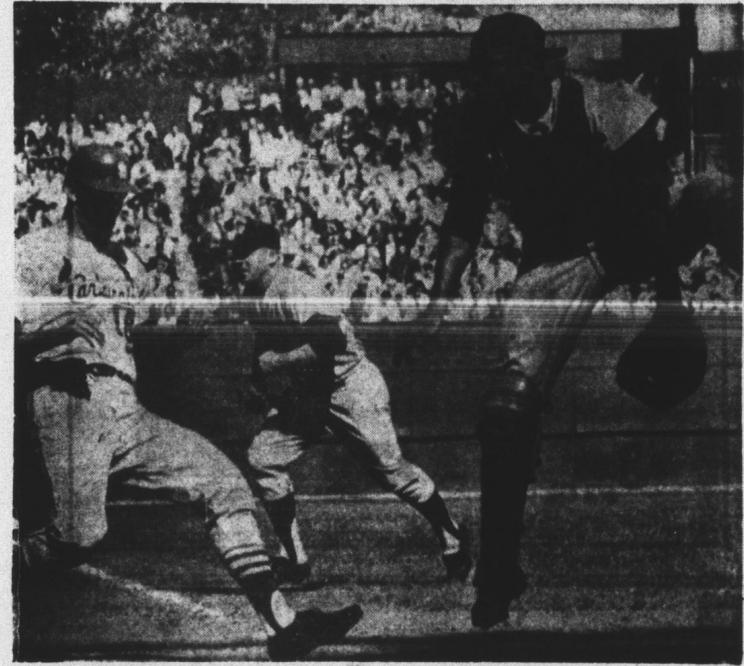


Junior Gilliam Becomes Dodgers' First Negro Coach

NC College Eagles Claw St. Augustine's Falcons, 25-0



EAGLES ON MOVE AGAINST FALCONS—Billy Albrooks (26), a North Carolina College halfback from Monroe, is shown on a 43-yard run against St. Augustine's College's Falcons in NCC's 25-0 victory Saturday. The game's leading ground gainer, Albrooks, a sophomore, totaled 161 yards in five carries and scored one touchdown. Also in the action are NCC's Billy Shropshire (31) and St. Augustine's Dwight McReynolds (42), Robert Thomas (12), and Herman Reid (72).



HE'S SAFE — St. Louis Cards' Mike Shannon is shown last Wednesday on the left as he slides safely into plate from second on a single to right by Ray Sadecki in the second inning of the first World Series game, played at Busch Stadium, St. Louis. Trying for the putout is Yanks' Elston Howard, who leaps into air for ball thrown by Mickey Mantle. The Cards won the first game by a score of 9-5. (UPI PHOTO).

Jacksonville's Gridders Dump Ligon's Little Blues, 46 To 22

JACKSONVILLE — The Ligon High School Little Blues of Raleigh encountered their third straight defeat of the season here Friday night as they were soundly beaten by the Georgetown High School Tigers, 46-22.

A versatile quarterback by the name of Marlen Wigfall proved to be the undoing of the popular eleven from Raleigh, coached by the well-known Peter Hines (Pete) Williams.

A 6-2, 175-pounder, young Wigfall passed for two touchdowns, scored three touchdowns himself and passed for two extra points. Touchdown passes were tossed

ed for 42 yards to Bill Jordan and 19 yards to Edward Matlock. Wigfall then scored from the three, two and three.

Jimmy Fisher and Bill Jordan scored the other Jacksonville touchdowns.

The Little Blues, who fell behind, 12-0 in the first quarter, rallied later behind the quarterbacking of Larry Graham, but could never catch up. Graham himself scored from the eight-yard line and passed to Alfredo Hicks, a co-captain for another 30 yards length.

An amazing run of 88 yards was made by Ralph Pope of the Ligon squad.

Points after touchdowns for Ligon were thrown by Graham to Jim Robertson and William Weston.

Standout defensive for the Raleigh-based Blues were Donald Poole, Bruce Lightner and Robert Mitchell.

Jackson And St. Aug.'s King Lead CIAA Stars

After three weeks of competition, Morgan State College completely dominates the team rushing, defense, total offense, and total defense departments. The most amazing figure is allowing its opponents a 0.5 yds. per game rushing while on defense. Morgan has also garnered 80 points in two games while allowing its opponents 7.

