

# Morehead Set for Newport Clash Tonight; Beaufort Tries Swansboro

Morehead City High cagers will attempt to make it two in a row over Newport tonight when these two teams clash on the Newport hardwood. Game time is 8:30.

Morehead halted the Newport win streak of 15 games Jan. 15, Newport lost to the underdogs 70-55 on the Eagles' court.

Newport since has dropped two games, one to Beaufort and one to Pamlico County. The Eagles topped Beaufort, Smyrna, and Swansboro, losing to Camp Lejeune.

Heading the Eagles that have fashioned a new winning streak of two games, is Wayne Cheek, Jerry T. Willis, and Denny Lawrence. These boys accounted for the Newport defeat.

### Manning Heads Newport

Newport boasts Sidney Manning, Haglan Carraway, and Eugene Edwards, the top point getters for last year's state champs. Levy Lilly and Sheldon Howard round out the probable starting five for Newport.

Completing the starting crew for the Eagles will be Bobby Willis and Jerry W. Willis. The Eagles will be counting on the speed and height of their forwards to wrest the second victory from Newport.

Newport will have the added advantage of its home floor tonight and Manning and Company are reported in tip-top shape for the tonight's clash.

The odds are favoring the Eagles tonight in spite of the road game. Too much speed and height on the Eagles part. Morehead will come out on top again, but not by 15 points.

Other cage action tonight finds Beaufort travelling to Swansboro. After the Morehead City loss Beaufort has been able to dust off Jones Central and looks forward to making Swansboro next before meeting the Eagles in a return engagement.

### Swansboro Tough at Home

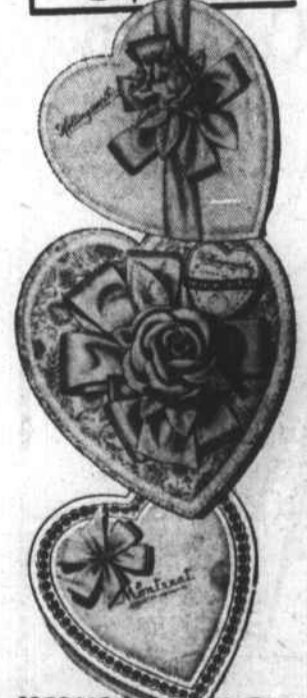
Swansboro has proven mighty tough on its home court. Camp Lejeune will testify to that. Beaufort has a classy aggregation topped by Gehrman Holland and Murray Pittman. These two stellar players give the Sea Dogs too much speed for Swansboro if the Sea Dogs get the hang of the Swansboro gym before its too late.

Dixon comes to Smyrna in another conference game slated for Carteret County. Dixon hasn't been doing well and shouldn't be much trouble for Walker Gillikin and Company on their home floor.

Camp Lejeune, currently leading the Seashore Conference, travels to Pamlico County. The Devilpups have too much court savvy for the home teams, led by Bobbie Peele, Charlie Sells, and Bob Royster.



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## Jones Central Tops Beaufort

Beaufort girls' basketball team was a victim of the freeze as it dropped a hard fought tilt, 43-36, Tuesday to Jones Central lassies on the Jones Central court.

For three quarters Beaufort held its own, losing the lead midway in the final period to the hard driving Jones Central crew. Enjoying a seven-point lead with four and a half minutes remaining, Jones Central froze the ball to grab a win over a top notch Beaufort aggregation.

The score stood at nine all at the end of the first period. Colleen Guthrie led a Beaufort rally that gave the Sea Dogs a 23-18 lead at halftime. Jones Central drove hard in the third period scoring 14 points to tie the game at 32 all at the close of the period.

Ethel Small led the victors with 29 points. Miss Guthrie paced Beaufort with 28. Outstanding players for Beaufort were Judy Mason, Leona Davis, and Mary Buttry.

Score by quarters:  
Beaufort 9 23 32 36  
Jones Central 9 18 32 43

## Anglers Plan Five-Year Trip

New York—Lou Marron is going big-game fishing in a big way. Soon he will leave on a five-year expedition to the South Pacific.

But the jaunt will be more than just an extended fishing trip. Lou, one of the world's foremost deep sea anglers, will be accompanied by marine experts from the University of Miami.

The researchers will study the life cycles of the largest fish, breeding habits, general physiology and food sources.

Their vessel, "The Explorer," is 40 feet long. The two scientists from Miami are Dr. F. G. Walton Smith, director of the university's marine laboratory, and Dr. Luis Rivas, university ichthyologist.

Marron claims the world's record for broadbill swordfish—a 1-182 pounder taken on a 39 thread line off the coast of Chile on May 7, 1953. For the past three years he has been a member of the U. S. team in the International Tuna matches.

Assisting Lou and the university experts will be Mrs. Marron, a distinguished sportswoman who has won many fishing trophies.

In late March the "Explorer" will start working off the coast of Chile for research on broadbill, swordfish, marlin and tuna.

