

Knights Top Baptists, 3-2

Gregory Hurls Five Hitter

Jim Snyder's two-run double in the second inning coupled with Kemp Gregory's five-hit pitching gave the Knights a 3-2 victory over Baptist College of Charleston. The squad's record now stands at 2-4.

Leroy Broach led off the second with a single. Irvin Northam followed and struck out. Gary Ball popped up to the third baseman. With two down Wayne Wise drew a base on balls. Snyder then got his first hit of the season -- a long shot to right-center field that scored Broach and Wise.

Baptist scored in the fifth

when a walk followed by two singles by Billy Morris and pitcher Fred Dykes brought in their first run. The visitors tied it in the next inning when Chuck Cuttino doubled, moved to third on a wild pitch and then scored on a sacrifice fly to left by Tony Beauford.

With the score 2-2 going into the eighth, Timmons collected his second hit of the game. He moved to third when the Baptist catcher threw wild attempting to stop Timmons stealing second. With one out Broach rammed a line drive to the left-fielder who almost picked the

ball off his shoestrings but missed, allowing Timmons to cross the plate with the winning run.

Gregory walked only one man as he pitched the full nine innings and struck out eight Baptist batters. Pitcher Dykes of Baptist also went the route, picking up 12 strikeouts while giving up seven hits.

Broach leads the SA batsman with a .500 (11-22) average for six games. Timmons carries a .346 average into today's game with Wayne State University. Irvin Northam dropped to .290 after going 0-4 in the Baptist

game Kell Gay also went hitless in that game and his average now stands at .286.

St. Andrews collected its first baseball victory of the year with a 6-5 upset over High Point College. Jimmy Timmons was the big gun for the Knights as he went 4 for 5 and scored three runs. Steve Litchford picked up credit for the win after relieving starter Gary Miller with 2 out in the eighth inning.

The Knights jumped into a quick lead with three runs in the first inning. After John

Everett grounded out, Timmons got his first hit of the day, a single. Kell Gay was then hit on the head by High Point's starter, Ackerman, putting men on first and second. Leroy Broach drove in the first run with a double and Irvin Northam followed with another double, driving in Gay and Broach. Tom Thorn hit into a double play to kill any further scoring by the Knights.

High Point got into the scoring column in the third inning with a double, a wild pitch, and a run scoring single by catcher Don Hickey.

St. Andrews scored in the fourth and sixth innings and High Point collected runs in the fourth and fifth. The score remained 5-3 St. Andrews until the eighth inning. Then High Point's shortstop, Russ Van Felt, slammed Litchford's first pitch into the gap in right-center for a triple, driving in two runs. The Knights scored what proved to be the winning run in the bottom of the eighth when Timmons singled, moved to second when Gay was walked, stole third and came home when Hickey's throw to third base went wild.

Oberlin College of Ohio handed the Knights their fourth defeat in five games when they scored a come from behind victory. The final score read 6-4 after St. Andrews had jumped into a three run lead in the first three innings.

Stu Dodson started his third game of the year and struck out nine batters while giving up six hits. Rick Peters took over for Dodson in the eighth and was credited with the loss.

Linksters Score Victories Over Oberlin And UNC-Charlotte As Seale Leads Field

In a four way match with Wilmington College, UNC-Charlotte, and Oberlin College, the St. Andrews golf team emerged with victories over Charlotte (18-0) and Oberlin (14 1/2-13 1/2) while losing by a single point to Wilmington, 9 1/2-8 1/2. The Knights record now stands at 3-3.

David Seale was medalist for St. Andrews with a 79 on the Scotch Meadows course. Playing in the number one position Seale shutout UNC-C's Hillen and Oberlin's Kempner while dropping all 3 match points to Bergin of Wilmington, who shot a 76 which was medalist score for the day.

Banks Garrison shot an 83 as he beat his Oberlin and UNC-C opponents and split his match with the number two man from Wilmington.

Craig Hannas, Val Johnson, and Dave Sinclair also scored victories over Oberlin and UNC-C. Ralph Nesbitt was the only SA linkster to lose to

Oberlin in total match points. Nesbitt scored a victory over his opponent from UNC-C. Johnson and Sinclair, playing at the fifth and sixth spots respectively, were the only SA golfers to score wins over Wilmington.

