

Coaches Select All-County Team

News-Times to Present Keys, Certificates

Three members of this year's NEWS-TIMES All-County team were unanimous choices. All five county coaches agreed that Pud and Butch Hassell of Beaufort and Johnny Mason of Newport were championship competitors.

Stevie Mason of Atlantic made the first team with three first team and two second team votes. Johnny Turpin of

Raiders Score Victory Thursday

Fry Raiders climbed back on the victory wagon Thursday night when, after five straight losses, they beat the Cash Corner quintet from Pamlico County 85-64. The Raiders, from Carteret, play in the New Bern city league at the recreation center.

The Cash Corner team led 34-28 at the half, but the Raiders came back and piled up 57 points in the second half. A switch from man-to-man to zone defense and the fast break served well to check the Pamlico boys.

Jimmy Fodrie was high scorer for the Raiders with 44 points. Craig Horne followed with 17, Kenny Davis, 8, Pierson Willis 7, Everett Golden and Bob Fagan 4 each and Wilson Davis 1.

Taking scoring honors for Pamlico was Pat McCotter with 24, Charles Buck shot 16, Mack Prescott 14, Charles Caton, 7, and T. H. Smith and Tom Harris 2 each.

The Raiders will play New Bern Jaycees at the recreation center in New Bern tonight. They go into the game standing fourth in the league.

Tourney

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with 24 points and played a good floor game. Sammy Merrill, who played a great game rebounding, followed Hassell with 15 points. Pud Hassell tallied 11, Ray Hassell 10, Allen Autry 7, David Jones 5, Leon Thomas 4, and Frank Potter 2 to complete the scoring.

Calvin Jones, Douglas Swain, Harry Gillikin and Chuck Lewis also played.

For the Pirates, Roger Harris was high with 17 points. Harris sank 15 out of 17 free throws and one field goal. Other scorers were Bobby Nelson 10, Stevie Mason 9 and Sammy Salter 8. Also playing were George Golden, Danny Harvey, Van McIntosh, Ray Tallent, and D. Gaskill.

Beaufort's man-to-man defense limited the Pirates to only 10 field goals while the Seadogs hit for 30. The Pirates outshot the Seadogs at the free-throw line, making 24 out of 38 attempts. Beaufort made only 18 in 37 tries.

J. C. Penney, founder of 1,700 dry goods stores in the chain that reaches from coast to coast, is still actively managing them. He is 83.

Newport was the fifth member of the first string. He got two first team and two second team votes.

Any coach would be glad to have these players as his starting five. Based on individual scoring averages, he would have a team that would score 78.5 points per game.

Butch Hassell scored 418 points in 18 regular season games for an average of 23.2 to lead the county. Johnny Mason was second in the scoring race with 369 points in 22 games for an average of 16.8 points per game.

Johnny Turpin had an even 15 points per game as he shot 330 points in 22 games. Pud Hassell scored 218 points in 18 games for an average of 12.1 points per game.

Stevie Mason scored 251 points in 22 games for the Pirates and built a scoring average of 11.4 points per game.

The All-County second team is made up of top-notch players who might have been first team another year. Roger Harris, who got two first team votes, was the leading vote-getter on the second team.

The classy Atlantic forward scored 318 points in 22 games for an average of 14.5 points per game.

Other members of the second team are Sammy Merrill, Beaufort, Lynwood Durham and Jimmy Swann, Morehead City, and Dale Lewis, Smyrna.

Players earning honorable mention were Bobby Nelson and Sammy Salter of Atlantic; Billy Wade and Larry Kirk of Newport; Braxton Piner and Curtis Nelson of Smyrna; John Phillips, James Guthrie and Walter Morris of Morehead City and Ray Hassell of Beaufort.

First team All-County selections will receive engraved keys and certificates from THE NEWS-TIMES. The paper will give certificates to second teams and honorable mention players.

The All-County girls' team will be announced Friday.

Chilula Wins Game With Conifer Team

A team from the CGC Chilula hung a 34-30 defeat on a team from the CGC Conifer in a tightly contested game Thursday night at the Morehead City High School gym.

Wilson of the Chilula team was high scorer for the game with 15 points. His teammates were Murphy, Joyner, Dickerson, Conway, Mixon and Akridge.

Playing on the Conifer team were Taylor, Hiesler, Gartman, Kubal, Vinson, Duneau, Perry and Staszkowski.

Johann Gutenberg, a German, invented movable type in 1480, which makes today's newspapers possible.



Butch Hassell ... leading scorer



Pud Hassell ... piles up points



Johnny Mason ... second high scorer



Stevie Mason ... Pirate hot-shot



Johnny Turpin ... Hawk star

Newport Hawkettes Win Tight Victory, 52-50, Over Smyrna

Newport Hawkettes won the county championship by defeating the Smyrna lassies 52-50 in the finals of the county tourney Friday night at Beaufort gym.

It was a close contest from beginning to end, played before a capacity crowd.

The great defensive play of Newport guards, Clyde Mann and Peggy Jo Wallace, made the victory possible for Newport. Wallace and Mann guarded players, several inches taller than they, who were deadly under the basket.

They forced the Smyrna forwards to play beyond the key, and intercepted numerous passes. By continually maintaining position, Wallace caused Smyrna's high scoring forward, Jean Willis, to foul out and gave Newport forwards more chances at the foul line as well.

The first quarter was played on even terms. The score at the end of the period was 14-14.

