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THE VIRGINIANS BAT TO VICTORY, Carolínians Again Lower The White and Blue.

Carolina met a second defeat Saturday afternoon when met by Virginia in Raleigh.

The teams from the two State Universities struggled for supremacy for two and a half hours and darkness came with the gold and navy of Virginia fluttering in triumph.

The score stood nine for Virginia and seven for Carolina, the game being called on account of approaching darkness at the end of Carolina's half, it being recognized that further play was impossible.

A great crowd witnessed the contest and it was a brilliant scene at the ball grounds. The blue and white of North Carolina predominated, though Virginia's gold and navy was in evidence. The ladies were out in large numbers, and the students from the female colleges added beauty to the scene, their many hued dresses, bright faces and waving ribbons making a picture fair to look upon. The crowd has been estimated at from fifteen hundred to two thousand, and in this were big delegations from adjoining towns, Chapel Hill alone sending about 250 people.

No game has had more handsome encouragement. The ladies, the girls, the boys, the men, the majority of them, were adorned with badges or ribbons, while banners, parasols and streamers displayed the rival colors. A number of traps and carriages were decorated in the Carolina colors.

There was one great marring feature of the game, and that was the crowd that would press over the lines, without the least regard for the ladies and the occupants of the seats. The management of this feature of the game was extremely bad, as many people had no chance to see the game, the ladies suffering especially.

As a result of this free scramble and the use of megaphones there was a sharp encounter between two belligerent visitors, and their faces were besmeared with blood. In the scramble of over two hundred people about them several blows were exchanged, the crowding on the ball ground in the seventh inning delaying the playing. It was not a pleasant sight.

The game began at twenty minutes past four instead of 3:30, as the bags for the bases had been left in the city. The game was a slow one and lacked ginger to it. Carolina led for five innings, with no specially exciting incidents, but the interest grew as Virginia advanced, overtook, fell back and finally triumphed. After the fifth inning the excitement was intense, and the

crowd pushed forward in its eagerness.

With Carr at the bat Carolina began the game and he went to first amidst sheers. Graham singled to left and both men advanced on Donnelly's sacrifice. Holt, hit by the ball, filled the bases. Smathers drove the ball to third, but Mason fumbled, and Carr scored, while Smathers reached first. With the bases still full Cheshire fanned but Cocke took his base on balls, letting Graham walk home. Wilcox fanned and retired the side.

Virginia did nothing in its half, only three men getting to the bat. Carolina, in its half, scored two runs. Wilcox fanned, and Carr did the same, but reached second, as the catcher dropped the ball and threw wild over first. Graham reached first on Connell's error, and Donnelly, on Pitcher Cracraft's tumble, reached first, while Carr scored. On a wild pitch Graham came home and Holt was presented with a walk to first and stole second. Smathers flew to short and Cheshire went out, Connell to Yarborough.

Virginia scored once in its second. Walker singled, Connell went out from Cocke to Wilcox on first, while Walker went to third, scoring as Tate Mason retired from Holt to Wilcox again covering first. Yarborough went out, pitcher to first.

In the third inning Carolina did nothing and repeated this in the fourth and fifth. In the third Virginia received a goose egg, but scored in the fourth. Walker had three strikes called on him Connell walked, Tate Mason flew to left field, Connell stole second, John Mason hit to third and Connell scored. Yarborough retired the side, from Smathers to Holt.

In the fifth Virginia took another score. Cracraft flew to centre. Pollard was hit by the ball and stole second, while Cocke flew to Carr. Nalle reached first on Smather's fumble, while Pollard scored, but Nalle was caught trying to steal second, Wilcox to Cocke.

Carolina began its sixth with Wilcox J. up. The ball beat him to first but Yarborough let it get up in the air and he was safe. Carr flew out to first and Graham did the same in right field. Donnelly singled in the left and Holt followed with a hit in the same pasture, letting in Wilcox. Smathers dropped a fly back of short but Connell did pretty work and caught it.

Then began the fireworks, for Virginia took three runs in its half. Cheshire dropped Walker's fly and the big fellow went to third. Connell never saw first and Tate Mason fanned. John Mason lifted a three-bagger over centre and Walker scored. The ball hit Yarborough and Cracraft, the pitcher, did the unexpected. He lifted the ball

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VARSITY IS DOWNED BY VIRGINIA.

The Old Dominion Team captures the first two games of the series.

