

## PIRATES STRATEGY BOARD



Co-Captains James Greer and James Godfrey  
with Coach Bob White

## THE ROSTER

Name	Pos.	No.	Class	Wgt.	Home Town
Greer, James (Co-Capt.)	E	43	Sr.	190	Huntington, W. Va.
Green, Ephriam	E	48	Soph.	176	Greenville, N. C.
Cashwell, John	T	49	Sr.	190	Covington, Va.
Williams, Paul	T	84	Soph.	230	Clinton, N. C.
Gist, Willie	G	77	Soph.	170	Wilmington, Del.
Carke, Dewey	G	67	Sr.	190	Covington, Va.
Gordy, Irvin	C	71	Soph.	180	Wilmington, Del.
Godfrey, James (Co-Capt.)	QB	42	Sr.	141	Covington, Va.
Blakey, Oscar	HB	46	Jr.	170	Clifton Forge, Va.
Martin, Paul	HB	80	Sr.	175	Covington, Va.
Liggins, William	FB	83	Sr.	190	Covington, Va.
Reddrick, Raymond	FB	72	Sr.	180	Wilmington, N. C.
Reed, Robert	HB	64	Jr.	150	Newark, Del.
Palmer, Fred	HB	54	Sr.	155	Clinton, N. C.
Hodge, Billy	QB	44	Jr.	170	Ashland, W. Va.
Davis, Lonnie	G	60	Soph.	190	Petersburg, Va.
Camien, Edward	G	67	Jr.	271	Suffolk, Va.
Sharpe, John	T	85	Jr.	230	Suffolk, Va.
Brown, Darius	T	59	Jr.	185	Wilmington, Del.
Morgan, Richard	E	61	Fr.	185	Washington, N. C.
Miales, Landon	E	45	Sr.	170	Raleigh, N. C.
Miller, John E.	E	70	Jr.	175	Clifton Forge, Va.
Armstrong, Herbert	HB	81	Fr.	170	Elizabeth City, N. C.
Stallings, Eugene	HB	56	Fr.	170	Wilmington, Del.
Branch, Richard	FB	78	Fr.	180	Lexington, Va.
Raynor, L. T.	C	79	Fr.	180	Goldsboro, N. C.
Williams, Frank	HB	53	Fr.	140	Elizabeth City, N. C.
Ward, Joe	G	66	Jr.	175	Farmville, N. C.
Tyson, Calvin	G	40	Fr.	200	Farmville, N. C.
Baker, Albert	E	51	Fr.	175	Farmville, N. C.
Hemby, Simon	T	55	Fr.	205	Greenville, N. C.

Head Coach—Bob White  
Line Coach—Tom Caldwell  
Asst. Coach—Bobby Vaughan  
Manager—James Williams

Colors—Blue and White  
Nickname—Pirates  
Statisticians—Rufus Underwood and  
James Whitaker

## I. D. A. MEETS AT A & T

The Intercollegiate Dramatic Association Conference was attended October 9, 1954, by three students representing Elizabeth City State Teachers College. Celestine Wade, Helen Hargrave, and Joseph Purvis. Mr. and Mrs. Bagley were there as faculty representatives.

The Conference began with greetings from the president of the I.D.A., Dr. F. S. Belcher, Director of Drama at W. Va. Institute. Minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary and executive secretary gave her report in which she stated the desire to have Elizabeth City State Teachers College become a member of the I. D. A. Following were the reports of the committees. Student participation was encouraged. Representatives from Colleges throughout West Virginia, Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina were present and outlined plans which their Players Guilds had drawn up for this year.

Next on the agenda was the luncheon, which was very impressive.

Music furnished in the background made the meal a pleasant one. The guest speaker at the luncheon was Dr. Samuel Seldon, director of the Lost Colony and head of the Department of Drama at the University of North Carolina. He spoke on the topic "Why People Go To The Theater."

After the luncheon discussions on the Spring Festival were held. The main topic of conversation was whether or not there should be professional actors or amateur actors presenting plays for the Festival.

Dinner was served at A. & T. College and from there we attended a Cider Sip held in the faculty lounge of the Student Union Building at Bennett College. Our gracious hostesses were members of the Bennett College players. Immediately following the Cider Sip, Fayetteville State College presented two interesting one - act plays.

The conference was enjoyed by all representatives.

—Helen Hargraves

## Pirates Slaughter Morristown 80-0, Sets Record

Scoring high in every quarter, the mighty Pirates slaughtered the "Black Knights" of Morristown, Tenn. 80-0 before a surprised crowd. Last season as you might recall, the "Knights" tied the "Pirates" in a 13-13 deadlock. That was a mistake on our part last year, and with this in mind, the "Pirates" sought not to make mistakes this time.

The overall performance of the "Pirates" was more than satisfactory to the coaches. "Well done" said Coach White, "You have performed brilliantly."

Each player in uniform saw action and performed equally as well as the starting lineup. Thus, with the motto: "All for one and one for all", the Pirates have been unconquerable as of October 2.

—Godfrey

The melancholy days are come, the saddest of the year.

—Bryant

## Let's Accept The Challenge

The living conditions of an unsegregated world will be confronting the future graduates of this and other institutions. We will be facing a world of conflicting opinions, ideologies and general confusion.

In order to accept the challenge of the modern world, of course, we must prepare. There is no better place to equip ourselves with the necessary tools than in college.

We talk about knowledge, insights, attitudes and skills and, above all, democracy. If we cannot solve our problems, of what good are they? Regardless of the road one chooses or the trend of thought one follows, it will all lead to an end which either elevates or leaves him in depths of confusion. Education should be a means to an end which will put one on an equal plane with that of any other man who has a place in the future.

Can the students now hope for a place in the future? Can our inevitable faith in man-kind and ourselves prepare us for our ultimate destiny? Is education so easy and money so free as to be passed off in foolishness? Can we accept the challenge? Yes, but only through hard work, fair play, initiative and strong determination can we do this. Let us prepare today for tomorrow.

To the seniors look in retrospect; to the juniors, plan now; to the sophomores, strive hard; to the freshmen, start anew.

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## MIGHTY PIRATES OUTLAST ST. AUGUSTINE'S 14-7

"Do or Die" Pirates overpowered the "Falcons" of St. Augustine's by a score of 14-7. During the 1st half many penalties were stepped off against the "Pirates" which were costly and which enabled the "Falcons" to take the lead at the end of the half 7-0.

The "Pirates" not to be outdone, came from behind in the second half to score two touchdowns and win the game. To set up the first tally, Godfrey tossed a pass to Greer who was stopped on about the "Falcons" five-yard line. Paul "Kit" Martin, powerful halfback, drove from the five into the end zone for the score, then coming back off tackle for the extra point. The game remained tied until the last quarter when Robert Reed, shifty halfback, drove down to about the ten-yard line setting up another tally. Greer circled the end on the next play and went into the end zone standing up. Godfrey passed to Greer for the extra point.

Thus the "Pirates" went ahead 14-7 and in the final minutes of the game the "Falcons" trying to come back with long passes, but to no avail. The final gun ended the game as the "Pirates" were about to take charge of the ball.

Thus marks the first time in at least three years that the "Pirates" have beaten the "Falcons." Said the coach after the game, "You have fought against all the odds and have come from behind to win, I am proud of all of you."

—Godfrey