In Season Opener

Braves Tie Baltimore 14-14



REFRESHMENT TIME—A group of Chowan College Braves take time out during a recent practice session to get a drink of "Gator-Aid." The entire

In Final Two Minutes

team has been in vigorous practice drills this week to get ready for Saturday night's game at home with the East Carolina Buccaneer Club.

Potomac State 'Cats' Defeat Chowan 27-24 snagged the ball over his

A 64-yard "picture-perfect" scoring pass in the final two minutes dashed a valiant second half comeback of Chowan as Potomac State edged the Braves, 27-23, in a wide open game Saturday night, September 25, here in Keyser, W. Va.

Only minutes earlier, Chowan quarterback Paul Black had seemingly snatched victory from defeat by throwing a 17-yard bullet to split end Tom Wright who made a diving catch in the endzone. The kick by Jim Thomas gave Chowan the lead the first time since the second

quarter, 23-20. The score was delivery of a omise by Black who said on the sidelines, when Chowan was trailing, 20-16, "I'll make another one." He had already passed and guided Chowan to one second half score. In the end, his prediction was true but it wasn't enough. Chowan had trailed at in-termission, 20-6. The Braves scored first on a 24-vard field goal by Thomas in the first period but

the Catamounts roared back for and 28-yard field goal, his third of three second quarter scores. the game. In the final period, Chowan and

The first dazed Chowan as Potomac blocked a field goal try and raced 57 yards for the touch-Quarterback Eddie down. Williams, whose passing was a major factor in the Potomac win, ran for the conversion from the The first attempt, a pass, had fialed, but a Chowan penalty had given the Cats new life. The other scores were registered by speedster Phil Hughes, who swept left end seven yards, and on a 17yard pass by Williams.

Chowan was denied a scoring chance when a 49-yard run to the Potomac one by halfback Julius

BALTIMORE, MD.-Jimmy Thomas' 25-yard field goal try with seven seconds left sailed wide, to the right and Chowan had to settle for a 14-14 tie with Baltimore Community College in the season opener for both teams here Saturday afternoon, Sept. 18 Baltimore had scored first in

the first quarter on a one-yard plunge by running back Mike Lacika to climax a 43-yard drive. The kick was no good and the Red Devils clung to a 6-0 lead until midway in the third quarter when tailback Rocky Dunbar ran the last yard of a 54-yard drive. The Braves used 12 plays, all on the ground, as the offense sought to establish superiority over Baltimore's mammoth defense, which averaged 255 pounds. Thomas kicked the extra point

to give Chowan the lead, 7-6.

"We're rolling now," com-mented an excited Chowan fan. 'We'll score at least once more and maybe twice and they won't cross our goal line again," he predicted.

His prophecy appreared sound when middle linebacker, Stuart Christian, returned an intercepted pass 48 yards for the Braves' second score in the fourth period. Thomas kicked the ball into the heavens and Chowan lead, 14-6.

On the first play following the kickoff to Baltimore, Christian intercepted again and the Braves could smell victory. Chowan drove deep into Red Devil territory but a costly fumble quickly changed the complexion of the game. On an end sweep, reserve tailback Cooper Alston fumbled and an alert defender scooped the ball up and raced over 50 vards before guarterback Paul Black could make the tackle 24 yards short of the Braves'

shoulder, and raced in for the score. The suddenness with

which Potomac covered the 64

23. A desperate pass by Black

content to let the clock run out.

opener at Baltimore last week.

He responded by completing 12 of

25 passes for 214 yards and two

TOKYO (AP)-Burburu, an 18-

'Burburu suffered from a

touchdowns.

yards stunned the Braves.

score.

untouched throughout the game

the game at 14.

fensive team and afteral running

plays put the ball in front of the

uprights. Thomas entered with

Chowan had other

The Braves fumbled again on

many of the 10 passes Turner

completed for Baltimore were

key ones. When Baltimore's first

drive for a score appeared to be

bogged down, Turner, on fourth

ball four times by fumbles.

seven seconds left.

groaned.

down

the ball was resting on the Red Devils one. Robert Kilborne's kick was blocked and the tie became history.

