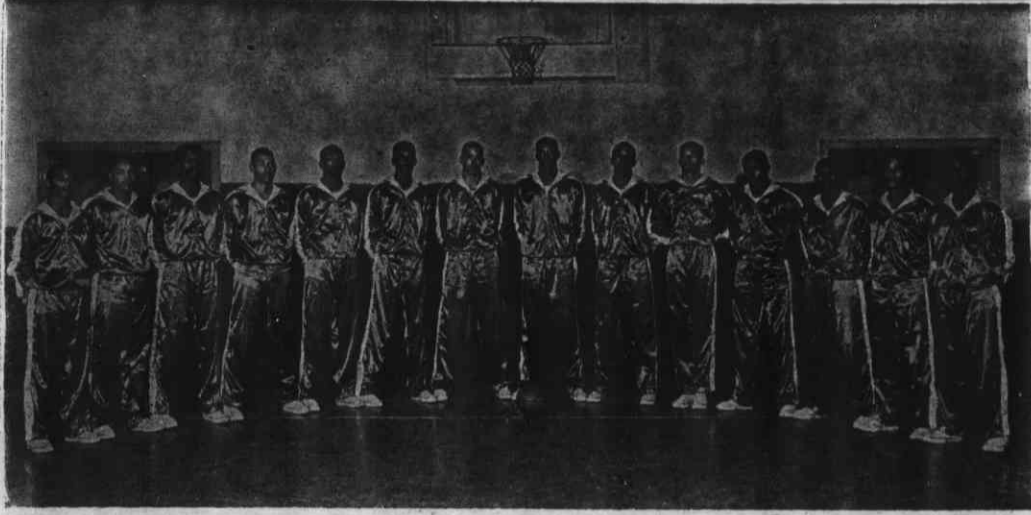


Jackson College Takes Lead In NAIA Standings



The Jackson State Tigers, who have taken over first place in district 29 of the NAIA, are pictured above. The Mississippians have compiled a record of 22-1 in season's play. Pictured here are James Miller, William Spencer, Luther

Williams, Herbert Smith, Jesse Downey, Wallace Downey, Guy Olinger, Billy McDonald, George Smith, Jack Powell, William Conner, William Gaines, Charles Culver, and David Johnson.

Aggies, Tenn., Rams, Eagles Follow In Order

NASHVILLE, TENN. The Jackson State College Tigers, champions of last year's MWA conference, have taken the lead in district 29 of the NAIA basketball conference. The Mississippi quintet posted a 22-1 won-loss record as of February 7.

Following the Tigers in order are A and T College, Tennessee State, Winston-Salem Teachers and North Carolina College.

Rankings of teams in district 29 of the NAIA are based on the Dickinson system and were issued from the office of district statistician J. B. McLendon last week.

District 29 of the NAIA (National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics) comprises the predominantly Negro conferences of the CIAA (Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association) and the MWA (Mid West Athletic Association).

Ratings were based on play through last Thursday, Feb. 7. The district's teams had a busy weekend, but results of weekend actions are not expected to seriously upset the standings.

Complete rankings of the 21 teams of the district, their won-loss records, as of Feb. 7, is as follows:

- 1-Jackson, 22-1; 2-A and T, 12-1; 3-Tennessee, 18-3; 4-Winston-Salem, 15-3; 5-North Carolina College, 14-4; 6-Virginia State, 9-3; 7-Grambling, 14-5; 8-Lincoln (Mo.), 12-5; 9-Fayetteville, 9-4; 10-Virginia Union, 8-4; 11-St. Augustine's 7-5; 12-Howard, 6-5; 13-Morgan, 5-5 and Delaware, 5-5; 14-Hampton, 5-0; 15-Shaw, 5-10 and Lincoln (Pa.), 4-8; 16-Maryland, 4-11; 17-St. Paul's 2-13; and 18-J. C. Smith, 0-8.

Lincoln High Cagers Face Henderson Five

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Lincoln high school's basketball team is finding things a little rough on the hardwood. After getting off to a fast start, the Tigers, led by captain Bobby Norwood, have been having their ups and downs.

Having compiled a 6-5 record in play so far, the Tigers will face top ranking Henderson in their gymnasium Thursday.

The Tigers record in detail this year is as follows:

- The Tigers have won twice from Little River, 47-42 and 51-41; twice from Pleasant Grove, 63-35 and 60-27; split with Creedmoor, 47-39 and losing, 59-61; and they have lost to Merrick-Moore, 19-25; Hillside, 21-43 and Ellerbe, 34-35.

But anything can happen and often does, so it could be Coach Dwight Reed's Lincoln University quintet getting into the finals or Coach J. B. Brown's freshman loaded squad coming through where it really counts, not to mention the possibility of Grambling College under Coach Fred Hobdy upsetting the dope bucket.



Harry A. Stuhldreher, a member of Knute Rockne's famous "Four Horsemen" and an All-American quarterback on the undefeated Notre Dame squad of 1924, will be a midwinter convocation speaker at Jackson State College Thursday, Feb. 21. An Assistant to the Vice-President of United States Steel Corporation, Mr. Stuhldreher was born and raised in Massillon, Ohio.

