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Miss Mimosa Pageant Feb. 18

Tuesday Is Nomination Deadline

Wednesday, Feb. 18, has been set as the date for the 25th annual Miss Mimosa beauty pageant, and a record number of entrants is expected to vie for the coveted title of "Miss Mimosa."

The pageant will be held in Leone Cole Auditorium beginning at 7:30 p.m. There will be no admission charge, and a live band will be present to furnish entertainment.

Deadline for making nominations is tomorrow (Feb. 10). Those wishing to sponsor someone in the contest are asked to bring the nominee's name by the Public Relations office in Bibb Graves Hall. There is an entrance fee of \$15, but all organizations will have until Feb. 28 to pay the cost. Freshmen are not eligible.

Special judges have been secured for the event.

They are: Frank Sikora, Birmingham News; Jimmy Jones, Birmingham Post-Herald; Anne Plott, Anniston Star; Arthur Shaw, Gadsden Times; Mrs. Hoyt Harwell, wife of Associated Press correspondent; and Miss Jo

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Chat'em Inn Is Now Open For Business

Chat'em Inn, a \$100,000 self-service cafeteria, opened last week in the Student Commons Building. It replaces the

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old "Grab," located in Hammond Hall.

Students can now buy everything from a cup of freshly brewed coffee to a steak with the trimmings - all without ever coming into contact with a single vending machine.

In addition to sandwiches, chicken, and shrimp, charbroiled hamburger steak and large and small New York strip steaks are offered. A complete fountain service is also offered.

Chat'em Inn - the name is a revival of an earlier campus coffee shop - not only has the

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Scott

Sen. Scott To Speak On Campus

Republican U. S. Senate Minority Leader Hugh Scott of Pennsylvania will speak here at 9:30 a.m. on Feb. 20 in Leone Cole Auditorium.

Sen. Scott, who is serving his second term in the U. S. Senate, was elected minority leader following the death of Sen. Everett Dirksen. He served in the House of Representatives for 16 years before his election to the senate in 1958.

He serves on the Committees on Commerce, Judiciary, Rules and the Joint Committee on Printing.

He was previously the national chairman of the Republican Party in 1948, served in numerous capacities during the late President Eisenhower's two terms, was the Republican whip before being elevated to Minority Leader.

A U. S. Navy veteran, Scott currently holds the rank of Captain in the Naval Reserve, and also saw military service during the Korean conflict.



SWEET GEM--Pretty Sarah Thompson of Anniston is all set for Valentine's Day as she has already been bombarded with candy from well-wishers. A sophomore, she is majoring in physical education.

Jax State's Largest Growth Came In The Last Ten Years

More progress was made here at Jacksonville State University in the 1960's than all other years combined in the school's 87-year history as an institution of higher learning.

Building construction and student enrollment both soared to make Jax State the third largest college in Alabama. The expansion also enabled Jacksonville State to achieve university status in November of 1966.

A total of \$13,279,000 in construction was completed in the ten year period, and the enrollment almost tripled. The JSU physical plant is now valued at \$25 million as compared to \$8 million in 1960.

Although the school enjoyed a growth rate much higher than the national average in the 1960's, college officials here predict the trend will continue or even accelerate in this decade.

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Senior favorites are shown, from left: David Kinsaul, Mobile; Jan Warren and Randa Ross, Birmingham; Tony Ballard, Sylacauga.



These four students were recently elected by their classmates as favorites of the Junior Class at Jacksonville State University. They are, from left: Tom Downing, Anniston; Kate Troncale, Birmingham; Betty Ann Sisk, Scottsboro and James Garmon, Anniston.

Letters To The Editor

Rezoning

Dear Editor:

It seems as if some of the students either misinterpreted the article in the last issue of the Chanticleer, or they have been misinformed regarding the rezoning problem in Jacksonville.

Those of us who voted against rezoning are not against progress, nor are we against having a theater in our town. In fact, most of us would like to have a good theater. Nor are we against a bowling alley. Most of us are young enough and enjoy bowling.

What we do want is the city to use the space now set aside for business before extending the business zone. To bypass lots now set aside for business and go into a new zone would cause the town to have a slum-appearing area in the center of town. There is far more land set aside for business now than the present plans for expansion could possibly use.

