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FEATURED ATTRACTION —

PRAIRIE VIEW A&M

PANTHERS

VS.

MARYLAND STATE

HAWKS

Blackshear Field - 2:00 p.m.

NOVEMBER 8

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PRAIRIE VIEW A&M COLLEGE

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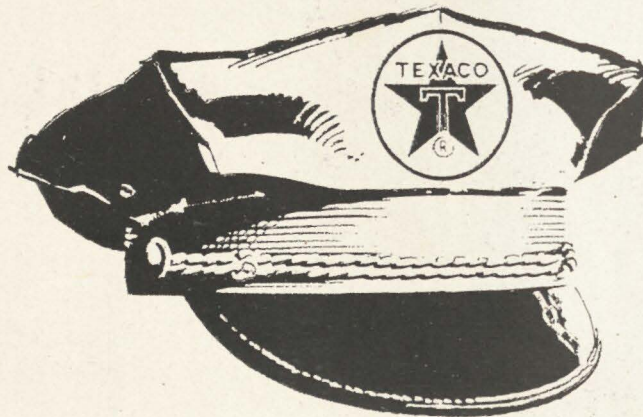
MARYLAND STATE COLLEGE

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2:00 p.m. - NOVEMBER 8

TODAY'S GAME - This will be the first meeting of Prairie View and Maryland State, a member of the Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association. The fact that its Homecoming gives PV a special advantage - plus the confidence that comes after spoiling other folks homecomings the past two Saturdays.

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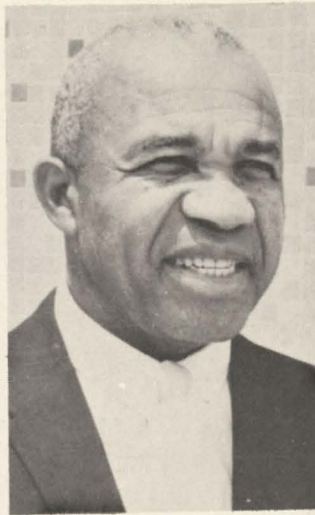
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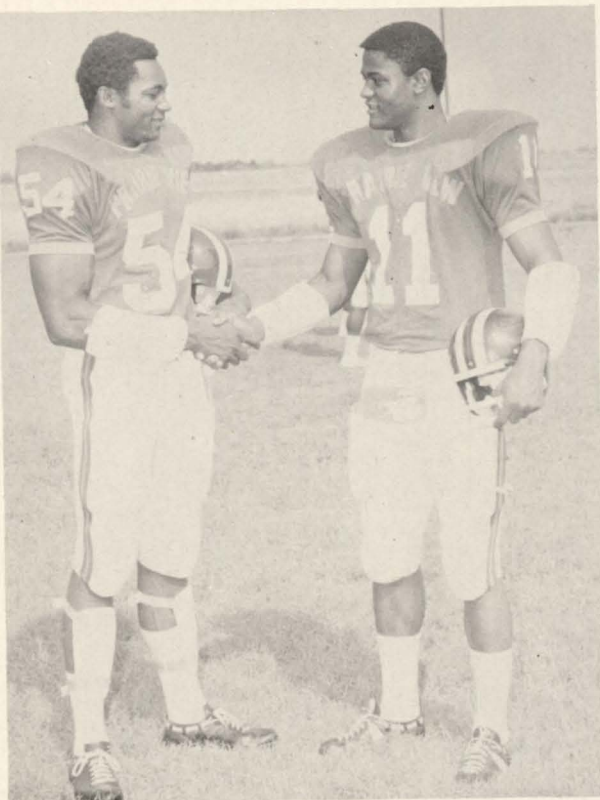
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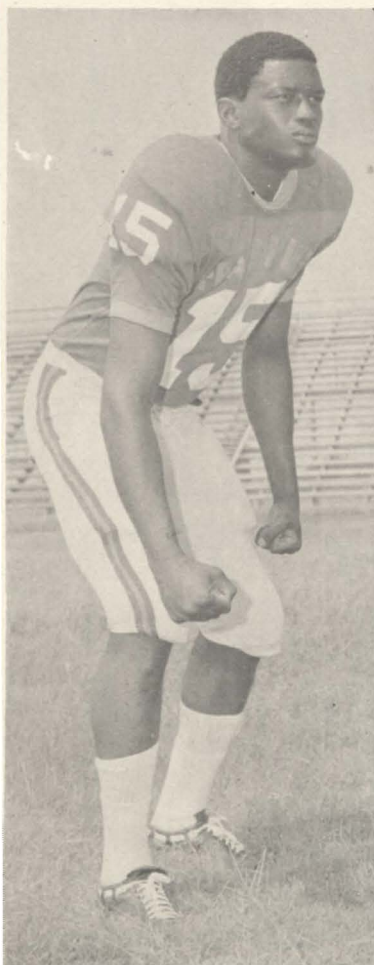
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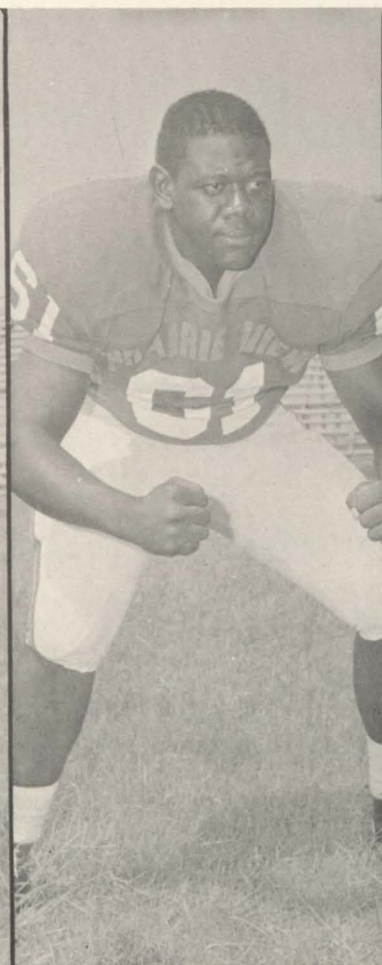
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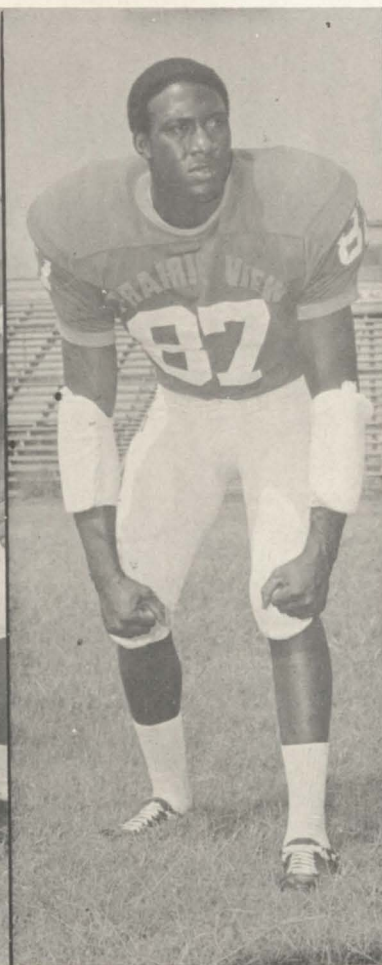
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and WIDE RECEIVER CHARLES WILLIAMS



