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OCT. 5, 1974, COTTON BOWL, DALLAS, TEXAS**



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vs.

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Cotton Bowl- Dallas, Texas

October 5, 1974, 8:00 p.m.

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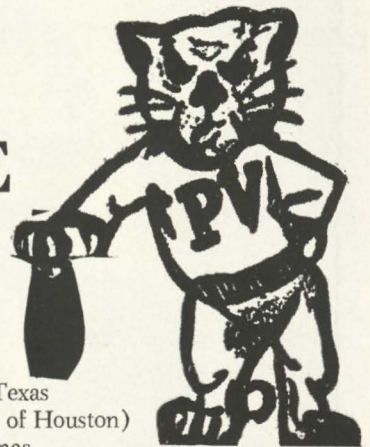
Facts About...



GRAMBLING STATE

NEW NAME — GRAMBLING STATE UNIVERSITY
FOUNDED — 1901
LOCATION — Grambling, La.
PRESIDENT — Dr. R. W. E. Jones
CONFERENCE — Southwestern Athletic Conference
ENROLLMENT — 3800
NICKNAME — Tigers
COLOR — Black and Gold
GYMNASIUM — 4500
STADIUM —
BAND — Tiger Marching Band (135)
CAMPUS RADIO STATION — KGRM
STAFF — 400 Faculty and Staff
ENROLLMENT — 4,512

PRAIRIE VIEW



FOUNDED — 1876
LOCATION — Prairie View, Texas
(30 minutes N. W. of Houston)
PRESIDENT — Dr. A. I. Thomas
CONFERENCE — Southwestern Athletic Conference
ENROLLMENT — 4,360
NICKNAME — PANTHERS
SCHOOL COLORS — Purple and Gold
STADIUM — Blackshear Field (capacity 5000)
FIELD HOUSE CAPACITY — 6000
BAND AND DRILL TEAM — ROTC — 120 Pieces
SCHOOL PAPER — THE PANTHER, STANDARD
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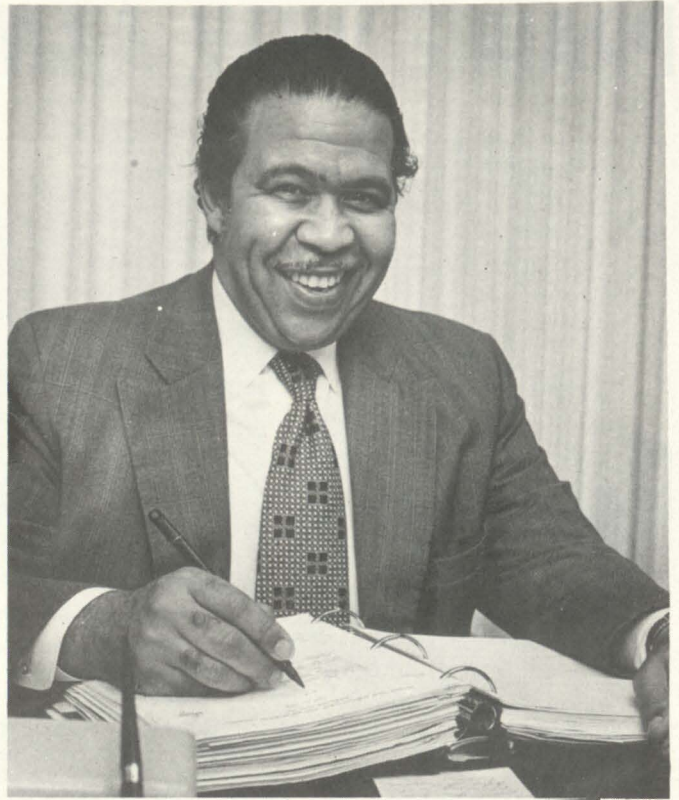
Greetings...

It is a sincere pleasure to extend greetings to Prairie View and Grambling fans on this special occasion centered around the opening of the 1974 State Fair of Texas.

Prairie View A&M University is a long time participant in State Fair activities, and we look forward to our annual return to Dallas and the Cotton Bowl.

It is fitting that we bring to the Fair this Southwestern Athletic Contest, featuring old and friendly rivals who are leaders in producing Professional athletes and other productive people across the nation.

Alvin I. Thomas
President
Prairie View A&M University



DR. ALVIN I. THOMAS
President



DR. R. W. E. JONES

Nothing so quickens one's step, enlivens the flow of blood in one's veins, and perks up the human spirit as the cry *Gametime*. All the more when the contestants are ancient rivals known to squeeze every drop of meaning, substance, suspense, and excitement out of the game.

Such is the nature of the friendly and enduring rivalry between these two schools today. And because I myself, and all of us, shall be fair game for an exciting evening on our own cherished territory, I tender to all a most sincere welcome.

R. W. E. Jones
President
Grambling State University

PRAIRIE VIEW A&M



DR. MARION HENRY
*Chairman, Athletic Council,
Acting Director of Athletics*



COACH HOOVER WRIGHT
*Head Football Coach
Associate Director of Athletics*

HOOVER J. WRIGHT

Head Football Coach

(Also Head PV Track Coach)

A native of Maryland and graduate of Maryland State, Hoover Wright joined the Prairie View coaching staff in 1961 as an assistant to Billy Nicks. When Nicks stepped down in 1965 he named Wright to succeed him and in his first season (1966) Wright posted a 5-3-1 record.

Wright moved from football to track in 1968 and became one of the top track coaches in the nation. He was called back to the gridiron part of last year and in 1974 is directing the football coaching staff. He brings with him a 10-year head football coaching record (4 at PV) of 43-38-2.

**Tackle
some
Gusto.**





PVU COACHING STAFF: Front row, left to right, Hoover Wright, Head; John Tankersley, Offensive Ends; Clifford Gilliard, Offensive Backs. Back row, left to right: Robert Kinney, Defensive Line; J. C. Williams, Defensive Backs and Cornelius Cooper, Offensive Line.

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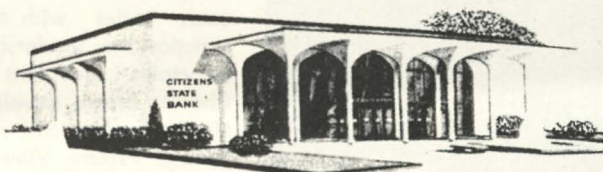
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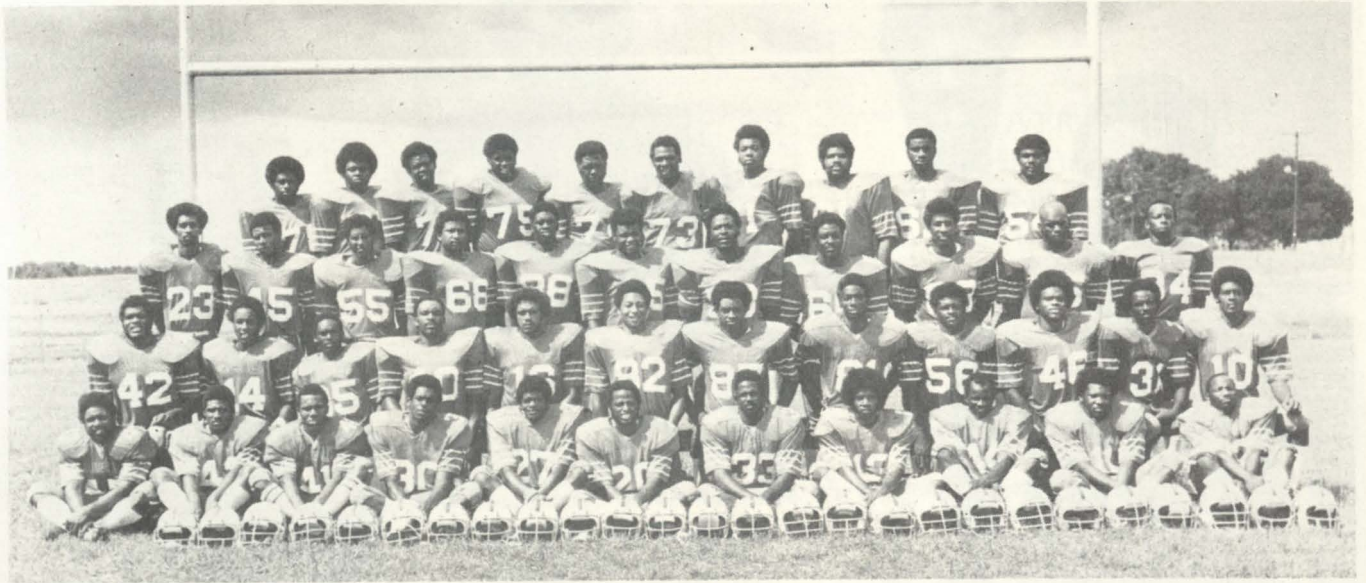
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Charles Brown - Sports and Army ROTC

Charles Brown — Athlete

Athletic competition contributes significantly to the development of leadership traits required by all major firms and the United States Army. Charles Brown, a former football star at Prairie View, chose to work within the AROTC Brigade to learn the fundamentals of planning, organizing, and management which prepared him for success on and off the football field.