To expand business in our direction would make our property lose its value without adding any beauty or convenience to the

shoppers. (In fact, as stated before, there are no plans for businesses that would keep shoppers in this town from going elsewhere.)

As to our voting be-
cause we are older and should give way to the young: We would like that. That would take the responsibility off our shoulders. But there are all ages on both sides of the issue.

Someone is approaching this problem as if the other side consists of young people and is only for the young, but this is strictly a business proposition designed to make a big profit. By a few making a profit, many property owners in the neighborhood stand to lose the value of their home.

As I stated before, I am only the spokesman for the homeowners who stand the chance of losing in this transaction. Every homeowner who stands to lose has signed against it.

In our opinion it is wrong for anyone to buy property zoned "residential" hoping to get it zoned for "business". Why not buy property in a business

zone where there will be no question?

Let us have the plans for recreation for our youth, but have them in the proper place.

J. Alfred Smoake

Praises Band

(Editor's note: The following letter was received by Dr. Houston Cole recently concerning the Southerners' trip to Birmingham where they participated in a parade to honor the Apollo 12 astronauts. It is from George Seibels, mayor of Birmingham.)

Dear Dr. Cole:

What is a parade in Birmingham without the marvelous Jacksonville Band the the beautiful Ballerinas?

When we first began our plans for the parade in reference to the visit of the astronauts, I insisted that we ask the Jacksonville Band to lead the parade. Honestly, I didn't realize it would be as cold as it was when I asked you so I must apologize for not having better weather for the band members and particularly the Ballerinas.

When the going gets tough, that is when the best of a good organization comes out and believe me everybody commented on the professional and beautiful performance of the Band and the Ballerinas. What organization could have better led the parade honoring the crew of Apollo 12!

The band's performance at the Youth Rally and the evening's program was its usual top flight. We just could not have had success without the great cooperation from everyone in the

Mimosa

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Ellen O'Hara, director of the Miss Alabama contest. All candidates in the contest will meet Wednesday, Feb. 11, at 3 p.m. in the Gold Room Lounge in Bibb Graves Hall for pictures. All of the candidates are requested to wear a suit or dress for the picture making session.

Prior to the pageant, the candidates are requested to meet at the International House at 2 o'clock to meet the judges.

The winner will be featured in a special color section of the Mimosa, JSU yearbook.

Judging will be based on beauty, personality, and charm. There will be a first place winner chosen, a first alternate, and a Miss Congeniality. Last year's first place winner was Sheron Herman of Birmingham.

Phyllis Clark is serving as student chairman of the contest.

Growth

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State president, believes the college will reach an enrollment of 10,000 students in the 1970's, and plans are being made to accommodate them. Jax State's enrollment is already well over 6,000.

A \$10 million construction program is currently underway on campus. This includes a giant 11-story library and the Hugh Merrill Business Administration Building. The business administration building will be ready for occupancy before this semester ends, while the library is due for completion sometime next year.

Bids have already been let for a high-rise girl's dormitory which will cost another \$2.2 million. Although the dorm won't be completed until the fall of 1971, it is already booked solid by JSU coeds.

Also scheduled in the near future are the \$1.5 million Lurleen B. Wallace School of Nursing and a giant sports complex.

Academically, the school has added several new programs and expanded others. Originally a college for teachers, Jax State now has more business majors than any other field.

In 1960, the school offered only one master's degree program. Today a master's degree is possible in almost every academic field.

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latest in self-service equipment, but also the atmosphere to go along with it.

It is decorated with the school colors, photos, and drawings of a fighting Gamecock.

The new snack bar is also much more spacious than the old one. And in the summer months, students can use a large patio which is located adjacent to the snack bar, giving even more room.

The Alumni Association of JSU is operating the snack bar with all profits going into a university development fund. "Student reaction to Chat 'em Inn has been excellent so far," said Mrs. Julia Snead, director of Alumni Affairs.

Hours are 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 3 p.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. The hours are subject to change as the need arises, Mrs. Snead said.

