

Sports Review Waynesville CC Golf Tourney Begins Friday

New Cage Coach

James of the University of North Carolina's basketball team will be guided this year, and the next two, by the former head coach at St. John's University, Frank McGuire. McGuire has an excellent record, having won the national championship in 1951 and dropping just 35 in the past few years. Last year his team won the NCAA eastern championship with a victory over Kentucky. The tournament, which was held in Raleigh, is one of the biggest in the nation. McGuire has built himself a basketball building that's as big as any in the country. In 1951 McGuire was selected "Man of the Year" by the Metropolitan Basketball Writers' Association. McGuire was a star court man in his playing days and probably give the Tar Heels the expert coaching to get back on the basketball map.

Local People

Local people went down to Greensboro to watch the play in the annual East-West all-star football game. The game was rewarded for their long trip by a brilliant performance in the first half, when he intercepted a pass and ran 50 yards to set up the first touchdown for the winners. J. C. will be playing at the University of North Carolina this fall. At the Greensboro game Carl Snavey was on hand to see their prize catch. If DeWeese can do this at Carolina as he did here, we expect they'll win on the order of those during the "Golden Age" of football. Athletic prowess, meaning, of course, the so-called "golden age" of 1946-50. No telling how many boys will be on the team. C. E. Weatherby's first call for practice a little this month. He's been blessed with a large turnout of many years, and has a lot to choose from. He talked to him, he wasn't making predictions on the team. With a few of last year's squad showing up he'll field another excellent team. Julius Mid Pines, added a cool \$25,000 to his current bank by taking first place in the "filthy" rich Tamiami City week. Gave him a total of just over \$34,000 and he's getting better all the time. Is he going to win time money winner in golf? There's that possibility. We haven't heard much from some of the state's stars this summer. Johnny Palmer, Badin shot mak-Canadian tournament, but not much else. Clayton all but passed from the scene, and Tommy Bolt to win a big one. One thing about it though people are playing golf in North Carolina than ever. Maybe the youngsters coming up will add their own pro circuit in a few years.

Attraction

The announcement two weeks ago by Ray Raynor, president of the Waynesville Country Club, that the Seniors Golf Tournament during the middle part of the year (12-18), a "first" was chalked up for this town, there is no other club in the state holding such a tournament at the present time. True, Pinehurst, Inc., has a tournament for one during the spring months just when the season there is drawing to a close. But the one at Waynesville will, in our opinion, be a "natural" attraction for people here during part of the autumn months. The club plans to make the tournament an annual event. It was the first year, and we can't see any reason why it won't be, it will grow in the years to come, and will, in time, become one of the feature attractions of Western North Carolina during the beautiful autumn months, a time when a few visitors have been missing. Heretofore, the city of summer visitors up and left Labor Day. And immediately after. No one, at least to our knowledge, but the reason for the sudden exodus. Whatever it is, we believe that now with something to do, besides looking at the foliage, more and more will stay an extra few days.



Frank McGuire (above), resigned as basketball coach at St. John's University in Brooklyn, N. Y., to accept a similar position at the University of North Carolina. In five years at St. John's McGuire's teams have won 103 games while losing only 35. (AP Photo).

Upper Crabtree Host Tuesday To Ratcliffe Cove

By ANNA JO CALDWELL

The Ratcliffe Cove Community residents were the happy guests of Upper Crabtree community on Tuesday, August 12, when 106 persons from Ratcliffe Cove joined in with 195 persons from Upper Crabtree.

The morning was spent observing the following: Buford Ferguson's Dairy, and Farm and Home Improvements; Rex Messer's Home (which was selected by the Home Demonstration Club); Jack Rogers—Sheep, poultry house and poultry flock; and Herschel Rogers—Corn.

The group next stopped at the Community Cemetery where hard work has made this into a place of beautiful, well-kept grounds.

Next the group moved to the Bob and Cassius Rogers Farm to see pasture and cattle guard. At the next stop, Billy Best, 4-H Club member and 1951 State Corn Champion, showed the group his corn and baby beef projects; then to Gid Sanford's tobacco field, and from there to the J. B. James place to witness the results of a nitrogen demonstration held earlier in the year on a stand of corn. The last stop was made at the James Chapel where a community improvement project is being carried out.

