

COLLEGE ARCHIVES

# Edinboro

## State College



### **EDINBORO vs GENEVA**

**High School Day - Centennial Game**

**SOX HARRISON STADIUM**

**November 1, 1969 — 2:00 P.M.**

**Souvenir Program 50¢**



## BROCHURE GUIDE



### SCOTS' COACHING STAFF

L-R Kneeling: Sam Ruvolo (Defensive Secondary), Mickey Watson (Quarterback), Jack Hyland (Offensive Backs). L-R Standing: Head Coach Bill McDonald, Jim Gilstrap (Defensive Line), Tony Zvonar (Offensive Line), Joe Shesman (Freshman), Bob Klingler (Trainer).

### 1969 FIGHTING SCOTS' SCHEDULE

September 13 (Saturday)	Brockport State College	Away	2:00 p.m.
September 20 (Saturday)	Ohio Northern College	Away	8:00 p.m.
*September 27 (Saturday)	Slippery Rock State College	Home	2:00 p.m.
October 4 (Saturday)	Indiana University of Pa.	Away	2:00 p.m.
*October 11 (Saturday)	Clarion State College	Home	2:30 p.m.
	<i>(Homecoming)</i>		
*October 18 (Saturday)	Lock Haven State College	Away	2:00 p.m.
*October 25 (Saturday)	Shippensburg State College	Home	2:00 p.m.
November 1 (Saturday)	Geneva College	Home	2:00 p.m.
	<i>(High School Day—Centennial Game)</i>		
*November 8 (Saturday)	California State College	Away	1:30 p.m.
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	* Conference Game		

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## COLLEGE FOOTBALL'S CENTENNIAL



The grand old game of college football is celebrating its 100th birthday this fall and with a bang. Most of the nation's teams will be wearing helmet decals shaped like a football and featuring the figure 100. Centennial shoulder patches will also be worn on uniforms. It was back on November 6, 1869, that what is officially recognized as the first intercollegiate game took place at New Brunswick, New Jersey, between Princeton and Rutgers. Rutgers won, 6-4, in something akin to soccer played with a round ball on a 120-yard-long field. To commemorate

that contest, the same two schools will meet again at New Brunswick on September 27, and the changes brought about in the past 100 years will be aptly symbolized by the television coverage given the game. Throughout the nation this fall, band shows and other festivities will mark the 100th anniversary, and Centennial medals and certificates will be awarded by the NCAA to varsity football players.

### THE FIRST GAME

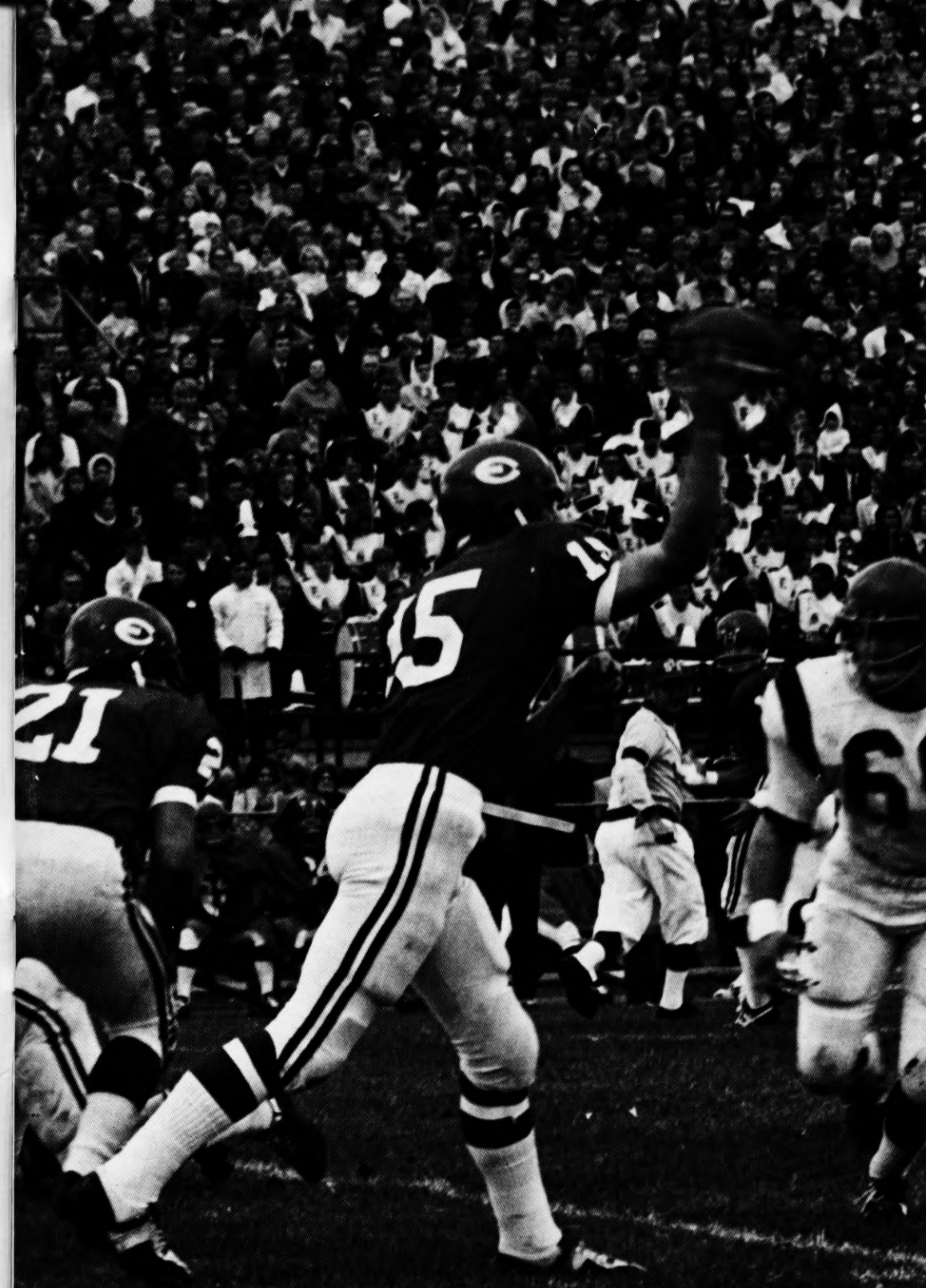
#### Rutgers vs. Princeton 1869

A crowd of 300 bewildered spectators gathered at Rutgers College Field, New Brunswick, N. J., to see the first intercollegiate football game. The rough and tumble meeting between Rutgers and Princeton was a far cry from the modern game, but it had a semblance of the crowd atmosphere that gives college football the extra something it enjoys today. There was no stadium then to hold the fans. The crowd perched on fence rails around the field's periphery and raised their battle cries in keeping with the tempo of play.

Each team consisted of 25 players. Rutgers wore red turbans, but mostly the athletes simply removed their jackets and stormed into one another. The ball was kicked down the field; never carried. Points were scored by kicking or butting the ball between goalposts set twenty-five feet apart at each end of the field. The first team to score six goals won the game. By the 1890's intercollegiate football was played along the lines of Rugby, where the ball is carried. Teams were limited to 11 players and touchdowns could be made in lieu of field goals.

