

CHRISTIAN SPORTS

Davidson Second Big Five Team to Be Played by Elon

Team Has Won Seven and Lost Three for Fair Season Thus Far; Teams Failure to Hit Cost Christians Two Games.

The Elon Christians have gotten off to a great start on their 1937 baseball schedule, winning eight out of ten encounters. Of these ten games, three have been of conference rating with Elon being the winner in each case. This places the Christians at the top in the North State conference loop.

In the conference tilts, Elon has twice defeated the Guilford Quakers. The first game being in Greensboro on Easter Monday at the World War Memorial Stadium. In this game the Quakers took the lead for two innings and then the Christians overtook them and piled up a margin that stood pat for the rest of the game. The final score was Elon 9 to Guilford 4.

The next day, Tuesday, March 30, Elon met and made a smashing defeat over the Quakers at the Hillcrest ballpark in Burlington. All through the game the Christians led and piled up a total of 17 runs and did not allow the Quakers to score.

On Friday, April 7, the Christians defeated in High Point, for another conference win, the High Point Panthers. Tommy Williams was called on to pitch again that day and added another win to his credit. The final score was 4 to 1.

In the non-conference games, Elon has been successful in winning five out of a possible seven. This is a very fine record as Elon has played ball against some of the finest college squads in the country this season. Elon split their games with Springfield, each school won one tilt. Springfield took the first by a score of 5 to 2, with the Christians taking the next by a margin of four runs, the score 5 to 1.

A close game was played against the Drexel squad, on March 26 at Comer field, with the Drexel boys being the victors by a small margin of one run, the final count being 8 to 7.

On April 2, in Burlington, the Christians showed excellent form over the Spartans of Michigan State. Tommy Williams allowed only three hits until the ninth inning and then fanned five of the visitors. Paul Royce and "Wheel" Barrow were successful in clouting homers. The final score for this encounter was 6 to 4.

The Christians defeated the Cornell on Comer field by a bare margin of two runs on April 6. This was a very close and interesting tilt all the way through. The final count was Elon 2, Cornell 0.

The Christians defeated the strong Mojud squad in Greensboro on Saturday, April 3, by one run, the score being 7 to 6.

On April 10, the Christians lost to the strong Duke University squad in Burlington. Amos Shelton was successful in getting a home run off of Smith of Duke. The score, Elon 1, Duke 9.

All the games with the Appalachian State Teachers College have been cancelled due to the failure of the Rippers to put out a team because of the severe cold weather this season.

Next on the slate for Elon is another tilt with the High Point Panthers on Comer field at Elon. Following this the Christians will engage the Davidson nine in Greensboro this Saturday at the World War Memorial Stadium. Radio Station WBIG will carry a complete play by play of the game.

RAMBLING

with FRANK DONOVAN

From away down yonder in sunny Florida came echoes of Elon and victories. Rusty Jones and Co. made quite a successful tour down to the land of palm trees and bananas. Seven victories against one defeat is a record of which to be mighty proud. The U. of Florida was the only school to set our boys back on their heels. Mighty nice coats of tan the boys came back with. "Paddle Feet" Greenwald and L. E. Smythe could change places with the power house boys and no one would be the wiser.

A fine brand of baseball is being played by the Elon diamond men. Springfield college, Michigan State, and the Big Red team from Cornell are the big schools that have been knocked over by our boys. Springfield handed Elon its first defeat in the opening game, and Drexel Institute also set the boys back once. The pitching regiment seems to be the team's main asset. "Dopey" Fuller and Tommy Williams have been doing most of the laboring, and are they stingy with their hits? Ask you.

As a proof that smart baseball is being played, look at this. Paul Raye and Benny Bullock were the only Elon players to get hits against Cornell, and both men scored to chalk up the necessary two markers that proved to be the margin of victory, while "Dopey" allowed only three hits and no runs. That is making the hits count and playing an air tight defensive game.

Doc. Dickerson comes to the front once more with his organization of a faculty soft ball team. The team lost a double header in its first time out. Prof. Barbe twirled in both games, and looked mighty good. He didn't even work up a sweat. Dr. Burrows covered a lot of territory out in deep left field, and Dr. Collins played a snappy game at second despite the fact that he tosses the apple from the left hand. The good Doc. Dickerson showed a flash of the ability he used to have when he played for the Washington Senators back in the early, very early, teens.