LUTHER HUDSON
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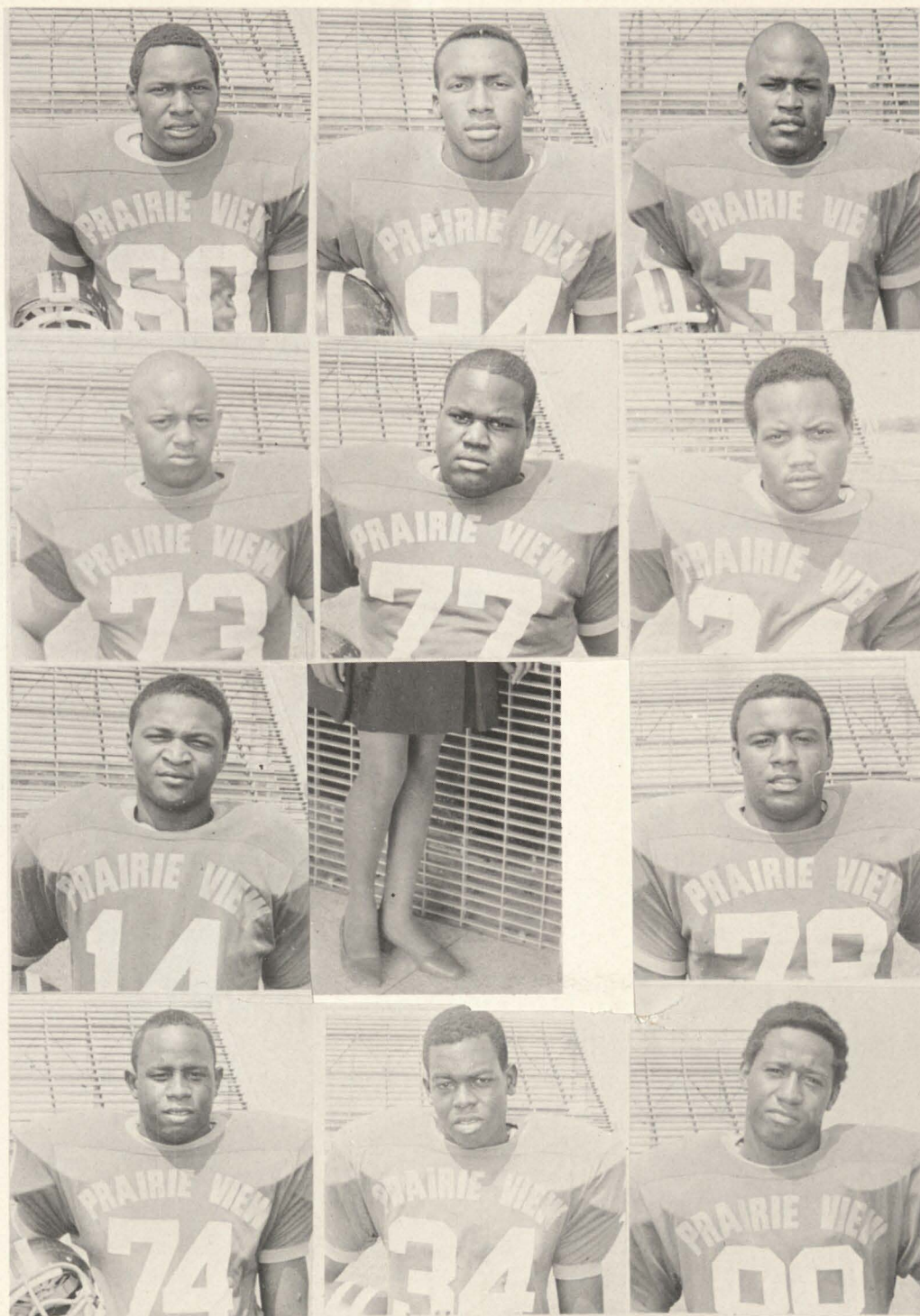
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Offensive Guard



