

New Bern Midget Gets Confused And Scores For Locals

The Farmville Midgets played their second game of the season last Saturday night and dropped a 12-2 tilt to the New Bern Cubs in a return contest at the Farmville stadium. The improved local boys, having found themselves after one game's experience, showed a lot of spark and know-how for the spectators, who watched the teams battle on even terms during the second half. Running well for Farmville with Mack Holmes' hand-offs were Billy Ellis, Billy Eason and Frank Williams. The line showed improved play sparked by Jim Bob Allen, George Cannon, Clifton Lloyd, Gordon Lee, Mark Newton, Billy Burke and William Hogbold.

Executive Board Plans For World Community Day

World Community Day will be observed November 2 at 3:30 o'clock in the Episcopal church, with the Christian ladies in charge of the program, Miss Helen Smith, president, announced at the quarterly meeting of the Executive Board of the Farmville Council of Church Women Monday afternoon. Miss Smith, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Charles Edwards and Mrs. T. S. Ryon were hostesses in the Ryon home.

The president requested that any who can attend the open meeting of the Board of Directors of the N. C. Council at St. Phillips Episcopal church, Durham, October 29. Names of those who will attend must be turned in to her by October 20. State officers will report and a general director of the national council will speak.

As an outgrowth of information given at the recent Rocky Mount meeting, Miss Smith appointed Mrs. E. C. Holmes and Mrs. R. D. Harris to work with colored leaders in planning a Bible school next summer.

Present were the president, Mrs. Petteway, Mrs. W. C. Garner, Mrs. J. O. Pollard, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Howard Moyer, Mrs. Lloyd Smith, Mrs. Edges Thomas, who was introduced as a new member, Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Ryon and Mrs. E. D. Harris and Miss Elizabeth May, who represented absentees.

ABOUT 80 STUDENTS ATTEND STATE FAIR WEDNESDAY

Approximately 80 students from the 9th and 10th grades of the high school attended the State Fair in Raleigh on Tuesday. Chaperones for the 9th grade were the teacher, Miss Elizabeth Edwards, and Mrs. Sam T. Lewis. Mrs. J. B. Joyner and Mrs. Leroy Bellina, teachers, chaperoned the 10th grade.

ATTEND N. C. FLOREAL MEETING IN RALEIGH

Mrs. W. E. Davis, owner and manager of the Farmville Flower Shop, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Pat Allen, attended the North Carolina Floral Association meeting in Raleigh. The meeting was held at the Raleigh auditorium.

Local Episcopal Rector Rounds Out 16 Years' Service

The Rev. J. R. Rountree of Kinston will close a successful rectorship of 16 years to Emmanuel Episcopal Church with the 11 o'clock prayer service and sermon, Sunday morning. The community is extended a special invitation to be present at this time. The Rev. Mr. Rountree resigned some weeks ago in accordance with plans made by Bishop Thomas Wright and himself with the consent of the vestry to place Frank Ross of Wilmington, a young seminary graduate, who has been ordained as deacon, in this field to serve the churches of Farmville, Snow Hill and Ayden. Mr. Ross will reside in Farmville. He will be present and assist in the service Sunday morning.

R. D. ROUSE JR., SPEAKER AT FELLOWSHIP MEETING

The Christian Women's Fellowship met on Monday afternoon Oct. 9, at the church with Mrs. Lloyd Smith, president, presiding. The meeting was opened by singing "Jesus Calls Us" and after the Fellowship verses had been repeated Mrs. Z. B. T. Cox gave the invocation. During the business session, the president announced that World Community Day would be held in the Presbyterian Church on November 2. She also reminded the group of the convention of the North Carolina Disciples of Christ to be held in the Kinston church on November 5, 6, and 7.

Mrs. R. D. Rouse, Sr., program leader presented her son, R. D. Rouse, Jr., who spoke on the subject "Let's Talk About the U. N." He gave a most informative talk on the reasons for the organization of the U. N. and explained the General Assembly and Security Council. He said that strange as it might seem the veto Power was introduced by the U. S. and supported by Great Britain. He gave some of the accomplishments of the U. N. and said that the problem was too large or too small to receive needed attention.

REV. COX CONDUCTING REVIVAL AT ELIZABETH CITY

Rev. Z. B. T. Cox, minister of the Farmville Christian Church, has been conducting a revival in the Elizabeth City Church during the past week. Services began Sunday night and will continue through this Sunday.

