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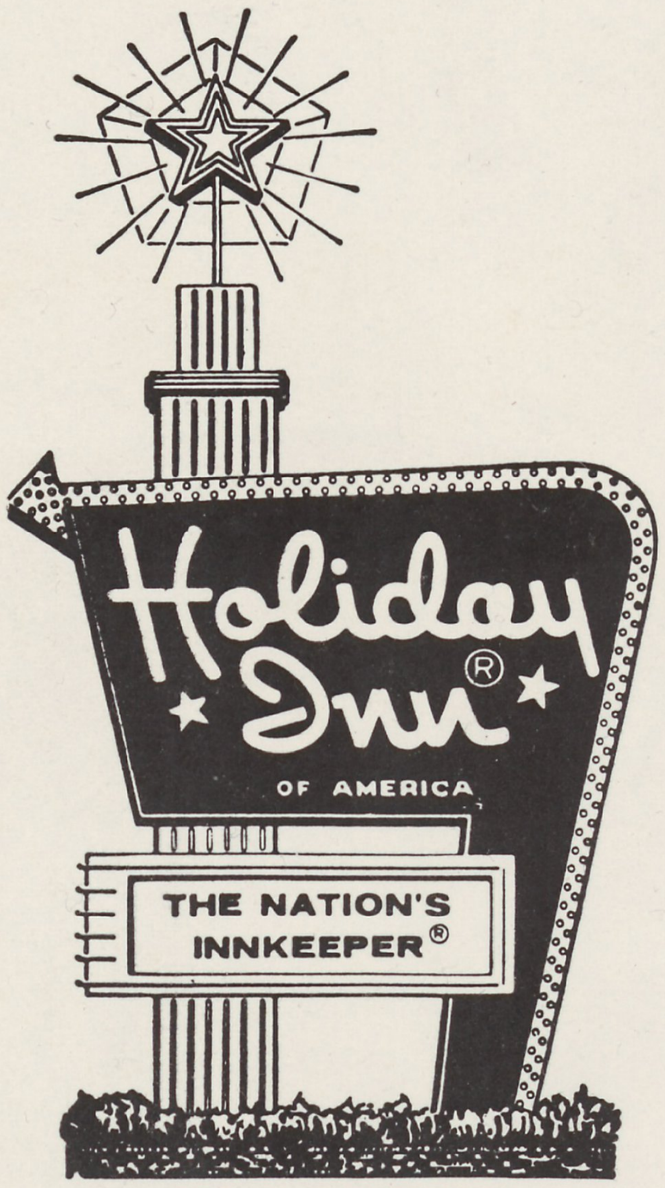


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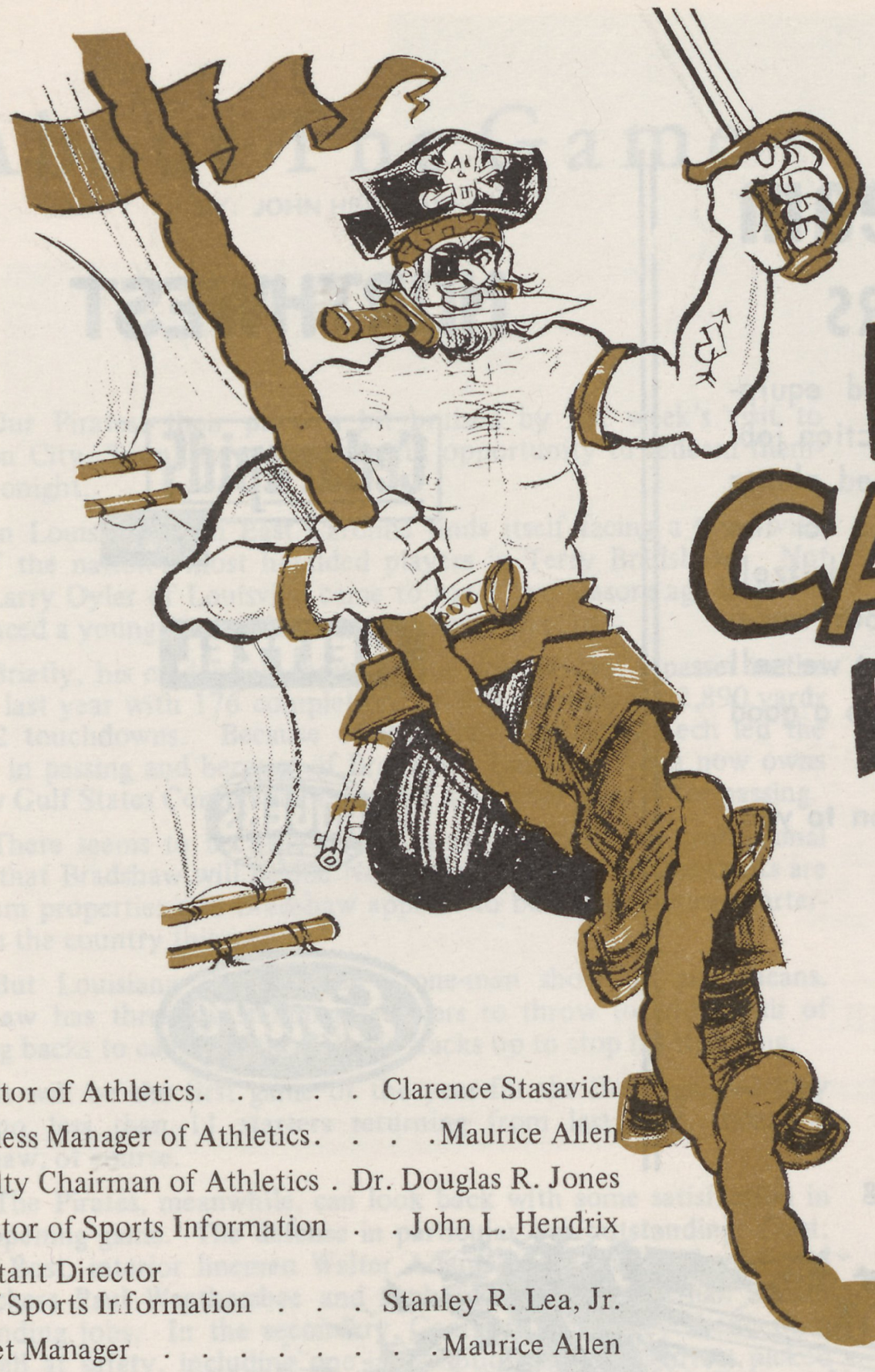

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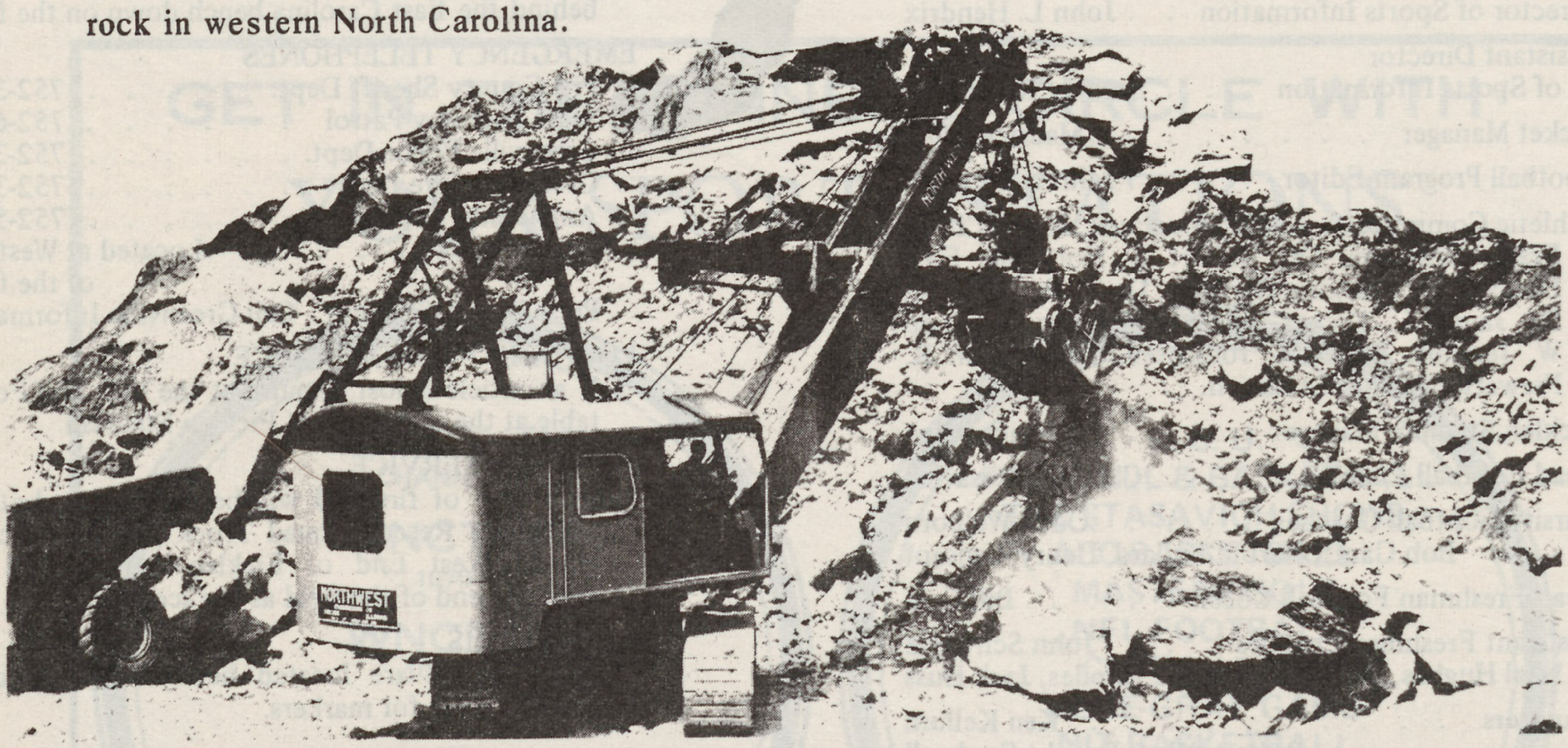


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# About The Game

BY: JOHN HENDRIX

Our Pirates, their pride a bit bruised by last week's visit to Johnson City, Tenn., have a wonderful opportunity to redeem themselves tonight.

In Louisiana Tech East Carolina finds itself facing a team with one of the nation's most heralded players in Terry Bradshaw. Not since Larry Oyler of Louisville came to town two seasons ago have the Bucs faced a young man with such an imposing record.

Briefly, his credentials show that he was the No. 1 passer in the nation last year with 176 completions in 339 attempts for 2,890 yards and 22 touchdowns. Because of Bradshaw, Louisiana Tech led the nation in passing and because of Bradshaw, Louisiana Tech now owns 25 new Gulf States Conference team and individual records for passing.

There seems to be little doubt in the minds of the professional teams that Bradshaw will be the No. 1 draft choice. Quarterbacks are premium properties and Bradshaw appears to be the premium quarterback in the country this year.

But Louisiana Tech is not a one-man show by any means. Bradshaw has three outstanding receivers to throw to and a pair of running backs to call on if the defense stacks up to stop his throwing.

It will be the first game of the year for the Bulldogs, but they have no less than 11 starters returning from last year, including Bradshaw, of course.

The Pirates, meanwhile, can look back with some satisfaction in their opening game. The defense in particular was outstanding. Capt. Roger Bost, interior linemen Walter Adams and George Wheeler and linebackers Paul Weathersbee and sophomore Monty Kiernan all did outstanding jobs. In the secondary, George Whitley played exceptionally well at safety, including one interception and Stu Garrett picked off one.

In the final analysis of the game with East Tennessee, the difference was in their claiming 5 of our passes and the fact that we were hit with 115 yards in penalties. The interceptions didn't figure in the lone scoring drive, but two penalties did.

Offensively, Butch Colson had one of his better games, although his rushing mark wasn't up to that of last year. Colson carried for 69 yards on the ground in 19 attempts and completed four of seven passes for 51 more yards. He had one pass intercepted after it was batted up in the air out of the arms of the intended receiver.

The thing Colson drew most praise for, however, was his blocking. Long looked upon as a weak point in Colson's play, this turned out to be an outstanding facet of his game at East Tennessee.

Two sophomore offensive linemen, too, drew the praise of Coach Clarence Stasavich. John Hollingsworth, a 205-pounder from Fayetteville, and Garland Ballard, a 245-pounder from New Bern, both did fine jobs.


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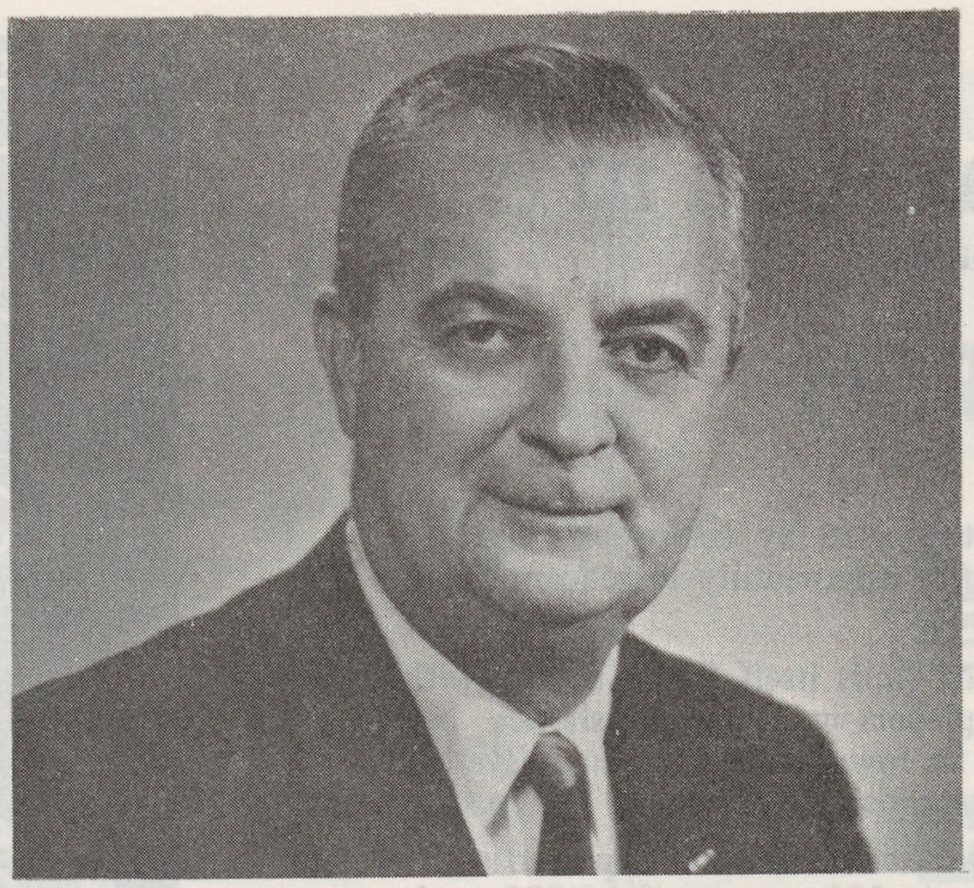

**DR. LEO W. JENKINS**
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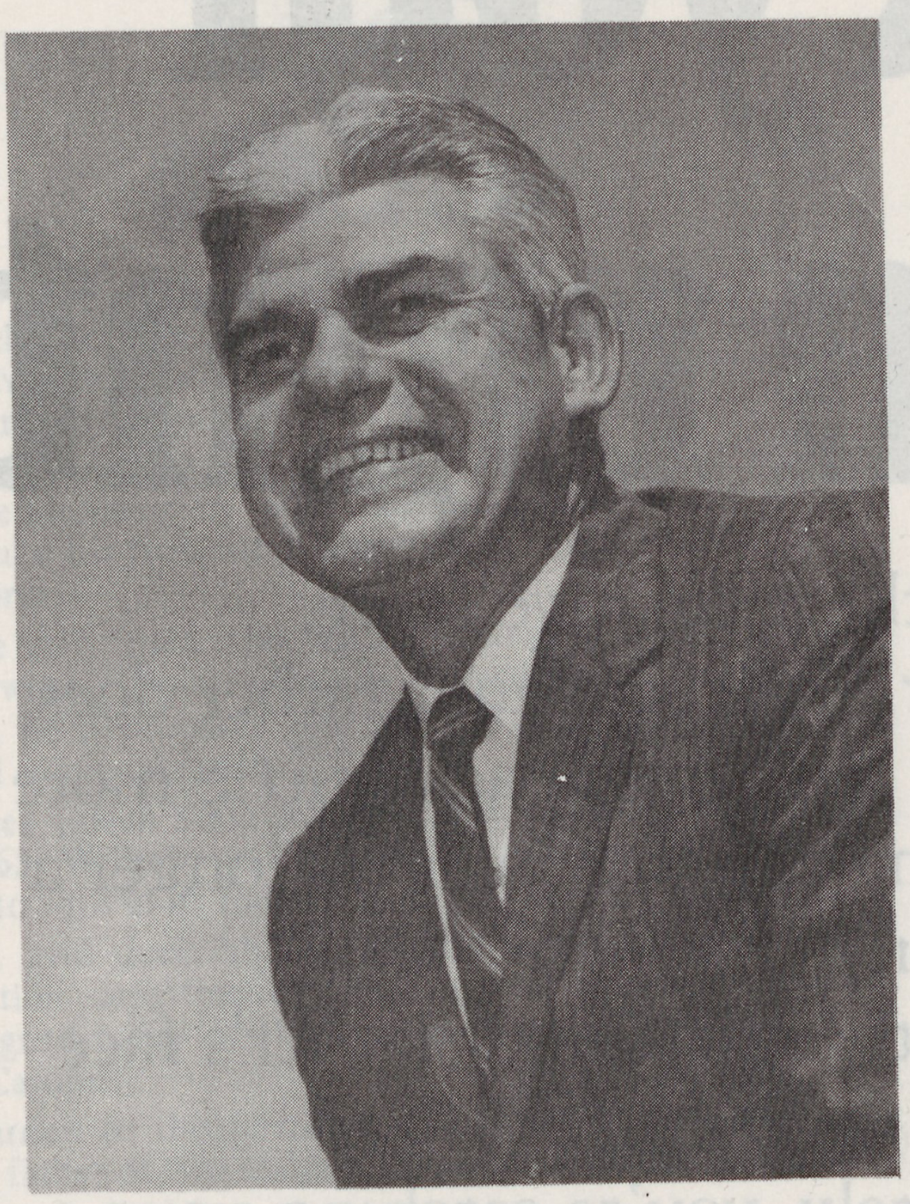

**CLARENCE STASAVICH**
**Head Football Coach**

The man with the fourth best record of active coaches in America and last remaining advocate of single wing football in major colleges, Clarence Stasavich will guide his eighth East Carolina University football team during 1969.

A virtual legend in his own time at Lenoir-Rhyne College in the western part of the state, he owns a lifetime record that shows 168 wins, 57 losses and 8 ties, is a member of the Helms Hall of Fame, a national coach of the year honoree and a national championship winner.

A native of Georgetown, Ill., Stasavich came to North Carolina as an undergraduate of Lenoir-Rhyne, earning his A.B. degree there in 1935. He added his M.A. at Chapel Hill in 1947.

An all-around athlete, he gained his greatest recognition at Lenoir-Rhyne in football and basketball. Twice, in 1933-34, he was named to the Charlotte Observer's Flaming Five, an annual recognition of the top athletes in North and South Carolina.

His first venture into coaching was at Campbell College where he worked for three seasons before returning to Lenoir-Rhyne as an assistant in 1938. In 1942, he entered the U.S. Navy and served with distinction in both the European, Pacific and Mediterranean theaters during World War II as an LST commander.

After discharge from service, he returned to Lenoir-Rhyne in 1946 and rapidly began to build a gridiron powerhouse that won nine Carolinas Conference championships and in 1960 claimed the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics national title.

Named District coach of the year five times in a span of six years, he was acclaimed American Football Coaches Assn. College Coach of the Year in 1964 after having gained the same distinction in the NAIA in 1959 and being placed in the Helms Foundation Hall of Fame in 1960.

His string of successes continued after joining East Carolina. Three of his teams posted 9-1 records in succession and won bowl games [1963-64-65]. In the first year the Pirates were members of the Southern Conference, his team shared the title in 1966. His overall record at East Carolina is 48-18-1.

An accomplished after dinner speaker who is always in demand, he has also authored numerous articles on football in general and the single wing in particular and is a frequent lecturer at clinics around the nation.

An elder and Sunday School teacher at First Presbyterian Church in Greenville, he also devotes considerable attention to the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and frequently is a leader in charitable causes. Listed in Who's Who of the Southeast, he has also contributed his time as a director of the North Carolina Cerebral Palsy Hospital and a member of the North Carolina Sports Hall of Fame.

He is married to the former Helen Warlick of Hickory and they are the parents of two daughters, Rebecca and Mary Helen and a son, Walter.



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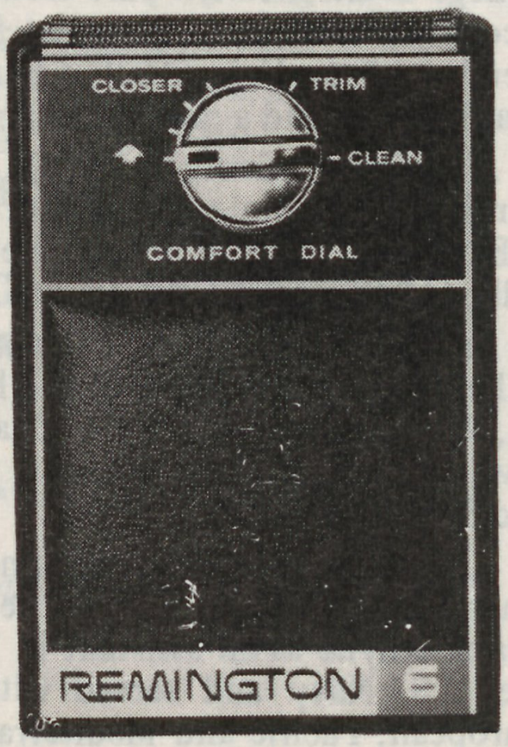


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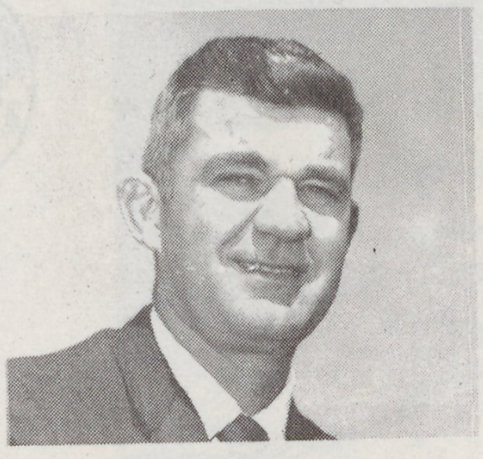


**ODELL WELBORN**

Odell Welborn, who this year assumed the duties of offensive line coach of East Carolina's football team, is the oldest man from point of service on the staff.

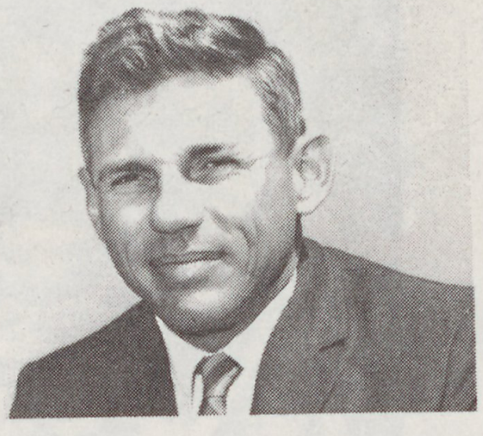
A native of Thomasville, N. C., Welborn is an Elon College alumnus. A tackle and end during his college days, he gained his first coaching experience while serving in the Air Force.

The only man who was a holdover from the previous staff when Coach Clarence Stasavich was named head coach, he is probably unique in that he has a perfect 6-0 record as a head coach.

When Coach Stasavich was sidelined with a heart attack in 1963, Welborn was handed the reins and he guided the team to wins in its final six games.

An avid duck hunter, he also serves on the physical education department's teaching staff and as a recruiter, has signed many of the top players who have played for East Carolina.

Married to the former Rachel Poole of Thomasville, he is the father of two children, Jane 8 and David 4.



**BOB GANTT**

Bob Gantt, who is East Carolina University's defensive chief, is one of three members of the coaching staff who joined the Pirates the same time as head coach Clarence Stasavich.

Gantt, who played a part in one of the most publicized eras of North Carolina, graduated at Chapel Hill where he was a teammate of the fabled Charley Justice.

Gantt earned his A.B. degree in 1952 and entered the Marine Corps for four years, attaining the rank of captain before his discharge. He began his coaching career at Albemarle and after three years there was tapped as an assistant with the Pirates.

Gantt virtually eats and sleeps football. He is constantly studying the game with every available means and was instrumental in the change of East Carolina's long-standing six-one defense to the newly-installed 5-2.

