

SHAW SLATES SEASON'S FIRST BALL GAME

The Shaw University Bears under the watchful eye of veteran coach, James C. Johnson, manager, for their first baseball game of the season to be played Wednesday afternoon, March 29, at 2:30 at Chayls Park with the Livingstone College nine. Fred Worthing is assistant coach; James C. Johnson, manager.

Twenty-eight players are snapping up their positions in daily practice sessions. They are headed by Willie Bellamy, a senior from Blz Stone Gap, Va., and James Joyner, a senior from Raleigh, co-captains of this year's team. Bellamy and Joyner play right and left field respectively.

The Bears have their pitching staff of last year intact. Heavy mound duty will be done again this year by Kenneth Beitle, a sophomore of Atlantic City, N. J.; Joe Eared Williams, a junior from Four Oaks; and James Mincey, a junior of Egg Harbor, N. J. Victor Edmonds, a veteran of the 1948 campaign, is a valuable addition to the pitching staff.

Harry Galkuder, a sophomore from Matawan, N. J., is the only one of last year's receivers back in the lineup. One or two freshmen look promising as catchers. Other regulars in the infield include James P. Brown, Philadelphia, Pa.; John Thomas Wortham, Raleigh; Herman Smith, Winston-Salem; and Walter Roundtree, New Bern.

In the outfield the seasoned performers in addition to Joyner and Edlany are Edward Todd, Goldsboro; Donald Ford, Philadelphia; George Benton, Newark, N. J.; and Berace Burton, Alexandria, Va.

The Bears' schedule is as follows:

- HOME GAMES
- March 29—Livingstone College
- April 1—Winston-Salem Teachers
- April 5—North Carolina College
- April 8—Lincoln University
- April 10—St. Augustine's College
- April 12—Delaware State
- April 14—Howard University
- April 19—W. Va. State College
- April 26—A. and T. College
- GAMES AWAY
- April 22—North Carolina College
- April 27—Winston-Salem Teachers
- April 28—Livingstone College
- April 29—A. and T. College
- May 10—Delaware State College
- May 11—Lincoln University
- May 12—Howard University
- May 15—W. Va. State College
- May 20—St. Augustine's College

LOUIS LAUNCHES HOME PROJECT

FACIOMA, CALIF. (ANP) — Retired heavyweight boxing champion Joe Louis, in one of his post-ring roles, officially launched an \$8,000,000 home building housing units in the San Fernando valley. This latest financial venture of Louis in his role as president of the Joe Louis Homes, Inc. is to be known as Valleyview village.

Two model homes were on display at the launching of the project, showing examples of the two and three bedroom units to be constructed. A choice of 32 California styles is offered home builders. Prices on the two bedroom units begin at \$7,400, with monthly payments starting at \$48 and including costs, principal, interest, taxes and fire insurance. The three bedroom homes start at \$8,250. No down payment is required for veterans and FHA financing is given non-veterans.

Construction features of the new homes include hardwood floors, plank and beam or plaster ceilings, open log burning fireplace, linen closet, dual wall or floor furnace and single or double garages. In addition the kitchen will have tile drainboards and splash, recessed lighting, inlaid sink and double acid resistant sinks.

While the Trousdale Construction company served in an advisory capacity for the project, the actual construction will be handled by local independent builders, utilizing local labor.

With the opening of Valleyview, the Joe Louis home-building program reaches a total of 5,600 units,

A. AND T. RELEASES BASEBALL SLATE

GREENSBORO — A tougher than-average schedule has been devised for Coach of Edler's A and T. Aggies baseball squad this season. The schedule includes games with such outstanding teams as Delaware State College, Howard University, and Shaw University.

Last year, after an indifferent start, the Aggies picked up speed and finished in second place, just a couple of games behind the champion Howard University Beavers. The Aggies' season record was nine wins and three losses.

