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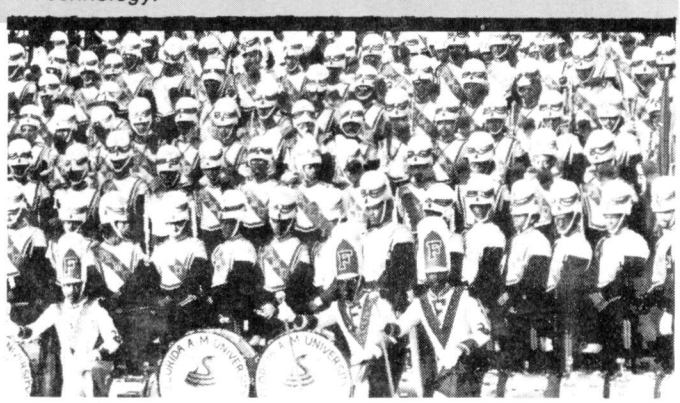


Greetings from the President of Florida A&M University

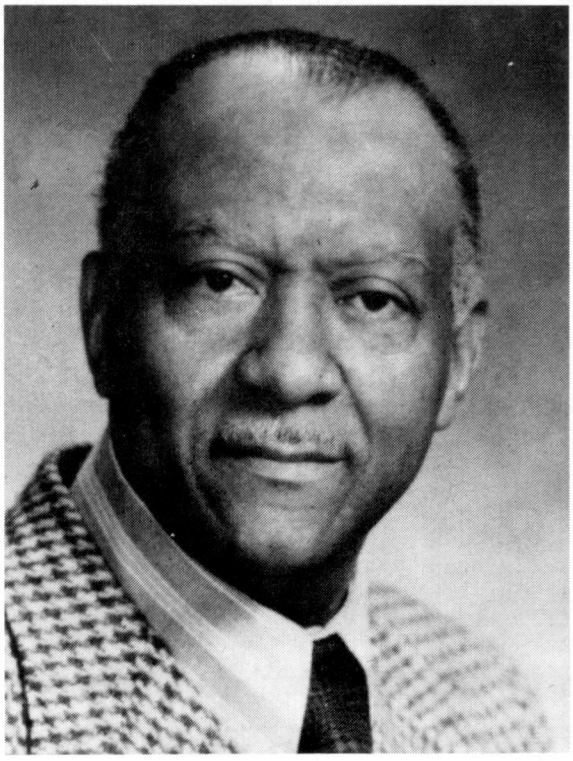
DR. BENJAMIN L. PERRY, JR.

I am proud to have this opportunity to extend greetings to everyone here in the Orange Bowl tonight for Florida A&M University's 44th Annual Orange Blossom Classic. May I welcome each of you and express, in behalf of the entire FAMU community, our sincere wish that you thoroughly enjoy this event.

I extend special greetings to all the representatives of Central State University who accepted our invitation and journeyed to Miami from Wilberforce, Ohio, to meet us in this athletic competition. The selection of Central State University, one of the outstanding universities of its region with an exceptional athletic program, can only broaden the tradition and deepen the concept of the Classic.

These two teams last met in 1964, and I am sure that their performances tonight will be representative of the character and high sportsmanship which are traditionally a part of both institutitons.

I would also like to take this opportunity to give special thanks to our many wonderful friends and supporters in the Miami area who have rallied behind FAMU. It is this kind of loyalty from our alumni; this kind of spirit and cooperation from the public that speaks loudest for FAMU.



DR. LIONEL H. NEWSOM, President

Greetings from Central State University

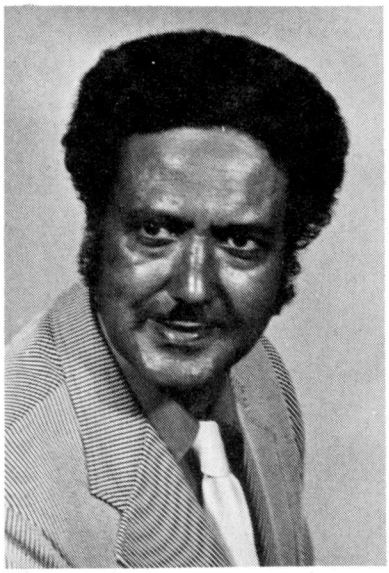
Dear Friends:

It is a genuine pleasure for me to welcome you to the Orange Blossom Classic on behalf of the entire Central State University family, and I commend the young men who represent these two historic institutions on the football field.

While we engage here this evening in an activity that is primarily physical, we are ever mindful of the fact that bright and alert minds must be employed to the highest on and off the field.

The victory gained here will be only of momentary significance, but the fellowship we enjoy will be of lasting importance. May the better team win, but no matter who wins on the gridiron, we shall continue to work for an improved quality of life for our students, our alumni and our world.

We at Central State are indeed grateful for having the opportunity to participate in the Orange Blossom Classic. We hope we can contribute to its success and your pleasure.



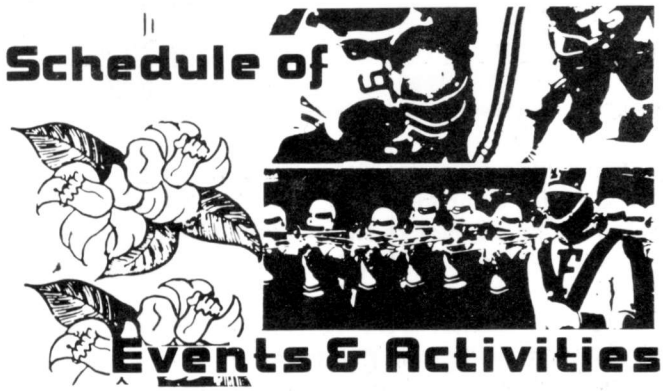
HANSEL E. TOOKES
Athletic Director—Florida A&M University

When Hansel E. Tookes took over as athletic director he was no stranger to Florida A&M athletics.

A member of the 1942 national football championship Rattlers, Tookes has been associated with Florida A&M as a player, coach, teacher and administrator for 32 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.



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 28
Steering Committee Meeting—Dupont Plaza Hotel, 300 Biscayne Blvd. Way, Miami.

MONDAY-FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29-DECEMBER 3
Official Goodwill Visits to the Area Schools.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30
12:00 noon Press Luncheon—Dupont Plaza Hotel, 300 Biscayne Blvd. Way.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1
9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Official Goodwill Visits to the Business Community and Governmental Agencies.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2
9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. Orange Blossom Classic Public forum—Topic: Opportunities Unlimited, Room 1164, Downtown Campus, Miami-Dade Community College.

THURSDAY-FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2-3
OBC&F Basketball Tournament—Kennedy Gymnasium, Miami-Dade Community College.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2
5:00 p.m. OBC&F Information & Registration Center Opens—Lobby, Dupont Plaza Hotel.
8:00 p.m. Former FAMU Rattlers Banquet—Dupont Plaza Hotel.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3
11:00 a.m. Arrival of FAMU Marching Band—Dupont Plaza Hotel.
11:00 a.m. Arrival of FAMU Rattlers Team—Howard Johnson Motel, Dupont Square (Downtown).
Souvenir Programs go on Sale (Streets)
12:00 noon FAMU Foundation Semi-Annual Meeting—Miami Lakes Inn, Miami Lakes.
4:30 p.m. President Perry's Meeting and Fellowship Hour with the Special Market Developers—Plaza Suite, Howard Johnson (Downtown) Motel.
6:30 p.m. Coaches and Players Dinner—Dupont Plaza Hotel.
7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Alumni Fellowship—Dupont Plaza Hotel
10:00 p.m. Alumni Dance/Fashion Show & Miss Alumni Ceremony—Dupont Plaza Hotel.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4
2:00 a.m. Alumni Fellowship—Dupont Plaza Hotel.
8:00 a.m. Coaches & Players Breakfast—Dupont Plaza Hotel.
9:00 a.m. Miami Alumni Third Annual OBC Golf Tournament—Key Biscayne Golf Course.
10:30 a.m. Orange Blossom Classic & Festival Parade—7th Ave. between 50th and 67th Streets .
12:30 p.m.-2:30 p.m. SOUL Food Buffet—95th Street & 17th Avenue.
2:00 p.m. Alumni Fellowship—Dupont Plaza Hotel.
7:30 p.m. Pre-Game Show—Orange Bowl Stadium (see p. 19).
8:00 p.m. ORANGE BLOSSOM CLASSIC GAME—Orange Bowl Stadium.
9:00 p.m. (approx.) Halftime Show (see p. 19).
11:30 p.m. OBC&F Jamboree—Dupont Plaza Hotel.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5
9:00 a.m. Alumni Breakfast—Dupont Plaza Hotel
10:00 a.m. Evaluation and Planning Session—Dupont Plaza Hotel.

MIAMI ALUMNI CHAPTER

The Miami Alumni Chapter plays an important role in the promotion of the annual Orange Blossom Classic and Festival. The members pictured below serve as general and/or co-chairpersons of key sub-committees.

(Seated—left to right) Liela Walker, Cupidine Dean, Vivian Nesbitt, Albert Fergurson, *General Chairperson;* Freddie Young, *General Co-Chairperson,* Albertha Arrington, Roslyn Bethel. *Second Row*—Otto McQueen, Samuel Forde, Wilkie Fergurson, Alonzo Bruton, Jimmy Anders, George Ellis, Clinton Brown. *Standing*—Michael Williams, Richard Gibson. *Not shown*—Sam Cohen, Robert Strapp, Arthur Woodson, William Lee, Fred Morley, James Fayson.

TEAM RECORDS — 1976

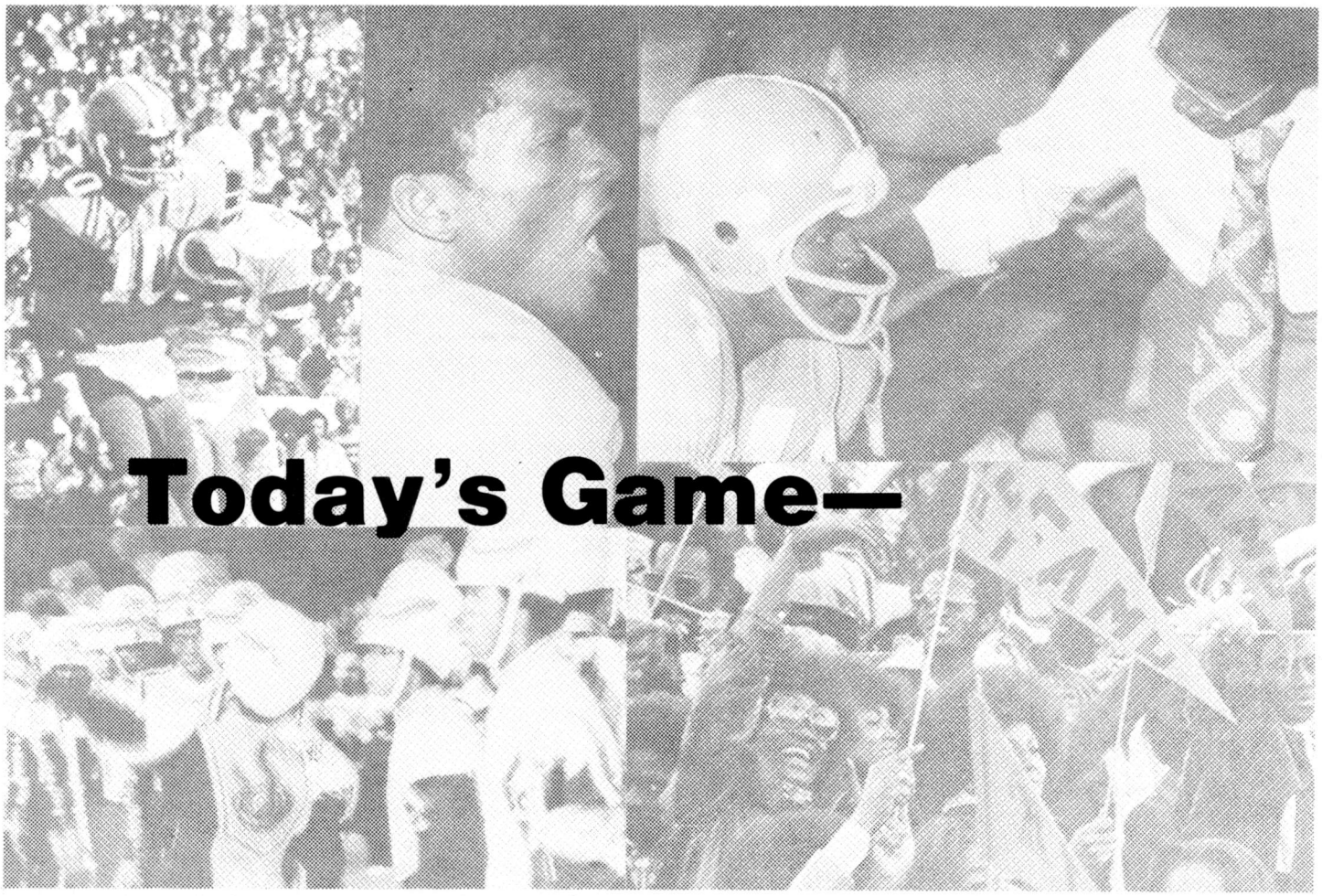
Florida A&M University

		FAMU	Opponent
9/18	Albany State	35	22
9/25	North Carolina A&T	24	22
10/ 2	Howard University	16	14
10/19	Alabama State	*13	16
10/16	Morris Brown College	14	14
10/23	Tennessee State	3	21
10/30	Tuskegee Institute	28	28
11/ 6	Alabama A&M	53	14
11/13	Southern University	6	24
11/20	Bethune-Cookman	0	34

*Alabama State withdrew from NCAA and SIAC, thereby forfeiting all games.

Central State University

		CSU	Opponent
9/ 3	Lincoln University (Mo.)	26	0
9/11	Morris Brown	24	12
9/18	Ashland College	35	13
9/25	Western Illinois	32	35
10/ 2	Tennessee State	24	18
10/ 9	Kentucky State	27	21
10/30	U of Nebraska-Omaha	21	16
11/ 6	Hillsdale College	0	23
11/13	Youngstown State	7	45



Today's Game—

By Horace Gosier

When Central State University of Wilberforce, Ohio was named as the opponent of Florida A&M University's Rattlers in the 44th Annual Orange Blossom Classic, the big question among Rattler followers was "Why?"

But a look at the Marauders stature quickly eliminated that question and validated the soundness of their selection.

"I don't think we could have selected a more formidable opponent," said Hansel E. Tookes, FAMU's athletic director.

"Central is recognized as having one of the top intercollegiate athletic programs in the country among college division schools," Tookes added.

Head Coach Jim McKinley's Central State Marauders were 4-1 then, and they had been ranked number one among predominantly black colleges and universities by black sportswriters and commentators. FAMU was then ranked number 4 by the same source.

"Central State is a fine football team," said FAMU Head Coach Rudy Hubbard, "and we are glad to have them as our Orange Blossom Classic opponent."

The two teams met only three times previously. The first time was in the Orange Blossom Classic of 1950 when Central took the game 13-6. FAMU savagely avenged the defeat in 1963 (54-0), and again in 1964 (56-14). But both teams have had good seasons this year, and each one will be looking to add some respectability to their records in this final game.

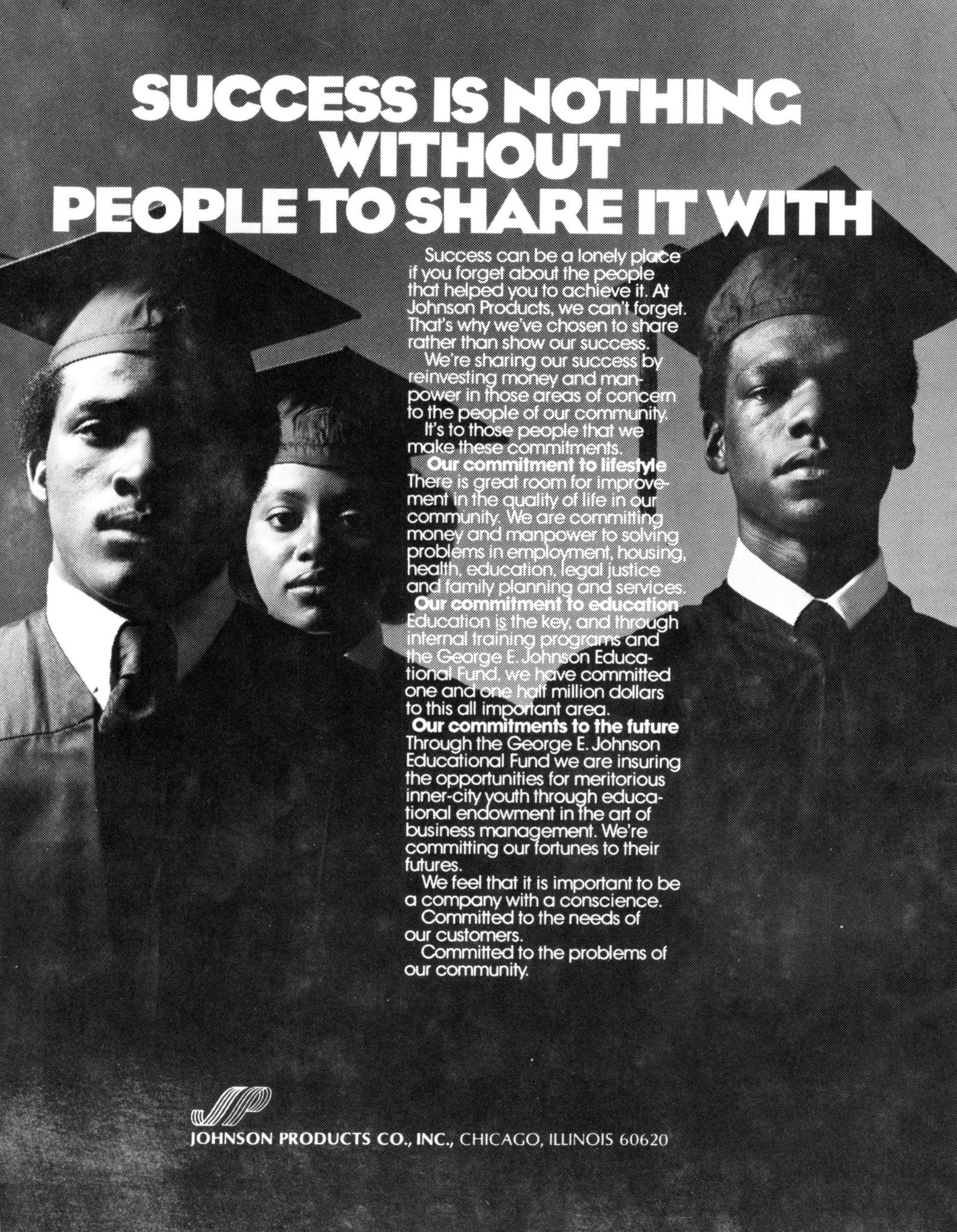
The Marauders have shown grit all season. Most notably, they have capitalized on the prowess of their defensive front four who, because of their size, are called "McKinley's Forest." This foursome has proved awesome against the rush, but the Maurauders secondary has some difficulties against the pass.

