

P. J. Moore Elected To Head CIAA For 1948



Texas State Auditorium Scene Of Beautiful Annual Christmas Drama

Fifteenth and Sixteenth Centuries gave a far-away quality to the Mystery for Christmas, presented Sunday in the Texas State Auditorium by the University's Division of Fine Arts, with the Department of Art, Music, Drama, Dance, English, and Home Economics collaborating.

The hurry-bully of the modern Christmas was replaced with ethereal mystery as halcyon angels in bright red robes entered the darkened auditorium with lighted candles to the muted accompaniment of a string ensemble, whose music might have come from the infancy of time and space.

One of the most beautiful elements of the production was the scene in which the shepherd is surprised by Gabriel and his angels, and his advent being the dimly-lit stage, into the brilliance. And again when Mary rose and stood with folded hands while the Massiest was recited by the Women's Glee Club above the undertone of the beautiful Ave Maria by Arcadio, sung by the Men's Club.

Allegorical bursts of color, introduced by Janina, merely provided the needed touch of realism to the earthbound.

At the close, the airman of the "Last Supper" prayer in the "Mystery" scene, as the lights were turned on, the service ended with the joyful strains of "He is the Herald of the King," in which all joined.

Behind the presentation of the medieval Mystery, components of present day opera and oratorio was the patient, painstaking work of the collaborating departments, headed by Dr. James E. Dorsey of the Division of Fine Arts and

AGGIES ADD TENN. AND ALLEN TO 1949 SCHEDULE

Greensboro — Two new opponents have been booked for College Aggies for the 1949 football season, according to the schedule just announced by Athletic Director Bill Bell.

Allen University of Clumbia, S. C. and Tennessee State College of the Midwestern Athletic Association are the new opponents, replacing Wilberforce State and Johnson C. Smith University.

The schedule follows:

Sept. 24—Allen University at Greensboro

Oct. 1—Virginia Union at Richmond, Va.

Oct. 8—Hampton Institute at Greensboro

Oct. 15—Shaw University at Greensboro

Oct. 22—Owen

Oct. 29—Morgan State at Baltimore, Md.

Nov. 5—Tennessee State at Greensboro (Homecoming)

Nov. 12—Virginia State at Petersburg, Va.

Nov. 24—North Carolina College at Greensboro (Thanksgiving)

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The National Dairy Council will hold its 34th annual meeting in Winston-Salem next month. About 200 dairy industry executives from coast to coast are expected to attend.

A AND T COLLEGE CAGERS FACE TOUGH SEASON

Greensboro, N. C. — Coach A. Echols' North Carolina A and T College basketball team will face one of the toughest schedules of basketball history this season. Twenty-four games are scheduled for the 1949 season, beginning January 4, in addition to non-conference practice games.

The complete schedule was announced today by William M. Bell, athletic director and head football coach, who is still drilling his football squad for the New Year's Day Vulcan Bowl game with Kentucky State at Birmingham, Ala.

The complete basketball schedule follows:

January 4, Tennessee State at Greensboro; January 7, St. Augustine's at Raleigh; January 11, St. Augustine's at Greensboro; January 14, Shaw University at Greensboro; January 17, Virginia State at St. Petersburg; January 18, Hampton Institute at Hampton, Va.; January 22, North Carolina College at Durham; January 29, Johnson C. Smith University at Charlotte.

February 1, Morgan State at Greensboro; February 2, Bluefield State at Bluefield; February 3, West Virginia State at Institute; February 5, Shaw University at Greensboro; February 7, Winston-Salem Teachers at Greensboro; February 10, Maryland State at Greensboro; February 12, Winston-Salem Teachers at Winston-Salem; February 14, Delaware State at Greensboro; February 15, Va. State at Greensboro; February 18, Johnson C. Smith at Greensboro; February 22, Morgan State at Baltimore; February 27, Delaware State at Dover; February 28, Maryland State at Morgan State; March 1, Howard University at Greensboro.

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JAMES ELLIOTT TO CAPTAIN '49 EAGLES ELEVEN

Durham, N. C. — At a meeting of the North Carolina College football squad last Wednesday, the members of the squad elected James Elliott, tackle, as the captain of the 1949 team. Carl Galloway, fullback, who graduated in June, was voted the most valuable player of the year; Chetus Horton, Charlotte, N. C., was voted the most valuable freshman back for the year and John Hunter of Durham, N. C., became the best freshman lineman of the year.

