

Martins Rub Out Rebels In Opening Round of Tournery

Fenner Wallace Grabs Victory With Sure Shot in Over-time Affair

Williamston's Martins won their opening round engagement in Rocky Mount's 12th Annual Gold Medal Basketball Tournery when they eked out a 36-35 win over the fighting Windsor Rebels in a game played Wednesday night. This game proved to be the feature of the night's play, and was a nip and tuck affair all the way, with the Rebels always holding a slight lead or tie, until the Martins forged ahead by one point with only 20 seconds to go in the overtime period, when Wallace dropped in a crisp.

As was to be expected, the Rebels offered the locals tough opposition throughout the contest. However, the brilliant play that has characterized the Martins at times this season was sadly missing in the fracas with the Rebels. The floor play was fair but the shooting ability of the locals was far below par, though they managed to come through in the clutch when a field goal meant the difference between a win and a defeat.

The half way mark found the Martins on the short end of a 19-14 score, one of the very few times they have been in such a predicament this year. During the second half, the locals gathered momentum as the tilt progressed and had pulled within two points of a tie one minute before the end of the regulation game. With the score 32-30 in favor of the Rebels, and only 10 seconds remaining, Oscar Anderson bagged a field goal to knot the count and force the game into an overtime period.

Windsor scored a field goal soon after the extra period opened to take a 2-point lead but this was matched by one by Pap Diem seconds later. Then the Rebels again went in front when they converted a free throw into a one point lead, which they held until the ever dependable Fenner Wallace scored his

ERWIN HERE

Next Thursday night at eight o'clock the Williamston Martins will play the Erwin Red Birds on the local court in a return meeting of these two teams. The locals are still scorching from a setback handed them by the Red Birds in Erwin last month.

The Martins are meeting the Birds in a consolation tilt in the Rocky Mounn tournery today and should they be successful, it will put the two teams in even basis, with the contest here Thursday to become the rubber game.

Jamesville High Wins A.C.C. Tournery In 1938

Jamesville High School's basketball team won the Class "B" division honors in the 1938 Atlantic Christian College tournament. In 1939 there was no tournament due to an influenza epidemic.

But now, the Jamesville team is all set for another championship as it easily won its initial tilt in the present tournery.

game-winning field goal a few seconds before the final whistle.

Grady Luce, star Rebel center, was the pacesetter for his team as he turned in a fine defensive game and scored 11 points. Harry Stubbs, with 10, ranked next.

The Martins were headed by Fenner Wallace, who struck the hoop for 12 points, while Pap Diem and Jeff Grant followed with 10 each.

The line-ups:

Williamston	G	F	T
Wallace, f	6	0	12
Beard, f	1	0	2
Grant, c	5	0	10
Manning, g	0	0	0
Diem, g	5	0	10
Anderson, g	1	0	2
Villepique, g	0	0	0
Totals	18	0	36

Windsor

Keeter, f	2	0	4
Walker, f	0	1	1
Phelps, f	1	0	2
Matthews, f	0	0	0
Love, c	5	1	11
Goldstein, g	3	1	7
Stubbs, g	5	0	10
Totals	16	3	35

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK By R. J. SCOTT



BABA IN PERSON



Joe Baba, second-string catcher for the Tobs last season, will be returning to Wilson in a few days to make a bid for the back-stop position.

Durham 'Y' Gains Hard-Fought Win Over Williamston

Jeff Grant, Lanky Center, Shoots 13 Points in Lost Cause

The fast stepping Martins were slowed down by a 49-44 score by the strong Durham Y five in the feature of the semi-finals of the 12th annual Gold Medal Tournament in Rocky Mount last evening. For the second night in a row, a game involving the popular Martins and their opponents was the highlight of the night's play, and last night's battle was a thriller from the opening to the final whistle.

The Martins, having been seeded the number one team of the tournery, were the most popular choice of the fans, and even though they were beaten, their fine brand of play brought vast enthusiasm from members of the gallery. Durham was seeded number two in the tournery. The Durham team which turned back the locals last night was a much improved team over the one which the Martins had walloped during the regular season.

Jeff Grant gained the tip-off for the locals, and they went to a 2-0 lead as Wallace tallied on a beautiful twist shot after a half minute of play. This was duplicated a few seconds later by Fenner and the locals enjoyed a 4-point lead. However, the Durhams began to find the range and the score at the end of the first quarter was 15-10 in their favor. During the next period, the Martins came back stronger, scoring 11 points while limiting the opposition to 7, the half ending just as Anderson's erip rolled off the rim the non-pay way with the count standing at 22-21 in favor of the winners.

After intermission, the Martins forged to a seven-point lead early in the third quarter, but they were unable to hold this as the Y boys dropped in some long shots to send the game into a 32-32 deadlock, as the quarter ended.

In the final period, the score was tied at five counts, the last being 39-39, with about four minutes remaining in the game. At this stage of the game the Durham boys managed to pull away as they connected

on some seemingly impossible shots, and the locals were never able to catch up, as they rimmed several shots in a desperate effort to overtake the winners.

Leading the scoring for the Durham team was Ed Swindell, star of the Duke Blue Devils for the past three years, who dropped in a total of 15 points and was high scorer for the evening.

Jeff Grant was high scorer for the Martins as he hooked 13 points. Several of his shots were his specialty one-handed twists, which brought the fans to their feet on several occasions. Pap Diem, with 10, was next in the scoring parade, followed by Anderson with 9. Diem's floor work drew considerable praise from the audience.

This afternoon at 5 o'clock the Martins are meeting the Erwin Red Birds in a consolation game between the teams which were defeated in last night's semi-finals. The Red Birds dropped a 36-30 decision to the Raleigh entry.

