

Fatalities due to highway-railroad grade crossing accidents in 1940 constituted only 4.03 per cent of the total number of fatalities resulting from all classes of motor vehicle accidents throughout the United States.

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Hampton Institute Names "Bud" Holland To Staff

Hampton, Va. — Jerome Bud Holland, Negro football immortal who smashed his way to All-American honors for two consecutive years on Coach Carl Snavely's great Cornell grid team, has been appointed assistant football coach in an Athletic Department shake up at Hampton Institute.

President Malcolm MacLean revealed that Holland is one of several new faculty appointments at the Tidewater Virginia school. The great end will divide his time between teaching physical education and rural sociology which he studied with honors at Cornell.

James "Little Train" Griffin, who has just completed his first year on the Hampton coaching staff after making a name for himself as one of the greatest CIAA halfbacks of all time before graduating from Hampton last year, has been named acting head coach of football, an able present veteran head coach, Gideon E. Smith, who has led Hampton teams since 1921, will remain on the athletic staff as line coach. Charles H. Williams will remain chairman of the Physical Education Department at this well known institution of higher learning for Negroes.

"Little Train" Griffin, who was elected captain of the Pirates' grid team for two consecutive years, is the greatest Hampton grid star in recent years. A tiny, 155 pound scabbard, he is known as a fast, elusive, broken field runner that could not be stopped. In preparation for his present job as acting head coach, Griffin was sent to work under well known Coach Bernie Bierman at the University of Minnesota last month by President MacLean, who, before coming to Hampton last year, was director of the General College at the University of Minnesota.

Bosch Griffin reports that Bierman took him in hand during Minnesota's regular spring training and, with his assistant coaches, gave the Hamptonian the secret of Minnesota's great victories on the gridiron. Bierman, who is a personal friend of Dr. MacLean's showed Griffin in detail how Minnesota developed its team from the spring training period through the annual fall battles. He supplied him with much information on the various coaching systems used by the best teams of the nation today, and during this period worked out with Griffin in detail the organization for the development of teams at Hampton.

Coach Griffin is now working on his master's degree in physical education at Springfield College and will return to Hampton late in the summer.

"Bud" Holland, who became the greatest end in America at Cornell, has been assisting Coach Manuel Rivero at Lincoln University in Pennsylvania for the past two years. At Hampton his coaching duties will be carried out in addition to a full time teaching schedule in the Division of Agriculture, and it is understood that his appointment is subject to the Selective Service Board's decision on his deferment as a teacher.

"Gid" Smith ran up an enviable record in his 20 years at Hampton and produced eight championship teams in football and nine championship teams in track. A graduate of Michigan State College in 1916, Coach Smith was an "All Western" tackle and one of Michigan's great stars. Because his teams have always been known as superb in defense, Coach Smith will be able to devote his full time to this work on the Pirates' line.

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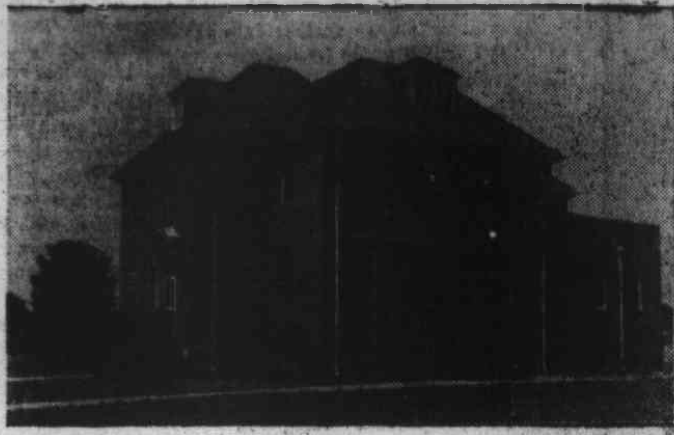
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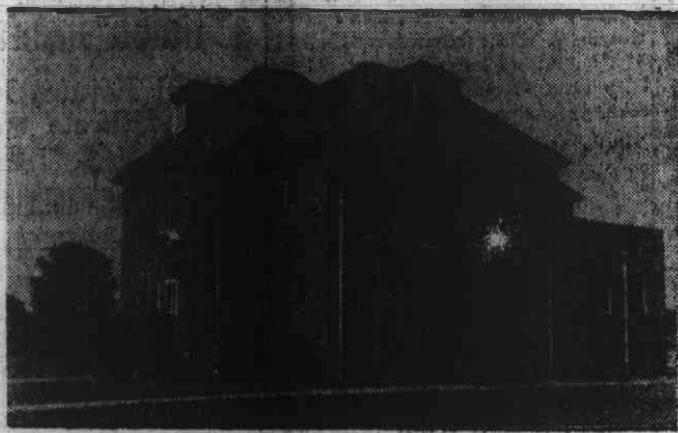
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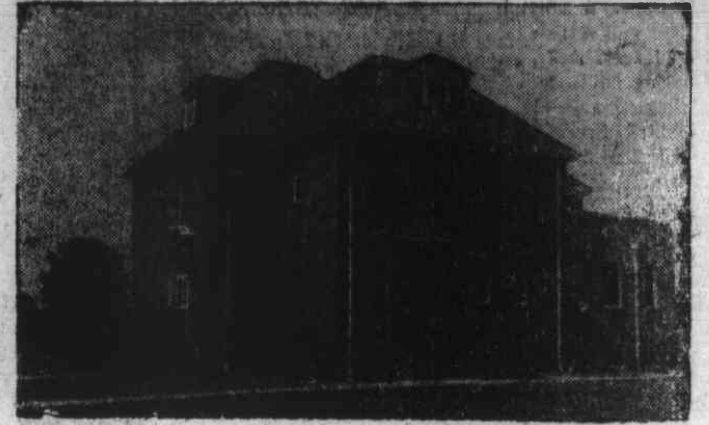
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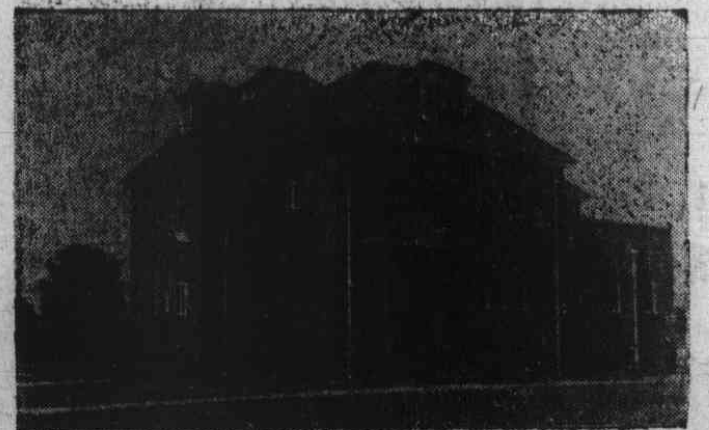


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