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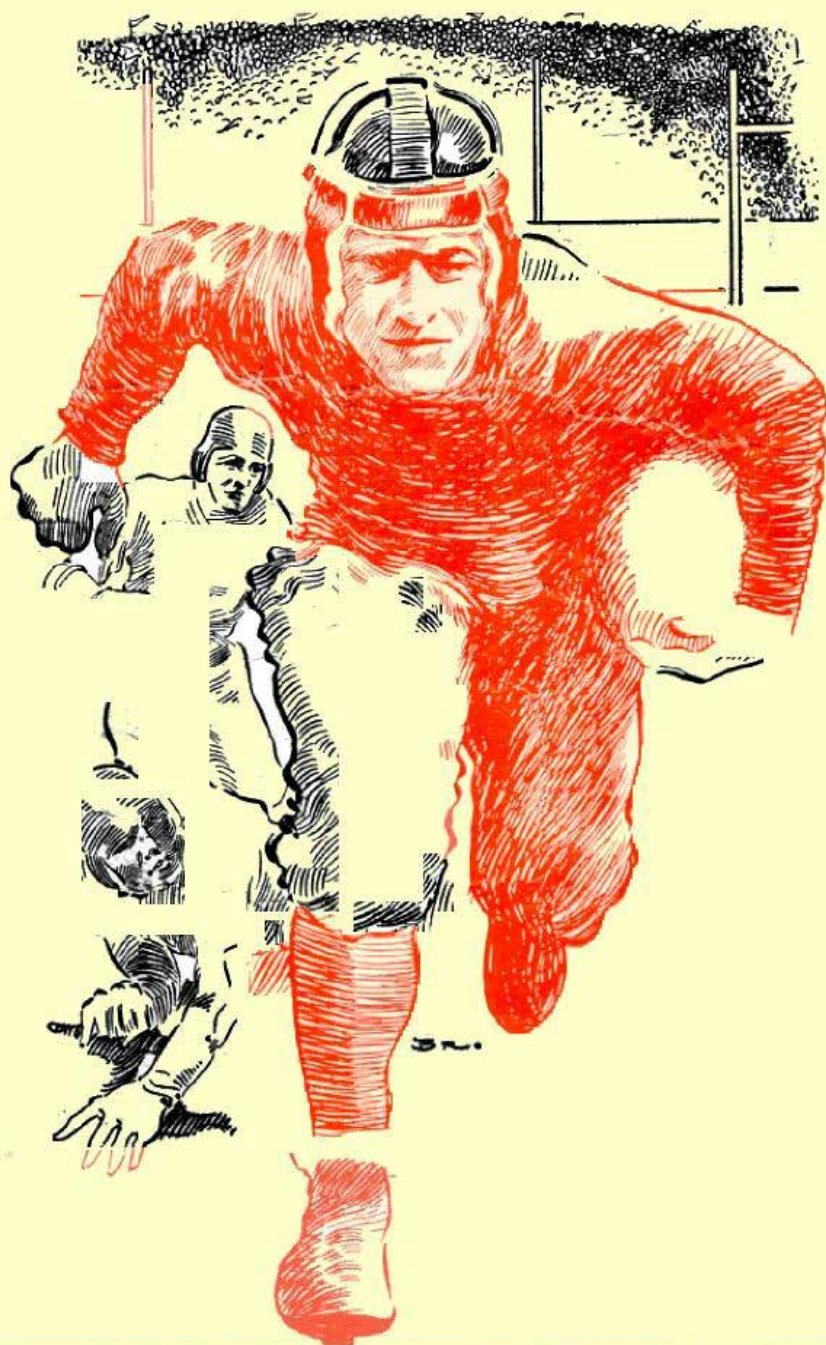
INAUGURAL GAME-FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

**FLORIDA
STATE
UNIVERSITY**

VS

**JOHN B.
STETSON
UNIVERSITY**

PRICE 15 CENTS



KICK-OFF
8:00 P.M.