MOUNT HERMAN W.S.C.S. MEETS

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of Mount Herman church meets Thursday night at the church at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. D. B. Murphrey and Mrs. Durward Murphrey will be joint hostesses.

On Leave From Air Force, Bob Morgan Turns Composer And Writes Hymn

Bob Morgan, on leave from Brooks Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas, composed the hymn that was sung as a quartet on Sunday at the Methodist Church.

The melody came into his mind while visiting in the home of Mrs. R. H. Knott, as he was idly running his fingers across the keyboard of his piano. The impact of the inspiration was strong and the work complete in his mind and was written in less than three hours. The work began at Mrs. Knott's was completed at the home of his brother, J. I. Morgan, Jr. Mr. Morgan was fortunate in realizing that he should write without interruption or otherwise his composition might not be recorded. At first he did not know what form the melody would take but soon decided it was a hymn.

The composer has never had formal piano training. He plays by ear and his knowledge of musical notation and theory have come from voice training and especially from reading chord scores as they were played from a phonograph record. Bob has a large mixed classical record library and became interested in these recordings in 1940. His favorite recordings are those with choral arrangements. He has studied voice for about four years and has been instructed in his study by Mrs. W. A. Foy, Jr. and Mrs. Bernice Turnage of this city, and Bishop J. Foster Rogers, Duke University Director of Choral Music. Bob was a member of the Duke Glee Club and Chapel Choir while he was enrolled at that school, where he volunteered for service in the Air Force. He has been a member

of the Farmville Methodist choir for several years and has been singing director at the Sunday School, where he still assists when he is home. Mr. Morgan's favorite composers are Handel and Bach. They interest him most because of their style of composing. During the Christmas holidays in 1948, he is in company with his mother, spent ten days in New York City attending opera. One of his most satisfying musical experiences was hearing Sir Thomas Beecham conduct the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra at Duke University in 1950. The composer, who is particularly interested in choral work, wanted to give his music words and by looking in the metrical index of the Methodist Hymnal found words written in the meter that was suitable for his music. The selection was, "Lead Us, O Father." Mrs. Haywood Smith, Methodist organist and choir director, assisted him in harmonizing the music for bass, alto, tenor and soprano parts into a quartet. This quartet was sung at the Methodist worship hour on October 14. The quartet singing the hymn was Bob Morgan, Willie Harper, Carolyn Roseback and John Willford. Bob plans to study organ and piano while in the service. He will be able to study under the tutelage of the chapel organist, where he is now stationed.

Comments by those who heard the composition are mostly that the melody is beautiful, well-written and contained all the elements of good music.

About Farmville People

Mrs. A. E. White of Williamston visited her daughter, Mrs. M. L. Eason, Jr., and family last week. She returned home Sunday, and was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Eason and sons, David and Robert, who spent the day with her and Mr. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl May and children of Quantico, Va., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ouband and family. Mrs. May is an outside visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Joyner and children, Mrs. Clarabelle Joyner, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Joyner visited Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Joyner in Norfolk, Va., Sunday. The Linwood Joyner's have a young son, Wayne Robert, born September 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harris and children of Houston, Texas, arrived Saturday to spend several days with Mr. Harris' mother, Mrs. Louise Harris, and other relatives here.

Miss Martha Holmes spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Todd of Wendell. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Holmes, Mack and Todd spent Sunday with the Todd's and attended homecoming in the Wendell Christian Church.

Miss Kate Twiford spent the week end with her niece, Mrs. J. P. Vainright and Mr. Vainright. E.C.C. students spending the week end at their respective homes here were Missa Baye Hathaway, Jean Bynum, Selota Tucker, Nancy Lee Moore, Pat Corbett and Mary Frances Allen.

Mrs. J. L. Abbott and son, J. L., Jr., who returned recently from Korea, visited Mrs. Abbott's sister, Mrs. H. N. Howard and Mr. Howard, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Fields, Jr., and daughters, Jenny and Charlotte and Dr. E. M. Perry of Rocky Mount visited with Mrs. Roscoe Fields, Sr., on Sunday.

