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In The Wash

With Jack Tarver



Tomorrow in Atlanta the Bears once again make a stand against big time competition. Just how successful they will be, time alone can tell. For the most part, they are confident of victory, and certainly, their showing against the Teachers, as weak as the latter were, no doubt forms some basis for such confidence.

Offensively, the Bruins have one of their best teams of recent years. Bazemore, Owen and Co. will provide the Tech defenses with about all they can handle throughout the P. M. Defensively, the Yellow Jackets will find the Mercer line a great deal stronger than that which they encountered last week against P. C. Thus the Tech attack through the line will meet with a minimum of success.

Once the Techs ascertain that there is no hope of gaining any great amount through the Bruin line, they will undoubtedly resort to forwards, laterals, and long end runs. It will be the effectiveness of the Mercer defense against this mode of attack which will decide whether the game will here develop into a real contest or a walkaway. In our opinion, then, if the Bears pass defense proves capable of coping with the razzle-dazzle of the Jackets, a fairly even game will result.

One thing in favor of the Bruins is the easy victory which Tech scored last week at the hands of hapless Presbyterian. It will take some quarter or so for it to seep into the craniums of the Engineers that they are engaged in contest with an equine of another hue. While this soaking in is taking place, the Bears should be making no small quantity of hay.

Thus, if Mercer gets the breaks and plays headsup football, it seems they have a mighty fine chance for an upset. At any rate, if the Bruin pass defense is functioning properly, the game should be interesting for both sides. Certainly there is no reason for the 30 or 40 points certain Tech backers are giving. Personally, we are looking for the Bears to provide the Techs with one hell of an afternoon.

The erudite one is back, Wu we mean. The old mendacious miracle has returned to handle the details of the Jenkins-Bunch nuptials. Attired in frocktail coat, morning pants, and red fiancels, the Beau Brummell of the Orient is being feted en masse by all of the local 400.

"You may tell my readers," quoth the Doctor, "that I have returned to provide the Cluster with a running story, giving weekly play by play details, in the genuine—accept no substitute—P. K. Wu manner."

For the benefit of the Freshmen, we will explain that the mysterious one refers to the engagement of Harold Anderson Bunch, 1937 graduate and Lincolnton Lumber Tycoon to Miss Elizabeth Jenkins, one of the cuter co-eds. Betty, who is generally conceded by one and all to be the rarest specimen of the Female species in that she is a blonde with a working assortment of brains, is carrying a large block of ice around on her third digit in token thereof. For the first of the proposed series of stories then, we await with the usual abated breath.

Last week our man Junior Jones, the Georgia Jeep, delved deep into the crystal to produce a perfect record in the opening games of the season. His only blemish consisted of a tie in re: NC and SC, where he had picked North Carolina to cop. So with an average of .1000 so far we give you Junior, his charts, his horseshoe, and his predictions. Junior says:

- Georgia over South Carolina.
- Tulane over Auburn.
- L. S. U. over Texas.
- Florida over Stetson.
- Notre Dame over Drake.
- Alabama over Sewanee.
- Duke over Davidson.
- Arkansas over T. C. U.
- S. M. U. over Centenary.
- Vanderbilt over Chicago.
- Army over Clemson.
- Furman over Wofford.
- Kentucky over Xavier.
- Marquette over Wisconsin.
- Minnesota over Nebraska.
- Temple over Mississippi.
- Tennessee over V. P. I.

Cross Country Team Preparing For Hard Meets

Coach And Two Men Lost From Last Year's Team

By E. Malcolm Stokes

The cross country team began practice last Monday in preparation for a hard schedule this fall. The loss of last year's coach, Dr. H. H. Rogers will be felt heavily, as will the absence of John Dixon, No. 3 man, and Capt. Edison Yates, No. 5 man. Otherwise, the team remains intact, with Captain Francis Blanks acting as coach, and possibly Joe Dougherty acting in an advisory capacity.

Meets have definitely been scheduled with Georgia and Davidson and all arrangements have been made with Auburn and Alabama excepting a set date. It is hoped to have one of the latter teams represented in a tri-way meet with Davidson and Mercer here on homecoming day. Davidson will definitely be here, and probably Alabama. The Mercer harriers hope to get revenge for the victory of the Davidson team in last year's meet.