This should be to the advantage of the Rattlers who, since midseason, have been developing into a fine passing team. The Rattler rushing game, the team's trademark, will be tested here tomight, but with the likes of Clarence Hawkins, Chris Douglas, James Early and Mike Thomas leading the charge, the picture brightens.

Miami natives Curt Parnell (defensive back) and Michael Sorey (tight end) will add greatly to the bite of the Rattlers, as will the performances of Cal Burgess (wide receiver) and Earl Goodman (defensive end).

But both teams have had good seasons this year, and each will be looking to add some respectability to their records in this final game.

From any view, the game stacks up to be a great battle.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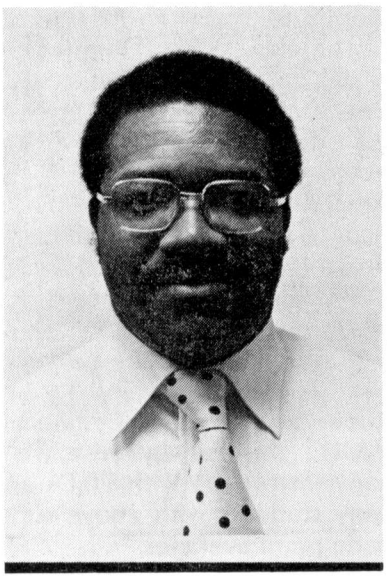

DR. LU WIMS
Athletic Director—Central State University

Dr. Lu Wims, athletic director at Central State University, also is an academic administrator, teacher and coach. In addition to his duties as AD, Dr. Wims is chairman of the Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation, a classroom teacher in that department, and head coach of the Marauders' basketball team which posted as 20-10 record last year.

A three-sport star at Wooster Coollege (football, basketball and track), Dr. Wims earned a masters degree at Kent State University and the Ph. D. from Ohio State University. He has worked with some of the best coaching brains in the country including Earl Banks, football at Morgan State, and Clarence Gaines, basketball at Winston-Salem.

Dr. Wims came to Central State as athletic director in 1973, and almost immediately improvements in quality and quantity of Marauder athletics began to surface. The women's intercollegiate program has grown to five competitive sports—volleyball, basketball, tennis, softball and track—and competition is available for men in football, basketball, track, cross country, tennis, baseball and wrestling.

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Lori Taylor

Miss FAMU

1976

By Alice Dupont

Lori Lavell Taylor, Miss Florida A&M University, has very definite ideas about the role of today's black women.

The 21-year old ebony beauty from Miami feels that outward features are no longer the essential ingredients to catapult a young woman into the mainstream of life and keep her there. "Today's black women will not sit around and become housewives, many want to combine career and family. I think a healthy balance of both is the ideal situation," she says.

An accounting major, Lori would like to become a certified public accountant and a partner in one of the Big Eight (business) firms.

She admits, however, that although the idea of owning a CPA firm or being president of one appeals to her, such a position would not allow her the freedom she needs once she is married and becomes a mother.

Lori maintains a 3.7 grade point average and is Vice-President of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, a member of the National Association of Black Accountants and Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society. She is Deputy Secretary of Community Relations in the Student Government Association, a member of the Homecoming Committee, Coronation Committee, and University Hospitality Committee.

During the infrequent leisure moments, she dons her Karate Gi and works out. She holds a green belt and began participating in the sport four years ago because of her brother who holds a fifth degree Black Belt.

Academically, Lori wants to attend graduate school but she is undecided since she has already received lucrative job offers from Price-Waterhouse, RCA and Florida Power and Light Companies and two CAP firms.

She has interned for the past four summers with two industrial accounting firms and two public accounting firms. "I find that with all of the classroom instruction available nothing beats getting out into the real world and gaining some practical experience," she said.

About her student counterparts who have dubiously and in some instances unfairly acquired a reputation for putting academics second, Lori defends them.

"There are some students here, as in all colleges and universities, who are not serious about their educations but I find that here at FAMU the number of serious students is rapidly outnumbering those who aren't ready to accept the academic world," she said.

One of her pet peeves is the relationship of FAMU to the other eight universities in the system. She said, "we want to develop positive attitudes throughout the state about FAMU . . . percentage-wise, we have many instructors with Ph.Ds and as many students with above superior grade point averages."

She sees FAMU as bridging that important gap between adolesccence and adulthood.

While Lori is quite serious-minded, she giggles when she talks about the girlish fortunes she has stored away in a treasure chest she began filling four years ago.

"Oh, I've saved little things like notes from the dormitory bulletin boards, ribbons, flowers, pictures, old campus newspapers with special stories I want to remember and other things that have special meaning for me," she said.

Although she was junior attendant to Miss FAMU last year, Lori has no intentions of vying for the title this year. "But I felt that FAMU deserved the best representation possible and I felt that I could provide it," she said, adding, "and with the help of my friend and campaign manager, Wanda Parker, we did it."

The 1976-77 attendants are Denise Butler of Delray Beach, junior attendant and Brenda Davis of Winter Haven, sopomore attendant.

She is the daughter of Freddie and Evangelist Geraldine Taylor of Coral Gables and one of ten children, six boys and four girls.

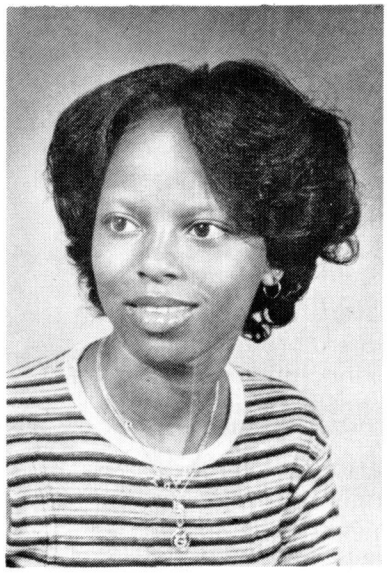
Miss FAMU Attendants and Class Queens

DENISE BUTLER
Junior Attendant

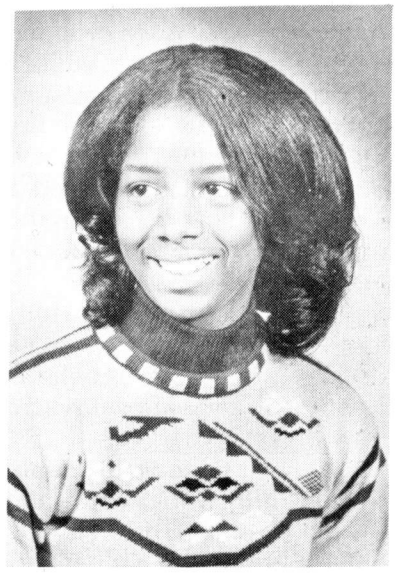
BRENDA DAVIS
Sophomore Attendant

CHERYL McCRAY
Miss Senior

AUDREY NELSON
Miss Junior



ERNESTINE SHEPPARD
Miss Sophomore



WANDA HOUSTON
Miss Freshman

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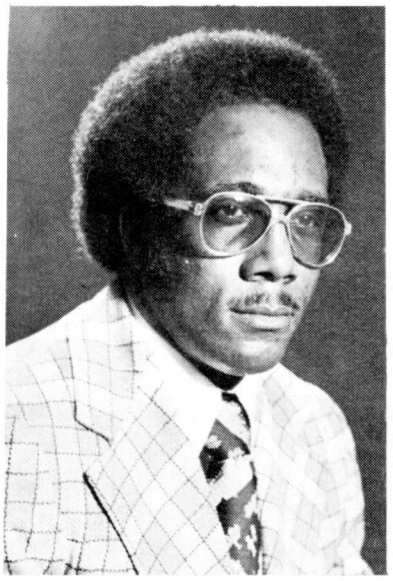

RUDY HUBBARD
Head Football Coach

When Rudy Hubbard accepted the challenge of resurrecting Florida A&M's collapsing football fortunes in 1974, he didn't make any long range plans. He wanted immediate results . . . and got them.

In just two years Hubbard redirected the FAMU football program and under his leadership the Rattlers regained that respectability that had become a tradition on the highest of Tallahassee's seven hills.

Florida A&M had has a history of winning at football. From 1937 through 1969 the Rattlers won 252 games and lost only 46, an average of just over one loss per year for 33 seasons. In the four years immediately preceding Hubbard's arrival A&M dropped 22 games for an average of 5.5 losses per season, while winning only 21.

In Hubbard's first season, 1974, he coached the Rattlers to a 6-5 season, their first winning record since a similar mark in 1971. And that was just the beginning. In 1975 Hubbard's team posted a 9-2 record, their best overall since 1969. It also was the first time a Florida A&M team had won as many as nine games in a single season since 1964.

With a background as a former player and coach under Woody Hayes at Ohio State, Hubbard brought in a winning attitude. He is a believer in sound, fundamental football and knows how to recruit the horses to make his program go.

While at Ohio State, Hubbard personally recruited Archie Griffin, who later became the only person ever to win the Heisman Trophy twice, Cornelius Greene and John Hicks. Greene has been the MVP in the Rose Bowl while Hicks won the Outland and Lombardi trophies before entering the National Football League.

An All-Conference and All-County performer in high school basketball and football for three years, Hubbard was player-of-the-year as a freshman at Ohio State.

A knee injury sidelined the running back for most of his sophomore year, but he fought back and was in uniform before the season's end. He was a starter all his junior year and really blossomed during his senior year, averaging 5.3 yards per carry, scoring three touchdowns, catching 13 passes for 98 yards and averaging 17.1 yards per attempt on kickoff returns.

Hubbard was drafted by Montreal of the Canadian Football League in 1968 but forewent a professional football career when he was offered a job as backfield coach for Ohio State. Hubbard said he wanted someday to become a head coach and "I felt my chances were far greater as an assistant to Coach Hayes than chancing a professional football career."

He joined the Buckeye staff in 1968 and that year Ohio State won the national championship. He has coached Jim Otis, Leo Hayden and John Brockington, all now prominent figures in the National Football League.

Hubbard has chartered the path for himself and his Rattlers and from all indications that path leads to continued success. He will accept no less.

Hubbard hails from Hubbard. Ohio, where he attended Hubbard High School (the names are mere coincidence). He was recruited by over 60 colleges before finally deciding on Ohio State.

He is married to the former Belinda Schwartz and is the father of one son, Sean, and one daughter, Jolinda.

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The Naval officer has witnessed the transformation from the three-masted frigate of the revolution to the nuclear-powered carriers of today. The men and women of the Naval service have served their nation in war and peace and today are found in all walks of life as leaders within their communities displaying the same dedication to their countrymen.

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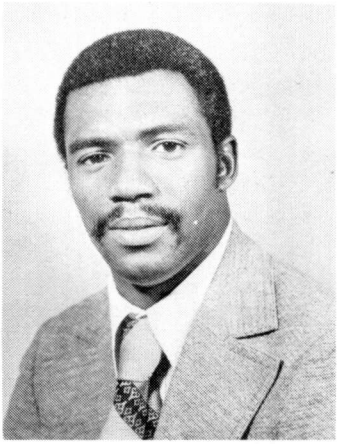
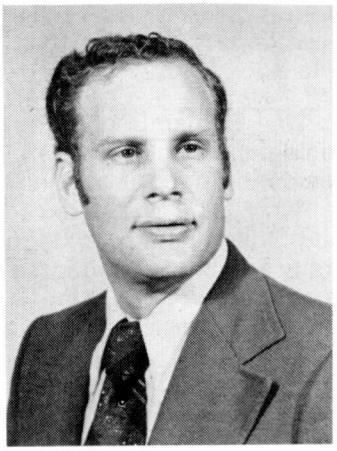


Bogan became the first member of Rudy Hubbard's staff when Hubbard was named head coach. "Al will help our program tremendously," Hubbard said. Bogan is a graduate of Ohio University and was an assistant at Indiana State University before coming to Florida A&M. During his playing days at Ohio University he starred as a running back and wide receiver. He is a student of the game and approaches it with much vigor and enthusiasm.

FRED GOLDSMITH
Defensive
Coordinator



Goldsmith comes to Florida A&M with impressive credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Florida and has worked as an assistant under Doug Dickey. He is noted for his defensive ability and the ability to turn losing programs around. He went into losing situations at Jasper, Punta Gorda Charlotte and DeLand and whipped them all into respectability before leaving. His most impressive defensive job was last year with the Rattlers when his defensive unit finished second in the nation against the score, allowing only 69 points all season.

COSTA "POP" KITTLES
Wide Receivers

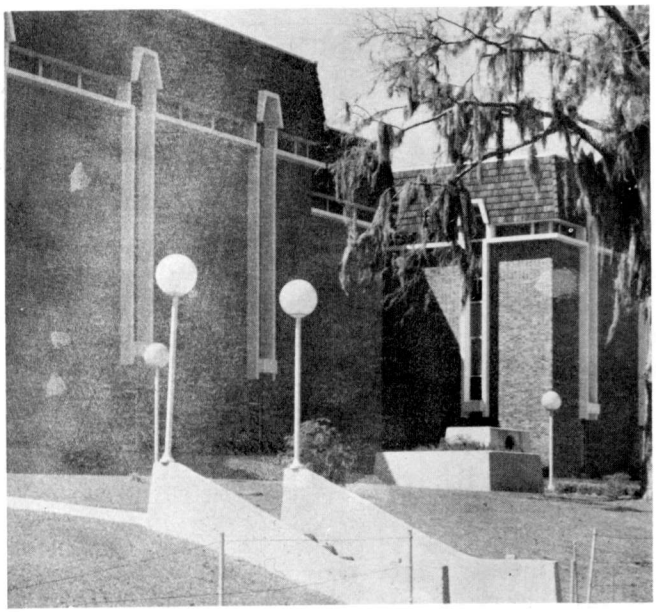
A FAMU alumnus, Kittles has produced some top flight receivers. He has gained the reputation as being a specialist in developing wide receivers. He enters his 24th season as a Rattler coach. Kittles earned All-American honors while playing end for the Rattlers in 1950. He also holds a master's from Ohio 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.

BOBBY LANG
Offensive
Tackles & Tight Ends

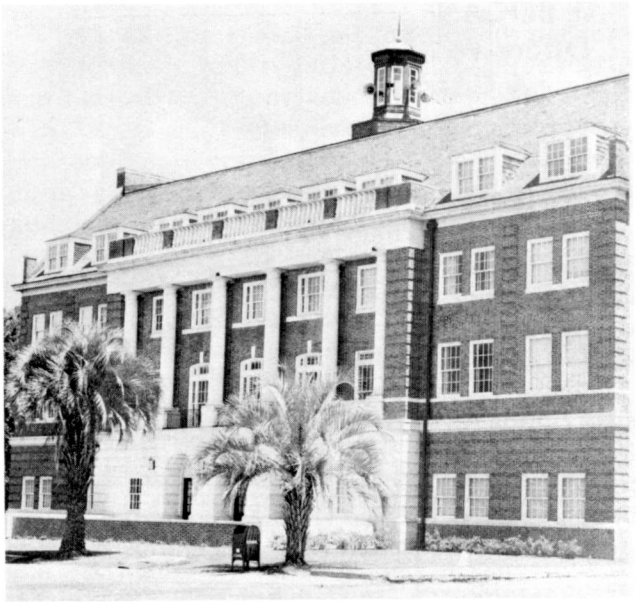
Lang is in charge of the offensive interior line. He enters his eleventh season as a member of the Rattler coaching staff. Lang was an All-SIAC performer during his playing days at FAMU where he earned his bachelor's and master's degrees. He is assistant professor of physical education and head track coach. His track team is the defending SIAC Champion and during one stretch won the crown 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.

ROBERT "BOB" MUNGEN
Defensive
Secondary

Mungen is a 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 master's 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. He is a native of Jacksonville and is in his 16th season as a Rattler coach.



GORE EDUCATION COMPLEX—A three-unit structure at Florida A&M University. Named in honor of former president George W. Gore, Jr., who served from 1950-1968.



LEE HALL—Administration Building at Florida A&M University. Named in honor of former President J. R. E. Lee, Sr., who served from1924-1944.

HISTORICAL SKETCH
Florida A&M 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 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 education, the college of humanities and social and behavioral sciences, the college of science and technology, school of business and industry, school of nursing and school of pharmacy.

The spacious campus is spread over an area of 381.1 acres of land. The main campus is located on the highest of the 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 College and one of Florida's nine State-supported universities. The university holds membership in all of the leading accrediting and professional agencies, including full membership in the Southern Association of Colleges and Universities. A chapter of Phi Delta Kappa, a professional fraternity fro men in education was established in '64. The University was admitted to membership in the American Association of University Women in 1959.

Dr. Benjamin L. Perry, Jr., assumed the presidency September 15, 1968. He is the sixth president. There have been three acting presidents. Dr. Perry is a graduate of Florida A&M University and holds the master's degree from Iowa State University and the Ph.D. degree in land economics from Cornell University. He was born in Eatonville, Florida and moved to Tallahassee at the age of three.

Dr. Perry is the son of the late Benjamin L. Perry, Sr., a former dean of agriculture at FAMU. He has been a professor of economics, dean of men, dean of students, director of research and grants, and was dean of administration prior to being named president of the university.

President Perry who was formally inaugurated on October 11, 1969, has launched a $5-million building and improvement program. He secured nearly $3-million in funds from industry and government for scholarships, loans and buildings while serving as director of research and grants.

The University went on a year-round operation with the trimester system in 1963-64, and changed again to the quarter system in 1967-68.