Married to the former Christine Williamson of Rock Ridge, N.C., he has three children, Lynn 11, Janet 9 and Bobby 7.

**HENRY VANSANT**

Henry Vansant is one of two graduates of East Carolina who serve as assistant football coaches.

A native of Virginia, where he spends considerable time recruiting future football players for East Carolina, Vansant served three years in the 82nd Air Borne Division before coming to East Carolina.

Graduating with both an M.A. and a masters in 1961, he moved into the coaching ranks at Hopewell, Va. high school before joining the Pirate staff as freshman coach in 1962.

After serving five years in that position and recording one unbeaten season, he was moved to the varsity staff as offensive line coach in 1967. This season he is in charge of the defensive line.

Like Bob Gantt, he spends much of his spare time studying football. He is married to the former Ragnhilde MacDonald of Fayetteville and they have two sons, Charles 9 and John 4.

**HAROLD BULLARD**

Harold Bullard began his association with head coach Clarence Stasavich at Lenoir-Rhyne College in 1955.

A native of Rockingham, N.C., he made the All-America team three times while playing in college and began his coaching career at Camden Military Academy in Camden, S. C.

In 1962, Bullard joined the East Carolina staff as a graduate assistant and after earning his Masters, moved to the varsity staff as end coach, a position he has held ever since.

A rugged individualist who is called by Stasavich one of the best backs he ever coached, Bullard excels as a recruiter and is credited with signing numerous North Carolina prep standouts to East Carolina grants.

Bullard is married to the former Margie Virginia Miller of Salisbury and they are the parents of two children, Harold, Jr., 9 and Jill Harris 5.

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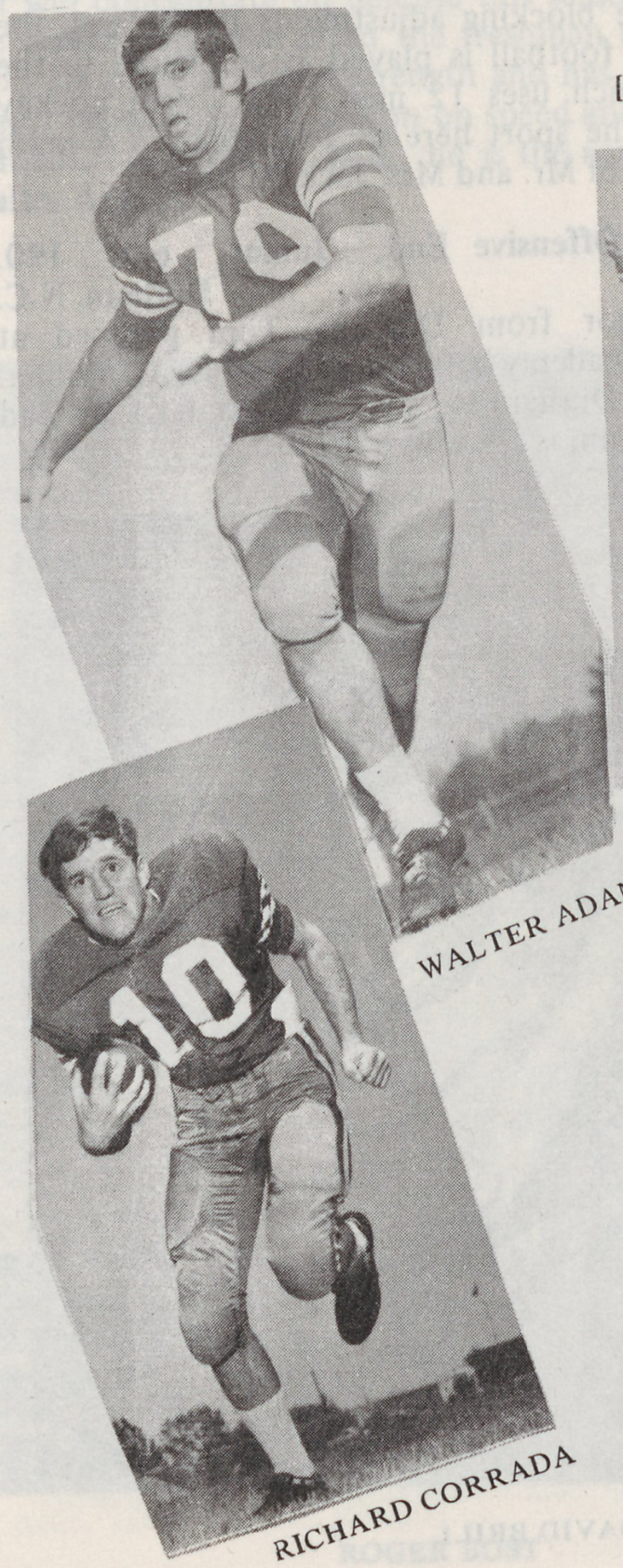

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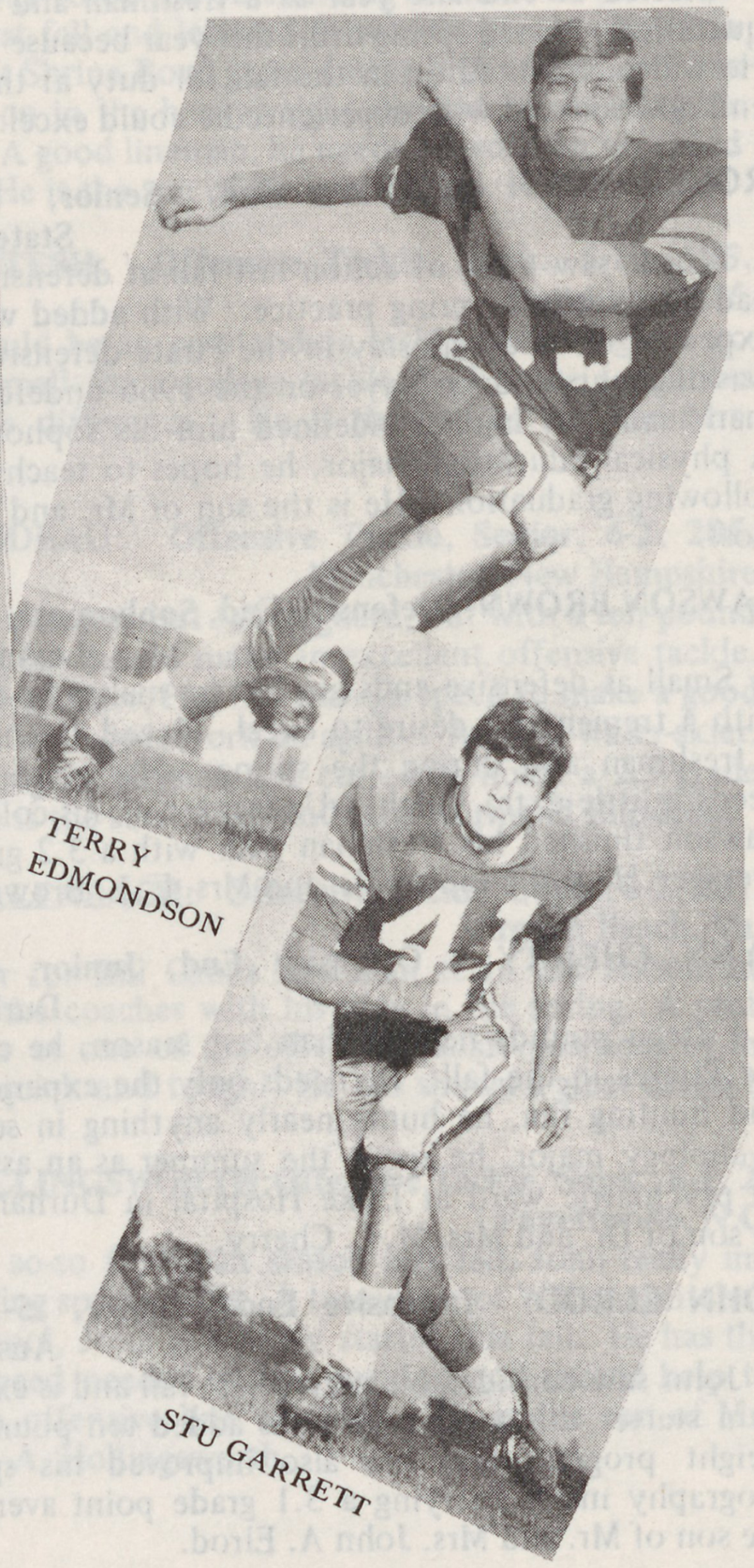

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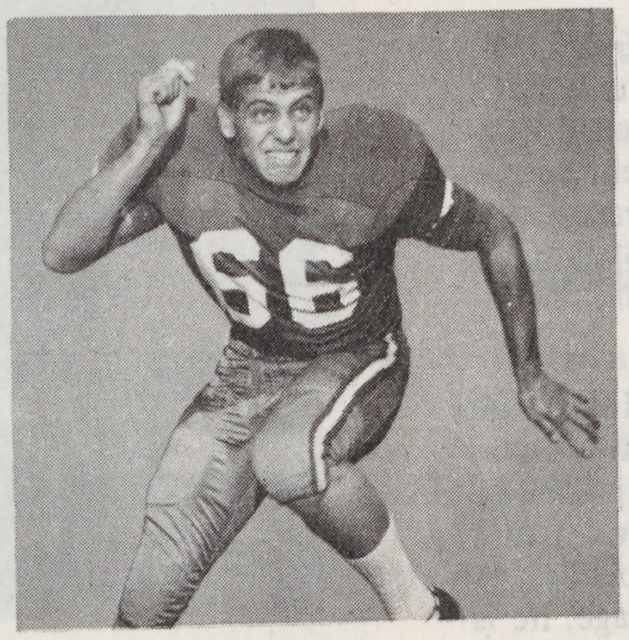

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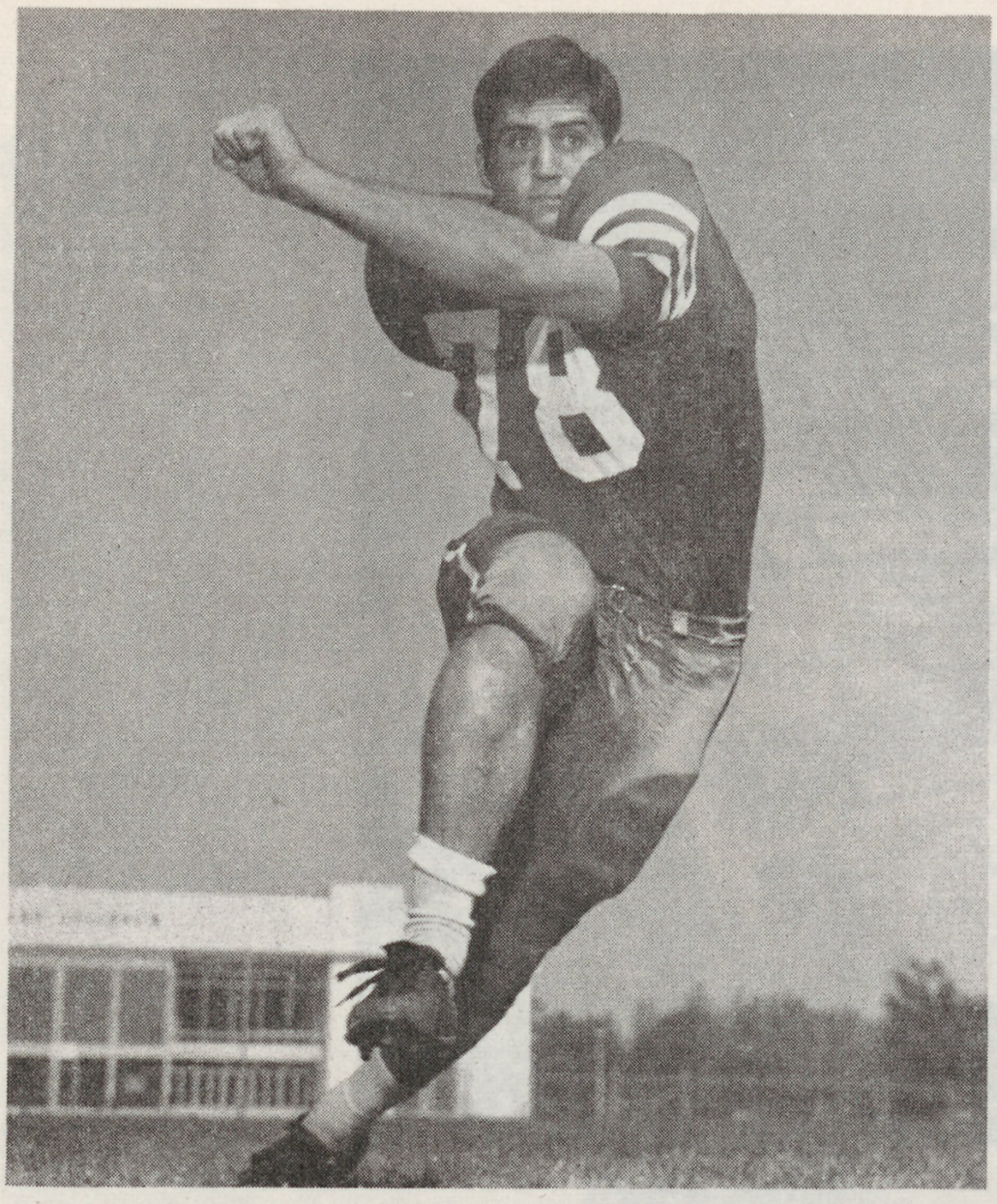


STEVE DAVIS

**MIKE ALDRIDGE: Offensive End, Sophomore, 6-1, 175, Greenville, N.C.**

Started at end last year as a freshman and did an adequate job. Missed spring drills this year because of baseball. He will be counted on in the fall for duty at the offensive end position and with experience he could excel.

**ROGER BOST: Defensive End, Senior, 6-1, 208, Statesville, N.C.**

Roger saw a lot of action last fall at defensive end and had an excellent spring practice. With added weight he is expected to be a mainstay in the Pirate defensive line. He was the outstanding player on the 1966 undefeated freshman team but injuries sidelined him his sophomore year. A physical education major, he hopes to teach and coach following graduation. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Bost.

**LAWSON BROWN: Defensive End, Sophomore, 5-11, 175, Lexington, N.C.**

Small as defensive ends go, but he makes up for his size with a tremendous desire to excel. Played defensive end as a freshman and during the spring. Has good speed but needs a little extra weight. Undecided on his college major Lawson finished his freshman year with a 3.2 grade point average. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Brown.

**LYNN CHERRY: Offensive End, Junior, 6-0, 190, Durham, N.C.**

Fifteen pounds heavier than last season, he could help the Pirates in the fall. He needs only the experience. An avid hunting fan, he hunts nearly anything in season. A psychology major, he spent the summer as an assistant in the psychiatric ward at Duke Hospital in Durham. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Cherry.

**JOHN ELROD: Defensive End, Junior, 5-11, 195, Austin, Texas**

John saw considerable action last fall and is expected to be a starter this season. He has added ten pounds with a weight program and has also improved his speed. A geography major carrying a 3.1 grade point average, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Elrod.

**CARL GORDON: Offensive End, Sophomore, 6-5, 215, Jacksonville, Fla.**

Carl played organized football for the first time as a senior in high school. His reason for not playing before that was he played trumpet for the high school band. Last year as a freshman he started a couple of games at the offensive end position and did an adequate job. A softball umpire in the summer, he is a member of the National Federation of Umpires in the American Softball Association. A physical education major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence J. Gordon.

**FRED HARRIS: Offensive End, Sophomore, 6-1, 194, Charlotte, N.C.**

As a freshman, Fred played tight end and did so well he was moved up to the starting position on the varsity squad last spring. However, he missed the spring game with a collarbone injury. As a high schooler, he won seven varsity letters in football, basketball, and baseball. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Lee A. Harris.

**BOB HILEMAN: Defensive End, Sophomore, 6-4, 220, Alexandria, Va.**

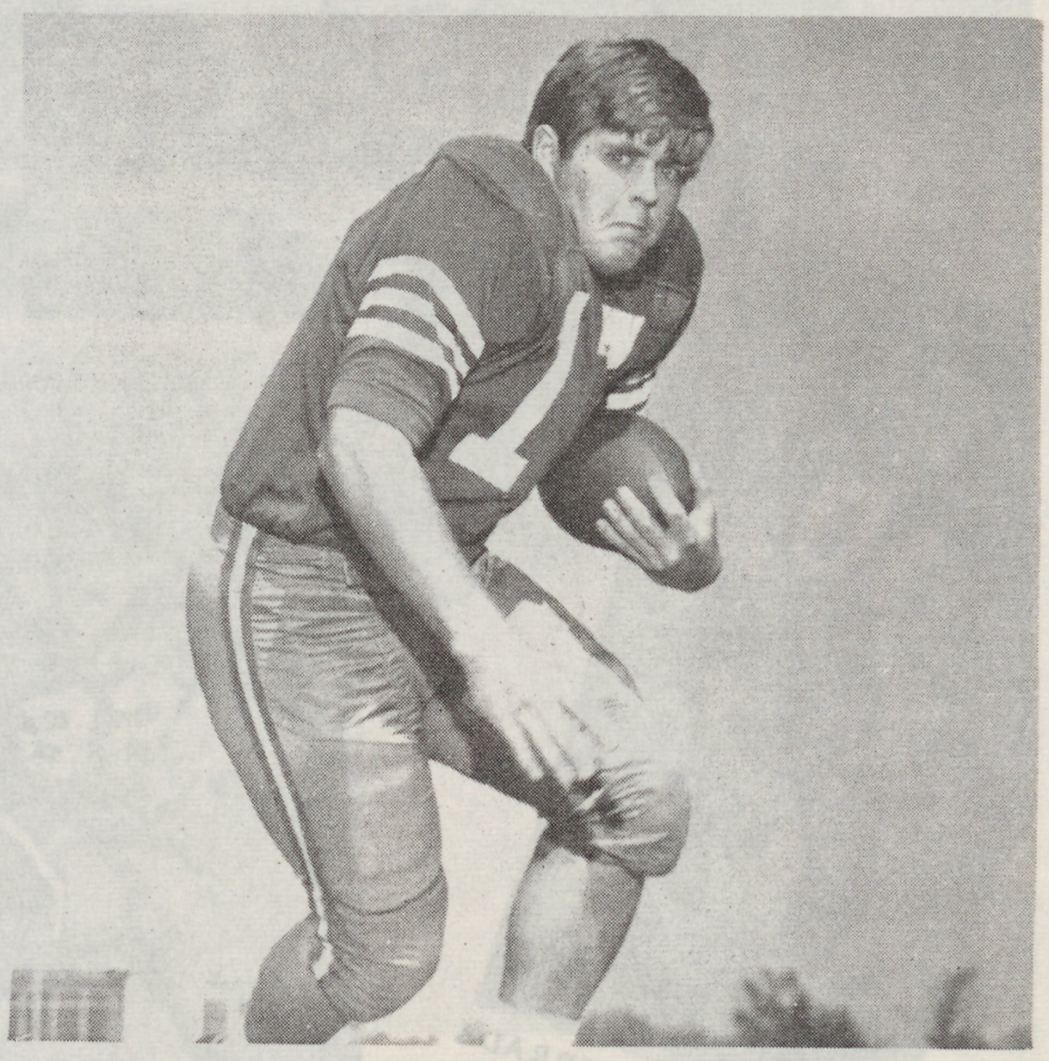
As a freshman, Bob played three major sports at ECU but his plans call for football and baseball this year. An end on last year's freshman team, he has the size and the speed to become a good one. A pitcher on last year's baseball squad, he worked himself into Earl Smith's starting rotation. Although he missed the spring drills he will be heavily counted on in the fall.

**BOB MILLIE: Offensive End, Sophomore, 6-5, 200, Weston, Ontario, Canada**

An offensive end on last year's freshman team, he was recruited by coaches Bullard and Vansant. He admitted he had to make some blocking adjustments to the way the American game of football is played as compared to the Canadian style, which uses 12 men. An ardent hockey player, he missed the sport here as a freshman. A math major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Millie.

**TOM PULLEY: Offensive End, Junior, 6-0, 190, Durham, N.C.**

A business major from Durham, Tom prepped at Staunton Military Academy before coming to East Carolina. A two-sport star at Durham High, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Pulley. Tom is a business major.



DAVID BRILL

**JIM SERMONS: Offensive End, Junior, 6-2, 182, Cove City, N.C.**

Jim did not see much action last fall as a sophomore but improved during spring drills. He did an outstanding job as a pass receiver in the Purple-Gold game, and he is expected to see a lot of action this fall. The physical education major used to race go-carts as a youngster and still enjoys doing mechanical work on automobiles. Jim, an avid automobile racing fan, earned six varsity letters in three sports as a high schooler. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sermons.

**CHARLES SWANNER: Offensive End, Junior, 6-2, 208, Edenton, N.C.**

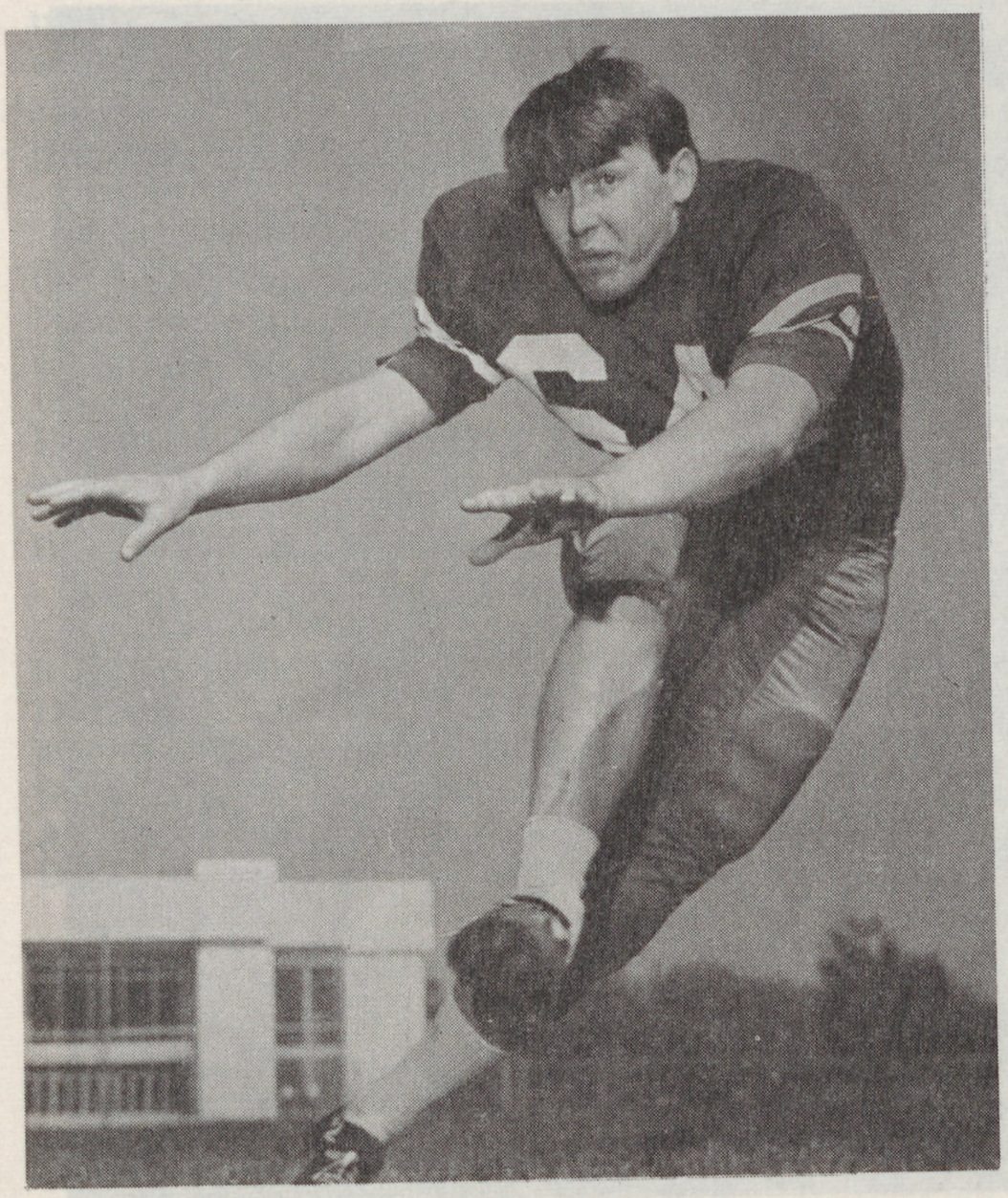
Now 15 pounds heavier than he was as a sophomore, he could see considerable action this season at tight end. He enjoyed a good spring practice and was impressive in the Purple-Gold clash. As a high school athlete at John A. Holmes High, Charlie won 12 varsity letters in football, basketball, baseball, and track. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Swanner, he is a history major and hopes to teach upon graduation.

**DANNY WILMER: Defensive End, Senior, 6-2, 227, Buena Vista, Va.**

Danny saw action at both offensive end and defensive end last season but will be a defensive end this fall. He has size and adequate speed for the position and should bolster the defensive line. A two-year letterman for the Pirates, Danny earned nine letters in high school. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Wilmer, he is a geography major.

