

# WHAT'S WHAT

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Without making any bones about the matter, this corner thinks that the officiating at some of the more recent games has been, to say the least, rather rough. The games at E. C. T. C. and A. C. C. almost ended in riots. The game at Catawba last Saturday night was almost a farce as far as the officials were concerned. The game started with only one official. After about five minutes of play the other showed up. From all indications it would have been just as well if he had stayed at home. We are not saying that the officials were partial toward one team or the other. We are saying that they seemed to take no interest in the game and it appeared to the fans, both Elon and Catawba, that the officials decidedly had an off night. Some of the officials have been good. No one could ask or better work than has been given by Culler, Cheek, Ripple and Hedrick. Some of the others however do not seem to understand the game. Perhaps it is because they are poorly paid. It could be that they are accustomed to service teams. At least that is the excuse that has been offered by at least two of them. How can this be explained though when

nine of the 13 men on the squad are veterans and have been playing ball while in service? Maybe Mr. Plaster can give us an answer.

Well, I suppose this is the last WHAT'S WHAT that will come off the line. You see, Professor Hook checked in his little black book the other day and told me that I could graduate come March 1. I'm gonna miss the M & G office and all the swell people connected with the paper. In fact I'm gonna miss Elon. Now I have to go out somewhere and get a job and start to work. Anyway, this column was started my freshman year when Faye Thomas was editor of the paper. The next year Mary Ellen McCants censored my nonsense, and finally I started work under my present editor, Tom Horner. It has been lots of fun and some hard work and I'm sorry it is all over. The new man who is taking over has had vastly more experience than I have and will get this page on the ball. Before he came to Elon he was sports editor of the Port Chester, New York, Daily Item. Here's our new sports editor, Al Burlingame. Right, Al?

## ELON TRIPS A. C. C. IN CLOSE GAME

In a rough and tumble affair Saturday night January 26, at Wilson, the Elon cagers stopped the Atlantic Christian Cagers 44-41. The Elon team made a whirlwind start and ran up 10 points before A. C. C. scored, but the Bulldogs rallied then and drew up within 5 points at the end of 10 minutes of play. The team apparently tired just before the half and led A. C. C. only 20-19 at intermission. At the beginning of the second half the Elon team scored two quick field goals to go ahead but Atlantic Christian came back and it was nip and tuck for the rest of the game. Fred Register sunk two foul throws with 40 seconds to go to put the game on ice and then Roney Cates sunk a foul shot after the game ended to make the score 44-41. Cates and Burns led the Elon attack with 15 points each and Joe Golombek once again played the outstanding defensive game of the night. Chapen, A. C. C. forward, led the Bulldog attack with 14 points.

The box:

ELON					
Pos.—Player	Fg	Ft	F	Tp	Ftm
F—Burns	6	3	4	15	3
F—Kernodle	3	2	4	8	1
F—Register	0	2	1	2	0
C—Cates	5	5	4	15	3
C—Taylor	0	0	3	0	1
G—Golombek	0	0	1	0	1
G—Castura	0	4	1	4	2
Totals	14	16	18	44	11

A. C. C.					
Pos.—Player	Fg	Ft	F	Tp	Ftm
F—Chapen	7	0	5	14	7
F—Fussell	3	0	4	6	1
F—Smith	5	2	3	12	0
C—Thorne	2	1	1	5	6
C—Brooks	1	2	2	4	0
G—Benton	0	0	0	0	0
G—Goodwin	0	0	5	0	2
Totals	18	5	20	41	16

## COLLEGE GETS TWENTY HOUSING UNITS

The college has received an initial allotment of twenty temporary housing units and is making plans for an attractive campus cottage layout to house married veterans and their families, Paul C. Plybon, field secretary, recently announced. The units will be released to Elon by the Federal Housing Authority as partial fulfillment of an application placed some time ago. With approximately thirty married couples now in school, more are expected, and the college is seeking to obtain fifty more temporary units.

Each unit consists of two bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen and bath, and is made up in sections that can be assembled in forty-eight hours according to government specifications. Complete with all necessary wiring and plumbing, one of the units needs only to be connected to water and sewer lines and electricity after it is erected. The only costs to students occupying the units will be maintenance, lights, heat, and water, all of which is expected to total about \$20 a month. The houses are for veterans only.

The houses are not expected to start arriving until late next month, but war vets may enroll in school at any time. The college has provided facilities for married veterans and their wives, but there are no accommodations yet available for children.

## MARIMBA PLAYER GIVES CONCERT

Lynn Burton Jackson, talented marimba player, gave a recital in Whitley Auditorium for the college and community on Monday evening, January 23. He began the program with Handel's "Largo." Other selections were "Indian Love Call," "Claire de Lune," "Liebestraum," and Chopin's "Polonaise in G" and "Etude in C." Encores were "Stardust" and Schubert's "Ave Marie."

Many members of the appreciative audience remained after the concert, and Mr. Jackson obliged them with informal playing of request numbers.

# Joe Golombek, Steve Castura And Wayne Taylor Lead Elon Defense

## "HAP" PERRY IS BUILDER OF MEN

Most of us had feared that sooner or later it would happen, and so it did. L. J. "Hap" Perry, who for nineteen years has coached Reidsville High School's Golden Lions to the pinnacles of success, has been lured away to a college post.

It isn't strange. The only strange thing is that we have been able to keep him here as long as we have. With the fine record he has established here it is only natural that sooner or later he would be beckoned to greener fields. It isn't the first time he has been offered a job as a college mentor. But his pleasant relations here with the citizens of this town and his association with the many outstanding boys with whom he has worked these many years had great influence in keeping him here.

