

Guilford Loses First Home Game To Elon by One Lone Touchdown

The Quaker Line Holds Like a Stone Wall

TEAMS EVENLY MATCHED

Long End Runs Profitable For Elonites

By William Tomlinson

The first official thump of the pigskin was heard at Guilford College Saturday, when Elon College defeated Guilford at Hobbs Field by a score of 6-0. The lone touchdown was made by Kelly, Elon full-back, on Bock's forward pass from Guilford's five-yard line, about 5 minutes before the end of the game. Richardson failed to kick point.

Guilford's outstanding star was Capt. Warrick, who made several tackles for losses. McBane and Kimrey were also good.

For Elon, Kirkland was probably the biggest ground gainer, making one 15 yard dash in the first quarter. Kelly and Bock also made good gains.

The contest suffered only one casualty, Brown, Elon's flashy left end, being cut over the eye and knocked unconscious in the 2nd quarter. He went back into his position at the start of the second half, however.

Elon's game was more flashy than Guilford's but the play was about even for the first three quarters.

Play by quarters.

FIRST QUARTER

Jones, of Elon, kicked to Guilford's twenty yard line. Elon was off-side; penalized five yards. Kimrey made slight gains. Roberson fumbled but recovered the ball. Hendrickson kicked to Elon's 30 yard line. Elon carried ball 45 yards before Harrell (G) threw Kelly for a 7 yard loss. Kirkland's pass to Brawley brought Elon within shadow of the goal. Hendrickson saved the day for Guilford by intercepting an attempted pass, giving the ball to Guilford on her own 25 yard line. Roberson gained 7 yards, then lost 8 McBane and Kimrey made slight gains. Hendrickson kicked to Elon's 45 yard line. Kirkland made 3 yards.

SECOND QUARTER

Elon penalized 15 yards for clipping from behind, then, on next play, 5 yards for off-side. Foster kicked to Guilford's 42 yard line. McBane made 2 yards. Hendrickson kicked to Elon's 15 yard line. A reverse play, Kirkland to Kelly lost 5 yards. Foster kicked to Elon's 35 yard line. Hendrickson took ball back to Elon's 20 yard line. McBane made gains. Guilford penalized 15 yards for clipping from behind, giving Elon the ball on downs. Warrick threw Kirkland for 5 yard loss, and on the next play for 1 yard loss. Foster kicked to Guilford's 45 yard line. Hendrickson fumbled and Brown recovered. White threw Raub, who went in for Harrell for a 5 loss. Brown knocked unconscious. Carried from field. Elon tried to pass, but McBane intercepted and gained 5 yards.

Kimrey attempted to pass, but Kirkland intercepted and made 15 yards. Richardson went in for Kirkland Richardson attempted a field goal, but failed. Guilford's ball on Guilford's 20 yard line. Roberson made 5 yard gain.

THIRD QUARTER

The second half started with Elon having the same backfield that she started with. Brown pluckily returned to the game. Jones kicked to Guilford's 10 yard line, but Hendrickson ran the ball back to the 25 yard line. Repeated plunges and an end run brought no gain. Hendrickson kicked to Elon's 50 yard line and Kelly was brought down in his tracks. Plunges by Harrell and Kirkland netted 5 yards on the 4th down. Harrell kicked to

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GIRLS SPORTS ASSUMING LIVE ASPECT UNDER THE DIRECTION OF MISS BEEN

Hockey and Tennis now in Full Swing

From all outward appearances, the best feature of the Young Woman's Athletic Association, for 1925-'26, is going to be Miss Mattie Been, the new physical education teacher. The girls all deeply regret that Miss Parker could not be with them again but they all have high hopes for a successful year, for Miss Been has brought with her many new ideas, together with much enthusiasm.

Ina Mixon, the W. A. A. president, has been formulating some fine plans to put into effect.

The freshmen are quite vigorously working for the cup which is given each spring to the class which is best all-round in athletics. Each morning the old girls are awakened by some freshman whistling, or calling to a class mate, to "roll out and hike." And it seems that the whole class starts out again on a hike each day after school.

From the clashing of sticks and cracking of balls, we know that hockey season has opened. The girls are just as enthused over hockey as the boys are over foot-ball. Practically all the girls have signed up for hockey and all the new girls are eagerly learning the game. The Juniors and Seniors may have a little difficulty in securing enough players in their classes for teams, but in some way it will be managed. Some raw recruits are entering their ranks, and there are prospects of an interesting series of inter-class games. Each class stands a good chance of winning out in the tournament.

Although all the tennis courts are not yet in condition, the girls have begun regular practice. Many are planning to enter the tennis tournament so the courts are filled, during practice periods, with ambitious players.