CLAUDE HARVEY
Defensive End



DEWEY ROGERS
Offensive Tackle



FREDDY BENNETT
Line Backer

LEROY CLARK
Punter

GENTRY POWELL
Fullback

ROBERT HARDEN
Offensive Tackler

LESLIE HUDSON
Defensive Tackle

WILLIE LIMBRICK
Running Back

MAURICE MCGOWAN
Quarterback

LOUIS NEAL
Tight End

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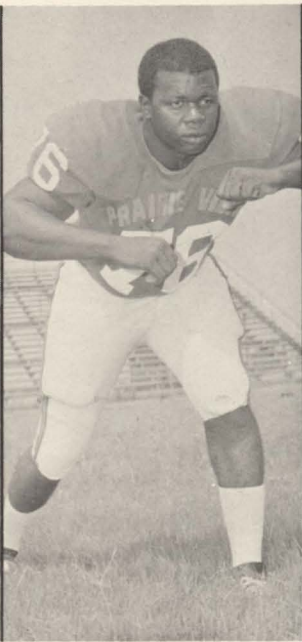
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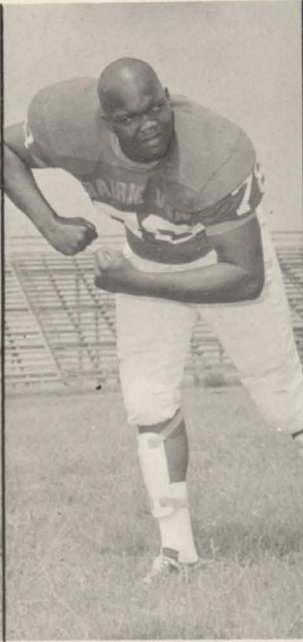
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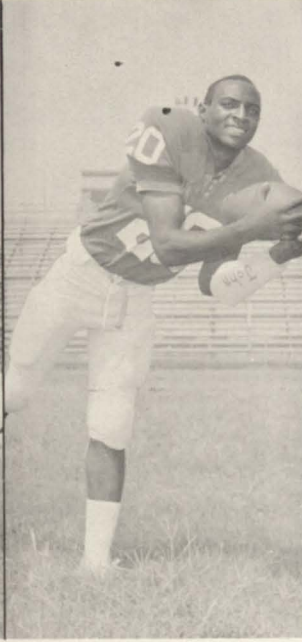
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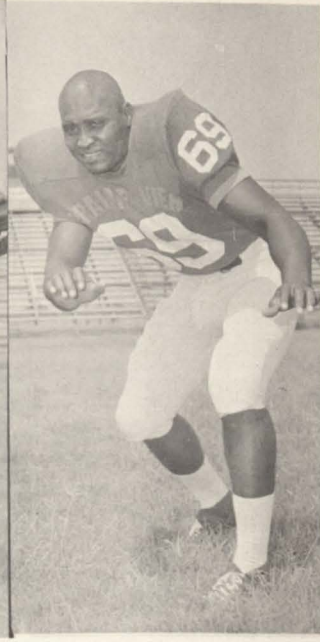
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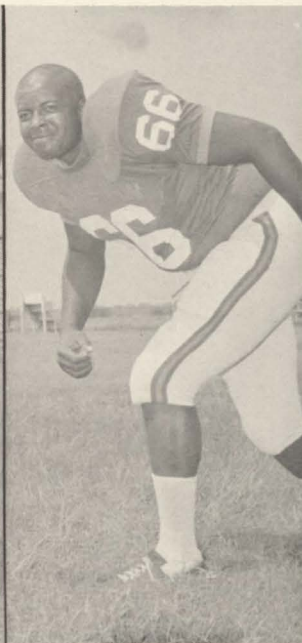
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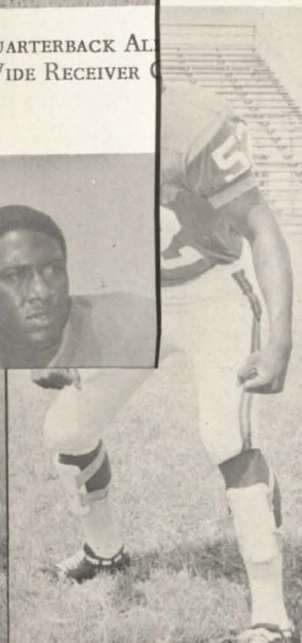
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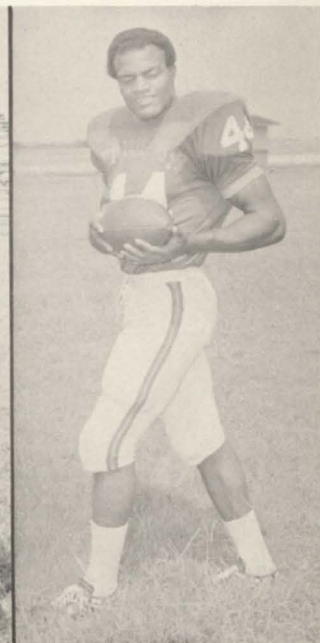
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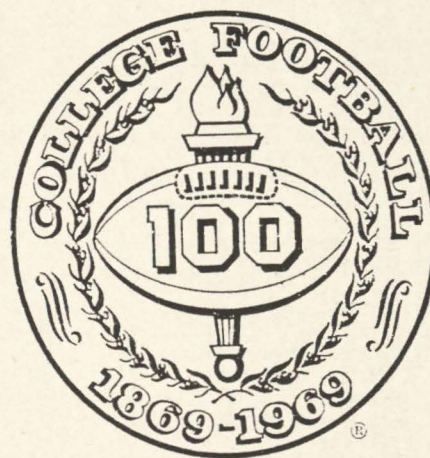
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| No. | Name | Pos. | Ht. | Wt. | Class | Hometown |
|-----|-------------------|------|-------|-----|-------|-----------------|
| 10 | Allen Merchant | QB | 6'2" | 205 | Soph. | Houston |
| 11 | Bivian Lee | DB | 6'2" | 200 | Jr. | Austin |
| 12 | Curtis Dockery | OB | 6'0" | 190 | Fr. | Houston |
| 13 | Paul Kearney | WR | 6'1" | 290 | Fr. | Wharton |
| 14 | Maurice McGowan | OB | 5'11" | 185 | Soph. | Dallas |
| 15 | Luther Hudson | DB | 5'1" | 190 | Soph. | Houston |
| 20 | Travis Hill | DB | 6'2" | 190 | Jr. | Houston |
| 23 | Henry Henderson | WR | 5'9" | 170 | Jr. | El Campo |
| 24 | Willie Limbrick | RB | 5'11" | 185 | Jr. | Houston |
| 25 | Jerry Jefferson | RB | 5'10" | 185 | Jr. | Houston |
| 30 | John Benton | RB | 6'2" | 220 | Sr. | Nacogdoches |
| 31 | Gentry Powell | RB | 6'2" | 215 | Fr. | Bartlett |
| 32 | Jessie Webb | RB | 6'2" | 210 | Fr. | New Orleans |
| 33 | William Lewis | RB | 5'11" | 190 | Fr. | New Orleans |
| 40 | Raymond Burgess | RB | 5'10" | 190 | Fr. | Houston |
| 41 | John Lewis | RB | 5'9" | 175 | Fr. | Bryan |
| 42 | James Bodley | DB | 6'0" | 190 | Sr. | Florida |
| 43 | Kenneth Johnson | RB | 5'10" | 175 | Fr. | Houston |
| 44 | James White | DB | 6'0" | 200 | Sr. | Florida |
| 51 | Thomas McCall | LB | 5'10" | 210 | Fr. | Fort Worth |
| 52 | Jerry Wallace | C | 6'2" | 220 | Soph. | Dallas |
| 53 | Isiah Dillingham | C | 6'5" | 260 | Fr. | Houston |
| 54 | James Bagby | LB | 5'3" | 230 | Sr. | Wichita Falls |
| 55 | Pheylon Curry | C | 5'10" | 250 | Jr. | Houston |
| 60 | Freddie Bennett | DE | 6'0" | 200 | Fr. | Houston |
| 61 | Larry Demerson | OG | 6'3" | 235 | Jr. | Marlin |
| 62 | Norman Beard | OG | 6'3" | 220 | Fr. | Galveston |
| 63 | Talmadge Sharpe | LB | 6'1" | 200 | Fr. | Houston |
| 64 | George Borner | LB | 6'4" | 200 | Fr. | Jasper |
| 65 | Sam Mitchell | OT | 6'1" | 235 | Soph. | Marlin |
| 66 | Johnny Jernigan | OG | 6'3" | 260 | Sr. | Odessa |
| 67 | Norman Williams | DT | 6'3" | 230 | Fr. | Montgomery |
| 68 | Charles Lyday | DE | 6'2" | 230 | Sr. | Wichita Falls |
| 69 | Gene Riley | DG | 5'10" | 240 | Fr. | Pearsall |
| 70 | Wendell John | OT | 6'3" | 230 | Fr. | Ft. Worth |
| 71 | Hubert Rocquemore | OT | 6'2" | 230 | Fr. | Houston |
| 72 | Marvin Davis | DT | 6'1" | 220 | Soph. | Galveston |
| 74 | Dewey Rogers | OT | 6'3" | 235 | Soph. | Nacogdoches |
| 75 | Jackie Harold | DG | 6'6" | 310 | Fr. | Houston |
| 76 | Ed Fisher | OT | 6'4" | 250 | Jr. | Galveston |
| 77 | Leslie Hudson | DT | 6'5" | 290 | Soph. | Houston |
| 78 | Luther Gentry | DG | 6'7" | 285 | Soph. | Dallas |
| 79 | Ollie Robinson | OT | 6'2" | 250 | Fr. | Houston |
| 80 | Louis Neal | TE | 6'6" | 220 | Fr. | San Francisco |
| 81 | James Wilson | WR | 6'1" | 190 | Fr. | Beaumont |
| 82 | Nathan Owens | TE | 6'2" | 220 | Fr. | Dallas |
| 83 | John Moore | WR | 6'4" | 200 | Fr. | Houston |
| 84 | Leroy Clark | WR | 5'11" | 180 | Fr. | College Station |
| 85 | Ted Mercer | LB | 6'3" | 215 | Soph. | Texarkana |
| 86 | Sammy Lee | TE | 6'4" | 235 | Soph. | Bay City |
| 87 | Claude Harvey | DE | 6'4" | 225 | Sr. | Willie |
| 88 | Charles Williams | WR | 6'4" | 215 | Sr. | Dallas |
| 89 | Jackie Hamilton | WR | 6'2" | 190 | Fr. | La Marque |

