

With The TAR HEELS

By Dick Jenrette

When handing out credit for work well done, much praise deservedly goes to the Carolina intramural department for its fine job of encouraging student participation in athletics. But during the last few days there have been innumerable complaints about the latest sport to be inaugurated this winter, that sport being boxing. From this point it looks like the complaints are justified.

Boxing is no newcomer to the Carolina intramural program, but this does not necessarily justify its continued existence. It will be remembered by some students that boxing as a varsity sport was banned at Carolina last year. There were numerous reasons for discontinuing the sport, such as lack of opponents in this district and also a shortage of boxing talent. But perhaps the most important factor was the belief that boxing as a sport was too rough for college athletics. And statistics verify this statement, for each year boys are seriously injured in collegiate boxing.

Logic, then, would bring out the question that if boxing is too rough for varsity athletes, isn't it certainly too rough for intramural performers? Supporters of the game, though, point out that in intramural boxing the fighting period lasts for a shorter time and also that both competitors are required to wear a mask and extra large, well-padded gloves. But even with this arrangement the boxers take quite a bit of punishment.

Entrance Not Entirely Voluntary

The intramural department probably is satisfied with the boxing program because of the large number of entrants each year. This total doubtless is impressive, particularly in view of the fact that entrance theoretically is voluntary. Actually, however, the large number of participants in boxing results from the compulsory entrance of fraternity pledges. Most Carolina fraternities, anxious to improve their intramural point totals, require all pledges to enter. As a result many boys physically unequipped for boxing are forced to go to what they consider their "doom."

If none of the entrants had had any previous boxing experience, then we would say the program would be beneficial to the students. But there always are enough entrants who have done some boxing previously to hand the neophytes at the sport a terrific beating.

Also there is the vital matter of conditioning for the sport. We have observed several boys virtually fasting and working out daily in order to get into a weight classification below that which they really belong in. Working out is good for a person, but it can be overdone.

The intramural department should weigh all these factors before going along with the boxing precedent next year. From here, it's difficult to see that the advantages of boxing balance the disadvantages.

Cagers Rank 28th Nationally

Associated Press basketball ratings this week rank the Tar Heels 28th nationally, with 14 points. . . State has the best rating—15th with 50 points. . . Coach Tom Scott, in his search for basketball talent, would do well to observe the play of Bobby Goss, 6-7 center for the undefeated Needham Broughton High team in Raleigh. . . Goss is one of the best backboard players in state high school circles and says he is interested in continuing his education at Carolina. . . But Coach Everett Case at State reportedly is making overtures for his services. Seen in the Y-Court yesterday was Bill (Earthquake) Smith, rugged tackle on the 1947 football team here. . . Earthquake played pro ball this past season.

Paul Severin, All-American, end at Carolina in 1940, has accepted a position as freshman grid coach at the University of Florida. . . Buddy Johnson, a promising forward on Carolina's freshman basketball team, is no longer in school. . . Johnson went home to Pikeville, Ky., over the weekend and wasn't back in time for the game Monday. . . He came in next day, packed his bag, and left the university. . . Coach Jim Hamilton has inserted Frank Eckert at Johnson's vacated forward position.

Billy Carmichael III, Daily Tar Heel sports editor, is still in Watts hospital, Durham, recuperating from an appendectomy. . . He seems to be improving rapidly. . . Bill has had quite a siege in the hospital recently. . . Prior to his appendectomy he was laid up with an attack of glandular fever. He should be able to return to work on Monday.

Pennsylvania Takes Action Against Sports Bribery

HARRISBURG, Jan. 26—(UP)—Football commissioner Bert Bell's two year campaign to make sports bribery a criminal offense finally brought action today in the State senate where a special government committee approved an anti-fix bill and sent it to the floor for debate.

Passage of the bill, which has Republican support, was expected without too much opposition.

Sen. Harvey M. Taylor, Republican State chairman and president pro tempore of the Senate, introduced the measure which he said was designed to "wipe out the worst thing in sports."

The bill would make any attempt to bribe an athlete, either amateur or professional, a criminal offense. It also stated specifically that the bribe need not be for throwing a game—it would also be a crime to reduce a winning team's margin of victory.

Bell, commissioner of the National Professional Football League, has been trying ever since the football scandal in 1946 involving the New York Giants, to get all states to pass anti-bribery bills.

Several states promptly enacted such legislation, but Pennsylvania did not undertake to do so until the present session of the Senate Taylor's bill also would boost the fine for persons found guilty of accepting bribery from \$1,000 to \$3,000. Persons guilty of making bribes would be given three-year prison terms and \$3,000 fines.