During the winter of '63, the FAMU Playmakers made their second overseas tour. They spent 8 weeks in Europe presenting Langston Hughes' "Showtime," a variety show adapted by director S. Randolph Edmonds. The tour was sponsored by the U. S. Department of Defense. They toured seven countries in Africa in 1958 for President Eisenhower's Special International Program Committee for Cultural Presentations. This tour was sponsored by the U. S. Department of State.

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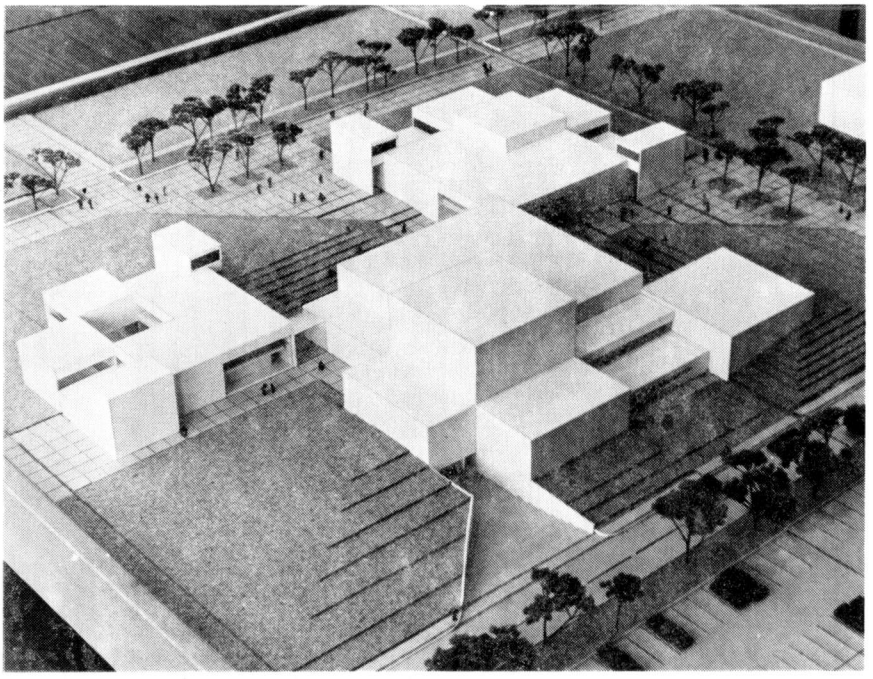
CENTRAL STATE UNIVERSITY

THE INSTITUTION now known as Central State University originated with an act passed by the Ohio General Assembly on March 19, 1887, establishing a Combined Normal and Industrial Department at Wilberforce University.

Although associated with Wilberforce University, the Department had a separate board of trustees, and was considered a separate institution. In 1941, the General Assembly changed the title of the Combined Normal and Industrial Department, which offered two-year courses, to the College of Education and Industrial Arts, which provided four-year college courses.

In 1947, the College of Education and Industrial Arts began operating independently from Wilberforce University. It continued its programs in teacher education, industrial arts and business, and also began offering a four-year program in the liberal arts, using the name Wilberforce State University. In 1951, the legislature of the State of Ohio provided the name Central State College and in November, 1965, Central State was granted university status.



Architect's model of the $6 million Cultural and Performing Arts Building, now nearing completion.

Throughout Central State's history, its graduates have taken prominent places in education and the professional fields and as substantial citizens in all walks of life throughout the United States and abroad.

Traditionally Central State has noted the periods of its growth by the dates of legislative action. Since April 3, 1974, the university has a new benchmark, "The Tornado."

Late in the afternoon on April 3, 1974, a tornado of record size swept through Xenia, Ohio, and continued its destructive path through the Central State campus.

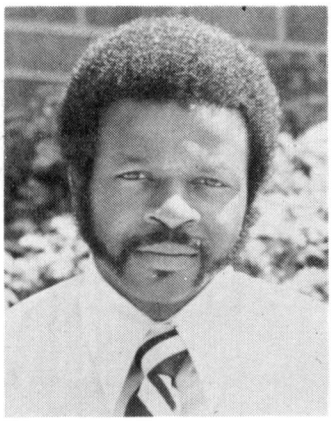
In a matter of seconds the campus was reduced to rubble. All 42 of the university's principle structures were heavily damaged; 16 were ravaged beyond repair.

While many questioned whether Central State would survive, the entire university family set about the task of seeing to the school's survival. Although the students had to be sent home while emergency repairs were made, classes were resumed on April 25 after only a few days of "recess," and on June 9 the Class of 1974 was graduated on schedule.

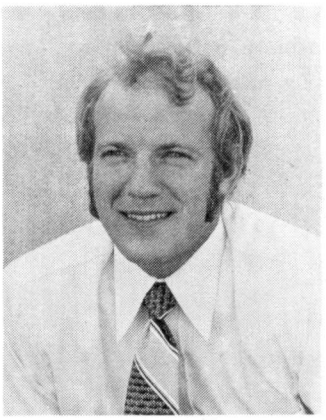
Since the tornado, a new gymnasium has been completed and work is nearing completion on a $6 million performing and cultural arts building and a new administration building. Other building projects for the near future include a learning resources center to house the Hallie Q. Brown Memorial Library and the College of Education, a community health center, a president's home and the restoration of historic Galloway Tower.

While the scars of the tornado are healed, Central State will show the signs of rebuilding for several years with a "new" and beautiful campus as the end result.

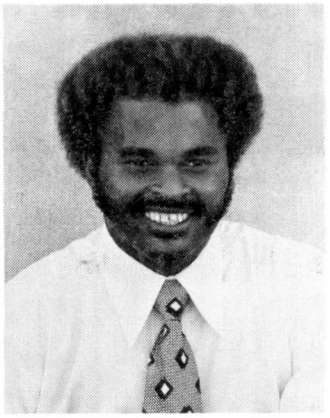
Galloway Hall across the Sunken Garden—An illustration of tornado damage to the campus of Central State University.



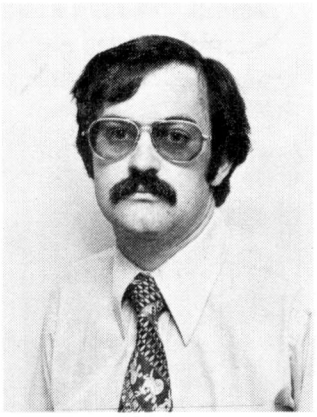
Eddie Lee
Receiver Coach



Joe Collins
Offensive Back Coach



Darwin Valentine
Offensive Line Coach



Tom Mendez
Defensive Back Coach

COACHING STAFF
Central State U.

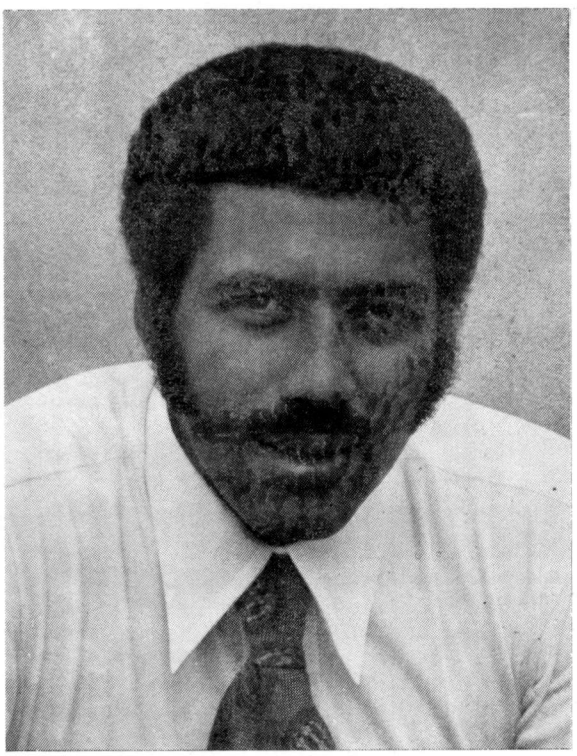
HEAD COACH JIM McKINLEY

Jim McKinley came to Central State University in January, 1974, from his position as assistant coach at Eastern Michigan University in Ypsilanti. McKinley served as linebacker coach for two years at Eastern and was coordinator of recruiting.

A 1966 graduate of Western Michigan University, McKinley lettered three years as a tight end and was an all Mid-American Conference selection in football, in 1965. While in high school at Bangor, Michigan, he had participated in football, basketball and track and in his senior year was selected all-state in both football and basketball.

McKinley started his coaching career at Allegan High School in Michigan and his teams posterd a 31-9-4 record from 1967 through 1971. His teams won conference championships and rated in the top ten among Michigan high schools from 1968 through 1970. In addition to serving as head football coach, McKinley was athletic director at Allegan from 1968 until leaving to join the football staff at Eastern.

McKinley's first two years as head coach of the Marauders show a misleading 10-11 record. The 4-6 mark in 1975 came against some very tough competition, and the freshmen and sophomores from that team are the upperclassmen of 1976. The 1976 Central State schedule also is a tough one with highly ranked opposition from NCAA Division II and NAIA Division I. Opponents for the season include Western Illinois, Eastern Illinois, Tennessee State and Kentucky State.



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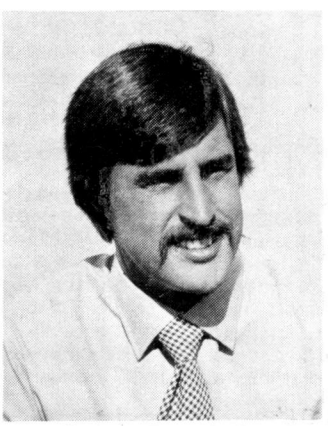

Steve Doolittle
Defensive Line Coach

Ron Beard
Linebacker Coach

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Team work is the key to success at ROTC Basic Camp, Ft. Knox Ky. where 52 Famuans attended this past summer.

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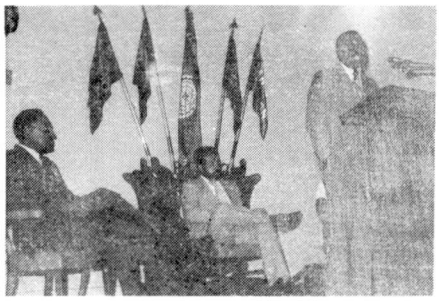

Justice Joseph W. Hatchett speaking to cadets on Leadership during Awards Day Ceremony. "Leadership is not an item that can be issued to you. . . .Whether military or civilian, the job requires patience, dedication, willingness to sacrifice and patriotism. You cadets are fortunate to be able to develop your leadership through prescribed ROTC courses."

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Miss Margie Harris (center), first female among 31 cadets attending Advanced Camp at Fort Bragg, N1 C., pays meticulous attention to instruction. She will also be the first FAMU female to be commissioned (June 6) as a Military Police officer.

Relinquishing her crown as Miss ROTC to Miss Martha Ross, is Miss Reba Griffin, a junior in ROTC who also completed Basic Camp last summer in the top 10% and won a full two-year Army ROTC scholarship.

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THE 1976 RATTLER CHEERLEADERS

CHERYL—FAMU VS. IVY LEAGUE

By Horace Gosier

You won't find many students who'll turn down an opportunity to study at any of the prestigious Ivy League schools—particularly if the opportunity is accompanied by enticing scholarship offers.

But Cheryl S. Mobley did just that when she chose to attend Florida A&M University in 1971.

Cheryl, now a 22-year-old wife, mother and FAMU senior, turned down scholarships from Columbia, Syracuse, and Yale Universities while still attending Godby High School in Tallahassee. She turned down all three because she thought FAMU offered "a better opportunity for involvement in many of society's problems."

Cheryl said she has never regretted her decision to attend FAMU, and in that she is not alone.

By a wide margin, her fellow students chose her as the school's new Student Government Association (SGA) president in the annual spring election. She believes she won the position for the 1976-77 term because of her concern for the welfare of the FAMU community, and the awareness of her fellow students of that concern.

"Being SGA president was not one of my goals," she said. "I was asked to run for the office by a group of students who were seeking someone who'd be a leader in a fight for student goals and in helping the university as a whole," she stated.

The group of students she referred to last term started a loose organization mainly to combat apathy among FAMU students. Cheryl was among the most vocal of those students, and when they decided to formally organize FIRE (FAMUans Involved in Revitalizing the Environment), she was a logical chioce for the leadership role when the organization decided to become active in the campus elections.

While her election was not a long term calculation on her part, Cheryl apparently takes naturally to the responsibility of the FAMU SGA presidency. She took over the duties at the beginning of the summer quarter, and immediately went to work on some of "the most pressing problems."

One of these was on-campus communication. The school newspaper ceases operation during the summer session, and as she sees it, this leaves a noticabled void. To fill this void, she and other SGA officials set wheels in motion to produce two issues of a special SGA newspaper.

Cheryl and Roger Cobb, SGA vice president, also saw the redefining of SGA cabinet offices as a high priority matter. They hope that this reorganization can be completed and the SGA operating at its most efficient level by the fall quarter.

"During the campaign, we promised to deal not in personalities, but in the issues," Cheryl said.

The new SGA president and vice president ran for office on a platform that included planks against higher admissions standards and higher tuition, and for interroom visitation in dormitories and funding for all student organizations.

They promised to provide an on-campus banking service and efforts to end "once-a-year" class offerings.

Cheryl said her administration has already begun work to fulfill these promises, and her administration will strive to involve all the students in the SGA's functioning.

"FAMU is growing," said Cheryl, "and as it grows, it encompasses more people of different backgrounds and views."

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PRE-GAME SHOW

1.	ENTRANCE AND INTRODUCTION OF BAND		
2.	MANEUVER: RATTLER	TRAVELLING:	Percussion cadence
3.	FORMATION RATTLE SNAKE	MUSIC:	"The Florida Song"
4.	FORMATION: FLORIDA	MUSIC:	"Just To Be Close To You" and "Sarah Smiles"
5.	FORMATION: Modified Concert Band	MUSIC:	"Blessed Are They" by Brahms
6.	FORMATION: FOSTER	MUSIC:	PRESENTATION: The William P. Foster Music Scholarship Fund by Mrs. Inez Kaiser and Associates, Kansas City, Missouri.
7.	FORMATION: BLOCK BAND	MUSIC:	"The Star Spangled Banner"
8.	MANEUVER BAND EXIT	MUSIC:	"In Storm and Sunshine," March

HALF-TIME PAGEANT THEME: "Disco Sounds of '76"

1.	ENTRANCE AND PRESENTATION OF BAND	MUSIC:	"20th Century Fanfare"
2.	FORMATION: COMPANY FRONT		
3.	MANEUVER: MULTIDRILL	MUSIC:	"Theme from Swat" and "Primal Scream"
4.	FORMATION: DISCO '76	MUSIC:	"Shake Your Booty"
5.	FORMATION: CONCERT BAND	MUSIC:	Theme From "Mahogany"
6.	FORMATION: BLOCK BAND		
7.	MANEUVER: DANCE ROUTINE	MUSIC:	"Bus Stop" and "Get Away"
8.	FORMATION: FAMU	TRAVELLING:	"FAMU Spirit"
			PRESENTATION: Dr. Benjamin L. Perry, Jr., President, Florida A&M University.
			PRESENTATION: MISS FAMU of 1976: Miss Lori Taylor; Junior Attendant, Miss Denise Butler; Sophomore Attendant, Miss Brenda Davis.
9.	FORMATION: BLOCK BAND	MANEUVER:	BAND EXIT
		MUSIC:	"Masquerade"

THE FLORIDA A&M UNIVERSITY MARCHING BAND STAFF

Dr. William P. Foster, Director of Bands
Julian E. White, Associate Director of Bands, Drillmaster and Director of Saxophones
Lindsey B. Sarjeant, Assistant Director of Bands, Arranger and Director of Trumpets
Charles S. Bing, Assistant Director of Bands, Director of Baritone Horns, Trombones and Tubes
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Bruce L. Mills, Storekeeper and Equipment Manager
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Kenneth Harris, Assistant Drum Major
Gary Brown, Assistant Drum Major
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Anthony Brown, Assistant Leader of Clarinets
Ricardo Smith, Leader of Saxophones
Charles Crawford, Assistant Leader of Saxophones
Lonnie Green, Assistant Leader of Saxophones
David Dorkin, Assistant Leader of Saxophnoes
Kim Johnson, Assistant Leader of Saxophones
Ronald Wright, Assistant Leader of Saxophones
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Reginald McCoy, Assistant Leader of Trumpets
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Linzerl Rutledge, Assistant Leader of Trumpets
Daryl Wilcox, Assistant Leader of Trumpets
James Gregg, Assistant Leader of Trumpets
Miachael Debose, Leader of Contralto Horns
Norman White, Assistant Leader of Contralto Horns
Lorenzo Williams, Assistant Leader of Contralto Horns
James Cleveland, Leader of Baritone Horns
Richard Overton, Assistant Leader of Baritone Horns
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William Hill, Assistant Leader of Trombones
Daryl Wilson, Assistant Leader of Tromboner
Aaron Brooks, Assistant Leader of Trombones
Matthew Simmons,Leader of Tubas
Bobby Humphries, Assistant Leader of Tubas
Kenneth Seabrook, Assistant Leader of Tubas
Edward Maddox, Assistant Leader of Tubas
Arthur Vaughn,Leader of Percussion
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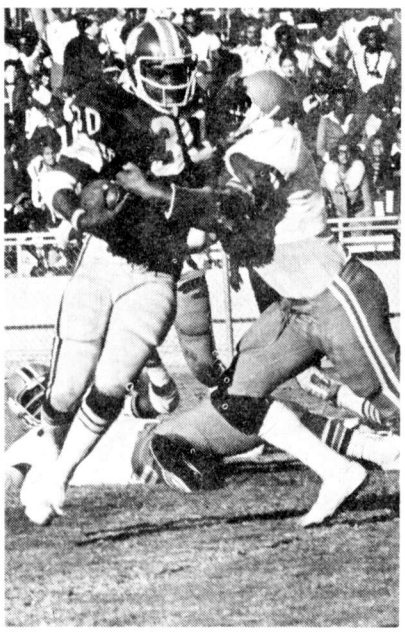
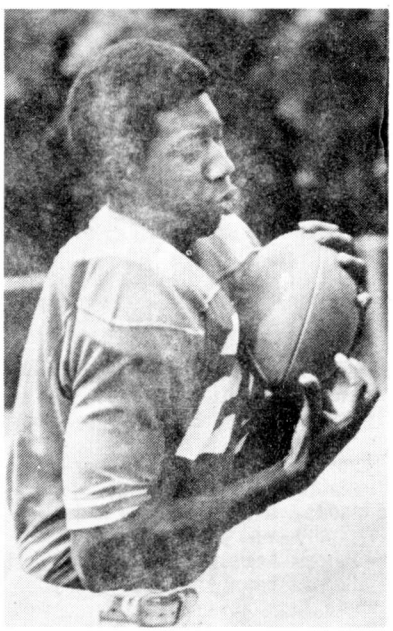
Arlinda Coney, President of Tau Beta Sigma

