

KRUMM'S KORNER

By "Doc" Crumm

The leaves are turning—nights are getting longer—football is in the air. The 1950 gridiron season is here and the "Pirates" of S.T.C. are ready. Head Coach James "Fuzzy" Williams has worked diligently with his boys since September 4th.) Returning from last year's squad are "Buckeye Scott", "Udder Boy" Hoggard, "Rocky" Randall, "Lil Hank" Palmer, "Duke" Lamb, "Big Hank" Williams, "Scooter" Dowd, "Buck" Clay, "Shorty" Wilkes, "Slick" Booth, "Penguin" Perry, "Shorty George" Clark, "Rev" Underwood, "Cheezo" Enoch, "Snow" Rodgers, John Jackson, "Spud" Davis, Captain elect "Tubby" Trotter. Added is a newcomer, but an upperclassman is Johnny Bynum. Freshmen answering the call for the first time are Simon Foole, Herbert Armstrong, William and Raymond Andrews (No relation), Perry Marsh, Alvin Moore, James Murrell, Lonnie Davis, Earl Thomas, Willie Steele, Edward Camen, Jacob Bowe, Johnny Hughes, Vernon Taylor, Santiago Burrell, and Johnnie Sharpe. Coach Williams will integrate the talents of these promising freshmen with his veterans to form a worthy team for you.

Our new assistant coach is Jack Housen, a product of West Virginia State College. He also holds a Masters in physical education from Y.M.C.A. College, Springfield, Massachusetts. From all indications Coach Housen will prove to be an asset to the "Pirate" eleven. Hats off to our new coach!

Last year as students, you played a wonderful role for the football team. This year you are needed more so than ever, for the coaches are rebuilding. Never let your team down, win, lose or draw. Football is like a three-legged stool. The coaches are one leg, you the second, and the team is the third. Without either leg, the stool will not stand. As "one", we can go far.

Added Notes

For various reasons, we are unable to print the "Pirates" football schedule of 1950. For further information check the College Bulletin Board.

Edward Camen, a bruising freshman from Suffolk, Virginia, is five feet-eleven and weighs 250 pounds. Would you block him?

Virginia Seminary and Storer Colleges have abandoned football for the 1950 season.

This column wishes to thank Coach Vaughn for his untiring efforts in helping to build the athletic program at S. T. C. during the previous year. Wherever he goes, he has our regards.

Head Coach Williams attended the coaching clinic held at Virginia State College this past summer. Highlighting the program were Carl Snavely of the University of North Carolina and Everett B. Case of North Carolina State.

To all basketball prospects:—The gym is open every afternoon. Are you

STATE GETS NEW ATHLETIC COACH

The most recent addition to our coaching staff is Mr. Jack W. Housen of Huntington, West Virginia. He was graduated from West Virginia State College with the Bachelor of Science degree and from the Y. M. C. A. in Springfield, Massachusetts, with the degree of Master of Arts. Having spent three years in the armed service, Mr. Housen comes to us well qualified to fill the vacancy left by Coach R. L. Vaughn. From all indications we are going to see a job well done. He has a pleasing personality, and the fellows on the football team like him. Luck, Coach, we are all behind you.

Statistics

S.T.C. "Pirates"

First Downs	7
Yards gained by scrimmage	112
Yards lost by scrimmage	13
Forward Passes	16
Passes completed	8
Yards gained by passes	116
Passes intercepted	8
Number of punts	8
Punt average	43½
Fumbles	2
Own fumbles recovered	0
Number of penalties	5
Yards lost by penalties	65

Officials:

Referee	Overby (Va. State)
Umpire	Gill (Va. State)
Field Judge	Alston (N.C. State)
Head Linesman	Barco (Va. State)

in condition? Do you have the "eye"?

Lost to graduation from last year's squad are: Ray Swain, "Salt Pork" McKinnon, "Bomber" Bryant, "Peanut" Pailin, Herbert "Crip Henry" Alexander Smith, Rocco "Bobo" Fields, William "Moon" Mullen, Joseph "Yam" Barber, James McCowan, Johnny "Cup" Williams and "Charley Horse" Branch. In the armed forces are Paul and Ernest Pruden, James Riley and James Boone. What a loss! Have you counted the above names?

Vernon Taylor of New Bern, North Carolina, is a hard and vicious tackler. Taylor weighs only 165, but that weight is dynamite. If you don't believe this ask the boys.

"Rocky" Randall caught many essential passes last season. Will he repeat himself for even greater fame?

In the C.I.A.A. Circle, Morgan College and Virginia State loom as favorites. What school is your choice?

Ezzard Charles surprised many. Joe Louis surprised many. Which one surprised you?

