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Durham, N.C. Dec. 8, 1945



David "Catfish" Battle
Trojan Captain

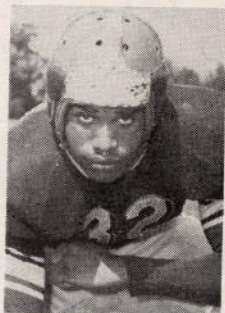
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Davidson Atkinson
Eagle Captain

Virginia State College "Trojans"
(Petersburg, Va.)

— VERSUS —

North Carolina College "Eagles"
(Durham, N.C.)

AT — Durham Athletic Park

KICK-OFF

2:00 P.M.

A WORD FROM THE SPONSORS

As the promoters of the first annual Piedmont Tobacco Bowl Classic, we are pleased to welcome you here. We are quite sure that we have brought two of the outstanding teams of the year. With your anticipated cooperation, we shall be pleased to bring you the best entertainment in the coming years.

Permit us to pause here to pay tribute to those who fought so valiantly in the conflict that has encircled the world for the past few years. We dare not begin this great Classic without pausing to pay tribute to those who fell in the line of duty to make the world safe for democracy. Let us here and now, dedicate ourselves so they will not have died in vain, and let each of us who are members of this commonwealth remember that, we owe it to their memory to carry on and fully establish the cause for which they died.

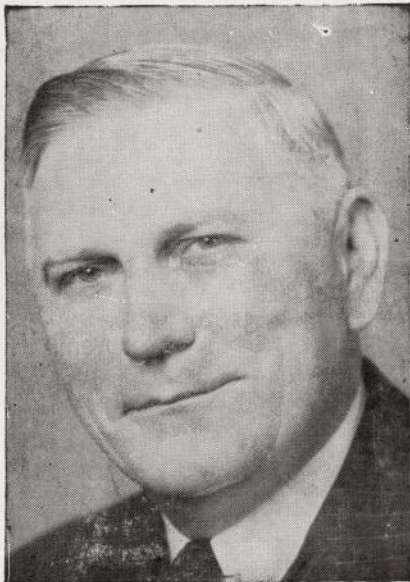
This Classic was founded to pay tribute and to honor those who have worked so earnestly in the great Tobacco industry that has made our state famous the world over. We are highly mindful of the men, who plant seed beds, who toil long and dreary hours, to produce the plant. We take off our hats to the warehousemen and handlers who see that it is taken to the plant. Those who prepare it for sale not only contribute their labor, art and skill, but are careful that the best is put into every product that comes from the plant or factory. Thousands of persons are employed in these plants and we are sure that their contribution to the industry will not be overlooked by the manufacturers.

To the two teams that are taking part in this great sport event, go our congratulations for the sportsmanship displayed throughout the season. It is our aim to start a scholarship fund to enable students to enjoy the facilities of Colleges throughout the country.

To the thousands of out-of-town visitors who have come here to witness the First Annual Tobacco Bowl Classic, we wish to thank you for your presence and support. In the outset we anticipated a crowd of 2,000. No sooner had we made final arrangements for the game than we discovered that our estimate was too low and that there was a possibility of having in attendance here more than 10,000 football fans. We admit you have pleasantly overwhelmed us with your support and we promise when the classic is played next year that there will be more seats and better seats to add to your enjoyment of the game.

We have secured every possible additional seat available from Duke University, the University of North Carolina and the Central High School. When you return next year the game will probably be played in Durham's New World War Memorial Stadium, (a suggestion to the city fathers of Durham.) Again we thank you.

PIEDMONT TOBACCO BOWL PROMOTERS.



R. GREGG CHERRY

Governor of North Carolina

PROGRAM OF EVENTS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1945

12:00 P. M. _____ Parade
1:55 P. M. _____ National Anthem

BETWEEN HALVES

Introduction

- a. "Miss Virginia State"
- "Miss North Carolina State"
- "Miss North Carolina College Alumni" and attendants

Presenting

- a. "Miss Piedmont Tobacco Bowl"
- Attendants
- "Miss Chesterfield"
- "Miss Lucky Strike"

Parade of Bands

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L. E. Austin, Chairman
Committee on Arrangements,
Tobacco Bowl Classic,
Durham, N. C.

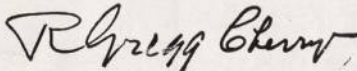
Dear Sir:

My attention has been called to the fact that the Alumni Association of the North Carolina College for Negroes and other responsible citizens of our State are planning a Tobacco Bowl Football Classic to be held in Durham on December 8, between two outstanding Negro Elevens of the Country. This homecoming tribute to our returning Negro Veterans of World War II will emphasize the contribution our Negro Citizens have made in the great tobacco industry of our State.

As Governor of North Carolina, I am happy to call attention to this undertaking and appeal to the citizens of both races in the State to lend their support to this effort which has, as its major purpose, the fostering of inter-racial goodwill.

With all good wishes, I am

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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The president extends a cordial welcome to our visiting team and to all who gathered with us today in interest of keen rivalry and clean sportsmanship.

