

# SPORTS

## Mars Hill Is Nosed Out by Boiling Springs Grid Eleven

Field Goal in Last Minute of Play Gains 16-14 Win.

Playing before a large crowd, including many from Boiling Springs and the alumni of Mars Hill, at the college stadium, the Lions were defeated by the sister collegians, Boiling Springs, by a 16-14 score.

Boiling Springs won the toss and chose to receive at the east end of the field. Camnitz kicks to Eames who is downed on his own 30-yard line. On the first play Chetty fumbles and Dale recovers the ball on B. S.'s own 16-yard line. Anderson makes 5 yards through the line. Reese then runs around right end for 11 yards and a touchdown. Anderson bucked the line for the extra point.

Boiling Springs again receives. After failing to gain through the line B. S. attempted to punt, but Buckner blocked it and Sprinkle recovered the ball for M. H. Mars Hill fails to gain. Camnitz then punts to B. S. Failing to make any gain through the line B. S. punts to M. H. Anderson fumbles, Robertson recovering ball for B. S. Sprinkle then blocks and falls on the attempted kick. Here Eames intercepted a pass thrown from Anderson to Gretter. The Boiling Springs center miscues, making a bad pass. Here Mars Hill gets the ball and gains 30 yards on a pass from Camnitz to Sprinkle. With the ball on the 7-yard line Reese passes to Gretter for a touchdown. On a fake kick Anderson bucks the line for the extra point.

In the second quarter Boney intercepts a pass and runs to the 45-yard line before he is downed. Boney then smashes the line and goes off right tackle for a sensational run, being downed on the 3-yard line. Chetty then bucks the line for the first score for B. S. Cecil fails to kick the goal.

Mars Hill receives. Camnitz carries the ball to the 45-yard line, where he fumbles, Cecil recovering the ball for B. S. After a pass to Boney and a penalty inflicted on the M. H. eleven, Stroud hits the line and carries the ball to the 5-yard line where Boney carries it over. Cecil drop-kicks the goal.

The ball was in midfield at the half. The third period found M. H. playing a defensive game. Neither team was gaining much through the line. B. S. managed to bring the ball down to the 20-yard line, but here the Lions held and Camnitz punted out of danger. Camnitz was outpunting Stroud by an average of 12 yards.

The fourth quarter began with B. S. steadily gaining through the line. It seemed Boney could not be stopped. With the ball in, midfield, B. S. makes two first downs through the line. A pass was completed for 14 yards. Here is where the Lions proved their determination. B. S. had the ball on M. H.'s 5-yard line, with first down and goal to go. After hitting the line three times B. S. still had 4 yards to go. Here a pass was attempted but was grounded in the end zone. The ball was punted out of danger. Boiling Springs makes two more first downs through the line and places the ball on the 18-yard line. Here B. S. is penalized 5 yards for excessive time. With the ball on the 23-yard line Cecil, the right end, goes back yards and drop-kicks a beautiful field goal from the 30-yard line as the game ended.

B.S. M.H.  
Celly LE. Sprinkle  
able LT. Dale  
Moore LG. Baber  
obinson C. Buckner  
Moore RG. Chiles  
Moore RT. Webb  
ecil RE. Gretter  
hetty QB. Plemmons  
oney RHB. Reese  
ames LHB. Camnitz  
troud FB. Anderson

The trouble with labor-saving machinery is that it compels so many young men to seek a livelihood playing in jazz orchestras and peddling stock stockings.

## Canned Cherries

BY A CHERRY

A Column of Sports Chatter.

Well, it seems that the jinx is still with us, unless we turn the tide on Wesleyan. Although the team seems to be much better this year than last, we have lost all three games. Let's hope for better luck the remainder of the season.

Reese, former Mars Hill High player, is playing an excellent punting and passing game. Gene and Cam together have done most of the booting this season.

Whatever may turn up, Mother Millstead is certainly doing more than her part in promoting a bigger school spirit. It was she who was responsible for the brightly colored caps last Saturday. Thanks, Mother, we appreciate your interest.

Gathering from comments along the sideline last Saturday from former Mars Hill students, Dean Plemmons played one of the best offensive games of his career here. Wherever there was a gap, "Penrod" was right there.

Boiling Springs was the big team that was going to beat us 40 points last Saturday, but seems that the prophecy was a little too optimistic to be true. Compare 2 to 40, if you choose and if they are equal, I throw away my crown as a mathematician.

Mars Hill College has recently added to its coaching staff the masterful Coach P. C. Hundley. Coach Hundley is to give private lessons to all four letter men who have not yet learned the method of efficient yo-yoing.

To one observing the tennis courts nowadays, it seems that some kind of championship must be in process every day. Probably, it is the long-delayed tennis tournament we have heard so much about.

