

# Elon Netters Top Quakers Twice To End Losing Streak

## Christian

### Scratch Sheet

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After spending the last few weeks writing a series of rebuttals, charges and similar items, I have decided to take it easy this time and let someone else do my writing job for me; so Coach Gary Mattocks, Elons head football mentor, has agreed to write the "Scratch Sheet" for me this time, writing below on the topic of the Christian football squad for the coming 1966 season. Coach Mattocks takes over here:

The 1966 Fighting Christian football team will place its hopes of redeeming a catastrophic 2-8 record in '65 on the shoulders of 19 returning lettermen and a crop of husky and highly talented freshmen. Recent spring drills culminated with a Varsity-Alumni game which saw a returning letterman at every position for the varsity.

At the all-important quarterback spot was rising sophomore Burgin Beale. A more experienced Beale at 6-2 and 205 pounds should be trouble for opponents this fall. The fullback will be a 5-11 and 205-pound junior, Perry Williams, from Oxford, who was used mostly on defense last fall but won the starting job with hard power running in spring drills.

The running back will be Gary Jordan, a 6-1 and 220-pounder from Suffolk, Va. Jordan has great potential, and it is the hope of all Christian followers that '66 will see this potential fully explode. Jordan will handle much of the punting. At the flanker position will be David Gentry, a junior speedster from Edneyville. Gentry, who was slowed by a knee injury last fall after a sparkling, 9-touchdown season as a freshman, now seems fully healed and ready for '66. Much of the season's success could depend on the little speedster's performance.

At center during the spring drills was Ray Wilson, a senior from McColl, S. C., who weighs in at 200 pounds. A vicious competitor, Wilson can always be counted on for a hundred per cent effort. The left guard is Lloyd Kanipe, a 220-pound sophomore from Charlotte, who is regarded by coaches as one of the finest prospects ever to wear the Maroon and Gold. Teaming with him at the other guard is Lee Johnson, a 220-pound junior from Asheboro. A hard-nosed competitor, Johnson should be ready for a banner year.

The offensive tackles will be

named by Co-Captain Mackie and sophomore Wesley Carden. A steady, dependable player, Carden is a senior transfer from Wake Forest and hails from Durham. Gilliam is a 200-pounder from Western Alamance High, and he is a rising star at Elon. Gilliam is a born leader, and his constant hustling is an inspiration to all around him.

At the tight end is Richard Williamson, a 6-2 and 230-pound behemoth from Sanford. A mainstay of the coming season's success will depend on his performance at this position. The coaches feel that "Moose" can do the job. He will probably play on defense too. The split end will be senior Pete Jarvis from Burlington's Williams High. A sure-handed receiver, who stands 6-2 and weighs 190 pounds, Jarvis should be a favorite target for Beale's aeriels.

Defensive specialists will be Co-Captain Joe Robinson, a 210-pound senior transfer from Clemson. Joe was elected along with Carden to lead the Christians on the comeback trail in 1966. David Oliphant, a swift and deadly tackling sophomore from Mooresville, will be at one of the defensive corners. Oliphant was one of the few bright spots of the dismal 1965 season. A 9.9 second sprinter, he is a valuable asset.

The free safety will be Ron Foresta, a defensive veteran from Brookline, N.Y. Gene Brewer will hold down one of the defensive end positions, and there is none better throughout the Carolinas Conference. A tough-as-nails 185-pounder. Gene hails from Mount Olive.

H. L. Robinson, a senior from Lumberton, and Bill Miele, a sophomore from Irvington, N. J., will share the "monster" job on defense. Miele is also a hard-running ball carrier who will see action behind Jordan at the running back spot. Doug Amick, a senior letterman from Burlington, will share the fullback duties with Williams. A 200-pound veteran, Amick can always be depended on for an all-out effort.

Mike Ray, another Burlington boy, will back Williamson at the tight end position. Hampered by injuries this spring, Ray should be ready in the fall. Bobby Ferrell, a 250-pound letter tackle from Cary, is another who was injured last year. If in good physical

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## Elon Cindermen Defeated By Wofford And Brevard

The Elon track squad swept the first three places in the century dash but could not match that performance in other events as the Christians finished behind Wofford and Brevard in a triangular cinder meet on the Wofford track on March 30th. The scores showed Wofford 70, Brevard 66 and Elon 24 points.

The Elon sweep in the 100 yard dash showed Wayland Pond, Dave Oliphant and Dave Gentry finishing in that order. These three boys also joined with Donald Goldberg to win the 440-yard relay.

