

SPORT talk

NCCU Hangs On For Win Over Morgan State

Opportunist North Carolina Central took advantage of two fumble recoveries, a blocked punt to score 11 points in the first half and then hung on going down the stretch for an 11-8 Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference win over Morgan State here Saturday afternoon at Durham County Stadium before about 7,000 spectators.

The Eagles scored on a 32-yard field goal by Tyrone Boykins late in the first quarter, added a safety midway the second stanza and then cashed in on another fumble recovered less than a minute and half later for a 11-0 half time lead.

Morgan State turned a pass interception by Eugene Simms in the fourth period touchdown and then added a two point conversion but was unable to put crach the tough North Carolina Central defense in the waning moments as the Eagles came away with their first conference win and their decision of the young season in four outings.

Malcolm Mangum recovered a Morgan fumble at the Bears' 16 yard line with time running out in the first period of the defensive battle. NCCU was unable to move the ball and Boykins booted a 32-yard field

goal to give NCCU a 3-0 lead with 32 seconds remaining in the initial period.

George Jones broke through to block a James Slaughter punt midway the second quarter but Morgan recovered the ball in its end zone giving NCCU a safety a 5-0 lead with 8:58 left in the half.

About a minute later Maurice Spencer picked a Morgan fumble at the Bears' 17 and returned it 15 yards to the two. On the first play from scrimmage following this, James Smith rammed in for the touchdown. Boykins missed his

PAT from placement giving the Eagles a 11-0 advantage with 7:26 before the half.

Bob Hammond scampered 13 yards on a screen pass from Greg Grimes for the Bears' lone TD of the day. After an unsuccessful try for the two-point, pass NCCU was offside giving Morgan another chance from the one.

This time Jimmy Joe plunged in for the conversion making the 11-8 with 8:22 left in the contest.

Morgan put together a sustain drive from its five yard line in the contest converting two fourth down plays into first downs but missing a crucial first down by one-yard at the NCCU 35 with less than two minutes left in the contest. Morgan 0, 0, 0, 8-8 NCCU 3, 8, 0, 0-11 NCCU-Tyrone Boykins 32 yard field goal NCCU-Safety Morgan recovered blocked punt in end zone NCCU-James Smith 2 runs (kick failed) Morgan Bob Hammond 13 passes from Greg Grimes (Jimmy Joe run) Attendance-7,000 (est.)

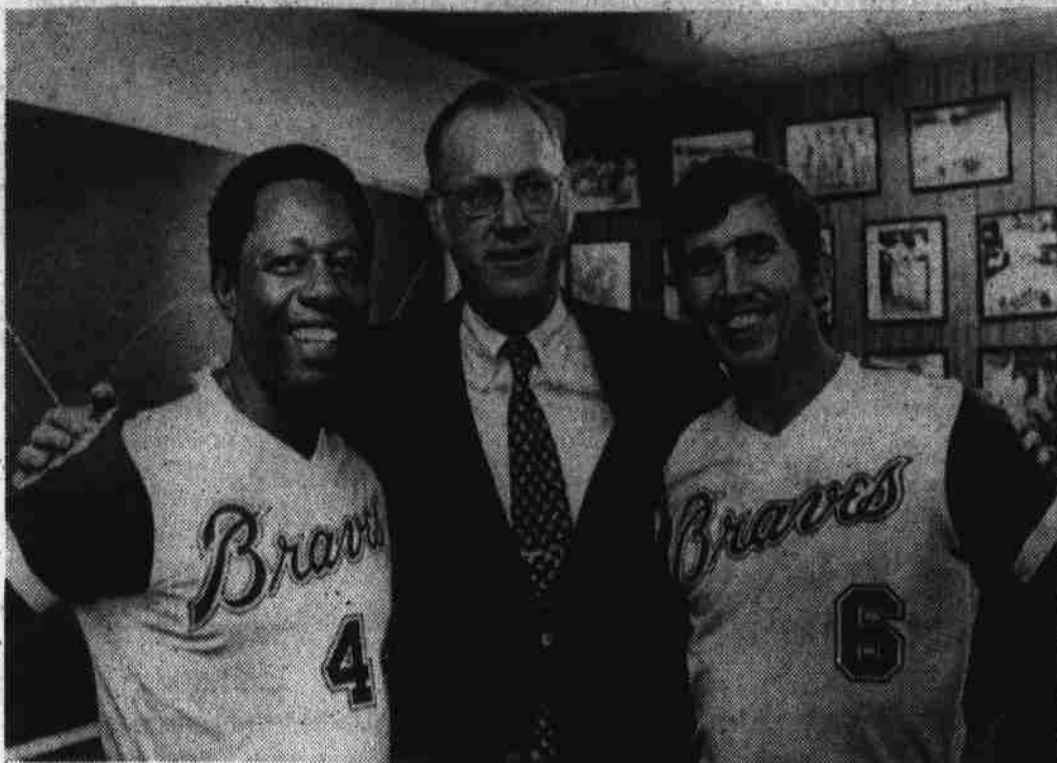
Louis Cardinals to a 3-1 victory over the Philadelphia Phillies Sunday.