Band and the Ballerinas. Birmingham owes each and everyone of you a debt of thanks for helping us make the visit of Apollo 12 crew one of the most significant happenings in the history of our city.

If you can, I would appreciate your putting this letter of thanks on the bulletin board so that every member of the Band will know just how much I appreciate their contribution.

Sincerely,
George G. Seibels, Jr.
Mayor

Hopper To Assist Brewer

Jack Hopper, Director of Public Relations, will take a 90 day leave of absence from Jacksonville State University this spring. Hopper will assist Gov. Albert Brewer in his campaign for re-election in the Democratic primary for governor.

Hopper, a political reporter for the Birmingham News for several years, will assist Governor Brewer with press relations.

He is the advisor to the Chanticleer and Mimosa.

Chanticleer Positions Are Open

If experienced, come by the Chanticleer office across from entrance to Student Commons Building Wednesday, Feb. 11, 10:30 a.m.

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Two Honorary Doctorate Degrees Are Given At Graduation

Dean Miles, Mrs. Daugette Are Honored

Dean Lawrence Miles and Mrs. Clarence William Daugette were awarded the honorary doctorate degrees during winter graduation services Jan. 23.

Approximately 255 students, another record number for winter services, received the bachelor's degree, while 22 were awarded the master's degree.

Dr. Joel McDavid, pastor of the Dauphin Way Methodist Church in Mobile, challenged the graduating class to "build some bridges to span the chasms that exist among us."

"While we are conquering outer space, the challenge of the day is to conquer inner space," said the guest speaker. "While the future is unpredictable, if there is hope within, it is always bright," he said.

Miles joined the Jax State faculty in 1947 as a member of the English department and was elevated to the post of registrar in 1950. In 1957 he was assigned dean of admissions, a position he still holds. "Dean Miles has seen knowledge increase at Jax State from a rolling river to a flood," said Dr. Houston Cole, president of JSU, "yet he has made friends with the winds of change and kept his office abreast with the constructive demands of the times."

Miles received the honorary doctor of laws de-



Dr. Cole awarding Dean Miles the honorary doctorate degree.



Dr. Cole awards Mrs. Daugette the honorary doctorate degree.

gree.

Mrs. Daugette, wife of the late Dr. C. W. Daugette, president of Jacksonville Normal College from 1899 to 1941, was cited for her many contributions to the college, and received the honorary degree of doctor of humanities.

"Just as Dr. C. W. Daugette can be called the 'father of the college,' Annie Forney Daugette can be called the 'mother of

the institution,'" said Dr. Cole in making the presentation.

"Her heart has beat in rhythm with every step of progress made by the State Normal, the Teachers College, the State College, and now the University," Dr. Cole added.

Mrs. Daugette, now 93, is well known for her work with the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Jax Students To Attend Conference On Drugs

Dr. Houston Cole, president of Jacksonville State University, announced to-

day that five students have been selected to represent JSU at the Governor's Leadership Training Conference for Drug Abuse. They are: Steve Gurley, David Kinsaul, Barbara Starnes, Phyllis Clark and Fred Asbell. Dean Jackson will accompany the students. The conference is scheduled for Montgomery's Garrett Coliseum, Feb. 17.

Pelham To Be Widened

Calhoun County Rep. Hugh Merrill has received notification from the State Highway Department that Highway 21 will be four-laned from the traffic light in front of Martin Hall to Germania Springs.

Rep. Merrill received the letter from Highway Director Marion Wilkins stating the highway is being surveyed.

Rep. Merrill, speaker Pro-Tem of the House of Representatives and Chairman of the Jacksonville State University Board of Trustees, said the work will be done with state forces.

"We don't know just when construction will get underway," said Merrill. "It will depend upon the completion of the plans and the acquisition of the necessary additional right-of-way."

Four-laning this section of Highway 21 - - towards Piedmont - - will help greatly to alleviate traffic congestion on the campus. Several university buildings are planned for this area.

Gov. Brewer became concerned about drug abuse after attending a special White House Conference on drugs last month. The purpose of the conference is to give school officials and student leaders the latest information on drugs so that they can conduct programs in their schools.

