

# BASKETBALL

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stages of the game kept the losers in the ball game.

To start the second half Ervin Hendricks, Coast Guard forward, connected on a long one to make the score 29 to 24. That was as close as the visitors came to overtaking the Pre-Flighters as Whitey Myers, Tippy Dye, and Palmer came through with two field goals apiece in rapid succession.

The box score:

|                 | G  | FT | PF | TF |
|-----------------|----|----|----|----|
| COAST GUARD     |    |    |    |    |
| M. Hendricks, f | 2  | 0  | 3  | 4  |
| Poletti, f      | 1  | 1  | 3  | 3  |
| Todd, f         | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Harris, f       | 3  | 1  | 1  | 7  |
| Witkowski, f    | 0  | 0  | 1  | 0  |
| Roux, c         | 5  | 3  | 1  | 13 |
| E. Hendricks, g | 3  | 0  | 1  | 6  |
| Luden, g        | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Pink, g         | 1  | 1  | 2  | 3  |
| Palazolla, g    | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Damico, g       | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| TOTALS          | 15 | 6  | 12 | 36 |
| PRE-FLIGHT      |    |    |    |    |
| Peckerman, f    | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Dye, f          | 5  | 2  | 1  | 12 |
| Myer, f         | 7  | 1  | 2  | 15 |
| Conrad, g       | 0  | 1  | 0  | 1  |
| Palmer, c       | 11 | 0  | 1  | 22 |
| Forsberg, g     | 0  | 0  | 1  | 0  |
| Elser, g        | 3  | 1  | 3  | 7  |
| Laird, g        | 1  | 0  | 0  | 2  |
| Smith, g        | 1  | 0  | 0  | 2  |
| TOTALS          | 28 | 5  | 8  | 61 |

Score at halftime: Pre-Flight 29, Coast Guard 22.

Free throws missed: Poletti, Roux, Witkowski, Harris (2), Peckerman, Dye (2), Myer (2), Elser (3).

Officials: Dunham (Tulsa) and Hackney (UNC).

# RAESE

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News of Coach Raese's coaching record reached his alma mater, and he returned there in 1938 as head basketball coach. A record of 64 wins and 28 losses was made during the four years he coached basketball at West Virginia. The 1942 season was the most successful with 21 wins and three losses.

Successful basketball teams are usually composed of players from all over the nation, but Raese's great West Virginia team was composed almost entirely of West Virginia boys, most of whom came from towns with a population of less than 5,000.

Two years ago West Virginia sportswriters voted Raese the coach of the year in West Virginia. Biggest reason for this honor was the showing of the West Virginia University basketball team in the Garden. Seeded eighth it was given little chance of getting by top seeded Long Island University in the first round. Long Island, however, was soundly thrashed as was second seeded Toledo the following night. The only close game of the tournament was against Kentucky in the final round.

# The Wolf

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"What are you staring at, soldier! Haven't you ever seen 'Mae Wests' before?"

# POST OFFICE

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A glance at a few statistics on the mail load during the past 10 days will give you some idea of the amount of work done.

A total of 8,000 packages were mailed from this station, while the incoming number totaled around 15,000. With a station complement of a little more than 2,000, it means that each officer, cadet, and enlisted man mailed an average of over three packages, and received an average of more than six.

The cash in the stamp drawer increased slightly during the period, with approximately \$1,500 worth of stamps passing through the window. Added to this is a very conservative estimate of \$10,000 in money orders being sold.

Each day saw three deliveries of mail arrive, and while normally the mail is put in the different boxes by 0900, 1200, and 1700, it was, quite often, as much as two hours late in being delivered because of the heavy volume.

To top all these figures and give you a better idea of the amount of work handled, Gene Strowd, CSP (M), USNR, pointed out to the Cloudbuster that between 1000 and 1200 bags of mail were received during the past 10 days.

Other than Chief Strowd, four mail specialists and one civil service employee are attached to the post office. They include W. F. Pendergraft, Sp1c (M); Alan Abner Barker, Sp2c (M); Ralph Bauthues, Sp3c (M); Richard Ward, Sp3c (M); and Edgar Drinkgern, Sp3c (M). The civil service employee is Miss Carolyn Hurley.

# CADETS

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served, except that town liberty in the evening will be extended to 0130 Christmas Day.

Midnight services will be held tonight in Memorial Hall for Protestants and in Hill Music Hall for Catholics. The public is invited to attend both of these services.

A Christmas Smoker, to which all Pre-Flight personnel are invited, will be held in Memorial Hall tomorrow evening starting at 1930.

Navy Hall has been decorated for the holiday season, and refreshments will be on hand there for the cadets and visitors Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.

# Personnel Changes

Two officers were detached during the past week, Lieut. Alexander McLeish, USNR, N & R instructor, going to Navy Air Gunners School, Purcell, Okla., and Ens. Theresa Czapp, (NC), being transferred to Navy Hospital at Oakland, Cal.

Ens. Martha L. Gonzer, (NC), has been attached, coming from Naval Hospital, NAS Memphis, Tenn.

Five enlisted men, HA2c, reported aboard from Naval Hospital, Parris Island, S. C.: J. H. Beard, W. B. Dyckus, Sidney Findel, H. E. Geddings, and H. J. Newell, Jr.

# PERSONALITIES

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nod as the smallest and fastest man on the team. He is also one of the smartest floor men to ever play in Woollen Gymnasium. Dye comes to Chapel Hill by way of Ohio State where he was a star in football, basketball and baseball. He won three letters in each sport, and was captain of the basketball team. Dye makes up for lack of height with spirit and determination. He weighs but 140 pounds and stands five feet, seven inches.

(More sketches on other players will appear in future issues of the CLOUDBUSTER.)

# Navy War Bond Sales

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War Bond sales on 7 December totaled \$22,232,518, exceeding the original goal of \$15,000,000 and representing 300% of sales on Pearl Harbor Day 1942.

The Navy has again demonstrated its determination to fight this war not only with men and ships but with dollars as well.

To date Navy personnel has invested more than \$370,000,000 in War Bonds.

Sincere congratulations to all officers and men and to all civilian personnel whose wholehearted support made this outstanding record possible.