Virginia Tech Batters Gamecocks
Victory Assures Gobblers’ .500 Season; Strock Stars

This was the sixth loss of the year for South Carolina against three wins. In its five games at home, Tech posted four wins and a tie. It was very happy for our seniors,” Tech Coach Charlie Strock said. “By winning today, we are assured of at least a .500 season.

This is great for the seniors who have suffered a lot of heartache here in Lane Sta-
dom. I know how Coach Paul Dietz feels. I’ve stood on the sidelines and tried a pass, but I still have two wins. It has been a good year.

There was little drama in this game, as the Gobblers took an early lead and never let up. Tech errors, more than any effort by South Carolina, precipitated the game from becoming a rout earlier.

Early in the first period, the Gamecocks returned a Gamecock punt 63 yards for an apparent touchdowns only to have the play erased on a clipping penalty.

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South Carolina stiffened and, after a 73-yard field goal by Dave Strock. The boot was his 12th of the season.

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yard TD pass from Coach Steve Jones to sophomore quarterback Don Strock. The pass set up another below before closing out the first half at Wake Forest.

Scharnus intercepted Bobby Grossman’s pass on the next series of plays and Strock came in to kick a second field goal. South Carolina intercepted him once.

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Tyrell is a South Carolina put in junior Bill Troup who engineered an 83-yard scoring drive. A Tech penalty at the drive’s end definitely helped.

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