Rutgers won the first game 6 to 4 and college football was born.

*Note:*—Edinboro State College will commemorate college football's 100th anniversary with a Centennial Game played against Geneva College on November 1 at 2:00 P. M. at Sox Harrison Stadium. The game will also mark Edinboro's High School Day which is highlighted by the visitation of prospective students who will be on campus.



## SCOTS' 1969 OUTLOOK

Edinboro State's new head coach, Bill McDonald, makes no bones about the debut of his 1969 Fighting Scot grid hopefuls. "We are inexperienced, young and a host of other things," claims the new mentor. "We are trying to fit our best athletes in key positions and will spend a lot of time just drilling on fundamentals."

McDonald, who came to the Clan's camp this past spring from Indiana University of Pa. where he was highly successful in guiding the Big Indians' offense, has 23 lettermen returning to the 1969 football wars. However, 16 of those 23 vets were sophomores last season and many of those had to be pressed into service because of the injury bug which continually bit the Scots throughout the '68 campaign.

Defensively the Edinboro eleven should be improved over last year's squad. Ten letter winners return to this unit led by All-Conference honorable mention winners linebacker Steve Hamm (6-1, 205, jr.) and Dennis Creehan (5-10, 189, jr.), a defensive back.

Best prospects on the interior line include lettermen Tom McDonough (6-4, 255, jr.), Torry Buck (6-0, 200, jr.), Ed Thompson (5-11, 215, jr.) and John Sullivan (6-0, 215, so.).

Defensive end candidates Joe Romanovich (6-1, 190, jr.) and Dave Mezie (6-0, 186, so.) should make the Scots respectable at the terminals, while veteran middle guard Ebby Hollins (6-2, 200, jr.) will give the Clan experience at that slot. Hollins returned to the gridiron this past spring after a year's absence and was one of the defensive standouts in the spring game.

Rounding out the defensive secondary are linebackers Gary Sisko (6-0, 186, so.) and Gordie Kissman (6-0, 195, so.) with backs Larry Pollick (5-10, 172, jr.) and Joe Bufalino (5-9, 160, sr.). Sophomores Rick Jarmul Joe Sass and Dominic Iarocci are pressing hard.

Offensively the big question mark is, who will earn the nod at the quarterback slot? Battling for the post are juniors Tom Mackey (5-11, 180) and Barry Masterson (5-11, 170) who took turns at the helm last season along with newcomer Joe Kodba (5-11, 192), a junior college transfer. Kodba comes to the Clan camp with some impressive statistics behind him.

All but one of the leading candidates in the backfield are new faces. Tailback hopefuls are John McCurry (5-10, 173, jr.), a Boston College transfer, Al Raines (5-9, 176, so.) and Jerry Mifsud (5-7, 170, so.). The fullback slot should be filled by Greg Lomax (5-9, 190, so.), a transfer from Eastern Arizona Junior College.

Probable quarterback targets are split ends Gary Roth (5-11, 170, jr.) and Don Roccia (5-7, 165, jr.); tight ends Santo Policicchio (6-1, 190, so.) and Jim Tabaczynski (6-0, 190, jr.) along with flankers Paul Johnston (6-2, 190, jr.) and John Compel (5-11, 160, so.).

Bulwark of the offensive line is senior right tackle John Ballard (6-3, 223). Bob Hoover (6-2, 200, sr.) and Lee Robinson (6-1, 205, jr.) both earned letters at tackle slots last year while sophomore Ken Zbinovec (6-0, 195) will be vying with the trio for a starting berth.

Other interior linemen jobs are being sought by guards Paul Burkell (6-1, 190), Keith Laslow (5-5, 180), Floyd Konet (6-0, 210), and center Ed Quinn (6-0, 200).

Most of the starting roles are big question marks that can only be answered as the season progresses. It appears that the Scots will once again have to struggle to keep in step with the competition that studs their grid schedule.

## SCOT SKETCHES

### JOHN BALLARD (73) OT, 6-4, 240, SR., 2 L, CHERRY GROVE

John has been the Scots' regular offensive right tackle for the past two seasons . . . Has earned two varsity letters . . . The top offensive lineman this year and a possible All-Conference selection . . . Combines speed and quickness with good size . . . Voted the most valuable offensive lineman by his teammates last year . . . Secondary education majoring in geography.

### TORRY BUCK (74) DT, 6-0, 200, JR., 1 L, CLEVELAND, OHIO

Operating both as an offensive guard and as defensive end, Torry proved to be a top notch prospect . . . An aggressive lineman . . . Tied for the lead in fumble recoveries with three thefts . . . One of the hardest working prospects . . . Social studies major.

### JOE BUFALINO (14) S, 5-9, 160, SR., 2 L, ERIE

Joe is a veteran of two campaigns in the Scots' defensive secondary . . . Had two interceptions last season, but had his best effort in his sophomore year when he led the team . . . Likes to hit . . . Will be battling for a starting slot this year in a secondary which boasts some depth . . . All-City performer at Cathedral Prep in Erie . . . An elementary education major.

### DENNIS CREEHAN (40) S, 5-10, 190, JR., 1 L, BETHEL PARK

An all-around athlete, Denny proved his versatility last year by going both ways . . . Was named to the Pennsylvania Conference Honorable Mention list in his first varsity endeavor . . . Will start as a safety and specialize there this year . . . A real hardnoser who enjoys contact . . . Most valuable defensive back on the squad last season . . . A liberal arts major.

### DAN DiTULLIO (60) TE, 5-10, 205, SR., ERIE

A newcomer to the squad, Dan is a transfer from Fort Eustis, Virginia where he was the team's most valuable player as a linebacker . . . Looking for a starting assignment as a tight end . . . Has good size, but is untested at the end post . . . A geography major.

### JOHN GUERRASIO (33) FB, 5-11, 205, SR., 2 L, McKEES ROCKS

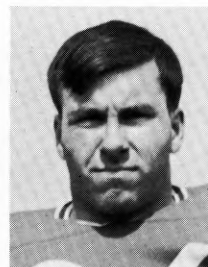
A backfield candidate for the past two seasons, John has failed to come up with a consistent effort because of injuries . . . Suffered a dislocated shoulder as a sophomore and a cartilage tear as a junior . . . A social studies major.

### STEVE HAMM (67) LB, 6-1, 210, JR., 1 L, WILLIAMSPORT

The bulwark of the linebackers' corps . . . Earned an All-Conference Honorable Mention listing in his first varsity outing . . . The Clan's top linebacker . . . Has good speed and hits with authority . . . Got into the scoring act early in the season when he intercepted East Stroudsburg's first pass attempt and romped 37 yards for a TD . . . Honorable Mention All-State at South Williamsport High . . . Social studies major.



John Ballard



Torry Buck



Dennis Creehan



Steve Hamm



Ebby Hollins

Joe Kodba

Bill Kutz

Greg Lomax

**EBBY HOLLINS (55) MG, 6-2, 200, SR., 1 L, ALIQUIPPA**

Ebby returns to play under his previous high school coach, Bill McDonald . . . As the season progresses, Scot opponents will quickly learn about the presence of Ebby on the field . . . He had an outstanding spring game in which he recovered two fumbles and led both squads in tackles . . . Has excellent lateral movement and hits quickly . . . A biology major.

