

# Negro News

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Yours Truly has been so busy lately that I haven't written any news. We have just recently closed out baseball and began football. The George Clem Boosters Club Baseball team completed a very successful season by defeating The Bearden Tigers of Knoxville, Tenn. Sunday Sept. 25th by a score of 3 to 2. It was a very thrilling contest. With the score tied 2-2 going into the bottom of the 9th, with two away Bobby (55) Dabbs drew a walk and the next batter, James Goode, hit a sharp single past the 2nd baseman to drive in the winning run. Ace Crum, who came out of retirement to pitch this game went all the way for the win.

The George Clem Wolverines Football team finally hit the victory trail Thursday night, Sept. 22nd, at Burley Stadium by defeating the always tough Slater High of Bristol, 21-7. The week before The Wolverines fought Douglas High of Elizabethton, to 0-0 deadlock. The Wolverines next game will be Saturday October 1, at Big Stone Gap, Va., where they will meet the power-laden Bland High. The Wolverines are the defending champions of The Tri-State Conference.

Albert Forby, Wesley Ave., remains a patient at the Greeneville Hospital. His condition seems very much improved.

Miss Mary Emma Davis, Columbus, Ohio, recently spent a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. Evelyn Perkins, Floral St.

Mrs. Annie Weems, recently a patient at the Laughlin Clinic, has been discharged, and recovering at her home on Leonard St.

Miss Edna Black, Railroad St., a former student at the George Clem School, has enrolled at the Birtha's School of Beauty, Knoxville, Tennessee. Miss Black will attend this school on a part-time basis, and will maintain her position on the cafeteria staff at The George Clem School.

Vanessa Dabbs, daughter of Mrs. Joann Dabbs Gudger, Route 8 was honored with a birthday party, Saturday, Sept. 24th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Forby, Route 3.

A community picnic was held at the College Farm, Sunday, Sept. 25th, just below the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Eason. "There was food galore and every one attending enjoyed themselves very much."

The condition of Bobby Forby Sr., Robinson Ave. a patient at the Laughlin Clinic, is satisfactory, and he will be discharged in a few days.

William Charles, Floral St. was

honored with a surprise birthday party Mon., Sept. 26th, 8:00 p.m. at the Charles home. The hostess, Mrs. Charles had as her assistants, Mrs. Mark Barner, Mrs. Luke Barner, Mrs. Clemmons Elder, Mrs. Kathrine Brown, and Mrs. David Barner Jr. The center table was beautifully decorated with a center-piece consisting of pink and white carnations. The pink and white color scheme was used in all the other decoration, inasmuch as the birthday cake, had white icing, with pink decoration and pink candles. The refreshments consisting of assorted open-face sandwiches, individual relish dishes, cake, iced tea and coffee was served basket style. Soft music played all during the affair. An assortment of party games were played and enjoyed by all. The guest list consisted of relatives and close friends of the family. The honoree received many very nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Merriweather, Brown St. are the proud parents of a new baby, born recently at the Laughlin Clinic.

The most recent students from Greeneville to enroll at Morristown College are, Miss Jerry Friend, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Friend, Wesley Ave.; Guy Hackler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hackler, Railroad St.; Jesse Deck, son of Mrs. Mattie Deck, Railroad St.; Ted Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wilson, Nevada Ave., recently left for the state of Ohio, where he will attend Wilberforce State University.

Mrs. Bobbie Worthy, Frazier St., who recently underwent surgery at the Laughlin Clinic, is recovering nicely at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. E. Bowers, Pearl St.

This week's closing thought is "To Be A Success in Life, you don't need a long drawn-out complicated map, just remember "There's always free cheese in a mousetrap".