Sinclair King, St. Augustine's College's 176 lb. Jr. Quarterback, leads all passers with a 693 percentage and two touchdowns passes.

Robert Mance, Howard's 190 lb. Jr. End, leads all punters with a 40.7 average in 3 games.

Walter Jackson, St. Augustine's 175 lb. Jr. W. B. leads all scorers with 26 points.

Ira Newble, Johnson C. Smith's tight end, leads the pass receivers with 9 receptions and 183 yards.

Douglas Randolph, Delaware State's 190 lb. Sophomore H. B. leads in rushing with 206 yards in 21 carries.

George Foster, Johnson C. Smith's Q. B. leads in total offense with 342 yards in 72 plays.

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Game Was Scoreless Until Waning Minutes Of Half

DURHAM — The N. C. College Eagles earned their first conference win of the 1968-69 season Saturday by blanking the St. Augustine's College Falcons 25-0 in Durham's O'Kelly Field.

Coach Herman Riddick's charges, who are defending Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association champions, suffered a 27-0 whipping at the hands of the Morgan State College Bears last week in their first CIAA outing. The victory over St. Augustine's evened the Eagles' conference record at 1-1, giving them an overall tally of 2-1 since they beat Allen University in a non-conference tilt three weeks ago.

The game was fraught with penalties. Although the Durhamites won, they had a total of 160 yards marched off against them in penalties. The visiting Falcons suffered 72 penalty yards, making a grand total of 232 yards in penalties for both squads.

Coach Jesse Clements' Falcons played a rugged first half, and the game was scoreless until the waning minutes of the second quarter when the Eagles tallied.

The scoring drive started when 245-pound fullback Bobby Ammond pounced on a Falcon fumble on the St. Augustine's 37 yard line. NCC halfback Billy Albrooks and Paul Perry alternated lugging the pigskin to the Falcon eight yard line in four plays. Then, junior quarterback William Reid elected to throw the end William Giles for a 16-yard scoring play. The conversion attempt by Ammond failed, and NCC took a 6-0 lead to the dressing room at halftime.

North Carolina College came back strong in the second half by scoring three more touchdowns.

The Eagles' sensational sophomore half back, Billy Albrooks, got things rolling by scoring from six yards out. The drive began after the visitors kicked on fourth down, and the ball landed on St. Augustine's 48 yard line. Albrooks, who was the game's leading rusher with 161 yards in 15 carries, set up his TD earlier by ripping off a 43-yard run on the second play from scrimmage. Two plays later, quarterback Reid gave him the ball, and he scampered into the end zone to score. The PAT attempt failed, giving the Eagles a 12-0 lead.

Falling to score again in the third period, the Eagles nevertheless hit paydirt twice in the final stanza. NCC linemen had kept the Falcon offense at bay during much of the second half, forcing their opponents to kick several times. After NCC received a fourth-down Falcon punt which fell on St. Augustine's 37 yard line, Reid scored in a series of six plays on a final quarterback keeper from two yards out.

The PAT by Ammond made the score 19-0 in favor of the Eagles.

During the final quarter, the Falcons had their only scoring run nullified by an infraction charged against them.

The Riddickmen scored their final TD when Durham's Paul Perry hauled in a 14-yard pass from Reid. When the conversion attempt failed, the Eagles led 25-0.

NCC will travel to Virginia State College to meet the Trojans at Peersburg in their next CIAA outing this weekend.

With Knicks: Willis Reed, Grambling Star, Excels

CORNWALL-ON-HUDSON, N. Y. (SPECIAL) — The New York Knickerbockers reached the midpoint in their pre-season training at New York Military Academy with Coach Donovan expressing satisfaction over the squad's overall performance.

Donovan was especially pleased with 6-10 Willis Reed, the No. 2 draft choice from Grambling College. He is "programming better than I expected," the coach stated after the heavy scrimmages.

"Reed goes to the offensive boards well and has good defensive timing. He has a lot to learn about the difference between college and pro ball, but he's eager and coachable, which gives him a big plus."

The coach has been working on veteran Knicks Tom Gola, Johnny Green, Al Butler, John Rudometkin and Art Heyman with rookies Reed, Howard Komives and Emmette Bryant, along with Johnny Egan, Len Chappell, Bob Booser and Bill McGill who joined the club last season.

While attending Grambling, Reed earned All-American honors twice and was a member of the U. S. squad for the Pan American Games. He scored 2,815 points in 125 games for the Tigers.