PRAIRIE VIEW PANTHERS PROBABLE STARTING LINEUP

| OFFENSE | | | | | | |
|---------|--------------------|--------------|-------|-----|-------|---------------|
| 83 | John Moore | Split End | 6'4" | 200 | Fr. | Houston |
| 65 | Sam Mitchell | Tackle | 6'1" | 235 | Soph. | Marlin |
| 66 | Johnny Jernigan | Guard | 6'3" | 260 | Sr. | Odessa |
| 52 | Jerry Wallace | Center | 6'2" | 220 | Soph. | Dallas |
| 61 | Larry Demerson | Guard | 6'3" | 235 | Jr. | Marlin |
| 76 | Edward Fisher | Tackle | 6'4" | 250 | Jr. | Galveston |
| 88 | Charles Williams | Tight End | 6'4" | 215 | Sr. | Dallas |
| 81 | James Wilson | Flanker | 6'0" | 190 | Fr. | Beaumont |
| 30 | John Benton | Fullback | 6'2" | 220 | Sr. | Nacogdoches |
| 25 | Jerry Jefferson | Running Back | 5'11" | 190 | Soph. | Houston |
| 10 | Allen Merchant | Quarterback | 6'2" | 205 | Soph. | Houston |
| DEFENSE | | | | | | |
| 87 | Claude Harvey | End | 6'4" | 225 | Sr. | Willis |
| 68 | Charles Lyday | End | 6'2" | 230 | Sr. | Wichita Falls |
| 72 | Marvin Davis | Tackle | 6'2" | 220 | Soph. | Galveston |
| 77 | Leslie Hudson | Tackle | 6'5" | 290 | Soph. | Houston |
| 78 | Luther Gentry | Guard | 6'7" | 285 | Soph. | Dallas |
| 54 | James Bagby | Linebacker | 6'3" | 230 | Sr. | Wichita Falls |
| 85 | Ted Mercer | Linebacker | 6'3" | 215 | Soph. | Texarkana |
| 11 | Bivian Lee (Capt.) | Def. Back | 6'2" | 200 | Jr. | Austin |
| 20 | Travis Hill | Def. Back | 6'2" | 190 | Jr. | Lufkin |
| 42 | James Bodley | Def. Back | 6'0" | 190 | Sr. | Florida |
| 15 | Luther Hudson | Def. Back | 6'2" | 190 | Soph. | Dallas |

COACHES: Alex Durley, Head; Joe Henry, Backs; John Tankersley, Def. Line;
Luther Booker, Off. Line; Wendell Neal, Def. Backs; Sam Lindsay, Scout;
Lonnie Thomas, Linebackers; E. V. Rettig, Specialist; John Harvey, Trainer

