

[SPORTS] In Our Opinion

By CLINT FULLER

Most fans wish that Carolina would not cut it so close in winning the big games. The Tarheels almost gave Duquesne the semi-final game in the Eastern Regionals. Given a few seconds more and the Dukes would have pulled it out. And Davidson certainly played as well if not better than Carolina in Saturday's Regional Championship contest. Charlie Scott's great shot with two seconds left made the difference. The average fan can only surmise that Carolina is going to have to get better to get through the Nationals at Louisville.

One of the most heralded stars in Carolina basketball history is Charlie Scott. One can think of no honors that have not come to him although he has yet another year to play. He made the Olympic squad; he was chosen to the ACC team and is an All-American. There seems little that Carolina could do for him that it hasn't done.

In a post-victory interview Saturday, Scott, however, indicated that he may not be back for his senior year. He doesn't think the ACC sportswriters think he is as great as he thinks he is.

He has accused the writers of selecting South Carolina's classy sophomore John Roche as the ACC tournament's most valuable player and of choosing him unanimously to the All Conference squad because he is white. The Carolina star has been listening too much, to his fellow Black Student Movement associates.

Long before civil rights became a household word, sportswriters were praising black athletes for their abilities. Most sportswriters are hard-nosed characters. If a player is good, they say so. If he isn't, the color of his skin and nothing else would get their approval.

There can be no doubt but that Scott is one of the great ones at Carolina. This has been said time and time again. It is our opinion, however, that Maloy of Davidson—also black—is better. We do not think Scott is yet in the same league with Larry Miller and Lennie Rosenbluth, among others. In his senior year he may join that illustrious group of all-time greats, but he doesn't belong there just yet.

It is a pity that he has felt compelled to bring race into the selection of All Conference players by the ACC sportswriters. College basketball has done much for Charlie Scott. He should be grateful.

The Youngville Phantoms have little to look forward to in this week's state tournament. The defending State Champs meet the number one ranked team in this section, Red Springs, in the quarter-finals Wednesday night at 7:15 P.M.

Red Springs stands 24-0 for the season and seems a sure bet to be the team favored to win the title. This year's tournament is being played at Broughton High School gym in Raleigh. In past years, the state playoffs were held in Durham.

Justice Fire Supper Set

The Justice Volunteer Fire Department will stage its annual fund raising supper Friday, April 18, according to an announcement made today. The annual feed will be staged at the Justice Fire House

between the hours of 5 to 8 and barbeque chicken and pork will be served.

Meals will also be served at Ford's Warehouse in Louisburg for persons unable to attend the affair at Justice.

Variety

"How on earth do you keep a maid so long?"

"Well, we move the furniture around so often that she feels it's a new place every week."

How Hollywood manages to put over the dialogues in current movies is one of the modern miracles and a reflection on the intelligence of the movie goer.

Date Changed For School Case Hearings

Eastern District Judge Algernon L. Butler has changed the date for hearing on motions in the Franklin County

Assault

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Act, passed by Congress last April. The law prohibits racially motivated attempts to interfere with or to intimidate a person seeking housing. Attorney Tucker described Cagle as a "block-buster out to cause trouble" by moving into the all-white neighborhood. Cagle charged that Lawing had threatened to kill him.

The case against the two Morgans is expected to be heard in District Court here Monday, March 31.

school case from Wednesday, March 19, to Wednesday, April 9, 1969. Attorneys were informed of the change last week.

Reason for the change was explained in Judge Butler's letter as due to the filing by the U. S. Justice Department of a Motion for Production of Documents on Monday of last week. The time for the hearing was moved up "to enable the defendants to file on or before April 2, 1969, a response, brief, affidavit or other document in opposition to plaintiff-intervenor's Motion for Production of Documents, if they be so advised."

Judge Butler stated in his letter the change was being made "in order to avoid proliferating hearings on motions in this protracted case." The school suit was brought originally in December 1965 by eleven county Negro parents and the Board of Education has been under some type of court order since soon thereafter. Last fall the Board was ordered to eliminate the dual school system.

Charges were brought in January by the government and the NAACP that the Board was operating segregated classrooms within its integrated schools. The Board has vigorously denied the charges.

The hearings are now slated for 2:30 P.M. on April 9 in the Judge's chambers in Clinton, N. C.

in the top of the 7th but couldn't push him across.

Chico Montoya had 2 hits, and Phil Gray a triple to lead the Canes. E. V. Spell was the lower, giving up 5 hits and striking out 8.

In the second game Louisburg scored 2 runs in the 1st and 2-in the 4th to win 4-1 behind Dave Flowers. He also gave up 5 hits and struck out 8. He walked the first two men in the 7th, and was relieved by John Lewis. He got John Dereski to hit into a doubleplay; and struck out the next man to preserve the win for Flowers. Montoya had two hits, and Dan West and Tom Cox powered homers to lead the Canes.