Coach Garrison, Potomac kicked the extra point with 1:53 on the clock to lead, 27following the kickoff was in-Team Are Honored tercepted and Potomac was native of Shelby, and is a

By JOE STINSON The final Cat score not only The coaches of all colleges denied Chowan victory but took representing District Ten of the Cavalier-Tar Heel Conference and the Coastal Conference have his B.S. at Western Carolina the edge off an outstanding performance by Black. The Camp Lejeune sophomore was selected Coach James G. University, and completed work starting his first game after Garrison of Chowan College as the "Coach of the Year for 1970." On his Masters at East Carolina University. The coach has done working behind injured Dale McCafferty through Chowan's nine games last year and 1971

In addition to Garrison's

award, Chowan College was presented a plaque as "District 10 Football Champions, 1970."

The Chowan Braves compiled a 9-

1 record last year, and finished

the season in the number eleven

position in ranking among the nation's junior college squads.

Garrison was quick to testify that the honors "should go to the

entire coaching staff, the team,

and to the student body, who

displayed a tremendous amount

of school spirit to bring this

The

recognition to Chowan."

The Red Devils needed five As the statistics reveal, the plays with Lacika covering the game was close in all departments. The Braves held the edge final four yards to pull Baltimore within two points of Chowan. Baltimore called upon its ace rushing with Dunbar and halfback John King leading the way. On several crucial third passer, John Turner, and he responded with a bullet to wide down plays, King picked up short yardage for first downs slamreceiver Tony Jones, who speared the ball just within the ming his 5-2 frame into 6-5 and 6-6 giants. The results of these boundry and across the goal to tie confrontations would have After Chowan received the confused any computer as King, rather than ending up 10 vards kickoff, Black and split end Tom behind his line of scrimmage, Wright teamed up on a 30-yard moved the ball a step further pass play to advance the ball deep into Red Devil ground. Wright and a defender both toward the Red Devil goal. Against one defender, he was 120 pounds lighter than the listed snagged the ball and tumbled to weight of 280 for the Baltimore the turf fighting for possession. The referee gave it to the ofplayer.

Baltimore One reserve defender, not listed on the roster, appeared to be heavier than the 280 pounder. He was only as high Thomas had a stiff wind to as a halfback but as wide as two tackles. Quipped one Chowan fan, "I bet the Baltimore Colts just contend with. The kick was high but sailed to the right and Chowan's players and fans cut him from their squad."

portunities to score but lost them 'Prisoners' Is through fumbles. Quarterback Dale McCafferty gave one away **Fair Theme** on a fourth and one situation from Baltimore's 15 in the first half.

Don't Let Them Be Forgot-Baltimore's 22 late in the third quarter. In all, Chowan lost the the 1971 N. C. State Fair, October 15-23. On the other hand, the defense picked off five passes. However,

Some of the 91 concerned families across the Tar Heel state the title is well earned. will help man the booth in the Industrial Building from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily.

Family members with sons. husbands or brothers in prisoner talk to interested persons. They will be urging concerned citizens to write letters and passing out information on what the in- afternoon of enjo dividual can do to help bring will be available. about more humane treatment and eventaul release for the POWs.

A large map of North Carolina with photographs of Tar Heel POWs placed over their home areas will emphasize the "Don't Let Them Be Forgotten" motto also seen on bumper stickers. Miniature displays of the cells, cages and special rooms will depict the conditions these men

are subjected to. Mrs. James Hiteshew of Goldsboro and Mrs. W. T. Robinson of Robersonville, who are helping co-ordinate the booth, will be present when it opens October 15.

