

Newberry Defeats Elon Christians 33 To 6 In Annual Gridiron Battle

By MIKE RAUSEO

Little Danny Brabham, Newberry's sophomore quarterback, proved the big bombshell that wrecked Elon's defenses as he led the red-jerseyed Indians to a smashing 33 to 6 victory over the Elon Christians before 500 chilled fans in Burlington Memorial Stadium last Saturday night, November 7th.

Brabham passed to two first-period touchdowns and then settled down to direct and spearhead a Newberry ground attack that netted 404 net yards in rushing and produced three additional touchdowns before the game was over.

HOW IT HAPPENED

ELON	NEWBERRY
9	First Downs 26
156	Yards Gained Rushing 422
51	Yards Lost Rushing 29
105	Net Yards Rushing 404
13	Passes Attempted 11
3	Passes Completed 4
65	Yards Gained Passing 53
170	Total Gains Scrimmage 457
3	Opp. Passes Intercepted 2
48	Runback Int. Passes 14
8	Number Punts 4
29.5	Ave. Distance Punts 33.5
3	Fumbles Lost 1
40	Yards Lost Penalties 50
Score by Periods:	
Elon	0 6 0 0—6
Newberry	13 0 14 6—33
Elon Scoring Touchdown —	
Akromas, Newberry Scoring:	
Touchdowns — Maksim, Morris, Bessinger, Ray, Morgan, Extra Points — G. Davis 3.	

The Indians started the scoring midway through the first period as Brabham passed to Mike Maksim from ten yards out to climax a 58-yard drive. Grover Davis, 270-pound tackle, kicked the extra point. A few moments later the Indians went down field for 59 yards and their second touchdown as Brabham flipped to Hubert Morris from five yards out to cap the drive.

However, Elon bounced right back as big John Platt intercepted a Brabham pass on his own twenty and returned it to the Elon thirty-eight. The Christians drove the other sixty yards for the TD, with Revell Morrison and John Platt leading the way with runs of nineteen and fifteen yards. Quarterback Jerry Akromas capped this drive as he sneaked over from the one-yard line. Jack Simpson failed to convert, and Elon trailed at half-time 13 to 6.

As play started in the third period, Newberry was handed a gift touchdown when a poor Elon punt

FRESHMAN CLASS NAMES LEADERS



Officers for Elon's freshman class were named by members of the Class of 1957 in a recent election held under student government sponsorship. Pictured left to right above, they are Glenn Varney, of Powell, Pa., treasurer; Ann Puckett, of Burlington, vice-president; Jimmy Bell, of Burlington, president; Yvonne Buif, of Burlington, secretary; and George Starkey, of Mahanoy, Pa., legislative representative.

ent out of bounds on the Elon thirty, netting only six yards and setting up the Indian score. Stan Bessinger powered the short drive for that TD, and Davis again kicked point.

From this point in the game it was evident that a rout was in the making, for Grady Ray broke through the left side of the Elon line and outran the Christian defense for sixty yards and a 27 to 6 score.

The Indians scored their final ally as Ronnie Welch scampered eventy-seven yards to the eighten. An Elon penalty moved the all to the three, from where Ken Morgan sneaked over for the core. Davis' kick failed, and the final score was 33 to 6.

The Christians really earned their nickname of "Fighting" as they rose up on defense and thwarted another TD threat on the ne-yard line, stopping the Indians after they had first down on he four.

Revell Morrison and Bill Snyder opped the Elon team in total offense, while John Platt and Whitey Bradham stood out in the Christian defensive play.

CAGE OFFICIALS CLINIC TONIGHT

The Alamance County Basketball Officials Association, which operates under the auspices of the Physical Education Department of the colleges, will sponsor instructional clinic in Alumni Memorial Gymnasium tonight for the benefit of students and others who will officiate in high school basketball games of Alamance and neighboring counties this winter.

The clinic was arranged and announced by Prof. Scott Boyd, head of the physical education program here at Elon, who is director of the officials' organization this year and who will arrange assignments for the referees and umpires to individual games in this area.

SEEING SPORTS

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Carolina next year, and all of these things brings up the question whether we of the North State Conference are seeing the Pirates grow out of our class.

When the time for the All-Conference honors rolls around, I feel certain that the Christians have at least two outstanding performers on the gridiron who should not be overlooked. I am speaking of none other than our "old-fashioned fullback," Revell Morrison, and Co-Captain John Platt at halfback. When I say "old-fashioned fullback," I mean that Revell is the kind of ball player who blocks when some other member of the backfield is carrying the ball.

Then there's Co-Captain Platt, a rock on defense as well as a power on offense. Big John was plagued with injuries most of last year, and these injuries slowed him down a lot. This year John has come through in fine fashion, and he's shown the fans the kind of play they felt he was capable of before. His terrific running and passing have been bright spots in the Elon offense.