**BOB HOOVER (71) OT, 6-1, 190, SR., 2 L, NEW CASTLE**

Bob was a regular at the tackle slot last season, but suffered an ankle injury mid-way through the season . . . Does a fine job in getting off the line quickly . . . Had a good spring and is fairly consistent . . . Participated in football and track at Union Area High School in New Castle . . . Will have to push hard this year to break into the starting eleven . . . A liberal arts major.

**DOMINIC IAROCCI (45) S, 5-10, 180, JR., ASHTABULA, OHIO**

Shows much promise as a defensive back . . . Could fill in at either safety or defensive halfback . . . Led the defensive secondary as a freshmen at the free safety spot but missed last season with a knee injury . . . First team N.E.C., All-City, and All-Diocese at Ashtabula St. John's . . . Has great speed and plays the pass well . . . A social studies major.

**BOB KING (35) DT, 6-0, 205, JR., WILKES-BARRE**

A converted fullback, Bob has been called upon to shore up the defensive line where the Scots are looking for people . . . Bob didn't play last season and missed spring drills because he is the regular catcher on the Clan's baseball team . . . The coaches are hoping for his quick transition to aid the defensive unit . . . A special education major.

**JOE KODBA (12) QB, 5-11, 190, JR., SOUTH BEND, IND.**

Joe came to Edinboro this fall as a transfer from Missouri Southern Junior College where he performed as the Lions' quarterback . . . Will most likely be the starter at the QB slot . . . Was one of the top field generals in Indiana at Clay High School . . . More of an option back than a passer, likes to run the ball . . . An English major.

**BILL KUTZ (22) P, 5-11, 160, JR., 1 L, McKEAN**

Bill punted 77 times last season for 2,673 yards and a respectable 34.7 yard average . . . Should once again return to his post, but the Scots hope that they don't have to call on him as often . . . His longest punt of the '68 campaign was a 62-yarder . . . A social studies major.

**GREG LOMAX (32) FB, 5-9, 190, SO., DONORA**

The Scot coaching staff hopes that Greg is the attraction they've been searching for in the offensive backfield . . . A transfer from Eastern Arizona Junior College, Greg comes to the Clan with fine credentials . . . He was All-Conference in Arizona, led the team in rushing and pushed across 9 Eastern touchdowns . . . He has excellent speed and power . . . Greg will start as a fullback . . . An elementary education major.

**TOM MACKEY (15) QB, 5-11, 190, JR., 1 L, PITTSBURGH**

Tom was one of the team's leading passers last season, but his services are very much in doubt because of back trouble . . . Has been honored by his teammates as one of the tri-captains for the 1969 season . . . He is the best passer in the Clan's quarterback corps, fires the ball accurately and with authority . . . Led South Hills Catholic in Pittsburgh . . . A social science major.

**BARRY MASTERSON (11) QB, 5-11, 170, JR., 1 L, ERIE**

Barry throws well on the run, a scrambler-type quarterback . . . Also operated the Scots' offense last year and completed 27 of 61 attempts for a 44.8 percentage . . . Tossed for three touchdowns . . . Was Second Team All-City at Cathedral Prep . . . Missed spring game due to an injury.

**JACK McCURRY (23) TB, 5-10, 175, SO., BAKERSTOWN**

A Boston College transfer, Jack is in the running for a starting job in the Edinboro backfield . . . The versatile back proved his worth in the spring contest as one of the top ground gainers . . . Is fast and shifty . . . Was All-WPIAL and All-State Honorable Mention at Richland High School . . . Noted as the squad's best student in the classroom . . . A mathematics major.

**TOM McDONOUGH (76) DT, 6-3, 230, JR., 1 L, CLEVELAND, OHIO**

Tom is fast maturing as a defensive lineman . . . Played the entire season in 1968 and grabbed three fumbles to tie for the lead in that category . . . Tom is big, rugged, and moves well . . . Will start for the Clan as the defensive right tackle . . . An English major.

**BOB MENGERINK (24) DHB, 5-9, 185, SO., PARMA, OHIO**

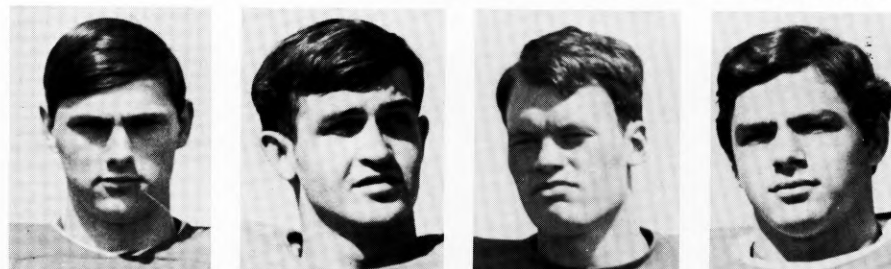
Bob was the fullback in the frosh squad and one of the scoring leaders on a team that posted a 4-1 mark in season play last year . . . He is strong and fast . . . Will be trying to make it as a defensive back . . . an All-Lake Erie League back and a member of the Cleveland Plain Dealer Dream Team . . . An elementary education major.

**JERRY MIFSUD (25) FB, 5-7, 170, SO., ERIE**

Jerry was both a defensive and offensive standout on the frosh team . . . Another fast runner who also catches the ball well . . . Nominated to the "Big 33" while performing at Cathedral Prep High School in Erie . . . A candidate for the fullback slot which already has some respectable job seekers . . . A science and math major.

**SANTO POLICICCHIO (87) TE, 6-1, 190, SO., SPRINGDALE**

Santo came through spring ball with some fine showings at the offensive guard slot but has quickly been converted to a tight end where he was as a frosh . . . He could be switched back to a guard if needed . . . A history major.



Barry Masterson

Jack McCurry

Tom McDonough

Jerry Mifsud

# CHALLENGING THE SCOTS . . .

## LARRY POLLICK (42) S, 5-10, 165, JR., 1 L, SPRINGDALE

Larry gives the Scots some experience in the defensive secondary where he played last year . . . Look for him to start at the right safety . . . Has fine hands and was used offensively as a receiver in '68 as he grabbed six passes for 115 yards . . . Intercepted aeriels in first try on the varsity squad . . . An elementary education major.

## AL RAINES (44) TB, 5-9, 180, SO., ALIQUIPPA

Al dazzled the opposition last year in frosh competition and finished as the leading rusher and scorer . . . Has speed to burn . . . A strong runner who will also be seen on the Scots' specialty teams . . . A broken field performer . . . Was First Team All-Conference, a "Big 33" nomination and an All-State Honorable Mention winner . . . A mathematics major.

## LEE ROBINSON (68) OT, 6-1, 205, JR., 1 L, ERIE

The offensive coaches were highly pleased with Lee's gridiron productions throughout the '68 schedule . . . He's tagged as one of the hardest workers on the offensive line . . . Will push for a starting role at right tackle . . . Selected as one of the most improved ballplayers during his first varsity year . . . A physics major.