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Since the first edition of the Smoke Signals came out last Wednesday, I have been questioned by several individuals about the title of this series. I have tried to explain that

since the articles are to be of ten" is the theme of the Prisoners interest to hunters and fishermen of War-Missing in Action booth at in specific, and "others" in general (the former group being notorious for "truth-telling" and 'under-exaggerations"), I feel

The continuation of our hot, dry spell has provided us with one of the best Dove seasons that anyone in the area remembers. This certainly wasn't expected, of war camps will be available to since we got off to such a gloomy start. However, the birds have been very hard to find, but once one has located a feeding area, an afternoon of enjoyable shooting It is interesting to note that the birds don't seem to object to

being shot at during the hunt; however, if you return to the area the next day you will find all the birds have left (they seem to move at night). When this is the case, one must start all over again in order to relocate the feeding area of a migrating flock. If continuous hunting pressure is applied the birds will "pack up" and may move as far away as 500 miles during a single week-end. If we were making an honor roll of campus shooters, it would have to contain such illustrious names as (in alphabetical order) Ben Babb, Bill Brown, Steve Burnette, Ach Harden, Bob Herfort, Ed Lucas, Robert Taylor, and Wayne Taylor. The above list would be totally inadequate without the name of George Mitchell, who to my knowledge has fired six boxes



Morning finds them already bedded down in the dense, cool thickets of almost inaccessible swamps. The woods floor is so dry that a man trying to slip along quietly sounds like a fire in a canebrake, making it impossible to even attempt a stalk. Several other factors that are being influneced by the weather

shells (150 rounds) and killed six

birds (some of which were shot

on the ground and out of trees).

This kind of shooting must be

based on conservation or a boost

The hot, dry weather that has

been so kind to the Dove hunters

has been detrimental to the bow

hunter. The deer haven't been

moving until late evening when it

begins to cool down. Ususally by

this time it is after sunset and

legal hunting time is over.

for our economy.

snakes, red-bugs, ticks, are: mosquitoes, and biting flies. . . all of which seem to be in unlimited numbers. These make it impossible to sit still in order to avoid giving away ones position. Unless we can get some rain and cooler weather, the bow hunter has some miserable days ahead. It is important to remember

that the first half of Dove season comes to an end on October 9. However, on October 11 (the Monday closest to October 15) the local season opens on deer, bear boar, racoon, opossum, and wildcat.

Last week the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission voted to have an either-sex deer hunt in the following counties:

Gates County, that portion west of the Seaboard Coast Line Railroad from October 11 to Jan. 1; that portion east of the railroad from December 3 to

January 1. In Hertford County, that portion of the county north of the Meherrin River from October 11 to January 1, and that portion of the county bounded on the south by S. R. 1160, from the Northampton County line to S. R. 1142, along S. R. 1142 to its in-

and eight from Chowan's 11, completed a 10-yard pass to set up Lacika's plunge for the touch-But Turner's biggest pass of the day was his strike to Jones for the tying points. Turner, no doubt one of the best passers the Braves will face all year, was almost

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by the Braves who could not break through a wall of blockers. The outcome had its ironic overtones. The last time Chowan played at Baltimore, in 1969, the result was the same, a 14-14 tie. In that game, it was Chowan that came from behind to knot the score. But, as was the case Saturday. Chowan tried a field goal late in the game that would have won it. With 40 seconds left,

Bands Announced For Grid Games

Clayton Lewis, Dean of Students, has announced a listing of marching bands which have been invited to perform during halftime at Chowan's home football games. The dean has also announced special groups which will be invited as special guests for the grid contests.

For the Braves' opener at home Saturday night, the East Carolina Buccaneer Club will provide the idiron opposition. Dean Lewis invited the Boy Scouts of this ea to be guests of Chowan for the day and will be granted free admission to the game. During halftime, the marching band of Kempsville High School of Virginia Beach, will perform under the direction of Jerry Cole, Band Director.

For Parents' Day on October 16, Plymouth High School will provide the entertainment in a pre-game show and at halftime when the Braves take on the Lees-McRae Bobcats. All parents of Chowan students will be special guests for the event.

Homecoming Day Princess Anne High School of Virginia Beach has been invited annual Chowan's Homecoming festivities. The popular marching band will provide pre-game and halftime

Smith, tollowing Christian, was nullified by a penalty. Thomas ended scoring

with a 41-yard field goal. The second half was all-Chowan through 28 minutes. Third quarter scoring found Black passing 16 yards to tailback Rocky Dunbar and Thomas kicking the extra point

entertainment

guests for the event.

reate mistory by middle linebacker Stuart the Cats first game under their new lights and the results left their fans delirious and Chowan's downcast.