According to Brewer, Alabama doesn't have a serious problem now and through this conference he hopes to prevent the spread of drug abuse in Alabama schools.

The State Department of Education, State Health Department, State Toxicologist's Office, the State Law Enforcement Planning Agency and other interested groups are participating in the conference.

The public is invited to attend the evening session of the conference which begins at 7 p.m.



Members of the Freshman Class at Jacksonville State University recently selected favorites of the 1970 class. They are, from left: Debbie Allen, Birmingham; Robin Rollins, Gadsden; Rusty Russell, Birmingham; and Patricia Moore, Anniston.

Coed Commissioned As Lt. In U.S. Army

Christa Hill is undoubtedly the prettiest Jacksonville State University graduate to be commissioned a lieutenant in the U. S. Army through the ROTC program.

Recently the attractive brunette from Roanoke became the first co-ed in the school's history to be commissioned as a dietitian in the Army. She is undergoing further training at Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Tex.

Being around military operations won't be a strange thing to Christa as she has served as ROTC sponsor for the past three years and she is very excited about her future.

"I believe the Army internship program is one of the best in the country," she says, "and I'm looking forward to my military duty."

She was commissioned through a special program designed to attract qualified dietitians and physical

therapy graduates for the Army Medical Specialists Corps.

"During the past three years of association with the cadet brigade, I have observed the efficiency and pride exhibited by the Army instructors and cadet officers," she says, "and they are largely responsible for my decision to seek a commission in the Army."

Preparing for her commission, she spent last summer working as a student dietitian at Beaumont General Hospital in El Paso, Tex.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel D. Holl of Route 5, Roanoke, she is a 1966 graduate of Handley High School, where she was Salutatorian of her class.

She was Randolph County Maid of Cotton in 1968, and while at Jacksonville has been active in the International House Program, the Home Economics Club and Alpha Eta Epsilon.



The Sophomore Class at Jacksonville State University recently elected their class favorites. They are, from left: Larry Daniel, Cullman; Linda Lamb, Gadsden; Sherril Bailey, Birmingham; Mike Moncus, Lanett.



Col. Forrest O. Wells, left, with Lt. Christa Hill.

Marines Coming

Feb. 18 and 19 will mark the campus visit of the Marine Corps Officer Selection Team headed by Capt. D. H. McDonald. The team will talk to college men about the officer training programs offered by the Marines.

Freshmen, sophomores and juniors in good academic standing are eligible for the platoon leaders

class held at Quantico, Va., during the summer. Upon graduation from college they are commissioned second lieutenants and ordered to air or ground training.

Seniors and recent graduates are eligible for the officer candidate program, which is a direct assignment from civilian life to a ten week course as an officer candidate. Each may choose to train for either a ground or aviation commission.

Newly commissioned



Members of the Writer's Club are, from left: Nathan Barlow, Paul Pruitt, Kathy Taffee, Lynn Willis, Dr. William Calvert (advisor), Jean Perry, Larry Stewart, and James Reese.

Student Workers To Get Raise

Jacksonville State University has recently received several thousand dollars in federal and private funds for loans, grants, and scholarships.

Student workers have also been given a raise in pay.

A \$112,223 grant from the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare was secured for the work-study program. It will also be utilized to provide part-time jobs for needy students.

Both the Work - Study and University Aid student workers will be receiving a raise this semester. Dr. Baskin Wright, director of financial aid, said all student workers will now earn \$1.45 per hour, a 15 cent per hour raise. The raise became effective Feb. 1.

Dr. Wright said there

are approximately 1,000 JSU students on the Work-Study and University Aid programs.

A total of \$121,042 was secured from the federal government for the National Defense program, and an additional \$71,000 for the Economic Opportunity Grant programs. There are approximately 600 students going to Jax State on National Defense loans, and some 250 get EOG funds.

A grant of \$16,000 from the Department of Justice was received for loans and grants in connection with the School of Law Enforcement on campus.



State Rep. Hugh Merrill of Anniston (left) chats with members of the International House following his speech on the judicial system of the state and federal governments Wednesday night. From left are: Rep. Merrill; Morten Sorensen, Denmark; Amalia Alegria, Costa Rica; Kent Anderson, Huntsville; and Andrea Wolter, Germany.