PROF. SAMUEL HAWORTH PORTRAYS EVIL OF WAR

At chapel period on Tuesday Mr. Samuel Haworth, professor of Religious Education, delivered a clear and strong address on the subject, "War, an Unnecessary Evil."

"Is war right or wrong? Is it a good or an evil? Is it a necessity or an extravagance? On the other hand is peace the cause or effect of righteousness, or both?" demanded Mr. Haworth.

"War is the application of physical force and physical force is not necessarily wrong unless it is applied in the wrong way. War never settles a question as to whether an issue is right or wrong for after a war the issue either dies down as it would have done eventually or soon it comes back with all its old force.

"War fosters a spirit of hatred and revenge, lawlessness and murder. It destroys property, murder, maims and ruins innocent victims and destroys the sacredness of human life.

"In the language of General Sherman: The glory of war is all moonshine a war is hell.

"Only the spirit of love and peace taught by Jesus Christ shall hasten the time.

"When peace shall reign o'er all the earth,

Its ancient splendors fling,
And all the world send back the song,
Which now the angels sing."

DOCTOR HOBBS PRESERVES FAMOUS OLD OAK TREE TO THE FUTURE GENERATIONS

Expert Attention Sponsored by Doctor Hobbs Saves Tree From Early Death

Many great monuments, greater than those of stone or marble, are allowed to crumble into dust because of a lack of comprehension of their value until too late. Guilford, thanks to Dr. L. L. Hobbs, has one such monument saved to her. This monument, the "Old Oak tree" in the cemetery, has been rejuvenated recently. About a cord of dead wood was cut from the tree and 800 pounds of cement were used to fill the excavations.

It takes but little imagination in the shade of this "Old Oak" to picture the days long since gone by. Glimpses of old colonial days with the red narrow roads, thick forests, and people with their peculiar dress and manners flood the brain. Then come glimpses of scenes from the Revolution. At first an ominous calm prevails. A man on horseback, going toward Guilford Court House perhaps, may break the tension of the calm. Excitement now runs riot. Cornwallis is in the vicinity and so is General Greene. If the imagination is vivid the sound of shots may be heard. Cornwallis and Greene are having it out at Guilford Court House.

Suddenly an old grave arrests the eye. The inscription on the stone reads as follows: "H. 1711." There appears on the small stone at the foot the name of J. Hoskins. This is the oldest grave in the cemetery. Next to it is another grave whose head stone has the inscription "J" followed by a star and then the letter "H."

In the shade of the "Old Oak" is the grave of Ensign de Trott. "Ensign de Trott was mentioned in Lossings "Field Book of The American Revolution," and also in one of Cornwallis letters and recorded in Wheeler's history. He was wounded in the Battle of Guilford Court House and died because of his severe wounds.

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MISS ANNA ROBERTS AND PROF. MARK BALDERSTON WED IN NEW YORK CITY

On Saturday afternoon, June 13, 1925, Miss Anna W. Roberts and Mr. Mark Balderston were quietly married in New York. The news of the marriage of Miss Roberts and Mr. Balderston was of interest to all Guilfordians, especially to all who were students at Guilford at any time during the years between 1915 and 1922.

Mr. Balderston came to Guilford in 1915 as Head of the Department of Physics. In 1918 he was made Dean, and, with the exception of the year 1918-1919 which he spent doing reconstruction work in Europe, served as Dean and Head of Department of Physics until 1922. After leaving Guilford he studied for two years at Columbia University, completing all the residence work for a Ph. D. Since the fall of 1924 he has been teaching Physics at Lafayette College, Easton, Pa.

Mrs. Balderston came to Guilford as Head of the Department of French in 1917. She remained at Guilford until 1922, with the exception of the year 1919-1920 which she spent in France doing reconstruction work. She studied French and German at Sorbonne during the summer of 1920. In June 1924 she received the M. A. degree in French from Columbia University. From that time until her marriage in June 1925 she held a responsible position in the office of the Western Electric Company in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Balderston are making their home at 811 Coleman St., Easton, Pa.

GRADY S. MILLER WILL DIRECT GLEE CLUB WORK

New Men Scramble for Places in Club

Guilford's State Championship Glee Club has begun work on its fifth season with an excellent director and a determination to win all three cups this year instead of meager two-thirds of the Durham Contest Trophies.

Mr. Grady Miller, the director of instrumental music in the Public Schools of Greensboro, will direct the Club during its 1925-26 season. Mr. Miller is one of the foremost men in musical circles of the State. He sang in many musical productions in New York for a number of years previous to his coming to Greensboro. Among them "Tangerine," "Every Woman," "Buddies" and a quartet in Keiths. He comes to the Club highly recommended by all who know of him and his work.

