

## Morehead Eagles Roll to 68-62 Win at Atlantic

The Morehead City Eagles rolled up an early 12-2 lead and went on to defeat Atlantic 68-62 Friday night at Atlantic. The Eagles ran up their lead in the first three minutes of play and hung onto it despite a dogged comeback by the Pirates.

At the end of the first quarter the Eagles had a 20-12 edge. By the half it had dwindled to 25-20. The winners rallied in the third period to push their edge to 55-46.

The Eagles scored 13 points in the final quarter to 14 by the Pirates. A Morehead City player hit the Atlantic basket just as the game ended and the officials added two points to the Atlantic score.

### Sinks 18

Llewellyn Phillips got hot in the second half as he sank 18 points for the Eagles. He had 10 in the first half for a total of 28 points. Darden Eure, and Walter Morris scored 11 each and John Phillips and Jimmy Swann bagged eight points each. Lynwood Durham hit for two points.

Steve Mason led the Atlantic attack with 18 points. Roger Harris hit for 16 and Bobby Nelson scored 15. Sammy Salter scored 10 and George Golden hit on one free throw.

### Pirates Hit Well

It was free throw shooting that kept the Pirates in the game. They hit on 31 of 38 chances from the charity stripe for 82 per cent accuracy. The Eagles hit on five of 10 tries.

The victory was the third in four games for the Eagles. The defeat evened the Atlantic ledger to three victories and three losses. It was the first county game played by the Eagles. The Pirates have played all their games against county opponents.

## Swansboro Beats Beaufort Sextet

By FRANCES BELL

The Beaufort lassies dropped their second start of the season by a 57-40 margin at Swansboro Saturday night. The game was played as the preliminary contest before the Pirates met the Atlantic Christian freshman team.

The Swansboro sextet dominated play throughout the game until the fourth quarter when Beaufort rallied to score 13 points and hold them to eight.

The winners held a 22-17 lead at the half. They scored 27 points in the third quarter to put the game on ice. Mary Ann Williams was the leading scorer of the night. She dropped in 27 points for the winners.

Nancy Mason was high scorer for Beaufort with 17 points. Linda Chadwick and Pat Lupton scored eight each and Linda Salter hit for seven points.

Judie Moore, Ann Davis and Dianne Garner started at guard for Beaufort. Sheila Willis, Harriet Hill and Joyce Leonard also saw action during the game.

## Monarchs Beat New Bern



Photo by Bob Seymour

The W. S. King School Monarchs won their first game of the year Thursday night. The Monarchs clobbered New Bern by a 79-41 margin. Members of the team, front row, left to right, William Adams, forward, Donald Henderson, guard, Ralph Wilson, forward, Billy Hester, guard, and Henry Dudley, center. Second row, left to right, Coach John Thompson, Charles Collins, guard, Mott Hester, forward, Rufus Hester, guard, Robert Hester, center, James Jones, forward, and Adrick Sharpe, manager.

## Morehead Lassies Down Atlantic in Overtime

By BETTY LIND EURE

The Morehead City Eaglettes won a 50-46 overtime victory at Atlantic Friday night. The score was tied at 45 all when regulation time ended. The Morehead City lassies tallied five times and held Atlantic to one point in the extra period.

The game was a close battle all the way. The score was tied at 8-9 when the first quarter ended and 22-21 in favor of the Eaglettes at the half.

Atlantic took a 34-31 lead in the third quarter but the winners battled back in the final period to tie the score and set the stage for their dramatic victory.

Jenny Lou Smithwick scored 21 points to lead the Eaglette attack. High scorer for the game was Atlantic forward Rita Gilgo, who sank 25 points.

Anna Faye Willis scored 16 for Morehead City and Faye Jones hit for 15. Patsy Robinson, Sally Morris, Jessie White and Frances Gaskins held down the guard positions for the winners.

The Morehead City guards looked impressive in holding Atlantic to one point in the overtime period.

For Atlantic, Anita Brown hit for 16 points and Janis Goodwin scored four. Linda Taylor, who saw limited service, scored one point. Brenda Salter, Katy Gillikin and Jean Fulcher started at guards for Atlantic. Substitutes were Pat Fulcher and Jensey Mason.

## Smyrna Varsity, Jayvees Lose To Havelock

By RACHEL WILLIS

Havelock swept a doubleheader from Smyrna Thursday night at Smyrna. The game was moved up from Friday because of a play at the Havelock school Friday night. The Havelock junior varsity took a 40-23 victory in the opening game.

The second game saw the Havelock varsity take a 53-65 decision from the Smyrna boys. Three of the Smyrna starters, all freshmen, played in both games.

### Two Warm Up

Braxton Piner and Curtis Nelson scored more points against the Havelock varsity than they did against the jayvees. Piner hit for 10 points in the second game after getting only three in the first and 10 in the second game. Vaughn Yeomans scored four points as a jayvee and two points as a varsity man.

The two upper classmen on the team, Glenn Willis, and Paul Wade, scored 22 and nine points respectively.

### High Scorer

Lupton was high scorer for Havelock with 27 points. Lee was runner up in the scoring honors with 16 points for the winners.

Havelock took a 16-9 lead in the first quarter and had a 29-27 edge at the half. Smyrna continued to rally in the third quarter and took a 49-48 lead just before the end of the period.

In the fourth quarter Havelock took over. The winners scored 17 points while holding Smyrna to four.

Boys playing on the Smyrna jayvee team, in addition to Piner, Nelson and Yeomans, were Dennis Jones, James Myers and Baby Sellers. Sellers bagged eight points and Myers and Jones hit for one point each.

## Hoop Schedules

Following are the basketball schedules for Morehead City, Newport and Smyrna. Beaufort and Atlantic schedules have already been published.

### MOREHEAD CITY

- Dec. 19: Swansboro—Home
- Jan. 3: Wallace—Away
- Jan. 7: Newport—Away
- Jan. 10: Smyrna—Home
- Jan. 14: Havelock—Away
- Jan. 17: Swansboro—Away
- Jan. 21: Newport—Home
- Jan. 24: Beaufort—Away
- Jan. 28: Atlantic—Home
- Feb. 4: Wallace—Home
- Feb. 5: Pamlico—Home
- Feb. 7: Smyrna—Away
- Feb. 11: Beaufort—Home
- Feb. 14: Havelock—Home

### NEWPORT

- Jan. 4: Swansboro—Away
- Jan. 7: Morehead City—Home
- Jan. 10: Richlands—Home
- Jan. 14: Richlands—Away
- Jan. 17: Smyrna—Home
- Jan. 21: Morehead City—Away
- Jan. 24: Pamlico—Away
- Jan. 28: Beaufort—Home
- Jan. 31: Havelock—Away
- Feb. 4: Smyrna—Away
- Feb. 7: Swansboro—Home
- Feb. 11: Havelock—Home
- Feb. 14: Pamlico—Home

### SMYRNA

- Dec. 17: Swansboro—Home
- Dec. 19: Alumni—Home
- Jan. 3: Beaufort—Away
- Jan. 7: Pamlico—Home
- Jan. 10: Morehead City—Away
- Jan. 14: Camp Lejeune—Home
- Jan. 17: Newport—Away
- Jan. 21: Beaufort—Home
- Jan. 24: Atlantic—Home
- Feb. 4: Newport—Home
- Feb. 7: Morehead City—Home
- Feb. 11: Pamlico—Away
- Feb. 14: White Oak—Home
- Feb. 18: Havelock—Away