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homecoming game, and is ex-pected to be an entry in the

traditional homecoming parade earlier in the day. The Royal Ambassadors will be special

On November 6 Chowan will be

host to the Wesley College

Wolverines, and Chowan's "Old

Timers" will be special guests for

the game. The Bertie County

High School Band, of Windsor,

under the direction of Miss

the rest.

fold

On the play, which would have given even the pros envy, Hughes outran the Braves' defender,

the Cats traded touchdowns.

toss to Wright with 3:28 left.

Black put Chowan ahead by

completing passes totaling 45

yards during the 60-yard drive. A

Potomac penalty accounted for

Chowan's defense, which had

returned to form after the second

quarter let down, now accepted

the burden to maintian the vic-

down and then on the next play

teamed with Hughes to help

But Potomac refused to

Williams ran for a first

Chowan scored first, on Black's

Television Helps OFF PROBATION BARNSTABLE, MASS. (AP)-**Big Gorilla** Robert F. Kennedy, Jr., and R. Sargent Shriver, III, have been

taken off probation. year-old gorilla, has been cured of neurosis by watching television in his cage, officials at Judge Michael J. Donahue, sitting in juvenile session of Barnstable District Court, Toyko's Ueno Zoo said last week. released the cousins from a 13month probationary period on nervous breakdown because he

Thursday of last week. Kennedy, son of the late New York Senator, and Shriver, son of the former Peace Corps director. were charged in August 1970 with being delinquent by reason of possession of marijuana. Both were 16 at the time.

"They completed all of their probationary terms, according to the report of the probationary officer," Donahue said. "In fairness to the boys the cases Martha Boamer, will perform were dismissed.'

during the intermission. Dean Lewis points out that plans are developing well for the annual Homecoming Day Parade. In addition to the Princess Anne High School Band, three other high school groups have indicated they will perform in the jaunt through Murfreesboro.

Neighboring Ahoskie High School Band, with Philip Green as Director, has accepted an invitation to perform. Also Smithfield High School, Smithfield, Va., Goldsboro High School, East, of Goldsboro. The popular Southampton High School group of Courtland, Va., has been invited for the event, but at press time their confirmation had not been received in Lewis' office.

By G. RICHARD JACKSON **Sports Editor**

"This was a game of mistakes" sighed coach Jim Garrison, and that was no exaggeration. Mistakes were a dime a dozen as Chowan committed 11 turnovers, fumbles and 4 pass fortunate to tie with the many mistakes we made" said Coach

Garrison. All in all it was not a bad day for Chowan. The offense rolled up 201 net yards despite the 11 turnovers. Rocky Dunbar, the star running back, scored his

on from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

those showing wild animals."

plunge. The defense, led by middle linebacker Stewart Christian, played a fine game. They limited Baltimore to 14 points and scored one of Chowan's touchdowns themselves. The score came interceptions. "We were real when Christian intercepted a pass and returned it some 48 yards for the touchdown.

Jim Thomas kicked both extra points after Chowan's scores.

With the ball on Baltimore's 25 yard line and 7 seconds remaining in the game, Thomas attempted a field goal. It was no

good and the Braves settled for a

The game proved to be quite costly with quarter back Dale McCafferty and defensive halfback Bill Soots suffering injuries. Neither are expected to see action Saturday against Potomac State.

