

1955 Junior College All-Staters

Left Guard
Jerry Hawkins
Gardner-Webb College

Center
Ben Rich
Chowan College

Right Guard
Tommy Sheets
Gardner-Webb College

Left Tackle
Elwood Limbaugh
Lees McRae College

Quarterback
Herman Clark
Chowan College

Right Tackle
Paul Shaw
Mars Hill College

Left End
Jim Gravely
Chowan College

Fullback
James Johnson
Gardner-Webb College

Right End
Harrel Lambert
Lees McRae College

Left Halfback
Jack Crenshaw
Chowan College

Right Halfback
J. T. Davis
Gardner-Webb College

Al Vaughn Scores Three TD's As Braves Top Richmond 40-26

MURFREESBORO - A magnificent, inspired Chowan football team entering the game on the crest of a five-game streak displayed a flashy offense as they downed University of Richmond 40-26.

Chowan scored two touchdowns with less than five minutes in the first period. Chowan's Ben Rich kicked off to Richmond. Leon Tucker returned the ball five yards to his own 30. On the first play from scrimmage the Spiders fumbled and Emmett Wadford recovered for Chowan on the 30. Herman Clark then passed to end Paul Blake for 24 yards. Warren carried for 2 and then scored from 4 yards out. Jim Gravely added the PAT.

Albert Vaughn returned a punt 73 yards for Chowan's second touchdown of the game. Gravely added the PAT. The first period ended 14-0.

Al Vaughn scored in the opening minutes of the second quarter on a 22 yard run through the entire Richmond defense.

The Spiders got their first score on a 67 yard pass and run play from Francis Gagliano to Don Brown. Robert Soffee added the PAT.

Richmond kicked off to Al Pierce who returned the ball to Richmond's 31. Harding Wood passed to Jim Gravely for the distance, giving the Braves a 27 to 7 lead at halftime after Wood added the PAT.

Al Vaughn, in the third quarter, went over from 13 yards out for the powerful Braves giving them a 33-7 lead at the end of the third period.

Coach Appenzeller played all of his Braves in the last period as Richmond scored 19 points and Chowan scored 7. Don Brown scored all of the touchdowns and PAT's for Richmond. He scored from the 12, 4, and 2 yard lines. Jim Gravely scored the Chowan touchdown on a 17 yard pass from Herman Clark. Gravely added the PAT.

Ben Rich, Ted Rollins, Jack Crenshaw, Fletcher Baker, Emmett Wadford, Ike Gay, Joe Honeycutt and Bill Mooneyham showed up well for the Braves.

Braves Feature Long Runs in Wesley Win

Albert Vaughn scooted 78 yards with a punt return and Jack Crenshaw went 65 yards with another punt as Chowan defeated Wesley College of Delaware, 25-6, in a game played in driving rain at Ahsokie.

This was Chowan's second straight varsity victory of the season. It was plain to see that the Braves could have beaten Wesley as decisively as they wished, but Coach Appenzeller's Braves were riddled with substitutes after the second touchdown. The second touchdown was scored after 10 minutes in the first period.

John Warren made gains of 11, 6, 5, 25, 13, 19, and 56 yards in that order in seven carries for a total of 125 yards and an average of 18 yards per carry. The 56 yard carry was good for a touchdown. This touchdown gave Warren 4 for the new season. Jack Crenshaw has carried the ball five times this season for 124 yards and an

average of 24 yards per carry.

Crenshaw has scored two touchdowns this season. Albert Vaughn carried the ball four times against Wesley College for 38 yards, caught a pass for 10 yards, and returned a punt 65 yards for a touchdown. This was Vaughn's first touchdown of the season, but he is credited with setting up two other scores. Herman Clark passed 22 yards to end Jim Gravely for the other score.

