



SPORTSCOOP Another Negro Golfer Performs in GGO Tourney

By JOHN B. HENDERSON

Most of us remember a Californian via Charlotte, North Carolina named Charlie Siford who participated in the Greater Greensboro Open (GGO) at Sedgefield last year. Well, this year another professional golfer appeared in this money infested tourney who hails from Mississippi.

His name is Pete Brown, a hard-hitting Negro golf professional.

Although Brown was not a big money winner in this particular tournament, he did claim a coveted tourney distinction. The Mississippian fired the tournament's only hole-in-one and the Professional Golfer's Association's eighth ace of the year.

Brown made his spectacular feat during the tourney's opening round. Playing out of Los Angeles, Brown hit an 8-iron on the 171-yard seventh hole, the ball landing out three feet past the pin then taking a back spin right back into the hole. He then proceeded to birdie the next two holes.

It was the first ace in competition for the 27 year old professional of eight years.

Charlie Farlow of Steamboat Country Club in Greenboro quipped: "The ball went on by the hole then said, 'I'll just go back and go in.' Farlow was a member of Browns' threesome.

Brown has not played in a tournament in two months and his best showing was a 17th place finish at Bakerfield, California, last fall, winning \$800.

Brown shot an opening round 72 in the GGO.

Johnny Griffith, the head football mentor at the University of Georgia, has a tremendous headache. He is desperately thin in the backfield. But he should not be. For he has one of the great backs of the game on his campus. His name is Hamilton Holmes. Holmes, who is an honor student, has not played since he integrated the school some two years ago.

Eight of the top ten players picked as all-state selection in Kentucky are Negroes. University of Kentucky head basketball mentor, Adolf Rupp had better wake up!

Cincinnati and Loyola are moving into Rupp's domain and the invasion isn't making those Thoroughbred sportswriters happy. Remember, the NCAA championship game was played in Louisville, Ky., and eight of the ten starters on the Cincinnati and Loyola teams were Negroes.

One can easily see why the University of Kentucky was watching the NCAA playoffs.

Tan Stars Have Big Role in NBA Championships

BOSTON — The performance of tan stars has played a key role in the outcome of the professional basketball world championships, now underway between the eastern champion Boston Celtics and the western kings, Los Angeles Lakers.

The Celtics had compiled a 3-2 lead in the best four of seven series at the end of Sunday night's game. And one of the big reasons for the Celtics advantage had been the sparkling play of Sam Jones and Bill Russell.

Russell, perhaps the greatest defensive player in the NBA, has been the key to Boston success over the past five years. He has been responsible for getting the rebounds for the Celtics, a maneuver that is vital to triggering the Boston fast break.

Besides his importance in getting the Boston offense started, Russell has become famous for his ability to act as a one-man umbrella defense around the basket.

When Russell came to the Celtics from San Francisco University, the Boston team had every thing it needed to become a champion, except it couldn't get the rebounds. Russell has solved this problem for them in admirable fashion.

His play against Los Angeles in the first five games has been as usual-superb.

Jones, a North Carolina great, has been nothing short of sensation so far in the series. His great clutch shooting in the last stages helped the Celtics overcome Cincinnati in the play-offs and the Durhamite has continued his play in the finals.

Jones bagged 47 points in one of the Cincy games to set a new record for himself. He has led Boston scorers in the finals against the Lakers. He got 36 points Sunday.

In addition to Jones and Russell, the Celtics have relied heavily on Tom Sanders, former NYU great, and ball hawk K. C. Jones, San Francisco.

On the Lakers side, tan stars have also been plentiful. The Los Angeles team's offense is virtually built around E. Baylor and Jerry West. Baylor is the big man for the Lakers. He makes the shots, gets the rebounds and sets up the plays. His the Lakers from sudden death 42 points Sunday night saved and gave them new life in the series.

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Midget, Junior League Meets Set For Saturday

Managers and coaches of the Durham Midget and Junior baseball league team will meet on Saturday afternoon, April 27, at the W. D. Hill Community Center at 4:30 p. m. to make plans for the league's upcoming season.

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NCC Teams Face Big Week-end

North Carolina College's tennis and track teams have a "big week end" ahead of them after having racked up another week of successes.

The track team takes off for the annual Penn Relays at Philadelphia on Friday while the tennis will seek to extend their victory string in contests with Fayetteville and Johnson C. Smith this week end.

For coach Leroy Walkers thin-clads, the Penn relays will be the highlight of the season, next in importance only to the conference championships.

Good showings at Tenn will mean more national status and prestige, and NCC's track team appeared to be fully aware of this fact as it wound up preparations for the event.

The thin-clads only last week posted victories at Fort Lee, Va. and at Winston-Salem Teachers College.

