

# Record Crowd Expected To Witness Swede-Martin Clash

## Locals Ready For Engagement With "Swedes" Monday Night

### High School Gym To Be Comfortable For Season's Big Event

#### "Country" Martins May Show "City Slickers" A Few Court Tricks

When the Flying Swedes pull in for their exhibition with the Williamston Martins here next Monday night at eight o'clock, they may expect the local team to be just another "hick" team in a country town, but in the opinion of many fans of this section, that traveling group of Swedes is in for a lot of trouble. Anticipating a record crowd, the Martin management has announced that every arrangement is being made for the comfort of the fans.

Many may not realize the fact, but basketball as played in Williamston is of a much higher calibre than that in many of the larger cities as every traveling team voices the opinion that the Martins rank high among the hundreds of teams who play each season. And with the advent of higher class court games, came the increased interest in the game, bringing out many sports fans who have taken an enthusiastic interest in their "country" team.

But Monday night marks the first big exhibition of the 1941 season and with the ever-present fancy and accurate shooting of the traveling Swedes, the locals realize they will have their hands full, and already have played several games this season in preparation for this clash. According to reports, the Martins will be at their top strength and ready to offer a good account of themselves.

The fancy dribbling and deceptive passing of Pop Diem is a big weapon in the Martin offense, while Breezy Beard, fast breaking guard, and

WILL PLAY HERE



One of the outstanding Flying Swedes, a brother and sister basketball team, which will oppose the Williamston Martins in the local high school gym on Monday night, is Harold, above, who stands 5 feet 11 inches tall. Harold plays guard and his blazing and accurate passing makes the Swedes one of the best court teams touring the country today.

Bosko Anderson are fine long shot artists, with Fenner Wallace scoring on any number of shots from any position. Jack Manning, steady forward, will round out the starting

### Eagles Lose Thriller To Washington Pack Tuesday Night, 20-17

Will Play Oak City Monday Night Here At 7:00 O'Clock

In a game marked by smart defense rather than a sharpshooting offense the Williamston Eagles came out on the short end of a 20-17 score against the Washington team Tuesday night in a game played on the winners' court. Desperately trailing by a 9-4 score at half-time, the Eagles rallied during the last period to come within one point of tying the winners with only one minute to go, but a bad pass resulted in Washington's recovery and they immediately scored a crisp shot to clinch the victory.

The locals displayed erratic marksmanship, but should improve as the season progresses, though numerous shots rimmed the hoop and fell off the non-pay way. The winners used two full teams in downing the none-too-fresh locals.

Scoring honors for the Eagles went to Speedy Bob Cowen, with 8 points, followed by Skinny Skinner with four.

The Eagles will make their first home appearance here next Monday night when they take on the Oak City Town team promptly at 7:00 p. m., as a curtain raiser for the Martins-Flying Swedes contest at 8:00 o'clock.

The Swedes may come here and make "hicks" out of the local quint, but they will have to give an unusual performance and there will be a record crowd watching and backing the Martins.

### IRISH CAPTAIN . . . By Jack Sords



The box:	G	F	T
<b>EAGLES</b>			
Cowen, f	2	4	8
Crofton, f	0	0	0
Skinner, c-g	2	0	4
Cooke, g	0	1	1
Rose, g-c	0	1	1
Barnhill, f-g	1	1	3
Totals	5	7	17
<b>WASHINGTON</b>			
Mann, f	0	1	1
P. Gerard, f	0	0	0
Graves, c	1	0	2
W. Gerard, g	1	1	3
Roberson, g	0	1	1
Fancher, g	0	1	1
Taylor, f	0	0	0
Walker, f	0	0	0
Hamilton, g	1	2	4
Gardner, c	1	1	3
Totals	7	6	20

**NOTICE OF SALE**  
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee by James Wiggins and Alice Wiggins, dated 15th day of January, 1929, of record in Book E-3, page 64, in the register of deeds

office, Martin County, to secure certain notes of even date therewith, and the stipulations in said Deed of Trust not having been complied with, and at the request of the holder of said bonds, the undersigned Trustee will, on the 17th day of January, 1941, at 12 o'clock noon, in front of Slade, Rhodes and Company's store in Hamilton, Martin County, offer for sale to the highest bidder, the following tract of land: One tract or parcel of land bounded by the lands of N. F. Brown, the Higgs Farm, the road leading from Highway 125 to the Higgs Farm and Conoho Church, containing two acres more or less, and being same premises as formerly occupied by said James Hooker, together with all and singular the tenements and appurtenances thereto belonging, or in any wise appertaining.

**NOTICE OF SALE**  
North Carolina, Martin County. In The Superior Court. County of Martin vs. Tom Perry and Others.  
Under and by virtue of an order of sale and judgment made by L.