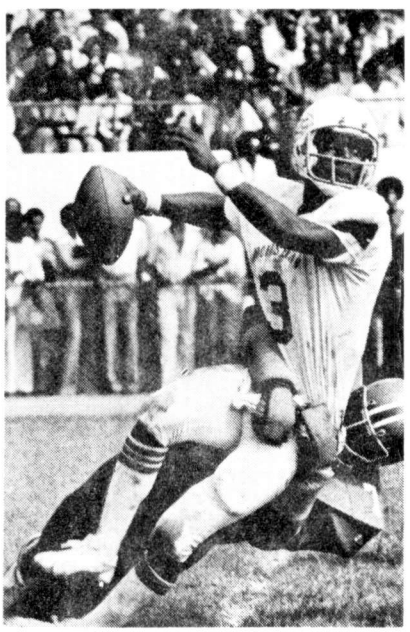
FLORIDA A&M UNIVERSITY 1976 FOOTBALL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown
1	Herb Reinhard	K		5-4	135	Tallahassee
2	Albert Chester	QB	2	6-1	175	Jacksonville
3	David Martin	WR	4	5-9	165	Jacksonville
4	Kenny Bogins	WR	2	6-2	171	Jacksonville
5	Larry Mitchell	K	4	6-2	200	Ft. Pierce
10	Rickey Pope	QB	2	6-0	160	Pensacola
11	Robert James	DB	2	5-10	185	Key West
12	Cleaver Hayling	QB	3	6-2	200	Ft. Pierce
14	Pete Taylor	QB	1	6-5	185	Waycross, Ga.
15	Clifford Price	TB	2	6-1	175	Chcago
16	Thomas Lane	DB	2	6-1	165	Miami
18	Warren Saddler	DB	2	6-2	165	Jacksonville
19	Mike Small	DB	1	6-1	180	Jacksonville
20	Curt Parnell	DB	4	6-0	185	Miami
21	Cal Burgess	WR	4	6-1	175	Tallahassee
23	Eddie Frazier	RB	1	5-9	175	Vero Beach
24	Keith Marshall	RB	1	5-11	190	Panama City
25	John King	DB	2	6-1	185	Miami
26	Gregory Brown	RB	1	5-10	185	Orlando
27	Keith Pete	DB	4	6-1	165	New Orleans
28	David Crowell	WR	3	6-0	165	Columbus, Ga.
29	Daryle Tyson	DB	1	6-2	180	Jacksonville
30	Clarence Hawkins	FB	3	6-0	195	N'port News, Va.
31	Daniel Oliver	TB	1	5-11	190	Leesburg
32	Arthur L. Jones	DB	3	6-5	188	N'port News, Va.
33	Melvin McFayden	RB	1	6-1	195	Daytona Beach
34	Harold Sessoms	FB	3	6-0	230	N'port News, Va.
35	Donald Shockley	DB	1	6-2	180	Jacksonville
37	Leonard Simmons	FB	1	6-0	195	Miami
38	Earl Goodman	DE	4	6-0	210	Tampa
39	Mike Thomas	TB	3	6-0	191	Baldwin
40	Reginald Carter	FB	3	5-11	206	Waycross, Ga.
42	Chris Douglas	WB	3	6-0	175	Tallahassee
43	Carlis Swain	FB	4	6-0	200	Pensacola
44	James Early	TB	4	6-0	185	Eatonville
45	Ike Williams	WB	2	5-11	180	Tampa
47	Terry King	DB	1	6-2	175	Vero Beach
48	Ralph Kyles	TB	4	5-11	185	Tampa
51	Anthony Powell	C	3	6-1	215	Quincy
52	Steve Isaac	LB	3	6-2	210	Eustis
53	Charles Floyd	LB	3	6-1	207	Orange Park

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown
57	Dwight Walton	LB	3	6-2	210	Bradenton
58	Robert Crowell	NG	3	6-2	230	Columbus, Ga.
60	Kaiser Lwis	DE	2	6-3	202	N'port News, Va.
62	Emmit Griner	OG	2	6-1	210	Gn. Cove Springs
63	Willie Brewton	OG	4	6-4	238	Ocala
64	Autry Hayes	OG	1	6-2	215	Miami
65	Tim Chavers	NG	2	6-0	255	DeLand
66	Steve Jomson	OG	1	6-0	245	N'port News, Va.
67	Harrell Oliver	LB	1	6-1	195	Jasper
68	Tyrone McGriff	OG	1	6-1	250	Vero Beach
69	Vince Ruise	OG	4	6-3	215	Macclenny
70	Arthur Jones	OT	2	6-2	273	Chicago
71	Willie Spencer	NG	1	6-0	230	Haines City
72	Benny Mills	OT	2	6-2	253	Sanford
73	Barry Rbinson	O	2	6-3	255	Philadelphia
74	Algie Hendrieth	DT	2	6-2	243	Mami
75	Wayne Campbell	OT	4	6-5	250	Detroit
76	Winfred Allen	DT	3	6-4	215	Albany, Ga.
77	Kenny Mullens	DT	4	6-0	243	St. Petersburg
78	Ephram Hagins	DT	3	6-4	225	Lorain, Ohio
79	Bruce Savage	OT	3	6-1	243	Savannah, Ga.
81	Mike Sorey	TE	4	6-3	205	Miami
82	Kizer Sifford	WR	1	5-10	166	Salisbury, N. C.
83	Ray Beneby	DT	4	6-6	240	Miami
84	Harold Neely	P/K	1	6-0	185	Milton
86	Fank Grady	DE	1	6-2	220	DeLand
87	David Green	TE	2	6-3	205	Miami
88	Jeff Grady	DE	3	6-4	211	DeLand
89	Emanuel White	TE	2	6-4	190	Lakeland
90	Sheldon Hodge	DE	2	6-4	194	Starke
91	Joe Yates	LB	3	5-9	199	Jacksonville
92	Ron Parker	DE	1	6-0	190	Jacksonville
93	Cranston Anderson	SE	1	6-5	195	Jacksonville
94	Ricky Anderson	DE	1	6-1	195	Stamford, Conn.
95	Willie Perry	DT	1	6-3	205	Jacksonville
96	Willie Mackey	WR		5-8	150	Florida City
97	Jerome Roberts	DT	1	6-1	240	Sanford
98	Anthony Kitchen	LB	2	6-3	205	Plant City
99	Mike Pratt	TE	1	6-4	215	Ft. Lauderdale
	Darryl Collier	QB	1	6-1	165	Eustis
	Richard Bellamy	QB	1	5-11	165	Ft. Pierce
	Marcellus Long	WB	1	5-11	180	Tallahassee







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81	MICHAEL SOREY	TE
79	BRUCE SAVAGE	LT
68	TYRONE McGRIFF	RG
72	BENNY MILLS	RT
66	STEVE JOHNSON	LG
60	KAISER LEWIS	C
21	CAL BURGESS	WR
30	C. HAWKINS	FB
44	JAMES EARLY	TB
42	CHRIS DOUGLAS	WB
2	ALBERT CHESTER	QB

CENTRAL DEFENSE

83	W. WATKINS	LE
54	J. LADD	LT
90	U. THOMPSON	RT
81	C. ANDERSON	RE
44	I. SEAHORN	LLB
55	B. HOPKINS	ILB
88	B. GILKEY	ILB
60	W. CROCKRAN	RLB
23	R. CROWDER	DB
85	J. DERRICK	DB
35	B. THOMAS	S

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THE RATTLERS

54	Adams	C
76	Allen	DT
	Anderson, C.	SE
	Anderson, R.	DE
	Bellamy	QB
83	Beneby	DT
4	Bogins	WR
63	Brewton	OG
21	Burgess	WR
	Burroughs	OT
75	Campbell	OT
40	Carter	FB
65	Chavers	NG
2	Chester	QB
	Collier	QB
28	Crowell, D.	WR
48	Crowell, R.	NG
41	Cummings	FB
42	Douglas	WB
44	Early	TB
	Flowers	DB
53	Floyd	LB
17	Gaines	WB
46	Garrison	TB
38	Goodman	DE
99	Grady	DE
87	Green, D.	TE
36	Green, R.	TB
51	Griner	OG
78	Hagins	DT
30	Hawkins	FB
	Hayling	QB
74	Hendrieth	DT
90	Hodge	DE
	Irby	P
52	Isaac	LB
11	James	DB
	Johnon, J.	DB
35	Johnson, L.	DB
70	Jones, A.	OT
32	Jones, A. L.	DB
25	King, J.	DB
56	King, S.	C
	Kitchen	LB
	Kyles	TB
16	Lane	DB
95	Lewis	DE
	Long	WB
96	Mackey	WR
3	3Martin	WR
	McCoy	OG
72	Mills	OT
7	Mitchell	K
77	Mullins	DT
	Parke	DE
20	Parnell	DB
	Perry	DT
27	Pete	DB
10	Pope	QB
	Powell	C
	Pratt	TE
15	Price	TB
1	Reinhard	K
	Roberts	DT
73	Robinson	OT
69	Ruise	OG
18	Saddler	DB
79	Savage	OT
34	Sessoms	FB
	Shockley	DB
	Small	LB
81	Sorey	TE
	Swain	FB
92	Thomas, C.	DE
39	Thomas, M.	TB
47	Walton	LB
45	White	TE
	Worthen	FB
	Wright, A.	FB
85	Wright	OG
91	Yates	LB

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9	E. HOUSTON	QB
32	B. PAIGE	RB
45	K. SCOTT	FB
87	J. MOSLEY	TE
79	K. HARRIS	LT
78	S. DORROUGH	LG
52	R. JONES	C
67	E. LAWHORN	RG
73	M. TUCKER	RT
82	T. JUDKINS	FL
80	W. ZACKERY	WR

FLORIDA A&M DEFENSE

38	EARL GOODMAN	DE
99	JEFFREY GRADY	DE
77	KENNETH MULLINS	RT
65	TIM CHAVERS	LT
76	WINFRED ALLEN	MG
52	STEVE ISAAC	LB
53	CHARLES FLOYD	LB
20	CURTIS PARNELL	M
35	DAYLE TYSON	CB
18	WARREN SADLER	CB
16	TOM LANE	S
5	HAROLD NEELEY	K
7	LARRY MITCHELL	K

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THE MARAUDERS

74	B. Anderson	OL
37	Ch. Anderson	DB
81	Cu. Anderson	DE
47	Armour	LB
63	Banks	DE
20	Bowden	DB
26	Brame	DB
56	Brantly	LB
48	Brewington	LB
66	Brooks	LB
86	Brown	TE
84	Bruton	WR
43	Ciano	DB
50	Childress	C
60	Crockrom	LB
23	Crowder	DB
53	Davidson	C
49	Debardiabon	LB
85	Derrick	DB
78	Dorrough	OL
13	Eggert	P
15	Freeman	QB
19	Gaither	WR
88	Gilkey	LB
31	Harrell	RB
79	K. Harris	OL
24	L. Harris	RB
42	Haynes	DB
68	Holiday	OL
55	Hopson	LB
9	Houston	QB
39	Johnson	RB
52	Jones	C
28	G. Jordan	RB
89	J. Jordan	TE
82	Judkins	WR
72	Kirby	DE
54	Ladd	DT
67	Lawhorn	OL
34	Lesure	RB
27	Massey	WR
41	Miller	LB
40	Mitchell	DB
58	Mixon	OL
77	Moorer	OL
87	Mosley	TE
62	Oliver	DE
32	Paige	RB
51	Parker	OL
10	Pierce	QB
57	Porter	OL
65	Ravis	OL
14	Richardson	K
45	Scott	RB
11	Schock	QB
44	Seahorn	LB
16	D. Smith	QB
71	K. Smith	DT
69	Synder	DT
35	Thames	DB
90	Thompson	DT
73	Tucker	OL
33	Washington	LB
83	Watkins	DE
21	West	DB
25	Wilkinson	DB
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61	Wright	LB
80	Zachery	WR

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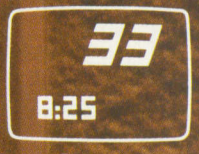

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NO.	PLAYER	POS.	HT.	WT.	YR.	HOMETOWN (High School)
9	Ed Houston (Capt)*	QB	5'10"	170	SR.	Chicago, Illinois (Simeon)
10	Keith Pierce	QB	5'11"	190	FR.	Bridgeport, Conn., (Harding)
11	Dan Schock*	QB	5'11"	170	JR.	Xenia, Ohio (Dayton Carroll)
13	Bob Eggert	P	6'0"	182	SO.	Madison Hghts., Mich. (Mad. Hghts.)
14	David Richardson*	K	5-9"	185	SO.	Dayton, Ohio (Chaminade)
15	Fredrick Freeman	QB	5'9"	155	FR.	Forest City, Ark. (Forest City)
16	Dennis Smith	QB	6'3"	180	FR.	Hot Springs, Ark. (Hot Springs)
19	Stanley Gaither	WR	6'1"	170	FR.	Wilberforce, Ohio (Dayton Carroll)
20	Gillis Bowden**	DB	5'8"	160	SR.	Chicago, Illinois (Simeon)
21	Al West	DB	5'8"	160	JR.	Akron, Ohio (South)
23	Ron Crowder	DB	6'0"	186	JR.	Philadelphia, Pa. (Dobbins Tech.)
24	Lon Harris	RB	5'10"	180	SR.	Columbus, Ohio (East)
25	Ray Wilkinson	DB	6'1"	200	SO.	Cincinnati, Ohio (Withrow)
26	Donald Brame	DB	6'0"	170	FR.	Chicago, Illinois (Harper)
27	Augusta Massey	WR	6'0"	175	FR.	Marianna, Ark. (Marianna)
28	Grady Jordan	RB	6'0"	210	FR.	Marianna, Ark. (Marianna)
31	Jerome Harrell**	RB	5'9"	175	JR.	Youngstown, Ohio (North)
32	Barrett Paige **	RB	6'3"	217	JR.	Washington, D.C. (Springbrook)
33	Ricardo Washington	LB	6'2"	225	SR.	Flint, Michigan (Northern)
34	Rick Lesure	RB	6'1"	205	JR.	Toledo, Ohio (Libbey)
35	Blake Thames**	DB	6'1"	190	SR.	Flint, Michigan (Northwestern)
37	Charles Anderson	DB	5'10"	195	FR.	Chicago, Illinois (Parker)
39	Cleotis Johnson	RB	6'0"	195	FR.	Watson Channel, Ark. (Watson Channel)
40	Mike Mitchell	DB	6'1"	186	FR.	Detroit, Mchigan (King)
41	Sam Miller	LB	6'5"	212	FR.	Brinkly, Ark. (Brinkly)
42	Fred Haynes*	DB	5'10"	180	SO.	Silver Springs, Md. (Silver Springs)
43	Nat Ciano***	DB	5'10"	180	SR.	Fairborn, Ohio (Baker)
44	Ivan Seahorn*	LB	6'5"	222	JR.	Benton Harbor, Mich. (Benton Harbor)
45	Kevin Scott*	RB	6'1"	215	JR.	Ferndale, Michigan (Ferndale)
47	Richard Armour	LB	6'1"	210	FR.	Detroit, Michigan (King)
48	Alton Brewington	LB	6'2"	210	FR.	Montgomery, Ala. (Carver)
49	Demetric Debardlabon	LB	6'0"	208	FR.	Birmingham Ala.(Carver)
50	Mike Childress	C	6'2"	210	SO.	Chicago, Illinois
51	Phillip Parker	OL	6'3"	205	FR.	Chicago, Illinois (Parker)
52	Rick Jones**	C	6'0"	219	SR.	Philadelphia, Pa. (Olney)
53	Tommy Davidson*	C	6'0"	225	JR.	Urbaja Ohio (Urbana)
54	James Ladd	DT	6'4"	225	JR.	Urbana, Ohio (Urbana)
55	Bill Hopson***	LB	6'1"	205	SR.	Detroit, Michigan (King)
56	Mike Brantly	LB	5'10"	208	JR.	Dayton, Ohio (Jefferson)
57	Kevin Porter	OL	6'5"	210	FR.	Youngstown, Ohio (North)
58	Carlton Mixon	OL	6'1"	210	SO.	Akron, Ohio (Butchel)
60	Wayne Crockrom	LB	6'1"	205	SO.	CHicago, Illinois
61	ANthony Wright	LB	6'1"	205	FR.	Detroit, Michigan (King)
62	Greg Oliver	DE	6'3"	220	SR.	Springfield, Ohio (South)
63	Paul Banks	DE	6'1"	206	SR.	Dayton Ohio (Roth)
65	Fred Davis	OL	6'1"	240	FR.	Bridgeport, Conn. (Harding)
66	Ike Brooks	LB	6'2"	205	SO.	Detroit, Michigan (Muray-Wright
67	Early Lawhorn*	OL	6'3"	254	SO.	Dayton, Ohio (Roth)
68	Anthony Holiday***	OL	6'2"	226	SR.	Cincinnati, Ohio (Taft)
69	Thomas Synder	DT	6'0"	232	SO.	Hillsboro)
71	Ken Smith	DT	6'0"	232	FR.	Detroit, Michigan (Chadsey)
72	Bryan Kirby	DE	6'3"	210	FR.	Zanesville, Ohio (Zanesville)
73	Mike Tucker	OL	6'3"	245	SR.	Philadelphia, Pa. (Central)
74	Bobby Anderson	OL	6'2"	195	FR.	Chicago, Illinois (Simeon)
76	Jim Wood*	DT	5'10"	243	JR.	Dayton, Ohio (Roosevelt)
77	Orlando Moorer**	OL	6'1"	225	SR.	Dayton, Ohio (Roth)
78	Scott Dorough**	OL	6'4"	240	JR.	Fairborn, Ohio (Park Hills)
79	Ken Harris	OL	6'6"	260	SO.	Chicago, Illinois (Dunbar)
80	Willie Zackery**	WR	6'1"	180	SR.	LaGrange, Georgia (LaGrange)
81	Curtis Anderson	DE	6'7"	235	SO.	Cincinnati, Ohio (Withrow)
82	Terry Judkins*	WR	6'2"	180	JR.	Chicago, Illinois (Eisenhower)
83	Wallace Watkins	DE	6'8"	263	FR.	Hot Springs, Ark. (Hot Springs)
84	Bobby Burton	WR	6'2"	180	JR.	Jackson, Michigan (Parkside)
85	Jeffery Derrick*	DB	6'0"	175	SR.	Dayton, Ohio (Roosevelt)
86	Neville Brown	TE	6'4"	232	FR.	Chicago, Illinois (Harper)
87	Joe Mosely	TE	6'4"	235	SO.	Flint, Michigan (Northwestern)
88	Harold Gilkey*	LB	6'3"	240	JR.	Battle Creek, Michigan (Battle Creek)
89	Jetton Jordan**	TE	6'2"	215	SR.	Elkhart, Indiana (Central)
90	Ulysses Thompson*	DT	6'6"	220	SO.	Chicago, Illinois (Parker)

*Indicates Varsity Letters Won

Old Carnegie Center Now Houses Black Archives

Gloria Watson, student assistant, and James Eaton examine bust of George Washington Carver.

