

SCORING

The Christian cagers, with the most powerful scoring machine in Elon history, are far ahead of all other North Carolina college teams in average points per game, according to figures compiled last weekend.

The Maroon tossers have been throwing the ball up for an average of 94.2 points per game in 21 contests, and they have topped the hundred-point mark in eight of those battles. The figure is good enough for second place in the NAIA statistics.

(Totals through February 4th)

Player	Games	FG	FT	TP
Etkinson	21	125	11	361
Kendall	21	112	71	295
Juratic	21	107	57	271
Whitley	21	111	47	269
Crump	18	80	63	223
DeRita	21	72	59	201
Stone	20	40	44	124
Citty	19	34	30	98
Stout	15	10	9	29
Rickover	14	12	4	28
McDonald	13	8	7	23
King	13	9	3	21
Other Players	12	14	10	38

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Elon Grad Wins Prize Overseas

Cooper Walker, Elon College graduate, was a winner recently in a clever puzzle contest conducted by "American Weekend," which is published for American service personnel now stationed in Europe.

Called the "Zany Puzzle Contest," entrants are required to submit unusual clues for words used in filling out a crossword puzzle. Walker, who is now stationed at Kaiserslauten, Germany, wrote all of his clues in rhyme and was the winner of a \$50 prize.

A graduate of Elon with the Class of 1954, Walker is a brother of Miss Hazel Walker, who is registrar for the college. He is married to the former Miss Ann Kearns, of Asheboro, who is with him in Germany.

AVIZONIS STORY

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An American bombing raid on Freiburg, Germany, on November 27, 1944, did much damage, and Dr. Avizonis was then assigned to the task of cleaning debris from the streets. He still recalls vividly his joy when the French soldiers entered Freiburg on April 23-24, 1945, for this meant that enforced work was ended. After the liberation he became a lecturer in the Alber-Ludwig University in Freiburg, teaching Eastern European and Russian history until the summer of 1948.

Dr. Avizonis' estate had been confiscated by the Russian Communists, and arrangements for him and his wife to come to America were made, partly through a brother of his, who resided in Waterbury, Conn.

He and his wife came from Waterbury to their present post here at Elon College, where his assignment as professor of French

Basketeers Topple High Point Quint

Grabbing the lead with the first basket and holding the front all the way, the Elon basketeers rolled over High Point's Panthers 79 to 57 here on Wednesday night, February 1st. It was Elon's third win over the Panthers this season, including two regular-season tilts and a tournament battle at Parris Island.

Dee Atkinson racked 23 points, and Ben Kendall hit for 22 markers to top the Elon offensive play in one of the lowest scores posted by Elon this year. Ed Juratic, with 12 points, was the only other Christian to top the 10-point level.

The real feature of the game for the Christians was their defensive play, with Frank DeRita turning in a brilliant performance in guarding Jack Powell, High Point's ace forward. Powell got his first and only field goal barely five minutes before the end of the game, and most of his 7-point total came on free throws.

The Christians had another good night from the floor, bucketing 27 of 65 tries for a 41.5 percentage, and their marksmanship produced baskets on more than half their tries in the first half. High Point connected on just 33.9 per cent of their shots.

The line-ups—

Pos. Elon (79) High Point (57)
F—Juratic (12) Powell (7)
F—DeRita (3) Stanton (4)
C—Atkinson (23) Crockett (5)
G—Whitley (8) Beauchot (2)
G—Kendall (22) Crump (9)
Half-time — Elon 41, High Point 26.
Elon subs — Stone 3, Crump 4, Citty 4, King, Rickover, McDonald, Stout, High Point subs — Dunbar 2, Black 2, Bledsoe 1, Williams 11, Huegele 10, Payne 4, Everhart, Thornton.

and German enables him to use his knowledge of languages. He also knows the Lithuanian, Russian, Latin and Polish languages, in addition to the French, German and English.

Mrs. Angele Avizonis, who came here to Elon with her husband in the autumn of 1949, was also well educated in her native country, being a graduate of the Lithuanian University in Kaunas and having fourteen years served as a teacher of the German language and literature in the secondary school system. After coming to Elon, she studied library science at the University of North Carolina, where she accepted a position with the library staff.