Lunch was served at the Crabtree-Iron Duff School, where the recreation was also held starting at 1:30.

The group singing was led by Ballard Webb of Upper Crabtree and Nellie Palmer of Ratcliffe Cove. Special music was rendered by Jane Morris on the accordion, Mary Gail Kirkpatrick, Jimmy Gal-

Weldon Doe To Defend 1951 Title

Qualifying play for the Seventh Annual Waynesville Country Club Invitational Tournament will begin early Friday morning, and continue through Sunday, according to Ray Raynor, pro at the club. A large entry, probably the largest in the history of the tournament is expected.

Weldon Doe, Jr., of Birmingham, defending champion, has notified club officials that he will be on hand to defend his title.

A large number of local players are expected to take part in the tournament and it is privately predicted by some regulars at the club that Waynesville or Hazelwood is likely to produce a winner. Aaron and Bill Prevost are expected to join several others to try and keep the trophy here.

Raynor said that almost every Southern state will be represented, with the largest number being from Florida. Some idea of the score that will be needed to win may be had from the scores that have been turned in during the current series of Calloway Handicap Tournaments which Raynor has been holding during the summer. There have been many below-par scores recorded, (a large number of them by local men) and the scores have been better as the invitational approaches.

Those qualifying must play 18 holes of medal play. Match play will begin Monday and last through Thursday. Championship matches in all flights will be played on Thursday in order to have the course open for club members and guests over the week-end.

The club is in excellent condition now. Raynor said that he expects the entry list this year to be larger than in any of the previous years that the tournament has been held.

While announcing plans for the invitational, Raynor also said that many inquiries have been received concerning the Senior Golf Tournament which will be held September 12-18. This is the first time that a Senior Tournament has been held by a public or private course in this state on any large scale.

Waynesville Golf Club Holding Annual Tourney

First round matches of the Third Annual Waynesville Golf Club Tournament must be played by August 24, according to an announcement made this morning.

The tournament, which is one of the main features of the club's yearly activities, is attracting most of the best golfers in Waynesville and Hazelwood. Aaron Prevost, one of the top-notch shotmakers in this area, is defending champion. Eric Clauson won the first tournament.

Pairings announced today: (Championship Flight) / Aaron Prevost vs. Buck Bowles, Ben Franklin vs. Jim Kilpatrick, Jonathan Woody vs. C. C. Nichols, Bruce Morford vs. Ralph Prevost, Whiteher Prevost vs. Frank Sampson, Bill Prevost vs. Eric Clauson, Johnny Johnston vs. Howard Hyatt, and Paul Davis vs. Dan Watkins.

(First Flight) / Kim Barber vs. Harry Millar, Archie Fancher vs. Doc Duckett, R. L. "Pop" Prevost vs. Ben Colkitt, and Charles Kersten vs. Pitt McCarroll.

Birds Are Gluttons / During their period of maximum growth, young birds consume more than their own weight in food each day. If a young boy ate like that, he could put away two or three lambs or a whole calf in a day.

Loway and Nellie Palmer. Mrs. Woody Jones led a group of Ratcliffe Cove children in a special number.

In the guessing game, Ralph Elkin of Upper Crabtree community came the nearest to guessing the correct number of beans and corn in the jar.