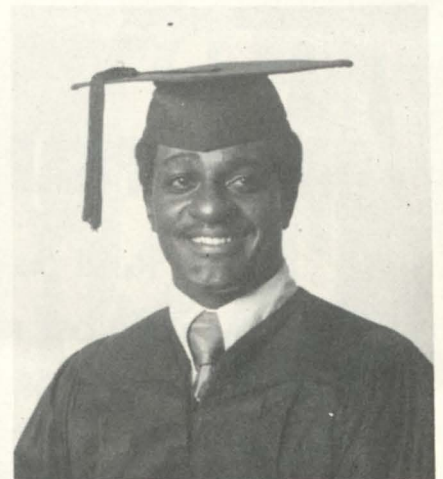


Charles Brown — AROTC

Army ROTC at Prairie View provides each cadet with the opportunity to practice the leadership and managerial principles prevalent in today's Army. Charles Brown developed and improved his leadership and managerial skills by joining Prairie View's AROTC Program and going "Ranger-Airborne."

Charles Brown — Leader

Charles Brown is ready to assume a leadership role in today's modern society. Whether he chooses the U. S. Army or industry, he has prepared himself well: The choice is his.



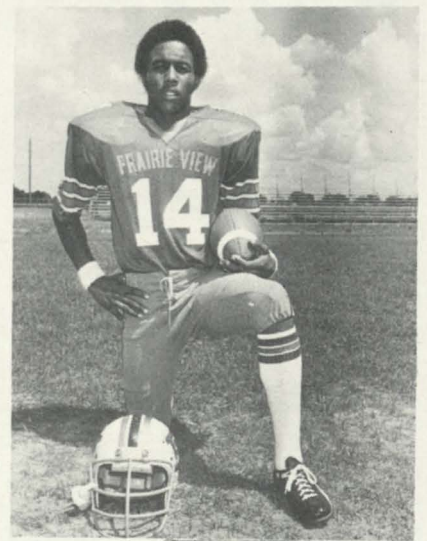
QUARTERBACKS



STEVE FRANCIS
All-SWAC Candidate



CURTIS CEASAR
Quarterback



SAM MAXIE
Quarterback



DAVID BOHANNON
Fullback



CARL GUDE
Defensive Back



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1921—Wiley College	1948—Southern University
1922—Paul Quinn	1949—Southern University
1923—Wiley College	1950—Southern University
1924—Paul Quinn	1951—Prairie View
1925—Bishop College	1952—Prairie View
1926—Sam Houston	1953—Prairie View
1927—Wiley College	1954—Prairie View
1928—Wiley College	1955—Southern University
1929—Wiley College	1956—TSU, Wiley
1930—Wiley College	1957—Wiley College
1931—Prairie View	1958—Prairie View
1932—Wiley College	1959—Southern University
1933—Langston, PV, Wiley	1960—PV, Southern, Grambling
1934—Texas College	1961—Jackson State
1935—Texas College	1962—Jackson State
1936—Langston, Texas College	1963—Prairie View
1937—Texas College	1964—Prairie View
1938—Langston, Southern	1965—Grambling College
1939—Langston	1966—TSU, Southern Grambling, Arkansas
1940—Langston, Southern	1967—Grambling College
1941—No Champion (PV declared ineligible)	1968—Alcorn, TSU, Grambling
1942—Texas College	1969—Alcorn
1943—No Champion (War)	1970—Alcorn
1944—Wiley, Langston, Texas College	1971 Grambling
1945—Wiley College	1972—Jackson, Grambling
1946—Southern University	1973—Grambling, Jackson
1947—Southern University	

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BRIEF HISTORY

The Southwestern Athletic Conference had its beginning as an alliance of small Texas schools in the early twenties. By mutual agreement, representatives from Jarvis, Texas College, Bishop, Prairie View and Paul Quinn met for preliminary consideration of a series of recommendations in 1921. They later acted upon the recommendations, resulting in the formal organization of the SWAC.

The function of the conference, as stated at the time, was to legislate the management and control of all intercollegiate athletics of the schools represented. With the exception of Prairie View charter membership was composed exclusively of church affiliated schools.

Later, Langston (Okla), Arkansas AM&N and Southern University were added by election. They were followed by Grambling, Alcorn A&M and Jackson State in the late fifties.

Wiley College, Marshall, Texas, the only church affiliated school holding membership in the league, dropped out in mid-summer of 1969 and was replaced by Mississippi Valley State, Itta Bena.

Today, the SWAC ranks as one of the nation's strongest small-college leagues. Conference teams have won national championships in basketball, baseball and track. The SWAC also ranks as one of the most prolific producers of professional football players, with Grambling placing next to Notre Dame in the number of active players.

Prairie View is the only charter member left in the conference.

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TONIGHT'S GAME

By Joe Booker, PV SID

It's often said that revenge is a dangerous thing, but that's the game Prairie View's head football Coach Hoover Wright, will be playing when his Prairie View Panthers tangle with the Grambling Tigers.

The Panther-Tiger feud is old stuff. The two clubs have gone at it 26 times since 1946. In the mid 60's the Panthers under legendary Coach W. J. "Billy" Nicks, enjoyed a substantial 10-7 advantage.

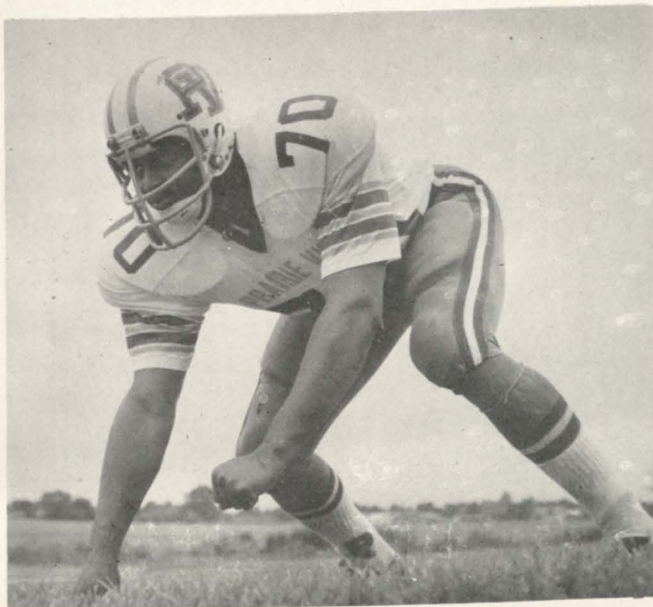
The Tigers, however, have broken the drought and now lead the series 15-10-1. Last season the Tigers won 37-12 at Grambling.

Saturday night at 8 p.m., the Panthers and Tigers will go at it again . . . tooth and claw. It will be their 27th meeting, but the first in the Cotton Bowl between the two teams.

The Tigers look to fullback David Dixon (235), for big yardage situations. Quarterback Joe Comeaux, likes to throw to Sammy White and Dwight Scales. Gary Johnson (261) heads the defense.

The Panthers rely on Billy Isaac (235), Travis Weatherspoon (220) and Jim Sweet (180), for most of ground attack.

All NAIA defensive back David Shaw heads the secondary. Shaw leads the nation in punt returns.



