

Lions Stalk Indians

The Mars Hill College Lions return to Meares Stadium today to host the Newberry Indians after a three game road trip. This is the Lion's second home game and, more importantly, is Homecoming. The Lions should be out for revenge since the Indians defeated them 13-6 last year at Newberry.

Although Newberry has only a 2-4 record, they have the potential to defeat almost anyone. The Indians are one of the three teams in the tough Carolina Conference that the Lions play this year. A prime example of the explosive nature of Newberry was shown last week in their game with Wofford. The Indians had 20 first downs and gained 255 yards rushing compared to 15 first

downs and 156 yards rushing for Wofford and still lost 31-14.

Leading Newberry will be freshman Quarterback Freddie Williamson. His favorite pass receiver is Woody Hays, a junior from Atlanta, Ga. Hays has averaged 16.1 yards per catch thus far this year. The Indians also have the leading rusher in the Carolina Conference in junior Tailback Donald Garrick. Garrick is averaging 135 yards rushing per game and has scored six touchdowns.

Even though the Lions have been playing great football this year, they won't be relaxing for Newberry. As one college official is reported to have said, "I'd rather play anyone but Newberry for Homecoming."

Professional Balloonist Offers How-To Seminars

"Professor" MacArthur, world renowned balloonist, has launched his balloons in some strange places: over the Everglades, above the Arctic Circle, and from a nudist camp. After the last escapade he was heard to mutter, "that took raw courage!" The "Professor" is now embarking on an educational crusade to bring the balloon to the college campus. He is offering a six day seminar, titled: "The Design, Construction and Operation of Sport Balloons." This program is constituted as follows:

a. Sixteen hours of classroom instruction, beginning with the methods in sewing balloon envelopes, suspension systems, traditional methods of fabricating wicker balloon baskets, gas versus hot air as a lifting force, fabrication of airborne heating systems, meteorological theory, low altitude, wind patterns, diurnal weather progressions, control systems, fuel systems, etc., etc.

b. Eight hours of field work (weather permitting) during which balloons will be deployed, inflated,

flown on tether, deflated, rolled, stored and transported; all of this experience to be performed by selected students of your choice.

c. As a professional balloonist he will perform public balloon ascensions from the campus, as weather and geography permit.

d. As an entertainer he will present a formal lecture in an appropriate theatrical setting, outlining the history of balloon aviation during its first 187 years... Hear what old Ben Franklin had to say at the first balloon ascension. Be aware of how the kidneys saved the life of Blanchard, learn how champagne was first used for life insurance. Find out why the French Military Balloon Corps was disbanded after a strange discovery was made by the earthlings.

e. During the time on campus, he will begin and finish a traditional wicker balloon basket, and a number of model balloons based on student designs.

"Professor" MacArthur can be contacted by addressing a letter to Professor MacArthur's Balloonworks, Cider Mill Road, Tolland, Connecticut 06084.



Johnny Dawkins, Freshman Split End from Gaffney, South Carolina is brought down after hauling in a Marvin Parrott pass for a substantial gain against Georgetown College. The second quarter play set up Mars Hill's third touchdown of the afternoon. (See page 5 for story.)

Mars Hill Claws Georgetown

by Frank Farrell

The Mars Hill College Lions ended a three game losing streak Saturday, Oct. 17, by beating nationally ranked Georgetown College 30-7 at Georgetown Kentucky. The previous week the Lions had been defeated 29-14 by the Big Blues at Bluefield State University.

The Big Blues stung the Lions with a highly effective passing attack. Bluefield's relief quarterback, Dave Archer, threw a touchdown pass to tight-end Sam Stewart late in the first half. Starting Quarterback Gary Bailey then came in to successfully complete a two point conversion. Bailey had been shaken up on Mars Hill's lone score of the first half when linebacker Ted Williams dropped Bailey in the end zone for two points and a safety.

The Lion's Dennis Stokes set up Mars Hill's first touchdown with a 48 yard kick-off return in the third quarter. Split-end Johnny Dawkins quickly gathered in a 50 yard pass from quarterback Marvin Parrott to tie the score at 8-8.

