

Carolina And Wake Forest Open Big Five Competition

Duke Meets V. M. I. In Durham Saturday; N.C. State's Wolves To Play Davidson Tomorrow Night

Fans To Get First Look At The Blue Devil Powerhouse

Heels and Deacons To Present Two Big Scoring Organizations

The current football season gets underway in full force this week-end, giving followers their first opportunity to witness a "double-header" this Saturday.

On Saturday afternoon one can take his pick of the Carolina-Wake Forest game in Chapel Hill, or the Duke-V. M. I. contest in Durham, and on the way back home, can stop in Raleigh long enough to see N. C. State and Davidson mix it up that evening.

A battle that may turn out to be far more interesting than anticipated by the most optimistic football fan is scheduled for Chapel Hill on Saturday afternoon between the Tar Heels and Wake Forest's Deacons.

Both teams opened their campaigns last Saturday and caused much speculation. The scouts had little to report because of the apparent ease with which both teams ran up their one-sided scores.

The Tar Heels came up with a surprising ground attack which featured nice gains by Lalanne, Harry Dunkle, Michael Bobbitt, Sid Sadoff, Don Baker and company, using their aerial attack to no great success.

Last year the Tar Heels tied Tulane with their passing in a story-book finish under the person supervision of Mr. Jim Sweet-Lalanne, crushed Wake Forest the same way, slaughtered Pennsylvania ditto, and made it mighty tough for every club on the schedule mainly because of this deadly throwing attack.

In contrast, Wake Forest's Deacons were almost passless—they threw 46 and completed but ten and relied mainly on a ground attack which was poison and which led the nation in this department. When big Jolting John Polanski, Tony Galovich, Red Mayberry, or Marshall Edwards gathered in the pigskin they were dangerous and the enemy knew it.

Now it seems that Coach Wolf has developed a running attack far superior to last year's to go along with Lalanne's pitching and Coach Walker has raised a passing threat, in Galovich, J. V. Pruitt and Joe Duncavage, certainly better than 1939's, to go along with Polanski and company's bruising ground game. If this is so, anything may happen when the two elevens clash in Kenan Stadium Saturday afternoon.

Duke University will open its season against V. M. I.'s Fighting Keydets giving the followers of the Blue Devils their first opportunity to see what practically all the nation's experts call the best squad Coach Wallace Wade has ever gathered at the Durham school. With an outstanding array of backfield stars including Wesley McAfee, Frank Killian, Steve Lach, Jap Davis, Ezeriski, Siegfried, Swiger and any number of other capable reserves, the Devils should have little trouble getting through their opener. But V. M. I. will present a talented team with plenty of fight to furnish an entertaining afternoon.

Tomorrow night, State and Davidson, the two bottom ranking teams of the Big Five will meet in Raleigh in a battle that will, in all possibility decide who will end the season on the last rung of the ladder. After their display against William and Mary State's Wolfpack, led by Dick East and Jack Huckabee in the backfield, and Frankman Owens, and because of the doubtfulness of Davidson's injured Granny Sharpe, mainstay in the Wildcat backfield, the Staters are given a better than average chance of winning, although many think that W. and M. is vastly overrated and the Wolves are just another football team.

LOCAL BOYS MAKING GOOD

Local high school athletes have been doing well for themselves at colleges this season. At Mars Hill the Anderson twins, Martin and Arthur, J. E. Boykin, Jo-Jo Thigpen and Hardison are ranked high, while C. T. Roberson has performed creditably on the N. C. State freshman team in its only start.

NOTICE OF SALE

North Carolina, Martin County. In The Superior Court. County of Martin vs. Bertha Purvis and Others. Under and by virtue of an order of sale and judgment in the above entitled proceeding made by L. B. Wynne, Clerk of the Superior Court of Martin County, on Monday, the 23rd day of September, 1940, the undersigned commissioner will, on Friday, the 25th day of Oct., 1940, at twelve o'clock noon, in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, to wit: Lots Nos. 11 and 12 in the Crawford land division, as shown in Land Division Book No. 1 at page 496. This the 23rd day of Sept., 1940. CHAS. H. MANNING, Commissioner.

RACING KING

By Jack Sords



IT'S ABOUT TIME!

REX CLINCHED THE TITLE WHEN HE WON THE 100-MILE RACE AT SYRACUSE AND ENDED A NINE-YEAR CHASE FOR THE CROWN

PICKING THE WINNERS . . . And Here's Hopin'

Now that the "Fall" of the year has arrived, we predict with no exceptions the "fall" of all football experts and also the "fall" of many of the nation's leading teams. Football is a peculiar game and brings out a peculiar way of picking the winners. Two most unusual bets are held by one fellow on the Carolina-Wake Forest game Saturday. He was given Carolina and seven points by one person, while another gave him Wake Forest and 14 points. Sounds like somebody is in for a bad week-end.