**WALTER ADAMS: Defensive Tackle, Junior, 6-0, 230, Deptford, N.J.**

Walt saw action last fall both offensively and defensively but will concentrate on defense this season. He was voted the outstanding player on the freshman team two seasons ago. He possesses great strength and has a strong desire to play. He worked last season on speed and agility and loves contact. A business major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Adams.



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PAUL WEATHERSBEE

**GARLAND BALLARD: Defensive Guard, Soph., 6-0, 240, New Bern, N.C.**

Garland was voted the outstanding lineman on the freshman team last fall and lettered in wrestling. He played in the East-West Shrine Bowl game during high school and was state champion in the heavyweight division in wrestling his senior year. A good lineman, he needs to work on his speed and agility. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Ballard.

**RALPH BETESH: Offensive Tackle, Soph., 5-10, 195, Brooklyn, N.Y.**

Ralph could be an outstanding tackle once he gains experience. Small for a college tackle, he has the toughness to make the difference. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Betesh.

**PHIL BILODEAU: Offensive Tackle, Senior, 6-2, 205, Manchester, New Hampshire**

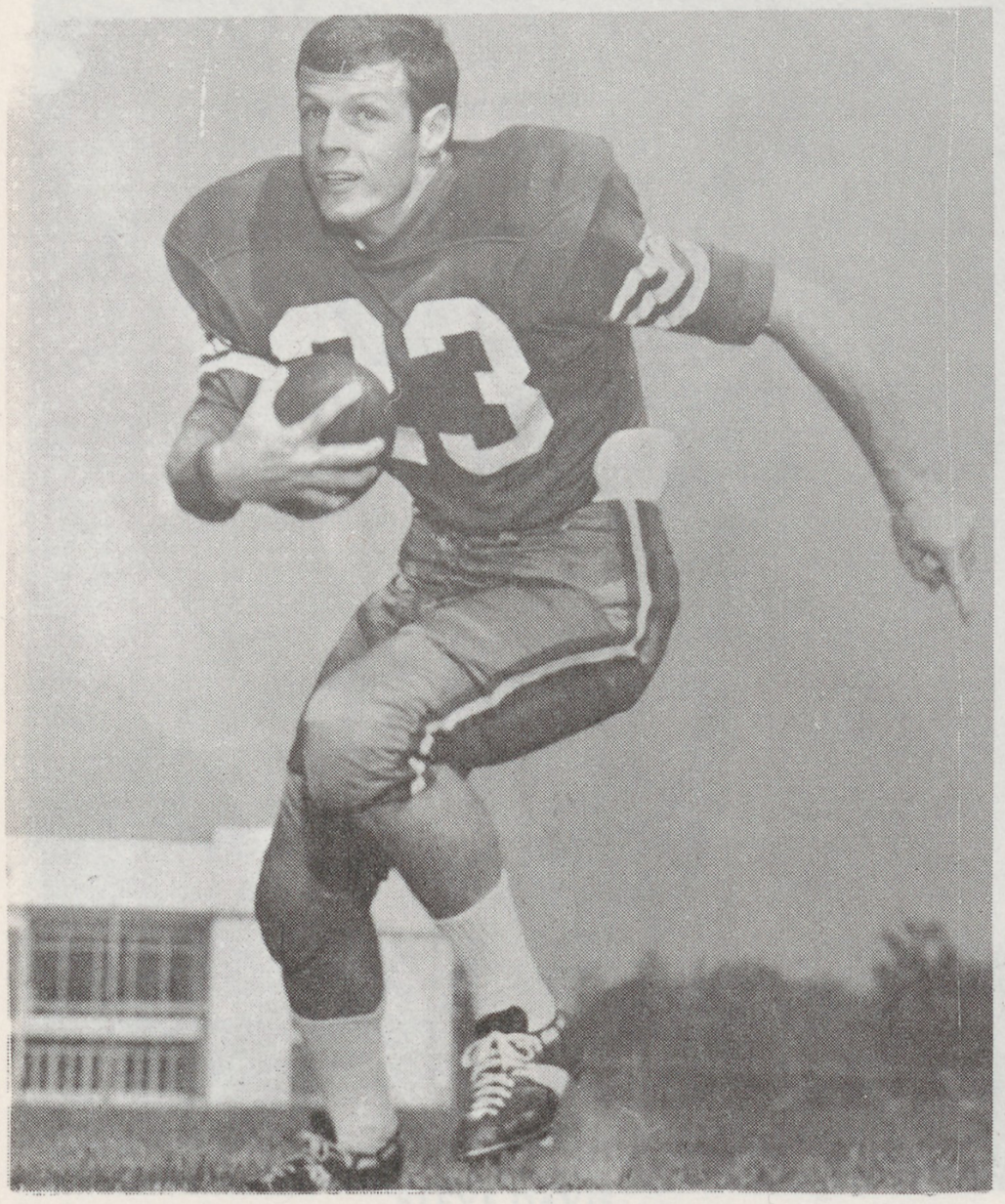
Phil was a starter last fall at guard, but with a ten-pound weight gain, he should make an excellent offensive tackle. An adequate blocker, Phil has enough speed to make a good lineman but still needs work on agility. An avid water-skier, he is majoring in physics and currently holds a 2.5 grade average. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Normand Bilodeau.

**JOHN HOLLENBACH: Offensive Tackle, Soph., 6-2, 201, Virginia Beach, Va.**

A starter for Bill Cain's freshman team last season, he impressed the coaches with his play in the spring. A probable starter at one of the offensive tackle positions in the fall, he is quick and tough. He has shown a great desire to excel.

**JOHN HOLLINGSWORTH: Offensive Tackle, Soph., 6-1, 200, Fayetteville, N.C.**

After a so-so freshman season last fall, John really improved during spring drills. A teammate of William Mitchell in high school, John is a likely starter this fall. He has the size and speed needed at the position and should help to bolster the offensive line blocking. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hollingsworth.



DWIGHT FLANAGAN

**RICHARD LITTLE: Offensive Tackle, Soph., 5-11, 174, Grifton, N.C.**

Richard is small by most standards for a college tackle but makes up for his size with toughness and a fierce determination to play. A starter on last year's freshman team, he proved himself to the coaches in spring drills and should see action this fall. He has gained fifteen pounds since last season and worked on a weight gaining program last summer. His parents are Godfrey L. Little and Mrs. Edward Owens.

**JAMIE LOUIS: Defensive Guard, Senior, 5-10, 195, Blacksburg, Va.**

A two-year letterman for the Pirates, Jamie could figure into the Pirates' defensive lineup this fall. He played offensive guard and tackle last fall and was switched to defense during the spring. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Louis.

**BILL MCCASKILL: Offensive Tackle, Soph., 6-1, 206, Asheboro, N.C.**

Bill was a starter on last year's freshman team at offensive tackle and had a good spring practice. He should add much needed depth to the offensive line. He has adequate speed and his best asset is blocking. A future history major, he is the son of E. R. McCaskill.

**JOHN MORRIS: Defensive Guard, Junior, 6-3, 224, Norfolk, Va.**

He had an excellent spring and is expected to figure heavily in the Pirates' defensive lineup this fall. About ten pounds heavier than last year, John is from an athletic family and enjoys working with animals in his spare time. A biology major who plans to go into medicine, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morris.

**TED SALMON: Defensive Guard, Sophomore, 6-2, 205, Richmond, Va.**

Ted was a starter on the freshman team last fall; and with a ten-pound weight gain, he should see a lot of action this fall. A nine-letterman in high school, he earned four in football. A good lineman, he still needs work on speed and agility. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Salmon.

**GROVER TRUSLOW: Defensive Tackle, Soph., 6-4, 227, Lumberton, N.C.**

A starter on last year's freshman team, Grover had a good spring practice and is expected to play a lot this fall. He could be an outstanding defensive lineman once he gains experience. He has size and speed and loves to hit. This past summer he worked on his weight and had hopes of getting it up to about 240 before the start of the season. A guard for the freshman squad, Grover made the switch to tackle with no trouble. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Truslow.

**TIM TYLER: Defensive Tackle, Junior, 6-2, 240, Alexandria, Va.**

Size and strength are Tim's major assets. He had an excellent spring. After playing last season as a reserve, he made considerable progress and played a lot during the last half of the season. He has trimmed his weight since last season and gained speed and agility. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John O. Tyler.

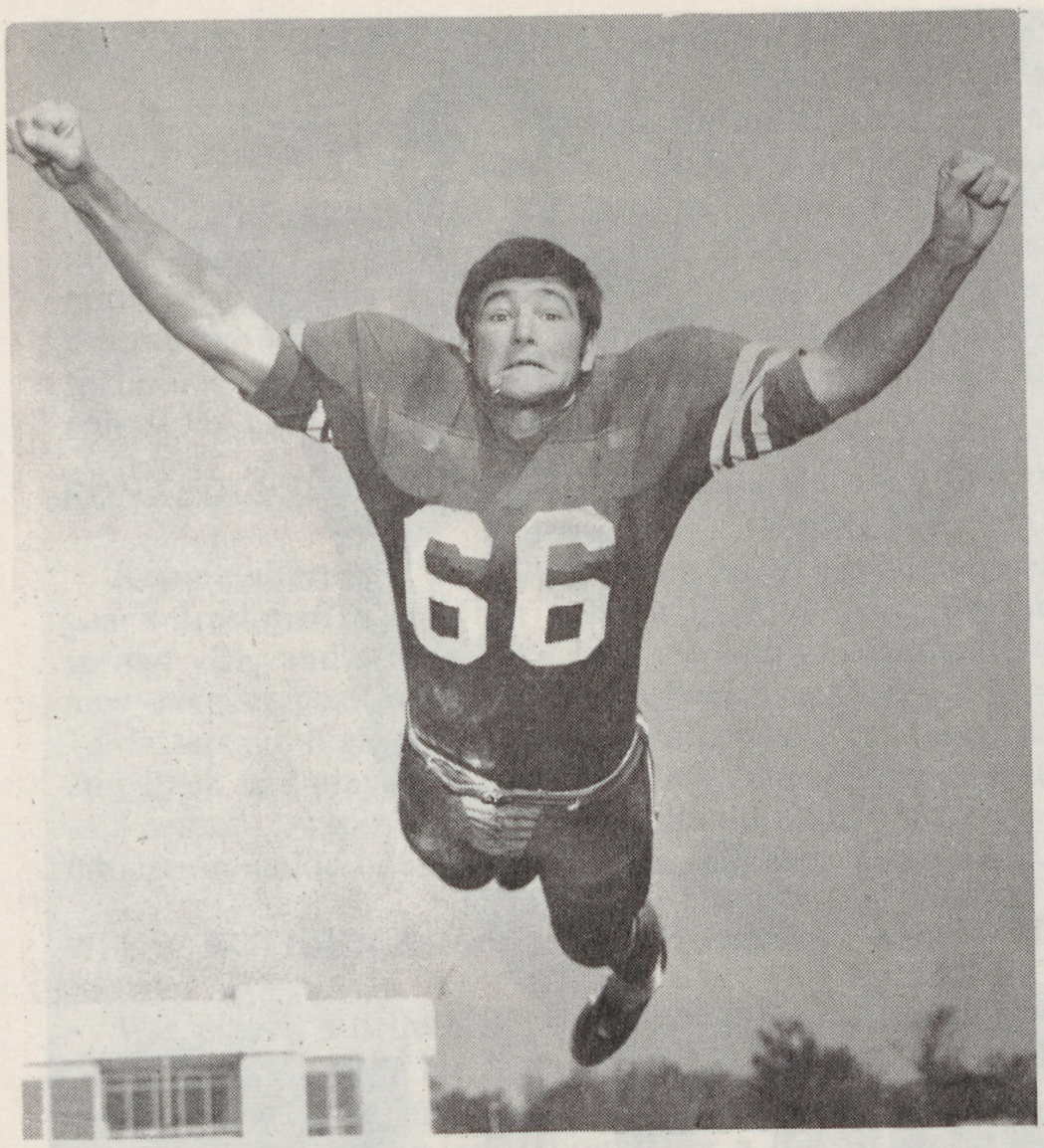
**JOHN WILLIAMS: Defensive Tackle, Soph., 5-7, 181, [Chipper] Raleigh, N.C.**

A linebacker on last year's freshman team, he was moved to tackle in the spring. Small as most college tackles run but he makes up for it with a tremendous desire to excel. His father played football at Lees-McRae. A physical education major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Williams.

**GEORGE WHEELER: Defensive Guard, Senior, 6-0, 235, Buena Vista, Va.**

George should be a great one for East Carolina this season. He possesses all the qualities needed to make a good defensive guard but may be shifted to offense where he has some experience. George is a great leader and has been a starter for the past two seasons. He was named Southern Conference lineman of the week twice as a sophomore. A physical education major who plans to coach, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wheeler.

TOMMY BULLOCK



BUTCH BRITTON

**JOHN ROWE: Offensive Guard, Sophomore, 6-0, 196, Southern Pines, N.C.**

John enjoyed a good spring practice and should figure heavily in the Pirates' starting offensive line once he gains experience. A starter on last year's freshman team, he is an excellent blocker. John is from an athletic family and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rowe.

**WILBUR SASSER: Defensive Guard, Junior, 5-10, 235, Goldsboro, N.C.**

A three sport star in high school, he has the size to become a great offensive lineman. Missed the spring game because of an injury but he should be ready in the fall. A twenty pound weight gain should help. He saw reserve action last year as a sophomore, he could be a starter this year.

**DOUG TEMPLE: Offensive Guard, Sophomore, 6-1, 196, Elizabeth City, N.C.**

Doug enjoyed a so-so freshman season but impressed the coaches during spring drills, having gained 15 pounds during the winter. He could play a lot at guard once he gains some experience. As a high schooler, he played in the North-South and made All-East at Pasquotank Central. He is a physical education major and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil G. Temple..

**DUKE CLARKE: Center, Sophomore, 5-11, 200, Greenville, N.C.**

Duke was ineligible last year as a freshman but he waited it out and could possibly be the starting center in the fall. He is strong and has a lot of desire to play football. As a high schooler in Greenville he made All-East and All-State football teams and played in the East-West Shrine game. A geography major who hopes to go into city planning, Duke is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Nixon.

**ALONZO CUSTER: Center, Sophomore, 5-9, 200, Green Cove Springs, Fla.**

Started a couple of games at center last season as a freshman, he had a fair spring practice. He could see action as a sophomore once he gains the experience. He handled some of the placekicking for the freshman and was the kickoff man. He could also be used as a linebacker.

**TERRY EDMONDSON: Center, Junior, 5-11, 187, Fayetteville, N.C.**

Terry started last season as a sophomore. He was a center in high school at Fayetteville and admitted that it was a funny feeling when you are on the football field and have to keep your head between your legs but after playing the position nearly all of his football career he is used to it. During spring practice he concentrated more on his blocking but he thinks because of this his snaps were hurt. A business major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Edmondson.

**DAVID GLOSSON: Linebacker, Sophomore, 5-11, 195, Hampton, Va.**

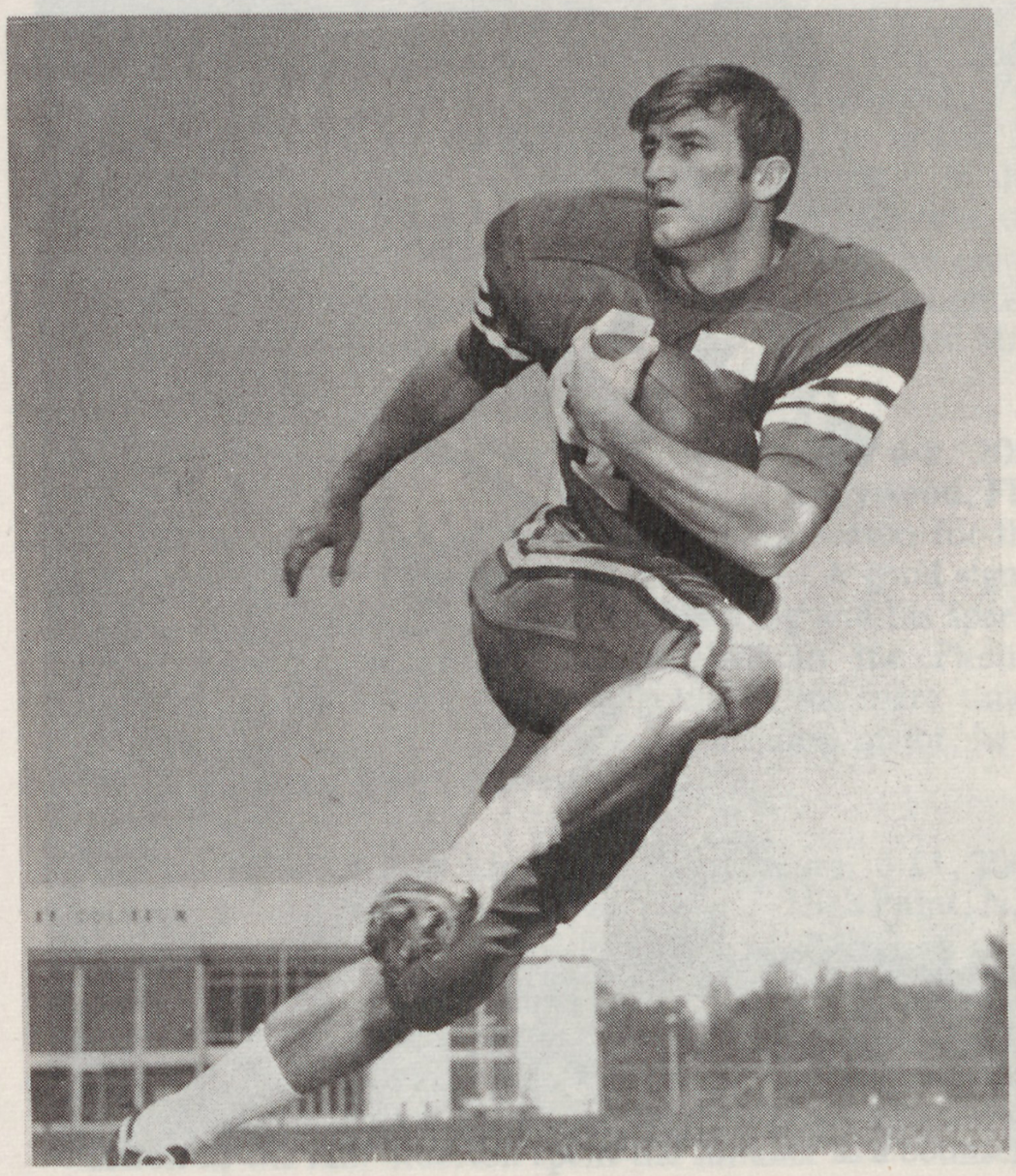
David was a starter at linebacker last season for Coach Bill Cain's Baby Bucs and following a good spring practice, he is expected to see a lot of varsity action this fall. Size is deceiving with David, who appears smaller than he really is, but he hits and plays with the desire of a 240-pounder. With experience he could become a good one. A center in high school he earned All-District, All-Region and All-State honors. Planning to major in psychology, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde W. Glosson.

**GEORGE HENDLEY: Center, Sophomore, 6-2, 180, Ocala, Fla.**

George came out for the freshman football team last year sans grant-in-aid and went on to become Coach Bill Cain's starting center. He has gained 15 pounds and showed marked improvement in the spring. A physical education major he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F.M. Hendley.

**MONTY KIERNAN: Wrecker, Sophomore, 6-2, 200, Irvington, N.Y.**

Gaining 20 pounds since his freshman year, Monty was moved to the new position of monster man after playing defensive end last fall. Big, strong, and fast [5.8 in the 50] he could become a great one for the Pirates with a little varsity experience. A leg injury forced him to miss the spring game but it should be healed in time for fall practice. A seven-letterman in football, track, cross country, and swimming at New York Military Academy, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kiernan.



BILLY WIGHTMAN

**FRANK ADAMS: Offensive Guard, Junior, 5-11, 195, Goldsboro, N.C.**

A blocking back as a freshman, he was switched to the line during the spring of his freshman year. He earned varsity letters in three sports in high school and played in the North-South game. An outstanding scholar, he is a business administration major who plans to study law. His guardians are Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Bridgers.

**EARL BURTON: Offensive Guard, Junior, 5-10, 202, Charlottesville, Va.**

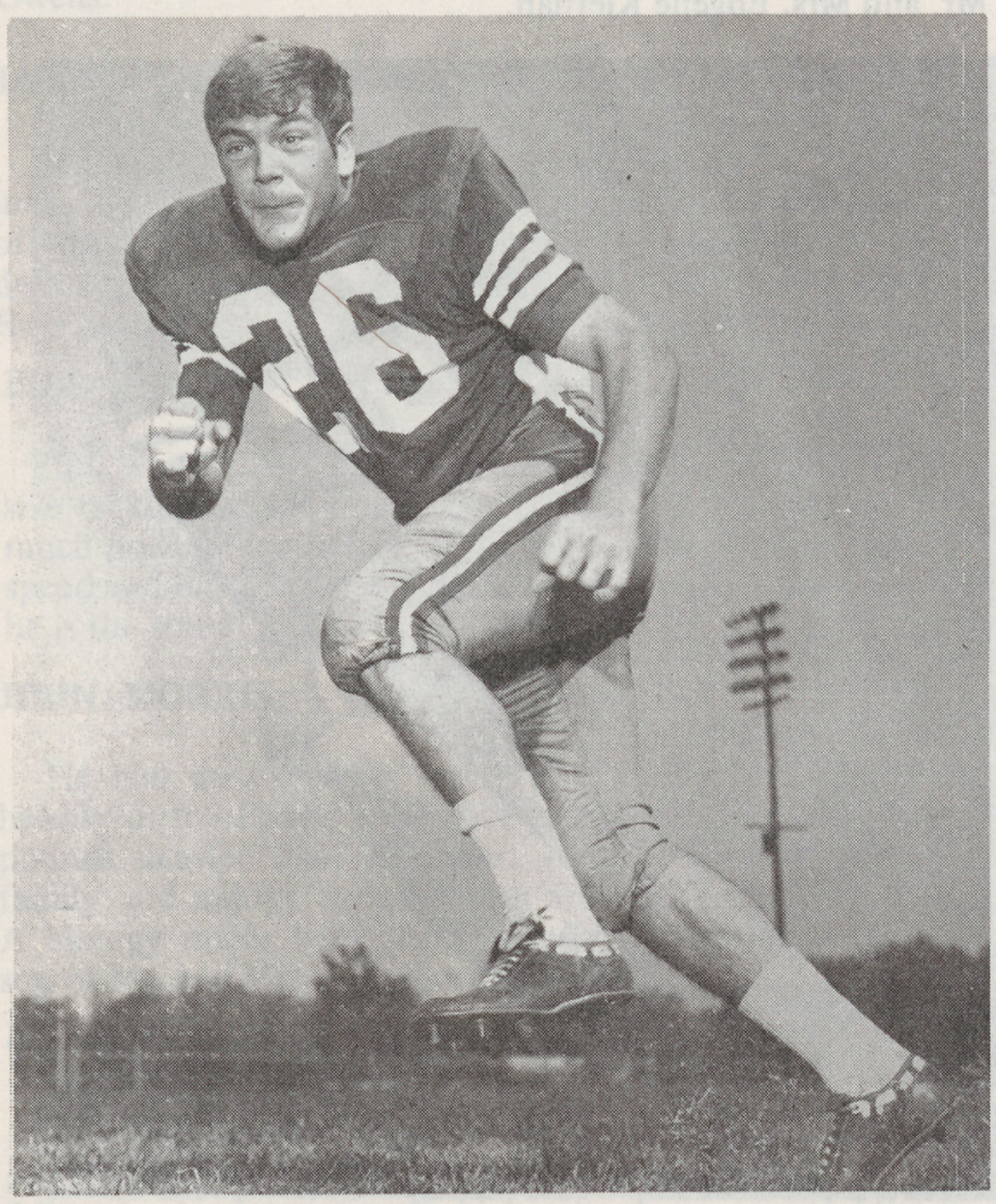
Moved to guard during the spring of freshman year and has been impressive ever since. An offensive back on the freshman team, he was a high school fullback. A hard worker with a fine attitude he could become a starter in 1969. He started four games last season. Last spring he missed several practices because of a pulled hamstring. A business major with a 3.2 grade point average, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Burton.

**DONALD BRITTON: Offensive Guard, Junior, 6-2, 194, Chincoteague, Va.**

A high school quarterback, Butch played at end last year until he shifted to guard at mid-season. Quite an athlete in high school, Butch earned 11 letters in football, basketball, baseball, and track. He will have a lot to do with the picture in the offensive line. He has good speed and is one of the most rugged men on the team. The son of Rev. and Mrs. Raymond L. Britton, he plans to major in either physics or math. He now owns a 3.4 grade point average.

**PAUL CAMPBELL: Offensive Tackle, Soph., 6-2, 205, Mt. Pleasant, N.C.**

A starter on the freshman team last fall, he could start at offensive tackle for the varsity once he gets experience. He played some defensive end for the freshman but was moved to tackle as the season progressed. He has good speed and quickness but needs to work on his blocking. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Campbell.



