

W. Charlotte Star

West Charlotte's Frank Carr

Wins "Player Of Week" Honors

By James Cuthbertson
Post Staff Writer

Ever been run over by a MACK truck?

How about a car? If you want to know how it feels ask the members of the Olympic Trojan football team. They'll gladly tell you that it "doesn't feel pleasant."

Still not convinced? Go over to Mint Hill and ask the Independence Patriots. They'll tell you.

And if all the testimony from the above football teams still doesn't convince you, go down to Colony Road and ask the green and white Mustangs of Myers Park High School.

All of these teams have been run over by a CARR. That is, Frank Carr of West Charlotte High School, this week's Charlotte Post "Player of the Week."

Listen to his coach Rudy Abrams describe him.

"He is a real good prospect. As a junior he played junior varsity and wasn't quite ready



Frank Carr
Lion standout

for varsity competition because I don't think he was mature enough. But he has grown, is a lot more confident now and has come through in the clutch.

He made a great catch in a driving rain Friday night. He is a good receiver and an outstanding college prospect." West Charlotte defeated Olympic 18-7.

Abrams, during the summer, was hesitant about his team's chances for a playoff berth but an opening loss to Richmond County's Raiders was followed by victories over Independence, Myers Park, Olympic, and North Mecklenburg. Currently the Lions are in the driver's seat, tied with undefeated East Mecklenburg for the conference lead, both with 4-0 records.

However, Myers Park and West Mecklenburg are 3-1, and Abrams says he has tough games remaining with East, South and West.

With six-foot, 156-pound Carr running from the flanker position, the Lions task should be easy.

The Scott Bridgewater-Frank Carr connection could carry the Lions a long way.

Carr, with one TD against Richmond County and two each against Olympic and Independence, is getting better every game and manages to achieve success despite the fact that he is often doubled-teamed.

As long as West Charlotte keeps Carr running they may go places.

Other stars for the week included Eric Westbrook of East Mecklenburg...Larry Brown of Garinger...Leon Montgomery of Independence...Archie Matthews of West Charlotte...David Brooks of Garinger...Darryl Byrd of Myers Park...Curtis Wilson of Myers Park...Phil Henderson of Harding...Aaron Cunningham of South Mecklenburg.



GALLOPING BRONCO—Chris Barfield, Fayetteville State Halfback, eyes yardage against visiting Virginia College in recent

CIAA action at FSU. The Broncos defeated the Virginians, 10-2, and upped their overall mark to 3-1 and 1-1 in the conference. (FSU)

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Eastern Airline's

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Eastern Airlines' September traffic at Douglas Municipal Airport continued on a strong upward trend, according to William A. Rawlings, Manager-passenger Sales.

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MEAC Football Roundup

MEAC Posts 2 Wins

Against Outside Foes

By Earl Mason
Special To The Post

DURHAM—After losing all five non-conference games last week, Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference teams bounced back Saturday to win two of three non-league games while Morgan State and Delaware State won conference games.

South Carolina State held on for a 7-6 victory over nationally ranked Alcorn A&M and N.C. A&T romped to a 37-22 win over Johnson C. Smith. Florida A&M came from behind to nip Howard, 16-14 in non-conference games.

In conference play Morgan State played tough defense to defeat North Carolina Central, 12-10 while Delaware State blanked winless Maryland-Eastern Shore, 13-0.

North Carolina A&T and Morgan State are the only unbeaten teams in conference play with 1-0 league marks while S.C. State has a 2-1 family record and Delaware State and Howard both have 1-1 records.

A pair of conference games will highlight a full schedule of games for MEAC teams this Saturday. Morgan State will be at Maryland-Eastern Shore and Delaware State visits Howard. In non-conference play North Carolina Central hosts Virginia State, South Carolina State will be at home against Johnson C. Smith and A&T plays host to Norfolk State Saturday night.

South Carolina State scored in the first half on an 11-yard run by quarterback Jesse Prather and Malcolm Montgomery added the PAT from placement. Alcorn scored in the final period on a 29-yard pass from Essex McBride but the PAT from placement was wide.

North Carolina Central could not come up with enough offense against Morgan State. Morgan State capitalized on a safety, a 10-yard run by quarterback Allan Rose plus a 42-yard field goal by Duane Danner. N.C. Central scored

on a 20-yard field goal by Eric Hines and a one-yard run by Ricky Moore.

Quarterback Elsworth Turner passed for three touchdowns to lead A&T to its victory.



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BLACK COLLEGE

TOP 10

- Bethune-Cookman
- Jackson State
- N.C. A&T
- Alcorn A&M
- Tennessee State
- S.C. State
- Florida A&M
- Southern
- Mississippi Valley
- Hampton

WHERE THEY PLAY

Saturday, October 9
Morgan State at UMES
Delaware State at Howard
Virginia State at N.C. Central
J.S. Smith at S.C. State
Norfolk State at N.C. A&T
Fayetteville at St. Paul's
Knoxville at Fort Valley
Winston-Salem at Livingstone

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Morgan 12, N.C. Central 10
Delaware State 13, UMES 0
S.C. State 7, Alcorn A&M 6
N.C. A&T 37, J.S. Smith 22
Florida A&M 16, Howard 14

HOW THEY STAND

TEAMS	Conf.		All	
	W-L-T	W-L-T	W-L-T	W-L-T
N.C. A&T	100	310	100	310
Morgan State	100	210	100	210
S.C. State	210	310	210	310
Delaware State	110	230	110	230
Howard	110	130	110	130
N.C. Central	010	220	010	220
UMES	020	040	020	040

CIAA

Teams	Conf. W-L-T	All W-L-T
Hampton	4 0 0	4 0 0
Virginia State	3 0 0	3 1 0
Norfolk State	3 1 0	3 1 0
Virginia Union	2 1 0	3 2 0
Fayetteville	1 1 0	3 1 0
Livingstone	1 1 0	2 2 0
Winston-Salem	1 2 0	1 3 0
J.C. Smith	0 2 0	1 3 0
St. Paul's	0 3 0	1 3 0
Shaw	0 3 0	0 4 0
Elizabeth City	0 3 0	0 5 0

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