

**COACH LEIGHTON W. ("CHICK") MARTIN**, pictured above, is working now with prospects for the Tornado basketball team. He is looking forward to the best season in many years.

# TORNADO TALK

## Basketball Practice Begins

Basketball practice at Brevard College got underway October 3 with 22 men reporting, the largest turnout Coach "Chick" Martin has seen since he has been here. However, Coach Martin pointed out that quality, not quantity, is the important factor in the building of a good ball team.

The 22 prospects for the Tornado team, which is rated third in the conference includes four lettermen—Tom Barbee, John Eller, Glover Coggins, and Bill Alexander—plus Charlie Jacobs, who played with the 1958-59 Brevard College team. Two other sophomores, Larry Brooks and Don Ledford, also reported for practice.

At the present time, the players break down into three centers, five forwards, and fourteen guards.

## Tourney To Be Played In November

In the early part of November the Tornados are planning some scrimmage games with Lenoir-Rhyne, Western Carolina, and Pfeiffer. The first regularly scheduled games will be the Junior College Classic Tournament to be held during Thanksgiving at Brevard High School.

The Mars Hill team will play Lees McRae in the first game, and Brevard will meet the team from Sue Bennett College, London, Kentucky, in the second game.

## Conference Is Well-Balanced

According to Coach Martin, the conference this year stacks up as a rather even race, probably the most balanced in basketball that it has been for a number of years.

Intramural Chairman, Barbara Parks; and Publicity Chairman, Barbara Oliver.

The association held a meeting on September 28 for the purpose of selecting appointees for individual intramural chairmen. The final decisions will be made at the next meeting.

Funds left over from last year's treasury have been used to buy several bicycles for rental to the college student body. The charge for this service is 10 cents an hour.

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## WAA Makes Plans For Athletic Year

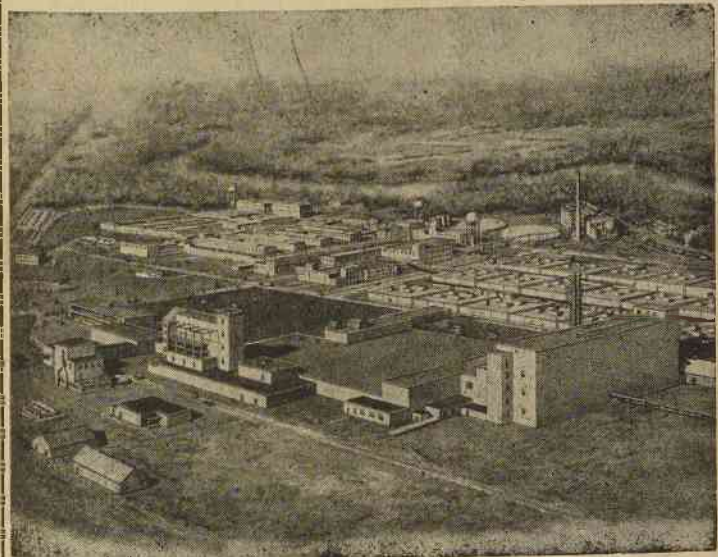
The Women's Athletic Association held a meeting Wednesday, September 28, 1960, in the parlor of Jones Hall to explain to the new students the purpose of the WAA and to complete the slate of officers for the 1960-61 term. The officers serving this school year are: President, Joyce Clark; Vice-President, Jan Bailey; Secretary, Brenda Goldan; Treasurer, Jimmie Anne Miller;

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## WCJCC Coaches Hold Conference

The coaches of teams in the Western Carolina Junior College Conference met at Brevard College in September for the annual planning session.

During this session, a tentative basketball schedule was set up, and each school rated in every sport. These ratings were determined by the positions the schools held last year.

The possibility of moving the site of the W.C.J.C.C. Tournament, which is played at the end of the basketball season, from Spruce Pine, North Carolina, to Greer, South Carolina, was discussed during the conference. It is felt that a larger number of spectators would attend the tourney in Greer than in Spruce

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## Director Martin Announces Tentative Schedule For Year

Athletic Director Leighton W. Martin has announced a tentative basketball schedule for the 1960-61 season. The first regularly scheduled games will be the Junior College Classic Tournament to be held during Thanksgiving at Brevard High School.

November	25-26	Junior College Classic Tournament, Brevard High School
December	1	Mars Hill, here
	3	North Greenville, there
	8	Lees McRae, here
	10	Asheville-Biltmore, there
	13	Spartanburg, there
January	5	Asheville-Biltmore, here
	6	Young Harris, Ga., here
	9	Mars Hill, there
	12	Gardner Webb, there
	27	Wingate, there
	30	Furman Freshmen, there
February	1	Spartanburg, here
	4	North Greenville, here
	6	Gardner Webb, here
	9	Furman Freshmen, here
	11	Ferrum, Va., here
	15	Lees McRae, there
	18	Wingate, here

## Mountaineers Go On First Hike Of Year With New Advisor, Miss Boliek

On Saturday, October 1, at 1:30, the Mountaineers undertook their first hike for the year. After arriving at their destination, Frozen Lake in Rosman, Pat Holden began leading the eager hikers to High Falls. Everything was fine until the group reached a wide stream. Of course there was only one thing to do — unless they wanted to be called "chicken." Off came the shoes and socks, and in plunged the brave group wading through the stream. After proceeding a little further, there was another stream to cross. There was no hesitation this time. After some more rough climbing, the mountaineers reached their goal, a breath-taking sight before them, a waterfall stretching straight up before them. For all the spills, falls, and briar picks, the destination reached was well worth the effort.

After a long rest there, the group returned by a different route, and harder! If a few

Returning cheerleaders Alice Barnhill, Carol Chaplin, Martha Ann Fair, Chris Farnan, and Helen Nelson, under the direction of Mrs. Julius Sader, are now leading practice sessions for all girls interested in trying out for cheerleading positions.

Sometime in the near future all prospects will try out before the student body. The student body will then choose their favorite "yell-belles."

weren't lost, they were straggling way behind or calling out, "Where is everybody?" For a first hike, it was rather difficult for those unused to the country. Proudly, however, all came out feeling that they had accomplished something that day.

A word of thanks should be expressed to the new advisor, Miss Boliek, who is becoming a good mountaineer, and to Mr. Fisher who so graciously accepted the task of driving the truck for the group, and to Pat Holden for leading the group.

New officers of the club are: President, Robert Winthrow; Vice-president, Jack Hampton; Secretary-treasurer, Phyllis Voigt.

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