

Negotiating for Six Game Grid Schedule

By the Associated Press

Florida State University—formerly Florida State College for Women—plans to field an inter-collegiate football team this season.

However, according to an announcement on athletic policy by President Doak S. Campbell, it doesn't plan to seek competition with its big brother, the University of Florida, "for some time to come."

The university is negotiating for a six-game schedule, and one contest has been tentatively arranged with Stetson university for Oct. 18 at Tallahassee. Contracts for the game, however, have not been signed.

Athletic Director Ed Williamson, former University of Florida star and coach at Lake City high school, said he also has written for games with the University of Havana, Cuba, Alabama State Teachers college, Springfield college of Alabama, Howard university and Birmingham-Southern.

Williamson, who served as athletic director for the Tallahassee branch of the University of Flor-

ida last year, will be assisted by Donald Loucks, former Florida high school coach and freshman basketball coach at West Point during the war.

In his statement of policy, President Campbell said major emphasis will be placed on intramural competition and that "other problems connected with the transition to a co-educational institution will be more important and pressing, at least for several years," than intercollegiate athletics.

However, he said a limited program in football, basketball, swimming, tennis, golf, track and baseball is planned for the 1947-48 year.

Williamson said that while he has no definite idea of the type of players he will have available, he expects a squad of between 100 and 125 to report shortly after the university opens Sept. 15.

"We will have some pretty good boys, some with college experience," he said.

Light But Fast

He indicated the team will be light, but will possess speed.

Among those who are expected to report are Wesley Carter, jr., of Tallahassee who played freshman football with the University of Georgia Bulldogs in 1942 before he entered the marines.

Williamson said no athletic scholarships are planned and the only eligibility requirements for the players will be scholastic.

The university teams will play under the old garnet and gold colors of former Florida State College for Women. A nickname will be selected in a statewide contest to be conducted by the institution's publicity department.

Details for the contest have not been worked out.

Additional Upperclassmen This Week to Make Squad About 80

By ODELL TURNER

A squad of 65 prospects for Florida State University's first football team romped through conditioning exercises Saturday and will report tomorrow for intensive conditioning drills for the opening game against Stetson at Centennial field Oct 18.

Additional upperclassmen are expected to report for duty this week, Coach Ed Williamson said, to bring the number of prospects to about 80. Most of the week will be devoted to running, passing and kicking with no rough stuff on the agenda until about Sept 29.

Uniforms will be issued, in all probability, the latter part of the week. Forty-three aspirants reported for the initial drills Friday and in a Saturday afternoon workout the squad had increased to 65 with a goodly sprinkling of six-foot, 200-pounders on the field.

Under the direction of Coach Williamson and new assistant coach, Jack Haskin, the men went through calisthenics and some punting and passing.

Haskin Introduced

After introducing himself, Williamson presented Haskin, former high school coach at Potomac, Ill. for 14 years. Williamson is a graduate of the University of Florida and was coach for two years at Columbia high school in Lake City. After serving with the navy, he came to the Tallahassee branch of the University of Florida.

Haskin is a former star backfield man with the University of Wisconsin and later served as head mentor of the Potomac High school in Illinois. With four years of Army Air Corps service as athletic director, he coached one year at East High school in Madison, Wis.

Coaches Talk

After brief talks by the coaches, the men were split into two groups and a short passing practice got underway. Following the passing, a few limbering up exercises were given to the players.

Working with Williamson, the linemen prospects went through a light drill of pulling out and a few wind sprints. At the same time Haskin was carrying the backs through a punting and receiving drill.

To end the first formal workout of the season the men were put through a few relay races and finished up the day with a few laps around the athletic field.

