

ST. AUGUSTINE WEAKENS TO SMITH U. AGGIES-PIRATES FIGHT TO DEADLOCK

Bulls Hold In Power; Point To Homecoming

CHARLOTTE—Two complete Johnson C. Smith teams defeated a game team representing St. Augustine College of Raleigh last Saturday afternoon at the American Legion Stadium, but the 14-0 margin of victory was not nearly as large as expected. Strangely enough, the "second" team, which started the game, sparked by young Claude Pogue, 150 pound half back from Sumter, S. C., who furnished the fireworks of the day, making a touchdown in the first minutes of play, and hitting the line for the conversion.

Soon after these seven points were chalked up, in came the "first" team and the crowd settled back to see the massacre, but the Raleigh boys showed themselves very effective when the local team was nearing pay dirt, and time after time thrust the Bulls back when touch downs threatened.

The Raleigh boys showed practically nothing in the way of attack, crossing the midfield stripe only once, and making only one first down to 17 for the Smith lads, but they showed unexpected resistance when pay dirt was near.

It was not until late in the fourth period did Kenneth Powell of New Rochelle, N. Y., took over, and strutted across

the goal line as the climax to a long drive. Powell also crossed the goal line for the extra point. This game marks the fourth victory for Smith in five starts, and the team is now pointing to the Homecoming clash with North Carolina College at Durham which will be played at the stadium on November 18. The Durham school boasts a very powerful team, and they are pointing to the meeting with their traditional rivals, and the large Homecoming crowd can expect to see a thriller.

Grid Scores

N. C. State 7, Shaw 0
Smith 14, St. Aug. 0
A and T 0, Hampton 0
Morgan 32, Howard 0
Lincoln 13, St. Paul 6
Va. State 10, Union 7
Bluefield 0, W. Va. State 0

WHERE THEY PLAY
N. C. State at Fla. A & M
J. C. Smith at Bluefield
Hampton at Howard
Morgan at A & T
St. Aug. at St. Paul
Lincoln at Union
Shaw at Va. State

The Sports Bazaar
BY **WM. A. TUCK**

THE UNCEASING DOWNPOUR OF RAIN in Raleigh Saturday put the damper on the Homecoming festivities at Shaw University, but by no means did it lessen the fierceness and the bitterness of the conflict between the Bears and the North Carolina College Eagles. We saw out there on Shaw's muddy field two of the CIAA's most powerful teams fighting with every fiber in their beings; but they were so evenly matched that the best that they had to offer each other in the attempt to score proved to be no avail in most cases. However, the North Carolina College team, which shows improvement with every game, was smart enough and alert enough to register a 7-0 victory.

It was "Pete" Willy who in the first quarter of the game caught "Schoolboy" Howard, Shaw end, out of place and broke through the line to block Gene Harrington's punt and to recover it for a touchdown. Now there are those who have said that State didn't have any business winning that game—"it was luck," they said. "The Eagles just got a break and the score would just as easily have been 0-0 if they hadn't got that break," other said. But the facts are that what these grandstand quarterback CASUALLY refer to as breaks are all in the game, and the team that has been coached to take all the breaks after making them as Willy did Saturday, is the team that bring the victory home.

The Eagles showed some real fight and spirit out there Saturday and fought like champions from start to finish. One fine exhibition of spirit and solidarity was shown just before the referee's whistle began the fireworks. The men who had been selected to start the game for NCC ran out the field and lined up for the kick off and just before the action started, the entire squad rushed on the field to give their teammates the final good luck wishes. Evidently these wishes helped, for they went right on and made a touchdown that could have been made by nothing but an alert team.

We are sure of seeing one of those old fashioned battles that were seen in the days of Malone, Doms, Alston, Bus Helems and Riddick, when the Eagles entertained the undefeated A & T Aggies here Thanksgiving. The HILLSIDE HORNETS were tied for the first time in the season last Thursday when they went to Raleigh for Washington High School's homecoming. The count was 0-0 and it is now general knowledge that the Durham boys were the victims of some of the poorest officiating that has been seen in many a game. Several instances could be pointed out but they can be summed up in fact that Hillside lost more than 70 yard at the time while the 'Angels' of Raleigh were so unerring that they were not penalized a cle time. There was a time when a Hillside team would have gone on to victory after getting such breaks early in the game but there was no "fighting Gene Harrington" there to keep the spirit going and to keep fighting. More than half of the boys were ready to give up long before the end of the game.

It is somewhat of a letup that the Hornets are expecting when they go to Sedalia Friday afternoon but for the rest of the season they will have to be mighty, might good to keep that uncored on record. On the 17th they take on the team from Fayetteville; the same team which was the only one to tie them last year and gave them a little trouble for the state championship. On the 24th Rocky Mount will be here. These boys are among the strongest in the state and, just like all the rest, will be at their peak for the Hornets.

