

Frosh vs Vets In Blue-White Battle Saturday



CUFF NOTES

By **BERNIE WEISS**

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Not too long ago Frank McGuire, the man who promises to bring big-time basketball to the North Carolina campus, said the only thing he needed to do so was a seven-foot player with talent.

Now that player is in the fold. He's Billy Hathaway, a 17-year-old who spreads 245 pounds over his frame and who, in turn, has been spread over the pages of Life Magazine.

Hathaway, from Long Beach, N. Y., is listed as being 6'10". By the time he plays varsity ball, he will be seven feet. His family announced he once grew five inches within a year.

It was no easy job bagging this prize, especially after Life went to the trouble of promoting him for every coach in the country to note. I have heard that a Wichita coach sent a millionaire to Long Beach every weekend for the specific purpose of nabbing Hathaway.

I also have heard that, among the many other schools, East Carolina College was after him too; only that school knows what they would do with him. It seems Hathaway, though passing, is not a brilliant student and ECC figured his average would not "go" here, and that he should give ECC a try.

But McGuire, now in Kansas at the NCAA finals, was in New York last weekend and talked Hathaway into coming to Carolina. McGuire had the help of Hathaway's high school coach, Bobby Gersten, a former edge star here. Hathaway has definitely said that he would attend UNC.

This column, titled "Cuff Notes," would lead the reader into believing it is a feature pertaining to music. Usually it does not, but for once, I digress to that field.

Charles "Yardbird" Parker, one of the greatest exponents of bop, died Saturday night in a New York hotel, bringing to an end the production of live notes from his wonderful old sax.

The great Negro was 53 years old and much of his life was devoted to the music he loved. In fact, New York's famous jazz corner of the world, "Birdland," was named after him.

The nation will miss this man, truly a saxist of tremendous proportions.

Nats May Have First Division Club-Dressen

ORLANDO, Fla., March 16 (P) —Charlie Dressen seemed in no hurry to begin a detailed discussion of the Washington club and once the new Nats' manager did get going, about the team's prospects, the reason for his reticence was obvious.

Aside from some pretty fair pitching, a couple of veterans at first and third and a centerfielder named Jim Busby, the usually chipper little skipper hadn't much to talk about.

"It's still too early to give a fair evaluation of the club," he said. "I haven't even gotten acquainted with all the players yet. There are several I haven't even spoken to. They don't talk English and I don't speak Spanish. They've got an interpreter on the club but he speaks too fast for me."

Based on what he's seen, Dressen thinks his club has a chance to finish in the first division provided "the big guys don't get hurt."

By the "big guys," Chuck meant first baseman Mickey Vernon, third baseman Eddie Yost and Busby. "I DON'T HAVE the long ball hitters here like I had in Brooklyn," the former Dodger pilot declared. "No Campanellas, Hodgeses, Sniders and Robinsons. Maybe Roy Sievers, but that's all. I'm not crying, though. What good are long ball hitters in a big park like Griffith Stadium, anyway. Give me the fellows who hit singles and doubles and run like hell. I'll win with 'em."

Beatty's Runs Get High NCAA Ranking

Jimmy Beatty's performances in the mile and two-mile in the Indoor Games here in late February rank him among the top 10 in both events so far this year, according to figures just released by the National Collegiate Athletic Bureau, the official service bureau of the NCAA.

Ron Marquette And Ed Sutton To Quarterback

Proceeds From Contest To Monogrammers

By **JACK MURPHY**

The scene is set for the annual Blue-White intra-squad grid battle on Kenan Stadium's grassy confines at 2 o'clock Saturday with the separation of the squad into the Blue and White teams.

The Whites, coached by Ralph Floyd, will be composed almost exclusively of freshmen with the exception of junior Len "Teedee" Bullock, the regular quarterback last fall, soph tackle John Bilich and soph end Larry Muschamp.

Freshman quarterback Buddy Sasser will back up Ed Sutton for Coach Bill Edwards' Blue team, otherwise made up entirely of varsity members. Ron Marquette will direct the White attack against Sutton's efforts as pilot of the Blue team.

The two teams will probably practice separately tomorrow.

Yesterday's rain failed to put a damper on preparations for the annual event. Coach George Barclay ran the team through a full practice session despite the inclement weather.

THE GAME IS the climax to spring practice but not the official end. With several days of the 20-day conference limit left after the game, Coach Barclay will have the team out again next week to finish drills.

As sponsor, the Monogram Club provides members to work at the game and makes plans concerning halftime ceremonies and color.

This year for the first time the club will hold a reception for alumni in the club room following the game. Alumni will meet the football team and football coaches as well as coaches and athletes of the other sports at Carolina.

Governor Luther Hodges, UNC President Gordon Gray and Chancellor Robert House are among those to whom invitations have



FIVE MEMBERS of the Monogram Club's Blue-White Game committee map out final plans for Saturday's contest in Kenan Stadium. Left to right are Scotty Hester, publicity; Al Long; Wilbur Jones, general chairman; Bill Booth; Jim Beatty, alumni reception. Other members of the committee not present are Bob Colbert, Bob Boerner and Pat McCormick. All proceeds from the contest go to the Monogram Club. (Henley photo.)

been extended. Athletic Council members and other school athletic officials are expected to be present. The reception is open to all alumni and Monogram Club members only.

