

Edith Rodwell, John Graham forward, finds her path blocked after grabbing this first quarter rebound over Broughton defenders Anita Phillips [23] and Leanne Creech. (Staff Photos by Don Stith)

Lady Jackets Win Holiday Tournament, Stay Unbeaten

Lorraine Williams scored 30 points to top her season high of 29 here Thursday night en route to John Graham's 49-45 win over Broughton during the holiday tournament hosted by the Lady Jackets. The recent win gave the Lady Jackets a 5-0 mark.

"Without a doubt, Broughton was the best team that we have played this season," commented John Graham Coach Ben Howard after his girls chalked up their fifth straight. John Graham rallied in the final quarter of play to capture the win over the 3-A Raleigh school, after falling behind 14-11 at the end of the opening quarter.

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Brenda Williams were the leading Warrenton scorers with 30 and 11 points for the Lady Jackets.

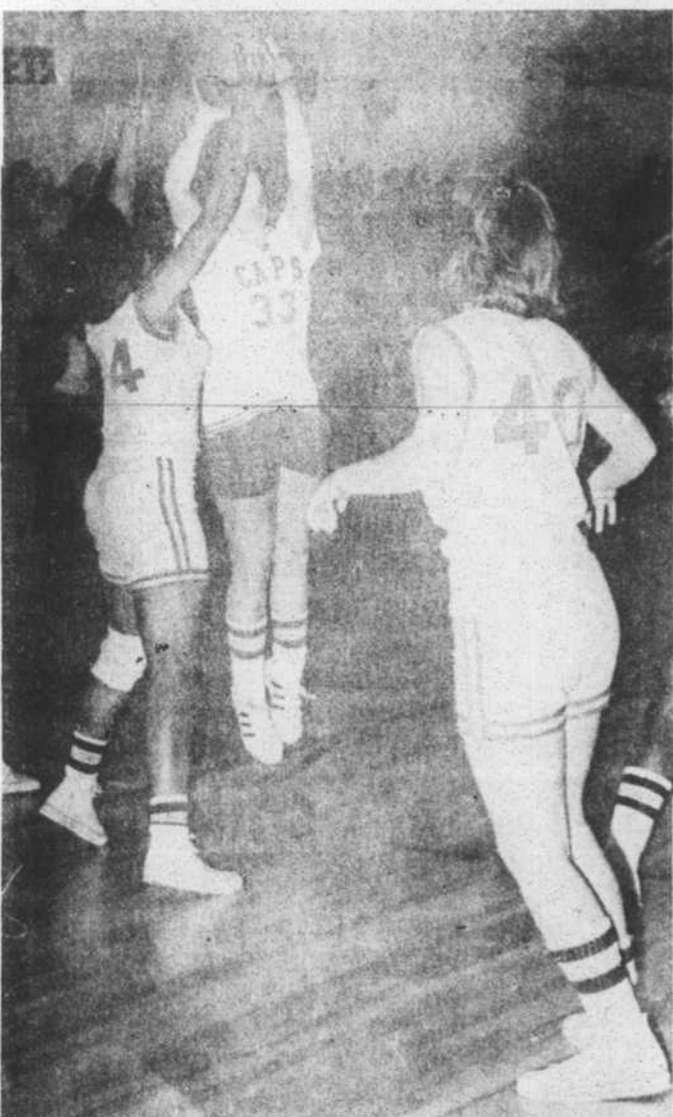
Barbara Culter and Anita Phillips paced Broughton with 12 and 10 points, respectively. John Graham's win followed a 40-31 win by Northwest over Scotland Neck in the preliminary.

Shelia Hines and Annette Boone paced Northwest with 10 points each. Ruth Riddick was the leading scorer for Scotland Neck with 12 points.

In games seen on Wednesday night, John Graham beat Northwest 53-25. Coach Charles Chambliss of Northwest said that he blamed the poor performance of his team on

inexperience, saying that he had to place three sophomores in his starting line-up which is built around Bridgette Newell, a 6-1 all-conference center. Coach Ben Howard said that his girls did an excellent job of controlling the game.

Although she had double and sometimes triple coverage put on her, Lorraine Williams was the game's leading scorer with 16 points for John Graham. Edith Rodwell (11) and Janet Bell (10) scored in doubles for the Jackets. Brenda Williams added another nine.



