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Local Teams Win In Openers Of New Cage Season

Boys, Girls Defeat Farm Life In Games Played At Carthage

The boys and girls of Southern Pines High School, facing Farm Life basketball teams at Carthage last Thursday night, in the opening games of the season, won both contests. Scores were 58-40 for the girls and 64-40 for the Blue Knights.

The teams play Robbins tonight (Friday) in the first home games of the season. (See front page story.)

Games for next week are Carthage at Carthage Tuesday and Red Springs at Red Springs Thursday.

The traditional alumni games at Southern Pines Thursday, December 30, complete the schedule until regular play is resumed January 4.

The lineups and scoring in last week's games:

Girls
S. Pines—Forwards: Woodell 8, Kay Davis 6, Anike Verhoeff 31. Guards: Hobbs, Betty Britt, Sally Michelson. Subs: Ginger Woodell, Patty Britt 5, Betty Morris 7, Louise McDonald 1, Williams, Howarth, Davenport, Holliday, White.

Farm Life—Forwards: J. Blue 13, Ragsdale 11, D. Matthews 16. Guards: B. Matthews, George, Boyette. Subs: McCoy, McCaskill, B. Blue, M. Williams, McLeod, Short, L. Williams, Michael, Wicker.

Boys
S. Pines—Tony Parker 2, Johnny Watkins 7, Roger Verhoeff 17, James Humphrey 18, Bobby Cline 5. Subs: Bobby Parker, Bill Marley 4, Don Cheatham 2, Julian Pleasants 7, James Collins 2.

Farm Life—H. Blue 5, J. McKenzie 10, George 4, L. McKenzie 2, Mabe 13. Subs: Bibey, Newell, Sineath, Bailey, Fulk, R. Blue, Harmon.

Missouri scientists found that giving pigs fermenting feed boosted their daily gain and decreased the amount of feed required. Seems that hang-overs were rare too.

Temperatures In November Varied; Rain: 2.05 Inches

Maximum temperatures as high as 74 and minimum readings as low as 27 were recorded by official Weather Bureau thermometers here during November.

Rain fell on 12 days of the month, for a total of 2.05 inches—the largest amount in any one day being .90 inch on the 5th and the smallest being .01 inch on the 18th and 24th.

Maximum temperatures reached 70 or higher on four days of the month and were in the 60's on 12 days, so that more than half the month showed high daily temperatures of 60 or higher.

Minimum readings were in the 50's on two days of the month, in the 40's on four days, dipped to the twenties on two days—the 3rd and the 28th—and were in the 30's otherwise. By "days" of the 30's otherwise. By "days" of course, is meant the lowest reading of a 24-hour period, which is usually at night.

During November, custody of the weather bureau instruments was taken over by City Manager Tom E. Cunningham from Mrs. T. A. Kelley who left town on an extended visit, and the instruments were moved from Mrs. Kelley's home to the park near town hall. A few days after they were set up there, the thermometers were stolen and it was four days before they were replaced by the Weather Bureau. Readings for these days—the 19th through the 22nd—were estimated the monthly report states.

West End Girls Win Curved Bar, Top Scout Award

On Sunday, during the morning service at the Methodist Church in West End, four Girl Scouts of Senior Troop 52, were given the highest award in Girl Scouting, the curved bar.

The presentation to the girls—Vivian Tucker, Dorothy Leigh Von Canon, Merrill Fletcher and Carolyn Branson—was made by their mothers, Mrs. Vivian Tucker, troop leader; Mrs. Paul Von Canon, assistant troop leader;

Mrs. T. J. Fletcher and Mrs. J. L. Branson.

Miss Cathryn Creasman, executive director of the Central Carolina Girl Scout Council, gave a short talk on the significance of the curved bar. She also pointed out the fact that these four girls, who had progressed from tenderfoot rank, through second class to first class and had won four additional medals in scouting before being entitled to receive this highest honor, were only the 10th group to receive this particular award out of approximately 1,000 girls who constitute the membership of the four counties included in the Central Carolina Council.

Officer To Speak At Men's Dinner

Major John F. McCarthy of the USAF Air-Ground Operations School will speak to the Men's Club of Emmanuel Episcopal Church on "The State of the World Today" who club members gather at the Parish Hall for their regular dinner meeting Monday Dinner, to be served by members of St. Ann's Guild, will begin at 7 o'clock.

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