Sports

Nicholas edged Russellville in opening round of Lady Invitational of the South

By Josh Shepherd
Of The Carlisle Mercury Staff

SCOTTSVILLE — The Russellville Lady Panthers moved ahead by one early in the fourth quarter in an 8-0 run on the boards to rattle the Lady Jackets in the first round of the Lady Invitational of the South basketball tournament.

Russellville, ranked 13th in the pre-season, finally fell back for good as the Lady Jackets moved to the second round with a 46-41 victory.

While the Lady Jackets led through most of the game, the Lady Panthers continued to apply pressure. They never trailed by more than seven and managed several times to cut back within three points to thwart hopes of a game winning rally.

"Russellville put up the most aggressive defense we've so far seen this year. In fact the game was all defense. I think one of the keys to our victory was keeping their high scorer, Gamble, to seven points," Lady Jackets Head Coach Barbara Kenney commented after the game.

Gamble, however, almost made the difference despite a low score when she bagged a three pointer to cut the lead to three going into the last minute of the game.

Two free throws by Christie Hatton ended it with 31 seconds left.

"It was a tough, tough game to start the tournament and it won't get any easier," Kenney said.

Gamble nailed a 12' jumper to start Russellville out 2-0 before the Lady Jackets begun to make their bid for the lead.

That move started out with a huge jumper as Kim Denkins, hemmed inside, found Nikki Smoot open outside the key. Smoot fired from 18 feet for a three point, 9-6, Jackets lead. Kim Denkins tapped in an old fashioned three point play to move ahead by six.

Short-lived was that lead as the Panthers rebound inside for four quick points within seconds of each other to move within two.

With 49 seconds left in the first, Hatton let fire a three pointer from 20 feet to end the quarter with the Jackets on top, 15-10.

The Panthers kept coming. Denkins hit a jump shot from the paint to bring the Jackets ahead three when the Panther's Thompson blasted the net with a three pointer to tie the game, 17-17.

Guards Smoot and Hatton drove for lay ups to move Jackets ahead. Thompson destroyed the lead with another three.

Denkins hit for two, but missed the three point play opportunity. Then Linville found Denkins inside for two to end the half with the Jackets leading, 25-22.

The Jackets charged in the third quarter with Hatton's jump shot and Denkins' two from the charity stripe for a seven point lead, 29-22, for the widest point margin in the game. Gamble logged her third personal foul and a jump shot from 12 feet out from Smoot held to the seven margin.

A lay up in the final seconds cut the Jackets to five to start the fourth quarter and stared Russellville's comeback. Three minutes expired on the clock before Smoot went to the line for two foul shots, the Jackets first two points of the quarter. By then, Russellville had brought themselves to the lead, 38-37.

Shaking off the drought, Kenney called a time out and when the Jackets returned they nailed seven unanswered points to take the game once and for all, 46-41.

Scoring and stats: Denkins, 20 points, nine rebounds, four blocked shots; Hatton, 11 points, three rebounds, two assists; Smoot, nine points, four rebounds, two steals; Linville, four points, two rebounds, one assist; Schanding, two points, four rebounds, two assists, two steals.

Team: Field goals, 16 of 35 for 46 percent; Free Throws: 13 of 20 for 65 percent.

Lady Jackets fall to Brentwood in second round

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SCOTTSVILLE — The Lady Jackets were called for a total of 23 fouls, 16 of which occurred in the second half, and hit 13 of 37 from the field going into the second round of the Lady Invitational of the South Monday night against the Brentwood Academy Lady Eagles.

As if that weren't enough, the Tennessee team held the Jackets to five points in the fourth quarter, handing the girls their first season loss, 40-28.

In a tournament composed of such high caliber teams as the Lady Invitational, all facets of the game come into play. Strategy was clearly on the side of the Lady Eagles. They succeeded in blunting the Jackets inside edge and keeping the Jackets from the foul line.

"They had done their homework," Kenney said.

"Defensively we did well. They had 16 turnovers to our 14 and steals were just about even. But they never tried to force anything to happen. We did. Instead of being patient and moving the ball around for the good shot to open up, we tried to make it happen. We turned the ball over at crucial moments in the game," Kenney said.

Brentwood went up four points in the first quarter before Kim Denkins brought in the Jackets first two points for a 4-2 game five minutes into the first quarter.

Hatton connected with Denkins inside with two minutes remaining to trail 6-4 into the second quarter.

Denkins tied the game at 6-6 with a short jumper.