MIKE BOAZ

BUTCH COLSON

**STEVE DAVIS: Defensive Guard, Junior, 6-2, 223, Raleigh, N.C.**

After having good spring practice, Steve is expected to be one of the Pirates' best defensive linemen. Steve has good speed and quickness and has the size needed to play defensive guard in the new Pirate defensive alignment. Ten pounds heavier this season, Steve should have an excellent year and is a candidate for post-season honors. An excellent athlete in high school, he lettered in football, basketball, and track. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Davis and is a business major.

**JUM GUDGER: Defensive Guard, Junior, 6-1, 225, Cullowhee, N.C.**

He missed last season because of illness but he returns to Pirates in the fall. A blocking back as a sophomore, he was expected to start last season. He was moved to the line last spring and has shown little trouble in adjusting. The son of Jim Gudger, former Western Carolina basketball coach. His father is now athletic director at East Texas State University. He is an active member of the campus chapter of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

**JIM KRIVONAK: Defensive Guard, Soph., 5-9, 197, Richlands, N.C.**

He came for football on his own and impressed the coaching staff with his desire. A two-year letterman in high school, he is a German major who carried a 2.6 grade average through his freshman year. He spent the summer working at Camp Lejeune, where his father is employed in civil service. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Krivonak.

**ALEX [Mole] MONROE: Offensive Guard, Jr., 5-10, 203, Aberdeen, N.C.**

A starting defensive tackle as a freshman, he was moved to offense last season. He needs only to improve on his agility to become a starter. Durable and tough, he played every minute of every game for Aberdeen High his junior and senior years.

**DONALD MOLLENHAUER: Defensive End, 6-2, 200, St. Augustine, Fla.**

After playing linebacker for the freshman team, he was moved to defensive end during spring drills and proved himself quite capable at the position. Don did not play much football his senior year in high school because of an injury, but he was given a chance to play at East Carolina despite the injury. The Floridian plans to major in medical technology with hopes of being an optometrist. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mollenhauer.

**RONALD PEED: Wrecker, Sophomore, 6-3, 210, Hurdle Mills, N.C.**

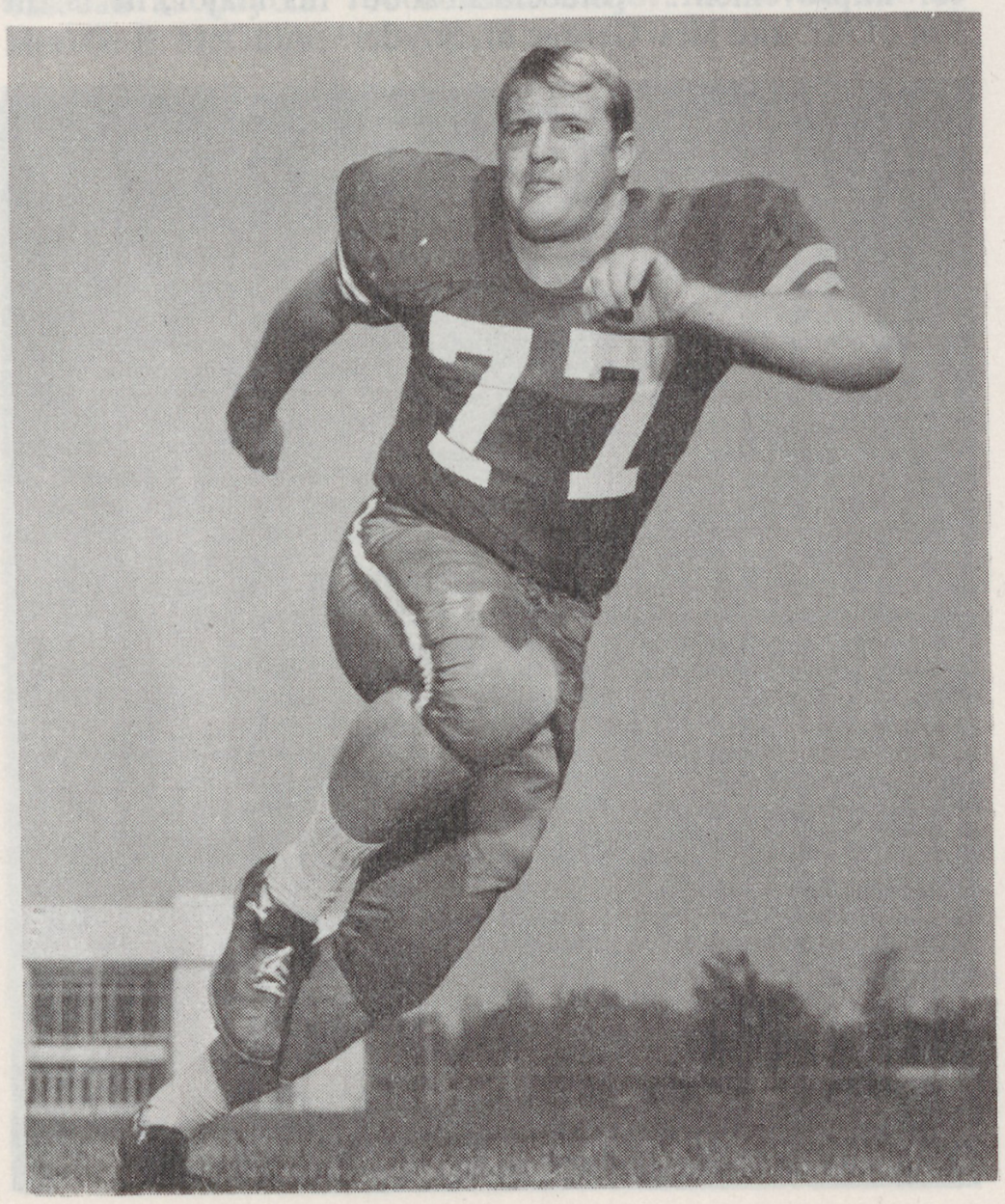
Ronnie alternated at fullback with Billy Wallace on last year's freshman squad but was switched to defense this spring. Big and strong, he could see action at either the new wrecker position or at the linebacker spot. He earned 13 letters in high school in football, basketball, baseball and track and played in the Home Bowl Game in Greenville as a senior. A gain of 20 pounds should help. A physical education major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Simmie Peed.

**WES ROTHROCK: Wrecker, Junior, 6-0, 190, Enfield, N.C.**

Wes played a little bit at every position in the defensive secondary last fall. He started the season listed as a rover but was moved to linebacker. This season he has moved to the wrecker position and should see a lot of action. A brother Sammy, is on a football scholarship at Wake Forest. Wes gained All-East and All-Conference honors while in high school. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H.W. Rothrock and is majoring in physical education.

**PAUL WEATHERSBEE: Linebacker, Senior, 6-0, 200, Norwood, N.C.**

A starter at linebacker last season, he had a good spring practice and is expected to start at the position again this season. A brother, Stan, was on all-conference end for Appalachain State and is now in the coaching ranks. The youngest of five children, Paul was married this past summer. A psychology major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Weathersbee.



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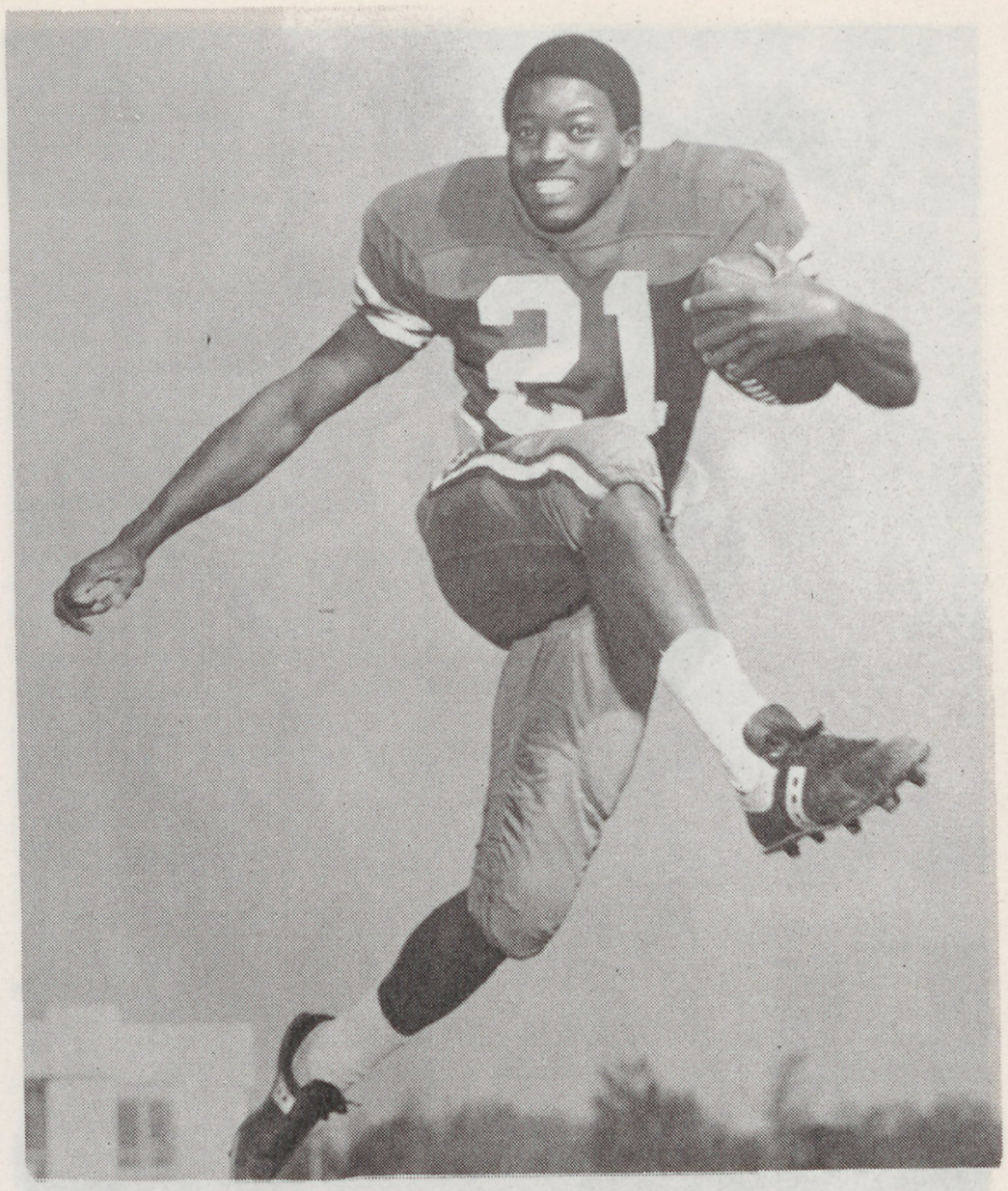


GEORGE WHITLEY

**PETE WOOLLEY: Linebacker, Sophomore, 5-10, 197, River Vale, N.J.**

A tailback on the freshman team a year ago, Pete was switched to linebacker in the spring and has adapted well to his new position. An offensive player most of his football days, Pete did play some defensive halfback in high school. He is quick to admit he is pleased with his change to linebacker. Possessing excellent speed and size he should see action once he gains experience. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Woolley.

**DAVID BRILL: Blocking Back, Junior, 5-9, 200, Woodstock, Va.**

Dave came on to start the final half of the season at blocking back. Dubbed Spanky by his teammates in the spring, he is an excellent blocker but needs to improve on speed. He enjoys fishing, hunting, and playing the piano in his spare time. Married and the father of a daughter, Dave is a philosophy major. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brill.

**ROBERT GUIDO: Blocking Back, Sophomore, 6-2, 205, Hollywood, Fla.**

Bob was the blocking back most of the season for the freshmen last fall and did an adequate job. A good signal caller, he needs to improve on his blocking and his speed. His father played professional baseball in the Phillies organization as a shortstop. A golfer in his spare time, Guido usually shoots in the 70's. A business major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Guido.

**TIM ILDERTON: Blocking Back, Sophomore, 5-11, 200, High Point, N.C.**

Tim called the signals for the Purple in the spring game and did an excellent job in the 20-19 upset. A former guard, he was switched to blocking back and had no trouble making the transition. A good leader, Tim possesses adequate speed and is a good blocker. He should see a lot of action in the fall. Ilderton spent the summer as a counselor in a YMCA camp in the North Carolina mountains. A business major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T.C. Ilderton.

PHIL BILODEAU

**MIKE BOAZ: Halfback, Senior, 5-10, 176, Fairmont, N.C.**

Mike has been a defensive starter for two seasons and is expected to start again in the fall. Ten pounds heavier than last season, the extra weight should help him. Mike missed the East Tennessee game last season after breaking his collarbone in the Citadel game. As a sophomore he started at the rover position. Although he was satisfied with his spring practice, he was very dissatisfied with his performance in the spring game. A physical education major, he is the son of Mrs. Paul Boaz.

**TOMMY BULLOCK: Halfback, Senior, 5-10, 180, Raleigh, N.C.**

A two-year starter at defensive halfback, Tommy is slated for a starting halfback position again in the fall. In addition to his defensive duties, he also returns punts and kickoffs and set a kickoff return record last season. A sprinter on the track team in high school, he made all-conference in two sports. He prepped at Carolina Military Academy where he was named outstanding defensive back before coming to East Carolina. A geography major, he is the son of Mrs. Henry Bullock.

**RICHARD ELLIOTT: Halfback, Sophomore, 5-11, 170, Knoxville, Tenn.**

A tailback on last year's freshman team, he was moved to defensive halfback during the spring. Including his reserve tailback duties last season he also handled the punting chores for the Baby Bucs. Although he was on the freshman baseball team, he still participated in spring practice. A business major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elliott.

**STU GARRETT: Safety, Senior, 5-11, 160, Newport News, Va.**

Started at safety last fall and he is expected to be there again in the fall. Missed spring practice last year because of baseball. He was an All-State football player in high school, where he earned nine letters in three sports. A physical education major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Garrett.

**DENNIS HEWSTON: Defensive Halfback, Jr., 5-10, 185, McKeesport, Pa.**

A blocking back as a freshman, he was moved to defense during the spring of that year. An aggressive back, he likes to hit people and he could see a lot of action in 1969. A geography major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hewston.

**CHUCK MCCLINTOCK: Rover, Sophomore, 6-1, 190, Burlington, N.C.**

A starter at defensive halfback last season on the freshman team, Chuck passed up spring football practice because of baseball. Had an excellent season last year. He possesses all the qualities needed to become a top flight defensive back.

**MIKE MILLS: Safety, Junior, 6-0, 185, Statesville, N.C.**

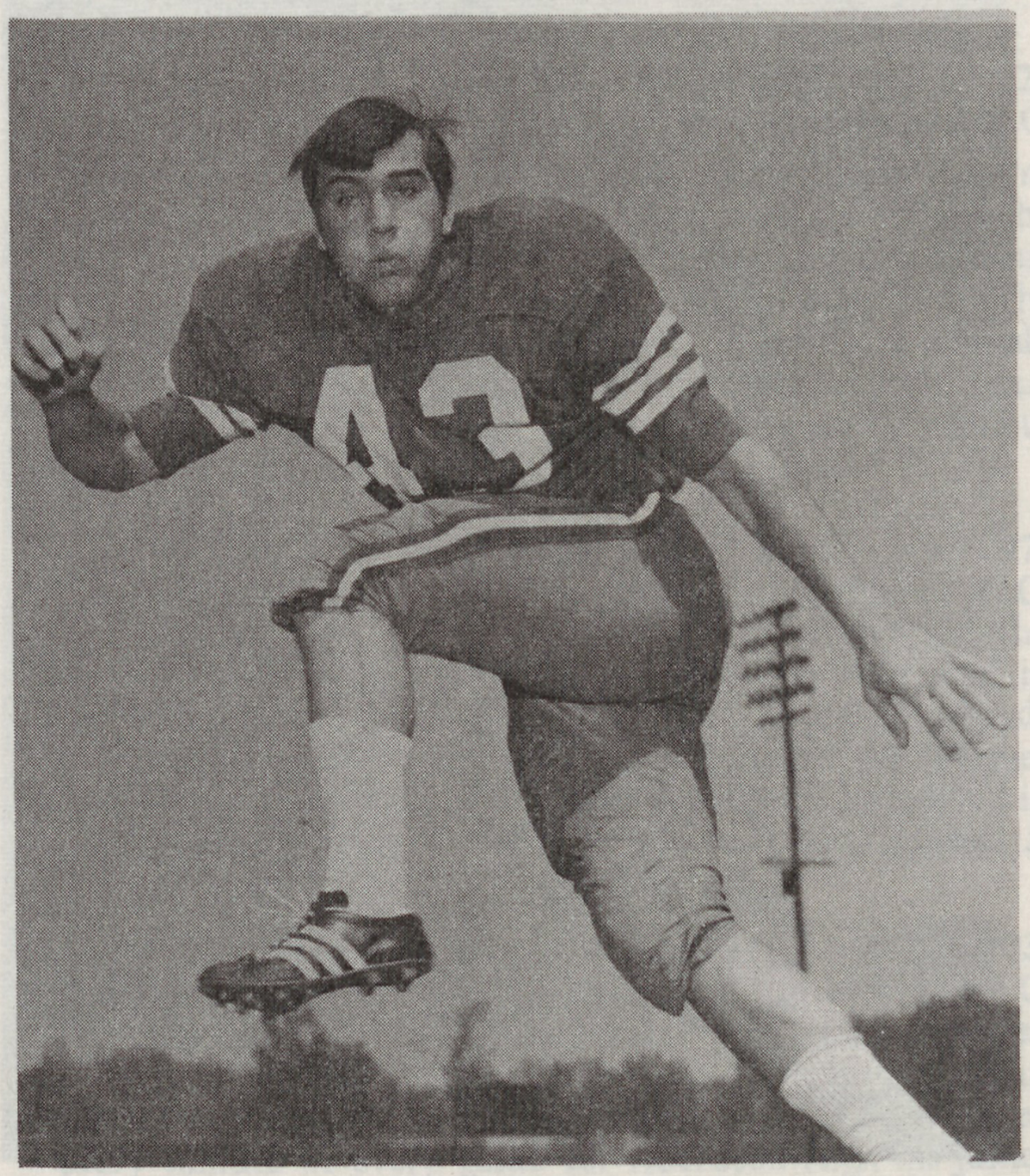
Has the ability to play either offense or defense but he will concentrate primarily on defense in the fall. He saw reserve action at tailback last season. Mike thought he had a good spring practice but was not pleased with his performance in the spring game. A business major interested in going into either insurance or banking, he enjoys hunting and fishing. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mills, Jr.

**RUSSELL SCALES: Rover, Sophomore, 5-8, 183, Little Falls, N.J.**

Ineligible because of transfer last season, Rusty could see a lot of action this fall. In high school he earned All-County and All-Area recognition in football while earning three letters. He also lettered twice in track. A physical education major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Scales.

**GEORGE SNYDER: Safety, Sophomore, 6-0, 173, Mount Airy, N.C.**

A tailback on the freshman team a year ago, he was moved to defense in the spring. Ten pounds heavier than last season, he should gain a little strength to go along with his excellent speed. George was not too pleased with his performance during the spring and he noticed a lot of room for improvement. Undecided about his major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Snyder.



MIKE MILLS

**MATT WALKER: Halfback, Sophomore, 6-2, 170, Rockingham, N.C.**

A knee operation forced Matt to miss spring drills but the spirited sophomore will be ready to play in the fall. He started at defensive half for the freshman last season and did an excellent job. Besides playing football, he is also on the Pirate baseball roster as an outfielder. Seven letterman in high school and two years the best defensive back on his high school team, Matt had an older brother play freshman football at North Carolina. A business major he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Walker.

**GEORGE WHITLEY: Defensive Halfback, Jr., 5-10, 170, Huntersville, N.C.**

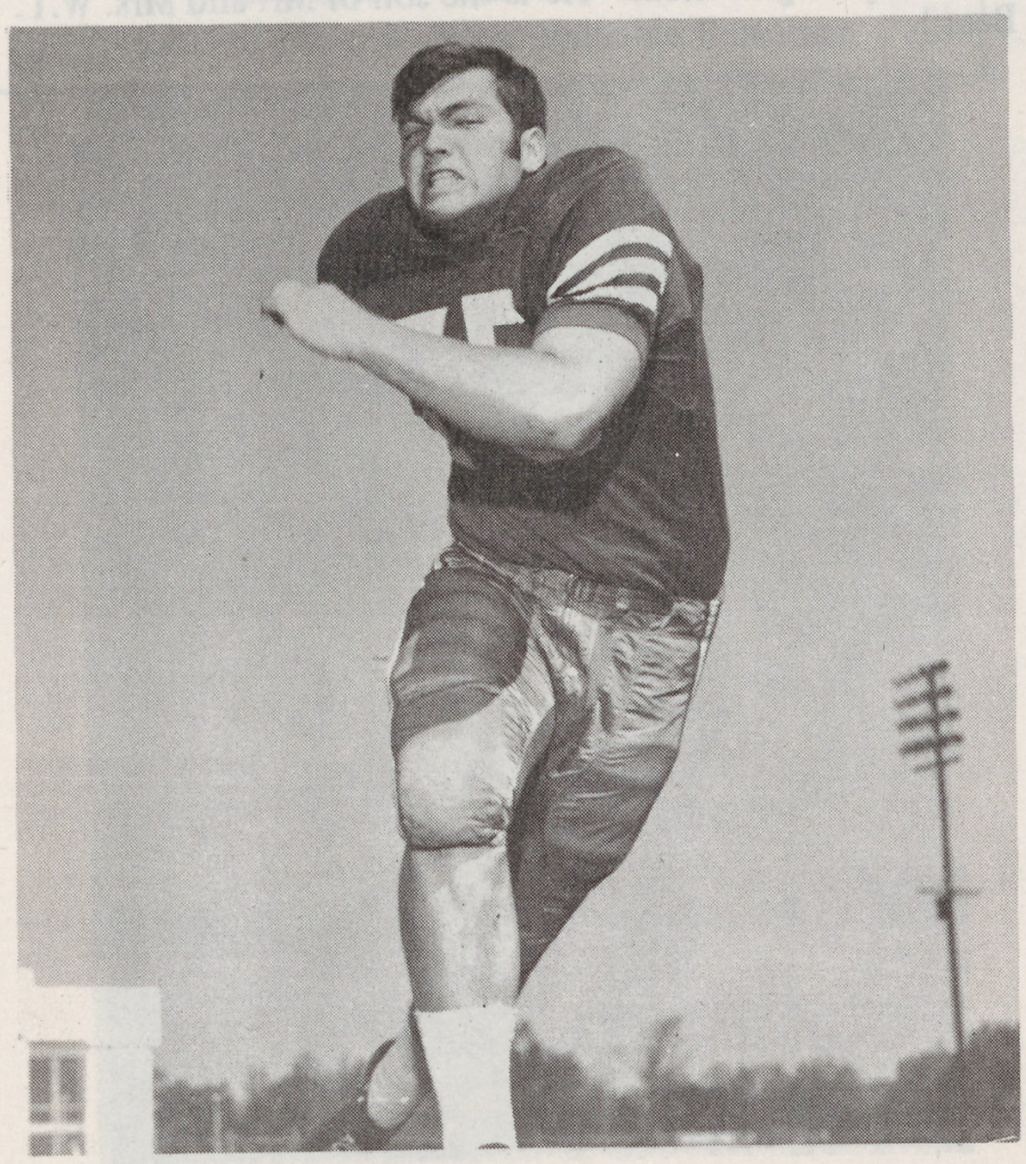
George will likely see action both offensively and defensively for the Pirates this fall as well as returning punts and kickoffs. Strictly a defensive halfback last season, George was switched to wingback in the spring and had an outstanding game offensively. George should be in the running for a starting position on either the offensive or defensive teams for the Pirates this season. A math major, he is the son of Mrs. Odessa Staton.

**GERALD WRENN: Halfback, Junior, 6-0, 178, Danville, Va.**

Last season Jerry didn't know whether or not he played football for East Carolina. A mistake in the printing of last year's brochure dubbed him Steve and that was the name he carried all last season until finally getting things straightened out in the spring. He had a fine spring and should see a lot of action in the fall. He enjoyed helping the Purple upset the Gold in the spring game and also handled the the punting duties. He plans to major in either geography or physical education and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G.H. Wrenn.

**MIKE MCGUIRK: Fullback, Senior, 6-1, 195, Arlington, Va.**

Mike was the starting wingback as a freshman but did not play at all his sophomore year. He came back last season and got the starting call in the opening games last season. A strong runner, he is also an excellent blocker. His late father captained the football team and played baseball at Loyola. A business major, he is the son of Mrs. G. E. McGuirk.



