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## Christians Gain Revenge With Win Over Panther Quintet

ELON CAGE STARS FLY INTO STRATOSPHERE IN FINE WIN OVER HIGH POINT Elon Downs High Point



H. the which the world is giving to flight into the stratosphere and outer space to the stratosphere themselves at times in this year's cage warfare r caught two such instances in Elon's fine victory over the High Point M THE MA nostar, wearing Number 12 in the picture above left, seems to fire a two-pointer above the High Point defenders; and Jesse high "tht, is spread-eagled in upper space, after hauling down a Panthers.



With spring about to burst worth moved past the Bears to the top and a con colors, we also see spot, only to see the Lenoir Rhyne January 16th. the staroon and Gold colors of entry regain the lead. So, it is Elon', ports squads bursting out the usual topsy-turvy Conference all over the Elon campus. The ace as the teams fight right down characterized their play in two basketball team has Kept its col- to the wire for the leadership. ors flying high and migue,

through most of the season, and we can also turn to other points as the pairings are made for the hey chalked a second win over to 75 margin. on the campus and see the foot- tournament play. At present it Guilford for the year and moved ball wearers of Maroon and Gold would appear that the top-ranked to a 7-1 mark in Carolinas Congoing at it. In spring practice, or teams will come from a trio that ference play and a 15-3 oerall a glance in other directions may includes Elon, East Carolina and mark for the year. reveal arms and legs flashing as Lenoir Rhyne, with Western Car-Christian athletes begin prepara- plina or High Point likely to grab into the act in rebound play as tion for baseball, golf, and other fourth seeded spot on the brackets, the Elon outfit dragged down 63

spring sports. Of course the regular football to fill out the big meet are Pfeif- seasonal high mark. The Quakers season, is long since gone into fer, Catawba and Appalachian. had to make their first shot good if history, and this basketball sea- The Newberry Indians, in their they hoped to score, for Jesse son will soon pass into the record first season in the Conference, are Branson, Sonny Smith and Dewey books, but the coming of spring not playing eough games to qual Andrew were sweeping the boards promises plenty of action and in- ify for tourney play, and both with able help from the Christian terest for those of us who follow Guilford and Atlantic Christian guards. and

Hot In Win **Talking Sports** At Guilford With PHET MARSHBURN

With big Dewey Andrews rackmark of the year as they swampd the Guilford College Quakers The Christians were quite clear-

**Andrew Hits** 

a tight defense and terrific re- an overtime engagement at Salis-We'll be watching with interest bound play to their scoring as bury on January 27th by an 80

The entire Christian squad got The other teams slated at present rebounds during the game, also a Dewev Both Elon and Guilford started slowly, with Elon moving to a 5-0 lead after four minutes, but the when the reserves took over six Guilford (63) Wyckoff (7 ..... Ward (8) .... Burwell G-Morningstar (6) ..... Allred (2) Half-time score: Elon 42, Guilford 28.

with 13 of his 20 field goal attempts for a 65 per cent accuracy mark, and he was good on seven of eight free throw chances Dave Winfrey and sophomore Roland Miller, a pair of Elon's re serve guards, were other Christians in double digits, Winfrey hitting 14 and Miller 11 points. Christians hit their stride at the point and swept to a 42-28 margin by half-time. Guilford cut the edge to nine early in the second half. but Elon had a 28-point spread minutes before the end, and the Christian reserves widened the lead. Pos.-Elon (88) F-Branson (7) ..... Kuzma (8) F-Smith (4) ..... C-D. Andrew (33) G-Teague (8)

## **Christians Divide Tilts** With Catawba's Indians

proke even with the Catawba Ind- Indians slowing the pace in an ing 33 points for his highest sin- lans in their annual part of care chort to chort to work in and Branson pulled down 20 re-Elon Christians also hit their high both engagements going into ov- the first half as the Christians hit bounds during the game, which ertime periods before the rival on 14 of 15 free throw attempts which saw Elon lead the Pointers could reach a decision. The Christians turned back the Dewey Andrew paced Elon with Smith hit 13 to lead the Panthers

extra-time battle on the Elon court ting 13 and Gary Teague 11 dur- Fallin counting 10 points each. here on Saturday night, January ing the game. Johnson topped Catly out of the slump which had 13th and then the Indians revers- awba with 23 points, with Sessoms The Panthers had won the earl- as 20 points advantage at 72-52 previous games, for they added ed the decision when they won adding 16 for the night.

