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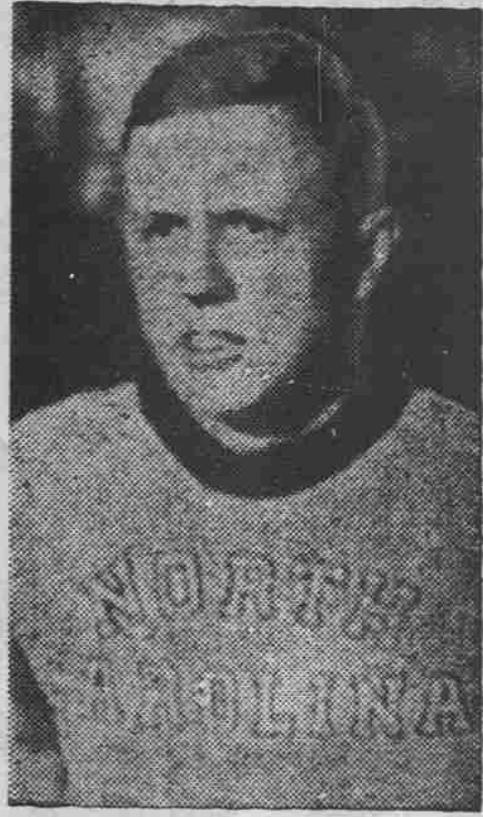
Daily Tar Heel Sports

Tar Heels Win In
Track And Baseball

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Bill Rood Captures State Tennis Championship

Too Cold For A Record



Jimmy Davis and Bill Hendrix were ready to race against each other yesterday in the Senior AAU meet, but after being rushed to the starting line because the meet was running ahead of schedule, they decided to call the whole thing off because they and the elements were too cold. Hendrix and Davis ran 1:53.4 and 1:53.5 in taking second and third in the conference meet last spring, and they had decided that they would run for similar times.

Fred Hardy Makes Comeback With Win In Two Mile Run

By LEONARD LOBRED

Having plugged all spring to regain his old winning stride in the mile, Fred Hardy, the most unstoppable hunk of determination seen around these parts for many a year, came through yesterday on Fetzler field, dogging Lawrence Brett, a consistent performer for Duke in both cross country and track, for seven laps, passing him on the bell lap, and pulling away easily to win the two mile run. All of the Tar Heels seemed to be ready yesterday as they piled up a total of 95 1/6 points in the Senior AAU competition. Other team scores were Duke 38, North Carolina state 17 1/2, Carolina freshmen 10 1/3, Duke freshmen 8, Lenoir Rhyne 4, Wake Forest 3, and Guilford 2.

Hardy had little trouble, falling into line from the beginning with the leaders. He stepped into the lead at the mile mark, but dropped behind Brett as the field began to string out. With Brett leading at the end of seven laps, both men began their kick at the beginning of the last 440 and it seemed as if Hardy couldn't overcome the five-yard lead held by the Blue Devil runner. Hardy passed Brett on the last turn, however, and rode home easily the winner. His time, 10 minutes 10.3 seconds, was fairly fast considering the dampness of the track and the cool breezes which swept across the field.

As a sophomore Hardy ran second to Bill Hendrix in the Southern conference cross country run, his time in that race still standing as the third fastest ever made by a Tar Heel runner. In the winter of 1937 Hardy ran the second leg on Carolina's two mile relay team which won its first Millrose games crown. Last spring he did well in the mile until he pulled a muscle in his ankle and chipped a bone. An operation to remove the bone was necessary and Hardy was put out of action. He tried cross country again last fall but was unable to run in his former style. Hard indoor work and even harder outdoor work this spring put him in shape for several attempts at the mile. Yesterday he tried the two mile and had amazing results.

TAR HEELS TAKE ALL

The Carolina men took 12 first places out of 18 events, the other firsts being divided into two for Duke, two for the Duke freshmen and two to unofficial entries. The Tar Heels more than doubled the score Duke made, and the Tar Babies outscored the Duke frosh for the third time this year.

Harry March was the individual

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HANDBALL ADDED TO MURAL RANKS

Intramurals will add another branch to its activities this week as handball tournaments in both the dormitory and the fraternity leagues gets underway. A large number of teams have already entered the tournament and many more are expected before the actual play gets underway this week.

