

Five Atlantic Veterans Return To Give Pirates Strong Team

Newport Hawks Lose Twin Bill To Aurora

Hawks to Play Host To Jasper High Tonight

The Newport Hawks dropped a twin bill to Aurora as they opened their season away from home Friday night. The Aurora boys won the feature game by a 67-41 margin while the Newport lassies lost a 61-30 decision in the opener.

Johnny Turpin and Johnny Mason were the only Hawks to show much offensive power in the game. Turpin hit for 19 points and Mason connected for 13.

Tommy Gillikin scored on one free throw before fouling out of the game early in the last quarter. Billy Wade scored eight points and Thomas Allen failed to scratch. Allen started in the place of Johnny Zirms who was injured in an automobile accident last week.

Zirms is expected to be ready for action tonight when the Hawks play host to Jasper.

Thompson was the high scorer for Aurora with 26 points. Walker, with 14 points, and Deal with 10 were also consistent scorers for the winners.

It wasn't until the final quarter that the Aurora quintet managed to pull ahead by a big margin. The Hawks trailed by seven points, 24-17, at the half but had cut the margin to four points, 33-29, by the end of the third period.

Aurora's bench strength began to tell in the last minutes of the game. Seven of their players broke into the scoring column while only four Hawks managed to score.

Aurora scored 34 points in the last quarter while the Hawks were scoring only 12.

Newport coach Douglas Schafraan says he was disappointed in the performance of the Hawks but that Aurora has an excellent ball club.

The Newport lassies showed little offensive power as they lost in the opening game. Margaret Lilly scored 10 points to top high scoring honors for the losers.

Betty Green scored eight, Becky Garner and Libby Gould scored four each and Jenny Lynn Garner and Melanie Garner got two each. Newport guards were Clyde Mann, Bonnie Garner and Peggy Wallace.

June Austin was high scorer for the winners with 22 points. Mary Alice Sadler scored 20 and Sharon Brantley hit for 17. Lou Rowff scored the other two points for the winners.

Industry Develops Best Ceramic Yet

Washington (AP)—Aircraft industry efforts to find materials that will withstand the tremendous heat-friction encountered by future aircraft, spacecraft and missiles already have produced some remarkable results.

Planes, official publication of the Aircraft Industries Assn., says a ceramic has been developed that will maintain its properties in 5,000 degree heat. Called Galceram, its strength persists through both rapid and gradual temperature changes.

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The Atlantic Pirates, in their third year under Coach Roy Cockerham, will have an experienced ball team with three seniors and two juniors on the starting team.

The Pirates will be going with seniors Stevie Mason at center, George Golden at forward and Sammy Salter at guard. The juniors are forward Roger Harris and guard Bobby Nelson.

The Pirates will be playing this year with the same disadvantages they have had for years—lack of height and reserve strength. Mason is the only Pirate to top six feet and he is only two inches over 5' 10" tall.

The Atlantic bench will have only six players in reserve and four of them are freshmen. Three of the six can count on seeing lots of action. They are Danny Harvey, a sophomore, Van McIntosh, a junior, and Ray Tallent, a freshman. Other freshmen on the team are Neal Harvey, Daniel Gaskill and Danny Sparks.

Three players Coach Cockerham was counting on will not be on the team. Tom Budd moved to Florida and Marshall Saunders and Aubrey Harvey are ineligible.

Coach Cockerham says, "As long as the first team is in the game we should be able to keep up with most of the teams in the county. Our lack of height will be offset a bit by experience and speed."

The Atlantic girls team figures to be a contender for the county title this year. The starting team will have Anita Brown, Rita Gilgo and Linda Taylor at forwards and Brenda Salter, Bonnie Brickhouse and Jency Mason at guards.

Katy Gillikin, a senior guard, and Catherine Willis, sophomore forward, are pushing some of the starters hard and may earn places on the starting team before the year is out.

Other girls on the team are Annis Willis, Jean Bell, Emma Lou Morris and Gretchen Lyons.

The Atlantic gym will have the nicest floor in the county this year. Coach Cockerham and the team members have helped sand and shellac the floor. One visitor to the gym said, "This floor looks like the one at State College!"