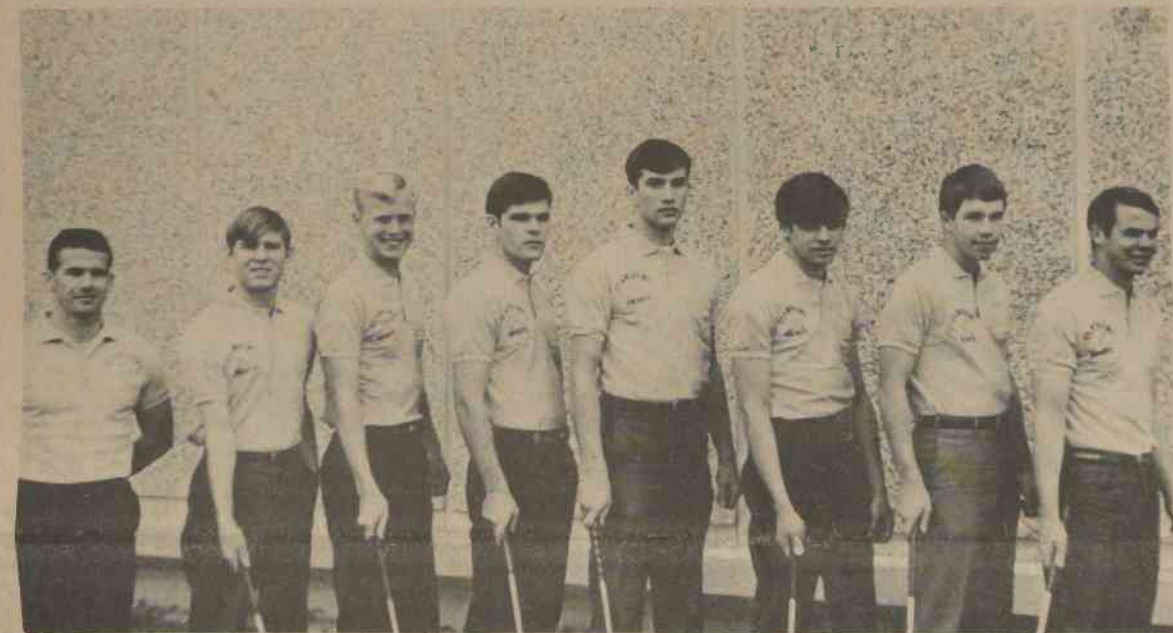
In an earlier match with UNC-Greensboro, the Knights had little opposition and trounced UNC-G 18-0. David Seale's 80 was the low score for the day with Johnson a single stroke back at 81.

Greensboro's low score was 92 and their high soared to 127. SA's Sinclair had a tough match as he was only seven up at the end of nine and 16 up at the end of eighteen.

Garrison, Johnson, Hannas and Nesbitt glided to easy wins over their Greensboro opponents.

Campbell College outshot the Knights 13 1/2-4 1/2 in a match at Scotch Meadows last Friday. Seale was again medalist for St. Andrews with an 80.

Val Johnson could only manage to win a 1/2 match point in the number one spot as Gurkin toured the course in 76 strokes. Gurkin's playing partner, Couch, was medalist for the day with a 73.



VARSITY GOLF TEAM: Coach McGee, Brian Hemphill, Ralph Nesbitt, David Seale, Craig Hannas, Mark Salmon, Banks Garrison, and Mac Jones.

A Simple Athletic Philippic

BY SCOTT MCCREA

Tuesday the St. Andrews track squad defeated the University of North Carolina at Charlotte in a dual meet by the score of 74 to 71. This is significant for spring sports at SA, for the squad won with only ten men competing in the 15 or 16 events. Ron Tingle won the hundred and the 220 in times of ten flat and 32.2, respectively. Dave Rothwell won both the 440 and 880, in times of 53.1 and 2:08. David Betts placed second in the mile at 5:16. Pierce Barr won the intermediate hurdles, at 1:04.6, and took second in the highs. John Price won first in the javelin, with a toss of 164'-4 1/4", and second in the pole vault. Phil Blundell captured first in the

shot with a throw of 38'-8 3/4", and second in the high jump at 5'6". Kim Vohs and Jim Bouck took second and third in the broad jump with leaps of 18 feet and 17'-7 1/2", and Jeff Stonestreet won the discus, flinging it 105'-9 1/2".

Consider now, sports fans of SA, that the Charlotte squad numbered twenty men. Consider also that the SA team was not always so skimpy, but several members have gone awol for one reason or another, the main reason usually coming out something like "there is no interest in track at SA". Obviously. For Coach Boyd's dedicated runners, their victory merely indicates that there is interest, and that they can win even though it means entering only one or two men in each

event, and even forfeiting several events each meet. Ten men cannot carry a meet, especially when they are outnumbered two and three to one in each event. It is to the immense credit of Boyd's Ten that they did it out Tuesday and come up with a tough win. I doubt that they can do it every time, but I imagine they will try anyway. I doubt that they will ever compete before a large crowd of SA supporters, but then I also doubt that it matters to them.

