

Tar Heels Battle Ohio University Nine Today

Dolphins Tie For Fifth In Nationals

Relay Mermen Display Speed To Take Third Twining Places Fourth in 220

By Herb Bodman

Carolina's Blue Dolphins, swimming hard and with great spirit, managed to accumulate eleven points to tie for fifth place with Army in the National Intercollegiate swimming championships held at Yale University's Payne Whitney Memorial pool at New Haven, Conn.

The Dolphins, however, were not competing with a view for the team title, but rather were attempting to capture the 400 yard relay event, the 100 yard, 50 yard and 220 yard freestyle titles.

Relay Results

By far the best entry for Carolina was the 400 yard relay team, composed of Mike Morrow, Jack Zimmerman, Dick Twining, and Ben Ward. In the qualification round employed to weed out the entries to seven or eight, the Dolphins placed first with the excellent time of 3:36.9. Dick Twining swam a fine 51.3 leg, Ward followed with a 54.0, Morrow was next with a 55.6 and Zimmerman chalked up a 56.0. The next day in the finals, however, the swimmers were tight and placed third, trailing Michigan State and Michigan with a time of 3:37.7. Had they been able to repeat their time for the previous day they would have won easily for Michigan State recorded a 3:37.4.

Twining Fourth

Dick Twining, swimming in the 220 yard freestyle event finished in fourth place. Hill of Ohio State placed first, McClay of Williams, second, and Hennigan from Purdue, third. The winning time was 2:11.3. In this event there were twenty four entries, and Twining placed the best any entrant from the South has ever gained for this distance in the N.C.A.A. championships.

On Saturday afternoon, Twining also swam in the finals of the 100 yard freestyle sprint,

Morrow and Ficklen Chosen To Captain Dolphins in 47

Mike Morrow of Wilmington and Warren Ficklen of Greenville have been elected to co-captain the University of North Carolina swimming team for 1947.

The election was made during the annual banquet for the team which was held at the Carolina Inn last week. Twenty-three members of the squad and Coaches Willis and Ralph Casey were present.

Morrow and Ficklen succeed Russell (Snooky) Proctor of Rocky Mount and Ben Ward of Goldsboro, who led this year's

team to five dual meet victories, the Southern Conference, Southeastern A.A.U., and Carolinas' A.A.U. championships. They finished behind Navy but ahead of previously unbeaten Cornell in one triangular meet, and third behind the great Ohio State and Army teams in another triangular engagement.

Twining Most Valuable

Dick Twining of Charlotte, freestyle star, was voted the "most valuable member of the squad" by teammates, and was awarded a large trophy.

Morrow and Ficklen are both sprint freestyle stars, the former holding the National Junior championship in the 100-meter freestyle event.

Ward Eliminated

In the 50 yard freestyle Ben Ward was eliminated in the semi-final round by the same Hirose that defeated Twining. Forty-one swimmers were entered in this event.

Thirty two teams were entered in the two-day meet, making it the largest N.C.A.A. championships ever held in the history of the classic. Yale University's swimming team of 24 men which had been undefeated during the regular season failed to qualify in any event.

Team Scores

Ohio State won the team title with a total of 61 points, followed by Michigan with 37, Michigan State with 18, Navy, 14, Williams, 14, and Carolina tied with Army at 11 points. Fifteen teams did not score.

Participation in the National Intercollegiate championships completes the season of swimming for the Blue Dolphins, and the team now turns its thoughts toward the 1947 season under the leadership of co-captains Mike Morrow and Warren Ficklen. It

Spring Football Practice Begins

Coach Carl Snavelly greeted around 100 football candidates in the first spring practice drill yesterday afternoon and was well pleased with the large turnout.

The squad went through a lengthy session of workouts the initial day and Coach Snavelly stated that the daily drills will continue for five weeks, beginning at 4 o'clock.

Among the outstanding veterans that reported for the first grid practice since the war interrupted their playing were Highsmith, Tandy, Sparger and Lowe.

is possible that Dick Twining will not be with the team this coming year, but there is also a chance that Bill Kelly, star of last year's Blue Dolphin team, will return.

Haigler Hurls No-Hit Game For Phi Gams

Phi Kaps, DKE's Capture Contests

A tall, right-hander named Ted Haigler stole the intramural softball spotlight yesterday as he pitched the first no-hit ball game of the season, pacing the Phi Gams to a 13-0 victory over KA No. 2. Haigler was never in trouble from the start, coasting to victory behind the Fiji batting power which collected four home runs.

DKE won its second straight by downing Phi Delt No. 2, 15-14, in a thrill-packed slugfest. Bill Kemp broke up the ball game in the last half of the final frame with a single to center that scored the winning run from third base. The powerful Phi Kaps kept in the win column with a hard-fought 8-4 win over SAE No. 1.

In other fraternity contests, Sigma Chi nipped Delta Psi 6-5; KA No. 1 nosed out ATO, 4-3; and Kappa Sig No. 1 rolled over the Betas, 17-5. Elsewhere, Phi Delt No. 1 outlasted Pi Lambda Phi, 10-6; Zeta Psi rallied late to defeat Delta Sig, 24-12; and Chi Psi trounced Kappa Sig No. 2, 14-5. Sigma Nu won by forfeit from ZBT.

Over in the dormitory league, an undefeated Old East nine upset Steele, 10-3, while Lewis was edging out Whitehead, 7-6. Graham No. 1 topped Everett, 10-4, and Stacy toppled Aycock, 10-7. The high-flying Marines won by forfeit from ROTC 8rd.

Monogram Club Meets Tonight in Clubhouse


An important meeting of the Monogram Club will be held tonight at 7 o'clock in the clubhouse, president Jack Zimmerman announced.

