

Christians Overpower A. C. C.

OAK-L DEFEATS S. NORTH 13-0

The intramural football league opened its season Monday, September 22, as Oak Lodge defeated South North 13-0. Ed Ellis, Delmar Brown, and Dick York sparked the winners to victory.

On Tuesday, September 23, Alpha Pi swamped North North, and Wednesday's game between South and Vets Court was postponed because of rain.

Oak Lodge remained undefeated Thursday, September 24, with a 13-0 victory over the favored East combine. Ed Ellis again sparked the Lodge, while Steve Walker got off some long runs for the losers. Thursday afternoon also saw Kappa Psi win a close 7-6 decision over ITK.

Standings after the first week of play:

Team	W.	L.	T.	Pct.
Oak Lodge	2	0	0	1.000
Kappa Psi	1	0	0	1.000
Alpha Pi	1	0	0	1.000
East	0	1	0	.000
ITK	0	1	0	.000
S. North	0	1	0	.000
N. North	0	1	0	.000
South	0	0	0	.000
Vets Court	0	0	0	.000

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ELON BOWS TO DAVIDSON

Although they made a fine showing and actually outplayed the Davidson for three periods, Elon bowed to them Wildcats of the Southern Conference 19-0 on September 20.

The second period was the hard luck canto for the Christians as Davidson ripped off three touchdowns in fast order for the games only scoring. Elon dominated the play in the second half and missed two scoring opportunities. Immediately after the kick off, Claude Manzi charged into block Sifford's intended punt, which Bill Perry picked up and carried to the Cats one yard line. But the big Davidson forward wall held beautifully, as the Elon team could gain only inches in the four downs. Sifford then punted out of danger. Midway the final preperiod, Elons Paul Causey juggled a Wildcat pass on the 35 yard line and appeared to be on his way for a touchdown but dropped the ball after a couple of steps.

Davidson came up with a big and powerful line to pave the way for their fast seatbacks. For Elon, Captain Jack Russell and Jim Murray starred in the backfield. End Claude Gentry played a great game on the line along with Claude Manzi and Hank DeSimone, who recovered two Davidson fumbles in the last half.

The final moments saw a series of Elon passes, but they too proved futile.

YELL LIKE HELL



The above photo shows Fred Claytor, Elon back, as he made a nice gain around left end in the Elon - ACC game played at Wilson last Friday Night. In the foreground, throwing a neat block is end Claude Gentry. Coming in to assist is Jack Russell, Quarterback.

Sports

By ED MULFORD

Tonight's battle with Appalachian will be one of the toughest of the season for our fighting Christians. The Mountaineers have rung up two victories to date, stopping the big Guilford Quakers by 23-13 and defeating a potent Newberry eleven by 18-7. Sparkplug of the Apps' attack is John Hollars; watch out for him.

While the Christians will go into the battle something of an underdog, the old fighting spirit will be there, and two splendid performances to date against Davidson and Atlantic Christian have proved we have a good team that is capable of pulling up any kind of luck at all they would have scored on Davidson and they completely outplayed the Southern set tonight. Had the Christians had Conference team in the second half in the Atlantic Christian game we suffered an attack of fumbleitis or the score would have been a good deal higher than the 14-6 victory. Injuries to Hoffman, Domenick and Manzi will prove a serious blow to our fine line, here's wishing them a quick recovery.

Next week we tangle with E. C. T. C., and judging by Lenoir-Rhyne's pasting of the Greenville team by 27-9 should emerge with another victory. A later date opponent Erskine, trounced last year, is evidently much improved judging by a 27-0 trouncing they gave Atlantic Christian.

Coach Causey took the Elon Jayvee team way up in the mountains to meet Greenbriar Military Academy in West Virginia. Although the "B" team lost 27-13, they put up a fine ball game. J. W. Knight, of Elon, is coaching at Elon High School and Chink Spivey at Gibsonville. Here's wishing both of the former Elon footballers lots of luck in their first coaching ventures.

Cotawba bowed to V.M.I. by a 13-6 count but scored for the sixty-eighth straight game. The Indians have one of the best small college elevens in the nation. High Point topped Milligan by 13-7 and Guilford rapped Emery and Henry 22-0. Lots of tough competition lies ahead for our Christians, but Coach Perry is confident that barring injuries the team is going to get stronger and stronger. Last year's team improved in this manner and was a mighty fine outfit Thanksgiving day when they tied Guilford 14-14. Get behind the boys—they have the old scrap.

Another game has been added to our football schedule for November.

In an effort to give our students another home game, Fort Bragg will play here the Saturday before Thanksgiving.

