

AT NCC HOMECOMING—North Carolina College's president, Dr. Alfonso Elder, busses Miss Marva Roberts, a Baltimore, Maryland, senior at the college, after crowning her "Miss Homecoming" at the halftime of the NCC-Maryland State College game last Saturday. Looking on approvingly are, left to right: co-captains Robert McAdams, tackle; Raymond Nobles, fullback; and Carrie Barnes, Charlotte, junior attendant. The Eagles made the occasion a happy one by winning 19-0.

# NCC Tops Shaw; A&T Defeated

## Stiff Shaw Line Holds NCC To 20-0 Score

The Shaw Bears bowed to the powerful North Carolina College "Eagles" by a score of 20 to 0 at Chavis Park, Saturday, Oct. 27.

The three Eagle touchdowns came when Robert Evans went over in the first period from about two yards out winding up a 47 yard drive led by Richard Hicks. Richard Hicks scored the second touchdown on a short run that ended another long drive. Their final score came on a 55 yard pass from Hicks to end, Connie Boykin.

The Bears threatened to score late in the fourth period when James Carter went 40 yards on an interception, which was aided by another pass from Quarterback, Peter Walters, to Billie King, to move the Bears to the ten yard line. The Eagles didn't yield the score.

The Bears played their strongest defensive game up to the present.

## Livingstone Wins First '62 Victory

LAWRENCEVILLE, Va. — Livingstone College's Bears picked up their first victory of the season as they put up a valiant fourth quarter fight to stop St. Paul's College here, 20-14.

Holding a slim six point lead in the final period, the Blue Bears' defense, headed by Willie Fant, Samuel Strayhorn, and Jesse Gibson repulsed St. Paul's three times within the 20 yard line.

St. Paul tallied first on a 45 yard pass play and added two points on pass to go ahead, 8-0 in the first period.

St. Paul increased its lead in the third period on a three yard pass, but the Bears rushed back to match the score on a two yard run by Thomas Cross.

Livingstone scored first with just seconds left in the first half on an 80-yard pass and run play from freshman quarterback John Sensabaugh to Rudy Abrams. Livingstone's final touchdown came on an intercepted pass by Jesse Gibson who returned the ball 50 yards for the score.

St. Paul threatened three times in the final minutes but the Bears' defenses repulsed the attack repeatedly.

Next Saturday, the Bears entertain the Golden Rams of Albany State College, Albany, Ga. in their annual Homecoming game.

## Pirates Tie Falcons In Homecoming

The Elizabeth City State Teachers "Pirates" tied the St. Augustine's College "Falcons" 3-6 in the final ten seconds of their Homecoming game Saturday, Oct. 27.

The Falcons recovered a fumble on the 40 yard line of the Pirates, and after two plays, Sinclair King, quarterback of the Falcons, completed a pass to Robert Headen to the one-yard line. Headen was able to score after two plays. A pass to Morris Smith for the conversion failed.

Neither team was able to get a second score until the fourth quarter. The Falcons received a fourth down penalty for pass interference on their ten yard line; the Pirates scored in four plays.

Robert Watson went over from the fouryard line. The kick for the extra point was wide.

## Aggies' Westmoreland Unable To Stop Bears

GREENSBORO — Bert Pigott was not able to fire the A&T Aggies up enough to defeat the strong aggregation from Morgan State College and as a result went down to his first defeat of the season, 21-14.

Dick Westmoreland was the only Aggie that the Morgan Bears could not stop and the powerful back was the only scorer for the Aggies. He crossed the goal line from the one yard line, in the final period, after receiving a lateral from Ronald Hart.

He was not to be denied and he scored the pay-off stripe from the two yard line on a pass for the second tally.

The boys from the land of many waters, started with a bang and before the homecoming crowd could

hardly realize what was actually going on they had three touchdowns and three extra point scores.

Westmoreland the 165 lb. back from Charlotte, who is considered the workhorse of the team, had very little respect for the Morgan boys and was in there fighting a hard way.

