

What's What

By EMERSON WHATLEY

That schedule Coach Adcox just released is a lulu. Not an easy one in the bunch. First is Catawba. They should be in the Big Five with Duke and Carolina instead of the North State conference. McCrary is always loaded, and Neil Cocherham is back with the Eagles. That's 'nuff sed. The Guilford five will be up there with good material. High Point always has a good team. Appalachian and Lenoir-Rhyne are still strong in the memory of those who saw the games last year. The only unknown quantity is the Eastern Carolina Teachers' College outfit, but those people who remember the Parker twins will know that E. C. T. C. is never a pushover. Looks like a long hard winter.



Wayne Taylor is back from the wars with a discharge pin. It looks mighty good on that lapel, Wayne. Here's hoping you decide to come back to Elon.

Southworth to Boston . . . And we are of the opinion that that isn't going to be the only change in managers in the majors. Two to one before the 1946 season get underway Durocher will be in Yankeeeland as manager of the Bronx Bombers.

Everett Kivett who is a catcher with the Cub baseball farm system, is going to stay at Elon until the end of the year before reporting to Los Angeles in the Pacific Coast league. Kivett is planning to help get the Elon baseballers in shape once the season opens. His experience should be a valuable aid to the Christian one.

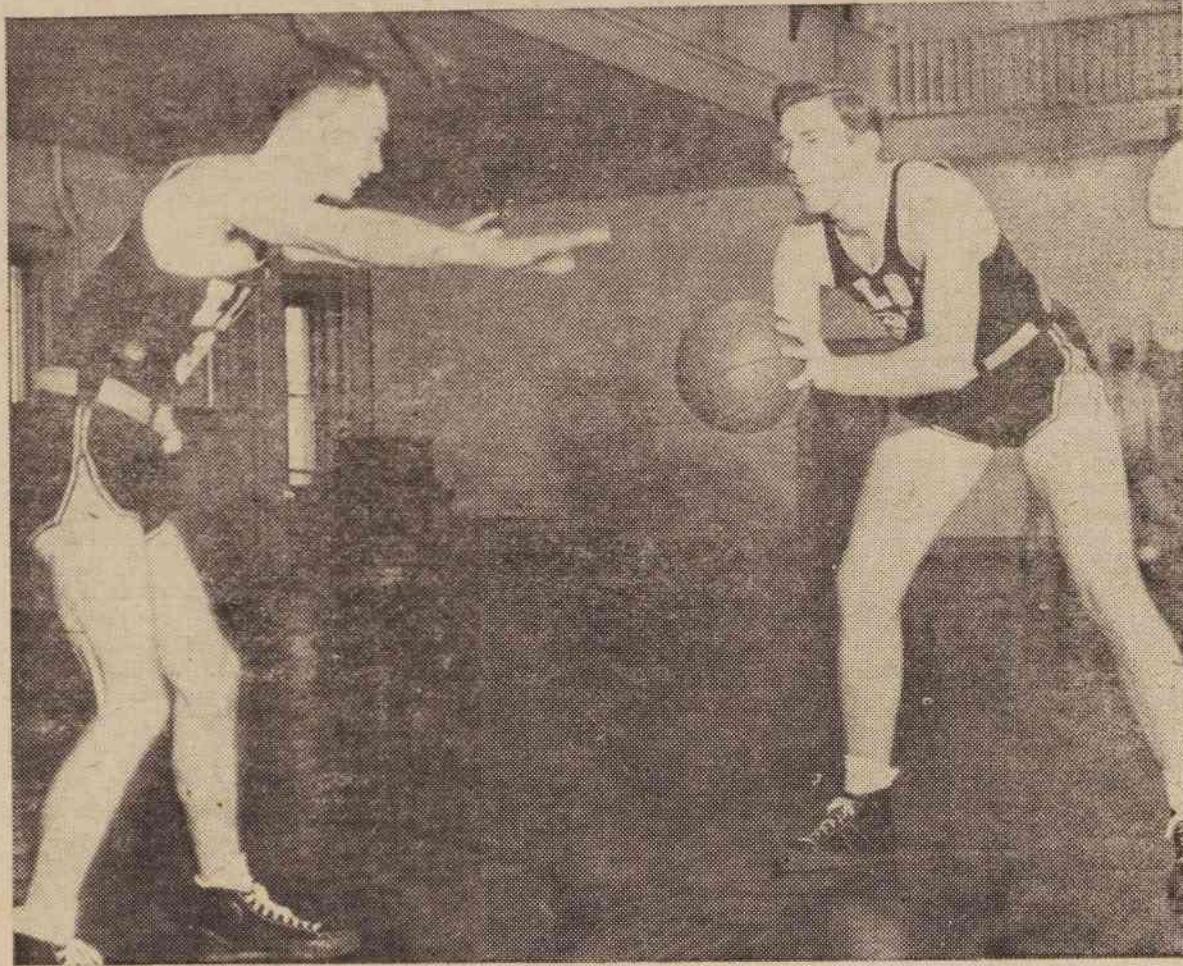
The Duke-Carolina game next Saturday is already listed as a complete sellout. These games are always good and pre-season records might just as well be thrown away when the Blue Devils and the Tar Heels meet. Although Duke won't be the same without Clark, Knotts and LaRue, here goes one vote for Duke. (Editor's Note: Add another vote for Duke).