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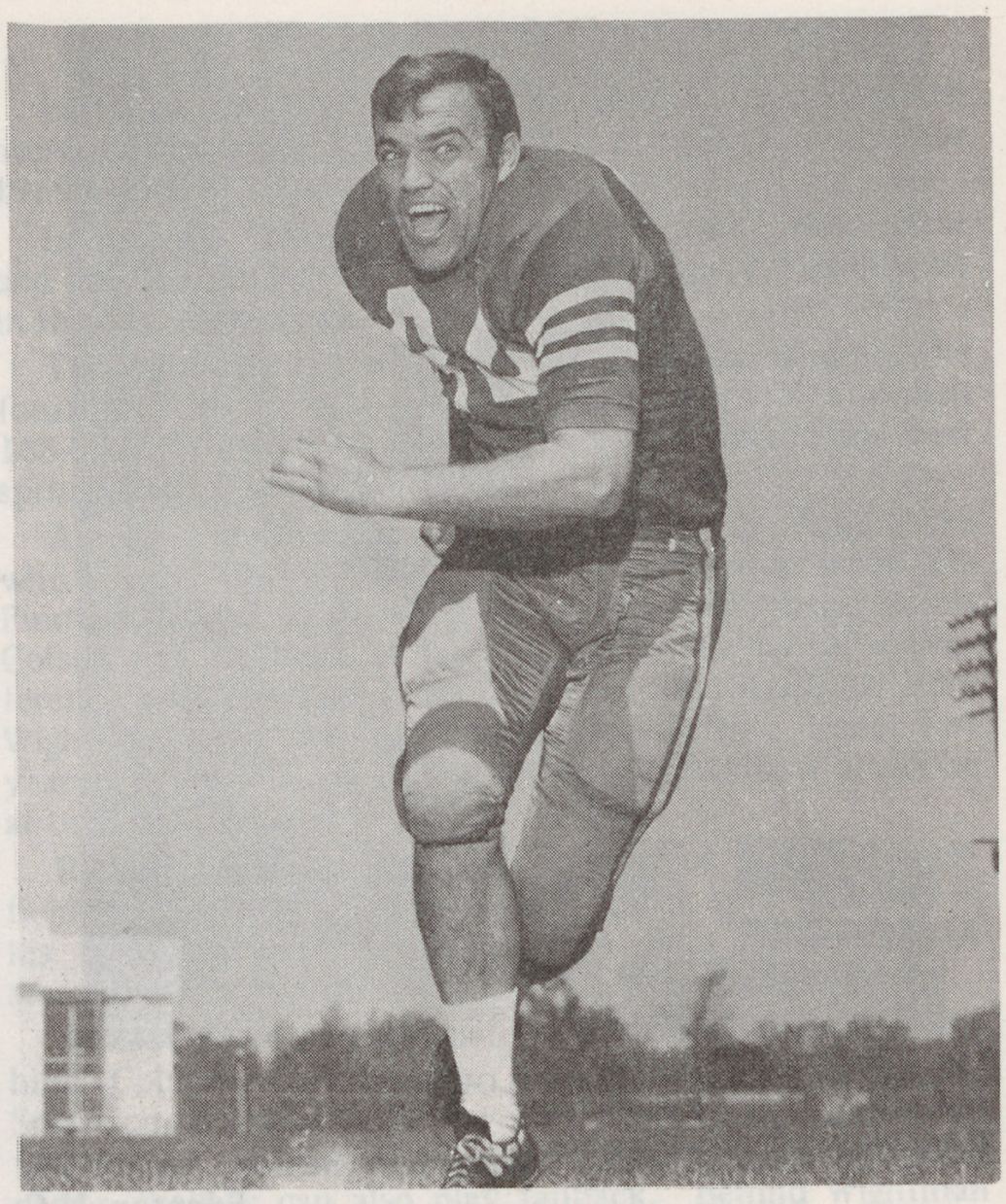


DANNY WILMER

**BUTCH COLSON: Fullback, Senior, 5-10, 205, Elizabeth City, N.C.**

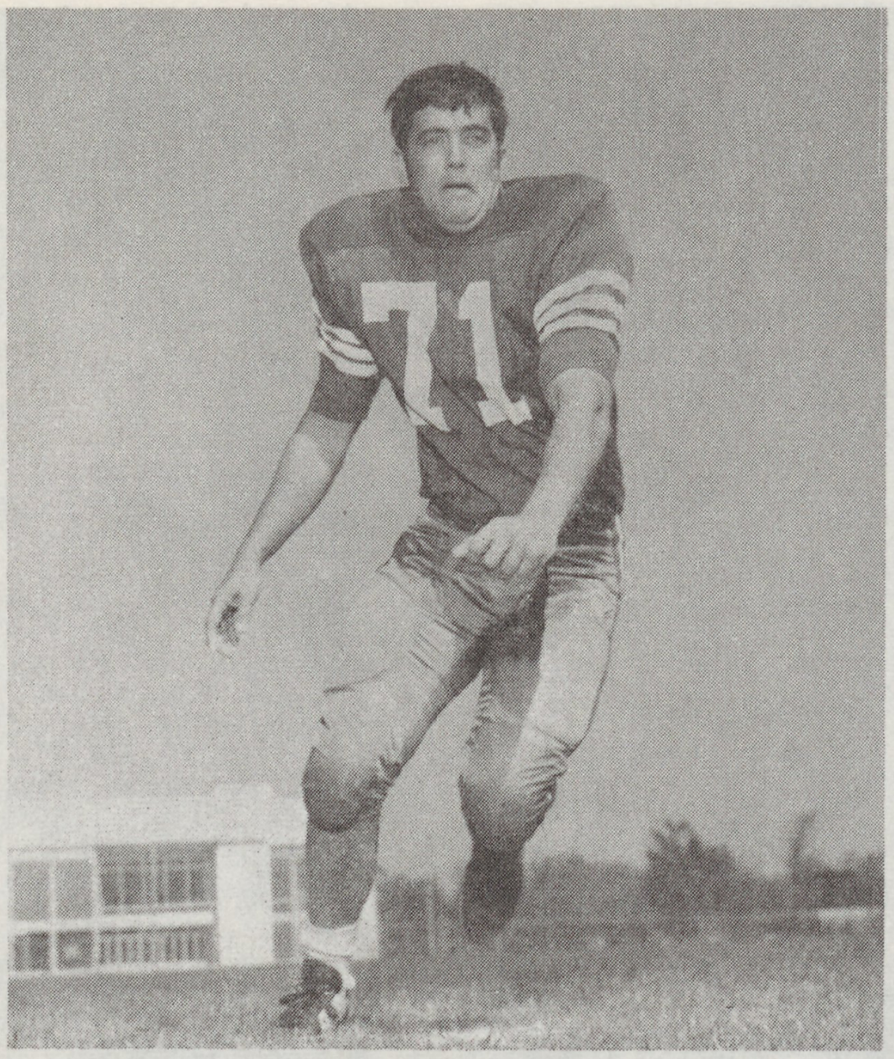
Colson set a Southern Conference rushing record as a sophomore and was named the conference's athlete of the year. Last season he was plagued by a pre-season injury and did not go full speed until after midyear. Still he needs less than 300 yards this season to set an all-time East Carolina rushing record. Butch had a fair spring practice. He improved tremendously on his blocking; and if he can stay healthy, he could re-write the conference record books. He was just recently married in the summer, and he is the son of Mr. W. H. Colson.

**BILL WALLACE: Fullback, Sophomore, 6-0, 200, Edenton, N.C.**

Billy had an excellent freshman season and showed much promise during spring drills. He had a good spring game and was a key player in the Purple's 20-19 upset win. An excellent passer, he is expected to see duty at tailback as well as fullback. During the winter, he gained 20 pounds and cut his speed a little but not enough to tell. A good blocker, he is also a hard runner with excellent balance. In high school he played in the North-South All-Star game and was also a member of the Class 2-A All-State team. A physical education major, he is the son of Mrs. Hettie Wallace.

**RICHARD CORRADA: Offensive End, Junior, 6-0, 175, Richmond, Va.**

Starting wingback on last year's squad, he was moved off offensive end in the spring even though he missed the spring drills because of baseball. Started at shortstop for the past two seasons on the baseball team and played semi-pro baseball last summer in the Basin League in South Dakota. An end in high school, his new position should not require much adjustment. Possesses good speed and has an unusual desire to excel.



JAMIE LOUIS

**DWIGHT FLANAGAN: Wingback, Senior, 5-10, 170, Edenton, N.C.**

One of the quickest backs on the team, Dwight was a defensive starter at the beginning of last season but suffered a knee injury in the Pirates' opening win over Parsons and sat out the remainder of the season. But, the knee is well now and Dwight will begin in the fall as the number one wingback. While in high school, he earned 15 letters in football, basketball, baseball, and track. A physical education major who plans to enter the coaching field, Dwight is also a part-time disc jockey at an Edenton radio station owned by his father. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Flanagan.

**WILLIAM MITCHELL: Wingback, Sophomore, 5-10, 180, Fayetteville, N.C.**

William was an outstanding performer on last year's freshman team and should see a lot of action for the varsity this fall. An excellent pass receiver, he also possesses outstanding speed and quickness. An accomplished broken field runner, he caught three passes in the spring game for 81 yards and 1 touchdown. He also completed a pass for 27 yards and returned two punts for 45 yards. William plans to major in physical education and enter coaching. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arister Mitchell.

**BOB WUNSCH: Defensive Halfback, Soph., 5-11, 175, Raleigh, N.C.**

He missed the spring game because of a knee injury and operation but he should be ready in the fall. Saw reserve action last year as a freshman but he impressed the coaches with his desire and play early in spring drills. He made All-Conference and All-East teams in high school and played in the East-West game in Greensboro. An All-Conference baseball player his senior year, he was named Wake County 2-A Player of the Year. A business major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Wunsch.

**JOHN BROTHERS: Tailback, Sophomore, 6-0, 190, Rockingham, N.C.**

Brothers had the same problem as Patterson during last year's freshman season, injuring a knee and missing the campaign. But, the knee is well now and John should see action this fall from the tailback position. The son of a former professional baseball player, he is a fair passer and a fine runner. A business major, he is the son of Mrs. A. R. Brothers.

**JACK PATTERSON: Tailback, Sophomore, 6-1, 180, Jacksonville, Fla.**

Jack injured a knee last year as a freshman and missed play, but he made his presence known during the spring drills and should see plenty of action this fall. A quarterback in high school, Patterson was shifted to tailback last year before his injury, and he admits he likes the position more. Jack was instrumental in leading the Purple to an upset victory over the Gold in the spring game. A physical education major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Patterson.

**BILLY WIGHTMAN: Tailback, Senior, 5-10, 175, Graham, N.C.**

After an early-season injury, Billy became the starting tailback at mid-season last year and did an outstanding job. Fifteen pounds heavier this year, he should not be as easy to knock down. He possesses outstanding speed and is a good passer. An excellent open field runner, he is also the punter. He already holds many of the East Carolina punting records set last season. An older brother played football at Elon. Billy married just last summer and is a physical education major. He was forced to miss half of spring practice because of a tonsilectomy but still had a good spring game. He is the son of Mrs. Catherine Wightman.

**MELVYN "FROSTY" AUSTIN: Rover, Jr., 5-11, 180, Charlotte, N.C.**

A defensive halfback and safety last year, Frosty was moved to rover in the fall. Quick and fast, he should see a lot of action this fall. A eight letterman in high school he attended Staunton Military Academy before coming to East Carolina. A business major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Austin.

**BILLY BEARD: Rover, Junior, 6-0, 175, Kannapolis, N.C.**

Billy saw a lot of action in the defensive secondary last fall but he is expected to nail down the starting position at rover this year. One of the fastest linemen on the team, he is also regarded as one of the better tacklers on the defensive team. Still needs a little work on pass coverage. All-Conference player as a junior and senior in high school, he is majoring in math. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Beard.

TOM PULLEY

**EARL CLARY: Specialist, Junior, 5-8, 160, Emporia, Va.**

A transfer from Ferrum Junior College, Earl will take over the Pirate kicking duties in the fall. An excellent placement kicker, he is fairly accurate inside 40 yards. He earned nine letters in football, basketball and baseball in high school. A physical education major, he is the son of Mrs. C. M. Clary.

**RICHARD PEELER: Offensive Tackle, Junior, 6-3, 225, Ashburn, Va.**

Richard, a transfer from Gardner-Webb Junior College, figures heavily in the Pirate attack this fall. Big and strong, he is capable of playing either offense or defense, but will play primarily offense for the Pirates. A starter both years at Gardner-Webb, he could start for the Pirates after he learns the single-wing system. An industrial arts major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Van B. Peeler.

**TONY MAGLIONE: Offensive End, Junior, 6-2, 210, Stirling, N. J.**

Tony transferred to East Carolina from Chowan College where he was a starter for two years. Big and strong, he is capable of playing both offense and defense for the Pirates. An offensive end at Chowan, he is expected to play the same position for East Carolina. A physical education major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommaso Maglione.

**STU LANEY: Offensive Guard, Senior, 6-1, 200, Wilmington, N.C.**

A top reserve last fall for the Pirates, Stu could likely become a starter this season. Big and strong, he also possesses good speed for a lineman. Stu also is quick and agile for his size and is versatile enough to play either guard or tackle.

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Worth Springs – Outstanding Blocker Award

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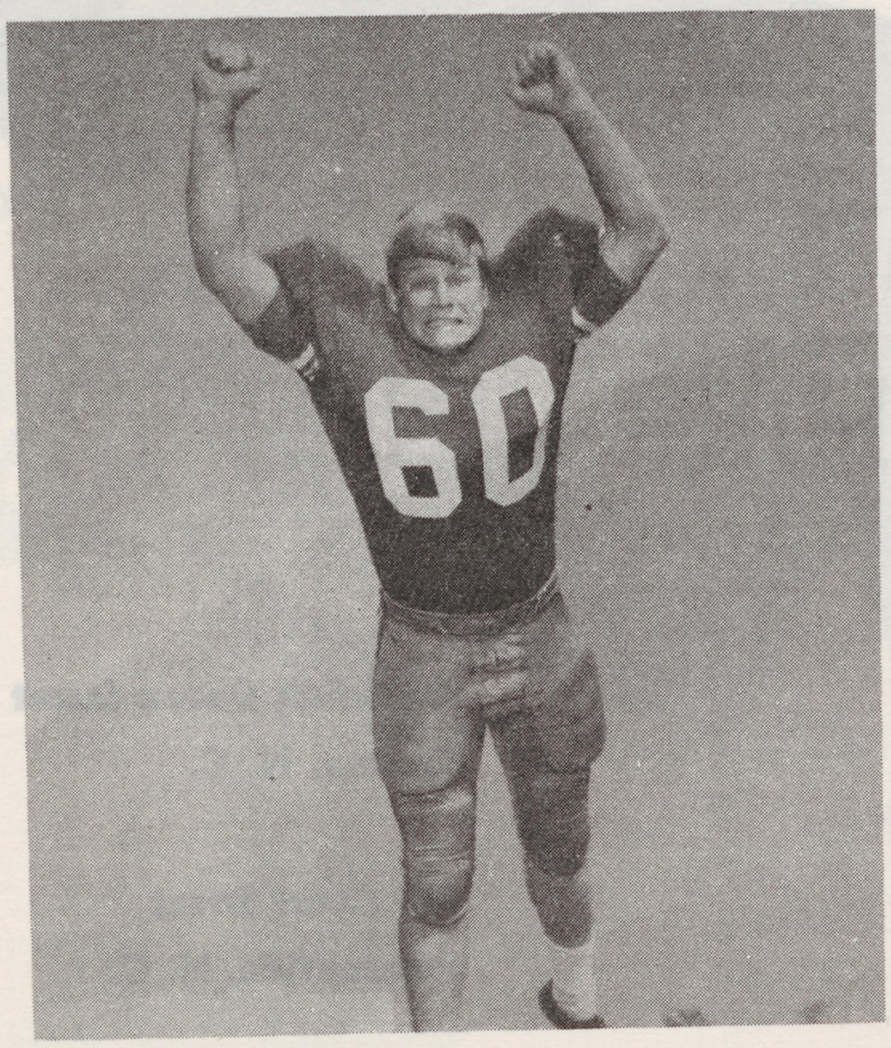

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## 1969 OUTLOOK

East Carolina's single wing chef, Coach Clarence Stasavich hopes he has cooked up a full course meal of trouble for 1969's gridiron opponents.

Ingredients include 27 lettermen for the main course and the garnishments include the best group of sophomores in the past eight years.

The optimism is well-founded. Stasavich, who has the fourth best record among active coaches in the nation with 168-57-8, likewise enjoyed what he considered his best spring practice since coming to East Carolina.

Among the 27 lettermen returning are the four backs who started during the last half of last season when the Pirates chalked up three of four wins. Fullback Butch Colson will be back at his old post where he set a conference rushing record as a sophomore. Tailback Billy Wightman, who was the team's total offense leader last year and junior David Brill at blocking back likewise will be at their old jobs.

Richard Corrada, the fourth member of the 1968 backfield will likewise start, but he'll be the split end and in his place will be Dwight Flanagan, who missed all last season with an injury.

A key factor in the offensive backfield is depth. Behind Colson is sophomore Bill Wallace, considered by Stasavich as potentially the best back he has had since taking over the Pirates. An excellent runner, blocker and passer, Wallace can also play tailback. Behind Wightman are Jack Patterson, an outstanding passer who is short on running ability and John Brothers, a good runner but only a fair passer. Flanagan's back-up is William Mitchell, who possesses exceptional speed, while Tim Ilderton, who guided the sophomore-studded Purple to a 20-19 win in the spring game, is a talented and capable relief man for Brill and blocking back.

The offensive line posed the biggest question mark at the close of spring practice. It's possible that as many as five sophomores will hold forth there.

Another possibility is that George Wheeler, a two-year letterman on defense, will move to offense to give added strength. A 230-pounder, Wheeler has frequently been used in the past two seasons in short, tough-yardage situations.

The defense has size, experience and depth. All four backfield starters are back and the front five, if Wheeler doesn't move, will be made up of players who started most of last year.

Defensively, the Pirates will have a new look. The Pirates ditched their old six-one in the spring and came up with a five-man front, two linebackers and a rover.. There will also be a few new wrinkles in the offense.

A consensus pick for third in the Southern Conference behind Richmond and The Citadel, the Pirates face their toughest schedule in history.

**1968 RESULTS**

**Scores**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| East Carolina | 37 | Parsons | 7 |
| East Carolina | 0 | William & Mary | 14 |
| East Carolina | 7 | Louisiana Tech | 35 |
| East Carolina | 0 | Southern Mississippi | 65 |
| East Carolina | 7 | Richmond | 31 |
| East Carolina | 24 | Furman | 13 |
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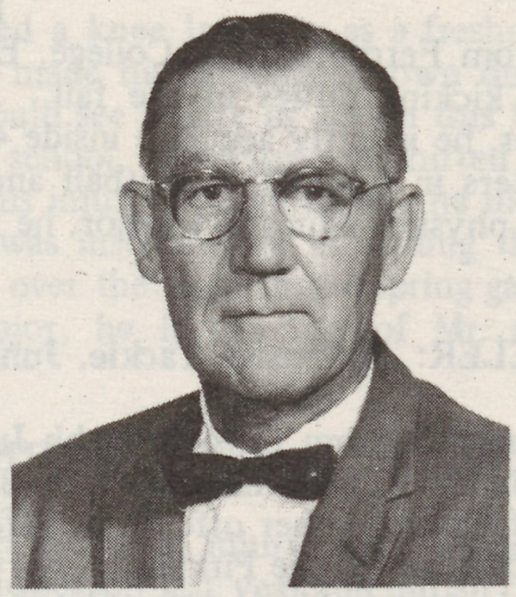

## DR. N. M. JORGENSEN

Much of the early growth of East Carolina University's athletic program came under the guiding hand of Dr. N. M. Jorgensen.

Dr. Jorgensen served as athletic director at East Carolina for 16 years, relinquishing the post in 1963 to devote his full time to the also rapidly-expanding physical education department.

A native of Rigby, Idaho, Dr. Jorgensen attended Utah State where he received his M.A. degree. He earned his Ph.D. at the University of Iowa.

Married to the former Martha Green, they are the parents of seven children: Larry, Lynn, Layne, Mark, Mark, Karen, Janice and Eva.

Layne, who is an East Carolina graduate and Southern Conference sprint record holder in swimming, is coach of the Louisiana State swimming team.

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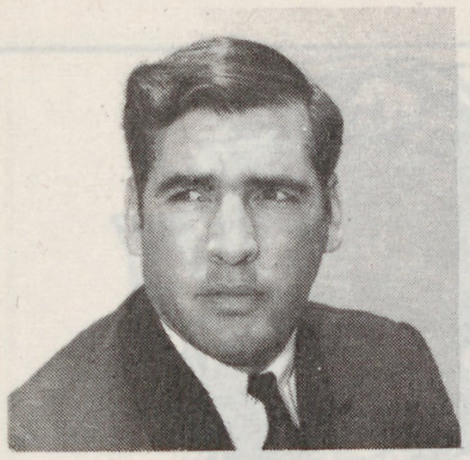

Bill Cain, former captain of the East Carolina football team, begins his second season as head freshman football coach this year.

Cain came to East Carolina after a successful tenure at Albemarle High, which also was the last stopping place for defensive backfield coach Bob Gantt before he joined the Pirate staff.

Cain greeted some 52 young men on scholarship and a freshman team some 75 strong. This squad is generally considered equal to the best ever recruited at East Carolina.

In his first season last year, Cain's Baby Bucs finished the year with a 2-3 record after opening wins over Davidson and North Carolina State behind the play of Billy Wallace, William Mitchell, John Hollingsworth, Fred Harris and Monty Kiernan.