- The schedule follows:
- April 4, Winston-Salem Teachers College, at home.
- April 6, Lincoln University, home.
- April 8, Howard University, home.
- April 10, Cohen-Dec Whigs (night), (Easter Monday) home.
- April 15, Delaware State, home.
- April 21, N. C. State College, away.
- April 22, W. Va. State College, home.
- April 23, St. Augustine's, away.
- April 25, Shaw University, away.
- April 26, Winston-Salem, away.
- April 29, Shaw University, home.
- May 3, Lincoln University, away.
- May 4, Delaware State, away.
- May 5, Howard University, away.
- May 8, W. Va. State College, away.
- May 10, N. C. College, home.
- May 13, Va. State College, away.
- May 16, St. Augustine's, home.

TAN PLAYERS TAKE BRIDGE CROWN

NEW YORK (ANP) — Two Negro women became the first of their race to win a major contract bridge title last week when Mrs. Cauncey Gibson of New York and Mrs. Byron Brooks of Brooklyn teamed to win the women's pair championship in the Eastern State contract bridge tournament at the Pops Sheraton hotel.

For their victory they will hold the Wainwright trophy for a year — a trophy presented by Mrs. Sturveysant Wainwright of New York. Last year when the same partners won the metropolitan women's pair title they were denied the trophy because they were not members of the American Contract Bridge League.

Since then numerous developments have taken place in the league — a 60 percent majority of 27,000 members of the league voted to bar Negroes from its contests, but 85 percent of the members of the German title fight between heavyweights voted in favor of Negroes. The same margin voted in favor of Negroes for the New England Bridge Association.

By winning the regional tournament Mrs. Gibson and Mrs. Brooks are one step away from the top honor of the nation, the national title. No Negro has ever participated in the national tournament.

The winning pair won over 46 pairs, the largest number ever to enter the regional tournament. They scored 385 1-2 match points compared to the average of 312, 23 points above the second ranking pair, Mrs. Harvey Lefevre and Mrs. George Steader of Forest Hills.

LAKERS COOL OFF TROTTERS

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. (ANP) — Proving that their won over the Harlem Globetrotters before a record Chicago crowd last month was no fluke, the Minneapolis Lakers did it again last week. They topped the Trotters 69 to 54 on their home court.

This marks the third straight time the Lakers have defeated the Globetrotters, once last year and twice this year. It gives the Lakers featuring George Mikan, the best basketball player in the nation, an overall 3 to 2 edge over the Globetrotters.

The Trotters stopped Mikan for the first time this year, but other skyscrapers Lakers were not. Little Wraoules Haynes topped the Trotters in scoring with 22 points.

valued in excess of \$38,000,000 now under construction. A northern California development already has 4,000 units underway.

SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE CAROLINIAN

OFF THE BACKBOARD

LAYNE LEADS CCNY

NEW YORK (ANP) — Big Ed Warner was cold, but Floyd Layne was hot, as City College of New York barely squeezed in 56 to 55 victory over Ohio State, champions of the Big Ten, in the opening of the eastern division of the National Collegiate Athletic Association basketball tournament.

The Beavers, playing before a full house of more than 10,000 fans at Madison Square Garden last Thursday night found the zone defense put up by the Buckeyes so effective that they had to bank on long shots to win.

Ohio State's two stars, Dick Schmitz and Bob Donham fouled out before the end of the game.

CHICAGO SLATED FOR TITLE FRACAS

CHICAGO (ANP) — A heavyweight title fight between National Boxing Association Champion Ezzard Charles and Chicago's Bob Satterfield appeared certain last week.

Truman Gibson, Negro secretary of the International Boxing Club, revealed that the champion would sign and that Jake Mizit, Charles' talkative manager, had indicated his good intentions to the Illinois Boxing Commission.

Plans for a Charles-Satterfield title go in the Chicago Stadium passed preliminary stages Friday night when Satterfield scored a upset over Tony Gomez of Tampa, Fla. Although Satterfield does not have the toughest jaw in the world, he fought toe to toe with a lethal puncher and forced the favorite four times to take a unanimous 10-round decision.

