

# Swimmers Take Second Place in Washington Meet

## Buddy Crone Wins In Diving Division For Lone GHS First

Central High School of Washington, D. C. Captures South Atlantic High School Title With 65 Points

Swimming against the fastest competition the school has ever known, the GHS swimmers placed second in the South Atlantic High School championships held at Central High School, Washington, D. C., on February 26.

The crack mermen from Central High, Washington, easily captured first place and had only the Goldsboro boys as their competition. Central scored 65 points to 39 for the local boys.

Other scores in the meet were: Baltimore Poly, third with 21; Western, fourth with 20, and Woodrow Wilson fifth with 11.

Goldsboro was competing with the best teams of Virginia, West Virginia, Washington, D. C., North Carolina, and Maryland. The enrollment of the Central School is 3,000, and the school has twelve grades. Central entered four men in each event to two for the local lads.

The only first that the GHS team captured was in the diving. Buddy Crone, who is fast becoming one of the best divers in his age-group in the nation, took all diving honors. Reed of Central placed second to Crone and Crone's teammate, Tinker Heyward, came fourth.

Buddy, a 13-year-old freshman, amazed the spectators time after time with his wonderful exhibition of the most difficult dives. Reed of Central High was Crone's only stiff competition and Crone defeated him like a true champion.

The GHS scoring is as follows: 50-yard freestyle — Dawson fifth; 100-yard breaststroke — Casey second; 100-yard backstroke — Britt third, Kennedy fifth; 220-yard freestyle — Weathers third, Nufer fifth; 100-yard freestyle — Shaw second, Middleton fifth; Fancy diving — Crone first, Heyward fourth; 300-yard medley relay — Casey, Britt, Shaw third; 200-yard freestyle relay — Nufer, Weathers, Dawson, and Middleton fourth.

## Tennis Team Organized With Mr. Freeman Coach

The tennis-loving fans of Goldsboro will again see a team in action after a lapse of several years.

The team, under Coach R. M. D. Freeman, will be composed of ten players who will be taken from the top players following the Intramural Tournament. The tournament will be held in the near future.

To enter the tournament the contestants must have, besides being eligible, two tennis balls, a tennis racket, and a pair of tennis shoes. They also must not be out for any other sport. The tournament will be played on a winner-loser plan.

Any person can challenge the number 10 man on the regular squad. Each of the ten players may challenge the one above him, and the three top ones may challenge each other for the top position.

The courts will be put in playing condition by Mr. Roy Parker, Superintendent of Herman Park. For the first time in several years, there is an allotment in the city budget for tennis.

Letters have been received from Wilmington, Rocky Mount, and Fayetteville concerning matches but nothing has been definitely decided.

A tennis team was made possible this year, when \$40 was allotted from the school activity fee.

## SPORTS SHORTS

By Ross Ward

### Cage Squads Finish Successful Season



Reading from left to right on front row: Sarah Thompson, Dorothy Creech, Anne Johnson, Peggy Simmons, Rachel Sutton, Virginia Parrish, Doris Elks, Doris Flowers, and Hortense Liles. Second row: Evelyn Head, Helen Wooten, Ercell Adams, Doris Hedrick, Anna Deans, Norene Johnson, Margie Sutton, Ruth Shepard, Helen Moore, Peggy Ballard, and Coach Helen Wilson. Coach Mary Langston, Patsy Fordham, and Margie Wooten were absent when the picture was made. Photo by Ted Burwell.

These girls make up the most successful basketball team of girls in several years. The games and scores of the Lady Quakes are: Princeton 13-GHS 15; Greenville 13-GHS 17; New Bern 21-GHS 31; New Bern 13-GHS 22; Kinston 13-GHS 7; Wilson 15-GHS 26; Greenville 8-GHS 16; Wilmington 12-GHS 9; Wilmington 8-GHS 18; Kinston 22-GHS 32; and Wilson 20-GHS 11.