B. Wynne, Clerk of the Superior Court of Martin County, on the 14th day of December, 1940, the undersigned commissioner will, on the 17th day of January, 1941, at twelve o'clock noon, in front of the courthouse door in Martin County, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tract or parcel of land, to wit:

A. Beginning at a Sweet Gum, Nathan Mizell's corner in Dancy's line, running thence along said Mizell's line to Samuel Whitely's line, thence along Whitely's line to the run of Smithwick Creek, thence down the various courses of said creek to Eason's corner, thence along with Eason's line to Roanoke River, thence down said river to Tattling Gut, thence along said gut to Hawtner Landing, Dancy's line, thence along said Dancy's line to the beginning, containing 340 acres, more or less.

The above property was conveyed to L. H. Perry from Emma Y. Stallings by deed recorded in Book 000 page 418 and by deed from J. H. Mizell et ux to L. H. Perry recorded in Book 888, page 78. Better description may be had by reference to Book NN, page 283 and 9. B. Second Tract It being the tract of land commonly known as the City Reddick land and which descended to G. L. Whitley and S. W. J.

Evell from their mother, Marina Whitley, it is bounded on the North by Leggett land or Sweeten Water Creek, on the East by Stallings and Riggsbee land, and on the West by the old Noah Reddick land, and on the South by Monett and Eli Roberson land, containing 297 acres, more or less.

The above property was conveyed to L. H. Perry by N. T. Harris et ux by deed recorded in Book L-1 at page 158. C. Third Tract: Beginning at a small ash on the edge of Roanoke River, thence up the river to the mouth of Sweeten Water Creek, thence on the run of said creek to Jas. B. Riggsbee's corner, thence a straight line to the beginning, containing 25 acres, more or less. This the 16th day of Dec., 1940. ELBERT S. PEEL, Commissioner

**DR. V. H. MEWBORN OP-TOM-E-TRIST**  
Please Note Date Changes  
Robersonville office, Scott's Jewelry Store, Tuesday, January 14th. Williamston office, Peele's Jewelry Store, every Wed., 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Plymouth office, Womble Drug Store, every Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Eyes Examined—Glasses Fitted—Tartboro Every Saturday.

## Personal Property LISTING

List-takers will be at the following places on the specified dates to list all personal property and polls for general taxation in the County of Martin for the tax year of 1941:

### Jamesville

R. L. Stallings, List-taker. Each Friday and Saturday at Town House; Wednesday, Jan. 15 and 22, Dardens; Tuesday, Jan. 14, Luther Gordon.

### Williams

C. L. Daniel, List-taker. January 16 at Fairview Church, 8:30 to 12:30; and at Richlieu Filling Station from 1 to 4 p.m.; January 17 at Township House from 8:30 to 4 p.m.; January 21 at Joshua L. Coltrain's from 8:30 to 2 p.m.; January 24 at home.

### Griffins

Geo. C. Griffin, List-taker. January 16, John A. Griffin's Filling Station; January 17 at J. Eason Lilley's Store; January 23, at Manning and Gurkin's Filling Station; January 24 and 31, at S. E. Manning's Filling Station. Hours 8:30 to 4 p.m.

### Bear Grass

A. B. Ayers, List-taker. Each Thursday and Friday at A. B. Ayers' home.

### Williamston

H. M. Burras, List-taker. Each week day at courthouse. Hours 9 to 5 p.m.

### Cross Roads

Gordon G. Bailey, List-taker. January 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 25, 27, 28, 29 and 30 at Everetts; January 24 at Gurganus Schoolhouse; January 31 at Cross Roads Church.

### Robersonville

H. S. Everett, List-taker. Each week day at Central Warehouse through January.

### Poplar Point

LeRoy Taylor, List-taker. January 29, 30 and 31.

### Hamilton

L. H. Everett, List-taker. January 10, 17, 27, 29 and 30 at Hamilton; January 24 and 31 at Hassell; January 28 at Beddard's Filling Station.

### Goose Nest

J. A. Rawls, List-taker. January 10, 11, 17, 18, 24, 25 and 31 and February 1 at Oak City; January 9 at Lake Burnette's from 10 to 3; January 16 at Smith Bros. Store from 10 to 3; January 22 at Hopkins Farm from 11 to 3; January 23 at J. A. Everett's from 11 to 3; and January 30 at Dan Howell's Filling Station from 11 to 3 o'clock.

Every personal property owner and every male between the ages of 21 and 50, inclusive, must list their holdings for general taxation. Failure to do so will invite indictment and prosecution in the courts. Listings must be completed by the last day of January. List Early.

This the 2nd day of January, 1941.

**S. H. Grimes**  
County Tax Supervisor

## Turnage Theatre --- Washington, N. C.

Sunday	January 12	Wednesday-Thursday	January 15-16
"Too Many Girls"		"Little Nellie Kelly"	
Richard Carlson, Lucille Ball, Frances Langford		JUDY GARLAND and GEORGE MURPHY	
Monday-Tuesday	January 13-14	Friday-Saturday	January 17-18
"The Letter"		"Chad Hanna"	
BETTE DAVIS and HERBERT MARSHALL		Dorothy Lamour, Linda Darnell, Henry Fonda	
ALSO SELECTED SHORT SUBJECTS			

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