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Huck Elected Captain 1939 Football Team

BISONS CLASH WITH HANES AT WINSTON

"Abie" Short Elected Alternate Captain

Brantley Hucks was elected captain of the '39 football team by the lettermen of last season's squad, March 14.

Brantley Hucks was last season's triple threat back whose passing worked with uncanny accuracy. He was not only a triple threat back but also an excellent safety man on the defense and one who played almost sixty minutes of every game. Brantley is a two-letter man in football and a four-letter man in baseball.

Abie Short who was elected alternate-captain of the '39 squad played quarterback and has been on the squad for two years.

New Equipment Received Here

With the opening of the fall gridiron season, the High Point Black Bisons will be outfitted with complete new equipment.

Coach June Scott announced that the following has been received: 16 headgears, 20 hip guards, 20 shoulder pads, 22 shirts, 22 pairs of pants.

The shirts are royal blue with white strips down the sleeves and white numerals; the pants are blue, trimmed in white; the headgear, blue, also trimmed in white. The shirts and pants are made of interwoven satin of the best quality.

All the new equipment was manufactured by Goldsmith and is considered the newest and finest available.

FIVE TEAMS REACH HIGH PERCENTAGE

Five teams finished the intramural basketball tournament with a percentage of one thousand. They are home rooms 105-315, 209-301A, with seven wins; 310-203, 304-312 with six victories and 306-205 with five.

However, according to the point system rooms 209-301A are the victors having at least seven men ready to play on the floor before each game. The other thousand percentage home rooms failed at one time or another to have the required number of men on the floor although five players represented them on the floor.

Mr. Simeon would like to see more boys participate in intramural sports especially sophomores since the intramural graduates help strengthen the varsity.

The other home rooms finished in the following order: Home rooms 303-201A with five wins and 2 defeats, 313 with four wins and 2 defeats, 106-202 four wins and three defeats, 316 three wins and two defeats, 305-207-309 three wins, three defeats, 308-314 three wins and five defeats along with 208, 103-201-210 a single win and five defeats with 301 having the same number of wins with six defeats, and last is 206 with no wins and five defeats.

Hartley Voted All-Western Conference



JUNE SCOTT

Hartley Is Third Member Of Family To Attain This Award

Richard Hartley, high scoring forward for the past two years on the Bison quint, was selected by unanimous choice on the All Western Conference team selected by coaches at the close of the season.

Hartley, third of his clan to attain fame on Bison hardwood teams, paced the Bison five in their twenty-five wins in thirty starts. Hartley, taking up where he left off last season when he scored 198 points, led the scoring again this season with 289 points. This little left-hander set an individual scoring record for a Bison player when he tallied fourteen field baskets and two free-throws for a total of thirty points in a game at Danville against George Washington high of that city.

Hartley is probably the best offensive man in the history of the school. He has deadly accuracy on long shots and shots equally as well under the basket.

Playing as member of the Lindale team, which was composed of the high school players, in the Gold Medal Tournament, he was selected on the all tournament team.

Hartley, along with six of his teammates, will be available for service on next year's team.

VARSITY TEAM TO BE CHOSEN FROM CHEERLEADERS' CLUB

Final selection of the cheerleaders for next year will be made later in the spring from the cheerleader's club, which meets every Monday morning in the gym.

Seniors have withdrawn from the club since they are not eligible for a varsity position and because it is easier to work with a smaller number of students. This leaves approximately thirty-five juniors and sophomores.

This year's team coaches the aspirants, putting them into groups of five as they may better watch the work of each individual.

The requirements for membership are passing grades and an "A" on conduct.

Next year's varsity team will probably be chosen in May.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION CLASSES GO OUT NOW

The physical educational department has just completed its indoor schedule.

During the winter months fundamentals of tumbling, gymnastics, basketball, and a free throw contest have been fought. A course in First Aid has just been

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SCOTT RECEIVES OFFER

June Scott, head football coach of the local high school team for the past season, has received an offer from Dizzy and director of athletics at Furman University, to return to his Alma Mater as back-field coach.

