

Grid Season to Open Friday Night

Morehead to Invade Lair Of New Bern High Bears

The Morehead City Eagles will travel to New Bern Friday night to meet the strong New Bern Bears in a non-conference tilt. Even though the Eagles will be playing a straight AA school, Morehead City fans are expecting a good game and a possible victory for their Eagles.

At present the Eagle backfield seems to be set with

Fall Mullet Run Begins; Good Fishing Ahead

By BOB SIMPSON

Since last week's wet nor'easter, fishing has been very fast on the pick-up. In fact, it didn't stop completely. During the wind and rain Earl Latham of Cary came by to tell us he'd caught a 7-pound 5-ounce sheepshead out at Thompson's and gray trout fishermen around Newport River bridge had good catches.

We asked Sam Ballou if he had a fishing report; "Nothing but a big school of mullet going out the inlet," was his answer. A newcomer to the beach described large schools of snub-nosed fish cruising along the shore. Those, we informed him proudly, are mullet. Has anyone else noticed that the new atomic sub designs are mullet-shaped?

Evidence of the great improvement in fishing was brought in by Salty, with 32 dolphin; Mary Z, with 9 dolphin, 6 kings, 20 false albacore and a couple of Spanish; Bunny Too, with 22 dolphin, 5 cobia (two of them at 38 and 45 pounds), 14 false albacore, 2 kings, 2 Spanish and 3 amberjack.

Joy II and Mattie G, on a joint charter, with a total of 23 dolphin, one false albacore, 3 Spanish, 2 kings and 3 amberjack; Ho-Hum, with 21 dolphin, 6 false albacore and a king; Shearwater, with 11 false albacore, 6 kings, a dolphin and an amberjack.

Henry Holt's new inshore boat Laura got off to a good start with 25 blues. Other inshore catches: Theodore's Sylvia, 25 blues and Spanish; Edna, a fair catch of blues and Spanish; Tommy Lulu, 12 blues; Sandy, 43 blues; Johnny's Sylvia, 16 blues, a 'jack and 4 kings.

At Edgewater Marina Mr. Montgomery of Durham reported 23 blues; at Sonny's Fishing Station Paul Taylor of Gales Creek reported 13 blues.

Headboat fishing was good during the weekend. Frank Collins and Lee Goodwin of Franklinton caught 50 pounds of mixed fish aboard Danco. Except for bottom fish, things are a little slow right now for the inshore piers, but skiff fishermen are doing well with gray trout and flounder. We've also had reports of good catches of pompano in the surf.

Bluefishing is top-notch from

Freddie Oglesby at fullback, James Guthrie and Gary Guthrie at halfbacks and Jackie McQueen at quarterback. There is a possibility that McQueen and Gary Guthrie will switch positions before the game.

On the line the Eagles are anything but set. The right side of the forward wall will have James Leigh at guard and Lynwood Durham at tackle. Gary Walters and Johnny Baker are the strongest candidates for right end.

Mokey Lasitter is set at center and Jimmy Lawrence seems to have left end sewed up. Left guard and tackle positions are still wide open. Leslie Nelson and Ira Guthrie are strong candidates for the two openings, but neither is assured of a starting berth.

Coach Norman Clark points out that most of his players are inexperienced. Some men out for their first time are fighting for starting positions when they should be playing junior varsity to gain experience before even joining the varsity.

The Bears, on the other hand, have a big, experienced team with a good passing attack and a powerful ground game. The Bear line, built around two all-conference tackles, is reported to be mighty stingy in giving up yardage.

The Bears, who dropped a game with Wilmington in order to play Morehead City, are looking for a "breather" against the Eagles. The Eagles are counting on taking advantage of the situation and catching the Bears asleep.

Regardless of the outcome of the game, Eagle fans will be assured of watching a top-notch ball game if they travel to New Bern Friday night. The game begins at 8 p.m.

Old Timers to Play League All-Stars

The Beaufort Old Timers will meet an all-star team from the Beaufort Church Baseball League at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Legion field. Ray Ransom will manage the All-Stars.

The Old Timers will have such former favorites as Tickle Willis, Ickle Peterson, W. H. "Piggie" Potter, Charles Hassell, Gray Hassell, Ray Hassell, Elvin Davis, Bobby Martin, Jim Fodrie, William Roy Hamilton and Warren Grant.

There will be no admission charge but an offering will be taken to raise funds for next year's youth baseball program.

The ocean piers. Milton Harris of Raleigh reported 80 blues, one to 1 1/2 pounds each, from the Triple-Ess. He also hung and lost a king. Sam Jones of Kernersville caught 54 blues from Sportsman Pier. Blues also are reported from Thompson's Pier, with some plugging.