CIAA Tournament May Have Five Carolina Teams; Morgan, Union, Virginia State Best Of Outsiders

Unofficial CIAA team standings early this week pointed to the possibility of five North Carolina basketball teams participating in the 12th annual conference cage tourney in Durham February 28, March 1 and 2.

On a won-loss basis, North Carolina A and T, downed on Saturday night by runner-up NCC of the previous week, led the pack with a 14-2 count. The

Eagles trailed with 12-3. Possible North Carolina quintets in the Durham extravaganza include A and T, NCC, Winston-Salem, St. Augustine's and Fayetteville.

Fayetteville, coached by William "Gus" Gaines made a strong bid during 1956, but 1957 may be the Broncos' year.

Prior to a release of official standings by CIAA Statistician L. T. Walker, these are the won-

loss figures reported to the 12th CIAA Tournament Committee at its meeting in Durham last Sunday: A and T, 14-2; NCC, 12-3; Virginia Union, 10-3; Winston-Salem, 10-3; Virginia State, 12-5; St. Augustine's 9-5; Fayetteville, 10-4; Morgan, 8-8; Howard, 6-7; Delaware, 5-5; Bluefield, 5-7; Shaw, 4-10; Maryland, 5-7; Hampton, 4-11; St. Paul's 1-11; J. C. Smith, 0-12; Lincoln U., 0-8.

Mid West Quints Facing Final Week Of Play Before Tourney; Tennessee, Jackson In Favored Roles

NASHVILLE, Tenn. Saturday, February 16, winds up Mid-West Athletic Association play as the six member colleges prepare to open their 1957 conference tournament in Tenn. A and I State University's "Little Garden."

The final week-end of regular play before the tourney begins February 21, will see Coach George "Gibby" Gibbs' Central State Marauders calling on Tennessee State's sharpshooters, Coach J. B. Brown's Kentucky State Thorobreds making the trip to Lincoln University and Jackson State College making a last ditch stand against Coach Fred Hobdy's Grambling Tigers on the latter's court.

So the fans get a preview of how various teams around the circuit stack up against one another although this means little or nothing in tournament play. This was shown last season as

the Central State Marauders knocked the favored Jackson State squad out of the running and lost to Tennessee State in the finals.

Based on regular season play, it appears that whoever takes the crown this year will have to reckon with Tennessee State or Jackson State. The final regular season contest between these two packed the "Little Garden" and should these two meet again it may be difficult to get close to the fabulous Health, Physical Education and Recreation Building.

The last three games between Coach Johnny McLendon's

point makers and Coach Harrison B. Wilson's top ranked defensive machine have gone into overtime. There is no doubt that a meeting between them would be the answer to the Tournament Committee's prayers from a financial point of view at least.

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Major West Coast School Said Seeking Grambling's Grid Coach

ATLANTA, Ga. The Atlanta Daily World reported Sunday that Sports Editor Marion Jackson had been informed by a reliable West Coast source that Eddie Robinson of Grambling College was considered for a coaching position at a major college last month. Jackson called the story "true and accurate" and said it could be authenticated.

The report said the 37-year-old mentor was "highly recommended" by at least two Pacific

Coast Conference coaches. Jackson said the Daily World also learned from another genuine origin of authority that Robinson recently signed a new long-term contract at Grambling which makes him the highest paid Negro college coach in the country.

Shriners Cabaret Party
Sethos Temple 170, sponsored a cabaret party Friday, Feb. 1, from 10 p.m. to 2 a.m., at the Army Reserve Armory on Stadium Drive.

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Five Important CIAA Games On Tap Saturday

Five important CIAA basketball games are on tap Saturday with the rematch between league-leading A and T and runner-up NCC in Durham taking the spotlight by virtue of the prominence of the two teams and the heated rivalry. NCC won the first round last Saturday in Greensboro 67-59.

After the sell-out in Greensboro and the anticipated sellout in the Eagles' own 4,500 seat arena, rumors buzzed this week that a "rubber match" playoff might be scheduled at Durham before the 12th tourney.

Other important CIAA games this week (Saturday) include Fayetteville's Bronco with the Shaw Bears in Raleigh; Howard and Hampton at Hampton; Union and Maryland at Richmond; Morgan and Winston-Salem at Baltimore; and the Eagles and Aggies in Durham.

Walker Protests Millrose Decision

North Carolina College Track Coach L. T. Walker is arguing that Millrose Games called a "fast" decision against Olympic gold medalist Lee Calhoun when Milt Campbell, Olympic decathlon star, was awarded the 60 yard high hurdles victory in New York last week.

"Officials were using the photo timer, but the decision was announced before the picture's results were seen," Walker says. "Milt Campbell was sharp. I'm not trying to take anything away from him," the NCC mentor continued. He said, however, the incident emphasizes we can no longer win by a whisker; we must win decisively to avoid the possibility of inaccurate decisions."

NORTH CAROLINA LENIOR COUNTY EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Having qualified as executor of the estate of Flossie Dunston, deceased, late of Durham County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned at 116 W. Parrish Street, Durham, North Carolina, on or before the 14th day of February, 1958, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.
All persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment.
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