

The Daily Tar Heel

SPORTS

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An Old, Old Adage, But Never Truer

A team that won't be beat, can't be beat. It's an old time worn phrase, but it never fitted more perfectly than it does right now when applied to the North Carolina Tar Heels. The Carolina quint, unbeaten this season and ranked as the nation's number one team, literally refused to be beaten Tuesday night in Winston-Salem as they came off the floor to whip Wake Forest, 69-64.

It was beyond a doubt the toughest game of the season for the Tar Heels. In fact, they were rated as underdogs by some observers going into the game even though they had beaten Wake Forest on two previous occasions.

But this time the Tar Heels didn't have Joe Quigg their 6-9 center. The entire squad numbered 9 men, not even enough to scrimmage with. Wake Forest, with four talented seniors in the starting lineup, had been practically unbeatable on their home floor, and wanted to knock the Tar Heels off very badly.

The victory celebration was planned. Dishpans, cowbells, Confederate flags, cheerleaders and insulting chants were all plentifully in evidence. There was even a banner reading, "Goodbye, Number One."

All was in readiness for the big upset. But somebody forgot to tell Coach Frank McGuire and his Carolina basketball team. Many UNC fans had given up, but the nine cagers and their coach were of a more optimistic turn of mind.

A Dogfight From Start To Finish

The first half was a bitter dogfight with both teams feeling the intense pressure. Wake Forest, even with their four supposedly nerveless seniors, couldn't hit form the floor or the foul line in the early minutes. And Carolina seemed intent on hitting a home run each time they got the ball. Eight bad passes in the first ten minutes testified to this.

The lead was sawed back and forth. Carolina held a five point lead at 29-24, lost it at 29-30, then gained it back to lead at half-time, 33-32.

Then Wake came out for the second half and began to pour it on. Soon they had an 8-point bulge, 47-39, and the end of a 22 game winning streak appeared in sight. But the Tar Heels and their ace, Lennie Rosenbluth refused to fold, and came surging back to knot the game at 54 all.

About that time Wendell Carr and Jack Williams fouled out, and Wake lost their advantage under the boards. The ensuing few moments were hectic as the Deacons hung grimly on to the lead.

But with the score 63-64 in favor of Wake with 46 seconds left, Rosenbluth sank two free throws to put the Tar Heels on top by one. Then Bob Cunningham, the unsung hero of the UNC team, stole a pass, and everyone knows what happened after that.

'Wait 'Til Next Time'

It was the third time this year the Tar Heels have downed Wake Forest, but the Deacs still seem to have that "wait 'til next time" spirit. From Bones McKinney and Murray Greason on down, the battling Baptists think they can break the Tar Heel spell. Seems to us like "three strikes and you're out" would be a better way of summing up the situation.

There have been many champions of the Carolina cause all year long, and many reasons why they are still unbeaten. One name, that of Lennie Rosenbluth, is known to all far and wide. But the other, Bob Cunningham, is sometimes lost in the soaring scoring columns.

Cunningham scored 2 points against Wake Forest Tuesday night, but he was to a large extent the man responsible for beating the Deacons. McGuire called Cunningham's important interception of a Wake pass in the dying seconds "the key play." And Bones McKinney remarked after the game that "this is the second time this year Cunningham has beaten us." He was referring to the Dixie Classic game in Raleigh when Bob pulled another of his famous stolen ball plays.

Pete Brennan and Tommy Kearns were also invaluable Tuesday night, and Danny Lotz, Bob Young and Kenny Rosemond never played better in the face of such intense pressure.

It was a team victory, one of the biggest and bravest team victories in the history of Carolina basketball. The air in Memorial Coliseum was thick with pressure, and nerves were on the thin edge of breaking. But nobody cracked except 8,200 fans. And one delirious sportswriter.

How Much Heart?

How much heart can one bunch of boys have? Just ask Frank McGuire. He'll tell you.

Friday night: Duke. Another impossible task, and without Joe Quigg, who may be sidelined still, the job grows doubly difficult. Bones McKinney issued a warning earlier this year that he'd hate to walk into Duke Gym in the last game of the season unbeaten. Well, the stage is set.

A win over Duke will make this the winningest team in UNC basketball history and will give the Tar Heels an unbeaten regular season. With these goals to shoot for, not to mention such things as ACC and NCAA championships, how can these transplanted Yankees be beaten? We don't believe they will. And we know about 10 other guys who would concur.

Duke Tops Matmen, 20-8

By RON MILLIGAN

The Duke wrestlers proved to be too strong for the Tar Heels yesterday afternoon as the Blue Devils handed the locals a 20 to 8 licking in the Duke Gym.

With a crippled, substitute team. Coach Sam Barne's squad fought all the way, but the more experienced Duke team was just too much for them to handle.

The only Tar Heels to win their matches were 137 pound

Perrin Henderson and 167 pound Bill McGehee. Incidentally, McGehee's opponent, Menefee, was runner-up conference champion last year.

Dave Atkinson, 177 pounder, was determined not to lose his bout yesterday and although he didn't win over his opponent, Atkinson fought him to a draw.