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No.	Name	Class	Exp.	Ht.	Wt.		Hometown	High School
10	Stephen Francis	Sr.	3	6'1"	186	QB	Houston, Tx.	Lincoln H.S.
11	Wm. Reynolds	Fr.	0	6'1"	189	QB	Houston, Tex.	Galena Manor
12	Andrew Smith	Sr.	3	5'10"	180	QB	Bay City, Tx.	Reagan H.S.
14	Samuel Maxie	Soph.	1	6'1"	178	QB	Atla. Tx.	Atlanta H.S.
16	Harvey Osborne	Fr.	0	5'9"	165	DB	Houston, Tex.	Kashmere H.S.
17	Sammy Harrison	Soph.	1	5'4"	154	RB	Snyder, Tex.	Snyder H.S.
18	Curtis Ceasor	Sr.	3	6'3"	215	QB	Bmt. Tex.	Hebert H.S.
19	Steve Breed	Soph.	1	5'0"	188	DH	Kirbyville	Kirbyville H.S.
20	David Shaw	Jr.	2	5'11"	170	DB	Dallas, Tex.	Wilmer Hutchins
21	Kenneth Hill	Soph.	1	6'2"	175	DB	Lufkin, Tx.	Lufkin H.S.
22	Jimmy Sweet	Soph.	1	5'9"	170	HB	Vicksburg, Mississippi	North Vicksburg
23	Walter Williams	Fr.	0	6'0"	170	S	Bmt. Tx.	Charlton Pol.
24	David Francis	Soph.	1	6'	180	RB	Houston, Tex.	Lincoln H.S.
25	Halven Young	Soph.	1	5'1"	174	DB	Vicksburg	North Vicksburg
26	Douglas Bolden	Jr.	2	6'1"	192	RB	Waco, Tx.	Jefferson H.S.
27	Carl Gude	Jr.	2	5'11"	166	DB	Marlin, Tx.	Marlin H.S.
28	Steve O'Gilbert	Fr.	0	5'11"	175	RB	Kirbyville	Kirbyville H.S.
30	Clarence Farmer	Fr.	0	6'3"	180	DB	Dickerson	Dickerson H.S.
32	David Bohannon	Soph.	1	6'2"	240	FB	Dekalb, Tx.	Dekalb H.S.
33	Anthony Price	Soph.	1	6'0"	205	FB	Mt. Pleasant	Mt. Pleasant H.S.
34	Dwight Tillman	Fr.	0	6'3"	205	FB	Troup, Tx.	Troup H.S.
35	Billy Issac	Jr.	2	6'2"	240	RB	Pittsburg	Douglas H.S.
36	Charles Smith	Fr.	0	5'10"	234	FB	Angleton	Angleton H.S.
40	Dennis Larry	Fr.	0	5'11"	180	SS	Atla. Tx.	Atlanta H.S.
41	Ellis Berry	Jr.	2	5'11"	170	RB	Stuttgart	Stuttgart H.S.
42	Travis Weatherspoon	Fr.	0	5'7"	165	RB	Pineland, Tx.	West Sabine
43	Vaughn Craddock	Soph.	1	5'11"	198	RB	Dallas, Tx.	Roosevelt H.S.
44	George Whiteside	Fr.	0	5'11"	192	RB	Cameron, Tx.	C. H. Yoes, H.S.
45	Harvey Hardeman	Jr.	2	5'11"	180	RB	San Antonio	Wheatly H.S.
50	Ellery Stevenson	Soph.	1	6'2"	245	OC	Houston, Tx.	Jones, H.S.
51	Ennis Brown	Fr.	0	6'0"	215	C	Montgomery	Montgomery H.S.
52	Webster Nelson	Fr.	0	6'3"	205	C	Tatum, Tx.	Tatum H.S.
53	Charles Jackson	Fr.	1	6'1"	184	DB	Houston, Tx.	Wheatly H.S.
54	Tyrone Harland	Sr.	3	6'1"	264	OG	Houston, Tx.	Kashmere H.S.
55	Daniel Bennett	Soph.	1	6'1"	217	L	Houston, Tx.	Jones H.S.
60	Count Pennbacker	Soph.	1	6'3"	215	DE	Seymour, Ind.	Seymour H.S.
61	Morris Richardson	Fr.	1	6'2"	212	DE	West Columbia	Columbia H.S.
62	John Montgomery	Soph.	1	6'2"	205	DE	Poteau, Okla.	Poteau H.S.
64	Lloyd Weatherspoon	Soph.	2	6'0"	242	OG	Pineland, Tx.	West Sabine H.S.
65	Gregory Austin	Soph.	1	6'1"	233	OG	Brazoria, Tx.	Sweeny H.S.
66	Harold Richardson	Soph.	1	5'10"	235	OG	LaMarque, Tx.	LaMarque H.S.
67	Milton Sims	Fr.	0	6'2"	230	T	Austin, Tx.	Reagan H.S.
68	Terry Knighton	Fr.	0	6'3"	210	OG	Pineland, Tx.	West Sabine H.S.
69	Aaron Brown	Sr.	3	6'2"	232	OT	Houston, Tx.	Williams H.S.
70	Ellis Caple	Sr.	3	6'3"	245	OG	Benton, Ark.	Benton H.S.
71	Charlie Baity	Soph.	1	6'5"	265	DL	Birmingham, Ala.	Phyllis H.S.
72	Maurice Gindratt	Sr.	3	6'2"	235	DE	Waco, Tx.	Moore H.S.
73	James Cole	Soph.	1	6'	243	OT	Vicksburg	North Vicksburg
74	Jesse Simon	Sr.	3	6'1"	258	OG	Dallas, Tx.	Wilmer Hutchins
75	Tom Brock	Sr.	3	6'	262	DT	Bmt. Tx.	Charlton Pol.
76	Edward Williams	Soph.	1	6'1"	230	DE	Birmingham	Hayer H.S.
77	John Hunt	Soph.	1	6'1"	279	DI	Garland, Tx.	S. Garland H.S.
78	Kenneth Austin	Soph.	1	6'0"	240	DT	Brazoria, Tx.	Sweeny H.S.
79	Kenneth King	Fr.	0	6'5"	275	DT	Tulsa, Okla.	McLain H.S.
81	Danny Mitchell	Fr.	0	6'4"	190	TE	Marlin, Tx.	Marlin H.S.
83	Walter Mitchell	Soph.	1	6'2"	210	TE	West Tx.	LaMarque H.S.
85	Montie Lee	Fr.	0	6'1"	185	TE	Matagorda	Bay City H.S.
86	Clifford Shaw	Fr.	0	6'1"	201	SE	Hallsville	Hallsville H.S.
87	Earnest Burke	Soph.	1	6'	200	TE	Birmingham	Phyllis H.S.
88	Phillip Brazile	Sr.	3	6'3"	180	WR	Bmt. Tx.	Hebert H.S.
89	Jesse Horace	Fr.	0	6'3"	195	TE	Groveton	Groveton H.S.
90	Lonnie Lewis	Jr.	2	6'2"	210	L	Hubbard, Tx.	Hubbard H.S.
91	Charles Mosley	Soph.	1	6'2"	198	L	Houston, Tx.	Worthing H.S.
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83	WALTER MITCHELL	SE
10	STEVE FRANCIS	QB
42	TRAVIS WEATHERSPOON	RB
26	DOUGLAS BOLDEN	FL
32	DAVID BOHANNON	FB

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DEFENSE

76	EDWARD WILLIAMS	E
78	KENNETH AUSTIN	T
77	JOHN HUNT	T
72	MAURICE GINDRETT	E
95	RONALD THOMPSON	SLB
90	LONNIE LEWIS	WLB
53	CHARLIE JACKSON	MLB
27	CARL GUDE	C
20	DAVID SHAW	FS
25	HALVING YOUNG	SS
19	STEVE BREED	C

10	S. Francis, QB	55	Bennett, L
11	Reynolds, QB	60	Pennbacker, DE
12	Smith, QB	61	M. Richardson, DE
14	Maxie, QB	62	Montgomery, DE
15	Riley, K	64	L. Weatherspoon, OG
16	Osborne, DB		
17	Harrison, RB	65	Austin, OG
18	Ceasor, QB	66	H. Richardson, OG
19	Breed, DH		
20	Shaw, DB	67	Sims, T
21	Hill, DB	68	Knighton, OG
22	Sweet, HB	69	Brown, OT
23	W. Williams, S	70	Caple, OG
24	D. Francis, RB	71	Baity, DL
25	Young, DB	72	Gindratt, DE
26	Bolden, RB	73	Cole, OT
27	Gude, DB	74	Simon, OG
28	O'Gilbert, RB	75	Brock, DT
30	Farmer, DB	76	E. Williams, DE
32	Bohannon, FB	77	Hunt, DT
33	Price, FB	78	K. Austin, DT
34	Tillman, FB	79	King, DT
35	Issac, RB	81	Mitchell, TE
36	Smith, FB	81	D. Mitchell, TE
40	Larry, SS	83	W. Mitchell, TE
41	E. Berry, RB	85	Lee, TE
42	T. Weatherspoon, RB	86	Shaw, SE
		87	Burke, TE
43	Craddock, RB	88	Brazile, WR
44	Whiteside, RB	89	Horace, TE
45	Hardeman, RB	90	Lewis, L
50	Ellery, OC	91	Mosley, L
51	Brown, C	92	Sammons, L
52	Nelson, C	93	Burton, L
53	Jackson, DB	94	Berry, L
54	Harland, OG	95	Thompson, L

OFFENSE

No.	Name	Pos.
42	DWIGHT SCALES	SE
70	BOBBY SIMON	LT
60	ANDREW JACKSON	LG
59	JIMMY ROE	C
75	DONNIE HUMPHREY	RG
55	RONALD CARTER	RT
24	RONALD SINGLETON	TE
10	JOE COMEAUX	QB
45	JOHN MOORE	RB
26	SAMMIE WHITE	WB
47	CLIFFORD MARTIN	FB

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DEFENSE

No.	Name	Pos.
67	JESSE O'NEAL	LE
78	ROBERT BARBER	LT
69	GARY JOHNSON	RT
64	J. D. HOLMES	RE
87	RICHARD MAYFIELD	LLB
28	ROBERT PENNYWELL	MLB
83	LARRY JONES	RLB
23	EUGENE WILLIAMS	SC
29	RODNEY ZENO	SS
25	JAMES HUNTER	WC
33	RAYMOND GREEN	FS

