

Sport - Spins

—with—
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THE SPORTING SCENE:
In the minds of most sports fans, soccer is something that is played in some foreign country before afternoon tea. 'Taint necessarily so, though, for even in Dixieland—namely North Carolina—there is such. And it will be displayed here Friday afternoon when the newly-formed Tar Heel soccer club meets Virginia.

Marvin (now Coach) Allen, who was for a while director of intramurals here at Carolina, is the man who is responsible for the forming of the team, and he is trying hard to establish it as a varsity sport on the UNC agenda.

When things first started, with the general call for candidates, the outlook was dark indeed. But much to the surprise of Coach Allen and the skeptics who thought it would be a flop, something over 30 boys reported, with varied experience from service ball to prep school competition.

Practice has been held daily, and diligently, since the second week of the fall term, and a lot of work has gone into the building of the team. We pass on congratulations to Coach Allen and the soccer team before the game, for win or lose they have done a good job in providing more sports for the overflow of students at Carolina.

The intramural touch football season is in its second week of competition—although the first one was abbreviated by rain—and going along nicely according to reports. There have been many upsets dotting the results, one of the major ones being the defeat of the strong DKE club day before yesterday.

While on the subject of the mural game "so-called" tag football, we will pass on an oft-heard gripe about the situation.

The talk and complaint reaching us is that it is hard to even recognize the game as tag football—except that they use a football. Seems the game has had its rules changed around so you can pass anywhere on the field at any time, as many times in succession and on the same play as you want, even on the kick-off. Also, blocking has been eliminated.

Our only explanation of this is that it must be for the protection of the participants, the elimination of blocking. The rest is not too clear, but the rules have evidently been altered to take care of the lack of blocking.

We just stopped writing for a moment, and why not? There was great news flashing in on the teletype, news that the St. Louis Cardinals had beat the Boston Red Sox 4-3 for the World's Championship.

It was undoubtedly one of the most exciting series in all history of baseball, and it kept the Cards' slate clean. The Red Birds have never lost a series. It appeared as though our prediction was no good when the first two men up for Boston in the ninth singled, but the Cardinal finesse clicked and retired the side with no damage done.

The star of the series, which resembled the rise of the Cardinals to beat the vaunted Yankees a few years ago, was this boy Harry "The Cat" Brecheen, who was the first man in 26 years to win three games in one series.

Our prognostication was good, the Cards in seven games, seven of the most exciting games ever.

Tar Heels Continue To Practice On Pass Defense

Aerial Attack Also Polished

Sid Varney May Miss Navy Game

Passing, both from the offensive and defensive angles, received the major share of attention in yesterday's grid drill as the Tar Heels continued preparation for their encounter with Navy in Baltimore Saturday.

With his team having pitched 20 passes, of which only seven were completed, Coach Carl Snaveley is determined to produce an aerial attack to match the solid ground game that the Tar Heels have exhibited in the three games played thus far.

Most of the tossing is being done by Charlie Justice, Max Spellman, and the three tailbacks—Myers, Britt, and Maceyko. The receivers include ends George Sparger, Joe Romano, John Tandy and Bob Cox along with wingbacks Jim Camp and B. K. Grow.

From the defensive side, Carolina opponents have gained a total of 204 yards against the Blue and White defense and Coach Snaveley will attempt to make sure that a definite reduction of this average takes place against the Middies.

Sid Varney, a letterman from last year and a stalwart member of the Carolina forward wall, may miss the game Saturday because of a knee and back injury. He is almost definitely out as a starter. Either Larry Klosterman or George Roberts will be in his post if he fails to start the game.

Blue Devils Planning For Battle Saturday

Durham, Oct. 15—The way Duke is sizing up Saturday afternoon's clash in Duke stadium with Richmond University's Spiders is simple indeed: just another tough football game.

The Spiders appear to be just about as good as any team in the conference. Their 37-7 victory over Maryland when the Old Liners were expected to win put the boys of Johnny Fenlon right at the top of the heap.

Their claim to strength was further enhanced last Saturday when North Carolina's strong Tar Heels turned in a 33-0 win over the Maryland outfit.

The Spiders opened early, rolling over Randolph Macon by a 46-0 count and then played a 7-7 tie with V. M. I. They really went into high gear against Maryland, completely blasting the Old Liners, and last week remained in the undefeated ranks with a 33-6 triumph over Hampden-Sydney.

LEAD SCORING

Raleigh, Oct. 15—(UP)—A couple of fullbacks—Wake Forest's Rock Brinkley and William and Mary's Jack Cloud—are currently leading the Southern Conference in scoring.

Cards Topple Bosox 4-3 To Capture World Series

Harry "The Cat" Brecheen Credited With Third Win; Slaughter Scores

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 15.—(UP)—The St. Louis Cardinals, underdogs throughout, today nosed out the Boston Red Sox 4-3 here in Sportsman's park to win the 1946 World Series four games to three. Harry Brecheen was the winning pitcher in a relief role, the first pitcher since 1926 to win three games in one Series.

The slim lefthander was the hero of this World Series with his brilliant pitching. Shortstop Johnny Pesky was the goat because of his fielding lapse that let in the winning run.

