

# SPORTS

## Here and There

By Bobby Terrell

### Tate, McGinn Named Cat Cage Captains For '49

Bob Tate and Ace McGinn, Cata-mount high scoring forwards, were unanimously elected to co-captain the Western Carolina cage force during the 1948-49 season, it was announced Saturday.

Both men finished the past season with well over 300 points each and were named on the all-conference team. Their shooting abilities sparked the Cats to a season with 15 wins against 10 losses.

Both are sophomores, Tate from Marion, and McGinn from Lexington, and both played in the NAIB basketball tournament in Kansas City, Mo. in 1947. They are expected to fill the shoes of Barney Barnhorst who captained the Cats to their successful season this year and who will graduate in June.

### BARNHORST, MCGINN MAKE ALL TOURNEY TEAM AT ELKIN

Western Carolina, Appalachian and High Point Dominate Selections

Howard Barnhorst and Bob McGinn won all-tournament honors at Elkin two weeks ago as the North State Conference tournament drew to a close with Appalachian as the Champ.

Barnhorst's selection climaxed a brilliant three-year period in which the Cata-mount team captain was

### VELTS WIN CITY LEAGUE TROPHY

At the end of the Twelve-game series played in the City League Velts emerged with a safe margin to cop the league trophy. The final standings of the teams are given below:

1 - Velts	9	1
2 - Boodleville	7	5
3 - Webster All-Stars	7	5
4 - Bucks Soda	7	5
5 - W. O. W.	6	6
6 - Sylva Faculty	6	6
7 - Sylva Scouts	4	8
8 - Webster Hi	0	11

Leo Cowan	98
C. Rector	93
Jack Cunningham	91
B. Sutton	87
G. Cowan	83
Martin	74
James Cunningham	71
B. Sutton	64
Resor	61
Akins	60

the spark plug play-maker of the team. His superb ball handling and team play won him the berth on the all-tourney team. McGinn's speed, deception and ability to hit the basket forced the tourney officials to place him on the team.

The ten spots on the squad were dominated by the two WCTC selections, four from Appalachian, three from High Point and one from Catawba. The selections were: forwards, McGinn, WCTC; Leslie Wey and Ronald Craven, Appalachian; and Bill Sheets of High Point; centers Ted Moran, High Point and Glen Causey, Appalachian; guards, Barnhorst, WCTC; Al Hyatt, Appalachian, Charlie Richardson, Catawba; and Frank Henry, High Point.

### WCTC Wins 5 Placements In State Wrestling AAU's

Three Finish Second, One Third, One Fourth

The Western Carolina Cata-mount grapplers placed three men in second place, one in third and one in fourth in the Carolina's AAU meet which was held in Appala-chian last Friday and Saturday.

The Cata-mounts placed fourth in the team standings. Pop Goodson, the Cats team captain and acting coach in the absence of McKinley Hensley, was beaten in the heavyweight finals after he had dislocated his shoulder in the semi-finals. Bragg of High Point Y pinned him in the second period to win the heavyweight division and Goodson was awarded second place.

Bruce Burleson, Cat 175 pounder, finished second to Appalachian's Long in the light heavy division. At the end of their match, Burleson and Long were tied on points so the referee had to choose the winner. He chose Long.

Don Thames, Cata-mount 155 pounder, placed second to Appalachian's Emm Tomick by means of a second period pin. Thames went to the finals via two first period pins over other opponents in the elimination rounds.

Bill Luquire of the Cata-mounts won third place in the 175 pound class when he was decided by Long in the semi-finals. The Cats' other placement was won by George Quesada, 145 pound grappler, who placed fourth in his division.

Charlie Clayton, David Bird, Ken Hannan, Jack Arney, and Tom Garland were all eliminated before their divisions moved into the placement rounds.

The team standings:  
1. Appalachian Varsity  
2. Appalachian "A" Club  
3. High Point Y  
4. Western Carolina  
5. Appalachian High School  
6. Jamestown High School

### MCGINN WINS COVET'D ALL-STATE HONORS

Only North Stater Placed On Mythical Team

Bob (Ace) McGinn, the Western Carolina Teacher's speed demon forward, last week won the coveted honor of being named on the All-State basketball squad. He was the only man from the North State conference to be selected as one of the State's ten best.

A sophomore, McGinn gave warning at the first of the season as to his scoring abilities. His teammate, Bob Tate, was then leading the conference in basket riving. At midseason, McGinn became the most dangerous scorer in the North State loop and while opposing teams were concentrating their defense to stop Tate, McGinn began edging toward the top.