# 1969 FRESHMAN FOOTBALL

| NAME | HT. | WT. | POS. | HOMETOWN |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bebo Batts | 6-0 | 175 | E | Williamston, N. C. |
| Fred Benevento | 5-10 | 180 | B | Arlington, Va. |
| Jimmy Brown | 6-6 | 160 | B | Stoneville, N. C. |
| David Callahan | 6-1 | 185 | L | Cheverly, Md. |
| Steve Cardano | 6-1 | 220 | L | Cheverly, Md. |
| Jim Creech | 6-0 | 195 | L | Wilmington, N.C. |
| Bill Croisetiere | 6-0 | 205 | B | Alexandria, Va. |
| Tommy Cooper | 6-4 | 195 | E | Hendersonville, N. C. |
| Tim Dameron | 6-0 | 180 | B | Burlington, N. C. |
| Tim Daniels | 5-10 | 175 | B | Wanchese, N. C. |
| Ronnie Douthit | 6-2 | 200 | E | Winston-Salem, N. C. |
| Larry East | 6-3 | 200 | L | Elizabeth City, N. C. |
| Eddie Elliott | 6-0 | 215 | L | Pilot Mt., N. C. |
| James Ellis | 6-2 | 220 | L | Laurinburg, N. C. |
| Mike Erwin | 6-2 | 180 | E | Edenton, N. C. |
| Rick Frederick | 5-9 | 171 | B | Goldsboro, N. C. |
| Cris Gallahan | 6-1 | 195 | L | Alexandria, Va. |
| David Gibson | 6-0 | 235 | L | Stedman, N. C. |
| Mark Hamilton | 5-10 | 180 | B | Englewood, Colorado |
| Terry Herald | 6-3 | 232 | L | Belle, West Va. |
| Dave Huffman | 5-11 | 190 | B | Jacksonville, N. C. |
| Randy Hughes | 6-0 | 190 | B | Tarboro, N. C. |
| Brent Isley | 6-3 | 170 | B | Burlington, N. C. |
| Robert Jackson | 5-11 | 175 | B | Jacksonville, Fla. |
| Bob Johnson | 6-6 | 205 | L | Charlotte, N. C. |
| Terry Johnson | 6-3 | 205 | L | Graham, N. C. |
| Terry Kelly | 5-11 | 175 | B | High Point, N. C. |
| Ron Konrady | 6-1 | 195 | B | Egg Harbor, N. J. |
| Mike Kovacevic | 6-5 | 190 | E | Philadelphia, Pa. |
| Russell Lee | 6-3 | 220 | L | Wilmington, N. C. |
| Bob Lindley | 6-2 | 220 | L | Huntersville, N. C. |
| J. R. Lineberry | 6-4 | 198 | L | Buena Vista, Va. |
| George Langdon | 6-2 | 205 | L | Smithfield, N. C. |
| James Lowder | 6-0 | 200 | L | Hickory, N. C. |
| Bob Manuel | 6-2 | 185 | B | Robbinsville, N. C. |
| Ronnie Miller | 5-10 | 175 | B | Thomasville, N. C. |
| Jim Miles | 5-11 | 180 | B | Thomasville, N. C. |
| David McGee | 6-0 | 195 | B | Charlotte, N. C. |
| Joe Norris | 6-4 | 210 | L | Rockville, Md. |
| Rick Page | 6-1 | 190 | B | Winston-Salem, N. C. |
| Dick Paddock | 6-2 | 186 | B | Allison Park, Pa. |
| Bill Rogers | 6-3 | 195 | L | Huntersville, N. C. |
| Ron Reynolds | 6-3 | 195 | B | Greensboro, N. C. |
| David Sanderson | 5-10 | 183 | B | Del Ray Beach, Fla. |
| Bert Showfety | 5-9 | 180 | B | Hickory, N. C. |
| Floyd Soeder | 6-0 | 170 | B | Charlotte, N. C. |
| Horace Stone | 5-11 | 235 | L | Lumberton, N. C. |
| Leslie Strayhorn | 5-10 | 185 | B | Trenton, N. C. |
| Frank Sutton | 5-11 | 200 | L | Kinston, N. C. |
| Jim Taylor | 5-10 | 172 | B | Hillsborough, N. C. |
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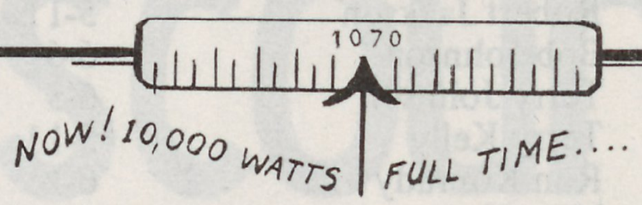


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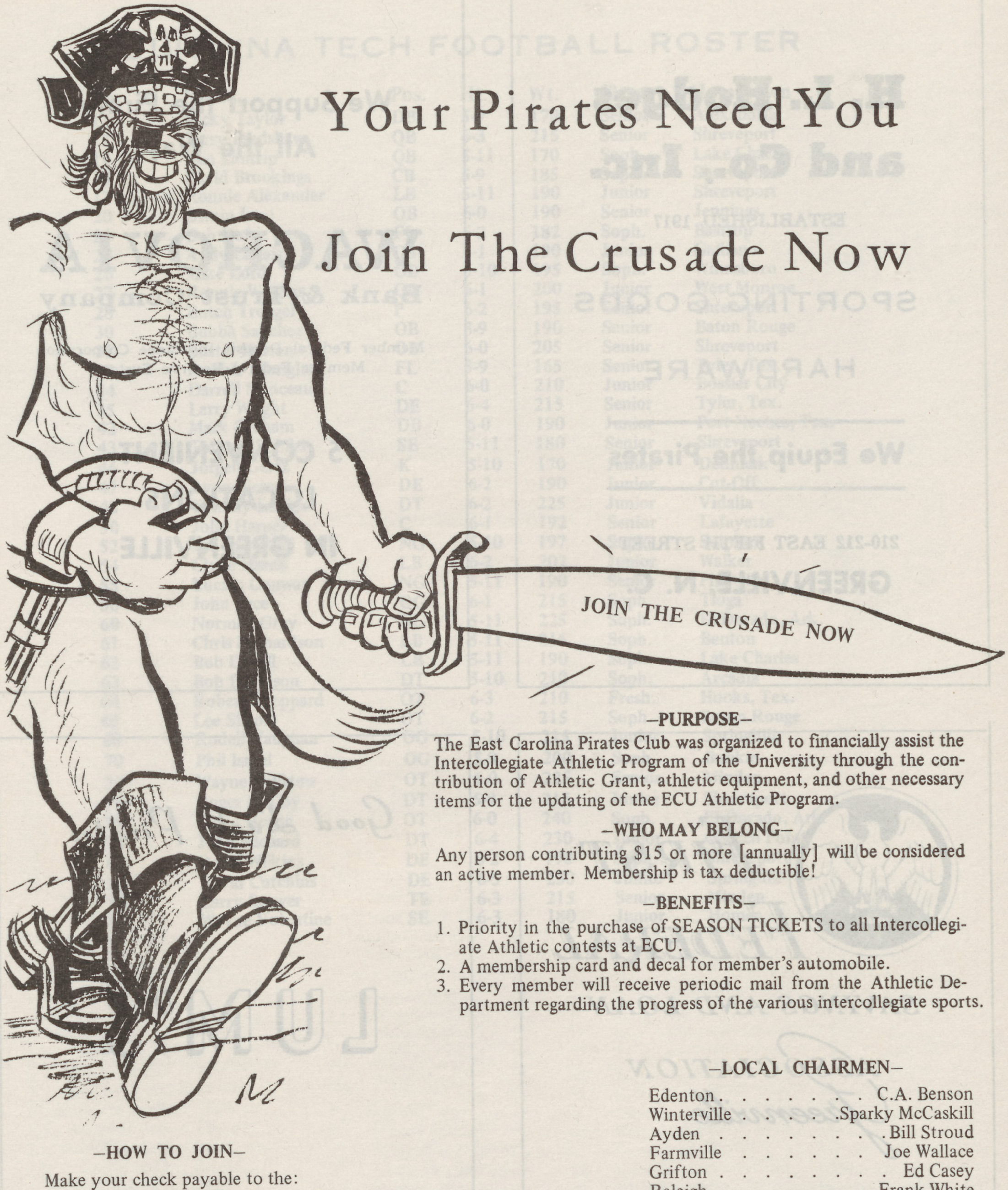


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| 15 | David Brookings | CB | 5-9 | 185 | Soph. | Shreveport |
| 17 | Ronnie Alexander | LB | 5-11 | 190 | Junior | Shreveport |
| 20 | Dwain Istre | OB | 6-0 | 190 | Senior | Jennings |
| 21 | Bob Defee | FL | 6-2 | 182 | Soph. | Bastrop |
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| 32 | Robbie Albright | FL | 5-9 | 165 | Senior | Tyler, Tex. |
| 34 | Darrell Manceaux | C | 6-0 | 210 | Junior | Bossier City |
| 35 | Larry Wright | DE | 6-4 | 215 | Senior | Tyler, Tex. |
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| 43 | Tommy Spinks | SE | 5-11 | 180 | Senior | Shreveport |
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| 78 | John Richard | DT | 6-4 | 230 | Junior | Church Point |
| 83 | David Wilkins | DE | 6-2 | 190 | Soph. | Shreveport |
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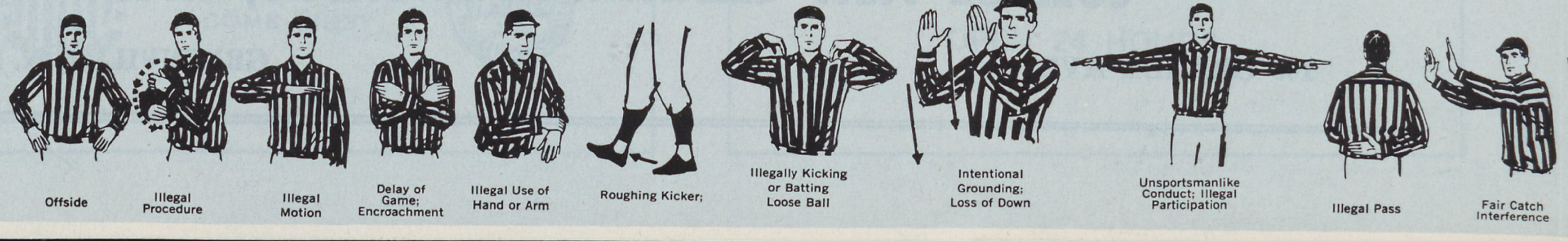

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| RT | – 72 | Wayne Williams | 64 | Robert Sheppard |
| TE | – 87 | Larry Brewer | 80 | John Adams |
| QB | – 12 | Terry Bradshaw | 14 | Ken Lantrip |
| TB | – 30 | Walton Sanchez | 20 | Dwayne Istre |
| FL | – 32 | Robbie Albright | 21 | Bob Defee |
| FB | – 31 | Cecil Herren | 26 | Mike Lord |
| SP | – 28 | Clarence Troegel - Punter | | |
| SP | – 46 | Jorgen Gertz – Place Kicker | | |

### DEFENSE - [2 deep]

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| LE | – 86 | David Cutchins | 35 | Larry Wright |
| LT | – 78 | John Richard | 63 | Bob Davidson |
| S | – 17 | Ronnie Alexander | 61 | Chris Richardson |
| NG | – 55 | Lucian Conway | 60 | Norman Gray |
| Q | – 54 | Clyde Harris | 62 | Bob Devall |
| RT | – 74 | Roger McCoy | 66 | Mike Sumter |
| RE | – 47 | Lynn Piercw | 83 | David Wilkins |
| LC | – 27 | Ronnie Wiggins | 15 | David Brookings |
| LS | – 42 | Mark Graham | 25 | Troy Prestridge |
| RS | – 11 | Ricky Taylor | 13 | Robert Carter |
| RC | – 23 | Andrew Callais | 36 | Darryl Kendrick |

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|---|---|---|---|
| 10 | John Piazza | 49 | John Causey |
| 11 | Ricky Taylor | 50 | John Harper |
| 12 | Terry Bradshaw | 51 | Ed Kirby |
| 14 | Ken Lantrip | 52 | Joe Campbell |
| 15 | David Brookings | 54 | Clyde Harris |
| 16 | Bobby Bernard | 55 | Lucian Conway |
| 17 | Ronnie Alexander | 56 | John Pace |
| 20 | Dwain Istre | 60 | Norman Gray |
| 21 | Bob Defee | 61 | Chris Richardson |
| 23 | Andy Callais | 62 | Bob Devall |
| 24 | Pat Gaddy | 63 | Bob Davidson |
| 22 | Frank Walker | 64 | Robert Sheppard |
| 25 | Troy Prestridge | 65 | Lee Sisson |
| 26 | Mike Lord | 66 | Mike Sumter |
| 27 | Ronnie Wiggins | 67 | Don Freeman |
| 28 | Butch Troegel | 68 | Rudell Vaughan |
| 30 | Bubba Sanchez | 69 | Wayne Smith |
| 31 | Buster Herren | 70 | Phil Israel |
| 32 | Robbie Albright | 71 | Lewis Frost |
| 33 | James Green | 72 | Wayne Williams |
| 34 | Darrell Manceaux | 73 | Butch Hightower |
| 35 | Larry Wright | 74 | Roger McCoy |
| 36 | Darryl Kendrick | 75 | David Horne |
| 37 | Richard Hester | 77 | Jim Carson |
| 38 | Angelo Deniakos | 78 | John Richard |
| 39 | Robert Carter | 79 | Carl Ragus |
| 41 | Rodney Reeves | 81 | Doug Dopson |
| 42 | Mark Graham | 82 | Mike Kramer |
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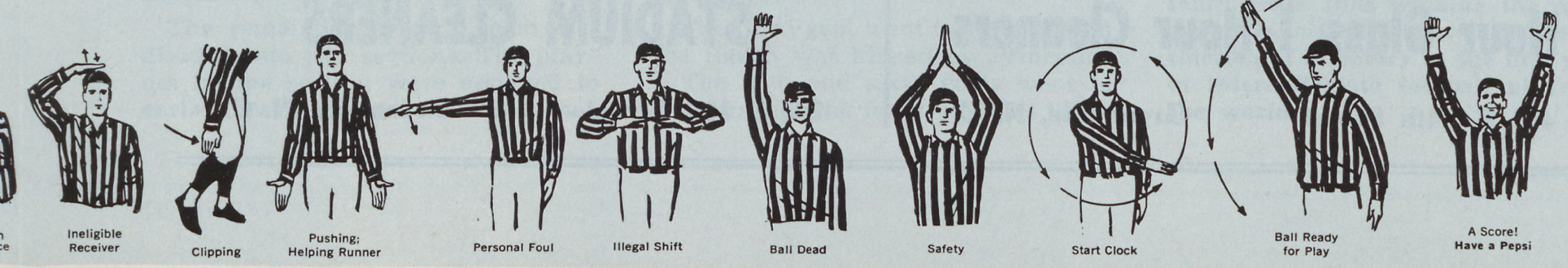

# EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY FOOTBAL ROSTER

| No. | Name | Class | Age | Ht. | Wt. | Hometown |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 10 | Earl Clary | Junior | 20 | 5-7 | 165 | Emporia, Va. |
| 11 | Tim Ilderton | Soph. | 19 | 5-11 | 196 | High Point, N.C. |
| 12 | Lawson Brown | Soph. | 18 | 5-10 | 173 | Lexington, N.C. |
| 15 | Pete Wooley | Soph. | 19 | 5-10 | 197 | River Vale, N.Y. |
| 17 | David Brill | Junior | 21 | 5-9 | 198 | Woodstock, Va. |
| 20 | George Whitley | Junior | 20 | 5-11 | 175 | Huntersville, N.C. |
| 21 | William Mitchell | Soph. | 19 | 5-10 | 176 | Fayetteville, N.C. |
| 23 | Dwight Flanagan | Junior | 22 | 5-10 | 175 | Edenton, N.C. |
| 24 | Rusty Scales | Soph. | 19 | 5-8 | 181 | River Vale, N.Y. |
| 25 | Tommy Bullock | Senior | 21 | 5-11 | 178 | Raleigh, N.C. |
| 26 | Mike Boaz | Senior | 21 | 5-10 | 175 | Fairmont, N.C. |
| 28 | Matt Walker | Junior | 19 | 6-0 | 165 | Rockingham, N.C. |
| 31 | Mike McGuirk | Senior | 20 | 6-1 | 183 | Arlington, Va. |
| 32 | Wes Rothrock | Junior | 20 | 6-0 | 184 | Enfield, N.C. |
| 33 | Bill Wallace | Soph. | 19 | 6-0 | 198 | Edenton, N.C. |
| 34 | Butch Colson | Senior | 21 | 5-10 | 205 | Elizabeth City, N.C. |
| 35 | Monty Kiernon | Soph. | 19 | 6-2 | 197 | Irvington, N.Y. |
| 37 | Chuck McClintock | Soph. | 19 | 6-1 | 190 | Burlington, N.C. |
| 41 | Stu Garrett | Senior | 21 | 5-11 | 160 | Newport News, Va. |
| 43 | Mike Mills | Junior | 21 | 5-9 | 180 | Statesville, N.C. |
| 44 | Jack Patterson | Soph. | 19 | 6-1 | 180 | Jacksonville, Fla. |
| 45 | Bill Wightman | Senior | 21 | 5-11 | 171 | Burlington, N.C. |
| 46 | Richard Corrada | Junior | 20 | 6-0 | 175 | Richmond, Va. |
| 47 | John Brothers | Soph. | 19 | 6-0 | 194 | Rockingham, N.C. |
| 51 | Paul Weathersbee | Senior | 22 | 6-0 | 201 | Norwood, N.C. |
| 55 | Terry Edmondson | Junior | 20 | 5-11 | 185 | Fayetteville, N.C. |
| 56 | Richard Peeler | Junior | 20 | 6-2 | 231 | Ashburn, Va. |
| 57 | David Glosson | Soph. | 19 | 5-10 | 199 | Hampton, Va. |
| 58 | Duke Clarke | Soph. | 19 | 5-11 | 200 | Greenville, N.C. |
| 60 | Paul Campbell | Soph. | 19 | 6-2 | 208 | Mt. Pleasant, N.C. |
| 61 | Ted Salmon | Soph. | 19 | 6-2 | 202 | Richmond, Va. |
| 62 | Grover Truslow | Soph. | 19 | 6-4 | 227 | Lumberton, N.C. |
| 63 | Ronnie Peed | Soph. | 19 | 6-3 | 202 | Hurdle Mills, N.C. |
| 64 | Roger Bost | Senior | 21 | 6-1 | 205 | Statesville, N.C. |
| 65 | John Rowe | Soph. | 19 | 6-0 | 196 | Southern Pines, N.C. |
| 66 | Butch Britton | Junior | 20 | 6-1 | 200 | Chincoteague, Va. |
| 67 | Wilbur Sasser | Junior | 20 | 5-10 | 235 | Goldsboro, N.C. |
| 68 | Phil Bilodeau | Senior | 21 | 6-2 | 209 | Manchester, N.H. |
| 69 | John Hollenbach | Soph. | 19 | 6-2 | 201 | Virginia Beach, Va. |
| 70 | Worth Springs | Senior | 22 | 5-10 | 204 | Charlotte, N.C. |
| 71 | Jamie Louis | Senior | 21 | 5-10 | 195 | Blacksburg, Va. |
| 72 | John Hollingsworth | Soph. | 19 | 6-1 | 199 | Fayetteville, N.C. |
| 73 | Jim Gudger | Junior | 21 | 6-1 | 225 | Cullowhee, N.C. |
| 74 | Garland Ballard | Soph. | 19 | 5-11 | 248 | New Bern, N.C. |
| 75 | Tim Tyler | Junior | 20 | 6-1 | 252 | Alexandria, Va. |
| 76 | Charles McCaskill | Soph. | 19 | 6-1 | 209 | Asheboro, N.C. |
| 77 | George Wheeler | Senior | 21 | 6-0 | 233 | Buena Vista, Va. |
| 78 | Steve Davis | Junior | 19 | 6-1 | 223 | Raleigh, N.C. |
| 79 | Walter Adams | Junior | 20 | 6-0 | 231 | Deptford, N.J. |
| 80 | Mike Aldridge | Soph. | 19 | 6-0 | 176 | Greenville, N.C. |
| 82 | Tony Maglione | Junior | 20 | 6-1 | 207 | Sterling, N.J. |
| 83 | Bob Hileman | Soph. | 19 | 6-4 | 210 | Alexandria, Va. |
| 84 | Danny Wilmer | Senior | 21 | 6-2 | 227 | Buena Vista, Va. |
| 85 | Fred Harris | Soph. | 19 | 6-0 | 194 | Matthews, N.C. |
| 86 | Charles Swanner | Junior | 21 | 6-1 | 208 | Edenton, N.C. |
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# The First Intercollegiate Game

by JOHN W. HERBERT, Rutgers '72

*(The following article was written in 1933 for the Associated Press by the late John W. Herbert, Rutgers 1872, prominent New York corporation lawyer, who was a member of the Rutgers "25" which defeated Princeton in the 1869 contest.)*

THE FIRST intercollegiate game of football, not only in the United States but in the world, was played on November 6, 1869, at New Brunswick between Rutgers College and Princeton University. I had the proud distinction of having participated in that game on the Rutgers team.

The challenge for the game was issued by Rutgers to Princeton. In the preliminary arrangements it was agreed that there should be twenty-five players on each side and that three games should be played, the side winning the first six goals in the game to be declared the winner of that game.

### Had No Uniforms

The game was called at 3 o'clock and started with a free kickoff from the tee, the same as now. It was played on the commons (where the Rutgers gymnasium now stands). On the arrival of the players, a few minutes before the game was called, they laid aside their hats, coats and vests. Neither team was in uniform, although some Rutgers players wore scarlet stocking-caps.

**The players lined up on each side, the organization of the twenty-five being the same on both sides. Two men were selected by each team to play immediately in front of the opponent's goal and were known as captains of the enemy's goal.**

The remainder of each team was divided into two sections. The players in one section were assigned to certain tracts of the field which they were to cover and not to leave. They were known as "fielders." The other section was detailed to follow the ball up and down the field. These latter players were called "bulldogs."

The toss of the coin for advantage gave Princeton the ball and Rutgers the wind. Amid a hush of expectancy among the spectators Princeton bucked or kicked the ball, but the kick was bad and the ball glanced to one side. Parke H. Davis, in his "Football, the American Intercollegiate Game," then describes the game as follows:

### Rutgers Scores!

"The light, agile Rutgers men pounced upon it like hounds and by driving it by short kicks and dribbles, the other players surrounding the ball and not permitting a Princeton man to get near it, quickly and craftily forced it down to Old Nassau's goal, where the captains of the enemy's goal were waiting and these two latter sent the ball between the posts amid great applause.

"The first goal had been scored in five minutes of play. During the intermission, Captain Gummere instructed Michael (the late Jacob E. Michael, Princeton '71, who was to become Dean of the Faculty at the University of Maryland), a young giant of the Princeton 25, to break up Rutgers massing around the ball. Sides were changed and Rutgers 'bucked'.

**"In this period the game was fiercely contested. Time and time again Michael or "Big Mike," charged into Rutgers' primitive mass play and scattered the players like a burst bundle of sticks. On one of these plays Princeton obtained the ball and by a long accurate kick scored the second goal."**

The third goal went to Rutgers and the fourth was kicked by Princeton.

The fifth and sixth goals went to Rutgers, but the feature of this latter period of play in the memory of the players after the lapse of many years is awarded to "Big Mike" and Large, (The late State Senator George H. Large of Flemington, a Rutgers player). Someone, by a random kick, had driven the ball to one side, where it rolled against the fence and stopped. Large led the pursuit for the ball, closely followed by Michael. They reached the fence, on which the students were perched, and unable to check their momentum, in a tremendous impact struck the fence which gave way with a crash and over went its load of yelling students to the ground.

Every college probably has the humorous tradition of some player who has scored against his own team. This tradition at Rutgers dated from this first game, for one of her players, whose identity is unknown, in the sixth period started to kick the ball between his own goal posts. The kick was blocked, but Princeton took advantage of the opportunity and soon made the goal. This turn of the game apparently disorganized Rutgers, for Princeton also scored the next goal after a few minutes of play, thus bringing the total up to four all.

### Strategy!

At this stage Rutgers resorted to that use of craft which has never failed to turn the tide of every close battle. Captain Leggett has noticed that Princeton obtained a great advantage from the taller stature of their men, which enabled them to reach above the others and bat the ball in the air in some advantageous direction.

**Rutgers was ordered to keep the ball close to the ground. Following this stratagem the Rutgers men determinedly kicked the ninth and tenth goals, thus winning the match six goals to four and with it the distinction of a victory in the first game of intercollegiate football played in the world.**

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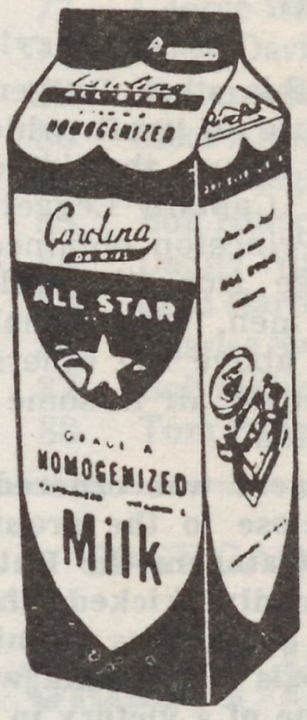


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Offside (Infraction of scrimmage or free kick formation)

Illegal Procedure or Position

Loss of Down

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Clipping

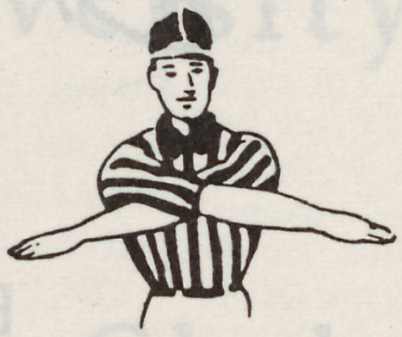
Roughing the Kicker

Illegal Motion

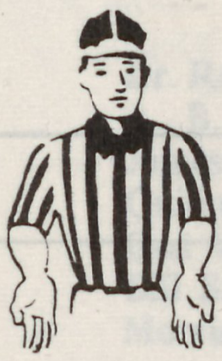
Illegal Shift

Ineligible Receiver Down Field on Pass

Ball Illegally Touched, Kicked, or Batted



Incomplete Forward Pass, Penalty Declined, No Play, or No Score



Helping the Runner, or Interlocked Interference

Ball Dead; If Hand is Moved from Side to Side: Touchback

Touchdown or Field Goal

Safety

Time out; Referee's Discretionary or Excess Time Out followed with tapping hands on chest.

Illegal use of Hands and Arms

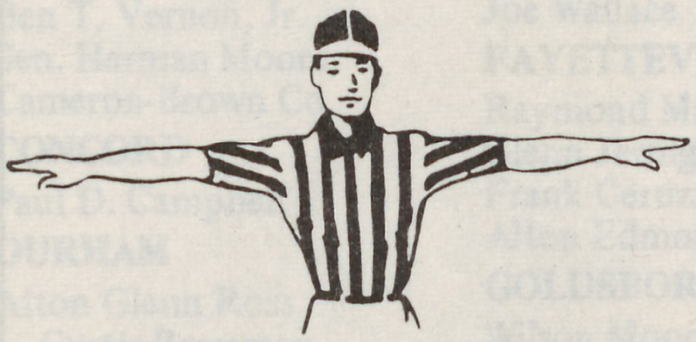
Illegally Passing or Handling Ball Forward

Forward Pass or Kick Catching Interference

Start the Clock

First Down

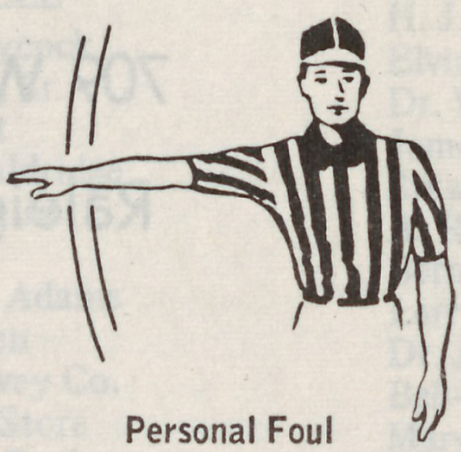
Player Disqualified



Non-contact Fouls

Delay of Game

Ball Ready for Play



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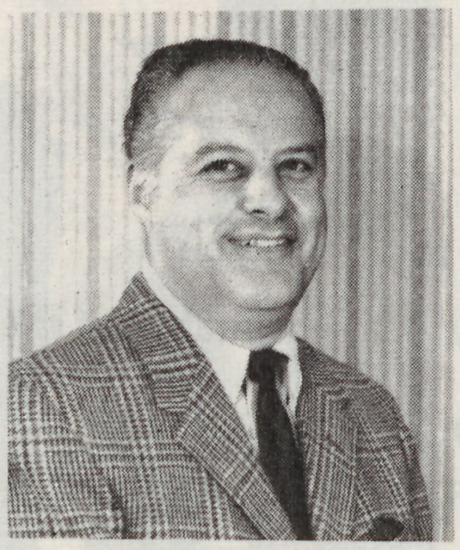

Jim Woods, "The Voice of the Pirates," begins his third year with East Carolina's athletic teams when he takes to the road with the football squad in September.

