

High Boys Defeat Middleburg, 22-17; Girls Deadlock

STORMY DRIFT

by Ethel M. Dell

READ THIS FIRST:

Capt. Tigie Turner, returning to England from India, finds pretty Viola Norman on shipboard, deserted by her husband and friendless. After frustrating her attempt at suicide, he learns she is to become a mother. He introduces her to friends of his on board, the Rutherford family, who take Viola with them upon their arrival in England. Tigie, now deeply in love with Viola, goes to the home of his sister, Janet. Her husband, Harvey Gilmore, an artist, amazes Turner with a painting he has done of a girl whom Tigie recognizes as Viola. She was a dancing girl Harvey had met on the continent. As Harvey and Tigie leave for a visit to London, Turner receives a letter from Grierson at Oa, Harney, with a cheque in payment for a loan he had advanced Viola. Frenzied, and with no word from Viola, Tigie interviews Grierson who refuses to give Turner the girl's address and tells him she is not married and that she is his stepdaughter. From Spot Rutherford, in London, Tigie learns Viola left the Rutherford to go to her brother's near Putney. After locating Grierson's home in Putney, Turner is informed by the housekeeper that Grierson has no sister living there but Harvey, who is with Tigie, catches sight of Viola entering the garden of the Grierson home. In the arbor of the garden Turner's long search for Viola ends. Comforting her, she tells him he would not understand why she hadn't written him. After much questioning as to her apparent change in attitude, Viola offers to tell Tigie all of her past.

(NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY)

CHAPTER 27

"NO, NO, YOU needn't tell me," said Tigie soothingly. "I know how it is. That fellow Norman—he let you down—didn't play the game—didn't marry you." She flushed at the words, but Tigie's arm still held her. He went on speaking, no longer with agitation but with quiet matter-of-fact decision. "And now listen to me! As I said just now, it's the future that matters. We can't change the past. We can only cut it adrift. That's what I'm going to do—with you, Viola. Do you remember when you said you were shipwrecked and took refuge on my raft? Well—you've come aboard for good. You—and all that is yours—are my responsibility now. You needn't be afraid that I shall play the game. I'm not a fool, so you needn't be afraid to give me a free hand. I know exactly what I'm doing. And you're going to be sensible and help me. Not for your own sake perhaps. I don't flatter myself that you want to do it. But then you didn't come here because you wanted to be married because of the baby that's coming in September. Am I right?"

She did not answer him. She had ceased to attempt to free herself, but there was tension in her attitude. He sensed a very definite resistance in her, and braced himself to overcome it.

"Am I right?" he said again.

"Perhaps," she said in a whisper.

"But—but, Tigie—"

He stopped her. "You needn't make any more objections, because that's the main point with me too at the present moment. I'm asking you to put yourself in my care—to trust

me. Viola, can't you do that?"

"How can I?" she whispered as if frightened. "I have no—claim upon you."

"You have a claim," he declared sturdily. "Just as much claim as anybody shipwrecked has upon any passing craft. I simply refuse to leave you here to sink, so it's no use talking."

She uttered a sigh of complete weariness. "I don't know what to say to you," she said.

"You needn't say anything," said Tigie. "Just trust me, that's all, and let me pull you out of these stormy seas! Come, is there anything wrong with that?"

She sighed again. "I've tried—so hard—to keep away from you," she said. "But it's no use. This morning—when I saw you calling here—I simply ran for my life. I don't think you'd see me. I never thought you'd lie in wait for me, or I'd never have come back."

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don't you see it's you I'm trying to save—not me myself?"

"The tears that she had not shed before welled into her eyes. Tigie took the trembling hands into his warm, comforting hold.

"That's all right—that's all right," he said. "I know. I understand. But don't you worry! I'm much better at looking after myself than you think, so we won't bother any more about that. Now everything's settled, isn't it? You'll be at the garden gate close by here at 10 tonight. I can count on you for that?"