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Max Reed Resigns Coaching Position

Move Terminates Football Combo Of Long Standing

One of football's oldest coaching combinations was terminated yesterday with the resignation of Max Reed as University of North Carolina line coach.

This past fall, Reed completed his twentieth year as first assistant to Carl Snavely. The veteran mentor was associated with the "Grey Fox" for five years at Bucknell, nine years at Cornell, and six here. His announcement that he is leaving North Carolina came as a surprise. He added that an announcement of his plans could not be made at present.

"One of Best" Reed, a 49-year-old bachelor, rated by Snavely as "one of the best line coaches in the business," served with the latter as a field man. While other members of the staff scouted on Saturdays, Reed invariably stayed with Snavely on the bench, and the two teamed up in directing their teams.

The former Bucknell star guard and center has a wide circle of friends in this area. In addition to enjoying the respect of Carolina players, he has always been highly popular with them.

Reed began his playing career at Bucknell in 1919 and played four seasons, captaining the team his senior year. After graduating he played five years of professional football. He was with the New York Giants when a shoulder injury ended his playing career.

He joined Snavely at Bucknell in 1929 and each time the latter has transferred to another post, Reed has gone with him. Reed's successor on the North Carolina staff has not been named.

Resigns Post



MAX REED cracks old combo

Golf Contest

A hole in one contest will be held on number seven tee at the Chapel Hill golf course Saturday and Sunday with all proceeds going to the march of dimes drive, according to Mrs. Estelle Page, who is in charge of the project.

All interested golfers are urged to turn out between the hours of nine and twelve in the morning and one-thirty to four-thirty in the afternoon. The price will be 25 cents for three balls. Contestants are requested to provide their own clubs.

Prizes, donated by Chapel Hill merchants, will be given out Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Feller Holds Out; Is Joined By Mates

CLEVELAND, Jan. 26—(UP)—Mild-mannered Bobby Feller of the Cleveland Indians became a holdout today for the first time in his major league career and he was joined by three teammates who thought that they, too, should have a bigger reward for winning the world title.

Feller crossed up his boss, Bill Veeck, when he said very frankly that "I am not satisfied with present terms."

Veeck offered Feller a contract based on a cut in his base pay plus a bonus for attendance on Cleveland home attendance.

The only trouble, Feller said, was that "we just didn't see eye to eye on the number of people who will see us play."

"But we'll get together," Feller said. "I'll be in there on the opening day of spring training. It is just that the contract is so complicated it will need a little more working out."

Feller, who won 19 games last season but still failed to come up to expectations, was joined by pitchers Bob Lemon and Gene Bearden, and third baseman Ken Keltner, as dissatisfied players.

McAFEE TO DEACONS

WAKE FOREST, Jan. 26—(UP)—George McAfee, bruising half-back of the Chicago Bears and a great college star at Duke University, signed today as a member of the Wake Forest football coaching staff.

Wake Forest officials said it was not definite what his exact coaching duties were to be. He will join the staff when spring practice starts Feb. 7.

Student Tickets Go On Sale Today For Indoor Meet

Tickets for the Southern Conference indoor track meet will go on sale to University students this morning at 9 o'clock in Woollen gym, Vernon Crook of the Carolina Athletic Association announced yesterday.

Because the meet, which will take place February 26, is not a University event, student and faculty passbooks are not good for admission. However, nine hundred seats are being reserved for Carolina students at half price, which is seventy-five cents, and coupon number 30 from the student passbook.

Since the number of seats for U.N.C. students is limited to nine hundred, Crook recommended that those interested purchase their tickets at once. One thousand additional tickets are being reserved for the general public at \$1.50 each.

EQUALS RECORD

NEWCASTLE, Australia, Jan. 26—(UP)—Lloyd La Beach of Panama equalled the world's record of 9.4 seconds for the 100-yard dash tonight but the performance will not be recognized officially because the race was started by a whistle instead of a gun.

A whistle was employed when the starting gun jammed just before the race. The Panamanian olympic star's time was the fastest ever recorded on a grass track in Australia.

Grapplers Thump Davidson, 26-7; Frosh Whitewash 'Cat Yearlings

By Frank Allston, Jr.

Carolina's varsity and freshman wrestlers turned in a double win over the Davidson Wildcats in Woollen gymnasium last night. The varsity, in chalking up their first win of the season, scored a 26-7 decision while the undefeated frosh whitewashed Davidson's frosh 32-0.

The Tar Heels won their varsity Big Five match on two falls, three decisions, a forfeit and a draw. Davidson's only victory came on a fall in the second match.

