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Plans are now complete for the third annual Carolinas Negro Golden Glove Tournament which will be held here April 9-11 inclusive, with the full sanction of the AAU. The committee in charge of the tournament, representing the Colonel Charles Young Post No. 168, American Legion, emphasizes the necessity of securing entry blanks early so as to avoid the last minute rush. All entries must be in by twelve o'clock noon, Monday, April 8.

A fee of 25c will be charged for securing an official AAU entry card, and there are no other fees. Any entrant who already holds such a card may enter under it. All contestants will be furnished lodging and board for the duration of the tournament, but no transportation will be furnished. Contestants are expected to present themselves at the YMCA, 416 E. 2nd Street at noon Tuesday, April 9, the first day of the tournament, for a medical examination and weighing-in. Drawings will follow immediately.

Among the entries that have been received up to this time are: Willie Davis and Frank Manning of Shelby, Seavy Williams of Fayetteville, Petro Bass of Norfolk, Virginia, and Mampfield Stinson, Agnus Cauley, Arthur Smith, Tom Miller and James Summers of Charlotte.

Interest Shown

CHARLOTTE — According to Paul Richardson, in charge of the committee representing the Colonel Charles Young Post No. 168, American Legion, sponsors of the Third Annual Carolinas Golden Glove Boxing Tournament, the committee is more than pleased at the way the entries are coming in. Below is an application blank for the tournament. It will be held at the Charlotte Armory April 9, 10 and 11, and valuable prizes will be given the winners who complete and win.

The tournament has full AAU sanction, and a large crowd of fighters will show their wares.

Opens Swanky Hotel

NEW YORK — Although the Theresa Hotel at Seventh Avenue and 125th Street has been opened less than one week under its new reorganization plan, it has already proved to be a distinct benefit to the community according to the people who have visited the hotel. On an inspection tour of the visitors have commented on the spaciousness of the 300 outside rooms and the care with which they have been furnished.

The newly decorated lobby with its deep pile carpet and beautifully appointed furnishings is a feature that has caught the fancy of many, while others have been attracted to the mezzanine lounge floor with its concert grand piano and its walls hung with oil paintings. Every one has been pleased with the thoroughness of the service maintained by the newly appointed staff.

Jules Bledsoe, nationally famous baritone who sang in Flo Evgeld's Show Boat and Mme. Ada Ducoigne, recently returned from Paris where she owned a world famous night club and restaurant for more than fifteen years, were the first permanent guests.

Requests for reservations are coming in daily for permanent rooms. One of the largest business houses in America has requested reservation for thirty employees who are being given a two-day trip to the World's Fair. The manager of Mamba's Daughter sent in a request for reservation to the house the entire cast.

HILLSIDE HORNETS ARRIVE AT NATIONAL TOURNAMENT

The Sports Bazaar
By Wm. Tuck

FOR ATHLETICS IN NORTH CAROLINA, THE highlight of the recent session of the North Carolina State Teachers Association was the decision on the part of the high school principals division to allow the existence of basketball tournaments again in the state. This reversed the decision that the same group made last year and was a belated acknowledgement of the principals' hastiness and almost thoughtlessness in making such a decision in the first place. Now that tournaments are back in existence, the athletic situation among the high schools of North Carolina is said to be "back to normal" and our boys will have the same types of opportunities to get the benefits of athletics as the Negro boys from other states.

The decision of the principals to reinstate tournaments was by no means a sudden decision. On the contrary, the discussion which preceded the decision went on for hours with the most fiery arguments on both sides of the question. One of the most preposterous proposals that came during this series of debates was that the North Carolina High schools would not even be allowed to take part in the National tournament which is being held at Fayetteville this week end. It was not enough to take away the sectional and state tournaments but some of the "big heads" didn't even want the N. C. boys to reap the benefits for which teams from all over the nation journeyed to North Carolina.

It's all settled now, however, and North Carolina will have seven strong teams in the National tournament. AND SPEAKING OF THE NATIONAL TOURNAMENT the teams that will represent North Carolina are Statesville, Hillside of Durham, Whiteville, Laurinburg, Rocky Mount, Smithfield, and Fayetteville. Fayetteville by the way, was runner up in last year's Nationals losing a close final game to Gary, Indiana. Statesville had been chosen as the team most likely to unthrone the team from Gary which has won the title five times and it was thought these two would be the ones likely to play in the finals, but the Wednesday night drawings threw Statesville and

Fayetteville Cagers



The top photograph is that of the Girls' basketball team of E. E. Smith High School in Fayetteville. These young ladies have had a fairly good record this year having won five games and lost six. Standing in the rear is Coach H. A. Black and on the right is Miss A. B. Middleton. The boys team of E. E. Smith has won national recognition with their excellent style of play. During the current season they have won 13 out of 14 games and

are holders of the South Eastern and Easter State championships. They were runners up in the recent dual state tournament held in Greensboro. Players shown in the picture are: (Bottom row left to right): James Godwin, Ed Currie, Robert McLaurin, Donald Cogdell, Emmett Elliott; Standing: Thomas Daniels, Roy McNeil, Curtis Torrey, Alva McIver, Phillip Elliott, and in the rear is Coach Black.