Woods, whose straightforward reporting and colorful descriptions have been going out over the airways for some 15 years, is one of the most respected men in the business.

He has had experience with play-by-play in basketball, boxing, stock car racing and baseball, as well as football and is the regular sports voice of WNCT-TV and WNCT-Radio in Greenville.

A fan of just about every aspect of the sporting world, Jim's keen insight into the situation at hand gives Pirate Network listeners a graphic picture of the action.

Prior to coming to Greenville, he was in Elizabeth City, with station WGAI, and during that stint he was twice named Tarheel Sportscaster of the Year by the Associated Press.

He is married to the former Barbara Sullivan of Greenville and they are proud parents of three sons, Jim, Gary, and Danny.

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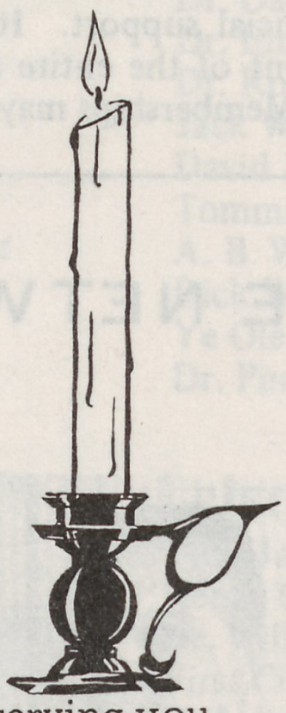

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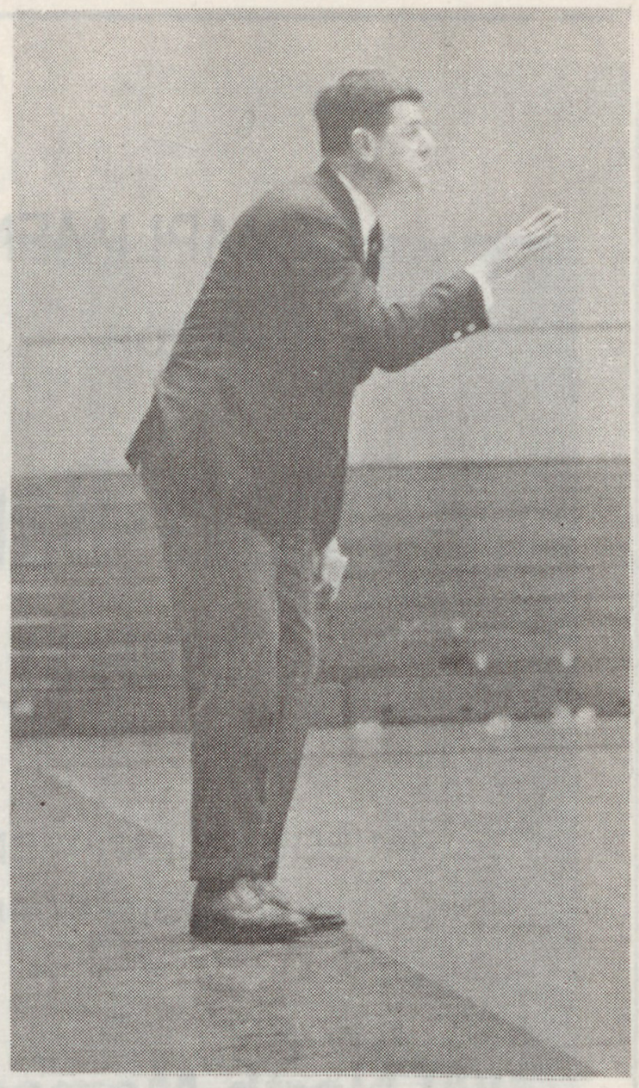
Before the season is 10 days old the Pirates will play a team that likely will be ranked No. 1 in the nation, the gamboling Gamecocks of Frank McGuire from the University of South Carolina.

Besides the usual round of Southern Conference competition, the Pirates also get a crack at Davidson, league champion last year and fifth ranked nationally, as well as Wake Forest, Duke and N. C. State, three of South Carolina's Atlantic Coast Conference sidekicks.

Despite the rugged Schedule he has lined up for himself, Coach Quinn can look at the prospects with a certain amount of optimism.

Returning are three of the better players in the Conference last year, seniors Jim Modlin and Tom Miller and Junior Jim Gregory. Modlin, who attained maturity at mid-season last year, and Gregory, potentially the greatest player in the school's history, give the Pirates two outstanding big men. Miller, the team's playmaker for two years, is also a candidate for postseason honors.



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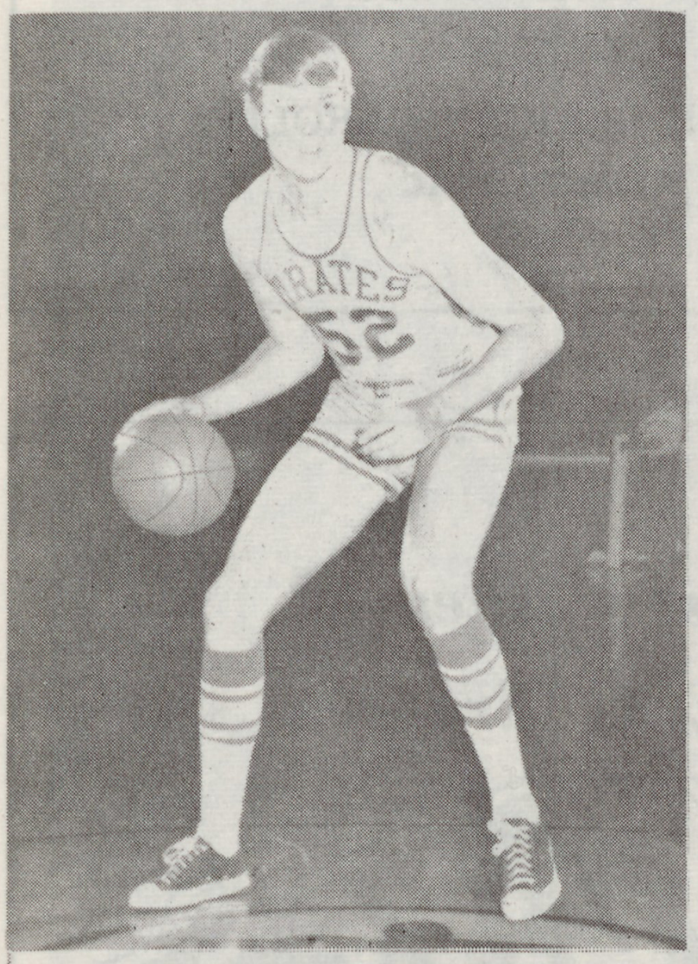

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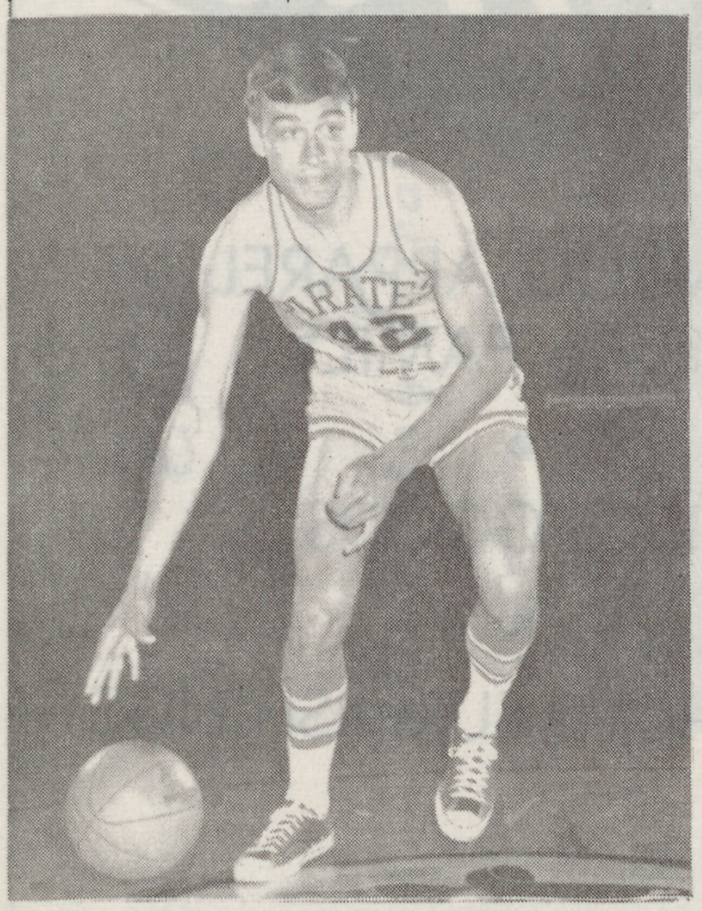

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## 1969-70 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

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| December | 1 | Western Carolina | Home |
| December | 3 | Roanoke College | Home |
| December | 6 | Atlantic Christian | Home |
| December | 10 | South Carolina | Home |
| December | 13 | Richmond | Away |
| December | 15 | Duke | Away |
| December | 17 | Wake Forest | Away |
| December | 26-27 | Sunshine Classic | Tampa, Fla. |
| January | 1 | Georgia Southern | Home |
| January | 2 | George Washington | Away |
| January | 6 | Furman | Home |
| January | 10 | Virginia Military Institute | Home |
| January | 13 | Davidson | Away |
| January | 15 | North Carolina State | Away |
| January | 21 | Belmont Abbey | Home |
| January | 24 | East Tennessee | Away |
| January | 29 | Richmond | Home |
| January | 31 | Virginia Military Institute | Away |
| February | 5 | Jacksonville University | Home |
| February | 7 | William and Mary | Away |
| February | 9 | Old Dominion | Home |
| February | 14 | The Citadel | Home |
| February | 18 | William and Mary | Home |
| February | 21 | The Citadel | Away |
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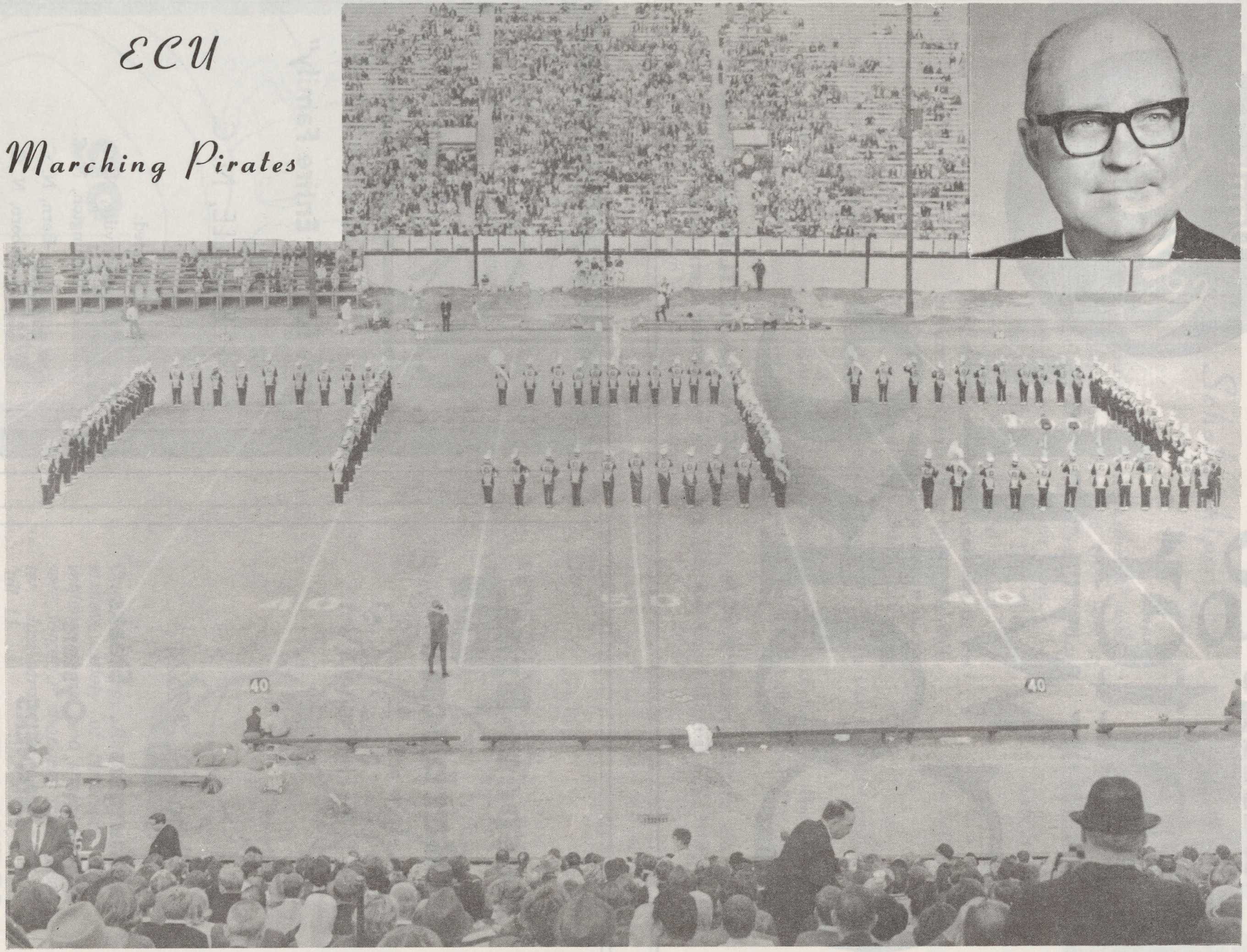


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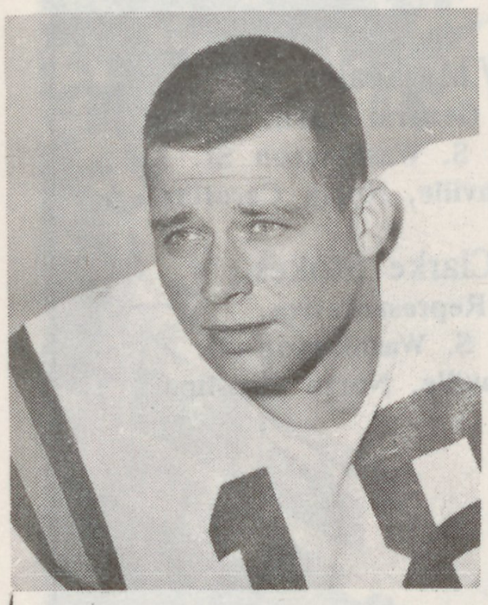
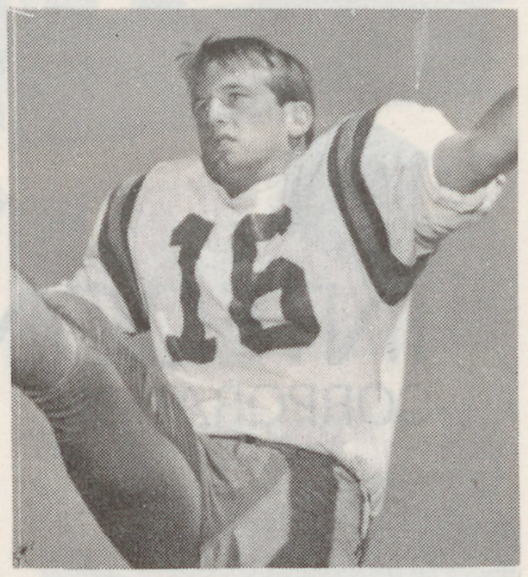


NORMAN SWINDELL

# Swindell and Faris Scholarships



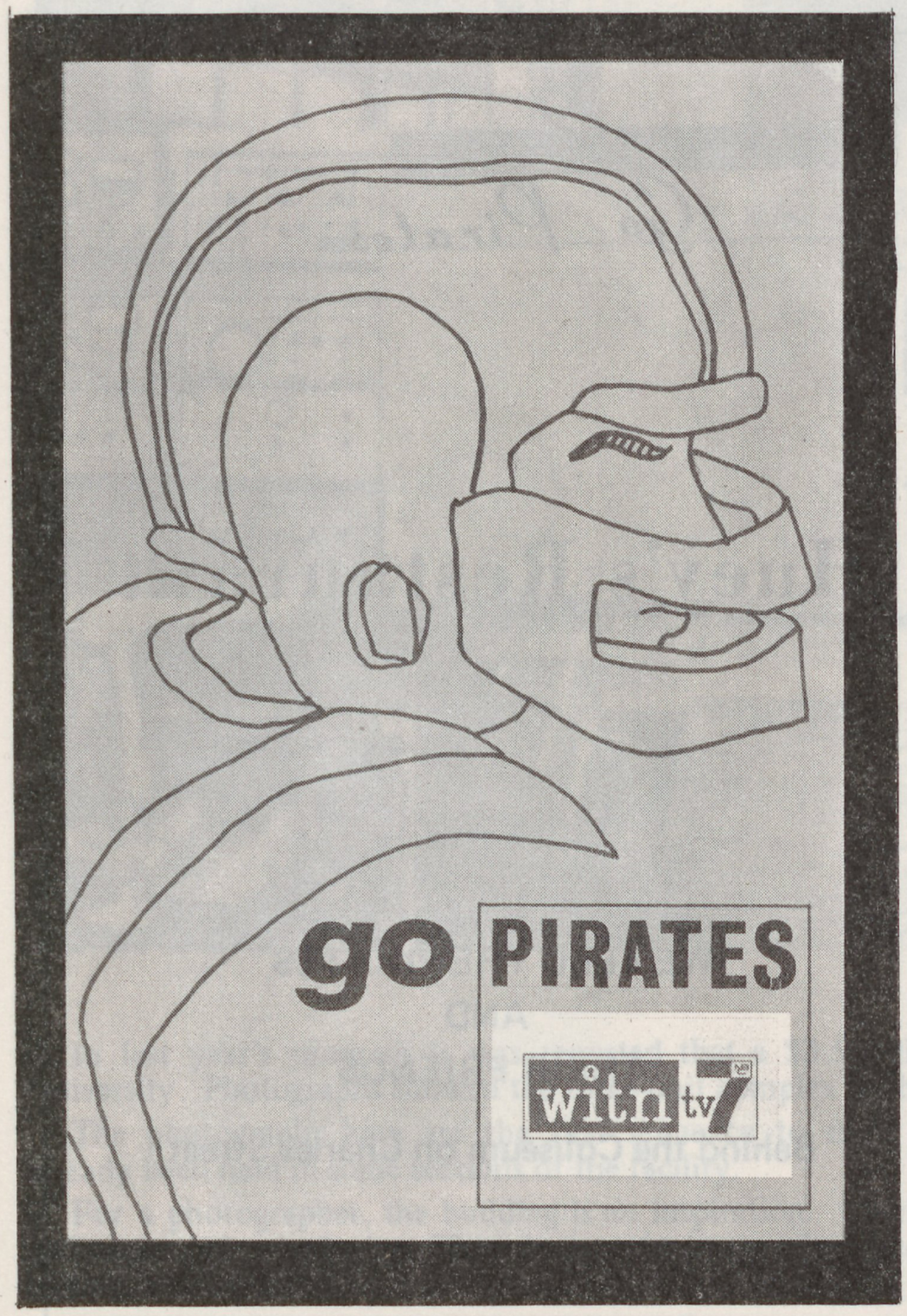
ROBERT K. FARIS

Two former members of East Carolina football teams who lost their lives in tragic accidents are honored by scholarships given annually in their name.

So honored are the late Norman Swindell of New Bern and Robert Faris, McLean, Va. Their untimely deaths occurred less than a year apart. Swindell, who had served as a co-captain of the 1966 team, was a victim of drowning while on a hunting trip. Faris died in an automobile accident on his way to East Carolina in late August of 1967.

The Swindell Scholarship is sponsored by New Bern supporters of East Carolina and varsity fullback Butch Colson was the first recepient. Swindell was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard T. Swindell.

The Faris Scholarship is sponsored by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Faris. He was the team's placement kicker in 1966, booting 16 extra points and one field goal. His father is the athletic director at George Washington University.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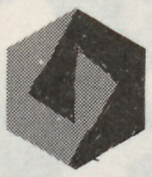

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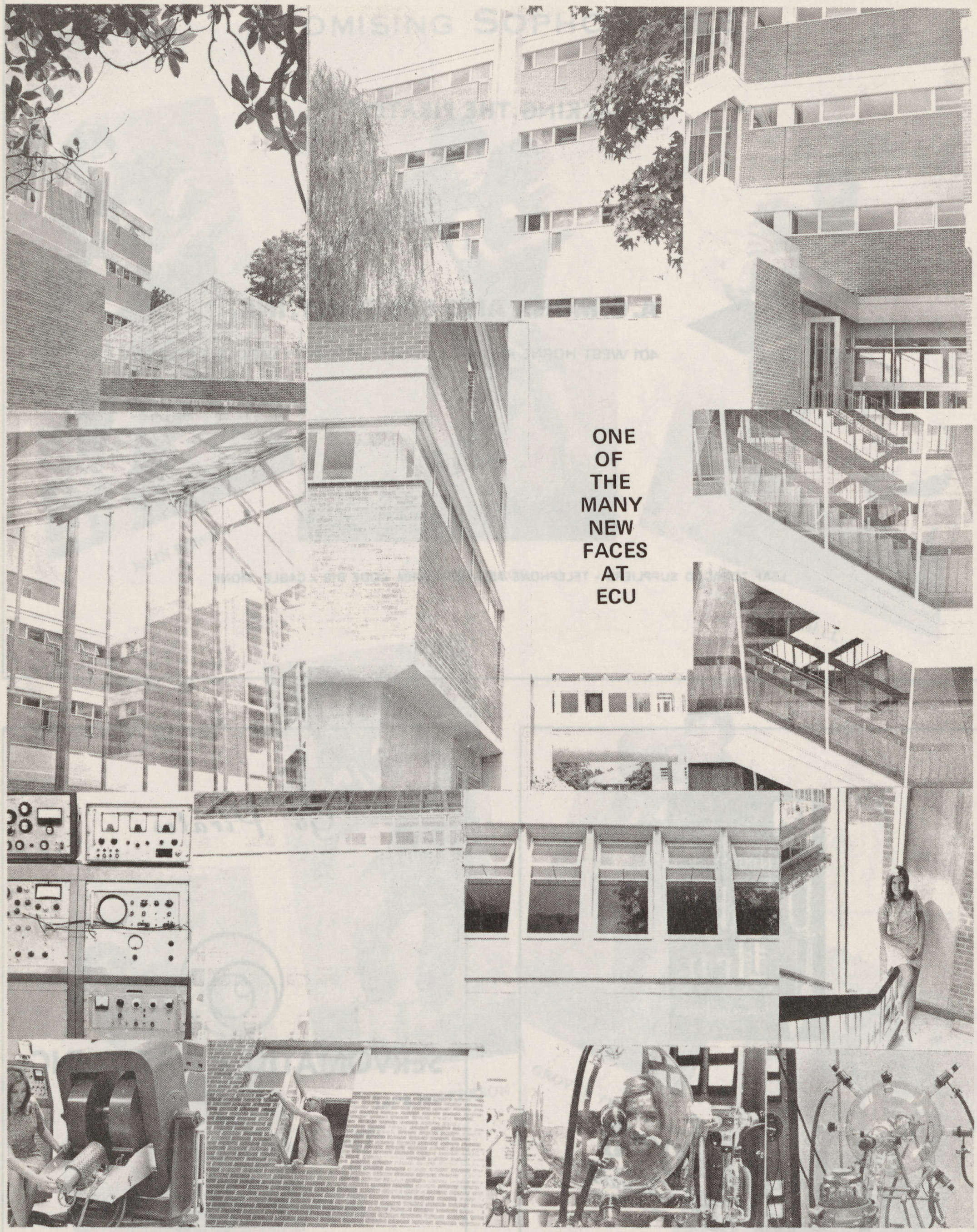


In last year's program it was reported that a $3.5-million science complex was under construction at East Carolina University. Photographs showed the three-unit complex at the intermediate stage of its development.

The photographs here are the first sequence to show the complex near completion. Classes and lab sessions have already been held in some sections of the facility.

For a photographer, the building is an inspiration. Charles Griffin's montage of his photographs are mute testimony to its beauty and complexity. They dispute the image of science as cold and sterile. They celebrate man's union of intellect and feeling.

