

# Cloudbuster Nine Wins Two, Loses One Beats Carolina ...And Davidson ...Bows to Duke

Effective pitching on the part of Gonzales gave the Cloudbusters a 3 to 1 victory over Carolina here last Saturday afternoon in a well played contest. It marked the first loss of the season for the Tar Heels who are leading the "Ration League."

The Pre-Flighters scored first in the third when Conlin walked, stole second, and came home on Bonifant's single. Another was added in the fourth when Niemic led off with a double, went to third on a wild pitch, and scored when Curtis Eastman went out, short to first.

In the fifth inning came the final Pre-Flight score. Katz and Ravashere received free passes to first to open the inning, and the former scored a moment later when Niemic singled to left center.

Gonzales had the University lads well in hand throughout. Except for a brief lapse in the ninth inning when they scored once, they failed to threaten.

The game was sparked by tight defensive play by both teams, only one error being registered.

Lt. George D. Kepler, USNR, Head Baseball Coach, used 22 players here Tuesday afternoon as the Cloudbusters defeated Davidson College, 14 to 7.

Starting off with a five run barrage in the first inning, the locals had complete charge of the game throughout. Conlin, the third baseman, started it with a double and was followed by Bonifant, who singled, and Marchand who doubled. When the firing was over and the side finally retired, the Cloudbusters led, 5 to 0.

Again in the sixth the Cloudbusters had a field day. T. J. Ravashere, first up, hit the first Pre-Flight homer of the year deep into right field. Niemic, Maroušek, and Eastman followed with singles. Pitcher Brosang was out, second to first, but Cadet Hagstrom, subbing for Colin, connected for another home run. Bonifant, who followed, was safe on Maloney's error, and outfielder Katz tripled to send him home.

Cadet Ernest Brosang started on the mound for the Cloudbusters and received credit for the win.

Limited to five singles by the right handed slants of Duke's Harry Palmer, the Cloudbuster nine went down to a 7-0 defeat Wednesday afternoon in a Ration League game at Coombs Stadium on the Duke campus.

Finding the slants of Pre-Flight pitcher Gonzales to their liking, the Blue Devils teed off on the ex-Boston Red Sox hurler and his seventh inning relief Ivan Flesser for a total of twelve hits and seven runs while holding the Navy runless.

Rowland Sailer led the attack for the Duke outfit, gathering two singles and two doubles in four trips to the plate while batting in two runs. George Bonifant led the 'Busters with a pair of singles.

The loss was the first for Gonzales, after having pitched two victories for the Pre-Flighters in the Ration League.

### Ration League Standings

	W	L	Pct.
Carolina	5	1	.833
Duke	3	2	.600
Pre-Flight	3	3	.500
State	1	6	.143

### Weekly Sports Schedule

#### BASEBALL

- Monday—N. C. State vs. Pre-Flight at Raleigh, 1600.
- Tuesday—Catawba vs. Pre-Flight here, 1600.
- Wednesday—Davidson vs. Pre-Flight at Davidson, 1600.
- Friday—Virginia vs. Pre-Flight here, 1600.
- Saturday—Duke vs. Pre-Flight here, 1600.

## Wrestling Tourney Will Start Tuesday

First round matches in a wrestling tournament, which will last for two weeks, are scheduled for Tuesday afternoon.

The schedule of bouts for each day will be announced the day previous by Lieut. Charles Speidel, USNR, Tournament Director. Lieut. Speidel will be assisted by Lieut. Rex Pyles, USNR, of the athletic department.

Scoring for the individual bouts will be the same as now used in the Sports Program competition. The six squadron teams scoring the highest number of total points for the first week will be credited with one win to count toward the "Squadron leading in points," the week ending May 15. The six squadron teams scoring the least number of points for the first week will be charged with one loss in computing the standings.

The entire squadron team scoring the highest number of total points in the tournament will be granted Liberty Award the week-end of May 15, and members of the winning team, the individual winner and the individual runner-up in each class will be granted a special Liberty Award.

## Mustangs, Catalinas, Vindicators Victors In Basketball Play

The Mustangs, Catalinas and Vindicators were winners of the three basketball tournaments sponsored by the athletic department last week.

In group number one, which was composed of the six teams with the best season's record, the Mustangs were the winners. They defeated the Kingfishers, winners of the regular season play, 31 to 16.

The Catalinas were winners of group number two, defeating the Helldivers, 23 to 13.

In the consolation tournament the Vindicators won, defeating the Devastators, 33 to 32.

## Mustangs Upset Kingfishers In Tournament



THE KINGFISHERS were the basketball champs in the spring sports program, but in the play-offs they found the going tough, losing to the Mustangs twice. The first loss came in the regular tournament, the score being 31 to 16. Under the sports program set-up the winners for the spring were to play the winners of the tournament. Thus the Mustangs and Kingfishers met again with the former winning, 30 to 28. The Mustangs, pictured first row, left to right, are Cadets W. W. Miller, R. J. Zenaitus, F. Grossman and S. S. Sanitski. Second row: Cadets J. L. Freely, H. J. Johnston, E. J. Nevulis, G. Rossi, H. M. Anderton, A. A. Resnick, E. F. Proulx, and L. L. Elliott. Third row: Ens. B. E. Megin, USNR, coach, Cadets G. J. Hannigan, P. E. Bienvenu, D. C. Haldane, T. D. Rudd, B. Mellion, L. L. Jennings, and Lt. (jg) S. J. Golden, USNR, Squadron Director.