CENTENNIAL FIELD
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

SATURDAY
OCT. 18
1947

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL ROSTER 1947

No.	NAME	POS.	WT.	HT.	AGE	HOMETOWN	CLASSIFICATION
11	George Cave	LHB	160	5-10	20	Madison	1
12	Howard Stephens	RHB	160	5- 8	20	Panama City	1
13	Gerald Manuel	FB	182	5- 7	21	Newberry	2
14	Donald Grant	QB	170	5-10	24	Perry	2
15	Philip Roundtree	LHB	160	5- 8	24	Chipley	3
16	Ralph Chaudron	LHB	160	5-10	20	Pensacola	1
17	Jack McMillan	QB	165	6-	21	Quincy	4
18	Billy Parker	LHB	170	5-10	20	Clearwater	1
19	Leonard Melton	RHB	160	6-	18	Tallahassee	1
20	Wendell Barnes	QB	170	5-10	18	Lake City	1
21	Wesley Carter	RHB	175	5- 8	24	Tallahassee	2
22	Harry Hughey	RHB	155	5- 8	23	Pensacola	2
23	Clyde Standland	T	185	6-	23	Quincy	2
24	Ronald Melton	G	165	6-	20	Tallahassee	1
25	Billy Bishop	FB	175	5- 8	24	Quincy	2
26	John Watson	FB	178	5- 8	22	Pensacola	2
27	Harold Conard	QB	165	5- 9	20	Panama City	2
28	Addison Meade	FB	170	5-11	21	Pensacola	2
29	James De Cosmo	LHB	180	6-	22	Apalachicola	2
30	Wyatt Parish	RHB	170	5-10	19	Chipley	1
31	Jack Tully	G	185	6-	21	Tallahassee	1
32	Ed Quigley	G	175	5- 9	22	Panama City	1
33	Buddy Bryant	C	180	6- 3	19	Perry	1
34	J. P. Love	E	185	5-	20	Tallahassee	1
35	Bob Fergers	G	170	5- 9	19	Hallandale	1
36	Joe Crona	C	160	5- 9	20	Pensacola	1
37	Bill Fannin	E	175	6- 1	21	Tallahassee	1
38	L. A. Davis	G	192	5- 8	22	Perry	2
39	Truby Shaw	E	170	6-	21	Panama City	2
40	Bob Lanigan	E	177	6- 1	21	Coral Gables	2
41	C. E. Silas	C	175	5-11	22	Carrabelle	2
42	Dan McClure	T	197	6-	21	Stuart	1
43	Kenneth MacLean	FB	195	6-	20	Quincy	2
44	Bill Benz	T	203	5-10	21	Jacksonville	1
45	Fred Schneider	E	170	6- 1	18	Winter Park	2
46	Chris Kalfas	G	210	5- 9	18	Tallahassee	1
47	Al Thorpe	T	210	6-	21	Tallahassee	1
48	Jim Costellos	E	194	6- 3	21	Miami	2
49	Charles McMillan	E	203	6- 1	19	Quincy	2
50	Chris Banakas	E	181	5-11	23	Pensacola	2
51	Ed Dilsaver	G	175	5- 9	22	St. Augustine	2
52	Bill Kratzert	E	180	6- 1	20	Tallahassee	1
53	Jim Quigley	G	190	5- 9	20	Panama City	1
54	David Middlebrook	T	203	6- 1	20	Pensacola	2
55	Bob Browning	T	215	6- 3	19	Madison	1
56	Frederick Boris	T	212	6- 2	24	Key West	2
57	Dick Williams	T	220	6- 2	20	Orlando	2
58	C. N. Procter	C	196	6- 3	20	Altamonte Springs	3
59	Leonard Gilberg	T	230	6-	20	Tallahassee	3
60	Clive Yancey	T	215	6-	27	Tallahassee	2