## TOM ROCKWELL (83) K, 5-11, 205, JR., 1 L, CONNEAUT, OHIO

Tagged the "Toe," Tom has proved to be a valuable asset to the Scots' offensive machine . . . He clicked on 13 of 14 extra-point attempts and booted one field goal through the uprights to score 16 points in season play . . . His 51.0 average in kickoffs was tops in the conference . . . longest boot was 60 yards . . . A political science major.

## JOE ROMANOVICH (81) DE, 6-0, 195, JR., 1 L, INDIANOLA

Joe nailed down the right terminal spot last year and should have a starting berth there in '69 . . . A hardnoser who picked up some tips to add to his experience at an end slot where the Clan should be respectable this year . . . Played his high school ball at Fox Chapel . . . An elementary education major.

## GARY ROTH (82) FLK, 5-11, 170, JR., 1 L, NEW CASTLE

Gary proved his prowess two years ago when he served as freshman quarterback, his completions there still stand as a Scot record . . . Was used as an offensive back last year because of his speed and ability to elude onrushing linemen . . . A fine athlete who comes to play . . . Most likely to be used as a flanker this year . . . A social studies major.

## JOE SASS (26) DHB, 5-10, 160, SO., ALIQUIPPA

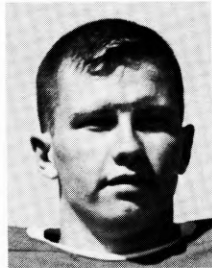
Two pass interceptions and a fine defensive showing during the Scots' spring game by Joe caught the coaches' eyes . . . He is slated for action as the left defensive halfback . . . A fiery competitor who also knows how to run with the pigskin . . . A liberal arts major.



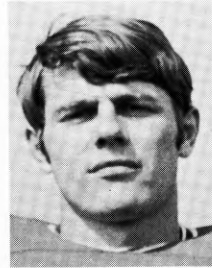
Larry Pollick



Al Raines



Tom Rockwell



Joe Romanovich



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—MICKEY SEGO—

## BROCKPORT STATE UNIVERSITY

September 13—at Brockport, N. Y.—2:00 P.M. E.D.T.

*Location* . . . . . Brockport, N. Y. 14420  
*Enrollment* . . . . . 2,700  
*Head Coach* . . . . . Gerald D'Agostino  
*Seasons and Record* . . . . . 6, 12-23  
*Colors* . . . . . Green and Gold  
*Stadium* . . . . . Memorial  
*Conference* . . . . . SUNYAC, ECAC  
*1968 Record* . . . . . 3-4  
*Last Game* . . . . . 1963, Brockport 7-6  
*Series Record* . . . . . Edinboro Leads 6-5-1  
*Athletic Director* . . . . . A. Huntley Parker  
*Sports Info. Dir.* . . . . . Bill Hughes  
*Phone* . . . . . 716 395-2370



Golden Eagles

### GOLDEN EAGLES' OUTLOOK

Optimism is flying high in the Golden Eagle camp this season as Head Coach Gerry D'Agostino greets a 1969 squad that has much more speed in the backfield, more overall size, a quarterback who can run as well as pass, some excellent ends and some five freshmen prospects. The Scots are the only new item on the Eagles' 1969 agenda which includes two teams that just edged the Golden Ones in the scoring column to leave them with a 3-4 slate. Quarterback Mike Driscoll (6-1, 180, jr.) connected on 27 of 52 attempts last year and proved to be the versatile field general that D'Agostino has been looking for. The offensive backfield boasts team captain Carl Kuras (5-10, 190, sr.) at a halfback slot along with sprinter Gene Oyler (5-9, 160, jr.) on the other side. Another speedster is flanker Steve Lashbrook who will give defensive halfbacks all they can handle. Lashbrook, a sophomore, tied the college record in the 100-yard dash last spring with a 9.7 clocking. Topping the offensive tackles is Regan Beers (5-11, 212, jr.), a veteran letter winner. The interior line is shored up by hard core guards Tom Buntich (5-9, 185, jr.) and Gary Westervelt (5-11, 195, sr.). Seasoned performers Tom Wiedl (6-0, 190, sr.) and Bill Brodmerkle (6-0, 185, sr.) will spearhead the defense from the end spots. Phil Haberstrom (6-1, 185, so.) has been paired with Dan O'Herron as the Eagle linebackers while Dan Massey and Bob "Mr. Everything" Nugent patrol the secondary area with Oyler.

#### 1969 Schedule

Sept. 13	Edinboro State
Sept. 20	Grove City
Sept. 27	Alfred
Oct. 4	at Nichols
Oct. 11	Indiana U. of Pa.
Oct. 18	at Cortland
Oct. 25	at Mansfield State
Nov. 1	at Bridgeport

#### 1968 Results (3-4)

Brockport	Opponent	Score
12	Grove City	20
0	Alfred	17
49	Nichols	0
28	Indiana U. of Pa.	48
6	Cortland	7
27	Mansfield State	20
60	Bridgewater	0

## OHIO NORTHERN UNIVERSITY

September 20—at Ada, Ohio—2:00 P.M. E.D.T.

*Location* . . . . . Ada, Ohio 45810  
*Enrollment* . . . . . 2,300  
*Head Coach* . . . . . Arden Roberson  
*Seasons and Record* . . . . . 9, 47-34  
*Colors* . . . . . Orange and Black  
*Stadium* . . . . . Memorial  
*Conference* . . . . . Independent  
*1968 Record* . . . . . 3-5  
*Last Game* . . . . . 1968, Edinboro 27-26  
*Series Record* . . . . . Edinboro Leads 1-0  
*Athletic Director* . . . . . Marvin English  
*Sports Info. Dir.* . . . . . Monty Siekerman  
*Phone* . . . . . 419 634-3015, ext. 230



Polar Bears

### POLAR BEARS' OUTLOOK

The Scots and the Polar Bears staged a real shoot out last year in Sox Harrison Stadium to keep the fans on the edge of their seats. With only six minutes remaining in the first half and the visiting Ohioans in command 13-0, Barry Masterson entered the Edinboro lineup and gave the Clan a 20-13 lead at the intermission. The Scots upped the lead in the second half but the Bears clawed their way to within one point 27-26 in the final canto. An attempted two-point conversion failed for the visitors on their final touchdown as well as a 32-yard field goal attempt before Edinboro came away with the nailbiter. Polar Bear Coach "Stretch" Roberson will have a nucleus of some 29 returning lettermen in his crop of 48 veterans that will be striving to put the Orange and Black on the winning side of the ledger. Roberson's squad boasts 15 returning letter winners on the offensive unit and 13 returnees on the defensive hopefuls. The remaining award winner is the Bears' kicking specialist, Greer Portz, a 5-11, 202 pounder from Rocky River, Ohio. Roberson commented that the "prospects are average for a good season." The team appears to be fairly young with only 10 seniors on a squad that includes almost 50 freshmen prospects. Joe Zianno, who handled most of the quarterbacking duties last season, will be competing with sophomore Max Eastman for the field general job. Guard Greg Freewalt, linebacker Jim Fender, and end Dan Walker have been elected captains for the Polar Bears' 1969 campaign.