Lorraine Williams [44], center on John Graham's undefeated girls' basketball team, stops Broughton's Leanne Creech [33] on this scoring attempt during Warrenton's 49-45 win in the finals of the holiday tournament held here last week. Edith Rodwell [40] observes the action.

Jacket Boys Rally In Overtime; Girls Win

John Graham's boys, behind during most of regulation play, survived two overtimes to take a 71-64 victory over home-standing Enfield Tuesday night to move its record to 7-1.

In the girls' preliminary, John Graham managed to score only a single point in the first quarter as Enfield turned on the deep freeze and led after the opening frame, 2-1. The Lady Jackets caught fire in the second period and built a 15-7 margin en route to a final 40-24 win for their sixth of the year without a loss.

Lorraine Williams led the Jackets with 13, followed by Edith Rodwell's 9. Paula Nicholson led the losers with

12.

In the nightcap, John Graham played catchup ball most of the night before knotting the score 56-56 at the end of four periods. Each team managed four points in the first extra period, and the Jackets pulled in front by seven in the second overtime.

Thomas Taylor hauled in 27 rebounds and added 17 points. Doug Stiff was the scoring leader with 25 and Mike Vick had 15 rebounds. Jesse Hilton with 18 and Donald Pittman with 12 led Enfield.

Both John Graham teams will be at home Friday and Saturday nights for contests against Eastman and Gaston.

Norlina Boys Coast To Victory Tuesday

Norlina's boys posted a 77-67 varsity win over visiting Nottoway Tuesday night behind the 21-point scoring effort of Michael Yancey. Spence led the visiting Virginians with 21.

Norlina broke to a 24-10 first quarter lead and only a 35-point fourth-quarter outburst by Nottoway made the score respectable.

Nottoway gained a 50-45 jayvee victory in the opener despite 14-point efforts by Norlina's Darnell Champ and Marvin Henderson.

The two Norlina clubs will return to the court Saturday night for a home encounter against Oxford Webb.



REV. BOBBY COLLINS

Snell Is Named

Deacon Of Month

James T. Snell is being honored as Deacon of the Month by the Enterprise Baptist Church of Rt. 3, Littleton, the pastor, the Rev. Jerry E. Harper, reported this week.

The Rev. Mr. Harper said Snell will be honored during the month of January, and urged families assigned to Deacon Snell to be present to support him throughout the month. Mr. and Mrs. Snell and daughter, Hope, are residents of Rt. 3, Littleton.

He is vice chairman of the Board of Deacons, Sunday School director and chairman of the church's Nominating Committee.

Activities at Enterprise Church include the following: Sunday—Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., new church member training at 9:45 a. m., morning worship at 11 a. m., adult choir at 7:30 p. m., men's choir at 8:15 p. m. and deacon's meeting at 8:30 p. m.

The church council meets at 7:30 p. m. and Wednesday's agenda includes mid-week Bible Study at 7:30 p. m., junior choir at 7:30 p. m. and youth choir at 8:15 p. m.

Guest Pastor

Will Appear

The Rev. Bobby Collins, Christian Education Director of the N. C. Conference of Pentecostal Holiness Church, will hold a special service on Sunday, January 9, at the 11 a. m. worship service of the Warrenton Pentecostal Holiness Church.

The Rev. Mr. Collins will be accompanied by a youth impact team of singers. The worship service will be youth oriented, said the Rev. Robert J. Forehand, pastor of the church. He welcomed visitors to the service.



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and Mrs. Roy Gupton and Mrs. Gilmore Copley and son of Warrenton. For supper guests were Mr. and Mrs. Marson Sykes and daughter of Cary, Mrs. Cleaton Porch and family and Bill Whitley of Weldon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Chaplin and daughter of San Antonio, Tex., and Mrs. William Bobbitt and children of Charlotte spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunt Johnson of Youngsville and Mr. and Mrs. Major Pope Powell of Warrenton were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Hunt M. Johnson. Jeffrey West of Newport News, Va., spent last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart West.

Among holiday guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Herbert W. Baucom, Jr., were Herbert Baucom, III, of Columbia, S. C., and the Rev. and Mrs. James E. Baucom and children of Radford, Va., Miss Rebecca Maness of Buies Creek and Mrs. Elizabeth Bodkin of New Bern.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hannahs and son of Portsmouth, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. White Neville and sons of Cary were holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard P. Bobbitt.

