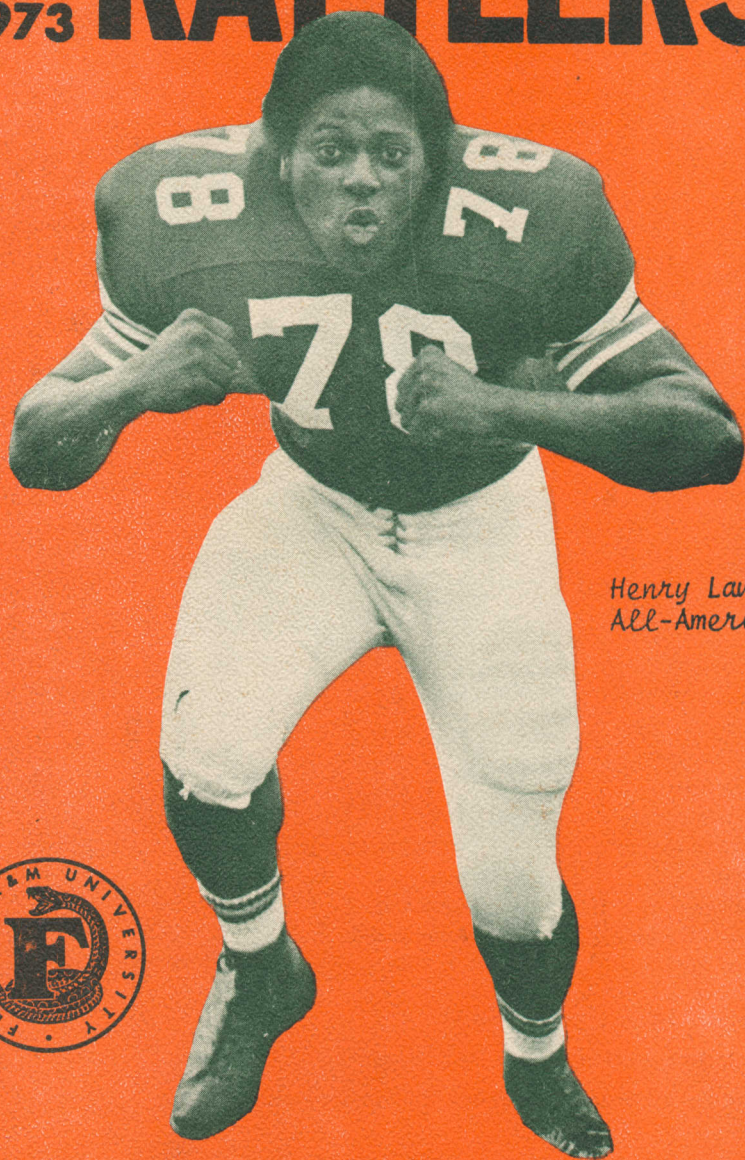


"FAMUANA"

1973

# RATTLERS



*Henry Lawrence  
All-American*



**FLORIDA A&M UNIVERSITY  
1973 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>OPPONENT</b>	<b>SITE</b>	<b>TIME#</b>
<b>SEPT.</b>			
15	N. Carolina Central	Atlanta, Ga.	8:00 P.M.
22	N. Carolina A&T	Greensboro, N.C.	7:30 P.M.
<b>OCT.</b>			
6	*Alabama State	Tallahassee	7:30 P.M.
13	*Morris Brown	Homecoming	2:00 P.M.
20	Tennessee State	Nashville	7:30 P.M.
27	*Tuskegee Institute	Montgomery, Ala.	7:00 P.M.
<b>NOV.</b>			
3	Western Carolina	Cullowhee, N.C.	7:30 P.M.
10	Southern University	Tampa	8:00 P.M.
17	*Bethune-Cookman	Tallahassee	7:30 P.M.
<b>DEC.</b>			
1	*Albany State	Tallahassee	7:30 P.M.
8	Orange Blossom Classic	Miami	8:00 P.M.

**1972 RESULTS (5-6)**

<b>OPPONENT</b>	<b>SITE</b>	<b>SCORE</b>	<b>WINNER</b>	<b>ATT</b>
North Carolina A&T	Tallahassee	22-20	A&T	12,560
Western Carolina	Tallahassee	21-17	FAMU	11,600
Alabama State*	Montgomery	13-8	ASU	7,806
Morris Brown*	Atlanta	42-14	FAMU	15,000
Tennessee State	Tallahassee	44-25	TSU	16,500
Tuskegee Institute*	Tallahassee	17-6	TI	16,600
Tampa	Tampa	26-9	UT	31,350
Southern	Baton Rouge, La.	27-13	FAMU	6,500
Bethune-Cookman*	Daytona Beach	28-18	FAMU	6,267
Albany State*	Albany, Ga.	21-6	ASC	6,846
Maryland				
Eastern Shore (OBC)	Miami	41-21	FAMU	23,804

#Local Time of Home Team

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**FAMU RATTlers  
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**COLORS: Orange and Green**

**NICKNAME OF TEAM: Rattlers**

**CONFERENCE: Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Conference**

**AFFILIATIONS: NCAA, NAIA**

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### **PRICES**

#### **HOME GAMES**

\$ 4.50—All Seats

\$16.00—Season Tickets (4 games)

#### **TAMPA CLASSIC**

\$3.00 & \$5.00—Reserved Seats

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\$6.00—Box Seats

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\$4.50—General Admission

(NOTE: Prices are subject to change without notice.)

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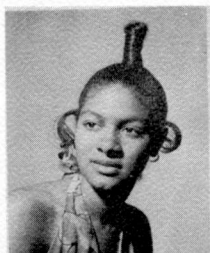


MISS SOPHOMORE  
BRENDA ROSS



*Miss FAMM, 1973-74*  
*Santa DeCosta*

MISS JUNIOR  
ANITA BRIGHT



## ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

The Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University was established by constitutional provision and legislative enactment in 1887 as the Colored Normal School. It became a university on September 1, 1953, as a result of a bill passed by the State Legislature on April 28, and signed into law by the late Governor Dan McCarthy on May 4.

As a university, it is divided into six schools and colleges, namely, the college of arts and sciences, school of agriculture and home economics, school of pharmacy, school of nursing, school of technology and school of education with a graduate division.

The spacious campus is spread over an area of 404 acres. The main campus is located on the highest of seven hills in the State Capital City of Tallahassee.

The campus is made very picturesque by massive oaks, broad, green lawns, beautiful tropical shrubbery, red brick buildings and well-placed concrete walks. The location and atmosphere are most ideal for an educational institution. It is a Land-Grant institution and one of Florida's nine state-assisted universities.

The university holds membership in all of the leading accrediting and professional agencies, including full membership in the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. A chapter of Phi Delta Kappa, a professional fraternity for men in education, was established in 1964. The university was admitted to membership in the American Association of University Women in 1959.

The university went on year-

round operation with the trimester system in 1963-64, and changed again to the quarter system in 1967-68.

Dr. Benjamin L. Perry, Jr., became the university's sixth president on September 15, 1968. There have been three acting presidents.

In 1970, by authorization of the Board of Regents, FAMU became the first and only university in the state to offer a major in Afro-American Studies.

Presently, several projects are under way for the continued improvement of the University's physical plant. Foremost among these is the construction of a multi-million dollar women's apartment complex. Recently, the University Commons and the central library both have undergone extensive renovation. Also, a \$2 million dollar building to house the School of Pharmacy was completed and occupied.

The validity of the investment in physical expansion and development has been justified by a significant record of educational growth reflected in the development of the educational program, the increase in student enrollment and a corresponding increase in staff.

The necessity to expand the offerings of the university has generally coincided with the physical expansion.

Under the leadership of Dr. Perry, FAMU enters a new era and the university takes on added significance as it meets the educational needs of its students and continues to move forward in giant strides as an institution of higher learning.



**THE ADMINISTRATION**



## **DR. BENJAMIN L. PERRY, JR.**

Sixth President

Florida A&M University

Dr. Benjamin Luther Perry, Jr., became the sixth president of Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University on September 15, 1968 by appointment of the Board of Regents of the State University System of Florida.

Dr. Perry is, in every sense, a true son of Florida A&M. He first came to the campus of what was then Florida A&M College in 1920 at the age of two years. His father, the late Benjamin L. Perry, Sr., had come to the college in 1918 to assume a teaching position. Later, the young Benjamin was entered into the college demonstration school and continued to study there until his graduation as salutatorian of his class in 1936.

The following fall he enrolled in the department of agriculture at FAMC and four years later was awarded the B.S. degree. In 1942 he received the M.S. degree at Iowa State University.

After 52 months of service in the United States Army and three terms as a veterans high school teacher, B. L. Perry, Jr., returned to FAMC as an instructor in economics. In September of the same year (1950), he was appointed dean of men. After earning the Ph.D. at Cornell University in 1954, he became dean of students at FAMU.

In 1962, Dr. Perry was granted a two-year leave of absence by FAMU to serve as dean of students and Michigan State advisor at the University of Nigeria in Eastern Nigeria. Upon his return in Septem-

ber, 1964, he resumed his teaching duties as professor of economics. In 1965, he was appointed director of research and grants and in 1967 he served the university as dean of administration, a position he held until he was appointed president.

Dr. Perry is active in social, cultural, civic and religious affairs. He is a member of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, the Masonic Lodge, former vice president of the Leon County - Tallahassee Community Action Programs, former member of the Mayor's Commission on Housing and Urban Renewal, Frontiers International, the Urban League and associate Commissioner of Boy Scouts of America.

His professional affiliations include membership in the National Association of Personnel Workers, of which he is a past president; the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators; the Southern College Personnel Association; the Florida Education Association; National Education Association and the American Association of Higher Education.

During his first years of service as president of Florida A&M University, Dr. Perry has demonstrated a definite dedication to the preservation and strengthening of FAMU as an independent member of the State University System. He is a man who inspires the admiration and confidence of the students, faculty and alumni, and is providing the quality of leadership required by the restless and uncertain climate of our times.



**THE COACHES**

## JIM WILLIAMS/Head Coach

James J. "Big Jim" Williams is entering his second season as head coach of the Rattlers. His young squad posted a 5-6 mark in 1972 but with a year's experience under the new system should be ready to come around for the 1973 campaign.

Williams played four years for Florida A&M and has coached both in high school and college as well as worked for the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

A native of Tampa, Williams entered Florida A&M in 1942 and was the lone freshman in the starting lineup under Bill Bell. Before the end of the season he had taken over the starting quarterback-tailback job, an act unheard of for a freshman under Bell's reign.

The Rattlers went undefeated that year (9-0-0) and won the national championship.

"Big Jim" entered the army the following year and didn't rejoin the Rattlers until 1946, but when he did return, Williams took back his job as starting quarterback and led the Rattlers to a 23-7 record over the next three years. At the end of his senior year, 1948, Williams was a first team Chicago Defender All-American.

His last three years at Florida A&M were spent under Jake Gaither and the legendary Rattler coach remembers Williams as "one of the best punters and passers we ever had."

After leaving A&M, Williams returned to Tampa as a high school coach at Don Thompson High School (the name later was changed to Blake). He remained there until 1965 and during his tenure as head coach he compiled a record of 88-11-3. His Blake teams were perennial state champions or runners-up.

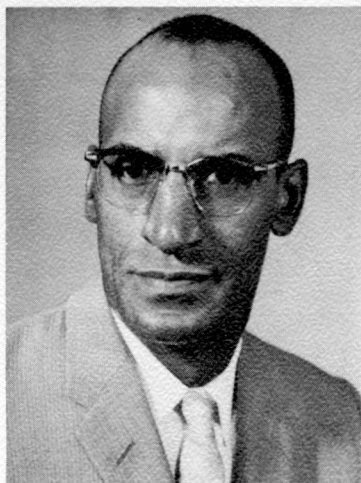
Williams left Blake and joined the coaching staff at Southern University at Baton Rouge, La., in 1966 but stayed only one year as coach of the defense and kickers.

The riots flared up in Tampa in 1967 and Williams was called back to help quell the disturbance . . . and he did, as an official of HEW.

When the quiet was restored to Tampa, Williams returned to the Hillsboro County School System. He later spent four years as an assistant coach at the University of Tampa.

One of the first things he did after taking over the Rattlers was to commit himself to do "all I can to return the Rattlers to their winning tradition. I am making no promises or predictions but I am going to work hard, my staff is going to work hard and the players are going to work hard to try to revive the old Rattlerism here at FAMU."

Williams is married to the former Lillian Maxey of Tampa and they have one daughter who is married and living in Dallas, Texas.



**GRIFFIN**

## **ROBERT "PETE" GRIFFIN**

**Defensive Coordinator**

Griffin came to the Rattlers as head line and defensive coach for football and track coach in 1944. He was an All-American center on Florida A&M's first national championship football team in 1938. He served as head coach of the Rattlers during the 1970 season following the retirement of Jake Gaither and led FAMU to a 5-5 record. "Pete" retired following the 1970-71 school year but rejoined the staff in 1972. He is a native of Columbus, Ohio, and holds the Master of Arts degree from Ohio State University. He is hailed as one of the nation's top defensive coaches.



**JEFFERSON**

## **DENNIS JEFFERSON**

**Offensive Backs**

Jefferson is another product of the Florida A&M football system. He came all the way up through the Rattler system, first at FAMU High and then at the University where he played quarterback from 1954 through 1956. A 1957 graduate of FAMU, Jefferson was head coach at Stone High in Melbourne, a backfield assistant at Mississippi Valley State College for a year and head coach at Shaw University before he decided to return to the Rattler Den. Jefferson, entering his fourth year as a Rattler coach, threw 11 TD passes his senior year in 1956.

## **COSTA "POP" KITTLES**

Offensive Coordinator

Another FAMU alumnus, Kittles has produced some top flight receivers. He has gained the reputation as being a specialist in developing ends. He enters his 21st season as a Rattler coach. Kittles earned All-American honors while playing end for the Rattlers in 1950. He also holds a master's from Ohio State and is an assistant professor of physical education. He is head baseball coach and has turned out perennially strong teams. Considered one of the most thorough coaches in the business, Kittles also is known for getting results in the classroom as well as on the football field or baseball diamond. He is a native of Jacksonville.

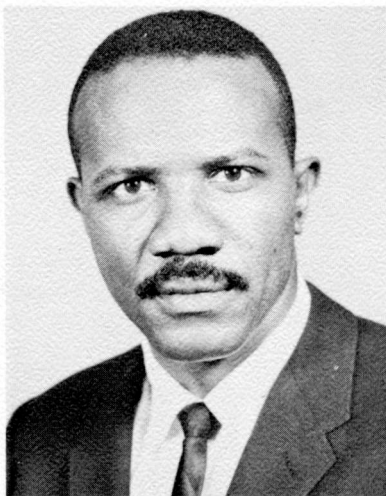


**KITTLES**

## **BOBBY LANG**

Linebackers

Lang is in charge of the linebackers this season after having worked with the offensive interior line. He enters his eighth season as a member of the Rattler coaching staff. Lang was an ALL-SIAC performer during his playing days at FAMU where he earned his bachelor's and master's degrees. He is assistant professor of physical education and head track coach. His track team won the SIAC championship from 1968 through 1970 and in 1968 his 440 relay team (Major Hazelton, Jim Ashcroft, Gene Milton and Nate James) became the first in history to retire the James C. Patterson Challenge Cup at the Penn Relays by winning it three consecutive years. Lang joined the FAMU staff in 1966 and is a native of Jacksonville.



**LANG**



**MUNGEN**

### **ROBERT "BOB" MUNGEN**

Defensive Secondary

Mungen is a 1953 graduate of FAMU and during his undergraduate days played end, halfback and quarterback for the Rattlers. He is head tennis coach and assistant professor of physical education. He earned his masters at Indiana University. Prior to joining the Rattler staff, Mungen was head coach at Edward Waters College in Jacksonville, Fla., and Knoxville (Tenn.) College. He is also in charge of the freshmen and works with the varsity punters and kickers. His defensive secondaries are known for their ruggedness, speed and hard hitting. Mungen is a native of Jacksonville and is in his 13th season as a Rattler coach.



**NILES**

### **R. NATHANIEL NILES**

Athletic Business Manager

Niles joined the FAMU Athletic Association staff as athletic business manager in 1962. Since that time he has become known as one of the most efficient and meticulous in the business. He brought experience with him when he came to FAMU, having been employed in business capacities at Delaware State and South Carolina State Colleges. He also worked in the FAMU business office before he transferred to the athletic department. He was a staff accountant from January, 1959 until July, 1962 when he made the switch. He is a native of Salisbury, N. C. and is a graduate of North Carolina College.



## **GEORGE THOMPSON**

Head Trainer

Thompson has become one of the Rattler landmarks as he enters his 22nd year as head trainer. His experience in handling players and equipment has paid tremendous dividends in time and money saved. Of course, keeping the players in top condition and ordering and maintaining equipment are just a few of George's duties. As football trainer he is in charge of issuing equipment to the Rattlers and coordinating the work of his staff of student assistants, who serve as head trainers for basketball, baseball and track. Thompson hails from Melbourne, Fla., where he was a stellar performer during his high school days.



