

BULLDOG BARKS



TOM HINSON

Handsome Tom (Riley) Hinson, the starting first string right end of the Varsity, No. 11, has been chosen as one of the Athletes of the Month.

Tom, standing five feet eleven inches tall and weighing 160 pounds, is holding the first string position despite his physical defect. Tom has been bothered all season by a dislocated shoulder, but a special shoulder brace enables him to maintain his position at right end.

Although Tom hasn't scored this season, he has proved his ability to play football. He has shown that he packs a whale of a blow in his blocking, running, and tackling performances.

Tom is a high and mighty senior of A. H. S. and is playing his fourth year of football. He began his football career in 1943 by playing on the "B" team. In 1946 he made second string Varsity, and this year he achieved his ambition—first string right end.

Tom is planning to enter college next year, so we are hoping to hear similar reports of him in the future.



GENE BROOKS

Gene Brooks, big 6-foot, 200 pound tackle, has been chosen as one of the best athletes of this month because of his amazing ability to play good football on both the offense and the defense. Gene is rated as the most dependable and capable man on the line.

Gene started playing football when he was in "knee-pants" and has constantly improved. He made the first-string varsity in 1945, and since that time has seen much action in Albemarle's rugged games. Gene's football playing doesn't end in the line, for he has shown many times his dependable ability in kicking off and punting. He is being used to fill both positions this year.

Gene has a big future ahead of him in football and is definitely planning to attend some college, but, as of yet, he hasn't decided which one he will attend.

Gene has played two years of varsity basketball and has been outstanding in other sports around the school. However, his biggest pastime is playing with his little, 5½-month-old baby.

Bulldogs Upset Kannapolis 'T' Party

Yellow Jackets Sting Bulldogs 13-0

Albemarle Drives Fail to Net Score

Boyden high of Salisbury turned on the heat in the second half to defeat Albemarle's Bulldogs, 13-0, on the local field Friday night, October 24.

Rusher and Linger were the big guns for Salisbury. The first half ended in a 0-0 tie, with both teams playing good ball. The Bulldogs were on the Salisbury 20 as the first half ended.

Bob Gantt and company couldn't seem to get started in the second half. Many Albemarle threats were stopped either by fumbles or pass interceptions.

Late in the fourth quarter Albemarle tried a desperate drive that fell short. Kluttz and Gantt alternated in moving the ball down to the Salisbury 49. Then Kluttz tried another pass, but Safley intercepted for the visitors to end Albemarle's threat.

Gantt, Kluttz, and Kirkpatrick led the Albemarle offensive, which showed plenty of drive in the first

Wet Field Scene Of Bulldog Defeat

The beautiful Bowman Gray Stadium was the scene of the Albemarle-Children's Home game Friday, October 16, when the Albemarle eleven went down in defeat 26-0 on a muddy and wet field.

Dayton Crews was the big gun in Winston-Salem's offensive, personally scoring three touchdowns. "Goo Goo" Gantt, Albemarle's flashy fullback, could not get his engine started on the muddy field.

Tom Hinson, George Winecoff, and Don Kirkpatrick led the Bulldog's attack, although the Children's Home line held the locals when it counted. The entire line played a good game.

half. Tom Hinson and Frank Winecoff played good defensive ball, with the entire Albemarle line showing up well.

Football Fan (arriving late): "What's the score?"

Man in the next seat: "Nothing to nothing."

Fan: "Good game?"

Man: "Don't know. It hasn't started yet."

The number of volumes in the library at present is 5347.

Kirkpatrick, Gantt, Kluttz Are Scorers

Albemarle again rose from defeat to beat Kannapolis Friday night in a South Piedmont Conference game, 24-0.

The Bulldogs scored in each of the four quarters with Donald Kirkpatrick leading off on a reverse in the first quarter for an eleven-yard drive to the goal.

Albemarle, gaining possession of the ball in second quarter, advanced to the Kannapolis two-yard line, where Bob Gantt drove through center for the touchdown.

In the third quarter the Bulldogs took over the ball on their own 30 yard line, driving up to the 35. Gantt made a break through the line into the clear, where he carried the ball 65 yards for the third score of the game.

Early in the last period Bill Kluttz, receiving a 17-yard pass from Gantt, made the final touchdown of the game.

Kannapolis was again threatened toward the end of the game when Albemarle pushed across another touchdown but was penalized for holding, which set them back 15 yards.

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