

Extra Points

By Rip Slusser

While most students were in their respective hometowns enjoying themselves exceedingly on the night of December 31 of the past year, the Tar Heel basketball team was spreading a little joy of its own in the finals of the Dixie Classics.

Before the night was over the mighty McGuiremen had defeated the previously unbeaten Duke Blue Devils, 76-71, for the crown. The victory climaxed the occasion and the year with the traditional net-cutting ceremonies.

It was a fitting conclusion to a successful athletic year for the North Carolina teams. And with that 1960 closing, a spark was struck which ignited many hopes and wishes for the New Year:

May Moe, LaFese, Kepley, Hudock and Walsh continue on their current path and on to the national championship. Here's hoping that Coach McGuire will soon be able to vacate that dentist's chair to which he has been confined for the past week. May Sam Barnes get more time off from his English classes so that he might spend more time with his wrestling team. Continued success to grapplers Shuford and Kortner. May fortune continue to shine upon Pat Earey and his swimmers. Here's wishing continued success to mermen Bloom, King, Bilbro and Simonton as they seek the ACC crown. May the performances of Jimmy Brown and Barrie Tiedemann keep that smile on track Coach Dale Ranson's face. May his men have the speed of panthers and the strength of Hercules, that they may recapture the conference trophy. Here's a toast to Walt Rabb's magnificent baseballers and continued success in '61. Here's hoping, also, that the coach's arm has healed, that he might instruct his charges while on his feet and not on a stretcher. May he find men with the prowess of Griffin and Burgwyn and may he discover ten pitchers with speed and control, that he may go back to Omaha for a second shot at the prize he missed last summer. Best wishes to Don Skakle and his championship tennis squad. May Sylvia be greater than ever this spring, and may ten more players of his ability dot the court. Best wishes to Ed Kenny and his golf team as they prepare to take to the greens. May another Green—Pete—continue in fine fashion, with 70 as his scorecard ceiling. And finally best wishes are extended to Head Football Coach Jim Hickey and his staff, in the hopes that they will experience a few more moments of joy than they did last year. May backs Farris, Marslander, Elliott, Davies, Addison and Carson be faster than sound, and may linemen Craver, Gallagher and Hegarty be stronger than steel in the coming campaign. And to all the members of the Athletic Department, the administration and the student body, a belated HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Swimmers Begin Virginia Tour Tonight

Grim, but determined, the Tar Heel swimming team takes off today on a two-day tour of the Old Dominion state, Virginia.

Tonight the Carolina tankmen stop in Lexington to meet the traditionally strong Keydets of Virginia Military Institute. The Heels are attempting to bounce back from their December 17 loss to Navy, their first. Saturday, Earey's boys will attempt to gain their second straight conference victory of the campaign when they meet Virginia's Cavaliers in Charlottesville. The first ACC triumph was against Duke in December.

After returning to Chapel Hill on Sunday, the Tar Heels will have one day of rest before tackling Wake Forest here on Tuesday.

Matters To Face Appalachian Here

Standing atop the .500 fence as far as their season record is concerned, Carolina's wrestling team will attempt to bounce back from two straight defeats tomorrow night when they encounter Appalachian College in Wooten Gym.

The Apps, a North State Conference school, has developed into a principal power in the past few years and will present quite a challenge to the Tar Heels. Last year Carolina could muster only one win in their match, while being trounced, 23-5.

However, the Heels are much improved this year, thus presenting the possibility of a very exciting match which will begin at 8 o'clock.



Swimming Co-Captains Hambrick and Simonton

Irish Have Big Team But Slim Win Mark

By HARRY W. LLOYD

Tomorrow night the Notre Dame basketballers will try to make a more successful invasion of North Carolina than did the 1960 Irish football team. But if past records offer any basis for prediction, Coach John Jordan's cagers have an even slimmer chance for a win against the Tar Heels.

Carolina Coach Frank McGuire expresses a high respect of the South Bend boys, even though their won-loss record is not quite up to par. After winning three of their first four starts, the Irish have dropped five more contests.

