

Snavelymen Meet Cherry Point This Afternoon

Smith Dorm Trounces Ringers To Win Campus Softball Title

Sport - Spins

—with—
Irwin Smallwood

WHAT'S YOUR PREDICTIONS? Today we do what can easily be suicide, but nevertheless, we have decided to stick out our neck and make a few predictions in the world of sports, namely football. These predictions are merely our choice, decided upon after viewing past records and potential strength. We may be wrong in many instances, for we are by no means experts, but here goes.

Carolina-Cherry Point: The Tar Heels turned the trick last season, winning in the last few seconds of play, and they should be on the winning side again this year, even more so than last. Carolina by two touchdowns.

Alabama-Tennessee: This is the big game of the Southeastern conference, bringing together two of the arch rivals in the SEC. Tennessee has a veteran team, but so has Alabama, plus Harry Gilmer. We'll take Alabama.

Georgia-L.S.U.: This game attracts special interest because of the recent return of Charley Trippi to the gridiron for the Georgians. Georgia has been winning right along, and with Trippi they should be even stronger. Make it Georgia to win.

Wake Forest-State: The Deacons have been up against the best all season, and this should give them a chance to come out on the winning end of the deal. We'll take Sacrinty and Wake Forest over State, maybe by three touchdowns.

Navy-Georgia Tech: Tech hasn't looked too impressive at any time this year, and you know Navy. The Midies should win with little trouble, probably tromping the Engineers unmercifully.

The following are some predictions, without comment, mostly on Big Ten battles. We are hardly capable of picking winners in that category without seeing any of the teams in operation, but here's how we see it:

Ohio State over Purdue; Indiana over Iowa; Illinois over Wisconsin; Minnesota over Northwestern; Notre Dame over Pitt; Tulane over Auburn; Maryland over V.P.I.; Texas over Arkansas; Tulsa over Nevada; Vanderbilt over Kentucky; and Mississippi State over Jackson AAB.

First Week Of Cage Practice Finished

The first week of early season basketball practice is now history, and the squad of some 50 men that reported last Monday has now been cut down to approximately 40.

Another general call will be issued for new men shortly after the beginning of the next term, and within two weeks, Coach Carnevale has stated that he expects to have his varsity and Jayvee teams chosen. At this time work will begin in earnest, with an early season opener in sight for the tough year ahead.

Jim Jordan, star of the Southern conference championship club of last season, was hurt in wrestling last week, suffering a shoulder injury, but the All-American cager is expected to be ready to go within a few weeks.

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Fahey Pitches Four-Hit Ball For V-12 Crew

Mullis Collects Three Safeties

By Carroll Poplin

Bob "Potent" Fahey tossed a four-hitter at the Ringers last Thursday afternoon in the finals of the softball tournament as the Smith Dorm crew walked away from Alexander Field with the campus championship tucked under their belts after gaining a well-earned 8-4 victory.

The Ringers, who were tabbed as pre-tourney favorites, jumped into the finals by whipping a stubborn Phi Kappa Sigma team in the finals of the second half by an 8-4 verdict.

Smith, a potent team composed of V-12er's, copped the first half honors last summer but were bumped out of the second half race in the semi-finals by the Ringers.

A three run uprising in the initial inning by Smith proved the margin of victory in Thursday's game. The V-12er's jumped on the Ringers ace twirler Pete Arnez for six safeties during the fracas. Five walks and a fielder's choice brought three Smith ballies across the plate in the opening inning of the championship battle.

The Ringers managed to push across a run in their half of the first stanza on a walk and a single by "Pete" Mullis. Both teams scored in the third. Smith added two markers in the fifth off successive hits by Curran, Fahey, and Rader, a walk and an error to strengthen their lead.

The champs shoved two runners home in the first half of the seventh as Fahey was safe on an error. Bob Paxton and Peterson followed with bingles scoring Fahey and Paxton scored on an error. The Ringers were gunning for a rally in the last frame and tallied twice on two free passes and an error before the fire was put out.

Fahey's toiling on the mound stood out for Smith, while "Pete" Mullis with three for four paced the stickwork for the Ringers. Thompson collected the other hit off Fahey. Curran, Paxton, Bauman and Peterson sparked the winners attack.

Smith gained revenge from the 15-1 whalloping the Ringers handed them in the semi-finals of the second half.

In this contest Arnez, smooth Ringer twirler, gave up only four hits, while his teammates were rapping Fahey for 20 safeties. George Thompson, Paty, Lepper, House, Hagy and Arnez were the big guns for the winners.

In the latter half of the softball race the Ringers won out over the Phi Kaps, who were defending the championship they won last spring, by the count of 8-4.