Well, Elon isn't forgotten. The other night at the Guilford-Appalachian game the vendors were selling Elon pins with Maroon and Gold ribbon. 'Tis rumored that Sonny Hurdle was interested in other colors though.

Jack Chatham of Ossipee played in the second string backfield for Guilford the other night against the Appalachian Mountaineers. Chatham, who played here in last year's high school tournament, was headed for Elon but made some last minute changes and wound up on the Quaker campus.

The sports department made several changes on this page this issue. The entire staff is trying to get some new life into the page and would appreciate any criticism that you may have to offer. Please put all suggestions in the Maroon and Gold mail box just outside the Business Office.

Coach Adcox Announces 20 Game Schedule For '45-'46 Basketball Season



MAROON AND GOLD CAGERS . . . Pictured above are Wayne King of Danville, Virginia, and "Pep" Watkins of Ramseur. Both are running at guard.

Christians Open Season Dec. 5

Coach L. B. Adcox announced today that the schedule for the coming basketball season is practically complete. Games have been carded with seven North State foes but the date of one game is still not definite. Four games have been lined up with independent teams and one out of conference game is definite.

The season opens December 5 when Flying Safety of Winston-Salem meets Elon at Winston. The Winston team comes to Elon for a return game on the eighth and the Maroon and Gold cagers play host to the McCrary Eagles of Asheboro on December 12. Games with other independent outfits are pending.

Immediately after the Christmas holidays the team will make an invasion of Virginia and will meet Rapidan-Macon January 4. Three other teams in Virginia have been written out as yet no games are definite for either the third or fifth. The Christians open conference play at Lenoir-Rhyne on the eleventh and meet Appalachian at Boone on the following night. The team travels to Asheboro on the sixteenth for a game with McCrary and then meets Catawba here on the ninth for their first home conference game. Eastern Carolina Teachers college is next foe. Games are billed for Greenville January 25 and for Elon January 31. The Christians will meet Atlantic Christian College on the trip to Greenville. The game is slated for January 26. A home game will be played with Atlantic Christian, but as yet there is no definite date.

The Christians open the month of February with a game against Catawba at Salisbury on the second and a home game with High Point on the sixth. Lenoir-Rhyne comes here for a game on the ninth and the "Fighting Christians" meet the Guilford Quakers there on January 12. Elon goes to High Point for a game on the 16 and the season closes with Guilford here on the 20 and the Mountaineers from Appalachian here on the 23. No games were carded with Western Carolina Teachers College because of the distance to Cullowhee.

Elon met all of these teams last year except Randolph-Macon and E. C. T. C. The Maroon and Gold lost to all the teams except Atlantic Christian and gained a split with Appalachian in the last game of the season. Elon played several Army teams last year but to date the only service outfit scheduled is the Flying Safety team.

The squad at present has been pared to 14 men so that Coach Adcox may get a better idea of just what he has to work with. It is expected that there will be several basketball players among the veterans who enter school next quarter.

Girls' Sports

By BETTY BENTON

By the time the MAROON AND GOLD is out, and this column is read the finals in the Girls' Volleyball tournament will probably have been played. As the schedule now stands the Wildcats, of 2nd Floor West, will play the Rebels of 9rd Floor West, Wednesday night. The Beasts, of East, will play the winner of this game Thursday night. East won the draw for a bye in the playing off of the three-way tie between Beasts, Wildcats and Rebels.