#### 1969 Schedule

Sept. 20	Edinboro State
Sept. 27	at Waynesburg
Oct. 4	at Northwood Institute
Oct. 11	Otterbein
Oct. 18	at Findlay
Oct. 25	at Ashland
Nov. 1	Bluffton
Nov. 8	at Grove City
Nov. 15	Ferris

#### 1968 Results (3-5)

Ohio N.	Opponent	Score
26	Edinboro State	27
0	Waynesburg	19
0	Ferris	19
13	Otterbein	25
15	Findlay	8
27	Northwood Institute	0
7	Bluffton	13
17	Kalamazoo	0
0	Baldwin Wallace	28

## SLIPPERY ROCK STATE COLLEGE

September 27—at Edinboro—2:00 P.M. E.D.T.

Location . . . Slippy Rock, Pa. 16057  
 Enrollment . . . . . 4,400  
 Head Coach . . . . . Bob DiSpirito  
 Seasons and Record . . . . . 2, 5-13  
 Colors . . . . . Green and White  
 Stadium . . . . . Thompson Field  
 Conference . . . . . Pennsylvania  
 1968 Record . . . . . 3-6  
 Last Game 1968, Slippy Rock 16-0  
 Series Record . . . . .

Slippy Rock Leads 27-5-4  
 Athletic Director . . . . Dr. Bradley Keith  
 Sports Info. Dir. . . . . John Carpenter  
 Phone . . . . . 412 794-8054



Rockets

### ROCKETS' OUTLOOK

The football picture at Slippy Rock is one of optimism. With 1969 being the year of man's conquest of the moon, SRSC grid followers are hopeful that this 100th year of college football will also mark the launching of the first stage of another successful Rocket. Head Coach Bob DiSpirito, beginning his third season, feels that optimism is well-founded. Even though his squad is composed of only 8 seniors, DiSpirito eyes '69 as the year the Rockets will escape from the doldrums of three straight losing campaigns. His hopes are reflected through a star-studded backfield, which should emerge as the most explosive foursome in the Pennsylvania Conference. Although a conference championship may be a year away, the 1969 Rockets promise to be an exciting aggregation—one that will put points on the scoreboard. There are weak spots. To what heights the Rockets will soar will be dependent on how fast the inexperienced sophomores and juniors shore up the gaps left by graduation. Improvement must come from the offensive line, which must be rebuilt from the ground floor, and the defensive secondary, which gave up 16 touchdown passes a year ago. Much of the load must be carried by the eight experienced seniors, all lettermen, led by Little All-American tailback candidate Jay Wagner along with his co-captain, defensive back Steve Konick. Both were second-team All-Conference choices as juniors. Eight starters from 1968 were lost through graduation, but 27 lettermen are back. Six regulars return to the offensive unit and eight to the defensive first team. "Barring any key injuries, we should field the biggest and best backfield in our league," comments head coach Bob DiSpirito. "The war cry at Slippy Rock is 'nine for nine in sixty-nine.' This is quite an ambitious undertaking, but the staff feels it is not an impossible mission."

#### 1969 Schedule

1969 Schedule		1968 Results (3-6)	
	Slippy Rock	Slippy Rock	Opponent
Sept. 13	at Westminster	12	Westminster 34
Sept. 20	Waynesburg	7	Waynesburg 28
Sept. 27	at Edinboro State	16	Edinboro State 0
Oct. 4	Shippensburg State	12	Shippensburg State 21
Oct. 11	California State	6	California State 42
Oct. 18	Wilmington, Ohio	25	Wilmington (Ohio) 12
Oct. 25	at Indiana U. of Pa.	15	Indiana U. of Pa. 44
Nov. 1	Lock Haven State	19	Lock Haven State 14
Nov. 8	at Clarion State	17	Clarion State 23

## INDIANA UNIVERSITY (PA.)

October 4—at Indiana—1:30 P.M. E.D.T.

Location . . . . . Indiana, Pa. 15701  
 Enrollment . . . . . 8,500  
 Head Coach . . . . . Chuck Klausing  
 Seasons and Record . . . . . 5, 39-9-0  
 Colors . . . . . Maroon and Slate  
 Stadium . . . . . George P. Miller  
 Conference . . . . . None  
 1968 Record . . . . . 9-1  
 Last Game . . . . . 1968, Indiana 58-0  
 Series Record . . . . . Indiana Leads 28-6-2  
 Athletic Director . . . . Chuck Klausing  
 Sports Info. Dir. . . . . Randy Jesick  
 Phone . . . . . 412 463-9111, ext. 230



Big Indians

### BIG INDIANS' OUTLOOK

Klausing's tribe swept through regular season play last year with a perfect 9-0 record only to be edged 31-24 in the final 18 seconds by Delaware at the Boardwalk Bowl in Atlantic City. Ranked among the top 20 small colleges at the close of the '68 season, the Big Indians should once again prove to be the Pennsylvania powerhouse. When Indiana University of Pennsylvania head football coach, Chuck Klausing, glances at his two-deep lineup for the 1969 season, he sees both feast and famine. For example, on the lean side, he sees that his tentative second-line units on both offense and defense consist of 11 green sophomores, eight inexperienced and unlettered upperclassmen, and just three lettermen. On the plus side, however, when the situation is good, it's very good. Last year's offensive spark plugs, the backfield that exploded for more than 38 points every Saturday, return for another season together. Quarterback Wally Blucas will once again run the Big Indian Attack, handing off to tailback Dan Cox and fullback Tom McCracken and throwing to flanker Dave Smith. If sophomore Dave Connolly makes the grade at offensive left tackle, Bob Prokay will vacate his regular spot there and transfer to right guard. On the starboard side he will team with regulars tackle Joe Kovalchick and tight end George Stark. On defense, veteran safety Barry Ruffner heads the list of five regulars set for another campaign. He will be joined by cornerback Chuck Hasse in the secondary while end Jack Neptune and tackles Bob Pastine and Tony Ferrari will anchor the line. Because of the serious lack of depth, however, several other varsity newcomers, in particular tailback Larry Monsilovich and defensive back Bill Hall, could challenge for jobs especially if the injury bug hits.

#### 1969 Schedule

1969 Schedule		1968 Results (9-1)	
	Indiana	Indiana	Opponent
Sept. 20	at Northwood Institute	17	Delaware State 0
Sept. 27	Shippensburg State	75	Northwood Inst. (Mich.) 13
Oct. 4	Edinboro State	24	Shippensburg State 0
Oct. 11	at Brockport State	58	Edinboro State 0
Oct. 18	Clarion State	48	Brockport State (N. Y.) 28
Oct. 25	Slippy Rock State	18	Clarion State 13
Nov. 1	at California State	44	Slippy Rock State 15
Nov. 8	C. W. Post College	41	California State 0
Nov. 15	Wilkes College	35	C. W. Post (N. Y.) 13
		24	Delaware (Boardwalk Bowl) 31



## CLARION STATE COLLEGE

October 11—Edinboro Homecoming—2:30 P.M. E.D.T.