Basketball and baseball teams should be strong this year. Only two men are missing from last year's

basketball team and a wealth of new material is on hand. All the baseball team is back except short-stop John Clayton. Speaking of Clayton, he turned in some wonderful defensive work for the Burlington Bees this year. Although Johnny's batting average was only a fair 260, he hit in hard luck all year, swatting the ball hard and on the line, but being robbed time and time again. In addition, John was mighty tough in the clutch. Intramurals are in fine progress, and at the moment Oak Lodge appears almost unbeatable. They will be rough in the intramural basketball league and tournament too.

Ye Grille received a plug last issue from one of our other columnists. Now asturnabout is fair play, may we suggest you try those butter toasted sandwiches at the Soda Shop that J. B. and John turn out.

HELP THE CHEERLEADERS TO HELP THE TEAM



FRED HOFFMAN



FRED CLAYTOR



JIM MURRAY



CLAUDE MANZI



PAUL CAUSEY

CHRISTIANS VICTORIOUS IN FIRST CONFERENCE ENGAGEMENT AT WILSON

Running up twenty-two big first downs to four for their opponents Elon's Fighting Christian gridmen won their opening North State Conference game at Wilson over Atlantic Christian by 14-6. The victory put Elon in a tie with Appalachian for the North State Conference lead which will be settled tonight when they meet those same powerful Mountaineers.

A series of bad breaks kept the score down and the Elonites actually were several touchdowns better than Atlantic. Outstanding in the victory was Center Paul Causey who scored one touchdown and set up another. After Elon's hard charging line blocked an Atlantic punt, Causey scooped the ball up and scored. Jim "true-toe" Huyett kicked the extra point and Elon held a 7-0 half time lead.

Causey recovered a Bulldog fumble on the Atlantic 37 yard line in the third quarter, after which Harris and Murray alternated in carrying the ball to the 22. Claytor then connected on a seven yard pass to Braxton and another one good for five to Russell. Harris made seven yards off tackle. Murray then plunged through center for another Elon score. Again Huyett came through to make the score 14-0.

Atlantic Christian got its score when Allsbrook returned the ensuing kickoff for 92 yards on the most sensational play of the game. All the Elon performers turned in an admirable game, but frequent fumbling kept the score down. Atlantic's touchdown was the first ever made by the men from Wilson against Elon in history.

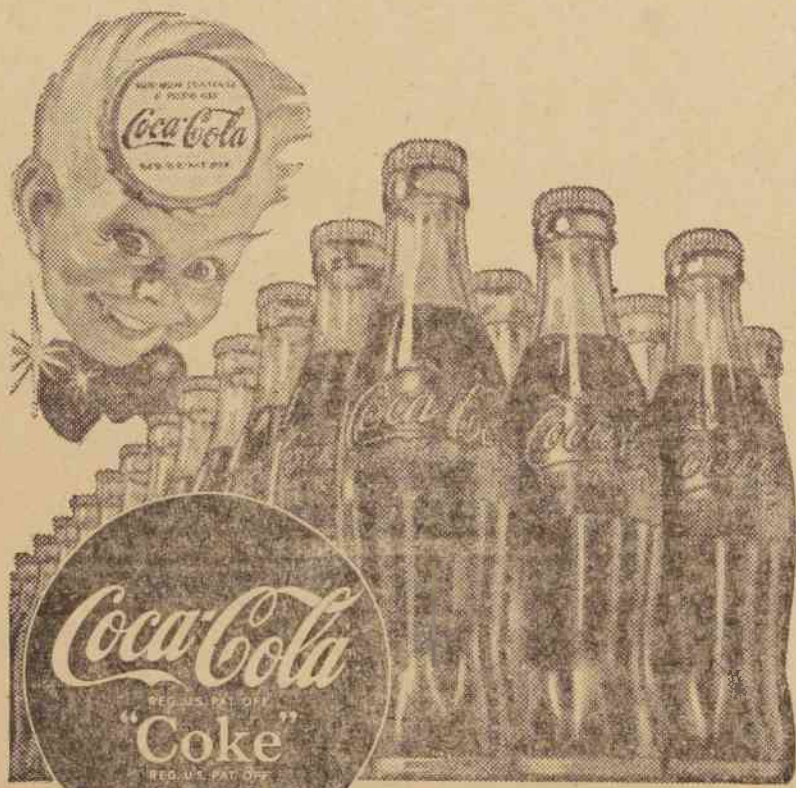
Pos.	Elon	Atlantic Christian
LE—Perry	Whitley
LT—Melvin	Mercer
LG—Zurlis	Wiggins
C—Causey	Smith
RG—Manzi	White
RT—Hoffman	Glazer
RE—Gentry	Cowan
QB—Claytor	Allsbrook
LH—Harris	Fisher
RH—McClenny	Strickland
FB—Murry	Parham
Elon	0 7 7 0—14	
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Elon Scoring: Touchdowns—Causey, Murry. Extra points—Huyett (2) placement.

Atlantic: Touchdown—Allsbrook. Attendance: 1,280.

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