One of the oldest buildings on Florida A&M University's campus has become the scene of its latest and most promising innovation. For the fourth time since its construction in 1908 the Carnegie Center is being put to a new use . . . Black Archive, Museum and Research Center.

The building was constructed with funds received as a gift from Andrew Carnegie in the amount of $10,000 and originally served as the library. Thus, the institution became the first of two Black Land-Grant Colleges in the United States to have a Carnegie Library.

The present use of the structure is the response to the need for preserving the history of blacks in Florida. In 1971, the Florida Legislature passed the "Florida Afro-American History Repository Act." This act mandated that the repository "shall serve the state by collecting and preserving source material on the contributions, achievements, and general experiences of Afro-Americans, and shall endeavor to reproduce and secure copies of all material on or about black Floridians from the earliest beginnings to the present."

The Black Floridian Archive and Research Center became a reality in 1976 when the University received a $15,000 grant from the Bicentennial Commision of Florida and a $5,000 grant from the Winn-Dixie Foundation. The undertaking is recognized as a Bicentennial project and has been widely supported by blacks and whites throughout the state. The center received national recognition in several newspaper and magazine articles, including *U.S. News and World Report*. Much of the material used by the U.S. Army Security Agency at Arlington Hall, Va., during the Afro-American History Month celebrating the Bicentennial was loaned by the Black Floridian Archive.

The project is directed by James N. Eaton, Chairman of Florida A&M University's Department of History, Geography and Afro-American Studies. He has received generous support from members of his department, the administration and Associate Archivist, Mrs. Helen H. Perry.

The Archives and Research Center contains archival material pertaining to the history and contributions of Afro-Americans. While a large portion of the material focuses on blacks in Florida, the documents are not limited to Florida and the United States, but are international in scope, in that they include correspondence from African nobility and Europeans. In addition to manuscripts and printed material, special features of the center are:

1. *The Upper Room*—dedicated to the history and contributions of the black church to American society
2. *Sunshine Manor*—a special room set aside for conferences and meetings relative to the problems and aspirations of Afro-Americans. The memorabilia depicts almost a century of educational opportunities at Florida A&M University.
3. *The Audio-Visual and Photographic Collection*—a special room containing audio-visual equipment for utilizing oral history tapes, film strips and photographs. The oral history tapes and photographs present a panorama of Afro-American History containing interviews and photographs of Americans from from all stations of life.
4. *Research Room*—An area set aside for the use of archival and reference material. The books and journals are non-circulating.
5. *Muesum*—A large area located on the second floor of the Carnegie Center containing displays of African and Afro-American Art and other memorabilia.

Description of Archival Material—The Archival material located in the center contains letters, documents, and papers from governors, U.S. and state senators, representatives, college presidents, parents, students, etc. Correspondence from famous personalities such as Mary McLeod Bethune, Richard Nixon, Daniel Webster, Martin Luther King, Thurgood Marshall, George Wallace and Lyndon B. Johnson constitute a portion of the collection.

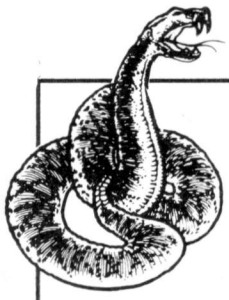
MISS CSU

Geraldine Lordé

Miss Geraldine Lordé, a senior from the Bronx, New York, is Miss CSU for the 1976-77 school year.

Miss Lordé is majoring in special education and child development technology at Central State. She was elected in an all-student election last spring.

Miss CSU serves as official hostess for a variety of functions on the Central State University campus and works in public relations for the CSU Student Government Association.



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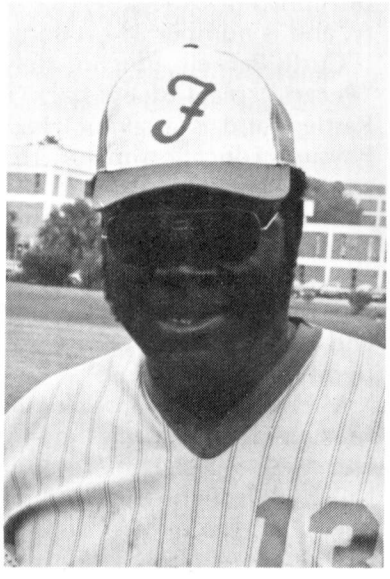

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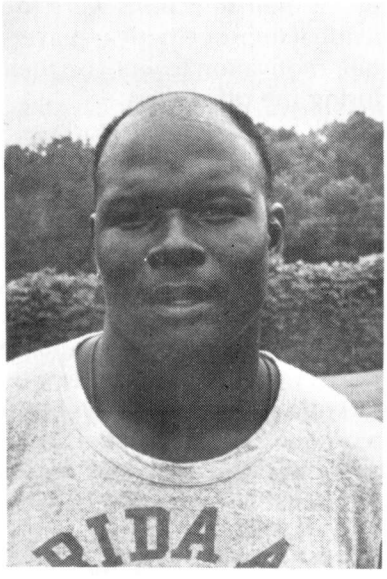

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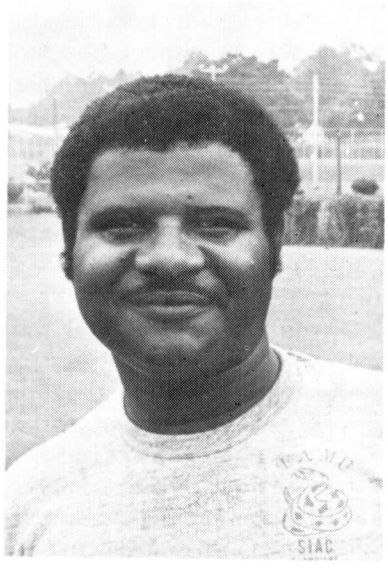

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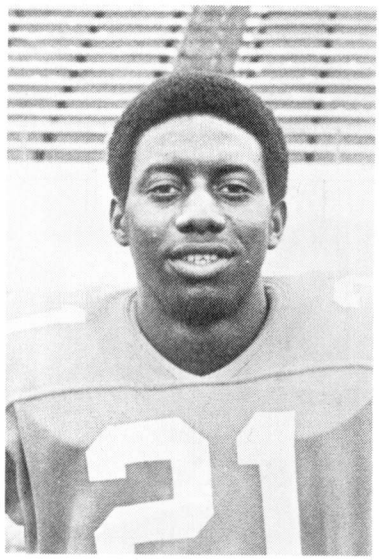

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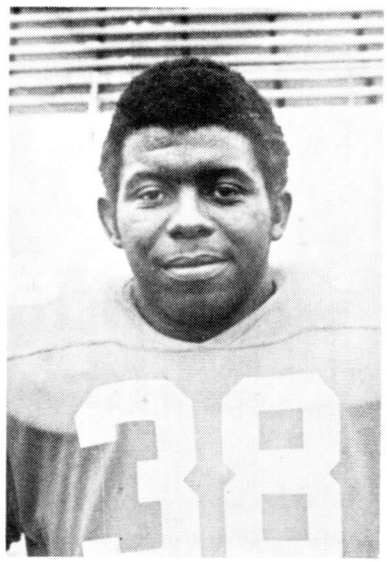

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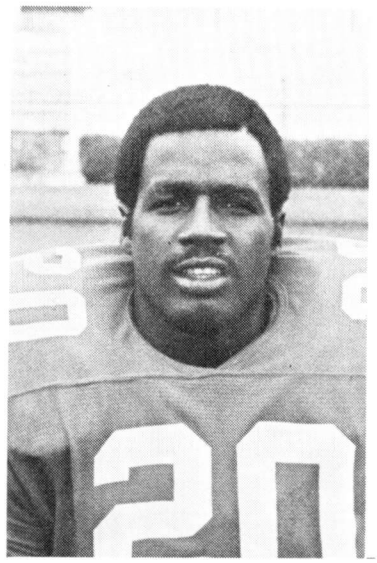

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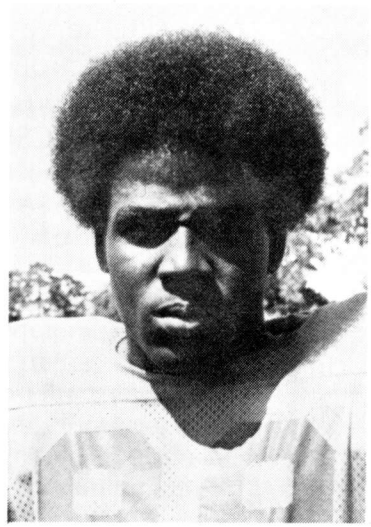


MIKE SOREY

FAMU CO-CAPTAINS ARE TEAM LEADERS

by Horace Gosier

"A Rattler team captain is a guy that all the players respect, and he has to be someone who I can believe in. Most importantly, he has to be a good football player."

Those thoughts, says FAMU Head Coach Rudy Hubbard, are the guiding principles to which he adheres in selecting team captains for each season.

On the 1976 Rattler roster, there are many players who possess traits of leadership. But when the selection process was conducted earlier this year, four names stood out from the rest.

Rattler co-captains Cal Burgess, Earl Goodman, Curtis Parnell and Michael Sorey were selected by Coach Hubbard to provide the necessary player leadership, and they have done so admirably.

According to Hubbard, other factors in their selections were their individual improvement as players, and their motivation to work on their own during the off-season.

"All four are hard workers," said Hubbard. "They did a lot of work on their own weight-lifting and running-and this affected the whole team."

Cal Burgess, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace H. Burgess of Tallahassee, is a senior Business Management major. His hobbies are sports, traveling and pretty girls. Cal is a wide receiver and he is interested in pro football and private business as career options. He wears number 21 on offense.

Earl Roland Goodman, defensive end, is the son of Mrs. Raynell Goodman of Tampa. He is a Health and Physical Education major and has his eyes on a career in pro football or teaching. Earl enjoys music and sports in his spare time, and he is a member of Alpha Phi Omega service fraternity, and is number 38 on defense.

Curtis Parnell, affectionately called "Pecan," plays deep back for the Rattlers and is a senior Health and Physical Education major. He is the son of Mrs. Lula Mae Russ of Miami. Curtis plays, among other things in his spare time, basketball, softball, ping-pong, and tennis. His career choices are professional football, teaching and coaching football. Curt wears number 20 on defense.

Michael Sorey, a senior Business Management major, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Sorey of Miami. Mike plays tight end and plans to have careers in pro football and business. He plays basketball, pool, tennis and likes to swim in his spare time, He is number 81 on offense.

The Rattlers are fortunate to have four men of their caliber.

IT'S A FAMILY AFFAIR

By ROBERT L. ALLEN

"You grin and bear it" says Eura Brooks when talking about the enviable—yet spartan—college education package her family put together.

Eura, 41, and daughters Alearria, 19; Robin, 18; and Garlyn, 17, residents of Mulberry, Fla., are full-time students at Florida A&M University.

Eura is enrolled in the master's elementary education program at FAMU but plans on switching to guidance. Alearria is a junior health and physical education major. Robin is a sophomore in elementary education, and Garlyn, is a freshman in pharmacy.

Embarking on a program that would make even the most adventurous mass education planner quake in his boots, Eura and husband Willie decided nealy two decades ago to send all their six children and herself to college, even though there was only a seven-year difference between the oldest and youngest child.

Marveen, 24, the oldest, now teaching emotionally disturbed children at Rochelle Elementary School in Lakeland, is a 1974 FAMU graduate. Aloumia, 21, '76 FAMU elementary education graduate, teaches mentally retarded children in the Life-Learning Center in Bartow. The Brooks' only son, Edwin, 22, attended nearby Polk Community College for two years. He is a sandblaster with the Reco-Trico Co. in Mulberry. He is presently assigned to South Korea by the company.

The Brooks' plan called for Eura getting a belated college education first. Willie, now a 42-year-old surveyor with American Cynamind Co., Brewster, Fla., had promised his wife as much.

"We got married after high school," Eura said. "We agreed, my husband and I, that he would send me to college later. Then I had my babies (six of them) and was ready for college. I was out of high school over 10 years."

So in 1962, Eura enrolled in the now-defunct Gibbs Junior College in St. Petersburg, Fla. After receiving the associate of arts degree, she went to Bethune-Cookman College in Daytona Beach and in 1964 earned a B.S. degree in elementary education.

"I went three days a week to Gibbs," said Eura. "On the other two days I was part-time custodian at J. R. E. Lee Elementary in Mulberry. I was part-time for two years." The part of the week left was spent with her family.

It was heart-rending for Eura when she went to Bethune because for the first time the family was separated. Alearria, Robin, and Garlyn went to live with aunts Edna and Maybonia and cousin Alene. Aloumia lived with grandmother Ethel; Edwin stayed with daddy; and Marveen went to Daytona Beach with Eura.

That was until Eura's last year at Bethune. Then Willie brought all the children home to live with him.

Garlyn remembers vividly how it was. "Daddy platted our hair, checked us over one by one before we went out the door to school. Mother would come home every weekend to prepare our clothes, the menu, and generally clean house."

Between 1966 and 1971, Eura taught elementary education at Jewett and Eagle Lake Elementary Schools, both in the Winter Haven area. In 1971 she started teaching emotionally disturbed children at Eagle Lake, the job she currently holds.

During the summer she joins Alearria, Robin and Garlyn at FAMU.

"I came to FAMU because I had a strong desire to continue my education and felt the school offered what I wanted. Also, it was less expensive for me to go to FAMU because Alearria, Robin, and Garlyn were already well established in Tallahassee," Eura said.

Coming to FAMU was less expensive because after one of their many powwows, the family decided shortly after Robin enrolled to buy a three-bedroom mobile home. They set it up at Pine Ridge Mobile Home Estates, two miles from the FAMU campus.

Eura said, "We purchased the trailer when Robin was a freshman. Before, it was so expensive. You know, we have had three children in college at the same time before.

"When Robin started at FAMU we were paying rent on her quarters. The man (landlord) was going up to $145 a month, plus we were paying the utility bill. So, it was cheaper for us to buy a trailer."

Even with reduced lodging expenses, it is still mind boggling. Four members of one family in college at the same time? How?

"Cut back on eating, electricity, trips home, phone calls, and borrow as many books as possible. We use the FAMU, FSU, and public libraries extensively, and when we go home (to Mulberry), we go to the USF (University of South Florida) library for books," said Alearria.

"And we walk a lot," said Garlyn, joining in laughter with the others.

"But before we did it, we realized the hardship, and realized that everybody had to tighten belts. The children said 'we can do it,'" said Eura.

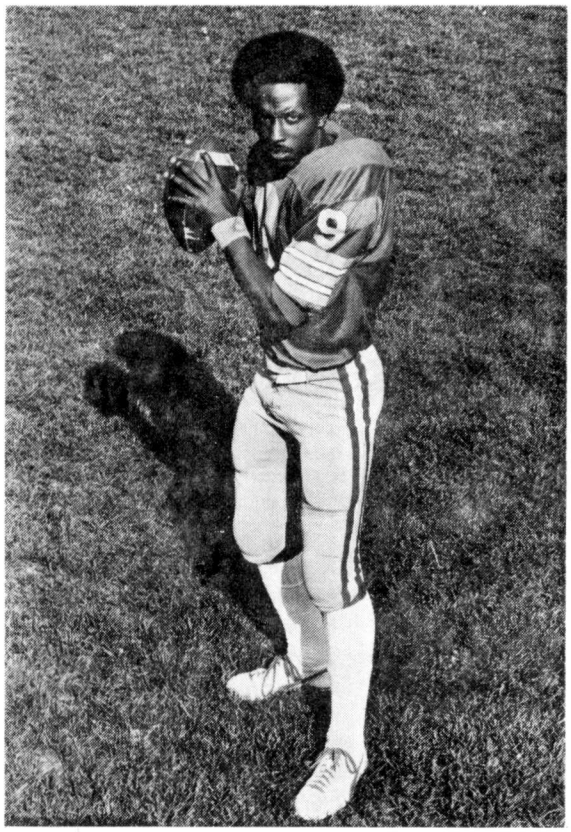
"I have adjusted," said Robin, "but it is still tough. The financial aid people look at me and say our family income is too high for me to qualify."

The family, which earns approximately $20,000 a year, finds itself in an income level twilight zone, which Garlyn aptly describes. "The family is too rich to be poor and too poor to be rich."

When things get really bad, the Brooks' rely on a source of strength that has served them well through the years. They see themselves as a ball team with each member having to play a position well in order to win the game. Everybody is encouraged to play as hard as possible. If a member of the team becomes weak, others of the team must back him/her up.

"We go to church together; our family is very religious. We play together, go to movies occasionally, sing at home together. One thing we stress is love for each other," summed up Eura.

Sometimes, however, when a family is trying to educate four-at-a-time, nothing works except maybe a little listening to Garlyn play the piano, or flute, or clarinet. Music always seems to be a good therapy.