At this meeting Coach Herman Reddick announced the schedule for the 1949 season which includes 9 games with the top teams in the country, beginning on October 1, with a non-conference tilt with South Carolina State and ending on Thanksgiving Day with the renewal of the annual Turkey Day Classic with A and T College in Greensboro.

The Eagles who rise from 12th place to 7th place in the conference for the 1948 season, completed the season with 4 wins, 3 losses and one tie in conference competition.

For next year their opponents will be:

South Carolina State, October 1; Morgan State College, October 8; Virginia State College, October 18; Delaware State College, October 22; Term State College, October 29; J. C. Smith University, November 5; West Virginia State College, November 12; Shaw University, November 19; A and T College, November 24.

PIRATE CAGERS SCHEDULE 16 CONFAB TILTS

Hampton, Va. — Victors in their first several non-conference engagements, Hampton Institute's Pirates this week announced a conference schedule of 16 games — eight home-and-home series with Howard University, Virginia Union, Morgan State College, St. Paul's Polytechnic, Johnson C. Smith University, North Carolina College, Virginia State College, and Shaw University.

A December game with Morehouse College — windup of the current road trip — and non-conference tilts with Langley Field and Kentucky State College complete the tentative 1948-49 schedule.

Coach Herman N. (Buck) Neilson's men apparently long on reserves but short on first team height, dumped the even shorter Georgia State College team twice in Savannah to gain a record of five victories and no defeats. The Pirates scored a 62-25 runaway Monday night, December 13, and swept the series the following evening, 51-53. Freshman Arthur Holmes, forward from Knoxville, Tenn., led the scoring in the first contest with 10 points and equalled Howard Allen's 14 points for Hampton in the second. Pierson of Georgia, was high point man with 16.

The complete Pirate schedule from January to March follows:

January 7 — Howard at Hampton; 14 — Union at Richmond; 22 — Langley Field at Hampton.

February — 2, 4, 7, 9 Morgan, St. Paul, Virginia State and J. C. Smith, respectively, at Hampton; 11 — N. C. College at Durham; 12 — Shaw at Raleigh; 15 — Howard at Washington; 18 — N. C. at Hampton; 19 — Virginia State at Petersburg; 21 — Virginia State at Hampton; 26 — Morgan at Baltimore.

March — 2 Union at Hampton; 4 — St. Paul at Lawrenceville; 5 — J. C. Smith at Charlotte, N. C.

FLORIDA A AND M CHOIR HEARD IN YULE PROGRAM

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (AP) — The Florida A and M College choir presented "The Story of Christmas" by Alexander Matthews last Sunday as part of the Christmas vespers.

J. Harrison Thomas, head of the music department, directed the choir. He was assisted by Mrs. J. V. Lee and Miss Beatrice Gaines of the department.

Catholic High Victor In Health Bowl Classic

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. — The Birmingham High School squad led during the bulk of the game here last week by defeating the 21-point favorite Parker High School in the sixth annual Jackson County and Tuberculosis Clinic Game. The game marked the first time Birmingham, which is conducted under the Catholic auspices by the Sisters of Notre Dame, was invited to play in the Health Bowl.

New CIAA Prexie Named At Quiet Meet In Capital

WASHINGTON (AP) — Very few changes were made at the annual meeting of the Colored Intercollegiate Athletic Association held here at Carver hall recently.

The most important questions were tabled at this 36th session, one of the quietest in CIAA history.

Changes made include the election of Paul J. Moore of West Virginia State as CIAA president and Charles R. Rutherford of Bluefield Teachers, vice president, the banning of athletes playing pro baseball during the summer, and the crowning of CIAA champions.

Issues brought up but not settled included the dividing of the 16 team CIAA into a two-division eight-team conference, a better policy in the hiring and firing of coaches and the dropping of the word "colored" from the name of the conference.

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If such an organization were adopted every team would have a chance to fill out its required total of six conference games without any trouble. At present the smaller schools have found it very difficult to get the required games to make their title contenders.

At the close of this past meeting, three teams were short of the required six games. They were Winston-Salem with five, St. Paul with only two and St. Augustine with three.

The CIAA was organized in 1912 with only four teams: Virginia Union, Hampton, Lincoln and Howard. Since then it has grown into a cumbersome 16 team group which even most members agree is too large.

Teams in the proposed western division would be A and T, Bluefield, Smith, N. C. State, St. Augustine, Shaw, West Virginia State and Winston-Salem. In the east would be Delaware State, Hampton, Howard, Langley, Morgan, St. Paul, Virginia Union and Virginia State.