Everyone is making predictions about who will make All-American, All-Southern conference, and etc., so the sports staff of the MAROON AND GOLD decided to name an All-Star Girls' Volleyball team. These girls were chosen for their general good playing ability, sportsmanship and leadership.

Lib Holland of the Hubbas'. Frances St. Clair of the Beasts. Jo Watts of the Rebels. Margaret Newton of the Beasts. By this time the result of the Tennis Ladder should have been ready for publication. It certainly couldn't have been because the weather was so bad that these matches haven't been played. Not but two matches have been completed, and they are the two which were reported last issue. Come on team managers, let's get those tennis matches off! Show

Margaret Rawls of the Rebels. Hilda Malone of the Wildcats. Dot Shackelford of the Beasts. Audrey Jones of the Rebels. Faye Rickard of the Day Students.

The National Picture

The big game today will be the Penn-Army affair. Both teams have excellent records to date and the game should leave little to be desired on the part of the spectators. Army by two or three touchdowns.

Columbia-Princeton. Lou Little's Lions should have little trouble with the Tigers.

Wake Forest-Carolina. Both teams will go the limit and it should be the best game in the state this week-end. The Demon Deacons by two touchdowns.

Alabama-Vanderbilt. The Commodores should be able to ride over the Crimson Tide but we'll take Alabama by as many touchdowns as they want. St. Mary's-U. C. L. A. The Galloping Gales meet their stiffest test against the Golden Bears. One hesitant vote for St. Mary's.

Minnesota-Iowa University. Another win for Bernie Bierman's men. Michigan-Purdue. This one should be a lulu. Three looks into the crystal ball and it comes out Michigan.

Tulane-Clemson. This will be one of the top games of the day with a lot of scoring in the offing. This department thinks that Tulane will do most of it.

Cornell-Dartmouth. A close game here. The coin comes up heads and that means Cornell by maybe the extra point.

Indiana-Pitt. Since the "big man" in the print shop comes from the "Hoosier" campus we will have to string along with Indiana and keep our fingers crossed.

Texas-Texas Christian. Close. The coin rolled around on the floor and finally stopped beside a table leg. Let's call it a tie.

Northwestern-Notre Dame. This one like all the others will be close but with Dancewick pitching 'em for the Irish, they should come out on top.

Colgate-Syracuse. Syracuse will

some of the spirit that has been shown during the volleyball season.

Everyone will be glad to hear that the girls will begin to play basketball as soon as we get back from the Thanksgiving vacation. These will only be practice games, for the real season doesn't start until after the Christmas holidays, but it is something to be looking forward to with eagerness. If there is as much enthusiasm displayed toward basketball in proportion to its popularity as there is toward volleyball, we really should see some good games. It will be a time for the Freshmen to show what kind of ball players they are, also.

Plans Being Completed For New Gymnasium

Among the first of the buildings to be built in the Elon College expansion program will be a new gymnasium. The structure will be situated on the north side of Highway 100, and will face what is now the Burlington-Gibsonville highway entrance on the north side of the campus. Plans are now in the hands of an architect and construction will begin as soon as material is available.

The first floor will house the basketball court and gymnasium apparatus. The basement will contain bowling alleys and shuffleboard courts. In the rear of the basement will be an indoor swimming pool with all modern facilities. It is hoped

that a steel locker system will be available by the time the construction starts.

When completed the building will be the most modern structure of its kind in the state. The lighting and ventilation will be on a par with anything found in any gymnasium in the state. Seats for spectators will be of the folding, disappearing type. Seating capacity will be from 1500 to 2500, depending upon final working out of plans.

The alumni of the college have accepted the gymnasium as their part of the program and funds are being raised through an alumni committee.

probably trim the Red Raiders handily but when these two meet anything can happen. Syracuse.

Georgia Tech-Louisiana State. Louisiana stopped Georgia and Trippi so they should have little trouble with the Yellow Jackets. Georgia and Trippi.

We missed only one last week. That was the Notre Dame-Army affair which ended in a 6-6 deadlock. Our score was 13-6 Notre Dame. Too bad

the Fighting Irish end couldn't get that last foot.

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