The line-ups:

Williamston	G	F	T
Wallace, f	2	1	5
Beard, f	3	1	7
Grant, c	6	1	13
Anderson, g	4	1	9
Diem, g	4	2	10
Totals	19	6	44

Durham Y	G	F	T
Mason, f	2	0	4
Mitchell, f	5	2	12
Thomas, c	4	0	8
Swindell, g	5	5	15
Lottis, g	5	0	10
Totals	21	7	49

FARM LIFE BEATEN

Farm Life High School's court team was ousted from A. C. C. tournery play yesterday by Stantonsburg, who won 26-11. L Manning was high scorer for Farm Life, with four points.

NOTICE

North Carolina, Martin County. In The Superior Court. County of Martin Against William Gaynor and wife, Maud Gaynor, Joseph Gaynor, Elsie Maud Jones, Willie Speller.

The defendants, Joseph Gaynor and Elsie Maud Jones, above named, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Martin County, North Carolina, to foreclose the taxes on land in Martin County in which said defendants have an interest; and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear before L. B. Wynne, Clerk of the Superior Court of Martin County at his office in Williamston, North Carolina, within thirty (30) days after the completion of this service of publication by notice

and to answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff in this action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 14th day of Feb., 1940. L. B. WYNNE, Clerk Superior Court of Martin County.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
North Carolina, Martin County. Having qualified as executor of the estate of W. H. Rogers, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned or his attorneys within 12 months from the date of this notice or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 13th day of Feb., 1940. F. L. ROGERS, Executor of the estate of W. H. Rogers, deceased. Peel & Manning, Atty's. Williamston, N. C. f16-61

NOTICE
North Carolina, Martin County. In The Superior Court. County of Martin Against Lizzie Hawkins.

The defendant, Lizzie Hawkins, above named, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Martin County, North Carolina, to foreclose the taxes on land in Martin County in which said defendant has an interest; and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear before L. B. Wynne, Clerk of the Superior Court of Martin County at his office in Williamston, North Carolina, within thirty (30) days after the completion of this service of publication by notice and to answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff in this action.

tion, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 14th day of Feb., 1940. L. B. WYNNE, Clerk Superior Court of Martin County.

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NOTICE
North Carolina, Martin County. In The Superior Court. County of Martin Against Ceasar Purvis, Jr., of wife, Purvis, Noah Purvis and wife, Serriusa Purvis, Carrie Purvis Ormand and husband, Goler Ormand, Arthur Purvis, Florence P. Williams and husband, Nancey F. Williams, Nancey F. Peyton and husband, Wheeler Purvis, Evie Purvis Davis and husband, Davis.

The defendants, Noah Purvis and wife, Serriusa Purvis, Arthur Purvis, Florence P. Williams and husband, Williams, Nancy F. Peyton and husband, Evie Purvis Davis and husband, Davis, above named, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Martin County, North Carolina, to foreclose the taxes on land in Martin County in which said defendants have an interest; and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear before L. B. Wynne, Clerk of the Superior Court of Martin County at his office in Williamston, North Carolina, within thirty (30) days after the completion of this service of publication by notice and to answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff in this action.

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Jamesville Takes Easy Victory Over Belvoir, 55 To 16

"Spit" Martin Bags 26 Points To Lead Martin County Team

Jamesville high school's court team won the opening game in Class B play in the fifth annual Atlantic Christian College high school basketball tournery Thursday in Wilson with a 55-16 win over Belvoir.

Captain "Spit" Martin, of Jamesville, led his team to a 24-7 lead at the half-time.

"Crimp" Holliday, Jamesville guard, made the first field goal of the tournery after some four minutes of play in the first quarter and from then on in the first period it was Jamesville as the boys from Martin County blanked the Pitt county team in the first quarter. Belvoir then picked up 7 points in the second quarter but Jamesville doubled its score in that period and the half ended 24-7 with the Martin team in the lead.

Jamesville raced up into a 39-9 lead at the end of the third period. Only two substitutions were made up to this point and both of them were made by Jamesville with only a minute to play in the third period.

Captain Martin led the Jamesville quint with 26 points, while Harris and Moore paced Belvoir with 6 each. Jamesville will play the winner of the La Grange-Arapahoe game today at 1 o'clock.

The line-ups:

Jamesville	G	F	T
A. Holliday, f	5	2	12
Brown, f	2	0	4
A. Martin, f	0	0	0
S. Martin, c	11	4	26
Modlin, c	0	0	0
D. Holliday, g	3	1	7
M. Holliday, g	0	0	0
Ange, g	3	0	6
Manning, g	0	0	0
Totals	24	7	55

Belvoir	G	F	T
Teel, f	0	1	1
Windham, f	0	0	0
Harris, c	3	0	6
Moore, g	3	0	6
Parker, g	1	1	3
Totals	7	2	16

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP

North Carolina, Martin County. Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between J. G. Barnhill, H. L. Barnhill and A. P. Barnhill, trading as Barnhill Brothers and Company, at Williamston, North Carolina, operating a clothing and ladies' and gentlemen's clothing and ladies' and gentlemen's furnishings store, was dissolved as of February 2, 1940, by mutual consent of the partners. The interest of the said T. L. Barnhill and A. P. Barnhill in said business was sold, and taken over by J. G. Barnhill, and the said J. G. Barnhill assumed the payment of the partnership obligations, and whatever debts may be due the firm are payable to J. G. Barnhill, and the firm of Barnhill Brothers and Company composed of J. G. Barnhill, H. L. Barnhill and A. P. Barnhill is dissolved and no longer exists.

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