

15th for a title bout. Clay will years, will be getting his first SIGN FOR TITLE BOUT-New chance at the title It will be - Heavyweight Cham- defend his world crown against Vork pion Cassius Clay (left) shakes Folley at Madison Square Gar- Clay's seventh title defense in a little more than a year. hands with Zora Folley after den here March 22nd. Folley, they signed contract February a professional fighter for 14



WE LOVE YOU EARL -- Miss | phy to the campus of Winston-Gloria Tyson (left) of Rocky Salem State College. This tro-Mount, "Miss Ram" and Miss phy is traditionally awarded to 16, Jackie Wilson noted 13. Mount, "Miss Ram" and Miss put is traditionary and con-Roberta Henry of Marion, "Miss the winner of the home con-Brown Hall" show Earl Monroe test between the W-S State The Bulls led for the first how they feel about his efforts Rams and the N. C. A. and T. to return the Ram-Aggie Tro- Aggies.

Shaw Bears Win One, Lose One in Past Week's Games

versity Bears soundly defeat-

**High School Cage Playoff** Sites Named

ROCKY MOUNT-The Commissioner's Office released this week the sites of the 1967 Basketball Playoffs for the North Carolina High School Athletic Conference and stated that some changes had been made this year in the manner of conducting the playoffs. The State Finals are scheduled later this year than in previous years because of the dates of the dressing rooms at halftime CIAA Tournament and the ACC Tournament in Greensboro. All Finals will again be held in out, Robert Drakeford racked the Dudley High School Gymup 14 points for his Bears, nasium in Greensboro. How ever, the first and second be held in the St. Augustine's Gym in Raleigh, beginning with 21 rebounds

March 14th and running thru March 15th. The Finalists in move to Greensboro for the championships The 4A and 3A Finals will be

held in Greensboro along with the 2A and A Finals on March 16-18 Tornaument sites are as follows, starting March 9th and game average. running thru March 11th.

WESTERN DIVISION 2A-Newbold High School Lincolnton 3A and A-Logan High School,

Concord 3A and 4A — Dudley High School, Greensboro

EASTERN DIVISION 2A-Kingville High School, Al-

School, Durham 2A—Frederick Douglas High

4A-Central High School, Nashville

School, Garner 3A and 4A-E. E. Smith High

> A-Carver High School, Laurel Hill

Hallsboro

School, Lumberton

2A-Jones High School, Tren-

3A - Central High School,

March 14th and 15th-State Finals in A and 2A first and Seconl rounds-St. Augustine's

March 18th-Finals in A and Greensboro

Greensboro



RALEIGH --- The Shaw Uni-, ed the Blue Bears of Living stone College, Salisbury, here last Tuesday night, 90-72, but were the victims of defeat when they hosted the highlytouted Panthers of Virginia Union University, Richmond Virginia, on Thursday night Both games were played in the Spaulding Gymnasium. Livingstone held Shaw's top scorer, Norman Joyner, to only 18 points, but the shooting of

four other Shaw Bruins in the double columns made the victory possible. Bobby Saunders, an ex-tsand

out at Clayton's Cooper High School, dumped in 20 points for the host Bears, fourteen of his points coming in the first half. Saunders and Joyner combined for 11 of Shaw's final 17 points sending the teams into the with Shaw leading 45-31. Ex-Ligon High School stand

while Edward Hamilton got 11 and Ivan Donovan, rebound rounds of the 2A and A will specialist, chalked up 10. Donovan also dominated the boards In the Virginia Union game,

the final score at 71-all, caused these two Divisions then will a five minute overtime and the Panthers went on to defeat the Shaw Bears 82-77. Shaw grabbed an early 5-0

lead and extended the lead to 20-13, with 9:56 left in the first half. Norman Joyner was held Fla.)-Lee Elder of Washingto 21 points, six below his per

Panther forward Mike Davis shot ten straight points to bring his team from a 28-18 deficit with 2:24 left in the half. At halftime, the score was tied at 34-all. Davis also turned a gerat second half performance as he

drove up the middle for many of his shots With 2:18 left in the game, the Bears were leading by the score of 68-67, when Union tied it up.



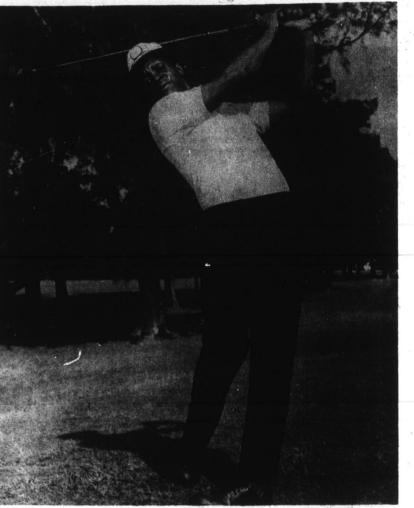
North Carolina College track coach Leroy T. Walker, whose team's first meet on February 4 was highly satisfactory to him, looks forward to a good

season for the Eagle runners "We were very pleased with the results of the Philadelphia

