

QUAKER SPORTS

QUAKES

We understand that it is definitely decided that Elvin Haworth will not get a letter in basketball this year. According to the stipulations regarding the number of games played and the number of winning games played, he easily earned one. We would like to know why ineligibility due to studies should cut so much ice. In football, men who were out due to injuries and one who was ineligible because of having played at another college, were given letters. Elvin Haworth was one of the best, if not the best, on the team. He alone scored 21 points against Wake Forest. If those who are getting letters had done half that well, the Deacons would have been swamped.

The baseball material, although somewhat green, is beginning to show us some stuff and in the course of a couple of weeks should be ready to start functioning. It is a right neat fielding crew, but have not been through the acid test in hitting. Zachary is showing up nicely as pitcher. He, McBane, and Sykes will probably bear the brunt of the hurling attack. Davis is giving Mutt Melvin a run for his money as catcher, having a better peg. Mutt was catcher last year and has more experience, however. The outcome of this duel will be interesting to notice. Both will perhaps see some action.

Track is well under way and prospects are fair for a winning team. There is a shortage of dash material. Jassimedes maintains that he does not intend to run, Jimmy Harper is out for baseball and Stan Moore has a weak heart. Harper may go out for track later on and if enough people beg Jassimedes, he might show his wares. Coble looks unusually good in everything he tries. He is out for hurdles, 440 dash, high, pole vault, and maybe others.

Prospects are fair for a Little Six meet this year. As Guilford was champion of that conference last year, she heartily endorses such an event. The place has not been named, but we would like to see it at Guilford or at the stadium in Greensboro.

Practically the same track schedule as last year has been arranged for the Quaker with the possible addition of two or three new meets. We predict that it will not be long before track will be a major sport at Guilford as well as every other college in the country.

GUILFORD BASEBALL CLAIMS MAJORITY OF CAMPUS ATTENTION

Diamond Practice Gets Under Way With the Arrival of Spring Weather

FOUR LETTERMEN REPORT

Prospects Rather Gloomy — Pitching Staff Weak With Loss of Coltrane and Rabb

The rise in temperature has been directly proportional to the rise of interest in baseball at Guilford College. The boys are "getting hot" in every sense of the expression. There is lively competition for every place on the team. Fukasawa is trying to push Chisholm off of first base and Melvin and Davis are fighting it out behind home plate. The batting ability of these individuals will go far toward determining who will play. Zachary, Sykes and McBane will undoubtedly compose the pitchers' staff, which needs more season material. Cox, Marshall and Captain Parrish are furnishing the tar buckets for the outfield, and "Swampy" Stout may stay out there some.

Coch Shepard seems to know the game well enough. He has quite a fine record as a coach and as a player. His standing with the players is unusually good, and co-operation is assured. However, he has only four letter men on the squad. The whole team is showing up well handling the ball. Now the point to be determined is the batting ability of the team. Needless to say, fielding alone can not win ball games. Someone must go around the bases occasionally.

Both of last year's pitchers failed to return this year. Coltrane lost his amateur standing by playing professional baseball last summer. Rabb is married.

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HOPES OF "LITTLE SIX" TRACK MEET ARE MATERIALIZING

More Meets Than Last Year on 1929 Quaker Card—Class Meet Comes Off Soon

DEAN TRUEBLOOD COACH

Only Four Letter Men Lost—Much New Material on Hand—Charles Coble Captain of 1929 Squad

With the class meet in sight, and promise of additional meets, including a Little Six tournament, the Quaker cindermen are working hard to get into shape. Dean Trueblood is coaching the squad and has fair material to work with. Although baseball and track are conflicting, the dash men will probably be Harper, Jassimedes, Haworth, Stan Moore, who has never lost a 440 at Guilford is disabled by a weak heart. Short and Haworth are the best bids for the hurdles, having performed best in that event last year. William Alley, Ayers, and Captain Coble will bear the colors in the distance events, of which we hardly need to worry. Haworth will probably do the pole-vaulting also and even high jumping with Holt and maybe Stan Moore. Love, Hoyle, Holt and Murphy will take care of the field events.

