



Sportsman's Holiday

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THE 1941 FOOTBALL SEASON is all over now as far as Greensboro high school is concerned, and the eyes of the school are turning to basketball and wrestling. Before looking into the prospects for Greensboro in these two sports, this corner submits the following statistics for the uncrowned champions, the Purple Whirlwinds.

THROUGHOUT THE SEASON only four teams managed to cross the Whirlies' goal and then only for a total gain of 57 points. On the other hand, Greensboro scored in every game this year, except in the tie with Rocky Mount, and piled up 213 points. This gave the locals an average of 17 3/4 points per game to the oppositions 2 3/4 points.

Leading the Gate City scoring was Jack Dempsey, who made 12 touchdowns and three extra points for a total of 75 points. Buddy Mulligan, with eight talleys for 48 points, ran second to Dempsey. Tom Aydelette, Bob McFarland, and Harold (Skinny) Brown, with 18 points, and Garland Wolfe with 17 from conversions, trailed the leaders. Bennett Newell's 13 points and J. W. Kivette's six finished the local scoring record.

ALTHOUGH THE FOOTBALL team missed the championship by a freak, the pre-season prospects give Greensboro an excellent chance to dethrone the High Point basketball team from the Western conference peak.

Last year the Pointers had five excellent hardwood players who saw most of the action for the team. However, all five of these graduated, and are now lost to the group, while Greensboro's quintet will be composed mostly of veterans of last year.

IN THE LAST ISSUE we paid tribute to Coach Bob Jamieson and his heir, and now we do the same for Coach Jim Day and his. To bad it had to be a girl though, but she will probably be able to give moral support to a Greensboro team in the future.

Prospects are also good this year for Coach Day's wrestling team. He has three state champions and several other boys from last year's co-champions around whom to build the squad.

THE FOLLOWING is this corner's selection, judged by their performance in games with Greensboro, for an All-Western conference backfield this year. Quarterback, Jack Dempsey; halfbacks, Albert Saleeby of Salisbury and Buddy Mulligan; and at fullback, Carl Shepperd of Gastonia. Although High Point represented the West at Chapel Hill this corner saw the Bison in action twice. Against Greensboro they made good tackling dummies and in the Winston-Salem contest none played well enough to remove any of the preceding men from their post.

Basketball Practices Begin December 8, Declares Hutchinson

With practices scheduled for Tuesday and Friday afternoons beginning December 2, over 50 girls have signed up for basketball, the only winter sport scheduled here, under the direction of Miss Doris Hutchinson, girls' gym adviser.

With plans for competition with out-of-town as well as local schools, practice will be held regularly for one hour after school on the designated days. Street clothes will be acceptable at these times.

Fifty-Four Girls on List

The following girls have already signed for the season: Lily Mae Campbell, Mande Campbell, Nell Riddle, Irene Stewart, Margaret Edwards, Louise Matlock, Kathleen DeBruhl, Gloria Simpson, Katherine Fore, Gertrude Archer, Laura May Ingram, Doris Futrell, Eloise Crawford, Margie Moore, Phyllis Pruitt, Mildred Hock, Isabel Gillie, Gloria Valentine, Catherine Manley, Phyllis Johnson, Doris Pell, Maxine Apple, Peggy Phillips.

Edythe Snyder, Exie Barker, Malinda Bolick, Sadie Plummer, Rachel Hilliard, Gladys Crawford, Marcell Leiter, Lula Bergman, Mary Brown, Helen Royal, Lou Ellen Duncan, Dorothy E. Varner, Dorothy Newman, Clara Kale, Dora Kirkpatrick, Sybil Mooneyham, Marjorie Mooney, Dorothy Calhoun, Mary Jane Anderson, Frances Spencer, Sara Ward, Marian Ward, Marian Younts, Marjorie Burns, Frances Stevenson, Marjorie Sparrow, Laura Oliver, Martha Young, Becky Newman, Louise Helms, Lillian Bell, and Marie Reynolds.

Junior Chemists Make Christmas Ornaments

With an eye toward the approaching Christmas holidays, about 15 members of the chemistry club plan to make sparklers and chemical-covered pine cones which, when thrown into a fire, will produce a green, blue, red or violet flame. Mrs. Estelle LeGwin, adviser, stated last week.

In addition to these holiday specialties, members of the club hope to experiment with various objects which have recently been developed. If no priority demand exists on the substances that are needed, Oscar Sapp will experiment with new types of brushless shaving cream; Kenna Beal and Ruth Winterling with indelible lipsticks; and Kenneth Kreigsman, Vincent Wade, Arnold Marks, and Warren Milloway with plastics.