Those who reported for the workouts:

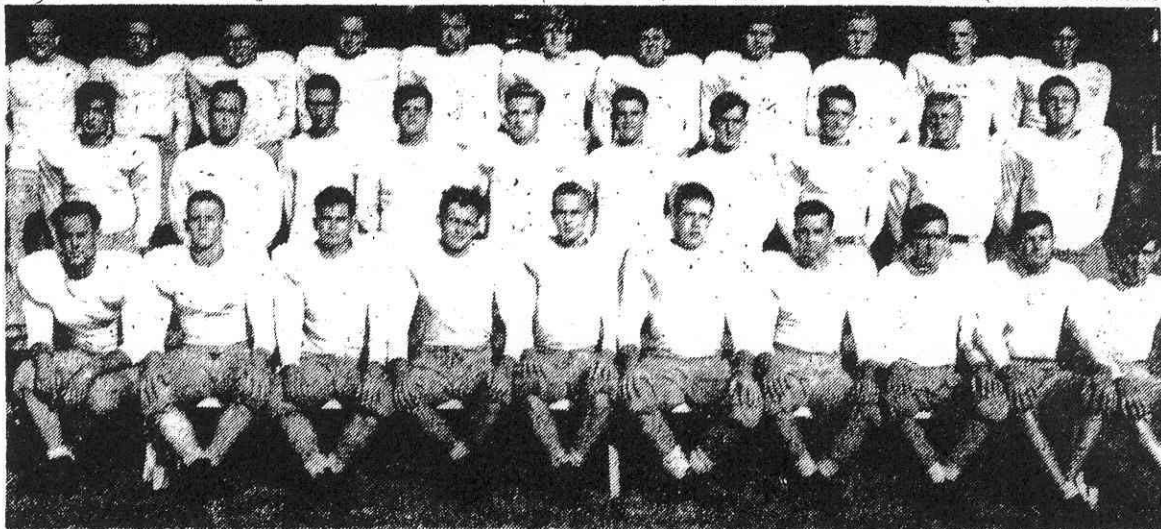
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A. M. Adkinson	Bonifay	176 6 ft. 3 in
Henry Knowles	Blountstown	182 5 ft. 11 in
Robert C. Lanigan	Coral Gables	177 6 ft. 3 in
Jim Costello	Miami	197 6 ft. 1 in
Arthur E. Schneider	Winter Park	170 6 ft. 2 in
Gene Olson	Jacksonville	190 6 ft. 2 in
James P. Love	Tallahassee	186 6 ft. 1 in
Clyde C. Wiggins	White Springs	165 4 ft. 1 in
W. L. Wells	Stuart	175 6 ft. 1 in
Clark Bishop	Perry	189 6 ft. 2 in
Richard Carney	Miami	175 6 ft. 2 in
William E. Fannin	Tallahassee	175 6 ft. 1 in
Robert F. Frohock	Panacea	178 6 ft. 1 in
Chris Banakas	Pensacola	181 6 ft. 1 in
TACKLES		
Rahl Wilkinson	Dania	240 6 ft. 1 in
Albert R. Masey	New Smyrna Beach	160 6 ft. 1 in
Leonard Gilbert	Tallahassee	224 6 ft. 1 in
Daniel W. McClure	Stuart	195 5 ft. 11 in
Johnny H. Bailey	Blountstown	230 6 ft. 1 in
R. H. Brownink	Madison	210 6 ft. 2 in
GUARDS		
Tony Montedecoz	Tampa	180 5 ft. 9 in
H. R. McLendon	Tallahassee	185 5 ft. 11 in
Jack Tully	Tallahassee	170 6 ft. 1 in
Clive Yancey	Tallahassee	215 6 ft. 1 in
Lamuel A. Davis	Perry	190 5 ft. 8 in
Alvin Robbins	Tallahassee	190 5 ft. 10 in
Chris Kallas	Tallahassee	207 5 ft. 9 in
Odell Turner	Tallahassee	180 5 ft. 8 in
CENTERS		
Charles Hospodas	Pt. Lauderdale	210 6 ft. 1 in
William Starkweather	Panama City	185 6 ft. 1 in
Chester E. Silas	Carrabelle	180 5 ft. 11 in