Scott, acclaimed the best back ever developed at the South Carolina institution, guided the Bison to a very successful season this year.

Coach Scott has stated that at the earliest it will be Saturday will be reached.

SPRING FINDS THE TRACK SQUAD READY

The Bison track squad is now well into its practice and may have its first meet in the later part of March.

The schedule of the track squad will be larger this year than it has been in previous years. R. J. Reynolds High will be the first team to meet this year's cinder-burners. The state track meet will be held on April 21, the Civitan track meet will be held on May 5. While the dates and definite arrangements have not been completed the tracksters plan to meet Greensboro, Salisbury, and Forsyth County, go to the Western Conference meet and perhaps the Duke Invitational meet.

Emerson Gray was out of practice last week because of a sprained back but is now in the pink of condition; Bob Truesdale is trying to get the feel of pole vaulting, which was his best event before he broke his arm two years ago; and John Jones is nursing a sore hip. With new material on the squad the tracksters have high hopes.

Intramural Sports

The intramural foul-shooting contest, now underway, has been proclaimed as another intramural success.

The boys who entered the finals Wednesday afternoon were: Carl Bailey, James Saunders, Ralph Copley, Jack Teer, Dwight Upton, Walter Sink, Thurman Albertson, Jack Cranford, J. A. Hulin, Lawrence Holmes, Sammy Lambeth, Walter Holstead, Elmer Powers, Gilbert Southern, Wayne Hoover, Richard Clapp, Jim Smith, Thurman Fox, Richard Ring, and John Jones.

Soft ball will be the next intramural sport. It will be followed by tennis and track. Mr. A. J. Simeon, director of the intramural program, states that he would like to see more boys coming out for these sports, although he has been pleased by the number out for the foul shot-contest.

Bison Tangle Hanes Men In Non-Conference Tilt

Victorious in their first game against Trinity Wednesday afternoon, the Bison baseballers travel to Winston-Salem this afternoon to engage the strong Hanes High of that city.

The pitching was the highlight of the first game with Bus Overcash, Ed Brown, and Jack Hussey combining their efforts to give up but six hits and two runs, these unearned. The hitting was none too impressive but should improve as the season progresses. The fielding showed plenty of room for improvement.

The pitching today between these men, with Overcash, Brown, Linthicum, Sechrest, and Craven are ready for service. The catching will be taken care of by Harry Land and Hoyt Morgan. The starting outfield will include Brantley Hucks, left; Clyde Hedrick, center; and Lloyd Whitt, right. The infield will consist of Jack Hussey at first, James Hayworth at second, Bill Blackie, at short-stop, and Lewis Hayworth at third with Frank Amick, Harold Butler, and Kent Dennis ready to offer relief services.

The schedule as announced is as follows:

- March 22—Trinity here
 - March 24—North High there
 - March 28—Oak Ridge there
 - March 31—Allen Jay here
 - April 4—Asheboro there
 - April 7—Trinity here
 - April 11—Greensboro here
 - April 14—R. J. Reynolds there
 - April 18—Greensboro there
 - April 21—Mount Airy there
 - April 25—R. J. Reynolds here
 - April 26—Asheboro here
 - April 28—Mount Airy here
 - May 2—Burlington here
 - May 3—Allen Jay there
 - May 5—Burlington there
 - May 9—North High here
- (Two games with South High of Winston-Salem and with Danville Military Institute, pending).

GOLF TEAM CHOSEN FOR FIRST MATCH

Eliminations for the right to represent the Bison on the fairways this season were held last week on the Emerywood Country Club course.

Frank Garrett won the honor, heading the golfers followed by one stroke by Ansel Snow and "Rook" Sappenfield who were tied. Then for fourth position were Paul T. Bryant and Henry Baker with Baker winning the playoff. This quartet will trot the links for Blue and White in the first match after which, in order to hold their positions, they will have to ward off bids every two weeks by the runner-ups in the match.

A schedule to keep the High Point fairway trotters busy is being formed by Coach Baldwin and Athletic Director A. J. Simeon although the plans are not complete as yet.