



All-Conference

Members of the girls all-conference team are shown following the announcement of selections at the close of the tournament. At left of the picture are Jane Connell and Betty Lou Carroll, Warrenton's representatives. At right is Matilda Hunt who represents the Norlina High School team.

All-Conference Basketball Team Announced

John Graham High School of Warrenton placed two girls on the Roanoke All-Conference Team announced Saturday night, and the Warrenton boys placed one boy on the all-conference team.

Making the girls team were senior Jane Connell and sophomore Betty Lou Carroll. Robert Rivers was chosen for the boys team.

Junior Matilda Hunt of Norlina was chosen for the all-conference girls team and Charles Kimball of Norlina landed a berth on the boys team.

Both the boys and girls runner-up teams led the selection on the all-conference teams.

Gaston boys landed senior center Charlie Miles, junior guard Ronnie Weaver and junior

guard Chunk Rook while the second place Aurelian Springs girls were represented by junior rover Ruth Chichester, sophomore rover Betty Jo Shearin and senior guard Lynda Williams.

Others on the 10-player boys squad were senior center Clinton Faison of Murfreesboro, senior guard-forward Sammy Rothrock of Enfield and senior guard Richard Bryant of William R. Davie.

Rounding out the 12-player girls team were senior guard Catherine Hill and junior forward Levida Tillery of Murfreesboro, sophomore forward Sue Grant of Gaston, senior forward Connie Dickens and Cathy Carraway of Weldon and senior forward Janet Claypool of William R. Davie.



Jan Hawks of Norlina walks off floor with injured ankle as Coach Bob Price brings her sock and shoe.

Robinson Receives Meritorious Promotion

Corporal George C. Robinson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Robinson of Route 1, Macon, has received meritorious combat promotion to sergeant, while serving with the 1st Force Regiment of Force Logistic Command in Vietnam, it was learned here this week.

The order for his promotion, signed by R. D. Mulcany, Commander, reads as follows:

1. In accordance with the provisions of reference (s), Corporal ROBINSON is enthusiastically recommended for meritorious promotion to the rank of Sergeant.

2. Corporal ROBINSON is assigned to this Command as an administrative clerk, in the Company Office. This job, as a rule is a tedious, seemingly unrewarding job which appears to be overburdening at times. While performing these duties Corporal ROBINSON has been required to deal with personnel of all ranks and his cheerful "can do" attitude has been favorably commented on by juniors and superiors alike. Corporal ROBINSON performs in an outstanding manner, those routine daily tasks that are vitally necessary in order that this Company meet its myriad of administrative requirements. In accomplishing these duties Corporal ROBINSON spends an average of twelve hours per day, seven days a week. Corporal ROBINSON's



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typing ability is such that he completes all assignments in the most expeditious manner with a minimum of mistakes, thus insuring this unit's timely submission of required reports and correspondence. In addition, to the above, Corporal ROBINSON has taken it upon himself to study the new Marine Corps Individual Records and Accounting Manual, as it pertains to his job, so that he will be prepared for the new changes upon its implementation. Further, Corporal ROBINSON is the unit's mail orderly and has insured the timely and efficient handling of the mail, insuring its timely deliverance thus improving the

morale of the whole unit. Corporal ROBINSON's past performance of duty is evidenced by a Meritorious Mast from the Commanding Officer, 2nd Force Service Regiment Camp Lejeune awarded 6 June 1968.

Corporal ROBINSON through his knowledge, initiative and devotion to duty has repeatedly shown his capability of performing in a higher rank.

3. Corporal ROBINSON's appearance, conduct and attitude and performance of duty bring merit upon himself and sets an example for the other members of his Command. Corporal ROBINSON is recommended for a meritorious combat promotion to Sergeant with enthusiasm.

Soul City

(Continued from page 1) ment in newspapers that it would be two years before plans for Soul City would be made was in error. He said construction plans have not been completed, but that a meeting of government officials and educators was to be held at Howard University in Washington, D. C., during the weekend to study the total planning of Soul City. He said an announcement about construction plans will be forthcoming soon.

In filing the deed, McKissick said, "A great deal of physical, social and psychological good will come from the creation

of Soul City." He added that the new town to be built in the so-called Black Belt of the South in rural Warren County would be "good for the whole country."

He said he felt good about closing the deed portion of the proposed \$25 million city planned for a population of about 18,000. "This good being accomplished here cannot be minimized," he said.

May Purchase More Land McKissick said in Washington Saturday that more land probably will be purchased for Soul City.

Future purchases will be determined after completion of planning studies, McKissick told a news conference at Howard University. "People will be able to come in before the year is out on a temporary basis," he said.

"Anybody that comes to Soul City will have a job," he said.