A general optimism over the coming season has been aroused. Many new men have shown up to take the places of those who graduated last year. Last season the tenor section was short on voices and the bass section was too heavy for them. But this year six men are trying out for first tenors, seven for second tenors and five and four respectively for baritones and basses. At present it is the intention to have twenty men in the Chorus. This will necessitate the picking out of men for each of the four sections. At present it is hard to venture any reliable statement on who will make the Club. Many of the new men have shown remarkable talent and it will be hard for Director Miller to cut the Club down to twenty members without sacrificing some very good voices. One especially encouraging thing is the interest that the new men are showing in the organization. Only ten men of last year's Club are back

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JUNIORS ELECT THOMAS PRESIDENT OF CLASS

The election of officers was the chief feature of the first regular Junior Class meeting of the year. The following officers were elected for the fall term: for president, Raymond Thomas; for vice-president, Jack Matlock; for secretary, Mae Holiday; for assistant, Ann Finch; for treasurer, Lena Massburn; for marshal, Theodore Doub.

Sidney Winslow, who acted as temporary chairman of the meeting, read a financial report covering expenditures and collections for the past year.

There are at present only seventeen members in the Junior Class, but more are expected to fill its ranks after the make-up examinations on the tenth.

GUILFORD CHORAL SOCIETY STARTS THE YEAR'S WORK

The Guilford Choral Society reorganized for the fall term on Monday evening, September 28, with a good attendance. Edwin Brown was elected president; Chandos Kimrey, secretary; and Paul Reynolds, monitor. Under the capable instruction of James Wesley White the society is expected to put on a program of the highest merit. It is to give a programme of Christmas music prior to the holidays. The chief feature of the programme will be a cantata, "The Little Lord Jesus," by William Lester, based on one of the French carols. In the Spring an opera with costumes and action will be given, the title and nature of which will be announced later in the season.

The first concert for the season will take place the eleventh of November. It will be given by Agnes Burr Mitchell, soprano of Boston, Mass., a "beautiful woman with a beautiful voice," who enjoys wide popularity.

JOHN DRINKWATER, NOTED AUTHOR AND PLAY WRITER, TO GIVE ADDRESS HERE

Will Speak at Memorial Hall October 29

Guilford College is particularly fortunate this year, in its choice of a lyceum course, which begins October 29th with a noted lecturer, no less than John Drinkwater, famous English poet and dramatist.

Mr. Drinkwater, perhaps is more closely identified with his sensationally successful play "Abraham Lincoln" than any other one thing, although his recent "Outline of Literature" is gaining an established place in the world of books, ranking with H. G. Well's "Outline of History," and has been adopted as standard and authoritative throughout the world.

Mr. Drinkwater is among the foremost of the younger English poets and dramatists, and added to that has an enviable reputation as a lecturer. He has written several historical plays, Abraham Lincoln, Mary Stuart, Oliver Cromwell, and Robert E. Lee, several books of verse, and lately the phenomenally successful Outline of Literature.

It is the superbly written "Abraham Lincoln," however, that has made the name of "Drinkwater" famous in America. The play was first produced in Haymarket Theater, London, and the depth of characterization, of the main part, the sincerity of the play and the splendid handling of America's great leader caused the play to run season after season in London.

The reception accorded the play in New York was tremendous, and called forth perhaps, more comment and praise from critics than any other one play. One critic even went so far as

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THREE MEN ELECTED TO STUDENT COUNCIL

Since the opening of school three men have been elected to the Men's Student Council; one to represent the Freshman Class and two to fill vacancies made when two representatives failed to return to college this fall.

Scott Benton of Gates County was elected to represent the Freshman class until December 15, at which time the constitution provides for the election of two Freshman representatives. Jack Matlock, of Greensboro, was elected by the Junior class to fill the vacancy made by the absence of James Joyce. When John Cude failed to return to school the Seniors elected Jack Harrel of Goldsboro, as one of their representatives.

The personnel of the Council now includes, President, N. C. English; Senior representatives, Elton Warrick and Jack Harrell; Juniors, Raymond Thomas and Jack Matlock; Sophomores, Morris Trotter and Waldo Williams; Freshman representative, Scott Benton.

STUDENT GOVERNMENT VACANCIES ARE FILLED

Several changes have been brought about in the Student Government Council this year, due to the fact that some of the members and officers failed to return to college.

At a mass meeting Monday afternoon, September 27, Annie May Newlin was elected Secretary of that organization to succeed Annie Wagoner who is teaching this year.

Mary Fitzgerald has been elected House President for Founders Hall to fill the vacancy caused by Geneva Fryar's failure to return.

Katherine Shields has been elected Senior Representative from Founders Hall to the student council to take the place of Miss Fitzgerald who, as above stated, has been chosen House President.