Left to right, bottom row—Sam Watson, Earl Hollowell, Gorman Lawrence, James Heyward, and J. R. Nickens. Top row—Coach J. W. Johnson, John Watson, O. W. Hedrick, Pat Pate, Horace Potter, Terry Pollock, and Coach Norris Jeffrey. Claiborne Pate was absent when the picture was made. Photo by Ted Burwell.

The varsity Quakes basketballers made a valiant attempt to show up well in Class A basketball. The team won five and lost nine; the scores were: Durham 69-GHS 13; Greenville 20-GHS 13; Fayetteville 32-GHS 17; Raleigh 17-GHS 29; Raleigh 18-GHS 24; Fayetteville 33-GHS 25; Wilson 27-GHS 15; Greenville 19-GHS 6; Rocky Mount 36-GHS 20; Wilmington 19-GHS 21; Wilmington 17-GHS 24; Rocky Mount 33-GHS 17; Durham 69-GHS 18; and Wilson 16-GHS 18.

*Well, basketball is over but the records are still standing. Those Lady Quakes really went to town this year. They finished the most successful season in several years.*

The Lady Quakes were defeated only twice during the entire season. These two defeats were on the Wilmington and Kinston courts. But the Goldsboro lassies got revenge when these two teams came to Goldsboro.

I saw the swell write up in the *News and Observer* about Prince Nufer and agreed with everything said. Prince really is a good bet in the 1940 Olympics.

*But Prince isn't the only one that is making a name for Goldsboro. Recently in two meets with the Cavalier swimming club of Richmond, Virginia, the Goldsboro lassies downed the Cavalier girls 30-18 and 26-22. Elizabeth Hawley, Lessie Pratt Mallard, Mary Louise Thompson, Dot Turlington and Jeanette Garrison also showed up fine in the meets.*

The world's most popular sport is back again. But baseball fans in GHS are still wondering how the mound forces will do without John Trice, Goldsboro's ace moundsman of last year.

Tennis may not be looked up to by some sportsmen, but GHS students seem to like it quite a bit. In the coming tournament I pick James Crone to be the final winner.

*Quite a record for 44 boys to report for spring football! After winning ten straight games this season, the boys will need some off-season work to uphold this fine record next fall.*

Here's to the swimming boys and we all hope they'll retain their State Championship title. And if you think they won't, just ask some member of the team about it.

With the Indoor Games, held at Chapel Hill, already behind them, the track team is eyeing the next three major meets with high hopes. The team entered all of these meets last year and made an excellent showing. The meets are: The Invitational Meet at Duke University, the State Meet to be at Chapel Hill and the Civitan Relays held at Greensboro.

## Spring Baseball Opens With Bang As 34 Recruits Report for Practice

### Daughtry Is Only GHS Trackster To Place In Indoor Games

With Dick Daughtry taking third in the finals of the 60-yard dash, Goldsboro was able to score only two points in the scholastic division at the Southern Conference Indoor Games at Chapel Hill February 26.

Daughtry took a close second in the morning trials and then qualified for the finals by taking another close second in the night semi-finals.

Due to a bad ankle, Terry Pollock, Goldsboro's State High School high jump champion, was forced out early in this event. Eddie Mansour and Jim Manly, the GHS entries in the 1,000-yard run, failed to place.

The relay team, composed of Manly, Farfour, Mansour, and Daughtry, failed to place in the 1-mile relay.

Goldsboro, who was defending champion of the indoor title for scholastic division, lost their rank to Maury High School of Norfolk, Virginia.

One of the major thrills in the Southern Conference division, which Duke won by scoring 40 points to 38 for Carolina, featured James Davis, of Carolina, and a Goldsboro graduate, who broke the Southern Conference record in the half-mile run and set a new mark of 1:57.3. The old record was set in 1936 by Harry Williamson of Carolina. His time was 1:57.4.

### 44 Hopefuls Answer Call For Spring Football Drills

With 44 boys reporting, spring football again swung into the sports' program Tuesday, March 1.