Ragan, 440 flash, may be induced to run in that event. He has run it in 52 seconds, a record unlikely to be broken in Little Six circles. Manager Short is doing his best to furnish victims for the Quakers. Last year they placed fifth in the state meet; however, Pate and Ed Moore did not return this year, and their loss is keenly felt. Nevertheless, if all track material were utilized, it is entirely probable that a team better than that of 1928 would be produced.

NEW ADDITION TO L. L. WILLIAMS' FAMILY

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will be his heritage from this first source. Second, he will be expected to master from cover to cover such men as Messrs. James Thorndike, Dewey—more antique ones, as Herbert, Pestalozzi, Aristotle and Socrates. He will be poring over these authors when other youngsters will be riding kiddy carts, wearing rompers and pestering their mothers for and with all-day suckers.

We have a deeper sympathy for the contemporary flappers if he inherits the good looks of his mother; on the other hand, if he inherits fatherly mien he will have to get knowledge, wisdom, and understanding to compensate.

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Shepard Relinquishes His Coaching Position TO COACH IN VA.

Manager "Rock" Denny Announces Schedule

The baseball schedule, although not definitely completed, has been announced by Manager Denny.

March 30, Medical College of Virginia here.

- April 1, Lenoir-Rhyne there.
- April 3, Lenoir-Rhyne here.
- April 6, Campbell here.
- April 11, Wake Forest here.
- April 13, Catawba here.
- April 18, Lenoir-Rhyne here.
- April 20, Catawba there.
- April 23, Wake Forest there.
- April 24, Campbell there.
- April 27, Elon there.
- April 30, Washington and Lee there.
- May 1, Bridgewater there.
- May 2, Lynchburg there.
- May 3, Medical College of Virginia there.
- May 8, Davidson there.
- May 9, Bridgewater here.
- May 11, Elon here.

There is a possibility of two practice games with the Greensboro Patriots, although neither the dates nor places have been arranged.

SOPH GIRLS WIN CAGE TILT FROM FRESHMEN

Thereby Acquiring Unofficial Class Championship—Wafford, Guthrie and Armfield Star

In a rather close game, the Sophomore girls defeated the Yearlings by an 18-12 score. The Freshmen had been accepted as the strongest class team on the campus, and consequently their downfall was a surprise. The Freshman forwards, who had garnered about 11 points each against the Juniors, were completely dumbfounded by the air-tight guarding of Martha Armfield and Leona Guthrie, and were not able to score with any consistency. Effie Dunn and Virginia Clayton were the high lights in the Freshman attack, while Edna Wafford led the Sophomore scoring. Due to the ineligibility of some of the Sophomores they cannot claim the official championship; however, the contest was indicative of the relative strength of the two class teams.

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TO COACH IN VA.

Signs Three-Year Contract to Coach Randolph-Macon Athletes

RESIGNS UNEXPECTEDLY

Comes As a Blow to Student Body—He Leaves After Making Championship Grid Team

Out of a clear sky came Shepard's resignation as head coach at Guilford College. Shepard announced that he had signed a three-year contract with Randolph Macon College. He hastened to state that there was no ill-feeling between him and any attaches of Guilford and that his association here had been of the friendliest sort.

He has done a great deal for Guilford, producing a strong football team which "has a clear-cut claim to the Little Six championship," according to Netherwood.

Shepard started the basketball team on a brilliant career also, but was greatly handicapped by illness, injuries and ineligibility of players. Nevertheless, among its victims were Wofford, Wake Forest and Roanoke.

Randolph-Macon is to be envied, as they will receive a capable, experienced and likeable coach. He produced a Southern Conference team at Carolina, also doing wonders in freshman sports there. His record as an athlete is enviable, as an amateur and as a professional. He saw quite a bit of diamond action while in the tobacco business in China, and kept up his coaching activities while there.

The Guilford athletes, as well as the student body, have become attached to "Shep," and will regard his loss a great and almost irreparable one.

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