The tennis team is currently riding the crest of an undefeated season. Coach Jim Young's netters have compiled an 8-0 record in conference competition.

The Eagle netters have just returned from a victorious four game road trip which included victories over Howard, 9-0, Morham, 7-0, Hampton, 5-4, and Norfolk State, 6-0.

A contingent of Durham players, led by sophomore Joe Wil-

iams, has been the big reason for the NCC success this season. Others in the Durham group are Holt, George Logan, Jr., and El Singleton.

Two players from High Point round out the group. They are Paul Wright and Alfred Pace.

Mary Potter Posts 3-2 Diamond Record

OXFORD — The Mary Potter Rams' baseball team, coached by Rodney J. McNeill, has posted a 3-2 record. The Rams defeated B. F. Person twice, lost to Henderson, split with Hawley. David Puryer, William Greene, John Fuller and John Stewart have been the stars.

In a triangular meet the Hullon J. Drew coached track team placed 3rd. Leon Wright and Earl Leatherberry won second place in their specialties, the shot put and mile run respectively.

MERRICK-MOORE SCHOOL BAND TO GIVE CONCERT

The Merrick-Moore High School Band will give a special outdoor concert at Community Baptist Church on Barbee Road, Sunday April 28, 1963 at 3 p.m., according to W. H. Cole, Jr., Band Director. The public is cordially invited.



WELCOME TO THE COLTS — Last week when Jim Parkes, ace lineman of the Baltimore Colts football team, spoke at the Annual Athletic Banquet at Virginia

Union University, he had a chance to give words of wisdom to Herlow Fullwood (left) who was signed early this year by the Colts. He will go to Baltimore this sea-

son. The "All CIAA" tackle makes his home in Baltimore, but is a native of Asheville. By the way he was toastmaster for the banquet in which some 150 persons

attended. Coach Tom Harris of the Union Panthers will find it difficult to replace him this season.

Maryland Favored In CIAA Track Meet

PETERSBURG, Va. — Maryland State College is expected to win its third consecutive CIAA track and field championships when the eighteen member conference meet is held at Virginia State College's Rogers Stadium, May 10 and 11.

Morgan State and North Carolina State should provide extremely tough competition for the heralded Hawks in the forty-second Annual Championships.

Hampton, Smith, Winston-Salem, Virginia State, and Norfolk State are also expected to pick up a few points.

With hurdler Russ Rogers, all around performer Charlie Mays, weight man Al Santio, and record setting distance runner Bob Jones, Maryland should have several first place winners.

North Carolina's Andy McCray and Hampton's Toby Clark are outstanding middle distance men, and Norfolk State's Joe Thornton should get a prime test in the dashes.

Several high schools will participate in the Scholastic Championships, which will be run with the collegiate finals on Saturday afternoon.

Jackson Sweeps 3 Games With P-V

JACKSON, Miss. — The Jackson State College Tigers swept a three-game series with Prairie View College here this week. The sweep gave the baseball Tigers a 9-1 conference record and 9-2 over-all record.

In the first game of a double-header, the Tigers scored five runs on seven hits. Prairie View scored 2 runs on 7 hits. The big blow for Jackson State College was Willie Stokes' 3 run homer in the 8th. Jackson committed 4 errors, Prairie View 2. The winning pitcher was Bennie Crenshaw who struck out 12 and walked 3. Raywood was the losing pitcher.

In the night cap, Shirley Harris got off to a shaky start and walked the first 4 Prairie View batters. An error gave the Panthers a 3-run bulge in the top of the first, but Harris settled down and gave up only 1 additional run as he held the Panthers hitless in the 7-inning game. Jackson won it with 8 runs on 8 hits. They had 4 errors and Prairie View had 3. Epperson was the losing pitcher.

GLOBAL PORTRAITS

An Ohio reader submits LESLIE N. SHAW, a native Ohioan now residing in LOS ANGELES, California where he has the distinction of becoming the FIRST NEGRO POSTMASTER of a major U. S. City - L. A. SHAW merits a place in our 'Global Portraits' and so does his father, Leslie M. Shaw who still makes his home in Columbus, Ohio where years ago he had the distinction of being a "First" as the first Negro sergeant in the Columbus, Ohio Police Department, retiring in 1946 - but still active in other work. Thus, his son is as many are saying, "A chip off the old block showing the good 'stuff' - as he, LESLIE N. SHAW, a graduate of Ohio State University, does honor to Columbus, Los Angeles, to his family, his friends, his race and to all mankind with a special friend - D. A. Brooks, who submitted him for Global Portraits with necessary authentic information, and we both salute and congratulate MR. LESLIE N. SHAW, as we wish him the best, always . . .