"The first game loss was

tough after leading all the game", commented Coach Russ Frazier. "Spell pitched a fine game, and it's rough losing a game like that. It was good to win the second game. Anytime we can split away from home, I'll be happy. We did a real good job defensively, playing both games without an error. This is a little unusual for opening games. Our hitting will improve as soon as we are able to get in a little practice."

The Canes open their home season Friday when they meet N. C. State at 2:45. On Monday and Tuesday of next week they meet Western Maryland and Friday and Saturday they take on Williams College, all at home.

Canes Split Openers With Southwood

Louisburg College's Hurricanes lost a tough 3-2 decision to Southwood's Rams Monday in the first game of the twinbill, but came back in the second game to down the Rams 4-1. The Canes held a

2-0 lead in the opener going into the 6th inning of the 7th inning game, but two singles and a home run by Rom Rackley, his only hit of the day, put the Rams ahead 3-2. Louisburg got a man to third,

The Expert

"Your methods of cultivation are hopelessly out of date," said the youthful agricultural college graduate to the old farmer. "Why, I'd be astonished if you got even ten pounds of apples from that tree."

"So would I," replied the farmer. "It's a pear tree."

Well Acquainted

A young teacher substituted for a friend who was taking a week's honeymoon. A month later at a party someone started to introduce the groom to her.

"Oh," he answered brightly, "I know Miss Royal very well indeed. She substituted for my wife on our honeymoon."

YOUNGVILLE (22-6)

Wed. - 7:15 p.m.

RED SPRINGS (24-0)

Friday 7:15 p.m.

VANCE COUNTY

Wed. - 9:00 p.m.

TYRON

KNAPP

Thurs. - 7:15 p.m.

CULLOWHEE

Friday 9:00 p.m.

WACCAMAW

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Consolation Sat. - 7:15 p.m.

One Minute Sports Quiz

1. How old is Ted Williams?
2. What is his estimated salary at Washington?
3. What is Williams' lifetime batting average?
4. Who is Don Yenke?
5. When is this year's Masters?

Answers

1. 51.
2. \$100,000.
3. .344
4. stock-car racer.
5. April 10-13.

Comments On Sports

By Pete Fritchie

high and away.

Some of these same fans will soon have a chance to watch Williams regularly in the national capital. They are a little older, and so is Williams. And as Williams himself says, his ten years of retirement should have helped cool his temper as the new Washington manager.

Williams was never easy on reporters but reporters are admittedly a gritty, aggressive breed, and one can understand it in a sense. Williams never let them run over him and called them down when they stretched facts, which too many in Boston did, by the way.

Even giving Williams his due in the long war he waged with the press, chances that he will be a top-flight manager appear slim. Few of the great hitters have. Surely he will be sorely tried in his effort to lift Washington out of the cellar.

But he will be a gate attraction, like Casey Stengel was with the losing Mets and he has a certain class, which may rub off on the Senators.

No man knows as much as he thinks he knows and few are as ignorant as they think they are.

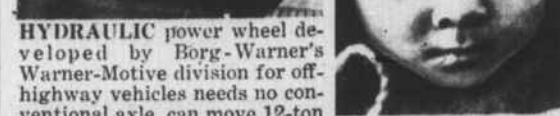
People, Spots In The News



'FUN CITY' FUN: Binocular skyline viewers atop RCA building in New York make faces with snow.



LITTLE SHAVER with traditional hairdo at refugee camp near Quang Ngai, Vietnam.



HYDRAULIC power wheel developed by Borg-Warner's Warner-Motive division for off-highway vehicles needs no conventional axle, can move 12-ton loads; fits inside wheel hub.



STILL CHAMP: Henry Armstrong, 56, only boxer ever to hold three world titles simultaneously, instructs youth at Herbert Hoover Boys' Club, St. Louis, in self-defense.

Fishing solves a surprising number of problems.

A foolish idea a day keeps the mind working, at least.

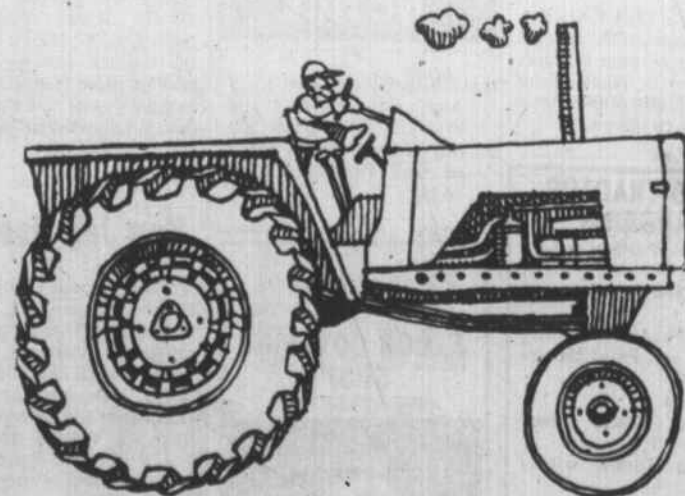
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