E. N. Proctor	Altamonte Springs	194 6 ft. 2 in
M. R. Bryant	Perry	175 6 ft. 2 in
Robert Morris	Apalachicola	185 6 ft. 1 in
BACKS		
Wesley P. Carter	Tallahassee	175 5 ft. 8 in
William P. Miller	New Smyrna Beach	174 5 ft. 8 in
Thomas P. McGinty	Tallahassee	161 5 ft. 10 in
Wayne Howell	Pt. Lauderdale	170 6 ft. 1 in
Henry C. Kelly	Daytona Beach	184 5 ft. 7 in
George Newman	Eau Galle	165 5 ft. 9 in
Harry Hughey	Pensacola	175 5 ft. 8 in
Wyatt Parish	Chiles	165 5 ft. 10 in
Donald Grant	Perry	168 5 ft. 10 in
Philip Rountree	Chiles	164 5 ft. 8 in
Frank E. Barber	Okeechobee	161 5 ft. 9 in
Jerome Payne	Tallahassee	169 5 ft. 10 in
John Norris	Clearwater	167 5 ft. 11 in
Gerald B. Manuel	Newberry	160 5 ft. 7 in
Aubrey Lee Sapp	Bradenton	160 5 ft. 7 in
James Harold Lee	Lakeand	170 5 ft. 10 in
Edwin V. Andrews	Tallahassee	171 5 ft. 9 in
Joe Caculac	Miami	171 5 ft. 8 in
Lennell Rowlin	Port St. Joe	171 5 ft. 8 in
Curtis Bohannon	Jacksonville	171 5 ft. 11 in
George W. Cave	Madison	169 5 ft. 10 in
D. M. Lang	Trenton	167 5 ft. 8 in
Wendell Barnes	Lake City	167 5 ft. 10 in
John Matter	West Palm Beach	167 5 ft. 5 in
John E. Gaskin, Jr.	Jacksonville	167 5 ft. 5 in
Harry A. Burn	Jacksonville	167 5 ft. 5 in
Ralph Chaudron	Pensacola	167 5 ft. 5 in
Frederick S. Boris	Orlando	167 5 ft. 5 in
Ernest L. Powell	Jacksonville	167 5 ft. 5 in
Olin Thompson	DeFuniak Springs	167 5 ft. 5 in
Vance L. Bell	Eau Galle	167 5 ft. 5 in