**THOMPSON**

## **ROOSEVELT WILSON**

Sports Information Director

Wilson is entering his fifth year as SID for the Rattlers. He joined the staff in September of 1969, coming from Ocala, Fla., where he spent the previous six years as sports writer for the Ocala-Star-Banner in addition to teaching English at Howard High School. He is a graduate of Bethune-Cookman College and has done further study at the University of Florida and FAMU. He has a keen interest in sports and in addition to his SID duties he also hosts a weekly TV highlight show, "Rattler Football," during the grid season.



**WILSON**



THE PLAYERS

## 1973 OUTLOOK

Jim Williams has taken his lumps and now he is hoping to return some of the favors.

The second-year Rattler coach got his baptism under fire last season, finishing with a 5-6 record, the worst for the Rattlers since 1943.

In taking his whippings, Big Jim was whipping his squad into shape at the same time.

He dressed and played more men than any Rattler follower can remember in a long time.

"We had to have some depth and experience," he said. "As competitive as college football is today you just don't do very well with a team lean on experience."

Last season Williams played over 60 men regularly and that experience is expected to pay big dividends this fall.

An experienced squad returns, both offensively and defensively.

### OFFENSE

The Rattler offense averaged 21.2 points and 281.1 yards per game last season and should be more potent this time around.

**Line** — Although starters Joe Burnett and Charlie Williams will be missed, there are some seasoned vets back who should take up the slack.

All-American tackle Henry Lawrence 6-4, 253, is back for his senior year and will anchor the line. Another senior and returning starter, William Thomas, 6-3, 243, will be at the other tackle. Junior Paul Echols, 6-4, 240, and sophomore Dallas Brown, 6-3, 245, will provide depth and experience.

One mild surprise at guard will be the switch to that position of Al Stevens. The 6-2, 240 senior

was a defensive tackle last season and had 31 solo tackles and 18 assists.

Other guards will be D. L. Goodrum (6-1, 220), Earl Thompson (6-2, 275), Seabon Dixon (6-4, 230), Alvin Summers (6-3, 210) and Curtis Edmundson (6-2, 235).

Ralph Hill, Lloyd Cobbs and Charlie Young will vie for the starting center position. Hill (6-1, 230) and Cobbs (6-2, 240) are the more experienced, getting in plenty playing time last season, but Young (6-2, 228), a sophomore, had a fine spring and will keep the pressure on.

Tony Samuels, a 6-4, 220 sophomore, caught eight passes for 116 yards and three touchdowns as a freshman and could be the starter at tight end, but Randall Williams, another sophomore, logged lots of playing time and is considered an exceptional blocker.

The corps of wide receivers is one of the finest in a long time for the Rattlers. The leading receiver a year ago was freshman Willie Cook. He will be back along with fellow soph Vincent Price and a pair of seniors, Eddie Lingo and William Plummer.

**Quarterback** — The trio of Kenny Holt, Rodney Montgomery and Clint Baker will be back and Holt is expected to resume his starting duties after taking over the No. 1 slot a year ago. Montgomery and Baker, both fine option quarterbacks, will see considerable action, too.

**Running Back** — Leading the Rattlers in rushing for the past two years has been James Rackley and the 6-0, 202 junior is expected to be tougher this year after a fine

stint with the track team as a sprinter.

Senior Charles Whiting should be ready for a fine season, also. He was the third leading ground gainer on the team last season.

Calvin Moore and Richard Sykes offer more experience at running back while return artist Ralph Kyles will add more speed to the backfield. Earl Goodman, Carlos Swain, Mike Darby, and George Butler round out the corps of returnees.

### DEFENSE

There is experience at every position on defense. The seasoned vets will be anxious to shore up the unit which was porous at times last season.

**Line** — Senior ends Don Berry (6-3, 210) and Frank Marion (6-4, 210) return to their starting positions with reserve strength in Luther Dedmon and Emanuel Simpson.

The tackle slot might be the leanest of all in that only Bernard Kelly (6-1, 250), Lamar Powell (6-4, 223) and Johnny Carter (6-2, 245) are returning. Kelly and Powell are seniors while Carter is a junior. Williams will probably have to call upon some of his other linemen to fill in at tackle occasionally.

Thad Starling, the little 5-10, 220 terror who wreaked havoc at middle guard last season until he was injured, is healthy again and that means trouble for the opposition. Frankie Poole (6-4, 205) also plays that position.

**Secondary** — Juniors Aubrey Childers and Felix Williams lead a contingent of cornerbacks that could turn out to be one of the stronger points of the defense.

Others are sophomores Curtis Parnell, Kenneth Clark, Steve Isaac and Michael King.

Leroy Powell, a senior and the smallest man on the team at 5-10, 140, will be starting for the third consecutive year at safety. Carl McDuffie and Greg Coleman will also be around if needed.

**Linebackers** — Two of the finest in the conference will be in the Rattler backfield when Tony Bullock (6-4, 220) and Benny Coffee (6-1, 222), both seniors, don their Rattler uniforms. Johnny Whitaker, Kenneth Mullens and Bernard Powell provide solid, experienced backup strength.

**Specialists** — Sophomore Greg Coleman will handle the place kicking duties while first year man David Stewart will be the punter.

"We should have a very competitive year," Williams said. "With our experience and desire, we should be well on the road back to the top."

### ATHLETIC COMMITTEE

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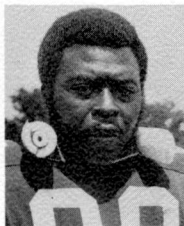
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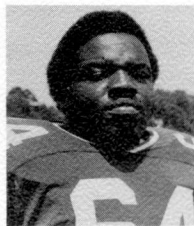
**BAKER**



**BERRY**



**BULLOCK**



**CARTER**

## **BAKER, CLINTON – Quarterback**

5-10, 170, Junior, Miami . . . Age: 21 . . . Edison High

**11**

One of top contenders for the starting job for the third year in a row since walking on in the spring of 1971 and earning a berth on the squad . . . not very big but impresses coaches with his cool, disciplined technique . . . handles the option exceptionally well and is a fine runner when the situation calls for it . . . makes few mistakes.

## **BERRY, DONALD – Defensive End**

6-3, 208, Senior, Miami . . . Age: 23 . . . Mays High

**89**

Has been a starter at defensive end since switching to that position from linebacker two years ago . . . quick, rugged, aggressive and determined performer . . . could be one of the top pro prospects by the end of the season . . . one of the most durable men on the squad . . . one of top pass rushers in the conference.

## **BULLOCK, TONY – Linebacker**

6-4, 218, Senior, Quincy . . . Age: 22 . . . Carter-Parramore High

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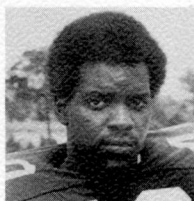
One of the top all-round athletes on the squad . . . can play almost any position on the field and play it well . . . has seen duty at tight end, defensive end and now linebacker . . . also handles the kicking off chores . . . was injured part of last season but still recorded 26 unassisted tackles and 10 assists.

## **CARTER, JOHNNY – Defensive Tackle**

6-2, 245, Junior, Orlando . . . Age: 20 . . . Jones High

**64**

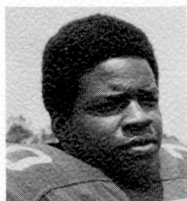
Played sparingly last season but showed he could get the job done when he was in there . . . exceptionally strong player who fights off blockers well . . . one of the team leaders and sets example with fire and hustle . . . probably will be a starter somewhere on the defensive unit this time . . . will see plenty combat.



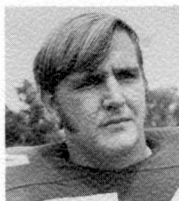
**CHILDERS**



**COFFEE**



**DIXON**



**ECHOLS**

## **CHILDERS, AUBREY – Cornerback**

6-2, 197, Junior, Salisbury, N. C. . . . Age: 20 . . . Boyden High

**40** Originally a running back . . . switched to defense last year and became a starter . . . has 24 tackles and 19 assists in his first season as a defensive player . . . ideal size for a cornerback . . . has the speed to match . . . quick reaction enables him to cover his man tight and not get beaten by sudden moves . . . a real comer.

## **COFFEE, BENNY – Linebacker**

6-1, 220, Senior, Plant City . . . Age: 21 . . . Plant City High

**52** Led the team in unassisted tackles for the third consecutive year . . . had 69 solo jobs in '72, along with 42 assists, also a team high . . . can play middle linebacker but was switched to the outside in the middle guard alignment . . . a real hard hitter who plays the run and pass equally well . . . should appeal to the pros.

## **DIXON, SEABON – Offensive Guard**

6-4, 230, Junior, Jacksonville . . . Age: 21 . . . New Stanton High

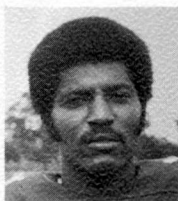
**70** A youngster who patiently awaited his time and is now ready to assume a starting role . . . one of the hardest workers in practice and is one of the most coachable on team . . . loves contact and enjoys beating his man . . . played a lot last season and the experience has been valuable . . . will play many minutes this fall.

## **ECHOLS, SAMUEL PAUL – Offensive Tackle**

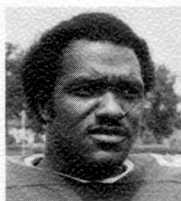
6-4, 240, Junior, Jacksonville . . . Age: 21 . . . Lee High

**74** Is living up to coaches' projections that he would be a good one . . . can play guard or tackle but probably will see more action at tackle because of his strength . . . also blocks well for the pass . . . turned in a fine performance in the spring game and appears ready to give someone a battle for a starting position.

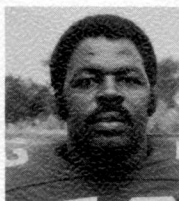




**HOLT**



**HILL**



**KELLY**

## **HOLT, KENNY – Quarterback**

6-4, 188, Junior, Salisbury, N. C. . . . Age: 20 . . . Boyden High

**10** Took over the starting job last season and showed he could get the job done . . . pinpoint passer who surprises the opposition with his running ability . . . led the team in scoring and total offense . . . coaches expect him to become one of the all-time Rattler greats . . . has the tools to do it . . . size, strength and a rifle arm.

### **Holt's Statistics**

Rushing				Passing					
Year	Att.	Yds.	TD	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Int.	Yds.	TD
1971	24	9	0	73	17	23	1	186	2
1972	106	61	7	138	68	49	12	1029	6
Career	130	70	7	211	85	40	13	1215	8

## **HILL, RALPH – Center**

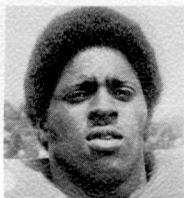
6-1, 230, Senior, Chicago, Ill. . . . Age: 24 . . . Forrestville High

**53** Will be the starting center for the third consecutive year . . . has started every varsity game and two spring games in the last two years . . . one of the most durable around . . . quick, strong and an exceptional pass blocker . . . could be a sleeper when the time for high honors to roll around . . . pros like him already.

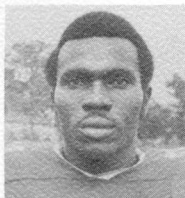
## **KELLY, BERNARD – Defensive Tackle**

6-1, 250, Senior, Tallahassee . . . Age: 22 . . . Rickards High

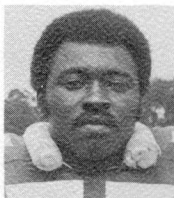
**72** Logged the most playing time since becoming a Rattler last season . . . will be a starter this fall . . . came to FAMU with impressive credentials and has started to make believers out of the skeptics . . . Rattlers playing opposite him in practice say he is one to be reckoned with . . . opponents think so too.



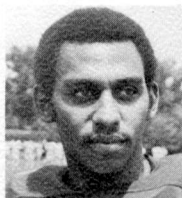
**LAWRENCE**



**LINGO**



**MARION**



**MONTGOMERY**

## **LAWRENCE, HENRY – Offensive Tackle**

6-4, 253, Senior, Palmetto . . . Age: 22 . . . Manatee High

**78**

First team All-American last season as a junior . . . first interior lineman to make All-America since Horace Lovett did it in 1969 . . . coach's dream for an offensive lineman . . . has power and quickness along with exceptional intelligence in anticipating his opponent's moves . . . looking for a repeat A-A honor in '73.

## **LINGO, EDDIE – Wide Receiver**

6-2, 180, Senior, Miami . . . Age: 22 . . . Mays High

**81**

Starting at split end for the second year in a row . . . caught only nine passes last season but one was a game winning TD that upset eighth-ranked Western Carolina in the last 17 seconds . . . a true leader who inspires all around him . . . carries out his assignments with true dedication.

## **MARION, FRANK – Defensive End**

6-4, 210, Senior, Gainesville . . . Age: 22 . . . Lincoln High

**77**

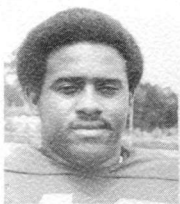
Literally took himself a starting job two years ago and has not given it up since . . . has started 22 consecutive games for the Rattlers and was the third leading tackler on the team with 50 solos and 18 assists . . . one of the few in camp who had little trouble fighting off his competitors for the starting position.

## **MONTGOMERY, RODNEY – Quarterback**

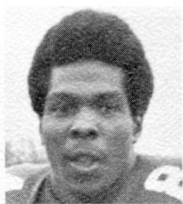
5-10, 158, Senior, Tallahassee . . . Age: 22 . . . Rickards High

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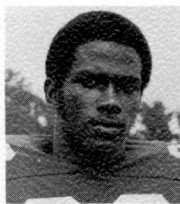
Has held the starting job on and off since 1971 . . . came back off an injury last season and showed no ill effects . . . is loaded with talent and some say he should be playing somewhere else when he's not playing quarterback . . . natural athlete who could excel in any position where his size would not be a handicap.



**MOORE**



**PLUMMER**



**B. POWELL**



**LA. POWELL**

## **MOORE, CALVIN – Running Back**

5-11, 218, Senior, Plant City . . . Age: 22 . . . Plant City High

**47** One of the real seasoned veterans on the team . . . does not make a lot of noise but is always ready when needed . . . a true super-sub . . . runs with power from the fullback slot and, although he hasn't quite made it as a starter, is one of tremendous value to the team for his maturity and exceptional blocking ability.

## **PLUMMER, WILLIAM – Wide Receiver**

6-3, 198, Senior, Delray Beach . . . Age: 22 . . . Carver High

**84** One of exceptional talent who has not quite lived up to his billing . . . was injured in his sophomore year but came back last year as good as new . . . fine specimen of a split end with hands, size, speed and moves to be truly outstanding . . . maybe this year is his year . . . was a starter but lost his job after injury and hasn't been able to win it back.

## **POWELL, BERNARD – Linebacker**

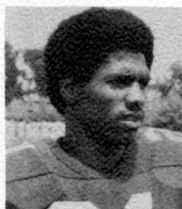
6-4, 210, Junior, Quincy . . . Age: 20 . . . Shanks High

**82** Considered by many to be a diamond in the rough . . . fine all-round athlete who gained valuable playing experience last season . . . has a way to go yet before landing a starting job but will see plenty action under Coach Jim Williams' system of playing a lot of people . . . does a capable job when called upon for reserve duties . . . a hustler.

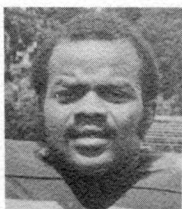
## **POWELL, LAMAR – Defensive Tackle**

6-4, 223, Senior, South Bay . . . Age: 21 . . . Lake Shore High

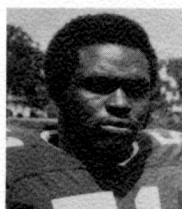
**85** A real steady performer who gives 100 percent day in and day out . . . always among the top tacklers on the team . . . had 34 unassisted tackles and 22 assists last year . . . started out as a defensive end but was switched to tackle a year ago . . . very impressive with his strength and fluid-like mobility . . . tough, aggressive pass rusher, too.



**LE. POWELL**



**RACKLEY**



**STARLING**

## **POWELL, LEROY – Defensive Back**

5-10, 140, Senior, Tallahassee . . . Age: 22 . . . Leon High

**21**

Smallest man on the squad and the guttiest . . . has held his own for three years and enters the season as the starting safety . . . bigger men have tried to take his job but to no avail . . . has 10 interceptions in the past two years and has returned them for 159 yards . . . an exciting little player . . . always near the ball.

## **RACKLEY, JAMES – Running Back**

6-0, 202, Junior, Jacksonville . . . Age: 20 . . . Lee High

**33**

Has been classed with the greatest runners ever to don a Rattler uniform, including the late Willie Galimore, and that's elite company . . . has been a workhorse in the backfield since his freshman year . . . has set several records already . . . runs both from fullback and tailback . . . pros have been eyeing him since he first enrolled.