I have a feeling that when the mythical teams are chosen this year, those two explosive-type backs will surely be voted spots in the backfield. How could they miss?

ANOTHER MENACE

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ime and time again, and not just in ancient history. Hitler murdered millions of Jews on the grounds that they were "un-German." Franco succeeded in smashing the Spanish Republic largely by establishing that it was "un-Catholic." And if you think it can't happen here, just recall the recent request by Senator McCarthy that the second-class mailing privileges of three American newspapers be revoked, presumably on the grounds (in the case of two of them) that they were un-American. Revocation of the cheap mail privileges of any newspaper is tantamount to putting that newspaper out of business. Of course, the great majority of Americans are not in sympathy with the editorial aims of the "Daily Worker" (one of the three on the list) but all thinking Americans will instantly perceive that if one newspaper can be squelched by Senatorial fiat, then all newspapers are in jeopardy.

President Eisenhower's recent "anti-book-burning" address at Dartmouth College offers an excellent charge to all of us. He urged all of us to examine Communism critically and to examine just as critically the American constitutional way of life, and then make our judgements solely on the merits of each. We confidently share his opinion that Communism will come out a poor second-best.

In contrast to this method advocated by our president, we must ever guard against those who would "fight communism and un-Americanism" by employing the same methods of suppressing freedom of thought and expression that were used by the totalitarian opportunists who presently make life miserable behind the iron curtain.

INTRAMURAL TRACK

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HIGH JUMP — Robert Walker, second place tie by Bobby Green and Wade Garrett, and fourth place tie by Bill Gregg and Archie Wheeler.

BROAD JUMP — Bobby Green, Richard McCarthy, Don Packard, Archie Wheeler, Bill Johnson.

SOFTBALL THROW — Richard McCarthy, Bobby Green, Alex Morrow, Joe Harvey, Don Packard.

SACK RACE — Richard McCarthy, Myron Winslow, Bill Johnson, Don Packard, Richard Bailey.

SHUTTLE RELAY — Won by North (Green, McCarthy and Harvey) over Sigma Phi-Vets (Winslow, Kirby and B. Johnson).

York Brannock Is Awarded Scholarship In Chemistry

DOING RESEARCH



YORK BRANNOCK

Durant York Brannock, Jr., Elon College junior, who has been a consistent honor student while majoring in chemistry during the past two years and more, is the first recipient of the N. F. Brannock Scholarship which was established a year ago last spring in honor of the senior member of Elon's chemistry faculty.

Prof. A. L. Hook, chairman of the committee on the N. F. Brannock Scholarship Fund announced the award this week for the year 1953-54, and there was general satisfaction expressed on the campus that a grandson of Dr. Brannock should become the first to benefit from the scholarship that was provided by former students and friends of the beloved chemistry professor.

York Brannock, who came to Elon in the fall of 1950 after graduating from Rocky Mount High School, is now a resident of Burlington, where his father is now superintendent of plants for the city utilities department, and he is following in the footsteps of his grandfather in choosing chemistry for a major. He also has major fields in mathematics and French.

The younger Brannock is a member of the French Club, is business manager of the Phi Psi Club, is Day Student representative in the student legislature, is a member of Sigma Mu Sigma and is a student affiliate of the American Chemical Society.

One of the conditions of the scholarship is that the recipient undertake original research in some phase of chemistry, and young Brannock is working on the preparation of some fluorine substituted phenoxacetic acids under the direction of Prof. J. E. Danieley of the chemistry department.

Choice of the recipient of the Brannock Scholarship was made by a committee that includes Prof. A. L. Hook, Prof. J. E. Danieley and Dr. Paul H. Cheek, all of whom are members of the science faculty here at Elon.

The Brannock Scholarship itself was first provided and an-

LIBRARY NOTES

Students oftentimes enter the library seeking information on the life of some recent author, whose book they may have read and about which they may doing a review, and such information about modern authors is sometimes difficult to obtain, since the library does not have biographies of all recent authors.

However, the librarians report that they do keep all book jackets and that they are making collections of information found about recent writers. Such information is being placed in a loose-leaf booklet, which is labeled "Little Biographies," and information about the recent books themselves is listed as "Book Jacket Information." These two small books are being placed on the reference shelf near "Who's Who In America."

Education students will be pleased, too, to note that the library has several new books on student teaching. Two on the new-book shelf are "Elementary School Student Teaching" and "Student Teaching in Elementary Schools."

The library also has "The National Poetry Anthology of 1952-53," which includes poems by both Prof. John Foster West and Mrs. Bessie P. Sloan, members of the Elon College faculty.

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