His men placed in every even entered. "Weaknesses showed up," the track mentor reported, "as they do in first meets. Cur 1,999-yard man freshman Cyril Roberts, didn't do as well as we hoped." Roberts didn't do as well as we

the event. "Of course," Walker said, 'you have to remember that this was Roberts' first indoor meet-his first time on the boards anywhere. We think he

won the event." The Eagles will compete on Monday and Tuesday, February 17and 18, against some of the duce. state's best trackmen in the Ha



FOUR-TIME WINNER (Miami, Golf Tornamuent for an unpre- of Miami Country Club in cedented fourth time during Miami Springs ton D. C. displays the form the Feb 8-12 event at the City (M-M News Bureau) he used to win the North-South

RAMS AGGIES WINNER

THE RAM-AGGIE TROPHY is | Steven Smith, co-captains of which was awarded to the W-S returned to Winston-Salem St. the Rams and Miss Roberta State Rams following their de-College. Miss Gloria Tyson, Henry, Miss Brown Hall, pose feat of the N. C. A. and T "Miss Ram," Earl Monroe and with the Ram-Aggie Trophy Aggies 104-93

## Lee Elder Wins North-South Golf Tournament

expects to find in an Earle

MIAMI, Florida-Lee Elder of Los Angeles, held a slim of Washington, D. C. won the one-stroke lead over Skomsky with Elder, doggedly held on, and Gilbert after 18 holes. North-South Golf Tournament for an unprecedented fourth Walker was two strokes back, time when he led a field of but three others-J. D. Sanderson of Pasadena, Calif., some 300 golfers from start to finish with 69-70-67-206 total. Paul Desjardins of Miami and The event, at the City of a top amateur, Jim Jewell of Miami Country Club was a 54-South Bend, Ind .--- equaled Elders two - under - par 69. The hole medal play contest loaded four were tied for the lead. with suspense, drama and ex-

At the end of the following citement Tournament spectators who day's round. Elder's one-under followed the Elder fourseme par 70 for a 36-hole 139 total experienced all the thrills a netted him no more than a tie determined golfer could pro- with Gilbert and amateur Jewell

Gilbert and Jewell, playing forcing Elder to finish the first nine holes at three-under-par 33. Jewell finally faded but Gilbert was only two strokes back

It was a nip-and-tuck battle the last nine holes, and Gilbert caught Elder by dropping sev eral spectacular putts. Both finished with 67's and were forced into a sudden-death play off.

On the first extra hole, Elden dropped a six-foot birdie putt

3A and 4A-Dudley High Schl.,

bemarle A, 3A, 4A - Hillside High **University Bulls** School Elm City North Carolina College's Eagles proved again Saturday 2A-Garner Consolidated High

2A - South Lumberton High

2A -- Sampson High School

Gymnasium, Raleigh.

2A - Dudley High School, Marcr 16-18-State Finals in

Mike Turner

four minutes and 15 seconds, after scoring a fast four points before the first Eagle tally. The Eagles never again fell



night that conference standings mean little when rivals meet. The Durham cagers avenged School, Fayetteville their earlier 24-point loss to the Golden Bulls of first division Johnson C. Smith Univer-2A - Artesia High School sity with a 78-73 victory in the CIAA battle here in R. L. Mc-NCC's Eagles now have a 7-

14 overall record for the sea-Clinton son, with victories in their last 2 games. They face Shaw Uniton versity on Saturday, February 25, in their final tilt of the

Gatesville

Lee Davis, with 25 points and Joe Pridgen, with 20, led the Eagles to the win Saturlay night. Byron Kirkley and

Paris Lenon scored 10 points Five of the Golden Bulls

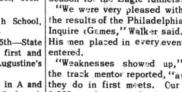
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COLES

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Janaury 13, 1967.



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is as good as the Cornell man who

## . Leaves Clay Silent

## World HOUSTON, Tex. Clay returned to Houston Monday, happy to be home for the first time," but silent about the

announcement that a Texas Selective Service appeal board has refused his plea for classification as a Muslim minister The announcement was made in Frankfort, Ky, by the director of that state's Selective Service as Clay was aboard a jet en route from Chicago to Houston, the city he adopted last month as his hometown

"I don't know too much about what's going on." Clay said, adding that all ques tions about the matter would be handled by his New York City lawyer, Hayden Coving-

Clay checked into a hotel and awaited the arrival of friends who have been apartment hunting for him.

"They've been recommending one and fixing it up," but I don't know where it is." he said. After he is settled in the apartment, Clay said, he will start looking for a house.

Clay said he would begin working out today at Houston's Muslim mosque on the city's near East Side, and preaching there in Friday and Sunday services.

"I have to slart working out for Folley," he said. "I'll also be all over the city working with boys and meeting the people," he said.