### **Rackley's Statistics**

#### **Rushing**

Year	Att.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1971	191*	793	15**	4.2
1972	167	769	6	4.6
Career	358	1562	21	4.4

\*New FAMU Record

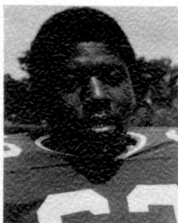
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## **STARLING, THAD – Middle Guard**

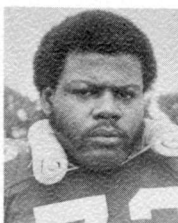
5-10, 210, Senior, St. Petersburg . . . Age: 21 . . . Gibbs High

**51**

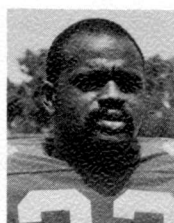
A hungry man in the line . . . one of the gridiron phenomena . . . looks small to play middle guard but was the leading tackler on the team until sidelined with an injury . . . made most of his tackles in the opponents' backfield . . . starting for the third year in a row and should be among the defensive leaders at the end of the season.



**STEVENS**



**THOMAS**



**WHITING**

## **STEVENS, AL – Offensive Guard**

6-2, 240, Senior, Orlando . . . Age: 23 . . . Jones High

**62** Defensive stalwart switched to offensive . . . has played defense for the past three years and compiled impressive statistics as a tackle and middle guard . . . had 31 solo tackles last year and 18 assists . . . is such a good athlete that Coach Williams feels the switch can be made with a minimum of adjustments.

## **THOMAS, WILLIAM – Offensive Tackle**

6-3, 243, Senior, Gainesville . . . Age: 22 . . . Lincoln High

**73** Another of the well-seasoned veterans who has been starting for three years . . . one of the finest in the conference and has the size and quickness to attract attention from the pros . . . blocks well for the run and pass, also is adept at turning aside big charging defensive linemen . . . coaches are very high on him.

## **WHITING, CHARLES – Running Back**

5-10, 185, Senior, Largo . . . Age: 22 . . . Largo High

**32** Dashing, exciting runner who can go all the way from anywhere on the field . . . a real game breaker . . . has been a reserve for most of his career but shook up things last year and won a starting slot . . . went into the season listed as a starter at either tailback or halfback . . . ran exceptionally well in the spring game.

Whiting's Statistics

Year	Att.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1971	30	106	0	3.5
1972	53	170	0	3.2
Career	83	276	0	3.3

**FLORIDA A&M**  
**1973 FOOTBA**

NO	PLAYER	POS	CL	HT	WT	HOMETOWN
3	Rodney Montgomery	QB	4	5-10	158	Tallahassee
10	Kenneth Holt	QB	3	6-4	188	Salisbury, N.C.
11	Clinton Baker	QB	3	5-10	175	Miami
14	Vincent Price	WR	2	6-0	180	Tulsa, Okla.
16	Ralph Kyles	RB	2	5-11	183	Tampa
17	Gregory Coleman	DB-K	2	6-0	180	Jacksonville
18	Curtis Parnell	DB	2	6-0	176	Miami
19	Kenneth Clark	DB	2	6-2	165	Orlando
21	Leroy Powell	DB	4	5-10	140	Tallahassee
23	Felix Williams	DB	3	6-2	185	Miami
25	Michael Darby	RB	3	5-9	180	Tampa
27	Carl McDuffie	DB	2	5-11	170	Miami
30	Richard Sykes	RB	3	5-11	185	Tallahassee
32	Charles Whiting	RB	4	5-10	185	Largo
33	James Rackley	RB	3	6-0	202	Jacksonville
37	George Butler	RB	2	5-10	170	Ft. Lauderdale
40	Aubrey Childers	DB	3	6-2	197	Salisbury, N.C.
43	Carlos Swain	RB	2	6-1	185	Pensacola
47	Calvin Moore	RB	4	5-11	218	Plant City
49	Steve Isaac	DB	2	6-2	210	Eustis
51	Thaddeus Starling	MG	4	5-10	210	St. Petersburg
52	Benny Coffee	LB	4	6-1	222	Plant City
53	Ralph Hill	C	4	6-1	230	Chicago, Ill.
56	Lloyd Cobbs	C	2	6-2	240	Ft. Pierce
57	Charlie Young	C	2	6-2	228	Jacksonville
58	Kenneth Mullens	LB	2	6-3	220	St. Petersburg
61	D. L. Goodrum	OG	4	6-1	220	Winter Haven
62	Albert Stevens	OG	4	6-2	240	Orlando
64	Johnny Carter	DT	3	6-2	245	Orlando
66	Frankie Poole	DT	2	6-4	205	Melbourne



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68	Curtis Edmundson	OG	2	6-2	235	Columbus, Ga.
70	Seabon Dixon	OG	3	6-4	230	Jacksonville
72	Bernard Kelly	DT	4	6-1	250	Tallahassee
73	William Thomas	OT	4	6-3	243	Gainesville
74	Paul Echols	OG	3	6-4	240	Jacksonville
77	Frank Marion	DE	4	6-4	210	Gainesville
78	Henry Lawrence	OT	4	6-4	253	Palmetto
79	Gregory Douglas	MG	2	6-3	270	Tampa
81	Eddie Lingo	WR	4	6-2	180	Miami
82	Bernard Powell	LB	3	6-4	210	Quincy
84	William Plummer	WR	4	6-3	198	Delray Beach
85	Lamar Powell	DE	4	6-4	223	South Bay
86	Willie Cook	WR	2	6-2	185	Lakeland
87	Tony Bullock	LB	4	6-4	220	Quincy
88	Tony Samuels	TE	2	6-4	220	St. Petersburg
89	Donald Berry	LB	4	6-3	210	Miami
90	Randall Williams	TE	2	6-4	225	Orlando
91	Emanuel Simpson	DE	2	6-4	210	Melbourne
92	David Stewart	P	3	6-2	185	Jacksonville
93	Dallas Brown	DE	2	6-3	245	Sanford
94	Alvin Summers	OG	2	6-3	210	Belle Glade
98	Michael King	DB	2	5-9	180	Tallahassee
99	Earl Goodman	RB	2	6-0	207	Tampa
	Luther Dedmon	DE	2	6-4	195	Tulsa, Okla.
	Jimmy Henry	DB	2	6-2	185	Jacksonville
	Kenric Stephens	DE	2	6-2	185	Washington, D.C.
	Curtis Taylor	OG	2	6-2	210	Starke
	Earl Thompson	OG	2	6-2	275	Stuart
	Ronnie Watkins	DB	2	6-0	180	Tulsa, Okla.

## THE OPPONENTS



**RATTLERS OPPONENTS****NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL EAGLES****SEPT. 15 AT ATLANTA, GA. (8:00 P.M.)**

Ath. Dir. — James Younge

Spts. Info. Dir. — Jerry Fitch

Office Phone — (919) 682-2171

Colors — Maroon &amp; Gray

Stadium — Kelly Field (11,000)

Conference — Mid-East Athletic Conference

Lettermen — Lost 9; Returning 17

HEAD COACH — Willie Smith (1st season) . . . Lifetime record: won 14, lost 10, tied 3.

ASSISTANTS — Robert Jackson, Theodore Manly, Harry Edmonds, Bill Thomas.

**SERIES HISTORY**  
(FAMU leads, 4-0-1)

Year	Score	Winner	Year	Score	Winner
1939	20-7	FAMU	1956	25-0	FAMU
1940	7-7	Tie	1957	14-0	FAMU
1951	67-6	FAMU			

**1972 Results**  
(9-2-0)

29	W. Salem St.	6
41	Elon	21
47	Livingston	13
29	Morgan St.	7
10	Delaware St.	14
42	Md. E. S.	20
43	S.C. State	0
29	J. C. Smith	8
14	Howard	13
9	N.C. A&T	7
6	Grambling	56

**PLAYERS TO WATCH****Sam Jones**, 6-1, 215 junior  
defensive end.**Nathaniel Boyd**, 6-1, 211  
offensive guard.**Alexander Jones**, 6-1, 208  
senior defensive tackle.**1973 Schedule**

9-8	at W. Salem
9-15	FAMU*
9-22	Alcorn
9-29	Morgan St.
10-6	at Va. St.
10-13	Del. State
10-20	at Md. E.S.
10-27	S.C. State
11-3	at J. C. Smith
11-10	Howard
11-17	at N.C. A&T
	*at Atlanta

**RATTLERS OPPONENTS****NORTH CAROLINA A&T AGGIES****SEPT. 22 AT GREENSBORO (7:30 P.M.)**

Ath. Dir. — Cal Irwin

Spts. Info. Dir. — Cureton Johnson

Office (919) 379-7500

Colors — Blue &amp; Gold

Stadium — War Memorial (12,000)

Conference — Mid-East Athletic Conference

Lettermen — Lost 10; Returning 28

HEAD COACH — Hornsby Howell (6th season) . . . 1972 record: won 8, lost 2, tied 0 . . . Record at A&amp;T: 33-14-2 . . . Lifetime record: 33-14-2.

ASSISTANTS — Melvin Groomes, defensive backs; Matt Brown, offensive backs; Murray Neely, defensive line; Willie Jefferies, assistant line; Stan Jacobs, backs; Fletcher Jones, offensive line.

**SERIES HISTORY**

(FAMU Leads, 23-3-3)

Year	Score	Winner
1938	13-0	FAMU
1939	0-0	Tie
1940	7-0	FAMU
1941	19-0	FAMU
1942	6-0	FAMU
1949	20-14	A&T
1950	14-9	FAMU
1951	7-7	Tie
1952	19-12	FAMU
1953	33-13	FAMU

Year	Score	Winner
1954	14-7	FAMU
1955	28-28	Tie
1956	49-13	FAMU
1957	42-6	FAMU
1958	37-22	FAMU
1959	28-16	FAMU
1960	49-19	FAMU
1961	34-12	FAMU
1962	38-6	FAMU
1963	32-0	FAMU

Year	Score	Winner
1964	46-24	FAMU
1965	28-14	FAMU
1966	64-18	FAMU
1967	63-6	FAMU
1968	9-6	A&T
1969	26-9	FAMU
1970	33-0	FAMU
1971	9-6	FAMU
1972	22-20	A&T

**1972 Results  
(8-2-0)**

13	Eliz. City	0
41	S.C. State	7
22	FAMU	20
23	J. C. Smith	12
35	Norfolk St.	14
14	Md. E. S.	23
7	Howard	0
16	Morgan St.	13
13	Del. State	7
7	N.C. Cen.	9

**PLAYERS TO WATCH**

**Carl Collins**, 6-4, 255 senior defensive end. All-Conference Very fast.

**Danny Coleman**, 6-2, 240 senior offensive tackle. All-Conference. Tri-Captain.

**1973 Schedule**

9-8	at Eliz. City
9-15	at S.C. State
9-22	FAMU
9-29	J. C. Smith
10-6	at Norfolk
10-13	Md. E. Shore
10-20	Howard
10-27	at Morgan
11-3	at Grambling
11-10	at Del. St.
11-17	N.C. Central

**RATTLERS OPPONENTS****ALABAMA STATE HORNETS****OCT. 6 AT TALLAHASSEE (7:30 P.M.)**

Ath. Dir. — U. S. McPherson

Spts. Info. Dir. — John Buskey

Office Phone — (205) 262-3581

Colors — Black &amp; Gold

Stadium — Crampton Bowl (30,000)

Conference — SIAC

Lettermen — Lost 11; Returning 21

HEAD COACH — Henry Holbert, Jr. (4th season) . . . 1972 record: won 4, lost 7, tied 0 . . . Record at Alabama State: 21-20 . . . Lifetime record: 137-64-5.

ASSISTANTS — George James, defensive line; U. S. McPherson, Offensive Coordinator; Woodrow McCorvey, receivers; Richard Moncrief, secondary.

**SERIES HISTORY**  
(FAMU Leads, 10-5-2)



Year	Score	Winner	Year	Score	Winner
1933	32-6	ASU	1942	26-0	FAMU
1934	7-0	FAMU	1943	6-6	Tie
1935	7-0	ASU	1944	45-6	FAMU
1936	0-0	Tie	1945	17-2	FAMU
1937	7-0	FAMU	1946	35-0	FAMU
1938	17-0	FAMU	1947	58-12	FAMU
1939	9-6	ASU	1948	41-0	FAMU
1940	7-6	ASU	1972	13-8	ASU
1941	22-0	FAMU			

**1972 Results**  
(4-7-0)

6 Ark. AM&N	34
27 Miles	20
16 M. Brown	6
13 FAMU	8
14 Albany St.	20
8 Fisk	27
8 Ala. A&M	9
8 B-Cookman	61
17 Clark	11
0 Tuskegee	10
0 Tenn. St.	43

**1973 Schedule**

9-22	Miles
9-29	M. Brown
10-6	at FAMU
10-13	at Albany St.
10-20	Fisk
10-27	at Ala. A&M
11-3	at Cookman
11-17	at Tenn. St.
11-22	Ky. State
12-1	Tuskegee*
	*at Birmingham

**RATTLERS OPPONENTS****MORRIS BROWN WOLVERINES****OCT. 13 AT TALLAHASSEE (2:00 P.M.)**

Ath. Dir. — M. J. Powell

Spts. Infor. Dir. — Othello Renfroe

Office — (404) 523-8821

Colors — Purple &amp; White

Stadium — Herndon Memorial (13,000)

Conference — SIAC

Lettermen — Lost 11; Returning 21

HEAD COACH — Raymond Ross (3rd season) . . . 1972 record; won 2, lost 8, tied 0 . . . Record at Morris Brown: 8-11-0 . . . Lifetime record: 8-11-0.

ASSISTANTS — Solomon Brannan, offensive backs; Simon Hubbard, line; Charles Isabell, specialists; Eldridge Hunter, offensive line.

**SERIES HISTORY**

(FAMU Leads, 33-4-1)

Year	Score	Winner	Year	Score	Winner	Year	Score	Winner
1934	6-3	FAMU	1948	13-6	FAMU	1961	56-0	FAMU
1935	21-0	MB	1949	31-20	FAMU	1962	36-12	FAMU
1937	9-0	FAMU	1950	20-0	FAMU	1963	66-0	FAMU
1938	16-0	FAMU	1951	20-13	MB	1964	28-0	FAMU
1939	14-12	FAMU	1952	27-7	FAMU	1965	23-7	FAMU
1940	20-13	FAMU	1953	20-0	FAMU	1966	22-15	FAMU
1941	20-0	MB	1954	27-7	FAMU	1967	44-0	FAMU
1942	14-7	FAMU	1955	14-6	FAMU	1968	7-0	FAMU
1943	0-0	Tie	1956	46-14	FAMU	1969	45-15	FAMU
1944	19-0	FAMU	1957	27-0	FAMU	1970	28-22	MB
1945	39-0	FAMU	1958	13-12	FAMU	1971	45-30	FAMU
1946	7-0	FAMU	1959	6-0	FAMU	1972	42-14	FAMU
1947	6-0	FAMU	1960	64-0	FAMU			

**1972 Results**  
**(2-8-0)**

13	B-Cookman	56
6	Ala. State	15
39	J. C. Smith	41
14	FAMU	42
24	Ala. A&M	34
20	Albany St.	31
14	Tenn. State	24
20	Jackson St.	14
20	Clark	15
12	Tuskegee	29

**1973 Schedule**

9-8	Howard
9-15	Tuskegee
9-22	B-Cookman
9-29	at Ala. St.
10-13	at FAMU
10-20	at Ala. A&M
10-27	Albany St.
11-3	W. Salem
11-10	at Jackson State
11-22	Clark

**RATTLERS OPPONENTS****TENNESSEE STATE TIGERS****OCT. 20 AT NASHVILLE (7:30 P.M.)**

Ath. Dir. — Howard Gentry

Spts. Infor. Dir. — Luther Carmichael

Office — (615) 329-9500

Home — (615) 224-9433

Colors — Blue &amp; White

Conference — Independent

Stadium — Hale Memorial (16,000)

Lettermen — Lost 13; Returning 25

**HEAD COACH** — John Merritt (10th season) . . . 1971 record: won 11, lost 1, tied 0 . . . Record at Tennessee State: 83-13-6, Lifetime: 151-41-6.

**ASSISTANTS** — Joe Gilliam, assistant head coach and defensive coordinator; Alvin Coleman, offensive coordinator; Shannon Little, director of player personnel, J. C. Coffee, defensive line; Hylon Adams, offensive line.