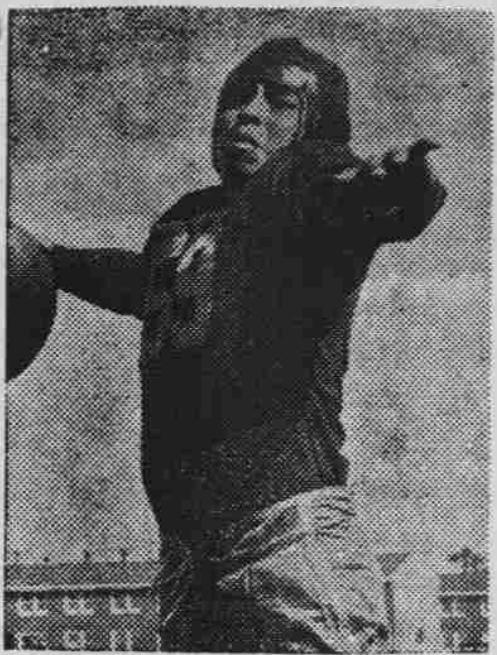
A five run rally in the sixth inning after the Phi Kaps were enjoying a 4-3 lead proved the turning point of the contest. The Phi Kaps tallied twice in the opening inning as Lindenmuth singled and Martin was safe on an error. Lindenmuth scored on an error and Anderson crossed the plate on a hit by Holton. Tony Jones held the Ringers in check until hell broke loose in the sixth stanza as Paty, Tabbot, Dorsett, Greich and Hagy lined hits in the five-run spree.

The Phi Kaps reached the second half finals by blanking the Phi Gams 5-0. Tony Jones, handcuffed the Phi Gams and allowed only one hit which

Cross Country Runners Clash With Cherry Point

Erath, Holden, Crain In Final Meet For Coach Ranson And Tar Heel Team

With two of the top performers running for the last time, the fast-stepping Carolina cross country track team will meet the Cherry Point Marine runners this afternoon, the contest starting at the end of the first quarter of the football game and ending at halftime.



Shown above is Comer, full-blooded Indian, performing for Cherry Point against the Tar Heels this afternoon.

Coach Dale Ranson fields what is probably the best crew of cross country men in the South, the Tar Heels having turned back Duke and Georgia Tech already this season, while losing only to National Champion Navy.

Running for Carolina for the last time will be Doug Erath and Whitey Holden, who finished one and two in the meet with Tech last week. Also, Red Crain, a member of the B hill-and-dale club, will be making his last showing as a runner under the Blue and White.

Holden and Erath, who are scheduled to graduate with commissions in the Naval Reserve the last of next week, have been prominent figures in Carolina track circles for most of the time they have been here, both boys having been among the top two-milers on the indoor and outdoor track teams last season. Erath and Holden are expected to be right out front in the meet this afternoon, although Bob Dodson, fast quarter and half-miler last spring, will be pushing the best of them.

After Third Win

Carolina will be after its third win this afternoon against Cherry Point's runners, and although virtually nothing is known of the visiting team, the Tar Heels will probably be slightly favored by virtue of their good record in the South so far in the season.

A seven-man A and a like B team will be run in the meet. On the varsity A group are Whitey Holden, Doug Erath, Bob Dodson, Art Lamb, Oliver Allen, John Strait and Frank Hatch. Running for the B team will be Jim Bolch, Bob Eagle, Red Crain, John Harding, Bob Harris, Jack Hester and Mack Hobkirk.

The Tar Heels have meets next term with Duke, Georgia Tech, both at home, Virginia and maybe another with Cherry Point, and a lot of work is in store for the Ransonsmen in view of their loss of the top two runners on the squad. But such men as Dotson, Allen, Lamb, Strait and Hatch, all of whom are improving steadily, will still make it hard for any opponent to get by the local cross country crew.

Mama Bear: "Somebody's been drinking my whiskey."

Papa Bear: "Somebody's been drinking my gin."

Baby Bear: "Hic—"

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Jayvee Squad Met Kinston Marines In Game Friday

Carolina's Jayvee squad went up against their first grid test of the season yesterday afternoon when they met a rugged Kinston Marine Air Base crew in Kenan Stadium. The result of the contest was not available at press time.

The "B" squad which has been working as a separate unit from the varsity team for the past three weeks, with "Peanut" Doak handling the coaching duties. Doak, a former N. C. State griddier and professional baseball player with Greensboro, has been busy whipping his Tar Babies into shape the past week and his squad has been scrimmaging with the varsity for the past few days.

Slated to start yesterday afternoon's game for the Jayvees included Jim Hayworth and Morrow, ends; Joe Cospito and Koontz, tackles; Goodwin and Chalmers, guards; Herb Young, center; Jerry Allen, wingback; Edgerton, blocking back; Ed McGee or Ferguson, fullback; and Harry Stowers, tailback.

