

1975 Far West Classic

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They're singing "Heaven help the foes of Washington" in Seattle again this year, and for good reason—the 1974-75 Huskies look like the most formidable UW basketball team since the Bob Houbregs, Joe Cipriano, Louis Soriano group of the early 1950's.

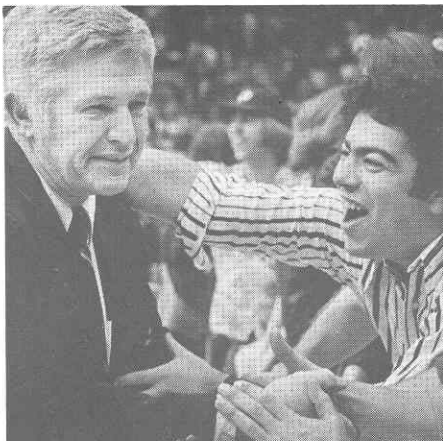
If he wants to, Harshman can put the tallest front line in the country into a game in 6-10 Lars Hansen, 7-0 James Edwards and 6-10 Larry Jackson—all of whom are excellent shooters.

When you add Clarence Ramsey, one of the finest shooters in the Pacific-8 and quick Chester Dorsey, then you have indeed one of the best aggregations around. Sports Illustrated thought so, and rated the Huskies in the top 25 teams. UPI thought so, too, and rated them 17th.

Things are so good in Seattle that both the forward and guard positions are contestable. Kim Stewart, the 6-7, sophomore from Seattle's Ballard High, has been starting in the early running in place of Jackson at one forward, and Chris Parker makes it difficult for Dorsey and Ramsey.

All of this adds up to a Pacific-8 contender, and a possible Far West Classic champion.

The same players have been around for the past couple of years. They have played brilliantly at times (they

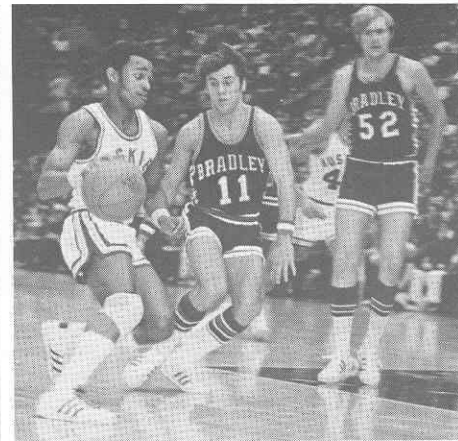


clobbered UCLA in Seattle last year), poorly in other times. But now they're all older, more court-wise and what is more, they know that they're a good club—that helps.

"Yes, we have a pretty good team up here," says Marv Harshman, who has been to enough Classics to know what a good club is. "Larry Jackson has knee problems right now, but other than that, we're fine physically."

Ramsey led the Huskies in scoring last year with 17.8 points a game, while Jackson was second and Edwards third at 12.3.

Earlier this year, Harshman expressed concern about who would replace the graduated Larry Pounds, the number four scorer who was also the second-leading rebounder. The thing that concerns Harshman most is



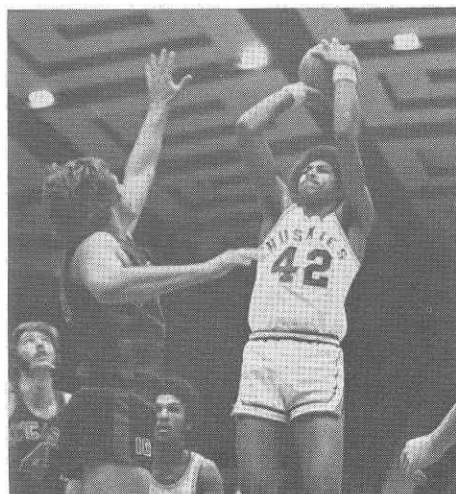
the steadiness and leadership Pounds provided.

"I'm not really sure we've replaced him yet," says Harsh. "We've got talent at the position, but I'm not sure we have the steadying influence anywhere now. I'm sure it will come, but right now I don't know from whom."

