

Halifax-Warren Cage Play Ends For Year

Fans Look To Jacket Game With Weldon

Halifax-Warren basketball competition ended for the year on Friday night with cage fans looking for the Warrenton-Weldon match on January 5 to throw light on the race in the boys division.

In the girls division it looks to most sports observers as though Enfield's girls are in the driver's seat and on their way to an undisputed loop crown.

The Weldon-Warrenton match early next month will pit two teams with perfect H-W slates and two teams which took wins on Friday night. While Weldon was bowling over Conway, 48-31, in a non-conference encounter, Warrenton was running away with Enfield to the tune of 51-29.

Warrenton used a well-balanced scoring attack to tear away from the Demons in the third quarter and hand the Enfield quintet their third conference defeat.

Clinton Neal led the way for the Jackets with 12 points, while Billy Benson added 11 and Herman Rooker 10. Johnny Viverette kept Enfield in the contest until the start of the second half and finished the game with 13 points.

In the opening game of the twinbill played at Enfield, Warrenton never was able to make a contest of it, falling behind by 183 at the end of the first stanza and trailing by 25 points at halftime.

A freshman Enfield forward, Teena White, made life miserable for the Lady Jackets, dropping in 18 points to lead both teams. Brenda Davis finished with 11 points in a contest that saw Enfield sweep the bench midway through the game.

While Warrenton and Enfield were dividing games, Norlina took both ends of a conference doubleheader from Aurelian Springs.

In the nightcap the Waves handed the luckless Hornets their fifth straight loss, and their fourth in H-W competition.

The Hornets made a contest of it through three quarters as Phil Qualls and Ricky Harlow dropped in 14 points each, in spite of a 17-point effort from Billy Fuller.

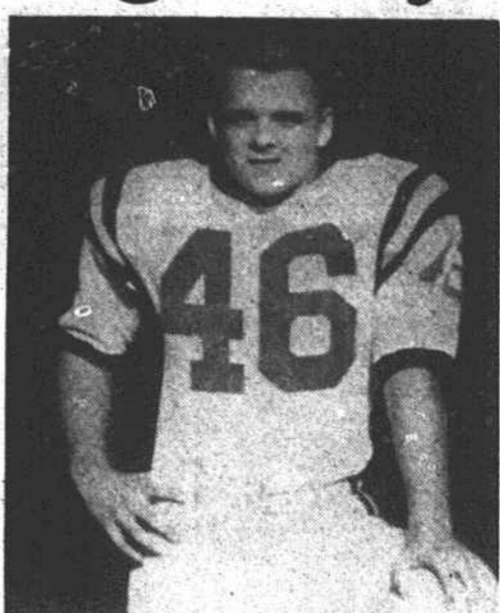
With the game tied at 28-all in the three-quarter mark, Norlina surged in front and gained its third conference win against a lone setback to Warrenton.

In the opening game the Norlina girls came out on top of a 47-29 win with Gayle Williams leading the way with 17 points. Vivian Gibson captured scoring laurels with 22.

At Littleton on Friday night Coach Tommy Satterfield experienced another drab night as far as his boys team was concerned, but got a change of luck in the opener of the conference twinbill.

In the boys game Davie unleashed a lethal scoring attack to hand Littleton a 61-35 setback and snap a three-game losing streak. Davie, standing 2-1 in conference activity, gained a 37-16 advantage as it employed a press against the Jays.

Buck Dickens finished the game with 21 points for scoring honors, while Whit Neville topped Littleton scorers with 16 points.



BILLY FULLER

Fuller Named To All-East Squad; Jackets Get Votes

A football player who alternated at quarterback, fullback and end during the 1961 season has been named to the annual All-East squad selected last weekend by The Raleigh News and Observer.

Billy Fuller, 185-pound senior on the Norlina High School football team, was given a spot in the first team backfield selected by the Observer's sports staff.

A three-letter athlete, Fuller was the workhorse of the Norlina offense and drew opponents' praise for his defensive play. One of the most sought-after grid performers in Class A circles in North Carolina, Fuller is undecided on his choice of colleges.

Three Warrenton football players were named in the polling. Gordon Halthcock, halfback, and quarterback Clinton Neal were both listed on the second team. George Pittard was an honorable mention pick at guard.

continued to add points to the spread during the match.