Chief opponents to the plan were two Raleigh schools, Shaw represented by H. C. Perrin, and St. Augustine with George H. Mitchell. Their argument was that their must be "something better" than the idea.

Tabadae Hill of Morgan recommended that penalties applied against schools that break conference rules could reduce the CIAA to workable size. Others suggested a different grouping of teams in the eastern division.

Gideon Smith and Charles H. Williams of Hampton, Dr. J. A. Moore and Tom Verdell of Virginia State and J. E. McLendon favored a two-division group.

The discussion of this question was tabled on a questionable vote when the president suggested that the meeting be halted for the official photograph.

No changes were made in the basketball rules. The annual tennis meet will be held in May 1949 at North Carolina College.

Another issue that was not decided was a suggestion by James

AGGIES TO RESUME DRILLS FOR BOWL GAME DECEMBER 26

Greensboro — Coach Bill Bell's North Carolina A and T College Aggies will report back Sunday afternoon, December 26, to resume preparations for the approaching Vulcan Bowl game with powerful Kentucky State at Birmingham New Year's Day.

The Aggie mentor plans to start the same backfield combination against the Kentucky team that started in practically every game during the season, these including Miles Kelly, triple threat quarterback from Media, Pa.; Athie Garrison, hard-running and sensational side stepping halfback from Canton, Ohio; Leonard Harshaw, another Junior from Cincinnati; and Robert H. (Stone) Wall, Jackson, 215-pound driving fullback from Allentown, Pa.

Garrison, rated as one of the leading players of the Colored Intercollegiate Athletic Association for the season, scored an every game with one exception during the regular season to pace the Aggies in their offensive campaign that ranked the local team third in conference standings for the year.

But rated as a powerhouse in the backfield is Stonewall Jackson who runs the 100-yard dash in 10 seconds flat and rates as one of the greatest all-around athletes in CIAA circles.

The Aggies will be big Joe Williams, 220-pound tackle from Winston-Salem, N. C., who last week was named on the Pittsburgh Courier's All-American Negro team.

Also flanking the line are Milton Johnson, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and David Kithcart, Gastonia, N. C., ends; Robert Parks, Canton, Ohio, tackle; Shereed Thompson, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and Lonnie Oglesby, Sandusky, Ohio, guards; and Harry Howie, Athens, Ga., a center.

The Aggies will resume practice Monday morning, December 27, at Greensboro, then leave by train on Thursday morning, December 30, for Birmingham.

Based on comparative scores, the Birmingham game should be well matched. The Aggies lost to Wilberforce State, 13 to 7, early in the season, while the same Wilberforce defeated Kentucky State, 20 to 7.

Spaulding High Tigers Win Over Oxford Team

By CLEOTHA LUCAS

The Spaulding Tigers scored their seventh straight victory of the year by defeating Mary Potter Academy in Oxford before a capacity crowd.

The Tigers were not able to do much scoring the first quarter. The score stood tied up seven all.

