

TSU To Meet Prairie View In Bowl Game January 1



DUAL PERSONALITY—Harold Bradley, offensive guard of the professional Cleveland Browns football team, has a dual personality. At the famed Karamu House in Cleveland, Bradley teaches art in the off-season. He was out most of 1957 with an injury, but has been rooting the Browns on to the National Football League title. (Newspress Photo).

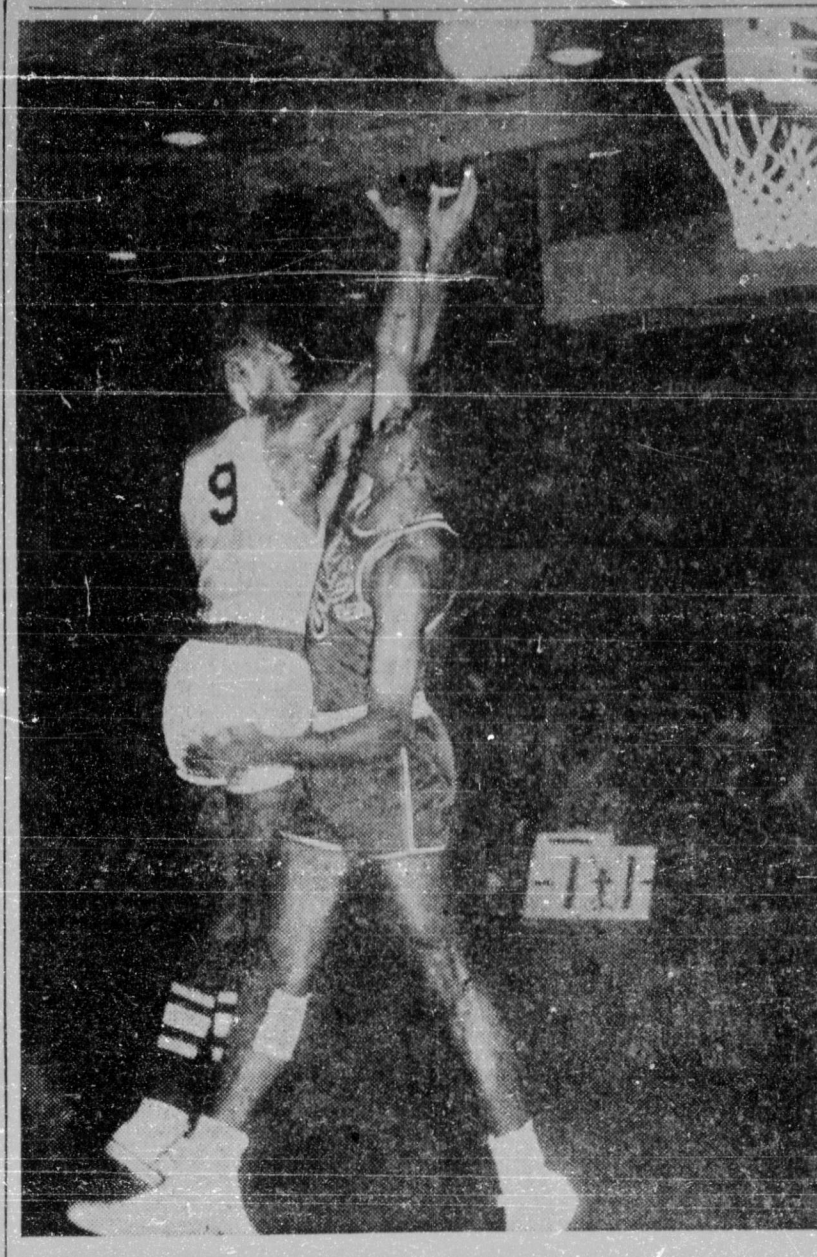
Texas Southern Underdog In New Year's Day Match

HOUSTON, Texas — Smarting under two straight defeats by Prairie View the Texas Southern University squad is expected to go all out for a Bowl Victory.

