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JV FOOTBALL

Undefeated Titans face ultimate test in season finale

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Looking back on the 2015 JV football season, it's fitting that the two best teams will meet in the final week to determine who's the best. West Forsyth hits the road to play North Davidson tonight, in a game that has some interesting story lines. Kick-off is set for 6 o'clock.

The Titans (9-0) have yet to lose this season. A victory would guarantee a perfect season and a first-place finish in the

Central Piedmont 4-A Conference.

North Davidson (8-1) will give West Forsyth all it can handle. After suffering a gut-wrenching loss in the season opener (13-12 to High Point Central), the Black Knights have won eight straight. Both teams are unbeaten in the CPC, so tonight's winner will emerge as the league's mythical JV conference champ.

Aside from that, North Davidson has

added incentive to spoil West Forsyth's quest to go 10-0.

On paper, these teams appear to be

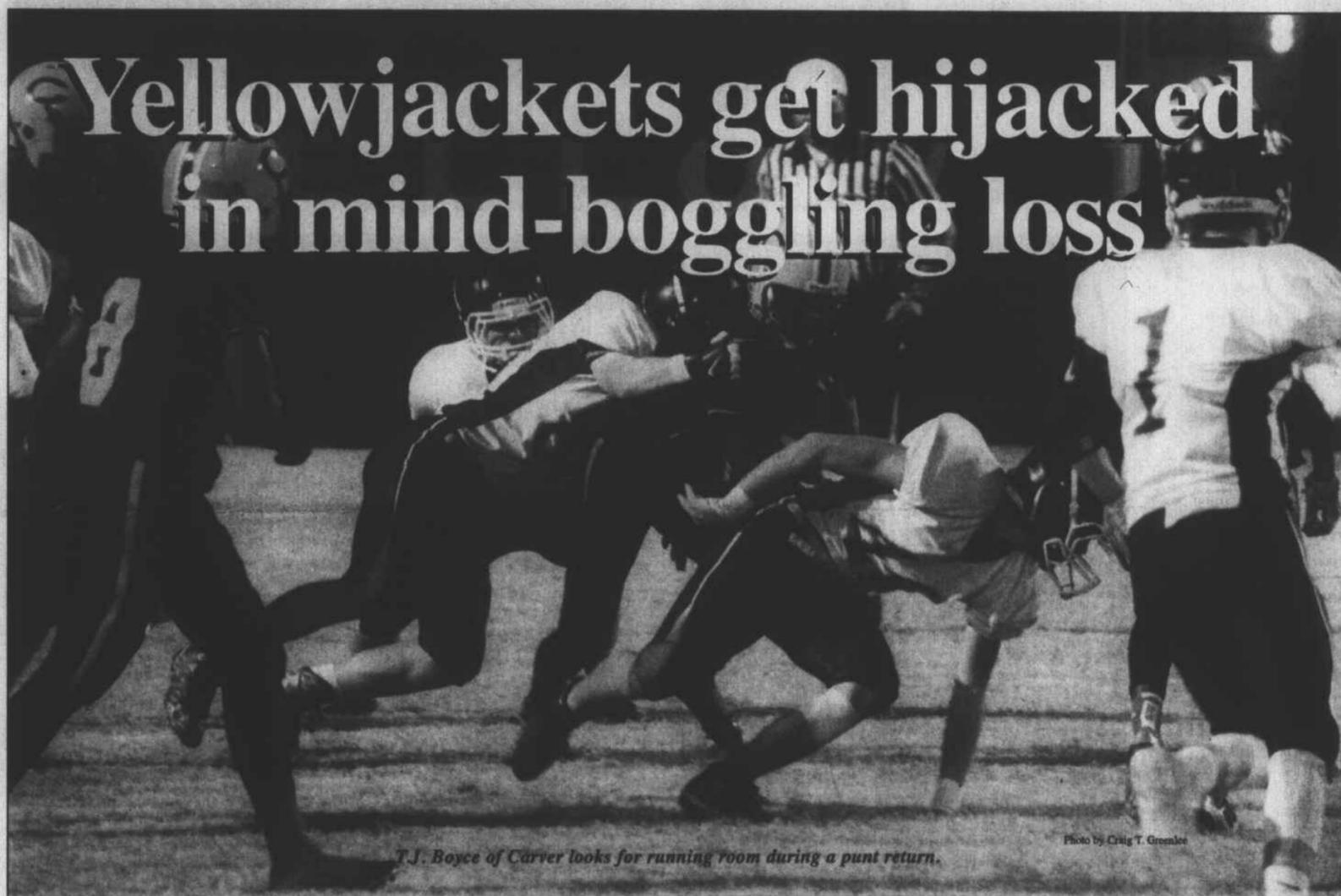
evenly matched. North Davidson could rate as a slight favorite, but only because of

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Key performers for West Forsyth's defense are KeAndre Buyna (2 in white jersey) and Alexander Garrett (58).

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T.J. Boyce of Carver looks for running room during a punt return.

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Murphy's Law was in full effect in Carver's eyebrow-raising loss to West Stokes in JV football last week. Literally and figuratively, every conceivable thing that could go wrong, did go wrong.

"All night, we faced so much adversity," said Coach

Alonzo Winfield of Carver. "There wasn't a whole lot that went right for us. But on the other hand, our people continued to play hard in spite of all the things that didn't go in their favor. I'm proud of the way they handled themselves."

It was bad enough that the Yellowjackets had their worst performance of the season in a 35-6 loss on their home turf. Five key contributors had to watch from the sidelines because of injuries. Carver never resembled the team that had a five-game win streak going.

Both teams entered the game tied for first place in the Western Piedmont 2-A Conference standings. With one game left on the schedule, the best that Carver (6-2, 3-1 WPC) can hope for is a second-place finish.

Aside from injuries to key personnel, the Yellowjackets appeared sluggish. Carver started last week with a 30-0 road win over North Forsyth in a Monday night game that was rescheduled because of

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BASKETBALL

Pitts 'excited about the possibilities' in basketball for QEA

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Isaac Pitts isn't making any guarantees about Quality Education Academy winning a national championship. Yet, there's an undeniable tone of eager anticipation in the coach's voice as he discusses the upcoming basketball season.

The Pharaohs open shop against Moravian Prep on their home court on Friday night (Nov. 6, 7 o'clock tip-off).

"We've worked hard (in the pre-season) and I'm very pleased with what I see," said Pitts, who begins his eighth season at QEA. "All the pieces are in place, and I'm excited about the possibilities. It's not a stretch to say that for this group, the sky is the limit."

Pitts bases his assessment on a comparison with his teams that won three straight National Christian Schools Athletic Association championships in 2009, 2010 and 2011.

"They can be just as good," he said. "We have 10 players on this year's team who are viewed as high-level, major-college prospects."

DeShawn Corprew, a four-star college recruit, is the headliner among a trio of returning seniors. Corprew, a 6-foot-5 shooting guard, dramatically increased his stock over the summer. He delivered sterling performances while playing for the Boo Williams AAU team and

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Coach Isaac Pitts explains defensive principles during a pre-season practice.

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