

Central Cagers Battle Shelby Here Friday; Tri-High Tuesday

Kings Mountain high school basketball teams are scheduled to meet Shelby's cage teams in Central gymnasium Friday night in the annual Western conference battle, the game of the cage year.

Coach Don Parker's boys team will meet the biggest threat to their chances at the loop title when they take the court against Coach Lloyd Little's lanky five in the after-piece of the double bill.

Shelby boys have won 5 and lost 3 to date, dropping two close contests to Newton and one to Marion. They defeated Hendersonville, state Class A champs last year and a power again, in a loop game last month.

Coach Mabel Carpenter's sextette has a loop record of two wins, three defeats (two by the strong Lincoln team, defending conference champions, and one by Cliffside by one point), and will stack up as even against Shelby's girls, who sport a similar record (3-5).

The Kings Mountain teams return to the home court again Tuesday night for their final home double-header. They will meet Tri-High school from whom they won a pair of games on Jan. 18 at Caroleen.

1949 SCHEDULE

- Jan. 7—KM 31, Lincolnton 20.
 - Girls—26, Lincolnton 54.
 - Jan. 11—47, Cherryville 19.
 - Girls—41, Cherryville 16.
 - Jan. 14—49, Tech 42.
 - B boys—20, Tech JV 42.
 - Jan. 18—35, Tri High 25.
 - Girls 35, Tri High 32.
 - Jan. 21—29, Lincolnton 37.
 - Girls—24, Lincolnton 32.
 - Jan. 28—30, Cliffside 24.
 - Girls—25, Cliffside 26.
 - Feb. 1—55, Tech 33.
 - "B" Boys—26, Tech JV. 36.
 - Feb. 4—Shelby—Here.
 - Feb. 8—Tri High—Here.
 - Feb. 11—Cliffside—There.
 - Feb. 15—Open.
 - Feb. 18—Cherryville—There.
 - Feb. 22—Shelby—There.
 - Feb. 25—Open.
- (All Games 7:15 p. m.)

"B" TEAM SCHEDULE

- Jan. 5—22, Shelby 28.
 - Girls 20, Shelby 27.
 - Jan. 12—31, Cherryville 9.
 - Girls 36, Cherryville 16.
 - Jan. 14—20, Tech JV 42.
 - Jan. 17—29, Shelby 28.
 - Girls 20, Shelby 26.
 - Jan. 20—28, Cherryville 25.
 - Girls—30, Cherryville 26.
 - Jan. 31—27, Shelby 30.
 - Girls—17, Shelby 34.
 - Feb. 1—26, Tech JV. 36.
 - Feb. 10—Gast, JC Jrs.—Here.
 - Feb. 17—Shelby—There.
 - Feb. 24—Gast, JC Jrs.—There.
- Boys only.
Others—Boys and Girls.

Mountaineer Cagers "Catch Fire," Romp Over Tech Tuesday 55 To 33



MOUNTAINEER PIVOTMAN—Lanky Herman Mauney, above, center on the 1949 Central high school boys basketball team, hit the hoops for 15 points Tuesday night in Charlotte as the Mountaineers ran their loop record to six wins, one loss with a convincing 55-33 rout of Tech high. Mauney will be in action Friday night in the year's first meeting with Shelby high's Lions at Central gymnasium. (Herald Photo by Bundy Studio.)

Kings Mountain high school's cage Mountaineers were back in the groove Tuesday night in Charlotte as they blasted the hoops for a 55-33 Western conference victory over the Wolves of Tech high school. Tech's junior varsity bested Central's "B" team in the preliminary game 36-26.

The win gave Coach Don Parker's quint a record of six wins, one loss in loop play, ranking them high in the standings.

The Kings Mountain team started fast and were ahead all the way. Halftime score was 31 to 15 in favor of Kings Mountain.

Forward Jack Ruth led the basket parade with 8 and three good free throws to rack up 19 points. Center Herman Mauney was close behind with 7 goals and one free throw for 15 points.

The fast-action contest was marked by only 27 personal fouls, 12 against Kings Mountain and 15 against Tech, a low average for high school basketball.

Francis Killian, leading Tech scorer in their last two games, was held by close guarding to only six points. Herb Phillips was high for the losses with 10 points.

It was Kings Mountain's second win over the Charlotte team this year, the Mountaineers surviving a 49-42 thriller here on January 14.

The lineups:

KM (55)	fg	ft (33)	fg	ft
Ruth, f	8	3 Killian, f	2	2
Jackson, f	4	1 Phillips, f	5	0
Mauney, c	7	1 Thomas, f	0	0
Warlick, g	0	0 Sykes, c	1	0
Amos, g	4	4 Stewart, c	0	2
		S. E'mus, g	1	0
		G. E'mus, g	1	2
		Horne, g	2	1

Totals 23 Totals 13 7
Score at half—KM 31, Tech 15.