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GLOBE TROTTERS
WIN WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
CHICAGO (Special) — The celebrated Harlem Globe Trotters won the World Professional Championship Basketball tournament and the \$15,000 prize here Wednesday night by defeating the white cage team, the Chicago Bruins, 31 to 29.

COACH W. H. COLE of Hillside Park High School who is now attending the ninth annual National High School basketball tournament in Fayetteville with his Hornets. The Hornets arrived in Fayetteville Wednesday night and their first game will come at 7:30 Thursday night when they will meet Sterling High of Greenville, S. C.

York machine, reached the finals by eliminating the New York Rens, 37 to 36, in the semifinals Tuesday night. A crowd of 19,000 witnessed this contest.

In the consolation game, the Washington, D. C. Brewers, white team, defeated another white quintet, the Syracuse Rens.

Notes On The Nationals

BY "SMILING BILL" TUCK
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C. — Some of the High school coaches of the nation who arrived in Fayetteville for the national tournament when the writer was here Wednesday night were: Johnnie Martin of Camden, S. C.; Thomas Martin of Columbia, S. C.; Royal "Skink" Browning of Statesville; Leslie Baker of Atlanta, J. C. Tonsler of Bluefield, W. H. "Lanky" Cole of Durham, John Smith of Gary, and of Gary, and of course H. A. Black of Fayetteville. Mr. Smith is president of the national high school association as well as coach of the championship team. All of these men and a few others were gathered in "Army" Armstrong's room for a "Bull" session a few minutes before the zero hour when the drawings were made, "and a good time was had by all."

a charming hostess selected from the college student body.

There will be a barbeque for the coaches Friday afternoon and on Friday night the players and visitors will be entertained at a dance on the campus.

It is rumored that Coach Browning of Stateville is operating the "A" division of the Renaissance basketball team's farm system.

The officials of the tournament will be Sam Lacy and Harold Martin of Washington, D. C.; R. D. "Navy" Armstrong of Rocky Mount; and Pete Williams of Raleigh. Mr. Lacy is assistant assistant sports editor of the Afro while Mr. Martin is commissioner of the CIAA and director of athletics at Miner Teachers College.

Here is a complete list of teams taking part in the tournament. E. E. Smith of Fayetteville, Hillside of Durham, Johnson County Training School of Smithfield, B. T. Washington of Rocky Mount, Laurinburg, Whiteville, Charleston, W. Va., Bluefield, West Virginia; Atlanta Georgia; Gary, West Virginia; Gary, Indiana; Greenville, S. C.; Excelsior, West Virginia; Statesville, and Camden, S. C.

This is the second year that the Fayetteville State Teachers College has sponsored the National tournament with the approval of the national Association and it will more than likely be held here again next year since an attempt is being made to centralize the meet. This is the ninth year that the tournament has been in existence although there were no tournaments in 1933, 1937 and 1938 for financial reasons. They began in 1929.

Gary will be out to win the championship for the sixth time.

Games will take place during the morning, afternoon and nights of Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Each of the teams will have

Washington, D. C., Chicago, Ill. and Gary, Ind. are the only teams that have held the championship.

The annual meeting of the National association takes place Saturday morning.

Hornets Play First Game Thursday

BY WILLIAM "BILL" TUCK (SPORTS EDITOR)
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C. — On the night of Wednesday, March 27, the Hillside Hornets of Durham arrived on the campus of FTC where they joined the 16 other top ranking teams of the nation who will battle for three days and night for the national high school championship. Drawings were made about an hour after the Hillside party arrived and according to the drawings they will play their first game against Sterling High school of Greenville, South Carolina, at 7:30 Thursday night.

The opening game of the tournament will be played at 2:30 Thursday and will pit the defending champions from Gary, Indiana, against the team that is most highly favored to upset them, Morningside High of Statesville, N. C. At 8:45 Thurs-

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