# Bison Team Elects Co-Captains, Lyman Dillon, Richard Carmichael

By Tommy Cochrane

Richard Carmichael, known as "Big Dick" to his friends and teammates, has been elected cocaptain of next year's basketball

Richard held center position on the basketball team in his sophomore and junior years and on the ninth grade



R. Carmichael

team in his freshman year. He also played ninth grade football and has taken part in intramural sports.

Athletics is not the only thing in which Richard has excelled. His scholastic record has enabled him to be a member of the

Beta Club. Recently he has been inducted into the National Honor Society. Being musically inclined. Richard has been a member of

the band for three years and this year is serving as vice-president of the organization. He has been a member of the Key Club for two years and is treasurer this year. He is also in the local chapter of the Order of

In his sophomore year Richard was chaplain of the Hi-Y Club and was a member of the Lower

Last week Richard was named to the Central AAA All-Conference second team for his hard work this season.

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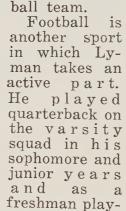
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Lyman Dillon has been elected by his teammates as co-captain of next year's Black Bison basketball team.

At his guard position Lyman has held down the back court on the varisty squad for the last two years. As a freshman he played

on the ninth grade basket-



ed on the ninth grade football

Lyman has been a member of the Monogram Club for two years. He has earned four letters: two in basketball and two in football.

Lyman has kept his scholastic record high enough to hold membership in the Beta Club. He has also been initiated a member of the National Honor Society.

In his sophomore year he was a member of the JCL. As a junior he has held membership in the French Club and the Key Club. He has recently been elected to serve as secretary of next year's Key

In his freshman year Lyman served as president of the Fresh-

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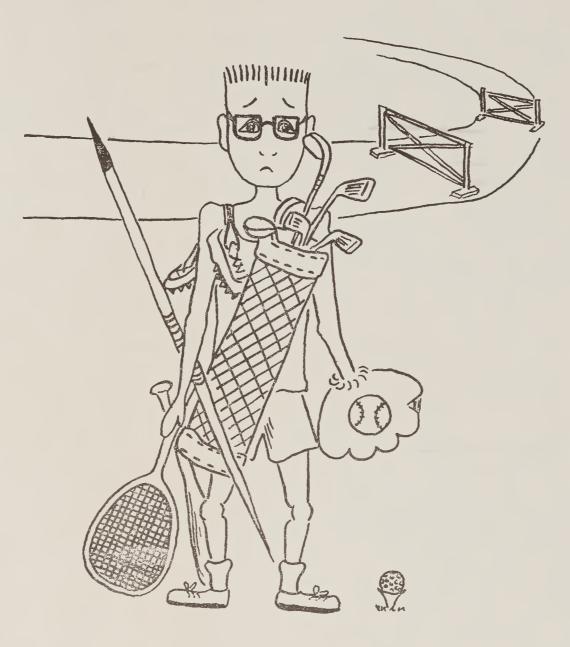
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# Bison Will Travel To Thomasville For First Baseball Game Friday

By Jimmy Curlee

turns to . . . spring sports. And that is just what has happened in our school. Last week the track, baseball, tennis and golf teams began their practice sessions under the bright blue sky.

The bright sunshine and mild weather must have affected the racket boys, as over 20 tennis players reported to Coach Patten

to begin practice. The first team to start their games will be the baseball squad. They will travel to Thomasville

Friday to start the baseball sea-

In spring a young man's fancy son. Returning from last year's squad will be such capable players as George Hayworth, John Sherrill, Harold Moose, Marvin Richards, Kendall Farlow, Ronnie Huber, Bruce Overby and David

> The Bison baseballers will depend on David Kemp, Kendall Farlow and Charlie Craver (the only southpaw,) to handle the pitching duties for the team this season. All three of the boys have looked good in practice and should do a fine job on the mound.

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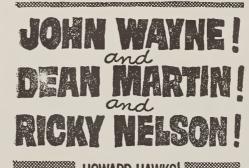
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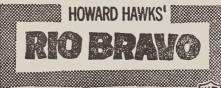
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## Bison Cagers Recall High Spots Of '59; Finish Season 14-6

By Jimmy Curlee

The High Point Black Bison finished the '59 cage season with a record of 14 wins and 6 losses. However, with a conference record of 4 wins and 4 losses, the team was not able to play in the State AAA Tournament.

Although the team was short in height, they made up for this throughout the season by showing a desire to win and by playing their hearts out in each game. The Bison out-rebounded their taller opponents all year and were considered one of the top defensive

ball teams in the state.

Although High Point did not play in the tournament, the team did play six of the tournament

teams during the regular season.

The Bison defeated five out of the six teams they played, which included the two top teams in the Western and Eastern conferences: Asheville, Gastonia, Raleigh and Wilmington (this was Wilmington's only loss of the season).

Many thrills went long with the

14-6 record. Who could ever forget the night Tommy Burton scored 30 points to lead the Bison to victory over the Catawba Freshmen, or the night Richard Carmichael scored the winning points against Salisbury with six seconds remaining in the game?

The students will always remember the night Wilmington's wining streak was broken and the game in which the Bison came from behind to defeat Raleigh by one point.

Although our Bison failed to play in the tournament, we will always remember the team of '58-'59 as one of the greatest and hardest working teams that the school has ever had.

To Coach Simeon and all of the members of the team, thanks for a job well done.

### Tom Burton Makes All-ConferenceTeam

By Jimmy Curlee

Tommy Burton, leading scorer for the Bison basketball team, has been chosen for the Central AAA All-Conference Team.

Richard Carmichael was named to the second team, while Charlie McPherson was given honorable mention.

Serving as co-captain of this year's team, Tommy has played outstanding ball all season. He has led the Bison scoring with an 18-point average for 20 games. Tommy not only was a great scorer but helped the team with his rebounding.

Basketball is not the only thing in which Tommy excels; he is the president of the Spanish Club, has recently been inducted into the National Honor Society and holds an office in the Order of Demolay. He was elected Friendliest in the Senior Class and his name appeared in Who's Who.

Tommy is not sure where he will attend college, but he would like to continue playing basketball while he receives an educa-

Richard Carmichael and Charlie McPherson have also been a great help to the Bison with their outstanding playing. Richard has been the leading rebounder for the cagers and has been one of the high scorers, while Charlie has kept the team in many a game with his play-making.

The 10 boys named to the first and second team and those given honorable mention were chosen by the five coaches of the Central AAA Conference for outstanding playing throughout the season.

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