



SPORT SPOTLIGHT

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L.H.S. Managers



Top, Rothrock; middle, Beck, Wood; bottom, Evans Thomason, and Leonard.

Our Cheerleaders



Reading Left to Right: Miss Carolyn Hollingsworth—Sponsor; Mike Sicheloff, Joanne, Koonts, Jean Rollins, Jim Poston—chief, Jane Strelitz, Martha Harbinson and Betty Ann Wall.

L. H. S. Coaches



Assistant Coach Clayton Gaddy, Coach Jimmy Maus.

Jackets Trample Greyhounds In Season's Second Engagement

Lexington Hi's Yellow Jackets won their second game of the season by running up a score of 35-0 over the Statesville Greyhounds Friday, September 19.

Lexington scored early in the first period by a flat pass from Eanes to Cook Newell made the conversion.

Gibson put the ball in scoring territory late in the first period and Eanes pulnged over to score as the second quater got under way. Everhart split the uprights to make it 14-0.

McCrary, replacing Eanes, broke away for 64 yards to put the ball on the 8 yard line. Three plays later Carter went over for the score. Everhart's kick was again true.

J. L. Peeler, reserve back went 40 yards but a reserve team was unable to score, the half ending 21-0.

In the third period Gibson scored on a 50 yard run but was called back because of an offside penalty, but at the end of the quarter, he went over. This time it was good and Newell kicked the extra point.

At the beginning of the 4th period McCrary went over but is was nullified by a clipping penalty but McCrary again went over making the score 35-0.

Against a reserve team Walsh and Menser started a drive that carried to the Lexington 4 yard line where it was stopped by the regulars on the final play.

Score by Periods
Statesville 0 0 0 0—0
Lexington 7 14 7 7—35
Scoring—Lexington on touchdowns
—Cook (pass from Eanes, Eanes, Carter, McCrary and Gibson—Points after
—Newell 3, Exerhart 2.



Walser and Taylor

"Bensy" and "Zacky" Chosen Co-Captains

The newly elected football captains for the 1947-48 season are Benny Walser, tackle, and Zack Taylor, end. These co-captains were chosen in a spirited election conducted among all thirty-three men of the L. H. S. squad. Both of these boys are returning let-termen and have had plenty of experience in football, having played both junior team and varsity ball.

"Bensy" Walser, as he is popularly called, is a senior and a member of the Hi-Y. He has not decided upon a college as has not his co-captain, Zack Taylor, who nevertheless prefers Carolina.

"Zack," the newly elected senior class president, is also a member of the Hi-Y and is a member of the Beta Club, Quill and Scroll, and is business manager of the Lexicon.

It is quite probable that these two co-captains will lead the team in a very successful football season with many varsity men left on this year's squad.

Lexington Plays Open Date With Statesville

An opening in the L. H. S. football schedule which previously had not been filled was closed by Statesville for Friday, September 19. The Yellow Jackets, who won the game 35-0, welcomed the game, as open dates in the middle of a schedule tend to

Lexington Downs Salisbury 13-0 in Opener

Football Squad All Dressed Up

For the first time in three years the Lexington Hi Yellowjackets are clothed to perfection in serviceable new uniforms. These bright-hued uniforms, the jerseys of which are bright orange with blue numerals and stripes, were purchased last spring from Rawlings Sporting Goods Company of St. Louis, Missouri, and have been in use for the first three games of the season. Thirty-three of these uniforms have been received, and a comparative number of men will dress for the games whenever possible. The new pants which were to be orange will be white instead for the first four games. The orange uniforms, however, have been received. The new orange pants were received September 24. Meanwhile the white pants will be used until the homecoming game.

Also twenty-four new hoods have been purchased for the comfort and service of the team. These hoods are of an olive drab color closely akin to those used by Western Carolina, Appalachian, and other schools of the state and are lined with warm, water-proof kapok, a derivative of the milkweed.

Further additions to our football equipment are a number of helmets identical to those used by Duke University, which have been added to last year's helmets, all of which have been painted white. Another helpful addition to the Jackets' equipment is a large number of shots permitting the school to furnish football shoes for the first time since before the war. To complete their equipment the Jackets have received a number of new pads, such as hip pads, thigh pads, and a few shoulder pads, which were purchased from Catawba College.

cool a team. The Jackets had not played Statesville for several years previously.

Although Statesville is a member of the South Piedmont Conference of which Lexington Hi is also a member, it is not definitely known whether this will count as a conference game or not.

The Statesville game will not be a return engagement as the Statesville team came for a flat fee and both schedules are complete.

Lexington Hi raised the curtain on their '47 grid season by downing Boyden Hi of Salisbury 13-0 on September 11, at 8 o'clock, before 4,500 fans at Holt-Moffitt Field.

Lexington's first score came late in the second period when Eanes dropped back and heaved a pass for 35 yards into the hands of Wingback Plott deep in the end zone. Center Sam Everhart converted and brought the score to 7-0 before the half-time.

In the third period Jimmy Rusher's punt was blocked by End Pete Clark on the 35-yard line. Clark picked up the bounding ball and went over for the final tally. Everhart's kick was wild.

Lexington was able to use substitutes to advantage throughout most of the last quarter.

Salisbury's biggest threat came early in the first period when a Salisbury drive was stopped on the 20. Lexington racked up 8 first downs to Salisbury's 2.

The lineups:
Pos.—Boyden Lexington
LE—R. Ritchie Taylor
LT—Smith Blalock
LG—B. Ritchie Newell
C—Safley Everhart
RG—Hardister Price
RT—Wyatt Walser
RE—Rusher Clark
QB—Blount Cook
RH—Carter Plott
LH—Cauble Gibson
FB—Linder Eanes

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Scoring: Lexington on touchdowns: Plott, pass from Eanes; Clark, blocked punt, points after touchdown, Everhart.

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FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

September 11—Salisbury 0	L.H.S. 13
September 19—Statesville 0	L.H.S. 35
September 26—Asheboro	There
October 3—Children's Home	There
October 10—High Point	Here
October 17—Barium	There
October 24—Henderson	Here
October 31—Monroe	Here
November 7—Thomasville	Here
November 24—Concord	There
November 21—Albemarle	There