

Eagles Split First Four, 2-2

Eagles Lose To Bulls

Johnson C. Smith's Golden Bulls took a 49-33 halftime advantage, then staved off a North Carolina College rally in the second half to win going away in a 91-72 triumph over the Eagles here December 8.

Out-rebounded, 50-46 by the Eagles, the Bulls relied on shooting superiority. Jackie Jackson led their attack with 26 points, while Charles Turner had 20, Tyron Britt, 17, and Jackie Wilson, 14. Turner garnered 15 rebounds and Wilson, 12.

Ted Manning sparked the Eagles with 22 points and 11 rebounds. Gus Jones had 16 points, Curtis Watkins 14 and McClain 11. McClain collected 15 rebounds.

NCC, now 2-1 in the CIAA and 2-2 for the season, led at 7-6 was even at 9 all and stayed close at 23-22 with 9:13 remaining in the first half. By intermission, however the Bulls had taken a 16 point lead. The Eagles, who take on Shaw University December 12, at Raleigh, closed the gap to 64-60 with 5:34 on the clock, but fell steadily behind during the waning moments.

NCC (72)	JCS (91)
Jones—16	Britt—17
Manning—22	Turner—20
Watkins—14	Jackson—26
Carter—7	Wilson—14
McClain—11	Johnson—4

Subs: North Carolina College, Lenon 2, Sinclair, Barnes, Killens, Price.

J. C. Smith, Carter 10, and Williams.

Eagles Whip Trojans

The North Carolina College Eagles gave the Virginia State Trojans their second defeat in as many outings December 5, 1964 as they racked an 84-73 score in NCC's McDougald Gymnasium.

Friday the Trojans were turned back by Shaw University, 97-85, in Raleigh.

Ted Manning, a junior graduate of Baltimore's Carver High School, with a total of 26 was the pacemaking scorer for the Durhamites, but a Trojan sharpshooter, Eugene Nelson, led all players with 28.

Virginia scored first in the opening seconds of the game, and after momentary ties at 2-2 and 4-4 took the lead 6-4 on a Nelson field goal with 14:20 to go in the first half. The Paul Godwin-coached Trojans remained out front until 7:20 before the intermission when Manning evened up points at 19-19. A Daniel McClain shot from the floor put the Eagles ahead 21-19, and for the remainder of the encounter, NCC held the upper hand.

At the break the Eagles, who then stood 2-0 CIAA and 2-1 overall, led 36-28.

Sharing second place scoring honors on the Eagle team were McClain, a Wilson North Carolina sophomore, and Albert Conner, a Winston-Salem, North

Carolina junior, with 10 points each.

During the second period the Eagles three times led by as many as 20 points but saw the visitors inch closer to trail by only 11 points at the final buzzer.

Co-captain Rod Looney of Portsmouth, Virginia, made 15 points for the Trojans, and he and Nelson, a Hartford, Connecticut, native, accounted for more than half Virginia's total. James Howell of Suffolk, Virginia, took third place scoring honors for VSC with 11.

Coach Floyd Brown cagers' next home game will be on December 15 with St. Augustine's College.

Mt. St. Mary's Victorious

The NCC Eagles fell behind a powerful Mt. St. Mary's College team to lose 100-80 at Emmittsburg, Maryland on Wednesday, December 2.

The mountaineers had six men in double figures. They overcome an early 8-4 deficit to lead by ten points at half time 47-37. The score had remained close (27-25, St. Mary) with about 2:13 left in the first half before the hot mountaineers put gas in the fire to score 20 points in the last two minutes.

The Eagles (1-1) who never

got close in the second period, were paced by Manning, with 19; Conner, 18; McLean with 16; and Paris Lenon, 14 points.

The mountaineers, playing in their own back yard, had a balanced attack which featured Pete McJohnson, Jack Campbell, John Carrell, Ed Sarmir, and Bernie Haag with 19, 18, 16 15, 11, and 10 points, respectively.

Eagles Beat Morgan, 89-82

Gus Jones riddled the nets for 11 of his teams points in the overtime period to lead North Carolina College's Eagles to a 89-82 hardfought win over Morgan State College in Baltimore. The game was the first in CIAA basketball competition, and the first victory for the Eagles.

Jones, the Eagles back court whiz, swished in 23 points to pace NCC's offense. Ted Manning and David McClain tossed in 20 and 15 points respectively to aid the NCC attack. Morgan's James Turk topped all scorers, hitting for 27 markers.

NCC held a slack halftime lead. Nevertheless, the game Bears of Morgan came from behind to the score of 74 all to tie the game.

But it was Jones who led the Eagles in the over play as he broke the game open with sever-

al key baskets. The Eagles outscored the Bears 15-8 in posting their initial win of the season.

Morgan	NCC
Carnish—17	Jones—23
Turk—27	Manning—20

Gordon—19	McClain—15
Hall—	Conner—5
Stauder—8	Watkins—11
Sub:	
NCC—Lennon 5, Sinclair 4,	
Barnes 6.	
Morgan—Johnson, Nesbitt.	

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