Both Dr. and Mrs. Avizonis express themselves as happy with their new home and work in America. He declares that he has enjoyed his associations here at Elon with both the faculty members and the students.

THEY DIRECT PREPARATIONS FOR MID-WINTER DANCE



Student leaders in preparations for the annual Mid-Winter Dance, which is set for Friday, February 17th, are pictured above. Left to right, the committee leaders are as follows. FRONT ROW—Sis Beckwith, Morristown, N. J.; Jackie Williamson, Townsville; Frances Knight, Sanford; Dot Keck, Burlington; and Ann Dula, Durham. BACK ROW—Curtis Young, Durham; James Biggerstaff, Burlington; and Phil Carter, Liberty. Sis Beckwith and Phil Carter are co-chairmen for the main student dance committee, while the others lead in various phases of the preparations.

Mid-Winter Dance Set February 17th

Lovers of the dance will find things strictly to their liking at Elon's annual "Mid-Winter Dance" which will be staged in Alumni Memorial Gymnasium on Friday night, February 17th from 8 until 12 o'clock.

Such was the announcement from members of the Student Dance Committee, which is in charge of arrangements. This will be high-light the winter social season on the Elon campus.

The committee has stated that the dance will be a semi-formal affair, and as for the decorative scheme, it will center about a Valentine motif. Student activity cards will be honored at the door.

Music for the dance will be furnished by Russ Carlton and his orchestra, which hails from Danville, Va. Carlton has previously played lead trumpet with some of the very best bands that have come out of the Southland. However, being a natural conic because of his tremendous size, he was called on to sing and sing and sing, so he dropped the lead trumpet and concentrated more on his novelties, such as "Annie's Cousin Fanny," "Pray For the Lights to Go Out," "There'll Be Good Rocking Tonight," "60-Minute Man" and "Romona," and these have followed him throughout the territory played. All are in greater demand today than ever before.

A lover of the fine-voiced and balanced arrangements, Russ Carlton has used extreme care in his selection of arrangers and men to play them, and it is no wonder that the band has caught on by leaps and bounds. He and his band are now enjoying the greatest run of popularity they have ever known.

Rosemary Moss, Carlton's pretty vocalist, has completely won her audience wherever she has been heard. She has very wonderful and unique style, so wholly her own that she is completely in a class by herself. Possessing a wonderful voice, she sings with a relaxed style that is thrilling to hear. Singing tunes from all the moods, she reaches a perfection seldom heard when she does tunes of the ballad type from the shows and the classics. She is equally at home singing Krupa's "Bookie Woogie," or right back with Jerome Kern's "Can't Help Loving That Man" or "You Go To My Head." She really loves her songs, and most of them were arranged especially for her by the Carlton aggregation.

Also with the Russ Carlton orchestra is Charlie Price, who has only been with the band a short time. He does ballad type vocals and the popular tunes of the day. His favorite singers are Mel Torme and Billy Ekstein; and, while he hasn't been singing long enough to have developed a particular style, it is quite sure that those

BAND LEADER



RUSS CARLTON

vocalists will have a decided influence on his styling and his future.

The Dance Committee is headed by Sis Beckwith and Phil Carter as co-chairmen, with Ann Dula and Sis Beckwith handling invitations. The large group in charge of decorations includes Ann Dula, Janet Crabtree, Carolyn Abernathy, Furman Moseley, Oscar Stevenson, Tommy Lewis, Moss Beecroft, Evelyn Fritts, Doc Alston, Jackie Williamson, Curtis Young,

Dalton Parker, Shirley Presnell, Dot Keck, Frances Knight, Pat Coghill, John Carver, Bobby Orr, Roger Nardelli, Joyce Perry, Jack Garber, Richard Hall, Doris Gaddis, Katherine Lambert, Paul Westerfeld, Sylvia Grady, Margaret Stafford, Barbara Carden, Pat Chrismon, Robert Kopko, Jane Davis. Other groups include Yvonne Winstead and Pat Coghill, for refreshments; Furman Moseley and Jerry Moize, for clean-up; Curtis Young, James Biggerstaff, John Biggerstaff and Phil Carter, for tables and chairs; and Bill Walker, for lights.