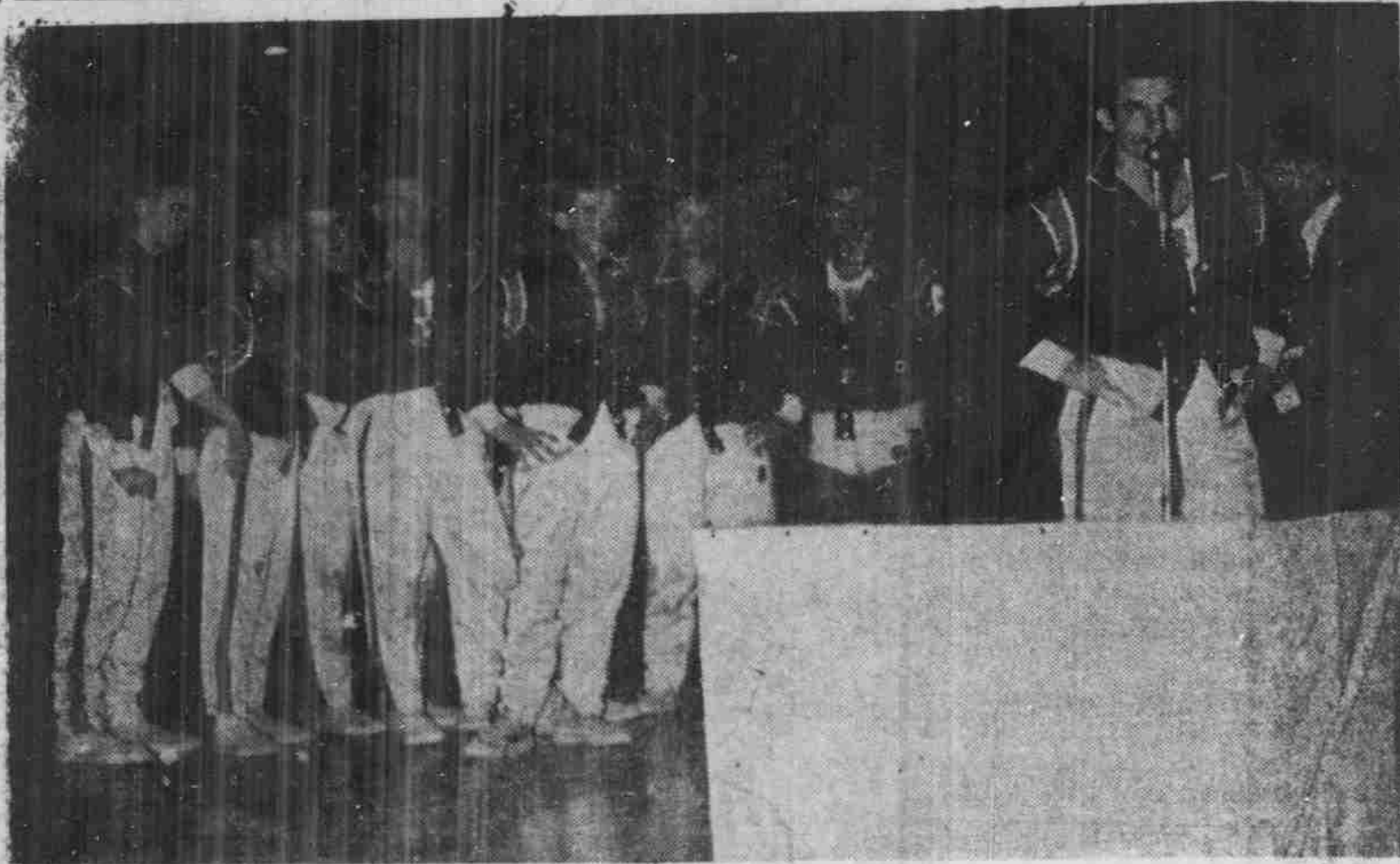
Duke's regular 137 pound Esposito didn't get to face Tar Heel Perrin Henderson yesterday

as was scheduled. Both were frosh grapplers last year, and they met on two separate occasions with both bouts ending in draws. Esposito defeated Carolina's Bob Wagner in the 130 pound division yesterday.

Next Monday the Tar Heels will fight their last match when they meet the State Wolfpack in Raleigh.

The individual results of the UNC-Duke match are as follows:

123 lb. David Wall was pinned by Bergensen (Duke), 130 lb. Capt. Bob Wagner was pinned by Esposito (D), 137 lb. Perrin Henderson decided Daille (D), 147 lb. Bill Adeex was pinned by Girind (D), 157 lb. Charlie Boyette was decided by Meffert (D), 167 lb. Bill McGehee decided Menefee (D), 177 lb. Dave Atkinson tied Kempler (D), and heavyweight Larry Hayes was pinned by Macelhaney (D).



The Nation's Best

Pictured above is the nation's number one ranked basketball team, the Carolina Tar Heels. The above photo was taken at ceremonies following the Carolina-South Carolina game last Friday night. The Tar Heels, winners over Wake Forest Tuesday, meet Duke Friday night in their last regular season game.

