

# SPORTSDUST

By McLENDON

## FOOTBALL FORECAST FOR 1950

Since these coaches are so reluctant to tell the truth about their team's chances in the 1950 gridiron race, I will apply the "McLendon System" to the entire CIAA and let the chips fall where they may. This system is supposed to be more sound than mere guess-work, inasmuch as it takes into account the important factors which decide the fortunes of teams.

These factors, listed below, are given a certain weight in a percentage calculation and the relative and the relative position of the conference teams are determined thereby.

1. The five year record of the teams in wins, losses and ties.
2. The 1949 record of the team.
3. The experience in years of the head coach at the college named.
4. The experience in years of the chief assistant under the head-coach's direction.
5. The number of assistant coaches on the staff other than the head coach and first assistant.
6. Percentage of experienced players remaining after 1949 losses by graduation, poor scholarships, etc.
7. The general administrative attitude toward the promotion of a first-class athletic program.

Several of these factors may appear to be too subjective to calculate objectively, but I suggest that Item number 7 is the lone subjective element in my system. I can be rated also, however. Consequently, it is without trepidation or hesitation I give you the 1950 rating of CIAA football teams and their total rating figure based on the factors named. True, subjective elements will enter in. Poor morale, over-confidence, big-headedness, coaching mistakes, player's boners, etc. A certainty if ever there was one. Despite all that, I believe that it is extremely unlikely that any team will finish more than two places ahead of or two places below the rating assigned them. I did not say it was impossible.

### 1950 FOOTBALL PRE-RATING

(How the CIAA will line up after the 1950 season) plus or minus not more than two places.)

1. Morgan State College	969
2. North Carolina A. and T. College	823
3. Howard University	822
4. West Virginia State	789
5. North Carolina College	749
6. Hampton Institute	711
7. Shaw University	693
8. Virginia State College	690
9. Winston-Salem Teachers' College	636
10. Lincoln University	631
11. St. Augustine's College	600
12. Bluefield State College	480
13. Delaware State College	478
14. Johnson C. Smith University	475
15. Virginia Union University	386
16. St. Paul College	217

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### Last Weeks Results

CIAA	
N. C. COLLEGE	46
Fayetteville Teachers	0
A. and T. College	30
Union University	0
West Virginia	14
Howard University	6
Johnson C. Smith	27
Saint Paul	0
St. Augustine	18
Shaw University	6
OTHERS	
Florida A. and M.	43
(Baby Rattlers)	
Stevens High	6
Texas College	13
Sam Houston	13
Alcorn College	60
Edward Waters	0
Elizabeth City	13
Vorhees	0
Xavier University	0
Alabama State	0
Maryland	31
Grambling	6
Gastonia High	24
HILLSIDE HIGH	0

**N. C. College Eagles To Meet Shaw University Bears**

North Carolina College's 1950 Homecoming Day clash with the footballers of Raleigh's Shaw University in Durham Athletic Park, Saturday, October 21, not only brings together two of the State's leading elevens, but it also brings together some of (Continued from Page Four)

# Union Univ. Falls To A.&T. Aggies 33-0

Greensboro — The A. and T. College Aggies went on a scoring spree late in the last quarter, after scoring only once in 51 minutes of unimpressive football to down the Virginia Union University 30-0, here yesterday before approximately 5,000 fans, to gain their third win of the season.

The powerless visitors from Richmond, Va., only penetrated the Aggie territory on three occasions, and then never deeper than the 46 yard line.

Two plays before the end of the first quarter the Aggies showed a faint semblance of life after their ace passer, William "Red" Jackson, was injured on his own 25 yard line, Helburn Meadows. Aggie halfback, scooted ten yards for a first down, and on three plays accounted for 18 additional yards to spark the Aggies 75 yard touchdown drive. The initial Aggie tally came on the end of a 33 yard pass from Leroy Washington, A. and T. fullback, to his halfback, Alfred Morgan, who scampered the remaining five yards to score. Bill Blakely annexed the extra point came with approximately nine minutes playing time remaining via the placement route.

The second A. and T. marker, when Jim Fisher, a senior fullback from Steelton, Pa., and Robert Park Smith, a classmate from Morristown, N. J., alternated to gain 81 yards aided by costly 15 yard penalty. Jesse Jackson, went over from the one on a quarterback sneak. Blakely's attempt at the conversion was good and the score stood 14-0.