PLAYER REVIEW

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Other characters in the play, which was staged against beautifully executed stage settings, included Roger Rush, as Leo Hubbard; Thomas Lewis, as William Marshall; Carolyn Duncan, as Alexandra Giddens; Betsy Watson, as Addie; and William Davis, as Cal. All deserved tribute, as did the workers behind the scenes who did so well with setting, lights and properties.

Varsity Cage Squad Downs West Carolina

Five of the Christian sharpshooters hit double figures here last Saturday night as the Maroon and Gold cagers trampled Western Carolina 91 to 71 in an important North State Conference battle.

The battle started in ding-dong style, with the score tied seven times in the first ten minutes of play, but Ed Juratic racked 10 points in the second period and led the Christians out to a 12-point spread and a 49-37 score at the half-time.

Ray Whitley's 20 points on sets and Ed Juratic's 18 counters on some clever shooting inside proved the biggest guns in Elon's attack, but Ben Kendall contributed 15 points in one of his finest driving exhibitions of the year. Dee Atkinson with 12 and Earl Stone with 10 were other Christians hitting double digits.

The Elon squad hit for 48.6 per cent of its shots, sinking 11 of 16 in a big third quarter. The Christians also sank 19 of 23 charity tosses. Meanwhile, the visitors hit on only 35.7 of their field attempts.

The line-ups—

Pos. Elon (91) W. C. (71)
F—Juratic (18) Magialo (24)
F—Kendall (15) Williams (11)
C—Atkinson (12) Bowen (17)
G—Whitley (20) Swartzel (9)
G—Crump (6) Holcomb (4)

Half-time — Elon 49, West Carolina 37.

Elon subs — DeRita 6, Stone 10, Rickover 2, King 2, Citty, Stout, McDonald, Western Carolina subs — Pryor 6, Rogers, Matthews.

GIRLS' SPORTS

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Ten" in order are Martha Langley, Second Floor West; Betty Franks, Delta U; Polly Payne, Day Students; Kathryn Lambert, Third Floor West; Ruth Hicks, Second Floor West; Martha Walker, Day Students; Louann Lambeth, Second Floor West; Dot Keck, Day Students; and Frances Knight, Delta U.

LIBRARY NOTES

One of the most informative and entertaining books added to the shelves of the Elon library recently is Reinhard H. Luthin's "American Demagogues," which sketches in most interesting manner the lives and political careers of ten Americans who have aspired to be Masters of the Masses.

This book, as one critic said, is "proof that it can happen here" for these ten demagogic leaders of the people rose more or less from humble beginnings to commanding roles in American politics.

In most cases these demagogues were "of the people," and they used that fact as ammunition to persuade the voters that they were also "for the people." Most of them exploited race or religion or both in an emotional appeal to the voters. All were talented exhibitionists.

The ten vignettes include Huey Long, Joseph McCarthy, Theodore "The Man" Bilbo, Vito Marcantonio, "Alfalfa Bill" Murray, James Curley, "Ma" and "Pa" Ferguson, Gene Talmadge, "Big Bill" Thompson and Frank "I Am The Law" Hague.

Allen Nevins, eminent American historian, has said that "Dr. Luthin's book shows how naturally these demagogues arise under the free conditions of democracy."

Tumblers To Be At Pirate Game

Diving for distance will be the top feature of the half-time tumbling exhibition, which is scheduled for the intermission of the Elon-East Carolina basketball game at Alumni Memorial Gymnasium on Saturday night.

The boys from Dr. Scott Boyd's Physical Education 36 received high praise for their program during the half-time of the Lenoir Rhyne game two weeks ago, and they will broaden their program at the game this weekend.

Dr. Boyd, in discussing the plans for the East Carolina game, stated that several of his boys will see how many boys they can dive over in a contest for distance. Other students will include the forward roll and head stand, knee flips, and the shoulder stand.

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