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THE DAILY TAR HEEL

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KING'S ORNER By BILL KING **DTH Sports Editor**

(This is the third in a series of 4'articles on Carolina's four senior cagers-Ed's Note)

'I'll Never Regret My Choice'-Roy Searcy

Roy Searcy is a friendly, serious minded young man who ful" practice. Tar Heel head coach it kicks for an extra point. After son's starting backfield in its fa- The Whites will be led by quar- valuable quartet will be ready loves basketball. The Draper, N. C. native entered Carolina Jim Tatum is looking foreward to a touchdown, the ball is now plac- vor, althuogh it is spread over terback Nelson Lowe. Tatum come next fall. four years ago along with Bobby Gunningham, Pete Brennan, Tommy Kearns and Joe Quigg, Roy too was interested in playing basketbali for Frank McGuire.

never got to play a whole lot of the game he loves. But he's anything but bitter about it and as he puts it "if I had it to do over I'd make the same choice.'

'You can never realize," he says, "how much you can learn just being associated with men like Coach McGuire and others whom I've come in contact with here. I have gained By an awful lot of realistic experience here that I don't believe I would have ever gotten anywhere else.

I've played basketball with a great bunch of fellows and CHICAGO (P) - Middleweight that has meant a great deal," Roy continued. "It has been champion Carmen Basilio does not wonderful just being a small part of the group which won 89 intend to make a mistake common to opponents of Sugar Ray Robinson and lost only 14 in the last four years." Roy was referring to the second time around. That's gett- GEORGIA his four senior sidekicks (although Quigg was out this season) ing careless. who were instrumental in acheiving such a record for Carolina basketball.

Accent A Little Tough To Understand

Has the fact that most of his teammates here have been Northern boys ever really bothered Roy?

"Certainly not," he says. "Oh, for the first year it was a little tough because I had to re-adjust but after that I got five in their rematch. along just fine. I became very close to the boys and there was never any barrier between us."

Blue-White Game This Afternoon

today's game and the results it ed on the three rather than the two units. By DAVE WIBLE Spring football practice will will bring. "This is one game that two-yard line as before. come to a close this afternoon at I'm always confident we will win," Coaches for the Blues will be be one of the conference's top Curtis Hathaway forced him to be Stadium beginning at 2 o'clock. 2 o'clock in Kenan Stadium when Tatum commented. "Come to think Ed Hickey, Pat Preston, and Em- passers last season will be the used in the last two games. Lowe the divided Tar Heels meet head of it though, we could tie." on in the Annual Monogram Club Turning to the more serious son and George Barclay will han- Schuler will be His left halfback and Sonny Folckomer as halfbacks, sponsored Blue-White game. The game will be a regulation realize the importance of defense, his talent where it is most need- right. Don Coker, a converted Hollers will handle the second affair with special half-time cere- we hope the offense will do a lot ed. . monies. The Blue-White Queen of scoring. After touchdowns we Fans will have an opportunity chores. The second Blue backfield and Conrad Sloop.

mett Cheek. Ed Kinsler, Bud Car- quarterback for the Blues. Jim will be working with Wade Smith

which gives a team two points if show their stuff. Experience leans Goff, Schuler, and Lipski all start- along with Don Kemper, Jerry

side Tatum said, "Although we dle the Whites. Tatum will use with Danny Droze toting from the and fullback Don Shupin. Russ halfback will have the fullback unit with Lenny Beck, Roy Wall,

been divided with care so that all tis and Daley Goff at the halfback Curtis Hathway, who suffered a

By JACK HAND

pitching staff, to say nothing of

General Manager Gabe Paul de-

cided to do something about it after

watching' Cincinnati trundle home

fourth in 1957, beaten 15 lengths.

Gabe sacrificed some of his power

by trading Walls Post to Philadel-

phia. In returns he got Harvey Had-

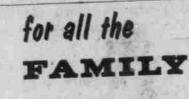
Bob Purkey was snared from

Pittsburgh and the veteran Bill

dix, a cunning left-lefthander.

manager.

I wanted to hold Lowe out last sea-"Jack Cummings, who proved to son but the loss of Dave Reed and WUNC-TV direct from Kenan



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ing basketball for Frank McGuire. Roy's a senior now and the record boks show that he Tar Heels Beat Rollins; Lose To Georgia In Twin Bill

hard fought game. The Tar Heels

had evened the second game with

Club President Giles Gaca will two points instead of one, and see from every angle. The squads have ents at quarterback, Emil Decan- day's game because of injuries.

Year trophy to the year's most Tatum's referring to the new rule the players will have a chance to posts, and Ed Lipski at fullback. broken arm last seaso, will be out

After 19 days of "very success- it runs or passes, and only one if to the Blues, which has last sea- ed with Cummings last season. Amos, and Jack Lineberger, This

Searcy spent the majority of his time on the bench watch-his teammates win the glory. That doesn't seem like such a happy way to spend four years, but Roy is sincerely philo-sophical about it. "You can never realize" he says "how much on the such

WINTER PARK, Fla. (P) - The test as Georgia pitcher Bob Payne leg thumpers knock the ball out of Carolina Tar Heels snapped back limited the Heels to but three hits. the park. Then the enemy sluggers from a shutout at the hands of the The Bulldogs scored all their runs blast off.