### Duck Prefers Dog

San Diego, Calif. (AP)—A large white drake of Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hatfield prefers the company of his dog friend Joe to that of his duck family. The drake sleeps with Joe at night, helps the dog dig squirrel holes and creeps under the house with Joe for sestas in the heat of the day.

## Mrs. Lockwood Phillips Wins Hole-in-One Event

Mrs. Lockwood Phillips won the Morehead City Golf Club hole-in-one contest Wednesday with a brassie shot off the men's tee on the 190-yard fifth hole.

The ball landed within three and half feet of the cup.

Theodore Phillips was next closest to the pin with a ball four feet away.

Winners in the January ringer tournament were Bill Skarren first, Virgil Jenkins second and Philip Ball third in the men's division; Mrs. Grady Rich first, Mrs. Virgil Jenkins second and Mrs. Clyde Carr third in the women's division.

## Athletic Evils Minor, Asserts College Prexy

San Antonio, Tex. — (AP) — Dr. Wilson Elkins, president of Texas Western College, says he asks critics two questions when he hears talk regarding the evils of college athletics. He asks:

1. Does the college athletic program hurt the academic program, the heart of college existence?

2. What happens to the boys who play college athletics, particularly football?

"I have yet to hear that the college academic program has been hurt and in the case of the boys who played, I have taken the trouble to check extensively and have found that they do just about as well as any others," says Dr. Elkins.

Dr. Elkins told a Quarterback Club here that he is convinced that abuses are minor in relation to the great advantages of college sports and that associations and connections that men make in college sports can be of great value to them throughout their lives.

Chimed in Mike Brumblow, football coach at Texas Western: "There's no misunderstanding at our place about who runs the college. I remember when I first arrived I was horrified, as an old Texas Christian University boy, to find that Texas Western, being a branch of the University of Texas, had the same school colors and sang the same school song, 'The Eyes of Texas.'"

"I even got up nerve one day to suggest to Dr. Elkins that the colors and song be changed. He let me know without hesitation that it would be wiser and easier to change the head football coach, so we have understood each other perfectly ever since."

### Blood Record

Ashland, Ky. (AP)—Physicians estimate that Kelly T. Berger, 49, has donated more than 10 times his normal supply of blood. Since he began keeping track of donations in May, 1931, the husky chief of guards at an industrial plant has given 100 pints. In recent months Berger has had a special reason: A son, Kelly Jr., an Army officer, has been serving in Korea.

Whales sometimes have twins.

## New Scoring Record Set As Knights Down Burgaw

Queen Street High cagers set a new scoring record Tuesday as they trampled Burgaw 87-48 with Bill White paving the way with 20 points to lead all scorers.

Queen Street came from behind in the second quarter to go ahead by 10 points, 37-27 at the half after trailing 14-15 at the end of the first period.

The Black Knights continued pouring it on in the third period scoring 20 points to Burgaw's eight. A 30-point fourth quarter gave the Knights their eighth win of the season against four losses.

Following White in the scoring columns was John Jones with 19; Matthew Godette, Ray Ellison, and Allen Murray with 10 each. Outstanding defensive player for the Knights was Bill Jordan.

George Wilson paced Burgaw with 14 points. He was ejected from the game in the third quarter for unsportsmanlike conduct.

The old record was eighty points sets by the 1949 edition of the Knights when they beat West Street of New Bern 80-27. Queen Street was host to Georgetown of Jacksonville yesterday.

### Jerry Schumacher

## Little Coretta Thompson Put Dennis in the Shade

You know Dennis the Menace is the big rage at the moment and justly so. It's a great idea and a great cartoon. However, I heard a story the other day about a local gal that puts all the Dennis stories to shame, and this is the way it goes.

Coretta Cherry, that beautiful Glamour Gal wife of one of our more illustrious characters, Bill Cherry, and daughter of Dr. Sam Thompson, when about 5 years old was playing with the gang, then comprised of about 14 neighborhood boys.

Coretta was the only girl allowed, for the simple reason she was quite a tomboy in those days and the only girl in the whole neighborhood. Well anyway, they were playing Pirates.

So naturally the play got around to buried treasure, and Coretta was delegated to dig up the treasure or she couldn't play. Now the treasure in this case was Mrs. Thompson's jewel box, resplendent with diamonds, watches and assorted trinkets.

This band of pirates buried the treasure all right, they even drew a map, but someone got fouled up on their calculations and to this day the treasure has never been found, but is still buried somewhere in the neighborhood. Wonder how much a good shovel costs?

Spring must be just around the corner because the waterfront is waking up. Captain Hubert Fulcher is hammering away putting a flying bridge on his sport fishing boat, Blue Water. 'Twon't be long now 'till the tourists will be milling around like confused sheep staring at the fish on the racks all up and down the waterfront.

I see the tackle shop across from Captain Tony's is getting a new front and a general face lifting. You know it's exciting to think about all the activity that's coming with Spring, but isn't it so nice and peaceful here now.

Harold Simpson bought a brand new green golf jacket at the club

Josephine Pasteur, stellar forward of the Queen Street girls, paced Queen Street lassies to their third win of the season over Burgaw 32-16 Tuesday.