Location . . . . . Clarion, Pa. 16214  
 Enrollment . . . . . 3,400  
 Head Coach . . . . . Al Jacks  
 Seasons and Record . . . . . 6, 38-14-2  
 Colors . . . . . Blue and Gold  
 Stadium . . . . . Memorial  
 Conference . . . . . Pennsylvania  
 1968 Record . . . . . 6-3  
 Last Game . . . . . 1968, Clarion 37-13  
 Series Record. Clarion Leads 24-15-1  
 Athletic Director . . . . . Frank Lignelli  
 Sports Info. Dir. . . . . William Proudfit  
 Phone . . . . . 814 226-6000



Golden Eagles

### EAGLES' OUTLOOK

Eagle coach, Al Jacks, can once again expect his charges to come away with a winning slate. This is nothing new to the Clarion mentor who has only dropped 14 of 54 grid contests since he took the leadership six years ago. Since then his blue and gold teams finished 10-0 in 1966 capturing the state championship and followed up with the Western Division crown in 1967 with an 8-2 ledger. Jacks' Eagles lost 13 lettermen, but have 28 award winners returning for action this season. Bob Erdeljac (5-11, 172), a junior quarterback from Oakmont, is the big reason the Golden ones will be in contention for the division title. Last year the sophomore signal caller passed for 1,809 yards to finish seventh in the nation and second in the conference. His 57.8 percentage in completions topped the league, however. The overall Eagle offense should be stronger with standout halfback Bob Oberdorf (5-9, 168, jr.) and fullback John Abal (5-10, 198, jr.) to carry the pigskin. Favorite targets of Erdeljac are Larry McNulty, a 6-0, 207-pound senior and Jim Kocan, a 5-7, 160-pound split end. Anchoring the offensive line is conference honorable mention tackle, Tom Komenda (6-0, 215, jr.). Eight more seasoned veterans are also on tap to make the offensive unit go. The Eagle defensive unit has only 3 defensive veterans left in the persons of junior end Dick Smith (6-2, 185), senior middle linebacker Elmer Schultz (5-11, 197) and senior defensive halfback Andy Brindger (5-11, 170). The Jacksmen finished second in the conference to California's mighty Vulcans in '68 only after a hard fought 26-21 battle. Powerful Indiana provided a close 18-13 loss while Delaware State also dropped the Golden ones. The Eagles could very well claw their way to the top this year.

#### 1969 Schedule

Date	Location	Opponent
Sept. 13	at Mansfield State	21
Sept. 20	Delaware State	22
Sept. 27	at Geneva	42
Oct. 4	Lock Haven State	14
Oct. 11	at Edinboro State	37
Oct. 18	at Indiana U. of Pa.	13
Oct. 25	California State	21
Nov. 1	at Shippensburg State	35
Nov. 8	Slippery Rock State	23

#### 1968 Record (6-3)

Clarion	Opponent
21	Mansfield State 13
22	Delaware State 34
42	Geneva 7
14	Lock Haven State 3
37	Edinboro State 13
13	Indiana U. of Pa. 18
21	California State 26
35	Shippensburg State 0
23	Slippery Rock State 17

## LOCK HAVEN STATE COLLEGE

October 18—at Lock Haven—2:00 P.M. E.D.T.

Location . . . . . Lock Haven, Pa. 17745  
 Enrollment . . . . . 2,300  
 Head Coach . . . . . Bob Weller  
 Seasons and Record . . . . . First Year  
 Colors . . . . . Maroon and Gray  
 Stadium . . . . . Springer  
 Conference . . . . . Pennsylvania, ECAC  
 1968 Record . . . . . 2-7  
 Last Game . . . . . 1968, Lock Haven 56-21  
 Series Record . . . . .  
 Lock Haven Leads 7-3-1  
 Athletic Director . . . . . Stephen Jacobs  
 Sports Info. Dir. . . . . Bob Coltrane  
 Phone . . . . . 717 748-6545



Bald Eagles

### BALD EAGLES' OUTLOOK

In his first year as the Bald Eagles' head mentor, Bob Weller will be building his 1969 grid machine from among 70 prospective candidates which include a nucleus of 18 returning lettermen. Coach Weller, defensive line coach the last two years at Lock Haven and a graduate of Slippery Rock, will find the majority of the Bald Eagles' defensive unit returning for the '69 campaign. All-conference selection Ron Beshore, a 5-9, 197-pound linebacker from New Cumberland, will anchor the defensive charges while honorable mention winner Steve Jarrett, a 6-1, 213-pound center, will lead the offensive line. Adding fire power to the Eagle air game is junior quarterback Denny Rhule who totaled 894 yards last season both running and passing. Sophomore Scott McLean and Mike Packer will back up Rhule in the field general spot. Top backs include Jim Smith, a 6-0, 198-pound senior and Dan Elby, a 6-0, 180-pound junior. The Bald Eagles finished one notch above the Scots in conference play at the close of last year's campaign, but scared some of the top finishers in the league. They were edged 27-26 by California, the Western Division Champion, and fought second place finisher, Clarion, to a 14-3 loss. The Eagles should fly higher this season, but have some tough opponents to meet on the schedule. Because of Lock Haven's small amount of male students, Pennsylvania Conference officials have given the College permission to use freshmen gridders in the varsity program. This has bolstered Coach Weller's offensive unit and should add momentum to the Maroon and Gray's scoring machine. Ron Beshore, Charles Brenner and Steve Jarrett have been selected as tri-captains for the 1969 season.

#### 1969 Schedule

Date	Location	Opponent
Sept. 20	Bloomsburg State	6
Sept. 27	California State	27
Oct. 4	at Clarion State	26
Oct. 11	at Shippensburg State	3
Oct. 18	Edinboro State	6
Oct. 25	Open	56
Nov. 1	at Slippery Rock State	7
Nov. 8	Waynesburg	14

#### 1968 Results (2-7)

Lock Haven	Opponent
6	Maryland State 28
27	Bloomsburg State 13
26	California State 27
3	Clarion State 14
6	Shippensburg State 19
56	Edinboro State 21
7	Delaware Valley 57
14	Slippery Rock State 19
0	Waynesburg 69

## SHIPPENSBURG STATE COLLEGE

October 25—at Edinboro—2:00 P.M. E.D.T.