5	Green, SE	41	Carter, RB	76	Favorite, OT
6	Moore, TE	42	Scales, WR	77	Johnson, DT
7	Sterling, DB	43	Carter, RB	78	Barber, DE
8	Scrubbs, TE	44	Walton, RB	79	Johnson, DT
9	Drew, QB	45	Moore, RB	80	Brown, SE
10	Comeaux, QB	46	Bush, RB	81	Scott, WR
11	Zimmerman, QB	47	Martin, FB	82	Harris, DB
12	Williams, QB	48	Turner, FB	83	Jones, LB
13	Smyre, K	49	Coleman, WB	84	Scott, DB
14	Brown, QB	50	Owens, LB	85	Lee, DT
15	Spivey, DB	51	Wheelock, OC	86	St. Clair, DE
16	Freeman, DB	52	Grant, OT	87	Mayfield, LB
17	Pennywell, WR	53	Perkins, LB	88	Williams, DT
18	Manning, RB	54	Stokes, LB	89	Johnson, TE
19	Candler, WB	55	Carter, OB		
20	Smith, DB	56	Hamilton, LB		
21	Smith, WB	57	Brooks, OG		
23	Williams, DB	58	Hicks, OC		
24	Singleton, TE	59	Roe, OC		
25	Hunter, DB	60	Jackson, OG		
26	White, WB	61	Blunt, LB		
27	Mitchell, RB	62	Coleman, OT		
28	Garth, DB	63	Gilliam, OG		
29	Zeno, DB	64	Holmes, DE		
30	Buckler, FB	65	White, OG		
31	Newton, FB	66	Robertson, OT		
32	Strogins, RB	67	O'Neal, DE		
33	Green, DB	68	Humphrey, OG		
34	Rogers, LB	69	Combs, OG		
35	Dixon, FB	70	Simon, OT		
36	Collins, RB	71	Williams, DT		
37	Quiett, RB	72	Antoine, DE		
38	Pennywell, LB	73	Dunson, OT		
39	Bates, LB	74	Hall, DE		
40	Edwards, LB	75	Jatson, OG		

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No.	Name	Position	Ht.	Wt.	Class
5	MALACHI GREEN	SE	5-9	160	Fr.
6	MICHAEL MOORE	TE	6-2	212	Fr.
7	REMINGTON STERLING	DB	6-4	190	Fr.
8	KENNETH SCRUBBS	TE	6-3	220	Jr.
9	OTIS DREW	QB	6-3	210	Fr.
10	JOSEPH COMEAUX	QB	6-4	196	Sr.
11	DALE ZIMMERMAN	QB	6-1	180	So.
12	DOUGLAS WILLIAMS	QB	6-3	210	Fr.
13	KEITH SMYRE	K	6-3	180	Ja.
14	TERRY BROWN	QB	6-3	196	So.
15	GARLAND SPIVEY	DB	5-10	178	Sr.
16	CLIFFORD FREEMAN	DB	6-2	190	Fr.
17	CARLOS PENNYWELL	WR	6-2	190	Fr.
18	DONALD MANNING	RB	6-1	210	Fr.
19	KENNETH CANDLER	WB	5-9	174	Jr.
20	JAMES SMITH	DB	6-0	180	Fr.
21	ODELL SMITH	WB	6-0	190	Fr.
23	EUGENE WILLIAMS	DB	6-1	180	Jr.
24	RONALD SINGLETON	TE	6-5	230	Jr.
25	JAMES HUNTER	DB	6-3	194	Jr.
26	SAMMIE WHITE	WB	6-2	190	Jr.
27	PAUL MITCHELL	RB	5-11	194	So.
28	GERALD GARTH	DB	6-2	185	So.
29	RODNEY ZENO	DB	6-1	184	Sr.
30	CHATMAN BUCKLER	FB	6-2	220	Fr.
31	JOHN NEWTON	FB	6-2	225	Fr.
32	LARRY STROGGINS	RB	6-0	192	Fr.
33	RAYMOND GREEN	DB	6-4	210	Sr.
34	JOE ROGERS	LB	6-2	235	So.
35	DAVID DIXON	FB	6-2	230	Jr.
36	EDWARD COLLINS	RB	5-11	185	Sr.
37	JUAN QUIETT	RB	5-11	192	So.
38	ROBERT PENNYWELL	LB	6-2	223	Jr.
39	CALVIN BATES	LB	6-1	215	Fr.
40	ANTOINE EDWARDS	LB	6-2	215	So.
41	MICHAEL CARTER	RB	6-2	210	Jr.
42	DWIGHT SCALES	WR	6-2	193	Jr.
43	DARRYL CARTER	RB	6-1	195	So.
44	ORVILLE WALTON	RB	6-3	212	So.
45	JOHN MOORE	RB	6-0	191	Jr.
46	FALLON BUSH	RB	5-11	179	Jr.
47	CLIFFORD MARTIN	FB	6-3	221	So.
48	SANDAS TURNER	FB	6-1	227	Jr.
49	VONGLE COLEMAN	WB	5-10	180	Jr.
50	CHARLES OWENS	LB	6-2	215	Fr.
51	REX WHELOCK	OC	6-4	236	So.
52	RICKY GRANT	OT	6-3	241	Jr.
53	GERALD PERKINS	LB	6-4	220	Fr.
54	MAURICE STOKES	LB	6-4	220	Fr.
55	RONALD CARTER	OB	6-1	257	Jr.
56	JACKY HAMILTON	LB	6-2	210	Fr.
57	RAYMOND BROOKS	OG	6-2	240	Fr.
58	BOBBY HICKS	OC	6-4	230	Sr.
59	JIMMY ROE	OC	6-4	254	Jr.
60	ANDREW JACKSON	OG	6-2	244	Sr.
61	MARK BLUNT	LB	6-3	220	Jr.
62	LOUIS COLEMAN	OT	6-3	230	Fr.
63	ARTHUR GILLIAM	OG	6-3	230	Jr.
64	JAMES HOLMES	DE	6-4	238	Jr.
65	RONALD WHITE	CG	6-3	232	So.
66	JAMES ROBERTSON	OT	6-2	235	So.
67	JESSE O'NEAL	DE	6-5	267	Sr.
68	RONNIE HUMPHREY	OG	6-3	240	So.
69	SAMMY COMBS	OG	6-1	239	Jr.
70	BOBBY SIMON	OT	6-5	248	Jr.
71	HARVEY WILLIAMS	DT	6-2	243	Jr.
72	EDWARD ANTOINE	DE	6-4	260	Fr.
73	DONNELL DUNSON	OT	6-1	230	Jr.
74	RUSSELL HALL	DE	6-6	240	Fr.
75	RAYMOND JATSON	CG	6-2	235	Fr.
76	LARRY FAVORITE	CT	6-7	263	Jr.
77	TEDDY JOHNSON	DT	6-5	260	Fr.
78	ROBERT BARBER	DE	6-5	243	Sr.
79	GARY JOHNSON	DT	6-3	261	Sr.
80	GREGORY BROWN	SE	6-0	180	Sr.
81	EDWIN SCOTT	WR	6-2	191	So.
82	MIKE HARRIS	DB	5-11	179	So.
83	LARRY JONES	LB	6-3	218	Jr.
84	RANDOLPH SCOTT	DB	6-2	187	Sr.
85	DARRYL LEE	DT	6-5	255	Fr.
86	RICHARD ST. CLAIR	DE	6-5	245	Jr.
87	RICHARD MAYFIELD	LB	6-4	230	Sr.
88	MICHAEL WILLIAMS	DT	6-4	240	Fr.
89	RONALD JOHNSON	TE	6-5	225	Fr.

Grambling State University

Coach Eddie Robinson Head Football Coach

Coach Eddie Robinson is a man with immense dedication and drive.

In football quarters around the country, he has been exalted for the enormous influence he has had on the game in a career spanning 33 years.

An affable, soft-spoken man with a pleasant demeanor, Robinson has been something of a miracle worker at Grambling, commanding leadership and winning consistently, while surviving the hazards of his profession in a silent, unassuming way.

Brought in to vitalize the football program in 1941, he went to work immediately building part-by-part on the road to respectability.

Robinson bucked the odds until Paul "Tank" Younger came along in 1944 to help complete the metamorphosis.

Younger, a spectacular wheelhorse fullback for four seasons, scored 60 touchdowns and earned All-American honors on his way to a scintillating pro career with the Los Angeles Rams.

Hard work and enthusiasm continued to pay off for Robinson as he went about his duties with passionate fervor.

As meticulous as a lawyer preparing a brief, he adheres to the theory of attacking in strength. "Old-fashioned head knocking will always be a part of football," he declares.

Robinson didn't originate the thinking, but he stresses it as much as any coach.

A firm believer in a strong running game, his Grambling squad think, move and operate in unison.

"We emphasize running and passing together for an adequate offensive balance," he explains.

There isn't much argument that his gift for organizing and a knack for arriving at effectual decisions are the keys to Grambling's success. He displays a lot of moxie with bold, unhesitant action.

