

Cagers Down Wofford 79-63

COACHES AND CAPTAINS FOR CHRISTIAN CAGERS FOR NEW CAMPAIGN

Christian '5'

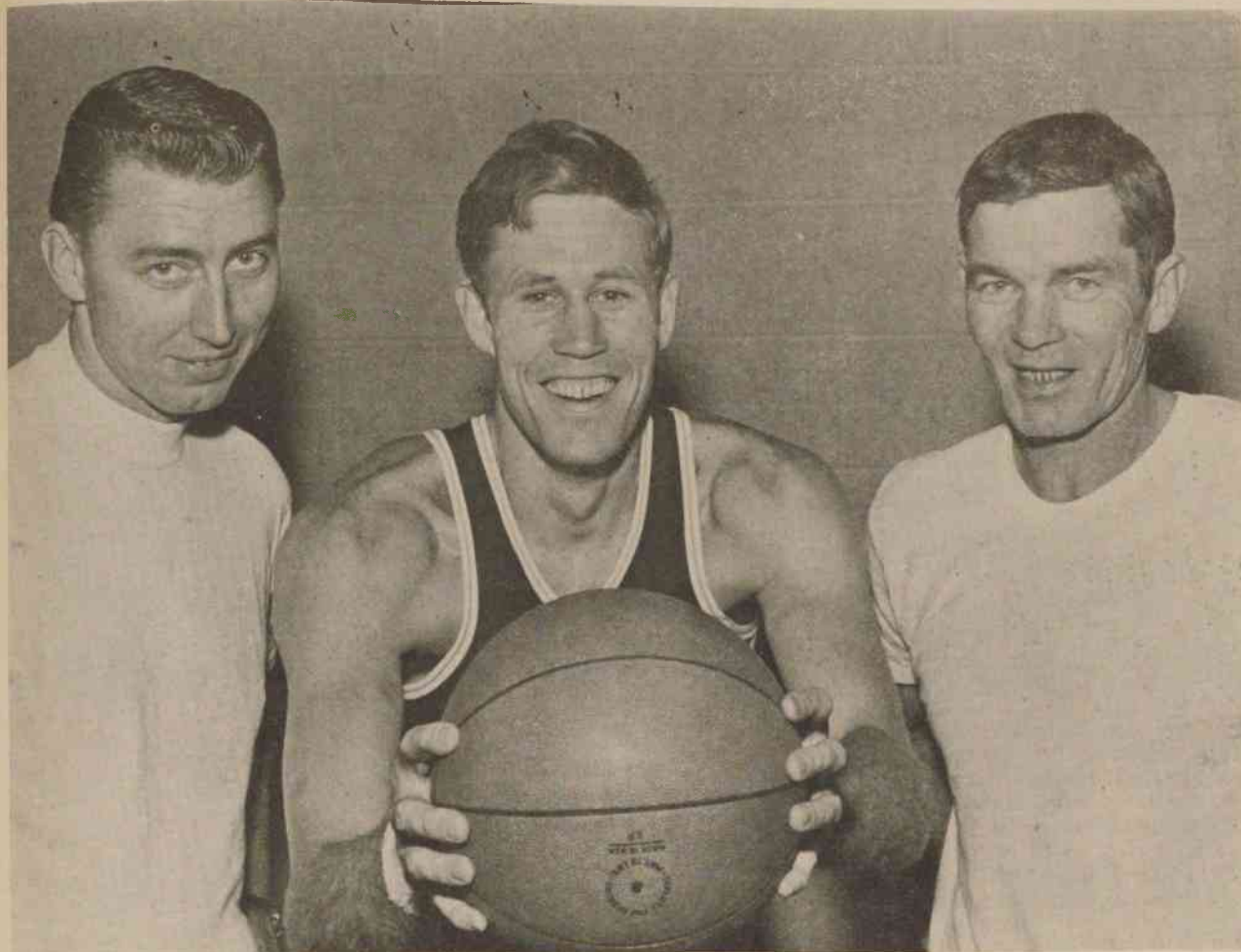
Wins First

Home Game

The Fighting Christian cagers put four men in double figures as they won their first home game of the new 1968-69 cage campaign, turning back the Wofford Terriers 79 to 63 in a battle in Alumni Memorial Gymnasium here on Wednesday night, December 4th.

The invading Terriers made a close battle of it for the first half, with the score tied three times and the lead changing hands eleven times during that portion of the game, with the Christians pulling ahead in the final moments to hold a scant 38-36 margin at half-time.

The Christians came back strong after the intermission, with Bill Bowes, Richard McGeorge and Tommy Cole pacing a rapid-fire attack which pulled the Elon quintet ahead by eleven at 51-40 after barely four minutes of the second half, and the Christians maintained a comfortable margin throughout the remainder of the game. (Continued on Page 4)



The coaches and the captain who lead the Fighting Christian cagers into the upcoming 1968-69 basketball campaign are pictured above. Shown left to right, they are Assistant Coach Twig Wiggins, a former coach at Williams High in Burlington and at Sandhills Community College, who joined the Elon staff this fall; Captain Bill Bowes, 6-8 senior center from Lenox, Mass., who got away to a fine start in pre-season tourney games in Kentucky; and Coach Bill Miller, who is starting his tenth year as head basketball mentor for the Christian squad.

McGeorge Named Outstanding Lineman In Carolinas Conference In '68 Season

Richard McGeorge, Elon's great pass-catching end, was named as the outstanding lineman in the Carolinas Conference for

the 1968 season and honored for the selection at the annual meeting of the Conference, which was held in High Point on Monday, December 2nd.

Dan Eckstein, of Presbyterian College, who went both ways on both offense and defense in the Blue Stocking backfield and who played a big role in the Blue Hose tying Lenoir Rhyne for the Conference title this year, was chosen as the outstanding back of the year in the loop.

The Conference honor for McGeorge marked the first time that an Elon gridder has been given the "Outstanding" award in the Conference in several years, and it came as one of several post-sea-

son tributes paid to the big Christian pass grabber, who has within three seasons completely rewritten the Elon pass-catching marks. He still has another year of play ahead of him.

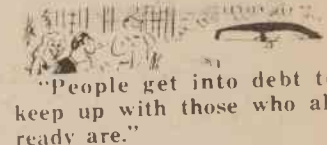
The hefty flanker from Roanoke, Va., who stands 6-5 and weighs 220 pounds, has been ranked by professional football scouts as one of the finest pro grid prospects in the South. He was named to the All-State squad for North Carolina for the second straight year and won All-Conference honors for a third consecutive season.

McGeorge was one of five Elon grid stars chosen for the All-Conference squad as the 1968 cam-

paigned ended, with the Fighting Christians tied with the championship Lenoir Rhyne Bears for

the most positions on the loop's post-season honor roster.

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"People get into debt to keep up with those who already are."

McGEORGE NAMED OUTSTANDING



BURGIN BEALE



LLOYD KANIPE



PETE McDANIEL



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RICHARD MCGEORGE, CHOSEN TOP LINEMAN