Handball is considered as a minor sport and will be conducted on a team-tournament basis. Matches will be similar to tennis except each match will be composed of five men, two doubles teams and one singles. Each doubles and singles match will consist of two out of three 21 point games.

TENNIS FINALS

Dormitory tennis will complete its semi-final stages during the week as Everett meets BVP and Law School plays Med School. All four of these teams are well balanced and are by far the best teams in the league. The fraternity tournament will conclude its quarter-final round before the end of the week, and here too all teams are

Rice Beats Hendrix In Close Net Battle

Charles Rice, Tech High (Atlanta), successfully defended his interscholastic singles championship yesterday by defeating Moyer Hendrix, R. J. Reynolds high (Winston-Salem), state high school champion for the past two years, in a hard-fought match lasting three sets, 2-6, 9-7, 6-2.

Hendrix and Bob Haltiwanger were crowned doubles champions by beating Vincent Thomas and Bob Underwood, Maury High (Norfolk), 6-4, 6-1. Last year's doubles titlists were Spindle and Mallory, Maury, now freshmen at Hampden-Sidney.

These matches held yesterday afternoon concluded activities of the University of North Carolina's third annual interscholastic tennis tournament.

SEMI-FINALS

In semi-final singles contests played in the morning, Hendrix trounced Bobby Spurrier, Charlotte, in straight sets, 7-5, 6-1 while Rice edged out Bill Johnson, Thomas Jefferson (Richmond) in a gruelling three-set affair, 7-5, 5-7, 6-2.

Hendrix and Haltiwanger won their semi-finals doubles match by nosing out Marks and Hobbs, Chapel Hill, 2-6, 7-5, 6-4 while Thomas and Underwood disposed of Rice and Strubar, Tech High, 7-5, 6-2.

The doubles title won by Hendrix and Haltiwanger was their second here this spring. Last week they won the doubles crown in the North Carolina High School Athletic association's 24th annual tournament.

BILL ROOD AND FULLER WIN IN DOUBLES MATCH

By EDWIN PERRY

RALEIGH, April 29.—Diminutive Bill Rood became the champion of champions today in the state tennis tournament played at State college.

Co-Captain of Carolina's undefeated netters, Rood defeated Eddie Fuller 3-6, 6-2, 4-6, 6-4, 6-2 to win the singles title. Then he teamed with Fuller in the doubles to be victorious over brother Carlton Rood and Bill (Red) Rawlings 6-3, 6-4, 5-7, 6-4.

MATCHES OUTDOORS

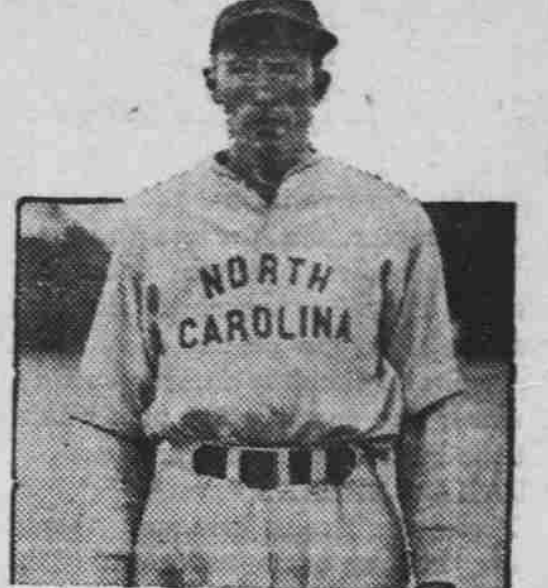
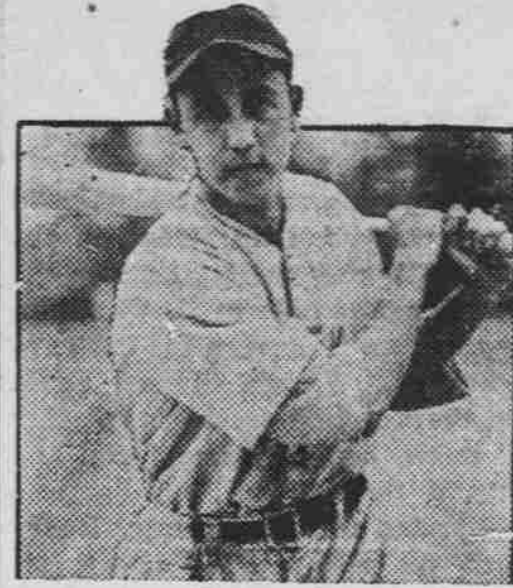
Despite the biting wind that swept out of the northwest all afternoon and occasional rain, the tournament, which turned out to be an all-Carolina event in the finals, was played on the outdoor courts.