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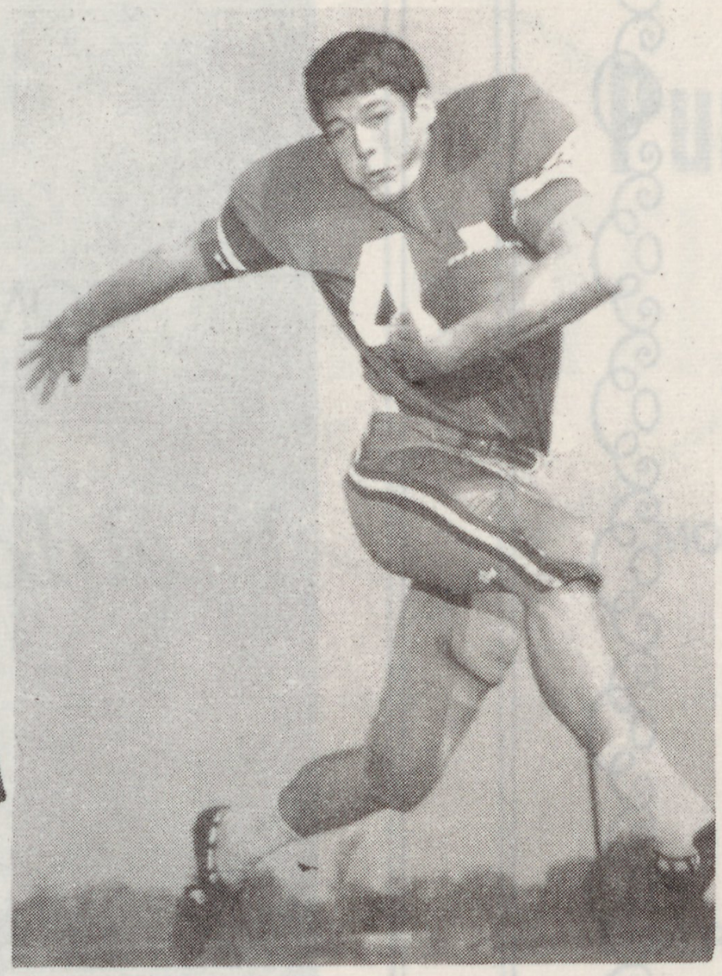

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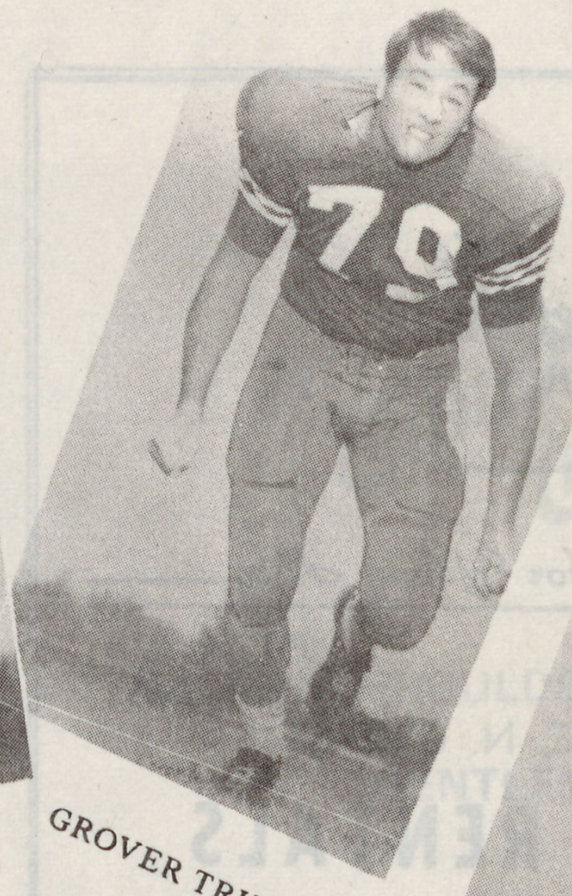

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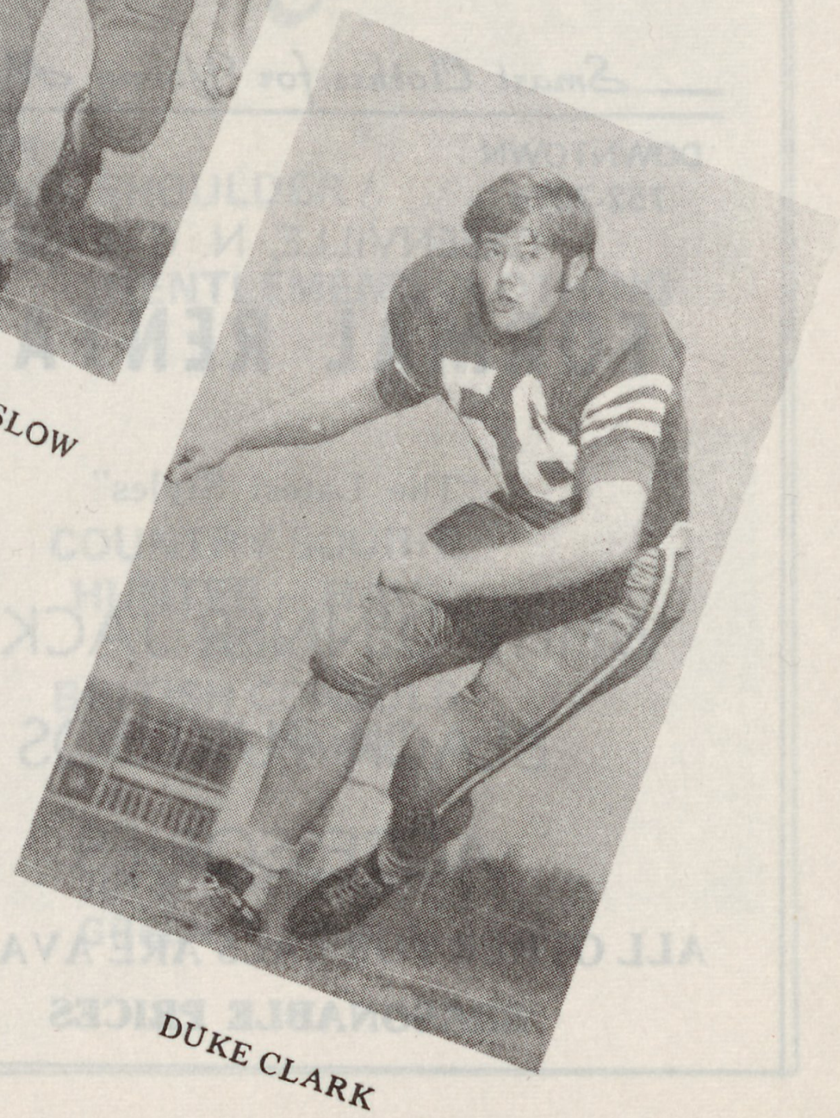

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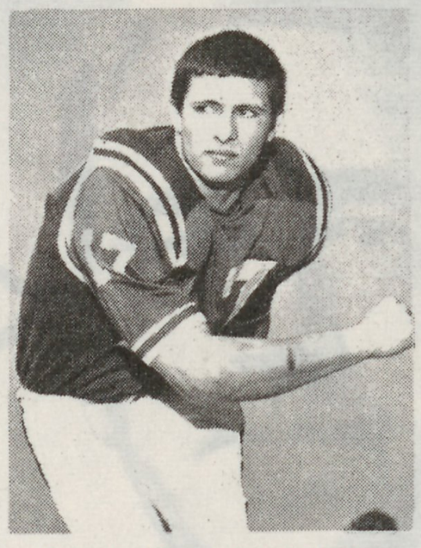

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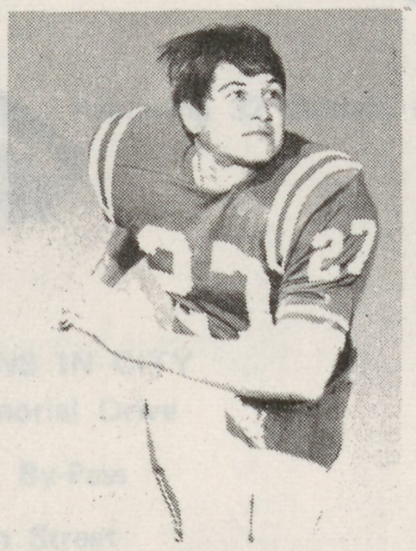

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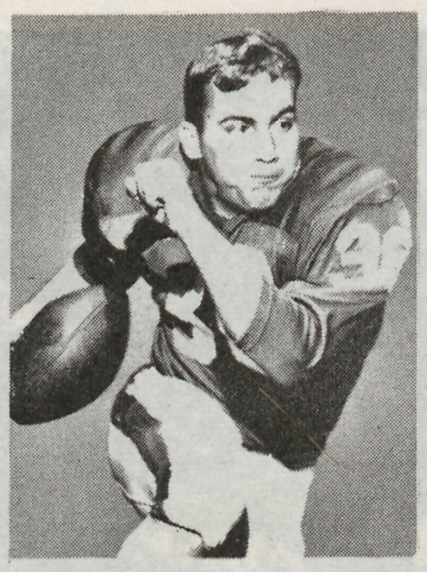

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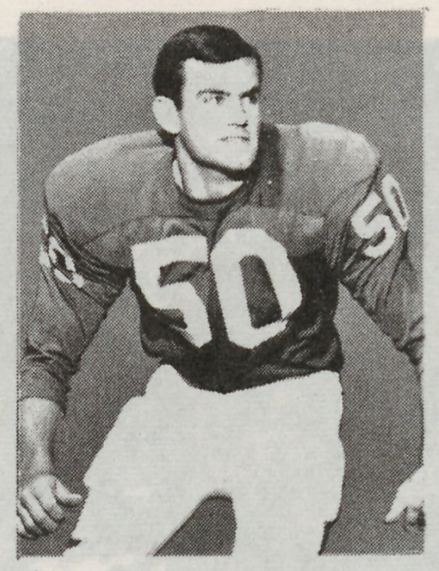

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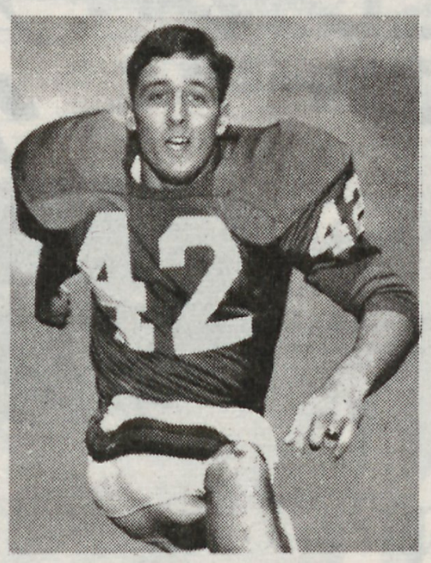

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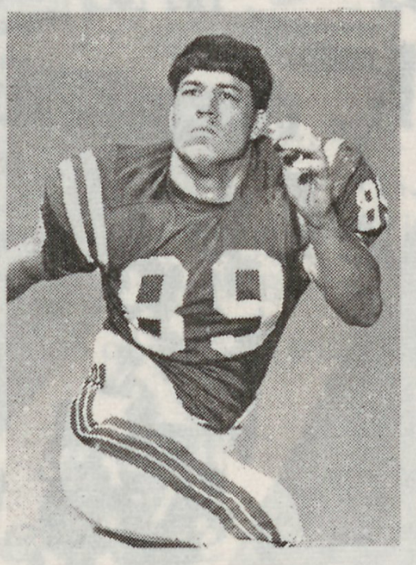

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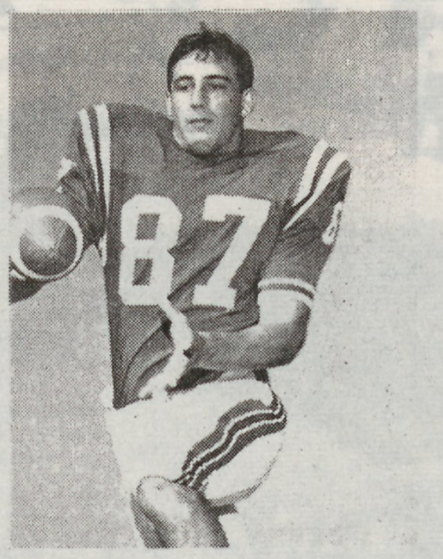

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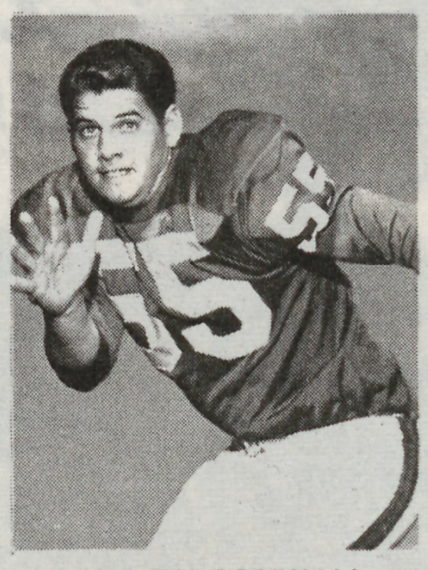

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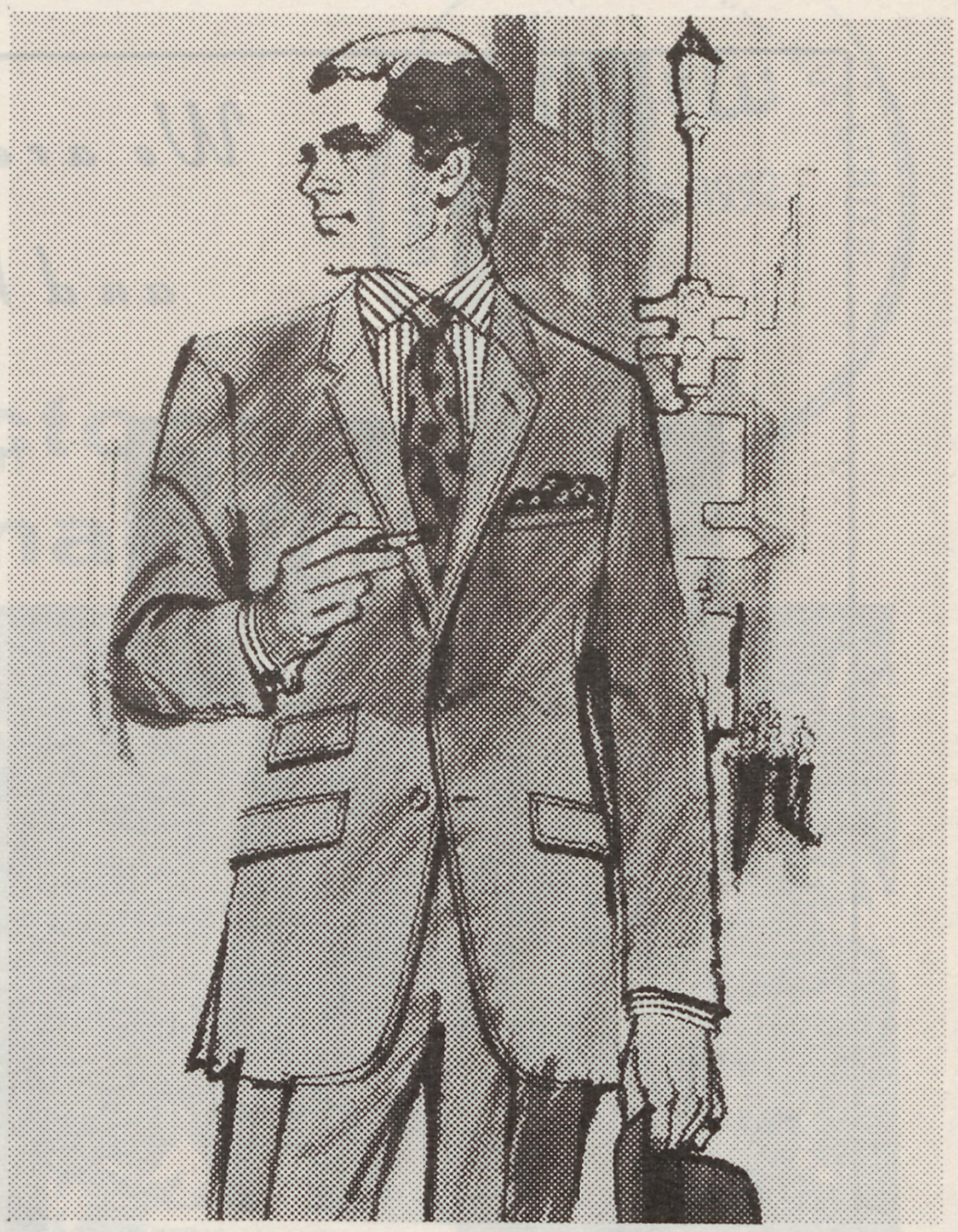

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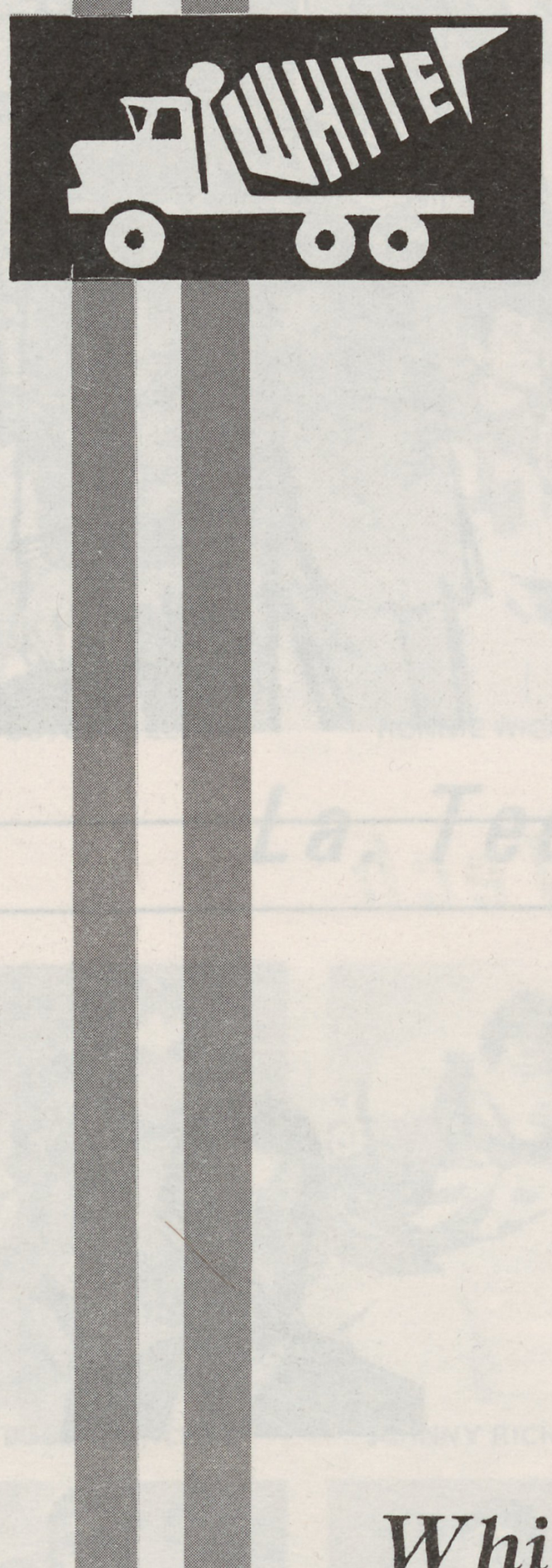


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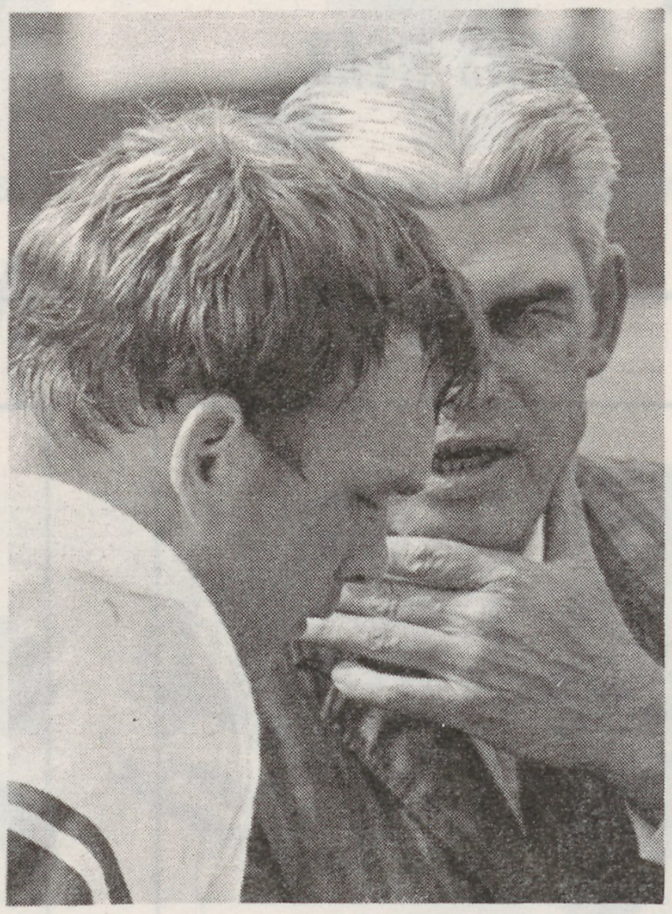

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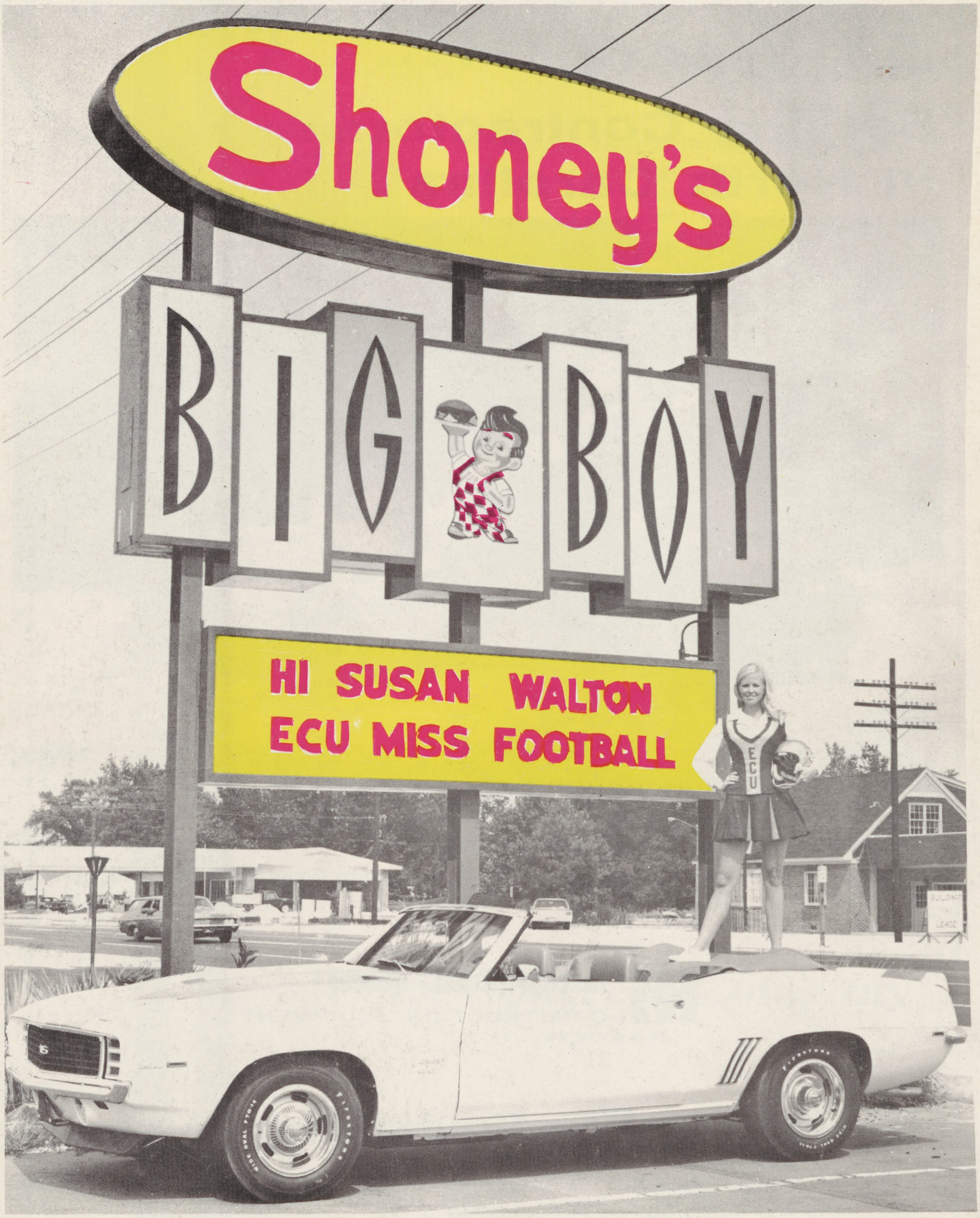
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