However, the following is a personal opinion of how the games will stack up and why, and if we miss over half, don't tell anybody—you can do the guessing next week:

Navy-William and Mary—Take the Navy, but it seems impossible that W. and M. is as lousy as they were last Friday.

Well, Carolina, Yes! North Carolina-Wake Forest—If the Tar Heels score early, it may even be another rout.

Duke-V. M. I.—The powerful Devils are not even expected to hit high gear here.

N. C. State-Davidson—After last week-end, it will have to be State. Boston College-Tulane—A power in the East is no comparison with a power in the South: Tulane.

Ohio State-Pitt—Pitt lost its great football when it lost its "aid to dependent players".

Michigan-California—After eating "free" popcorn at the Soda Shop, Michigan.

Washington-Minnesota—Two powerhouses with the Huskies holding a slight edge.

Oklahoma A. and M.—Texas Tech—Without much ado, the Aggies.

Mississippi-Louisiana State—Not much to choose from, so we'll stick with the Bayou Tigers.

Mississippi State-Florida—State. Texas-Colorado—Another headache. Texas.

Southern Methodist-U.C.L.A.—In a quick manner, S. M. U. Texas Christian-Centenary—The Horned Frogs start off with an im-

Blocks for Deacon Polanski



A very important cog in the Wake Forest football machine, although probably not as well known as other stars, is Captain Jimmy Ringgold, blocking back. Ringgold was honored last season when he was selected as the best blocking back in the Southern Conference. And he is expected to clear the way for Polanski Saturday against the Tar Heels.

proved team. T.C.U. Washington State-Southern California—To the Rose Bowl winners. Oregon State-Idaho—State. Vanderbilt-Washington and Lee-Vandy. Marshall-V. P. I.—Marshall, but only after a bitter struggle.

Coach Wade Has "Very Tough Job"

Coach Wallace Wade and his aides are having a very tough time up at Duke University trying to figure out what players should be placed on the first team.

After all said and done the team of Blue Devils which drew special praise from Coach Wade is as follows:

Darnell and Piasecky at ends; Winterson and Karmazin, tackles; Lipscomb and Nania, guards, and Barnett at center. In the backfield Prothro, McAfee, Killian and Davis were named.

But then, there is not enough difference in the next eleven to argue about—so what?

VERY SUPERSTITIOUS! Lexington, Ky.—Ab Kirwan, University of Kentucky head football coach, has two superstitions. He wears an old, battered white felt hat on the day of every football game, and he refuses to eat dinner after his team has won. The latter peculiarity would make it mighty tough for coaches of some teams in the United States.

PRETTY GOOD?? If you don't think that N. C. State victory was one of the biggest surprises of the year, ask any old faithful Wolfpack follower.

TAR HEEL BOSS



Faced with the toughest schedule since he arrived at the University of North Carolina, Coach Ray Wolf and his Tar Heels will have little rest. But with an improved running attack and more reserve power than last year, the Wolf feels optimistic, at least about the Wake Forest tilt, because Zodiac has said he would win.

WAKE FOREST'S POLANSKI LOOKS LIKE A REPEATER

Jolting John Polanski, the 210-pound Wake Forest backfield star who led the nation in ground gained rushing and scored more points in major college competition last year than any other individual as a sophomore, tallied three six-pointers against William Jewell College last Saturday to take scoring honors for the day.

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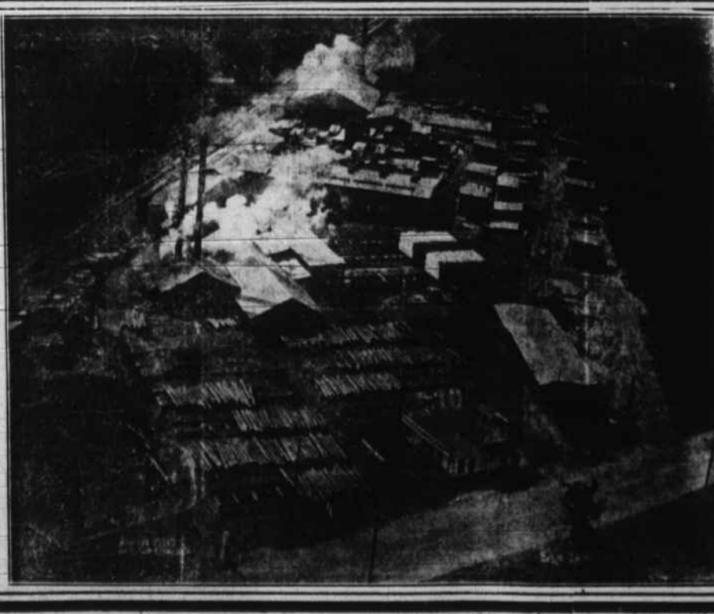
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