The first meeting here at Elon

38 to 53 here on Tuesday night, invading Indians 62 to 54 in the 17 points, with Jesse Branson get- scoring, with Dale Neel and Bull

INDIANS WIN AT HOME

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## Here By 70-64 Margin

Revenge was never sweeter than when the Fighting Christian cagturned back the High Point anthers 70' to 64 in Elon's Alum-

WHO SCORED? HOME GAME

AWAY GAME

The Christians, who were top

10 after seven minutes, but the

me threw a "defensive

With Phil Garrison leading the

ark, the Panthers went ahead by

as much as three points late in

star put Elon ahead at 38-37 and at 40-39 early in the final half,

out that was the end of the road

or Coach Bill Miller's boys for

Dave Wickham, Dale Neel and

Bill Fallin joined with Garrison in

the High Point drive which gave

Coach Virgil Yow's boys as much

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eh night.

F-Branson (18)

Nolan, 2, Fallin 4.

H. Point (64) Garrison (6)

Smith (13)

Neel (10)

Nolan (9) Keith (9)

II. Point (81)

Garrison (29)

Unger (1)

Neel (7)

Keith (21)

Memorfal Gymnasium on Pos.-Elon (70) Thursday night, February 1st, to F-Branson (21) ven the count with the PPanthers F-Davis (4) or a startling 81 to 68 upset lick- C-D. Andrew (27) administered to the Elon cag- G--Morningstar (13) ers on the High Point floor on G-Teague (2) aturday night, January 20th Half-time: Elon 42, High Point The Christians ripped out to a 29.

commanding 13-point lead over Elon subs-Winfrey 3, Smith. the Panthers in the second battle High PoPint subs-Wickham 7, on the Elon court on February 1st Fallin 10. and then staved off a desperate ally by the High PoPinters dur-

ng the second half to post the 70 Pos .- Elon (69) 64 victory. The Panthers came to Elon with F-Smith string of five consecutive vict- C-D. Andrew (18). ories, but Coach Yow's team fourself beaten back off the boards G-Morningstar (13) by the rebounding play of Jesse Half-time: High Point 37, Elon anson and Dewey Andrew.

he Elon defense shackled the us- Elon subs-Winfrey 6, Miller 2, ally deadly shooting of Phil Gar- H. Andrew, Davis. High Point on and Dave Wickham in the subs-Wickham 11, B. Smith 2, rly stages of the game Meanwhile, Dewey Andrew hit

points' during the first half to everal of the Christian players ace the Christians to a 42-29 mar- were weakened by attacks of flu. in at the half-time intermission. .drew met with a strong Panth- ping the Conference at that time defense in the second half, but were away in front and led 16esse Branson and Bill Morning. 10 after seven minutes, but the tar picked up the Christian lead-High Pointers caught fire in their ership as they topped the Elon shooting at that point and at the scoring in the final twenty minutes

whammy" ino the high-geared Elon still lead by 14 points eigh Elon offensive. minutes into the final half, bu the High Pointers began closing way, seemingly unable to miss the gap at that point to offer a from either floor or free throw

real hreat. However, Branson bagged five consecutive points in the closing minutes to keep the victory the half and by a single point at 37-36 at the break. Buckets by Dewey Andrew hit 27 and Jesse Dewey Andrew and Bill Morning-

manson 21 to lead the Elon attack,

for meeting with Elon on the High with six minutes left in the game. Point floor on Saturday pight, Jan-Gary Teague staged a personal Point floor on Saturday night, Jan-The Indians gained revenge by unry 20th, a game which was play- drive for Elon at that point to winning the second battle on their ed in the midst of Elon's mid-year narrow the lead, but Branson, Tea-

examinations and at a time when

THEY LEAD CHRISTIANS IN CAGE TOURNAMENT Pfeiffer '5' **Downs Elon** By 75 To 66

> Playing with a hot hand from the floor, the Pfeiffer Falcons shelled the basket from all angles a cond-half comback that gave the

The Fighting Christian cagers was a slow-down battle, with the safely in the bag. and moved to a 34-24 halftime lead. 47 to 43 off the Boards. Barry

fortunes of our Maroon Gold teams.