FAMU TOPS NAIA POLL — KANSAS CITY, Mo. (ANP) — Florida A&M University last week was rated the top team in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletic, holding a 167-168 margin over a second-place Central, Okla., State.

The FAMU Rattlers forged into the lead after winning three straight football games, keeping its season's record unblemished.

# Beating The Gun

BY BILL BROWER FOR ANP  
CHICAGO — Baseball is all wrapped up until next spring. But what a season it was for our boys. Sentimentally, we would have loved it if the San Francisco Giants bagged the World Series — but who's to begrudge Elston Howard, Hector Lopez and Marshall Bridges that lion's share of the loot? Willie Mays, Orlando Cepeda, Jose Pagan, Willie McCovey, Felipe and Matty Alou, Juan Marichal and Carl Boles won't have to go to the poorhouse for their cut will be \$2,000 or so per man. The Giants battled the New York Yankees right down to the wire — and only a matter of foot or less saved the haughty world champions. Howard, Lopez and Bridges will get maybe \$12,000 for their winning shares.

Looking back over the past season, we'll have to write it down as one of the best ever for fan performers. Of course, the man who stimulated the excitement this year was Maury Wills. The slender Los Angeles Dodger's shortstop was a sensation to the end. In the deciding playoff game between the Dod-

gers and the Giants for the National League flag, Maury stole three bases to bring his season total to 104.

He had long since broken Ty Cobb's mark of 96 stolen bases in one season. Maury's speed probably will get him in the neighborhood of 500,000 next season.

Wills is likely to be vying with his teammate, Tommy Davis and Mays for the NL most valuable player award. You can't pick one without doing injustice to the other. However, there can be but one choice — and we have a hunch it will climax Wills' great season.

Davis became the first NL player to grab batting and runs batted in honors in the same season for several years. The Dodger outfielder batted .46, edging Frank Robinson of the Cincinnati Redlegs by four percentage points. Tommy also drove in 153 runs, high for the majors.

Mays was the home run leader in the two big leagues. He collected a pair in the playoff series to run his total to 49, his highest production since 1955 when he wall-pounded 51.

These types of performances demonstrate how the tan players dominate the game this season. For example, on the allstar selected by the baseball writers, six tan boys were on the first team. Besides Wills, Robinson, Mays and Davis, Orlando Cepeda, of the Giants, made it at first base, and Earl Battey, sole American League tan star selected, was the catcher.

Robinson was the lone repeater from last year's super squad. On the second team, incidentally were Hank Aaron of the Milwaukee Braves, in the outfield; Jose Pagan, of the Giants at shortstop, and Bill White, of the St. Louis Cardinals, first base. All are National Leaguers.

For the second season in a row, Robinson captured slugging honors in the NL and was tops in the majors this year. He had a productive mark of .624. Aaron was second with a .618 percentage, followed by Mays, with .615. All were better than Mickey Mantle's American League best of .605.

Other top NL sluggers included Davis, .535; Cepeda, .518; Alou, .515; George Altman, of the Chicago

## WEST COAST SPORTLIGHT

BY L. I. BROCKENBURY  
LOS ANGELES (ANP) — With my man Elgin Baylor available for the entire season the L. A. Lakers, off their fine pre-season, records should win it all this trip. Talk about the Dodgers coming close to winning the pennant. What about those Lakers who were all tied up with the World Champions Boston Celtics after the end of the final game of the "World Series" and finally lost out in the overtime.

As much as I hated to see the under-rated Tommy Hawkins traded, the Lakers still will have the most integrated team in sports. The Lakers picked up a real great one in Dick Barnett and the two rookies—Leroy Ellis and Gene Wiley—could be the finds of the year.

On Hawkins, I think he will come into his own with Cincinnati. He will have more of a chance for real stardom along with Cincy's Oscar Robertson, Wayne Embry and Jack Twyman.

The Lakers opened on the road and brought their show home Saturday (Oct. 26) against the Detroit Pistons. As you know, the Pistons is the only team in the NBA with an assistant Negro coach... He's Earl Lloyd, former NBA star in his own right.