Representatives of the Alabama Council of Teachers of English, and Language Arts of ASGA met at Jacksonville State University this week to finalize plans for merging the two organizations. Shown from left, seated, are Dr. Paul Sheid, Auburn University, and Mrs. Barbara Boyd, Anniston County Training School. Standing from left are Herman L. Harris, director of field services of Alabama Education Association, Montgomery, and Mrs. Opal Lovett, Jacksonville State University.

Baseball Schedule

March 16	Shorter College
March 21	at Shorter College
March 25	at Huntingdon
March 27	Appalacian State
March 28	Appalacian State (2)
April 2	at St. Bernard (2)
April 4	at Florence (2)
April 7	Birmingham Southern
April 11	at Athens (2)
April 14	at Livingston
April 17 or Sat. April 18	Troy
April 20	at Troy
April 21	Huntingdon
April 22	Alabama College
April 25	Florence (2)
April 27	Athens (2)
May 1	at Alabama College
May 2	St. Bernard (2)
May 5	Livingston

Home Games Start at 1:30 doubleheaders - 1:00

Chinese Duo Featured Here

Concert - goes in Jacksonville are looking forward to the appearance of Ma Si-Hon, violinist, and Tong Kwong - Kwong on Thursday evening, Feb. 12, at 8 p.m., in the auditorium of the new Student Commons at Jacksonville State University.

According to advance information and reviews, few artists in duo-recital are able to fuse technique and interpretive skill to bring about the splendid musical realizations which Ma Si-Hon and Tung Kwong - Kwong achieve.

Long Signs

The Dallas Cowboys announced the signing today of Jacksonville State back Bubba Long to a professional football contract. The 6-1, 205-pound senior from Oneonta, Ala., will report to the Cowboys rookng training camp in July at Thousand Oaks, Calif.

Anniston Y

The Anniston YMCA will be starting classes such as karate, self - defense, life-saving, skin - skuba diving, and physical fitness. All classes will begin this month. For more information call 236 - 1566. Positions are also open for those who are interested in teaching any of the above courses.

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15 University Worship McCluer Chapel 11:00 A.M. Supper And Dialogue 6:00 P.M. Rock House	16 Basketball Game B'ham Southern here	17	18 Miss Mimosa Pageant 7:30 P.M. L.C.A.	19 Last day for dropping courses without penalty. ACC Tournament Montgomery Coliseum	20 Sen. Hugh Scott Speaks SCDAG Assembly 9:30 A.M. Leone Cole Aud. Movie Rockhouse 7:30 P.M. "I Like Money" Peter Sellers ACC Tournament Montgomery Coliseum	21 ACC Tournament Coliseum Montgomery
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Henry Reynolds
Sports Editor

ACC Title Seems Certain for 'Cocks

Jacksonville State University keeps right on rolling in Alabama Collegiate Conference basketball. Here on Feb. 3, in JSU's pressure packed arena, Tom Roberson's Jaxmen took their biggest step of the season by whipping the Athens Bears, 86-79, to all but put a lock on their fifth consecutive ACC championship.

Only two games now stand between the Jaxmen and the coveted ACC crown. The first test came Saturday before press time here in Stephenson Gym, where the Gamecocks can be assured of no less than a tie by defeating Troy. Then following a non-conference tilt against Samford in Birmingham today, the Jaxmen can wrap up the league title against St. Bernard on the following Thursday night, each would have two conference games remaining.

But Jerry James, David Mull, Wayne Wigley, David Robinson and Danny Bryan got the Jaxmen rolling early, and Bobby Terrell, Jeff Angel and Wendell Lawson came on for some relief work, and when all the fireworks were done, the Gamecocks were in the driver's seat.

Robinson got the show started one minute and nine seconds into the contest, sinking a charity throw for a 1-0 lead. From there, the Gamecocks never trailed.

James, a 6-7 forward out of Rome, Ga.,

shot in 14 first half points to pump the Jaxmen to a 39-35 lead at intermission.

Almost equally accurate in the second half, James ripped in 12 points to set the pace giving him a total of 26 on the night, plus 15 rebounds which kept the Jaxmen in command.