Undefeated Phil Kemp, third in the Southern conference tournament last year, scored the most outstanding victory of the night when he pinned Rice with a half-nelson at 1:11 of the first period in the 155.

Lone Wildcat Winner

After Tar Heel Paul Edmondson had won the 121-pound class on a forfeit, Davidson's Jimmy Jung turned in the only Wildcat win of the night in the 128-pound class. Jung was originally scheduled to grapple in the 121 class, but failed to make this weight.

The closest match of the evening found Carolina's 165-pound contestant John Stoioff fighting Bill Alexander to a 3-3 draw.

Joe Augustine wound up the action with a heavyweight win. Joe had to fight 225-pounder Bill Moore and won in the third period after Moore's war-injured leg had been hurt.

Four Falls

In scoring their third straight victory of the young season, coach Irv Zirpel's Tar Babies won all eight matches, four of them on falls, to win, 32-0.

Tom Williams, fighting his first match for Carolina, got things started in the opening match by pinning Mattson in the 121 after 2:45 of the first period. This was the first time that Carolina had a man to fight in that class.

Tommy Cox also scored a first period fall for the Tar Babies when he pinned Davidson 165-pounder Boyd in 2:01 of the first period.

The other Tar Baby winners were McGimsey (128), decision; Dotson (136), fall; Farber (145), decision; Quarles (155), fall; Pickard (175), decision and Lovick (heavyweight), decision.

There will be a match with Virginia Tech, varsity and freshman at Blacksburg, Virginia on Saturday night.

The Summaries

121—Edmondson (UNC) won by forfeit.

128—Jung (D) pinned Harless. Time: 2:54, second period.

136—Turnley (UNC) decisioned Keltner, 6-4.

145—Fisher (UNC) pinned Charles. Time: 2:48, second period.

155—Kemp (UNC) pinned Rice. Time: 1:11, first period.

165—Gupton (UNC) decisioned Price, 6-0.

175—Stoioff (UNC) drew with Alexander, 3-3.

Unlimited—Augustine (UNC) decisioned Moore, 4-1.

SCORES UPSET

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 26—(UP)—Betty Rowland of Lexington, Ky., today scored the first big upset of the 17th annual Helen Lee Doherty Challenge cup golf tournament by defeating Dorothy Kietly of Los Angeles, 4 and 3.

INTRAMURAL ROUNDUP

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

4:00—Court 3, Phi Kap Sig 2 vs Sig Nu 2; 4, Chi Psi 4 vs Kappa Sig 3; 5, Chi Psi 2 vs Phi Gam 4; 7, Zeta 2 vs Kap Sig 2.

5:00—Court 3, Stacy 1 vs Tigers; 4, Pi Lamb 1 vs St. Anthony 2; 5, Kappa Sig 1 vs Sigma Chi 2; 7, Phi Delta Theta 1 vs Sigma Chi 3.

7:30—Court 3, AEPi vs Sig Eps 1; 4, Sig Chi 1 vs Phi Delt Chi 1; 5, Phi Gam 5 vs Beta 3; 6, Beta 1 vs Phi Delta Theta 2; 7, Chi Phi 2 vs SAE 2.

8:30—Court 3, Lamb Chi 2 vs PiKA 2; 4, DKE 2 vs Sig Eps 2; 5, Phi Delt Chi 2 vs Zeta 3; 6, Sig Chi 5 vs ATO 2; 7, Phi Delta Theta 3 vs KA 3.

BASKETBALL RESULTS

30 Mud Dobbers Hillbillies 33
78 Oakwood Drive Stack 2 30
38 Town 1 Fireballs 30
18 Manley C-Dorm 1 12
47 Lambda Chi DKE 1 10
78 Steele Gophers 46
56 Zeta 1 TEP 1 12
54 Chi Phi 1 Kap Sig 2 26
33 Emerson BVP 2 16
50 A-Dorm Old East 27
35 PiKA 1 (overtime) SAE 34
2 BVP 1 Y-Cab 1 0
2 Alexander 1 Med Sch 1 0
2 Miller 1 Gridders 0

HANDBALL SCHEDULE

5:00—Med School 1 vs Town 1; TEP vs winner (Phi Gam 3 vs Phi Delt 1).

7:30—Chi Psi 1 vs winner (ATO 2 vs Sig Eps); Old West vs Emerson 2.

COED BASKETBALL

Tuesday, 7:00—Kanan 1 vs CICA 2; 7:45—CICA 1 vs McIver 1; 8:15—Pi Phi 1 vs Tri Delt 2.

Thursday, 7:00—ADPi vs Alpha Gam 1; 7:45—Chi O vs Town 1; 8:15—Chi O 2 vs Alpha Gam 1.

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