

SPORTS SHORTS

By "BUDDY" EDGERTON

I am beginning to wonder where is this thing called "law of average." We just don't seem to be able to catch up with the dear old law. The amazing thing is the number of hits that we get a game and still we are not able to get near enough runs to win.

All of us sure were sorry to see Coach Bill Herring leave Tuesday. He is really a fine coach. We all hope that he has a good season with the Brewers. I hope all of you saw the game that he pitched against Goldsboro. He really showed his skill as a pitcher.

It has been recommended by the athletic committee that some other sport be substituted for boxing. I think that the committee is right and all of us hope some sport can be found that a great number of our students will take part.

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W. A. A.

By SELMA ARNER

In about a week, the members of the W. A. A. will go on a big splurge and stage a dinner for old and new members. At that time numerals and monograms will be awarded to the girls who have merited them by participation in intra-mural activities on our campus. Girls who will receive numerals are:

- Katherine Jones, Jessie Stephenson, Hazel McKeel, Rachel Tilghman, Mary Nackos, Louise Williamson, Carolyn Parrish, Mary Ella Gunter, Eleanor Smith, Margaret Farmer, Mary Sutton, Marilyn Boyette

Girls who will receive monograms are:

- Rachel Glover, Margaret Glover

Girls receiving stars are:

- Jessie Daniel, Selma Arner, Jacqueline Daniel, Irma Lee Spencer

Numerals are awarded after a girl has earned three hundred points. Monograms, after she has earned one thousand points; and finally, a star for every five hundred points following the receiving of a monogram. As the year is quickly drawing to a close, I would like to urge all girls to play in the remainder of the games. Next week, Soccer will be played — an opportunity for one hundred points. Following that comes the last major sport of the year — Softball. There will also be a Badminton tournament with individual entries. These sports will give girls an opportunity to win numerals before the school term ends.



Shuffleboard Tournament Reaches End

After suffering from lingering illness, the Shuffleboard tournament is dying a slow death. Little sense of cooperation has been manifested in this sport, and as a result the tournament has dragged over a period of months. At the present time, it is in its final stages, and will soon be completed. More interest and cooperation must be shown if we are to have tournaments. Merely signing your name as an entry in a tournament doesn't help its progression. You must play as well. Help make the remaining tournaments a success!

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BASEBALL !!

JOHN GREGORY EDWARDS, Sports Editor

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PIRATES TROUNCE BULLDOG NINE 5-2

Guilford Takes Two In A Row 10-0; 8-5

The Atlantic Christian College Bulldogs' winning streak was cut short at five games on March 27, as Guilford College blanked them to the tune of 10 to 0.

Guilford broke the scoring ice in the very first frame. Lentz walked, stole second, and then dashed home on Hines' triple into left field. This one marker was enough to spell defeat for the Bulldogs.

Not content with an early lead, the Quakers pounced on Moye for two markers in the third frame, one in the fourth, and climaxed their attack in the sixth inning with a five-run spree. M. Harper then took to the mound and pitched hard for a lost cause.

Shell was the star of the evening as he held the Bulldogs with five scattered hits. He was in danger of being scored on only twice during the game—once in the fourth inning and again in the ninth.

A blown-up infield and errors spoiled what had been expected to be a "ding-dong" ball game.

Hines, with four safeties for six tries was the best for the visitors. Treadway, with two for four, was the big noise for the locals.

Guilford

Table with columns AB, R, H, O, A for Guilford players: Lentz, cf; Ware, ss; Frey, ss; Hines, 1b; Summay, 3b; Newlin, 2b; Maynard, c; Graves, rf; Shell, p; Parker, lf; Totals.

A. C. C.

Table with columns AB, R, H, O, A for A. C. C. players: Holmes, cf; Houston, 1b; Bullock, 3b; Treadway, ss; Cowan, rf; Windley, rf; Davis, 2b; Gardner, lf; T. Harper, lf; Geffert, c; Moye, p; M. Harper, p; Totals.

The Guilford Quakers made it two in a row over the A. C. Bulldogs on March 28, as they set them back by the score of 8 to 5. The Quakers had won the day before 10 to 0.