May we carry with us something of inspiration from the men "Who play the game." They take the hard knocks without flinching and follow the ball with a strong determination to win.

Signed

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Virginia State College was established in 1882. It has been accredited as a standard Teachers College and as a standard Class A Liberal Arts College. The physical plant of the college is composed of 35 permanent structures erected on a 116-acre campus. The college farm which is about one mile from the campus proper contains 368 acres. There is available over one-half million dollars for the erection of new building as soon as materials are available. Included in this new building program are a classroom and activities building, an infirmary, a home economics building, a women's dormitory, and homes for teachers.

The college offers the opportunity for major concentration in 23 departments of instruction. Its present student body is composed of 1010 students, with 990 in the undergraduate division and 20 in the graduate. The enrollment in the Extension Department exceeds 1,000 persons.

On July 1, 1944, the Norfolk Division of Virginia State College was established in Norfolk. This division has an enrollment of over 341 persons with a staff of 31 full-time and part-time persons. The work in the Norfolk division is confined to the freshman and sophomore years. To February 1, 1944, the graduates of Virginia State College numbered 5,482. The present staff numbers over 175 persons who have been trained in the leading universities in this country and abroad. On the faculty there are 15 persons with the Ph.D. degree. The Audio-Visual Center is one of the latest developments in the college program.

Virginia State College has over 700 Statesmen in the armed forces. The college paper, the Virginia Statesmen, a bi-weekly publication, is sent to all Statesmen in the service.

The college offers a wide extra-curricular program. There are four sororities, four fraternities, the Women's Symphonic Choir, the Players Guild, the Student Council, the Virginia Statesman Publication Board, the Women's Senate, the Men's Senate, the S. C. A., the Pawley Debating Society, the Lindsay Treble Clef Club, the Band, the Symphonic Orchestra, and the Honor Societies of Iota Sigma Lambda and Beta Kappa Chi, as well as departmental activities.

The presidents of the college since its beginning in 1882 have been John Mercer Langston, James Hugo Johnston, John Manuel Gandy, president emeritus, and Luther H. Foster.



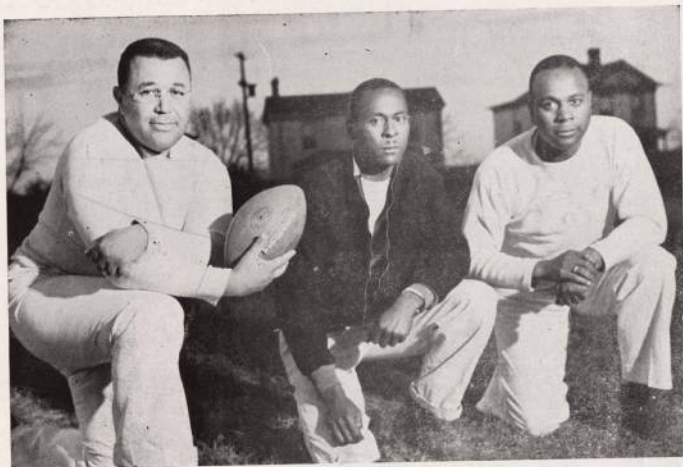
STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT FOSTER

As president of Virginia State College, I am happy to extend greetings to the officials of the Piedmont Tobacco Bowl Classic, Inc.

Virginia State College and North Carolina College for a number of years have engaged in friendly rivalry intercollegiate sports. These contests have always been exhibitions of superb sportsmanship and fine skill. I am sure that the contest in Durham between the two football teams representing Virginia State College and North Carolina College will maintain this tradition.

Virginia State College salutes both teams and extends greetings to the Alumni and friends of both institutions present for the first annual Piedmont Tobacco Bowl Classic.

TROJAN TRIUMVIRATE



Head Coach Harry R. Jefferson, Assistant Coach Thomas Verdell, and Assistant Coach James A. Moore.

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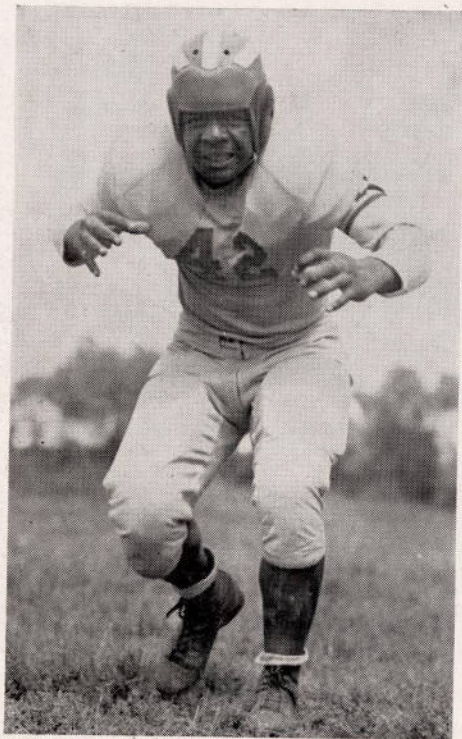
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1945 FOOTBALL TEAM**