On Friday last the baseball teams of the Universities of North Carolina and Virginia engaged in a battle royal that lasted ten innings. The day was a beautiful one, not withstanding the rain that had been falling all day Thursday and the promise of bad weather.

The team from U. Va. came in on the morning train. From every building in the village and every vehicle floated the colors of the respective colleges. Chapel Hill had indeed a gala appearance.

With the team came crowds of people from all over the state to witness the game. Besides, it was the date of the Easter dance and consequently many of the fair sex were present to grace the occasion.

At every corner there were knots of students and visitors discussing the prospects and frequently throughout the morning the peaceful quietude of the village was disturbed by a "Yackety Yack" or "Wah-hoorah."

Early in the afternoon the grandstand and bleachers on the Athletic Park began to fill and by three o'clock a large crowd had assembled.

Yell after yell was given for Carolina by the faithful crowd of rooters and as a tribute to the visitors their own "Wah-hoh-wah" was rendered by the Chapel Hill boys. On the grounds was a brilliant display of colors and although the Blue and White predominated there were many orange and purple ribbons in the crowd.

At 3:10 the Virginia team trotted out on the field amidst a round of applause. A moment later they went out on the diamond for their preliminary work. Carolina starts her "warming up" just as the 3:30 bell is ringing. After fifteen minutes of this the game is called amidst a bedlam of yells and applause.

First inning—Carr waits patiently and gets his base. Graham fans. Donnelly hits in front of the plate and is out, Mason, J. to Yarborough, but Carr takes second on the play. Cocke ends the inning by making a pretty catch of Holt's fly.

Pollard is out, Sweeney to Holt. Cocke after two strikes hits nicely to right. Nalle flies out to Donnelly. Carter fans three times, "Bull" muffs the third but throws to 1st in time to put him out.

Score—0-0

Second inning—Smathers waits and gets a free pass to the initial. Council is safe and Carr, running for Smathers, takes 2nd, on Nalle's error. Wilcox fans. Cocke forces Smathers at third. On a wild pitch Council and Cocke move up a bag.

Sweeney hits safe and Council and Cocke score. Pollard throws over Mason's head and Sweeney takes 2nd. Carr goes out, Mason, T. to Yarborough.

Connell knocks grounder to Holt who runs across the bag. Yarborough fans. Mason, T. flies out to Donnelly.

Score—2-0.

Third inning—Graham is safe on Nalle's error. Donnelly hits safe and Graham gets second on felder's choice. Holt hits to Tate Mason who touches third and throws to first in time to get Holt. Donnelly takes third on wild pitch. Smathers flies out to Cocke.

Tate Mason hits safe to centre. Cracraft makes a nice sacrifice bunt and Mason takes second. Pollard sacrifices him to third. Cocke is out, Smathers to Holt.

Score—2-0.

Council fans. Wilcox does the same and Cocke is out, Nalle to Yarborough.

Nalle hits the first one nicely for one base. Carter gets hit by pitched ball. Connell gets his base on balls. The bases are full and nobody out. Mason T. hits to Sweeney who throws Nalle out at the plate. Mason J. hits to Carr who throws to second and the inning is over.

Score—2-0.

Fifth inning—Sweeney leads off with a beauty two-bagger. Carr hits nicely over second and Sweeney takes third. Carr steals second. Graham hits to Connell who fumbles and bases are full with nobody out. Donnelly flies out to Pollard and Sweeney scores on the throw home. Holt hits to third forcing Carr. Smathers is out, Cracraft to Yarborough.

Cracraft gets his base on balls. Pollard bunts foul twice, fouls five times and then fans at one, but Cracraft steals second on the play. Cocke hits to Carr who throws to Smathers, catching Cracraft. Nalle hits safe and Pollard takes third. Nalle steals second. Moran who is now in Carter's place, hits safe and Pollard and Nalle score. Connell gets hit by pitched ball. Yarborough ends the inning by fanning.

Score—3-2.

Sixth inning—Council leads off with a two-bagger. Wilcox flies out to Cracraft and Cocke fans. Sweeney gets his base. Carr hits nicely for two bases, Council scores and Sweeney takes third. Graham with a man on second and third, fans.

Tate Mason leads with a nice single over second and takes second on passed ball. Mason J. hits to Sweeney who throws him out at first, Mason T. going to third on the play. Cracraft fans. Pollard hits safe and Mason T. scores. Cocke hits safe and Pollard takes second. Nalle hits for two bases and Pollard scores. Cocke takes third. Moran fouls out to Council.

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