The Big Blues came back with two 28 yard touchdown passes from Gary Bailey to Preston Watkins. The Lions pulled to within eight, with a ten yard pass from Parrott to Bill Tom Britton. Mars Hill's hopes for a come-from-behind victory were snuffed out with 1:47 left in the game when Bud Steckline intercepted a Marvin Parrott pass and returned it 22 yards for a touchdown. This ended the scoring with the Lions coming out on the short end 29-14.

The following week the Lions travelled to Georgetown, Kentucky to hand the previous unbeaten Tigers a 30-7 defeat. The Tigers, sixth-ranked in the N.A.I.A., scored first as a result of Bob Evans' interception early in the game. Two plays after the interception, Tiger Quarterback Grant Robinson threw a two yard scoring pass to Jim Miller. The successful extra-point kick by Ber-

nie Stoner concluded the Georgetown scoring.

Georgetown was unable to contain the potent Mars Hill offense for the rest of the game. The Lions displayed a balanced attack with 210 yards passing and 208 yards rushing. Jeff Davis set a Mars Hill record accumulating 178 yards rushing for the game.

Davis also scored two touchdowns in the first half with runs of 34 and 4 yards. Marvin Parrott threw a 77 yard pass to Greg Brenner mid-way through the first half to take the lead 21-7.

The second half was characterized by great defensive plays by both teams. The stingy Lion defense recovered five fumbles and intercepted four passes during the game. Allen McCracken accounted for two of the

fumble recoveries, Gary Finley snagged two of the interceptions and Gerald Price recovered a fumble and intercepted a pass.

This defensive superiority kept the Tigers off-balance and set up a 21 yard touchdown plunge by Dennis Stokes and a 22 yard field goal by Ted Williams. The field goal, added to Williams' three extra-point kicks, gave him a total of six points for the day.

Although the Lions can boast a 2-3 record, the teams that have played must be taken into consideration. Mars Hill has played one of their formidable opponents on home ground. Teams of caliber of Randolph-Macon and Georgetown are tough enough to play on "foreign" fields,

Measuring Up

The following are the Mars Hill Lions statistics for the first three games against Glenville State University, Catawba College, and Randolph-Macon College.

Individual Total Offense						
Name	Net rush	Net pass	Total	Game Avg.		
Parrott	-83	836	753	150.6		
Davis	415	22	437	87.4		

Individual Rushing			
Name	Net Yards	Game Avg.	Avg. Per Carry
Davis	415	83.0	5.1
Dawkins	113	28.2	4.2

Individual Passing							
Name	Att.	Comp.	Intercep.	% Compl.	% TD	Net Yds.	Game Avg.
Parrott	111	49	6	44.1%	5	836	167.2

Individual Pass Receiving				
Name	Catches	Net Yards	TD	Game Avg.
Dawkins	13	278	2	55.6
Britton	12	250	2	50.0

Individual Punting			
Name	No. Punts	Yards	Avg.
Davis	28	1074	38.3

Individual Punt Returns			
Name	No. Ret.	Net Yds.	Avg.
Hefner	12	83	6.9

Individual Kick-Off Returns			
Name	No. Ret.	Net Yds.	Avg.
Hefner	12	214	17.8

Team Totals for all Games to Date						
Times Card.	Rushing			Passing		
	Net Yds.	Game Avg.	Att.	Comp.	Intcp.	Net Yds.
233	579	115.8	122	53	7	863

Total Offense			
Rush	Pass	Total	Game Avg.
579	863	1442	288.5

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Food Con

Dr. Fred Bentley a open forum on Monday. He had engaged the Food Consultant to solve the situation. He Fredrick "Rick" Johnson gathering in Moore A Mr. Johnson grad School of Hotel and management at Florida and has spent the teaching and directing food management. employed as Director Restaurant Manager

Annual P

Public Affairs Director in Asheville, B since the 1971 "Midnight" event. Fourteen contestants for the title in event.

Contestants and the Fairley Stevens Varn Donna Christina L Mary Janette Fish class; Patricia Louise rose; Patricia Louise Betty Jane Boyd, F Blythe, Myers; Deborah Brown; Emily A vis; Kendall Owen F Moore; Gloria Marie Rebecca Lynn Stove

"It is a beauty pageant Mr. Walter Smith, Laurel. Talent, most three categories in skits, piano renditi