

# Aggies Win, 26-7; Eagles Lose, 25-0

## WATCH THAT BOY

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THE PROFESSIONAL and WHAT WE EXPECT OF HIM... In an organization such as the Boy Scouts of America, where the number of professionals in proportion to the number of lay workers is so small, the ability of the professional becomes a matter of first importance. We laymen or volunteers should stop a moment and consider briefly what we expect of our Executive.

What do we expect of the Boy Scout Executive? He must be an expert in all phases of Cubbing, Scouting, and Exploring. He must be a financial man, a money-raiser, and a salesman. He should be a public relations expert, a good public speaker, and a parliamentarian. He should be able to guide and yet avoid running group meetings, and he must tactfully keep Scouters and committees from going off the deep end.

We expect him to be at home when we call, and yet he must be out in the field doing a job. He must be a trainer of leaders. He must coach us in our jobs. Many of us now working in the Scouting program never knew anything about Scouting. Furthermore, he must keep books and records and carry on correspondence. He must be able to run a camp, not alone as an administrator, but he must be able to act as the cook, the doctor, the lifesaver, and the father confessor to the boys and to us as Scouters.

He must be out nearly every night of the week and yet we expect him to furnish his own band and a model citizen. We expect him to finish his own automobile for Scout work and yet we expect him to be and do all these things on a very modest salary.

Let us also consider the importance of the professional to the success of the Scouting movement. He is the nucleus and the core of the county, council and the national organization. He is the member of a priesthood that interprets Scouting and keeps it pure and upholds its standards. He lives

Scouting, believes in it, and teaches it. He keeps the fire burning while we volunteers come and go. He fills in the gaps where we fail. While Scouting is essentially a volunteer movement, we would fail without him for he is the core of the movement just as the professional soldier is the core of our great army whenever our country goes to war.

Therefore, it is important for us to help our professional in every way we can so that he can produce maximum results. And how can we go about this? First of all we must know him—and we must understand his job. We must get training ourselves so that he won't have to do our jobs for us. We can extend his arm and his influence by providing him with trained volunteers to assist him. We should pay him what he earns—and we should remember that he is an important and responsible citizen—and that he is entitled to provide his wife with a comfortable living. In this connection, while we have come to expect him to be a dedicated man, how far can we also expect his wife to dedicate herself. Certainly we must furnish him and family a competent subsistence living as a minimum.

We must also be willing and happy to give him time so that he can discuss his problems with us. We must encourage him in his work and in the improvement of his own professional ability, furthermore, we must never forget that he is a friend and a brother Scouter. Let us always consider and treat him as such. Let's give him a pat on the back. Remember he is human, that he likes to hunt, fish, and go to the ball games, and that he likes to go along with us when we do these things.

We must always remember that without the professional there would be no Scouting—even as without the volunteer the professional's job would be impossible. Each of us is essential to the other. Together, and only together, can we be effective.

## Two Quick TD's Remove Sting From 'Jackets

GREENSBORO

The A&T College Aggies chalked up the second win of the young football season by whipping West Virginia State College of Institute, 26-7, here at Memorial Stadium last Saturday night.

A few more than 3,000 spectators watched the contest, which from the beginning appeared to be a rough evening for the Aggies, but saw the winners break out with two touchdowns late in the second stanza and score once each in the remaining quarters.

The Mountaineers scored their one touchdown in the final minute of the game.

The West Virginians had threatened early in the first period when they penetrated as far as the Aggie 16-yard line, but were stopped cold at this point by a granite like defense.

The Aggies scored first in the last three-minutes of the first half as Walter Parker, speedy halfback, blasted off right tackle from the two-yard line. The score climaxed a 69-yard drive which began on the Aggie 31-yard stripe, as Parker intercepted a pass by Robert Cashwell, Parker and Edward Nesbitt, the fullback, alternated in ripping the West Virginia line for four consecutive first downs to bring the ball down to the crucial spot. Otis Hawkins split the upright for the extra point.

Before the celebrating, Aggie fans had been comfortably seated their boys had hit pay-dirt again as Harvey Stewart, substitute guard, intercepted a West Virginia pass at the 15-yard line and ran the remaining distance. The touchdown came just six seconds before the end of the game.