The Jackets went on to take the lead by three, 9-6, with Renee Linville getting the assist to Denkins for the layup.

But Brentwood's Terri Bolden plunged a three pointer to tie and a quick jump shot put the Eagles back into the lead, 11-9.

Falling behind four points, the Jackets rallied again, this time through Christie Hatton nailing a jump shot from 12 feet out to knot the game for the third time at 13-13.

Elizabeth Schanding committed her second personal inside of a minute before half time as Julie Knox hit one of two to get the go ahead lead at halftime, 14-13.

For the Lady Jackets, adjusting to the patient, slow paced strategy of Brentwood Academy was difficult.

"The girls became impatient in the second half. They tried to force the game against Brentwood's strong and composed team. Brentwood passed well and held the ball out at mid-court. They drew us out of the inside and opened up the inside," Kenney said.

The Jackets took the lead within seconds of the start of the second half when Brentwood unleashed its outside shooter Erin Chaney.

Denkins took the Jackets up by one, Chaney followed with a basket from 14 feet away. Nikki Smoot drove inside off a feed from Schanding to go up and Chaney returned with a goal from 15 feet away and was as Schanding drew her third personal and opened up a three point play.

Denkins popped in four straight to keep the Jackets tied.

Brentwood turned to another of their roster to stand out, Heather Knapp nailed a three with over a minute left in the third for a four point Eagles lead.

Hatton hit a 14 footer to cut it within two, but with three seconds left in the quarter, Knapp nailed a layup for a 27-23 lead going into the fourth.

With 7:07 left to go in the game, Hatton drew her fifth foul and left the game with six points, all from the field, and two assists.

Hatton was a big loss, fans. Especially when considering that the Lady Jackets were forced to rely on their field shooting to stay in the game and Smoot was on her way toward a frustrating one for six with three assists, without a single opportunity at the stripe to score.

To make things worse, Smoot and Denkins were also near ejection with four personals inside of four minutes from the end of the game.

Fouling became a crucial statistic in the second half. Whereas in the first half, whistles were blown seven times against the Jackets, they had a total of 16 team fouls in the second — eight in each quarter.

Brentwood had a game total of eight team fouls, five of which carried over from the first half.

The Jackets went to the charity stripe four times, netting two of six. Brentwood, on the other hand, hit 14 of 20 from the foul line, 11 of those points coming in the final eight minutes as the Jackets fought to get control of the game.

That was how the fourth quarter was played out, aside from two inside baskets from Denkins.

The Eagles scored once from the field 15 seconds into the fourth. They went to the foul line the rest of the way as the Jackets racked up personal fouls to bring the game sputtering to a 40-28 finish.

"The important thing now is that we learned from the experience. One loss is not an end to anything. We have to improve our offense, we need to move more. We need flexibility, patience and, above all, to put this game behind us," Kenney said.

Scoring: Denkins, 18 points, nine rebounds, two steals; Hatton, six points, two assists, two rebounds; Smoot, two points, three assists, two rebounds; Schanding, two points, one assist, three steals; Linville, two rebounds, one assist.

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87 Pontiac 6000 Safari Station Wagon, V6 all power, white w/woodgrain sides, 56,000 miles.

86 Isuzu Pickup, 4 speed, dark blue, 36,000 miles.

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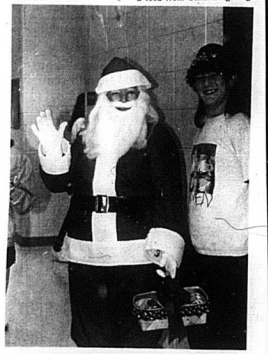

Santa makes his way through the halls of the Nicholas County Elementary School last Tuesday afternoon during the school parties.

Snow creates.....

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roads and, according to traffic reports from the Nicholas County Sheriff Charles Ring and Carlisle City Police, a total of about three minor accidents were reported.

However, though conditions on most main roads improved quickly, county roads were still covered and a number of near accidents due to skidding and sliding on the icy surfaces were apparent.

Much of the problem, of course, was the ill-advised use of the brake which, more often than not, sent cars on an unwanted and uncontrollable spin off the road.

In several spots evidence of the problem, in the form of cars stuck alongside an embankment awaiting a quick thaw to the ice, were common sights. But injuries, aside from a few heart flutters during the actual occurrence, were few in number.

And though few people reported or stated the fact, the popularity of Green Christmases rose steadily in the polls.

