

# Elon Whips Catamounts; Atkinson Breaks Record

Topping the hundred-point mark for the second time in three nights, the Fighting Christians of Elon grabbed a decisive 107 to 90 victory over the Western Carolina cagers in a North State Conference battle at Cullowhee last Saturday night.

Leading the way for the Elon tossers was lanky Dee Atkinson, who racked up 39 points to set a new all-time single-game scoring record for Elon. Atkinson bettered the old mark of 36 points that was set by Honey Cates against Atlantic Christian in 1947, hitting for 18 field buckets and three free throws to count his new record score against the Catamounts.

The Maroon and Gold outfit wasted no time getting started, and Coach Doc Mathis' boys simply riddled the Catamount zone in the first ten minutes. At the mid-point of the first half Elon was out front 35 to 20, and Atkinson had chipped in 17 of the Christian counters. Jimmy Crump joined Atkinson in pacing the second quarter drive as Elon grabbed a 61-39 lead at intermission. In this opening half the Christians made good on 26 of 39 shots from the floor for a red-hot 66.7 per cent.

The Elon tossers came back almost as hot after the half, with Atkinson continuing his record scoring drive to lead the Christians to a 28-point spread at 85-57 at the three-quarter mark. The Christian reserves played the final ten minutes, but Elon's second-half shooting was still good enough for 16 buckets in 32 trials for 50 per cent, and their full-game mark was 42 good buckets in 71 shots for 59.1 per cent.

Jimmy Crump, Elon guard, maintained his place among the top free-throwers in the nation as he dropped 7 good in 8 tries from the foul line. This gave the junior guard from Aberdeen a mark of 46 for 51 for the season and a 90.2 percentage.

Pos. Elon (107) W.C.T.C. (90)  
F—Juratic (12) Magiaolo (18)  
F—Kendall (7) T. Williams (14)  
C—Atkinson (39) Bowen (10)  
G—Whitley (10) Swartzel (8)  
G—Crump (19) Matthews (4)  
Half-time — Elon 61, W.C.T.C. 39.

Elon subs — Stone 12, DeRita 2, King 3, McDonald 2, Stout 1, Rickover, City. W.C.T.C. subs — Fryor 13, Rogers 3, O. Williams 9, Holcomb 10.

## ALUMNI MEET

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ation, by the Esso Foundation and by the Wachovia Bank and Trust Company.

Other reports were by Dr. J. E. Danieley, dean of students, on the general student spirit on the campus, by Miss Hazel Walker, college registrar, on student enrollment; by Luther N. Byrd, college publicity director, on Elon's major sports teams; and by Dr. Scott Boyd, chairman on the physical education department, on minor sports and the intramural program.

## Cage Squad Gets 102-81 App Victory

Five Christians were in double figures, and the Christian team itself topped the century mark for the seventh time this year in defeating the Appalachian Mountaineers 102 to 81 here last Thursday night, January 19th.

Ben Kendall, Elon's flashy outside star, paced the Christian attack with 25 points, all except six of his counters coming in the first half as the Maroon and Gold tossers raced to a 56-34 lead at intermission.

Kendall received able aid, however, from his mates, four of them over ten points. Ed Juratic had 16, Jimmy Crump 16, Ray Whitley 14 and Dee Atkinson 12 points. Juratic pushed the team over the hundred mark in the final minute of the game.

Pos. Elon (102) Appalachian (81)  
F—Juratic (17) Abernathy (28)  
F—Kendall (25) Horton (10)  
C—Atkinson (12) Campbell (18)  
G—Whitley (14) Hiatt (12)  
G—Crump (16) Hauser (9)  
Half-time — Elon 56, Appalachian 34.

Elon subs — Stone 6, DeRita 4, Rickover 6, McDonald 2, Stout, Appalachian subs — Perry 4, Halthcock.