Enters Boat Races



Photo by Bob Seymour

Robert Thornton, 12, Alexandria, Va., raced in the American Power Boat Association national championships at Miami yesterday. The grandson of Mrs. Herbert Thornton Sr., Mansfield Park, Robert won second place in the junior division last year. Here he holds that trophy. His boat is on the station wagon in the background.

Teams Meet Yesterday For Church League Title

The Athletics and Bobcats met in the final game of the Beaufort Church Baseball League season yesterday afternoon. The game will determine the league champion.

Going into the contest, the Bobcats had a record of five victories and three losses and the Athletics had won five while losing four.

In Friday's game the Athletics copped a close 7-6 verdict from the last place Cubs. Pud Hassell limited the losers to two hits but walks and weak fielding allowed the Cubs to score seven times.

Losing pitcher Bill Hamilton gave up five hits, three of which were collected by Sonny House. House hit a homer and two singles in four trips to the plate. Hassell and Mahlon Williams got the other two hits for the winners, both singles.

Jonathan Whitehurst and Chuck Hill got one hit each for the Cubs.

The Athletics went ahead in the first inning and never fell behind despite the close score. They scored two runs in the first, one in the third, two in the fourth, one in the fifth and one in the seventh.

The Cubs scored one run in the second inning, two in the fifth and three in the seventh.

Police Chiefs Give Advice

Boston (AP)—Advice to a drunk from the Massachusetts Chiefs of Police Association newsletter:

"Since you cannot refrain from drinking, why not start a saloon of your own in your own home? Be the only customer and you will not have to buy a license."

"Give your wife \$5 to buy a case of whisky. There are 240 drinks in a case. Buy all your drinks from your wife at 60 cents a drink."

"In 12 days (when the case is gone) your wife will have \$89 to put in the bank and \$55 to buy another case. If you live 10 years and continue to buy your whisky from your wife and die in your boots, your widow will have \$27,125.47 on deposit."

"That's enough to bring up your children, pay off the mortgage, marry a decent man and forget she ever knew a bum like you."

Beaufort Man Rams Rear Of Policeman's Pontiac

John Betts Jr., Beaufort, ran his 1950 Ford into the rear of a 1948 Pontiac driven by Morehead City Police Sgt. William Condie at noon Thursday. The accident occurred in the 800 block of Arendell Street. Both cars were headed east.

Lt. Carl Blomberg investigated the wreck. He estimated damage to the Pontiac at \$100 and to the Ford at \$200. There were no charges. Lieutenant Blomberg said that Betts had just turned onto Arendell Street and was watching a car at the light when he hit Sergeant Condie.

Delays Encountered Due to unavoidable delays, the football section scheduled for publication today will not appear until Friday.

Queen Street Knights To Meet Rich Square

By JAMES PETTEWAY

Howard Talbott Pays \$200 Fine In County Court

Howard E. Talbott drew the heaviest fine in county recorder's court Thursday. Judge Lambert Morris fined him \$200 and ordered him to pay costs of court. Talbott was found guilty of driving drunk, speeding and careless and reckless driving.

Earl A. Walrath was fined \$100 plus court costs after he was found guilty of careless and reckless driving on the wrong side of the road and failing to yield the right of way.

Alfred and Bernice Anderson were ordered to pay \$50 and costs each for possession of non-taxpaid whiskey. They are frequently in court on ABC violations. Thomas A. Ramey Jr. paid \$25 and costs for speeding.

Two defendants paid \$10 and costs. They were Robert J. Snow, found guilty of speeding, and John Eastman, found guilty of public drunkenness.

Eastman and Lavaena Fay Hensman paid one-half costs each on a charge that she was driving Eastman's car using an expired driver's license and that the car had an improper muffler.

Nine defendants forfeited their bonds. They follow: Leroy Blango, improper brakes and failure to yield the right of way; Leander Carter Jr., careless and reckless driving; Charles F. Lundy and William V. Smith, running stop signs.

Preston Hines, trespassing and assault; John E. Oatline, driving drunk; Henry Hill, violation of fish laws; K. C. Locklear and Randall M. Hardy, driving on the wrong side of the road; and Stanley Matula, careless and reckless driving, speeding and driving without a license.

Numerous cases were continued.

gave the devotional, and theme of the program.

Mrs. Stanley Mann and Mrs. Ira Garner gave short talks on the theme, My Life in the March of Missions.

Mrs. Rena Edwards and Mrs. Mattie Guthrie gave highlights on the school of missions which they attended last week.

