

College Athletes Honored At Banquet, Letters Given In Various Sports Recently

**Lions, Kiwanians And Rotarians Sponsor Event.
Tuttle Is Speaker**

Brevard college athletes were honored Monday night at a banquet in the school cafeteria which was sponsored by the three civic clubs of Brevard, the Lions, Kiwanis and Rotary clubs.

Athletic Director Bob Andrews awarded letters in the various sports to some 65 students and thanked the athletes for their contribution to the sports program at Brevard College.

Rev. Lee Tuttle, pastor of the Central Methodist church in Asheville, and chairman of the athletic committee of the board of trustees of Brevard college, was the principal speaker of the evening and chose as his topic, "The Game of Life." Mr. Tuttle said that life was like a baseball game and that a person always had three strikes. He compared the bases on the diamond to the moral code. "You can't get far away from them or else you get in trouble," he declared.

The speaker was introduced by Dr. E. J. Coltrane, president of the institution, and Ray Swink was master of ceremonies. In response to his address of welcome, Clifton Riggins expressed appreciation on behalf of the athletes for the fine banquet. Special guests were the of-

ficials of the three civic organizations.

Alexander Speaks

Jack Alexander, head football coach during the 1948 season, also spoke briefly on the program. Frank McGill and Hersey Hipps talked on the football season, and Grady King summarized the basketball year. He was second highest scorer in the conference per game. The baseball season was reviewed by Lander Beal.

Special music was furnished by soloists, LaNue Floyd, Loise Stratton, Betty Boykin, with Miss Caroline Gates at the piano. The college orchestra, under the direction of Bob Davis, played during the dinner hour.

Clifton Riggins was awarded a trophy for being voted the most outstanding player by his fellow teammates.

Receiving letters were the following:

Football, Basketball and Baseball
Jack McCauley, Chapel Hill; Clifton Riggins, Biltmore; LaNue Floyd, Kingstree, S. C.; Ebby Wilkinson, Charlotte.

Football And Baseball

Ernest Gilstrap, Pickens, S. C.; Richard Medlin, Biltmore; Frank McGill, Kingstree, S. C.; Hershey Hipps, Belmont; John McKissick, Kingstree, S. C.; Albert Thomas, High Point; Lander Beal, Gastonia.

Football Only

Sidney Currin, Oxford; Herman Walker, Darlington, S. C.; Harry Martin, Greenville, S. C.; Guy Christopher, Greenville, S. C.; Ralph Anderson, Greenville, S. C.; Bill Barton, Brevard; Bob Levi, Candler; Bill Ervin, Charlotte; Gene Baucom, Charlotte; David Rogers, Bennettsville, S. C.; Chester Baker, Fayetteville; Fred Elkins, Durham; Reid Prillaman, Wilson; Walter Owens, Kingstree, S. C.; Bruce Jamerson, Candler; Millard Bason, Greensboro; Jimmy White, Charlotte; Clyde Pitts, Franklin; Joe Price, High Point; Ray Cheek, Brevard; Morgan Murphy, Albany, Ga.;

Gerald Martin, Darlington, S. C.; Mack Greenway, Charlotte; Charles Robertson, Alexandria, Va.; William Miller, Troy.

Basketball Only

Grady King, Seagrove; J. B. Thurmond, Bennettsville, S. C.; Aston Wilkes, Hemmingway, S. C.; Bonner York, Forest City; Bob Parlier, Conover.

Baseball Only

Michael Haddock, Charlotte; Hoyt Truelove, Ware Shoals, S. C.; Ernest Dickehson, Ware Shoals, S. C.; Don Helms, Charlotte; Bob Ikerd, Newton; Harold Skipper, Brevard.

Basketball And Baseball

Ray Delapp, High Point.

Tennis

Morris Rozar, Raleigh; Buddy Mackie, Winston Salem; Charles Freeman, Raleigh; Bob Ratchford, Brevard; Bob Sherrill, Spindale; Bob Norwood, Brevard.

Cheer Leaders

Frank Roberts, Charlotte; Eleanor Orr, Charlotte; Betty Mallard, Asheville; Bill Taylor, Charlotte; Maxine Renshaw, Franklin; Jack Prince, Kings Mountain; Bruce Melvin, Gastonia; Tommie Alegre, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Managers

Charles Robbins, baseball, Plymouth; Claude Hicks, all sports, Randleman; Joe Leonard, basketball, Catawba; Glenn Smyre, Newton; Tommy Blackwelder, Charlotte.

Those given honorable mention were: Pat Mason, Asheville; Kat Adams, Bassett, Va.; and Pauline Mallard.

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