Over 100 Football Prospects Out at FSU

Arrival of upperclassmen this week pushed Florida State University's football prospects to 105 men, who are working out with Coaches Ed Williamson and Jack Haskin at the Dale Mabry athletic field daily at 4 p m.

It is early in the season to pick a probable starting lineup for the season opener to be played here Oct 18 at Centennial field. The first workout in full football togs was yesterday and not much hard contact work was carried out. Most of the practice was devoted to running as a team, using both running and passing plays. Today will be devoted to running plays and getting the right timing worked out on the various plays. Aspirants for the team who have reported this week:

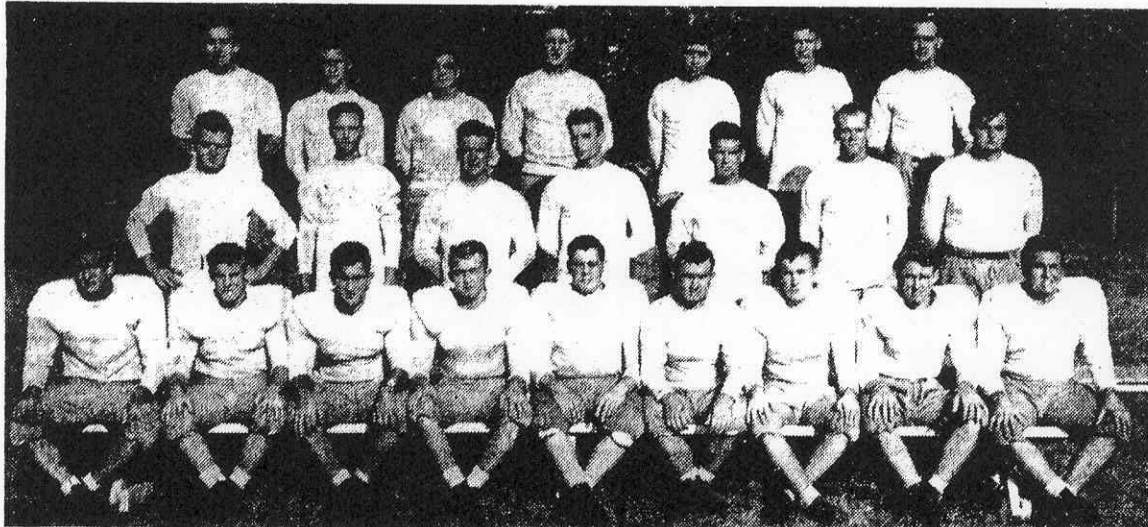
ENDS:	Quincy	166	6 ft 3 in
Charles McMillan	Bonifay	185	6 ft 2 in
George Barefoot	Jacksonville	181	6 ft 2 in
Sam Harris	Pensacola	170	6 ft 1 in
Lamar Brown			
TACKLES:	Tallahassee	180	6 ft
Maurice Barneau	Tallahassee	193	6 ft 2 in
Thad Oppert	Mayport	225	6 ft 1 in
William Strickland	Pensacola	207	6 ft 1 in
David Middlebrook	Miami	203	6 ft
Alfred Nicodemus			
GUARDS:	Quincy	185	6 ft
C R Standland	Orlando	217	6 ft 1 in
Dick Williams	DeFuniak Springs	163	5 ft 11 in
James L Sullivan	Pahokee	172	5 ft 11 in
Dean Wilson	Pt. Lauderdale	180	6 ft
J E Kinsey	Hallandale	172	5 ft 10 in
Bob Eggers	Tampa	160	5 ft 9 in
B V Castro	Quincy	165	5 ft 8 in
Ieland Bowman	Hollywood	148	5 ft 8 in
Clifton Parsons			
CENTERS:	Tallahassee	170	6 ft
Ronald Melton	Quincy	183	5 ft 11 in
Gene Williams	Stuart	165	5 ft 8 in
Robert Greene			
BACKS:	Quincy	193	6 ft
Kenneth MacLean	Kissimmee	156	5 ft 11 in
Edward Morgan	Panama City	185	5 ft 9 in
Narcis Reece	Tampa	182	6 ft
C M Fisher	Appalachicola	180	6 ft
James DeCosmo	Jacksonville	150	5 ft 8 in
Paul Dreberlin	Pensacola	182	5 ft 10 in
Charles Mead	Fort Pierce	190	5 ft 7 in
Richard Voth	Aurilla	175	5 ft 11 in
Clarence Kinsey	Panama City	160	5 ft 8 in
Howard Stephens	Quincy	172	5 ft 8 in
Billy Bishop	Tallahassee	185	5 ft 11 in
Clarence Cook	Madison	150	5 ft 10 in
Connie Welch	Sumterville	163	5 ft 10 in
Francis Jackson	Quincy	167	5 ft 11 in
Jack McMillan	Tallahassee	160	5 ft 11 in
Leonard Melton	Jacksonville	140	5 ft 10 in
Joseph Palumbo	Orange	165	5 ft 11 in
George Mueller	Jacksonville	185	5 ft 10 in
T D Gibson	Panama City	165	5 ft 9 in
Harold Conrad	Pensacola	173	5 ft 8 in
John Watson			



FSU BACKS—Pictured above are a group of the husky ball carrying candidates battling for places on the school's first grid squad. Left to right, the gridders are: First Row—John Norris, Wyatt Parish, Marvin Reece, George Newman, Jack McMillan, Kenneth MacLean, Donald Grant, C M Fisher, James DeCosmo and Ed Morgan. Second Row—D M Lang, Paul Dreibelbis, James Lee, J D Gibson, Charles Mead, Billy Parker, Joseph Palumbo, George Cave, Jerome Payne and Fred Boris. Third Row—Edwin Higginbotham, Lennell Rowhan, Gerald Manuel, William Miller, Philip Roundtree, Howard Stephens, Wesley Carter, John Watson, Francis Jackson, Wendell Barnes and Billy Bishop.