MARYLAND STATE COLLEGE FOOTBALL ROSTER — 1969

| No. | Name | Pos. | Ht. | Wt. | Age | Class | Hometown |
|-----|----------------------|------|-------|-----|-----|-------|--------------------|
| 41 | Acker, Lawrence | DHB | 6'3" | 200 | 20 | Sr. | Greenville, S. C. |
| 83 | Alston, Mack | TE | 6'3" | 225 | 20 | Sr. | Georgetown, S. C. |
| 86 | Anderson, Gregory | E | 6'4" | 205 | 18 | Fr. | Woodruff, S. C. |
| 21 | Baker, Walter | FB | 5'11" | 183 | 20 | Fr. | Holland, Va. |
| 51 | Barnes, Obie | C | 6'1" | 220 | 20 | Sr. | Baltimore, Md. |
| 61 | Beard, Michael | LB | 6'2" | 210 | 20 | Jr. | Tulsa, Okla. |
| 32 | Blann, William | HB | 5'10" | 178 | 19 | Fr. | Egg Harbor, N. J. |
| 10 | Boston, Jerome C. | QB | 6'1" | 175 | 17 | Fr. | Denton, Md. |
| 88 | Brown, Richard | E | 6'3" | 191 | 19 | Fr. | Smithfield, Va. |
| 13 | Carrington, Edmund | QB | 6' | 178 | 19 | Fr. | Pisgah, Md. |
| 20 | Cason, Rickey | OHB | 6' | 180 | 19 | Soph. | Detroit, Michigan |
| 76 | Chase, James | E-T | 6'3" | 233 | 19 | Soph. | Annapolis, Md. |
| 34 | Cropper, Wayne | DHB | 6'1" | 179 | 19 | Soph. | Wattsville, Va. |
| 60 | Dates, Ernest | G | 6' | 245 | 20 | Jr. | Tulsa, Okla. |
| 35 | Davis, Vincent | DHB | 6'2" | 200 | 19 | Jr. | Paulsboro, N. J. |
| 44 | Denson, Moses | OHB | 6'1" | 203 | 20 | Jr. | Bld. Hgts., Md. |
| 75 | Ford, Gerald | T | 6'6" | 295 | 20 | Jr. | Philadelphia, Pa. |
| 12 | Gatewood, Horace | QB | 6'4" | 195 | 20 | Fr. | Smithfield, Va. |
| 79 | Giddens, Anthony | T | 6'2" | 250 | 19 | Soph. | Salisbury, Md. |
| 74 | Gray, Ronald | G | 6'3" | 240 | 19 | Soph. | Detroit, Michigan |
| 64 | Harvey, Timothy | T | 6'3" | 253 | 18 | Fr. | Detroit, Michigan |
| 22 | Hay, Irwin | DHB | 5'11" | 160 | 20 | Jr. | Lanham, Md. |
| 62 | Hines, Edward | LB | 6'2" | 215 | 21 | Jr. | Detroit, Michigan |
| 66 | Hines, Kenneth | LB | 6'2" | 230 | 22 | Sr. | Detroit, Michigan |
| 81 | Hunter, Walter | E | 6'3" | 210 | 19 | Soph. | Richmond, Va. |
| 65 | Irons, Gerald | G | 6'3" | 220 | 20 | Sr. | Gary, Ind. |
| 42 | Jackson, George | FB | 5'10" | 220 | 20 | Sr. | Wildwood, N. J. |
| 71 | Laster, Arthur | T | 6'6" | 290 | 20 | Sr. | Gary, Ind. |
| 87 | Lord, Charles T. | E | 6'4" | 220 | 19 | Soph. | Easton, Md. |
| 19 | Miles, Barrington | HB | 6'2" | 170 | 20 | Jr. | Seat Pleasant, Md. |
| 36 | Minters, Charles | HB | 6'2" | 220 | 19 | Fr. | Mathews, Va. |
| 67 | Owens, Thomas | LB | 5'11" | 179 | 19 | Soph. | Baltimore, Md. |
| 80 | Palmer, Artis | E | 6' | 162 | 19 | Fr. | Elwood, N. J. |
| 85 | Pitts, Renard | E | 6'3" | 197 | 19 | Jr. | Detroit, Michigan |
| 43 | Reamon, Charles | DHB | 5'11" | 170 | 19 | Fr. | Newport News, Va. |
| 63 | Riddick, Reginald | G-T | 6'3" | 225 | 20 | Fr. | Newport News, Va. |
| 37 | Redding, Willis | B | 5'7" | 160 | 19 | Fr. | Wilmington, Del. |
| 33 | Robertson, Warner | K-OB | 5'11" | 195 | 21 | Soph. | Philadelphia, Pa. |
| 84 | Sanders, James | DHB | 6'1" | 190 | 19 | Soph. | Baltimore, Md. |
| 11 | Shropshire, Henry | QB | 6' | 190 | 19 | Jr. | Charlotte, N. C. |
| 30 | Simpson, Benn | RB | 5'11" | 167 | 19 | Soph. | Denton Md. |
| 70 | Spence, Conrad | T | 6'3" | 230 | 19 | Soph. | Dunn, N. C. |
| 40 | Steadman, Charles | DHB | 6'1" | 190 | 19 | Jr. | Chicago, Ill. |
| 31 | Stevenson, Thaddeus | FB | 6' | 210 | 21 | Sr. | Baltimore, Md. |
| 52 | Strong, James | LB | 6'1" | 220 | 20 | Jr. | Hanover, Md. |
| 50 | Wesley, Donald | C | 6'6" | 243 | 19 | Soph. | Detroit, Michigan |
| 87 | Whyse, Wayne | LB | 6'2" | 205 | 19 | Fr. | Wilmington, Del. |
| 73 | Wilkins, Richard | T | 6'3" | 230 | 19 | Soph. | Halifax, Va. |
| 77 | Williams, Joseph | T | 6'1" | 231 | 20 | Sr. | Cleveland, Ohio |
| 78 | Williams, Joe George | T | 6'2" | 245 | 20 | Sr. | Philadelphia, Pa. |
| 72 | Wright, Robert | T | 6'2" | 233 | 20 | Sr. | Cleveland, Ohio |