Plans will be discussed for the initiation of new monogram winners and a party will be mapped out during the business portion of the meeting.

Attention Chemistry Students!

The Alpha Chi Sigma chemical fraternity cordially invites all chemistry majors to a "Game Carnival" tomorrow evening, April 3, at 8 p. m. in the Roland Parker Lounge of Graham Memorial.

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Locals Seek First Victory; Coleman Gets Starting Nod

Final Contest for Carolina Club Prior to Conference Opener Friday

By Bill Woestendiek

Carolina's busy baseball team will play the first of three games scheduled for this week today when the Tar Heels clash with Ohio University on Emerson field at 4 p. m., in what will be their last game prior to the conference opener against VPI here Friday.

In an effort to pick up his first win of the season, Coach Bunn Hearn is planning to divide the pitching chores among three of his leading hurlers. Hamp Coleman, frosh star from Red Springs, is scheduled to open and will be followed by Monk Whiteheart and either Vinnie DiLorenzo or John McElrath. Rollo Frazier and Jim Hayworth will share the catching duties.

Ohio's starting pitcher figures to be one of three men. Charles Burdette, right-handed letterman, Russ Gregg, promising freshman, and southpaw John Jurkovic are the mainstays of the visitors' mound staff.

New Shortstop

Fred Ryan, freshman from Trenton, N. J., will be the only new face in the Tar Heel lineup. Ryan, who played for Trenton Catholic high school prior to his entry into service, will open at shortstop. The remainder of the infield stays the same as in the previous two games with John Gregory, George Thompson, and Bob Warren handling first, second and third.

Cleet Cleetwood in left, Ott Evans in center, and Harry Beason in right will compose the starting lineup for the home team. However, Hearn figures to change the men around again today and all of the infielders and outfielders probably will see some action.

Ohio will take the field with either Gene Ruzzkowski or John Biskup behind the bat, Bill Brooks at the initial sack, Ralph Sayres on second, Bill Turk at the hot corner, Charlie Horn at short and John Madden, Charles Traeger, and King Brady in the outer garden.

To Play Burlington

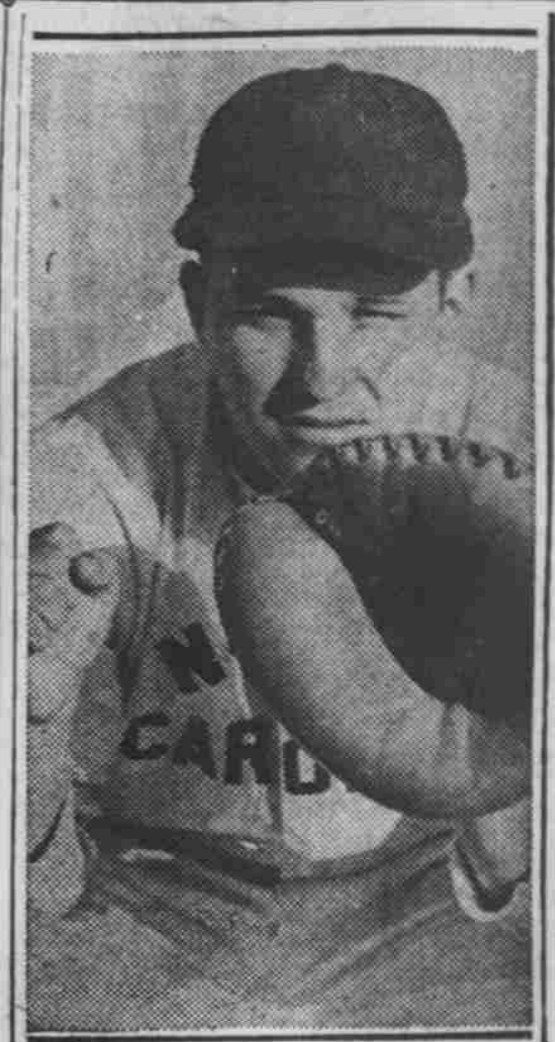
Hearn said yesterday that the boys have been coming along nicely, with experience continuing to be their big need. Following the game with VPI Friday, the Tar Heels will go to Burlington to play the Burlington club of the Bi-State league on Saturday.

Ohio is the second northern club to meet the Carolinians on a southern trip. Michigan State squeezed out two victories over Carolina last week, and the Tar Heels will be looking for their first win this afternoon.

Infielders Bo Hackney, Johnny Pecora, and Johnny Colones and outfielders Tom Clayton, Bill Webster, Al Chappell, Charlie Cole and Emmett Cheek are likely to get into the game before the afternoon is over.

And then there was the secretary who called her boss "Ump" because he always wanted her to play ball.—RMC.

Sign in the library: Only low talk permitted here.



Rollo Frazier, above, is expected to see plenty of service behind the plate for Carolina today when they play Ohio University. Frazier is from Winston-Salem and was first string catcher on last year's Tar Heel team.

Mickey Owen Jumps Dodgers to Perform For Mexican Club

New York, April 1—(UP)—Lightning has struck twice in as many days along the baseball trail. The Mexican baseball league has followed yesterday's purchase of Vern Stephens by signing Brooklyn catcher Mickey Owen to a five-year contract.

Just as it hit the Saint Louis Browns, hopes for a first division berth in the American loop, the Mexican league also has put a damper on the Brooklyn pennant hopes in the National circuit.

For weeks now, Manager Leo Durocher has been saying "just wait 'til Owen gets out of the navy—then our catching staff will be set."

Well, Mickey notified the Dodgers he was out of the navy today. And as a postscript Owen added that he had received a \$12,500 bonus to sign with Terreon of the Mexican league as player and manager.

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