One other sign of good things is the situation of Ramsey, who in his three glittering years for the Huskies has taken a lot of shots.

"Clarence has not been shooting as much this year," says Harshman. "We've been getting the inside shot a lot more, and have needed his outside scoring less."

That must mean trouble.



No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Hometown
15	Chester Dorsey	G	6-1	175	Jr	Indianapolis, Ind.
42	James Edwards	C	7-0	218	Jr	Seattle, Wash.
40	Lars Hansen	C	6-10	230	Sr	Coquitlam, B.C.
22	Bart Hess	G	6-0	160	So	Columbus, Ohio
30	Greg Jack	F	6-7	220	Jr	Mercer Island, Wash.
10	Larry Jackson	F	6-10	211	Sr	Pasadena, Calif.
41	Ken Lombard	F	6-6	180	Sr	Seattle, Wash.
14	Mike Neill	G	6-3	180	Fr	Richland, Wash.
32	Chris Parker	G	6-4	190	Sr	Los Angeles, Calif.
33	Tony Poydras	F	6-6	185	Fr	Spokane, Wash.
35	Clarence Ramsey	G	6-4	180	Sr	Tacoma, Wash.
21	Mark Scott	G	6-5	183	So	San Gabriel, Calif.
24	Al Smith	F	6-9	210	Sr	Cashmere, Wash.
43	Kim Stewart	F	6-7	230	Sq	Seattle, Wash.

Florida State

The Seminoles are no strangers to the Far West Classic. They came here in 1971 from a Hawaii experience not unlike what Dick Harter suffered recently, then promptly dominated the tournament with the likes of Reggie Royals, Lawrence McCray, Otto Petty, Ron King and Rowland Garrett.

Fiery Hugh Durham had depth then and he seems to have it now; he says that he has no less than 11 players that can start, most of them back from a club that went 18-8 for the third straight year in 1974-75.

The top eight scorers from that club are back with a good cast of freshmen as a compliment.

These Seminoles won't be as big as that 1971 aggregation, but with an 18-8 season behind them, they should be just as competitive.

Big Greg Grady (6-9, 13.3 ppg, 10.3 rpg) will hold down the middle in Durham's 1-3-1 offense. The club's leading scorer from last year, Larry Warren, will be one wing. He scored 16.0 points a game last year. Wayne Smalls (12.1) will swing from wing to point in the rotation and 6-7 Zach Perkins (11.6) will be a point and wing man.

Also back from last season are 6-7 sophomore Harry Davis (9.0), 6-0 point man Eugene Harris (8.6), 6-5½ wingman Hank Mann (5.3) and 5-8



scooter Carlton Byrd (5.3).

Nobody will have anything sewn up as long as newcomers James Smith (6-5), freshman Herbie Allen (6-5) and a guy with the intriguing name of David Thompson (6-8) are around. Thompson is a JC transfer, Smith redshirted last year and Allen is a high school All-America.

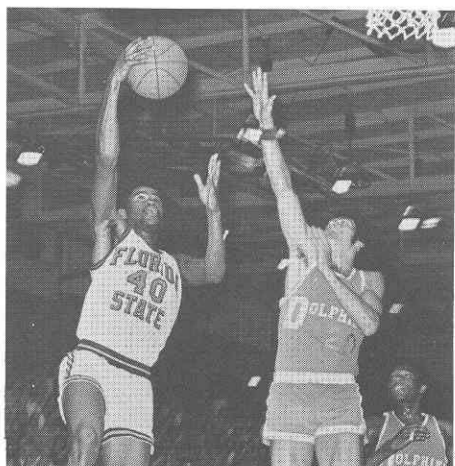
"Going into this season we have 11 players who can play," says Durham. "Last season we had some sophomores and juniors who had ability but this year we are going to have some juniors and seniors who have talent and experience.

"With Smith, Thompson and Allen coming into the program, it should make us a better ball club. They give you ability and increase the competition for positions.

"Right now, no one has a lock on a starting berth."

There are frightening parallels between the '71 and '75 teams. Both were experienced, and neither was ballyhooed coming into the season. If anyone makes the mistake of taking the Seminoles lightly, they may wind up on the short end of a score.