A new hot water system has been installed for showers for the players. A new roof, of course, has been put on to replace the one blown off by the hurricane.

The seats have been painted as well as part of the walls and ceiling. Atlantic fans will be proud to watch games in this clean atmosphere. Three years ago the same building looked more like a barn.

Coach Cockerham gives most of the credit for the transformation to the school board, principal J. W. Johnson and the players themselves.

Ship's Naming Pays Tribute to Old Family

Albuquerque, N. M. (AP)—When the USS Parsons was launched at Pascagoula, Miss., in August, tribute was paid to a pioneer New Mexico family.

The ship was named for the late Rear Adm. William S. Parsons. A sister, Mrs. R. B. Fuller, is of Albuquerque. The pioneer family is widely known in the eastern part of New Mexico.

Plant Holders

Old coffee cans and potato chip cans may be covered with some of the adhesive backed materials to make interesting plant containers. These come in attractive patterns that may fit in with any decor.

Blaine Baugus, Stranded Alone, Kills His Bear

By LOCKWOOD PHILLIPS

Blaine Baugus, Mr. International Paper Company in Carteret County, kept a date to meet the Gatlinburg, Tenn., bear hunter, B. G. Foster at Core Creek Service Station at 6:15 Saturday morning.

After standing around awhile, Baugus mentioned that he had a date with Foster and someone at the station said, "Why Foster and party and his fancy bear dogs left here at 5:30."

Baugus took off in his car to try to catch up with the party. He went down the Adams Creek Road and turned off toward the Neuse River on the Becton Road and, after he had gone about a mile on the Becton Road, stopped his car and shut off his engine to listen for the baying of Foster's bear dogs.

All he heard was the chattering of squirrels.

He decided he might just as well go squirrel hunting on his own. He loaded his gun with fine shot, stepped out of his car and began a stealthy search for squirrel and the first thing he saw was a big, fat bear up a white oak tree eating acorns like a kid with the forbidden cookie jar.

Just as stealthily, he went back to his car and reloaded with buck shot. Each of the three shells he put in made the customary loading sound and Baugus was certain the bear must have heard the noise.

Hoping to catch the acorn-eater before he fled into the thickets, Baugus ran as fast as he could to the white oak tree and, sure enough, the bear was coming down to make a get-away.

Baugus fired, three times, but the distance was so great (measurement afterward showed it to be about 90 yards) that he felt sure he had only wounded the animal.

He returned to his car, reloaded, and was about to set off to find Foster and alert him that a wounded bear was in the neighborhood when he decided to go back and have a look.

What he found was a very dead bear.

All that morning Foster and his party hunted and all they found were the tracks of 11 bears in a field.

Foster, by the way, says that there are more bears around this year than ever before. He ascribes the reason for this to be the damage Helene did to the bears' feeding grounds in the swamps. He says the bears are now forced to raid the farmers' fields which lie on high ground.

Pictures of Baugus and his bear will appear in Friday's paper, that is, if Baugus is as good a photographer as he is a hunter.

Golf Match

Cherry Point Marine Base golfers defeated Morehead City Golf and Country Club players 70 to 64 in a match Sunday on the Morehead course.

Smyrna to Play Host To Atlantic Tonight

Friday night in a return engagement at Atlantic.

The Smyrna Blue Devils will play host to Atlantic tonight in the first basketball game to be played between county teams this year. Based on last year's performances, the Smyrna girls and the Atlantic boys will be in the favorites role.

Smyrna coach Jimmie Parkin will be starting an inexperienced team with a freshman, two sophomores and two juniors in the starting lineup. Pirate coach Roy Cockerham will start three seniors and two juniors against the Blue Devils.

Starting for the Blue Devils will be Dale Lewis and Braxton Piner at guards, Horace Lawrence at center and Curtis Nelson and Paul Wade at forwards.

Atlantic starters will be Roger Harris and George Golden at forwards, Stevie Mason at center and Bobby Nelson and Sammy Salter at guards.