"Oh yes." Her surrender was complete when it came; it was evident that she could hold out no longer. "I'll do whatever you wish. It's no good trying to do anything else."

"You're quite right," agreed Tigie cheerfully. "It isn't. That's the most sensible observation you've made since we met. Well then, good-bye for the present! And don't get downhearted as soon as my back's turned. Everything's going to be O. K."

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Boys First Victory In 1934 Basketball Season

Edwards, Boyd and Duke Lead Bulldogs to Their Win Last Night Here

RULES BLOCK PLAYOFF OF GIRLS' TIE GAME

Miss Stewart, Substitute Forward for Henderson, Leads Local Attack in Last Half; Visitors Had 10 to 3 Lead At End of First Half

Shaking off what jinx that has been on their trail during the present basketball season, the Henderson high school boys' and girls' basketball teams flashed a fine brand of basketball last night on the High Price warehouse court with the girls getting a 14-14 draw with Middleburg girls and the boys winning their first game of the present season from Middleburg by a 22 to 17 count.

A ruling in girls' basketball prevented a playoff of their tie last night.

Both games were thrillers, nice plays being turned in by all the teams. The local girls were slow in getting started, and were trailing at the half rest period by a 10 to 3 score.

At the opening of the second half Miss Stewart, a substitute, was sent into the game replacing Miss Nell Rowland at forward for Henderson. Upon this substitution hinges much of Henderson's success, for during her stay, Miss Stewart shot nine points to lead her team. She was easily the star of the contest. The other local points were scored by Misses Kearney two, Nell Rowland, one, Mustian, two.

The guards for the local stood out on the defense.

Middleburg leaders were Misses Curran and Dowling, each scoring six points. Miss Stevenson scored the remaining two points. Miss Rose Mabry turned in the best defensive performance for the victory at her guard post.

Boys Get Victory

Paced by Edwards, Boyd and Duke, the local boys flashed a beautiful passing attack to score their first victory of the season.

Rudd Edwards and Boyd shot eight points to lead Henderson in the contest. Red Duke shot six points to bring up Henderson's total.

Breedlove and Grissom led the visitors with six points each. Faulkner and Hendricks scored three and two points respectively to account for the remaining points.

Henderson took an early lead in the contest and was leading six to two at the half whistle. Middleburg ran her total score up even with the local at 13-11 in the third period, but Boyd and Edwards furnished the necessary goal shooting to put the locals out in front. Duke's floor work was outstanding for the locals. Breedlove and Grissom were the best for the visitors. The lineup:

had in 1933, they are violating their contracts and not keeping their agreement with the government. I have no idea of course, as to what the Federal government will do about this situation—but I do not think it will be ignored."

While he has not yet made a detailed investigation, and so does not believe that all the tenant farmers and their families are being replaced by others. Thus indications are that the landlord farmers are cutting off their expenses merely to reduce their expenses and thus increase their profits.

"Under the government cotton reduction contract, which most if not all these landlord farmers have signed, the government not only agrees to pay them \$17.50 an acre rent for the acreage retired from production below their 1933 acreage, but the government also agrees to pay the farmers an added bonus of 12 1-2 per cent of the value of their 1934 crop, provided it does not exceed 70 per cent of their 1933 crop," Waynick pointed out. "Both the acreage rental and the 12 1-2 per cent bonus payment are designed by the government to help the farmers defray the cost of keeping the same number of tenants or as many as they possibly can, the acreage rental of \$17.50 per acre and the 12 1-2 per cent bonus are clear profit or 'velvet' for the landlords."

NOTICE OF SALE OF NOTE \$13,000.00 COUNTY OF VANCE, NORTH CAROLINA REVENUE ANTICIPATION NOTE.