LINE CANDIDATES—For the squad are shown above. Reading, left to right, the forward wall stalwarts are: First Row—Leonard Gilberg, R H Browning, Charles McMillan, David Middlebrook, Arthur Schnieder, E N Proctor, Buddy Bryant, William Fannin, Albert Massey and Bill Kratzert. Second Row—Ronald Melton, Jack Tully, H R McLendon, Maurice Barineau, C R Standlan d, Chris Kalfas, Jim Costello, Henry Knowles, B V Castro and Tony Montedeez. Third Row—J Guss, Alvin Robins, William Lang, George Barefoot, Tonnie Welch, J P Love, John Matter, Robert Frohock, Daniel McClure, Clive Yancy, Thad Oppert and Robert Marrs.



LATECOMERS to the squad are: First Row—(left to right)—Chris Banakas, Ralph Chaudron, Gene Williams, Joe Crona, Lemuel Davis, Ed Dilsaver, Chester Silas, Clifton Parsons, W O Benz. Second Row—Charles Hospodas, Ollin Thompson, B Quickley, Truby Shaw, E Quigley, Lamar Brown, Rhal Wilkson. Third Row—Dick Williams, Bob Fergers, Henry Kelly, Burks, Edwards, A Adkison, Sam Harris.

SO THE PEOPLE OF 1970 MAY KNOW

Florida State's Football Firsts Filed for Future!

By FRED PETTIJOHN

This is a sports writer's report to the far-flung football future. It's written particularly for the intra-space sports series of the super-sonic 1970s and '80s, who some day are going to dig back through the files in search of information on the "old gaffers" who played in Florida State University's first football game against Stetson back in 1947!

They'll enjoy looking this far into the past. The quaint old ads with the funny '47 model automobiles, silly old medicines like radium and sulfa and the old-fashioned football uniforms — wow! Only the women's hats, now at a fantastic peak, will appear up-to-date!

Intra-Planet Games

Some day when they have a big intra-planet game coming up and want some background and historical material they can run these plays as "famous FSU firsts."

The honor of handling the first FSU play and receiving her first kickoff went to Don Grant of Perry who took Stetson's kick on his own three and returned to the 31.

The first running play from scrimmage was by Wyatt "Red" Parrish, Chipley, right halfback who broke over his own right tackle and moved from the 31 to the 49 yard line almost breaking into the clear for a score. Parrish also racked up the initial FSU first down on the play.

First Pass

Don Grant threw the first FSU pass, and had it intercepted when Byron Brasington grabbed the oval on the Stetson 33.

Jim Costello made the first FSU tackle. Grant's pass was intended for him and when Brasington plucked it out of the air in front of him, he promptly flopped the Hatter safety man on the Stetson 38.

Gerry Manuel, Newberry, who came in at fullback to replace Jack Watson, Pensacola, after the ninth play, was the first substitute.

The garnet and gold's first goal line stand was put up midway in the first period when they rose up to halt the Hatters in their tracks after the green and white gridders had first and goal from the 8 yard stripe. FSU took over on the 4½.

Gilberg Punts

Leonard Gilberg, former Leon high line star, got off the first FSU punt. The big tackle kicking from the end zone booted out to his own 38 yard line.

Wesley Carter, another ex-Leon ace, committed the first bobble when he fumbled on his own 20 yard line.

Chris Banakas, big Pensacola flankman, recovered the first fumble for his team when he dropped on a bad pass from center that got away from Hinkley of Stetson on the FSU 39 yard line.

Phillip Rountree, Chipley, left-half, and one of the student body presidents, hit fullback Ken McLean, Quincy with the first completed pass in FSU's brief history early in the second period.