"I'm home now." Clay said nome now for the tirs

**Chicago Court Fines** Clay

For Speeding

CHICAGO — An attor-ney for boxing champion Cassi-us Clay paid a speeding fine of \$12 and costs for his client in Traffic Court Monday. tallies.

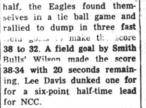
Clay did not appear in court He was en route to Houston. Clay was ticketed on Chicago's South Side Nov. 26 for driving 42 miles an hour in a 30 m.p.h.

Attorney Sanford Kahn pro duced a driver's license issued to Clay in 1965. A charge of failure to produce a driver's license when the arrest was made was dropped.

**Marines** Nudge Asheville, 72-70

ASHEVILLE -1 - Jim ASHEVILLE — Jim Myers sank two foul shots with one second showing on the clock to give the Quantico Marines a 72-70 win over Asheville-Biltmore College here Monday night. Myers' shots came after the Marines had come from behind to tie the game with two minutes

to go. A-B's Buy Batsel led both sides with 29 points.



The Golden Bulls came with in two points twice during the second half but found that they had sparked an Eagle rally which gave NCC a ten point lead with 8:45 left. NCC led the rest of the way, **High Scorer** holding on to at least four points in excess of the Bulls



## Fall to Lewis

Ex-Southern U. Runner Covers Distance in 47.1

Theron Lewis, one of the world's Theron Lewis, one of the world a best quartermilers. Iowered the world indoor mark for the 440-yard dash by knocking two-tenths of a second off the old standard when he win the Albuquerque In-vitational in 47.1. The former Southern University the memory backbod from Ba

star, running unattached from Ba ton Rouge, La., led all the way in beating a strong field.

beating a strong field. In the same meet, Texas South-ern's Jim Hines tied the indoor record for the 60-yard dzs'1 by covering the distance in 5.9 sec nds

WASHINGTON - Hank Allen vear-old brother of Philadelphia illies third baseman. Richie Alsigned a 1967 contract



Forest College, North Carolina State and Davidson College.



Undefeated in 10 games last season, this will be the the first year since 1959 that the big blue gridders will have GRETNA, Va .--- William Lindto play 10 collegiate ball bergh Coles, in his senior year at Northside High School, is games during the regular season. Coach John A. Merritt the leading scorer in the Wesplayed a 10-game schedule tern District, Virginia Interhis first (1963) year at Tenscholastic Association and the nessee State but two of those games were against armed ser-Coles, a 6-foot, 170 pound guard, has started every game vices teams for Northside and in 17 games

"This year our traditional has a per game average of 29.7. He has amassed a total of 506 schedule brings three of the strongest teams to Nashville,' points in the 17 games with a game high of 48 points against Gentry ventured in announcing the 67 grid offerings. "After Addison High of Roanoke on opening in San Diego, our next The flashy sharpshooter has made 187 field goals, 132 free throws, while being guilty of fouling only 46 times. game is at home against North Carolina A&T, September 23, That will be followed by our toughest rivals, Gramb ling College, October 7 and Florida A&M, October 28."

An above average student, the 18-year old Coles is considered by his coach as one of the finest all-around basketball "lavors ever produced at North-Lincoln. November 11 and Allen University, November 23 for Homecoming, completes the Tigers home stand. s'de High School

days, Elder, playing with Gib supplied the large gallery with Big Six Championship event in by Gilbert of Hollywood, Fla., all the mental uncertainty one Chapel Hill. Other teams in George Skomsky of Highlands, the event are the University N. C., and James Walker, Jr., Stanley Gardner thriller of North Carolina, Duke, wake

**Albany State College Hosts** 

Hard pressed the entire three



State's "give 'an go" six of Mel nual Southeastern Athletic Conand Wilbert Jones, Bob Pritference (SEAC) Basketball Tournament gets underway chett, Jimmy Reams, Joe Poihere on Albany State College's tier and Mack Daughtry: Savancampus on February 23. nah State's Lee Maulls; Claf-

lin's Si Dickerson and Ron Pe Obje W. O'Neal. secretaryters; and Edward Waters' Meltreasurer of the seven-team athletic association said that vyn Coleman and Osborne Longsworth. for the first time this year the

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tourney will span three days, beginning at 6:00 p.m. The 7th member team, the top seeded or regular season champion. in College. will draw a bye in the openin round and move automatically

into the semi-finals the fol lowing night, Friday, Febru-

ary 24. Albany State College's "running gunning" Rams are the current pacesetters with a 9-1 SEAC log and the favorite for the bye.

Saturday, February 25, will send the tournament into the finals and consolation games, beginning at 7:00 p.m. Friday night's semi-finals in Sanford Gymnasium will also tip-off at 7:00 p.m.

This year's tourney figures to be the biggest and best of "Il with the league flooring many outstanding individua

On the final day, this trio money.

**Renee Powell of East Canton** Ohio had an easy time proving the best of a small field in the women's division.



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