That winning run came in the bottom of the eighth after the Red Sox had battled back in the top of the inning to tie it up.

Enos Slaughter started off the inning with a single to center. The next two Cardinal batters were easy outs.

Then up came Harry Walker—and he doubled to left center. Slaughter was on the go at the crack of the bat and scored from first when Pesky pulled his skulker.

The throw from the outfield might have beaten Slaughter to the plate but Pesky hesitated one split moment before his relay to home. That was enough for Slaughter to score—and the Cardinals to come home with the world's championship of baseball for this year.

In the top of the ninth, Boston looked like it might get rolling again. Rudy York—who already had won two games for Boston with his homers—opened the frame with a single to left. Bobby Doerr followed with a hit to the same place.

That put Bruce Campbell, who had gone in to run for York, on second. Pinky Higgins then dropped one along the third baseline and Kurowski tossed to second to force Doerr. That meant Campbell was on third—90 feet away from homeplate and another chance at the World Series for the Bostonians.

Catcher Ray Partee came up with a chance to be the big hero. But his chances went up in a foul pop to first baseman Stan Musial. Now there were two outs—men on first and third.

Pinch-hitter Tom McBride came in to bat for the pitcher. . . he was the one who tied up the first game with a single in the top of the ninth . . . this time he didn't have it. The "Cat" had his number.

Brecheen came in with a screwball and McBride sent a weak grounder down toward second. The toss from Al Schoendienst to Marty Marion for the force was good. And the Cardinals walked off the field the winners—

Thus, the St. Louis team upheld a tradition of never having lost in a series that went seven games.



Willis Casey, above, has been named head swimming coach at State college, according to reports to the Daily Tar Heel. Casey, young mentor of the Blue Dolphins, turned in an outstanding record while pilot of the swimming team.

Cross Countrymen Take Hard Workout

Carolina's harriers took a long workout over the five mile cross country course yesterday in preparation for their first meet Saturday with a veteran Navy squad at Annapolis.

Navy, paced by Nick Smusyn—who is also a star miler at Annapolis—have put in several months preparation for their fall cross country schedule and are rated one of the strongest teams in the East.

Coach Dale Ranson plans to select his squad roster for the Annapolis trip this afternoon, after clocking his men through extensive time trials.

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Phi Gams, Med School Upset In Intramurals

Last Year's Champions Defeated; No Games Forfeited As Play Continues

In two big upsets of the day, last year's champions and runners-up were defeated yesterday in two close games. The Phi Gams, 1945 title-holders, were humbled by a fighting PiKA team who came from behind in the last half to win by a score of 6-2. The Med School team, runner-ups to the Phi Gams last year, was beaten by Aycock in a game which was scoreless until it went into an overtime period, where Aycock won it.

The Phi Delt No. 1 team steam-rolled over TEP 26-6, with Isaacs, Ellis and Pope registering the scores for the Phi Deltas. This was the second win in as many starts for the Phi Delt.

The Zetas defeated the Kappa Sig No. 1 team by a score of 12-0 to continue their winning streak. Johnson starred for the Kappa Sigs while Peel paced the victors.

The officials were busy yesterday when the full fourteen games were played for the first time. Not a single game was forfeited as every team showed up for their game.

INTRAMURAL SCORE BOARD

RESULTS YESTERDAY

Zeta Psi 12, Kappa Sig 0; Lewis 25, Old East 0; KA No. 2 over ZBT in overtime; Independent 12, Old West 6; PiKA 6, Phi Gam No. 1, 2; Sigma Nu No. 1, 13, Pi Lamb 6; Steele 20, Stacy 6; Kappa Sig No. 2 6, Phi Gam No. 2 0; Phi Kap over KA No. 1 in overtime; Sigma Chi 26, Delta Sig 0; Aycock over Med School No. 1 in overtime; ATO No. 1 13, Chi Phi 0; Pharmacy 9, Brockwell 2; Phi Delt No. 1 26, TEP 6.

GAMES TODAY

4 p.m.—Field No. 1: St. Anthony vs SAE No. 1; Field No. 2: BVP vs Aycock; Field No. 3: Miller vs Manley; Field No. 4: Brockwell vs Grads; Field No. 5: Old East vs Law School; Field No. 6: Mangum vs Lewis; Field No. 7: Zeta Psi vs PiKA.
5 p.m.—Field No. 1: Kappa Sig No. 1 vs KA No. 2; Field No. 2: Sigma Nu No. 1 vs KA No. 1; Field No. 3: Phi Gam No. 2 vs Sigma Chi; Field No. 4: Pi Lamb vs Delta Sig; Field No. 5 Phi Gam No. 1 vs ZBT; Field No. 6: SAE No. 2 vs DKE No. 1; Field No. 7: TEP vs ATO No. 2.

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In addition, broadcasts are being carried by the Tobacco Network over about fifteen stations.

Soccer Team Works For Virginia Tilt

Carolina's first official soccer team ran through a hard pre-season workout yesterday on Fetzer field and at the end of the practice period Coach Marvin Allen expressed satisfaction at the way his boys were shaping up in preparation for the season opener here Friday afternoon with the University of Virginia soccermen.

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