Mrs. B. O. Turnage spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Rand Montague and Mr. Montague of Goldsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Spell, Sr., had as guests over the week end, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Spell, Jr., and sons, John

Farmville Still Sets Pace For All Eastern Markets

The Farmville Tobacco Market has led the Eastern Belt in sale averages for the past 2 weeks and tobacco is still selling for \$70.00 and \$71.00 per hundred although more lugs and common leaf appeared on the floors this week. The Farmville Market has averaged \$60.00 per hundred pounds for the last 3 weeks. The season's total is 25,407,138 pounds sold for the amount of \$14,920,051.61. Monday's sale: 763,374 lbs., average \$68.44; Tuesday's sale: 677,778 lbs., average \$60.41; Wednesday's sale: 411,563 lbs., average \$61.13.

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Mrs. G. L. Beaman returned Tuesday from Richmond, Va., where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. David Golin. Mrs. Golin returned with Mrs. Beaman for a visit.

Mrs. Alice Tugwell of Newport News, Va., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Pearl Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Brett of Como arrived Wednesday to spend several days visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Edgar Thomas and Mr. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Chandler of West Point, Va., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Z. B. T. Cox and family.

Donald Baucom, student at Davidson College, spent last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Baucom, Sr.

Mrs. James Walter and Nancy Ann of Greenville visited with Rev. and Mrs. Z. B. T. Cox.

Bob Morgan left yesterday morning for Brooks Field, Texas. He is making the trip by car and will be accompanied on the trip by a friend whom he will meet in Greenville, S. C.

Friends will be glad to learn that Miss Mamie Davis returned to her home, Tuesday, after being a patient at the Park View Hospital in Rocky Mount, most of last week. Miss Davis entered the hospital for observation and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Flanagan and daughter, Clara Belle, attended the Wake Forest - William and Mary game in Richmond, Saturday. They also attended the Tobacco Festival activities in which Miss Jenny Lazo of Wilson was crowned queen. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Flanagan during the week end.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH LAYMAN'S LEAGUE

The Layman's League of the Christian Church had a business meeting and coffee hour on Friday night of last week. Wives of the laymen were present at the social that followed the business session.

Charlie Letchworth, president, presided at the business. Plans were discussed and decisions made about the annual Layman's service that will be observed in the church in November. Plans were also made to attend the Layman's banquet that will occur on November 4 at the Gordon Christian Church in Kinston.

Ayden Is Seeking Third Straight Conference Title

Farmville plays Ayden High School here tonight in a game which will probably determine the championship of the Coastal Conference. Ayden has played three conference games: defeating Robersonville 26-7, South Edgecombe 14-6, and Vanceboro 34-14. Farmville has played only Robersonville in the conference.

Farmville High School won its first Coastal Conference contest, defeating a spirited Robersonville eleven 7-6, here last Friday night.

Farmville started strong in the first half but being penalized 25 yards was forced to kick Robersonville and Farmville then marched back and forth neither team able to score in the first half. Robersonville received to start the second half and Dan Clark returned the kick off 45 yards. On a long pass play from Clark, Morris Everett scored. Sunny James failed to convert the extra point. Farmville then received and marched from the 18-50 goal line. Sligbee Dilda kicked end for 18 yards and went over untouched. Joe Smith on a handoff, went around end for the extra point.

Co-Captains William Taylor and Lucy Martin were the defensive stars for Robersonville; Rountree, Shankelford and Barrett for Farmville.

Final Scores

Farmville	34
Robersonville	7
Passes attempted	4 12
Passes completed	0 7
Yds. gained passing	0 95
Yds. penalized	35 45

Presbyterian Youth Hold District Rally Here; Buy Jeep For Missionary

The faith of two young people's leaders was justified Sunday when \$288.69 was added to the approximately \$1800 on hand at a rally of districts I and II of the Presbyterian Youth Fellowship of Albemarle Presbyterian in the Farmville Presbyterian church. Misses Mary Joan McFayden, director of religious education in the Goldsboro church and adviser to the Presbyterian young people, and Rosanna Barnes of Goldsboro, who is area worker, were guiding factors in the drive which opened in the spring to buy a jeep for Rev. Sam Brust, young Brazilian minister, who reaches five churches and six outposts in Brazil within a radius of 175 miles by foot or donkey.

Albemarle, Fayetteville and Wilmington Presbyteries were asked to raise \$900 each for the jeep. It has been found that the amount now on hand is enough to buy the jeep. Collections at other district rallies will be used to pay the duty.

