

SPORTING WORLD

SMITH DOWNS WINDSOR WINDSOR 72-23

Union Swamps Hampton 62 to 40

Smith Downs Windsor, Shaw, and Winston-Salem In 1941 Debut

By Milton C. Branch
CHARLOTTE — On January 4, Johnson C. Smith University's Golden Bulls came out of their seclusion and made a gala 1941 court debut in a smashing 72-23 triumph over the Windsor Community Center at Greensboro. Repeating the feat in a 71-39 engagement on January 6 the Bulls swept through Raleigh January 8 to dump the Shaw Bears after a savage 56-37 battle. But Friday night, January 10, the Bull Blitz reached its height and it was 75-34 over the Winston-Salem Teachers.

With these four fresh scalps dangling from its totem pole of victory-four hardwood triumphs in which it has rolled up an impressive total of 274 points—Johnson C. Smith University has blown away the mist of mystery that has shrouded its basketball juggernaut. And as one listens relexively to tales of conquest, there is one question that rises tantamount: Is the opposition mighty weak, or are the Bulls mighty strong?

Boasting plenty of speed, deep tion, and unlimited scoring power, the Bulls have received but a taste of the grueling 27 game schedule that Coach Jackson has outlined for them—a schedule that includes four tours through seven states and the District of Columbia. The Shaw University Bears, in a return match at Charlotte on January 20, are expected to furnish the first serious test of the Bull strength. And should this prove unsatisfactory, the Smith-A and T clash at Greensboro on the 21st and the Smith vs N. C. State fracas in the Queen City on January 25 will give definite answers.

Resuming relations with Lincoln University, the Smithmen will tangle with the Lions on three different occasions—a t Charlotte, at Oxford, Pa., and at Orange, N. J., February 12, in a Lincoln alumni-sponsored affair. St. Paul has also been added to the Bulls' schedule and Morgan will be seen at Charlotte for the first time in recent years.

"Hurricane Bill" Oliver, the southpaw Connecticut hoop hawk, and "Shrimp" Johnson, diminutive All-CIAA whirlwind, will co-captain the Bull outfit. Of last year's aggregation, that lost but five contests out of 22 engagements, five sophomore veterans will form the bulk of the 1941 hardwood edition: "Spider" Webb, "Bucky" Walker, "Pete" Broome, "Saint" Watson, and Kenny Powell. Of the crop of yearlings, Bill Chase, 6'3 Rocky Mount—sineer, Alex Childs, Detroit, Michigan, flahh, "Porky" Wilson, dead eyed Massachusetts lad, John Westcott, Asbury, N. J. ace, and Dunn, N. C.'s Bill Turner are the most promising.

"Preem" Bowers, 1940 captain and 1939 All-CIAA forward was lost to the Bulls through graduation last June. But into his footprints steps another Bowers, LeRoy. Younger brother of "The Preem" LeRoy served his apprenticeship on the Smith Junior Varsity last year and has shown promise of eclipsing the record of greatness that was left for him to follow Bowers in a sophomore and play equally as well at guard and forward.

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Council Hears Crusaders Petition For Negro Police

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bating factors to the city's high in general. She called attention to the need for more institutions of social rehabilitation such as community center in the Brook-Bethlehem, House, newly completed section, and the proposed Day Nurseries for pre-school children throughout the city. Going further, she implored the city fathers to crystalize and act upon the city wide sentiment for provision of needed reforms making for the betterment of the environment of its neglected youth. The second speaker, Dr. J. S. N. Tross petitioned the councilmen to consider the harm done the city's reputation by its high murder rate, and pointed to the statistics that over ninety percent of the murders committed in the city the past year were cases of Negroes killing Negroes, as the most potent argument for the case of Negro Police for Negro areas. Further, he pointed out the success of the experiment Tulsa, Okla., Houston, Tex., and many other cities, and urged that the city adopt the measure as an experiment if not permanently. A small load of TNT exploded unexpectedly when Dr. S. C. Pyle, presenting a mass of evidence, interpolated with personal observations informed the councilmen that the case for Negro police has long since passed the experimental stage, and has been adopted, permanently as a working success by numerous cities along the Atlantic Sea Board, North and South, thus in the light of such precedents, the employment of Negro police would raise Charlotte to the level of the nations more progressive cities, and aid materially in lowering its high murder rate.