**SERIES HISTORY**

(Tennessee State LEADS, 11-4-0)

Year	Score	Winner	Year	Score	Winner
1944*	19-6	TSU	1965	45-6	TSU
1944	12-0	TSU	1966	29-0	TSU
1945	20-18	FAMU	1967	32-8	TSU
1956	41-39	TSU	1968	32-13	FAMU
1962	20-0	FAMU	1969	33-20	TSU
1963	14-12	TSU	1970	21-10	TSU
1964	22-20	FAMU	1971	50-8	TSU
			1972	44-25	TSU

\*Two games played in 1944

**1972 Results  
(11-1-0)**

56	Norfolk St.	6
14	Morgan St.	0
40	Alcorn	13
38	Tex. Sou.	15
18	Grambling	27
49	Va. State	0
44	FAMU	25
35	Southern	0
24	M. Brown	14
41	Cen. State	0
43	Ala. State	0

**PLAYERS TO WATCH**

**Waymond Bryant**, linebacker, 6-3, 236 senior.

**Edward Jones**, 6-8, 256 defensive end, senior. Hailed as a legitimate candidate for the best player in the country.

**Carl Wafer**, 6-5, 256 senior defensive tackle.

**1973 Schedule**

9-8	Mid. Tenn. State
9-15	at Ala. A&M
9-22	at Tex. Sou.
10-6	Grambling
10-13	at Va. State
10-20	FAMU
10-27	at Southern
11-3	at Chatanooga
11-10	Cen. State
11-17	Ala. State



**RATTLERS OPPONENTS****TUSKEGEE INSTITUTE GOLDEN TIGERS****OCT. 27 AT MONTGOMERY, ALA. (7:00 P.M.)**

Ath. Dir. — Howard Davis

Spts. Infor. Dir. — Shirley Staples

Office — (205) 727-8335

Colors — Crimson &amp; Gold

Stadium — Alumni Bowl (8,000)

Conference — SIAC

Lettermen — Lost 5, Returning 39

**HEAD COACH** — Haywood Scissum (4th season) . . . 1972 record: won 7, lost 3, tied 0 . . . Record at Tuskegee: 21-9-0 . . . Lifetime record: 156-38-11.

**ASSISTANTS** — Arthur Downs, offensive line; Arthur Sawyer, defensive backs; Jim Martin, defensive coordinator; Henry Jones, offensive backs; Ralph Hollins, assistant line.

**SERIES HISTORY**

(FAMU leads, 15-3-0)

Year	Score	Winner
1934	26-7	TUSK
1935	3-0	FAMU
1936	14-13	FAMU
1938	40-0	FAMU
1939	20-6	FAMU
1941	15-7	FAMU

Year	Score	Winner
1942	20-7	FAMU
1943	16-9	TUSK
1944	14-13	FAMU
1945	54-20	FAMU
1946	21-12	FAMU
1947	19-6	FAMU

Year	Score	Winner
1948	39-0	FAMU
1949	58-0	FAMU
1950	26-0	FAMU
1970	7-0	FAMU
1971	24-17	FAMU
1972	17-6	TUSK

**(1972 Results)****(7-3-0)**

19	Southern	24
29	M. Brown	12
22	J. C. Smith	13
10	Albany St.	17
7	Ala. A&M	28
7	Morehouse	16
37	B-Cookman	23
17	FAMU	6
41	Miles	8
39	Hampton	6
10	Ala. St.	0

**PLAYERS TO WATCH**

**Clinton Wallace**, 5-9, 210  
junior fullback. Leading rusher  
in 1972.

**Reuben Riggins**, 5-11, 195  
sophomore quarterback. Most  
Valuable Golden Tiger in 1972.

**1973 Schedule**

9-8	at Southern
9-15	at M. Brown
9-22	J. C. Smith
9-29	Albany St.
10-6	at Ala. A&M
10-12	Morehouse*
10-20	at Cookman
10-27	FAMU
11-3	Miles
11-10	at Hampton
12-1	Ala. State
	*at Columbus, Ga.

## RATTLERS OPPONENTS

### WESTERN CAROLINA CATAMOUNTS

#### NOV. 3 AT CULLOUHEE, N.C. (7:30 P.M.)

Ath. Dir. — Bob Waters

Spts. Infor. Dir. — Steve White

Office — (704) 293-7171

Home — (704) 293-5494

Colors — Purple & Gold

Stadium — Memorial (7,500)

Conference — Independent

Lettermen — Lost 11; Returning 32

HEAD COACH — Bob Waters (5th season) . . . 1972 record: won 7, lost 2, tied 1 . . . Record at Western Carolina: 26-12-1 . . . Lifetime record: 26-12-1.

ASSISTANTS — Don Denning, defensive coordinator; Johnny Wike, offensive line; Bob Setzer, defensive line; Don Powers, linebackers, defensive ends; Don Dalton, offensive backs.

#### SERIES HISTORY

(FAMU Leads, 1-0-0)

Year Score Winner

1972 21-17 FAMU

#### 1972 Results (7-2-1)

21	Murray St.	12
31	Tenn. Tech	13
10	Citadel	0
17	FAMU	21
24	Furman	15
14	Livingston	14
6	Miss. Coll.	20
17	J'ville St.	12
24	Presbyterian	14
35	Apalach. St.	21

#### PLAYERS TO WATCH

**Steve Yates**, 6-3, 228 line-backer, junior. AP Little All-America, N. C. Collegiate All-State.

**Jerry Gaines**, 5-9, 152 senior wide receiver. Team's leading pass receiver. Hon. mention All-American. N. C. Collegiate All-State.

#### 1973 Schedule

9-8	Tenn. Tech
9-15	at Murray St.
9-22	Apalach. St.
9-29	Mid. Tenn.
10-6	at W. Ky.
10-20	at Chatanooga
10-27	at Omaha
11-3	FAMU
11-10	Presbyterian
11-17	C-Newman

**RATTLERS OPPONENTS****SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY JAGUARS****NOV. 10 AT TAMPA, FLA. (8 P.M.)**

Ath. Dir. — U. S. Jones

Spts. Infor. Dir. — Fred Hearn

Office — (504) 771-2160

Colors — Blue &amp; Gold

Stadium — Jaguar Stadium (12,000)

Conference — SWAC

Lettermen — Lost 18, Returning 42

HEAD COACH — Carlie Bates (2nd season).

ASSISTANTS — Harry Gunner, defensive line; Gerald Kimble, offensive coordinator; James Shaw, offensive backs; Ken Tillage, offensive line.

**SERIES HISTORY**

(FAMU Leads, 16-11-1)

Year	Score	Winner
1941	10-7	FAMU
1946	38-19	SU
1947	13-9	FAMU
1948	32-12	SU
1949	31-13	SU
1950	0-0	Tie
1951	36-6	Tie
1951	36-6	FAMU
1952	25-13	SU
1953	33-25	FAMU

Year	Score	Winner
1954	59-20	SU
1955	51-0	FAMU
1956	34-6	FAMU
1957	32-6	FAMU
1958	35-6	SU
1959	21-14	FAMU
1960	14-6	SU
1961	46-0	FAMU
1962	25-0	FAMU

Year	Score	Winner
1963	37-0	FAMU
1964	43-20	SU
1965	41-38	FAMU
1966	17-13	SU
1967	36-25	FAMU
1968	33-25	FAMU
1969	10-7	FAMU
1970	40-19	SU
1971	13-9	SU
1972	27-13	FAMU

**1972 Results  
(2-7-1)**

24	Tuskegee	19
0	Tex. Sou.	37
20	Prarie View	7
13	Miss. Valley	23
7	Pine Bluff	7
17	Jackson St.	22
3	Alcorn	40
0	Tenn. State	35
13	FAMU	27
0	Grambling	2

**PLAYERS TO WATCH**

**Henry Greene**, 6-1, 210 junior halfback. All-Conference. Most Valuable Offensive Back at Southern.

**Godwin Turk**, 6-3, 235 senior monsterman. All-Conference for two consecutive years, team captain., All-Louisiana player.

**1973 Schedule**

9-8	Tuskegee
9-15	Tex. Sou.
9-22	Prarie View
9-29	Miss. Valley
10-6	Pine Bluff
10-13	at J. State
10-20	at Alcorn
10-27	Tenn. State
11-10	FAMU
11-17	at Grambling
11-24	at S. Clara

**RATTLERS OPPONENTS****BETHUNE-COOKMAN WILDCATS****NOV. 17 AT TALLAHASSEE (7:30 P.M.)**

Ath. Dir. — Lloyd Johnson

Spts. Infor. Dir. — Roscoe Camp

Office — (904) 253-1272

Home — (904) 255-4837

Colors — Maroon &amp; Gold

Stadium — Welch Memorial (6,000)

Conference — SIAC

Lettermen — Lost 14, Returning 34

**HEAD COACH — Wesley Moore (1st season)****ASSISTANTS —** Bobby Frazier, backfield; Jack McClarien, offensive ends; Lloyd Johnson, defense; John Cvercko, defense.**SERIES HISTORY****(FAMU Leads, 22-1-0)**

Year	Score	Winner
1947	6-0	FAMU
1950	33-7	FAMU
1951	26-13	FAMU
1952	8-7	B-CC
1953	39-7	FAMU
1955	32-0	FAMU
1956	54-6	FAMU
1957	45-6	FAMU

Year	Score	Winner
1958	29-0	FAMU
1959	68-6	FAMU
1960	97-0	FAMU
1961	76-0	FAMU
1962	52-6	FAMU
1963	38-14	FAMU
1964	31-14	FAMU
1965	47-8	FAMU

Year	Score	Winner
1966	37-13	FAMU
1967	30-6	FAMU
1968	23-20	FAMU
1969	60-15	FAMU
1970	20-9	FAMU
1971	33-20	FAMU
1972	28-18	FAMU

**1972 Results  
(4-5-1)**

14	S. C. State	15
56	M. Brown	13
22	Ala. A&M	47
14	Albany St.	14
9	Savannah St.	20
23	Tuskegee	37
22	Jackson St.	17
61	Ala. State	8
42	Kentucky St.	18
18	FAMU	28

**PLAYERS TO WATCH**

**Randy Walker**, 6-2, 192 junior running back. Leading rusher and scorer for Wildcats. Set new conference rushing record.

**Randy Straghn**, 5-11, 205 junior linebacker. Most Outstanding Wildcat defensive player. All-Southern Inter-collegiate Athletic Conference.

**1973 Schedule**

9-8	S. C. State
9-22	at M. Brown
9-29	Ala. A&M
10-6	Albany St.
10-13	Sav. St.
10-20	Tuskegee
10-27	at J. State
11-3	Ala. State
11-10	at Ky. State
11-17	at FAMU
11-24	Gen. Fla. Classic

## **RATTLERS OPPONENTS**

### **ALBANY STATE GOLDEN RAMS**

#### **DEC. 1 AT TALLAHASSEE (7:30 P.M.)**

Ath. Dir. — Rudy V. Patterson

Spts. Infor. Dir. — Alvin Benson

Office — (912) 435-3411

Colors — Royal Blue & Gold

Stadium — Mills Memorial (11,500)

Conference — SIAC

Lettermen — Lost 4, Returning 20

HEAD COACH — Hampton Smith . . . 1972 record: won 7, lost 2, tied 1  
. . . Record at Albany State: 10-7-2 . . . Lifetime record: 10-7-2.

ASSISTANTS — Robert Cross, John Wilson, Percy Butler.

#### **SERIES HISTORY**

(Albany State Leads 1-0-0)

Year Score Winner

1972 21-6 ASC

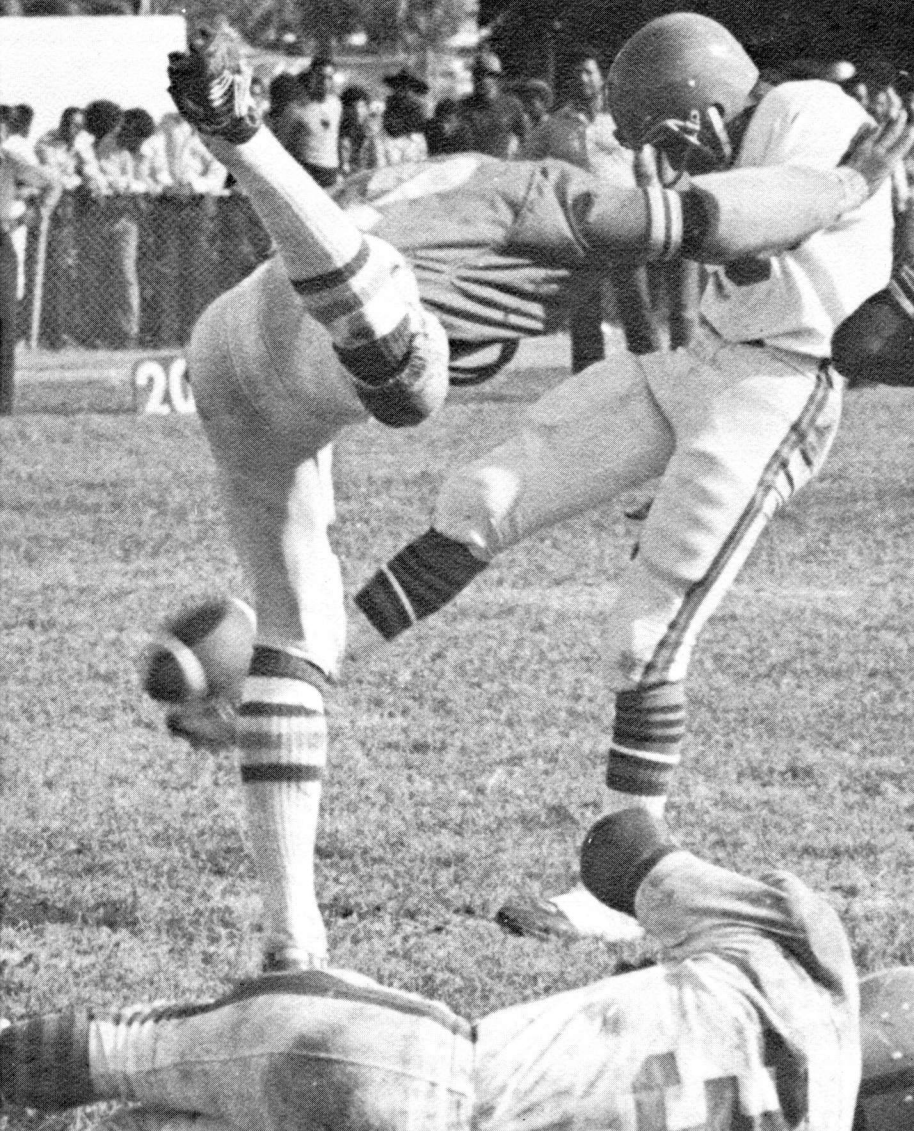
#### **1972 Results (7-2-1)**

3	Kentucky St.	27
8	Ala. A&M	22
17	Tuskegee	10
14	B-Cookman	14
20	Ala. State	14
31	M. Brown	20
21	Clark	6
15	Savannah St.	0
21	FAMU	6

#### **1973 Schedule**

9-15	Kentucky St.
9-22	Ala. A&M
9-29	at Tuskegee
10-6	at B-Cookman
10-13	Alabama St.
10-27	at M. Brown
11-3	Clark
11-10	at Sav. St.
11-17	Ft. Valley St.
12-1	at FAMU

REFLECTIONS. 1972 IN REVIEW



**N. C. A&T 22, FAMU 20**  
**Sept. 23, at Tallahassee**

This game marked the debut of new head coach Jim Williams and the contest was one of the most exciting of the season.

It was a see-saw struggle for almost three quarters until the Aggies were able to put it away.

A pass interception set up the first score for A&T in the first quarter and the Aggies scored on a four-yard keeper by quarterback Len Reliford and took a 7-0 lead.

FAMU quarterback Kenny Holt pulled the same trick for the Rattlers to tie the game at 7-all in the second period on a four-yard keeper. Holt then ran one in from 16 yards out and FAMU led 14-7 after Greg Coleman's two placements.

A&T then scored 15 consecutive points over the next two periods.

**THE YARDSTICK**

	<b>A&amp;T</b>	<b>A&amp;M</b>
First Downs	9	12
Rushing Yards	167	69
Passing Yards	70	123
Total Offense	237	192
Passes Attempted	20	16
Passes Completed	6	9
Interceptions by	1	0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	2-2
Punts	9	7
Average	36.0	43.7
Penalties-Yards	6-58	5-42

**Score by Quarters:**

<b>A&amp;T</b>	7	3	12	0	—	22
<b>A&amp;M</b>	0	14	0	6	—	20

**Scoring Summaries:**

A&T—Reliford 4 run (Guy kick)  
 A&M—Holt 4 run (Coleman kick)  
 A&M—Holt 16 run (Coleman kick)  
 A&T—Guy 24 FG  
 A&T—Stanfield 64 run (run fail)  
 A&T—Medley 2 pass from Reliford  
 (kick fail)  
 A&M—Rackley 4 run (run fail)

**FAMU 21, Western Carolina 17**  
**September 30, at Tallahassee**

Everybody's vote for the most thrilling game of the season for the Rattlers would have to go to this one that FAMU was able to pull out in the final 17 seconds.

Western Carolina, ranked No. 8 in the nation's small college polls, came to Tallahassee the odds-on favorite to hand the Rattlers their second consecutive setback.