When the Los Angeles Blades came skating into the Sports Arena to open the 1962 season against Portland, Oregon Oct. 24-25, they had two Negroes—Willie O'Ree and Stan Maxwell—in their line-up. O'Ree, a sizzler for the

Blades last year, is called the Jackie Robinson of Hockey and one of the fastest skaters in the game. Negroes are novelties in hockey and for a team to have two, this is really a feat... and a sign of real progress.

It's good to see that California has finally got back on the integration band wagon in a big way. Cal came south with over 12 men of color to meet SC in the Coliseum—recently. But the top Negro boys were on SC's side. These men were Willie Brown, Ben Wilson and that new guy Ernie Pyle.

That flyer Kermit Alexander that Bill Barnes has been turning loose on opponents looks like the best bet. UCLA has had since Sam "First Down" Brown. Like Brown, Alexander can really run... He looks like a real all-American prospect... By the way, Sam Brown is now a star salesman for Golden State Mutual Life Insurance Company.



NICE TRY—San Francisco 49er back Bernie Casey (30) finds something underfoot as he lunges for a pass during the Oct. 21 San Francisco-Green Bay game in Milwaukee. That "something underfoot" is Packer back Herb Adderly. The Packers won 31-13. (UPI PHOTO).

## Ligon's Top Athlete Is Well Thought Of At U. Of Minn.

BY RICHMOND STEWART  
William Crockett, perhaps destined to be the greatest athlete yet to graduate from the J. W. Ligon High School, as a sophomore at the University of Minnesota is seeing quite a bit of action at left half on the powerful Gophers' football team and is rated a fine running back and a good defensive player by the Minnesota coaches.

According to a sports release from the University Athletic Department, "Crockett is small but not afraid to hit. Weighing only 132 pounds at 5 feet 10 inches tall, he is willing to take on the biggest opponents."

On the Junior Varsity squad last year Crockett maintained an average of 4.6 yards per carry. He should come into his own his junior year.

While at Ligon High School, Crockett starred in four sports. He also captained at one time or another, the football, baseball, basketball and track teams. He has been clocked in the 100 yard dash at 9.7.

While at Ligon Crockett teamed up with James Stewart to help shape a back field any coach would want. Both explosive runners, either one was subject to take off for 70-90 yards. When they graduated Ligon's coach "Pete" Williams stated, "there'll never be another two boys on any high school team at the same time as good as Crockett and Stewart." Stewart selected Southern Illinois University as his choice of colleges.

Crockett left a most distinguished record at Ligon. He won 14 letters in baseball, track, basketball and football, and ran the 100-yard dash in 9.7.