Experiencing a poor night from the foul line—hitting only nine of 19 bonus tosses—Warrenton used its superior eight to dominate the boards and surge past the Eagles. Townsville made a game of it—mainly on the 15-point production of center Bobby Moss and on a good night from the charity stripe, where the Eagles hit on 74 per cent of their shots.

Two Texas oilmen were driving through town. One saw a car that he liked and went in to buy it. The other oilman stopped him and said, "Let me buy it. You bought lunch."

Sign Grant-In Aids At U. N. C.

Two John Graham High School grid performers have signed grants-in-aid at the University of North Carolina. Gordon Halthcock, left, and Clinton Neal were signed this past weekend by Coach Fred Tullai of the UNC football coaching staff. By signing the grants-in-aid—two of only 25 authorized for the 1962 football season at the Univer-

sity—both boys will receive a full four-year scholarship. Halthcock, a 155-pound halfback, and Neal, a 190-pound quarterback, led Warrenton to a 9-2 overall record this year under Coach "Preacher" Parker, former Wake Forest quarterback who made his coaching debut here this season.

Littleton Drops Twinbill To Visiting Aycock Club

Frances Fuller dropped a 25-foot shot with two seconds remaining to give Aycock a 33-31 victory over Littleton's sextet in a non-conference game at Littleton Tuesday night.

Fuller's shot came a minute after Aycock tied the count at 31-all after trailing throughout the game.

In the nightcap the Aycock quintet won its sixth game in 11 outings when it toppled the Littleton club 57-34, behind the 20-point effort of Jerry Hoyle. Aycock switched to a man-to-man defense in the second half to pull away from Coach Tommy Satterfield's quintet, led by Jimmy Harvey and Whit Neville, each finishing with 10.

The opening victory for Aycock was the eighth win of the season for the Vance sextet, led Tuesday night by Peggy Pegram's 15 points.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has warned that burley tobacco tied with rubber bands will not be eligible for price support loans. Rubber bands are considered "foreign matter" under the Official Standard Grades for Burley Tobacco. Growers sometimes use the rubber bands with primed, rather than stalk-out burley.

Conference Standings

BOYS			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Warrenton	3	0	1.000
Weldon	3	0	1.000
Norlina	3	1	.750
Davie	2	1	.667
Enfield	1	3	.250
Littleton	0	3	.000
A. Springs	0	4	.000

GIRLS			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Enfield	4	0	1.000
Norlina	3	1	.750
Weldon	2	1	.667
Davie	2	2	.500
Warrenton	1	2	.333
Littleton	1	2	.333
A. Springs	0	4	.000

Football Players Given 'Cue Supper

G. N. Pittard, Warrenton business man and father of guard George Pittard, entertained members of the John Graham High School football team and their coaches at a barbecue supper at the Murphy House in Louisburg on Monday night.

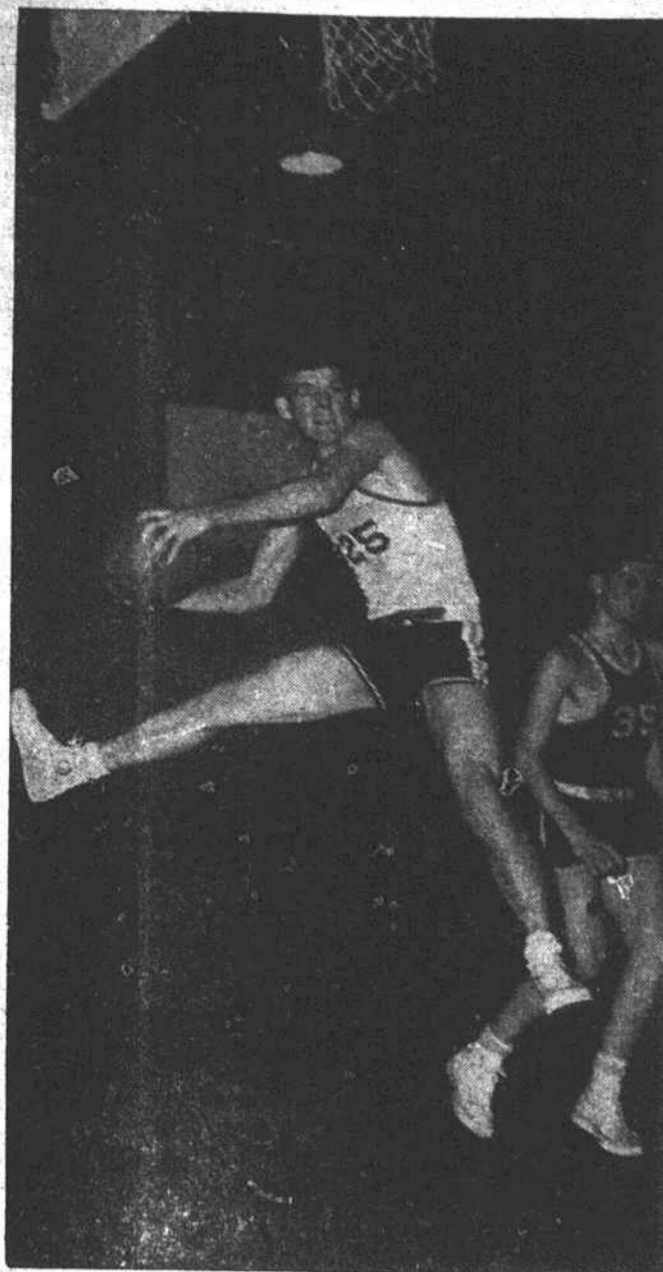
During the evening each member of the squad was presented a pair of socks from Sam Warlick, manager of Leggett's Department Store, and a football enthusiast.