1500 FREESTYLE TONIGHT:

UNC, State Expected To Dominate ACC Swim Meet

By STEWART BIRD

The annual Atlantic Coast Conference Swimming Championships will open at 8 p.m. tonight with undefeated North Carolina and powerful N. C. State favored to pick up most of the headlines.

UNC won the conference team championship by defeating State, 49 to 36, last Saturday. The three day meet will decide the individual champions in sixteen events.

The gruelling 1500 meters freestyle will be the only attraction on tonight's program. Favored to

successfully defend his title will be Frank Naus of N. C. State, but he may have a strong challenger in Tony Schiffman of Carolina. These two aces have duelled in the 220 and 440 freestyles all year, with Naus the eventual winner each time.

His win over Schiffman last Saturday in the 440 was by far the closest yet, with Naus touching Ralph Casey's ace out by a hand length. This close finish may have given Schiffman an added boost, and things could get mighty hot tomorrow night, and

in the 440 yard freestyle finals Saturday night.

Each swimmer will be swimming against the clock in the 64 lap event, with the winner being decided on the fastest time. It is expected that enough men will be entered to necessitate two heats.

Preliminaries in eight events will begin at 2:30 Friday afternoon with the finals slated for 8 o'clock. Titles to be decided tomorrow will be the 200 butterfly, 50 freestyle, 200 backstroke, 220 freestyle, 100 breaststroke, low board diving, 200 individual medley, 400 yard freestyle relay.



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- 2:00—Sign Off
- 5:14—Sign On
- 5:15—Music
- 5:30—Mr. Murgle's Musee
- 6:00—Legislative Review
- 6:20—News
- 6:30—Draw Me A Story
- 6:45—Man On The Move
- 7:00—Museum of Art
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It will be CCNY's first appearance in NCAA competition since its wonder team of 1948, winner of both the NCAA and National Invitation Tourney in a space of two weeks. The record was blighted later by charges of fixing involving several players.

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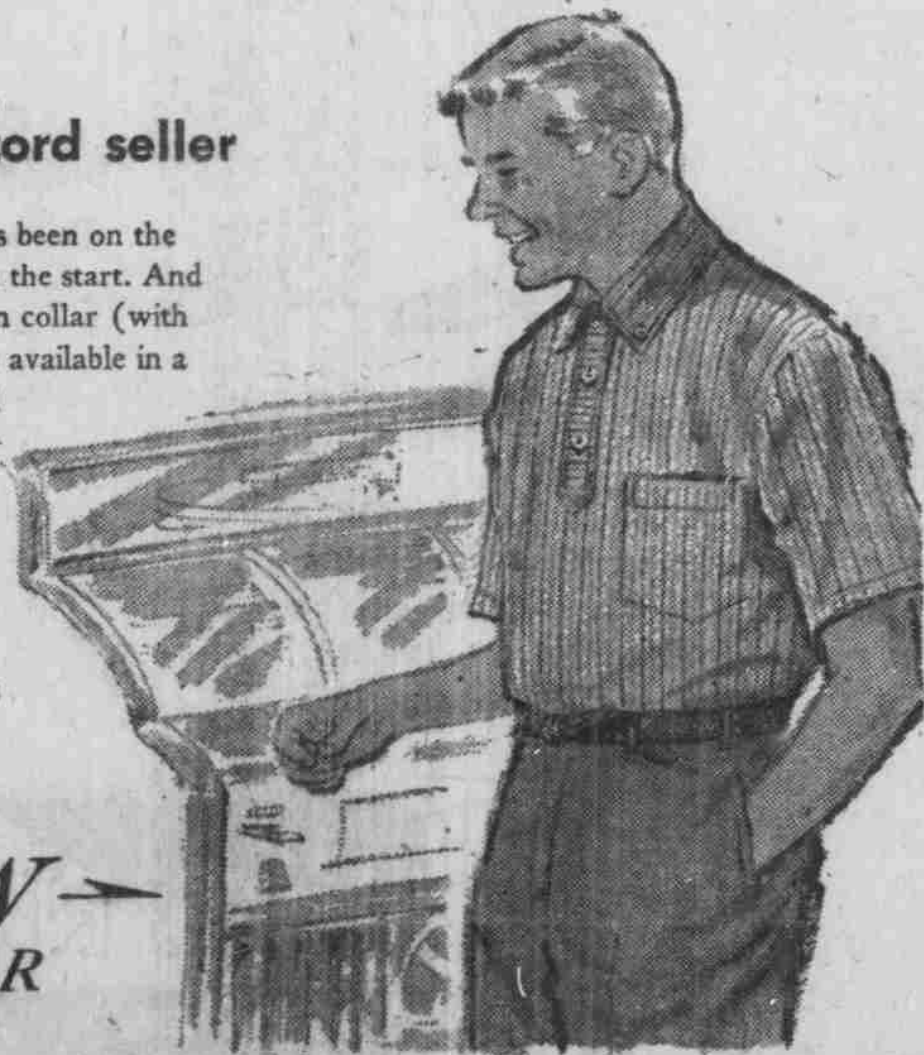
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