Coach Williams has a baby girl who is now five months old. He wanted a football player. Instead he got a cheer leader.

Commissioner Taylor E. Jones of the E.I.A.C. wishes to express his thanks to all upperclassmen for their loyalty and support during the last academic year.

Booth Leads Attack in Opener, Defeat Voorhees College 13-0



Lee Booth

STARTING LINE-UPS

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S.T.C. "Pirates"

L.E.	E. Thomas
L.T.	P. Williams
L.G.	A. Perry
C.	C. Enoch
R.G.	L. Davis
R.T.	R. Daye
R.E.	F. Palmer
Q.	L. Booth
L.H.	J. Wilkes
R.H.	P. Marsh
F.	A. Davis

Voorhees

L.E.	Nelson
L.T.	Hunt
L.G.	Morris
C.	Spawn
R.G.	Green
R.T.	Hewmway
R.E.	Painkey
Q.	Gandison
L.H.	Williams
R.H.	Macrar
F.	Jordan

Substitutes: Pirates:

Sharpe Hoggard, Scott, Clarke, Rodgers, Clay, Underwood, Camen, Taylor, Trotter, Dowd, Bynum, and Jackson.

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(No record).

BOTH TEAMS SCORELESS UNTIL THIRD QUARTER

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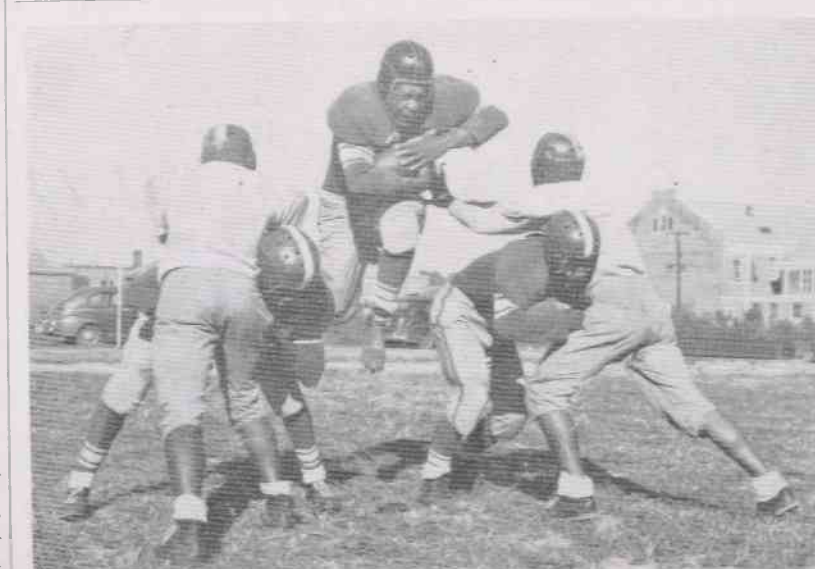
Displaying a beautiful running and passing attack, the Elizabeth City State "Pirates" defeated Voorhees College of Denmark, South Carolina, 13-0 before a small home crowd.

Opening the game, State won the toss, and Captain Trotter elected to kick. Voorhees received the kick-off, by "Udder-Boy" Hoggard, on their twenty-eight, and advanced the ball to the forty. Failing to gain through the "Pirates" line, Gardison connected on passes to ends Nelson and Painkey. At this very point, the forward wall of State charged more viciously, and Voorhees lost possession of the ball on State's twenty-three yard line. From this point to the end of the first half, both teams battled on even terms—each failing to score. The half ended 0-0. The third quarter was repetitious of the previous half with neither team scoring.

Opening the fourth quarter, Booth gave handoffs to Marsh, Davis, Dowd, and Hoggard. A few plays later, Booth passed to "Lil Hank" Palmer. Before the ball got to him, it was partially blocked by defenders Williams and Macraw, but a moment later, "Lady Luck" came in, and the ball fell into the waiting arms of Palmer who scored. The conversion by "Red" Thompson, punt and conversion specialist, was blocked.

To help set up the second tally, "Buck" Clay intercepted a Voorhees pass and bulled his way to, about their eighteen. This time Booth threaded the needle to "Spud" Davis who romped over for pay dirt. Thompson made good of his second conversion. As time ran out, the Pirates were on the victorious side 13-0.

Outstanding linemen for the blue and white "Pirates" were "Dynamite" Taylor, "Cheezo" Enoch, big Ed. Camen (Lots of poppa), Lonnie Davis, "Mild Man" Daye and Captain "Tubby" Trotter. Could you ask for more? The backs spoke for themselves with their dazzling and sensational runs.



Pirates on the Rampage