

Maryland, N.C. State, Duke All Reach Semi Finals

Terp Rally Kills Clemson Chances

By KEN ALYTA
RALEIGH — Third-seeded Maryland opened the Atlantic Coast Conference championship basketball tournament with a hard-earned 61-50 victory over Clemson's tenacious Tigers Thursday.

Second-seeded North Carolina State met Virginia in the second game with the winner meeting Maryland in the semifinals Friday night. Concluding first-round games Thursday night matched top-seeded Duke against South Carolina and fourth-seeded North Carolina against Wake Forest.

Gary Ward, whose 18 points and 13 rebounds led Maryland, hit three baskets within two minutes just after Clemson had gone ahead for the only time in the game. Ward's outburst put the Terps ahead 52-48 with less than three minutes to play and they held on the rest of the way for their eighth straight victory.

Maryland had taken a 10-point lead late in the first half and was on top at the intermission 32-27 before Clemson began whittling away.

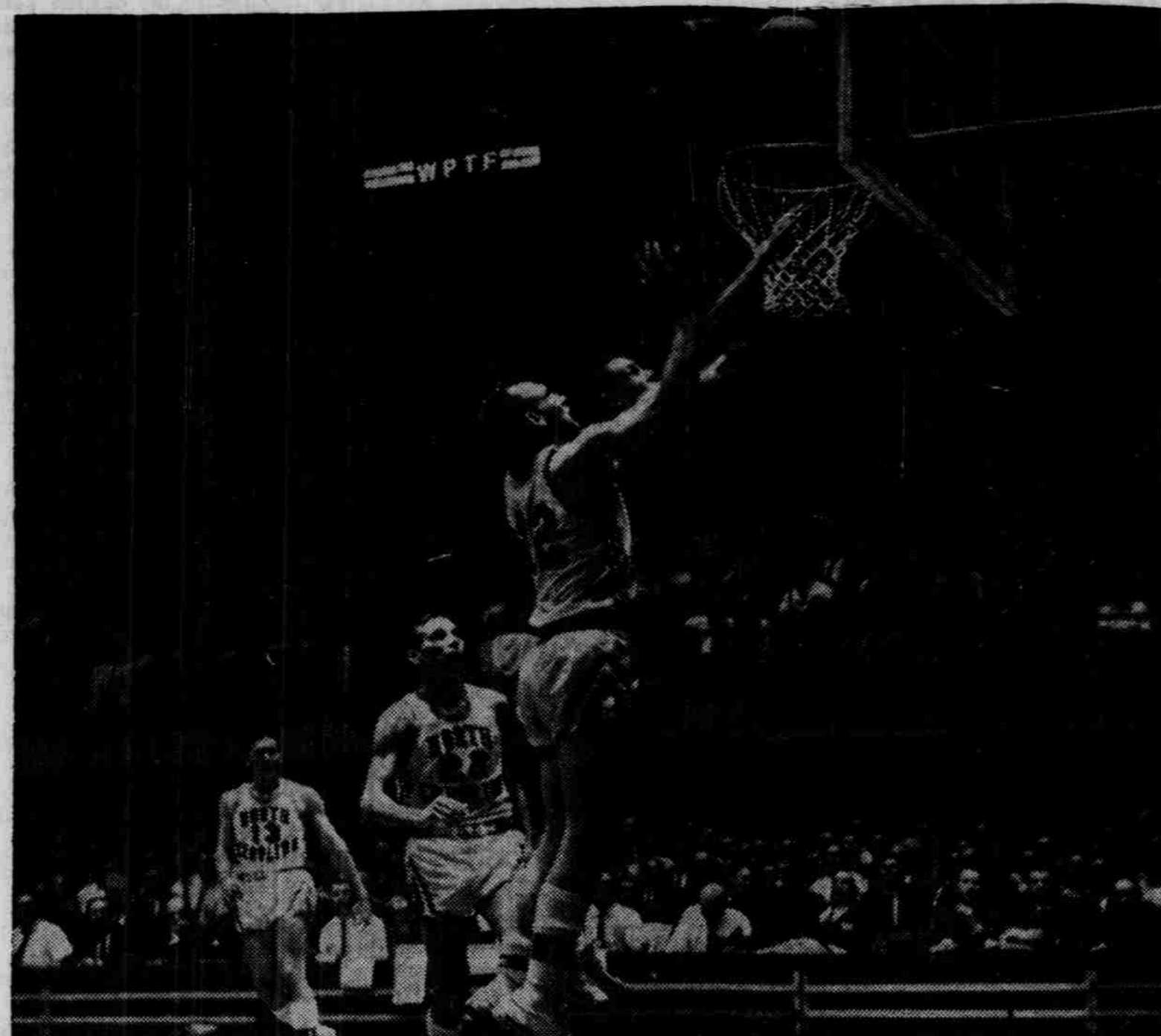
Sophomore Randy Mahaffey scored 18 points for Clemson in

a game in which neither team shot particularly well. Maryland hit 39.7 per cent from the floor against Clemson's 37.1.

