

BISHOP'S BUNK

By Wayne Bishop

Carolina's Tar Heels worked for more than three full weeks pre- for the 1955 football opener against Oklahoma. They came into the game full of pep and spirit, although rated a 20-point underdog. They outgained the nation's number three team for more than 100 yards. Depth, power, and experience finally paid off for Oklahoma and the Tar Heels lost, 13-6. Coach George Barclay's boys played a fine game. They played well enough for the Carolina student body to feel proud of their team.

After all that work, do you think the Tar Heels are taking it easy? Well, they took Sunday off from football, but yesterday afternoon the Carolinians were right back at the fight preparing for a game that is more important to most Tar Heels than the Oklahoma Saturday afternoon, the Tar Heels run against one of their rivals, the North Carolina State Wolfpack.

HEELS LEAD IN SERIES

The Wolfpack and the Tar Heels have been playing football against each other ever since 1894. North Carolina won that opener, and never since then has either team won by such a large margin. In the long rivalry Carolina has held the upper hand in 34 of 50 games, losing 5, and tying 5.

Over at Raleigh the Wolfpack are getting sort of desperate for a win over the Tar Heels. The last time they could score enough points to win back a Tar Heel team was in 1942 when they won by 21-14. The Wolfpack lost two straight.

This season the Wolfpack were supposed to be 50 percent improved from the 1954 team. In the first two games, however, the Pack was routed 7-0 by Florida State and run over 33-7 by Duke. Losing like this is no disgrace, however, since the Devils again have one of the best offenses in the South.

Coach Earle Edwards' squad was supposed to have a strong offense this season, but in the first two games they could score only 14 points. That came against Duke in the final period.

PLAY WATCHES PACK

Carolina Coach Barclay watched the Wolfpack Saturday night as they were outmaneuvered by Duke. Barclay said the Wolfpack "have a great offense." Eight fumbles hurt the Pack tremendously as they practiced. Barclay gave Duke four touchdowns on miscues right at the goal line. Barclay was impressed in the manner that State came back in the second quarter, although they trailed the Blue Devils by 26 points. Barclay commented, "State marched right back up the field in the second quarter to score, even though Duke had a big lead. They showed a lot of spirit, going 80 yards in the drive."

Barclay said his Tar Heels had nothing special planned for the game. He said, "We'll just try our best to be ready for them. We can only take our games one at a time." It's easy to understand the Carolina mentor means by that; one look at the schedule for Georgia and then Maryland next on the list after State. In fact, the Tar Heels have a team of supermen to go through Carolina's schedule in 500 percentage.

Injuries Light After Sooners

By WAYNE BISHOP

Medical inventories after the Oklahoma game showed the Tar Heels with Carolina came out of the scrap with no broken arms, noses, or necks; with only top-ranking center George Stavitski shaved by length of time.

Stavitski received a bad bruise under his knee and was removed from the game Saturday. Trainer Doc White diagnosed the injury as a ligament. Coach George Barclay reported that Stavitski would be available for the State game Saturday. He said, in fact, that the senior would probably be ready for heavy duty later in the week.

The only other questionable Carolina injury was the nose injury of Sasser. It was feared for some time during the game that Carolina sophomore had suffered a nose break. Later diagnoses showed the nose only to be bruised and slightly swollen. Sasser will be all right for heavy duty.

LOOKS GOOD

Quarterback Dave Reed took over for Sasser when Buddy injured. Reed looked good at various times during the game, but he did not get a chance to pass. Reed is rated the top chucker on the team. The 160-pounder ran the option play very nicely on several occasions against the Sooners. He picked up 26 yards in five carries. One carry was a four-yard loss when he attempted to pass but was intercepted by one open.

Ken Keller and Ed Sutton were the workhorses of the Carolina offense. The two picked up almost 70 yards, over half of Carolina's rushing figure.

SOONERS DOMINATE STATISTICS

Statistically-wise the Sooners dominated the play. They racked up 17 first downs to Carolina's 5. Coach Bud Wilkinson's team had 147 yards gained rushing, to Carolina's 112. Whenever the Sooners were within the 20 yard line, however, they found the going somewhat easier. The Tar Heels put together only one drive to any degree. Reed ran off three consecutive first downs, but were stopped and had to punt from the Sooner 39.

Injured Players Rest Before Series Starts

By JACK HAND

NEW YORK, Sept. 26 (AP)—Carl Minton rested with a cold and Manton tenderly tested his right leg today as the New York Yankees and New York Giants held final workouts in their own parks for Wednesday's series opener at Yankee Stadium.