General News

Looking Back @ Nicholas.....

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administration supervisor at the Defense Courier Service Station, Louisville, Kentucky and is the son of Roy E. Gaunce, Jr., Carlisle.

DIED: Robert R. Pumphrey, March 25; Frances Scott George, March 28; Alma K. Cloyd, March 26; Lonnie Willoughby, March 25; Thomas Clay Stephenson, March 28.

Thursday, April 9, 1992

According to state transportation investigators, the cause of a fire that engulfed a Nicholas County school bus last Tuesday afternoon may never be determined, but the commendable actions of two teachers, a parent, and a Nicholas County school bus driver did the important thing. They made sure 34 Nicholas County elementary school students left the bus unharmed. The group was returning from a trip to Louisville.

The Nicholas County High School Drama Club under the directions of Catherine Canupp gave two performances of the great classic, The Night of January 16th on April 2 and 3. The play was a murder mystery performed in the Nicholas County Courthouse. The jury was chosen from the audience and the verdict was given by the jury for the ending of the play.

In a special meeting of the Nicholas County Water District Board member discussed possibilities for financing needed improvements to the existing Nicholas County water system.

MARRIED: Angela Marie Wilson and Robert Parker, February 29.

DIED: Serelda Florence Sosby, April 4; Faye Bramagen Berry, April 3; Robert Thompson, March 30; Dorothy Lynam French, Friday at her home in Brooksville; Willa Frances Berry, Friday evening at St. Joseph Hospital.

Thursday, April 16, 1992

The Carlisle-Nicholas County Tourism, Inc. sponsored a Womanless Wedding Friday night. Some appearances were made by Dennis the Menace (Charles Crawford), Dolly Parton (G.C. Myers), Oprah Winfrey (Kevin Ledford), Liz Tayler (Cecil Shrout), Gov. Jones (Gary Siebert), Libby Jones (Doug Frymat), Minnie Pearl (Josh Shepherd), and President George Bush (Dick Garrett).

Allegations of harassment and vulgar language were levelled at officers of the Carlisle Police Department at the regular monthly meeting of the Carlisle City Council Monday night.

Continuing with the success of Nicholas County sports this year, the Bat jackets took second place in the week long Danville tournament.

DIED: James Paul Boone, April 8; Connie Gaunce Carnical, April 6; Ida Bess Arlington Crouch, April 7; Martha Elizabeth Shea, April 8.

Thursday, April 23, 1992

Beginning this fall Daniel Brown will become part of the NALA. Nicholas County High School senior basketball player Daniel Brown made a verbal commitment Monday May 12, to attend Berea College in the fall; Brown had been heavily recruited by the highly regarded central Kentucky college.

Fred Tolson of Bartersville Road, Carlisle competed in the Toyota Master Technician Skills Contest held in Torrance, California, Toyota Development Center April 9, 1992. The contest was for Toyota Dealership Master Technicians. Tolson won third place in the nation and received $2,000. After the national competition the competitors went to the Long Beach Grand Prix to maintain the celebrities race cars. Tolson maintained Gunner Nelson's car and he won second place.

Effective March 31, 1992, James A. Wells officially retired from service at Jockey International. James served Jockey for 44 years. His service began in January 1948, getting buildings ready for occupancy by Giffin Mfg., April 7, 1948, which in 1964, because Blue Grass Industries, Inc. and in 1981 became Jockey International.

BORN: Charles Robert Michael Ammerman, April 9.

DIED: Avelyn Scott Eads, April 17; Virginia Livingood Waugh, April 18; Homer Withrow, April 10; Elmer "Skin" Dotson, April 20; Kyde H. Allison, April 20.

Thursday, April 30, 1992

Mrs. Stella Hardin was honored with a surprise birthday open house, Saturday, April 18 at the Depot in honor of her 90th birthday. Mrs. Hardin is a lifelong resident of the Cassidy Creek Community and was born April 23, 1902.

The Lady Jackets Softball team defeated Tollesboro 7-2 in the varsity game and 19-5 in the junior varsity.

BORN: Amber Marie Tincher, April 10.

MARRIED: Marjorie M. Kearns and Hildreth Platt, April 11.

DIED: Mrs. Maggie Belle Ensor, April 21; Nancy Ring McMillen, April 23; James W. Woodall, April 20; Matthew Dwain Vice, April 24; Ann Fay Chambers, April 25; Robert James Griffin, April 22.