Becky Anne Holden did a right smart job of umpiring in the second game. Perhaps it would be a good idea to have more female umpires, then a lot of guys wouldn't do so much beefing. Becky sure has a way of quieting those fellows who squawk about

MANY STATE MEN IN MAJORS

THERE'S something in the air. In North Carolina must be a flock of base balls. For the Tarheel State is the birthplace of many who have been and are in the majors. In this Spring no less than 33 of North Carolina's native sons are scattered about the big league training camps flung from the Florida coast to the capital city of Mexico.

Most of them are established as regulars with their clubs. Some are corking pitchers. There are several notable catchers. Nor have the North Carolina boys overlooked the infield and outfield. Although they are not particularly prominent in the gardens in big time.

Of the 16 major clubs, only a couple lack North Carolinians. The Cubs and the Phillies. The American League especially likes Tarheels. It has on its several club rosters 21 with

the Athletics showing marked preference for natives of the Old North State. Connie Mack has five under his wing at Mexico City.

THERE are four Tarheels with the Nationals at Orlando. Cliff Bolton, who never knows whether he is well enough to catch, was born in Greensboro. He got to High Point later. Then to a farm away from town. Monte Weaver, who has been trying a long time to come back after a great pitching debut in major class, was born in Hilton. He has been around plenty since. Buddy Lewis, the kid third baseman who had 'em all Javy last year, is a native of Gastonia. While Bev Ferrell, of the clan of the battery Ferrells, first took up his outfielding work in Durham.

Tarheels with the A's are Eichel and Broadus Culler, infielder who came up from his native town of High Point last year and made a big hit with Connie Mack. Pitchers Herman Fink of Concord and Lee Ross of Newwood. Infielders Al Dean of Mount Airy and Floyd Young of New-

decisions. Isn't that the truth, Dr. Barbe?

Last Saturday faced perhaps the strongest college outfit in the country. The Duke squad has power, defensive ability, and pitching that is second to none. It shouldn't be a bit surprising to anyone to see the entire team in big league uniforms in a few years. Elon held the Blue Devils to fewer runs than any other team has this year, so it may be called a major victory. The defensive pen of the game was "Wimpy" Fowler's remarkable stop and throw of a hard hit ball in back of second base. Amos Shelton and Captain Ambler of Duke tied for clouting honors with a four bagger each. We are all looking forward for a new winning streak.

Girls Athletic Group To Sponsor Play Day

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college, we are hoping for a good response. If the girls are not familiar with some of the above sports, the rules will be explained beforehand, and before play is ended, they will have a fair knowledge of the game. This will help to broaden the activities for the girls in the schools. Ribbons will be awarded the winners. The period after lunch will be given over to a program at which time stunts will be given by the girls of each school represented.

The World's Record Holder... Glenn Hardin... Going Over the Hurdles



WAITING for the gun—when nervous tension reaches the crest. Because he prizes healthy nerves, Glenn Hardin smokes Camels. "They don't get on my nerves," he says.



SAILING over a low hurdle—Glenn's strained face shows how the race drains tremendous physical and nervous energy.



TOPPING a high hurdle—superb form helped Glenn win 2 Olympics—set the world's record. His time for the 400-meter hurdles was sensational—50.6 seconds!

SPRINTING to the finish—Glenn calls on all his reserve energy. And after the finish, he lights a Camel. "Camels give me a lift and ease the tension," he says.

THE YOUNGEST MAN on the Olympic track squad. Glenn Hardin was only 20 years old when he won his first Olympic victory for the U. S. He eats sensibly—takes good digestion for granted. The picture below shows Glenn enjoying his favorite meal—rare, thick, juicy steak,

green vegetables, fruit, milk, and Camels. As Glenn phrases it: "It wouldn't do me much good to eat and not digest properly. So I smoke Camels for digestion's sake. It's grand to light up Camels and enjoy the sense of well-being that comes when digestion's o-kay."



WORKS HARD on all five college courses. "Rege" Kennedy, '40, says: "I smoke Camels pretty steadily—they ease the tension of long, hard concentrating. Camels don't jangle my nerves."

AS SPOKESMAN for the hostesses of a leading air-line, Betty Steffen observes: "Camels help me keep feeling pepped-up. I smoke all I please. Camels never get on my nerves."

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