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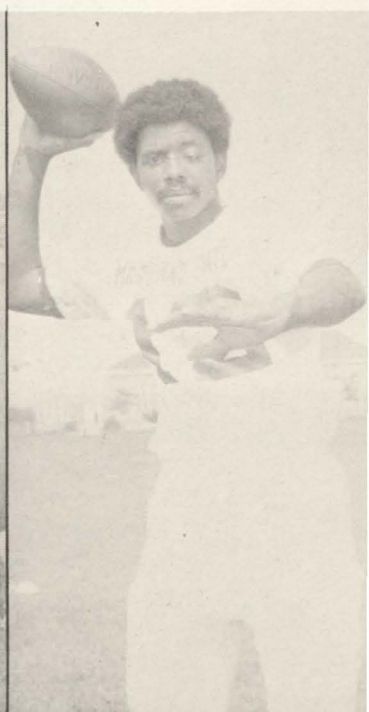
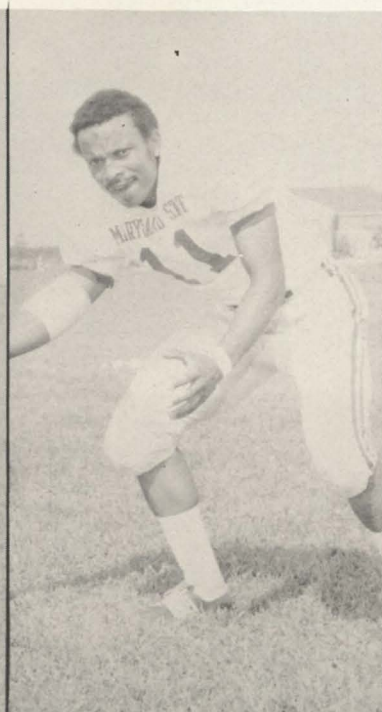
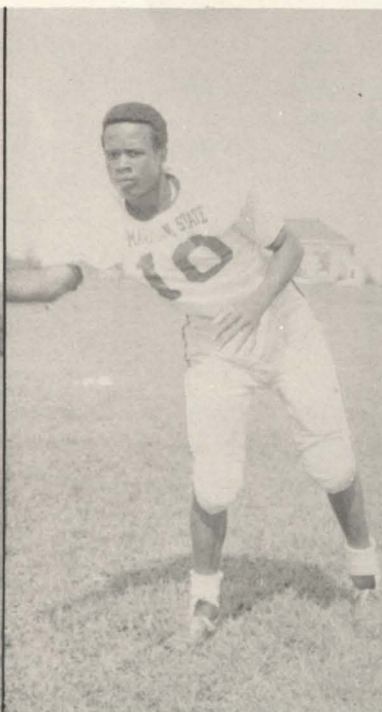
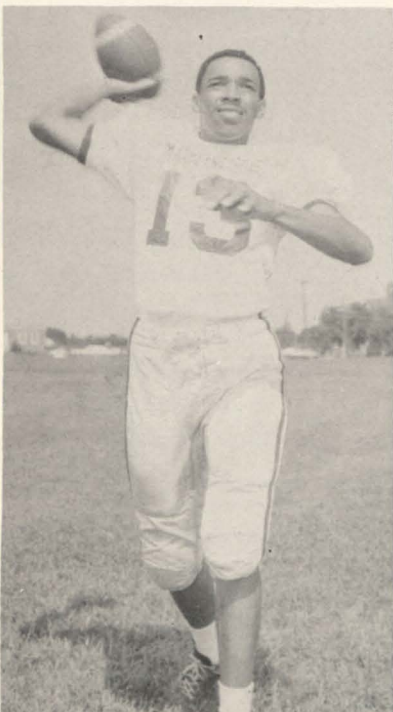
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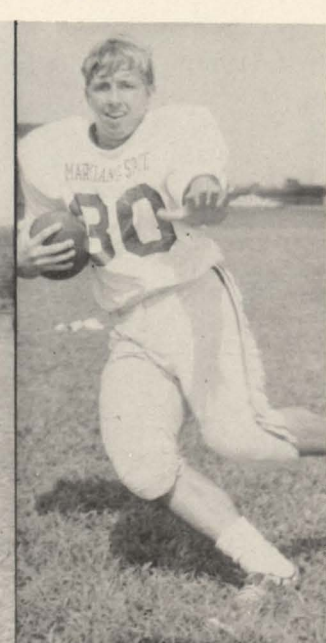
EDMOND CARINGTON
6', 168 lbs.
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CHARLES BOSTON
6' 1", 170 lbs.
Denton, Md.

HENRY SHROPSHIRE
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Charlotte, N. C.

HORACE GATEWOOD
6' 4", 145 lbs.
Smithfield, Va.





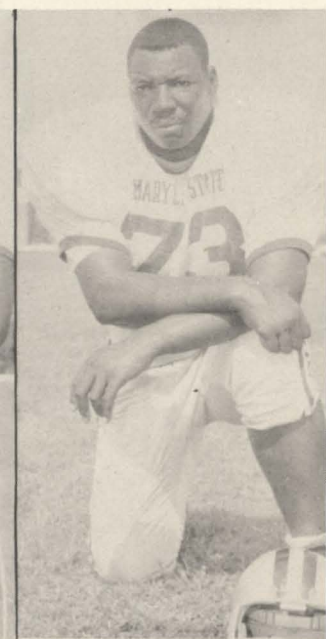
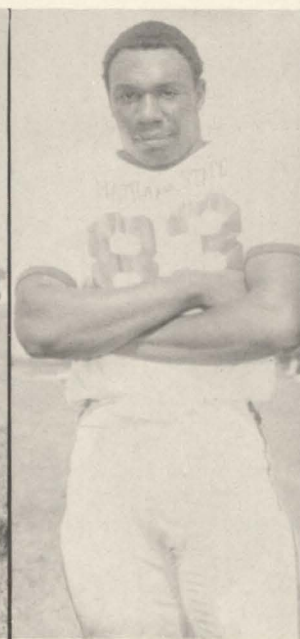
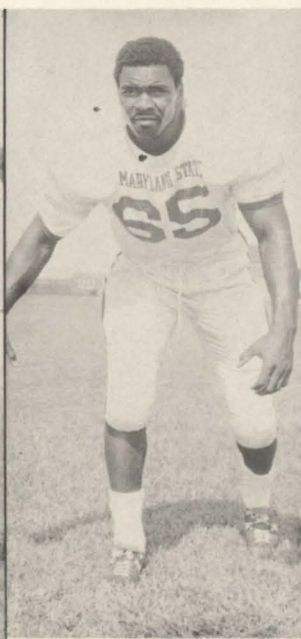
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RICKY CASON
5' 10", 180 lbs.
Detroit, Mich.