Of course, basketball is still on the scene, with the all-important Elon Cage Games Carolinas Conference tournament coming up next week at Lexington. Just as is the case in the Atlantic Coast Conference, so it is in the Carolinas Conference, with the annual tournament settling the championship, and the eyes of all Elon fans will be turning toward Lexington YMCA next weekend. The Christian cagers have lost some games in regular-season play that seemingly should have been ours, but the season standings only determine the seedings for the tournament, and we feel that the Christians stand an excellent chance of coming through the tournament. After all, they have already been to the finals of one tourney and have won another this year.

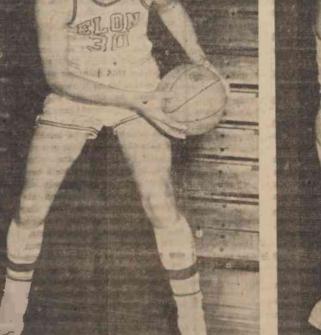
There was a period earlier in the season when the Christians were topping the standings, with Dewey Andrew, Jesse Branson and their mates setting a hot pace for all. Then, after Elon experienced some rough nights, the Lenoir Rhyne Bears moved up into the spot which they have held so often in years past, but East Carolina

(Continued on Page Four) Elon 78, Pfeiffer 73. Elon 69, Wofford 65. Elon 82, A.C.C. 58. Elon 77, Wofford 61. Elon 83, Guilford 57. Elon 81, Hampden-Sidney 70. Elon 81, Randolph Macon 60. Elon 65, Fort Lee 76. Elon 53, Cumberland 59. Elon 86, Cumberland 88. Elon 74, Ga. Southern 57. Elon 84, East Carolina 61. Elon 79, Pikeville 70. Elon 73, A.C.C. 57. Elon 65, East Carolina 67. Elon 78, Appalachian 51. Elon 65, Pembroke 43. Elon 62. Catawba 54 Elon 88, Guilford 53 Elon 69, High Point 81 Elon 75, Catawba 80 Elon 75, Campbell 66 Elon 70, High Point 64 Elon 48, West Carolina 71 Elon 66, Pfeiffer 75 Elon 45, Appalachian 72 Elon 75, East Carolina 66 (Remaining Games

minated

Feb. 17-West Carolina, home

Elon subs-Davis 2, H. Andrew,



Gary Teague, left, and Dewey Andrew, right, are the junior co-captains of the Elon College cage Hughes 1, Miller 11, Winfrey 14, squad this season, and the two will lead the Christians into the annual Carolinas Conference tourn-Myers 2. Guilford subs-Milner 2, ament, which starts at the Lexongton YMCA next Wednesday. Both Teague and Andrew are play-Raab 3, Parker 13, Curran 2, ing their third season in Maroon and Gold basketball togs, and both have played fine roles in mak-Whiteley, Turlington 4, Updegraff ing the current campaign a successful one.

Pfeiffer outfit an upset 75 to 66 victory over the Elon Christians nere on Tuesday night, February 6th.

Dewey Andrew, Elon's big center, gained a slight edge over Pfeiffer's Bobby Franks in the individual scoring duel between the two top shooters in the Carolinas Conference, with the Elon star hitting 17 points compared with Frank's 15 counters.

Bobby Franks also figured in another interesting individual contest, for he is the leading rebounder in the Conference and found simself pitted against Elon's Jesse Branson, who is in second spot in the season rebounding figures. Both Franks and Branson pulled down 16 rebound 16 rebounds in this battle.

Dewey Andrew and Jesse Branson each hit 17 points to lead the homestanding Christians,

Pos-Elon (66) PPfeiffer (75) F-Branson (17) Franks (16) F-H. Andrews (3) .... Blake (14) C-D. Andrew (17) McManus (18) G-Morningstar (12) Hottinger 7 Lentz (18) G-Teague (11) ..... Half-time: Elon 35, Pfeiffer 29. Elon subs-Davis 4, Smith, Miller 2, Winfrey. Pfeiffer sub-Johnson 3.

