

The Spotlight On Sports

By HAL SHARPE

The Doak-coached Scotties successfully defeated Charlotte, Saturday, February 11, by a score of 58-40. Tom Fields led the scoring by sinking 18 tallies followed by Jerry Parrish with 16 points. Goon Johnson and Sid Carroway followed with 8 points each. This victory gave the Preachers 8 wins against 4 defeats, faltered to Louisville, Campbell, Wingate, Pfeiffer. The Scotties took Wingate on Tuesday, 14th, by 8 points.

The most thrilling game played by the Scots occurred February 10, against Pfeiffer. Jumping to an easy half lead, the Scots lost from all angles. This lead, however, was short lived as Pfeiffer guards, too, hit from all angles. The halfway mark found both teams tied in a hard fought affair, 24 to 24. With the game continuing each club held the lead and then faltered. However, at games end the Pfeiffer club took home a hard earned victory, nosing out the Reverends by 58-54. Once again Jerry Parrish held high scoring honors, swishing a total of 24 points.

Football letters were presented Thursday night, Feb. 9, at the annual football chicken supper. This feast was sponsored by the football team in honor of the coaches; head coach, R. R. Doak, assistant coaches Jim Mock, and Kirk Dansereu. Every chicken was fully consumed by this hungry mob of footballers. Someone caught Rev. Carroway eating the paper plate, he claimed the plate was covered with gravy. If anyone plans to entertain with fried chicken be sure and secure Luke Huggins as cook, the best in the west.

First football, then basketball, and last but not least, baseball. Jumping ahead and gazing the winter predicts a very successful season in baseball for the Scots. Returning, we find Butter Snipes, Jerry Parrish, Goon Johnson, Jim Donnell, Tom Stewart, Bev McIntyre and D. S. Wood too, the new students present some outstanding baseball ability; J. W. Jones, Harley Pendergraft, and Clyde Parrish, to mention those who have had considerable baseball experience.

SPORTS VIEW

Oh! Hey gang, hey gang, hey gang, What's the matter with the Scotties? They are all right, who says so? Everybody!

And who's everybody? P. J. C. That's right, nothing is wrong with the Scotties, especially the basketball team we have this year. They really started the season off with a bang and took conference win after win, it seemed that nothing this year in our conference could stop them!

But the greatest deed the Scotties performed was defeating Campbell, our arch rival, for the first time in two or three years, by an amazing score of 79-43. From there it looked as if the Scotties were really going on all the way.

But, around January 20, the thing that all students fear came—exams and that meant study and worry and it was hard on all here, especially the Scotties, for they had to pass nine hours for the semester to play ball.

These exams seemed to have lowered a boom, the Scotties were still winning, but didn't look as impressive as they have during the first part of the season.

Rumors were they had reached their peak during the early season, but you are wrong—look around at other junior colleges and you'll see they were faced with the same trouble, not being as strong as they were at the beginning of the year!

But something is definitely

wrong, maybe it's too much basketball in these last few weeks, or too much practice at the gym, or not keeping in trim. I believe it's one of these for one team doesn't start on the down grade without one good reason.

The Scotties have dropped to fourth place in the league, but are confident of pulling up in third or second before the season is over.

The Scotties lost to Pfeiffer by three points Saturday night but beat Wingate 3 points on Tuesday night. That adds one win and one loss to their record. So—Fifteen rahs for the Scotties

Rah, rah, rah, rah, rah, rah, rah, rah, rah, rah, rah, rah, rah, rah, rah, rah, Hit 'Em!

Skunks Edge Rebels

In the only intermural basketball game played last week the Skunks edged the Rebels by a score of 31-27. The contest was close through and never decided until the final whistle. McMillon was high scorer for the winners with 12 and Hugh Thompson lead for the losers with 13.

Line up: Skunks—Faison, Foscue, McMillan, Wood, McCall, Stewart. Rebels—White, Moss, Clark, Rogers, Thompson.

Pfeiffer Ekes Victory Over Scots

Pfeiffer Junior College edged the Scots 58-55 February 10, on two disputed goals made in the third quarter. The game began with a bang as P. J. C. jumped into an early lead. Pfeiffer closed the gap quickly and the game was up and tuck from there out. Within two minutes to play, the score was tied up at 50-50. Johnson fouled out and the Scotties missed his eighth during the hectic last two minutes. Pfeiffer practically controlled the rebounds during this time.

The Scots were badly off on their foul shots. This probably meant the difference in scores.

Pfeiffer's Dalanick was the game's high scorer with twenty-five points. Parrish was right behind with 24.

Half time score: 24-24. Pfeiffer scoring:

	FG	FT	TP
Kalanick	10	5	25
O'Leary	4	2	10
Salikomitz	3	2	8
Holland	3	—	6
Watson	3	—	6
	24	9	58

P. J. C. Scoring:

	FG	FT	TP
J. Parrish	11	2	24
Fields	2	3	15
Johnson	4	1	9
Carroway	2	1	5
Matthews	1	1	2
	24	7	53

Scotties Overcome Wingate Team

P. J. C. took a very hotly contested game from a strong Wingate five Tuesday night, Feb. 14, by a score of 64-61. The game began slowly but picked up very fast. It was evenly fought through the entire contest. Wingate was ahead 34-30 at half-time, but the Presbyterians came on strong at the beginning of the second half and went ahead only to have it tied up again. Neither team could get more than four points ahead until the Scots got hot and went ahead 54-46 with five minutes left to play. The Wingate team gradually closed the gap, but P. J. C. managed to stay ahead. At the game's end only three points separated the two teams.