GEORGE JACKSON
5' 10", 240 lbs.
Wildwood, N. J.

MOSES DENSON
6' 1", 207 lbs.
Akron, Ohio

BENN SIMPSON
5' 7", 170 lbs.
Ridgely, Md.



OTIS WRIGHT
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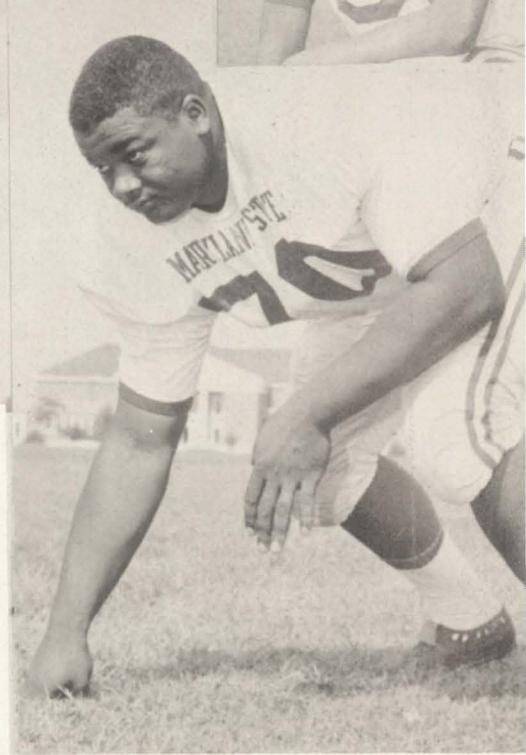
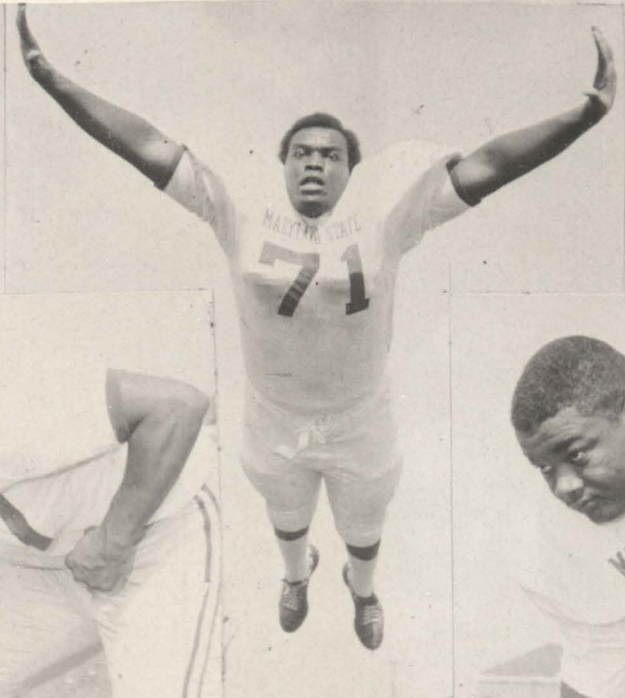
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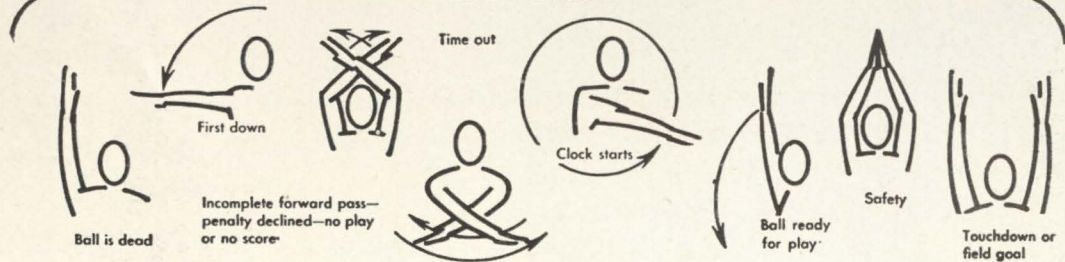
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NAIA Football Teams Prepare for Second Century of Competition

by A. O. DUER, NAIA Executive Secretary

During most of the period covering the first hundred years of college football, there was little or no distinction between "large" or "small" football playing schools. Schools like Notre Dame, Centre, Carlisle, Sewanee, Coe, Knox and Fordham were the class of any football Saturday afternoon against any team in the country.

However, with the explosion of college enrollment following World War II and the advent of television, it became more and more apparent that two levels of collegiate football were emerging. A relative handful of universities saw their enrollments reach ten, twenty, and even thirty thousand students and their athletic programs grew likewise.

In the face of sophisticated methods of recruiting, massive financial outlays and the competition of televised games every Saturday afternoon, the football programs at many colleges and universities faced extinction. Although many schools were forced to drop football altogether, most of the nation's colleges worked only harder to develop their programs within a sound financial and educational context.

The NAIA met this crisis when football was added to its program in 1956 with the first NAIA National Collegiate Football Championship. Now it is in its fourteenth year, this program remains as the only national football championship in existence for college today.

Once again in 1969, the hundredth anniversary of college football, 289 of the NAIA's 535 member institutions who play football will begin the season with a chance at becoming the nation's intercollegiate football champions. The NAIA's method of selection insures each of these schools an opportunity to become one of the four teams selected for the post-season NAIA Champion Bowl playoffs.