Other speakers that appeared before the council, were Bishop Dale, Thad Tate, and W. P. Robinson.

Mayor Ben Douglas speaking in behalf of the city council, asserted that at the present time, in view of the City's financial condition, the request for additional policeman for special sections would perhaps create a demand in other sections for extra police thereby placing an added burden in the city's taxpayers. On the case was delayed motion to the council upon a motion by Councilman H. H. Baxter agreed to appoint a committee, which would include Chief Police Joyner, and an advisory committee Mrs. H. L. McCrorey, Thad Tate, and Dr. J. S. N. Tross, from the Crusaders, to investigate the city's financial condition to see whether the budget would stand the extra appropriation.

JUST JOKING

All Set

"I thought of a fine idea today, dear. I promised a thousand dollars to a man if he would relieve me of all my worries."

"But where will you get the thousand to pay him?"

"That's the first worry I want him to relieve me of."

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Virginia Union Panthers Defeat Hampton Pirates

By "Shakey" Stuart

HAMPTON Institute, Va.—The Virginia Union Panthers defeated Hampton Pirates on Saturday, January 18, by the score of 62 to 40 on the Hampton court.

The Panthers, shooting with machine-like precision and accuracy, took command of the lead and held it throughout the game. They led by 34 to 8 at the half. Coming back in the second half, the Pirates, sparked by the shooting of Captain Jules Jackson who was shooting baskets from all angles, made 16 points before the Panthers could find the rim. This spurt was short-lived, however, as Hyde, Union's diminutive forward, began making set shots almost at will, definitely establishing Union's superiority.

No man on the Union team can be singled out for individual excellence as every Union man who went into the game scored, except Daughtry who made up for that by playing a whale of a floor game. For Hampton John "Ace" Phillips, the sophomore sensation from Hampton, Virginia, proved his worth by making 10 points through he played only eight minutes of the game.

	G	F	P
Thompson	1	0	2
Jarvis	0	0	0
Jackson	6	2	14
Phillips	4	2	10
Allen	6	0	12
Shuford	0	0	0
Pinn	0	0	0
Alston	0	0	0
Saunders	1	0	2
Totals	18	4	40
Union (62)			
Hyde	6	3	15
Burton	1	0	2
Davis	4	0	8
Waters	0	1	1
Culberston	6	1	13
Glover	4	4	12
Irvin	1	0	2
Daughtry	0	0	0
Knightr	3	3	3
Totals	25	12	62
Hoster—Referee.			
Taylor—Empire.			

Atta Boy!
Overheard on a dance floor the other night.

Him: "Say, do your eyes bother you?"

Her: "No—why?"

Him: "That's strange, they bother me plenty!"

Waiting
Wife (reading letter): "Well, I declare! Here's Jim Brown that I used to know, come back from the West with a fortune."

Hub: "Well, go on! I'm waiting."

Wife: "Waiting for what? My dear?"

Hub: "For you to say 'look what I gave up to marry you!'"

Seasons Mixed
"Janitor, you could cool our apartment nicely if you would run ice water thru the radiators."

"Can't be done, madam."

"That mighty strange, I'd have sworn that is what you did last winter!"

Nice Fellow
Sunday School Teacher: "Can you tell something about God Friday, James?"

James: "Yes'm; he was the fellow that did the housework for Robinson Crusoe."

CLOSES CARCER



Henry Armstrong, former holder of three fight championships lost his fight Monday in an attempt to regain the welterweight crown from Fritzie Zivic, but rose to new heights in favor with fight fans by his record as a clean fighter and an exponent of true sportsmanship.

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O K Shoot!
Judge, "Are all the news cameramen here?"
"Yes, your honor."
"Light OK?"
"Yes, your honor."
"Sound OK?"
"OK your honor."
"Very well, then! Let us proceed, and may justice take its course."

Between the Acts
240-pound stranger: (returning to theatre seat between the acts) "Did I tread on your toes a moment ago?"
Seated Man (grimly): "You certainly did!"

Heavy Stranger: "Thanks pal, I wasn't sure this was the right row for my seat."