## TRUSTEES MEET

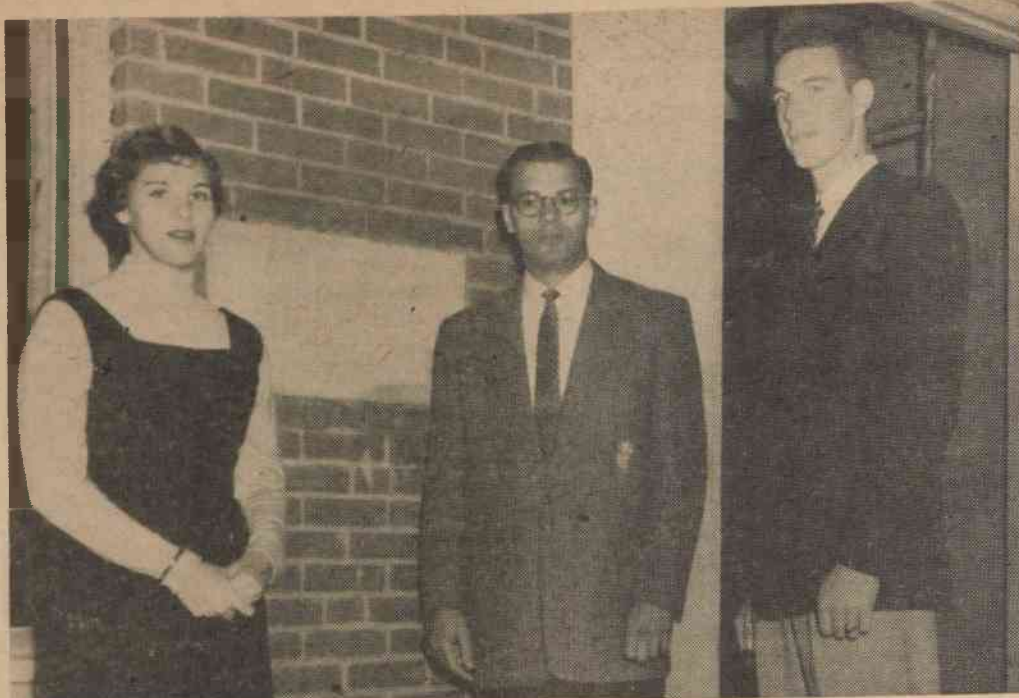
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The building committee reported that work on McEwen Memorial Dining Hall is 75 to 80 per cent done and that the building is expected to be completed by April 1, that Virginia Hall for girls is 50 to 60 per cent done and is to be completed by May 1, and that Carolina Hall for boys is 40 per cent done and is to be completed by June 1. Complete renovation of West Dormitory, which now houses many girls on the campus, was authorized for this summer. The work is to be completed in time for use of the building by September 1.

The trustees voted to seek completion of the long-range \$2,500,000 fund-raising campaign by the end of 1956. President Smith reported that \$450,000 of the remainder has been conditionally pledged, leaving only \$500,000 to be raised. The trustees expressed pleasure at recent grants to the college from the Ford Foundation, the Wachovia Bank and Trust Company and the Esso Foundation.

Clarifying an action taken by the trustees some years ago to limit Elon's enrollment to 1,000 students, the ruling was interpreted to mean a 1,000-student limit upon enrollment in daytime classes at the college. The Elon Evening School, which currently has more than 300 students, is a recent development on the campus and was not considered in the original trustee ruling.

## THEY DIRECT ELON'S JUNIOR CLASS ACTIVITIES



The officers of Elon's Junior class, who guide the class activities this year, are pictured above grouped before the corner stone to the new McEwen Memorial Dining Hall. In the center is Ed Davidson, of Brackenridge, Pa., class president. He is flanked at the right by Earl Stone, of Wentworth, vice-president; and Evelyn Fritts, of Lexington, secretary-treasurer. Not present for the pictures were Leslie Johnston, of Holland, Va., class representative to the Student Legislature; and Larry Barnes, of Portsmouth, Va., and Joyce Perry, of Siler City, junior members of the Honor Council.

## Young Pakistani Student

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Douglas Albert is now just 17 years of age and is a member of Elon's Freshman Class, although he has already had one year of college in his native land. He is a business major, and upon the completion of four years at Elon, he hopes to go back and serve his country.

A brother of his is enrolled at High Point College, where he is a pre-med student. The brother plans to return to Pakistan and serve as a doctor for a Christian mission. Douglas is a keen devotee of the English language and writes it remarkably well. I will let him tell the rest of the story in his own way. He writes—

"I have my parents and two younger brothers at home. My father is the Secretary for Youth Work in the West Pakistan Christian Council. I come from the city of Lahore in West Pakistan, which is one of the largest cities in Pakistan, having a population of 671,659 souls.

"My main interests are correspondence, games and drawing. I met Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Sloan in my country during the summer of '54, and so I decided to choose Elon as my educational institution. Dr. Sloan and his friends are helping my way through studies here. At home I have been on my school's debating, hockey and badminton teams. I came to the United States on August 7, 1955 and have attended a Christian Endeavor camp. Recently I went to a Students Ecumenical Conference, which was attended by 3,500 students. Of these 1,250 were foreigners.

"Since I have been in America, my experience has been great in all fields of life. First of all, the congestion of cars at each and every street struck me with wonder. It is amazing for me to see a woman working so actively all the day in some sort of institution and still managing the house and family affairs.

"Life to me here seems like electricity. Although I am very much in favor of this carefree and comfortable life, I stand for my country to say that it, being under the influence of the Europeans, is known for its hospitality and etiquette. In a class in school in my country you will always see students sitting very alert in the class, always in a very respectful manner. When the professor enters the class, all the students stand and then sit.

"America is known for its slang language. I enjoy speaking and learning slang, yet I feel that when I go back to my country I will be out of place for a while. I strongly feel that freedom and democracy is really found in America and I am desirous of taking back most of the good things and habits. "We have more solo dancing, rather than group dancing as in America. I think I have really

found a good place in this very friendly atmosphere of Elon. In our country, students and people don't seem to be so friendly. I admire the interest that people take in foreign students here, also their help towards the difficulties that some of us have to face." Douglas then concludes, "Last of all, I can say very proudly that I will have a new dictionary of English to introduce to my people upon my return."