Each week a panel of 16 officers and area chairmen of the NAIA Football Coaches' Association rate the NAIA football teams. Following the final week of regular season play, the top rated team from each of the four evenly-divided geographical areas — Northwest, Southwest, Southeast, and Northeast — are selected for the Champion Bowl Semi-Finals. One team from each area is selected if that area has a team in the Top Six in the NAIA ratings. Otherwise, a second team from the same area is selected.

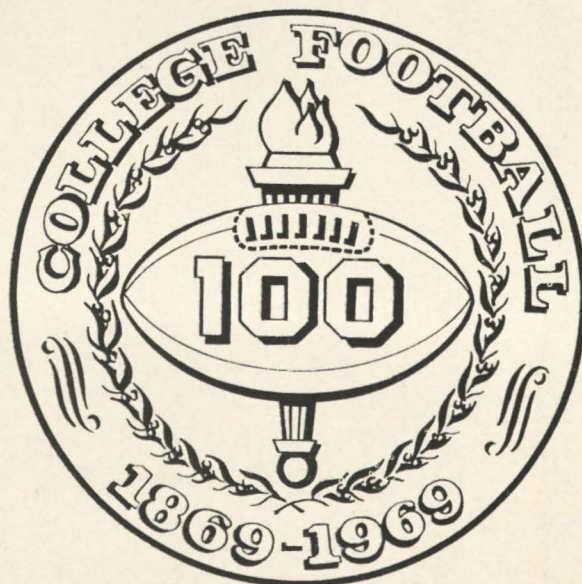
These four teams then meet in the Champion Bowl Semi-Finals on Thanksgiving week-end with the winners battling for the Champion Bowl crown and the National Championship two weeks later. All three games are played at the sites of one of the competing schools.

Prior to the Champion Bowl being played at the site of one of the competing schools, the game was played in Little Rock, Arkansas; St. Petersburg, Florida; Sacramento, California; Augusta, Georgia, and Tulsa, Oklahoma. During the past 13 years, 33 NAIA schools have had an opportunity to participate in this unique post-season program.

The excellence of ability and the closeness of competition in these championship matches has been amazing. In the 13 previous Champion Bowl contests, the difference in scores has been only slightly more than a touchdown per game. Two of the games have ended in ties and two more were decided by a single point. No school has ever been able to repeat as champion and only two colleges — St. John's (Minn.) and Pittsburg State (Kan.) — have been able to win more than one title.

Although many of the players that participate in the NAIA football program have not become household words in college due to a lack of publicity campaigns and national television exposure, the large number of these athletes who make their marks in the professional ranks is ample proof of the quality of the programs at their schools. In 1968 for example, there were 160 former NAIA football players on the active rosters of the National and American football leagues. In fact, the 1967 AFL Champion Oakland Raiders counted 14 former NAIA players on their active 40-man roster.

So as college football celebrates its first hundred years and recalls the glories of its past Saturdays and former heroes, all colleges, both large and small, stand on the threshold of another hundred years of giving the nation's youth an opportunity of playing one of the greatest games ever devised by man for preparing one's self for the game of life.



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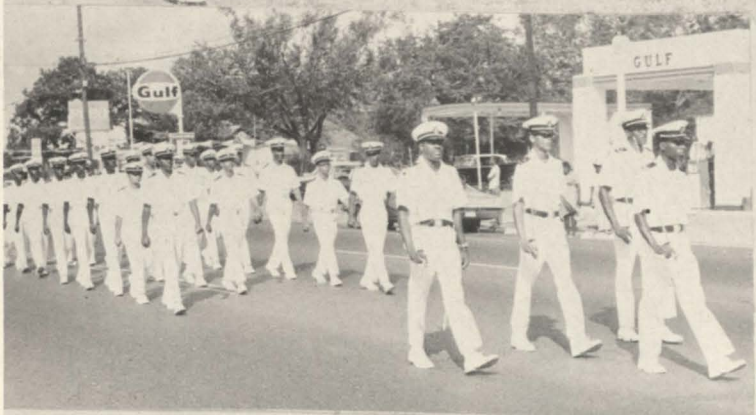
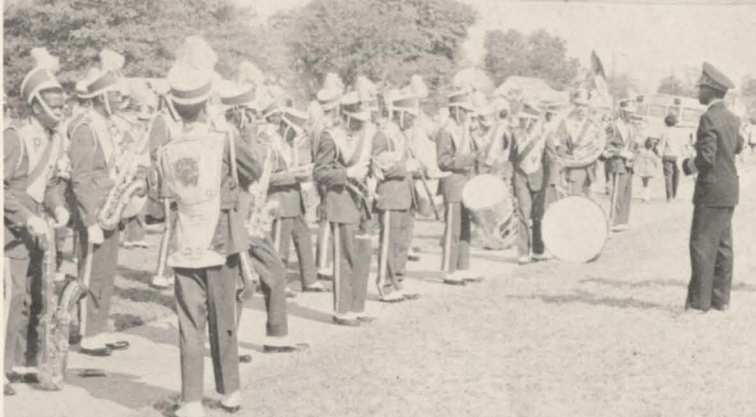
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- 7:00 p.m.—Bonfire-Pep Rally Front of Field House
 10:00 p.m.—Pigskin Revue, Martha Reeves and the Van Dellias ..Field House
 Admission: \$2.50

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8

- 1:00 a.m.—Alumni Breakfast Dance, John Roberts and The Hurricanes
 Ballroom Student Center Admission: \$2.00
 8:00 a.m.—Alumni Class Reunion Breakfast Ballroom
 10:00 a.m.—Coffee and Coke Fellowship Alumni House
 11:00 a.m.—Parade through City around Prairie View
 1:00 p.m.—Pre-Game Activities Blackshear Field
 2:00 p.m.—Football Game (PV vs. Maryland State) Blackshear Field
 Admission: \$3.50
 Students-Alumni Reception Following Game until 6:30 p.m., Ballroom,
 Student Center, No charge for admission
 9:00 p.m.—Student Dance Old Gym
 No charge for admission

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9

- 11:00 a.m.—Chapel Services Ballroom
 7:30 p.m.—Vesper Services Field House
 Fine Arts Presentation, Language Department "Mixed Bag"
 No charge for admission