McGuire realizes that the poor record held by the Green does not show their potential. "They're really a big, strong team," he said, "but they're young."

So far this season, the Irish have boasted a four-barreled attack, centered around the lettermen from last year's team, which finished with a strong 17-9 record. Center John Tully, who saw a lot of action in last year's game when the Tar Heels won by 75-65, has been averaging around the 15-point mark. Guard Eddie Schnurr, an accurate bomber from the outside, is another definite scoring threat.

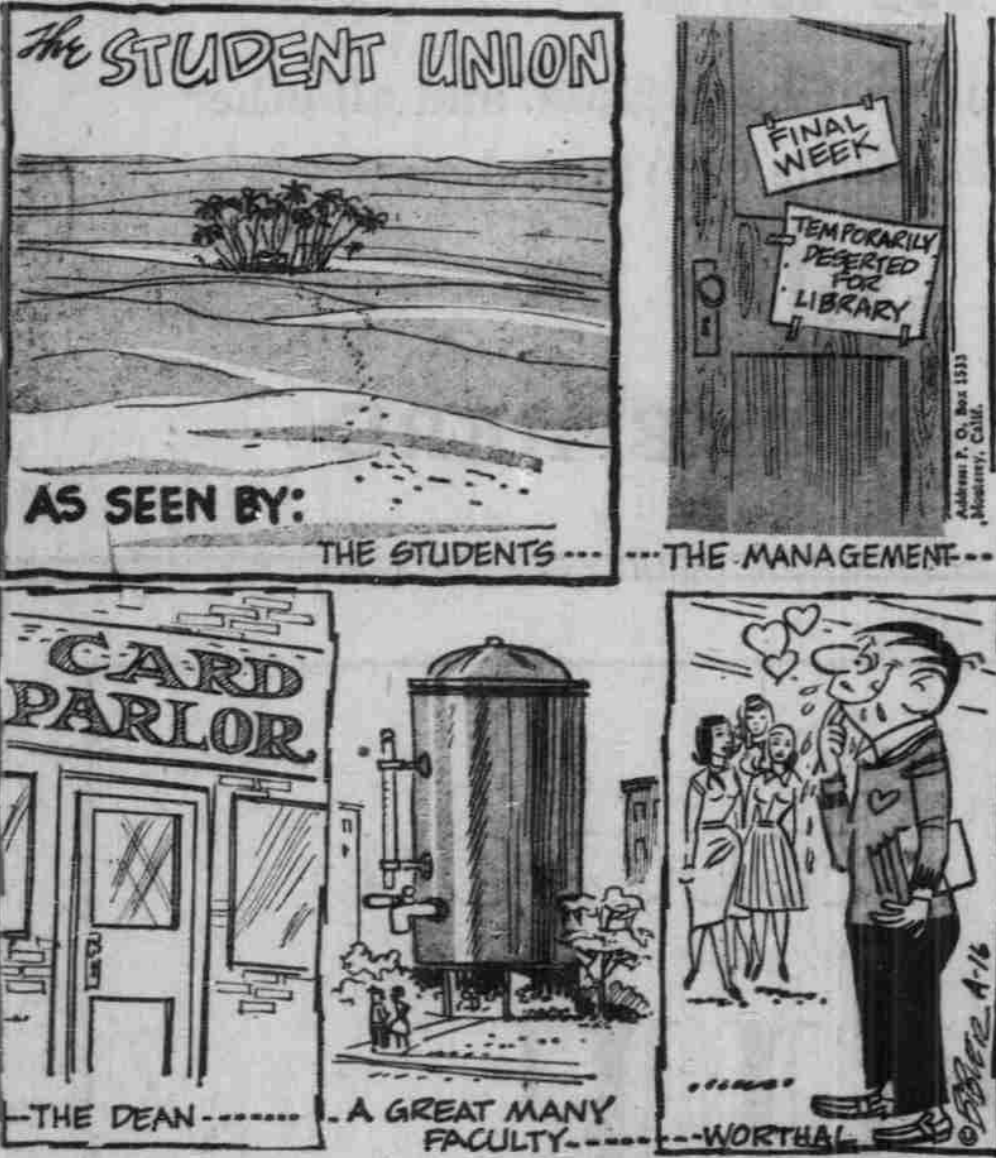
Also hovering in the double figures are the two forwards, Armand Reo and John Dearie. Reo topped the scoring in the first Notre Dame win, hitting 23 against W. Illinois.

