

Buck Hooker

### JACK O'CONNOR HAS A SQUAD OF 17 PLAYERS

**M**ANAGER JACK O'CONNOR of the local Federal League club has a squad of 17 men working out at Pastime Park, and he says he'll be ready to give Chicago a battle on opening day, next Tuesday. O'Connor's squad includes:

**Pettitt**, catcher, once with Browns, now playing independent ball in St. Paul.

**Walden**, catcher, with Typos of Missouri-Illinois League.

**Shenhan**, first base, local semi-pro.

**Barton**, second base, manager of Cincinnati U. S. team last year.

**Frout**, third base, Richmond (Va.) club.

**Stis**, short, manager of Peoria (Three-I League) club last year.

**Outfielders**—Zoellers, a local semi-pro; Hooker of the Virginia League; Kempen of Kansas City League, and Sullivan, a former National Leaguer.

**Pitchers**—Moxey Manuel, formerly of Chicago White Sox; Bridges, a local semi-pro, and Frey, Fisher and Foster, all of this city.

Hooker from the Virginia League

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Buck Hooker, who will again wear a Lynchburg uniform, announces himself to be fit as a fiddle. He is working every day, taking long walks in the country. "I haven't tried my arm yet," remarked Buck, "because the weather has been too cold, and I might put that salary wing of mine on the bum. Otherwise I know that I am right."

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### GREENSBORO WINS WITH NEW PLAYERS

One of Them Is Brittain, of A. and M.

Patriots Put Contest On Ice in Second With Four Runs.

Charlotte, May 29.—With two new players in its line-up, Brittain at short and "Buck" Hooker in left field, Greensboro took the first of the series today, 5 to 2, and reversed the opening day's result.

The game started off very satisfactory for both sides, but in the second Greensboro changed things by scoring four runs within a very short time.

Buck Hooker... the player for the Terriers in 1913?  
New player for Greensboro fits time for departure from Terriers

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# W. E. 'Buck' Hooker, Railroad Man, Dies

## R., F. & P. Employee Was Prominent Ball Player

W. E. "Buck" Hooker, prominent years ago in the formation of local amateur baseball teams, and who played professionally in the South Atlantic and Cotton States Leagues, died suddenly at his home here yesterday morning. "Buck," as he was known to his many friends, was 49 years of age, and at his death was employed by the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad as a company detective.

He is survived by his widow, Lillian; a sister, Mrs. Florence Ashby, three brothers, Floyd, Bernard, and Guy

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