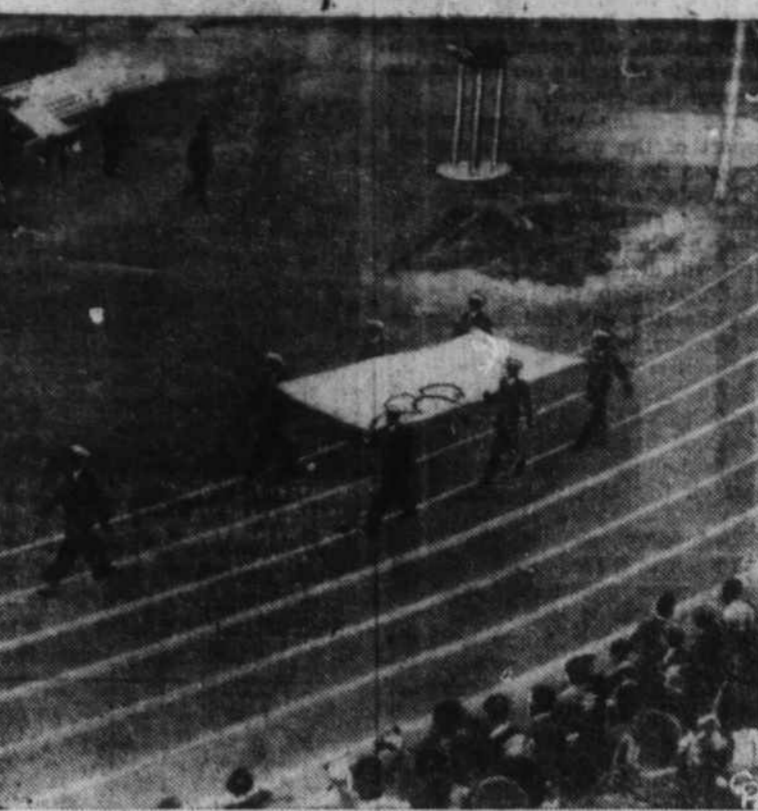
Richard Justice of Upper Crabtree won out with a score of 30 points in target shooting. In the boys' division Bob Cody of Ratcliffe Cove won by a score of 33 points. The ladies' winner, Sarah James of Upper Crabtree won with a score of 24.

In the presentation of Mr. and Mrs. Community, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Rogers were presented as Mr. and Mrs. Upper Crabtree. Arthur Ray of Ratcliffe Cove won the softball throwing with a score of 15 points.

Bob Francis and C. C. Francis won for the men of Ratcliffe Cove in the men's horseshoe pitching contest while Edna Rogers and Novella Rogers won for the women of Ratcliffe Cove.

In the softball games, Ratcliffe Cove boys won by a score of 5 to 4.

END OF THE 1952 OLYMPICS



AS SPECTATORS in the stands (foreground) look on, the Olympic flag is carried from the stadium in Helsinki at the conclusion of the 1952 games. The urn in which the Olympic flame burned brightly during the varied contests can be seen at top center. (International Radiophoto)

Burley Conference This Week At State Test Farm

Representatives from nine states will assemble three days this week at Camp Schaub and the Mountain Experiment Station for the fourth biennial meeting of the Burley Tobacco Workers Conference. The group will meet Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday for a series of lectures and demonstrations by various burley specialists.

One of the more interesting highlights of the event will be a visit Thursday night to Cherokee, where the group will see a performance of "Unto These Hills".

On Wednesday the morning program will get underway at 9:45 a.m. with a panel on plant beds, weed control, and fertilization by H. E. Heggstad, B. C. Nichols, C. E. Bortner, Luther Shaw, and J. F. Freeman; how treatments are working and causes of failures by G. R. Mathews, Russell Hunt, Roy Milton, and S. N. Hawks.

At 11:30 a.m. there will be a discussion of insect control in plant beds by W. W. Stanley, L. B. Scott, and others.

In the afternoon at 1:30, plant bed diseases and their control will be outlined by E. E. Clayton, H. E. Heggstad, and others. A symposium on the fertilization of burley tobacco will be presented at 2:30 p.m. by C. E. Bortner, Russell Hunt, B. C. Nichols, Luther Shaw, D. R. Browning, R. N. Jeffreys, and G. R. Mathews.

The Thursday program will start at 8 a.m. with a talk on variety evaluation and characteristics by H. E. Heggstad and E. E. Clayton. This will be followed by a discussion on yield and value and other agronomic characteristics by Hugh Felts, Russell Hunt, and Luther Shaw. Quality evaluation will come next by J. M. Moseley, Dr. F. R. Darks, and Dr. William Bates.

At 10 a.m. field diseases and their control will be the subject of a talk by H. E. Heggstad, E. E. Clayton, and R. G. Henderson.