Or Thereabouts
Keezer: "When this depression is over the rich will be richer and the poor poorer."

FERTILE FACTS... by SQUIER

AGRICULTURAL KNOWLEDGE CAME BY TRIAL AND ERROR UNTIL EARLY IN THE LAST CENTURY. FEUDAL STRIP FARMING WORE OUT THE LAND AND PLANTING CERTAIN CROPS IN DEFINITE ROTATION BECAME NECESSARY.

ROTHAMSTED, WORLD'S OLDEST AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENTAL STATION, WAS FOUNDED IN 1843 BY J.B. LAWES ON HIS ENGLISH ESTATE, TO STUDY THE EFFECT OF FERTILIZERS.

SOME OF THE ROTHAMSTED EXPERIMENTS HAVE BEEN RUNNING CONTINUOUSLY FOR NEARLY 100 YEARS. PLOTS TREATED WITH NATURAL NITRATE HAVE BEEN YIELDING FINE CROPS FOR 97 CONSECUTIVE YEARS.

ROTHAMSTED TESTS ON MANY CROPS AND UNDER VARYING CONDITIONS SHOW THAT NATURAL PLANT FOODS MAINTAIN HIGH YIELDS OVER LONG PERIODS OF TIME. SOUTHERN FARMERS HAVE USED NATURAL FERTILIZERS FOR OVER 100 YEARS.

Building & Loan Ass'ns. To Play Big Part In N. C. In 1941

RALEIGH — "Through their home building program, the Building and Loan Associations of North Carolina will play an important part in the 1941 National Defense Program" stated Henry Gregory, Jr., of Rocky Mount, President of the North Carolina Building and Loan League, "as home building will help to strengthen the morale of the American people." According to Mr. Gregory, the Building and Loan and Federal Saving and Loan Associations have available ample funds for financing the home building program in every community throughout the entire state.

The Building and Loan Associations in North Carolina have approximately \$30,000,000 available for loans to be used for construction, purchase, and improvement of homes. This sum represents not only cash, Government bonds and receipts of new savings and investments, but also the line of credit at the Federal Home Loan Bank of Winston-Salem, available to members of the Federal Home Loan Bank System.

It is difficult to forecast for the next year because of the abnormal business conditions throughout the nation, but the Associations are looking forward to the best year in their history and it is believed that the construction industry has developed sufficient momentum to warrant the assurance that the next few years will witness probably one of the most extensive building periods in the history of the country. The Defense Program is, of course, the key note to all forecasting and will be the stimulant for better business, at least during 1941.

The 178 Building and Loan Associations of the state are constantly on the alert for new opportunities to assist the shareholders and those wishing to build, buy, refinance, or remodel their homes. Through cooperation, exchange of information, and the continuous study of their com-

Some Memorable Lines Of 1940

Adolf Hitler: "The fight beginning today decides the fate of the German nation for the next 1,000 years."
John Barrymore: "No man is safe as long as there are women in the world."
Wendell Willkie: "I hope they renominate the President. I'd like to beat him."
Winston Churchill: "I have nothing to offer but blood, toil, tears and sweat."
President Roosevelt: "My conscience will not let me turn my back to a call to service."
Premier Reynaud: "If I were told only a miracle could save France, then I believe in miracles for I believe in France."

Neville Chamberlain: Hitler missed the bus."
Mussolini: "We will break Greece's back."
President Kyosti Kallio of Finland: "Regardless of the overwhelming odds we will carry on our fight—even if it must be a lone."
Premier Marshall Petain: "Too few children, too few arms and too few allies were the cause of our defeat."
Oscar Witt: "Whoever gets the job has my best wishes—also my sympathy."
Queen Wilhemina: "The Netherlands will one day, with the help of God, rewin its whole European territory."
Pope Pius XII: "Grant us, O Lord, peace in our day."

COMBINES
Jones County farmers using combines for the first time this past fall report much satisfaction from the machines, says John I. Eagles, assistant farm agent of the State College Extension Service.

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mon problems, these Associations have greatly strengthened the entire home-financing system in North Carolina.