The business session followed, and reports from committees. In the absence of Mrs. Essie Godwin, spiritual life secretary, Mrs. Clara Mann gave the spiritual life message, and the meeting closed with the benediction.

The Free Will Baptist Brotherhood met at the home of J. B. Kelly Thursday evening.

Class Meets

The Ladies Sunday School class of the Holly Springs Free Will Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. Richard Garner Tuesday evening with approximately thirty present. Mrs. David Kirk Sr. presided.

"Bible facts about Heaven" was the theme of the program and taking part were Mrs. Kirk, Mrs. Allen Cannon and Mrs. Joe Hill.

The gift committee, Mrs. Erma Quinn and Mrs. Edna Hill, presented gifts to class members who recently had birthdays. Mrs. Nan Garner was present to receive hers but Mrs. Matilda Garner could not be present.

The social hour was turned into a birthday party for Mrs. Flora Fitzgerald, mother of the hostess. The group joined in singing Happy Birthday and several of their favorite hymns. A duet, Where We Will Never Grow Old, was sung by Mrs. Kirk and Mrs. Allen Cannon, and Does Jesus Care? by Mrs. Richard Garner.

Mrs. Nan Garner, whose birthday occurred recently, shared in this part of the program, too.

A huge birthday cake was enjoyed with punch served by the hostess.

Bridal Shower

Miss Betsy Carol Garner was honored at a lovely bridal shower given by Mrs. Leslie Sanders, Mrs. Mamie Murdock and Miss Lucille Gould recently.

Upon arrival, the honoree and her mother were presented corsages in pink and white.

A color motif of pink and white was carried out in the bridal cake, flanked by pink candles in crystal holders, which centered the white cloth-covered table. Fruit punch, mints, nuts and block cake, decorated with pink rosebuds, were served.

Approximately 56 guests called and among those from out of town were Mrs. Barney Garner, Mrs. Woodard Garner and Mrs. Clifton Meadows, all of New Bern, and Mrs. W. W. Clark of Ocracoke.

Vanceboro to Play Host To Seadogs Friday Night

The Beaufort Seadogs will begin their quest for a second straight conference title Friday night when they travel to Vanceboro for a game with the Red Raiders. Last year the Beaufort squad won the Class A division of the Seashore Conference.

The Seadogs are now in a new conference with Vanceboro, Havelock, LaGrange, Contee, Farmville, Robersonville and Ayden.

Coach V. M. Morrison, faced with making a winner out of a group of green players, still has not decided on a starting lineup for the game. Only a few players are really sure of starting the game.

Quarterback Pud Hassell and fullback Ernest House seem set but the halfback positions are still not settled. Several boys still have hopes of landing a starting berth in the backfield.

Get Starting Now Ends Gordon Beeton and Calvin Jones, both returning lettermen, have won starting berths as has tackle John Smith. Dallas Willis, last year's regular center, has returned from Florida and is rounding into shape to play Friday night.

Lonnie Dill, who was running as first string center before Willis returned, will still see lots of action in the line. All other positions in the line are open to a good deal of speculation and even the coach says he is not too sure which boys will earn starting nods.

The Seadogs have been holding rough practice sessions, highlighted by rousing scrimmages that show just what is in a player. Coach Morrison is still stressing the fundamentals.

When a player misses a block the coach stops action and makes the player walk through the play then run it several times to be sure he knows what his job is.

Team Jells The Seadogs are looking more and more like a team instead of the group of green players that reported for practice two weeks ago. By the time Friday rolls around, Coach Morrison should field a scrappy team that can hold its own in the rugged competition it will face this year.

The players are optimistic. They have been working hard and are in good shape. "We feel like we can beat anybody," one of them said. "The coach tells us all we have to do is play heads-up ball the whole time we are on the field. I guess anybody who doesn't will be sitting on the bench."

Traveling Diesel Show Will Visit Morehead Friday

J. O. Barbour Jr. of Barbour's Marine Supply Co., Beaufort, announces that the Cummins engine company's mobile unit will be at the Southern Oil Transportation Terminal, Morehead City, Friday night.

The SOT terminal is next to the Ocean Park Drive-In theatre, highway 70, west of Morehead City.

The show will start at 7 p.m. The mobile unit has drawn capacity crowds in every city it has visited. Displayed will be various types of Cummins diesel engines used in boats, trucks and construction equipment.

Industrial applications will also be demonstrated. Owners and future owners of Cummins powered equipment are sure to find this an interesting show, Mr. Barbour said.

You Are Cordially Invited

To attend the local showing of the CUMMINS Mobile Unit at the Southern Oil Transportation Terminal, Highway 70 West, next to the Drive-In Theatre, Morehead City, N. C.

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