The victory pulled the second-place Cardinals to within one game of the front-running New York Mets, who split a doubleheader with the Chicago Cubs, in the scrambled National League East race.

The 26-year-old outfielder went to the wall for a Hutton line drive with a Philie runner aboard and the Cardinals protecting a 1-0 lead in the fourth.

After crashing into the wall on the play, the St. Louis right-fielder slammed a one-out double to left-center in the bottom of the inning to establish a 2-0 lead.

A male New York teacher was won the right to unpaid leave of absence for care of a young child.



RECORD CHASERS - Atlanta: Baseball Commissioner Bowie Kuhn throws his arms around Atlanta Braves' Hank Aaron (L) and second baseman Dave Johnson in the Braves' clubhouse 9/17 after the Padres game in which Aaron hit his 711th career homerun and Johnson hit his 42nd homerun. Johnson tied a record set by Rogers Hornsby for the number of homeruns hit in one season by a second baseman-42. Johnson also leads the majors in that department.



ELDER COMMENDS GULF GOLFERS - Members of Gulf Oil Corporation's golf team have been successful in winning a number of prizes in 1973. Lee Elder, who often represents the company, was in Pittsburgh recently to promote his appearance in the Cosmo III Open in September. He took the occasion to congratulate Mrs. Bebe Christian for winning first in the women's flight of the National U.G.A. Tournament and Bobby Jones, left, for winning his flight. John Christian, right, didn't play in the UGA but was a prize-winner at the Hampton Open in Jacksonville.



CHAMBERLAIN LEAVES NBA FOR ABA - Wilt Chamberlain, the National Basketball Association's (NBA) most prolific scorer and rebounder, is joined by Dr. Leonard Bloom, owner of the San Diego Conquistadores of the American Basketball Association (ABA), as the famed cager announces at news conference here Sept. 26 that he's jumping from the NBA's Los Angeles Lakers to the ABA's Conquistadores as a player-coach.

O. W. Hawkins New Basketball Coach at Fayetteville State U.

FAYETTEVILLE - Dr. Charles "A" Lyons, Jr., Chancellor of Fayetteville State University, has announced the appointment of a new basketball coach at Fayetteville State University.

He is Otis W. Hawkins. A native of Louisburg, North Carolina, Hawkins is a graduate of North Carolina A & T State University where he was an All-CIAA end and played varsity basketball.

Hawkins will succeed the late Thomas L. Reeves, who guided the basketball fortunes of Fayetteville State University for the past three seasons and recently claimed the coveted CIAA Tourney Championship last February.

Hawkins comes to Fayetteville State University with very high credentials. He was head basketball coach at Winston-Salem Reynolds High School last year and took his team to the finals in the state 4-A Tournament.

Hawkins has been head coach at Reynolds since 1970 and has been on the staff since 1968 having worked as an assistant in football as well as head basketball coach.

According to Chancellor Lyons, Hawkins will coach basketball and teach in the history and political science departments at Fayetteville State University.

Hawkins taught at Siler City, for five years before coming to Paisley, then a senior high school in Winston-Salem, North Carolina. Paisley finished second in the 4-A conference of the North Carolina High School Athletic Conference two years. His team went to the state tournament semi-finals in 1967 and lost in the finals in 1968. Hawkins was runner-up for "Coach-of-the-Year" honors.

His Reynolds teams have been highly successful. Last season, Winston-Salem Reynolds had a 22-3 record and won the Central 4-A District 6 Championship losing to Reidsville in the state finals.

