



By J. S. Merritt or Dick Puckett, one or the other.

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### It's Hard and Unfair . . . . .

When a coach and his entire squad put in a hard week's work for a scheduled game and then receive a message about two hours before playing time that their opposition has another game and won't be able to report, it is both disgusting and discouraging. Well, that exactly what has happened to Coach George Wirtz and his Ramblers for the past two weeks.

We can't understand why a school would allow such a thing to happen. It not only gives the school a bad name, but also makes you wonder about certain parts of the state system. In our way of thinking, sports are a vital factor in any school. It not only builds character and strength among the boys and girls, but puts the school in the mind's eye of the public in general, and when a school does not live up to that certain code of sports ethics, patrons and observers cast a slightly downward look on every department of the institution.

It's a known fact that publicity helps make a person, or project, and it's also known that the Roxboro High School Ramblers have taken for themselves and the school many friends this year that they would not have gained if it hadn't been for that football team.

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### Carolina vs. Duke

Many people from this county will be going to Chapel Hill next Saturday to see Carolina and Duke play football. Many others will want to go, but not being able to get tickets they will remain at home by their radios. If the stadiums at Duke or Carolina could hold the crowd this game would possibly draw fifty or sixty thousand fans each year.

Duke is supposed to win the game next Saturday. On paper she rates much stronger than Carolina. Whether she does win or not remains to be seen. The Carolina boys are not going to concede anything until the game is over. They are going in against all odds and fight all way. It would be the same way in the part, of the Dukes if Carolina happened to be favored.

After Duke plays Carolina she has one more so called big game on her schedule. The Devils play Pitt and this game was originally scheduled as a big game. During the past two or three years Pitt has faded from big time football and so the game can no longer be called a big one.

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### Non-Scratch Cat Found For Show

Preston Sturges, the writer director of "Christmas In July," which opens Monday at the Dolly Madison Theatre, co-starring Dick Powell and Ellen Drew, had a difficult problem confront him in making the picture. He had to find a trained black cat.

There is a scene in the picture in which Ellen Drew steps on a cat's tail. The cat rears up and protests to high heaven against such maltreatment of its posterior appendage, but it does not scratch the shapely legs of Miss Drew.

The problem confronting the

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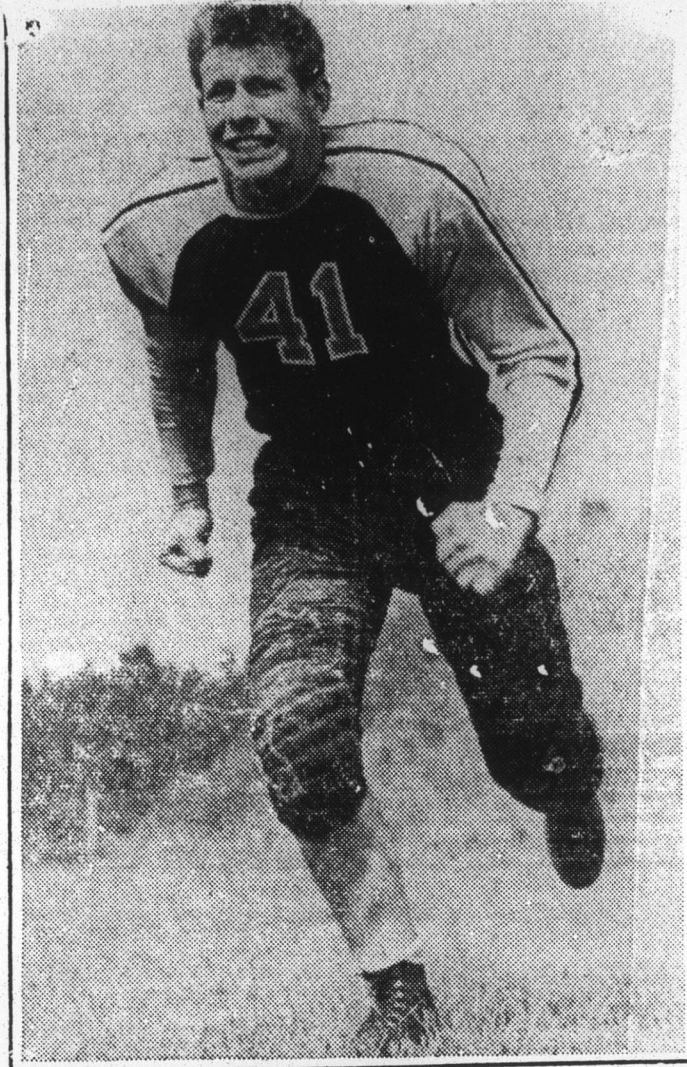
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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1940