The Rattlers played the Cata-mounts toe-to-toe, though, and wound up on the long end of the score at the final gun.

A&M actually drew first blood on an eight-yard TD jaunt by Kenny Holt in the second period. WCU tied it briefly but the Rattlers came back to lead 14-7 at half-time.

**THE YARDSTICK**

	<b>WCU</b>	<b>A&amp;M</b>
First Downs	19	15
Rushing Yards	212	104
Passing Yards	262	199
Total Offense	474	303
Passes Attempted	21	25
Passes Completed	11	14
Interceptions by	0	1
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	6-4
Punts	4	8
Average	35.5	40.6
Penalties-Yards	6-68	4-40

**Score by Quarters:**

<b>WCU</b>	0	7	7	3	—	17
<b>A&amp;M</b>	0	14	0	7	—	21

**Scoring Summaries:**

A&M—Holt 8 run (Coleman kick)  
 WCU—Hackett 1 run (Joyce kick)  
 A&M—Coast 9 pass from Holt  
 (Coleman kick)  
 WCU—Hackett 9 run (Joyce kick)  
 WCU—Joyce 42 FG  
 A&M—Lingo 12 pass from Holt  
 (Coleman kick)



**Alabama State 13, FAMU 8  
Oct. 7, at Montgomery, Ala.**

The Rattlers didn't know it at the time but this game, the first Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Conference encounter of the season, would signal the end (at least for 1972) of the A&M monopoly on SIAC conference championships.

FAMU suffered through seven turnovers — four fumbles and three interceptions — and literally handed the game to the hometown Hornets.

The Rattlers outplayed State this time everywhere but on the scoreboard. FAMU had 20 first downs to State's eight, outrushed them 107-45, outpassed them 203-57 and outgained them in total offense 310-102.

**THE YARDSTICK**

	A&M	ASU
First Downs	20	8
Rushing Yards	107	45
Passing Yards	203	57
Total Offense	310	102
Passes Attempted	21	14
Passes Completed	11	2
Interceptions by	3	0
Fumbles-Lost	7-4	2-1
Punts	6	9
Average	49.8	40.1
Penalties-Yards	8-95	9-72

**Score by Quarters:**

A&M	0	0	2	6	— 8
ASC	7	6	0	0	— 13

**Scoring Summaries:**

- ASU—Broadnax 1 run (L. Williams kick)
- ASU—Ross 59 pass from E. Williams (kick fail)
- A&M—Safety, ball rolled out of end zone
- A&M—Cook 1 pass from Holt (pass fail)

**FAMU 42, Morris Brown 14  
Oct. 14, at Atlanta, Ga.**

Sophomore running back James Rackley had his best game of the season and the Rattlers poured it on in this one.

After the disgusting loss at Alabama State, Coach Williams had his squad at its peak for Morris Brown.

Rackley scored on the longest run of his career and had his second 100+ yard game.

The Rattlers scored in each quarter and finished the game with a three-touchdown fourth quarter.

**THE YARDSTICK**

	A&M	MBC
First Downs	17	12
Rushing Yards	302	40
Passing Yards	10	100
Total Offense	312	140
Passes Attempted	8	28
Passes Completed	2	7
Interceptions by	6	0
Fumbles-Lost	3-2	4-2
Punts	6	4
Average	30.0	27.0
Penalties-Yards	13-148	9-80

**Score by Quarters:**

A&M	7	7	7	21	— 42
MBC	0	0	7	7	— 14

**Scoring Summaries:**

- A&M—Rackley 53 run (Coleman kick)
- A&M—Warren 4 run (Coleman kick)
- MBC—Smith 20 pass from Thompson (Banks kick)
- A&M—Moore 2 run (Coleman kick)
- A&M—Wright 1 run (kick fail)
- MBC—Jenkins 90 kickoff return (Banks kick)
- A&M—Rackley 28 run (Baker run)
- A&M—Baker 10 run (Coleman kick)

**Tennessee State 44, FAMU 25****Oct. 21 at Tallahassee**

Tennessee State opened up with two long bombs that gave the visiting Tigers a 17 point lead and blew the Rattlers' cool to the extent that they could never recover.

FAMU fought back courageously after being down by 17 points to the once-beaten Tigers but could never quite catch up.

Trailing 24-6 at the half, FAMU blazed out in the third quarter with two quick touchdowns and pulled within six at 24-18 but TSU recovered and got 13 points of its own in the period.

**THE YARDSTICK**

	TSU	A&M
First Downs	20	18
Rushing Yards	184	275
Passing Yards	242	100
Total Offense	426	375
Passes Attempted	15	18
Passes Completed	11	6
Interceptions by	3	3
Fumbles-Lost	3-2	1-1
Punts	1	4
Average	51.0	38.0
Penalties-Yards	11-108	10-124

**Score by Quarters:**

TSU	14	10	13	7	—	44
A&M	0	6	12	7	—	25

**Scoring Summaries:**

TSU—Smith 78 pass from Pettiford (Reese kick)

TSU—Pettiford 3 run (Reese kick)

TSU—Reese 22 FG

A&M—Holt 4 run (kick fail)

TSU—Smith 21 pass from Pettiford (Reese kick)

A&M—Holt 1 run (run fail)

A&M—Rackley 1 run (kick fail)

TSU—Thomas 6 run (pass fail)

TSU—Thomas 19 run (Reese kick)

TSU—Reese 4 run (Reese kick)

A&M—Wright 2 run (Coleman kick)

**Tuskegee 17, FAMU 6****Oct. 28 at Tallahassee**

Tuskegee Institute's Golden Tigers spoiled the Rattlers' homecoming with their 17-6 setback.

An early slip of a Rattler pass receiver deep in FAMU territory set the pattern of this game that would belong to Tuskegee in the end.

The Rattlers had the ball and were moving effectively. Fred Warren circled out of the back-field for a short pass from Kenny Holt, but slipped on the field wet the day before by a heavy rain. The ball sailed into the hands of Tuskegee's Richard Harkins and the Tigers set up shop on the FAMU 23.

They got only a 27 yard field goal out of the turnover but the Rattler coaches agree that this play was the turning point in the game.

**THE YARDSTICK**

	TI	A&M
First Downs	13	18
Rushing Yards	165	165
Passing Yards	112	95
Total Offense	277	260
Passes Attempted	13	16
Passes Completed	6	5
Interceptions by	2	0
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	2-2
Punts	5	2
Average	32.6	42.5
Penalties-Yards	8-104	8-94

**Score by Quarters:**

TI	0	3	14	0	—	17
A&M	0	6	0	0	—	6

**Scoring Summaries:**

TI—Stanley 27 FG

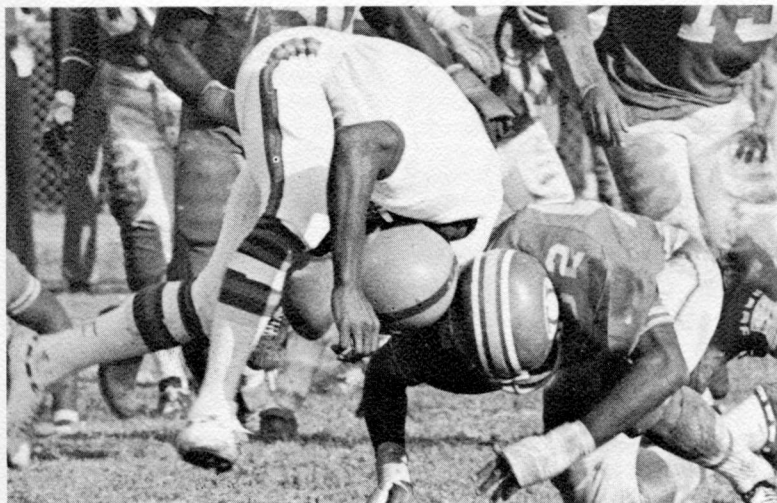
A&M—Warren 1 run (kick fail)

TI—Stanley 4 run (Stanley kick)

TI—Cook 5 pass from Riggins (Stanley kick)



**Miss FAMU, Deborah Richardson (center) and her court, Bonnie Lewis, Sophomore Attendant (left) and Phyllis Wilcox (Junior Attendant).**



**Rattlers and Tigers rub noses in rugged homecoming contest.**

**Tampa 26, FAMU 9****Nov. 4 at Tampa**

The Rattlers jumped on the Spartans early but could not hold on to the lead as Tampa came from behind and won 26-9.

The game was played with the same gusto and competitive spirit that had become a tradition in the brief series.

FAMU scored a quick safety and took a 2-0 lead. Tampa countered with a touchdown and led 7-6 but before the first quarter ended the Rattlers were back on top, 9-7.

It was all Tampa after that. The Spartans led 13-9 at the half and got 13 points more in the second half.

**THE YARDSTICK**

	UT	A&M
First Downs	19	14
Rushing Yards	333	143
Passing Yards	115	96
Total Offense	448	239
Passes Attempted	15	10
Passes Completed	7	5
Interceptions by	2	1
Fumbles-Lost	3-2	2-2
Punts	2	6
Average	42.5	37.0
Penalties-Yards	6-64	8-35

**Score by Quarters:**

UT	7	6	3	10	— 26
A&M	9	0	0	0	— 9

**Scoring Summaries:**

A&M—Safety, Johnson tackles Dubose in end zone

UT—Grooms recovers fumble in end zone (kick fail)

A&M—Holt 1 run (Coleman kick)

UT—Dubose 11 pass from Solomon (Cooper kick)

UT—Cooper 34 FG

UT—Cooper 40 FG

UT—Pitts 3 run (Cooper kick)

**FAMU 27, Southern 13****Nov. 11 at Baton Rouge, La.**

FAMU had to break a wishbone en route to its victory over Southern.

The Rattlers struck early when Kenny Holt hit freshman Willie Cook with a 52-yard touchdown pass early in the first period.

Southern came back briefly to tie it at 7-all on a 29-yard pass play from Dale Scott to Johnny Jackson to send the game into the second period deadlocked.

The Rattlers got two touchdowns in the third quarter — one an electrifying 76-yard punt return by freshman Ralph Kyles — and held on for the triumph.

**THE YARDSTICK**

	A&M	SU
First Downs	19	16
Rushing Yards	158	197
Passing Yards	137	105
Total Offense	295	302
Passes Attempted	12	22
Passes Completed	6	9
Interceptions by	0	0
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	4-2
Punts	3	5
Average	44.3	37.6
Penalties-Yards	7-72	6-79

**Score by Quarters:**

A&M	7	7	13	0	— 27
SU	7	0	0	6	— 13

**Scoring Summaries:**

A&M—Cook 52 pass from Holt (Coleman kick)

SU—Jackson 29 pass from Scott (Davis kick)

A&M—Warren 2 run (Coleman kick)

A&M—Kyles 76 punt return (Coleman kick)

A&M—Rackley 11 run (kick blocked)

SU—Jackson 10 pass from Johnson (pass fail)

**FAMU 28, Bethune-Cookman 18**  
**Nov. 18 at Daytona Beach**

This second showdown in two years between the two best runners in the SIAC—FAMU's James Rackley and Bethune-Cookman's Randy Walker — gave the fans many thrills.

Rackley got the best of the duel in their first meeting but Walker turned in the top performance in this one. Rackley scored once and gained nearly his weekly quota of 100 yards but Walker scored twice and went over the 100 yard mark for the eighth time of the season.

It was the arm and hands of quarterback Kenny Holt and sophomore tight end Tony Samuels that made the big play for A&M.

**THE YARDSTICK**

	<b>A&amp;M</b>	<b>BCC</b>
First Downs	17	21
Rushing Yards	156	255
Passing Yards	81	36
Total Offense	237	291
Passes Attempted	14	6
Passes Completed	7	2
Interceptions by	0	1
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	6-5
Punts	6	3
Average	42.7	35.7
Penalties-Yards	16-191	9-107

**Score by Quarters:**

A&M	7	7	7	7	— 28
B-CC	6	0	6	6	— 18

**Scoring Summaries:**

BCC—Walker 2 run (kick blocked)  
 A&M—Holt 1 run (Coleman kick)  
 A&M—Samuels 14 pass from Holt (Coleman kick)  
 BCC—Walker 3 run (run fail)  
 A&M—Samuels 17 pass from Holt (Coleman kick)  
 BCC—Peterson 30 run (run fail)  
 A&M—Rackley 4 run (Coleman kick)

**Albany State 21, FAMU 6**  
**Nov. 25 at Albany, Ga.**

The first meeting ever between the Golden Rams of Albany State and the Rattlers of Florida A&M was a most unpleasant experience for the Floridians.

In a game played in a driving rain for most of the night the Rattlers fumbled their way to their first losing season in many years as this game marked their sixth loss of the season and made their overall record 4-6 going into the Orange Blossom Classic — their final game of the season — the following week.

The Rattlers suffered six fumbles and lost three interceptions as the opportunistic Rams pounced on every opportunity and made life miserable for the Rattlers.

**THE YARDSTICK**

	<b>A&amp;M</b>	<b>ASC</b>
First Downs	19	7
Rushing Yards	223	164
Passing Yards	52	32
Total Offense	275	196
Passes Attempted	11	8
Passes Completed	4	3
Interceptions by	0	3
Fumbles-Lost	8-6	4-0
Punts	3	7
Average	40.0	37.9
Penalties-Yards	7-75	7-85

**Score by Quarters:**

A&M	0	0	0	6	— 6
ASC	7	0	0	14	— 21

**Scoring Summaries:**

ASC—Lester 18 pass from Walker (Frazier kick)  
 A&M—Samuels 6 pass from Baker (kick blocked)  
 ASC—G. Lott 7 pass from Burke (Frazier kick)  
 ASC—G. Lott 30 interception return (Frazier kick)

## FAMU 41, Maryland Eastern Shore 21

Dec. 2 at Miami

Orange was the fruit of the blossom being hailed in this Classic but blue was almost the color of the Rattlers' faces as again they had to come from behind to tame the Hawks of the University of Maryland Eastern Shore.

The Rattlers breezed to a seemingly easy 10-0 lead after one quarter but saw that lead disappear in the second period and found themselves trailing 13-10 at the half.

Coach Jim Williams regrouped his charges during intermission, though, and the crowd of partisan Rattler fans rested a little easier in their seats.

The third quarter belonged to FAMU as the Rattlers posted 10 more points to lead 20-13. They got 14 more quick ones in the final period to ice the game before the Hawks added their final eight of the night.

The Rattlers added a little more insurance late in the final quarter on a nine-yard run by Walt James.

## THE YARDSTICK

	MES	A&M
First Downs	19	13
Rushing Yards	240	168
Passing Yards	112	50
Total Offense	352	218
Passes Attempted	22	6
Passes Completed	10	2
Interceptions by	0	1
Fumbles-Lost	4-4	2-1
Punts	7	7
Average	35.0	45.3
Penalties-Yards	5-50	8-79

### Score by Quarters:

UMES	0	13	0	8	— 21
A&M	10	0	10	21	— 41

### Scoring Summaries:

A&M—Coleman 29 FG

A&M—Cook 20 pass from Montgomery (Coleman kick)

MES—Boston 15 run (kick fail)

MES—Powell 10 pass from Boston (Flowers kick)

A&M—Coleman 32 FG

A&M—Warren 1 run (Coleman kick)

A&M—Wright 1 run (Coleman kick)

MES—Wood 4 run (Miller pass from Boston)

A&M—James 9 run (Coleman kick)



Fred Warren runs to daylight as Rattlers clear massive hole in Hawks' line.