Union, went to the air in a desperate attempt to score. Linwood Bates, panther halfback, completed a pass to his end, Jimmy Simms, good for 13 yards and a first down on their own 31. They tried a running play good for one yard and two passes, which fell incomplete, before punting down to the Aggie 29. Jack Gibson, Akron, Ohio speed merchant who has been on the injured list all season, returned it to his own 39. Meadows advanced to the 45 and Guy Mills, Aggie substitute quarterback, passed to senior end Milton Johnson who lateral to Robert Park Smith for the third Aggie touchdown. Blakely missed the extra point and the hometown team was enjoying a 20-0 advantage.

Still trying to score, Bates threw a pass from his 29 yard line which was intercepted by George Johnson, Thomasville, freshman, who went the distance behind superb blocking. Blakely kicked the extra point. Back on their own 23 yard line, Bates fumbled and William Bush, a freshman from Danbury, Conn., recovered. Donald Quarles, freshman halfback, from Baltimore, Md., picked up three yards, Fishers added five and Meadows advanced five for the visitor's ten. With time a first down to place the ball on matter of seconds, Blakely, Aggie place kick specialist, booted a field goal to end the scoring at 30-0.

### N. C. College Eagles Defeat Fayetteville Teachers College

By Clathan Ross

Fayetteville — The North Carolina College Eagles ran roughshod over the hapless Fayetteville State Teachers' College eleven here last Saturday afternoon, scoring seven touchdowns and kicking four extra points for a ghastly total of 46 points. The Broncos were held scoreless.

The Eagle reserves, played almost exclusively during the second half, outdid the first stringers as they reared up four touchdowns in that period while their betters could manage only three in the first half.

Eagle captain Butler "Bluejuice" Taylor, all-America and all-CIAA candidate, and James Robinson, sophomore quarterback, were the only Eagle grid-ders to figure in more than one scoring play.



If school spirit will spur Coach Herman H. Hiddick's 1950 football team into a conference championship, you may as well count the Eagles in now. North Carolina's College 1,400 students are solidly behind the boys in maroon and gray, an omen that spells ill for opponents on

what the Eagles hope will be several sad Saturday afternoons this fall.

Reading clockwise, the principals in North Carolina College's morale units are Co-eds Delores Darden, Brooklyn, New York; Laura Ann Penn and Delphyne Webber, Winston-Sa-

lem; Captain Butler "Bluejuice" Taylor (64), Newport News triple-threat candidate for all-Conference honors at half back; the Eagle brain trust, left to right, Line Coaches Jim Younge and Ben Whaley; head coach, Herman H. Riddick, backfield Coaches Haywood Allen and

Angier Lawrence; Bill Hollingsworth, giant North Carolina College sophomore end of Goldsboro; Coeds Virginia Allen, Montclair, New Jersey; Mable Dupree, Miss North Carolina College of 1949, and Doris De-

Laine, Manning, S. C. Photo lower center shows aggressive Eagle grid-ders moving into smash a threat from enemy back Stan McGuire of Saint Augustine's College in Kid's Day opener on Sept. 23.

## Roy Campanella's Major League All-Stars To Meet Jacksonville Eagles

A roster that reads like "The 400" of Major League baseball will accompany Roy Campanella's Major League All Stars when they meet the Jacksonville Eagles at the Durham Athletic Park on October 11.

All well known players from the National and American Leagues will be with Roy Campanella of the Brooklyn Dodgers which will be the largest assemblage of colored talent from the Major Leagues to play as a

unit and to give an exhibition contest; that was ever assembled.

The supporting cast to Campanella are namely his teammate Don Newcombe, Larry Doby and Luke Easter, that mighty one-two punch of the Cleveland Indians. Others on the great team are Monty Irvin and Henry Thompson of the New York Giants.

in the 9th inning may cost the Yankees the pennant. Second guessers say that he should have been walked.

Second Annual

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Weimon Britt, hard driving fullback for the North Carolina College Eagles, accounted for 151 of the 262 yards gained by the Eagles when they took a 12-6 verdict from the St. Augustine's College Saints in the season's opener for both teams at Durham, Saturday, September 23.

The piston-like legs of the 197 pound, six foot senior from Bowling Green, Ky., ground out a neat 7.2 yards per try average for Coach Herman Riddick's Eagles.

Britt was also one of the seven North Carolina College grid-ders to score against the Fayetteville State Broncos last Saturday. He bulled his way 20 yards early in the first quarter for the first of the Eagles' seven TD's. The Eagles routed the Broncos 46-0.

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