Georgia Bulldogs to whip host Roll- in the third on three singles and a ins College in the second game of double by George Stover, a double-header. Roger Honeycutt's clutch single

will be crowned, and Monogram won't kick. We want to try for the to preview next season's Tar Heels unit will consist of Henry Clem-

In the first game, the Tar Heel in the ninth inning brought home bats were silent throughout the conthe winning run for Carolina in a

THE BOXES **First Game**

Patchin, 3b The stony-faced little guy who Davis, rf makes his first defense against Sparrow, ss Robinson, the man he dethroned, in Defoor, 2b the Chicago Stadium Tuesday night Wiggins, If Allen, cf commented Friday: Cabiness, 1b "I know better than anybody else Stover, c that last year Gene Fullmer went Payne, p the distance and beat Robinson for Totals the title and then got belted out in NORTH CAROLINA

Oldham, 2b

"And I know the same guy has Santzing, rf

ab r h rbi two runs in the 7th on a double by 4 0 2 0 Johnny Burgwyn and single by Carson Oldham and Alton Pons, In the ninth, Oldham walked and went to second on a fielder's choice. Honeycutt slammed a booming single to bring him home.

Dave Floyd relieved starter Ben Wight from Baltimore A careful Harding in the 7th after Rollins had gleaning of the farm crop brought 2 gone ahead 4-2 and with two men on an assortment of rookies. Willard 27 2 11 rbi base. He worked out of trouble Schmidt and two other young rightab r h 2 0 1 0 and pitched well the rest of the handers were acquired from St.



Several key players will miss to-

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outstanding coach.

present the Carolina Coach of the how it works."

Searcy recalls back at the beginning of his freshman year when he and Brooklyn born Brennan along with now departed Charlie Adams of Cary, N. C. went out for lunch together "Pete was trying to be a nice guy," smiles Roy," and while we were sitting at the table he said something to us ge which we couldn't understand. I thought he was speaking to Charlie and Charlie thought he was speaking to me. As it turned out, we just looked at each other and laughed like heck. I couldn't understand Pete's accent for a while, he grin-ly ned; "now I understand every word he says."

You Know You Gotta Fall Back

Searcy, like the rest of the seniors, considers the NCAA title in 1956-57 his biggest thrill in basketball,

"I didn't get to play much but I think I was just as happy s as anybody on the club when we won that championship," he said. "I think my greatest moment came when Tommy r (Kearns) through the ball up in the air in the final second in of the Kansas game. We knew we had it then and the long, " long haul to the top was over."

Roy paused a moment, then added: "This year was just an example of what I was saying about realistic experience. We went all the way to the top last year and it was a great feeling. We knew we had achieved the ultimate but it was also inevitable that we had to fall back a little bit. That's the way life goes and it's through things like this that you can ficials w learn a lot whether you're on the court or on the bench."

Searcy agrees with Brennan and Cunningham that Wilt Chamberlain is the best college player he saw in his four years here." I think Chamberlain is about the greatest around today," said Roy.

Plans To Attend Law School

Searcy will get his BS in Industrial Relations in June and would like to go to law school next year. He says he's never thought much about coaching, although many agree School of Pharmacy was admitted to Rollins that he'd make a good one. "I want to get that law degree membership in the American Asmore than anything else," he said. sociation of College of Pharmacy

Basketball is not in Roy Searcy's plans for the future. in 1917. Undoubtedly he could have played much more at another school but he's not sorry he chose Carolina. Searcy will be a success in whatever he does because, over the course of the last four years, he's proven that you don't have to be in the thick of the battle to learn-it's been four great years for him.



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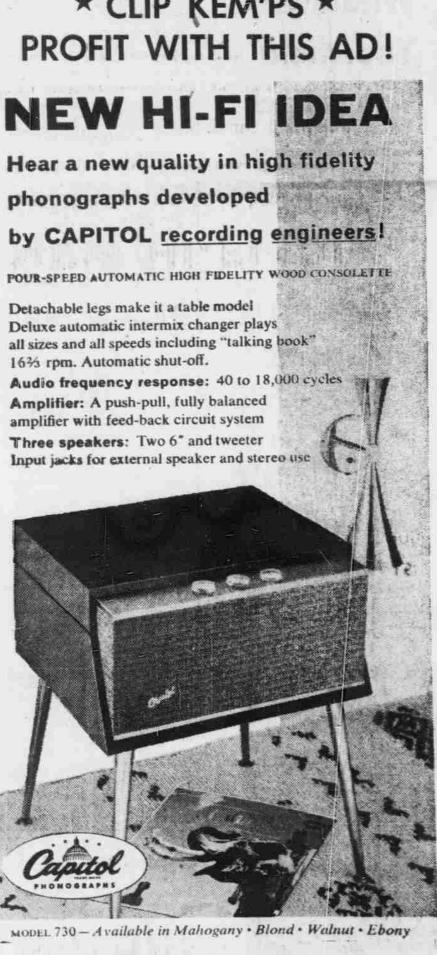
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