Friday's battle was a prelude contest to the varsity scrap between Carolina and Cherry Point which comes off this afternoon.

The Jayvees have only two games on their schedule at present, but other contests are being arranged for the hard working "B" outfit.

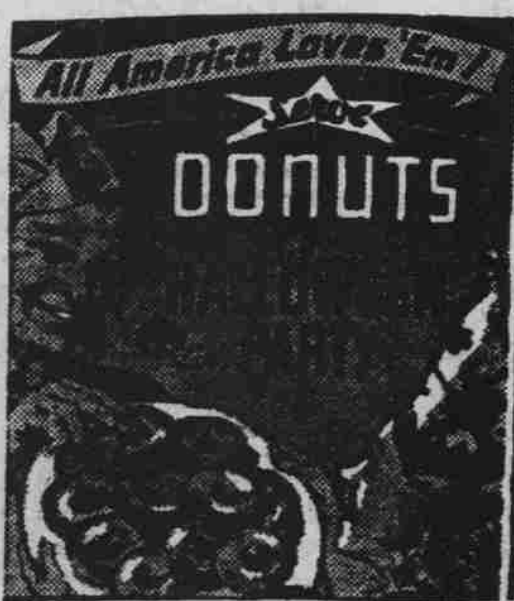
was a single by Tom Stockwell and only two men reached second base. The winners waited until the sixth inning to score all their runs off Ted Haigler, who was touched for seven hits. Stanbach, Ludwig, Jones and Anderson swatted bingles in the rally.

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Twohey, Colfer To Play Last Game For Tar Heels Today

Several Injuries Hamper UNC Gridders In Battle With Marines At 2:30 O'clock

By Irwin Smallwood

Carolina's Tar Heels will be trying for a comeback this afternoon when they play host to the Cherry Point Marine eleven in Kenan stadium, a comeback after taking a licking at the hands of Penn last weekend. Kickoff is slated for 2:30 o'clock.

The UNC aggregation turned back the Marines last season, 20-14, for its lone victory, scoring the winning touchdown in the last 39 seconds of play. And this year the game promises to be the same thriller that the Pitt last season was, a game that is a bitter fight from beginning to end. It has been a brief series between Carolina and the Cherry Point crew, but a hot rivalry has developed in even the short time.

Colfer, Twohey Leave

For Tom Colfer and Ed Twohey, NROTC cadets, it will be their final game, as the reliable performers are slated to receive their commissions as ensigns something like a week after the game. "It is unfortunate that we have to lose them," Coach Snavelly said yesterday, "for we will miss them badly. Twohey has been a standby from the beginning, and Colfer has developed brilliantly for a boy with no football background at all."

Twohey is one of the six returning lettermen on the squad this year, having played for Gene McEver last season on the first string. He has been one of the mainstays of the Tar Heel forward wall, and his hole in the line will not be easily filled. And Colfer, the wonder boy who showed his stuff in the Georgia Tech opener September 29 to gain widespread respect among football circles, will take with him one of the most dangerous cogs in the Carolina offensive machine.

It is doubtful as to whether Twohey, former mayor of Boy's Town, Neb., will be able to go at all in the game today, as he has been on the injured list since the Penn scrap, but the hard-fighting little red-head has already made a name for himself on the grid for Carolina. Twohey will also be missed in boxing at Carolina, having been one of the strongest members of the Tar Heel boxing team last winter.

Too, the Tar Heels will lose one of their managers, Kent "Geech" Roberts, who was one of the main 'men behind the scene' for the Carolina footballers since things got underway back in April. All three of the NROTC men came into the unit here at the same time, March of 1944.

In place of Twohey at guard to start will be Sid Varney, tough little reserve, Bill Pritchard moves up to a starting berth at left end in place of injured Chuck Ellison, and Don Hartig for Bill Walker, also on the injured list. All three of the injured men have



TOM COLFER



ED TWOHEY

been taking things easy this week and may be ready to see a good bit of action will take over the blocking back duties in the clash with Cherry Point.

Several veterans are due to play a good bit of ball in the tussle this afternoon, Bob Warren, Tar Heel starter last season who scored the winning touchdown against Chery Point, Andy Karres, alternate guard in 1942, and Jim Camp, wingback on the 1944 squad. Also, Curtis Davidson, 220-pound tackle from Laurinburg is on hand and may prove a big asset.

The Tar Heels have had a hard week of re-building and re-grooming, and Coach Snavelly's charges are in as good shape possible for the encounter with the Marines, who lost to the Third Air Force, 20-0, last Saturday.

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