Added the reaction of white residents of the Warren County area. McKissick said, "Actually the white people have been extraordinarily cooperative and helpful."

McKissick, former head of the Congress for Racial Equality (CORE), envisions a city populated by diverse cultural and racial groups dependent on jobs, not welfare, that could serve as a model for future new cities throughout the country.

He said McKissick Enterprises, Inc., of which he is president can prove with Soul City "it can be done. I would hope other cities can be built."

McKissick was at Howard to participate in a planning conference attended by representatives of the federal government, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, the University of North Carolina and Howard itself.

"A lot of people question the black man's ability to even dream a white man's dream," McKissick later told reporters. "This city is going to be open to all people," he said, explaining that its size would be determined by plans based on employment provided by industrial firms.

Within five years, McKissick's tentative plans call for a \$25 million construction expenditure with housing for 9,000 to 10,000 persons in North Carolina's rural "black belt."

McKissick was among the first to advocate construction of entirely new communities as an alternative to urban ghettos and rural decay.

Scenes At Roanoke Conference Tournament Saturday

Tournament

(Continued from page 1) Saunders 5 and Matthews 6. Harris led Weldon with 16 points. Others playing were Morris 9, Wellman 4, Johnson 6, Edwards 6, King.

In Friday night's play the Weldon girls came from behind to defeat Aurelian Springs by the score of 27 to 24 and the Gaston boys romped over William R. Davie by the score of 63 to 35.

J. Tillery led the Weldon girls with 7 points. Others playing were Dickens 5, Carraway 3, Roberson 4, T. Tillery 2, Massengale 2, Twisdale 4, Thorne.

Williams led Aurelian Springs with 11 points. Others playing were Adkins 3, Butts, Chichester 2, Shearin 8, L. Warren, Harris, C. Warren.

Rook led the Gaston boys with 17 points, followed by Miles with 16, Weaver with 13 and Allen with 10. Others playing were G. Garner 4, D. Garner, Norwood 2, Powell, Walters 1, White.

Abernathy led the Davis boys with 11 points. Others playing were Bryant 4, Allen 4, Duke 2, Pegram 4, Boone 2, Brown 2, Godwin 1, Powell, Barner, Exum 1, Conwell, Barrett 3, Eakes.

Robertson President Of A-E-V 4-H Club

Noel Robertson was elected president of the Afton-Elberon-Vicksboro 4-H Club at the monthly meeting of the club Monday night.

Other officers elected were Valerie Fleming, vice president; Laura Bender, secretary and treasurer; Phillip Fleming, reporter; and Arlene Bender, song leader.

The new president, Noel Robertson called the meeting to order. Thirteen members and two leaders were present.

Pledges were led by Mike Garrett, followed by the singing of two songs led by the song leader. Steve Bender gave the devotion and Laura Bender read the minutes and called the roll. Suggestions were made for the 1969 projects and sheets were given out to the members. The leaders gave reports on the programs for the year and urged the members to choose a project for the club.

Valerie Fleming, program chairman, announced that the program for the evening would be "Warren County and Its Natural Resources." Slides were shown and Arlene Bender served as narrator.

Refreshments were served by Valerie and Phillip Fleming and several games were played.

Attic Items May Help Rescue Squad

Does your attic need cleaning out? That is the question which members of the Warren County Rescue Squad are asking citizens of the area as they collect items for the Big Auction Sale to be held Saturday, March 8. The sale will be held in Thompson's Warehouse in Warrenton beginning at 10 a. m.

Not only are they seeking donations of items, but they will sell any item that you wish to bring to the sale on a 10 per cent commission basis.

The warehouse will be open all day Friday, March 7, to receive items from the public to be sold at the auction.

Already a number of citizens have responded to the request and squad members hope that others will respond during the days between now and the sale. They have set aside Saturday to collect items which have been promised and take them to Warrenton.

Barbecue sandwiches and drinks will be available for lunch for those who desire to eat at the sale.

CIRCLE MEETS

The Mary Worthy Missionary Circle of the Warrenton Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Beattie Jones on Thursday, Feb. 26, at 3 p. m.



Sadness shows on faces of Enfield players as they receive runner-up trophies following defeat by Gaston. At left is Sammy Rothrock, Enfield star who reportedly has been offered a four-year scholarship to Wake Forest University. His tournament play was outstanding.



Debbie Floyd of Norlina jumps against unidentified Weldon player.



Sandra Stokes of Norlina tries a long shot in Saturday night's game with Weldon.



Debbie Floyd, left and Jan Hawks receive championship trophy from Supt. of Schools J. Roger Peeler as a number of Warrenton players look on.



Matilda Hunt of Norlina clears floor as she goes up for a jump shot.