| MARYLAND (61) | | |
|---------------|----|----------|
| | G | F T |
| Ward | 8 | 2-2 17 |
| McMillen | 5 | 2-3 12 |
| Harrington | 1 | 2-5 4 |
| Brayton | 5 | 7-7 17 |
| Williams | 1 | 0-0 2 |
| Wise | 2 | 2-2 6 |
| Clark | 0 | 0-0 0 |
| Carlson | 1 | 0-0 2 |
| Totals | 23 | 15-19 61 |

| CLEMSON (50) | | |
|--------------|----|---------|
| | G | F T |
| Sutherland | 4 | 1-1 9 |
| Mahaffey | 7 | 4-7 18 |
| Helm | 4 | 1-1 9 |
| Gardner | 1 | 1-2 3 |
| Benedict | 2 | 0-0 4 |
| Ayoub | 0 | 1-1 1 |
| Ayers | 1 | 0-0 2 |
| Channell | 2 | 0-1 4 |
| Totals | 21 | 8-13 50 |

Maryland 32 29-61
Clemson 27 23-50
Fouled out—none
Totals fouls—Maryland 10, Clemson 14.



RAY RESPESS leaps high to sink a bucket against Bones' boys last night in Raleigh. The Deacons cut the Tar Heel streak at seven and quenched the fire that the team caught in the late part of the season. Billy Cunningham closed his college career with 13 points in the losing effort. —Photo by Jock Lauterer

Wolfpack Rolls Up Easy 106-69 Victory Over UVa

RALEIGH — North Carolina State rolled up a record score in routing Virginia 106-69 in the second game of yesterday's ACC afternoon doubleheader. By winning they earned the right to meet Maryland in the semifinals tonight.

In breaking the scoring record of 101 points, set by N.C. State 10 years ago against Clemson, the Wolfpack scored 10 points in a row, six by Larry Worsley, to jump into a 24-11 lead. State shot 55 per cent from the floor for a 43-32 lead after a half in which Virginia made 19 errors.

N.C. State rolled for 17 team points in the first five minutes of the second half and the rout was on in earnest.

Even though Coach Press Maravich substituted liberally in the last 10 minutes the score continued to mount.

Larry Lakin hit eight of 11 shots and scored 20 points to lead the rout as all 12 State players figured in the scoring.

Virginia, hampered by the

loss of Captain Mac Caldwell, recovering from a pneumonia attack, was paced by Jerry Sanders with 23 points.

State hit at a 56 per cent pace from the floor against 36.8 for the Cavaliers, who weren't much better from the free throw line, where they missed 24 of 43.

State's 45 baskets in 80 shots erased Duke's former record of 41 against the Cavaliers in 1954. Virginia looked like a completely different team than the one which put North Carolina and Wake Forest into overtime and defeated Clemson a d South Carolina, and more like the team which lost by more than 60 points to Duke.

Joining Lakins in double figures were Tommy Mattocks (16), Larry Worsley (12) and Ray Hogdon (12). Jim Connelly had 16 and football star Bob Davis 13 for the Cavaliers, who finished the season with a 7-18 record.

State defeated tonight's opponent, Maryland, twice during the regular season, 63-62 at

College Park and 73-67 in Raleigh.

Hopefully the hometown fans, who gave them unneeded support in yesterday's game, will help stop the surging Terrapins who have won eight games in a row.

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| VIRGINIA | | |
|----------|----|----------|
| | G | F T |
| Connelly | 5 | 6-11 16 |
| Davis | 6 | 1-7 13 |
| Meyer | 2 | 0-2 4 |
| Sanders | 7 | 9-14 23 |
| Barnes | 0 | 1-2 1 |
| Waffle | 1 | 2-4 4 |
| Goble | 1 | 0-2 2 |
| Stant | 2 | 0-1 4 |
| Wilcox | 0 | 0-0 0 |
| Metzger | 1 | 0-0 2 |
| Totals | 25 | 19-43 69 |

| N.C. STATE | | |
|------------|----|-----------|
| | G | F T |
| Mattocks | 7 | 2-3 16 |
| Lakins | 8 | 4-4 20 |
| Moffitt | 3 | 1-2 7 |
| Coker | 4 | 0-0 8 |
| Bied'bh | 4 | 1-1 9 |
| Worsley | 5 | 2-4 12 |
| Gealy | 1 | 2-2 4 |
| Taylor | 1 | 0-0 2 |
| Moore | 3 | 0-0 6 |
| Blond'u | 2 | 0-1 4 |
| Holds'n | 5 | 2-2 12 |
| Hale | 2 | 2-2 6 |
| Totals | 45 | 16-21 106 |

Virginia 32 37-69
N.C. State 46 63-106
Fouled out—None.
Total fouls—Virginia 17, N.C. State 30.