Any one of us who now lives or who has lived in areas where State Universities are closed or have been closed to Negroes, might be sure to know that Columbus State University is proud of its graduate, Leslie N. Shaw, just as those Universities which make a way for Negroes to progress as DOUGLASS UNIVERSITY did for years in St. Louis, Missouri when the State University as well as the local Universities were closed to Negroes for years and years . . . And the salute is to a great soul, DR. HERMAN S. DREER, UNIVERSITY which has a number of graduates making outstanding contributions in the fields of Religion, Education, Music, etc. in various places of our USA. DR. DREER is also most outstanding as a MINISTER, an EDUCATOR, AUTHOR and indeed enduring as a HUMANITARIAN and an AUTHORITY ON NEGRO HISTORY . . . 'Global Portraits' takes great pride in paying tribute to such a great one as DR. DREER and his courageous wife, Mrs. Her-

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Reorganized Oxford PTA Names Officers

OXFORD — The Mary Potter P. T. A. reorganized with Mrs. Annie Mae Ridley and Walter Davis elected president and vice-president respectively. Mrs. Edith Daniel continues as treasurer Mrs. Rejean Wilson as secretary, and Rev. C. A. Atkins, chaplain.

Candle light services were held Sunday, April 21st at First Baptist Church for the Y-Teens. Dr. Ray Thompson of North Carolina College was guest speaker and conducted the installation services. Dr. Rose Butler Browne will speak to the group in the auditorium on April 29th at 11:30 a. m. Lucy Hester, president will give the welcoming remarks and Mrs. Alma F. Biggers is the advisor.

The Boy's Glee Club, directed by Mrs. Roberta Howe, received an A-1 rating at the district festival making them eligible for the State Music Festival, which they attended in Greensboro. All rated choirs participated in a mass concert.

On April 18th, the Cotton-Merrick Federation of New Farmers of America held their annual F. F. A. contest at Henderson. Robert Hester of Mary Potter won 2nd place in the public speaking contest. Thurman Henderson won the Federation Supervised Farming Program trophy. The Federation is composed of eleven schools.

In a recent School Master meeting, J. V. Morris of Mary Potter was elected vice-president, G. R. King of Orange Street, treasurer, D. O. Leatherberry of Hawley, parliamentarian and S. W. Hester of Toler, Chaplain. All are principals of Oxford and Granville County.

NAACP Praises Miss. Report

NEW YORK — The NAACP hailed the U. S. Civil Rights Commission's suggestion this week that the Kennedy administration withhold federal funds from Mississippi.

This suggestion, previously made by the NAACP, called for complete cutoff of Federal monies until Mississippi officials stopped the denial of constitutional rights to Negro citizens.

Roy Wilkins, NAACP executive secretary, wired President Kennedy saying "no new Federal plants and facilities, such as the projected space installation, should be built in Mississippi."

He came to this conclusion because Mississippi "has shown contempt for the U. S. Constitution and for every type of Federal authority."

"If the state wishes to proceed outside and in defiance of the Union of States," Wilkins continued, "then, as a first and instant step, the Union should not subsidize in any degree that course of subversion."

The Civil Rights Commission pointed out that Mississippi paid \$270,000,000 to the Federal government during the fiscal year of 1962, while it received more than \$650,000,000 from the Federal government.

Durham Man Promoted in U.S. Housing Agency

PHILADELPHIA, Pa. — Johnny Bullock, Jr., of 6125 Carpenter St., Philadelphia, a financial analyst in the Community Facilities branch of the U. S. Housing and Home Finance Agency, has received a promotion, according to Warren P. Phelan, HHFA regional administrator, Region II.

Phelan added that the promotion carries with it greater responsibility as well as a salary increase.

Bullock joined HHFA as a housing intern in the Urban Renewal branch in 1961. He is a native of Durham, North Carolina. He graduated from Merrick-Moore High School there and received his BA from Morehouse College in Atlanta, majoring in mathematics.

His wife, the former Frances Pettiford, also is a native of Durham. The Bullocks have a son, Johnny, 3rd, 18 months, and a daughter, Cora, 3 weeks.

Bullock is a member of the Urban League, NAACP and Omega Psi Phi social fraternity. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bullock of Route 3, Durham.




Art Heyman of Duke heads the 1963 National Association of College Basketball Coaches All-American team, which also includes two members from the nation's number-one-ranked squad, the Cincinnati University Bearcats. Heyman polled 2,171 total points in the 'selections made for the Wheaties Sports Federation by over 400 coaches across the country. Joining him on the first team are Ron Bonham and Tom Thacker of Cincinnati, Bill Green of Colorado State, and Gerry Harkness of Loyola of Chicago.

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