A. and T's Wizard Five From "Land Of Oz" Challenge For National Honors

By J. Archie Hargraves
GREENSBORO — A and T's wizard five came directly out of the "Land of Oz" to establish itself as a leading contender for national wide cage honors here last week by blasting Hampton, Fayetteville teachers' and St. Augustine's by one sided scores. The Aggies opened their home schedule by putting the bee on the Hampton Pirates, 43 to 29, then unleashed a mighty scoring machine to run away with Fayetteville 65 to 22, and later halted the march of the Saints by the farce like score of 43 to 6.

One hundred and fifty one points were picked up by the Aggie wizards in the week's play, bringing the total points scored to 327 in six contests. As result of the three contests the Aggies emerged in the open as a great basketball machine to prove a mighty obstacle in the march of Va. Union to another cage crown.

The A and T cagers had the situation well in command in all

three encounters, letting down at no time and amazing spectators with the precision with which they executed their wide open fast break type of attack. When occasion demanded they had the ability to slow down the game and play the set shot system uncovering a versatility seldom seen in this section.

Lefty Evans, veteran center and his rookie brother, "Smoky Joe" Evans, had another excellent week in marksmanship scoring 60 points between when with Lefty garnering two more points than his younger brother. But the Evans' due was only a few points ahead of the rest of the individual Aggie players suggestion well balanced team play and points fairly evenly distributed among all members of the Aggie squad.

Captain Jack Higgins, forward and Lorenza Collins and Arthur Gooden, guards won acclaim of fans for their all round excellence of play and particularly their superb floor work.

Army Forming Negro Air Squadron Plan Calls for 33 Officers and Ground Crew Of Four Hundred

WASHINGTON, D. C. — An all Negro pursuit squadron, about 27 planes in the making according to Under Secretary of War, Robert T. Patterson. The squadron which is being organized by the Army will consist of about 33 officers pilots and will have a ground crew of about 400 men, all of whom are to be colored.

As yet, the commanding officer has not been selected, nor has the number of the squadron. Cadets are to be chosen from those who have completed the secondary course as given by the Civil Aeronautics Authorities. Then, they will be sent to training camp at Tuskegee where successful cadets will be commissioned.

Men enlisted must be high school graduates. This qualification is demanded of white enlisted

men in the aviation units and the Signal Corps. The enlisted men are to be first assembled at Chanute Field, Ill. and then trained.

It will be a year and a half before the squadron is ready for operation. This is the normal time usually required to train such a group of men.

Army officers said too, this week, that the Army was creating Negro units in every branch of the service and it was suggested that a Negro tank unit might also be formed. These are merely suggestions as nothing more has come of them.

Geezer: "Yes, and I presume the ones that are neither will still be neither."

Be sure and hear the answer in "IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE".

Young Southern White Believes In Brotherhood and Mutual Understanding

GREENSBORO — "We must learn to live by a faith not based on fais wealth but on the fact that love is stronger than hate, that justice is still the only basis on which humans can give and live intelligibly, and that our goal depends upon our mutual understanding and our mutual brotherhood," So said Dr. Albert G. Outler, School of Religion, Duke University, Durham, a young white man of the South, trained at Yale University in delivering the vespers address at Bennett College on Sunday.

In planning to meet the troublesome years that seem imminent in America, Dr. Outler advised his audience to take example from the great characters of the Christian era, who in spite of persecution and terror, ever remained optimistic.

Dr. R. W. Winchester, pastor, St. Marks Methodist church, High Point, Miss Estelle Ward, Senior of Charlotte, a contralto soloist, Wm. A. Banner of the college faculty, Mrs. Helen Elise Dett, pianist, and the choir, directed by Dr. R. Nathaniel Dett, participated in the service.

Family of Nine Are Left Destitute By Charlotte Fire

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were away, the father on his (ob as yardman at Queens College, and the mother on a trip down town. From a close up, it looked as if the flames had destroyed all of the household and personal effects of the family, the heat warped bottle of the baby, the twisted frame of the family car, the water soaked school books of the children, a shred of clothing here a burnt shred there, all bore mute testimony to the speed with which the flames struck.

The fact that no lives were lost is a miracle. In as much as the sole inmates of the home at the time of the catastrophe were small children.

Yeah, man, it's the play you have been waiting for . . . "IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE". Those three youngsters had their fun while it lasted in . . . "IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE".