for one in the third; an error and three safeties pushed two over in the fourth; one was added in the sixth on two hits and a miscue; the final brace came in the seventh on two errors and two hits. The visitors made six bobbles, all costly.

V. Hassell was the only visitor to connect safely twice. They tallied once in the third on an error and the first two of Beaufort's five errors and once in the sixth on an error and a single. Ray Hassell's receiving featured Beaufort's play.

Chas. Rice went the route on two slab for the locals in the 3 to 2 win over Straits. He allowed nine hits as against the twelve his mates gathered off F. Chadwick. Clark got three of the twelve. William Tyler caught.

Henry Hatsell hurled five hit ball for six frames in the 15 to 5 route of Straits and "Tickie" Willis finished, giving up four. Beaufort shelled Chadwick for 22 base hits, Norman Skarren getting two singles, a triple and home run, C. Rice a single, two doubles and a triple and C. Hassell three hits. Tyler and R. Hassell caught for Beaufort.