10 Lettermen Return As Locals Begin Practice For Cage Season

G. A. A. Completes Plans For Hayride, December 12

As a reward for the 100% collection of semester dues, the social committee of the Girls' Athletic association has completed plans for a hayride and weiner roast to be held at a farm on the Alamance road, Friday afternoon, December 12.

Since the hayride will be staged after the group arrives at their destination, all the girls attending will meet at the post office, where cars for transportation will be provided. The social committee is composed of Isabel Gillie, chairman, Phyllis Pruitt, Rachel Hilliard, president of the G. A. A., Betsy Holt, and Miss Doris Hutchinson, faculty adviser.

Wolfe and Dempsey Accept All-Star Bid

Two of Greensboro high school's outstanding ball players have agreed to take part in the all-star shrine charity game to be played tomorrow in Charlotte. The kickoff is scheduled for 2 p.m.

Bill Ludwig, coach of Salisbury high, will act as head coach for the North Carolina all-star squad. He has picked Jack Dempsey, star tailback of the Purple Whirlwinds, and Co-captain Garland Wolfe, all-stater of last year, to perform in the benefit game against a similar group of football luminaries from South Carolina.

Dempsey, Wolfe First to Accept

Dempsey and Wolfe are the first Gate City boys to accept the invitation to play in the contest. Last season Joe Winner, hard driving wingback, turned down an invitation to participate in the game.

Boys who have played against the Winds this season and who were also selected include Bill Davis, Wilson; Bill Smith, Rocky Mount; Don Rabon, Albert Saleeby, Salisbury; James Kivette, High Point; Jack Wilson, Guy Senter, Raleigh; and Wade Walker, Gastonia.

Charles Strandberg, outstanding junior athlete, returned to school last Monday after recuperating from an injury received during a reserves practice session.

Bisons Hold Raleigh In Championship Tilt

Playing with a "never-give-up" spirit at the North Carolina scholastic championship game at Chapel Hill last Saturday afternoon, the High Point Bisons held the favored Raleigh Caps to a scoreless tie.

Time and time again the Capital City team rolled through its opponents' line until its members approached the High Point goal line. On each occasion the Bison forward wall rose to the height of its ability and threw its adversaries back.

Raleigh's Offense Fails

Throughout the game the Raleigh squad, led by an ex-Greensboro boy, Billy Shaw, held the upper hand in offensive, but the High Point defensive was the shining spot of the game.

In the Class B title game played in Kenan stadium before the Class A contest, the Eastern team, Laurinburg, defeated a favored Mt. Airy eleven, 20 to 6.

The Greensboro Whirlwinds, the 1940 Class A champions, met both the representatives in the title game. Early in the season the locals downed Raleigh, 13 to 6 and then humiliated the Bison, 47 to 0.

Local Reserves End Season With 14-0 Loss

Coach Vernon Lamb's "Ramblin' Reserve" team concluded its schedule last Tuesday by losing to a strong Children's home group of Winston-Salem 14 to 0 in a hard fought battle.

Even though the local boys lost, they put up a great fight in holding a heavier and experienced eleven to a 14 to 0 victory.

Most of Coach Lamb's reserves will return for next year's grid season and say that they intend to push the hold-over lettermen for position on the 1942 squads.

Miss Cathleen Pike's English 7 groups recently concluded a study of Shakespeare's Hamlet.

"Prospects Excellent," Jamieson Reports; Aydelette Is Captain

With nine of the 13 lettermen from the 1941 basketball team returning, the prospects for this season's cage team are excellent, said Coach Bob Jamieson after these boys and many of last year's reserve team reported for the first practice of the year last Wednesday.

Although the 1941 team suffered one of Greensboro's worst seasons of recent years, several members of the squad proved their ability and are back for service on this year's quintet. Only Carl Thompson, Vernon (Sheepie) Lamb, Joe Winner, and Raymond (Long John) Dearing, who moved to Florida during the year, are not back.

Aydelette Leads Squad

Returning lettermen, led by Captain Tom Aydelette, are Jack Dempsey, Leroy (Gus) Paschal, Alphonso (Ears) Koepfle, Bob Fondren, Buddy Mulligan, Jack Jarvis, Harold (Skinny) Brown, Marshall (Red) Adams. Most of these drew starting assignments some time during the past season.

Some of the cagers who were outstanding on the reserve squad last year and promise to give the regulars a "run for their money," include Glenn McCall, Lee Gorrell, Coghurn Eagar, Howard Lumley, and Joe Coleman.

Schedule Incomplete

The Whirlwind schedule is incomplete as yet, but the team will probably meet local teams in the near future. When conference play begins, the prospects, judging from the material returning to the two schools, for the locals dethroning High Point are good.

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