During the last of the season McGinn and Tate were running neck and neck for the individual scoring honors with Tate ahead by a slim margin. On Feb. 18, the Cat-

made many of the toys being sent. Schools which have contributed to the drive are Addie, Balsam, Beta, Cashiers, Cullowhee, Glenville, Johns Creek, Qualla, Savannah, Sylva Elementary, Tuckasee, Webster, Wilmot, and Dillsboro.

The central Piedmont section grows more wheat than any other area in North Carolina.

### BRIEFS - IN DETAIL

(By Bobby Terrell)

### McGinn's Selection On All-State Is Second In WCTC History

The selection of Bob McGinn on the All-State squad marked the second time in Western Carolina's basketball history that a Cata-mount was chosen on the mythical team. Jim Gudger, the Cats former center who is now coaching baseball at WCTC, turned the trick in 1947.

McGinn is already gunning for next year. He originated a little rhyme that we think is very fitting for the occasion. It goes as follows:

"All-State in '48,  
Second time in '49

When Bruce Burleson and Appalachian's Long came out of their championship match in the Carolina's AAU meet at Appalachian last Saturday night, the points were even at 1-1. It was up to the referee to choose the winner. The ref of this particular match happened to be Charlie Parks, a student at Appalachian. He chose the Appalachian boy as winner. Is it not natural for a person to lean toward his alma mater, for sentimental reasons if nothing else? No reflection on Charlie...

There's an old saying that one can go by comparative scores in picking the winner of an athletic contest. This corner does not altogether hold to that old saying and we can point out a particular incident to prove our point.

amounts met Atlantic Christian at Cullowhee, McGinn hooped 13 points to Tate's seven and forged ahead to stay. Both men had well over 300 points at the season's end.

After the North State conference tournament ended at Elkin, the tourney officials proclaimed McGinn as the outstanding conference player despite the fact that the Cata-mounts were eliminated in the first round of play via a double overtime 62-60 victory by High Point.

The All-State selections included: Ed Bartels, Warren Cartier, Dick Dickey, Leo Katkaveck and Jack McComas, all of N. C. State; McGinn of Western Carolina; George Cheek, Davidson; Jack Gentry, Wake Forest; Thomas Hughes, Duke; and Bob Paxton, North Carolina University.

Guy Sutton's Sylva high boys beat the Hendersonville Bearcats a few weeks ago to decide who was to go to Chapel Hill to represent Western District Four in the championship playoffs. Hendersonville was then named to represent Western District Three. In Sylva's 1st game they were eliminated from the tournament by Kinston of the East. Kinston went on through to the finals and found themselves playing Hendersonville, the team that had been beaten by Sylva. It looked like a set-up for the Kinston five, but when the final whistle sounded ending their game they found themselves on the short end of a 46-44 score. This illustration could also be used to prove the theory that teams suffer "on" and "off" nights.

Potatoes are the only major crop whose world production declined in 1937 compared with 1946. The drop occurred chiefly in Europe.

Coach Jim Gudger is running his Western Carolina baseballers through stiff training drills at Cullowhee in preparation for the 20-game schedule which is coming up fast. We hope you don't turn up with a bunch of sore arms around April 2nd, Gudger...

Fans of this section of the country are in for a treat this weekend in the basketball line. WCTC's annual "Tournament of Champions" is going to feature the top-notch boys high school quints of the Western part of the state and a lot of good basketball playing is expected of them.

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#### EASTER SUNDAY

A very special Sunday like Easter rates a very special sundae made like this: Combine 1/2 cup white corn syrup, 1/4 cup sugar and 1/2 tsp. salt. Cook till mixture reaches 246 F., or small amount forms firm ball in cold water. Remove from heat; add 1/4 tsp. shortening and 5 cups of crunchy SUNNYFIELD CORN FLAKES—sold exclusively by A&P. Toss with fork till flakes are coated, and spread on cookie sheet to cool. Crumble and serve on ice cream. Enough for 15 to 20 sundaes. (Store unused topping in covered jar.)