The summary:

100 YARD DASH: Pond (E), Oliphant (E), tie for fourth by Ward (B) and Backston (W). TIME: 10.6 secs.

220 YARD DASH: Crout (W), Ward (B), Oliphant (E), Gentry (E). TIME: 23.5 secs.

440 YARD DASH: Sherren (B), Franks (E), Perrow (W), Spitz (W). TIME: 53.4 secs.

880 YARD RUN: Hodge (B), Walton (W), Hubner (B), Franks (E). TIME: 2 mins. 4 secs.

MILE RUN: Bruce (B), Hodge (B), Hubner (B), Harkey (W). TIME: 4 mins. 43.3 secs.

TWO-MILE RUN: Hubner (B), Bruce (B), Hodge (B), Harkey (W). TIME: 10 mins. 31.7 secs.

120 HIGH HURDLES: Thompson (B), Lemmons (W), Perrow (W), McCrary (W). TIME: 16 secs.

330 INTERMEDIATE HURDLES: Thompson (B), Lemmons (W), McCrary (W), Wolfe (B). TIME: 41.4 secs.

HIGH JUMP: Lemmons (W), Wolfe (B), Perrow (W), Obrecht (E). HEIGHT: 6 feet.

BROAD JUMP: Sim (B), Lemmons (W), Pond (S), Wolfe (B). DISTANCE: 20 feet 1 inch.

POLE VAULT: Tally (W), Anderson (E), Henry (B). HEIGHT: 11 feet.

SHOT PUT: Hannon (W), Ferrell (E), Ellison (W), Phillips (W). DISTANCE: 47 feet 6 1/2 inches.

DISCUS: Lemmons (W), Hannon (W), Gilliam (E), Arrick (B). DISTANCE: 131 feet 5 inches.

JAVELIN: Hannon (W), Havenstar (W), Lemmons (W), Miele (E). DISTANCE: 173 feet.

MILE RELAY: Brevard, Wofford. TIME: 3 mins. 42.3 secs.

440-YARD RELAY: Elon, Brevard. TIME: 45 secs.

## THEY CARRY PITCHING LOAD FOR ELON SQUAD



Five of the Fighting Christian pitching staff are pictured above. From left to right, the pitchers shown are Larry Collins, a sophomore from Greensville, Fla.; Jack Burt, a senior from Greenville, S. C.; Paul Amundsen, a freshman from Kencington, Md.; Burgin Beale, a sophomore from Danville, Va.; and Herbie Johnson, senior from Burlington. Pitchers not shown include Perry Williams, a senior from Oxford, and Ray Wilson, a junior from McColl, S. C., and S. C.

## Newberry In Double Win Over Elon Baseball Nine

The Newberry Indians grabbed a double baseball win over the Elon Christians here on Saturday, April 2nd, winning a tight mound duel by a 1 to 0 count and then taking a hitting battle in the nightcap by a 6 to 5 margin in the pair of Carolinas Conference contests.

The opener of the Conference double bill saw Tommy Grant, Newberry ace, and Herbie Johnson, Elon southpaw, hook up in a redhot mound duel. Each pitcher allowed only three hits, with Grant walking none and fanning three and Johnson walking two and striking out four men.

The Newberry score that clinched the victory came in the sixth inning on a walk, a sacrifice hit and a pair of singles. Except for that one rack, Johnson allowed only one safety and had set the Indians down in one-two-three order in each of the first five innings. Grant also had five one-two-three innings against Elon.

The nightcap battle was a different story, with each team unleashing batting rallies in the early frames. Elon grabbed a 2-0

margin in the first, but Newberry came back with two in the second and one in the third, with the Indians unlimbering solo homers in each of these two racks, the two round-trippers coming off the bats of Steve Annan and Jack Whitesides.

The Christians plated three more runs in the bottom of the third on singles by Burgin Beale, Joe Byrtus, Marshall Montgomery and Tom Hauser and a pair of sacrifice hits by Comar Shields and Ron Foresta; but the Indians went back on top for keeps with a three-run rally in the fourth.

(FIRST GAME)

	R	H	E
Newberry	000	001	0-1 3 1
Elon	000	000	0-0 3 0

Grant and Werts, Johnson and Newsome.

(SECOND GAME)

	R	H	E
Newberry	021	300	0-6 12 1
Elon	203	000	0-5 8 2

Long, Grant (3) and Werts; Beale, Amundsen (4), Moon (7) and Newsome. WP - Grant. LP - Beale. HR - Annan (Newberry), Whitesides (Newberry).

