

# Hornets End Second Week's Drills

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**BACK TO SCHOOL**—These three words mean a great deal more than merely "back to school." They mean the end of trips to the beaches, the end of picnics, no more fishing trips, more serious thoughts about things in general. These words also mean BACK TO FOOTBALL for thousands of hungry fans who haven't really lived since they saw their last game in November or perhaps on New Year's day. With the return of football to the front comes a different type of argument that we'll be hearing by day and by night in the city's (and state's) choice hangout spots; there'll be interesting week end trips every week if we desire. The C.I.A.A. schedule offers excellent "excuses" to be "called" out of town anytime one has the desire.

And speaking of football, Kenny Washington, All American star from UCLA who played with the college all-stars in their air game against the Packers, last week really showed the nation that he has every right to be placed among the immortals of the gridiron. There is no substitute for the thrill that came with hearing (through the radio) and imagining with what ease and grace Kenny ripped away yard after yard whenever he laid his paws on the thepikakin; and the way he threw and received passes was just all unnecessary. There is absolutely no excuse for a man's being

that good. There's small wonder that even the people in Hollywood's movie lots have been singing his praises as the best player on the coast.

**SOFTBALL** took its last stand here Sunday when the first annual State wide softball tournament closed. Throughout the season Durham has really supported the game and the twenty or more teams that have been playing. It has served to furnish something to do for the players and officials and some place to go every evening for the others. The inevitable result is that there has been a marked decrease in the after dark summertime petty crime wave that sometimes takes charge of Durham's youngsters. All those responsible for the great interest that was taken in night softball are to be heralded as thoughtful citizens and maybe even as saviors of youth.

This column wishes to thank Commissioner John Payne of the Bull City Softball League and his staff as well as the members and officials of the Community and other leagues for cooperation in our attempt to get standing, results, and schedules to the readers of the CAROLINA TIMES. (It's bigger and better now, you know).

According to Frank Ward of Calvin's news service the postponement of Conn-Pastor bout, first of September 10th and then to Sept. 6, has given both boys more time to polish up on their odds and ends. But it



ONE OF SIX BOYS EVER TO EARN 4 LETTERS IN FOOTBALL AT OHIO U. HE ENTERED IN 1918 AND THE UNIVERSITY HAD NO FRESHMAN RULING



BEGINNING HIS 7TH YEAR AS HEAD FOOTBALL AND BASKETBALL COACH HIS TROJANS HAVE VIRTUALLY DOMINATED C.I.A.A. FOOTBALL DURING PAST 4 YEARS' CHAMPIONS IN 1936, 1938, 1939



**COACH HARRY RUPERT JEFFERSON**  
—VIRGINIA STATE COLLEGE—  
HE WAS DEVELOPED INTO A GREAT LINEBACKER BY RUSS FINSTERLIN, OHIO COACH AT THAT TIME AND AT PRESENT AN EIGHTEN FOOTBALL OFFICIAL  
HE HAS COACHED FOR 6 YEARS OF COACHING

### MORGAN COACH SAYS EVERY POSITION OPEN

**BALTIMORE, Md., (Special)**—Every prospective member of the Morgan State College football squad has been notified that all positions are open this year. The veterans will have to fight for position the same as the first year men. Invitations have been sent to 45 candidates to report for their initial football practice which was slated for September 3 in their spacious stadium.

Coaches Eddie Hurt and Marce Hill as well as Co-captains "Chink" Kee and "Speaks" Smith are expecting every man to be present and ready to get started with the opening gong! This is very necessary because the staff will have only 18 letter men from last year's squad returning this season. These 12 men will serve as a nucleus around which they hope to build a machine capable of carrying the MORGAN STATE standards.

The Coaches were careful not to make any prediction for the 1940 team. It can be gathered, however, that they plan to correct some of the glaring faults of the 1939 team. This '39 team gained enough ground between the 20-yard lines to win the Conference Championship but managed to lose 3 games. Morgan State had previously lost only 4 games in a 10 year span having put together a string of 54 games in which she was undefeated.

There is a great increase over last year's number when the first school time rehearsal is held. The percentage of increase, however, depend largely on the number of men who buy their own instruments as none are furnished for Negroes by the city.

The first meeting for beginners has been scheduled for Thursday, of this week. About 70 are expected.

David Weaver, the dynamic drum major of last year, will be missing this year, having graduated in June; however he will be well replaced by Abraham



WILLIAM PIKE

Co-captain of the 1940 Hillside Park high school Hornets, has meant a great deal to Coaches Herman Riddick and William Cole during the first two weeks of drills. He has done a great deal toward helping the new candidates for line positions to learn the fundamentals of the game. He is also taking his own training quite seriously and will be in his usual top form to buck the line hard when Greensboro comes here for the first game Sept. 20. During the two years that he has been a member of the first team, he has played 60 minutes in all except three games and has left one game because of injuries.

**TUTEN ON HAND**  
Among the new men to report for these first drills was Marvin Tuten, 204 pounder who is trying for an end post. He was an outstanding member of the North Carolina championship Hillside High school Hornets in Durham and came here with a great reputation. Great hopes are held for him.

Graham, a senior who doesn't do such a bad job of twirling the baton himself. Only two regular members of the band were lost through graduation.

seems to serve the better for Billy Conn, whose troubles have been steadily mounting for the last month. Besides being troubled over the illness of his mother, Conn suffered discomfort from a neck boil which necessitated taking time off to have it lanced.

Bob Pastor, according to his manager, Jimmy Johnson, has the fight in the bag, in spite of the 7 to 5 odds, against him. Manager Johnson seems to be in accordance with Champion Louis, at least in this instance. But trouble is that both Louis and Johnson are backing experts who seem to think that Conn will win. Furthermore, John Q. Public will pay plenty to see a Louis-Conn fight, but little to see a Louis, Pastor fight.

### Hillside Band To Back The Hornets

**DURHAM**—W. F. Cole, director of the Hillside Park High school band, has allowed no time to be lost in getting his potential band members together to see just what the prospects for the new year would be. His first band rehearsal was held at the school last Wednesday, the day after he arrived from his vacation at home in Hampton. He is anxious that his widely known band will be ready to make its first appearance when the championship football team goes out to Durham Athletic Park on the night of the 20th to try its metal against the strong Tigers from Dudley high in Greensboro.

About half of the regular membership of the band reported for the first rehearsal and it is expected that there will

### Eagles 1940 Schedule Released

**DURHAM**—The first football practice for the new season at North Carolina College was held Monday morning with an unusually satisfactory number of promising men out. They have not settled down to real work yet and Coaches Burghardt and McLendon are hesitant to say just what can be expected out of the team this season. They did, however, open up enough to say that the going would be anything but smooth this year with every other team in the C.I.A.A. being stronger than ever before and with some of the most powerful teams in the conference on the Eagles schedule.

The schedule for the season follows:

- October 5, Livingstone College in Durham
- October 12, Bluefield State in Winston Salem
- October 19, St. Paul in Durham
- October 26, Howard University in Washington
- November 2, Shaw University in Durham
- November 9, Florida A and M in Durham
- November 16, Johnson C. Smith in Durham
- November 23, A and T College in Greensboro



**HENRY WILLIE**  
Former North Carolina College end who won a great deal of respect from Eagle opponents throughout the nation, was among the missing persons when the first drills were held this week. He was the only member of the 1939 team to be lost through graduation.

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