## Good Against N. C. State Yesterday Afternoon



TONY GALLOVICH



PAT PRESTON

## Ramblers Trounce Spring Hope 49-7

In their last game before the class B semi-finals encounter in Raleigh, Friday, November 15, Roxboro high school "Ramblers" Thursday on home ground defeated the Spring Hope high eleven by 49 to 7.

The Spring Hope boys with

whom a game was arranged by Roxboro Coach George Wirtz after Ruffin defaulted its scheduled game Wednesday, made their points in third quarter on a pass from Lamm to B. Privette. He also made an extra point. All the rest of the game was Roxboro's.

First score for the victors came in the first quarter from a touchdown by Day, quarterback, with extra point by H. Newell, half-back. Day scored another touchdown in the second and two points were gained on safety.

Lunsford, fullback made second touchdown for this quarter and H. Newell again made extra point. Final second quarter score was on a pass.

In third quarter Roxboro again scored a pass from Day to Holman, right end. Another pass again added points in fourth quarter, with an extra by H. Newell. Final score was a touchdown by Dixon, Roxboro, followed by H. Newell's extra.

### Scouts Advance To Second Rank At Friday Court

Four Boy Scouts, Monday Whitfield, George Wade, John Singerton and Rueben Warren, received advancement as second class

Scouts at a monthly court of honor or session held here last night by the Person council. Merit badges were also awarded to three boys, Toufiek Ameen, for athletics, Eugene Taylor for handicraft and Reginald Jones for handicrafts, farm layout and building arrangements.

Two boys, J. T. Saunders and W. B. Humphries, were granted rank as tenderfeet. Councilmen present were Henry E. O'Brian, Gus Deering and A. P. Patterson, the last named being Cherokee Council executive, who lives at Reidsville.

Guest of Mrs. H. B. Brady, of Chub Lake street, is Mrs. G. A. Applin, of Springfield, New Jersey, who arrived yesterday and will be with Mrs. Brady about a week before going on to Florida for the season.

## DAWES SPEAKS AT COUNCIL DINNER

Longhurst Council of Junior Order Has Banquet Friday.

Speakers at a well attended banquet given Friday night by Longhurst Council of the Junior Order at Hotel Roxboro, included, among others, R. B. Dawes, Roxboro attorney and judge of the county court, and D. S. Brooks, of Brooksdale, bank official. Mr. Dawes' remarks were addressed particularly to new members present.

Also on the informal program were Maurice Allen, membership campaign leader for the "Reds", one of two divisions working to secure members, and Everett Sloan and R. A. Bullock. Presiding officer was Jasper Whitfield, councillor, who subsequently introduced as toastmaster, B. B. Knight, vice councillor.

Arrangements for the banquet were in charge of "Tip" Slaughter, and among special guests was F. O. Carver, Jr. The dinner was served at 7 o'clock in the hotel dining room.

## Baptist Women Meet At Semora On Tuesday

Having as their text-book, the Baptist Mission study volume, "Publishing Glad Tidings", by a returned missionary, Mrs. K. S. Farmer, of Raleigh, women of the twenty-five mission study classes of the Beulah Baptist association met at Semora Baptist church on Thursday for an all day program and a luncheon.

### SPECIAL SERMON

A special Armistice Day sermon will be delivered this morning at Roxboro Presbyterian church, by the pastor, Rev. J. M. Walker. The service will begin at 11 o'clock and all residents of the city and county are cordially invited to attend.

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