

Athletes Receive Letters At First Annual Gathering

RIVES PRESIDES

Certificates Awarded to Both Boys and Girls for Participation in Sports.

COACH WADE IS SPEAKER

Various Colleges Represented While Garland Daniel Appears in Behalf of Institutions Out of State.

Winners of athletic certificates were awarded Friday night, May 13, at an event new to Greensboro high school, Athletic Night. Certificates were received for the following sports: football, cross-country, basketball, boxing, wrestling, baseball, track, and golf.

The athletic council, composed of A. P. Routh, chairman; C. W. Phillips, principal of the school, the coach of each sport, the captain of each team, and Jack Brown, representative of the non-team members, decided athletes should receive certificates.

Judge E. E. Rives Presides
Mr. Phillips introduced Judge E. E. Rives, who presided over the assembly. A number of ex-athletes of Greensboro high were present, and it was pointed out that Greensboro has, at various times, been state champions in every sport except swimming.

Coach Wallace Wade Speaks
Main speaker of the night was Coach Wallace Wade, of Duke, who said, "Development along the line of morals and character, in which athletics play a large part, has been recognized by the field of education as being of more importance than the mere training of the mind." "Schools," he continued, "are interested in the training of bodies, with characters, to attain in the end citizens rather than mere scholars. It is now generally agreed that the men ranking first as students upon the school campus are the athletes."

Colleges Are Well Represented
Representing the various colleges of the state were J. Max Hendrix, Davidson; Earl E. Rives, Carolina; Coach Wade, Duke; Romeo LaForte, State; Ben Ward, Wake Forest; Bill Stone, Elon; Julian Beall, High Point; John Anderson, Guilford; Garland Daniel, out-of-state; all colleges, J. D. Wilkins, Wilkins.

Miss Mary Coleman Awards Girls
Miss Mary Coleman, director of physical education at N. C. C. W., presented monogram certificates to the girls after a short talk, congratulating the system which recognizes all round ability rather than a specialization.

Football monogram certificates were presented by Ben Ward, J. L. Wilkins awarded the basketball letters; Raymond Lanier the baseball certificates; Max Hendrix the boxing and wrestling; Bill Stone the track certificates, and golf, tennis, and swimming honorable mention were awarded by Max Payne.

Total of 345 Athletes Out
Mr. Routh said that during the past year there was a total of 345 athletes out for the various sports, with football leading with a total of 80. There were three squads, varsity of 30 players; reserves of 35; and minors of 25. Cross-country brought out 20 boys; basketball, 25; boxing, 20; wrestling, 25; 25; baseball, 60; track, 45; golf, 20; tennis, 15; swimming, 25. In addition to these athletes, the first annual cake race attracted 40 boys.

Those receiving certificates were: Football, Jack Burroughs (captain), Harry Wicker, Ed Hartsook, Ralph Riley, Charles Pemberton, Harry Phillips, Elmer Wrenn, Allan Johnson, Oka Hester, Nathan Lipscomb, Charles Elder, Sam Rees, Frank Pittman, Bill Elias, Red Whit, Ed Lee, Sid Osburn, Branch Fields, George Causey, Hyman Ellison (manager), L. C. Belding (coach), W. M. Hamilton, A. P. Routh, assistant coaches.

Baseball: Red Whit, Elmer Wrenn, Jack Brown, Isaac Fesmire, Jack Burroughs, Harry Wicker, Sid Kelley, Ed Martin (manager), L. C. Belding (coach).

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Track: Bill Elias, Powell Banner, Jack Burroughs, Jack Nowlin, David Miller, Jack Brown, Elmer Wrenn, J. T. Coleman, Joe McDonald (manager), A. P. Routh (coach).

Golf: Bill Vanning, Carl Jeffress, Bill Bonkemeyer, Ernest Remay, Frank Causey, L. C. Belding (coach).

Tennis: Spirit Bird, Waldo Porter, Carl Carson, Jack Staples, G. P. Cobb (coach).

Boxing: Jimmy Tuttle, Hal Justice, Sam Rees, R. J. Allen (captain), Jesse Morehead, W. S. Hamilton (coach).

Wrestling: Ed Benlow, William Bell, Johnny King, Ed Douglas (captain), Dudley Foster, Fred Koury, Billy Gidding, Jimmy Hodgins, Hilton Gerringier, Fred Work, Holt Neese (manager), A. P. Routh (coach).

Cross-country: Fred Koury (captain), Roy Suttles, Austin Lovin, Vernon Lanning, Hubert Rochelle, Herbert Montgomery, David Miller, A. P. Routh (coach).

