

'54 Football Team To Lack Experience, Says Lorenzo

Don Fagen, Richard Austin, Bobby Burke, Mike Scionti, and Dick Korbly form the very small nucleus for Coach Frank Lorenzo's 1954 Panthers.

In a recent interview with Coach Lorenzo, it was learned that next year's team will be a hustling, scrappy bunch, but will lack experience and depth. The team will rely on last year's sophomore and Junior Varsity teams to win the first few games to give the necessary confidence for a winning season. The basis of team's success depends upon whether or not the second stringers have the ability to push the starters enough so as to make a scrappy ball club.

Inexperienced quarterback, Gene Gentry, figures to be the team's starting signal caller. Coach Lorenzo believes that Gentry will make a very capable passer.

Fagen will be called on for offensive as well as defensive duty this fall. In previous years he has been a defensive stalwart. Austin, the two hundred and twenty pound bull, will operate from the tackle's position. Burke, an all-city end, makes his bid from the flank. Scionti and Korbly, are a pair of flashy halfbacks.

The addition of Coach Hal Griffin, former Florida Gator punt-return artist, to Plant's coaching staff makes the Panther coaching staff one of the most outstanding in the state. In addition to Coach Griffin, Coach Lorenzo retains his post as Head Coach and will handle the linemen along with Coach Jack Marley. Coach Angus Williams will handle the backfield along with Coach Griffin. Coach Gene Blittner, former Notre Dame football player and tennis star, will handle the sophomore and Junior Varsity teams.

Nesbitt, Woolf To Head Pantherettes

At a recent meeting of the Pantherette Club, Pat Nesbitt was elected president for the coming year. Goldie Woolf is the new vice president of the club, and Ann McConnico is the new secretary.

New members, who were tapped on Friday, May 21, are the following Juniors: Ginger Akin, Nanette Kendall, Freddie Gasthoff, Sylvia Chason, and Mary Lou Hamm; Sophomores: Winkie Nesbitt, Jean Cable, Barbara Barritt, Louise Ellis, Elaine Simovitz and Pat Elliot.

The Pantherettes have been very active this year. During football season they decorated goal posts, made signs, worked on the special trains for out-of-town games, and sold programs at all of the home games. They filled a food basket for a needy family at Thanksgiving, and they took a basket of toys to the Children's Home at Christmas. They sold food at the basketball play-day, which was held at Plant in February, at the F.S.U. Circus, the Pantherettes operated the French-fry booth.

Mrs. Julie Lane, sponsor of the club, stated, "I feel that the Pantherettes have done an outstanding job for the school this year, and I am looking forward to bigger and better things in the future."

Future Schoolmarms Lose Sponsor; Elect Officers For Fall

"I feel that this club is one of the most worthwhile clubs in the school and that the students who participate in the activities of this club have benefited greatly," was the statement made by Mrs. Elva MacWilliams, sponsor of the Future Teachers of America Club. Mrs. MacWilliams is ending her teaching career this year and will no longer be the sponsor. The sponsor for the coming year has not yet been appointed, but the new officers are: Pat Autrey, President; Judy Sullivan, Secretary; and Barbara Wermeling, Treasurer.

One of the most valuable services of the Hickory Stick Club is substituting at Plant and various other schools. Not only is it a service but it gives the students who have chosen teaching as their life work some very valuable experience.

The main project of the club was an assembly program presented by F.S.U. students and the advantages of the teaching profession.

Mrs. MacWilliams and acting President, Ann Elliot, felt that the club has had a very successful year.

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question!!!!). Then there's PROTIVA, PERDIGON, and MARY LOUI slaving over, (yes, you're right!) E5B... Now in the editor's room (the way he's never in there) you can bet you'll find JOHNSON, SLAPI GONZALEZ, and WALKER hashing over some stale jokes (by the way some of them are pretty good)... The big question of the staff where is POINTER???? Every once in tools in to wish us hello, (o kidding—he usually has his copy with him)... Now SALLY MERTE has one big, big — job, laying out the paper... is she ever here on the day?... Nah... its the only day she's ever absent... (no kidding she's done one great job)... We never go for the pass because we know SALLY LAING has made up an excuse to grab it... (really,, it ne fails)... Now for the quietest girl on the staff... JULIE ANSL... but we mean to tell you she puts forth some of the greatest featur... DELL, IDA, ARLENE, and BEVERLY are always talking over, well, makes no difference, but you can bet it's most interesting... NANCY GARLAND is bound to be the greatest typist ever, because she's always pounding away in MRS. HOFFMAN'S room—just for practice... The everlasting question which brings silence to the class is ulcers to M. GRIFFIN is, WADE CREWS asking, "how is the most situation???" "We ran out three weeks ago," is always the reply.

In case you are wondering where we are, well, we're right in the middle of everything or somewhere around there...

All jokes aside, we'd like to say its been great and we hope that you've enjoyed the paper and last, but not least, our column, as much as we've enjoyed writing it. We hope that who ever gets this space next year will love it as we have. Guess its time to sign off and say "so long", although we really hate to go...

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