The Chicagoan has a potent left hand that could floor Champion Charles or anybody else. His only weakness — in the past — has been a sensitive jaw. But his myriad supporters say that must be attributed to his youthful follies. Today, Mr. Satterfield is a man, they tell us.

Bob is a crowd pleaser, and that is mainly what the IBC is interested in. He is not entirely bereft of science, but his major asset is a knockout punch. Charles — the better boxer — could very easily lose his title to one Bob Satterfield. Gomez, who is on bum, left Chicago an injured man. He not only was defeated, he was battered, one eye cracked and lips swollen, fractured right index finger, and a broken heart.

The only things that could mar the proposed Chicago title bout are as follows: On April 14 Satterfield must get by the heavy gloves of Middleweight Champion Jake LaMotta at the stadium, and Charles must defeat Freddy Beshore in Buffalo. The latter will be decided before this story hits the streets.

TENNIS ACE WELCOMED BACK TO FLA. A. & M.

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — A highly appreciative student body and faculty met Althea Gibson at the edge of the A. and M. College campus today and welcomed her as only this student body could have. This lanky, advanced freshman had been victorious in the Women's Eastern Indoor Tennis Championship and runnerup in the National Indoor Championship and now was home to receive her laurels.

There were no flags or bunting hanging about the campus but there was in evidence a FAMEE school spirit which literally charged the atmosphere of our campus.

The Lucy Moten Training School band, first to meet her, let go a flare of trumpets and then started marching in full array to lead Althea to her dormitory. The smallest majorette as she swung her baton seemed to have been saying "I am proud of you, Althea, and some day I hope to represent this school as well as you did in New York recently."

Every tree, every bulletin board and the entrance to every building on this campus carried a sign — "Welcome Home Athlete." This was

Schmitz led both teams in scoring with 26 points.

Layne, one of three Negro players featured in the CCNY lineup, made seven field goals out of 11 shots and three out of four free throws to lead his team in scoring with 17 points. Warner, fresh from being voted the most valuable player in the National Invitational tournament which CCNY won, could make only three of 16 shots and two of three free throws for 8 points. Jason Galber, team co-captain, played as a substitute and failed to make any of four shots.

If CCNY, a team of sophomores mainly, overcomes the jitters displayed in this game and goes on to win the NCAA meet, it will become the first team to win both the tournaments in the same year.

HATCHER SETS NEW RECORD

NEW YORK (ANP) — William (Bucky) Hatcher of Verona, N. J., set a new scratch record for Rutgers in basketball when he completed his college career with 1,243 points scored, a new high for Rutgers players.

Hatcher scored 359 points in 29 games this season. Last year he tallied a record 446 points for the Scarletegers. He has played basketball for four seasons with the Rutgers team.

Hatcher also is a star end for the Rutgers football team.

GI CHECK SENDS COP ON SPREE

cus drinks too many, and an itchy trigger finger proved too much for Fred D. Slaten, probationary police officer, last week.

Bolstered with his service revolver while off duty, Slaten staggered through the streets blazing away with his gun and insults during a half hour of terror. The result was one man dead, and numerous people scared stiff.

Slaten, judged by physicians as suffering from acute alcoholism and by the police department as "absolutely" drunk, has been suspended from the force, and is being looked as a murder suspect and for assault with intent to kill. He is also accused of destruction of property and discharging of a fire arm.

Death victim of Slaten's wild spree was Mole L. Land, laborer whom Slaten shot in front of his home at 2950A Cass avenue. Land stepped in front of the policeman, according to witnesses, to enter his home when Slaten shoved him and shot him. He was taken to the Homer G. Phillips hospital where he died of a bullet wound in the stomach.

Looking on as this scene took place were Eddie Brew and Miss Marcella Smith, the dead man's half sister. They were seated in an automobile at the time.