The Grambling mentor has an insatiable appetite for big strong backs and massive linemen. He recruits them by box-car lot.

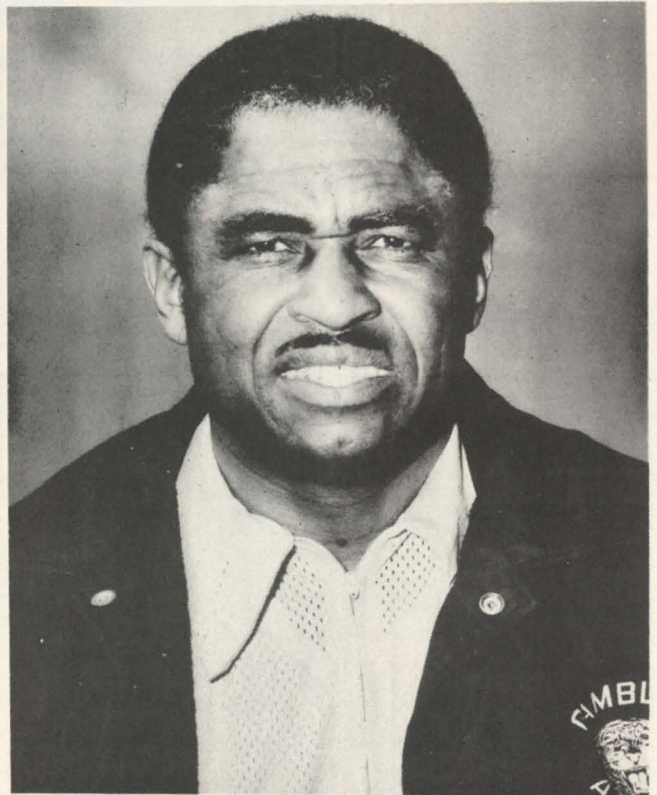
Robinson casually told a sportswriter several seasons ago, "I like my players agile, hostile, mobile and elephantile."

It is not unusual for him to field offensive and defensive alignments averaging 265-pounds from end-to-end.

Grambling plays a coast-to-coast schedule each year and Robinson's coaching feats have assumed epic-like proportions. And he seems to improve his handicraft each season.

Without frills or embellishments, Robinson has compiled a remarkable 225-80-11 won-loss record while developing more than 100 players who starred in professional football.

Only Paul "Bear" Bryant of the University of Alabama with 232 victories has scored more wins among active coaches.



Off the field, Robinson has a down-to-earthness that impresses people on their first meeting, and a strong, well-disciplined sense of loyalty that lines them up as friends.

His coaching peers widely recognize him for two traits — resourcefulness and imagination. Robinson is also a recruiter without peer.

Few coaches possess his drive, fire and commanding presence.

When he took the Grambling job back in the summer of '41, a psychology of failure hung over the campus. His first year was beset with doubt and indecision.

However, the vicissitudes of that season didn't discourage him.

He likes to recall that "We didn't have much to look ahead to, but even less to look back on."

Today, Grambling is a household word in college and professional football circles.

It is almost impossible to watch a pro game on TV without a Grambling product in the lineup.

Widely respected as a humorist, Robinson has built a reputation as a fine public speaker. He holds membership in numerous professional organizations.

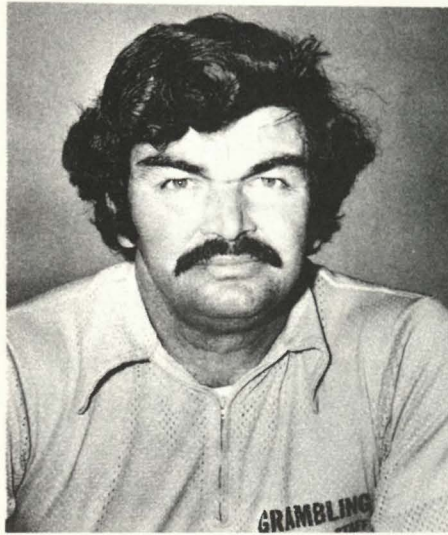
Two years ago he served as National President of NAIA.

A graduate of Leland College, Baker, La., he holds the M.A. degree from the University of Iowa.

Grambling Athletic Staff



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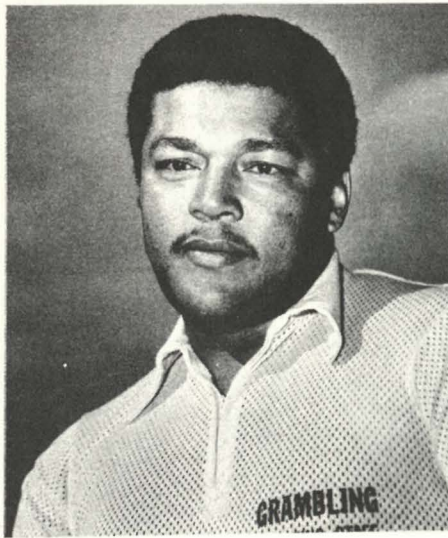
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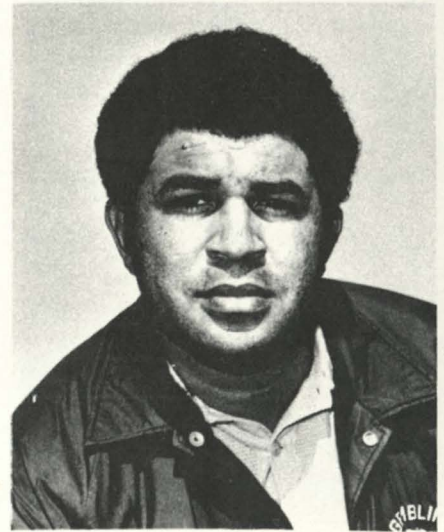
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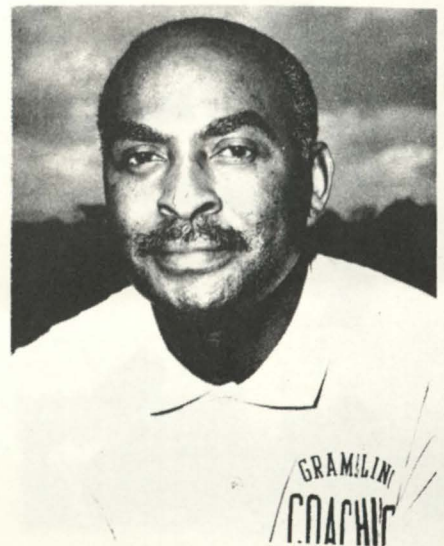
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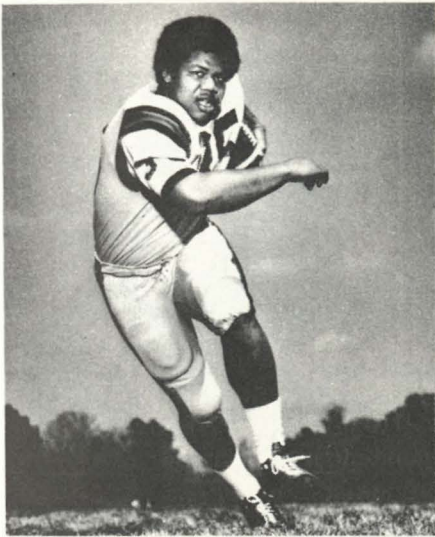