HISTORICAL SCORE—Charles McMillan, rangy Quincy flankman, goes up between two Stetson defenders to pull in Don Grant's pass in the end zone for the first FSU touchdown in the brief history of the school. Ralph Chaudron, No 16, is FSU player facing play, and George Everett, Hatter end, is rushing up to help, but too late, too late! Stetson won 14-6 before a record crowd of 7,165 in "bleacher bowl."

Punt Return

Harry Hughey tiny Pensacola quarterback made the first punt return taking Brasington's boot on his own 48 and moving over into Stetson's territory on the 47.

Ralph Chaudron Pensacola tailback made the first pass interception when he nabbed Brasington's stray toss on the 3 and ran it out to the 11.

FSU's first lateral went from Charles McMillan, Quincy, to Chris Banakas on the Stetson 41, and Banakas battled his way down to the enemy 24.

Charles McMillan scored first FSU touchdown (see cut) with a leaping miracle catch in the east corner of the southern end zone.

Gilberg attempted the first point from placement, but missed.

Florida State wasted no time breaking into the penalty column.

On the second play of the game they drew a five yard assessment for their backfield being illegally in motion.

The first block? A man next to me said he didn't see 5 cents worth all night, and with prices the way they are now it sounds too cheap to mention.

McLean Heads Seminole Backs In Total Gains

By BOB COOKSEY
(Flambeau Sports Editor)

Florida state university Seminoles picked up 687 yards from scrimmage in their five game 1947 football slate.

Using the air lanes effectively the Indians passed for 400 yards while gaining 287 yards on the ground.

FSU passers connected with 32 tosses out of 87 attempts and had 14 intercepted.

Against the Troy state teachers, 25 passes were thrown and 10 completed for 121 yards in the best single game passing attack.

Reached Century Mark

The only game in which FSU gained more than 100 yards rushing was in the season's finale against the Jacksonville state teachers, one of the nation's 13 unbeaten and untied teams. The Seminole backs picked up 118 yards against the Gamecocks.

Kenneth McLean 195 pound fullback from Quincy and "Red" Parrish, Chipley, were the principal ground gainers. Parrish, freshman halfback picked up 111 yards running to McLean's 105, but the burly fullback passed for 45 yards over 17 for Parrish to take total offensive honors with 150 yards while the Chipley boy was relegated to the runnerup spot with 128 yards.

Barnes Third

Wendell Barnes, 18-year-old quarterback from Lake City hurried 21 passes and completed 10 gaining 104 yards through the air and added 2 yards on the ground to take third place in total offense with 106 yards gained.

Donald Grant, Perry, also a quarterback, rounded out the Seminole offensive leaders with 21 yards gained running and 69 passing for a total of 90.

In pass completion Barnes' 10 out of 21 took top honors and Grant's 5 out of 12 was good for second among the regular tossers though Parrish with 2 for 3 and McLean with 5 out of 8 ranked one-two among the part time aerial artists.

Single game total rushing honors go to McLean who picked up 51 yards on the ground and 42 in the air for a 93 yards against Troy state. McLean's 51 yards on the ground also gave him the highest yardage for FSU backs in one game.

Single Game Assault

Donald Grant's 63 yard passing assault against the Stetson Hatters in the first game of the year ranks as the largest single game passing total racked up.

In the punting department Gerald Manuel, chunky fullback from Newberry booted 5 times for an average of 40.8 per try, to lead all FSU booters.

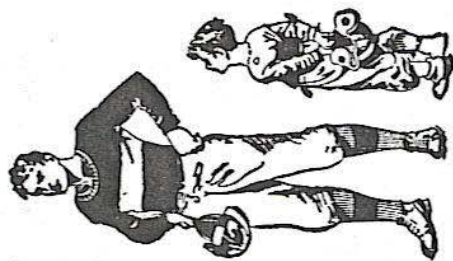
McLean kicked 9 times for an

average of 37.5, and Wesley Carter of Tallahassee booted 3 times for an average of 29.2.

