

School Closes Basketball Season

FARMVILLE vs. AYDEN

In the semi-finals of the girls division of the Coastal Tournament in Ayden, Farmville met Ayden Wednesday night, February 27.

Emilie Cannon broke away and made the first two baskets for Farmville. After the first four minutes Farmville led 9-6. Ayden poured in goals but Farmville still led at the end of the first quarter 16-15.

During the second quarter Ayden pulled ahead; the teams exchanged leads four different times. Still Ayden kept the lead and by the end of the half the score was 37-32.

Then Ayden broke loose and led by 12 points, 54-42, at the third quarter, led by Alice Jean Smith. The final quarter held hope for the Farmville team but Ayden was triumphant with a 75-55 score.

The Ayden team, which made 42 percent of their shots, was led by Alice Jean Smith with 45 points, while Katherine Bright followed with 29. Outstanding defensive players were Peggy Conway and Goldie Harris.

The Farmville high scorers were Edna Wooten with 29 points and Emilie Cannon with 18 points. Gertrude Smith and Clara Flanagan were defensive leaders. The Farmville girls made 550 percent of their shots.

Lineups: Farmville FG FT PF TP Ayden FG FT PF TP

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FARMVILLE TEAMS MAKING GOOD SHOWING IN PITT COUNTY TOURNAMENT

The Pitt County Tournament got underway Monday night in the East Carolina College gymnasium. The Farmville boys defeated Chicod in one of the events.

Farmville took an early lead and was never threatened as Jack Allen and Marvin Tugwell gave Farmville a 6-0 lead in the first two minutes.

In the second period Tugwell led Farmville with an excellent offensive game and Charlie Fitzgerald led the defensive game. Farmville led at half-time 32-18.

Both teams ran into trouble the third quarter and had difficulty scoring. At the end of this period Farmville led 43-19.

In the final quarter the teams poured in points and everybody scored. Farmville won 63-36. They will now play Bethel Wednesday night.

Lineups: Farmville FG FT PF TP Ayden FG FT PF TP

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Chicod FG FT PF TP Farmville FG FT PF TP

The Lady Red Devils were led to victory over the Bethel girls by close teamwork Tuesday night in the Pitt County Tournament at East Carolina.

The Red Devils took an early lead in the first quarter and by the end of the half Farmville had overtaken Bethel 25-12. During the third quarter Bethel picked up the pace and Farmville led only by seven points.

Farmville still held the lead at the end of the third period 37-23. Emilie Cannon and Edna Wooten were fed the ball by Ila Wooten to make 16 and 17 points respectively.

Farmville won the game 41-33 and will play Winterville girls Thursday night in the semi-finals.

Defensive stars for Farmville were Phoebe Webb, Doris Oakley, and Clara Belle Flanagan. Joyce Beverly and Isabelle Manning were high scorers for the Bethel team with 18 and 10 points, with Reddick, Ayers and White outstanding defensive players.

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THEY

To most people they is a personal pronoun denoting the plural of he, she or it, or men in general; but when I hear the pronoun, they, spoken, there immediately appears in my mind a small group of people.

They are an all-knowing group; they know what is the proper conduct of grown-ups, babies and dogs; whether the sun will shine; how a house should be built; who goes to church; who stays out late; who gets up early; the latest style in clothes, furnishings and Louises and who will have a new addition to the family. The things they know are endless.

This group was formed in my mind at an early age by remarks of others about me. "They say Mrs. Jones has a new dress." "They say pink will be the best color this Spring." "They say Mrs. Brown's youngest son is a little monster." "They say she is a terrible housekeeper." "They don't expect Mr. Martin to live through the night." "They say she never goes to church." "They say there will be a depression next fall." I stood in fear of They. I wanted to avoid their criticism, I didn't want them to pass judgment on me. Even though it was true, I didn't want them to say Grace was a bad little girl because, even though she had been forbidden to do so, she climbed trees every time her Mother left home. I could sometimes feel their eyes on me when I borrowed Mother's best suits and high-heeled slippers to play dress up.

