



Our camera has caught some of the deciding plays that made the girls intramural touch football games so exciting.

SPORTS SESSION

By ALEX HOUSTON

Basketball is rapidly monopolizing the conversation of most of the sports addicts at Brevard. This is due primarily to the encouraging turnouts at the practice sessions and the strong possibility that we will have a very good basketball team this year.

It is hard to tell much about the team this early, but from what I have seen at practice, I am sure that Coach Fitzpatrick will present a team that we will be proud to support.

If the students support the basketball team as well as they supported the intramural football teams, this school will look alive again. It seemed as if more non-students than students were present at last year's cage contests. Certainly, players will do their best for a student body that is obviously supporting them.

The athletic program as a whole seems greatly improved this year as the ping-pong contests and the rec-hall wrestling matches continue at their present torrid pace.

Ping-pong is an educational as well as a recreational game. My observations have convinced me that it has merit as a vocabulary builder. It should not be indulged in, however, if one's hospital insurance does not cover shock, nervous prostration, or over-exertion. I think a degree in ping-pong should be given. If credits were given for it, ineligibility and flunking would become extinct. What basketball player couldn't pass a three-hour course on the fundamentals of ping-pong?

Furthermore, a major of ping-pong and a minor of wrestling (sometimes called "dancing") could produce the greatest number of Dean's List students that this institution has ever known.

For those not familiar with the art of wrestling or the sport of dancing, exhibitions as well as real matches can be seen at almost any time in the rec-hall. Back in the good old days when a record player was present, the various holds were accompanied by music, (which often failed to soothe the savage beast). Now, since the destruction of the record player, the contests are held in silence, which adds to the pleasure of the victor and torments the victim. However, it is nice to see the old gang get together in the rec-hall, so keep it up, and I'll see you at ringside.

All joking aside, the sports program at the college this year is very comprehensive and satisfactory. The intramural football games developed a spirit of rivalry comparable to spirit developed between college rivals. The versatility of football, in a broad sense of the word, was demonstrated by the "Powder Bowl." Women never cease to amaze me.

CHANGES IN SCHEDULE

The basketball schedule of the Brevard team is still being changed. Coach Fitzpatrick announced that the schedule is not quite up to date as it now stands, but that any changes will be minor.

W. A. A. Makes Plans For Sports Season

Have you seen the girls "batting" their way out on the gridiron? You will find that as the winter comes and spring not so far away that this is only a small part of the W. A. A. program for this year.

The purpose of this organization is to stimulate interest in athletics and women's gymnastics; and to standardize and promote health and sportsmanship. With this in mind, President Nancy Carson, vice-president, Virginia Osborne; secretary, Mary Ann Holden; treasurer, "Al" Allison and the W. A. A. board of chairmen of the activities have met with Coach Moseley, women's athletic director and have made plans for this year's intramurals, including basketball, volleyball, archery, tennis, softball, golf, touch football and hiking. Each sport will be played in season.

There are three teams competing for the intramural trophy, which is awarded to the team winning the yearly tournaments. The freshman team is coached by Jennei Lou Morris, sophomores by Daphne Bowers, and the day students by Doris Ferguson.

The chairman of each activity is as follows: basketball, Peggy McIntosh; field sports, Celia Sherrill; tennis, Frances Fortune; golf, Ann Cudd; volleyball, Carolyn Thrower; touch football, June Craft; softball, Carolyn B. Freeman; table tennis and badminton, Jane Edwards; archery, Carolyn Davis.

Along with all these other activities, the W. A. A., assisted by the Monogram club, will be in charge of the annual May Day festivities in the spring.

Basketball Schedule Is Announced

The Brevard basketball schedule has been announced by Coach James Fitzpatrick. It is as follows:

- Nov. 21—Young Harris, there.
- Dec. 2—Blue Ridge, here.
- Dec. 6—Mars Hill, here.
- Dec. 13—Spartanburg, there.
- Dec. 16—open.
- Jan. 17—Lees-McRae, there.
- Jan. 20—Asheville - Biltmore, there.
- Jan. 24—Open.
- Jan. 30—Spartanburg, here.
- Feb. 3—Open.
- Feb. 7—Lees-McRae, here.
- Feb. 10—Asheville - Biltmore, here.
- Feb. 17—Open.
- Feb. 21—Open.
- Feb. 26, 27, 28—Tournament, Spindale.

Mrs. E. H. Ould

(Continued From Page One) teacher, which also adds to her unsurpassed store of knowledge along these lines.

Student appreciation during this lecture series was very high and the members of the college staff feel that if they can continue to have such assembly speakers as Mrs. Ould, the student body as a whole will gain more from college life.

ON THE COURT

By NANCY CARSON

As the football season comes to a close every athletic person's mind comes indoors and focuses on basketball.

The girls start the season with only three returning lettermen—Martha Dixon, Daphne Bowers and Nancy Carson—but it is believed by Miss Louise Moseley that the freshmen will provide a spark for a winning team and a successful season. Games are being scheduled with college teams in the Western North Carolina junior college conference.

A new method of picking team members has been adopted this year. The W. A. A. will sponsor intramural basketball games starting Oct. 28th. The members of the varsity will be chosen from those girls participating in the intramurals.

At any rate, one thing is certain, this year's squad will be one of the best dressed on the court. In the classy new uniforms of shiny white and blue satin set off by yellow numerals and yellow at the belt, the Tornadoes will be a sparkling group of feminine firebrands.

Forwards will be greatly in demand as the returning sophomores are all guards. The position of manager to the team is also open to any girl interested in proving moral and medical support to the team.

The team know that they are going to play two games with Spartanburg, Lees-McRae and Sacred Heart, but the schedule has not been put on the calendar yet. Other teams that have been contacted have not been heard from.

Brevard college is one of the few southern colleges that offer a full program of inter-collegiate basketball for girls. The attention now is centered on intramurals, so come on out and cheer for your team.

Gun Room Created In Dormitory "K"

If you have wandered recently through the boys dorm you probably would not have thought that you were in a college dorm. In fact, you may have doubted your senses altogether. From the assortment of firearms in almost every room, the dorm looked more like a hunting lodge.

It was reported that several people had trouble sleeping at night with a gun staring them in the face, so in the interest of well-rested, wide-awake boys, Coach Fitzpatrick suggested that a room would be fixed up as a gun room.

A room was picked out in dorm "K" and for the past few weeks several of the boys have been collecting the firearms that would be placed in it. Some of the boys made gun racks, put up posters, such as "Watch That Muzzle and Protect Our Game."

The door to the room is to be kept locked, so once more the men of the campus sleep peacefully.

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