Free Throws Missed — Ruth 4, Jackson, Mauney 2, Warlick 3, Amos, Phillips, Sykes, Stewart, Horne 5.

Personal Fouls — Ruth 4, Jackson 1, Mauney 3, Warlick 2, Amos 2, Killian 2, Thomas 1, Sykes 4, Stewart 3, S. Ecomus 2, Horne 3.

Preliminary

Tech JV 36	Pos	KM "B" 26
McGill 7	F	Kimmel 5
Ross 4	F	Warlick 3
Wilson 14	C	Jones 10
Medlin 9	G	Tate 5
O'Neal 0	G	Cobb 3

Halftime score: Tech 17, KM 88.
Subs: Tech: Bob Condor, Bill Condor, Stutts 2, Sims. Kings Mountain: Smith, Mauney.

City and County Tax Listing Extended Through February 10th

The County Board of Commissioners has extended the time for listing taxes for 10 days, due to heavy listing during the final days of January.

See

B. D. Ratterree

at City Hall

8:30 to Noon

Daily through February 10.

MAX HAMRICK,

Tax Supervisor

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Tax Lister,

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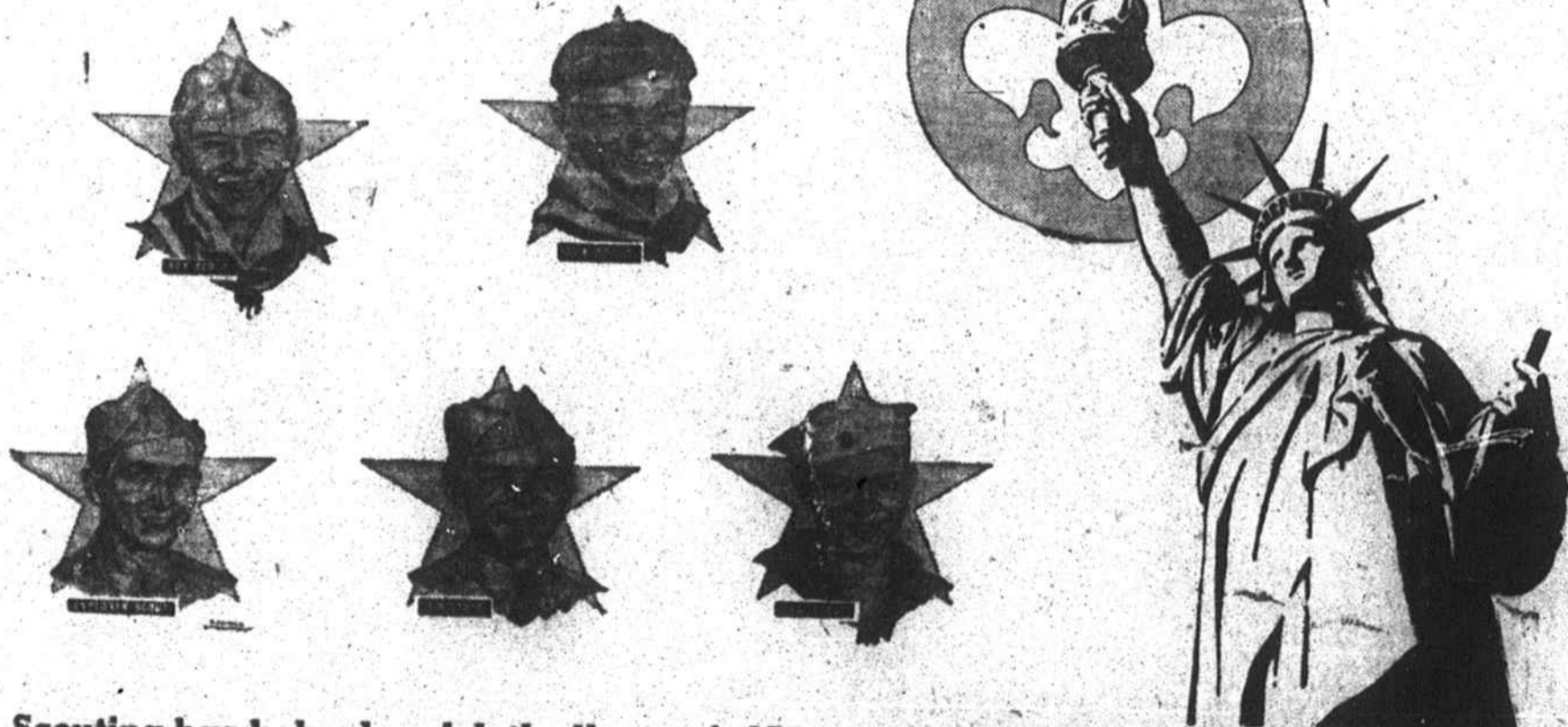
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