Practice is held every afternoon at five o'clock. Among those reporting for practice so far are, Francis Blanks, Tom Flournoy, "Red" Lawrence, H. T. Marshall, Jim Wallace, Geo. Gwinn, E. M. Stokes, Felder Barfield, Jim Buckner, Joseph Woodall, and Glen Morris. No previous experience is necessary to try out and it is hoped that a number of new students will come out. There is a possibility that physical education credit will be given for participants.

CONSTITUTION

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(d) All officers of the Student Government shall be installed at a meeting of the student body within two weeks of their election. They shall hold office for a period of one year from the time of their election or until their successors are elected and installed. These installation exercises shall be conducted by the outgoing president of the Student Government and shall include an oath of office and addresses by outgoing and incoming officers if they so desire.

ARTICLE III Committees

The following committees shall be elected at the regular Student Government elections as provided in Section 4, (a) and (b), Article II. The candidates for these committees shall meet the requirements set down in Section 2 (b) Article II as regards eligibility and shall follow procedure for qualifying as set down in Section 3, Article II.

Section 1. Athletic Committee.

(a) The athletic committee of the Student Government shall be composed of three persons, two men and one woman.

(b) The duty of this committee shall be to meet with the Athletic Board of the University and express student sentiment there.

Section 2. Student Activity Committee.

(a) The Student Activity Committee of the Student Government shall be composed of three members, two men and one woman who shall be elected at regular elections under regular rules.

(b) The duty of the Student Activity Committee of the Student Government shall be to meet with the Student Activities Committee of the University from time to time and to cooperate with that committee in planning and executing its work.

ARTICLE IV

Violations of the Student Code and Penalties Therefor

Section 1. Violations.

Violations of the Student Code

BRUINS LEAVE FOR ATLANTA

Bruin Captain---Star Tackle



JAMES A. FITZPATRICK

TO MEET TECH IN GRID GAME

Bruins Encounter Jackets On Grant Field At 3:30 Macon Time Tomorrow

The Bears leave here shortly after noon today for Atlanta where they will meet the Yellow-Jackets of Georgia Tech tomorrow afternoon. The game is scheduled to start at 3:30 on Grant Field.

Twenty-five players, three coaches, two managers, and a trainer are slated to make the trip. The entire group will be entertained tonight at a banquet in their honor to be given by the Atlanta Alumni Association. Some 300 are expected to attend.

Tomorrow, the Bruins will be meeting the Engineers for the first time in two decades in a resumption of athletic activities between the two schools. The last time the two teams met on the gridiron, Tech proved an easy victor, 60-0.

Those making the trip include: Neal Allen, Henry Lawrence, Tom Steadman, Peter Demetros, Max Fair, James Fitzpatrick, Edwin Edge, William Jones, Al Gerhardt, Hunter Hurst, Grady Rainey, Martin Kumse, Arthur Barrow, Philip Chastain, Gordon Lashbrook, Wright Bazemore, Alton Owen, Roscoe Cline, Arthur Harrison, Rodney Tuach, DeVernon Robinson, John Milton Martin, Grady Gillon, Speculation Landrum, and John Mattox. Coaches Russell, Harrison and Dougherty, as well as Managers Samas and Jones, and Trainer Powell complete the entourage.

Publications shall consist of the following:

The editors and the business managers of Mercer Cluster and of the Cauldron, the President of the Student Government, and members of the faculty appointed by the President of the University.

In the event that present editor or business manager of either publication wishes to be renominated, he shall automatically be disqualified to act on board in nominating the new officers. His place shall be filled by appointee of President of the Student Government.

The editor and the business manager of any other official school magazine shall meet with the Board of Student Publications in connection with all matters pertaining to the publication of which they are editor or business manager.

(a) The Chairman of said Board of Student Publications Committee shall be appointed by the President of the University.

ARTICLE VI

Forensic and Glee Club Activities

Section 1. Forensic Activities. All forensic activities of Mercer University shall be managed by a debate manager and two assistants selected by the Student Activities Committee.

Section 2. Glee Club.