Ferrel Maples opened the second half with a bucket for the Bears to cut the margin to 39-37, but Mull, James and Bryan teamed for nine quick points to up the count to 48-41 in favor of the Jaxmen with 16 minutes remaining.

Refusing to concede, the Bears kept rallying back in the game, pulling up to 50-45 with just over 13 minutes remaining. But some crucial boardwork by Mull and James, with Bryan and Wigley doing the outside pumping, pushed the Gamecocks out to 73-59 with just four minutes to play.

But still, for Jacksonville, there was no relaxing until the waning seconds, and four perfect free throws by Robinson in the final minute of play was the clincher.

Other than James' 26 points, Wigley had 20; Bryan, 16; Robinson, 15; and Mull, nine.

For Athens, 6-5 center Travis Butler netted 32-15, incredibly, coming in the last four and one-half minutes of play; Gary Lambert had 15; Joe Thompson, 11; Bachus, 10.



Coach Tom Roberson is shown here conferring with his players during a time out in a recent crucial game with Athens College. Roberson's cagers went on to win the game and virtually sew up their fifth consecutive ACC title.

Packer Philosophy Reaches Jax Cagers

A fellow by the name of Vince Lombardi once said "there's great love on this team." There's some difference in the Alabama Collegiate (basketball) Conference and the National Football League, but a couple of Jax State's winning-type seniors were saying the same thing here Tuesday night after an 86-79 victory over Athens College.

Tom Roberson's Gamecocks have two games to win yet before they can claim a fifth consecutive ACC cage crown, but Wayne Wigley and David Mull were admitting in a quite but happy dressing room "this was the big one."

Wigley, a 6-0 senior out of Douglas, Ala., who put in two years at Snead Junior College and a red-shirt year at Jacksonville before becoming a starter, "was the difference in the two ball clubs out there tonight, according to Athens coach Oba Blecher. "He sits that ball club up and he runs it."

And he wanted to talk about his teammates.

"I know we've got two games left before we are champions again," offered Wigley, "but this was the big one. And it was one of the finest team effort I've ever seen. Everybody on that floor tonight did their jobs, especially our big boys such as Jerry (James), David (Mull), and David Robinson.

"I thought we were a close team last season, but

believe me, this group is even closer. Everybody helps, everybody is a part of it, including those boys who don't start."

Mull, until a couple of games back, was not one of the starters.

"No, I never did get discouraged sitting on the bench," answered the 6-7 senior out of Sylacauga's B. B. Comer High. "I always felt I was a part of this team. I felt if we won, I was satisfied. I was pleased to be a sub with this group. I just wanted to play where I was needed, do what I could when I could, and it worked out real fine.

"I think this is the most dedicated bunch of boys I've ever been around. It's been a team effort, and it couldn't have been done without one another."

"We knew we had to win this one," said Wigley as he headed for the shower, "and it's real satisfying. I played with two of the Athens boys up at Snead, and I always like to beat them. No, I wasn't asked to go to Athens. And I had to agree to a redshirt year to come down here, but it's worked out real fine.

"No, I don't think we'll have a letup. We've still got two left, and we've got to win both of them to be champions."

Mull agreed. "Coach Roberson has always told us that we're going to play them one at a time. That's the way we're doing it. And I'd like for you to say how well prepared Coach Rober-



Rathbun

Ailment Retires Rathbun

Jacksonville State lost one of its finest basketball stars in Ken Rathbun because of poor circulation in one of his legs.

Ken, a senior, played 17 games before being forced out of action. During the season, Ken had scored 168 points thus averaging 9.9 per game. He had grabbed off 215 rebounds for an average of 12.6 per contest. Ken's shooting percentage was 53 percent from the floor and 63.8 per cent from the free-throw line.

It was evident that Ken's legs were giving him trouble in his final game against Troy. In that game he scored only one point.

son had us for this game. We were as ready as any basketball team could be. We knew exactly what they would try to do and we knew what we had to do in order to stop them. We did it."



