

# Patriots Defeated After Brilliant First Half



**JAMES SPRINKLE** of Marshall, who bowls with the Sprinkle-Shelton Company team in the Western North Carolina Bowling Association, was chosen on the 1976-77 All-Star team. Sprinkle, in only his fourth year of bowling,

averaged 193 for the 1975-76 season and had the distinction of bowling the highest set (755) during the season. He is pictured above, back row, right, with other bowlers chosen on the All-Star team.

The Madison High School Patriots played an excellent first half against the strong West Henderson Falcons last Friday night before losing the game 27-6 at West Henderson.

Receiving the opening kickoff, the Patriots marched down the field brilliantly to the Falcon's 15-yard line and on the next play, crossed the Falcon goal line only to have the touchdown nullified by an illegal procedure penalty. Although the Patriots were unable to generate another scoring threat during the first quarter, the Patriot defense played superbly to completely shut off the Falcon offense.

In the second quarter, Waldrop got the game's initial touchdown when he plunged over from the one-yard line. Cliff Searcy added the PAT. A few minutes later, the Patriots cranked up their offense and Steve Wood's passes started clicking, aided by a 60-yard bomb to Scotty Proffitt to the Falcon's 15. Wood faded back and threw a strike to Mike Cody for a touchdown but the PAT was wide and the Falcons led 7-6. The Patriots dominated the first half.

In the second half, however, the Falcons larger squad outplayed the tiring Pats, scoring two touchdowns in the third period and added the clincher and a two-point conversion in the final quarter. "I was especially pleased with the fine efforts of all the players, especially Gene Clark, Steve Wood, Allan English, Scotty Proffitt and Mike Cody," Coach McFee stated.



**MARSHALL'S WAGON TRAIN** received recognition last week at the Old Timer's Days celebration at Glenwood, Tenn. The sign on "The Titanic," the top attraction at the an-

nual two-day event, is a special welcome to the Marshall Wagon Train, which started the trek to Glenwood on Oct. 26.

## Lions Defeat Catawba

James Miller scored two touchdowns and Don Estes caught a 42-yard pass for a third as Mars Hill College scored all its points in the first half and hung on to beat Catawba 19-15 in a South Atlantic Conference game Saturday at Mars Hill.

Miller, a freshman, carried the ball 23 times for 121 yards for the Lions as they upset the Indians, ranked 13th in the NAIA Division I. Mars Hill is now 2-3-1 in the SAC-8 and 3-4-1 overall, while Catawba is 4-2 in the conference and 6-2 overall.

Miller got the Lions on the board early in the opening period when he banged in the touchdown from one yard out. Greg Frierson added the PAT for a 7-0 Lion lead.

Catawba came back with a 26-yard field goal by Tom Sexton to make it 7-3.

Freshman quarterback Greg Hoke, in his second starting role this season for the Lions, connected with Don Estes on a 42-yard scoring strike late in the opening quarter to make it 13-3 as the conversion kick went wide.

Miller extended the lead with a three-yard touchdown run in the second quarter as the conversion kick again carried wide of the crossbars.

Following intermission, Indian runningback Steve Jewell, who accounted for 63 of Catawba's 132 rushing yards, hit paydirt from four yards out to make it 19-9 as the run failed.

Mars Hill failed to put points on the board and Pat Witherill, the Indian quarterback, hit Wayne Foster with a 28-yard touchdown pass. The conversion pass attempt failed and Mars Hill held on for the

CATAWBA—MARS HILL		Catawba	Mars Hill
First Downs	15	17	17
Rushing Att.-Yds.	42-132	61-259	37-1
Passes	13-32-4	3-7-1	3-7-1
Passing Yardage	254	68	68
No. Punts-Avg.	5-42.8	1	6-34.7
No. Fumbles-Lost	1	1	1
Yards Penalized	4-30	7-48	7-48
Catawba	3	0	0-15
Mars Hill	13	6	0-19

AH—Miller 1 run (Frierson kick)  
C—Sexton FG 26  
MH—Estes 42 pass from Hoke (kick failed)  
MH—Miller 3 run (kick failed)  
C—Jewell 4 run (run failed)  
C—Foster 28 pass from Witherill (pass failed)

win. Mars Hill stopped the Indians when they had to, although Catawba's Witherill accounted for 234 yards passing. Fumbles and interceptions hurt the Indians. They were guilty of four interceptions and one fumble.