The youthful Pakistani finds one concept of the American mode of living that is difficult for him to agree with—the American system of dating. In Pakistan, the couples do not see each other until the marriage vows are about to commence. The parents choose their children's partners for life. He states that a man may possess four wives at a time and then divorce these four and acquire another set if he so desires.

The students and faculty of Elon and all the staff of the Maroon and Gold sincerely wish him the best while he is here on the campus. We feel sure that by the time he leaves us, Douglas Albert will have a very good aspect of American life. It is to be said that we are sure he will be a credit to his people and to his nation.

## Perkins Is Speaker At Chem Club

Dr. Kenneth W. Perkins, parasitologist for the Carolina Biological Supply Company, was the guest speaker at the January meeting of the Elon College Chemistry Club, which is composed of Elon students who are interested in or majoring in chemistry.

The chemistry group had a large number of biology students as guests for the meeting, along with members of the Elon science faculty and a number of staff members from the Carolina Biological organization.

Dr. Perkins, who is a native of Pittsfield, Mass., had his undergraduate work at Berea College, where he majored in biology and minored in mathematics and chemistry. He later received the Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy degrees from Purdue University, where he majored in parasitology and had minors in chemistry, bio-physics, bacteriology and endocrinology. He also did advanced work in marine invertebrate zoology at Duke.

# Four Fives Post Perfect Intramural Cage Records

Four cage squads remained undefeated last weekend in the battle for the boys' championship in intramural competition, with an outstanding race looming among twelve teams that make up two separate and distinct leagues.

Opening battles on January 11th saw ITK (A) defeat Sigma Phi 40 to 28, Day Students top North Dorm 54 to 30 and ast Dorm (A) down Kappa Psi 41 to 26. Bobby Green led ITK (A) with 17, while Barnes led Sigma Phi. Dave Moseley topped East, and Sapp led Kappa Psi, each with 12 counters.

Alpha Pi defeated East (B) 37 to 17, and ITK (B) defeated Club House 68 to 28 in games on January 12th, with Stone pacing the Alpha Pi five and Jimmy Calhoun leading ITK (B) to victory. Two days later on January 19th the ITK (A) downed Sigma Mu 66 to 21, and Day Students defeated Club House 84 to 14, with Bobby Green hitting 19 for ITK (A) and with Glenn Walker leading the Day Students to victory with 18 markers.

In a single game on January 18th Alpha Pi defeated Sigma Phi 34 to 31, with Hertley leading the winners' with 14 points. Three games on January 19th brought South a 48-47 win over East (B), Kappa Psi a 38-30 win over ITK (B), and North a 52-47 win over East (A). Top scorers that day were Wilkerson of East 16, Arnold of South 14, Calhoun of ITK (B) 15, Sapp of Kappa Psi 13, and Moseley of East (A) and Carcerra of North with 15 each.

The standings through Thursday, January 19th, follow—

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Avg.
ITK (A)	2	0	1.000
Alpha Pi	2	0	1.000
South Dorm	2	0	1.000
Sigma Mu	0	2	.000
East Dorm (B)	0	2	.000
Sigma Phi	0	2	.000

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Avg.
Day Students	2	0	1.000
ITK (B)	1	1	.500
East Dorm (A)	1	1	.500
Kappa Psi	1	1	.500
North Dorm	1	1	.500
Club House	0	2	.000

## DUPONT GAME

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featured 11 points by Ben Kendall and three bulls-eye set shots by Jimmy Crump. Coach Mathis swept the bench clean in the final ten minutes as Elon pushed the final court to 99-59.

Ray Whitley had 23 and Ben Kendall had 20 points for the top scores of the night. They received able assistance from Dee Atkinson with 16 and Jimmy Crump with 13 counters. Sam Belcher had 19 and Dave Cook 16 to lead the DuPont scoring.

The line-ups—  
Pos. Elon (99) DuPont (59)  
F—Stone (3) Belcher (19)  
F—Kendall (20) Wallace (12)  
C—Atkinson (16) Robertson (3)  
G—Whitley (23) Draper (1)  
G—City (8) Cook (16)  
Half-time — Elon 50, DuPont 32.

Elon subs — Crump 13, Juratic 6, DeRita 4, King 2, McDonald 2, Stout 2, Rickover. DuPont subs — Davis 5, Bowden 1, Cone 2, Cerlinger.

## BROKEN LEG

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leading roles in the play, and her courageous refusal to give way to her injury may prove a big factor in the success of the Player production.

Margaret Sharpe is no newcomer to Elon's campus stage, for she has been active with the Elon Players since her freshman year. She has previously had roles in Shaw's "Pygmalion," and Shakespeare's "As You Like It," in Noel Coward's "Blithe Spirit," and in Francis Swann's "Out of the Frying Pan." She is a member of Alpha Psi Omega, honorary dramatic fraternity.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Sharpe, of Route 2, Bear Creek, she is a graduate of Goldston High School, where she made her start in dramatics. She is also interested in music and is a member of the Elon College Choir.

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