The brisk winds kept the players uncertain at times causing them to play a more conservative game. Fuller who plays a fast, close game was more handicapped by the wind than the others. Fuller had little trouble with his style on the indoor courts where the tourney was held Friday.

Fuller started off strong, taking the

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Leaders In Diamond Triumph



Matty Topkins and Frank Cox paced the Tar Heels at bat and afield yesterday as they dumped Virginia, 16-4. Topkins got four hits, including two homers and a double, and drove in five runs. Cox pulled the prize catch of the year in the fourth, and batted in four Carolina runs with two hits.

Tar Heels Avenge Cavalier Defeat Earlier In Season

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FROSH WILL PLAY WAKE FOREST NINE

Keeping a nine game victory streak intact isn't a very easy job, the freshman baseball team will find this week. The Tar Babies have three, and possibly a fourth, opponents to face during the next six days . . . and all of them tough ones.

Tomorrow the Tar Babies journey to Wake Forest for their second big Five contest of the season. Friday they take on the Duke freshmen in Chapel Hill and follow up with the tough Charlotte high school aggregation here Saturday. In addition, they may play the Deaclets here because this week provides their only opportunity to play off the contest which was rained out Friday.

STRAINED BY STATE

To date the yearlings have come

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and fourth, made three in the fifth, three in the seventh and finished with two against Bob Southall, the boxer, in the eighth.

Topkins collected four hits, and poled out two home runs and a double, driving in five runs and running his hit total for the past two games to seven in nine trips to the plate. Anxious to show that Topkins was not the only man who could knock balls beyond the eager grasps of the Cavalier outfielders, Hal Jennings and George Stirnweiss hit homers. Mr. Jennings made two other hits and ran his total for the last two battles to six blows in seven trips. Frank Cox drove four runs in with two hits and George Nethercutt made three in six times at bat, slumping down to .500 for the season.

In addition to driving home four men, Cox turned in the circus play of the season in the fourth inning when he turned his back on the diamond, galloped to the left-field fence, jump-

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One-Sided Score

CAROLINA	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Topkins, ss	5	3	4	3	2	0
Mallory, cf	6	0	1	8	0	0
Nethercutt, c	6	2	3	5	0	0
Stirnweiss, 2b	3	2	1	3	2	0
Bissett, 1b	4	1	1	3	0	0
Cox, lf	5	2	2	3	0	0
Jennings, rf	5	3	3	2	0	0
Howard, 3b	5	2	2	0	0	0
Radman, p	5	1	2	1	0	0

Totals	43	16	19	27	4	0
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VIRGINIA	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Burnes, rf	4	0	1	3	1	0
RedDavid, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Nistad, lf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Hitch, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
McCann, 2b	4	1	1	5	2	0
Gosney, ss	5	0	2	0	4	1
Sargent, 3b	4	0	2	0	1	1
Gillett, 1b	3	2	0	7	0	0
Harmon, c	4	0	0	2	0	1
Smith, cf	4	0	1	4	0	0
Pinder, p	4	1	3	1	2	1
Southall, p	0	0	0	0	1	0

Totals	35	4	10	24	11	4
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Carolina	311	150	32x	—	16
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Summary: Runs batted in: Topkins 5, Cox 4, Mallory, Jennings 2, Stirnweiss, Nethercutt, Pinder, Smith, Gosney. Home runs: Topkins 2, Stirnweiss, Jennings. Two base hits: Topkins, Radman. Double plays: Topkins, Stirnweiss to Bissett. Burnes to Harmon. Gosney, McCann to Gillett. Struck out: Radman 3, Pinder 2. Base on balls: Radman 5, Pinder 5. Hit by pitcher: by Radman (Gillette 2). Hits off Pinder: 16 in 7. Losing pitcher: Pinder. Passed balls: Harmon. Wild pitch: Radman. Umpires: Flora and Fields. Time of game: 2:05.

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