**1972 CUMULATIVE STATISTICS**  
**COMPARATIVE TEAM STATISTICS**

<b>FAMU</b>	<b>TEAM STATISTICS</b>	<b>OPPONENTS</b>
233	Points Scored	226
778	Offensive Plays	678
3093	TOTAL OFFENSIVE YARDAGE	3133
108	First Downs Rushing	96
44	First Downs Passing	42
30	First Downs by Penalty	24
182	TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	162
615	Number Attempts Rushing	494
2494	Yards Gained Rushing	2386
549	Yards Lost Rushing	467
1945	NET YARDS GAINED RUSHING	1919
163	Number Passes Attempted	184
75	Number Passes Completed	73
15	Number Passes Had Intercepted	12
1148	NET YARDS GAINED PASSING	1214
12	Number Interceptions Made	15
224	NET YARDS INTERCEPTIONS RETURNED	215
58	Number Times Punted	57
1	Number Punts Had Blocked	1
2396	Punting Yards	2407
41.3	PUNTING AVERAGE	35.9
21	Number Punts Returned	30
235	NET YARDS PUNTS RETURNED	276
41	Number Kickoffs Returned	31
833	NET YARDS KICKOFFS RETURNED	558
86	Number Times Penalized	78
995	TOTAL YARDS PENALIZED	875
34	Number Times Fumbled	39
25	NUMBER OWN FUMBLES LOST	25

**Comparative Scores by Quarters:**

FAMU	40	61	51	81 — 233
OPPONENTS	55	48	62	61 — 226



RUSHING						Avg	Avg
	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Att	Game
James Rackley	167	793	24	769	6	4.6	69.9
Fred Warren	134	538	10	528	4	3.9	48.0
Charles Whiting	53	194	24	170	0	3.2	15.5
James Early	37	156	3	153	0	4.1	30.6
Doug Davis	16	70	0	70	0	4.4	17.5
Walt James	13	67	0	67	1	5.2	8.4
Kenny Holt	106	371	310	61	7	0.6	6.8
Alphonso Wright	21	68	13	55	3	2.6	6.9
Rodney Montgomery	12	54	2	52	0	4.3	5.2
Abe Johnson	15	44	2	42	0	2.8	7.0
Calvin Moore	6	23	0	23	1	3.8	5.6
Richard Sykes	2	8	0	8	0	4.0	8.0
Michael Darby	1	7	0	7	0	7.0	7.0
Henry Lawrence	3	8	2	6	0	2.0	0.6
Nathaniel Coast	1	4	0	4	0	4.0	0.4
Clint Baker	22	63	76	-13	1	—	—
Tyrone Williams	5	26	46	-20	0	—	—
Team	1	0	37	-37	0	—	—
TOTALS	615	2494	549	1945	23	3.2	176.8
OPPONENTS	494	2386	467	1919	18	3.9	174.5

PASSING							
	Att	Comp	Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Avg
Kenny Holt	138	68	12	49	1029	6	114.3
Clint Baker	13	5	2	38	72	2	9.0
Rodney Montgomery	9	1	1	11	30	1	3.0
James Rackley	1	1	0	100	17	0	1.7
Nathaniel Coast	1	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Tyrone Williams	1	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
TOTALS	163	75	15	46	1148	9	104.4
OPPONENTS	184	73	12	40	1214	12	110.4

RECEIVING				Avg	Avg	
	No	Yds	TD	Catch	Game	Long
Willie Cook	15	381	3	25.4	34.6	57
James Black	11	117	0	10.6	29.3	26
Eddie Lingo	9	109	1	12.1	10.9	20
Nathaniel Coast	8	153	1	19.1	15.3	46
Tony Samuels	8	116	3	14.5	11.6	24
Fred Warren	8	73	0	9.1	7.3	13
Vincent Price	7	112	1	16.0	10.2	30
Charles Whiting	3	7	0	2.3	0.7	5
James Early	3	38	0	12.7	9.5	19
William Plummer	1	33	0	33.0	16.5	33
Doug Davis	1	9	0	9.0	2.3	9
James Rackley	1	0	0	0.0	0.0	0
TOTALS	75	1148	9	15.3	104.4	57
OPPONENTS	73	1214	12	16.6	110.4	78

TOTAL OFFENSE						Avg	Avg
	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Tot	Att	Game
Kenny Holt	9	244	61	1029	1090	4.5	121.1
James Rackley	11	168	769	17	786	4.7	71.5
Fred Warren	11	134	528	0	528	3.9	48.0
Charles Whiting	11	53	170	0	170	3.2	15.5
James Early	5	37	153	0	153	4.1	30.6
Rod Montgomery	10	21	52	30	82	3.9	8.2
Doug Davis	4	16	70	0	70	4.4	17.5
Walter James	8	13	67	0	67	5.2	8.4
Clint Baker	8	35	-13	72	59	1.7	7.4
Alphonso Wright	8	21	55	0	55	2.6	6.9
Abe Johnson	6	15	42	0	42	2.8	7.0
Calvin Moore	3	6	23	0	23	3.8	5.6
Richard Sykes	1	2	8	0	8	4.0	8.0
Michael Darby	1	1	7	0	7	7.0	7.0
Henry Lawrence	11	3	6	0	6	2.0	0.5
Nathaniel Coast	11	2	4	0	4	2.0	0.4
Tyrone Williams	11	6	-20	0	-20	—	—
Team	11	1	-37	0	-37	—	—
TOTALS	11	778	1945	1148	3093	4.0	281.1
OPPONENTS	11	678	1919	1214	3133	4.6	284.8

#### SCORING

TD	PAT (1)		PAT (2)		FG		Sfty	Total	Avg
	Att	Made	Att	Made	Att	Made			
Kenny Holt	7	0	0	1	0	0	0	42	4.7
James Rackley	6	0	0	2	0	0	0	36	3.3
Greg Coleman	0	29	23	0	0	9	2	29	2.6
Fred Warren	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	2.2
Willie Cook	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	1.6
Tony Samuels	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	1.6
Alphonso Wright	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	2.3
Clint Baker	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	8	1.0
Nathaniel Coast	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0.5
Walter James	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0.8
Ralph Kyles	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0.5
Eddie Lingo	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0.5
Calvin Moore	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	2.0
Vincent Price	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0.5
TOTALS	33	29	23	4	1	9	2	233	21.2
OPPONENTS	31	26	21	5	0	11	6	226	20.5

#### INTERCEPTIONS

	No	Yds	TD	Long
Leroy Powell	5	85	0	33
Tyrone Williams	3	43	0	43
Felix Williams	2	68	0	44
Kenneth Mullens	1	23	0	23
Tony Bullock	1	5	0	5
TOTALS	12	224	0	44
OPPONENTS	15	215	0	38

# KICKOFF RETURNS

	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Ralph Kyles	15	350	23.3	0	46
Walter James	10	162	16.2	0	23
James Early	5	125	25.0	0	65
Vincent Price	5	99	19.8	0	22
Alphonso Wright	2	45	22.5	0	25
Charles Whiting	1	18	18.0	0	18
Alfred Pyles	1	17	17.0	0	17
Rey Robinson	1	10	10.0	0	10
Fred Warren	1	7	7.0	0	7
TOTALS	41	833	20.3	0	65
OPPONENTS	31	558	18.0	1	90

# PUNT RETURNS

	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Leroy Powell	11	91	8.3	0	33
Ralph Kyles	7	130	18.5	1	76
Felix Williams	1	6	6.0	0	6
Vincent Price	1	5	5.0	0	5
Emmitt Alexander	1	3	3.0	0	3
TOTALS	21	235	11.2	1	76
OPPONENTS	30	275	9.2	0	40

# PUNTING

	No	Yds	Avg	Long
Tyrone Williams	58	2396	41.3	84
TOTALS	58	2396	41.3	84
OPPONENTS	57	2047	35.9	66

# TACKLE CHART

	Tackles	Assists		Tackles	Assists
Benny Coffee	69	42	Tony Samuels	6	2
Claude Johnson	54	41	Fred Warren	5	3
Frank Marion	50	47	Willie Fisher	5	0
Leroy Green	48	18	Alfred Pyles	5	0
Felix Williams	35	20	Earl Thompson	4	5
Lamar Powell	34	22	Bernard Powell	4	1
Al Stevens	31	18	Ralph Hill	4	1
Neal Dent	29	12	Willie Cook	3	3
Emmitt Alexander	28	28	Charles Whiting	3	0
Leroy Powell	26	15	Gregory Douglas	2	6
Tony Bullock	26	10	Mathis Edmundson	2	3
Aubrey Childers	24	19	Nathaniel Coast	2	0
Richard Strong	17	10	Autry Denson	2	0
Kenneth Mullens	14	10	James McCalister	2	0
Johnny Carter	10	10	Dallas Brown	1	3
Bernard Kelly	10	10	George Butler	1	1
Kenneth Clark	9	3	Doug Davis	1	1
Labron Rudisill	9	3	Rasheed Travis-Bey	1	1
Donald Berry	8	8	Randall Williams	1	1
Frank Poole	8	5	Charlie Williams	1	1
Luther Dedmon	8	3	Raymond Beneby	1	0
Joe Burnett	8	2	Bobby Brinson	1	0
Tyrone Williams	8	1	D. L. Goodrum	1	0
Steve Isaac	7	4	James Rackley	1	0
Willard Dudley	7	1	William Thomas	1	0
Thad Starling	6	5	William Plummer	0	1
Henry Lawrence	6	4	Alphonso Wright	0	1

## **MODERN RATTLER RECORDS**

(since 1933)

### **ALL-TIME RECORDS**

#### **TEAM**

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WON—21 (from 9th game in 1960 to 10th game in 1962)  
MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES LOST—4 (1936)  
MOST CONSECUTIVE CONFERENCE GAMES WON—60 (1952 through 1956)  
MOST CONSECUTIVE CONFERENCE GAMES LOST—2 (1934)  
MOST CONSECUTIVE SHUTOUTS WON—7 (1938)  
MOST CONSECUTIVE SHUTOUTS LOST—2 (1943)

#### **INDIVIDUAL**

MOST CAREER TOUCHDOWNS—28 by Al Frazier (2 years, 1955-56)  
MOST CAREER FIELD GOALS—10 by Horance Lovett (1966-69)  
MOST CAREER INTERCEPTIONS—17 by Major Hazelton (1965-68)  
MOST PASS RECEPTIONS BY HALFBACK—47 by Hubert Ginn (1966-69)  
LONGEST RUN BY QUARTERBACK—97 (TD) by Steve Scruggs vs. North Carolina A&T, Nov. 8, 1969  
LONGEST TOUCHDOWN RUN—98 yards by Willie Galimore vs. Allen University, Nov. 24, 1956

### **SINGLE-SEASON TEAM RECORDS**

#### **ATTENDANCE**

54,853 (1969) for 4 games  
played in Tallahassee  
138,124 (1969) for 6 games  
when FAMU was host team  
187,769 (1969) for season of  
9 games

#### **MOST POINTS SCORED**

FAMU 515 (10 games, 1960)  
OPP. 251 (11 games, 1971)

#### **FEWEST POINTS SCORED**

FAMU 31 (7 games, 1943)  
OPP. 7 (8 games, 1938)

#### **MOST SHUTOUTS WON**

FAMU 7 (1938)  
OPP. 3 (1936)

#### **FEWEST TOUCHDOWNS SCORED**

FAMU 5 (1943)  
OPP. 1 (1938)

#### **MOST FIRST DOWNS MADE**

FAMU 198 (1962)  
OPP. 162 (1972)

#### **FEWEST FIRST DOWNS MADE**

FAMU 69 (1943)  
OPP. 53 (1938)

#### **MOST NET RUSHING YARDS**

FAMU 3,325 (1957)  
OPP. 1919 (1972)

#### **FEWEST NET RUSHING YARDS**

FAMU 501 (1943)  
OPP. 396 (1959)

## MODERN RATTLER RECORDS

LARGEST WINNING POINT SPREAD  
FAMU 473 points (1961) (F  
506, Opp. 33)

SMALLEST WINNING POINT  
SPREAD  
FAMU 24 points (1966) (F 245,  
Opp. 221)  
Opp. 7 points (1970) (Opp.  
194, F 187)

MOST GAMES WON  
FAMU 10 (1953, 59 & 61)  
OPP. 6 (1972)

FEWEST GAMES WON  
FAMU 1 (1943) Record was  
1-2-4  
OPP. 0 (1953, 59 & 61)

MOST TOUCHDOWNS SCORED  
FAMU 71 (1959)  
OPP. 34 (1971)

MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS  
FAMU 615 (1972)  
OPP. 509 (1958)

FEWEST RUSHING ATTEMPTS  
FAMU 347 (1964)  
OPP. 272 (1957)

MOST FUMBLES  
FAMU 37 (1959)  
OPP. 39 (1972)

FEWEST FUMBLES  
FAMU 25 (1969)  
OPP. 18 (1957 & 58)

MOST FUMBLES LOST  
FAMU 25 (1972)  
OPP. 25 (1972)

FEWEST FUMBLES LOST  
FAMU 7 (1957)  
OPP. 4 (1958)

MOST NET PASSING YARDS  
FAMU 1,889 (1967)  
OPP. 1,586 (1965)

FEWEST NET PASSING YARDS  
FAMU 481 (1958)  
OPP. 543 (1957)  
Opp. 113 points (1943) (Opp.  
144, F 31)

MOST NET YARDS TOTAL  
OFFENSE  
FAMU 4,053 (1956)  
OPP. 3,133 (1972)

FEWEST NET YARDS TOTAL  
OFFENSE  
FAMU 996 (1943)  
OPP. 951 (1938)

MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED  
FAMU 219 (1970)  
OPP. 253 (1967)

FEWEST PASSES ATTEMPTED  
FAMU 69 (1957)  
OPP. 140 (1957)

MOST PASSES COMPLETED  
FAMU 128 (1970)  
OPP. 93 (1967)

FEWEST PASSES COMPLETED  
FAMU 24 (1957)  
OPP. 35 (1958)

MOST YARDS PENALIZED  
FAMU 1063 (1971)  
OPP. 875 (1972)

FEWEST YARDS PENALIZED  
FAMU 546 (1957)  
OPP. 282 (1957)

MOST TIMES PUNTED  
FAMU 69 (1971)  
OPP. 73 (1959)

FEWEST TIMES PUNTED  
FAMU 18 (1956)  
OPP. 40 (1969)

HIGHEST PUNTING AVERAGE  
FAMU 41.9 (1967)  
OPP. 38.9 (1971)

LOWEST PUNTING AVERAGE  
FAMU 27.8 (1957)  
OPP. 27.6 (1959)

## **MODERN RATTLER RECORDS**

### **MOST INTERCEPTIONS**

FAMU 30 (1959 & 61)

OPP. 21 (1963)

### **FEWEST INTERCEPTIONS**

FAMU 11 (1956 & 58)

OPP. 1 (1957)

### **MOST PUNTING YARDS**

FAMU 2,591 (1971)

OPP. 2,488 (1971)

### **FEWEST PUNTING YARDS**

FAMU 778 (1956)

OPP. 1,356 (1969)

## **INDIVIDUAL SINGLE-SEASON RECORDS**

### **RUSHING**

**MOST ATTEMPTS**—191 by James Rackley (1971)

**NET YARDS GAINED**—820 by Willie Galimore (1956)

**BEST AVERAGE** (Min. 50 carries)—12.5 by Al Frazier (1955)

**MOST TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING**—15 by Willie Galimore (1956) and James Rackley (1971)

### **PASSING**

**MOST ATTEMPTS**—216 by Steve Scruggs (1970)

**MOST COMPLETIONS**—128 by Steve Scruggs (1970)

**BEST PERCENTAGE**—59.3 (128-216) by Steve Scruggs (1970)

**MOST TD PASSES**—15 by James Tullis (1963)

**MOST NET YARDS PASSING**—1,576 by Steve Scruggs (1970)

### **RECEIVING**

**MOST RECEPTIONS**—50 by Al Sykes (1970)

**MOST RECEPTION YARDS**—694 by Al Sykes (1970)

**MOST TD RECEPTIONS**—10 by John Eason (1967)

### **INTERCEPTIONS**

**MOST INTERCEPTIONS**—7 by Major Hazelton (1966) and Leroy Charlton (1969)

**MOST INTERCEPTION RETURN YARDS**—186 by Calvin Lang (1964)

### **SCORING**

**MOST POINTS**—118 by Al Frazier (1956)

**MOST TOUCHDOWNS**—16 by Willie Galimore and Al Frazier (1956)

**MOST CONVERSIONS (KICKING)**—27 by Horace Lovett (1969)

**MOST CONVERSIONS (RUNNING)**—6 by Ernie Hart (1964)

**MOST CONVERSIONS (PASSING)**—7 by Ken Riley (1967)

**MOST TOTAL CONVERSIONS**—28 by Horace Lovett (1966)

**MOST FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS**—19 by John Champion (1971)

**MOST FIELD GOALS MADE**—8 by John Champion (1971)

## MODERN RATTLER RECORDS

### MISCELLANEOUS INDIVIDUAL SINGLE-SEASON RECORDS

MOST KICKOFF RETURN YARDS—690 by Joe Williams (1965)  
MOST KICKOFF RETURNS—24 by Joe Williams (1965)  
MOST TIMES PUNTED—65 by John Champion (1971)  
MOST PUNTING YARDS—2591 by John Champion (1971)  
MOST PUNT RETURNS—22 by Joe Williams (1967)  
MOST PUNT RETURN YARDS—443 by Joe Williams (1965)  
BEST PUNTING AVERAGE (30 punts)—43.3 by John Eason (1966)

### TEAM SINGLE-GAME RECORDS

#### ATTENDANCE

47,191 (1961 OB Classic)

#### MOST POINTS SCORED

FAMU 97 vs. B-CC (1960)  
OPP. 59 by Southern (1954)

#### MOST FIRST DOWNS

FAMU 32 vs. B-CC (1969)  
OPP. 24 by T. State (1967)

#### FEWEST FIRST DOWNS

FAMU 7 vs. NC A&T (1971)  
OPP. 2 by M. Brown (1964)

#### MOST NET YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE

FAMU 514 vs. B-CC (1969)  
OPP. 561 by Tampa (1969)

#### FEWEST YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE

FAMU 106 vs. T. State (1965)  
OPP. 1 by M. Brown (1964)