Minton is expected to be in the lineup at his usual field spot, but Manton may be ready. The final decision on Manton's center fielder problem will be made until shortly after game time Wednesday.

Manton's legs "feel better," said Manton swinging away for about 10 minutes at the pitching of Coach Casey Stengel. Batting lefthanded, Manton finished one pitch into the right field in right field. Instead of going to the outfield, he fooled the first baseman's mitt, and Manton up.

Yanks will work out at Ebbets Field tomorrow afternoon and the Dodgers will get a good

look at the stadium where the first two games will be played. Usually, Manager Casey Stengel turns down an invitation to practice in the other club's park.

Phil Rizzuto, veteran shortstop, said this would be the first time he remembered a Yank pre-series practice was scheduled for the Brooklyn Park. Rizzuto and his shortstop rival, Pee Wee Reese of the Brooks, have played in all five previous Yank-Dodger series.

Despite the doubt about Manton's status, the betting men stretched the odds favoring the Yankees to 13 to 10. The Yanks remained the 6 to 5 choice in the opener. As for a sweep, you could get 11 to 1 the Yanks wouldn't do it and 19 to 1 that the Dodgers wouldn't win four straight.

The Dodgers, of course, never have won a series. This will be their eighth try. The Yanks hold the record with a 16-4 record for 20 previous series and five straight under Stengel from 1949 through 1953.

Harriers Expect Big Year

Thinclads Face Pack Saturday

By LARRY CHEEK

Carolina's cross-country team, paced by a pair of top flight distance men, opens its 1955 season in varsity and freshmen competition Saturday morning in Raleigh against North Carolina State.

Coach Dale Ranson's Tar Heels will be led in their debut by junior ace Jimmy Beatty and senior Bobby Barden. These two have established themselves as the top distance men at the Hill with their performances over the past two seasons. Barden and senior Glenn Nanney will co-captain the 1955 edition of Carolina's Harriers.

Other lettermen returning from last season's top-notch club are Marion Griffin, Scotty Hester, Ed Joyner, and Boyd Newnam. Up from last year's freshman team are Everett Whately and Bailey Liipfert. Transfer student Ed Harwood is also expected to help out.

Coach Ranson sent his squad through its first time trials Friday afternoon. Beatty, Atlantic Coast Conference cross-country champion last year as a sophomore, turned in the fastest varsity time of 20



Bobby Barden, 115-pound senior, is co-captain of the 1955 Carolina cross-country team along with another senior, Glenn Nanney. Barden has been a workhorse Carolina runner for four years and climaxes his career this season.

minutes, 49 seconds for the four mile course. Barden finished up with the second best of 21:13. The other top varsity men in order were Nanney, Whately and Griffin.

Other varsity men on whom Coach Ranson is counting are Gus Bernhardt, Alan McGee, Alan McSurely, Larry Thames, and David Weil.

State has a tough team again this year, and will provide the main competition for the Tar Heels in the quest for the ACC cham-



Jim Beatty Leads Carolina Harriers

Jim Beatty, Atlantic Coast Conference champion cross-country, will lead the 1955 Tar Heel Harriers into the loop championship schedule. Beatty, a junior, was undefeated last season in cross-country and is expected to be much improved over last season.

Forest, Wake Forest; Nov. 14, State Championships, Raleigh; Nov. 21, ACC Championships, Raleigh.

Shea was the ACC outdoor two-mile champion, while Barbour paced the freshman team during the season. They are expected to push the Carolinians for all they are worth.

The Tar Heels have a large group of freshman runners out at the present. In the time trials Friday Wayne Bishop turned in the best time of 12:35 over a 2.8 freshman course. Dave Scurlock was second at 12:45, then came Howard Kahn, a second semester freshman. Coach Ranson has about fifteen frosh out for the team, and expects to have another fine freshman outfit.

The schedule:

Oct. 1, N. C. State, Raleigh; Oct. 8, Virginia, Charlottesville; Oct. 15, Clemson, Chapel Hill; Oct. 21, Maryland, College Park, Md.; Oct. 22, Richmond, Richmond; Oct. 29, Tennessee, Chapel Hill; Nov. 2, Duke, Chapel Hill; Nov. 7, Wake

Sound & Fury Slates Meet For Workers

There will be a meeting at 7:30 tonight in the Rendezvous Room of Graham Memorial for all students interested in working on the technical staff of Sound and Fury.