New Year's Football Schedule

- Sanford at Greensboro, September 16.
- Durham at Greensboro, September 23.
- Leaksville at Greensboro, September 30.
- Gastonia at Gastonia, October 7.
- Salisbury at Greensboro, October 14.
- Charlotte at Greensboro, October 21.
- Reidsville at Greensboro, October 28.
- Winston at Greensboro, November 4.
- Barium Springs at Barium Spring, November 11.
- High Point at High Point, November 18.



"Haven't you finished hitching up that horse yet, Jack? At the rate you're going we'll never get out to the 'X' camp," yelled Bill Vanning.

"Have a heart, can't cha? This horse hasn't seen a harness in a century. Anyways, where's Branch Fields? He's not here yet," yelled back Jack Nowlin, the newly elected leading councilor.

Grady Hardin at this moment appeared on the scene laden with food-stuffs, for he was to be the head man in the kitchen. He reported that Branch had gone back for a bathing suit. Imagine a swimming councilor without a bathing suit! "Bill, what are you going to be councilor of?"

"Wah!" from all four of the councilors from Greensboro high school to "W" camp.

ATHLETE RECORD WON BY JACK BURROUGHS

Is Only Four Letter Man in High School; Has Basketball, Track, Football, Baseball Letters.

Jack Burroughs is one of the best if not the best athlete that has ever been in Greensboro high school. He is not only excellent in physical ability, but in sportsmanship which is the most important.

He has been a good athlete all of his year through school, but the last year has been his best season by far.

In the past year he was captain and end on the football team and won the same places on the all-state team. He was forward on the basketball squad and one of the best in the state. He was on the track team on which he threw the javelin, which he has thrown 177 feet, which if it had been official, would have been the state record, run the 440 and the 20, and pole vaulted.

He is the only four letter man in Greensboro high school. He received letters in the three sports in baseball on which team one year he played in the outfield.

He will not be back next year and we surely will miss him, but we congratulate him on what he has done.

Jack has not yet decided which school he will go to next year. It is thought that he will go to some prep school.

To H. H. Diploma—12,480 Miles

Saginaw, Mich. (AP)—How long is the road to high graduation? Just 12,480 miles, if the experiment made by the Journalism class at Arthur Hill high school here is proof. A member of the class wore a speedometer to school and discovered that he averaged four and one-half miles a day—two and one-half in school. At this rate the student walks 26 miles a week, 104 a month, 1,040 a year, and 12,480 in the 12 years before he finishes high school.

SENIORS CELEBRATE KID DAY

Dignified seniors, bah! Perhaps you think they are visitors from the grammar schools, but don't they greatly resemble the seniors who just the other day were in long trousers, long dresses, and hose? We will all have to forgive them for this action for we must remember we too will someday be old and in our second childhood.

Bad little boys unite little girls sashes and pull their "curls." A toy car and wagon being pulled over the grass, scratches on the desks, ugly drawings on the board, all done by the (dignified?) seniors!

Oh well, oh well, perhaps we, too, in later years will return to be a kid once more. As the old saying goes: we are a child only once, so have a good time; but now you are a child once and a "kid" once.

SPOTLIGHTS OF SPORTS

Good Baseball Material

Baseball was another very successful sport. This year there was plenty of material for a good team as most of the players were experienced, and there was a good baseball team. If they had only won their last game from Charlotte we would have been Western Conference Champions and probably state champions. The last game with Charlotte was a hard game and Charlotte won by only a narrow margin.

Experienced Trackmen Are Few

This year seemed to be our lean year or the darkest hour in track, but as the lean year comes before the fat one and the darkest hour before the dawn, I think that next year holds in store a very successful track season. This year we were handicapped by not having enough men that had had experience. We had a lot of raw material this year that will probably improve very much by next year. This year would probably have been a better success if so many of our best trackmen had not been ineligible.

Coaching Staff Efficient

Greensboro high school was fortunate this year in having an excellent coaching staff. For football we had Belding, Routh, and Hamilton; for basketball, Belding; for baseball, Johnson; for track, Routh; for cross country, Routh; for wrestling, Routh; for boxing, Hamilton; for tennis, Cobb; for golf, Belding; and for girls' sports, Miss Robinson.

Eleven Team Won Five Out of Nine Games

Our football team won five out of nine games last season. The whole team, on the average, played good ball with very few exceptions. This season turned out the all-state end and captain, Jack Burroughs, who played the same position on our team. Several other players received honorable mention.