Coach Norris Jeffrey will coach the team and for the nucleus of the squad he will have three lettermen: Marvin Daughtry, Willie Boykin, and John Schmidlapp.

Coach Jeffrey states that the practice should be very benefiting for boys reporting and they should gain valuable experience. Those who have never been out for football before should be especially benefited.

He also states that the team next fall will have only three weeks of practice before their first game and that all of this must be devoted to the varsity boys. Therefore, little time will be given to the inexperienced.

Those reporting, other than the lettermen are: Lafayette Sasser, Derwood Bizzell, Earl Howell, Dick Price, Robert Crumpler, Durham Moore, Billy Powell, Joe Reeves, Donald Neal, Harry Jackson, Walter Jackson, Paul Garrison, Noah Bass, Ed Nelson, and Heyward Privette.

O. W. Hedrick, Elbert Ward, Thomas Thigpen, Wilton Howell, Ed Baily, Hugh Dorch, Robert Denmark, Gene Ham, Lenwood Benton, Norwood West, R. J. Moore, George Stenhouse, Faison Thompson, Boddie Perry, Jack Smith, Ernest Burton, Billy Hollowell, Billy Hood, Clifton Daniels, Gray Whitford, Maylon McDonald, William Anderson, David Hinson, Robert Cozart, David McClenney, and A. J. Oliver.

Team To Have Eight Lettermen Out For Drills; To Play Roanoke Rapids, Kinston, Wilson, Tarboro Twice

Thirty-four boys reported to Coach Johnson Tuesday afternoon for spring baseball practice. Of these only eight were lettermen of last year.

Baseball is one of the five major sports of GHS and is looking forward to a successful season.

Coach Johnson reported that as yet only eight games have been scheduled, four of which will be here and four will be the return games. He stated that the team would try to schedule 14 games for the season. If the squad is able to do so, that will mean seven home games for the Goldsboro fans. Those games scheduled are: two games with Roanoke Rapids, Kinston, Tarboro, and Wilson.

**Junior Team Considered**  
A junior team is being considered. If this team works out, the members of the squad who do not play in varsity games will play in games of the junior team.

John Grant reported as a candidate for field manager of the team. John is well known as the football manager during the past season.

The eight lettermen reporting are: Pitchers, Terry Pollock, Sam Watson and Tommie Snypes; catcher, Buddy Powell; outfielders, Rudolph Pate and Arnold Barwick; and infielders, Gorman Lawrence and Speed Hollowell.

Others reporting are: outfielders, Kenneth Westbrook, Earl Preie, Herman Jennette, Billy Wynn, William Hardison, Sidney Gordon, Harry Hollingsworth, Charles Liles, T. L. Ginn, Richard Ball, Warren Hood, Claud King, Hardy Lee Thompson, Tom Carrere, Brinkley Taylor, Earl Montague and John Grant; infielders, Arthur Stafford, Bert Griffin and Pat Pate; catchers, Horace Potter, Russell Singleton and J. C. Rose; pitchers, J. R. Nickens, Arlow Triplett and Clyde King.

### Lady Quakes Whip Kinston As Boys Lose To Durham

The basketballers of GHS split a double header on February 23 in the Community Building Gym as the Lady Quakes took the Eaglets of Kinston 31-22, while the Earthquakes fell victim to a 65-18 trouncing at the hands of the Durham Bulls.

The victory of the GHS sextet avenged the 13-7 defeat that the Kinston squad handed them earlier in the season. Evenly matched, the GHS team was only one point ahead at the end of the first half but pulled away in the last half to win 31-22.

The Durham Bulls, rated as one of the best and tallest high school teams in the South, sank shots with comparative ease from any part of the court.

Scoring laurels went to Ferrell of Durham with 14 markers followed by his team mate, McKinney, with 13 tallies. Hedrick was best for GHS with 10 points.

In the girl's game, Adams took all scoring honors with 19 points to her credit. Rochelle did best for Kinston with 11. Liles was next best for the Goldsboro six with 9 tallies.