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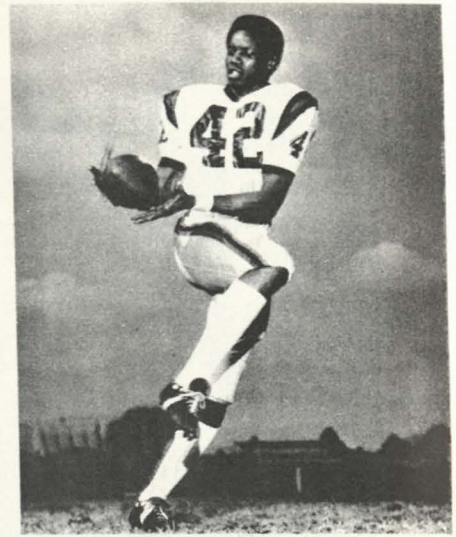
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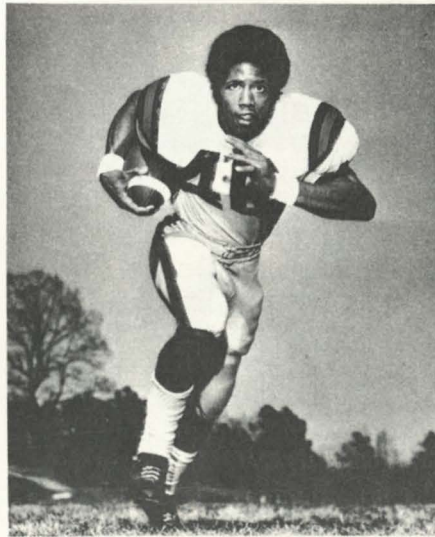
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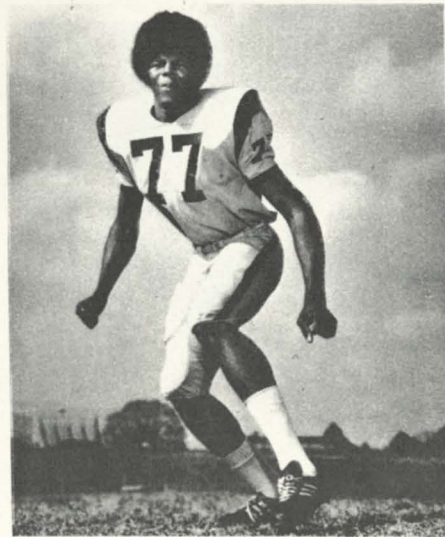
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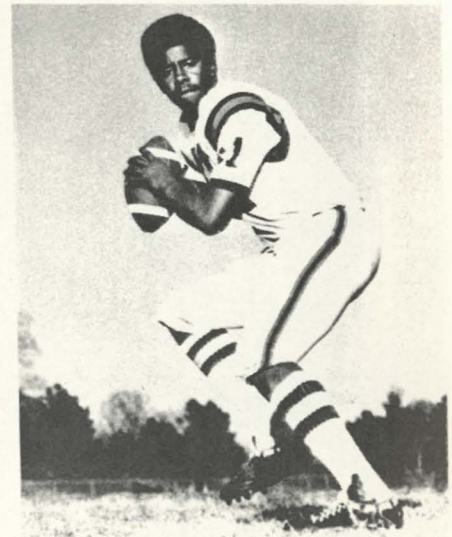
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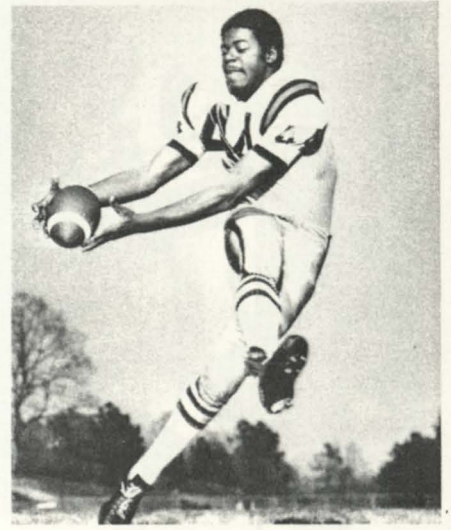
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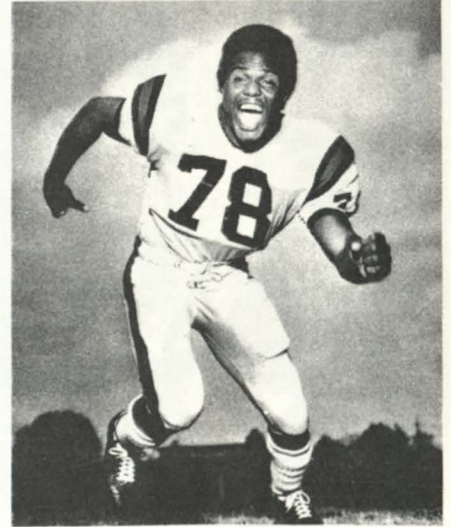
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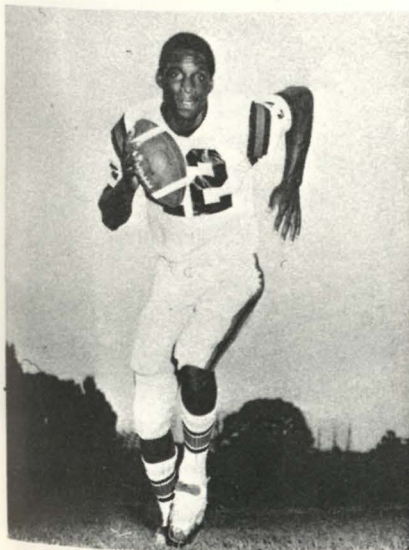
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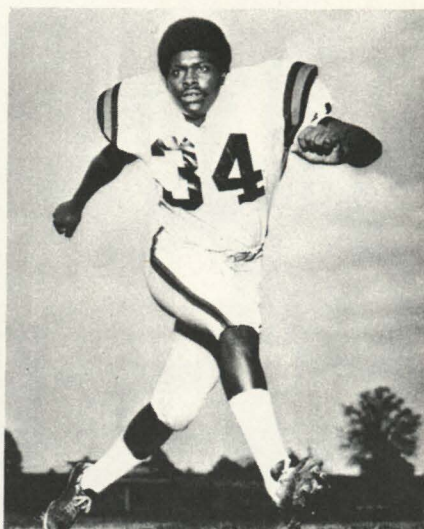


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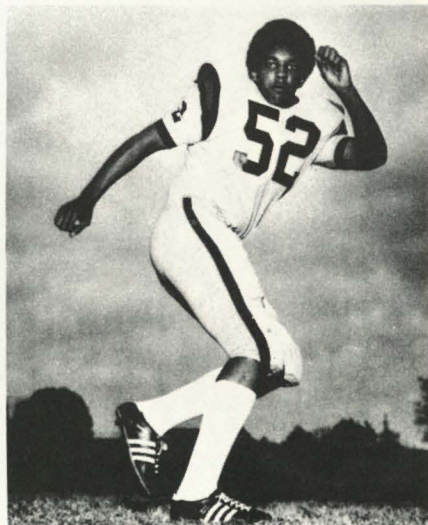
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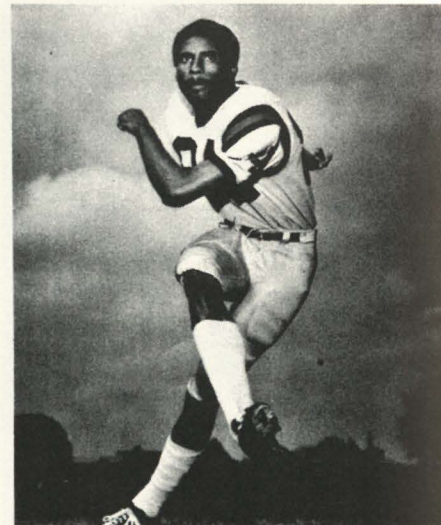
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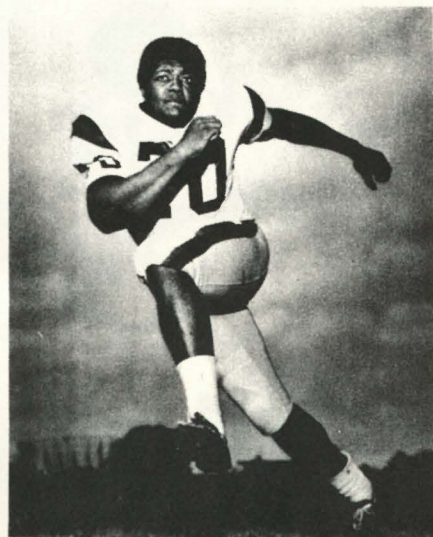
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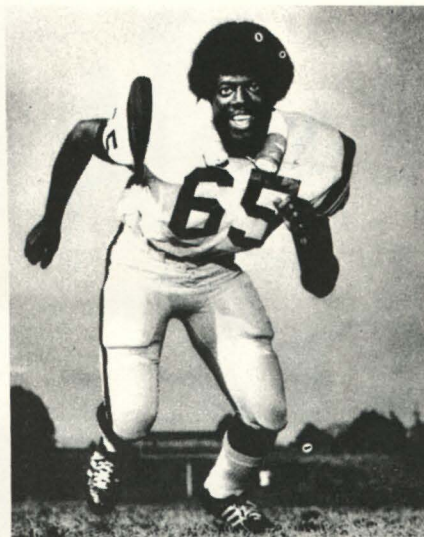
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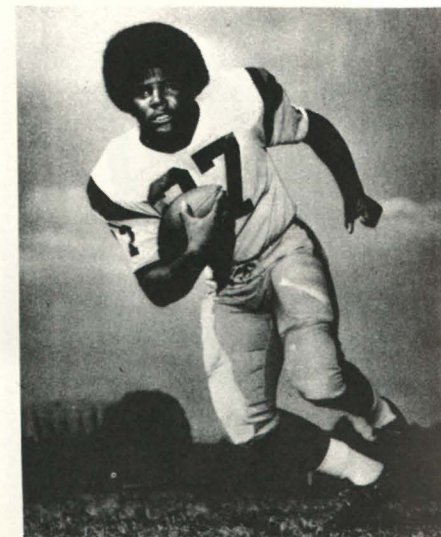
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Offensive Tackle



RON WHITE
Offensive Guard



PAUL MITCHELL
Running Back



Tigers

a Sure Score

Grambling State University

When it comes to names, some people, some institutions, some places have all the luck.