#### MOST NET YARDS RUSHING

FAMU 476 vs. Md. St. (1957)  
OPP. 432 by Tampa (1971)

#### FEWEST NET YARDS RUSHING

FAMU (-93) vs. Alcorn (1968)  
OPP. (-48) by B-CC (1968)

#### MOST PASSING YARDS

FAMU 334 vs. B-CC (1967)  
OPP. 423 by Tampa (1969)

#### FEWEST PASSING YARDS

FAMU 11 vs. M. Brown (1968)  
OPP. (-5) by B-CC (1969)

#### MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES

FAMU 4 vs. NC A&T (1963)  
OPP. 4 by Alcorn (1968) &  
Southern (1970)

#### MOST TIMES FUMBLED

FAMU 9 vs. NC A&T (1968)  
& Jax., Ala. State (1970)  
OPP. 13 by NC A&T (1968)

#### MOST FUMBLES LOST

FAMU 5 vs. NC A&T (1968)  
OPP. 9 by NC A&T (1968)

#### MOST YARDS PENALIZED

FAMU 212 vs. B-CC (1970)  
OPP. 161 by Tenn. State (1970)

#### FEWEST YARDS PENALIZED

FAMU 20 vs. Gram. (1967)  
OPP. 5 by M. Brown (1959)

#### MOST INTERCEPTIONS

FAMU 9 vs. Wiley (1959)  
OPP. 4 by Southern (1967 &  
1970) & Tenn. St. (1971)

#### MOST PUNTS

FAMU 10 vs. B-CC (1959)  
OPP. 12 by Cen. St. (1964)

#### HIGHEST PUNTING AVERAGE

FAMU 50.0 vs. M. Brown (1969)  
OPP. 55.6 by Allen (1965)

#### LOWEST PUNTING AVERAGE

FAMU 20.5 vs. Lincoln (1955)  
OPP. 15.8 by B-CC (1971)

#### MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED

FAMU 36 vs. M. Brown (1970)  
OPP. 36 by Tenn. St. (1971)

#### MOST PASSES COMPLETED

FAMU 20 vs. M. Brown (1970)  
OPP. 23 by Tampa (1969)



## MODERN RATTLER RECORDS

### INDIVIDUAL SINGLE-GAME RECORDS

#### LONGEST TOUCHDOWN RUN

FAMU 98 yards by Willie Galimore vs. Allen (1956)

OPP. 80 by Alfred Haywood, (B-CC, 1969)

#### MOST NET RUSHING YARDS

FAMU 295 by Willie Galimore vs. Md. State (1955)

OPP. 224 by Boyce Callahan (Jax, Ala. State, 1970)

#### MOST CARRIES

FAMU 29 by James Rackley vs. Ky. State (1971)

OPP. 32 by Boyce Callahan (Jax. Ala. State, 1970)

#### MOST PASSING YARDS

FAMU 276 by Steve Scruggs vs. M. Brown (1970)

OPP. 423 by Jim Del Gaizo, (Tampa, 1969)

#### MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES

FAMU 4 by James Tullis vs. NC A&T (1963)

OPP. 4 by Marvin Weeks (Alcorn, 1968)

#### LONGEST PASS COMPLETION

FAMU 81 yards by Steve Scruggs to Al Sykes vs. NC A&T (1969)

OPP. 85 yards by Matt Reed to Frank Lewis (Grambling, 1969)

#### MOST INTERCEPTIONS THROWN

FAMU 4 by Ken Riley vs. Southern (1967)

OPP. 5 by Dave Boone, (T. State, 1963) and Onree Jackson, (Ala. A&M, 1968)

#### MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED

FAMU 36 by Steve Scruggs vs. M. Brown (1970)

OPP. 47 by Jim Del Gaizo, (Tampa, 1969)

#### MOST PASSES COMPLETED

FAMU 20 by Steve Scruggs vs. M. Brown (1970)

OPP. 23 by Jim Del Gaizo, (Tampa, 1969)

#### BEST PASSING PERCENTAGE

FAMU 77.7 (14 of 18) by Ken Riley vs. B-CC (1968)

OPP. 57.1 (16-28) by B. Carter (Tampa, 1970)

#### MOST PASS RECEPTIONS

FAMU 9 by Al Sykes vs. B-CC (1969)

OPP. 8 by James Sliker (Tampa, 1969)

#### LONGEST INTERCEPTION

##### RETURN

FAMU 92 yards by Otis Collier vs. T. State (1967)

OPP. 77 yards Ed Nesbitt, (NC A&T, 1956)

#### LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN

FAMU 87 yards by Willie Galimore vs. B-CC (1956)

OPP. 89 yards by Louis Porter (Southern, 1969)

#### LONGEST PUNT RETURN

FAMU 95 yards by Leroy Hardee vs. SC State (1958)

OPP. 83 yards by Nolan Smith (T. State, 1963)

### MISCELLANEOUS INDIVIDUAL

#### SINGLE-GAME RECORDS

MOST POINTS SCORED—24 by Willie Galimore vs. T. State (1956)

MOST TOUCHDOWNS—4 by Willie Galimore vs. T. State (1956)

MOST CONVERSIONS—5 by Al Frazier vs. Xavier (N.O., 1956)

LONGEST PUNT—67 yards by John Eason vs. Tex. Southern (1967)

# **FAMU'S ALL-AMERICANS**

PLAYER	POSITION	YEAR
Bragg, Eugene	Back	1926
Butler, Henry	Back	1935, 1938
Calhoun, Solomon	Tackle	1934
Childs, Clarence	Back	1959, 1960
Cromartie, Leroy	Back	1945
Crowell, Carl	Guard	1956, 1957
Curtis, Ulysses	Back	1948
Daniels, David	Tackle	1965
Denson, Alfred	End	1962, 1963
Devait, C. J.	Center	1935
Eason, John	End	1967
Everett, James	Back	1934, 1935
Frazier, Adolphus	Back	1955, 1956
Galimore, Willie	Back	1954, 1955, 1956
Gant, R. R.	Guard	1941
Gary, Wilbur	Center	1947
Gentry, Howard	Tackle	1941
Ginn, Hubert	Back	1969
Gladden, Calvin	Tackle	1955
Griffin, Robert "Pete"	Center	1938
Hardee, Leroy	Back	1958
Hazelton, Major	Back	1967
Hepburn, Akin	Back	1952
Horton, William	End	1940
Howard, John A.	Back	1944
Ingraham, Bernard	Back	1945
Jones, Tom	Back	1938
Kenchon, William	Center	1951
Kittles, Costa	End	1950
Lawrence, Henry	Tackle	1972
Lovett, Horace	Guard	1969
McCaskill, Jimmy	Center	1969
McKeekins, Alphonso	Guard	1937
Marshall, Samuel	Guard	1953
Mays, Jesse	End	1939
Miranda, Curtis	Center	1961
Mitchell, Bradley	End	1947, 1948
Montgomery, Theo	Back	1946
Moore, James	Back	1952
Neeley, Murray	Tackle	1938
Paremore, Robert	Back	1961, 1962
Powell, Nathaniel	End	1947
Robinson, Arthur	End	1964
Strachan, Stan	Back	1939
Tullis, James	Back	1963
Varner, Alphonso	Tackle	1951
Wilder, Vernon	Tackle	1957
Williams, Archie	Center	1964
Williams, Jim	Back	1948
Williams, Macon	Back	1942
Wyche, Willie	Tackle	1958

## PRO HONOR ROLL

### FAMU Graduates Active In Professional Football

TEAM	PLAYER(S)
CHARLESTON (W. VA.) Rockets	Freddie Miller, Running Back Signed as Free Agent, 1965
CINCINNATI BENGALS	Ken Riley, Defensive Back Drafted 6th, 1969
DALLAS COWBOYS	Bob Hayes, Wide Receiver Drafted 7th, 1964
** HAMILTON (ONT.) TIGER-CATS	Willie Taylor, Center Signed as Free Agent, 1960  Walt Highsmith, Center Signed as Free Agent, 1972
**JERSEY JAYS	Sharon Stallworth, Offensive Guard Traded from Charleston, 1969
MIAMI DOLPHINS	Hubert Ginn, Running Back, Drafted 9th, 1970
MINNESOTA VIKINGS	Charles Goodrum, Offensive Guard Drafted 9th, 1972
NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS	Al Sykes, Wide Receiver Drafted 12th, 1971
NEW YORK JETS	Roger Finnie, Offensive Tackle Drafted 14th, 1969
OAKLAND RAIDERS	Hewritt Dixon, Running Back Traded from Denver, 1966 Carleton Oates, Defensive End Drafted 21st, 1964
PITTSBURGH STEELERS	Glen Edwards, Defensive Back Signed as Free Agent, 1971
SAN DIEGO CHARGERS	Melvin Rogers, Linebacker Signed as Free Agent, 1971

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\*\*\*Canadian Football League

# RATTLERS' FOOTBALL RECORD SINCE 1933

(Won 284, Lost 75, Tied 13)

1933 (4-1-0)			1938 (8-0-0)		
6	Alabama State	32	17	Alabama State	0
26	Benedict	0	41	South Carolina State	0
43	Clafflin	0	40	Tuskegee Institute	0
13	Morehouse	7	33	Clark	0
9	Howard U. (OBC)	6	16	Morris Brown	0
97		45	13	N. Carolina A&T	0
			20	Knoxville	0
			9	Kentucky State (OBC)	7
			189		7
1934 (4-2-0)			1939 (6-2-1)		
7	Alabama State	0	6	Alabama State	9
0	South Carolina State	6	13	South Carolina State	0
7	Tuskegee Institute	26	20	Tuskegee Institute	6
6	Morris Brown	3	0	N. Carolina A&T	0
6	Straight College	0	14	Morris Brown	12
13	Virginia State (OBC)	12	6	Lane	25
39		47	20	N. Carolina College	7
			33	Xavier (La.)	0
			42	Wiley (OBC)	0
			154		59
1935 (4-4-1)			1940 (6-1-3)		
0	Alabama State	7	6	Alabama State	7
24	Benedict	6	20	South Carolina State	0
7	South Carolina State	0	32	Benedict	7
3	Tuskegee Institute	0	20	Morris Brown	13
0	Morris Brown	21	7	Lane	6
7	Alcorn	0	7	N. Carolina A&T	0
13	LeMoyne	19	7	Kentucky State	7
10	Kentucky State	19	14	Xavier (La.)	12
64		72	7	N. Carolina College	7
			0	Wilberforce (OBC)	0
			120		59
1936 (2-4-1)			1941 (8-1-0)		
0	Alabama State	0	22	Alabama State	0
9	South Carolina State	0	20	Benedict	0
14	Tuskegee Institute	13	0	Morris Brown	20
3	Clark	6	48	Lane	0
0	LeMoyne	26	19	N. Carolina A&T	0
7	Alcorn	12	27	Xavier (La.)	0
0	Prairie View (OBC)	6	10	Southern University	7
33		63	13	Kentucky State	0
			15	Tuskegee (OBC)	7
					34
1937 (6-1-1)					
7	Alabama State	0			
7	South Carolina State	7			
14	Clark	6			
9	Morris Brown	7			
12	Lane	0			
31	Knoxville	0			
14	Prairie View	27			
25	Hampton Inst. (OBC)	20			
119		67			
			174		

1942 (9-0-0)		
26	Alabama State	0
61	Benedict	7
14	Morris Brown	7
20	Tuskegee Institute	7
21	Lane	0
6	N. Carolina A&T	0
44	Xavier (La.)	14
32	Alabama A&M	0
12	Texas College (OBC)	6
<u>236</u>		<u>41</u>

1943 (1-4-2)		
6	Alabama State	6
6	Tuskegee Institute	19
13	Clark	9
0	Morris Brown	0
6	Ft. Benning (Ga.)	21
0	Morgan State	50
0	Hampton Institute (OBC)	30
<u>31</u>		<u>144</u>

1944 (7-3-0)		
45	Alabama State	6
14	Tuskegee Institute	13
14	Clark	7
6	Tennessee State	19
19	Morris Brown	0
33	Morehouse	0
0	Tennessee State	12
13	MacDill Field (Fla.)	7
40	Hampton Institute	0
6	Virginia State (OBC)	19
<u>190</u>		<u>83</u>

1945 (9-1-0)		
A. S. "Jake" Gaither becomes head coach		
17	Alabama State	2
39	Morris Brown	0
25	Knoxville	0
54	Tuskegee Institute	20
24	Clark	19
46	Morehouse	6
26	Wilberforce University	20
33	Louisiana Normal	12
20	Tennessee State	18
6	Wiley (OBC)	32
<u>290</u>		<u>129</u>

1946 (6-4-1)		
35	Alabama State	0
32	Clark	0
21	Tuskegee Institute	12
7	Morris Brown	0
19	Southern University	38
6	Kentucky State	13
27	Knoxville	0
14	Wilberforce Univ.	22
18	Fisk University	0
14	Lincoln Univ. (OBC)	20
0	Wiley (Los Angeles, Cal.)	6
<u>193</u>		<u>111</u>

1947 (9-1-0)		
58	Alabama State	12
33	Clark	6
19	Tuskegee Institute	6
6	Morris Brown	0
13	Southern University	9
14	Kentucky State	12
26	Knoxville	0
0	Shaw	19
6	Bethune-Cookman	0
7	Hampton Inst. (OBC)	0
<u>182</u>		<u>64</u>

1948 (8-2-0)		
41	Alabama State	0
20	Benedict	6
39	Tuskegee Institute	0
13	Morris Brown	6
23	Kentucky State	14
7	Shaw	6
26	Xavier (La.)	6
39	Clark	12
12	Southern University	32
0	Va. Union (OBC)	19
<u>217</u>		<u>101</u>

1949 (7-2-0)		
58	Tuskegee Institute	0
31	Morris Brown	20
13	Southern University	31
58	Xavier (La.)	13
55	Alcorn	7
39	Ft. Valley State	0
34	Allen University	0
13	Benedict	0
14	N. Carolina A&T (OBC)	20
<u>315</u>		<u>91</u>

1950 (7-1-1)		
20	Benedict	13
26	Tuskegee Institute	0
20	Morris Brown	0
14	N. Carolina A&T	9
26	Texas College	6
33	Bethune-Cookman	7
40	Allen University	13
0	Southern University	0
6	Central State (OBC)	13
<u>185</u>		<u>61</u>

1951 (7-1-1)		
54	Benedict	0
13	Morris Brown	20
7	N. Carolina A&T	7
48	Texas College	13
26	Bethune-Cookman	13
34	Allen University	0
36	Southern University	6
48	Ft. Valley State	0
67	N.C. College (OBC)	6
<u>333</u>		<u>65</u>

1952 (8-2-0)		
41	Benedict	7
27	Morris Brown	7
19	N. Carolina A&T	12
48	Texas College	13
7	Bethune-Cookman	8
45	Allen University	7
51	Ft. Valley State	0
10	Prarie View	7
13	Southern University	25
27	Va. State (OBC)	7
<u>288</u>		<u>93</u>

1953 (10-1-0)		
33	Texas College	0
45	Benedict	0
31	Ft. Valley State	0
8	Tyndall A. F. Base	0
20	Morris Brown	0
65	Xavier (La.)	0
39	Bethune-Cookman	7
33	N. Carolina A&T	13
28	Allen University	10
33	Southern University	25
27	Prarie View (OBC)	33
<u>362</u>		<u>88</u>

1954 (8-1-0)		
39	Texas College	14
36	Benedict	6
27	Morris Brown	7
19	Prarie View	7
25	Xavier (La.)	7
14	N. Carolina A&T	7
68	Allen University	13
20	Southern University	59
67	Maryland St. (OBC)	19
<u>315</u>		<u>139</u>

1955 (7-1-1)		
80	Benedict	6
49	Ft. Valley State	0
14	Morris Brown	6
32	Bethune-Cookman	0
60	Xavier (La.)	19
28	N. Carolina A&T	28
34	Allen University	7
51	Southern University	0
21	Grambling (OBC)	28
<u>369</u>		<u>94</u>

1956 (8-1-0)		
25	N. Carolina College	0
33	Ft. Valley State	6
46	Morris Brown	14
54	Bethune-Cookman	6
68	Xavier (La.)	6
49	N. Carolina A&T	13
58	Allen University	6
34	Southern University	6
39	Tenn. State (OBC)	41
<u>406</u>		<u>98</u>

1957 (9-0-0)		
74	Ft. Valley State	0
27	Morris Brown	0
45	Bethune-Cookman	6
40	Benedict	2
42	N. Carolina A&T	6
42	Allen University	0
32	Southern University	6
14	N. Carolina College	0
27	Md. State (OBC)	21
<u>343</u>		<u>41</u>

