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With school starting the first of the week and football in the air other sports seemed to take a back seat.

The hunting season has closed and the sportsman to the rack and get the old gun off the shelf for the hunt. The season is now on hand—opening season.

And while on the subject of hunting, you imagine the thrill those hunters got last Sunday when two chases them from their tables at the lunch? If there were hunters in the crowd, we imagine they longed for a good rifle, and a permit to pull a bead on old mother and her cub.

And taking of bears, we must remember that down at Canton, some 50 candidates for a place on the Black Bear team have reported for practice and are down at work under Coaches Hester and Allen. Eleven letters have reported for duty, and by the week-end, the coaches expect 60 out for daily drills.

In assistant coach Allen, Canton has a former W. C. T. C. star—similar set-up to Waynesville with Coach Hester, helping Coach Weatherly.

Reid and Allen played under Hester at W. C. T. C., so on the surface would be safe in saying the two games this year with the Black Bears will have more of the ordinary run of community "play." Seems that the suggestion of the two coaches for both teams to have a lot of personal interest at the game, and that should add "pep" and vigor to the Haywood gridiron classic.

What kind of a football team will Waynesville have this year? It is very seldom that we make any prediction, but to answer this question we would say the Mountaineers, as far as it is determined in so short time, will have a good team.

The line this year will be slightly better than the one last season, and the backs will have as much, if not more speed than the ones on the team.

Several new boys that have recently moved into this section are out for the team and is expected that these boys will add strength to the Mountaineers.

The Enka ten showed their rivals how the game of softball was played at Greensboro last week. If there is anything to be won in the form of athletic events, Enka is entered, and most cases comes out on top.

Monday, Labor Day, the county will be running over with sports events, with Canton and Hazelwood have a full day program of recreation. The program at Canton starts on Saturday night with a big softball game. The

Mountaineers Have Eleven Games On Foot

This season the Mountaineers will have six games of football played on the local gridiron and five will be played on foreign ground.

The schedule is as follows:
September 16, Asheville High, there.
September 23, Andrews, here.
September 30, Brevard, here.
October 7, Christ School, here.
October 14, Canton, here.
October 22, Asheville School, there.
(Saturday.)
October 28, Hendersonville, there.
November 4, Murphy, here.
November 11, Mars Hill, there.
November 18, Swannanoa, here.
November 25, Thanksgiving Day, Canton, there.

Leicester Takes Game By Two Runs From Independents

The Hazelwood Independents combined with several of the Manufacturers lineup lost a hard fought game to the Leicester nine on the Hazelwood diamond last Saturday by a score of 8 to 6. A large crowd attended the game in spite of the threatening weather.

With the Hazelwood team in the lead until the last part of the ninth inning the Leicester team rallied to put across the two winning scores.

Leading the Hazelwood team in the hitting line were Bud Blalock with two home runs and a single and Inman with two singles. For Leicester, Webb slugged out one home run and two singles.

Batteries: Hazelwood, Davis, Lane, and Smith. Leicester, Hankin, Webb, and Baker.

On Friday of this week the same team will meet the Earl Chesterfield Mills nine on the local diamond.

Enka Adds Another Title To Records

The American Enka softball team took the state championship title at Greensboro last Saturday by taking the Puro Pep ten by a score of 16 to 14 in an eight-inning game.

Enka is noted for its teams in athletics and the softball title is just another championship added to the many they have already to their credit.

The baseball team won the first half of the Industrial loop and are

Hazelwood program will start in the forenoon on Monday, with ball games, foot races and many other contests.

In all, there will be enough activities to keep all sportsmen and fans busy for the day.

Sets World Mark



Joe Hiestand

Setting an amazing new record for consecutive hits at trapshooting, Joe Hiestand, 31-year-old farmer from Hillsboro, O., broke 966 straight birds at the Grand American Trapshooting tourney at Vandalia, O., bettering by more than 200 the old record of 716.

Big Card Ready For Grid Fans

Big Five Teams Have Hard Schedule This Year, Number Of Intersectional Games

Seventeen days from the day that you read this story, you will be reading the first reports of the actual warfare in 1938 Big Five football campaign.

For on September 17, Davidson and Wake Forest will open the season. The Wildcats will play The Citadel at Charleston, and the Demon Deacons will entertain Randolph-Macon at Gore Field.

These games will set off one of the most attractive football schedules ever given to North Carolina grid fans. Big Five teams will play an even two dozen games on Tar Heel soil, and 14 contests are slated for foreign fields.

States re-sentenced on this schedule, in addition to the Old North State, are Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana, Maryland, Michigan, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Virginia, and New York.

About those intersectional games for which both ambitious alumni and Mr. Average Fan hunger. Yes, each team but Davidson will have its fair share. Just as in the past Duke, State, and Carolina will carry the burden.

Duke has scheduled three big intersectional tilts. The Blue Devils will play Colgate at Hamilton, N. Y., October 8, and Syracuse at Syracuse on November 12. Don't forget the Pitt game in Duke Stadium November 26.

State tackles Manhattan in New York, November 5, and will play host to Detroit on November 12, and to Carnegie Tech on Thanksgiving Day. Carolina will concentrate its ambitions around two of Gotham's grid giants, N. Y. U., at Yankee Stadium, October 15, and Fordham at the Polo Grounds, November 12.