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## All-American Cagers Too Tall For Army, Just Right For Syracuse

GRAMBLING, La.

The army has rejected Bob Hopkins, the ex-Grambling College All-American cager.

He is too tall. "Li'l Abner" stands 6'8 and one-half inches in his stocking feet and the army does not draft men over 78 inches in height.

Selective Service officials in Shreveport declared Hopkins too tall for military service Wednesday.

Bob is scheduled to leave here next week to join Syracuse of

the National Basketball Association.

Virtually unstoppable during his four years at Grambling, he scored 3,749 points in 126 games.

"Li'l Abner" holds a dozen NCAA and NAIA scoring records, and hiked the all-time rebound mark to 2,191.

He was named to the NAIA All-American team in '55 and '56.

## Small Fisk Squad To Open Season Against Tuskegee Tigers Saturday

NASHVILLE, Tenn.

The Fisk University Bulldogs will open their 1956 football slate Sept. 29 in a game here against the Tuskegee Institute Tigers, one of the Nashville team's traditional rivals.

While the squad will again be small in numbers this year, Coach H. B. Thompson is of the opinion that it will number more men than the '55 squad. The Fisk coach is hopeful that a number of freshmen will come through. If these first year men rate the squad, the Bulldogs will probably list some thirty-odd players on their roster.

The Bulldogs, who lost only three men from the 1955 squad via graduation, will probably be able to start a veteran line and backfield against the Alabama team on Saturday. However, freshmen have been hard at work since they reported two weeks ago, a week ahead of upperclassmen, so the lineup is still in question.

Coach Thompson has indicated

that he is well pleased with the progress of the squad, but declined to make any predictions.

The Bulldogs will meet Alabama A and M at Normal, Ala., on Oct. 6, in the second of their seven-game schedule.

W. D. Hill, Jr., (Billy) motored to Charlotte last week to escort his aunt, Miss Hattie Russell home. Miss Russell, who has just returned from an extended vacation in points north, spent a week in Durham visiting her sister, Mrs. Ethel Hill.

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## Stephens-Lee Beats Charlotte In Opening Tilt

ASHEVILLE

The Stephens-Lee High School football team opened its season here last Thursday night defeating the Second Ward team of Charlotte, 15-7.

Second Ward led at the half early in the second period on a pass play. The Stephens-Lee Bears came back and climaxed a seventy yard drive when Suford Brown circled right end for a 15 yard touchdown run.

Second Ward led at the half with 7-6. With three minutes to play, Freddie Smith drove out from the one-yard line to score. Joe Boseman's conversion was good. On the kick off Nathaniel Thompson tackled a Charlotte back in zone-for-safety.

## Florida's Pulverizing Ground Game Overpowers NCC Team In Opener

Jake Gaither's Florida A and M Rattlers outclassed Herman Riddick's North Carolina College Eagles 25-0 here Saturday night at Durham Athletic Park before an estimated 4,200 fans.

After the game, Gaither praised Riddick's warriors and predicted the Eagles would be a hard team to stop once they get going.

"Jake's club is another outstanding team in 1956", Riddick commented.

The Rattlers' Al Frazier and Will Gallimore, the All-American backs, lived up to advanced billing. Frazier scored two touchdowns, but it was Gallimore's clutch running that proved devastating to the Eagles.

Gaither's gang scored two TD's in the first period and pushed across one each in the third and fourth frames.

Although Frazier and Gallimore were the night's outstanding individual stars, they were eclipsed in the longest run department by fullback Jess Heard.

Early in the third quarter, Heard, on a hand-off from Jefferson, scooted on the Rattlers' 20. That was the night's third tally.

Gallimore and Heard set the stage for Frazier's first period tally. After short runs by Gallimore brought the ball to the Florida 43, Heard shot thru the right side of the NCC line for 19 yards. Quarterback Dennis Jefferson passed 18 yards to Frazier to the NCC two yard stripe. After a futile plunge by Gallimore, Frazier bulled over for the first TD.

Gallimore galloped 33 yards. Please turn to page 8

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