It won't be long now until basketball season. This year Mars Hill will have a great variety of high schools in the state to pick a team from.

## DY-YE-NO

That mid term comes in two weeks?  
That there is fire drill every Monday night?

That some robbers have hearts?  
That the blue and gold caps are to be preserved for future use?

That each minute brings us sixty seconds nearer May 23?

That it's hard to smile when everything goes wrong?

That you will be the happier for having done it?

That announcements grow monotonous?

That there is some good about everyone?

That we are not perfect by any means?

That gossip is detestable?

"Papa, I saved ten cents today. I ran all the way to school behind a street car."

"Why didn't you run behind a taxicab and save a dollar?"

—Wesleyan Woofus.

Sometimes a man of no literary pretension will offer an effective description. Such a man was telling William Feather, a house organ editor, recently, about his wife. He had said that she was a very small woman. Seeking to enforce the point, he added: "When I tell you that she is hog-fat and yet weighs only 128 pounds, you can see she must be pretty short."

Personality may be valuable, but the fellows who hold down the best jobs don't seem to have much of an excess of it.—Wm. Feather.

Some people go through life touching red-hot pokers to see if they will get burned.

"I forget" may go in court but it won't when a woman is cross-examining her husband.

## PIGSKIN PICKS

A Column of Sports Chatter.

A glance at the upsets in the Southern conference last week will convince almost any writer that to pick a team is almost impossible. Take, for instance, North Carolina. She was conceded an outside chance at the beginning of the season and now, after scuttling Tech, she holds an inside path. Another great battle will be staged on the western front when Tennessee and Alabama clash. These two great teams are almost sure to eliminate one of each other and thus will give somebody another break. In the Eastern section North Carolina and Georgia will have it out. Georgia, who was distinctly regarded as a set-up for any strong team, suddenly stepped out and licked Yale and flashed a real offense, and the game will really be good. At Atlanta Tech will try to take a fall out of Florida; and if they succeed, that will mean that both of them will almost be out of the running. Whatever happens, this week-end should provide three of the greatest clashes in the South and in the nation.

The mighty has fallen! Georgia no longer rules the roost in national football. It was only natural that Tech would lose eventually, but no one expected the Tar Heels to be the ones to so decisively lick the champs. Those Tar Heels have a wonderful team of fast backs and a powerful line. Atkins and Farris are wonderful linesmen and of course the backs are good.

Johnny Branch included that boy Rip Slusser as one sweet ball player. Injected as a substitute in the Tech game Friday he was all over the field. He stopped passes, passed, received, and ran in a versatile manner. Time and again he broke up Tech plays, and on offense carried the ball for substantial gains. Magner was another who fought like a tiger as the great blue and white eleven swept from a seven-point handicap to win over the Jackets.

Thomason is good. He is an all-American if there ever was one. Not only is his playing versatile and scintillating, but the very steadiness of it ranks him as a great player. Stumpy played his heart out at Grant Field in the N. C. game, but a win was not in the books for the Tornado. They bowed to superior ability and superior teamwork.

The Yale upset was not only an upset in the matter of the score, but also in the clear superiority of the Southerners. Sometimes a weaker team may win by a fluke, but in this game it was skill that won it. Waugh of Georgia is going to give somebody plenty of trouble before the season is over. He surely ruined Yale. Abie Booth, Yale midget, was the outstanding Yale man and seemed to be the only one who was able to gain over the persistent and stubborn defense of the Georgia Bulldogs. His punts staved off several touchdowns.

After the game was over and the weary Yale players were embarking on their special train for the North, the Yale band marched to the station playing the martial air of "Dixie." It was a sportsmanlike gesture to the victor and an expression of the Yale appreciation for the Southern hospitality.

Getting back home again there is only too little to be said about the

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Boiling Springs game. A little too much confidence, a little too much luck at the beginning of the game, a little too much ragged interference and rotten tackling spelled defeat for the Hilltoppers. The season's outlook is awful from what I can see. There must be a reason, but we seem not to be able to hit a stride. This week, however, promises some changes and some improvements, and the game will only serve, we hope, to shake the Lions from that lethargy that has been holding them and make them fight even harder for the next game.

It is not a question of fighting and of trying. Barring several minutes in the last game, it seems to be a matter of being outclassed by bigger, better teams. We should have beat Tusculum, we should have beat Milligan. In each instance the offense failed to click until too late. The drive is there but to get it out at the right time seems to be the trouble. Once the Lions get their offense to working when it should and as it should and get their defense up to what they are capable of, then the prospects will lighten, but unless they do—

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—Ben.

## GIGGLES

D. J.: "You're the breath of my life."  
Somebody: "Let's see you hold your breath."

Have you ever heard the story of a mechanic who was asked what he considered the most important single part of an automobile? He answered, "The nut behind the wheel."

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