"Moral is still high, and we expect to get our first win under our belt next Saturday" confided Coach Garrison. Chowan plays its second game on the road against Potomac State Saturday. The first home game will be played Saturday, October 2 Hall

Presentation of the award was made at a recent meeting of the University of North Carolina at District Ten representatives held Chapel Hill.

graduate of Gardner-Webb

A Freshman Is Oriented

Last Saturday we took a hike through the woods behind the way toward the direction of 'Oh No, were in Windsor''. Vicki, aquainted with Murvery freesboro really thought we were

in Windsor. leaving or withdrawing: We kept walking. I acted like I was really scared that we were personal belongings, be sure to double check all drawers and getting lost. Vicki and I kept laughing. She believing we were closet area. lost decided to find a way back to Murfreesboro. She saw a state courtesy to the person remaining, policeman and said "Lets stop and for the next person moving him, and tell him we're lost". I

suggested to her that this was a very good idea, hoping of course that she really wouldn't. Luckily a policeman did not come by. room and if there is some damage or other problems have it straightened out with room-After being blamed for getting

her lost, she finally suggested that we find a bus station and catch a bus back to Murfreesboro. The more we walked. the funnier she was. As we were coming down high street she saw this flower shop. She stopped and

turned in with key. Follow the pointed to it. She remembered above procedure and save time! seeing it before. She then stated that she saw it on the way to Murfreesboro. She said "Mary, If Be careful with electrical I see a sign that says Mur-freesboro 10 miles, I'll kill you." I

appliances such as coffee pots. These appliances will burn a hole, even in formica, when in laughed, and pointed at Belk direct contact.

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along S. R. 1137 to its intersection with S. R. 1139. Along 1139 to its intersection with U. S. 13 and along U. S. 13 to the Chowan

> In Northampton County, the entire county from December 3 to

Try to remember that there will be many more people in the woods during the general hunting season; therefore, everyone will have to be very careful in order to avoid hunting accidents. Good luck and try to bring back a double limit. . .one of game and one of litter.

Desdemona

Goes Nude

LONDON (AP)-Actress Sarah Stephenson slipped off her nightgown before a packed theatre audience recently in the first production of Shakespeare's "Othello" featuring Desdemona in the nude.

The attrative 24-year-old blonde drew applause from the first night fans and some praise from London critics.

Miss Stephenson had taken over the role during rehearsals at the Mermaid Theatre after the original Desdemona refused to appear nude.

She stripped for the final scene of her murder by Othello, then climbed into between black satin sheets. One of the sheets was wrapped around her as she died in Othello's arms, and she wore it when she took her final bow to the audience.

Michael Billington of the Times called the production "lamentably crude and rough edged,' but said the nude scene was fine

Football Game of Mistakes, Coach Says first touchdown on a one yard

popular head coach also stated was taken care of too well," the that "we hope our success will be officials said. "He lives in an airrepeated in 1971, because we conditioned cage and is well fed." have a good team shaping up." He began to show signs of nervous frustration and on May 8 Garrison also called for the support of the student body to the zoo installed a color television boost the Braves to victory on the set in his cage and kept it turned

at Louisburg.

gridiron by saying "the cheering "At first, he was restless but of a student-packed stadium does much to drive the players for gradually got used to it," the extra yardage and more points on officials said. "He is now enjoying programs, particularly the scoreboard."

The 1970 Coach of the Year is a

By MARY TOWNSEND The emergency lights was

track field. It was a beautiful day, with the humidity being kind of low. We walked about three miles, before we reached the Ahoskie Road. We decided to stop at Whitley's Barbeque to eat. After we finished eating hamburger, we left on the high-Murfreesboro. We walked about 100 feet when I stopped and said being a new freshmen and not

BUILDINGS & GROUNDS

To Melody Matthews and Jan Griffin! Room 223, Belk Hall. THANK YOU for the THANK YOU card!-SHD.

broken on No. 1 elevator in South

Hall. This light comes on when

there is a power failure which

enables anyone caught on the

elevator to see how to get out.

State law requires that these

lights be operational. If they are

not the elevator is to be locked.

This is what happened to elevator No. 1 last week. Therefore, PLEASE consider

others before you tamper with

Check out procedure for

1. Vacate your area, remove all

2. Clean area broom clean, as a

3. Ask Head Resident to check

4. Take check out sheet and key

Buildings and Grounds' office for

5. Refund cannot be made

without a check out sheet being

refund of the key deposit.

the Superintendent of

these elevators.

River December 16.

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