Leonard Gilberg, 230 pound ex-Leon high tackle, punted 15 times for an average of 23.7.

Ralph Chaudron, Pensacola, toed one kick 39 yards in his only try.

The Seminole kickers averaged 31.0 yards on all of their punts.



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A SPORTSMAN'S PRAYER

Dear Lord, in the battle that goes on through life,
I ask but a lot that is fair,
A chance that is equal with all in the strife,
A courage to strive and to dare,
And if I should win, let this be my code
With my faith and my honor held high,
But if I should lose, let me stand by the road
And cheer as the winner goes by.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The Tallahassee Kiwanis Club is privileged to honor the Florida State University football players and coaches with this banquet.

The many opportunities that football offers American boys not only justifies its existence but merits our protection and assurance of its future. Mental, moral, social and physical development which comes from a properly guided athletic program equips young men to more effectively perform their duties as civic leaders. Football builds! Our motto is: "We Build!" Consequently, we hope and trust that the Florida State University Football Banquet will become an annual affair from which will grow a closer, friendlier and more active relationship between Florida State University and our Kiwanis Club.

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First FSU Football Banquet Set Tonight

By FRED RETTLIOHN

Florida State University's Seminole grid squad will receive letters and sweaters tonight at the Tallahassee Country Club in the Kiwanis Club's first annual FSU football banquet.

The informal stag affair, set for 7 o'clock, will stand as the final official act in a colorful series of events that marks the return of football to the local institution for the first time since 1904.

Past and Present

As an additional link between the past and present, the local members of the Florida State College's '04 state championship eleven have been invited to join the 1947 Seminoles and Governor Millard F. Caldwell and FSU President Doak S. Campbell as guests of honor at the affair.

Head football coach Ed Williamson will award the letters to 36 of his Seminole grid-ders in recognition of their services during the first season.



Williamson

In conjunction with the awards, the garnet and gold squad will announce its honorary leaders for the past campaign. The captain was elected by a vote of the squad last night. Game captains were selected in the same fashion during the season.

Fast-Brief

Tom Brown, chairman of the Kiwanis banquet committee, said today the entire entertainment program, headed by toastmaster Ben Meginnis, club member and former district governor of Kiwanis, is designed to move with speed and brevity.

The program will feature the first public appearance of the Florida State University male chorus. The FSU group is under the direction of Walter James Kawanian, and a member of the FSU music staff. They will be accompanied by Miss Fawn Travick. Governor Caldwell and President Campbell will be called upon for brief talks. Over 50 Seminole squaddren are expected to be on hand to partake of the barbecue beef-baked pork feast.

Florida State University's grid squad announced last night that Philip Rountree, junior halfback from Chipley, and Jack McMillan, senior quarterback from Quincy have been elected honorary co-captains for the 1947 football season.

Meeting at the Tallahassee Country club for the Kiwanis club's first annual FSU football banquet, the Seminoles' announcement came as one of the high-points of the fast-moving gridiron feast.

Get Letters

Immediately following the announcement of the 47 leaders, 36 Seminole gridgers were presented with garnet and gold sweaters and letters, and 17 additional squadmen were awarded with numerals.

Prior to the awards the Seminole athletes heard Governor Millard F. Caldwell and FSU President, Doak S. Campbell honor them with stirring words of praise.

Governor Caldwell, whose brief talk opened the entertainment program, stated "the best football I saw played last season was played by Florida State University." And, referring to the Seminoles strictly amateur squad, the Governor added, "they proved that top rate football can be played on a non-commercial basis."

Deeply Grateful

Dr. Campbell, who referred to himself as a former fifth string sub who had been pushed around in his time, told the squad that Florida State University was deeply grateful for the fine fighting they did, and for the fine showing they made.