Coach Appenzeller played every man on his squad. All showed up well and several fourth quarter substitutes showed signs of being capable of helping the Braves to future victories. Harold Willis, the fourth team fullback, showed the first three teams and the crowd that stayed for the fourth period a fine job of faking. The befuddled Giants from Delaware had no idea who had the ball and many were faked into going for Willis.

Braves Average 351 Yards Against Foes

The Chowan Braves averaged 351 yards per game in routing their first five opponents, official statistics from the games indicate.

The Braves, more successful on the ground than through the air, struck for 231 yards per game while they stuck to rushing. Quarterbacks Wood and Clark uncorked their pitching arms for 143 yards per game.

Newport News furnished the most leaky defense for the charges of Coach Herb Appenzeller as the Braves rolled up some 436 yards against the Tars. The Baltimore defense proved to be the stingiest with Chowan making only 313 yards against them.

Hargraves moved against the Braves for 260 yards to prove the most troublesome team for Chowan to handle. The Cadets also amassed the most ground yardage with 147 yards.

HALF THE WOMEN hired by men are as smart as the men—at least so the women think.

GRIDIRON WISDOM

Coach Herb Appenzeller has done a fine job with the football team this fall.

The team tackles hard, blocks downfield as well as many college teams, and plays a solide game grounded on the fundamentals of the game as laid out by such adherents of rock-em-sock-em football as Major Bob Neyland of Tennessee and Wallace Wade of Duke.

Anyone who was in school in the early days of school knows Appenzeller's secret weapon. Condition and more condition has been the rule of the club. Run to the lake; run back in the dawn's early light.

Head-on tackling drills with imperfections penalized by another try at it. A constant drill to get the many varieties of the tricky split T formation "down pat" and spring Warren, Crenshaw and so fourth down the field for long runs.

It is hard to tell yet whether Chowan will have an oppo- feated season, but win, lose, or draw, all of Chowan's oppo- nents can tell by the charley horses and the bruises that they have been on the field with a surperbly conditioned and trained football team.

But even with an undefeated season, Appenzeller's chief claim to distinction lies in yet another sphere. Not a man has been cut from his squad this year.

In these days of participation from the grandstand, it seems to us that here is a marked departure from the policy of many large universities who demand a barrel of press clippings from a player before they will let him remain a member of their squads.

The policy of letting a man remain on the squad in spite of previous experience and early ineptness is one which will certainly pay heavy future dividends. It may give a player the necessary strength and coordination to pue him through a tough marine or partrooper basic training course. It may on the other hand equip another player with the necessary stamina, leadership and other qualities developed on the foot- ball field to stand up to a crisis in civilian life.

Athletics and the values gained from them certainly rank among academic and social training as a chief benefit of a college. Coach Appenzeller is to be complimented for letting the 'differs' gain its profits along with the 'prose'.

Summary of Games

CHOWAN — WESLEY		CHOWAN — BALTIMORE	
	Cho. Wes.	Cho. Balt.	
First downs	11 4	12 6	
Rushing yardage	237 114	233 110	
Yards lost rushing	8 51	5 28	
Passing yardage	93 56	80 7	
Passes attempted	8 7	7 8	
Passes completed	7 4	3 2	
Punting average	29 37	0 2	
Fumbles lost	1 1	125 50	
Yards penalized	40 15	Chowan 7 7 7 0-21	
Chowan	13 6 6 0-25	Baltimore 0 0 0 0-0	
Wesly	0 0 6 0-6		

THE PRIVILEGE of boasting that a man took her where she could be seen and admired, is what most women want, but it's an expensive pastime.



COACH LOOKS ON—Coach Appenzeller, forefront, poses for a shot as his Braves score their fourth touchdown of the game over the Newport News Shipbuilders. On the right is line coach Paul Davis. Members of the squad are 21, John Warren, 27, Don Deaton, 30, Emmett Wadford, 31, Daryl Allen. In the back ground on the right is Vaughn Fowler, former line coach. On the left is Harold Brown one of Chowan's student managers.

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