The Tigers' November finish established them as one of the nation's top teams as well as one of the fastest. Lightning fast Tiger backs ran up a total of 191 points in the last five games of the season.

With a tricky offense that can move the ball inside, outside or in the air, the Tigers' total offense averaged 459 yards per game in the last 5 games with the season high of 612 being rolled up against Gambler.

The return to the line-up of two giant tackles, James Soray and James Thompson, the late season play of Eddie Caldwell, 195 pound Junior half back and William Culley's return to his 1955 play production are some of the reasons for the Tigers late surge.



Shaw U. Bears Lose 2 Games While On Tour

The Shaw University Bears, after winning their first two games of the season, went on a two-day trip to play Hampton Institute and Elizabeth City State Teachers College recently.

The Bears lost to the Hampton Pirates to the tune of 91-76. At Elizabeth City the score in favor of the opponents was 91-73. The Bears next traveled to Fayetteville State and were handed their third loss by their opponents by the score of 66-44.

The next contest will be played on January 7 in Raleigh at Spaulding Gymnasium with Elizabeth City State College as the opposing team.

Broncos Use Reserves To Whip Shaw Bears, 60 To 44

FAYETTEVILLE—The Fayetteville State Teachers College Broncos outplayed and outscored Head Coach Cliff Anderson's scrappy Shaw University Bears from Raleigh 60-44 here recently.

The attack was spearheaded by a pair of fancy-free co-captains, Ronald "Ron" Evans and Roosevelt "Easy" Wright.

Likewise qualifying for a place on the wrecking crew was Joshua Lawrence, fast-moving, six-foot freshman from White Plains, New York. The Bronco victory marked the initial win for Head Coach William A. Bryant, incoming Bronco mentor who

three days earlier watched his charges suffer a 76-62 loss to the A. and T. "Aggies."

Following closely upon the opening whistle, Evans' easy lay-up broke the game wide open, but the Bears, led by their hard-working sophomore guard, Gallaway Pohl, came back furiously to knot the score three times in the early minutes of play.

Then Bronco regulars Robert Johnson and John Morgan got their eyes on the basket and the homesteaders moved out ahead to stay. At halftime the score stood at 41-21 in favor of the home outfit.

As the Raleigh cagers squared

off for a last-ditch stand, they found the going about as hard against a complete line-up of Bronco reserves. And to add insult to injury, Bear co-captains William Murphy and Robert Hall fouled out during the critical winning moments of the contest.

Despite their desperate comeback effort to which Captain Hall contributed four consecutive baskets, the Raleigh clan had to take it on the chin for their third defeat in five starts.

Bronco "Ron" Evans came up with 17 points to dominate the scoring business, but Shaw's Hall pushed him with 16.

Maryland Hawks Overcome Va. State Trojans, 71-69

PETERSBURG, Va. — The Maryland State Hawks of Maryland put on a perfect freeze with sixty seconds remaining in the game, to protect a 71-69 victory over the Virginia State Trojans here at Daniel Gymnasium, Petersburg, Virginia last week.

Ending the first half the Hawks trailed 31-25 but struck back vis-

ciously in the second half led by Wilbur Smith, who garnered 17 points.

For the losers Clyde Bonds bucketed 18 and Harold Deane got 15. This victory snapped a 2-game winning streak on the Trojans, who defeated Bluefield State College in the last two contests.

Nathaniel Trader, Sophomore, Is Pacing Hampton, Va. Cagers

HAMPTON, Va.—Paced by Nathaniel Trader, sophomore from Baltimore with a 73 individual point record so far this season, the rearguarding Hampton Pirate cagers have won four and lost one under the tutelage of freshman Coach Frank Enty.

At this same point in last season's play, Hampton had won two and lost three.

"Last year our team relied heavily on all-CIAA Center Ed Amos. If the opposition managed to bottle up Amos, they had the team pretty well under control," Enty explained.