ED HOUSTON, Quarterback

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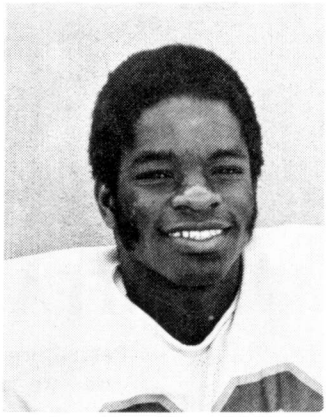
MARAUDERS

McKINLEY'S FOREST, one of the tallest front-four in college football this year, includes: from left—81, Curtis Anderson, 6-7, 235-pound sophomore from Cincinnati, Ohio; 54, James Ladd, 6-4, 225-pound junior from Urbana, Ohio; 90, Ulysses Thompson, 6-6, 220-pound sophomore from Chicago, Illinois; and 83, Wallace Watkins, 6-9, 263-pound freshman from Hot Springs, Arkansas.



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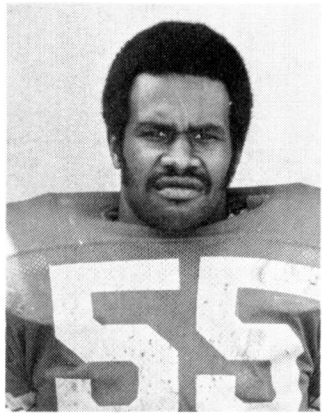

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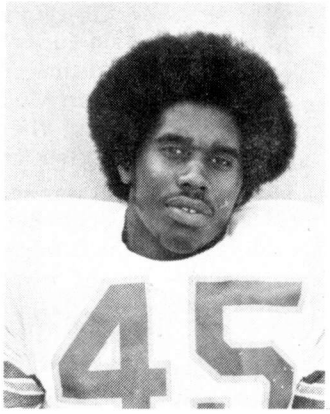

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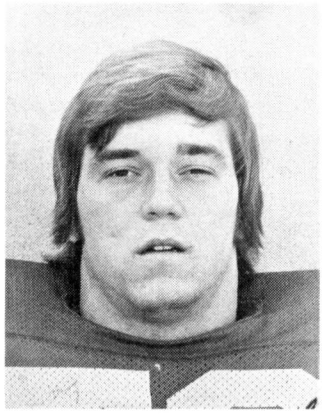

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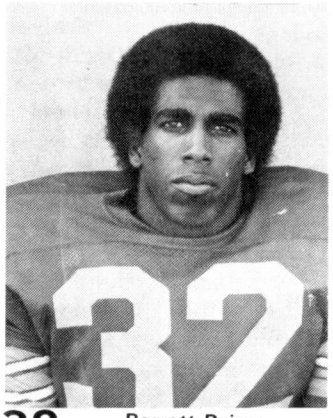

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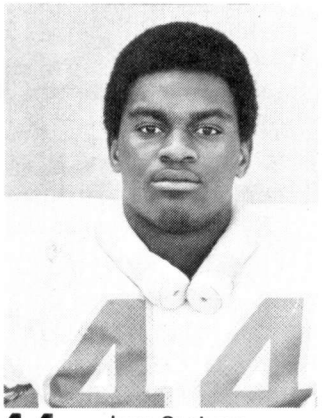

44 Ivan Seahorn
Running Back

Wide Receiver Terry Judkins (82) scrambles for yardage after a reception.

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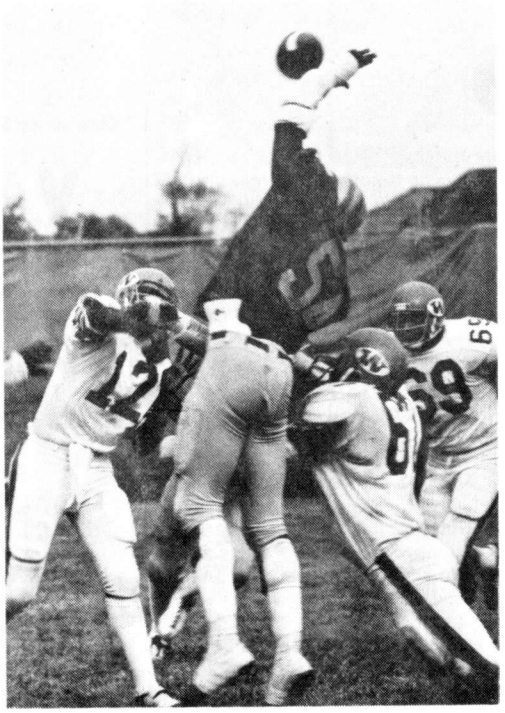

James Ladd (54) bats down a Western Illinois pass attempt.

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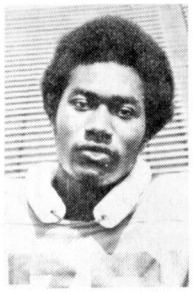

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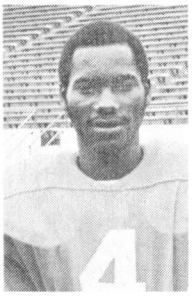

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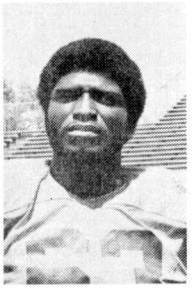

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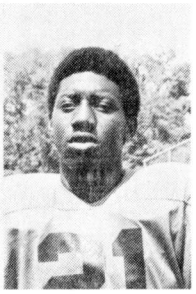

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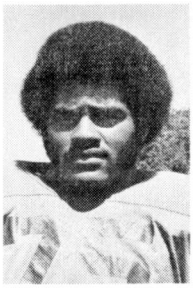

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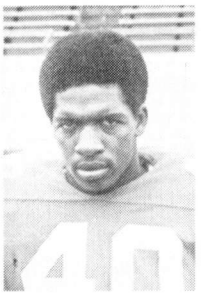

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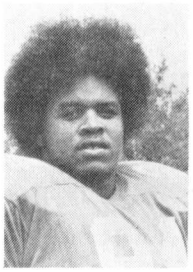

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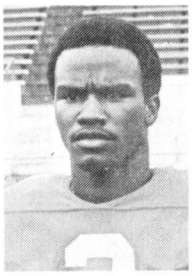

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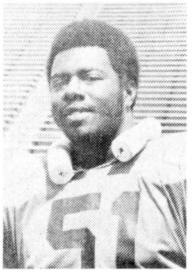

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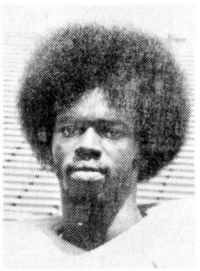

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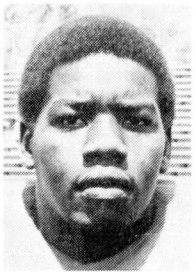

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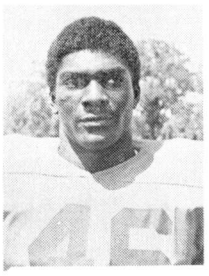

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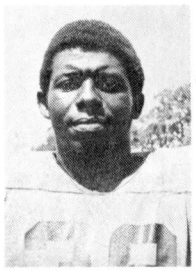

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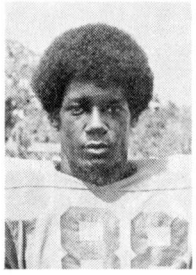

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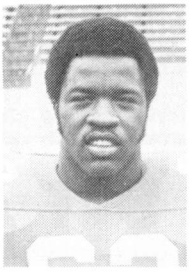

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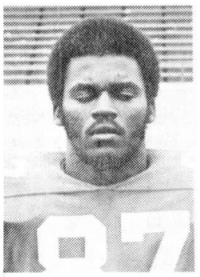

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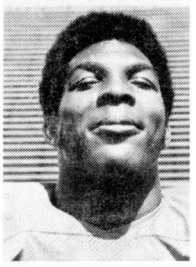
Tight End



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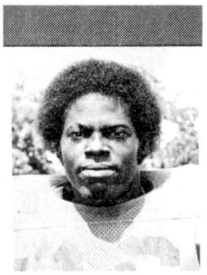

CLARENCE HAWKINS
Fullback

Cheryl– Cont'd from page 16

"I have hopes that even though we are different, we can come together this year and work to improve the FAMU environment," she said.

Cheryl's major is Journalism. She said her main interest is in the print media, but she also has an affinity for broadcast area. Ideally, she said, her career will find her working as a free lance writer and devoting most of her time to her family—husband James O. Mobley, Jr., and one-year-old daughter Jamesia.

Cheryl is a member of Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society, and has been active in the FAMU NAACP Chapter, the Tallahassee Federation of Black Communicators, and numerous SGA committees. She has served as administrative assistant, writer and news editor of FAMU's student newspaper, and she was voted "Miss Congeniality" by her fellow contestants in the Miss Black Florida pageant in 1971.

She has served as a writer for the Shreveport Sun, and has a writer-producer for "Today in the Legislature," a syndicated Florida public television program.

She is also listed in Who's Who in Poetry in American Colleges and Universities.

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The Man Behind The Camera

By Susan Chambless

(Reprinted from the FAMUAN, September 25, 1976)

"How does he do it? Is invariably the question raised about Mr. Ernest L. Fillyau, University Photographer at FAMU for sixteen years. Fillyau recently won first place in the annual Humorous Speech Contest sponsored by the Area 15 Toastmaster's Club, for his talk on integration in America.

His versatility does not end there. Originally from St. Petersburg, Florida, Fillyau has inspired countless young men and women to become more dependable, creative and assertive individuals. FAMU's Dean of the College of Education Paul B. Mohr remembers:

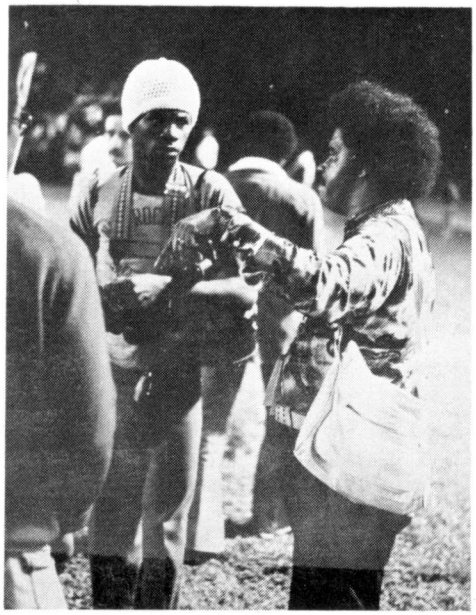
"As a high school senior, I was hired by the St. Petersburg Independent (now St. Petersburg Times) as a stringer. I had little knowledge of journalism or writing. Fillyau was a full time photographer at the paper, and he gave me a great deal of insight into journalism. The paper could pay me only ten cents per published inch, so Fillyau taught me how to be verbose and earn money. He used his photographic skills to reinforce my stories."

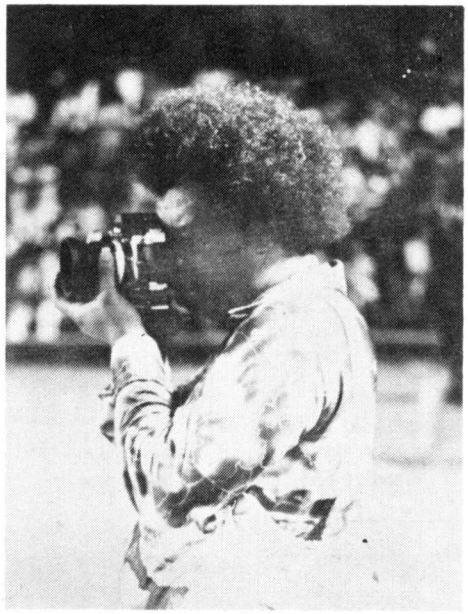
Mohr continued, "I feel indebted to him for providing me with experiences that have affected me to this day. Without his helping me learn the ropes, I couldn't have earned any money in high school or college." Because of his newspaper experience, Mohr was appointed Director of Public Relations at Gibbs Junior College, St. Petersburg.

"Again, Ernie came to the rescue. We relied heavily on his imagination. He had a willingness to reinforce personal and professional inspirations in his colleagues."

Fillyau did not limit himself to newspaper and public relations photography by any means. He was also the manager of the Jennie Hall Swimming Pool in St. Petersburg. "He didn't confine his job to mere management of the pool—he made it a competitive recreational setting, and developed leadership qualities in the children, thus contributing to the lives of many," said Mohr.

Dean Mohr added, Ernie has always wanted to improve himself any way he could. He had a strong desire to get a higher education. Then, when his children were almost adults, he started taking classes under the Career Service Program." Now Fillyau has completed his Bachelor's Degree in Sociology finishing his internship over the summer.





Mrs. Thelma T. Gorham, Associate Professor in the area of Journalism, met Fillyau in 1963 when she was the Director of Public Relations (now University Relations) here.

Mrs. Gorham remembers that when she was advisor to the RATTLER yearbook, Fillyau was always there when needed. "He was always available to assist putting in many extra hours without pay to ensure the deadlines were met." Fillyau is also helping the RATTLER '77 staff by serving as both photographer and one of several advisors.

Few FAMUans see Fillyau around campus when he is not taking pictures for someone. Yet with his increasing schedule of appointments, he has been quite active in a number of extra pursuits. Besides being President of the 7-Hills Toastmaster's Club at FAMU, he has served on various advisory committees, the PTA, and has actively attended the Leon County School Board meetings.

"So often we progress through life and don't recall how much our success has depended on others. Ernie is so enthusiastic and aggresive, so highly committed to the right way, that I sometimes jokingly call him the 'bull in a China Shop,' " Dr. Mohr laughed.

"Bull in the china shop" or not, Ernest L. Fillyau is certainly a remarkable individual. How indeed does he do it?

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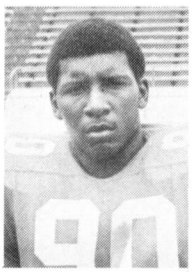

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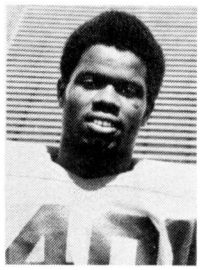

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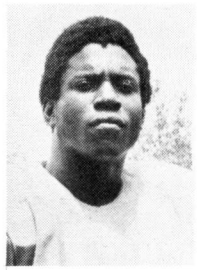

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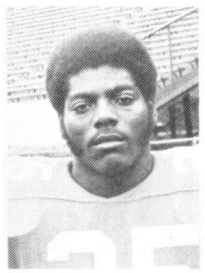

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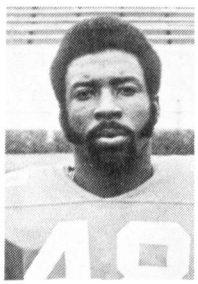

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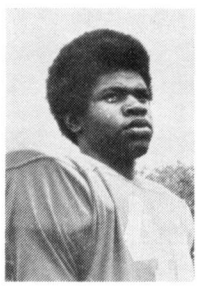

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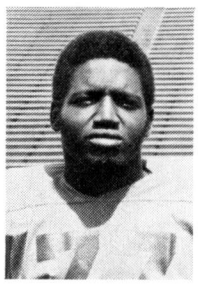

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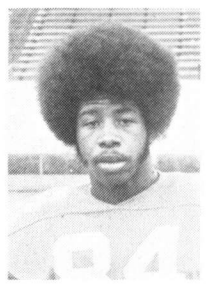

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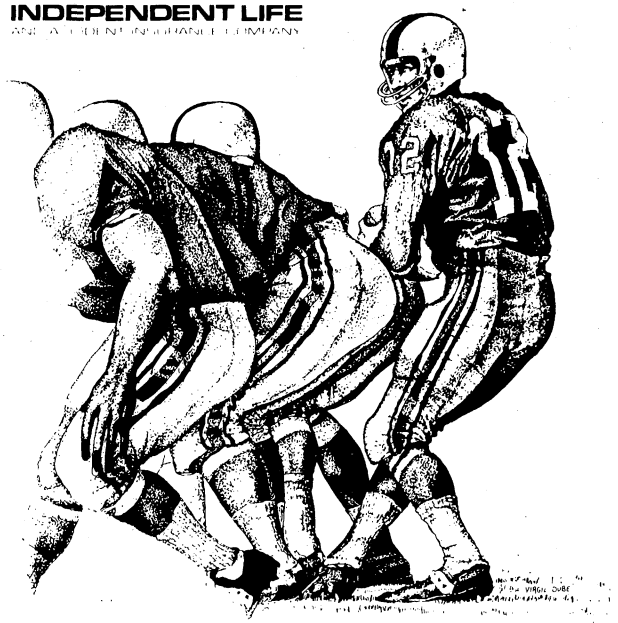

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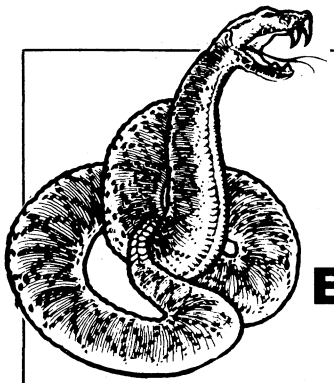

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NOVEMBER
26 at Xavier University
27 at Dillard University

DECEMBER
2-3 ORANGE BLOSSOM CLASSIC TOURNAMENT—Miami, Jackson State, Central State, Florida Memorial
11 Tournament—Cheynne State at Philadelphia (New addition)
13 at Jackson State
14 at Alcorn State
17-18 Tournament—CAPITAL CITY CLASSIC—Tallahassee
Kentucky State
Valdosta State
Florida Southern
21-23 Tournament—Martin Luther King Invitational—Chicago, Illinois

JANUARY
8 at Morris Brown
10 at Benedict
13 TUSKEGEE
15 ALBANY STATE
19 MORRIS BROWN
22 BENEDICT
25 at Alabama A&M
29 BETHUNE-COOKMAN

