

All Sorts In Sports

By BILL SCHUCHART

(The column for this issue was written by Art Jaffey, Chronicle staff sports writer. All views expressed are his own and do not necessarily represent the policy of this paper.)

Among the results of the football campaign this season there's one thing that has been obviously proved. Betting on football pools doesn't pay. If you are doubtful of this, just ask the fellow who has habitually been "taken for a ride" each week. Not only will he start cursing his luck, but also he'll tell you that he'll never look at another. But will he keep his word? Most bettors won't. Betting on football pools involves the same principles as any other form of betting. Gambling becomes an obsession to most people. It is an individual art. . . the individual wins, the mass of people loses. The majority of bettors hear of individuals winning large sums of money each week. The very few continue to win each week; the many try to laugh off their ill-luck. Last Saturday, for instance, how many picked Fordham over N. C. Pre-flight, Navy over Army, Georgia over Georgia Tech, or least of all the stunning upset administered to Boston College by Holy Cross? Very few. The men who control these pools can really say with mockery, "What fools these mortals be." And so the suckers will flow . . .

Tid-Bits

Coach Cameron addressed the High Point high school football team at its banquet last Wednesday evening . . . he was accompanied by Buddy Luper, former High Point ace . . . Rumors by high and far on the Duke campus . . . here's a funny one . . . South Carolina thought it was a sure bet that freshmen would be allowed to play varsity football this year . . . so that university imported many high school stars who had not even completed their high school education . . . the Southern conference refused to allow freshmen to play, so South Carolina is now stuck with many players who aren't even qualified to play on the scrubs . . . take it for what it's worth . . . it may or may not be true . . .



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Do not forget to vote tonight for the most valuable Duke football player. Voting closes at midnight. The winner will be announced in Tuesday's Chronicle.

Most Valuable Player Voting Ends Tonight

Balloting will close tonight on one of the hottest races ever seen in the selection of Duke's most valuable player.

Ballot boxes placed in the East and West campus dope shops were rapidly filling tonight as Blue Devil supporters look a greater interest than ever in the contest.

At this writing backball Tom Davis and guard Tom Burns appear to be leading the field with occasional votes being cast for Buddy Luper, Bob Gantt and Ralph Morgan. Morgan is receiving a strong vote from the engineering students and may pull a surprise similar to the win registered last year by scrappy, little guard Pete Goddard who won over highly favored Steve Lach.

But it appears unlikely that any such occurrence will take place again this year because of the changed system of voting. In past years the voting was done by means of petition as well as by ballot and any group could get signatures for their nominee.

Contest officials, however, did away with all politics in the selection by having votes count only if cast on ballots printed in the Duke Chronicle or obtainable at the Center Theatre.

If Davis wins, he will break a precedent in that no one but a senior has won the most valuable award. Former Duke stars to win the award are George McAfee, Ace Parker, Eric Tipton, and many others.

Ballots that are mailed in must be postmarked before midnight, December 4. They should be addressed to:

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Blue Imp Cagers Begin Practice

With one of his most successful freshmen football campaigns behind him, Coach Herschel Caldwell will open from basketball practice sessions early next week. The usual large turnout is anticipated.

Last year's Blue Imp quintet enjoyed only average success. This season, however, Caldwell has some fine material on hand. Heading the list is Jack Coleman, six feet, four-inch center from Burgin, Kentucky. Coleman will not be playing at Duke for the first time, however, inasmuch as he played in the high school tournament held here last winter. Coleman starred on the Burgin five that burned up the local hardwood.

IM Harriers Run Meet On Tuesday

The intramural cross-country meet will be run Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock over the regulation Blue Devil harrier course that has its starting and finishing lines in Duke stadium.

The harriers have been going through conditioning drills and should be in top form for the annual feature of the fall intramural track program.

Intramural wrestling will enter its opening rounds Monday afternoon at three o'clock on the mats in the old gym. The preliminary rounds are held in order to determine the finalists.

Potter Calls For Wrestling Candidates

Wrestling practices for both upperclassmen and freshmen will get underway Monday afternoon on the mats in the old gymnasium at four o'clock under the direction of Coach Harvey L. Potter, who is starting his second season as mentor of the Blue Devil grapplers.