"This year we have no star, though Trader, Walker Ward of Hampton, Va., and Harold Watson of Portsmouth, Va., have been outstanding performers. We're playing as a unit, making fewer mistakes, and the pay off shows in the win column," Enty continued.

According to Enty, prospects are good for adding to the win record in this week's games. Elizabeth City has an advantage in height and Morgan has a veteran team that went to CIAA tournament play last season. Coach Enty plans to overcome these advantages with an alert defense, deceptive offensive and the esprit de corps that has marked Hampton's play.

Lincoln Tigers Trample Ky. State At Frankfort

TWO POINTS — Charlie Harison (9) giant 6-6 center for the A&T College Aggies, goes under the guard of John Morgan, 6-foot forward for the Fayetteville State Teachers Broncos with a one-hand shot for two-points. The action took place last week as the Aggies whipped the Teachers 76-62, in the A&T Charles Moore Gymnasium.

The Tigers on Monday will travel to Nashville, Tenn., to meet an arch-foe, Tennessee A and I, considered to be one of the toughest small college teams in the country.

They will return to Jefferson City Tuesday and will play their first home game Wednesday night against Washburn College of Topeka, Kansas.

Jones High Blue Devils Undefeated

BY DONALD JONES
TRENTON — The Jones High School Blue Devils opened their 1957-58 season against Snow Hill December 3. The Blue Devils have played two other games against Morehead City. The losses and wins won them all. The losses did not lose a single game all last season. Our lads lost some games but we were the runner-up in the State AA tournament. Coach Wynn has developed marvelous teams since he came to Jones High in 1952. He has carried the teams to the tournament each year since coming to Jones High.

In the first two games every player on the bench played.



"CRAZY CHRISTMAS LIST—Lovely Sylvia Robinson, half of the sensational vocal team of Mickey and Sylvia had quite a Christmas list to present to Santa Claus, during their recent visit to a New York department store. Santa, who is used to getting long-winded requests, was bowled over by Sylvia's six-foot list, as was her partner, Mickey Baker. (Newspress Photo).

Sepia Gridders Pace Arizona State To An Unbeaten Season

CHICAGO (ANP) — With the final season's statistics in, it was clear last week that undefeated Arizona State—and its three tan backfield axes—had turned quite a performance this season.

The Sun Devils' junior half-back, Leon Burton, captured both the individual rushing and scoring championship. The Tempe team was tops in total offense and scoring and sixth in rushing offense.

Burton gained 1,126 yards in 117 rushes for a 9.62 average in 10 games. He scored 16 touchdowns for 96 points. His yardage from scrimmage was good enough to place him 13th among the total offense leaders.

Mulgado scored nine touchdowns, 36 conversions and a field goal for 93 points.

Another Arizona State performer, senior fullback, Joe Belland, scored 13 touchdowns for 78 points, good seventh place.

Other leading scorers were Jim Pace, Michigan halfback, 10 touchdowns for 80 points, and Don Clark, Ohio State, nine touchdowns for 54 points.

Nevertheless, each participating team has certain key men in their attacks who contribute tremendously to the success of their offenses.

Dillard University depends heavily upon pint-size Leroy Thomas, a sharp shooting junior from Chicago, Ill. Southern University is very boastful of co-captain Roosevelt Hill of Monroe, La., who last year finished the season with a 22.1 average.

Xavier looks to returning veteran Israel Joseph, 6'5", 190 lbs. center and George Sewell, a scrappy guard who hails from Cristobal, Canal Zone. Knoxville College has depended upon Jackie Fitzpatrick, all conference center, for much of its past success.

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Aggie Basketeers Win Over Elizabeth City And Eagles

GREENSBORO — The A and T College Aggies chopped down undefeated Elizabeth City State Teachers College, 85-55, and whipped the North Carolina College Eagles, 74-67, in consecutive basketball wins on the home court here last week.