Take Grambling College, for instance. It's now officially GRAMBLING STATE UNIVERSITY, as of July 1, 1974. But in every respect, it's still just Grambling. Oh, it's true that a bit of stationery and a few documents will have to be reprinted, a few road signs revised, a new batch of T-shirts and pen-nants stocked up and put on display, and secretaries and switchboard operators will have three more syllables to enunciate from saying Grambling College to Grambling State University.

But really it's still Grambling. And therein lies a great story.

Grambling State University, a new name yes, but actually an old story. One that began about 74 years ago when a group of concerned citizens, the North Louisiana Farmer's Relief Association, made the bold decision to establish a school in the rolling hills of north central Louisiana, patterned somewhat after Tuskegee Institute in Alabama. They even insisted upon having a Tuskegee man to head the school, who turned out to be Charles P. Adams.

There are now a lot of recorded epic in-between developments, but the school was established, moving from literally no status, to high school status, to normal school status, to three-year college status, to four-year, degree-granting status, and now to university status. And what's truly significant about it all is that it happened in a fairly short while, as far as the life of institutions of higher education go, and more amazing still, it all happened in an allegedly isolated area, where by all odds and circumstances, it couldn't be done. But it did happen. What happened?

What happened is pretty simple when you look into it. What happened was that, from the very beginning, the school started off and indeed was founded upon the idea of basic concern for people, especially for the individual himself, but also for his family, for his community, for his state, and for his nation.

So what happened was that a unique outreach was generated, something called and known nationwide as "The Grambling Spirit", a unique slogan became automatic, the school where "Everybody is Somebody", and a captivating and deeply respected image created, which is now a part of the American Lingo — academics, sports, music, society, human relations, community development, you name it, GRAMBLING.

Grambling State University, yes. One could catalog the Divisions of Basic Studies, Education, Liberal Arts, Applied Sciences and Technology, and Graduate Studies, with all of the academic departments and the ramifications thereto. One could set forth numerous cold bare facts regarding the more than 15,000 graduates generally placed and working successfully in all lines of human endeavor, or speak of communities developed, or of numerous "firsts" and championships and assorted rarities experienced . . .

But no matter, it all boils down to GRAMBLING. So whatever the statistic, whatever the occasion, wherever it is, whoever it is, its Grambling. A university, a town, a special spirit, a special image.

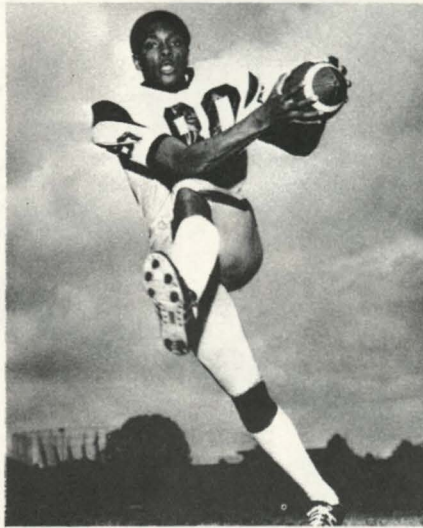
And the great story is, as stated in the beginning, everybody likes it that way.

—J. ANDREW GAULDEN

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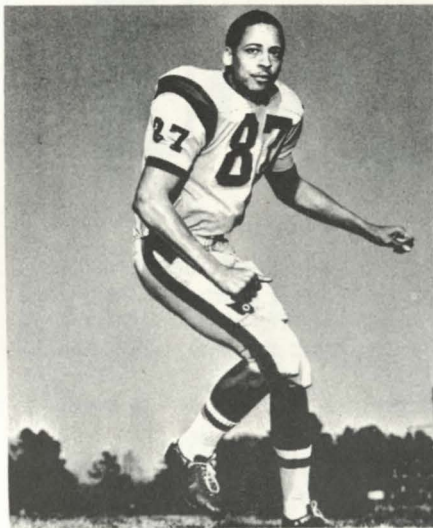
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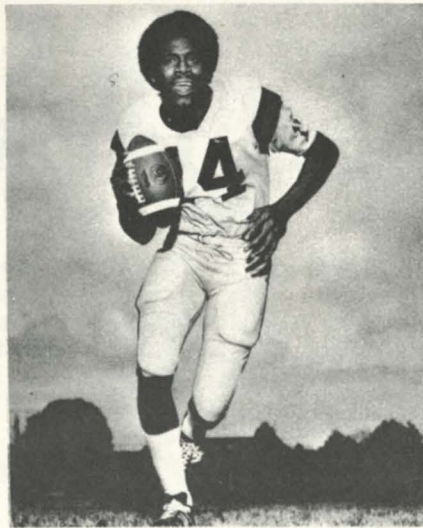
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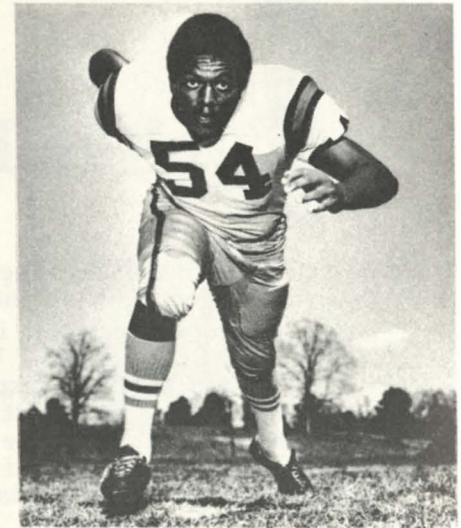
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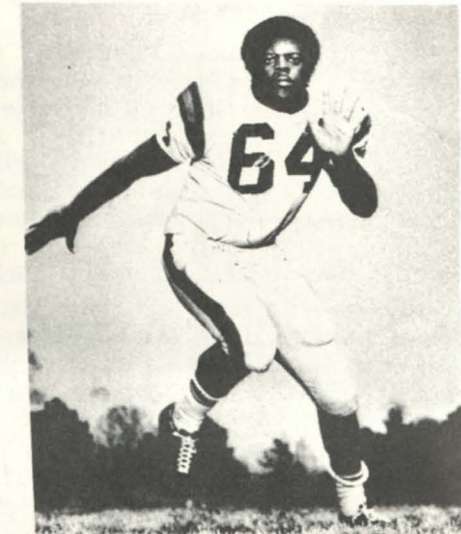
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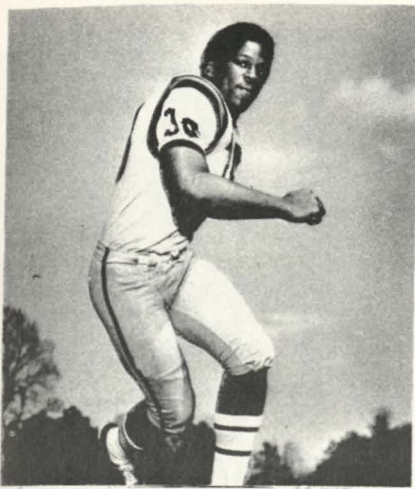
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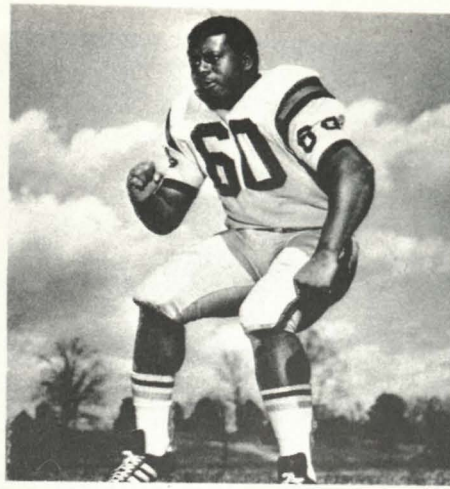
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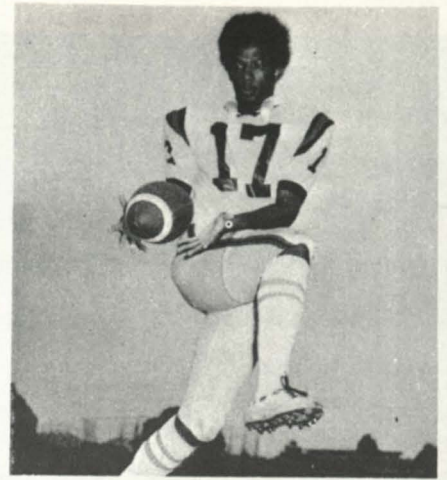
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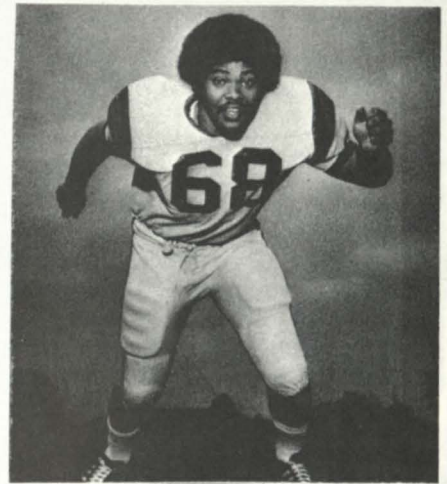
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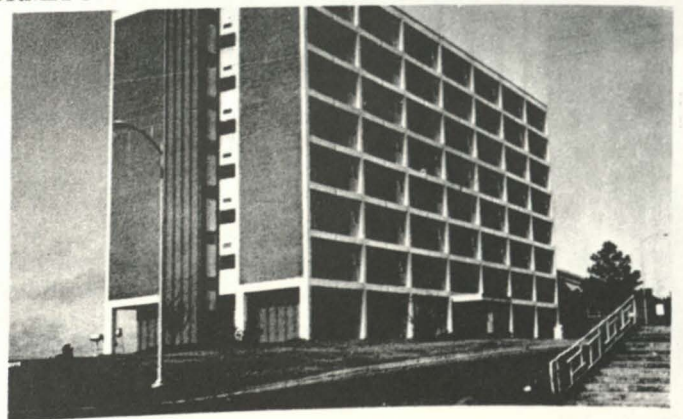
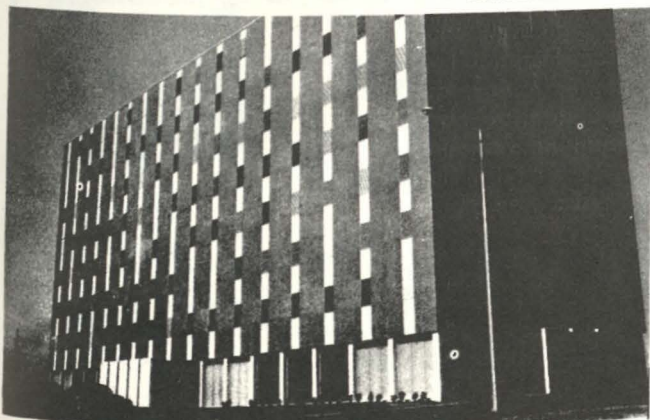
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MISS PV COURT — Miss Jackie Washington, Miss Prairie View, is at center. Her court includes Gwendolyn Malone (left) and Delores Clark (right).