Location . . . Shippensburg, Pa. 17257  
 Enrollment . . . . . 3,650  
 Head Coach . . . . . Dave Dolbin  
 Seasons and Record . . . . . 5, 19-23-0  
 Colors . . . . . Red and Blue  
 Stadium . . . . . Heiges Field  
 Conference . . . . . Pennsylvania  
 1968 Record . . . . . 5-3  
 Last Game . 1968, Shippensburg 23-0  
 Series Record . . . . .  
 Shippensburg Leads 8-0  
 Athletic Director . . . . . Tom Crist  
 Sports Info. Dir. . . . . Bob Lisowski  
 Phone . . . . . 717 532-2184, ext. 365



Red Raiders

### RED RAIDERS' OUTLOOK

The Red Raiders graduated All-Conference halfback Lou Orndorff, defensive end Wayne Wilkerson and linebacker Nick Dellaquila, two key defenders in tackle Dave McNichol and safety Tom Andros, fullback Ed Hammers and league's sixth leading passer, Steve Bumgarner. The tribe has lost some hard core veterans from both the offensive and defensive units which could spell a challenging season for Coach Dolbin's charges. John Hetter, a 6-2, 185 pounder, and 5-8, 165-pound Steve Pallo are the leading candidates for the quarterback slot. League pass receiving champ Al Bowman (6-1, 180, jr.) who grabbed Bumgarner passes for 738 yards and 6 touchdowns in conference action will be one of the top targets for the Raiders' new signal caller. At the flanker spot is Fred Keyes, a 6-0, 175-pound junior while the backfield chores on the offensive eleven will be spearheaded by junior fullback Russ Alden (5-10, 185) and Bruce Baustein (5-11, 180, jr.). A pair of veteran senior guards Bill Lemanski, a 6-0, 205-pounder from Ellwood City, and Chuck Bolash, 6-1, 195 pounds from Harrisburg, should give added momentum to the Raiders' offense. Among the 26 lettermen returning to the reservation is All-Conference defensive halfback Chuck Hickes (6-1, 185, sr.) from Tyrone. Rounding out the defensive returnees is a crop of juniors in end Bill Connelly (5-11, 190), middle guard Dennis Gordon (5-11, 215), linebacker Dan Smith (6-1, 195), and halfback Bruce Baustein (5-11, 180). The addition of some promising freshmen give the Raiders some beefing up in the defensive alignment, but the big question confronting the tribe in '69 is, how well will the offense move?

1969 Schedule		1968 Results (5-3)	
		Shippensburg	Opponent
Sept. 20	Mansfield State	27	Mansfield State 14
Sept. 27	at Indiana U. of Pa.	0	Indiana U. of Pa. 24
Oct. 4	at Slippery Rock State	21	Slippery Rock State 12
Oct. 11	Lock Haven State	19	Lock Haven State 6
Oct. 18	at California State	14	California State 30
Oct. 25	at Edinboro State	23	Edinboro State 0
Nov. 1	Clarion State	0	Clarion State 35
Nov. 8	Millersville State	14	Millersville State 6

## GENEVA COLLEGE

November 1—at Edinboro—2:00 P.M. E.S.T.

Location . . . . . Beaver Falls, Pa. 15010  
 Enrollment . . . . . 1,400  
 Head Coach . . . . . Dan Frasier  
 Seasons and Record . . . . . 0, 0  
 Colors . . . . . Gold and White  
 Stadium . . . . . Reeves  
 Conference . . . . . None  
 1968 Record . . . . . 0-7-1  
 Last Game . . . . . 1968, Edinboro 31-7  
 Series Record . . . . . Edinboro Leads 4-1  
 Athletic Director . . . . . Cliff Aultman  
 Sports Info. Dir. . . . . Lee Troup  
 Phone . . . . . 412 846-5100, ext. 32



Golden Tornadoes

### GOLDEN TORNADOES' OUTLOOK

The G-Men have had their difficulties on the gridiron in recent years but the Golden Tornadoes are hoping that new head coach, Dan Frasier, can get the program going in the right direction. The Tornadoes will again be a very young squad with a roster that shows very few upperclassmen. The starting quarterback slot will most likely go to sophomore southpaw Don Phillips who took charge of the Tornado offense midway through last season when Greg Haney received spinal injuries. Letter winners Joe O'Neill and Pete Quinn are marked as Phillips' top targets. Both are juniors. The ground attack will be led by Herb Braxton, a 6-1, 205-pound fullback from Beaver Falls and senior halfback Gail Church from Darlington. Also scheduled for action in the G-Men's offensive backfield are sophomore halfbacks Tom Wood of Kensington, Ohio, and Gary Toot of Lisbon, Ohio along with senior fullback Elmer Laslo and junior halfback Denny Stach. Returning at the tackles are Mike Hink, a 6-1, 235-pound senior, and Bruce Smeal, a 6-1, 205-pound junior while Steve Palyash, a 5-10, 190-pound junior, and Chuck McShane, a 5-10, 200-pound sophomore are at the guard slots. Even though the Genevans are young, they appear to have ball players who have seen a good deal of varsity action. The addition of some promising freshmen talent could give the Tornadoes some much needed depth and the edge needed to slip into the winning side of the column a few times this season.

1969 Schedule		1968 Results (0-7-1)	
		Geneva	Opponent
Sept. 20	at Frostburg State	7	Frostburg State 7
Sept. 27	Clarion State	7	Clarion State 42
Oct. 4	at Adrian	7	Westminster 27
Oct. 11	at Juniata	7	Juniata 33
Oct. 18	Waynesburg	0	Waynesburg 49
Oct. 25	Grove City	0	Grove City 42
Nov. 1	at Edinboro State	7	Edinboro State 31
Nov. 8	Westminster	12	Bridgewater State 14

## CALIFORNIA STATE COLLEGE

November 8—at California—1:30 P.M. E.S.T.

*Location* . . . . . California, Pa. 15419  
*Enrollment* . . . . . 5,200  
*Head Coach* . . . . . Bill Hepner  
*Seasons and Record* . . . . . 7, 34-20-3  
*Colors* . . . . . Black and Red  
*Stadium* . . . . . Booster  
*Conference* . . . . . Pennsylvania  
*1968 Record* . . . . . 6-2-1  
*Last Game* . . . . . 1968, California 35-7  
*Series Record* . . . . .  
 California Leads 27-7-1  
*Athletic Director* . . . . . Paul Ross  
*Sports Info. Dir.* . . . . . Bob Wood  
*Phone* . . . . . 412 938-2281, ext. 214



Vulcans

### VULCANS' OUTLOOK

Jeff Petrucci, the NAIA passing leader for the past two years, has graduated, but the Vulcans are once again loaded. The Fire Gods could have some trouble at the quarterback slot, yet have 24 lettermen and some experienced veterans who will aid the Vulcans in their defense of the Western Division title. The Hepner-coached Californians walked away with a 28-28 tie against East Stroudsburg for the state championship last season and will be looking forward to solo ownership of the coveted crown at the close of the 1969 campaign. Returning are All-Conference guards Emil Letwin (6-3, 215) and Larry Randall (6-1, 240), second team All-Conference halfback Ron Urban and the league's top punter, Don Roberts (40.5). Add to this a few interior linemen like 6-3, 240-pound Bill Wilson; 6-2, 230-pound Jerry Valencik; and 6-2, 230-pound Bob Callaway. The Vulcan tackles will certainly give their opponents something to worry about. The downstaters' defense has remained almost intact with the returnees and the Vulcan running game could be much improved. Urban has had two years of experience and junior Greg Ray (6-2, 195) has proved to be a promising back. The offense also has senior flanker George Carlock to use as a pass target for probable starting quarterback Bob Keys, a 5-11, 165-pound junior. A repeat of last year's schedule will find the Californians looking to revenge a 1-point loss (27-26) to Waynesburg and a 41-0 thumping by Indiana. Look for the Vulcans to be on top in the West standings.