The two-victories, closing out the pre-Christmas schedule, gave the high riding Aggies a 4-1 record for the young basketball season.

In their win over Elizabeth City, on Saturday night, December 14, the Aggies had many anxious moments near the end of the game. Trailing by 16-points for most of the final stanza, the fighting band of Teachers closed the gap to a thin 5-point lead with two minutes to play before the winners collected themselves to stave off the final gasping effort.

Joe Cotten, the 6-4 forward from Garysburg who handled a capable role on defense was high scorer for the Aggies with 16-points and his teammate, Herbert Gray, dumped 14-points for second honors.

Walter Bathrop, with 10-points was high for the Teachers.

On the following Tuesday night, nearly 3,000 screaming spectators, mostly hometowners, stood for the better part of the game to see the Aggies take their first win over the Durham outfit since 1955.

The final victory margin of seven points was the widest separating the two quintets during the entire evening. The game was deadlocked 10 times, three in the last half. When the Aggies went ahead 61-59, with nine minutes to play, they were never again overtaken.

The Aggies stalled the game for the last minute of the first half to

get the final shot for the 37-32 halftime lead.

Charles Harrison, 6-3 Aggie center who dumped points, was the hero on defense. He pulled down 22 rebounds to contribute heavily to his team's cause. Joe Howell, the locals' playmaker, was high scorer for the team with 18 points.

Three other Aggies scored in double figures, including Al Attier 16, Joe Cotton 14 and Herbert Gray 11.

Carlton (Ding Dong) Bell, 6-6 center for the Eagles, scored 25 points and two other teammates scored in double figures with Jim Sligh 15 and Bill Alston 12.

Leather Bags Make Nice Gifts

Two things a woman never has enough of -- money and leather handbags to carry it in. This may be deplored by men at other times, but is useful at Christmas when you don't know what to buy her.

And you're always right with a leather handbag -- as indicated by a just published gift preference survey. A group of 500 women were asked what quality they most appreciate what gifts they preferred -- in the price range below mink coats, a new sports car, etc. "Thoughtfulness" was the quality most welcomed -- and a leather handbag was the gift most desired.

So here's how to go about it: If all her handbags are the old type she'll probably be delighted with a bag that's either very casual or very dressy.

In the first class come many bright suede leathers for resort and vacation wear in shades such as turquoise, orange, hot pink, and brilliant blue-greens. Some of these are gathered under a gilt frame that's decorated with semi-precious jewels. Others are just plain underarm clutches.

White grained leather with black patent trim is also new. As are grained beige leather with brass

Xavier U.'s Yule Tournery Best Of Year

NEW ORLEANS (ANP) — A preview of the rapidly approaching Annual Holiday Basketball Doubleheader presented by the Athletic Department of Xavier University gives promise that the teams entered will have more balance and will be more evenly matched than at any time in the past.

Knoxville, viewed by coaches and sports experts as the team to watch in the S. L. A. C.; Dillard, with the best team in years; Southern, with a powerhouse of sophomores and strong freshmen; and Xavier, definitely improved over last year, should offer to the many fans who view this holiday activity yearly four thrill-packed contests, Dec. 26-27 in the Xavier University Gymnasium.

The first game of this extravaganza of basketball activities will present Xavier University matched with Knoxville College of Knoxville, Tenn. Dillard University will lock horns with the Southern University Jaguars in the second game. Instead of the usual outstanding

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MOST HAPPY FELLAR—Singer Billy Daniels is a happy guy, a few minutes after appearing in a New York Felony court on a gun carrying charge growing out of a two-year-old Harlem shooting. Daniels was fined \$200 and sentenced to four months, but the sentence was suspended. Immediately afterwards, Daniels' cabaret work permit was suspended by the Police Department, barring future nightclub engagements in New York—but "Ole Black Magic" doesn't seem the least upset. (Newspress Photo).