

Grid Dust

By Onlooker

An Explanation.

Perhaps a word or two of explanation would be in order after the reception of the last appearance of this column. Evidently those mentioned mis-understood the meaning of the statements made concerning the use of their names. It was not the intention of the author to be absolutely personal in the manner everyone apparently believed him to be. The statements are merely the opinions at which the writer has arrived after observing the football squad in action. It is not the intention of the author to call anyone yellow, for when one is considered yellow there will be no hesitancy on the writer's part to say so. Nor is it the intention of the writer to be unjust to anyone. If anyone is insulted by the articles that have appeared and will continue to appear at various intervals, it is because they fail to take the information concerning themselves in the same spirit in which it is given. There is no person in Chapel Hill who has the interest of the University's football team more at heart than the writer of Thursday's column. Some have said that the columnist did not use constructive criticism, evidently those who make such statements are not as closely in touch with the football team as the writer. In fact, it is doubtful if those who are most vehement in their criticism of the methods of the columnist are even well informed as to exactly what goes on in Kenan Stadium on Emerson field. The above statement does not include the members of the football squad, for frankly they are very well informed as to what goes on.

In case anyone was insulted by the criticism leveled against them, then the Tar Heel wishes to take this opportunity to apologize to the insulted. However, if one will carefully consider the column, I doubt if they could discover anything that would be considered insulting. However, we are all of different natures. What might insult me would never faze another, while something that I would laugh off might be highly insulting to another. It is not the intentions of the writer to make a personal issue with any of those mentioned in this column hence forth. I have nothing against the individual players, and what is printed here is merely an attempt to further the interest of the team.

In closing, let me take the opportunity to say it is the wish that every man whose name is mentioned in this column will be able to understand that it is not the purpose of the writer to attempt to embarrass the men, for there is no one on the team or squad who is disliked by the writer.

HEELS ARE NOTRE DAME PRODUCTS

Coach, Collins Has Drilled Entire Squad from Ground Up.

The football squad that carries the University of North Carolina colors into Emerson Field at College Park, Md., tomorrow is an out and out product of the Notre Dame system. Every man on the Tar Heel squad has been trained from the ground up according to the tenets and principles of Knute Rockne.

Three of the four North Carolina coaches are former Rockne pupils. "Chuck" Collins, head mentor for the Tar Heels, starred at end on the famous "Four Horsemen" eleven that carried a national title to Notre Dame that season. Bill Cerney and Rex Enright, backfield coaches, are both former Hoosier backfield stars.

Coach Bob Fetzer, long Director of Athletics for the University of North Carolina, still is active in coaching the Tar Heel lines, but the strategy used by the team is of the Notre Dame style.

This system, distinguished all over the country for its high pressure offensive tactics, has seemingly come into its own at the Tar Heel institution this fall. It took the Moccasins of Chattanooga three years to rise to the S. I. A. A. heights with this style of play, and the Georgia Bulldogs found their stride in their fourth season of Rockne football. This, the third year of the Hoosier reign may be the Tar Heels' big year.

The squad hit a winning stride in the opening game, swamping Wake Forest 65 to 0, but the tough sledding ahead is enough to make any coach stop and study hard before plunging ahead. The Tar Heels take on Maryland, Harvard, V. P. I., Georgia Tech, N. C. State, South Carolina, Davidson, Virginia and Duke, and there's not a soft spot along the route. If the team emerges on top at the close of the season, then it will be another triumph for the Notre Dame system.

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TOUCH FOOTBALL BEGINS TUESDAY

New Dorms, Past Champions, Must Build Complete New Team.

The Dormitory and Fraternity Tag Football Leagues open their regular championship seasons next Tuesday afternoon, with thirteen dormitory and seven fraternity grid teams swinging into the heat of the battle for the campus football championship.

The title has gone to the crack "Four Horsemen" elevens from down in New Dorms for two straight years, the lads from the Confederate Dorms galloping undefeated through their entire schedule each year and winning the final titular struggle from the fraternity champions each time.

Last year the "Four Horsemen" backfield, composed of Mutt Evans, Roy Alexander, Pete Kerr and Norwood Carroll, rolled up 221 points against 7 in 13 games. They galloped behind an impressive line and won the championship game from Sigma Phi Sigma's frat champions 19 to 0. That final battle was played in Emerson Field.

All of that crack New Dorms outfit is gone this year. Not one of the first eleven is back in togs, and the Sigma Phi Sigs will not defend their fraternity title. That leaves the race as a "dog fall" affair, with any number of teams liable to cop the laurels.

Several of the dormitories have already signified their intention of grabbing the title, and seven fraternity teams are battling for the Greek honors. Watch 'em go for the next seven weeks.

There will be no games on Mondays or Fridays this year, but three fields have been fitted, and three games will be run off at a time. The Intramural officials request that all teams report for their games on time, and urge that there be no forfeits. The first week's schedule follows:

Tuesday, October 9
4:00 p. m.—1. Carr vs "I"; 2. "F" vs Old East; 3. Zeta Psi vs Beta Theta Pi.