While the was and last record of last year's edition was not too impressive, the matmen improved with every start. The Blue Devils went from 1934 until the meet last year against the University of Maryland Old Liners with only one victory—and that in January, 1940.

Back to help the matmen seek their first Southern conference crown in many years is Weddie Huffman, who won the loop's 165 pound title in his sophomore year two seasons ago. Last winter Huffman moved up to the 175 pound slot in order to provide greater balance on the Duke squad and lost his loop title. This year, however, Huffman may state that the schedule is shaping up very satisfactorily.

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The Blue Devil tankers boasted a season's record of seven wins against only one defeat as they entered the tournament competition.

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Tankmen To Begin Practice

The Blue Devil swimmers will get their winter season officially underway Monday afternoon at the first formal practice session are held in the Duke pool.

With more than a week of informal practice already under their belts the tankmen will announce the complete schedule of meets to be held as soon as final confirmations are received from all opponents.

The drills so far have featured slow distance swimming in addition to starts and turns. In announcing the start of the formal drills, Coach Jack Parsons stated that there is still room for many more performers on both breast man and varsity squads.

As with all of the other sports on the campus, Person's crew is hampered by transportation difficulties in scheduling meets with distant schools. Although the contest itinerary usually in store for the Blue Devils will have to be curtailed, Parsons stated that the schedule is shaping up very satisfactorily.

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Play Featured By Hard-fought Cage Contests

The intramural basketball tournament got underway this week with teams from all divisions clashing in heated battles on the hardwood floors of the old gym.

House P 40; House K 20
House P started the season with a bang by handing an outclassed House K squad a 40-20 defeat. Layden led his team to victory by scoring 12 points on six baskets. Winbigger of House P followed close behind with 11 points on four baskets and three penalty shots. Jones, House K forward, led his team in scoring with six points.

House P	PG	FG	FT
Layden	12	6	12
Winbigger	11	4	12
Jones	11	4	12
Smith	10	4	12
Johnson	10	4	12
Thompson	10	4	12
Crane	10	4	12
McDonald	10	4	12
D. Smith	10	4	12

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Smith	12	6	12
Hernandez	11	4	12
Johnson	10	4	12
Thompson	10	4	12
Crane	10	4	12
McDonald	10	4	12
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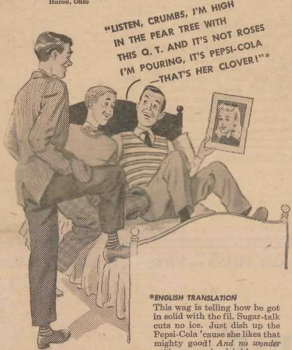
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Scouting the Shops

by SUZETTE

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See here, sir, she is still the same sweet girl. This may be a year, but she hasn't changed a bit, really. She still likes pink ribbons and curls in her hair and the still loves perfume. May we whisper in your ear just a little suggestion that we know will delight the heart of any woman this Christmas—choose for her the fabulous array of perfumed things at BALDWIN'S. You'll find them understanding and helpful in making your choice—and the perfume wonderful.



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-F. P. A.-

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mischievous. He remained at the University of Michigan until "a crook named Abbott didn't show up one day," and the question which was to have been Abbott's was given to Adams. The latter left Ann Arbor shortly afterwards to sell fire insurance.

Saying that too many people say too much about their child, from Adams promised that there would be no discussion about his. "They're just plain, ordinary children—they get that from her."

TPA, by political faith, a Democrat, said his work on the new York Herald-Tribune was pleasant, although, he stated, "there is nothing Republican."

In regard to "Information Please," Adams said, "Oscar (Levant) is a wonderful boy. He practices his music every day between movies—he sees at least three a day." "I got to crying when I talk about John," he remarked about John Kieran, New York Times sports editor and famed quiz-expert.

Following the address of an hour's duration, an open forum question-answer program was held, in which the insanity and difficulty of the questions asked exceeded even Adams' fund of humor and knowledge. "How many ropes are there on a full-rigged ship?" "What are you doing Saturday night?" "What

was the first name of the second wife of Maxim de Winter in the novel Rebecca?" and "Why did the albatross in the Ancient Mariner fly directly over the ship?" were typical examples.

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