Basketball Season Good

Basketball was one of the most successful sports of the season. Although the team had only nine players from which to choose a quintet, they won the N. C. State College's Seventh Annual Invitation tournament at Raleigh and nine of the fifteen games in the Western Conference. If the team had won their second game with Charlotte, they would have won the Western Conference Championship and probably the state championship. They almost won their last game with Charlotte, for it required two extra periods of hard play, and we were defeated by only two points.

Minor Sports

Our cross country team won the state meet. Those on the team were Koury, Miller, Suttles, and Loving.

Wrestling was successful also, one state title was won by Koury of the 135-lb. class in the state meet. The team, as a whole, came in third.

Our boxers had a tough season mainly because of the lack of material.

Our tennis and golf teams had a fair season.

The swimming team was very good, but because of lack of competition was not a success.

The girls' sports would have been a bigger success if more girls who would make good athletes would take an interest in sports.

Whirlwinds Third in Annual Meet

Greensboro high endermen placed last in the annual Western Conference track meet held at High Point, April 9. The poor showing was due, mainly, to the absence of several of its most important members who were on the sick list.

Charlotte took first place, nosing out the Black Bisons from High Point by 1.2 points. Salisbury took second from Winston by a close margin. Wrenn, Burroughs, and Brown were the scorers for the locals, each getting one point.

Stars of the meet were: Frank Sizemore, High Point, who broke the state record for the 100-yard dash by running it in ten seconds flat; Montgomery, his team mate, who starred in the relay and took first in the low hurdles; and Captain Harold Sutton, who placed first in the shot, discus, and javelin for Charlotte.

Wrenn, Brown, and Nowlin Star for Locals

Coach Routh's trackmen placed third in the triangular meet between High Point, Salisbury, and Greensboro at High Point, April 23. The final score was: High Point 59 1-3; Salisbury 49 1-2; and Greensboro 34. Better form was shown at this meet than had been shown previously, and Coach Routh was well-pleased with the outcome.

Wrenn, Nowlin, and Brown starred for Greensboro. Wrenn took first place in the shot-put with a throw of over 46 feet. Nowlin placed an easy first for the locals in the mile run, while Brown won first in the discus throw. Other Greensboro entrants scoring points were: Burroughs, Hinton, Miller, and Elias.

High Point's star was Frank Sizemore, who was also the outstanding man of the meet. Graham showed up well for Salisbury, taking place in the high jump, and doing good in the relay, which was won by Salisbury.

Winston Nine Wins Over Pointers

The Whirlwind Nine received a real break when the Winston-Salem team defeated High Point in their final game before the race for competition in the championship games. This defeat gave all these teams a tie, which meant that Greensboro still had a chance for the championship. Had High Point beaten Winston, Greensboro's season would have been closed.

Both teams won from the locals in the early season, but Greensboro soon turned, and defeated them by large scores.

Since all three teams were tied for first place, they drew to see which would play first. High Point drew a bye, giving Greensboro the opportunity to play Winston on the local diamond.

Eligible Trackmen Defeat Ineligibles

The eligible track team won the meet which was held at the Memorial Stadium, April 19, by an overwhelming score of 80 1-3 to 30 1-2. The object in having this meet was to create more interest in track. The varsity had had a tough season, losing in several meets, so the ineligible, thinking the loss was due to their not being members of the regular team, challenged the eligibles to a meet. Results showed an increase in the school's spirit and interest toward this sport as well as encouraging the varsity.

Quakers Take Triangular Meet

Whirlwind tracksters won second place in the triangular meet with the Guilford Reserves and Sanford high school, Friday, April 29 on Guilford's field. Guilford was given a close race for first place by the local team, but the Quakers finally nosed them out by eight points. Sanford captured first place in all the running events with excellent showing from the Tuggs brothers.

Elmer Wrenn and Jack Burroughs were outstanding for Greensboro. Wrenn placed first in the shot-put and second in the discus while Burroughs came in first in the javelin with a throw of 177 feet, 4 inches, beating the state records.

Others winning points for the Gate City squad were: Coleman, Nowlin, Brown, Marsh, Fincke, Miller, and Elias.

97 Letters Awarded

There were 97 letters awarded to athletes for skillfulness in various sports for the recently ended season. Jack Burroughs was our only four-letter man who starred in football, basketball, track, and baseball. The three letter men were Wrenn, who received awards for football, basketball and track, and Whit, who starred in football, basketball, and baseball. Men who won two letters were Koury, Miller, Elias, Wicker, Brown, Rees, Fesmire, Wharton, and Riley. Helen Kirkman received two stars for girls' sports.

FIVE RECORDS ARE BROKEN IN ANNUAL CIVITAN MEET

Charlotte's Team Defends Title Successfully—G. H. S. Is Sixth.