In addition to the two elected leaders the following players received the coveted gold "F": Gerald Manuel, Wendell Barnes, Harry Huxley, John Watson, James DeCosmo, Jack Tully, Buddy Bryant, Job Crona, Kenneth McGlean, Al Tharpe, Charles McMillan, Ed Dilsaver, Jim Quigley, Bob Browning, Dick Williams, Leonard Gilberg, Donald Grant, Ralph Chandron, Leonard Melton, Wesley Carter, Billy Bishop, Harold Conrad, Wyatt Parish, Ed Quigley, Bob Pegers, Dan McClure, Chris Kafas, Jim Costello, Chris Banakas, Bill Kratzert, David Middlebrooks, Frederick Boris, C. N. Proctor, Billy Osteen.

The following football managers also received a major letter for the season: Johnny Johns, Gilbert Aldridge, Lonnie Burt, Joe Carlucci.

Players receiving numerals were: Clyde Standland, Bill Fannin, Bob Lanigan, Fred Schneider, Earl Payne, Ed Morgan, Richard Brooks, B. J. Carastro, J. E. Kinsey, J. P. Love, Truby Shaw, Bill Benz, Paul Dreibeis, Charles Hospoder, Rai Wilkerson, Clee Yancey, Lonnie Welch.

FSU's '47 Grid Year Reviewed

By JACK MANGUM
(FSU Sports Publicity Director)

In the fall of 1947 Florida State University opened the gates to a lot of new students. The women were glad. They were athletes. Now the women could have their own football, baseball, volley ball, tennis, golf, swimming and basketball stars. These weren't intramural stars, they were intercollegiate stars.

The word, stars, is used rather loosely, but to a girl, the guy that plays on the varsity is a star. Anyway, they could develop into real heroes.

That fall saw Coaches Ed Williamson and Jack Haskin round up a bunch of the boys and thus was born football.

It wasn't easy for the new coaches. After finding an opponent for a first game, they realized that they only had two weeks in which to whip the team into shape.

Opened With Stetson

Their first game with Stetson at Centennial Field was an overall success. FSU lost the game, but was morally affected by the low score to which they held their "down-south" rivals. Stetson won the game and they, too, were happy. The final score on that first game was 14-6.

But wait! For a second game the Seminoles were without an opponent. It took three weeks be-

fore they again played. Coach Haskin said:

"And if you think it's easy to hold the morale of a team up for three weeks, try it sometime! Especially a university eleven."

The coaches, however, were determined that football would stay at FSU, and on Nov 14, the Seminoles journeyed to Lebanon, Tenn. for a game with Cumberland University.

That game was played in a down-pour of rain. The field was flooded and it was hard for either team to handle the ball. Finally in the last quarter, Cumberland tossed a pass that meant victory. The Indians bit the dust again. This time by a 6-0 score.

Didn't Catch On

On Nov 22, the Seminoles took on Tennessee Polytechnic Institute at Centennial Field. The score of that game was 27-6, with TPI holding the 27 points. The Indians didn't seem to get the idea. What is this game the "white man" teaches?

Then on Thanksgiving Day, Nov 27, the Seminoles put on their war paint and raided the "white man's party—they were scalped!

By the worst beating of the season, the courageous FSU eleven went down in defeat again. Troy State Teachers College did the damage. The score was 36-6.

The finale of the year, against a favored and undefeated, Alabama State Teachers grid machine, the Seminoles held the out-of-state rivals to only 7 points. The score was 7-0.

In that last game, FSU had struggled through its first season of intercollegiate football. The important thing was that football was here to stay.

On Oct 9 in Centennial Field, FSU's second grid team will attempt to avenge their defeat by Cumberland as the two teams meet under the lights at 8 p m.

With a new coaching staff, headed by Don Veller, the Seminoles promise to be a pretty rough aggregation. Coach Veller is assisted by Bob Harrison, Charlie Armstrong, Bill Armstrong and Phil Rountree. Harrison and Charlie Armstrong are former Indiana line stars while Bill Armstrong is a former Indiana back-field star. Rountree played on last year's Seminole eleven.