FOR COLOR the club will present the Miss Blue and White queen and the 12 sponsors at half-time. Voting for the queen took place this week. During halftime on the field the queen will present trophies to the varsity coach of the year (1954-55) and the freshman coach of the year as awarded annually by the club. After the game she will award a trophy to the winning team. Monogram members will escort the queen and sponsors at halftime.

This year the cheerleaders and University Band will be on hand for the game to add to the football atmosphere.

The majority of the proceeds goes to the Monogram Club scholarship fund. The club awards two

scholarships each year to a deserving minor sport athlete. Proceeds also pay for the orphans' parties, open houses, and other campus functions of the club.

WHILE JONES is general chairman for the game, the committees are headed by Bob Colbert, programs; Albert Long and Bill Booth, game workers; Jimmy Beatty, alumni reception; Scotty Hester, publicity; Pat McCormick, transportation; and Bob Boerner, queen contest.

"We are hoping for cool, clear weather to bring a crowd of at least 6,000 to the game," Jones stated. "Last year's attendance was held down because of the cold."

Students will be admitted for 50

FROSH TENNIS

All candidates for the freshman tennis team are requested to report to room 304 Woollen Gym this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

TRANSPORTATION CLUB

The Transportation Club will hold a general meeting tonight at 7:30 in the Roland Parker Lounge of Graham Memorial. The meeting will be open to all interested students.

Allen Pleased With Progress Of Freshmen

By **RAY LINKER**

As soccer practice nears the half-way mark, many of the boys out for the team have shown skill and ability in the sport worthy of praise by Coach Marvin Allen.

In general, Allen stated that he was satisfied with the progress being made during the spring drills, and commented that his team will have more aggressiveness and strength than was displayed by last fall's squad.

Although bad weather has kept the team from practicing every day, the work that they have done indicates that next fall's lineup will be sprinkled with plenty of this year's freshmen. Allen said there are many freshmen who are showing up exceptionally well.

Some boys out for the first time, including John Lopp and Bobby Moore, drew praise from Allen. In addition to these freshmen and new recruits, there will be 15 lettermen in top contention for posts. Sophomore Pete Cothran has given a lot of leadership to the forward line, and should be a standout when the season opens in the fall.

The goalie position has not been pulled down by any one person, and Allen said that he is still looking for a top-notch goalie to fill the spot.

There are many fine boys out who can play the halfback position, and Allen must decide which two will get the starting jobs. He has been working the whole team in different places to determine where they can perform best.

This practice session will end March 26, but the team will be called out near the end of the school term for another week of drills. During that time they will hold a practice meet with State College.

Mural Tank Finals Tonight

Here are the participants in the finals of the swimming intramurals to be held in Bowman Gray Pool at 7:30 tonight.

25-yd freestyle—Brumley, Sig Nu; Sutton, Phi Delt; Scholze, SAE; Hornthal, Pi Ka; Pell, SAE; Johnson, Chi Psi.

50-yd breast stroke—Merritt, Sig Nu; Wallace, Chi Psi; Hutchins, SAE; Hare, Phi Gam; Kolman, Phi Kappa; Block, TEP.

100-yd freestyle—Montgomery, Phi Gam; Hicks, Sig Nu; Hudson, Law School; Scholze, SAE; Smith, Phi Delt; Parks, Chi Psi.

50-yd backstroke—Hambrick, Sig Nu; Henderson, SAE; Moore, Phi Delt; Stater, Sig Nu; Wallace, Chi Psi; Ashby, Chi Psi.

Diving—Brumley, Sig Nu; Woods, Phi Delt; Whitehead, Darnell, Phi Delt; Wellons, SAE; Sandridge.

50-yd freestyle—Rossell, Phi Gam; Hornthal, Pika; Jones, SAE; Hudson, Law School; Newcombe, SAE; Smith, Phi Delt.

25-yd backstroke—Hambrick, Sig Nu; Sutton, Phi Delt; Henderson, SAE; Brumley, Sig Nu; Moore, Phi Delt; Conner, Phi Gam.

75-yd individual freestyle—Hudson, Law School; Hornthal, Pika; Parks, Chi Psi; Pittman, Phi Delt; Smith, Phi Delt; Knight, Phi Delt.

150-yd relay—TEP, Phi Gam, Sig Nu, Chi Psi, Phi Kap Sig, Phi Delta Theta, SAE.

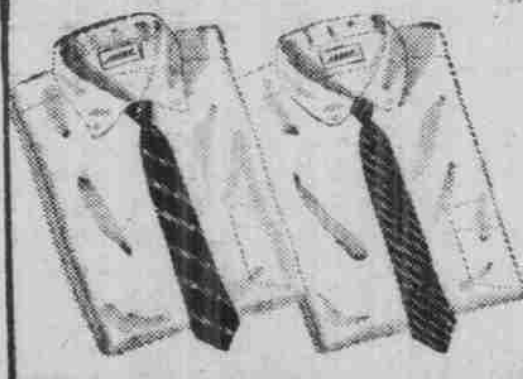
200-yd relay—Chi Psi, Sig Nu, Kap Sig, Phi Delt, SAE.

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