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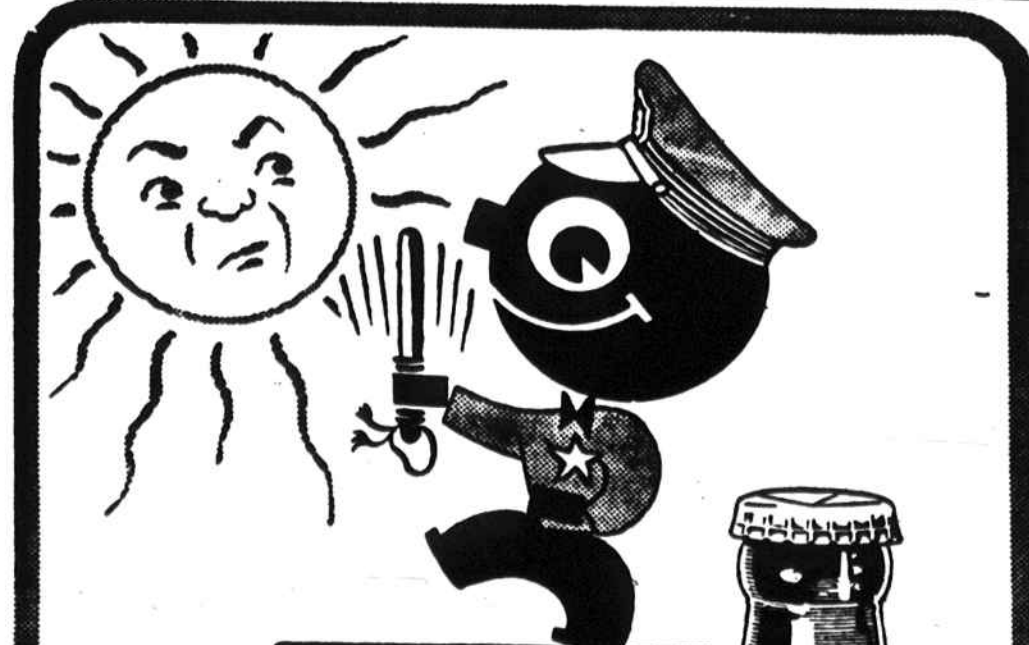
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### Jackson School Boys And Girls Sending Boxes To Europe

Cullowhee — The school children of Jackson county are sending 11 gift boxes, containing school supplies, toilet articles and toys, to the children of Europe this week, Miss Cordelia Camp, chairman of the Jackson county chapter, Junior Red Cross, announced Wednesday.

Cash donations totaled \$84. Most of the toys were made by the children themselves, and the students of the Cullowhee high school home economics class made 25 pairs of bedroom shoes for the drive.

The Sylva elementary school, in addition to making a cash contribution, filled 50 gift boxes. The Savannah school filled 10 extra boxes. Linden High in Cullowhee fifth-grader, is filling a box by himself. Teacher and pupils of the fifth grade at the Glenville school



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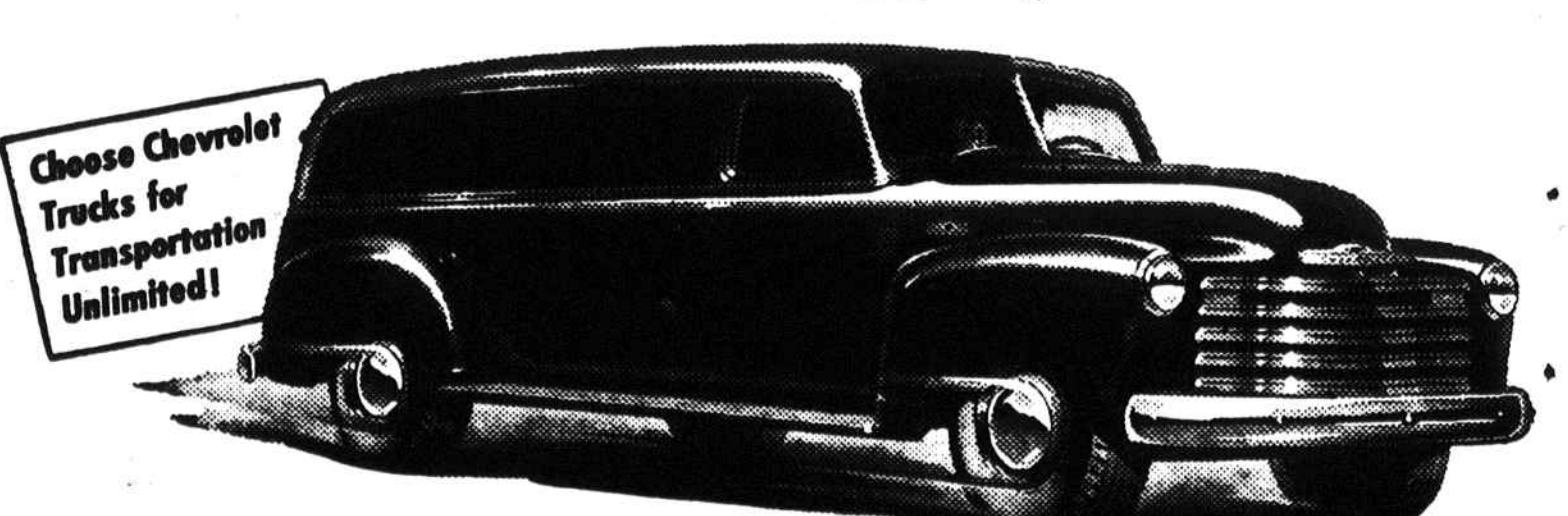
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