Starting players for the Smyrna lassies will be Jean Willis, Carolyn Phelps and Brenda Baker, forwards, and Clarice Willis, Brenda Willis and Carol Willis, guards.

Starting for the Atlantic sextet will be Anita Brown, Rita Gilgo and Linda Taylor, forwards and Brenda Salter, Bonnie Brickhouse and Jency Mason, guards.

The two schools will meet again

County Cage Schedules

NEWPORT

- Nov. 11—Jasper, home
- Nov. 15—White Oak, home
- Nov. 18—Atlantic, away
- Nov. 21—Smyrna, away
- Nov. 25—Jasper, away
- Dec. 5—Atlantic, home
- Dec. 9—Morehead City, home
- Dec. 12—Dixon, home
- Dec. 15—White Oak, away
- Dec. 18—Havelock, away
- Jan. 2—Swansboro, away
- Jan. 6—Pamlico, away
- Jan. 9—Dixon, away
- Jan. 13—Atlantic, away
- Jan. 20—Morehead City, away
- Jan. 23—Swansboro, home
- Jan. 27—Beaufort, home
- Feb. 3—Smyrna, home
- Feb. 6—Beaufort, away
- Feb. 10—Atlantic, home
- Feb. 13—Aurora, home

SMYRNA

- Nov. 11—Atlantic, home
- Nov. 14—Smyrna, away
- Nov. 18—White Oak, away
- Nov. 21—Newport, home
- Nov. 25—Atlantic, home
- Dec. 5—Morehead City, home
- Dec. 9—Atlantic, away
- Dec. 12—Camp Lejeune, home
- Dec. 16—Swansboro, away
- Dec. 18—Dixon, away
- Jan. 6—Beaufort, home
- Jan. 9—Swansboro, home
- Jan. 12—Havelock, away
- Jan. 16—White Oak, home
- Jan. 20—Havelock, home
- Jan. 23—Camp Lejeune, away
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- Feb. 13—Beaufort, away

ATLANTIC

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- Nov. 18—Newport, home
- Nov. 25—Smyrna, away
- Dec. 2—Dixon, away
- Dec. 5—Newport, away
- Dec. 9—Smyrna, home
- Dec. 12—Morehead City, home
- Dec. 17—Beaufort, home
- Dec. 18—White Oak, home
- Jan. 6—Dover, home
- Jan. 9—Havelock, home
- Jan. 13—Newport, home
- Jan. 16—Swansboro, away
- Jan. 23—Beaufort, away
- Jan. 27—Morehead City, away
- Jan. 30—Havelock, away
- Feb. 6—Dover, away
- Feb. 10—Newport, away
- Feb. 13—White Oak, away

Basketball Officials Interpret Hoop Rules

Sid Myerson and B. K. "Buck" Benner of the International Association of Approved Basketball Officials gave an interpretation of girls rules and rule changes at a clinic at Atlantic last Tuesday.

Thursday night they attended a clinic at Smyrna, discussing boys rule changes and interpretation of boys rules. The clinics were sponsored by the two schools.

Cherry Point Marine Base golfers defeated Morehead City Golf and Country Club players 70 to 64 in a match Sunday on the Morehead course.

Seadogs Beat Swansboro For Sixth Win of Season

Beaufort Reserves Look Impressive in Victory

The Beaufort Seadogs rolled over Swansboro by a 33-6 margin Friday night in their final game of the season. Beaufort fans watched with approval as the Seadogs ran their season record to six wins against three defeats.

The Seadogs got off to a slow start, losing the ball after taking the opening kickoff and allowing Swansboro to drive inside the 20-yard line before backing up and stopping the Pirate offense.

The Seadogs took over on their own 19 and started to move. Eddie Taylor made two nice runs to pick up two first downs for the Seadogs. Guion Dudley raced 25 yards to put the ball on the Swansboro 23.

Fullback Ernest House drove to the 18 and on the next play Taylor went across for the first score. House scored the extra point and the Seadogs held a 7-0 lead.