The next lecture will be at 11 a.m. when field insect control and the effect of insecticides on quality of tobacco will be presented by L. B. Scott and W. W. Stanley followed by a supplementary talk by Paul Vinzant and Charles Sprinkle.

Spacing, topping, and sucker control will be next on the program at 11:30 a.m. with Hugh Felts, B. C. Nichols, Luther Shaw, Russell Hunt, and S. N. Hawks in charge.

Thursday afternoon, at 1:30, the program will start with a demonstration on harvesting and curing primed tobacco by Luther Shaw, Russell Hunt, B. C. Nichols, and Charles Campbell. The evaluation of quality of primed tobacco will be discussed by J. M. Moseley; Dave Bowman and H. E. Heggstad will talk on the effect of maturity on yield and quality; and the afternoon program will end with a tour of experimental plots on test farms conducted by Luther Shaw and M. R. Whisenhunt.

The program on Friday is scheduled only for the morning when, at 8 o'clock, curing burley tobacco with and without the use of heat will be demonstrated by R. N. Jeffreys, and Russell Hunt. The remainder of the morning will be occupied with business sessions, which may continue to the afternoon if necessary.

Serving on the Burley Tobacco Workers Conference Executive Committee for 1952 are Dr. Luther Shaw, chairman, R. R. Bennett, secretary, G. H. Enfield of Indiana, J. Ross Fleetwood of Missouri, J. Hugh Felts of Tennessee, G. R. Mathews of Virginia, Russell Hunt of Kentucky, D. R. Dodd of Ohio, D. M. Crooks of Maryland, and D. R. Browning of West Virginia.

State Softball Tourney Begins Tonight At Canton

The Champion YMCA, Canton's state softball champions for the past three years, will be host to the annual state tournament beginning tonight at 6 o'clock, with eight teams slated to see action. The other four teams will play Tuesday afternoon.

Champion YMCA will be defending their laurels against ten district champions of the state and the host Champion Mill team. Play will be on a double elimination basis.

First game of the tournament will see Wheatley Motors of Fayetteville, champions of the Southeast District, meet Zinzendorf Laundry of Winston-Salem, champions of the Northwest District. At 7 o'clock the host Champion Mill team will meet Roanoke Rapids, champions of the Northeast District.

This is the fourth consecutive year that Canton has played host to the state championship softball tournament. All play will be on Canton's brand new ball park which has been constructed at the South end of the Canton High School athletic field.

State tournament play will continue here all week. The ultimate champion will advance to the Southern Regional Tournament, which will also be played in Canton this year beginning August 26.

Republicans To Hold Executive Meeting Monday

A meeting of the Republican Executive Committee of Haywood county has been called by Chairman Gudger Duckett, to be held in the court room at the Canton Town Hall on Monday evening at 7:30.

Coming Events In This Area

- Tuesday, Aug. 19—Evangelist Billy Graham to speak at Lake Junaluska at 8 p. m.
- Kiwanis Club meets at 7 p. m. at Patrick's Cafe.
- Tuesday, Aug. 19-Monday Aug. 25—Town and Country Conference at Lake Junaluska. Speakers include Billy Graham, Dr. A. J. Walton, Dr. Glenn Sanford, Dr. Luke Beauchamp, Dr. Earl D. C. Brewer, Bishop Marvin Franklin, and Bishop Charles W. Brashares.
- Wednesday, Aug. 20—Square dance at 8 p. m. at Courthouse.
- Thursday, Aug. 21 and Friday, Aug. 22—Flower Show at Clyde.
- Thursday, Aug. 22—Lions Club meets at 7 p. m. at Patrick's Cafe.

PLAN NOW TO ATTEND THE ALL NIGHT SINGING PROGRAM SAT., AUG. 23rd 8:00 P.M. At The Waynesville High School Auditorium Featuring Roberts Family — Melody 5 Carolina Quartet — Friendly 5 Sponsored By The Kiwanis Club Of Waynesville Benefit of the ASHEVILLE ORTHOPEDIC HOSPITAL

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