Nearby Elon College, where he made fame as a quarterback in his college days, was badly in need of a football coach. There could be but one choice. "Hap" Perry was the man for the job, for during the nineteen years he coached the Golden Lions his team won 161 games, lost 42 and tied seven for a percentage of .783.

His teams won seven class "B" state championship titles and one co-state championship title. One of his teams was held to a tie in the finals, and only two of the ten teams he carried to Chapel Hill were defeated.

I don't know of anyone who can get more out of his boys than does "Hap" Perry. So many times when his material appeared weak he would surprise everyone with a winner. He is truly a builder of men. He taught his boys to plock and tackle with precision. He developed great passers, great kickers, and great runners. His lines, frequently outweighed by other lines, would outcharge, outfight and outplay the opponent as his smart speedy backs would run at will.

His long and short punt formations, which are rarely used by other teams, are hard to solve. His end runs with beautiful downfield blocking have been nightmares to his opponents. His passing attacks have always been hard to stop, and when his teams were stopped on the ground they could always take to the air and gain.

His teams were taught to think. All Reidsville teams were smart, and knew how to cope with every situation. It never was easy to outsmart the Lions.

Above all, he taught his boys to be good sports, to play the game as



it should be played, hard and clean. The Lions were always good losers when they were beaten fairly. And there were many times that the Lions were not beaten fairly.

"Hap" Perry is also a master of defense. He always had an answer for the formations and plays that were used against his teams. His teams were seldom beaten badly, and it was a rare thing for a team to score more than two touchdowns against the Lions.

There can be no doubt that "Hap" Perry will be a successful college mentor. I don't know of anyone who knows and understands the game better than he does. Anyone with his knowledge of the game and his ability to handle men would succeed whether in college or high school circles. Paul Brown and Wally Butts, both former high school coaches, went straight into college coaching with immediate success. I honestly believe that if "Hap" Perry should coach at some major university he would rate among the best coaches in the country.

He has written football history here in Reidsville, and the beautiful Kiker stadium is a tribute to him and his Golden Lions.

Although his many friends hate to see him go, they wish him much success and sincerely hope that he will reach the top in the coaching profession.—Reprinted from John Oliver's Sports Review, in the Reidsville Review.

## Elon Drops Game To Catawba 43-26

In a game last Saturday night played at Salisbury, the Elon cagers fell before the Catawba Indians, 43-26. The Indians held the Elon team to their lowest point total of the year and lowered the Christians' average of 48 points per game.

Tinker McGinnis, Catawba guard, broke the hearts of the Elon fans with his set shots from midcourt and also dogged Warren Burns during the entire game. Bob Van Hoy, forward, hit 4 overhead shots for nine points in comparison to McGinnis' total of 14.

Don Kernode led the Elon attack both under Elon's basket and under the Catawba bucket. He had eight points for the night. Warren Burns hit four field goals for a total of eight points and Roney Cates had two field goals and five foul shots for nine points. Joe Golombek played a fine floor game and controlled rebounds in spite of the fact that he was fouled repeatedly under the Catawba basket.

The box:

ELON					
Pos.—Player	Fg	Ft	F	Tp	Ftm
F—Burns	4	0	4	8	2
F—Register	0	1	1	1	0
F—Harris	0	0	1	0	0
F—Kernode	4	0	4	8	1
F—Anderson	0	0	1	0	0
C—Cates	2	5	1	9	4
C—Taylor	0	0	0	0	0
G—Golombek	0	1	1	1	0
G—Boynton	0	0	0	0	0
G—York	0	0	0	0	0
G—Castura	1	0	1	2	0
Totals	11	7	14	29	7

CATAWBA					
Pos.—Player	Fg	Ft	F	Tp	Ftm
F—Taylor	3	1	2	7	2
F—Gabriel	0	0	1	0	0
F—Hartman	0	0	1	0	0
F—Van Hoy	4	1	4	9	1
F—Feimster	1	0	0	2	0
C—Gudger	3	0	2	6	0
G—Speacht	1	3	1	5	3
G—Richardson	0	0	0	0	0
G—McGinnis	6	2	3	14	2
G—Smith	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	18	7	14	43	8

## JOKERS TAKE LEAD IN INTRAMURALS

The Jokers and Bombardiers, both unbeaten, battled for the lead in the men's intramural basketball league on January 24, and when the smoke had cleared away, the scoreboard showed the Jokers perched on top of the heap by virtue of a defensive 35-23 victory. Starring for the winners were Eddie Mulford and Wayne King, both of whom broke the previous league scoring record of ten points held by Link Howard of the Gremlins. Mulford's 16 points was the new high; King netted 12. Big qua for the losing Bombardiers was W. D. Little, who tallied seven points, including three sensational one-handed shots.

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## Girls' Sports

By BETTY BENTON



Under the direction of Demon Dave "Shoeball" McClenny, several new activities have been recently added to the girls gym class. Dave has had the girls doing calisthenics, going on hikes, playing leap frog, running relays, and doing some outside marching. Some of these calisthenics were really tough and the girls say that they will be sore for a month. Leap frog is a lot of fun though, unless some over-developed person is in front of you.

Only two games have been played in the intramural program since the last issue of the M & G came out. On January 23, the Rebels won from the Wildcats 37-12. Hazel Cole led the Rebels with 15 points. Her fast-breaking crisp shots ran the Wildcat guards ragged. Ruby Wheelless led the Wildcat attack with three points.

On January 30, the East Dormitory team defeated Ladies' Hall 10-3. Grace Ward led the East team by getting 7 of the ten points. Most of

these came from set shots around the foul circle. Mary Yarborough led the Ladies' Hall team and scored all of their points.

There are now only three games remaining on the schedule. They are as follows:

February 14: Day Students vs. Rebels.

February 18: Wildcats vs. East.

February 25: Hubbas vs. Day Students.

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