Wayne Wigley



Jerry James

Fall Gridiron Schedule Includes Tenth Opponent

Jacksonville State's 1970 football schedule will include a couple of new faces this fall. Chatanooga and Elon College of North Carolina.

The Gamecocks have taken on the Mocs of Chattanooga 18 times since 1924 while the Jaxmen edged Elon, 13 - 12, in 1956 in the only meeting between these two schools.

Only team missing on the 1970 schedule from 1969 is Southeast Missouri, which will visit Jacksonville in 1971. Jax State played at Southeast Missouri last year.

Coach Charley Pell's Gamecocks will play host

to Elon College on Sept. 19 at Jacksonville to open the new season, then hit the road for three straight games.

The Jaxmen will visit Samford on Sept. 26, Western Carolina on Oct. 3, and Tennessee Martin Oct. 10.

Jax State will return home Oct. 17 to battle Troy State before taking off a week. On Oct. 31 the Jaxmen will play host to Northwestern Louisiana.

November will find the Gamecocks traveling to Delta State on the 7th and Chattanooga on the 28th while Livingston will visit Jax on the 14th and Flor-

ence on the 21st.

Six of Jacksonville's 1970 opponents had winning years last fall with Western Carolina's 9 - 1 - 0 mark leading the way. Others include Elon (6-2-1) and Florence (5-4-0). Elon was conference champ in North Carolina while Troy won the Alabama Collegiate Conference title.

The Florence State game will be designated as homecoming for Jacksonville and will be played in the afternoon, the first day homecoming event in several years.

(7-3-0), Troy (8-1-1), Northwestern Louisiana (7 - 2 - 0), Livingston

Fuller Joins JSU Gridiron Staff

Jimmy Fuller, one of only a handful of players to be a part of consecutive national football championships at the University of Alabama, will join the Jacksonville State University coaching staff as offensive line coach.

The former Crimson Tide line star is currently head football coach at Fairfield High School, his alma mater.

Coach Fuller was to resign his position at Fairfield today and join the Jacksonville staff as quickly as possible to be in on planning for spring training.

Fuller fills a vacancy created by the resignation of offensive backfield coach Ron Haushalter. Haushalter is considering several job opportunities.

"I'm tickled to death to get a coach of Jimmy's caliber," Jax Head Coach Charley Pell said. "He has a world of experience and will be a welcomed addition to our staff."

Fuller has been head coach at Fairfield one season, replacing his high school coach Red Lutz when Lutz moved to Tuscaloosa High. His 1969 Tigers poised a 7 - 3 record, one being a loss to Lowndes Academy in Greenville's Camellia Bowl.

"It was a tough decision," Coach Fuller said. "Fairfield is home, and I've enjoyed my association with all the fine people here. I'm grateful for the opportunity Fairfield gave me to be a head coach."

"But Jacksonville is going to be something special in football before long and I want to be a part of it. It's a wonderful opportunity for me and my family and I don't feel I



can turn it down.

"I'm flattered at Coach Pell's confidence in me. I hope I can justify it."

Naming of Fuller as offensive line coach is only one step in Pell's realignment of the Gamecock staff.

Clarky Mayfield takes over the defense, with primary responsibility being offensive backs. Ex-Kentucky standout Mayfield was coordinator of the defense and handled linebackers and defensive backs last season.

Kyle Albright becomes defensive line coach. The former Virginia Tech star handled the offensive line last year. "Albright had wanted to coach defense when he came here," Pell said, "but we needed him on offense. He did a fine job, but now we're able to return him to his first love."

Cotton Clark, another Alabama national championship star, will continue to coach defensive backs. Ray Emanuel, graduate assistant, will handle wide receivers.

Pell will take a more active part in the coaching science. "I'll be working with defense," Charley said, "especially the linebackers."

5 SEC Players Signed

Jacksonville State University has signed five former Southeastern Conference players to beef up its football squad for a tough 10 - game schedule this fall.

They are defensive end Tommy Weaver, who played at Auburn in 1968; linebacker Jimmy Martin, an Alabama freshman in 1968; and quarterback Mike Douglas, flanker - linebacker Jimmy Brown and defensive guard Tim Cahoon, all three on the University of Georgia teams last year.