After taking the kickoff, Swansboro was unable to move the ball and kicked on fourth down. Quarterback Butch Hassell passed to Ray Hassell for a first down on the 27-yard line of Beaufort to set up the next Beaufort touchdown.

Ray Hassell picked up eight yards on an end run and House got a first down on the nine-yard line. Ray Hassell went over for the touchdown from there. Dallas Willis drop kicked the extra point — the first drop kick in a Beaufort football game since before the war according to T. H. McQuaid.

A Butch Hassell to Calvin Jones pass covered 20 yards and set up the third Beaufort touchdown. House scored on a 20-yard run and then plunged across for the extra point and the Seadogs moved ahead, 21-0.

The first half ended before the Seadogs could score again. It took less than a minute for the Seadogs to get back in the scoring column once the second half started. Swansboro took the kickoff to open the half but fumbled on the return and Beaufort took over on the Swansboro 40.

Eugene Roarty's 15-yard run highlighted the Beaufort drive for the goal. Also turning in good runs

of the best backs he has ever coached and has the ability to play for any college in the country.

during the drive were House and Taylor. With the ball on the eight-yard line, Butch Hassell faked a pass and ran for the touchdown.

The try for the extra point failed and the Seadogs held a 27-0 lead. Gene McCausley caught a 25-yard pass from quarterback Mike Miller for Swansboro's lone touchdown. The Pirates' try for the extra point was stopped and the score stood at 27-6.

It took the Seadogs two plays to score after they got their hands on the ball. Dudley ran the kickoff back to the Beaufort 29. Butch Hassell hit end Gordon Becton with a short pass and Becton ran all the way to the Swansboro three before he was caught from behind and knocked out of bounds.

Charles Dickinson, 89-pound halfback, scored the final Seadog touchdown. Dickinson, who stands 4'11" tall, went into the game for one play and hit paydirt.

When Butch Hassell handed the ball off to Dickinson, the Seadog line bulldozed the Swansboro players aside and the Beaufort backs surrounded Dickinson as he scampered across the goal.

No one seemed to mind when the Seadogs failed to score the extra point. The score remained at 33-6 until the game ended a few minutes later.

Turning in fine performances in their last game for the Seadogs were Becton, John Smith, Dallas Willis, Bill Kirk and Allen Autry. Beaufort substitutes played a considerable amount of the game. Turning in nice gains in the backfield were George Noe and Paul Downum.

Coach V. M. Morrison said he was quite pleased with the game played by the Seadogs. "It was nice to end the year with a good victory," he said. "Maybe we can keep up the win string next year."

Two Eagles Have Chance For All-State Honors

Two Morehead City football players are being touted for all-state honors. Tackle Lynwood Durham and halfback James Guthrie are rated by their coaches as two of the top college prospects in this area.

Durham, a husky 200-pounder, played his finest ball this year. He was offensive right tackle and middle linebacker on defense. He was shifted to the linebacker spot midway through the second game of the season and looked as though he was made for the position, generally regarded as the most important defensive position on the team.

Even as a sophomore Durham was an outstanding performer. He was named to the All-Seashore Conference team both his sophomore and junior years. This year he appears to be a sure bet for honors on a higher level.

Guthrie has had a great season, scoring 80 points in the eight games played by the Eagles. In seven games (statistics not available for the Cary game) he carried the ball 110 times for 921 yards. That was good for an average of 8.4 yards per carry.

Last year Guthrie was a member of the All-Seashore Conference team and as a sophomore he was a second string all-conference player. He was voted the best offensive player for the Eagles last year.

Another outstanding college prospect is Gerald Jones, who was ineligible this year. Jones, the outstanding player on the Eagle team for the past two years, was Guthrie's running mate at halfback on



Lynwood Durham ... great tackle

last year's state championship team.

While Jones hasn't been getting the headlines this year, college coaches have not forgotten his outstanding play in years past. Coach Norman Clark says Jones is one

Score for Seadogs



These players scored the Beaufort points in Friday night's 33-6 victory over Swansboro. They are, front row, left to right, Butch Hassell, Charles Dickinson, Dallas Willis; second row, left to right, Ernest House, Ray Hassell and Eddie Taylor.

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