

TRIO OF VICTORIES

By R. B. Morris

Another trio of victories added to the Mercer basketball "won column" when the University of Florida, Auburn and the University of Chattanooga were defeated by the snappy college quintet. The second team lost to Camp Benning in Columbus. Mercer defeated the University of Florida 27-26; Auburn in Auburn, 28-26; University of Chattanooga, 31-26.

In the Florida-Mercer game the Macon fans witnessed one of the best games of the season. Moss, for Florida, made many spectacular shots which brought applause from the rooters of both quintets. The game was featured by the spectacular shots of both teams. For Mercer Gamble and Harmon were the stars. The "elongated duet," Bob Gamble and Consuello Smith, used their height in a systematic way by tipping the ball in time after time. In fact many points have been made by these two highpockets by the "tip" route.

Mercer was doped to defeat the Auburn team by a large margin of points; but because of the uncanny shots of the "Tiger" crew they were able to hold Mercer to a two-point victory. Wilkes, the little "Lucy Cobb" special, played the best game for Mercer. This little forward played an even more spectacular game than he displayed against the Georgia team. Gamble, Harmon, McWilliams and Smith all put up an excellent exhibition of basketball. The Auburn coach stated that his team played the best game of the season against the Mercer five.

The University of Chattanooga was defeated Saturday night in one of the best games of the season. Mercer was behind one point at the end of the initial period; but came back strong in the last half and played the visitors off their feet, winning the game by a 5-point margin. Ralph Wear uncovered some uncanny shots from mid-floor. He was the chief light of the contest. Gamble also played spectacular ball. The complete Mercer five played exceptional ball throughout the series.

Lineup and score:
Chat.(26) Mercer(31)
Dyer RF Wear 10
Barnes 10 LF Smith 2
Redd 16 C Gamble 10
Luthrie RG Harmon 9
Cate LG McWilliams
Substitutions: For Mercer, Wilkes for Smith, Smith for Gamble, Gamble for Smith, Smith for Wilkes. For Chattanooga, Wingo for Dyer, Wilkins for Wingo. Foul goals, 12 out of 15 for Redd; Harmon 9 out of 18. Referee, Eyer of University of Georgia.

Lineup and score:
Mercer(27) Florida(26)
Wilkes RF Moss 20
Smith 2 LF Miller 2
Gamble 12 C Duncan 2
Harmon RG Newton
McWilliams LG Byrd
Fouls, Harmon 7 out of 17; Moss 8 out of 14.

Lineup and score:
Auburn(26) Mercer(28)
Hahn 12 Wilkes 8
Dudley 6 Smith 4
Harrison 6 Gamble 6
McKinney 2 Harmon 10
Duke McWilliams
Substitutions: For Mercer, Wear for Smith, Smith for Gamble, Gamble for Smith, Smith for Wear. Fouls, Farmon 2 out of 3; Hahn 1 out of 3. Referee, Miles.

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maintaining a Greater Mercer," he said. "It is for us to help in the task of making Mercer's name known around the world. The dreams of our president, Dr. Weaver, cannot materialize unless Mercer students do their part."

The speaker then stated that the third requisite for a Mercer man was that he should stand for the principles of Christianity. All other victories will be of no avail unless we hold to our Christian standard, he showed. Mr. Hinesly concluded by saying that almost all the worthwhile things of life were based largely on the principles of Christianity.

FRESHMAN LOCATES IN WRONG PLACE

Sherwood Hall Athlete Tires of Demonstrations.

Howard E. Littlefield

Mercer has a new athlete who puts Smokey Harter, Ralph Wear, Bob Harmon and George Harmon in the shade. I take into consideration the fact that they are of the best athletes in Georgia and the South, but the athlete that I am to herald has never beat a country block—and a earned long one at that.

The hero is none other than Francis M. Hulme, of old floor, Sherwood. Just to glance at him and give an opinion upon one might think that he is more of a boy's man than an athlete. In fact, such was my opinion until I saw him perform the extraordinary stunt which I am to describe.

It was just before the Christmas holidays and a group of freshmen, including me—I always happen to be present when any robbery or anything exciting comes on—were up on our floor singing the ode concerning our athletic achievements. Hulme, like all men of real ability, didn't say much. Finally our praises bore him and he arose from his bed, yawning slowly, and asked someone to bring two mattresses out into the hall. (I made sure that J. Henry Hunt read the Cluster before I signed the contract to write this article.) We brought them out and put them end to end. We expected to see nothing more than a clumsily executed tumble. Hulme withdrew down the hall, announcing that he would turn a flip for our approval. He was cleverly throwing us off of our guard so that we could better appreciate the stunt which was to make him famous. We little realized what a feat was coming.

Gracefully Loped

I stationed myself at the end of the mats as he gracefully loped, or galloped as it were, toward us. He sprang into the air just before reaching the mats, dived headlong gracefully over both of them, holding his hands on his hips, and alighted with somewhat of an awe-inspiring but harmonious thud, as his head came in contact with the floor about a foot beyond the mats. It took us several minutes to realize the stupendous feat and while we were standing here, dumbfounded, Hulme arose with a nonchalant air, his head hanging a little, possibly because he was ashamed that he had not dived over more than two mats, although his face was flushed with pride at his accomplishment.