Sealed bids for above note will be received until 10 o'clock A. M., March 1, 1934, by the Local Government Commission of North Carolina, at its office in Raleigh, for the above note March 1, 1934 and maturing ninety days after date, without option of prior payment. There will be no auction. Interest rate of 6 per cent per annum. The note will be awarded at the highest price offered, not less than par and accrued interest. Interest payable at maturity. Bidders must check upon an incorporated bank or trust company, payable unconditionally to the order of the State Treasurer for one-half of one per cent of the face amount of the note offered. The local to reject all bids is reserved.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMISSION, By: W. E. Easterling, Secretary.

Pos.	Middleburg	Henderson
RF	Stevenson	Kearney
LF	Dowling	Rowland
CF	Curran	Mustian
CG	Mabry	Hardee
RG	Robertson	Goodrich
LG	Jackson	Watkins
Subs:	Middleburg, Short, Shearin, Robertson; Henderson, Stewart. Officials: Referee, Terrell; Scorer, Kearney.	

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RF	Breedlove	Edwards
LF	Roberson	Boyd
C	Faulkner	Duke
RG	Grissom	Stainback
LG	Hendricks	Ayscue
Subs:	Henderson, Teague. Officials: Referee, Terrell; scorer, A. Boyd.	

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♠	A K Q J	♠	9 8 5 3
♥	A J	♥	10 5 3 2
♦	J 10 4 2	♦	9 7 3
♣	7 6 2	♣	8 7 6 2
♠	10 7 4 2	♠	9 8 5 3
♥	K 5	♥	10 5 3 2
♦	8 6	♦	9 7 3
♣	A K Q J	♣	8 7 6 2
8			
♠	6	♠	9 8 5 3
♥	Q 8 7 6 4	♥	10 5 3 2
♦	A K 5 4	♦	9 7 3
♣	10 5 4	♣	8 7 6 2



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Bounded on the west by lands of Heywood Henderson; on the south by lands of Burroughs; on the east by lands of Robert Henderson; and on the north by the county road. Containing 4 1-2, (four and one-half) acres more or less. For more definite boundaries see deed to Collin Jordan recorded in Book 15, page 664 of the Vance Registry.

This the 9th day of February, 1934.
MARGARET R. HARRIS,
Executrix of A. J. Harris, Trustee.
Henry T. Powell, Atty.

JAMES C. COOPER
REAL INSURANCE SERVICE
PHONE 204-J
HENDERSON, N. C.

Landlords Cut Off Many of Tenants

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him lists of the tenant farmers who have registered as unemployed and given as their reason the fact that their landlords had cut them off because of the cotton reduction contracts they had signed. He has also asked for the names of the landlords for whom they worked last year and who have now cut them off.

The first county reemployment manager to respond was the manager of Lenoir county reemployment office, who has sent in a list of 42 tenant farmers who have registered in his office there—and each registrant represents an entire family—who gave the reason for their unemployment the fact that their landlords had cut them off because they said they did not need them under the new cotton acreage reduction contracts. This list also contains the names of the landlords who cut off these tenant farmers. Other lists are expected daily from the other tobacco counties.

Reports that other landlords are turning off their tenant families, using their tobacco acreage reduction contracts as an excuse, have come from Person, Wake, Wilson and several other tobacco counties and detailed reports from the reemployment offices in these counties are expected any day now. In Wilson county recently a landlord farmer came to the reemployment office with his tenant to register him, and said:

"He is a good tenant and has been with me for 19 years. But I don't need him now since I signed my tobacco acreage reduction."

But when the farmer was told that this was irregular, contrary to the terms of the tobacco reduction contracts and hence would have to be reported to Washington, the farmer took his tenant back home with him.

"There is nothing in the tobacco contract, of course, to prevent a landlord farmer from discharging a tenant farmer who has not been giving satisfactory service and employing another in his place," Waynick said. "And if the landlords can show that they have employed other tenant farmers and families to replace the ones they let off, they are entirely out of the woods and adhering to the terms of their contracts. But if they have not replaced the tenant farmers they are cutting off with others and not keeping the same number of tenants for their 1934 crop season that they

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J. E. HAMLETT
Sheriff Of Vance County