Neil Gordon, giant center of Wingate was the game's high man with 21 points. Jerry Parrish was closely covered throughout the entire game but managed once more to be high scorer for the Scots with 16 points. Fields, Matthews, and Johnson played unusually fine floor games. Sid Carroway turned out to be the best ball handler of the game and sank 11 points.

When Johnson fouled out in the last few minutes of play, Clyde Parrish took over admirably. His skillful handling of the ball helped the Scotties keep their lead.

P.J.C. Topples E. M. I.

The P. J. C. Scotties easily defeated E. M. I. here Feb. 3 48-38. Neither team could hit with their shots it seemed. The Scots floor game was off too. Everyone played and the reserves stayed in about half the game.

J. Parrish was not up to his usual form but was the game's high scorer with 17 points. Wadford was high man for the visitors, pushing in 13 markers.

Beards Have Coming-Out Party

By HUGH THOMPSON

It seems that toward the end of the first semester a new fad was started on the campus of P. J. C. It was none other than the manly art (?) of growing a beard.

It started off as a very small thing, as fads will do, and then grew by leaps and bounds (practically inches to feet.) Trent McColl started the beard-growing idea. It's said that he cultivated one last year also. Following close behind Trent was a group of "campus kids" with nothing to do than raise whiskers. They seemed to go on the theory that since nobody but boys and teachers would see them they had nothing to lose. After that, one could see beards sprouting out all over the campus.

The beards were divided, it appeared, into several different groups. First, there was the Mohammedan type, worn by Trent McColl; mustache and goatee connected at the side of the mouth (and in this case dyed black).

Second, there was the "Abe Lincoln" kind which adorned the faces of Roy Wilson, Hunter Henderlite and Henry Marlowe. This type started where one sideburn stopped and ran down around their chins back to their other sideburn.

Third, was the goatee and mustache which Langdon Henderlite cultivated. Langdon seemed to think this type was all right but made it awfully hard to eat spaghetti.

Fourth, was the Gable Mustache which Dan Walton wore. It seems Dan couldn't decide whether to grow a beard or remain clean shaven, so he compromised with the Gable. General opinion is that it looks a darn sight better on Clark.

Finally, there was the type that was called "Attempt" worn by Bobby Laving. One could not tell whether he was raising a beard or whether he had stuck his chin in somebody's can of brown shoe polish.

Now, though, the beards have completely disappeared. It seems that when everybody went home, their beards stayed right here at P. J. C.

PJC Represented At Golden Gloves

P. J. C. this year was represented at the Golden Gloves in Charlotte by George Hartgrove, a youth born and bred in Hamlet, N. C. George is 5 feet 3 inches and is reported to have weighed in at 11 pounds, which would classify him in the fly weight division.

The fights began on the 15th of this month and lasted until the 18th. Each contender was slated for four fights unless he loses in the first division.

Hartgrove's manager and handler was Brooks, a boy from Schoolfield, Virginia. The manager's duty will be to see that the fighter gets plenty of rest and keeps fit at all times and to aid in general in whatever he can towards the fighter's benefit.

These two students left P. J. C. before noon Wednesday morning in order for George to get a hair cut before weighing in. Hartgrove made this statement before leaving, "I'll probably bring back a trophy to P. J. C."

Scotties To Play In Tournament

The Scotties of P. J. C. will play in the Eastern 2nd Sectional Basketball Tournament in Dunn on February 16. For the first time, four teams will be selected from the East to meet the Western powers at Shelby for the State Tournament.

The teams get under way at Dunn and will last from the 16th to the 18th. The two teams which have not been beaten during the contest will play February 18 to determine who is officially the leader of the Eastern Section.

Then the following week on February 23 the winner will make a trip to Shelby and there the state leaders will be determined.

The teams, as we have the schedule, are matched and are listed below.

Pfeiffer vs. E. M. I., Thursday, 2 P. M.

Louisburg vs. Oak Ridge, Thursday, 3:30 P. M.

Wilmington vs. Wingate, Thursday, 7:00 P. M.

P. J. C. vs. Campbell, Thursday, 9:00 P. M.

Scotties Crush Campbell

The Presbyterian Scotties took Campbell easily, 78-54, in the P. J. C. gym on January 21. The Scots built up an early lead and were never headed after that. Once again Jerry Parrish, P. J. C.'s flashy forward, was high point-maker with 25. Close behind him were Fields with 21 and Johnson with 18. Biggers played a fine floor game and was high scorer for Campbell. He racked up 17 tallies.

The entire Scottie team was hitting from all angles. Half-time score was 38-18.

Football Banquet

The members of the 1949 football team gathered at Watson Lake in Red Springs on Thursday night, Feb. 9, for an evening of fun and frolic. The evening started with a chicken fry and ended with the presentation of monograms by Coach Doak.

Plans for the event were made by Bill Jones, Hayne Stratford, John Johnson, and Tommy Stewart. The chief was Luther Huggins (a master at out-door cooking); he was assisted by Pinky McCall, Jim Darnell and Tom Stewart.

James Moss expressed the admiration of the players for the coaches and short talks were made by Coach Doak, Mr. Mock, and Mr. Monsgreau.

Monograms for football were awarded to David Wood, Beverly McIntyre, James Moss, Paul Bean, Sid Carroway, Bill Jones, Clyde Parrish, Charlie Chiles, John Johnson, Bill McIntyre, Jim Darnell, Hynes Stratford, Pete Sellers, Oscar Quinnelly, Tom Fields, Pinky McCall, Tom Stewart, Larry Diggs, Robert Caddell, Hal Sharpe, Bill Matthews, and Elridge Coles.

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