But Coach Herman Riddick and his Hornets can always be counted on to figure out the right way of stopping these

NC State Tops CIAA

(Courtesy Journal & Guide)

N. C. STATE, four victories, one defeat — .800
Virginia State, three victories, no defeats, one tie — .750
Lincoln, three victories, one defeat — .750
A and T two victories, no defeats, one tie — .666
Smith, two victories, one defeat — .666
Virginia Union, two victories, two defeats — .500
Shaw, two victories, two defeats — .500
Hampton, one victory, one defeat, one tie — .333
Bluefield, one victory, one defeat, two ties — .250
Morgan, one victory, two defeats, two ties — .250
St. Aug. no victories, one defeat — .000
Howard, no victories, four defeats — .000
Saint Paul, no victories, five defeats — .000

NEW ORLEANS FIGHTERS HIT ON WEST COAST

LOS ANGELES, Calif. (ANP)—Fresh from New Orleans where he amassed great triumphs as a sensational boxer, Young Richard Polite, 128 pounder, is acclaimed here as the most dynamic sensation and colorful boxer that New Orleans has produced within a decade.

Knoxville Stops Fighting Clark Grid Machine

By Mel' Moorehouse
KNOXVILLE, Tenn.—The Knoxville College Bulldogs humbled the highly touted Clark eleven by a 13-0 count last Saturday before a huge crowd of Homecomers in the best game seen on the Knoxville gridiron in many starts. The Bulldogs, whipped to a fever heat by the Homecoming spirit, played inspired ball from the opening whistle.

Both of Knoxville's tallies came in the final quarter. The Knoxville machine fought Clark in Clark territory for three quarters but fell short of the pay off the several times. The superb punting of K. C.'s halfback, Thomas, figured much in keeping Clark's back to its own goal posts.

Taking the ball on the 50 yard line at the opening of the 4th period the Bulldogs marched straight down the field with Henderson finally crossing for the first tally. Madison hit center for the extra point.

The second touchdown came shortly. After Clark received on their 23 yard line, they fumbled and it was recovered for the K. C. team by Dobbins, guard Thomas then carried it to the five, and two plays later he

threatening teams although the spectators are given thrills and chills in the process. Who do you think will be able to stop these Hornets when they get into those new silk royal blue suits they are getting for homecoming?

A. & T. Remains Favorite In CIAA Gridiron Race

By J. Archie Hargraves
GREENSBORO—The stubborn Hampton Pirates battled the league leading A and T Aggies to a scoreless tie at Memorial stadium last Saturday in a grid encounter played in a sea of mud. 2,000 spectators braved the dismal downpour to witness the clash.

The Aggies were in scoring distance twice, once at the beginning of the second period when Wilson, giant A and T tackle blocked Griffin's punt on the Hampton 15 yard line. A series of line plunges by Jimmie Walker, Aggies tailback, placed them on the sixth marker but the Pirate line held for four downs. Hampton then kicked beautifully out of danger.

In the closing four minutes of the game, Homer Harris sent in his ace serial tosser Edwin Moore to turn the tide for victory. More fading back to mid-threw a 40 yard pass to Sam Bruce on the Hampton 13 where he was instantly tackled. Again Moore shot another pass only to have it intercepted by Hampton's McGee on his own yard stripe.

Although the Aggies lacked punch, they proved superior in every department of the game. A total of 12 first downs were secured to the Pirates 2 and 196 yards were gained by rushing to 79 for Hampton.

Missed in the Aggies backfield was the speedy running of Tillman Miles who saw action for only the first five minutes. Hampton "outweighing" the locals on the line set up a stiff defense that was hard to penetrate in spite of the greater reserve strength power and decoration of the Aggies offensive. Homer Harris charges who

Although the Aggies dominated the play in the third period by well placed kicks which kept the locals in the shadow of their own goal line. The Aggies rose to the occasion each time by running the ball almost to mid-field. Here fumbles and penalties put them back down the hill again.



The fourth period was marked by brilliant running and a pickup of considerable yardage by the locals keeping the ball for the most part in opposition territory. But each time the ball got past the Pirate 30 yard marker, a penalty would require their starting all over again. Fighting for a score, Moore passed to the Pirate 13 only to have his next pass intercepted. A Hampton punt which soared deep in Aggies territory precluded all chances for Aggie victory. The game ended at this point.

Second Ward's Homecoming Spoiled 25-6

MAMMOTH CROWD AT QUEEN CITY FOR NIGHT GAME
fumbled either three or four times in the Second Ward backfield. The first touchdown came early, very early in the first quarter, when Taylor, Asheville fullback crashed over the local line for ten yards and a score after a fifty yard drive by his teammates. This was the margin of victory, an practically fans felt it, but then Second Ward started fumbling, which made the score even more than what was really necessary. Bishop, right end, and a constant threat in the Asheville lineup throughout the game, took a forward pass over his shoulder on his own twenty, and crossed the goal line standing up after catching the secondary absolutely flat footed. Again the conversion failed, and the first quarter ended.

Early in the second quarter came the most thrilling play of the evening when Wilson, stellar quarterback for the visitors, after a fake run and a pass in the back field, faded back and casually tossed the ball forty yards in the air directly over the line of scrimmage to Scott playing in the halfback position, then Scott took off like a scared deer and did not stop until he had crossed the goal line. The selame Scott scored again on a delayed wide end sweep; and this time the conversion was good as Taylor kicked the extra. Please turn to page eight.

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Mather Takes Wilkerson

CAMDEN, S. C.—Though Wilkinson Tigers had a 12-6 lead in the third quarter, they lost to Mather Eagles, 12-13 at the end of the game.

Mather eleven was the first team to score against the Wilkinson team this season. Wilkinson had eight downs on the one yard line, but failed to get over.

Outstanding Mather Eagles were Bailey, McGirt, A. Baynard, T. Whitaker and J. Whitaker.

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