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Craige C Mavericks Nip Avery, 40-39

By BILL LEE
DTH Sports Writer

Basketball play-offs resumed Wednesday for the Dorm White Division, as the Craige C Mavericks opened by beating the Avery Alcoholics by a slight 40-39. George Tenille led the Mavs with 24 points and Mike Spain topped the losers with 10.

The Stacy Stilts eliminated the Everett Vikings 33-24, as John Surrat popped in 14 followed by Jim Carpenter with 12. Leading the Vikings was Dan Hinnant with 10.

The Ehringhaus C Champs whipped the Craige C Spazos 45-35, with Robert Culp leading at 17, and supported by Ron White with 12. Weaver Kirkpatrick led the losers with 16.

The Winston Duds ousted the Craige C Bullets 52-41, with Brad Munday pouring in 19.

Bucky Gamman added 17 to the total. Heading the losers were Charles Grisham with 15 and Mike Wilkins with 12.

In the graduate division, the Peacocks defeated the Law School Snowbirds 38-32, as Dave Adkins poked up 13 to lead.

Turning to the Frat White division, ATO II topped DU 49-38, led by Henry Burgwyn with 12. Bo Edwards with 11, and Ed Brading with 10.

Phi Delt II defeated Chi Psi 42-36, on a 21-point effort by O. H. Parrish. Leading Chi Psi was Bill Guy with 17.

DKE I eliminated Phi Delt I 34-32, as Tom Roberts picked up 16. Leading the losers was Harry Stoval with 10.

Mangum captured the Dormitory Blue Division handball championship by whipping Everett 3-0. In the singles, Bill Elliott beat Jim Hugsenschmidt 21-11, 20-21, 21-16. In the doubles, Bill Lambert and Melvin Bowen topped Tom Dall and Pete Williams 21-18, 23-21, and Kenny Kaplan and Russ Danley beat Bud Edwards and Gary Snook 21-13, 21-17.

WOMEN'S INTRAMURALS
The Women's Intramural Basketball tournament is well underway with 19 teams in the competition. The teams are divided into 4 leagues and a round robin tournament is being played in each league. The winners of each league will then play a single elimination tournament for the championship.

At the present these teams are undefeated: Spencer I, Whitehead I, Spencer II, Kanan, Kappa Delta, Nurses I, and Pi Beta Phi.

Lady Luck Shines: Duke 62, USC 60

RALEIGH (AP)—Top-seeded Duke staggered by inspired South Carolina 62-60 on a basket by Jack Marin 41 seconds before the finish of their opening round game in the ACC basketball championship tournament last night.

South Carolina, beaten in 16 of 22 previous starts this season, had been outscored by 67 points in losing two earlier games to Duke, the nation's eighth-ranked team.

Duke, showing only occasional flashes of brilliance, had moved to a 35-28 lead at the half and

taken its biggest lead 42-30 early in the second half.

South Carolina, playing cautiously and taking only the good shots, parlayed its patience and Duke's second half shooting lapse to pull into a 60-all tie with 1:15 to play. Marin rebounded his own missed shot with 41 seconds left, although he missed a chance to end the suspense by missing two free throws with three seconds left.

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Maryland Heavily Favored In ACC Wrestling Tourney

COLLEGE PARK, Md. — Maryland is heavily favored to win its 12th straight wrestling championship when it hosts the Atlantic Coast Conference tournament Friday and Saturday.

The Terrapins have never lost a dual meet in the ACC, having won 54 straight including four this winter by lopsided scores.

They beat Virginia 25-2, N.C. State 26-3, Duke 26-0, North Carolina 27-2. In these meets, Maryland lost only one match, N.C. State's Bob Brawley, last year's 167-pound champion in the ACC, beat Bob Karch.

The Terrapins' 167-pound entry in the competition Friday and Saturday at Cole Fieldhouse will be Tim Geiger, who finished fourth ahead of Brawley in the NCAA tournament last year.

Coach Sully Krouse believes Virginia's Cary Stewart will give Geiger the roughest time

in this year's ACC tournament. Stewart defeated Geiger in the 1964 conference competition, in which they finished second and third, respectively, behind Brawley.

North Carolina has strong entries in Ken Furr 130 pounds, Russ Simmons 137 pounds, and Roy Hagerty 147 pounds.

Nelson Aurand of Maryland and Alex Wells of Virginia, who are entered this year in the 177-pound division, will be wrestling each other for the third time.

Wells defeated Aurand during the 1963-64 regular season, but Aurand reversed the result in the tournament at the end of the season. Both were 157-pound matches.

Only Virginia, North Carolina, Duke and N.C. State, besides Maryland, will participate in the tournament, which begins Friday evening. The finals will be held Saturday evening.

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