During the business session, Miss Peggy Crow of Wilson and W. C. U.N.C. Greensboro, Presbytery president, called on several treasurers to tell how their groups raised the funds. Responding were the treasurers of the New Bern, West New Bern, Wilson, Goldsboro and George Kirby churches, all of whom gave parties or suppers, and Beza near Wilson, which picked cotton and took an offering at a worship program.

Vann Carroll, president, and Faye Newborn, secretary of the Farmville fellowship greeted the delegates in front of the sanctuary. Jess Spencer and Charlie Fitzgerald were in charge of distributing name tags, which bore jeeps, on the lawn.

Ben Williams of Rocky Mount led singing and quiet games in the P.Y.F. room. The group moved to the sanctuary where Frank Dees of New Bern conducted a devotional on popularity and Christianity.

The president called attention to Assembly's Youth Sunday, November 11, and asked Elise Williams of the Second church, Rocky Mount, and a member of the Goldsboro Fellowship to tell how they used Youth Sunday program materials last year.

Miss Mary Joan McFayden spoke on the work of the United Christian Youth movement and its efforts to

Negroes Involved In Fracas That Ended In Shooting Are Convicted In Mayor's Court; Notice Of Appeal Given

Community Chest

Officials or leaders of every organization which solicits locally for funds with which to carry on their work are urged to give Cleveland M. Paylor, secretary-treasurer of the Community Chest, an estimate of the amount they will need, or want, from the Chest during the coming year.

These estimates will be used as a basis for setting up a budget for the Chest campaign which is to be held in November. Without these requests, no budget can be fixed. The matter is urgent, said those anticipating funds from the Chest must get in touch with Mr. Paylor at once.

Baptist Pastor Named Official Roanoke Ass'n

Rev. E. W. Holmes was elected Associate Moderator of the Roanoke Baptist Association on the second day of its annual meeting, which was held in Robersonville. Other officers elected were: Rev. Clyde E. Bacon of Wilson, Moderator, and Rev. R. L. Collins of Sharpburg, Association Clerk. The association is made up of 88 churches from 7 counties and is the largest Baptist association.

Rev. Mr. Holmes presided over the Tuesday night and Wednesday sessions. Among Farmville Baptist attending the meeting were: Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Holmes, Mrs. A. B. Moore, Mrs. J. F. Jones, Mrs. Manley Liles, Mrs. W. A. McAdams, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Raaberry.

BOND DRIVE

According to an announcement by J. E. Waldrop, County Chairman of the U. S. Savings Bonds Committee, sales of U. S. Defense Bonds in Pitt County at the latter part of the current 10-week Defense Bond Drive Total \$47,150.50. The sales represent 31.4 percent of the county's \$150,000.00 quota in Series E, F and G Bonds.

Julius Warren, mother of Perry Lee Warren, who apparently set off the rocks when she lambasted the officers for having hit and arresting her son, six months' judgment suspended upon payment of \$50 and costs. Bond was set at \$200.

The case against Lendor Warren, indicted with the others, was dismissed.

The testimony of the officers was corroborated by Egbert Foss of Warsaw, who happened to be on Main street at the time of the shooting. He appeared as chief witness for the state. Other witnesses included the policemen Gregory and Tanner, Glenn Bundy and T. L. Whiteley. The testimony verified the account given by Gregory and Tanner.

The defendants involved in the case denied practically all of the allegations of the officers and testified that the events of the afternoon and evening were almost in direct conflict with the outline as given by witnesses for the state.

The cases attracted a great deal of attention by virtue of the appearance in court of two Negro lawyers from Durham, C. J. Gates and M. E. Johnson.

During the process of the trial, it appeared that the two defense attorneys were not acquainted with the five they were defending—certainly not well enough to know them by name. This gave rise to speculation that they were employed by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, or a "pressure" group more interested in prosecuting the policeman than in seeing that justice was handed down by the local court.

Mayor Jones handled the case with admirable restraint.

Attorneys Dan Jones and Martin Horton represented the town and disputed the question for the state.

Seaman Clarence Joyner, son of Mrs. Nettie Joyner, who is a gunner on the U. S. S. Boxer, arrived in California this week after being stationed near Korea since February.

Bobby Smith returned Tuesday to the Army Finance Center, St. Louis, Mo., after spending a 10-day furlough at his home here. Bobby's new address is as follows: P.O. Box 5, Smith, Jr., USARV 777, Hq. Co., Blackwood, Wiley Cobb and Carl Harney Harney, advisers, and Sylvia and Dot Allen of Curraways.