The Lions will have an open date this week and play at Newberry Nov. 13 to conclude

## Fall Festival At Marshall School Friday

A fall festival will be held at the Marshall Elementary School this Friday.

The cafeteria opens at 5:30 p.m. to serve supper. The festivities being at 6 p.m. with many games including bingo, dart throwing and fishing pond.

A color television set and a mini-bike as well as other door prizes will be given away.

their regular season.

"We played an excellent team today," Mars Hill coach Claude Gibson said. "This was the best defensive performance we have had in a long time."

"Danny Miller (freshman defensive back from Pisgah) played extremely well and got us an interception."

"We played like we were capable of playing all year long," Gibson said.

"In the third quarter we bogged down," he said "and we had to play conservative ball due to poor field position. Hoke came to play and gave a creditable performance."

## Army Reserve Representative Here Monday

The United States Army Reserve will have a representative at Madison High School next Monday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Anyone interested may contact SSG Paul W. Payne at the school next Monday.

Unlike lions, monkeys and many other animals, cheetahs don't live in family groups. Males leave the females after mating, and mother cheetahs raise their cubs alone, reports National Geographic World magazine.

Madison W. Henderson		Madison	W. Henderson
First Downs	14	14	14
Rushing Att.-Yds.	32-80	37-217	37-217
Passes	47-0	6-14-0	6-14-0
Passing Yardage	96	81	81
No. Punts-Avg.	4-27	1-33	1-33
No. Fumbles-Lost	3-3	6-0	6-0
Yards Penalized	103	75	75
Madison	0	4	0-4
W. Henderson	0	7	12-27

## Final Game Thursday

The final football game of the season between the Madison Patriots and the Hendersonville Bearcats will be played at Hendersonville Thursday night instead of Friday night, it was announced this week. Kickoff will be at 8 p.m.

**Vegetarianism**  
Most vegetarians fall into one of three different categories: (1) the lacto-ovo-vegetarian, who eats no meat, fish or poultry; (2) the lacto-vegetarian, who eats no meat, fish, poultry or eggs; and, (3) the strict vegetarian, who eats no foods of animal origin whatsoever.

## Complete Repair Course

Bobby Griffin, Westco Telephone Company, Marshall, has completed a course in station repair at the Continental Telephone System Training Center near Amherst, Va.

Each student that completes the 10-day course is able to effectively analyze, troubleshoot and repair customer telephone equipment, including station carrier systems.

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Griffin has been with the Continental System since 1972.

Lewis University of Lockport, Ill., won its last 12 tournament games in taking the 20th NAIA World Series baseball title.

## Larry Tucker To Exhibit At Mars Hill

Larry Tucker, a Mars Hill alumnus, is planning an exhibition of his photographs at the college from Nov. 2 through Nov. 30. Tucker, a

native of Raleigh, graduated from Mars Hill in 1969 with a major in biology. He then attended Western Carolina University where he received the master's degree in biology in 1973. He is now a high school biology teacher at Sylva-Webster High School.

Tucker became interested in photography while a senior at Mars Hill. His knowledge of the natural world around him coupled with expertise in the photographic realm, have combined to produce splendid

forms and designs.

According to Tucker, his aim is "... recording the tremendous diversity of color and form in nature," and particularly in the Appalachian wilderness. The show at Mars Hill will consist of 30 color prints, ranging in size from 14 x 19 inches to 30 x 40 inches. They will primarily be of scenes from Southern Appalachia, but will also include works made in the Northwest on his trips to Alaska and Washington State.

## Fire Dept. Not Responsible For Damage

Officials of the Marshall volunteer fire department stated this week that they will not be responsible for any damage done to any vehicle blocking entrance to the fire department on Main Street.

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