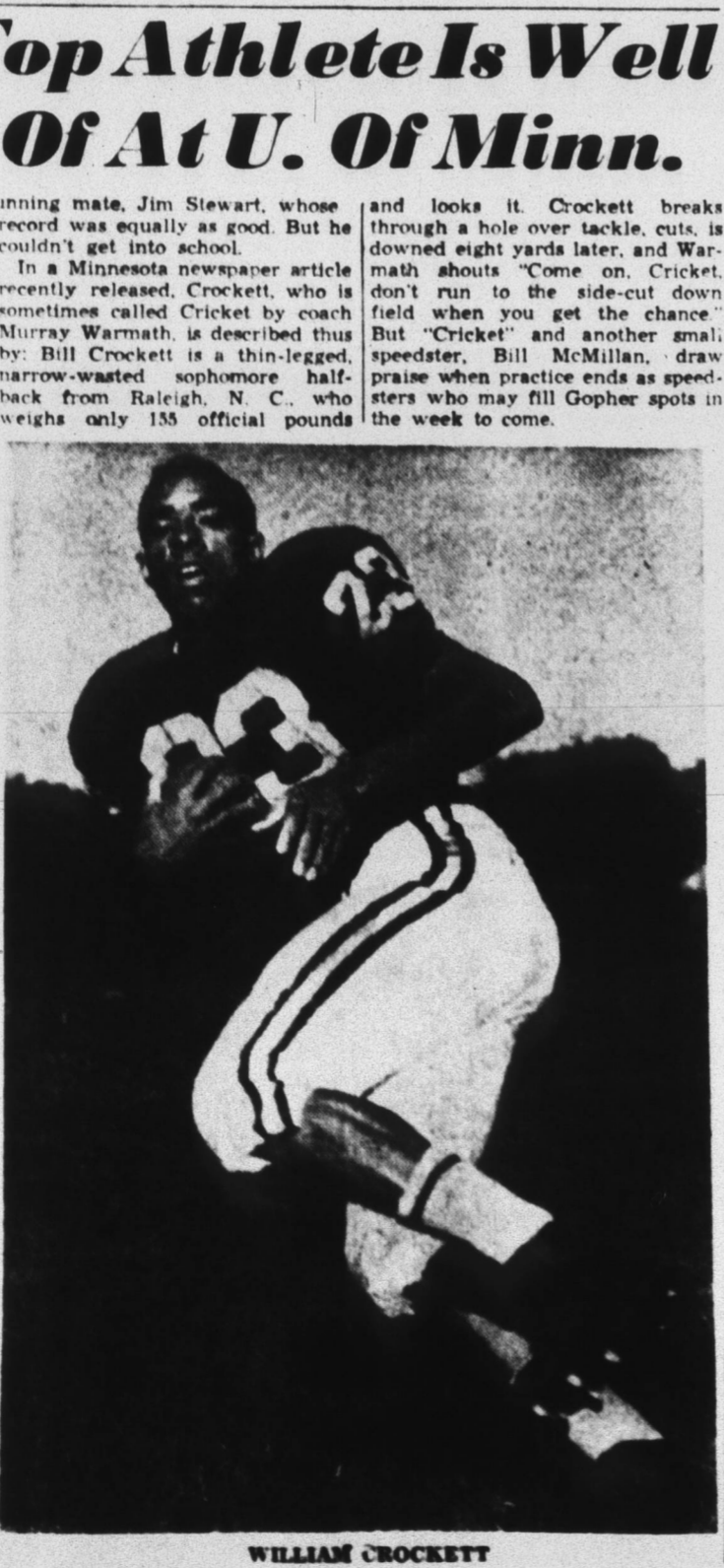
As a high school junior, the 155-pound Crockett gained 769 yards for an average of 7.4. He scored 66 points and had touchdown runs of 98, 75, 66, 63, and 54 yards.

Crockett rushed for 720 yards and a 10.1 average his senior year in high school. He threw six touchdown passes, scored 78 points and personally accounted for 1,029 rushing and passing yards.

He scored touchdowns on runs of 82, 73, 68, 61 and 60 yards.

Crockett is now a third-team halfback at Minnesota.

The Gophers wanted Crockett's



WILLIAM CROCKETT

## B. T. Washington Upends Darden

WILSON — Darden High was unable to cross Booker T. Washington's goal line but once in the first quarter and once in the last quarter and no point after touchdown. The Rocky Mount boys raked up 16 points in the third quarter and six in the last.

Tommy Battle lugged the ball across for the first Darden touchdown after his team had marched 31 yards. Local fans were jubilant and watched the two teams battle through the second period without a score.

Ronald Lawrence could easily be called a thief, for it was his interception of a Darden's pass, climaxed with a 39-yard run, that started Washington off. Wayne Harper passed to Joe Edge and the visitors went out in front, in the third session.

Harper threw to Edge for 13 yards for the second score, which came after a Darden fumble on the 18. Harper passed to Kenneth Armstrong for two points.

Ken Blaceman plunged from the one-foot line for the final score. The drive went 43 yards after an intercepted pass. Harper threw to Edge for the extra point.

Wilson made its final score in the last period. Bob Barnes, the quarterback, passed to Manuel Wooten, 31 yards, for the last score. The extra point try was futile.

## Southern Ends Jackson's Streak

BATON ROUGE, La. (ANP) — Southern University pulled off the big one here in University Stadium Saturday night, as they slashed their way to a 19-14 homecoming victory over Jackson State College to knock the Tigers from the ranks of the undefeated.

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