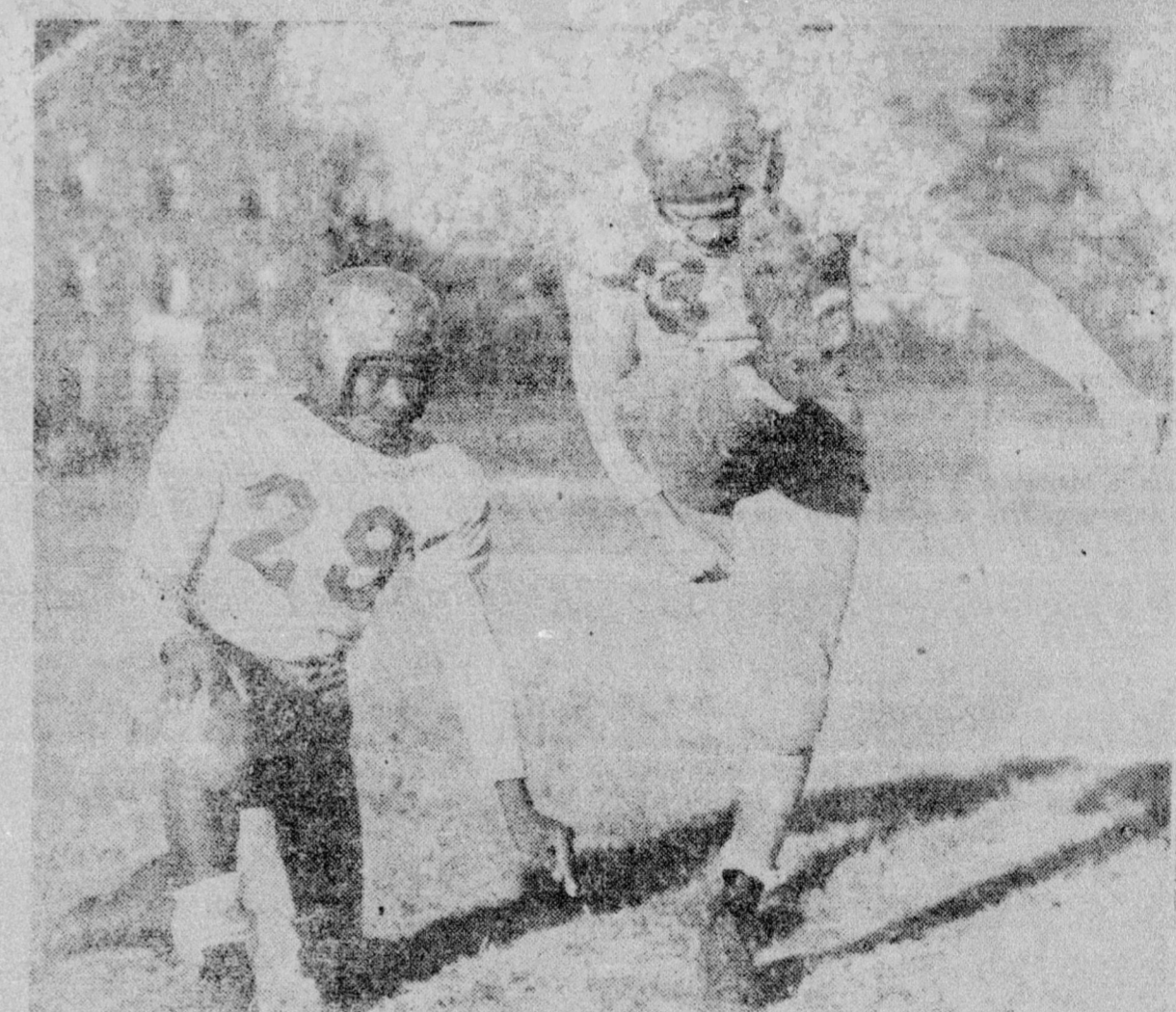
With the smooth passing and quick shooting of John Harris, Hawk Hodge, Rebound Brown, Frank Dean, Spencer Hagans and Payne Lucas, the Tigers picked out sixteen points in the second quarter.

In the last half, Coach Chris Trivett's Tigers held the Oxford five to seven points.

The Tigers have beaten the following teams this year: Smithfield, Taboga, Oxford, and Gassaway twice, and Zebulon twice.

ON COURIER'S ALL-AMERICAN TEAM

Greensboro, N. C. — Big Joe Williams, 220-pound tackle of the North Carolina A and T College Aggies, was named on the All-American Negro football team selected by the Pittsburgh Courier. Williams is captain of the Aggies, who meet the Kentucky State eleven in the Vulcan Bowl game at Birmingham, Ala. New Year's Day. Williams comes from Winston-Salem, N. C.



AGGIES MAY NEED THEIR HELP — If extra points are needed to win the Vulcan Bowl game at Birmingham, New Year's Day, this combination may prove valuable to North Carolina A and T College at Greensboro. Kicking is Bill Blakely, freshman guard from Warren, Ohio, while holding is Jesse Jackson, sophomore, halfback from Allentown, Pa.

Jr. Grid Classic Ends In 13-13 Tie At Chavis Park

BY WILLIAM DUNSTON

The first annual Junior Football Classic sponsored by the Royal Z. Club at Chavis Park, ended in a 13-13 tie. The scores came in the second, third and fourth quarters.

The team from the East, backed by the brilliant quarterback of Benny Overton and the running of Willie Barnes and Isaac Winfield proved to be too strong for the Western side until the fourth quarter.

The East scored in the second and third quarters with Barnes carrying the ball over in the second and Winfield in the third. The West's attack on the Eastern team began in the fourth quarter with the brilliant passing of quarterback Bobby Crossin and the superb running of Fred Williams.

Williams carried the ball from the East's 31 yard line to a touch-down and a few minutes later Willie Rochelle caught a pass in the end zone for the West's last and tying touchdown.

Both teams missed one extra point. The East's team was coached by Jesse Clements and Roland Miles, while that of the West was coached by Wayland Horton and Hubert Poole.

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

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