For this honor, Hawkins was named Winston-Salem and

Forsyth County High School of Ghana and the University of Kusmasi.

The 37 year old basketball is married and the father of two children.

Colts, 14-10

BALTIMORE (AP) - Bert Jones tossed a touchdown pass on the first Baltimore series, then all but discarded the aerial game after four first-half interceptions and the Colts held off New Orleans 14-10 Sunday in a National Football League game.

With the rookie quarterback trying only two passes in the second half, which started with Baltimore ahead 14-7, Lydell Mitchell and Don McCaskey each rushed for more than 100 yards.

New Orleans 14 10 0 0-20
Baltimore 14 0 0 0-20

Colts - J. Mitchell 4 pass from J. Olt (kick)
Colts - Baltimore 1 run (kick)
Colts - Baltimore 25 pass from Manning (kick)
Colts - J. Peller 17 A-AP

HAWKINS

Willis Reed Winner of Urban League's Whitney Young Award

Willis Reed, captain of the world champion New York Knicks of the National Basketball Association, will be the recipient of the New York Urban League's 1973 Whitney M. Young, Jr. National Memorial Award.

Livingston L. Wingate, executive director of the New York Urban League, who made the announcement, stated that the award would be presented to Reed during the half-time of the Whitney M. Young, Jr. Memorial Football Classic. The classic features the teams of Grambling and Morgan State Colleges at Yankee Stadium, New York City on September 22nd at 3:00 p.m. Incidentally, Reed is a graduate of Grambling Coll.

Wingate said that the selection of the awardee is based on the individual's representation of the spirit and

dedication of ideals that are similar to those of the late Mr. Young - among which was the constant struggle to obtain equal opportunity for all Americans.

The award is symbolized by a plaque and a medallion. The inscription reads: FOR ACHIEVEMENT IN THE BETTERMENT OF BROTHERHOOD AND MANKIND THROUGH EQUALITY.

Cardinals Hang In, Win 3-1

ST. LOUIS - Bernie Carbo robbed Tommy Hutton of an extra-base hit, then doubled home the deciding run in the next inning, pacing the St.



Wilt Chamberlain

Philly NAACP Raps Chamberlain's Slur On Black Women

PHILADELPHIA-Alfonso Deal, president of the North Philadelphia Chapter of the NAACP, has strongly criticized Wilt Chamberlain for remarks he has made in his recently published autobiography, "Wilt."

Chamberlain had been quoted in the press as claiming that he preferred white women to black women as companions and lovers.

THE SEVEN foot plus former Overbrook High School cager in a book prepared in collaboration with a presumably white sportswriter, claimed Black women lack "education and sophistication" and are not serious claimants for his affections.

Chamberlain added that Black women are sexually repressed and "unable to respond fully to a man" because of their upbringing which probably included an extreme poverty situation, forced them to live in crowded rooms with the entire family where they learned "sex is something ugly and furtive."

IN AN open letter to Chamberlain, of the Los Angeles Lakers, Deal said he waited before writing because he felt sure there would be a retraction of the remarks. Since none was forthcoming and a longer excerpt has been published locally, Deal released the letter to the press.

"It is unfortunate that a person of your stature would do such a disservice to the image of our proud Black women. But for the high price paid by them, we as a race would not today enjoy the meager crumbs allotted to us from the table of democracy," Deal wrote.

CHAMBERLAIN has a right to write women if they are his chosen "lovers," Deal said, but he should not "teach our Black women as an excuse for your preferences."

Deal said he was angered when he first read Chamberlain's remarks, but now has come to feel they are the basketball star's own criticism from himself for his avid courtship of white women.

last year. "WITH ALL of your fame, wealth and big house, you seem to be immature, insecure and frightened that you will not be acceptable to the white community unless you demean our beautiful, strong Black women."

"I hope and pray your mother and sisters have not read the statements attributed to you... If in fact you no longer like our beautiful Black, strong and compatible women, I have only sympathy for you and a little advice. You should use a little more soap and water, some of the Brut you advertise, good manners and less ego tripping. And then remember, it's all right to play white, but just don't forget from whence you came," Deal concluded.