Then the Hawkettes went ahead 18-14 on two quick baskets by Margaret Lilly and never lost the lead from that point on. Coach Douglas Schafran made his only substitution, Dump Warren, in the second quarter. She shot 8 points before the half to help the Hawkettes to hold a four-point spread, 31-27, when the halftime buzzer sounded.

Smyrna made a strong bid to take the lead after the half, tying the score 38-38 on a 2-pointer by Carol Phelps. Lilly made two field goals and Becky Garner one while holding Smyrna to one free throw by Brenda Baker, making the third quarter score 49-39 in Newport's favor.

Newport's strategy in the final quarter was a deliberate game aimed at shooting only when the opportunity was best. Smyrna was rushing the play, aiming to take over the lead. With less than a minute to play, Newport led 52-47. Then Smyrna's Baker hit a free throw and Phelps made a quick field goal.

But the spurt was not enough. Smyrna's 50 points spelled "runner-up".

Scoring honors for the night were shared by Newport's Lilly and Smyrna's Jean Willis. Each accounted for 24 points. Other scorers for Newport were Becky Garner 13, Jenny Lynn Garner 7 and Warren 8.

For Smyrna, Phelps scored 21 and Baker added 6. Brenda Golden and Melinda Gillikin played as forwards but didn't score.

Newport's defensive unit was Mann, Wallace, Linda Dickinson and Lana Linebarger. Smyrna coach, Jimmy Parkins, used only his starting guards, Carol Willis, Brenda Willis and Clarice Willis.

Newport lassies made 22 field goals, two more than Smyrna. Smyrna had a slight edge at the charity strip, making good on 10 of 17 attempts. Newport completed 8 of 18 tries.

Don't Shoot! Onancock, Va. (AP)—The hunting season hadn't opened, but they won't prosecute Tommy Webb for his early hunt. The five-year-old boy, with his BB gun and bird dog, was located after a three-hour search which drew three town fire departments, state police, the Navy Shore Patrol and a helicopter from the Chincoteague Naval Air Station. Tommy was calmly sitting on a stump waiting for game.

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MOREHEAD CITY

Runner-Ups Receive Trophies



The runner-ups in the county tournament accepted their trophies solemnly. Shown here are Atlantic Pirates Sammy Salter, H. L. Joslyns, who made the presentation, George Golden and Stevie Mason.



Brenda Willis, left, and Clarice Willis accepted the runner-up trophy for Smyrna girls. Mr. Joslyns was the only one bearing.

Matthew McKeon Leaves Marines

Acting Cpl. Matthew McKeon, USMC, Cherry Point, was honorably discharged from the Marine Corps Wednesday. McKeon was catapulted into headlines in the fall of 1956 when six Marine recruits under his supervision drowned in Ribbon Creek at Parris Island, S. C.

McKeon's discharge is due to physical disability. Navy doctors report that he is suffering from a ruptured intervertebral disc. McKeon first reported trouble in his back Oct. 27.

After undergoing physicals and observation at Camp Lejeune Naval Hospital, he returned to Cherry Point Dec. 18 as operations and maintenance clerk with the Marine All-Weather Fighter Squadron, unit 14.

Under his discharge, McKeon will receive pay as acting staff sergeant and severance pay amounting to approximately \$5,700. He was named Marine of the Month at Cherry Point Jan. 1, 1959. McKeon's wife, Elizabeth, and three children are living at Worcester, Mass. McKeon said, "I hate leaving the corps. I have no definite plans except to rejoin my wife and children."

Admitted to Hospital Earl Smith, Morehead City, was admitted to the Morehead City Hospital yesterday morning after he was found near his car on a road at Merrimon. Earl Smith, 48, Salter said Smith seemed to be suffering from a nervous disorder.



Feb. 18—A housewarming shower was given for Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lilly at their new home Monday night. A large crowd attended. The honoree received many lovely gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill White and family have moved to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rose of Morehead City spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Lilly.

The Rev. and Mrs. Harry Garris left last week for Danville, Va., where they will make their home.

Mrs. Lee Brown is on the sick list. We all wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Lilly spent a weekend recently with Mr. and Mrs. Thad Lilly of Grifton.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Haskett announce the birth of a daughter, Cindy. Donald is stationed at the air force base at Shaw, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Phillips of New Bern spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Collins.

Among the out of town guests at Mrs. Eugene Lilly's housewarming shower Monday night were Mrs. Cal Whaley, Mrs. Robert Whaley and girls, and Mrs. Mary Hardisty, all of Morehead, Mrs. Lillian Best and Mrs. Lucille Buck of Wildwood and Mrs. Leo Gaskins of Beaufort.

Mr. and Mrs. Levy Lilly of Rositer, Pa., announce the birth of a daughter last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Collins spent Saturday in New Bern.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Johnson, Mrs. J. F. Small and Mr. H. C. Small attended funeral services for Mr. L. N. Conner Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Lilly and boys of Grifton spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mr. P. D. Smith of Maysville is spending a while with Mr. and Mrs. Gilford Cannon.

Mrs. Gerald Phillips of New Bern spent a while Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Collins.

Mrs. Clinton Mason, Mrs. Lee Brown Sr., and Mr. Lee Brown returned home last week from Florida.

Leaf Growers to Meet Tobacco growers in district 6 (covers Carteret) of the Flue-Cured Tobacco Cooperative Stabilization Corp. will meet at 2 p.m. Thursday, March 5, at the courthouse, Greenville.

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