Rounding out the starting five is Bill Crosby, a guard who got a lot of experience last season. He is the captain of the Irish quint.

North Carolina and Notre Dame have met four times in basketball, and the Tar Heels have won three times. Besides last year's contest, Carolina wins came in the '58-'59 season by 69-54, and 81-77. The Irish upset the Tar Heels by 89-70 in 1958.

Last year's UNC-ND contest was also played in the Charlotte Coliseum, where tomorrow night's game will be run off. Harvey Salz led the scoring in that one with 21 points, and also-departed Lee Shaffer had 19.

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



TICKETS

Students may now exchange their athletic pass cards for tickets to the Wake Forest game to be played here Tuesday night, January 10. Tickets will be distributed on a first come, first serve basis. All students wishing to attend the contest are urged to get their tickets now.

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1961: YEAR OF DECISION

Well sir, here we are in 1961, which shows every sign of being quite a distinguished year. First off, it is the only year since 1951 which begins and ends with the Figure 1. Of course, when it comes to Figure 1's, 1961, though distinguished, can hardly compare with 1911, which, most people agree, had not just two, but three Figure 1's! This, I'll wager, is a record that will stand for at least two hundred years!

1911 was, incidentally, notable for many other things. It was, for example, the year in which the New York Giants played the Philadelphia Athletics in the World Series. As we all know, the New York Giants have since moved to San Francisco and the Philadelphia Athletics to Kansas City. There is a movement afoot at present to move Chicago to Phoenix—the city, not the baseball team. Phoenix, in turn, would of course move to Chicago. It is felt that the change would be broadening for residents of both cities. Many Chicago folks, for example, have never seen an iguana. Many Phoenix folks, on the other hand, have never seen a frostbite.

There are, of course, certain difficulties attending a municipal shift of this size. For instance, to move Chicago you also have to move Lake Michigan. This, in itself, presents no great problem, what with modern scientific advances like electronics and the French cuff. But if you will look at your map, you will find that Lake Michigan is connected to all the other Great Lakes, which in turn are connected to the St. Lawrence Seaway, which



in turn is connected to the Atlantic Ocean. You start dragging, Lake Michigan to Phoenix and, willy-nilly, you'll be dragging all that other stuff too. This would make our British allies terribly cross, and I can't say as I blame them. I mean, put yourself in their place. What if, for example, you were a British workman who had been saving and scrimping all year for a summer holiday at Brighton Beach, and then when you got to Brighton Beach there wasn't any ocean? There you'd be with your inner tube and snorkel and nothing to do all day but dance the Lambeth Walk. This, you may be sure, would not make you NATO-minded!

I appeal most earnestly to the residents of Chicago and Phoenix to reconsider. I know it's no bowl of cherries going through life without ever seeing an iguana or a frostbite, but I ask you—Chicagoans, Phoenixians—is it too big a price to pay for preserving the unity of the free world? I am sure that if you search your hearts you will make the right decision, for all of us—whether we live in frostbitten Chicago, iguana-ridden Phoenix, or narrow-lapelled New Haven—are first and foremost Americans!

But I digress. We were speaking of 1961, our new year. And new it is! There is, for one thing, new pleasure in Marlboro Cigarettes. How can there be new pleasure in Marlboros when that fine, flavorful blend, that clean easy draw filter, have not been altered? The answer is simple: each time you light a Marlboro, it is like the first time. The flavor is such that age cannot wither nor custom stale. Marlboro never palls, never jades, never dwindles into dull routine. Each pack, each cigarette, each puff, makes you glad all over again that you are a Marlboro smoker!

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