No.	Name	Pos.
51	Moore, Willie	End
34	Henry Cameron	End
21	James Richmond	End
26	Dick Jones	End
46	Rupert Johnson	End
19	Frank Harvey	End
49	Kenneth White	End
52	David Atkinson	Tackle
38	Joseph Mitchell	Tackle
64	Elmer Mason	Tackle
44	John Pippin	Tackle
20	Louis Randolph	Tackle
63	James Greenlee	Tackle
60	Leon Coward	Tackle
11	William Amey	Tackle
—	Charles Holmes	Tackle
30	James Elliott	Guard
42	Joseph McFadden	Guard
15	Ehridge Byrd	Guard
—	Robert McAdams	Guard
46	Gus McLaughlin	Guard
17	Russell Durrah	Guard
29	Ulysess Bridgeman	Center
66	James Hicks	Center
18	William Hardin	Center
39	Thomas Allen	Back
25	Willie Bradshaw	Back
22	Sylvio Galbreath	Back
48	Wellman Britt	Back
13	Harry Page	Back
38	Roy Lee	Back
24	Artis Plummer	Back
23	Robert Perry	Back
27	Charles White	Back
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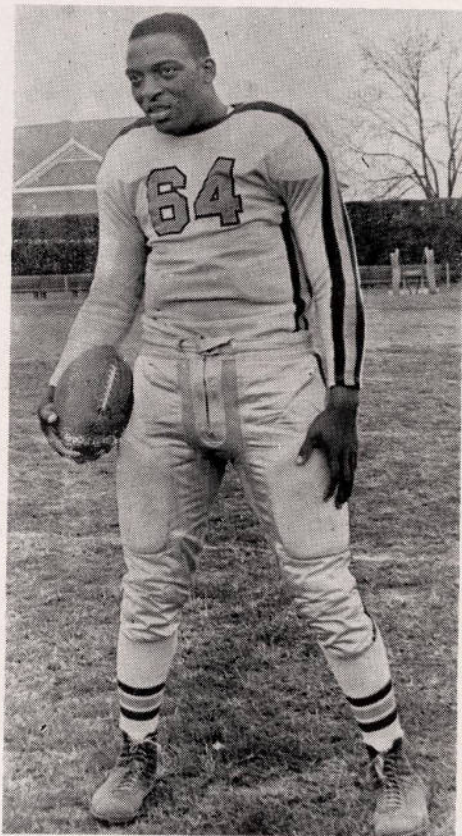
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53	Bagley, John	End
56	Battle, David	Guard
86	Braime, Thomas	Back
54	Braxton, George	Guard
84	Bugs, Antron	Back
80	Byrd, Charlie	Guard
44	Cummings, James	Back
50	Crocker, Linton	Back
92	Dawkins, Wade	Back
98	Entzinger, Thos.	Tackle
58	Felton, George	Tackle
88	Flowers, Stafford	Center
68	Gunn, David	Back
61	Hite, Lawrence	Back
52	Jackson, Edward	End
89	Jackson, Williams	Guard
95	Jolly, Francis	End
57	Jones, Alvin	Back
42	Jones, John	Back
79	Kane, Walter	Center
66	Kindred, Walter	End
41	King, Benjamin	Back
63	Knight, Allen	Back
51	McAllister, LeRoy	Guard
81	Major, James	End
90	Nickens, French	Guard
94	Page, Orlandus	Tackle
85	Page, Wendell	Tackle
93	Price, Charles	Back
62	Purvis, Milton	Guard
83	Rice, Lonnie	End
64	Quander, Paul	Center
60	Royal, Randolph	Back
65	Savage, Walter	Tackle
97	Simmons, Joseph	Guard
43	Strong, Milton	Tackle
31	Tallifetro, A.	Back
91	Vassar, Theo.	End
87	Vaughan, Robert	Back
96	White, Johathan	End
82	Williams, Lonnie	Back



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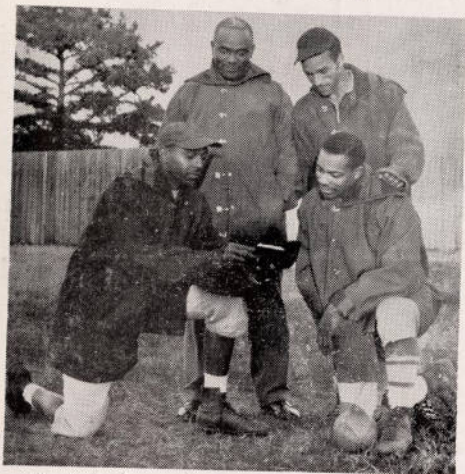
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The above personalities who appear to be talking it over are members of the Eagle's coaching staff. Kneeling and reading from left to right are Coaches Herman H. Riddick and LeRoy Walker. Standing reading from left to right are Coaches E. C. (Pops) Turner and J. B. McLendon.



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