Wake Forest will play Western Maryland, a Southern school which won Eastern recognition under Dick Harlow's regime, in the Baltimore City Stadium, November 12.

Duke, State, and Carolina will take on three leading Southeastern Conference foes. State meets Alabama at Birmingham on October 8; Duke entertains Georgia Tech at Durham on October 15; and Carolina has scheduled Tulane for Home-coming Day, October 8.

The season will keep running white-hot until December 3, when State closes its season against The Citadel at Wilmington. This will be the first time in years that a Big Five school has had a December contest. Dur-

on their way toward winning the second half if they manage to trim the Brevard Tanners and the Manufacturers from Hazelwood.

In baseball the Enka team has won the textile tournament of the two Carolinas several times.

60 Candidates Are Reporting For Daily Football Practice

New Uniforms To Be Issued Team For Opening With Asheville, Sept. 16th

Football practice started in earnest the first of the week with more candidates reporting for duty than were out the first few days of practice. The squad is now composed of about sixty and has been going through light signal drills and timing practice since the first of this week. Uniforms were issued to two complete teams Wednesday and the three fundamentals of football, blocking, charging and tackling, were demonstrated.

With approximately fifteen lettermen from the 1937 Mountaineer squad now out for the team and six of these first string men from last year the team is being worked into shape by Coaches Weatherby and Ratcliff, and scrimmage is scheduled to start Friday.

The two coaches are putting the boys through signal drills and teaching the new boys the different plays that will be used this season. The team is expected to be in excellent condition for the first game of the season—September 16 with the Asheville High Maroons at Memorial Stadium in Asheville.

According to Coach Weatherby only forty boys will be carried on the squad this year and the boys are working hard to be among the forty. New uniforms have been ordered and will be here in time for the opening game.

RESCUE WOMEN TOURISTS FIND 300 POUNDS HONEY

Albuquerque, N. M.—After four days and nights of wandering on desolate lava beds, three women tourists were rescued. Without food or water, the party had moistened their lips on rainfall. The women got lost when exploring perpetual ice caves, the strange, naturally refrigerated lava pits near Grant, N. M.

ing the coming season, the Wolfpack, tackling one of the most ambitious schedules in the annals of North Carolina football, will be busy on 11 consecutive week-ends. Doc Newton's boys will not have a breathing spell at any point in the campaign.

Hunting Season To Open Sept. 15th

Fishing Season Closed Yesterday With Largest Sale Of License Ever Known

The fishing season closed yesterday, but the sportsmen in this section will not have to wait long for another major sport, as the hunting season opens on Thursday the 15th.

The sale of fishing licenses amounted to \$2,288 this season, which is the largest sale ever recorded here, according to G. C. Plott, county game protector. Mr. Plott also predicts a similar gain in the hunting licenses, as the season offers unusual sport.

Mr. Plott states that the squirrels will be abundant this season, while there will be plenty of bear, and the grouse, which have been protected for several years have been observed in many places over the county. In view of this increase in game Mr. Plott feels that the sale of hunting licenses will be much larger than last year.

The price of hunting license is as follows: Non resident, \$15.25; state resident, \$2.40; county resident, \$1.10, and combination hunting and fishing state license \$3.10.

License agents in the county are as follows: In Waynesville, they will be sold at Waynesville Hardware, Massie Hardware, and Alexander's Drug Store; at Lake Junaluska, filling station of Ed Potts; Clyde, at Clyde Pharmacy; in Woodfow, at the store of E. B. Rickman; Cruso, W. B. Poston.

The open season and bag limit for Haywood as announced by Mr. Plott is as follows:

Bear, October 20th to January 1, two days with two a season.

Deer, male, October 1 to January 1, one day with three a season.

Raccoon, October 15 to February 15, no limit.

Quail, December 15 to February 20, 10 days, with a bag limit of 150.

Tukeys, December 15 to February 20th, 1 day with a limit of 3.

Grouse, December 15 to January 15, 2 days with a limit of 10.

The federal regulations governing fowls, as given out by Mr. Plott, are:

Dove, split season, September 1 to September 30—15 days; December 20 to January 31, 15 days.

Ducks, November 15 to December 29, 10 days, with a bag of 20.

Geese, November 15 to December 29, 5 days, with a bag of 10.

Beacon Mills To Play Here Saturday

Season Drawing To An End, With Manufacturers In Running Of Capturing Second Half

The Hazelwood Manufacturers will end their regular schedule next Saturday when they meet the strong Beacon Mills team on the Hazelwood diamond. The game is scheduled to start at 3:30.

Due to the Enka softball team going to Greensboro to compete in the state championship contests the game with Hazelwood was postponed until a later date.

The Manufacturers have only lost two games in the second half of the series and if they manage to take the Beacon nine Saturday they will still be in the running—although Brevard and Enka are on top.

It is expected that the game with Enka will be played off sometime next week, and if the Manufacturers are tops in that game will meet the Tryon team to play off the game that was rained out.

It is true that the money used for a battleship would build a great many miles of pavement. But those mile of pavement wouldn't help much if our country was attacked.

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