In spite of all persuasive arguments, Hulme modestly declined to perform further. Even before the building ceased quaking from the shock, he strode in his room.

LEGGETT LOSES; STICK-UPS GAIN

Mercer Student Out Again and Doing Nicely.

According to Julian P. Leggett, Mercer Junior, who hails from Ashburn, Ga., the thrills experienced when riding under a box-car enroute to see Mercer play tech, are not in the class with the mental sensations which result from having a gun shoved into your shoulder blades followed by the command, "Hands up!" Leggett was the victim Monday night of stick-up men who met him in front of the Georgia Casualty building shortly before midnight and with the aid of a six-shooter, ready for action, coaxed him into an alley where he was relieved of seven dollars in cash.

The hold-up gang consisted of a white man and a negro, Leggett declaring that the most heart-rending part of the entire performance was seeing the white man, who apparently had engineered the deal, hand the negro two dollars and pocket the remaining five.

Incidentally, Leggett was wearing a large ring with an even larger white setting. The stick-up men declined this article of jewelry, however, declaring that the stone was glass.

Leggett was two days recovering from the shock, but is now attending classes regularly.

DR. FLIPPIN LECTURES

The first of a series of lectures given under the direction of the International Relations Club of Bessie Tift College was heard by a large number of students Thursday afternoon on the subject of "The Responsibilities of Citizenship," delivered by Dr. P. S. Flippin, professor of History at Mercer University. These lectures include subjects on Citizenship and International Relations.

In giving a definition as to who are citizens, Dr. Flippin stated that the Fourteenth Amendment defined a citizen as "all persons born or naturalized in the United States and subject to the jurisdiction thereof." After giving a clear explanation of a citizen and his rights the speaker next gave a brief discussion in regard to the acquisition of citizenship stating the different ways in which a person may become a citizen of the United States. In addition to stating how citizenship may be acquired by naturalization, Dr. Flippin explained the two principles of "Jus soli" and "Jus sanguinis" or the doctrine of citizenship by place of birth and by reason of parentage respectively.

The next step discussed by the speaker in regard to citizenship was that of how citizenship is lost, giving the acts of a citizen which would automatically cause him to lose his citizenship. In this connection Dr. Flippin also discussed the citizenship in Federal Republics.

In conclusion Dr. Flippin gave a clear and vivid discussion of the duties and responsibilities of a citizen to his country in order to be the best citizen and one that acknowledges the protection of the country in which they live.

The second lecture will be given February 16th by Dr. J. T. T. Daniel of Wesleyan College on the subject, "The New Citizenship."

BESSIE TIFT PLAY

"A Rose o' Plymouth Town," a delightful four-act play, was presented in the chapel at Bessie Tift College by the Clonian Society Saturday evening, February 4.

Under the magic spell, cast by the Clonian program committee, and the well selected characters, the audience was conducted back two hundred and fifty years to Plymouth Town, where Miles Standish and his crew lived, and in the play were brought to live once more.

The great skill the characters led their audience into the charming Puritan home circle. In this home, Garrett Foster makes his hurried appearance. He has been stealing corn and begs Rose de la Noye to hide him. He is caught but Rose pleads his case, so he is freed. Things go well for Rose and Garrett when John Margeson enters. Margeson and Foster are fighting a duel over Rose when Capt. Miles Standish enters and orders Foster from the house.

Rose waits for a letter from Garrett for weeks. At last, she hears from him, but alas! He bids her farewell because he believes her to be in love with Margeson. About this time, Margeson enters and in her madness Rose promises to marry him. In the meantime, Foster enters and warns the captain against the Indians. Through his bravery, the fort is saved. Margeson proves unworthy so Rose breaks her engagement. The curtain falls on the touching scene where Rose gives herself to the better man, Garrett Foster.

Dramatis Personae:
Miles Standish.....Jessie Dyer
Barbara Standish.....Anne Hoffman
Resolute Story.....Ruby Lawson
Miriam Chillingsly
Lavane Abercrombie
John Margeson.....Florence Johnson
Philip de la Noye.....Rossie Champion
Rose de la Noye.....Winnie Mae Adams
By Eloise Hammack, Reporter.

Dear Dad: I am asking you for some cash sooner than I had hoped, but you see several things have come up—books, dues, laboratory fees, room rent, etc. Please send me a check for eighty dollars.
Respectfully,
Your Son.

My dear Son: I received your special today and am enclosing the amount you asked for. I was in college once, myself, you know.
With love,
Dad.
P. S.—Is she good looking?
—Pitt Panther.

DR. NEWMAN TO LECTURE

Dr. A. H. Newman is to deliver a series of lectures in the interest of the "W. C. Wilkinson Foundation" at the Northern Baptist Theological Seminary, in October. One lecture is to be on "Dr. William C. Wilkinson as Theologian and Religious Writer" and three other lectures on subjects connected with church history, which will be selected by the speaker.

The more than usual lack of intelligence among the students that morning had got under the professor's skin. "Please don't flap your ears as you pass out."

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