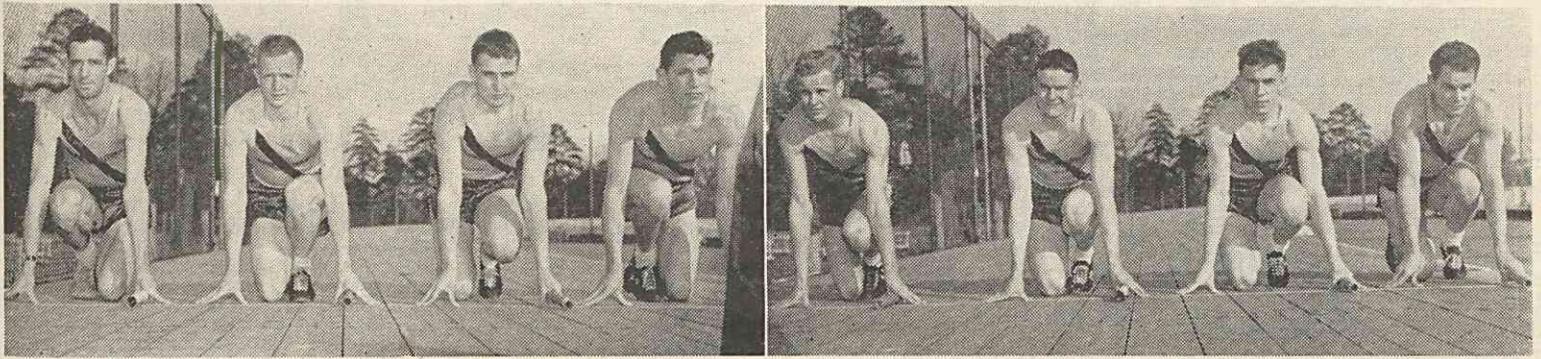


Cloudbusters Enter Southern Indoor Games



EXPECTED TO PARTICIPATE in the mile relay and medley relay at the Southern Indoor games are the eight trackmen pictured above. On the left is the medley relay team, reading left to right, C. J. Beetham, C. S. Redmond, T. W. Carr, and W. Hawkes. The mile relay team, left to right, F. Lupo, L. McGuire, S. Repsher, and H. Gifford, is pictured on the right. The Pre-Flight track team is one of the favorites to capture top honors. Twelve schools and over 150 stars will participate.

Raesemen Defeated In Two Games Played at Norfolk

Two of the top service teams in the nation—Norfolk's Naval Air and Training Station quintets—scored victories over the Cloudbusters at Norfolk last week end.

The score of the first game, played against the Air Station, was 40 to 38, while the second encounter, played on Sunday afternoon, went to the Training Station, 57 to 47.

Behind 10 points at halftime in the Air Station contest, the Cloudbusters came back strong in the second period, and in the last five minutes of play pulled within two points of tying the count.

To start the contest the Air Station grabbed a 12 to 4 lead and held it throughout the first half. Gates, a guard who did little damage when the two teams played here, sunk three baskets from way out to start the game. The Cloudbusters, over the same period, got plenty of shots but couldn't connect.

Bud Palmer, besides playing a fine defensive game, led the Pre-Flight scoring with 16 points. Myers had 12, Laird 5, Elser and Lang 2 each, and Dye 1.

Against the Training Station the Cloudbusters started out the same way as on Saturday night. The winners scored 12 points while the Pre-Flighters made 3, and the rest of the contest saw the future fliers fighting with their backs to the wall.

At one stage, Myers, Palmer and Tippy Dye scored in succession to move within five points of tying the count, but the Training Station followed by doing the

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Pre-Flight Matmen Score Win Over Duke University

The U. S. Navy Pre-Flight Cloudbuster wrestling team Thursday night defeated the Duke University grapplers, 37-20. This was the second time this year that Pre-Flight has been victorious over the Devils.

Duke jumped to a quick 10-point lead by two pin downs. However, for the next six scraps it was Pre-Flight all the way.

Twenty-two bouts in all were staged in Duke's Indoor Stadium, constituting what is believed to be the biggest wrestling match ever staged in this State. In the exhibition events, Pre-Flight won

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—Coming Up—

Last night the Pre-Flight varsity boxing team met the 4th Field Artillery from Fort Bragg in Woollen Gymnasium, but the CLOUDBUSTER deadline prevented results of the meet from getting in this week's paper.

Tonight at 1900 the Cloudbuster basketball team will meet North Carolina State in Woollen Gymnasium in the first game of a basketball doubleheader.

A basketball game scheduled for here this past Wednesday between the Cloudbusters and Morris Field was cancelled. Other than the State contest two other games remain on the basketball schedule. Next Wednesday Davidson College will play here, and Tuesday week the Norfolk Training Station comes to Chapel Hill. Both contests will start at 1930.

150 Track Stars To Perform Here Next Saturday

A brilliant four-way race between the University of North Carolina, Camp Lejeune, the U. S. Naval Academy, and the U. S. Navy Pre-Flight Cloudbusters is expected for the annual Southern Indoor Games scheduled for Woollen Gymnasium next Saturday.

R. A. Fetzer, of the University of North Carolina and director of the meet, reported yesterday that 12 teams and over 150 stars were already entered, and that competition should be "about the fastest in history," as it is now wide open to service as well as college stars.

In addition to the four favored clubs above, team entries were in today from Virginia, Sewanee, Cherry Point Marines, and Baltimore Polytechnic, and individual stars were entered from Fort Bragg, Columbia, S. C., Fort Benning, Ga., and Squadron "H" at State College.

Heading the long line of individual stars is Camp Lejeune's Harold Davis, the ex-Southern California star, who tied the world mark of 9.4 in the 100-yard dash last year and won the title of "world's fastest human."

The other former national champions are Pre-Flight's Charles Beetham who runs the half-mile and Camp Lejeune's Bob Fitch in the weights.

Carolina nosed out Navy in the final relay last year, 40.2 to 37.6. The Middies, who might have won but for a dropped baton in an earlier race, are coming back for the title with an even stronger 28-man club.

Navy's stars, by the way, will be

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To Run for Cloudbusters Next Saturday



CADETS IN THE ABOVE PHOTO will represent the U. S. Navy Pre-Flight School in the half mile, mile and two mile races at the Southern Indoor Games scheduled for Woollen Gymnasium next Saturday. Left to right they are, L. M. Boisvert, W. J. Krayner, G. F. Bingham, W. H. Weir, R. D. Moore, L. B. Bruno, D. Slingerland, J. Patton, D. M. Sharpe, and R. G. Rouse.