FEBRUARY
2 at Alabama State
5 at Albany State
10 at Tuskegee
12 ALABAMA A&M
16 ALABAMA STATE
19 at Bethune-Cookman
21 at South Florida
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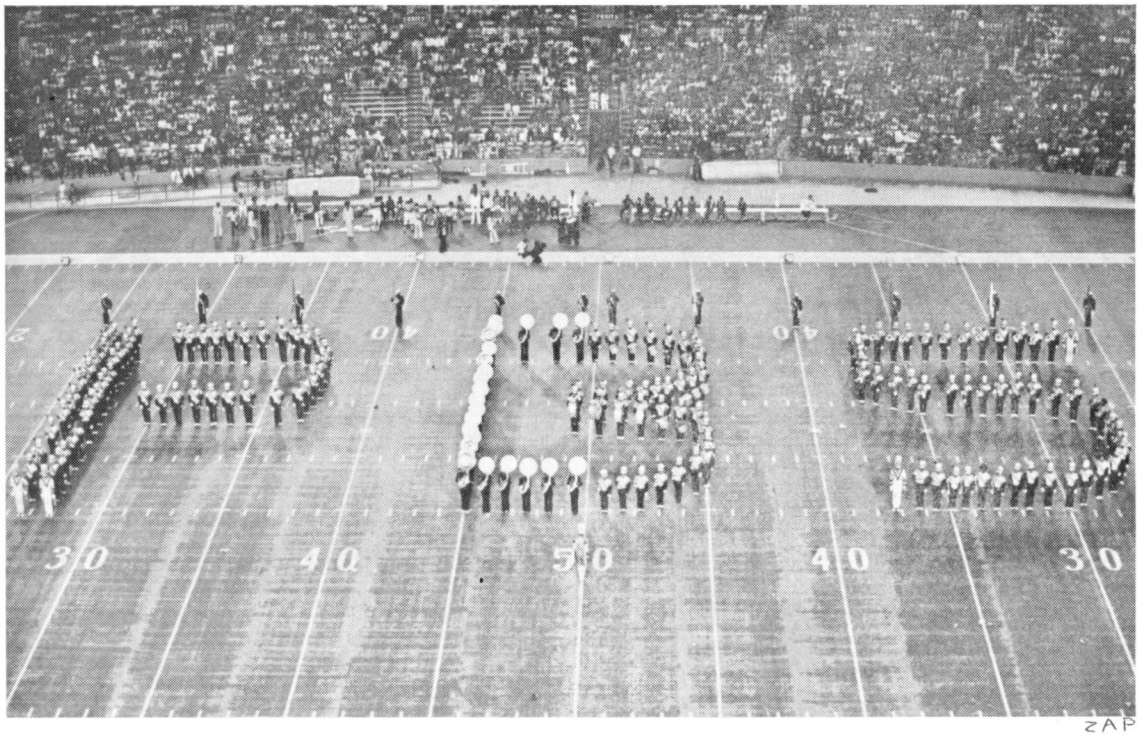

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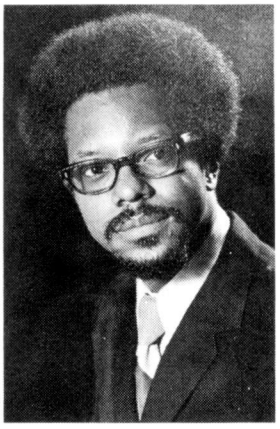

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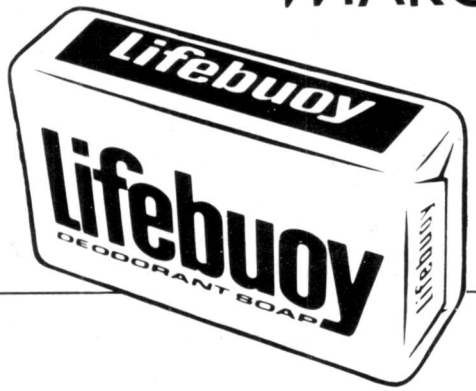

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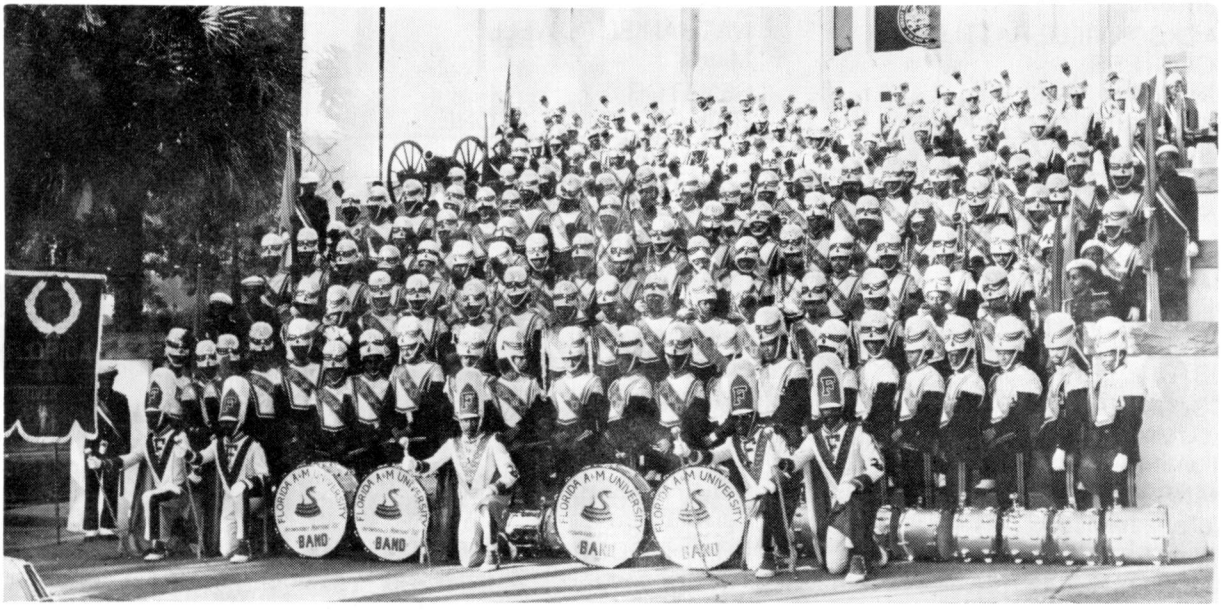

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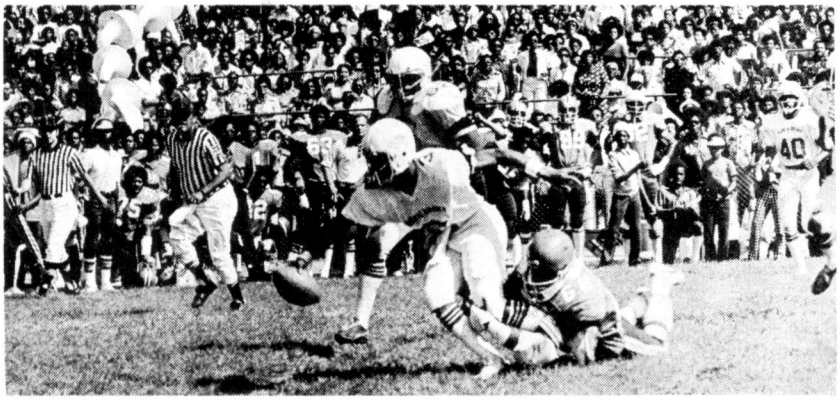

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YEAR	OPPONENT	SCORE	WINNER
1933	Howard Univ.	9-6	Fla A&M
1934	Virginia State	13-12	Fla A&M
1935	Kentucky State	19-10	Ky. State
1936	Prairie View	25-0	Pr. View
1937	Hampton Inst.	25-20	Fla A&M
1938	Kentucky State	9-7	Fla A&M
1939	Wiley College	42-0	Fla A&M
1940	Wilberforce	0-0	Tie
1941	Tuskegee Inst.	15-7	Fla A&M
1942	Texas College	12-6	Fla A&M
1943	Hampton Inst.	39-0	Hampton
1944	Virginia State	19-6	Va. State
1945	Wiley College	32-6	Wiley
1946	Lincoln Univ.	20-14	Lincoln
1947	Hampton Inst.	7-0	Fla A&M
1948	Virginia Union	10-6	Va. Union
1949	N. Carolina A&T	20-14	A&T
1950	Central State	13-6	Central
1951	N. Carolina College	67-6	Fla A&M
1952	Virginia State	29-7	Fla A&M
1953	Prairie View	33-27	Pr. View
1954	Maryland State	67-19	Fla A&M
1955	Grambling	28-21	Grambling
1956	Tennessee State	41-39	Tenn. St.
1957	Maryland State	27-21	Fla A&M
1958	Prairie View	26-8	Pr. View
1959	Prairie View	27-7	Fla A&M
1960	Langston Univ.	40-26	Fla A&M
1961	Jackson State	14-8	Fla A&M
1962	Jackson State	22-6	J. State
1963	Morgan State	30-7	Fla A&M
1964	Grambling	42-15	Fla A&M
1965	Morgan State	36-7	Morgan
1966	Alabama A&M	43-26	Fla A&M
1967	Grambling	28-25	Grambling
1968	Alcorn A&M	36-9	Alcorn
1969	Grambling	23-19	Fla A&M
1970	Jax (Ala.) State	21-7	Jax State
1971	Kentucky State	27-9	Fla A&M
1972	Md. E. Shore	41-21	Fla A&M
1973	S. C. State	23-12	Fla A&M
1974	Howard	17-13	Fla A&M
1975	Kentucky State	40-13	Fla A&M

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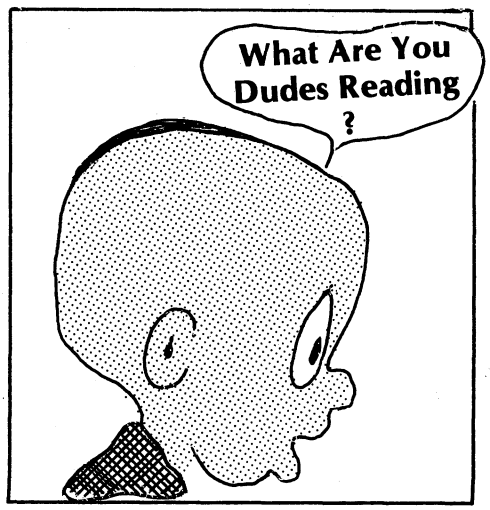
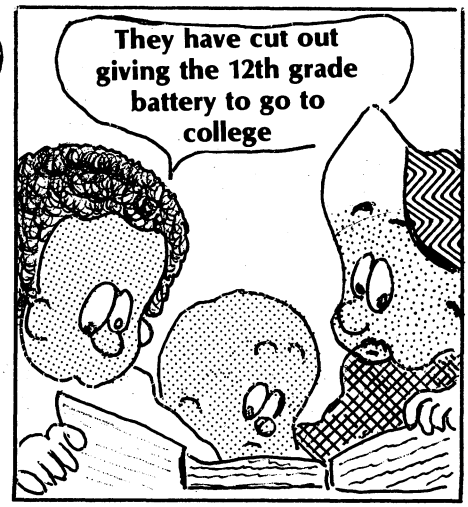
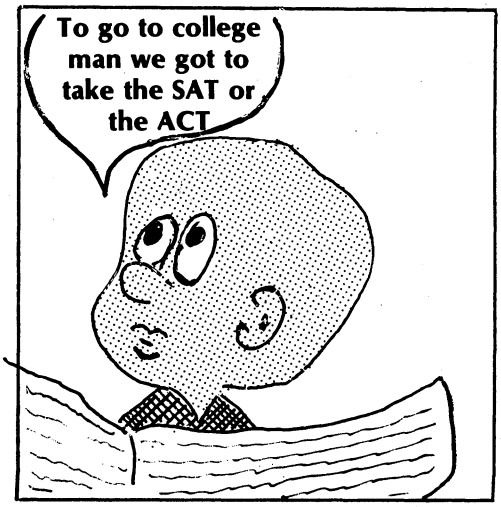
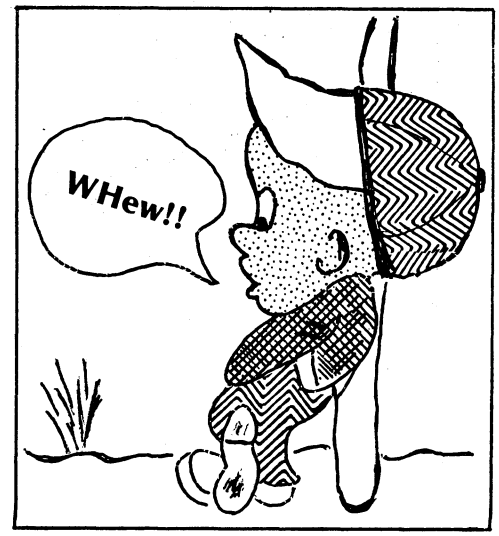








Tests Are Still Required For Admission To FAMU

by A. A. Abraham, Director, Test Service Bureau
Florida A&M University, Tallahassee

When the 1976 Legislature failed to fund the old Florida 12th Grade Testing Program, it set off the rumor, in wildfire fashion that test results are no longer required for admission to the state universities, including FAMU. The legislative action merely eliminated the test battery used at the time, not the requirememt.

Until it makes a final recommendation, a task force has recommended to the Commissioner of Education and the Board of Regents that the universities use scores from either the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) or the American College Test (ACT) for admission. The fee for the SAT is $7.25. It is $7.50 for the ACT. Fee waivers for both programs are available for students who can qualify for them and may be obtained by seeing their counselors.

Each of these tests is scheduled several times during the school year. The registration period normally closes about four weeks before the test date in question. The remaining test dates for the 1976-77 calendar are as follows:

SAT	ACT
January 22	
March 26	February 5
May 7	April 2
June 4	June 18

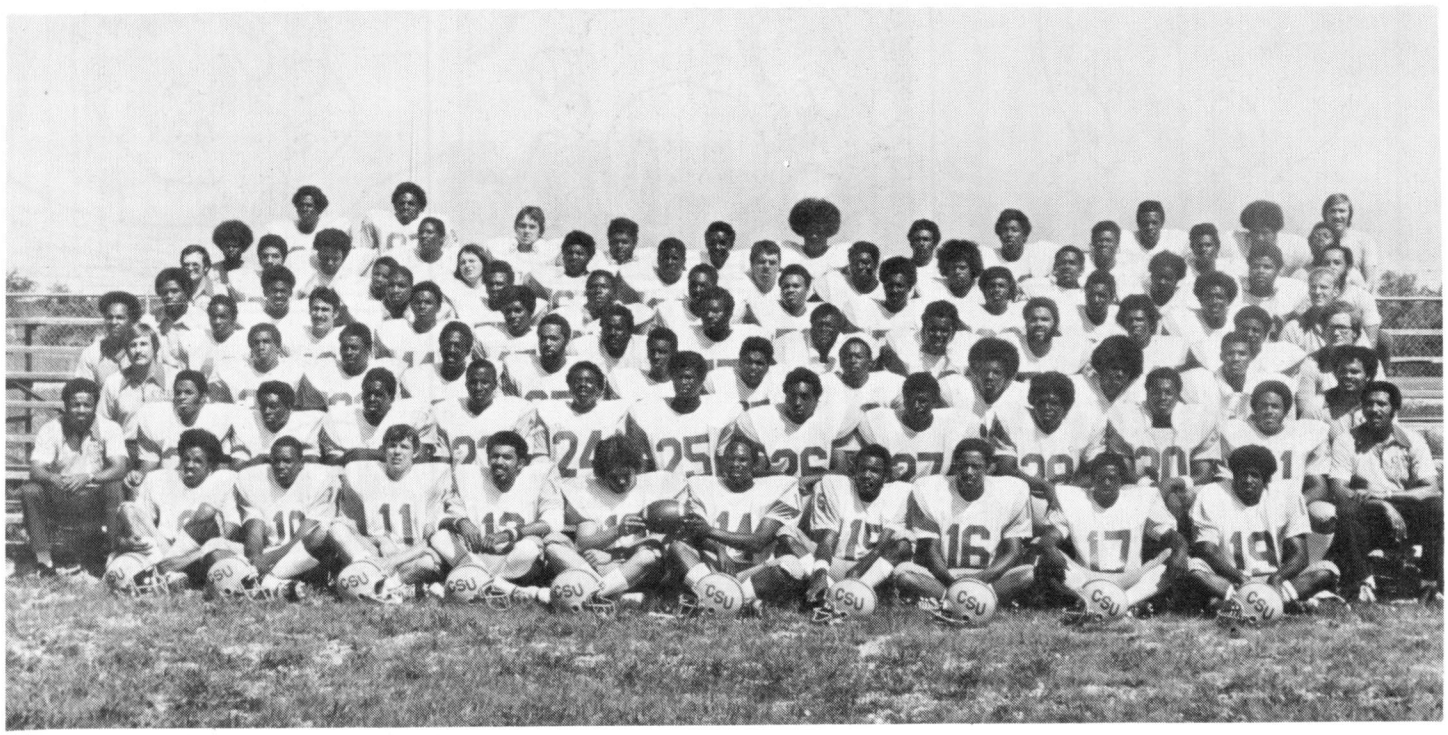
When applying to the universities, students must have test scores from at least one of the above batteries. Students should see their counselors for applications, fee waivers if they are eligible, and for other assistance in filing their applications for admission to college next September.

When in doubt about taking either of the batteries, the action of students should be governed by this axiom:

It is better to have test scores and not to need them than it is to need test scores and not to have them.