Guests other than members of the team and the coaches were Mr. and Mrs. Norman McArthur, and Mrs. James Webb.

In the girls game the Lady Jays snapped a three-game losing streak as they registered a 57-53 victory for their first win.

Betsy Clark poured 38 points through the hoop to pace the winners and Sally Foster added 17. Dot Miles topped Davie scorers with 25.

Say you saw it advertised in The Warren Record.



SNAGS REBOUND—Norlina forward Billy Fuller goes high into the air to grab a rebound during first-half action at Norlina on Tuesday night. Norlina dropped its second game of the season as Middleburg turned on the power in the second quarter to pick up its tenth win of the season against no losses.

(Staff Photo)

Norlina Girls Win Middleburg Boys Drop Waves, 41-29

Guard Billy Watkins scored 11 points in the second quarter as Middleburg pulled away from Norlina and rolled on to its tenth win in as many games Tuesday night.

Watkins, who hit seven field goals and seven of 13 from the charity stripe for 21 points during the contest, took charge in the second quarter with driving layups which cracked Norlina's zone defense.

The stock playmaker, averaging 16.1 for the year, gave Coach Joe Stepusin's club a 20-8 halftime bulge. Guard Andrew Hundley led the Norlina team with nine points.

A stingy defense held high-scoring Norlina forward Billy Fuller to five points for the contest.

In the opening game Norlina grabbed a 7-8 first quarter lead and fought off Middleburg's efforts to regain the lead before taking a 45-42 decision.

Williams and Perkinson each hit for 15 points to lead Coach Bob Price's sextet. Louise Holloway, with 17, and Carolyn Bartholomew, who dropped 15, were top scorers for Middleburg.

Coach Stepusin called the opening game "one of the best

of the year" for his girls' squad, which dropped its eighth game of the season.

BOYS GAME			
Team	Score	Opponent	Score
Middleburg	41	Norlina	29
Holloway 2		Fuller 5	
Royster 9		Wiggins 6	
Brown		J. Hundley 8	
Watkins 21		Burton 1	
Bartholomew 6		A. Hundley 9	

Subs: Middleburg—B. Anderson, J. Anderson 1, Ellington 2, Finch, Robinson.

Norlina—Mayfield, White.

GIRLS GAME			
Team	Score	Opponent	Score
Middleburg	45	Norlina	42
Holloway 17		Edwards 10	
Bartholomew 15		Perkinson 15	
Abbott		Ellington 3	
Ellington		Felts	
Creech		Rooker	
Pegram		Paschall	

Subs: Middleburg—H. Hester 10, B. Hester; Norlina—Williams 15, Draffin 2, Lancaster, Wimbrow, G. Floyd, K. Floyd, Sabrowski.

Score by periods: Middleburg 3 15 15 9-42; Norlina 7 13 14 11-45.

Miss Rebecca Collins of Norfolk, Va., is visiting her family in Ridgeway.



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