Sound and Fury, a student stock company, was re-organized last year under the direction of Miss Bo Bernadin after a lapse of about seven years. It gave two musical comedies last year.

Ken Lowry, Sound and Fury producer, asked that all students interested in working on publicity, stage crew, lighting, tickets, typing and costumes attend the meeting tonight.

Miss Bernadin, chairman of the GMAB Sound and Fury Committee, has announced that the first Sound and Fury production will be given on December 8 and 9, and that auditions will be held from October 31 until November 1.

The play for the first production will be by Miss Bernadin and set to the music of Howard and Al Smith.

POLICE HONORED

The National Safety Council awarded the Chapel Hill Police Dept. with a plaque yesterday, signifying the fourth time in the past four years that the dept. has made the honor roll in the National Safety Council. The plaque was awarded for the 1954 calendar year.

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Terps Tops In First Poll

By WILL GRIMSLEY

The Associated Press

Maryland, conqueror of top-ranked UCLA, barely beat out Michigan today for No. 1 place in the Associated Press college football poll.

In handing the Pacific Coast champions their first shutout in 40 games, 7-0, Jim Tatum's Terrapins rocketed from fifth to first in the weekly standings on a thumping vote from 135 of the nation's sports writers and broadcasters.

Although Michigan received the greater number of first place votes, 48 to 45, Maryland gained enough all-around voting strength to head the list with 1,113 points. Michigan, 42-7 winner over Missouri in its debut, drew 1,032 points.

Points are awarded on the basis of ten for a first place vote, nine for second and on down the line.

The first full Saturday of games so shuffled the standings that only one position in the top ten—Southern Cal at ninth—remained stationary.

Behind Maryland and Michigan in order, came Georgia Tech, No. 3; Notre Dame, No. 4; Oklahoma, No. 5; Army, No. 6; UCLA, No. 7; Ohio State, No. 8; Southern California, No. 9; and Texas Christian, No. 10.

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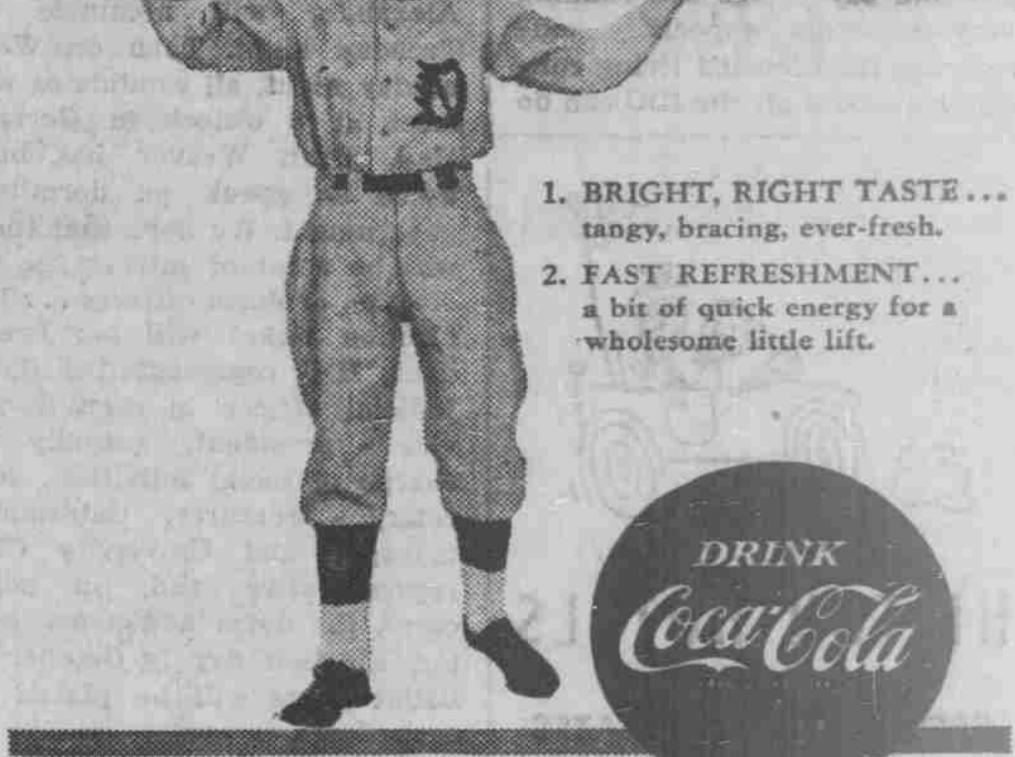
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