1958 (7-2-0)			1962 (9-1-0)		
68	Benedict	0	60	Benedict	0
13	Morris Brown	12	52	Lincoln University	6
29	Bethune-Cookman	0	36	Morris Brown	12
28	S. Carolina State	8	52	Bethune-Cookman	6
37	N. Carolina A&T	22	20	Tennessee State	0
52	Allen University	14	38	N. Carolina A&T	6
6	Southern University	35	67	Allen University	0
22	Texas Southern	18	25	Southern University	0
8	Prarie View (OBC)	26	48	Texas Southern	18
263		135	6	Jackson State (OBC)	22
			404		70
1959 (10-0-0)			1963 (8-2-0)		
74	Benedict	0	44	Lincoln University	6
64	Wiley	0	14	Benedict	0
6	Morris Brown	0	66	Morris Brown	0
68	Bethune-Cookman	6	12	Tennessee State	14
34	South Carolina State	12	54	Central State	0
28	N. Carolina A&T	16	32	N. Carolina A&T	0
52	Allen University	8	37	Southern University	0
21	Southern University	14	38	Bethune-Cookman	14
36	Texas Southern	8	14	Texas Southern	20
28	Prarie View (OBC)	7	30	Morgan State (OBC)	7
411		71	341		61
1960 (9-1-0)			1964 (9-1-0)		
68	Benedict	0	14	Lincoln University	3
48	Lincoln University	6	56	Central State	15
64	Morris Brown	0	28	Morris Brown	0
97	Bethune-Cookman	0	22	Tennessee State	20
80	South Carolina State	0	54	Benedict	6
49	N. Carolina A&T	19	46	N. Carolina A&T	24
35	Allen University	0	20	Southern University	43
6	Southern University	14	31	Bethune-Cookman	14
30	Texas Southern	8	24	Texas Southern	14
40	Langston (OBC)	26	42	Grambling (OBC)	15
515		73	337		154
1961 (10-0-0)			1965 (7-3-0)		
52	Benedict	0	25	Allen University	12
49	Lincoln University	6	19	South Carolina State	13
56	Morris Brown	0	28	Alabama A&M	14
76	Bethune-Cookman	0	23	Morris Brown	7
60	South Carolina State	0	6	Tennessee State	45
34	N. Carolina A&T	12	28	North Carolina A&T	14
71	Allen University	0	41	Southern University	38
46	Southern University	0	47	Bethune-Cookman	8
48	Texas Southern	7	21	Texas Southern	34
14	Jackson State (OBC)	8	7	Morgan St. (OBC)	36
506		33	245		221

1966 (7-3-0)		
43	Allen University	3
3	South Carolina State	8
56	Benedict	12
22	Morris Brown	15
0	Tennessee State	29
64	N. Carolina A&T	18
13	Southern University	17
37	Bethune-Cookman	13
41	Texas Southern	12
43	Alabama A&M (OBC)	26
<u>322</u>		<u>153</u>

1967 (8-2-0)		
43	Allen University	0
25	South Carolina State	0
45	Alabama A&M	36
44	Morris Brown	0
8	Tennessee State	32
63	N. Carolina A&T	6
36	Southern University	25
30	Bethune-Cookman	6
30	Texas Southern	6
25	Grambling (OBC)	28
<u>349</u>		<u>139</u>

1968 (8-2-0)		
48	Allen University	0
25	South Carolina State	3
33	Alabama A&M	7
7	Morris Brown	0
32	Tennessee State	13
6	N. Carolina A&T	9
33	Southern University	25
23	Bethune-Cookman	20
20	Texas Southern	7
9	Alcorn A&M (OBC)	36
<u>236</u>		<u>120</u>

1969 (8-1-0)		
27	South Carolina State	7
42	Alabama A&M	14
45	Morris Brown	15
20	Tennessee State	33
26	N. Carolina A&T	9
10	Southern University	7
60	Bethune-Cookman	15
34	Tampa	28
23	Grambling (OBC)	19
<u>287</u>		<u>147</u>

A. S. "Jake" Gaither retires with 203-36-4 record. Robert "Pete" Griffin becomes head coach.

1970 (5-5-0)		
33	N. Carolina A&T	0
28	South Carolina State	10
34	Alabama A&M	16
22	Morris Brown	28
10	Tennessee State	21
7	Tuskegee	0
19	Southern University	40
20	Bethune-Cookman	9
7	Tampa	49
7	Jax (Ala.) St. (OBC)	21
<u>187</u>		<u>194</u>

Robert "Pete" Griffin retires with 5-5-0 record. Clarence Montgomery becomes head coach.

1971 (6-5-0)		
9	N. Carolina A&T	6
28	South Carolina State	7
13	Alabama A&M	14
45	Morris Brown	30
8	Tennessee State	50
24	Tuskegee	17
16	Santa Clara (Cal.)	29
9	Southern	13
33	Bethune-Cookman	20
14	Tampa	56
27	Kentucky State	9
<u>226</u>		<u>251</u>

Clarence Montgomery dies. Jim Williams becomes head coach.

1972 (5-6-0)		
20	N. Carolina A&T	22
21	Western Carolina	17
8	Alabama State	13
42	Morris Brown	14
25	Tennessee State	44
6	Tuskegee	17
9	Tampa	26
27	Southern	13
28	Bethune-Cookman	18
6	Albany State	21
41	Md. E. Shore (OBC)	21
<u>233</u>		<u>226</u>





**BAND**

## THE FABULOUS MARCHING "100"

From its meager beginnings in 1892, the FAMU Band has become an institution of learning and a legend of memory for thousands. Its program and structure are diversified — yet specialized. Its motto is "Perfection in music, highest quality of character, and precision in marching."

From 1892 until the early 1940's, the FAMU Band flourished. The outbreak of World War II heavily drained the male population on the campus and a 16-piece band played only for the traditional line of march to the chapel.

After the war, FAMU, like the nation, began rebuilding internally and healing the wounds imposed by war. The man chosen for the task of rebuilding the band was William P. Foster, who joined the faculty as director of bands in 1946. Young Foster's influence and persuasive powers were soon felt and respected on the campus. Soon followed the rapid development of the Marching "100", a name that would later become internationally famous.

Foster departed from standard band tactics and techniques and began a series of innovations and experiments that have earned the envy and imitation of bands throughout the nation.

Perhaps its first and greatest single innovation was the Marching "100's" introduction of its "spine-tingling" fast cadence. In contrast to its "slow-one" counterparts that range from 24 to 80 steps per minute, the fast cadence has been clocked on numerous occasions at a fantastic 320 steps per minute.

Other creative innovations and/or elaborations on traditional techniques include intricate dance steps, emphasizing "mass move-

ment" as opposed to "static footwork", fancy arm, leg and instrument movements, deceptive facing movements, four dimensional figures formations, quick-change or "neon-flash" formations, precision drill, kaleidoscopic patterns and dance steps interwoven into one concise routine, arranging and scoring techniques to yield a spectrum of sound comparable to that of a symphonic band, and a full percussion ensemble as opposed to the usual snare drum, cymbal combination.

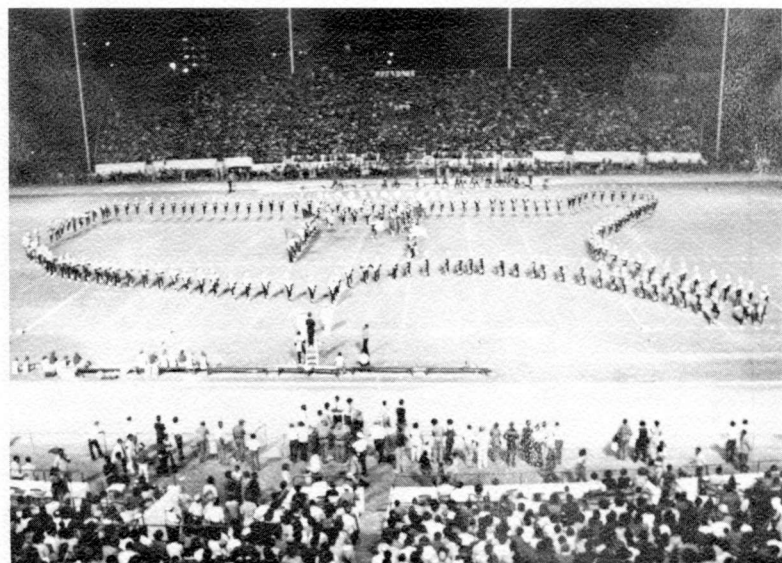
Perhaps the first signal honor that gave national recognition to the band was an invitation and subsequent participation in the 1950 Festival of States Annual Parade, becoming the first Negro band to be so honored in the then 29-year-old festival.

The group made its national television debut during the 1963 Pro Playoff Bowl in Miami's Orange Bowl Stadium in January. The demand was so great after the unprecedented half-time and post-game shows that the group was invited back the following year. Both performances were carried live nationally by CBS Sports.

Just two weeks prior to its second performance at the Pro Playoff Bowl, the band became international in its acclaim when it performed in Nassau, Bahamas, on a cultural exchange program.

The FAMU Band made its third national TV appearance at the NFL Championship Game in Cleveland (Ohio) Stadium December 27, 1964. This performance was witnessed by 78,000 people in the stadium and a TV audience estimated at 70,000,000. Tributes from all over the country came in, lauding the members for such a superb performance.





## ORANGE BLOSSOM CLASSICS/Sports Spectacular

Would you believe the first Orange Blossom Classic was conceived less than two weeks prior to that first game between Florida A&M and Howard University in 1933?

Well, it was, and if it weren't for the fast moving and talking of the late J. R. E. Lee, Jr., there probably would be no OBC today.

Lee said the idea was not original but it was he who thought of developing it for Florida. "I really conceived the idea because we used to play at Howard in an annual Thanksgiving Day Classic," he once said, "and I thought we could develop the same thing in Florida. We knew that a top notch opponent would be the key to its success or failure so our first choice was Howard."

There was little doubt that Howard was a worthy opponent and would be a magic drawing card, but things weren't quite that simple. "When we invited them they turned us down because they were playing Lincoln University on the Thursday night before our scheduled OBC, which was to be played two nights later," Lee said.

"After being turned down by the Howard Athletic Association I contacted Emmitt J. Scott, secretary-treasurer at Howard, and did a little bargaining. I told him I'd have a pullman coach waiting in Atlantic City when they finished their Thurs-

day game and all they'd have to do was board. They agreed. If they had turned down that offer there would be no Classic today," Lee added.

According to Lee, that first OBC game was played at Jacksonville's Myrtle Ave. Baseball Park before a capacity crowd of 2,000. The Rattlers won, 9-6.

In a few years the OBC had outgrown the Myrtle Ave. Park. Meanwhile, the Gator Bowl was built. "We tried to get the Gator Bowl, but they wouldn't let us have it," he said.

So, the OBC was moved to Orlando's Tinker Field, which had a capacity of 6,000. The fast-rising popularity of the Classic soon was demanding new quarters and another move was made . . . this time to Tampa's Phillips Field with its 16,000 seats. Here the OBC prospered until FAMU was invited to use Miami's Orange Bowl in 1947. That first appearance in the Orange Bowl drew 17,000.

Traditionally, the spectacular has been the Black Rose Bowl, the ultimate in Negro college post-season football. The Rattlers' opponents have been the class of the Negro colleges. In 1970, however, OBC officials demonstrated the progressive attitude of the Classic by breaking tradition and inviting Jacksonville (Ala.) State, the first predominantly white team ever to participate in the event.







Joe Black of Greyhound Corp. presents silver cups to Miss FAMU, Deborah Richardson (second from right), and Phyllis Wilcox (left) Junior Attendant, and Bonnie Lewis, Sophomore Attendant.





Mrs. Inez Kaiser of Inez Kaiser and Associates, presents Dr. W. P. Foster with check for a band scholarship donated by Lifebouy.



Kenneth Mullens receives Willie Galimore Scholarship award from Pepsi Cola officials.

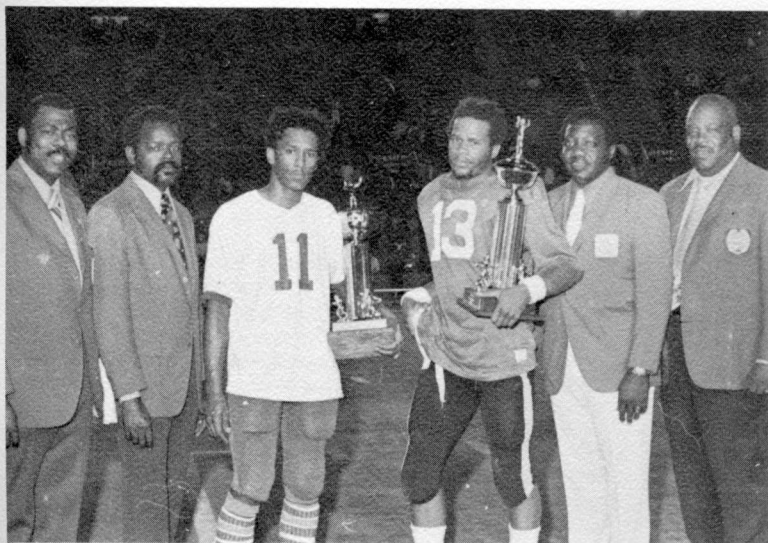


OBC Committee Chairman M. S. Thomas (right) prepares to accept the first annual J. R. E. Lee, Jr. Scholarship award from officials of Falstaff Brewing Co.



# **FAMU'S ORANGE BLOSSOM CLASSIC SCORING RECORD (21-18-1)**

Year	Opponent	Score	Winner	Year	Opponent	Score	Winner
1933	Howard Univ.	9-6	Fla. A&M	1953	Prairie View	33-27	Pr. View
1934	Virginia State	13-12	Fla. A&M	1954	Maryland State	67-19	Fla. A&M
1935	Kentucky State	19-10	Ky. State	1955	Grambling	28-21	Grambling
1936	Prarie View	25-0	Pr. View	1956	Tennessee St.	41-39	Tenn. St.
1937	Hampton Inst.	25-20	Fla. A&M	1957	Maryland State	27-21	Fla. A&M
1938	Kentucky State	9-7	Fla. A&M	1958	Prairie View	26-8	Pr. View
1939	Wiley College	42-0	Fla. A&M	1959	Prairie View	28-7	Fla. A&M
1940	Wilberforce	0-0	Tie	1960	Langston Univ.	40-26	Fla. A&M
1941	Tuskegee Inst.	15-7	Fla. A&M	1961	Jackson State	14-8	Fla. A&M
1942	Texas College	12-6	Fla. A&M	1962	Jackson State	22-6	J. State
1943	Hampton Inst.	39-0	Hampton	1963	Morgan State	30-7	Fla. A&M
1944	Virginia State	19-6	Va. State	1964	Grambling	42-15	Fla. A&M
1945	Wiley College	32-6	Wiley	1965	Morgan State	36-7	Morgan
1946	Lincoln Univ.	20-14	Lincoln	1966	Alabama A&M	43-26	Fla. A&M
1947	Hampton Inst.	7-0	Fla. A&M	1967	Grambling	28-25	Grambling
1948	Virginia Union	10-6	Va. Union	1968	Alcorn A&M	36-9	Alcorn
1949	N. Carolina A&T	20-14	A&T	1969	Grambling	23-19	Fla. A&M
1950	Central State	13-6	Central	1970	Jax (Ala.) State	21-7	Jax State
1951	N. Carolina College	67-6	Fla. A&M	1971	Kentucky State	27-9	Fla. A&M
1952	Virginia State	29-7	Fla. A&M	1972	Md. E. Shore	41-21	Fla. A&M



**FAMU's Clint Baker (11) and Maryland Eastern Shore's Charlie Boston receive Most Valuable Player awards from Coca Cola executives.**



**Tookes**

### THE INCOMING

Hansel E. Tookes, who was a line coach on the staff of A. S. "Jake" Gaither for 22 years, is the acting athletic director at FAMU.

Tookes succeeds Gaither who retired from his post as AD on Aug. 31.

A member of the 1942 national football champion Rattlers, Tookes has been associated with Florida A&M as a player, coach, teacher and administrator for 31 years. Before moving into the athletic director's role, Tookes was associate professor of health and physical education, varsity golf coach, coordinator of intramural sports and recreation, director of intramural sports for men and the chief football scout.

Producing six SIAC golf championships in the last eight years, Tookes was named Golf Coach of the Year for 1973.

He holds his bachelor's degree from Florida A&M and the master's from New York University. Tookes is married to the former Leona M. Washington and they have two sons.



**Gaither**

### THE OUTGOING

One of the truly great careers in the history of intercollegiate athletics ended August 31, when A. S. "Jake" Gaither retired from his final official position, director of athletics, at Florida A&M University.

Since 1937, Gaither has been head basketball coach, head football coach, head of the department of health and physical education, professor of physical education and athletic director. At one time he held the latter four positions

simultaneously.

He has had unparalleled success in all positions. He brought the Rattlers their first conference basketball championship in his early years as a Rattler coach and from 1945-1969 won 203 football games while losing only 36 and tying four. He has achieved equal success as an academician and administrator.

As Gaither bows out, not only Florida A&M, but Florida and, yes, this nation, stood up to applaud his performance. And they're still applauding.



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