She led the field with 15 points. She was followed by Bea Dudley with 11. Geraldine James led Burgaw with six points.

The Queen Street girls fought to a 7-4 first period lead, then saw it melt during the second quarter as Burgaw gained control of the ball. The Knights gals had enough punch left to walk off the floor leading 11-10 at halftime.

A third period comeback, led by Jo Pasteur, gave Queen Street a 21-14 bulge in the third period. Scoring 11 points in the final frame gave the win to Queen Street lassies.

Defensive standouts for Queen Street were Mary Frazier and Mary Pickett.

Scores by quarters:  
Q. Street (Boys) 14 37 57 87  
Burgaw 15 27 35 48  
Q. Street (Girls) 7 11 21 32  
Burgaw 4 10 14 16

## Junior Woman's Club, with Aid Of Referee, Beats Faculty 21-20

The Junior Woman's Club of Beaufort eked out a 21-20 victory Wednesday night over the Beaufort High School faculty in a basketball game at the Beaufort gym before a good-sized crowd.

The game was close-fought all the way with the winning points scored in the final minutes of play.

Both teams were dressed in natty uniforms, the like of which have seldom been seen on the courts.

Playing for the Junior Woman's Club were Mrs. Albert Chappell, Mrs. Dick Parker, Mrs. David Hill, Mrs. Glenn Adair, Mrs. J. Glenn Satterthwaite, Miss Sarah Thomas, Mrs. Earl Lewis and Mrs. Billy Davis.

Playing on the Beaufort High School faculty team were Miss Betty Lou Merrill, Mrs. Mary Sue Noc, Mrs. Ruth Davis, Mrs. Audrey Steed, Mrs. Ann Salter, Mrs. Shirley Babcock, Mrs. Margaret Arrington and Mrs. Gerry Beveridge.

First aid corpsmen were present, but no severe casualties were reported.

Gray Hassell was a referee and a great aid to the Junior Women.

When the teams took the floor, the rule book was thrown out the window, and Mrs. David Hill, distinguished herself by finally making a charity basket on the sixth consecutive try.

The Junior Woman's Club made \$125 on the game, which will be given to the Children's Home Society, Greensboro.

By virtue of Friday's victory over Morehead City, the Beaufort girls crept up to second place in the girls' team standings with an 11-2 record. Morehead City fell to fifth place with seven wins against six losses followed by Smyrna and Newport. Atlantic has a firm grip on ninth place.

The standings follow:

Boys	Won	Lost
Camp Lejeune	10	0
Morehead City	9	4
Beaufort	9	4
Newport	7	3
Pamlico County	6	3
Smyrna	3	6
Jones Central	3	7
Dixon	2	7
Atlantic	0	7
Swansboro	1	8
Atlantic	0	7

### College Has Difficulty In Building Dormitory

Hartford, Conn. (AP)—Trinity College officials said a new freshman dormitory wasn't ready for the start of the new school year because:

The excavation crew unexpectedly ran into a big boulder. Heavy rains held up the work. Mason's helpers went on a five-week strike.

A 14-car freight train carrying furniture for the dormitory was derailed. Window washers went on strike.

## Pamlico Ekes One-Point Win Over Smyrna

All leading for three quarters Smyrna High cagers were outscored in the fourth quarter to drop a closely fought contest Tuesday to Pamlico County 45-44.

Smyrna led by three points midway in the fourth quarter when a sudden flurry led by Wesley Avery, Pamlico forward, put the visitors ahead by five points.

Smyrna rallied in the closing minutes as Walker Gillikin connected for four points to shave the lead to one point. The game ended as Smyrna was driving for what would have been a winning score.

Smyrna posted a 13-8 first quarter lead, fashioning a 23-19 halftime score, allowed Pamlico to creep in the third period to within three points, 36-33.

Holding its own, Smyrna managed to keep its three point margin until midway in the quarter. Avery then found the bucket repeatedly to send the visitors ahead for the first time, setting the stage for Smyrna's last effort that fell one point short.

Walker Gillikin was top scorer for Smyrna with 21 points. Avery took scoring honors for Pamlico with 14.

Pamlico Girls Win  
Pamlico County girls ran roughshod over the Smyrna lassies 88-44 Tuesday behind the 31 point effort of Jo Spencer.

The visitors took a commanding lead in the first quarter, 28-9, building this to 43-17 at halftime. Pamlico girls netted 25 points in the third frame as Smyrna was grabbing 18 to lead 68-35.

Pamlico County girls wrapped up the game with a 20 point outburst in the final frame. Smyrna hit for nine.

Helping Miss Spencer for Pamlico was Hazel Tyndall with 26 points. Mona Arthur led Smyrna

with 18 followed by Peggy Davis with 12.

Score by quarters:  
Smyrna (Boys) 13 23 36 44  
Pamlico County 8 19 33 45  
Smyrna (Girls) 9 17 35 44  
Pamlico County 28 43 68 88

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