May

Thursday, May 7, 1992

George S. Joseph, a University of Kentucky freshman from Carlisle, was among 166 UK students recently initiated into Alpha Lambda Delta freshman honorary society.

Nicholas County is one of the 16 teams to receive an invitation to play in the 1992 Farmers National Bank "Lady Invitation of the South" basketball tournament to be held December 27-30 at the Allen County-Scottsville High school.

The Nicholas County Fiscal Court signed an agreement with the Sharpsburg Water District to bring water service to the remaining residents on Whetstone and Dunn Road, Ky. Highway 57, and Kentucky 32, the Fiscal Court signed the agreement during a special called budget meeting Thursday night.

DIED: Roberta "Bobbie" Potts Jeffries, May 1.

Thursday, May 14, 1992

Anna Whalen and Randy Zornes were crowned 1992 prom queen and king at the Junior/Senior prom held at the Worthington Center in Blue Licks State Park Saturday night.

The Kentucky State Police and Carlisle Police Department executed a search warrant for two Carlisle residences in searching for alleged stolen property from the 19th Hole of Carnico. The 19th Hole of Carnico restaurant came to a sudden unexpected demise Tuesday morning, May 12, when the owners of the restaurant, Joe Ramey and Ed Bibby, were nowhere on the premises.

The Nicholas County School Board decided Monday night to submit an application to the Building and Grounds through the Kentucky Department of Education for a bidding project for a track for the Nicholas County schools.

BORN: Patrick Ian Fryman, April 26.

MARRIED: Miss Tracy Mae Cain and Mr. Bart Morris, May 10.

DIED: Charles Thomas Blake, May 13; Daniel D. Mynear, May 6; Larry Quenton Caudill, April 30.

Thursday, May 21, 1992

With one unmistakable home run in the bottom of the eighth inning, Nicholas County Bat Jackets first baseman Brian Ockerman sent Shawn Ferrell's pitch over the center field fence and the Bat Jackets into the district championship and the 10th region tournament.

The 1992 primary election will be held May 26 and, aside from questions of voter turnout, Nicholas County and Kentucky voters will be asked to choose a presidential candidate and a candidate for a post as sixth district Representative for the United State Congress.

Dana Renee Vice Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allie C. Vice Jr. of Carlisle, graduated May 9, 1992 from the University of Kentucky with a Bachelor of Science of Nursing. UK's 125th annual commencement was held in Memorial Coliseum with Thomas Niles, Assistant Secretary of State, as guest speaker.

Nicholas County High School graduate Panatda Tansui has been inducted into Fleu de Lis honor society at Berea College. Ms. Tansui is a business administration major at the college. Her host parents are Dr. and Mrs. Leon Riggs of Carlisle.

BORN: To Jeffrey G. and Amy Hamilton, a son, May 14.

DIED: Mrs. Beulah Mae Blythe, May 13; Ben H. Linville, May 14; Beulah P. Walker, May 2; Gertrude House Planck Ishmael, May 12.

Thursday, May 28, 1992

The Nicholas County Lady Jackets Softball Team romped through the 38th District softball tournament to claim their first tournament trophy. Not bad for their first year ever as a team.

Jewel and Wanda Vice, Ricky Hughes and Brenda Bradley, of Reid & Vice, Inc. have just returned from the Hardware Wholesalers, Inc. Merchandise Market in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Due to the steady decrease in deer population on the Clay Wildlife Management Area, the Kentucky Fish and Wildlife department has ordered a suspension of the Rifle Quota Hunt indefinitely.

DIED: Preston E. Gaunce, May 21; Lida Gorman Smith, May 23; John P. Berry, May 23; Louise H. Hopkins, died recently at West Jersey Hospital, Camden, New Jersey.

June

Thursday, June 4, 1992

Nicholas County Head Basketball Coach and teacher Ed Oakley officially resigned his post at Nicholas County High School Monday morning.

All that's left is the quilting. Otherwise, the Nicholas County Homemaker's have all but finished their commemorative quilt celebrating Kentucky's Bicentennial. The quilt prepared by the Nicholas Homemakers was nearly a year in the making. Each quilt block documents a different aspect, a particular site peculiar to Nicholas County history.

Circuit Court Judge Robert McGinnis found in favor of the City of Carlisle in summary judgement of a lawsuit filed against the city involving a two-car accident on U.S. 68 a few years ago, city attorney Skip Watson announced at a meeting of the Carlisle City Council Monday.

DIED: Naomi Florence Spencer, May 26.

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