Last week visitors of Mrs. Jesse M. Perkinson were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Powell and son of Raleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Edwards of Portsmouth, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Perkinson of Waycross, Ga., Mrs. W. B. Harris of Colonial Heights, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lowe of Siler City and Mrs. L. H. Taylor of Roanoke Rapids.

Among recent visitors of Mrs. Gladys Stansbury were Woodrow Shearin of Norlina, Mrs. Ben U. Allen of Henderson, Mrs. R. H. Bright, Grover L. Shearin, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Moseley, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Shearin, Edward

Shearin of Warrenton, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Frazier of Portsmouth, Va., Mrs. L. E. Morris, Romie C. Woodlief, Mrs. William McWilliam of Henderson, Mrs. Joseph E. Stansbury, Jr., and son of Raleigh and Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Paynter and Gary and Randy of Norlina.

Last Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Annie Lee Hilliard were Mrs. Michael Wilburn and children of Elon, Mr. Rohrer of Burlington, Lee Roy Lynch and sons of Hopewell, Va., Henry F. Hilliard, Jr., and Miss Donna Joyce of Eden, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Hilliard of Littleton.

Mrs. Lillian Brittain of Greenbelt, Md., and Mrs. L. A. Goodwin of Lanham, Md., spent some time with Mr. and Mrs. Sol B. Bobbitt and Mrs. Alice Chichester during the holidays.

Miss Annie Shearin of Rocky Mount and Mr. and Mrs. Horton Shearin of Rocky Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Carroll of Norlina were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shearin. Among recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Delbridge were Mr. and Mrs. William Sharpe and son of Newport News, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Perkinson, Mrs. W. A. Delbridge and daughter of Norlina, and Mr. and Mrs. James Perkinson.

Miss Mary Frances Little of Boiling Springs was a holiday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Conzell Little and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Little. Miss Carolyn Beattie of Shelby joined her here for a visit.

Among those attending the funeral of Mrs. Doma Taylor on Friday in Blaylock Funeral Home were Macey Taylor and children of Elizabethtown, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Taylor and children of Griffin, Ga., Tommy Williams, Mrs. Charles Fitts, and J. V. Smith of Roanoke Rapids, Mrs. Marie Donn of Raleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Spain of Virginia Beach, Va., Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Spain, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pope of

Raleigh, Mrs. Mary Stanley and daughter of Lawrenceville, Va., Travis Stanley of Farmville, Va., Mrs. W. C. Jones, Sr., of Roanoke Rapids, Miss Jacqueline Moore and mother, Mrs. Macon Moore, of Goldsboro.

Mrs. Stansbury

Is Party Hostess

Mrs. Gladys Stansbury entertained a group of her friends last Thursday with a Christmas party in her home. The Rev. Herbert W. Baucom, Jr., pastor of the Littleton Baptist Church, told the group a story and read them a scripture.

Mrs. Stansbury thanked the children for sharing their time in doing things for her during the past year. Christmas carols were sung and gifts were exchanged.

Cookies, potato chips, rice krispie treats and fruit punch were served to Wendy and Nikki Little, Mary Lou, Brenda, Scott and Robert Young, Jimmy Dean and Betty Felts, Bruce, Cindy and Billy Pike, Wayne Jefferson, Mrs. Tommy Young and the Rev. and Mrs. Baucom.

Hospital Patients

Patients in Warren General Hospital on Tuesday at 5 p. m. were listed as follows:

Woodrow Odom, Gilbert Eperston, Sally Limer, Roy Overby, Jacob Marks, Gayle Tarwater, Hattie Hunt, Alice Alston, Lillian Kilian, Peggy Medlin, Linda Creech, Joe Williams, Henry Drew, Janice Shearin, Roxie Richardson, Rita Loyd, Josephine Cunningham, Teressa Williams, Nancy Langlois, Robert Alvin Hunt, Lillian Stevenson, Jo Karen Williams, Laron Walker, Susie King, Emma Stevenson, Lois Jiggetts, Fannie Bowen, Martha Williams, Josie Hester, Johnny Paul Robertson, Willie Brown, Fannie Baltrip, Lyle Smith.

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