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1974 SWAC COMPOSITE SCHEDULE

- September 7 Jackson State vs. Morgan State at Philadelphia, Pa. 2 P.M.
- September 14 **Prairie View vs. East Texas State at Cotton Bowl, 8 P.M.**
Texas Southern vs. Sam Houston at Astrodome, 7:30 P.M.
Mississippi Valley vs. Ala. A&M at Itta Bena, Miss., 7:30 P.M.
Grambling vs. N. West State at Shreveport, 7:30 P.M.
Southern at Tuskegee, 8 P.M.
- September 21 **Prairie View at Jackson State, 1 P.M.**
Southern at Texas Southern, 2 P.M.
Alcorn at Grambling, 1:30 P.M.
MVS at Un. Ark. Pine Bluff, 8 P.M.
- September 28 **Prairie View at Southern, 6:30 P.M.**
Texas Southern at Tennessee State, 7:30 P.M.
Alcorn vs. N. Carolina Central, at Alcorn, 2 P.M.
Grambling vs. Morgan State at Washington, D.C., 2 P.M.
Miss. Valley at Jackson (Homecoming), 7:30 P.M.
- October 5 **Prairie View vs. Grambling at Cotton Bowl, 8 P.M.**
Southern at Miss. Valley, 8 P.M.
Alcorn at So. Carolina State, 7:30 P.M.
Jackson vs. U. Neb.-Omaha at Jackson, 7:30 P.M.
- October 12 **Prairie View at Univ. of Nevada at Las Vegas, 8:15 P.M.**
Texas Southern at Alcorn, 2 P.M.
Tennessee State at Grambling, 7:30 P.M.
Jackson State at Bishop, 7:30 P.M.
Southern at Univ. Ark.-Pine Bluff, 7:30 P.M.
- October 19 Bishop at Texas Southern, 7:30 P.M.
Grambling at Miss. Valley, 1:30 P.M.
Jackson State at Southern, 6:30 P.M.
- October 26 **Prairie View vs. Bishop at Dallas, 7:30 P.M.**
Southern at Alcorn, 1:30 P.M.
Jackson State at Grambling, 2 P.M.
Mississippi Valley at Texas Southern, 7:30 P.M.
- November 2 **Prairie View at Miss. Valley Homecoming, 1 P.M.**
Bishop at Alcorn (Homecoming), 1:30 P.M.
Grambling at Texas Southern (Dome), 7:30 P.M.
Jackson at Bethune-Cookman, Tampa, Fla., (TBA)
Southern at Univ. of Nebraska-Omaha, 8 P.M.
- November 8 Southern at Los Angeles State, 8 P.M.
- November 9 **Univ. of Ark.-Pine Bluff at Prairie View Homecoming, 2 P.M.**
Texas Southern at Jackson, 7:30 P.M.
Grambling at No. Carolina St., 2 P.M.
Alcorn at Mississippi Valley, 1:30 P.M.
- November 16 **Alcorn at Prairie View, 2 P.M.**
Norfolk State at Grambling, 1:30 P.M.
Jackson State at Morris Brown, 1:30 P.M.
Florida A&M at Southern, 6:30 P.M.
Texas Southern at Langston (TBA)
- November 23 **Prairie View vs. Texas Southern (Astrodome), 7:30 P.M.**
Jackson State at Alcorn, 1:30 P.M.
Mississippi Valley at Bishop, 2 P.M.
- November 30 Grambling vs. Southern at New Orleans, 2 P.M.



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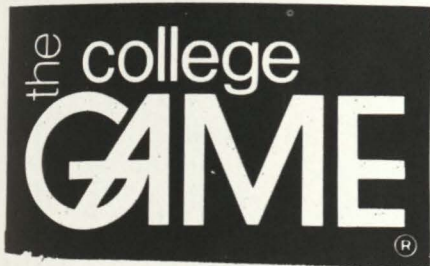
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1974 PRAIRIE VIEW SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Sept. 14	East Texas State*	Dallas (Cotton Bowl)	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 21	Jackson State*	Jackson, Miss.	1:00 p.m.
Sept. 28	Southern*	Baton Rouge, La.	6:30 p.m.
Oct. 5	Grambling**	Dallas (Cotton Bowl)	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 12	Univ. of Nev.	Las Vegas, Nevada	8:15 p.m.
Oct. 26	Bishop College	Dallas, Texas	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 2	Miss Valley State*	Itta Bena, Miss.	1:30 p.m.
Nov. 9	Univ. Ark.-Pine Bluff (HC)	Prairie View, Texas	2:00 p.m.
Nov. 16	Alcorn*	Prairie View, Texas	2:00 p.m.
Nov. 23	Texas Southern*	Houston (Dome)	7:30 p.m.

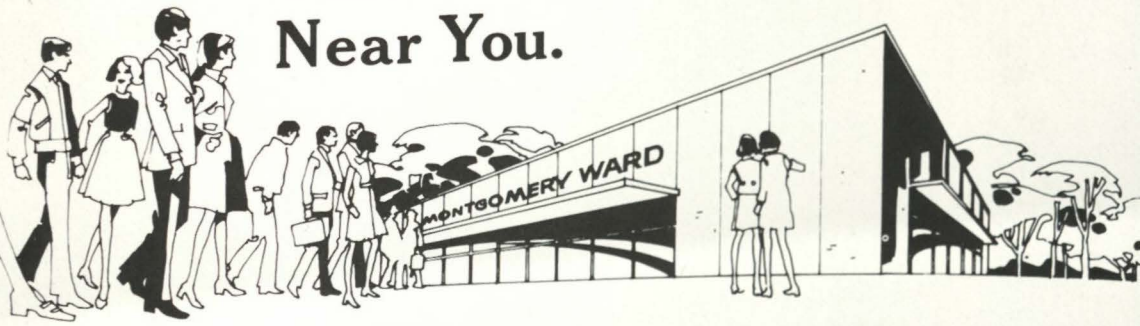
*PV Home team at Neutral Site HC Homecoming * Conference game

1974 GRAMBLING SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Location
Sept. 14	Northwestern	Shreveport
Sept. 21	Alcorn	Grambling
Sept. 28	Morgan State	Kennedy Stadium, Washington, D. C.
Oct. 5	Prairie View	Cotton Bowl Stadium, Dallas, Texas
Oct. 12	Tennessee State	Grambling
Oct. 19	Mississippi Valley	Itta Bena, Miss.
Oct. 26	Jackson State	Grambling
Nov. 2	Texas Southern	Astrodome, Houston, Texas
Nov. 9	North Carolina A&T	Shea Stadium, New York, N. Y.
Nov. 16	Norfolk State	Grambling
Nov. 30	Southern University	Sugar Bowl Stadium, New Orleans



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