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

Probable Starting Line-up

L. E.
Costello
No. 48

L. T.
Gilberg
No. 59

L. G.
Kalfas
No. 46

C.
Bryant
No. 32

L. G.
Tulley
No. 31

L. T.
Middlebrooks
No. 54

L. E.
Banakas
No. 50

Q. B.
Grant
No. 14

L. H.
Chaudron
No. 16

F. B.
Maclean
No. 43

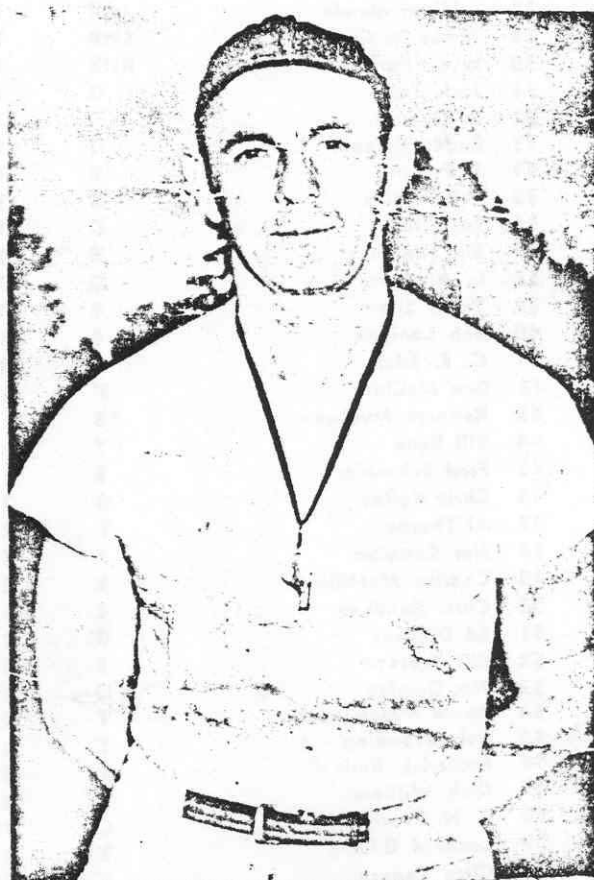
R. H.
Parrish
No. 30



Florida State Football Coaching Staff



ED. WILLIAMSON
Head Coach



JACK HASKIN
Backfield Coach

FSU Loses Hard-Fought Opener to Stetson 14 to 6

Hatters Score Twice In Last Half to Win

By FRED PETTILJOHN

Florida State University's garnet and gold gridders, untested, untried and undaunted, shocked a seasoned Stetson eleven and stunned a record crowd of some 8,000 grid-iron fans in Centennial field's "bleacher bowl" last night with a bitterly contested battle that saw them bow 14-6 after leading until midway in the third quarter.

FSU, striking through the air late in the second quarter when sophomore end Charles McMillan made a miracle catch of Don Grants high forward pass into the southeast corner of the end zone, finally went down under the weight of a Stetson attack sparked by Byron Brasington and pow-

ered by big Jim Olson.

The garnet and gold team fumbled and made mistakes, their attack sputtered and stalled, and Stetson out statisticked them all over the place. But State's game team gave ground grudgingly, fought for every inch, and won the plaudits of the entire crowd in their losing effort.

Hatters Needed Edge

The Stetson team, going to the post for the third time this season after losing to Jacksonville Naval air station and winning from Southwestern of Memphis, had a smoother ground game, a sounder air attack and the experience. And they needed every edge to squeeze home ahead.

Trailing 6-0 at halftime the Hatters came roaring back after the intermission and crunched their way 85 yards to a score midway in the third period.

Big George Douglass, giant tackle who was acting as game captain for the Hatters, fell on Jim Olson's fumble in the end zone after the burly 205-pound halfback had carried the oval to the very brink of paydirt and fumbled.

In the closing minutes of the tilt Clarke McCullough, substitute signal caller for the central Florida eleven, dove over on a quarterback sneak for the final tally.

Brasington Boots

Byron Brasington, a fast and shifty halfback who was a constant threat to the State eleven all night kicked both points from placement.

While the Hatters dominated the final two periods with their offensive show the garnet and gold had their moments.

Charley McMillan, who had scored for FSU in the second quarter almost pulled a touchdown trick out of the hat shortly after the fourth period opened.

Stetson, leading 7 to 6 and working from FSU's 20, tried a lateral behind the line with Tom Ewing attempting to toss to Hugh Carlton. McMillan broke through and stole the oval on his own 22. With two short strides the Quincy boy was in the clear and cutting over to the western boundary toward a score.

Olson Saves Stetson

Jim Olson, the big driving back, outran the flying flankman, however, and cutting diagonally across the field finally caught him from behind with a low driving tackle on the Stetson 15 yard line.

Two plays later Tom Deen intercepted a pass to halt the threat.

Chris Banakas, who was a fine end all night teamed with McMillan to give the garnet and gold their first score. Late in the second quarter after an exchange of punts FSU put the ball in play on the Stetson 36 yard line.

After a couple of plays Stetson kicked to midfield and after three plays Carter of FSU punted into the end zone after narrowly escaping having his kick

blocked. Stetson failed to gain and Perry punted to the FSU 36.

