

**THE LITTLE MUSTANG'S
DOWN GRIER'S JUNIOR
VARSITY**

The game opened with a controlled tap by Wray. From here on, Wray began to capitalize and opened the game in their favor.

In the first half the score remained close. At one time Grier led. At the end of the half, the score still close, and Grier held a two point lead. In the second half, the Junior Varsity's poor rebounding began to show. In the third quarter, the Wray Junior Varsity's big center began to run up the score. In the fourth quarter the Junior Varsity fought back and began to close in on Wray's score. The game ended with the Grier Junior Varsity close behind Wray, who had a thirty-two to twenty-seven win.

In the game, Randy Queen was high scorer with nine points. Skip Berryman and Wynn Gibbs both helped with five each. Then came Glenn Harris with four. Michael Davis and Mike Tate with two. We hope the Junior Varsity will capitalize on all the mistakes made and be a proud and victorious team for Grier.

**KNIGHTS TRAMPLED BY
MUSTANGS**

It seems that Grier's basketball team just didn't have what it takes to beat Wray. Every play attempted by the Knights seemingly resulted in a bad pass, helping Wray to score a basket.

The game started out bad for Grier and ended that way. Wray jumped out to an early lead and kept it throughout the entire game. Grier played poorly the first half, ending it with a score of twenty-two to six. The Knights played better the second half, but not good enough.

The game ended thirty-nine to

SPORTS EDITORIAL

Both of Grier's Basketball teams have gotten off to a slow start. Our first opponent, Wray, downed both teams. Grier's Junior Varsity lost thirty-nine to twenty-five while the Varsity was trampled thirty-nine to twenty-two. The varsity was off in every aspect rebounding. Grier pulled down thirty-two rebounds while Wray pulled down twenty-eight. There were four main faults; Getting into position, shooting from both the floor and the foul line, passing, and defense. What else is there?

From the floor, Grier hit six out of forty-one shots (14.6%), donated the ball twenty-eight times to their opponents, and hit 31% of their free throws, (eight out of twenty-five). It seems the only thing done right was getting dressed! Grier's defense was torn apart. Fast breaks down the lane run up high scores for the opponents. We hope Grier will smooth out all the rough edges and bring back the fighting spirit of our Grier football team.

This year's basketball team consists of Hugh Giles, Danny Page, Toby Cole, Tommy Watson, Kim Ledford, Mike Harris, Joe Rice, Charlie Owens, Todd Stebbins, Alfred Current, Robbie Grier, Mike Henderson, and Steve Farish. Our high scorer for that game was Mike Worsham, who has moved.

We are looking for the rest of our game to be victories, so, let's go Knights!!

twenty-two, Wray gaining the victory. Grier's high scorer was Mike Worsham with six points. Following were Watson and Owens each with four, Farish with three, Page with two, and Ledford, Giles and Rice with one each.

We hope Grier will do better during the season, and beat Wray when we meet them at home.

**FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADE
NEWS**

It seems as though the fifth and sixth graders also "got" into the spirit of Election 68. Serving as President from Mrs. Foote's room is Shawn Queen, and as Secretary and Treasurer, Nathan Connor. The homeroom officers from Mrs. Owen's room are, President, Jenny Henderson, and Secretary and Treasurer, Margo Phaegin. Serving as homeroom officers from Mrs. Best's room are, President, Dolph Sumner, Vice President, Vicki Gray, Secretary, David Doster, and Treasurer, Minnilue Reed.

Recently the fifth and sixth graders attended the oriental opera "Madame Butterfly." Mrs. Owen's room especially enjoyed the oriental opera. A week before, the students dined at an oriental restaurant in Charlotte and ate with chop sticks!

Both the Blowing and "Indian Lore" assemblies were described by the students as Groovey.

We can all recall the fifth and sixth graders like in school as recess, lunch, substitutes, and three o'clock! All the students are looking toward Junior High in favor of dances, as well as cheerleading, football, Gardner Park boys, Mr. Connor, and no other than Mr. Keener!

The students describe their studies humorously as a "bunch of junk," but what seriously is the study of various foreign countries, early and a "whole bunch" of spelling words.

Fashion is really "in" to the fifth and sixth graders, "In" is described as long stylish boots, baby doll shoes, fur coats, short skirts, and long hair-on both girls and boys.

The students have interesting and somewhat odd hobbies such as, collecting rubber bands, playing cards, sinking model ships in the sink, girls, eating, and dancing. So, folks, here is our future Junior High!

Monkey Theme-to Mrs. Owen's class.

There's a Kind of Hush-to Mrs. McDonald before one of her English tests.

"Nothing to Nobody"
London Bridge-to my grades which are also falling down.

I'm a Beleiver-to Santa from the Easter Bunny.

Say a Little Prayer-to me from myself after any kind of test.

Chewy, Chewy, Chewy-to Cindy L. and her bubble gum.

These Boots are Made for Walk-ing-to Mrs. Schell from her students.

HAPPINESS AND MISERY

Happiness is:
Making an A; No Homework; Snow; Talking; Bumping into Raquel Welch, very slowly; Assembly; Passing Notes; Passing Health; A Good Lunch; Making the Honor Roll; Getting your braces off; Mr. Keener's Bulletin Board; Going Steady; A Playboy Subscription for Christmas!!!
Misery is:

Locker Duty; Last Lunch; Typing; One of Mrs. Birmingham's Pop Tests; Getting caught chewing gum; Study Questions; Getting Caught passing notes and having them read aloud!; Acne; Tests; Braces; Forgetting your Science Homework; Breaking-up; Having your mother find your Playboy magazine!!!

LIVING MEANS:

Riding a wild elephant nude through a patch of briars at 150 m.p.h.

Eating a giant double pizza covered with pickled anchovies and a foot long hot dog. Then to cure your stomach-ache, taking an Alka-seltzer bubbling and fizzing in Cranapple juice.

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HAVE YOU HEARD?

That in a fit of anger Mrs. Lewis stuck her typing keys together with gum?

That Mrs. Shiflet finally figured out where the microphone on her head-set goes?

That after one more issue of the Grier Script Mr. K. is going to commit mass murder of the staff?

That the Pep Club has laryngitis?

That Mr. Keener is really forty-six?

That Mr. Hawkins received a notice from Bad Breath Anonymous?

That Mrs. Westmoreland can't read?

That the flying nun is grounded?

That Mr. Rigdon doesn't wear socks with his army discards?

That Mrs. Young invented a student repellent?

That George quit school for his 4,563, 782nd time? (Keep up the good work George!!!)

SPIRIT DAY

On Thursday, December twelfth, the cheerleaders sponsored "Spirit Day". It consisted of "pep pills" and "spirit juice". The purpose was to boost the spirit of the team as well as the spirit of the students. Although the spirit at the game was very peppy, the Knights faced defeat in their first game against the Wray Mustangs.



Varsity Players