"My mind was a blank," Slaten told Lt. Reynold Ferguson in the police station.

He explained that he took a few drinks after receiving his insurance dividend. All he knew of the shooting, he said, was that he thinks he shot someone during a fight.

Police officers captured him after he had fired five shots from his service gun. He had been a probationary officer since last October.

"Althea Gibson Day" on A. and M.'s campus and there can be another one like it in school spirit, pride and oneness.

Good student that she is, Althea, joyful and ruddy of complexion, received her back-slapping with all modesty and then went about her preparations for study so that she might make the honor roll again as she did last semester.

Women of science do not often make newspaper headlines, along with sport celebrities for many noble figures in medicine toil and die in relative obscurity. But Althea who hopes to become a doctor will be able to point back to her head-line because of her recent achievement in New York.

Since 1946, the U. S. Department of Agriculture has purchased an average of 20 per cent of each Irish potato crop in order to remove surplus production from the market.



NATIONAL PRESS BUILDING WASHINGTON, D. C.

By Anne Goode

One way to lengthen slips for that fast-growing daughter is to cut off the straps and sew the rest of the slip to the end of a blouse. This not only makes a short slip longer, but also keeps the blouse neatly tucked inside her skirt.

Have you tried the vitaminized margarine which comes in a handy measuring cup? Each pound is divided into four quarters and each quarter is a unit of measurement, e.g., 1 quarter equals 1/4 cup and 1/2 print equals 2 tablespoons, to make measuring for cooking easier.

Instead of using a dish or saucer, place a mirror under the fish bowl, flower vase or plant. It will protect the furniture from water spots and in addition it will reflect your pretty setting.

Caught in the rain with your best shoes? Well, the sooner you get them off and on to shoe trees the better. Otherwise they'll curl up in the toes. Let them dry and then give them two coats of that old shineda. That helps soften the leather and restores gloss and color.

If you use a wringer-type washing machine, feed cottons and linens through the wringer flat, in straight, lengthwise folds. They'll be a lot easier to iron 'cause wringing tightly or twisting adds wrinkles and strains material.

JAVITS SAYS RIGHTS NEED BOTH PARTIES

WASHINGTON (ANP) — "Civil rights legislation, if it is to pass, must be bipartisan," declared Congressman Jacob K. Javits (R., N.Y.) in the Congressional Record last Monday.

This statement was given in connection with two Chicago Defender editorials which the New York Congressman had inserted in the record. The editorial which appeared in the Chicago paper on February 18 was entitled, "The Republicans State Their Case" and the one of March 11, contrasted the Democratic promises with their performance.

In submitting these editorials, Rep. Javits said these two editorials bearing on the outlook of the American Negroes on the prospects for civil rights legislation, when taken together, bear out a fundamental principle which he has been advocating.

Declaring that the principle of bipartisanship must be practiced if the civil rights legislation is permitted to pass the Congress, the Republican representative added that the "administration must lay it aside as a partisan issue."

This fact was illustrated by the inability to muster on the House floor the necessary votes to pass an FEPC with enforcement powers," continued Javits. "Many votes of representatives from the border states were lost on the Democratic side and many Republican votes from northern and western areas which should have supported such a measure were also lost."

He reminded his colleagues that "dissatisfaction with both major political parties is a most unsatisfactory state of mind, as far as both major parties are concerned, to be driving the American Negro into."

WOMAN AIDS RESCUE SIXTEEN CHILDREN

NEW YORK (ANP) — Deputy Fire Chief Edward Connors lauded 30-year-old, Mrs. Josie Gregory, for her part in the rescue of 15 children in a three-alarm fire which wrecked two five-story tenement houses on Lenox Avenue, shortly after noon.

Most of the parents were absent when the flames, ignited by a discarded match or cigarette, swept up an airshaft between the buildings. She hailed a patrolman and while he went to turn in the alarm rounded up the children.