CHAMBERLAIN'S criticism of Black women was accompanied by a recitation of the attributes which made him "superior" to Black women and able to relate only to white females:

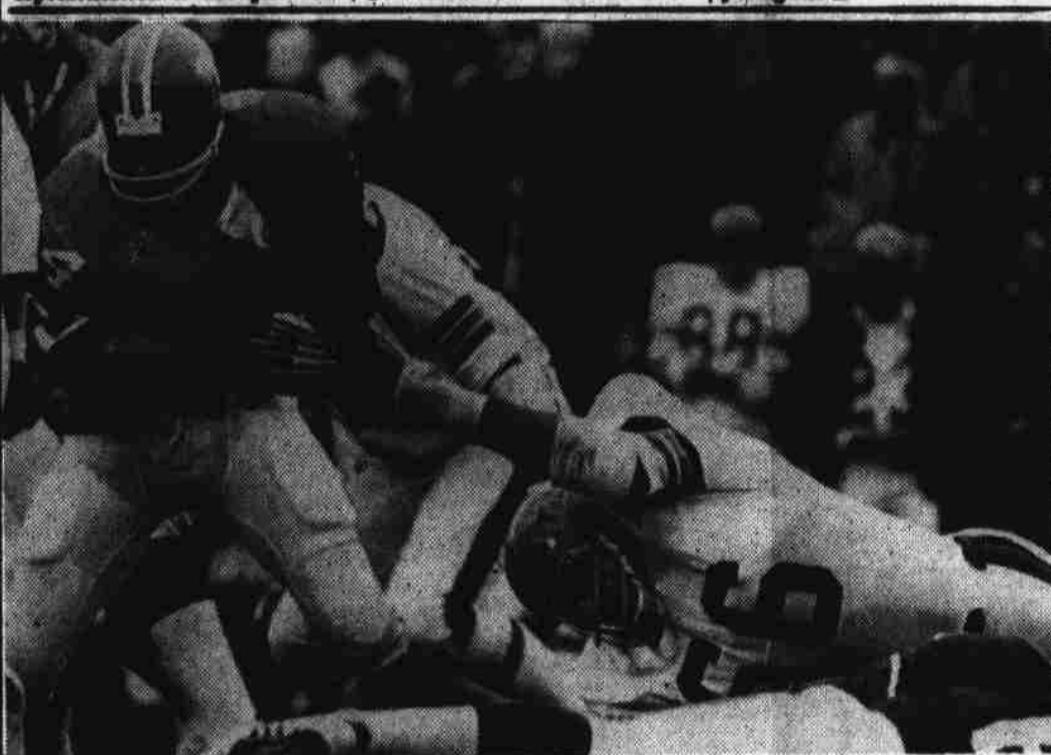
"I have a good education, I have traveled, I've become a knowledgeable businessman. I've learned to appreciate good food and art-the good life."

Browns, 12-10

CLEVELAND (AP) - Assistant Don Cockroft kicked four field goals, leading the Cleveland Browns to a 12-10 National Football League victory over the New York Giants Sunday.

Cockroft's winning 19-yard field goal in the fourth quarter ended a seven-play drive for the Browns that started on their own 44. With a little less than three minutes remaining, Browns safety Walt Summer picked off a Norm Snead pass, giving the Browns an opportunity to run out the clock.

New York Giants 12 10 0 0-20
Cleveland 12 0 0 0-20



BRONCO-BENGALS - Denver Bronco running back (44) Floyd Little gets a jersey tackle from Cincinnati Bengal linebacker (66) Bill Bergey during 1st quarter Denver-Cincinnati action 9/16. Little gained 6-yards on the play.



WILLIS REED HONORED - Willis Reed (Tall Center), captain of the world champion Basketball team, the New York Knickerbockers, was the recipient of the New York Urban League's Third Annual Whitney M. Young, Jr. Memorial National Award at Yankee Stadium, New York City. Reed received the award before 64,243 fans during half-time of the Whitney M. Young, Jr. Memorial Football Classic featuring the colleges of Grambling of Louisiana and Morgan of Maryland. Mrs. Margaret Young (right), widow of the late Whitney M. Young, Jr., presented the basketball star the Young plaque. Queen of Soul, Aretha Franklin (second from left) hung the Young medallion around Reed's neck. Master of ceremonies was Livingston L. Wingate, executive director of the New York Urban League (left). Grambling defeated Morgan 31-14.

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