The deadline for this year's Poetry Contest is this Monday, April 1st. The first prize is \$50.00 and second prize winner will receive \$25.00. All entries are to be turned into Mr. Ken Kramer, Room 26, by Monday.

Girls' Basketball

Wilmington's "D" team ended a nip-and-tuck battle for championship honors in girl's intramural basketball Tuesday night, downing Concord "C" in three overtimes, 36-34.

Tied after two overtime periods, the two teams began the third overtime on a "sudden death" basis. Jane Bennett, awarded two free throws for Wilmington, proceeded to drop both in for the two-point margin that ended the game and gave Wilmington the championship.

Both Wilmington and Concord ended regular season play undefeated in their divisions. Playing a best-of-three championship series, Wilmington edged Concord in the first game, 19-18. Diane Grant for Wilmington and Phyllis Vance of Concord each had eight points to pace their teams.



LEROY BROACH leads the Knights in batting with a .500 average for the first six games. The Knights have lost four of their first six contests. The team takes on Wayne State University today and Lynchburg College on Saturday.

Bowlers to Compete in NAIA Roll-Off

St. Andrews Dixie Conference champion bowlers will enter the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics area VII qualification competition as defending second place contenders next weekend, April 5-6, on the St. Andrews lanes.

Champions from each of the 8 areas will meet April 26 in Kansas City, Missouri for the 15 game national finals. Defending champions are from La Crosse State College in Wisconsin, who fired a team

average of 940 scratch to win last year's tourney.

Eight bowlers enter the qualification rounds for each college entering the tournament. The top five bowlers for the area victors travel to Kansas City for the finals.

Entering competition for the Knights will be eight of the regular season starters: John Burchill, Ed Butterworth, Joe Junod, Frank Ligon, Randy Wolfe, George Ducker, Tim Tate, Kim Vohs, and Judson Duffee.

As Wednesday evening's mixed doubles bowling league passes the midway mark in its competition, The Jacks-Or-Better lead the six team league with a 17-3 record. The first place squad of Betsy Gunter, Joan Purcell, Charlie Kerley, and Joe Junod have paced the competition since the opening night.

Laurie Dow's 215 game is high in ladies' competition, while Betsy Gunter follows with a 206. Dow's 215 game highlighted her 496 set which is tops

among the ladies. A 581 set with a third game 235 by Joe Junod leads the men in both categories.

John Burchill has a 219-580 set which puts him in second place in the individual categories.

Leading the ladies for high average is Joan Suddarth with a 6 game average of 131. Barbara Olson follows Suddarth with a 130 average.

Frank Ligon leads the men with a 179 per game average. Burchill is at 177 while Butterworth follows at 175 and Junod at 174.

7-2 Tally in Tennis Match Gives SA First Win

by John Turner

St. Andrews' tennis team was impressive last Friday afternoon in a 7 to 2 victory over Methodist College from Fayetteville. It was the first team victory for the Knights this year, and their first Dixie Conference win.

In the singles competition, number one singles player Harry Kraly defeated Howard Arden in three sets, 6-0, 5-7, 6-1. Bert Cushman replaced Richard Coyle and lost a very close and competitive match to Terry Wicker, 9-7, and 6-2. Number three singles Chuck Hardesty won his match over Carlos McCracken in three sets, 2-6, 6-0, 6-0. Bob Brewbaker followed suit by defeating Eddie Barber 6-2, 6-4.

Rod Moore also breezed by his opponent Hal Johnson 6-2, 6-4. In the sixth singles position, Scott McCrea continued in winning form by beating Eddie Dunn 6-3, 6-4.

In the doubles competition St. Andrews swept two of the three matches, Guy Starling and

Harry Kraly had little difficulty getting by the Wicker-McCracken combination, 6-2, 6-3. Hal Johnson and Howard Arden teamed together to capture the only other Methodist tally of the day.

They defeated Chuck Hardesty and Rod Moore 6-1, 2-6, 6-2. The familiar combination of Brewbaker and McCrea got by Eddie Dunn and Eddie Barber without much trouble, winning 6-4, 6-4.

The next home tennis match will be on Friday against Dixie Conference arch rival, the College of Charleston.

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