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Hart-beat



Gridders In Midst

Of Spring Practice

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A quick check of the calendar shows that it is still winter. Yet when queried about what those padded gladiators were doing on the flat area across from English, the answer was they were in the midst of something called Spring Football Practice. This is something the Red and Gray of Guilford has been doing since this past Monday, will continue until a 20-day period has gone by. During this period of time the Quakers of the gridiron world will work on filling gaps left by graduated players, with the practice being highlighted by a scrimmage with nearby Elon, along with scrimmages within the squad.

THINGS ARE LOOKING BRIGHT

From this angle things are looking good for the Quakers as they make preparations for the upcoming 1959 grid campaign. Only four seniors were on the 1958 squad—a center, a guard, and two tackles. Coach Herb Appenzeller, along with his staff, must look for replace-ments. The biggest gap is left at the center position. With Daryl Allen the Quakers were well fortified at this position. Now he is gone, and a replacement it being exuft. a replacement is being sought. The top reserves at this position this past season were Gwynne Hupfer and Dale Johnson. These boys must now move up to fill the gap. The gap left by Larry Chesson at the guard slot is well taken care of. Larry Younts and Fred Barringer can capably take up the slack there. The tackles are well-manned by Wayne Henley, Sam Cutlor, Walter Walter, and the less of Bill Lopes and Ches. Cutler, Walter Wiggins, and others, and the loss of Bill Jones and Chester Haworth will not hurt the squad a lot, although they will be missed. A new fullback might be in the starting backfield, at least this spring. Lester Parker is having trouble with his shoulder and might not be able to participate in spring practice. These are the main trouble spots for the Quakers, and much can be done this spring to alleviate these problems.

JUNIOR COLLEGE HELP?

There might be added help coming from another junior college in the state other than Chowan. Almost due south of Guilford rests Wingate Junior College, and from there might come boys that will bolster the Quaker gridders. Four or five "seniors" at the college are expected to arrive on the campus tomorrow, and it is certainly hoped that they will stay on at Guilford for their remaining two years of college. In the two years these boys have been at WJC the record has been 9-1 in 1957 and 7-1 in 1958, plus a boul gene The met birth 7-1 in 1958, plus a bowl game. The most highly regarded players from this squad that will make the trip are Sonny Basinger, Richard Money, Danny Kirk, and Bob Gregson, and perhaps a couple other of equal talent. In his freshman year at WJC Basinger was named to the junior college All-American team. Sonny is a 165-pound streak of lightning, and is a hard back to bring down. Both Money and Kirk are centers, and both tip the scales at over 200 pounds. Money is a 218-pounder and Kirk weighs in at 210. Gregson is one of the top guards at Wingate. A linebacker solely his first year at WJC, Gregson played with the first eleven this year, and is a rugged individual. And any others that might come up from Wingate are equally as talented. Come on up and stay, fellows, the college is fine, and the people are finer. And the chances are great that you'll see a lot of action if you stay.

OTHER SPORTS ON THE WAY

And don't forget the other sports that come to the Guilford campus. Within a few weeks, probably by the first of March, baseball, track, tennis, and golf will start practice. There will be rebuilding in baseball, tennis, and golf, with track the only sport left in good shape, compara-tively, by graduation. It can be hazardous, though, with all these sports going on at the same time. A baseball player might have a javelin jabbed through him while a track start might have baseballs bounced off his head. But regardless of the hazards, these sports are on the way to finish out the sports scene for Guilford during the year of 1958-59.

Want something to do ... go skating HOLIDAY ICE ARENA 3 to 5:30 p.m. HOURS DAILY 6 to 8:30 p.m. 9 to 11:30 p.m.

Also open Saturday mornings 9:30-12:30

Located on Winston Road between Guilford College and Greensboro High Point Airport

DON LINEBERRY TOP FROSH FOR QUAKER CAGE SQUAD

Before Christmas it was the for-ward position. After Christmas it has been the guard slot. But whatever the position the job is done, and is done well. For the outstanding work Don Lineberry has done for the Quakers this year he is named the MSG Athlete of the Week No. 24.

Lineberry is a freshman from nearby Asheboro where he made the all-star team in the northern group of the Piedmont Conference. Standing at 6-foot-1 Don's main offensive weapon is a good jump shot, although he will drive if there is a slight opening.

When the season opened Line-berry was in the starting line-up, and has been there ever since. As to where he played on the starting five was determined by Bob Young. While Young was out with an in-

jured knee Lineberry was placed at the forward position. When Young was able to return to action Don returned to the guard position, a position more familiar to the youngster. There is where he has been ever since Christmas, and only on occassion has he returned

to the court as a forward. With his jump shot and driving lay-ups Don has averaged 12.2 points a game in the first 13 played, excluding the tournament at Spindale. In racking up that average Lineberry has fired in 50 field goals and 58 charity tosses for a total of 158 points. The best night Don has had so far was when he swished in 19 markers against the Panthers in High Point. A little more accuracy at the 15-foot mark, notably the foul line, could have put him in the 20's. That is the only place that he has had any trouble. Lineberry has has had any frontile. Enlederly has connected on 69 per cent of 84 charity tosses attempted, a per-centage slightly below regular col-lege standards. However, from the floor it is another thing. Don has banged in field goals at a clip of 40 or better per cent throughout the year the year.

In the defensive department Lineberry is doing an equally good job. And he has been a mainstay under the boards for the Quakers



Chalk up the date of Thursday, February 19, on your calendar as the night for the big double-header baasketball game at the Guilford College gym. The first attraction will be between the Guil-ford High School varsity and the College All Stars: the second be College All-Stars; the second be-tween the Guilford College Jaycees

and the Guilford College Faculty. This attraction is always a riot when "Cyanide" Ott, Bullet "Show-Shoaf, "Peahead" Maynard, boat" "The Human Rock," and Dean Ljung all take the floor. They will be opposed by the men of the com-munity led by none other than Dr. Norman Fox, 6' 11" center, and Bob Thompson, 6' 8" forward and many, many more.

The admission for this great attraction will be charged according to the size of your waist — one penny for each inch around! Better start eating and help support the Monogram Club!

Half-time entertainment will be provided with championship ping-pong by the North Carolina Doubles Champion.

Don't forget now—all this fun will be February 19, Thursday night, down at the gym. See you there!

The husband-hunting girl should be warned that in overapplying makeup she may paint herself into