After all, they've never lost an FWC game.



No.	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Class	Hometown
3	Herbie Allen	Wing	6-5	185	F	Tampa, Fla.
10	David Thompson	Wing	6-8	195	So	Boston, Mass.
11	Carlton Byrd	Point	5-8	140	Jr	Dania, Fla.
13	Greg Grady	Post	6-9	215	Sr	Brooklyn, N.Y.
14	Hank Mann	Wing	6-5½	185	So	Chester, Pa.
23	Zach Perkins	Pt-Wing	6-7	195	Sr	Crestview, Fla.
24	James Smith	Wing	6-6	190	So	Lake Worth, Fla.
32	Eugene Harris	Point	6-0	185	Jr	Scottsboro, Ala.
33	Mike Kuidid	Point	6-1	175	So	Daytona Beach, Fla.
34	Wayne Smalls	Wing	6-2	170	Jr	Camden, N.J.
40	Larry Warren	Wing	6-4	190	Sr	Lake Worth, Fla.
44	Harry Davis	Post	6-7	220	So	Cleveland, Ohio

OFFICIAL NCAA BASKETBALL BOX SCORE

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No.	VISITING TEAM (Last Name, First)	FIELD GOALS		FREE THROWS		Re-bounds	Pers. Fouls	TOTAL POINTS	Ass'ts	Turn-overs	Bl'kd Shots	Steals	Mins. Played
		Made	Att'd	Made	Att'd								
	FLORIDA STATE												
10	Thompson, David	7	15	3	4	10	4	17	0	7	1	1	36
13	Grady, Greg	1	1	1	2	5	0	3	0	5	0	0	21
23	Perkins, Zach	1	10	0	2	7	2	2	0	1	0	2	23
34	Smalls, Wayne	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
40	Warren, Larry	7	17	0	0	4	3	14	0	1	0	0	21
44	Davis, Harry	4	6	1	3	2	5	9	1	5	0	0	21
11	Byrd, Carlton	4	9	1	1	4	2	9	4	3	0	0	33
32	Harris, Eugene	0	5	0	0	2	1	0	12	2	0	0	19
3	Allen, Herbie	0	3	0	3	5	2	0	4	0	0	0	19
	TEAM REBOUNDS (Included in Totals)					13							
	TOTALS	24	66	6	15	53	19	54	21	24	1	3	200

PERCENTAGES: FGs: 1st Half .345 2nd Half .378 Game .364
 Fts: 1st Half .250 2nd Half .571 Game .400

Deadball
Rebounds:

No.	HOME TEAM (Last Name, First)	FIELD GOALS		FREE THROWS		Re-bounds	Pers. Fouls	TOTAL POINTS	Ass'ts	Turn-overs	Bl'kd Shots	Steals	Mins. Played
		Made	Att'd	Made	Att'd								
	WASHINGTON												
15	Dorsey, Chester	1	4	2	4	3	4	4	6	5	0	1	34
35	Ransom, Clarence	5	15	0	0	1	5	10	0	4	0	0	28
40	Hansen, Lars	10	14	0	0	7	2	20	0	1	0	0	25
42	Edwards, James	7	14	0	0	6	1	24	0	2	1	0	30
43	Stewart, Kim	3	9	1	3	10	3	7	7	0	0	1	29
41	Lombard, Ken	3	5	4	5	6	3	10	1	2	0	21	28
30	Jack, Greg	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	5
14	Neill, Mike	1	3	2	4	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	9
32	Parker, Chris	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	8
24	Smith, Al	0	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	24
	TEAM REBOUNDS (Included in Totals)					36							
	TOTALS	30	67	9	16	42	19	69	17	16	1	4	200

PERCENTAGES: FGs: 1st Half .452 2nd Half .444 Game .448
 Fts: 1st Half .333 2nd Half .615 Game .563

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Rebounds:

OFFICIALS: Carol Cosby and Irv Brown

Technical Fouls:

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SCORE BY PERIODS

1st H. 2nd H. OT OT FINAL

Florida St.	22	32			54
Washington	29	40			69

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