All Glee Club activities shall be handled by a Glee Club Business Manager and two assistant managers who shall be selected by the Student Activities Committee.

Section 3. The debate manager and his assistants, and the Glee Club business manager and his assistants shall be selected within two weeks after the regular student elections and shall serve for a period of one year or until their successors are elected and installed.

ARTICLE VII

Class Elections. The freshmen, sophomores, juniors, and seniors of each school shall be organized as separate classes. Officers of the class shall be President, Vice-President, and Secretary-Treasurer. Class elections for sophomore, junior, and senior officers for the next succeeding school year shall be held on the same day as our Student Govern-

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shall be:

(1) Cheating on mid-quarter or final examinations or on any written test.

(2) Deliberate falsehood.

(3) Stealing.

(4) Conduct detrimental to the best interests of the student body.

(5) Contempt of the Student Council.

Section 2. Penalties.

(1) The penalties for violations of the Student Code shall be contained in a Code of Penalties for the Student Government. These penalties shall be applied uniformly by the Administration of the University upon recommendation of the Student Council.

Code of Penalties for the Student Association.

Violations of the Student Code by a student of Mercer University shall be punished as follows:

(1) Cheating.

(a) Any freshman or any other student of Junior College rank having less than three full quarters in residence to his or her credit at the University at the time of his or her first offense, shall upon conviction be given an F in the course in which the offense occurred, and shall be placed upon probation for the remainder of the time he or she is enrolled at the University. There will also be a permanent notation of such conviction placed upon the record of the person so convicted.

(b) Any student of Senior College rank or any other student having more than three full quarters in residence to his or her credit at the University at the time of his or her first offense, shall upon conviction be immediately expelled from the University for the duration of the quarter in which the offense occurs, and the quarter immediately following this one. A permanent notation of such conviction shall be placed upon the record of the person so convicted.

(c) Any student of the University who is convicted a second time for cheating as provided herein shall be permanently expelled from the University.

(2) Deliberate Falsehood.

Any student of the University who is convicted of the offense of deliberate falsehood shall be punished according to the discretion of the Student Council.

(3) Stealing.

Any student of the University who is convicted of stealing shall be permanently expelled from the University.

(4) Conduct Grossly Detrimental to the Best Interests of the Student Body.

Any student convicted of conduct grossly detrimental to the best interests of the student body shall be punished according to the discretion of the Student Council.

(5) Any student convicted of

contempt of the Student Council shall be punished according to the discretion of the Student Council.

Any fine imposed by the Student Council shall be charged at the business office to the account of the student so fined, and when collected shall be at the disposal of the Student Council.

Section 3. Honor Pledge.

In conjunction with the Student Code of Honor, each student, upon his registration at the University, shall sign the following pledge.

On my honor as a member of the Student Government of Mercer University, I will neither give nor receive any aid on any written examination. I will also turn over to the Student Council the name of anyone whom I see cheating on any examination.

ARTICLE V

Publications.

Section 1. The Mercer Cluster, the University Newspaper, and the Cauldron, the annual publication, are operated for the benefit of the student body. An editor and business manager for each of these shall be nominated each year by the Board of Publications.

(a) The officers shall operate these publications in a manner that shall reflect credit on the Student Body. The publication shall receive from the student activity fee an appropriation, and with this appropriation as a basis, shall be operated as business enterprises as long as they continue to serve the best interests of the University.

Section 2. To be eligible for editor-in-chief or business manager of any student publication, the candidate must have served on the editorial or business staff, respectively, of that publication for one full year in addition to the quarter in which the election is held. He or she must submit an application in writing to the Board of Student Publications at least two weeks before the date of the election and must appear before the Board of Student Publications to be examined orally. Not more than two candidates shall be nominated by the Board of Student Publications for each position. Election is to be by vote of the student body at the regular Student Government elections as provided for in Article II, Section 4. Each nominated candidate must deposit the sum of \$1.00 with the Secretary of the Student Government.

Assistants to the editors and business managers of these publications shall be appointed by the Board of Student Publications at the request of the aforementioned editors and business managers, and shall receive the amount of compensation agreed upon by the Board of Student Publications.

Section 3. The Board of Student