5:00 p. m.—1. Grimes vs "J"; 2. New Dorms vs Old West; 3. Chi Phi vs Pi Kappa Phi.

Wednesday, October 10
4:00 p. m.—1. Manly vs Ruffin; 2. Grimes vs Mangum; 3. Delta Kappa Epsilon vs Tau Epsilon Phi.

5:00 p. m.—1. Steele vs "I"; 2. Old East vs "G"; 3. Beta Theta Pi vs Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Thursday, October 11
4:00 p. m.—1. Manly vs Mangum; 2. Old West vs "F"; 3. Chi Phi vs Tau Epsilon Phi.

5:00 p. m.—1. "J" vs Carr; 2. Steele vs "G"; 3. Delta Kappa Epsilon vs Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

NOTE: Numbers before the scheduled games indicate the number of the field upon which the game is to be played. There are three football fields on the Intramural Athletic Field, numbered in order from one to three. Number 1 being the one next to the Freshman Field; Number 2 being the middle, and Number 3 being down next to the woods.



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Old Liners Seek To Avenge 1927 Victory of Tar Heels

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Coach Collins saw practically every man out for football in action Saturday and has a fairly good knowledge of what he has in reserve. The same team that started the rout of Wake Forest is expected to start against Maryland. This would have Captain Schwartz at center, Blackwood and Shuler guards, Howard and Farris tackles, Sapp and Holt ends, Whisnant at quarter, Ward and Spaulding at halves, and Foard at full. Besides this starting line up, Coach Collins is carrying twenty-one men to College Park. Over half of this number are half backs.

Held in reserve are Lipscomb and Schneider, centers, Hudson, Eskew, and Wilson guards, Koeing, Donahoe, and Warren tackles, Fenner and Packard ends, Wyrick, Erickson, and Gray quarters, Gresham, Magner, and Jackson left halves, Maus, Nash, and Micheals right halves, and Harden and House full backs.

Almost any number of these are likely to see service, for there is little separating the starting lineup and those on the bench.

Heels Have Hard Schedule

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boys from Down Home.

That 1916 Carolina eleven was built around such stars as "Yank" All-American center; Tayloe and Ramsey, star tackles; and Bill Folger and Raby Tennesit in the backfield. Bill Folger further distinguished himself that year by a 52 yard run for a touchdown that whipped Virginia for the first time in eleven years. This 1928 Tar Heel eleven also boasts its great and near-great stars, and they are going into the northland determined to give Harvard a worthwhile scrap.

Allah's Praises Give Students Sense of Unreality

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only an initiate of the Order of Sheiks wearing a cheesecloth turban and a very ordinary pair of American knickers.

"Buddy," I said, "you made me feel, for awhile, as if I was back in Egypt pursuing the koh-eyed daughters of the Nile, but now the spell is busted completely."

"So are my knees," the young shiek growled.

On the next day I walked the pleasant streets of Chapel Hill again, and again something warred me into foreign atmosphere. This time I seem-

WHEN IN DURHAM

meet me at the

Silver Moon Cafe
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Ed Foard



This Charlotte boy was injured a great part of last season, but he has capably filled the difficult duties of fullback on Coach Collins' team this fall. Foard was captain of the freshman team three years ago.

ed to be in England during spring-time. I sniffed for the scent of the white may-blossom hedges, I looked for the red deer in the manor, I listened for the skylark and the nightingale; but in vain. There weren't even any American tourists in sight.

In a flash it came to me. I was distinctly hearing the cuckoo-bird a'calling in the Spring. But I couldn't find the shaded English lane. Whoever heard of a cuckoo bird calling without a shaded English lane! Then of a sudden I came full upon the cuckoo-bird, and bless my soul, it wasn't a cuckoo-bird at all, but only an initiate of the Order of Monitors wearing a simple Coolidgean grin and a very ordinary pair of American knickers.

"Buddy," I said, "you made me feel, for awhile, as if I was back in England pursuing the beefy housemaids, but now the illusion is entirely busted."

"So is my larynx," he growled.

Another day I was walking the pleasant streets of Chapel Hill, and again I was enveloped in the spirit of strangeness. I seemed to be in the region of Hades. I looked for the gentlemen sleeping three on a grid, and I sniffed for the scent of steaming hellbroth, and I listened for the baying of the hellhounds, but in vain. There weren't even any American tourists in sight.

In a flash it came to me. I was distinctly hearing the Devil counting out branded souls into batches of a dozen each. But there wasn't an American tourist in sight, so I could hardly think it was really the Devil

in Hell. Then of a sudden I came full upon him, and bless my soul, it wasn't the Devil at all, but only an initiate of the 13 Club wearing a buzzard feather, a piebald shirt, and a very ordinary pair of American knickers.

"Buddy," I said, "you made me feel, for awhile, as if I was back in Hell pursuing Persephone as she ran around hunting for pomegranate seeds, but now the spell is busted."

"So is my Southern aristocratic dignity," he growled.

A Birmingham woman recently gave birth to a girl on a Friday and a boy and a girl on the Saturday. The installment system seems to be spreading.—Punch.



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