G. H. S. COACH IN CHARGE

High Point Wins Second, Led by Sizemore; Burroughs, Wrenn and Brown Star.

Five records were broken in the ninth annual Civitan track meet held at the Greensboro Memorial Stadium Friday, May 6. Lester Belding was in charge of the occasion, which got under way about 1:30. The field events were run off first, followed by the preliminaries for the winning events. The finals for the running events were run off about 4:30.

Coach Milstead's Charlotte team, which was barred from the meet until the last minute, defended their title successfully. Captain Harold Sutton of the Wildcats was the individual star of the meet, winning 15 points, while Gay Stole captured 11 points for the Wildcats.

High Point, favored to win the title, placed second. The Black Bisons were led by Frank Sizemore, who galloped to first places in the 100-yard dash and 220-yard dash.

Greensboro high placed sixth in the meet, getting 12 points. Coach Routh saved some of his good men for the medley relay, but they failed to come through. Burroughs, Wrenn and Brown were the high scorers of the local squad. Wrenn got third in the shot-put and fourth in the discus, while Brown took second in the discus, and Burroughs second in the javelin throw. Coleman placed fourth in the low hurdles, trailing Kennerly, who managed to get a third. The medley relay was won by Charlotte, with Winston second, High Point third, and Greensboro fourth.

Greensboro's hope for a second position was blasted when it was decided to let the Charlotte squad enter the meet. The weight men of the local squad would have won more points if it had not been for the excellent showing of the weight men from the Queen City. The Greensboro milers also had a fair chance to capture some points, but they did not enter that event because Coach Routh wanted a fresh group for the medley relay. The locals took the lead in the medley but failed to hold it and were forced to take fourth place.

Surprise Entry

It was thought, through previous reports, that Charlotte would not be allowed to enter the meet because of filing the entry blank after the required time, and the Civitan committee had already voted not to allow the team to enter.

The Civitans, however, left the entrance of the Charlotte team with the coaches of the other schools entering the meet, and they decided the day before the meet to allow Charlotte team to enter. How different the outcome would have been had they not entered!

1932 BASEBALL TEAM ELECTS RILEY CAPTAIN

Senior High Club Names Honorary Leader Before Western Conference Game With Charlotte.

Before the first Western Conference game with Charlotte, the baseball club of Senior high elected their honorary captain for 1932, hoping it would give them good luck. The name of the captain was Ralph Riley, a senior and regular catcher of the team.

Riley, better known as "Red" among the members of the team, is finishing his third season with the school team and has distinguished himself not only as a catcher but as a hitter. His name has been mentioned a number of times for all-state selections. Riley is the owner of letters for three seasons with the club.

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Whirlwinds Defeated In Elimination Game

WHAT MAKES THE GAME? "I fumbled," said the sad-eyed lad. "And lost the golden chance I had!" "That's quite all right," his coach replied. "I understand how hard you tried. Forget it now! Go back and fight with all your strength and all your might."

"Take hold of this consoling thought: If every ball that's thrown were caught; If no one faltered; no one fell; If every play we tried went well; If gain with every venture came, There would be nothing to the game."

"What makes the game? Not perfect play. But golden chances thrown away! The fumbled ball; the slight mistake which men, however skillful, make; The faulty judgment and the will To wait and work for victory still."

"And so with life! If all were plain, If men perfection could attain; If neither doubt, nor loss, nor fear Should ever test our courage here; If ye knew all, and all could see, 'Then deadily dull this life would be.' Centennial High School, Pueblo, Colorado.

WRENN WILL CAPTAIN 1933 FOOTBALL SQUAD

In Three Letter Man, Winner of Awards in Football, Basketball, Track; Only Old Player in Line.

The football captain for next season's Purple Whirlwinds will be Elmer Wrenn, who has played guard for some time. He was elected by the football men who have already received letters, Wednesday, May 11.

Wrenn has been excellent as variety guard for the past three years and received the distinction of being included on several all-star line-ups last fall. Besides being one of the most outstanding offensive players, Wrenn also drop-kicked the extra points for the eleven last season.

Since Wrenn is the only old player in the lineup for next year, with the exception of Oka Hester, center, he will be looked to by Coach Lester Belding as the leader of the forward wall.

Beside being a three-letter man, Wrenn also stars in his other two sports. He was elected honorary captain of the basketball team at the close of the last season, and stood out as the most consistent snore on the track team. He also throws the weights in the track season, particularly the shot.

Through the courtesy of the Greensboro Patriots, who are members of the Piedmont baseball league, knot hole tickets have been issued for the third consecutive year.

Approximately 150 senior high students who had not yet reached its age limit of 10 years, were given knot hole tickets.

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