Charley Pell, who begins his second year as Jacksonville head coach, also announced that the Gamecocks will begin spring football practice March 18. Pell's first Jacksonville eleven finished 3-6.

In an effort to strengthen a team which already has 30 lettermen returning, Pell has come up with five outstanding transfers. Some others also have been signed, but their names have not been released.

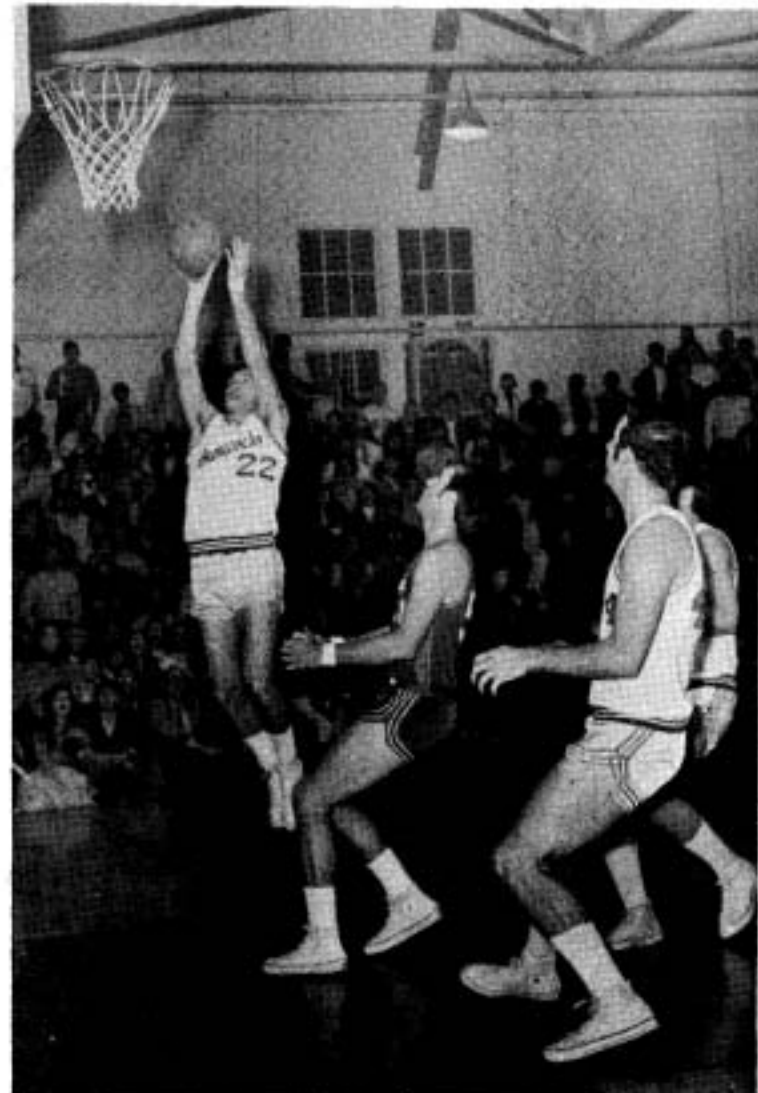
Weaver played an outstanding game for Auburn against the Alabama freshmen in 1968. Noted for his strength and speed, Weaver, considered an outstanding Tiger prospect prepped at Erwin High School. He is 6 - 1, 196 pounds. He runs the 50 in 5.6.

Martin, a former All-State fullback - linebacker at Jones Valley High School, was one of Alabama's finest freshmen in 1968. He plays several positions.

"We are more than happy to have those five



Jerry James, 40, Jax's high scoring forward, seems to have baffled two Athens' defenders in last Tuesday's action. JSU went on to win the game.



Wayne Wigley, 22, is shown above scoring two points on a driving lay-up. David Mull, foreground, waits for the possible rebound. The game was against Athens last Tuesday night in Stephenson Gym.

players join our squad," Pell said. "We feel like we have in Douglas a fine back-up quarterback for Doc Lett."

"We're looking forward to the start of spring

football practice."

When the Gamecocks answer the football bell in March, there'll be some changes on the coaching staff.

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