## Apps Hit Hard To Top Elon Squad By 13 To 5

The Appalachian Mountaineers unlimbered their bats for a total of sixteen hits, including a pair of homers, and turned back the Elon Christians 13 to 5 in a Carolinas Conference contest on the APP field on Monday, April 4th.

The Appalachian onslaught came largely in the seventh and eighth innings, with two big rallies accounting for 12 of the Mountaineer scores, seven in the seventh and five in the eighth rack.

The Elon Christians had scored solo runs in the second, fourth and sixth frames and had pushed home two counters in the third and were rolling along with a 5 to 1 lead as the Apps came to bat in the seventh, and then came the deluge of hits and scores and Elon errors that produced seven big markers.

Tommy Newsome had a homer and single and Comar Shields a pair of singles to lead the Elon hitters, while Jerry Pierce and Wayne Byrd topped the Mounties with three hits each.

The line score:

	R	H	E
Elon	012	101	000-5 8 4
Appalachian	000	100	750-13 16 1

Burtsche, Amundsen (7) and Newsome; F. White, J. White (5), McCarrn (7) and Pierce. LP - Burtsche. WP - J. White. HR - Newsome, Pierce, Gooch.

## Seahawk '9' Wins Easter Holiday Tilts

The Wilmington Seahawks turned back the Elon Christians in a pair of Easter holiday baseball battles there on Monday and Tuesday afternoons, April 11th and 12th, with the Seahawks taking the first battle by a 4 to 1 count and grabbing the Tuesday contest by a 5 to 3 margin.

Herbie Johnson, Elon southpaw, and Ed Lemons, Wilmington ace, tangled in a fine pitching exhibition in the Monday affair, the Seahawks plating solo scores in the first, fourth, sixth and seventh racks to get the win. The only Elon run came in the seventh. Robbie Ellis led Elon with two singles, while Bill Harris paced Wilmington with two triples.

The second contest on Tuesday saw Paul Amundsen turn in a fine mound job for Elon for six innings, during which the Seahawks failed to score, but the Wilmington team used three hits, an error and a pair of walks to plate five runs in the seventh

## Victories Over Guilford First Since '60 Season

The Elon College tennis team broke a six-year victory famine when it turned back the Guilford Quakers twice in succession by scores of 4 to 3 on March 28th and April 2nd, for the Christian netters had not won a dual meet since the spring of 1960 when they turned back Atlantic Christian on May 11th of that year until the first win over the Quakers.

Elon 4, Guilford 3  
Sandy Carrington, Mike Meacham and Henri Descheemaeker all chalked singles wins over the Guilford netters, and Descheemaeker joined with Don Weed in grabbing a doubles decision as the Elon tennis outfit turned back Guilford at Guilford on March 28th.

Elon 4, Guilford 3  
Five days later the Christians duplicated the 4 to 3 decision over the Quakers, with Mike Meacham and Don Weed turning in singles wins, while Meacham and Sandy Carrington and Weed and Henri Descheemaeker teamed for a pair of doubles victories to gain the 4 to 3 team decision.

Appalachian 9, Elon 0  
The Appalachian tennis team, champions of the Carolinas Conference for the past several years, broke the Elon win streak when the Apps grabbed a 9 to 0 decision on the Elon courts on April 4th. The meet, which closed out Elon net activities until after spring vacation, saw the powerful App outfit grab straight-set decisions in all nine matches.

Pfeiffer 7, Elon 0  
The Pfeiffer Falcons made a clean sweep of five singles and two doubles matches as they turned back the Elon net squad 7 to 0 in a Conference battle on the Elon courts on Thursday, April 14th. The second doubles match was forfeited due to the illness of an Elon player.

## MINOR SPORTS

### GOLF SCHEDULE

- Elon 13, ACC 11.
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  - Elon 5, Pfeiffer 14.
  - Elon 12, Pfeiffer 8.
  - Elon 4 1/2, Wilmington 22 1/2.
  - Elon 4, Catawba 20.
- (Remaining Meets)
- Apr. 13—High Point, away.
  - Apr. 21—Appalachian, home.
  - Apr. 25—High Point, home.
  - Apr. 28—Catawba, home.
  - May 3—Appalachian, away.
  - May 6—Guilford, home.
  - May 9—Wilmington, home.
  - May 13—A. C. C., away.
  - May 16-17—Conference Tournament at Boone.