The 1976 Marauder Squad—
Central State University

(seated in numerical order, see roster)



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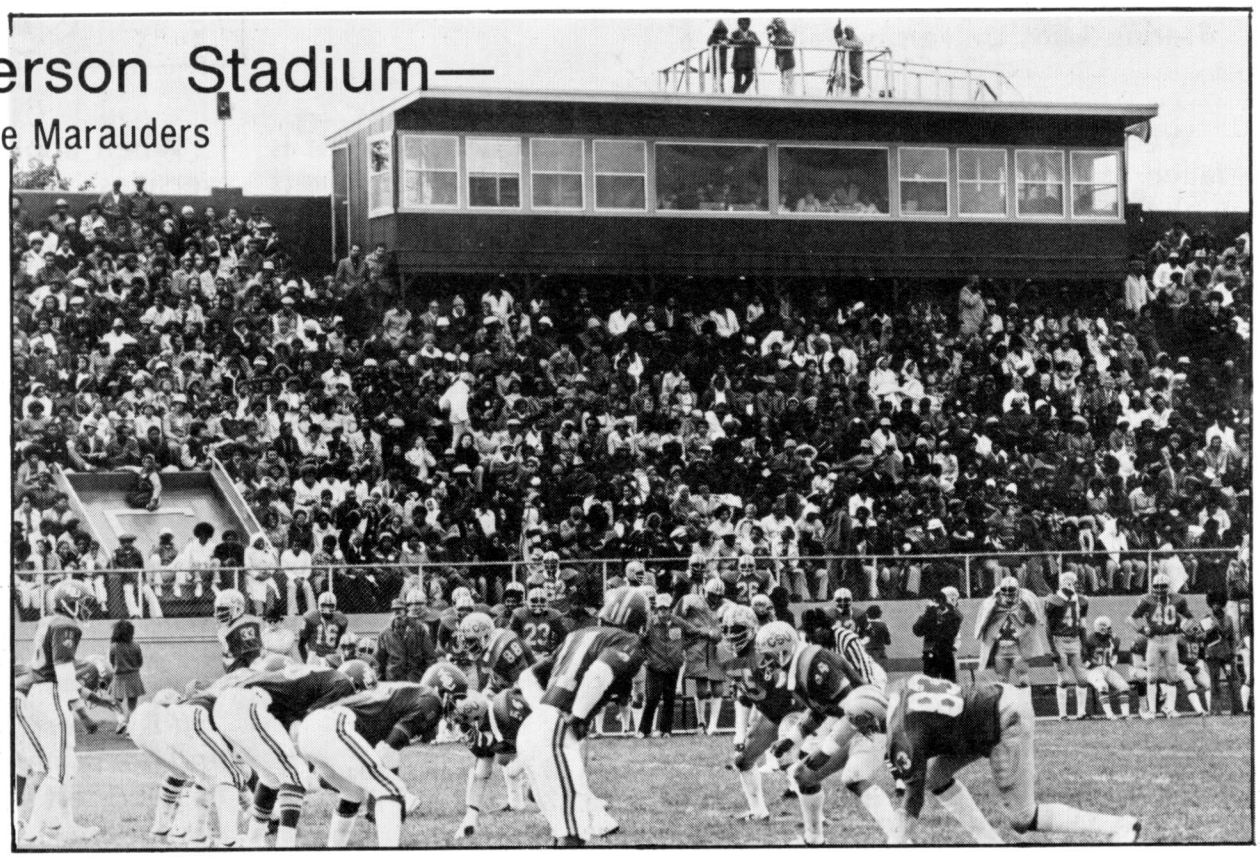


Curt "Pecan" Parnell Sets Interception Record At FAMU

By Horace Gosier

At Florida A&M University, they call him "Pecan," but the nickname "Taffy" would fit just as well.

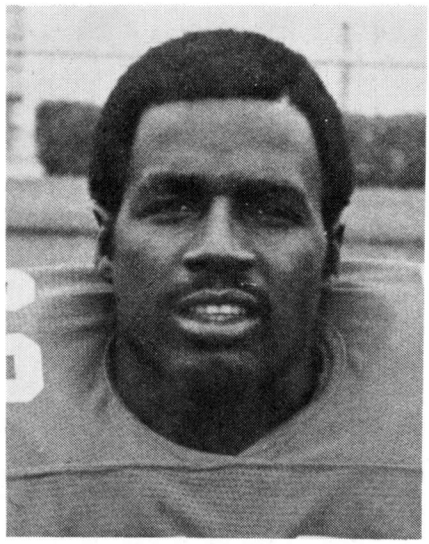
He is tough and durable, and his "sticky fingers" have caused many sweet sensations for FAMU fans.

Curtis "Pecan" Parnell, the Rattlers senior defensive back and team co-captain, has topped his school's individual career record of 17 interceptions. He grabbed three in FAMU's 53-14 win over Alabama A&M, including one he picked off at his own 36 and trucked 64 yards for a touchdown.

The three interceptions gave parnell a career total of 22 interceptions, and a season total of seven which tied his record performance of 1975.

"Curtis consistently gives us the kind of extra effort that makes us proud to have him on our team," said Rattler Head Coach Rudy Hubbard.

"Not only is he a talented athlete who always gives 100 percent, but he is a



natural leader as well," Hubbard said.

Parnell, 6-0, 180, came to FAMU four years ago out of Miami's Killian High School where he lettered in football, basketball, and track. He earned high school honors as most valuable player (twice), defensive back of the year, and inevitably was singled out for the most interceptions. Additionally, he garnered All-City, All-County and All-State high school acclaim.

The only returnee from FAMU's 1975 backfield, Parnell is the "old man" of the FAMU defense who has proven to be a stabilizing force among a host of neophyte defensive backs. He plays cornerback and monster and is equally effective in both positions.

Parnell entered this season with a three-year career total of 98 tackles and 30 assists. He had caused one fumble, recovered one, and was credited with four quarterback sacks. He picked off seven interceptions in his junior year, tying his school record and bringing his three-year career total to 15 interceptions with return yardage of 188 and one touchdown.

In the Rattler season opener against Albany State College,Parnell picked off one interception. The following week against North Carolina A&T, he stole another pass in the fourth period bringing his career total to 17, which tied the school's previous career record.

In the six games that followed he picked off five more aerials to bring his total career interceptions to 22.

Parnell is the son of Mrs. Lula Mae Russ of 10060 West Evergreen Street, Miami. He is looking forward to a career either in professional football, as a physical education teacher or football coach.

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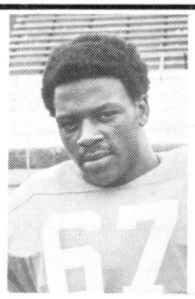

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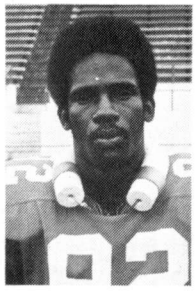

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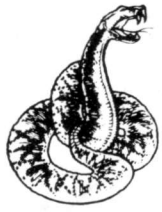

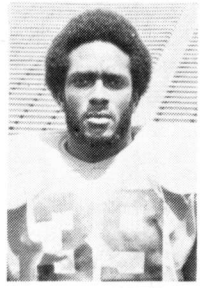

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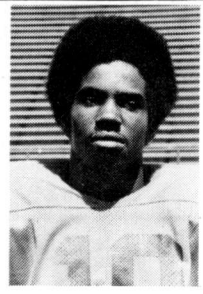

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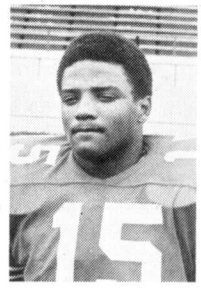

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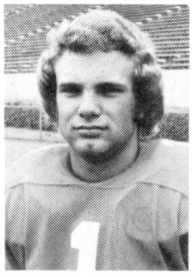

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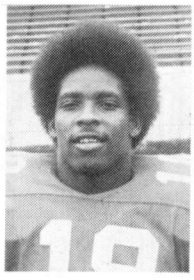

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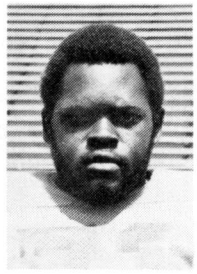

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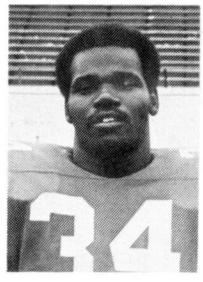

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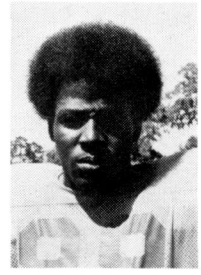

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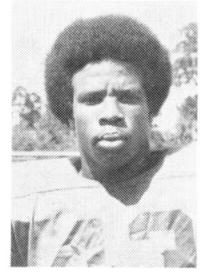

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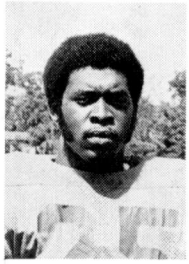

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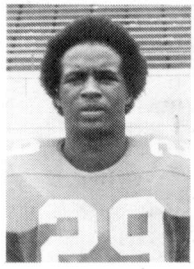

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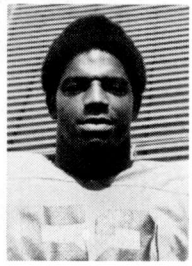

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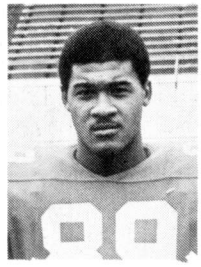

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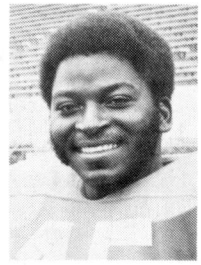

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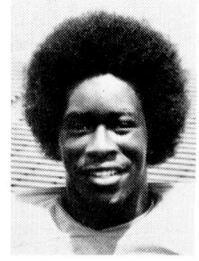

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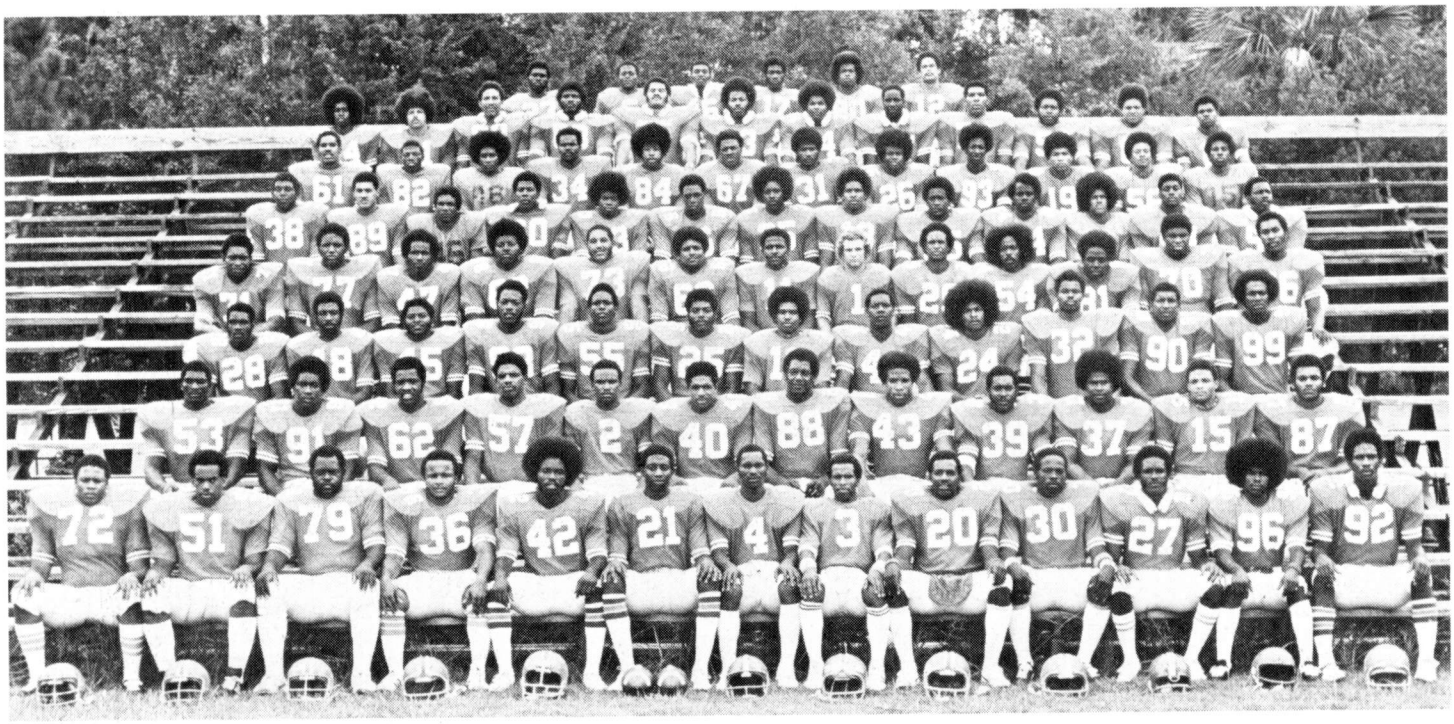

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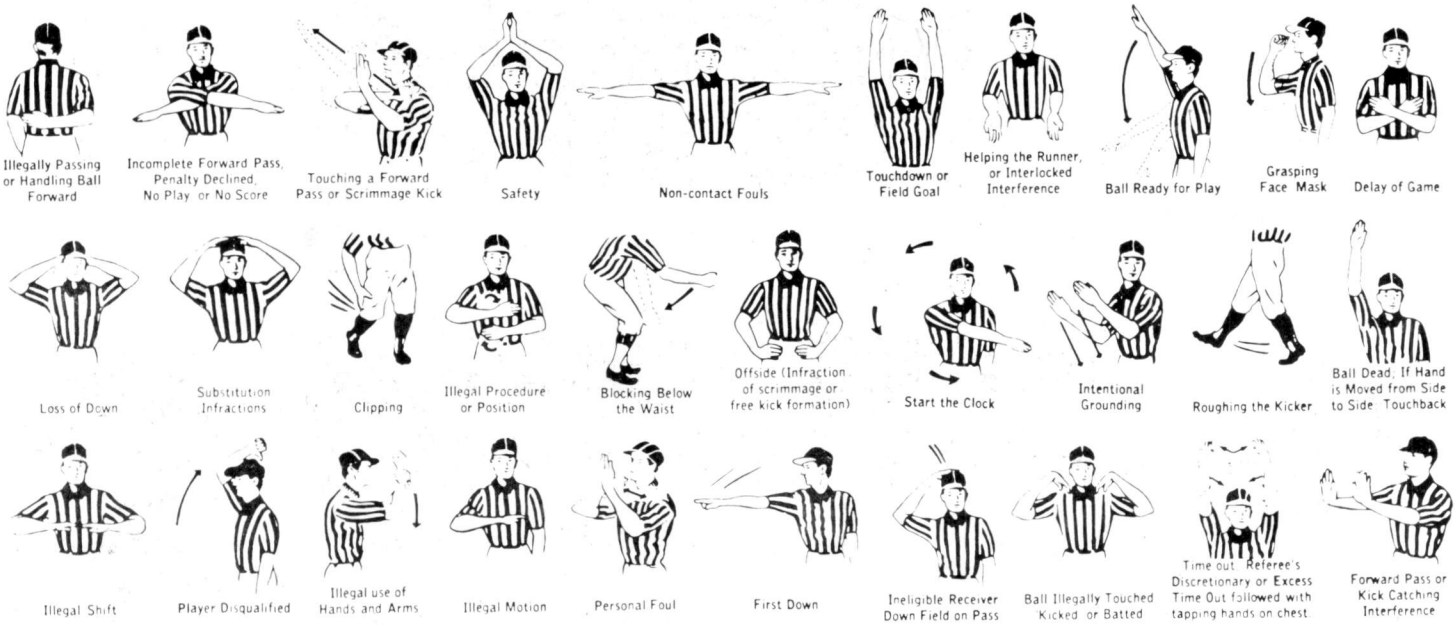

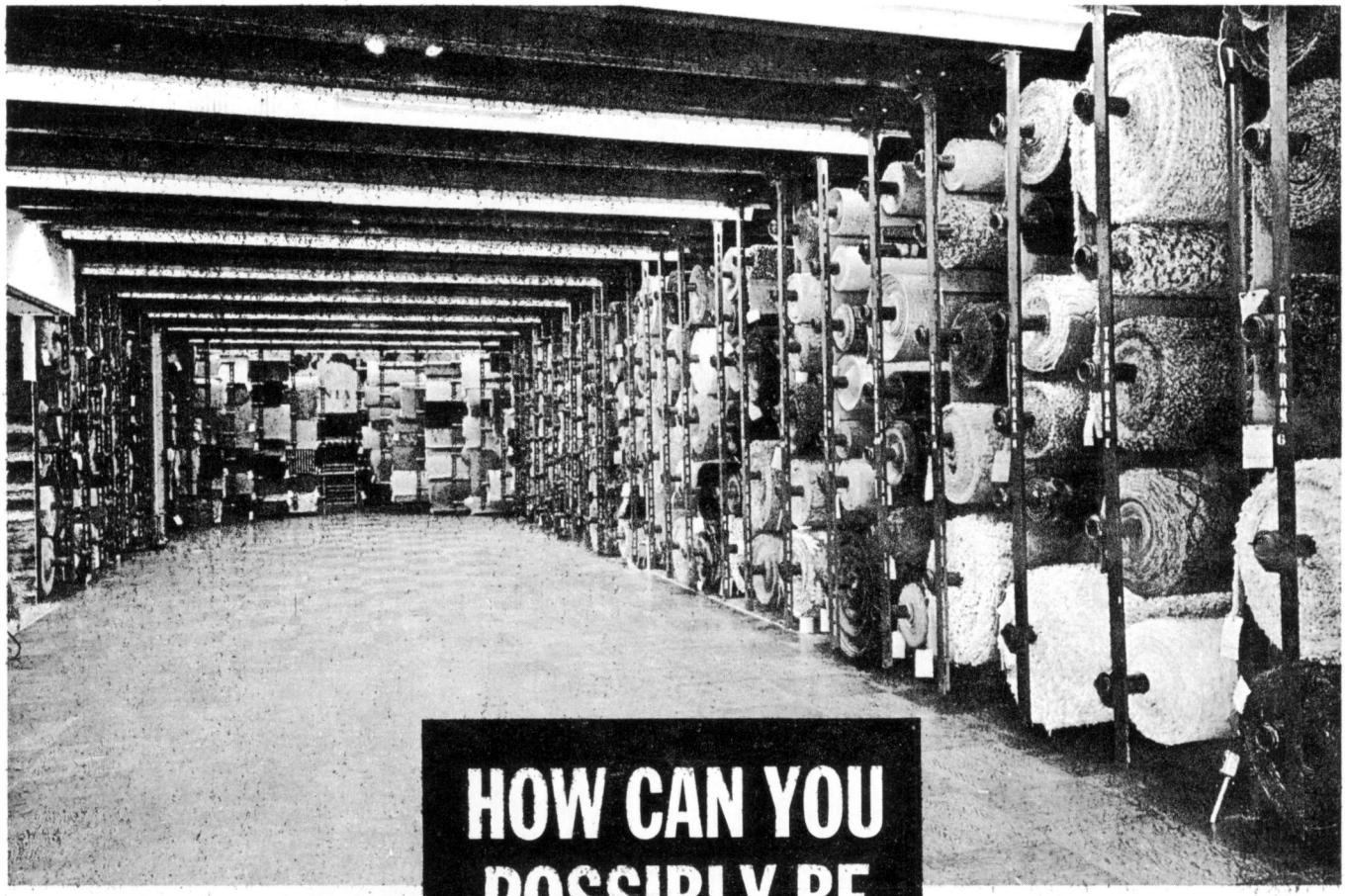

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