FSU Scores

Grant picked up six on a quarterback sneak. Chaudron's jump pass intended for Conrad was incomplete. Grant fired a forward to McMillan on the Stet 41 and McMillan lateralled to Banakas who fought his way down the west sideline to the Stetson 24 for a 34-yard gain on the play.

Harold Conrad went around left end to the Hatters' 23. Grant passed to C McMillan of Quincy to the 20. On the next play, Grant fired a high pass to the southeast corner of the end zone and C McMillan went up between two Stetson defenders to snag the pass for the FSU score. Gilbert's attempted placement for the extra point

McMillan's catch, screened from most of the fans and officials by the tightly clinging Stetson defenders, turned the "bowl" into a wild uproar.

The rangy sophomore flankmen, going into the air with a defense man hanging on to each arm, crashed to the dirt in a three man pile up as the ball was practically smothered in the shuffle.

After a slight delay the officials threw up their arms in the success signal and the stands went wild.

In impressive ceremonies between the halves, FSU President Doak S Campbell, with Gov Millard Caldwell and student body presidents Phillip Rountree and Miss Dahlia Santos looking on, presented life memberships in the F club to four former players and two coaches of the victorious 1904 team.

The life members are Judge W W Hughes, former coach, Prof E R Smith, assistant coach, and players Guyte P McCord, Harry H Wells, Rev Weldon Mullen and also to Walter S McLin, member of the 1903 team.

Football officially returned to FSU when Stetson kicked off and Grant received on the three, returning the ball to FSU's 31. On the first play, Parrish broke over his right tackle and raced to the Hatters' 49. Chaudron picked up four but FSU was penalized to their 46 for illegal motion. After a series of line plays,

With Brasington, Big Jim Olson, and Whitaker alternating with the ball, Stetson marched down to the FSU 2½-yard line but were stopped on the fourth down on the 4½. In the closing minutes of the first quarter, Everett of Stetson recovered Carter's fumble on the FSU 20 and the Hat-

ters drove to the 2½ but were penalized to the 16 for holding as the quarter ended.

Shortly after the second half opened the Hatters got underway.

Starting from their own 15, where they had been set after Manuel's quick kick and a penalty, Stetson marched to a score.

Olson picked up a yard on the initial thrust, then hit Carlton in the flat to move the ball to the Stetson 30.

McCollough and Pumphrey picked up 5 yards in two tries and Pumphrey hit Carlton on the 46.

Carlton wormed his way to the 48 yard line and Olson, taking a lateral on the next play fought down to the FSU 37.

McCollough got five through the middle and after two plays had felled Jack Whitaker bulled his way off left tackle down to the 26.

Whitaker picked up five at tackle and then lost it back as he fumbled the pass from center. On third down he charged to the 15 with a smack at right tackle.

Olson breaking through the right side of the line cut back sharply and drove right to the goal line before fumbling when he was hit hard. Douglass recovered. Brasington kicked the extra point and Stetson finally lead 7-6.

After Gilbert had punted out on the midfield stripe the green and white clad Hatters ripped off their final score.

Orr banged his way through the right side of the line to the 42, and Olson ripped his way on a cross buck down to the 31.

Orr drove again, this time to the 19. Olson slashed off left tackle and cutback to the FSU 13.

Brasington, head down and legs churning, went to the 9.

McCullough, on a quarterback sneak scrambled to the 3, and on the same play slithered over for the score.

Brasington kicked the point again, and that was the ball game.

In the fourth and final period after McMillan had threatened to score again, the Hatters pushed over the final tally.

STATISTICS

	FSU	Stetson
First downs	4	17
Passes attempted	13	16
Passes completed	5	7
Passes intercepted	3	1
Yards gained passing	65	65
Yards gained rushing	46	165
Total yards gained	111	230
Punts	7	4
Av distance punts	31	31.5
Fumbles	5	6
Own fumbles recovered	4	0

Stetson	Pos	Florida State
Hornaby	LE	Costello
Douglass	LT	Gilberg
Lanigan	LG	J Quigley
Perrin	C	Bryant
Garrett	RG	Tully (c)
Selena	RT	Middlebrooks
Perry	RE	Banakas
Swing	QB	Grant
Olson	LH	Chaudron
Brasington	RH	Parrish
Whitaker	FB	Watson