### TRACK SCHEDULE

- Elon 42, Catawba 92.
  - Elon 34, Wofford 70, Brevard 66.
  - Elon 55, Campbell 76.
  - Elon 34, High Point 103, Guilford 39.
- (Remaining Meets)
- Apr. 21—Washington and Lee, away.
  - Apr. 23—Davidson Relays at away.
  - Apr. 26—Catawba, away.
  - Apr. 28—Campbell, away.
  - Apr. 30—Atlantic Christian, away.
  - May 3—Guilford, away.
  - May 9—NAIA District Meet, at Wofford.
  - May 14—Conference Meet at Boone.

### TENNIS SCHEDULE

- Elon 0, Carolina Frosh 9.
  - Elon 1, Wake Forest 8.
  - Elon 2, State Frosh 7.
  - Elon 3, ACC 4.
  - Elon 4, Guilford 3.
  - Elon 4, Guilford 3.
  - Elon 9, Appalachian 9.
  - Elon 0, Pfeiffer 7.
  - Elon 0, Pfeiffer 7.
- (Remaining Meets)
- Apr. 18—UNC (Chapel Hill), away.
  - Apr. 23—Ferrum, home.
  - Apr. 25—High Point, away.
  - Apr. 29—High Point, home.
  - May 7—Ferrum, away.
  - May 13-14—NAIA District, at High Point.
  - May 16-17—Conference Meet, at Boone.

and win the game. Herbie Johnson topped Elon with two singles, while Sandy Dew had two triples and a single for the Seahawks.

The line score:

	R	H	E
Elon	000	000	100-1 7 1
Wilmington	100	101	100-4 8 0

Johnson and Newsome; Lemons and Mills.

### (TUESDAY GAME)

	R	H	E
Elon	000	000	111-3 6 2
Wilmington	000	000	500-5 8 1

Amundsen, Moon (7) and Newsome; Whitfield, Ware and Mills. LP - Amundsen.

## High Point Track Squad Tops Elon And Guilford

The High Point Panthers swept thirteen first places in sixteen events to turn back Guilford and Elon in a triangular track meet at High Point on April 5th. The Panthers ran up an impressive 103 point total, far ahead of Guilford with 29 and Elon with 34 points.

Dave Oliphant won Elon's only first place when he copped the 100 yard dash, with David Gentry tying High Points Tome Grace for second. The Guilford cindermen got firsts in the pole vault

and shot, but the Panthers copped firsts in all other events.

The summary:

100 YARD DASH: Oliphant (E), tie for second by Gentry (E), and Grace (HP); tie for fourth by Allison (HP) and Goode (HP). TIME: 10.8 secs.

220 YARD DASH: Blanchard (HP), Gentry (E), Oliphant (E), Grace (HP). TIME: 22.5 secs.

440 YARD DASH: Blanchard (HP), Pearson (HP), Miller (G), Parish (HP). TIME: 52.5 secs.

880 YARD RUN: Schultz (HP), Bolthis (HP), Gragg (HP), Owens (G). TIME: 2 mins. 1.7 secs.

MILE RUN: Fryer (HP), Crabtree (E), Neal (HP), Myers (E). TIME: 4 mins. 38.2 secs.

TWO MILE RUN: Balthis (HP), Fryer (HP), Myers (E), Crabtree (E). TIME: 10 mins. 21.8 secs.

120 HIGH HURDLES: Laney (HP), Allen (G), James (E), Goode (HP). TIME: 16.2 secs.

330 INTERMEDIATE HURDLES: Laney (HP), Parish (HP), Goldberg (E), Goode (HP). TIME: 1.8 secs.

HIGH JUMP: Kiley (HP), Farmer (G), Sams (G), Alger (HP). HEIGHT: 6 feet.

BROAD JUMP: Alger (HP), tie for second by Pond (E), and Rock (HP); fourth, Farmer (G). DISTANCE: 20 feet 10 1/2 inches.

POLE VAULT: Farmer (G), Gray (G), Corey (G), Alger (HP). HEIGHT: 12 feet.

SHOT PUT: Ray (G), Ferrell (E), Gilliam (E), Kanipe (E). DISTANCE: 45 feet 10 inches.

DISCUS: Fiddler (HP), Ray (G), Gill mai(E) 3Y3 (G), Gilliam (E), Bowles (HP). DISTANCE: 122 feet 3 inches.

JAVELIN: Bowles (HP), Corey (G), Smith (HP), Wagner (HP). DISTANCE: 164 feet 8 inches.

HOP-STEP-JUMP: Rock (HP), Farmer (G), Alger (HP), Kiley (HP). DISTANCE: 41 feet 4 1/2 in.

MILE RELAY: High Point, Guilford, Elon. TIME: 3 mins. 41.2 secs.

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