Gobblers Beaten On Unearned Run

BLACKSBURG — An unearned run in the fifth inning provided the only scoring of the game as North Carolina edged Virginia Tech, 1-0, here Wednesday afternoon.

The Tar Heels’ tally came after Tom Gillis walked and went to third when Jack Tatem’s pick-off attempt went wild.

Gillis then scored on a sacrifice fly by Pete Franklin.

Tatem went all the way on the mound, limiting North Carolina to five hits. It was his third straight complete game, but dropped his record to 2-1.

North Carolina coach Walter Rabb used four different hurlers, who allowed Tech just three hits and struck out 10.

The win moved the Tar Heels to 14-4. Tech is 6-6.