The meanest decision They ever

rendered against me was on the occasion of my first piano recital. I wanted a red dotted swiss dress trimmed with black velvet ribbons. Mother said, "No; they say pastels are the most fashionable this spring." They had spoken. I wore and hated a baby blue silk crepe dress with georgina yoke and flounces. To top everything They had tricked me, because Julia, one of the prettiest and most popular girls in school, appeared for the recital wearing a red dotted swiss dress with black velvet ribbon trim. I was so upset I played one of my first pedal numbers, with the soft pedal, all the way through.

They have helped me in one way in spite of the havoc they brought into my early life. They have helped me to understand modern art. For years I thought modern art atrocious. To me it was without beauty and I saw no reason for its creation. Finally I attended a lecture on modern art and learned that the artists who supported this ideal of creation were expressing something that could not be portrayed in normal art styles. I remembered they and I understood what the artists were trying to put on canvas. I can see my picture now—a large eye mingled with ears of all sizes and mouths with teeth open in speech poses. This picture would express what I felt about They.

U.D.C. NOTICE A change has been made in the meeting place of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, Rebecca Wintborne Chapter. The meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. S. G. Gardner at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon. Mrs. Mary Lewis Lang is the hostess.

MARLBORO CHURCH TO SELL BRUNSWICK STEW

The Marlboro Free Will Baptist Church will take orders for Brunswick stew to be delivered Friday, March 14. Orders can be called to Mrs. J. T. Bundy. The stew sells for \$1.25 a quart and 65c a pint.

BETHLEHEM W.S.G.S. MEETS WITH MRS. GURGANUS

The Bethlehem Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. G. R. Gurganus near Bell Arthur Friday afternoon.

Mrs. W. A. White led the group in a silent meditation period that was closed by prayer.

The president, Mrs. C. F. Sutton, heard reports among which one on quarterly business given by Mrs. Beryl Newby, the secretary. The purchasing of table cloths to be used in the Educational Building was discussed and a committee composed of Mrs. Gurganus, Mrs. Mark Erwin and Mrs. William Vandford was appointed to make the purchase.

Mrs. W. L. White was in charge of the program and gave a talk on the subject, "Deaconesses." Mrs. White related some of the outstanding work carried on by the late Mrs. A. Q. Roebuck and Miss Edna Boone, now Mrs. Carroll James of Faison, who had served the Bethlehem Church Community as religious workers. She stressed the need of such workers to carry on that phase of church work.

At the close of the meeting the hostess served fruit jello topped with cream, cookies and hot coffee.

LAUNDRYMEN'S CONVENTION

Paul Ewell, owner of the Farmville Laundry and Dry Cleaners, and Nick Norman of the S&H Cleaners attended the State Laundrymen's convention in Winston-Salem, Tuesday through Thursday of last week. William T. Smith also attended the convention with Roy Tripp of Greenville.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of James Monroe Whelless, Sr., wish to express thanks for the many expressions of sympathy extended to them in their bereavement.

CARD OF APPRECIATION

The family of Mrs. C. Hubert Joyner wish to express their appreciation for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy extended to her during her illness and to her family in their bereavement.

Book Of The Month

"TALL HEARTS FALL FAR" Actor Of The Month ROBERT MITCHUM

Junior Play Of The Month "NO PLACE LIKE HOME" March 21

ATTEND METHODIST MEETING

J. I. Morgan, Jr., delegate, and Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Davis attended a call meeting of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church in Raleigh, Tuesday. The meeting was held in the Edenton Street Methodist Church.

ATTEND CHURCH DEDICATION

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Carr and son, Charles, attended the dedication of the Knightsdale Methodist Church, in Knightsdale, Sunday. Bishop Paul N. Gardner of Richmond, Va., was the preacher for the occasion. Mrs. Carr was a charter member of the church.

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