Where They Play

Editor's Note: Following is the schedule for major Negro colleges to be played across the country on Saturday October 17:

Tex. Southern at Alcorn A&M Fayetteville at Allen
Ft. Hood at Ark. AMAN
Benedict at Bethune-Cookman
Phil. Smith at Bishop Bluefield at Claflin
Cheney State at Kutztown
J. C. Smith at Del. State
Elis City at Shaw
Morris Brown at FAMU
Ala. State at Fisk
Grambling at Miss. Voc
Norfolk at Hampton
Howard at Morgan St. (Homecoming)
Jackson State at Southern (Homecoming)
Ky. State at Marshall
Lane College at Edw. Waters
Albany St. at Livingstone
A&T at Maryland State (Homecoming)

Aggies Swamp Norfolk State Spartans, 36-13

lege Aggies last Saturday sank the Norfolk State College Spartans, 36-13, in a CIAA football game played here at Memorial Stadium.

A sparse crowd of 3,000 spectators, saw the Aggies shake loose their running backs for the first time this season and administer the third straight conference defeat for the Norfolk Club.

Cornell Gordon, the A&T quarterback from Norfolk, engineered the victory against his hometown boys, scoring one of the TD's himself, and setting up two more with his passing.

A&T hit for paydirt at 9:55, in the first half, as Willie Beasley, the full back, blasted over from the two-yard stripe. The score climaxed a 73-yard drive.

The kick by Alfred Maloney was blocked.

Before the cheering fans had become comfortably seated A&T had scored again, as Gordon raced 12-yards on a roll-out play. After taking Norfolk's punt on the visitors' 46-yard line, the Aggies scored in four plays, a 16-yard run by Phillips, five by Beasley, twelve by Clifton Matthews and then Gordon.

Gordon passed to Matthews for the extra points, to put his team out front 14-0.

Norfolk scored its first touchdown late in the first period. Kenneth Reeves, the quarterback, circled end for six-yards on a keep play. The big play in the thrust was a 64-yard pass from Reeves to David Crocker, Norfolk halfback. Randolph Elliott kicked the extra point.

The Aggies hit for two quick scores in the second quarter on a two-yard run by Matthews, capping a 77-yard drive in which a 47-yard scamper by Beasley was the big play, and a 31-yard TD run by Phillips after he had intercepted a toss by Reeves. A&T converted after the latter with a pass from Gordon to Matthews.

Neither team scored in the third quarter.

Aggie Coach Bert Piggott sent in a swarm of substitutes about midway the third period and kept them for the remainder of the ball game.

An alert lineman, Robert Jeffreys, a senior guard, scored the final tally for the Aggies. He covered an A&T fumble in the Spartan end zone. After Beasley blasted off tackle for a 7-yard gain to the Norfolk 6, the ball shot from his grasp across the goal line. Jeffreys pounced on it. That play was set up as Phillips had intercepted on

the Norfolk 8. Maloney passed to Matthews for the extra points.

The Spartans were the last to score as David Cromwell, a halfback, took a 26-yard scoring pass from Reeves. The kick failed, to end the scoring.

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Veteran Infielder Scores Another Race 'First'

LOS ANGELES (UPI) — Veteran infielder Junior Gilliam scored another breakthrough in baseball last week when the Los Angeles Dodgers—the same team that broke the color bar in organized baseball by signing Jackie Robinson, hired him as the first Negro member of its coaching staff.

One of a dwindling number of Negro stars from the Robinson era, Gilliam was one of three new coaches named to replace a trio, headed by former major league manager Leo Durocher. Durocher, who asked to be relieved of his coaching duties "so he could accept a major league managing job," and the others also, were released

last week.

Other Negro stars of the Robinson era included the Giants' centerfielder Willie Mays and catcher John Roseboro, also of the Dodgers.

Gilliam, who played in several World Series with the Dodgers, was named along with Danny Ozark, who managed the Dodge farm club at Spokane, Wash., this season. Preston Gomez, who managed at Richmond, and Harold (Lefty) Phillips, a Dodger scout.

In addition to Durocher, the others released were Pete Reiser, Joe Becker and Greg Mulleavy.

Gilliam, Ozark and Phillips will be manager Walt Alston's chief assistants.

Although Gilliam is the first Negro to coach with the Dodgers, he is not the first to do so in the majors. That distinction belongs to assistant coach Buck O'Neil of the Chicago Cubs.

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