The inability of the Bulldogs to hit in the pinches was the factor that handed them defeat. Fourteen runners were allowed to die on base. Had they found life, the result of the game would have been entirely different.

The Quakers broke the scoring ice first. Frey walked, Hines singled and another single by Summay brought Frey home. For the second tally, Hines stole home on a passed ball. The Bulldogs' first tally came as the result of a single by Bullock. This single brought home Geffert, who had previously walked.

Guilford got two markers in the second and one in the fifth, before the Bulldogs were able to score again.

In A. C. C.'s part of the sixth, an error, a walk and singles by Cowan and Geffert sent home three tallies to give the Bulldogs new hope. The score at this time was 5 to 4 in favor of Guilford.

Disliking such a small margin, the Quakers added two other markers to their collection in the first of the seventh. A triple, a double and a long fly produced these two runs. A Bulldog run in the seventh came as the result of a walk, single, and error. The Quakers added another tally in the ninth.

Jim Cowan took the hitting honors for the Bulldogs with two for four, while Mutt Gardner was outstanding on defense.

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Geffert Gets Home Run In Very Thrilling Game

Greenville, April 18.—"Dear Old Bo-Hunk-Us" seems to like its home—at least for the present. Today Greenville again fought off the efforts of the Bulldogs to recapture the cherished "Bucket" for A. C. C.

The inability of the Bulldogs to cash in on several of the breaks proved to be their downfall. Four of the nine innings saw the first man up safely in first—there to die. Only on one occasion were the Bulldogs able to bring home one of their members safely from "the far beyond."

E. C. T. C. broke the scoring ice in their half of the second. Hinton walked; Winstead singled into center field where a beautiful scoop-up by Holmes held Hinton at second. Later Hinton stole third and still later scampered home on a passed ball. Winstead advanced to second on the same passed ball. Harper then took the problem into his own hands. He caught Winstead too far off second and threw him out. The next two batters were set down on strikes.

The Bulldogs' first marker came in the fifth as the result of a circuit blow by Geffert. Unfortunately no mates were aboard. E. C. T. C. then got busy in their part of the fifth. Winstead found life on an error, and a single by Futrell advanced him to second. Brown's single into center field sent Winstead across the rubber for another marker. The next batter hit to Gardner as second, who, with the combined efforts of Treadway and Houston, performed a well-timed double play to nip any farther threats in that inning. However, in the sixth inning, E. C. T. C. put the game on ice by mixing a triple, a single, two walks and an error for three other runs.

The Bulldogs made their last bid for victory in the eighth. Regardless of their efforts, only one run was produced. With the bases loaded, Hicks sent a twisting line drive down third which was muffed long enough for a runner to scamper home from third.

Geffert made practically all of the noise for the Bulldogs. With a single, a triple, and a home run for four tries, he led the Bulldogs' hitting attack. He also caught a beautiful game behind the plate. Although Harper was the losing pitcher, he gave the fans a thrill as he showed them a pitcher who had plenty of speed and a willing heart.

A. C. C. 000 010 010—2
E. C. T. C. 010 013 00x—5

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z-Batted for Cowan in ninth.
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Score by innings
Guilford 220 010 201—8
A. C. C. 100 003 100—6

WHAT A LANGUAGE!

- A flock of ships is called a fleet. A fleet of sheep is called a flock. A flock of girls is called a bevy. A bevy of wolves is called a pack. A pack of thieves is called a gang. A gang of angels is called a host. A host of porpoise is called a shoal. A shoal of fish is called a school. A school of buffalo is called a herd. A herd of seals is called a pod. A pod of whales is called a gam. A gam of lions is called a pride. A pride of children is called a troop. A troop of partridge is called a covey. A covey of beauties is called a galaxy. A galaxy of ruffians is called a horde. A horde of rubbish is called a heap. A mob of worshippers is called a congregation. A congregation of theatergoers is called an audience. An audience of peacocks is called a muster. A muster of doves is called a flight. A flight of jorks is called an exaltation. And if they are starlings it's murmuration. A murmuration of bees is called a swarm. A swarm of foxes is called a skulk.

Catawba Pulls Upset To Win 10-4

The Catawba Indians came from behind today to defeat the Atlantic Christian Bulldogs 10 to 4. A. C. took an early lead but they were unable to hold the Indians in the third, fourth, and fifth innings.

The Bulldogs' early lead came as the result of a circuit blow by Holmes that brought home Gardner and Windley ahead of him.

The Indians then went on the "war path". Three hits and an error produced four runs in the third. Davis homered in the fourth with the bases drunk, to continue the Indians' slaughter. However, a peace treaty was signed at the end of the fifth. Before they came to terms the Bulldogs were able to chalk up one other marker.

The big "bark" of the Bulldogs was Holmes with his three-run homer. The Indians' Big Chief was Davis with a home run and a single for five tries.

Catawba 004 420 000—10
A. C. C. 030 010 000—4

ON THE ROAD
Date Opponent They Us
March 19—Chas L. Coon III 6 7
March 20—Campbell 9 23
March 21—Pres. Jr. College 0 11
March 22—Pres. Jr. College 4 13
March 23—Pembroke Nor. 1 5
April 3—High Point 5 2
April 4—Catawba 19 4
April 5—Elon 15 3
April 6—Elon 14 5

Bears Steal Late Lead To Win 13-10

The Atlantic Christian Bulldogs finally bowed to a strong Lenoir-Rhyne team by a score of 13 to 10. A 10-run spree in the first inning took the spark out of the Bulldogs for a while. Hicks and Roebuck found the Mountain Bears' growl impossible to quiet, but Elbert Moye took to the mound and soon had the Bears in hibernation. However, the Bears came back to life in the fourth to chalk up two markers and again in the seventh for one.

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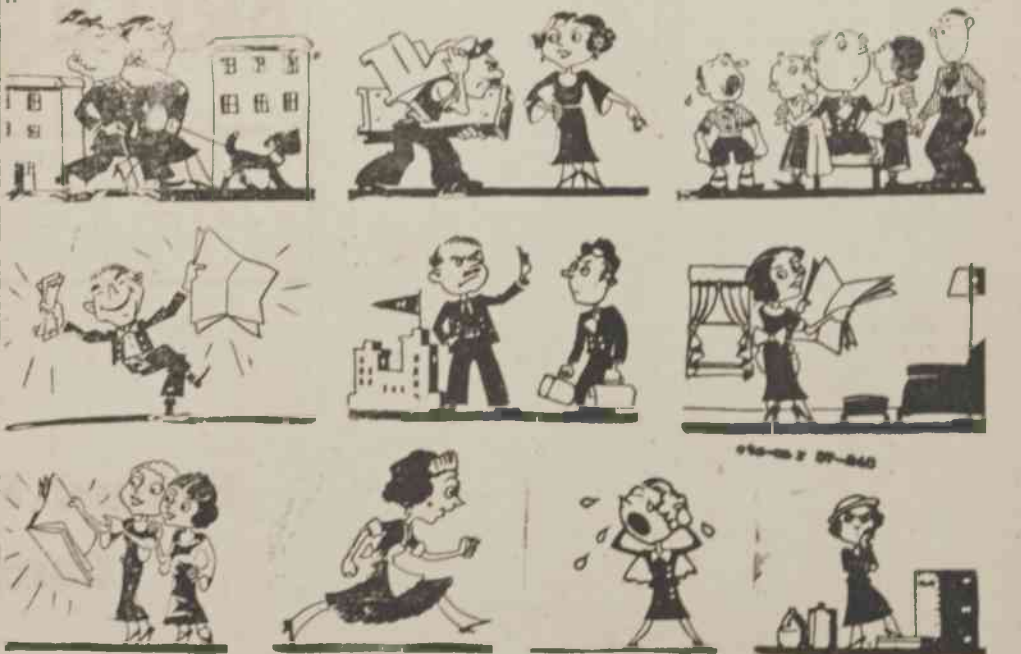
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