#### 1969 Schedule

Sept. 20	at Denison
Sept. 27	at Lock Haven State
Oct. 4	Waynesburg
Oct. 11	at Slippery Rock State
Oct. 25	at Clarion State
Nov. 1	Indiana U. of Pa.
Nov. 8	Edinboro State

#### 1968 Results (6-2-1)

California	Opponent	
36	Denison	0
27	Lock Haven State	26
26	Waynesburg	27
42	Slippery Rock State	6
30	Shippensburg	14
26	Clarion	21
0	Indiana U. of Pa.	41
35	Edinboro State	7
28	East Stroudsburg State	28

## PENNSYLVANIA CONFERENCE

The Pennsylvania State Colleges Athletic Conference, organized in 1951, this year changed its name to the Pennsylvania Conference.

Its membership originally consisted of the 14 state colleges: Bloomsburg, California, Cheyney, Clarion, East Stroudsburg, Edinboro, Indiana, Kutztown, Lock Haven, Mansfield, Millersville, Shippensburg, Slippery Rock, and West Chester. In 1966 Indiana no longer was eligible for conference laurels as it acquired university status.

The conference is divided into a Western Division and an Eastern Division. Members of the Eastern Division include Bloomsburg, Cheyney, East Stroudsburg, Mansfield, Kutztown, Millersville, Shippensburg, and West Chester, while Edinboro, California, Clarion, Lock Haven, and Slippery Rock comprise the Western Division. In basketball, the conference champions of both leagues face each other at the end of the season to determine the PC championship.

All 13 state colleges that compete in the PC belong to the NAIA, while many are also NCAA and ECAC members.

### SPORTS SCHEDULES

#### 1970 ESC FOOTBALL

Sept 19	Cheyney State
Sept. 26	at Slippery Rock
Oct. 3	Indiana U. of Pa.
Oct. 10	at Clarion State
Oct. 17	Lock Haven State
Oct. 24	at Shippensburg State
Oct. 31	at Central Connecticut
Nov. 7	California State
Nov. 14	Conference Playoff—West

#### 1971 ESC FOOTBALL

Sept. 18	at Waynesburg
Sept. 25	to be announced
Oct. 2	Slippery Rock State
Oct. 9	at Indiana U. of Pa.
Oct. 16	Clarion State
Oct. 23	at Lock Haven State
Oct. 30	Shippensburg State
Nov. 6	at Ohio Northern
Nov. 13	at California State
Nov. 20	Conference Playoff—East

#### 1969 SOCCER

*Coach:* George Shimpeno

Sept. 23	Niagara
Sept. 27	at Lock Haven State
Oct. 4	at Indiana U. of Pa.
Oct. 8	at Slippery Rock State
Oct. 10	Alliance
Oct. 14	Gannon
Oct. 24	at Gannon
Oct. 27	at Roberts Wesleyan
Nov. 7	Millersville State

#### 1969 CROSS COUNTRY

*Coach:* Doug Watts

Sept. 20	Gannon & Geneva (at Geneva)
Sept. 24	Fredonia & Gannon (at Gannon)
Oct. 4	at Slippery Rock State
Oct. 11	Grove City & Clarion
Oct. 18	District 18 NAIA (at Gannon)
Oct. 29	Akron University
Nov. 8	Conference Meet (at Lock Haven)

1969 FIGHTING S

No.	Name	Pos.	Height	Weight	Class	Homet
<del>43</del>	*Atwood, Herm	DHB	5'9"	190	Sr.	Cherry G
<del>73</del>	**Ballard, John	OT	6'4"	240	Sr.	Pittsburg
74	*Buck, Torry	DT	6'0"	200	Jr.	Cleveland
<del>14</del>	**Bufalino, Joe	S	5'9"	160	Sr.	Erie, Cath
✓66	Burkell, Paul	OG	5'9"	185	So.	Erie, McE
46	Compel, John	FLK	5'11"	160	So.	McKeesp
40	*Creehan, Denny	S	5'10"	190	Jr.	Bethel Pa
<del>60</del>	<del>DiTullio, Dan</del>	LB	5'10"	205	Sr.	Erie, Tech
67	*Hamm, Steve	LB	6'1"	210	Jr.	South Wi
86	Herman, Tom	DE	6'1"	190	So.	Ellwood
<del>55</del>	*Hollins, Ebby	MG	6'2"	200	Sr.	Aliquippa
27	Hromyak, Dan	K	5'8"	150	Jr.	Sharpsvil
45	Iarocci, Dominic	S	5'10"	180	Jr.	Ashtabula
34	Jarmul, Rick	LB	6'0"	190	So.	Cheswick
✓41	Johnston, Paul	FLK	6'2"	190	Jr.	Bradford,
35	King, Bob	DT	6'0"	205	Jr.	Wilkes-B
62	Kissman, Gordie	DE	6'0"	190	So.	Geneva, I
12	Kodba, Joe	QB	5'11"	190	Jr.	South Be
65	Konet, Floyd	OG	6'0"	210	So.	Cleveland
22	*Kutz, Bill	P	5'11"	160	Jr.	McKean,
✓64	*Laslow, Keith	OG	5'6"	180	Jr.	Farrell
✓32	Lomax, Greg	FB	5'9"	190	So.	Donora
15	*Mackey, Tom	QB	5'11"	190	Jr.	Pittsburg
✓11	*Masterson, Barry	QB	5'11"	170	Jr.	Erie, Cath
23	McCurry, Jack	TB	5'10"	175	So.	Bakerstov
76	*McDonough, Tom	DT	6'3"	230	Jr.	Cleveland
24	Mengerink, Bob	DHB	5'9"	185	So.	Parma, O
✓78	Mennen, Steve	OT	6'1"	245	Jr.	Garfield H
88	Mezie, Dave	DE	6'0"	185	So.	Parma, O
25	Mifsud, Jerry	FB	5'7"	170	So.	Erie, Cath
50	Nee, Pat	C	6'3"	195	So.	Arnold, V
✓87	Policicchio, Santo	TE	6'1"	190	So.	Pittsburg
42	*Pollick, Larry	S	5'10"	165	Jr.	Springdal
<del>52</del>	*Quinn, Ed	C	6'0"	205	Sr.	McKees
✓44	Raines, Al	TB	5'9"	180	So.	Aliquippa
68	*Robinson, Lee	OT	6'1"	205	Jr.	Erie, McE
80	Roccia, Don	SE	5'7"	165	Jr.	Callery, S
83	*Rockwell, Tom	K-TE	5'11"	205	Jr.	Conneauf
81	*Romanovich, Joe	DE	6'0"	195	Jr.	Indianola
82	*Roth, Gary	FLK	5'11"	170	Jr.	New Cast
26	Sass, Joe	DHB	5'10"	160	So.	Aliquippa
63	Sisko, Gary	LB	6'0"	190	So.	Allison Pa
72	Sullivan, John	DT	6'0"	215	Jr.	New Cast
✓84	*Tabaczynski, Jim	TE	6'0"	192	Jr.	Parma, O
51	Tamasy, Dave	MG	5'10"	190	Jr.	West Nev
✓54	*Thompson, Ed	C	5'11"	225	Jr.	West Miff
✓70	Zbinovec, Ken	OT	6'1"	205	So.	Parma Hg
	Stagno, Tony	Manager				

Tri-Captains: John Ballard, Steve Hamm, Tom Mackey

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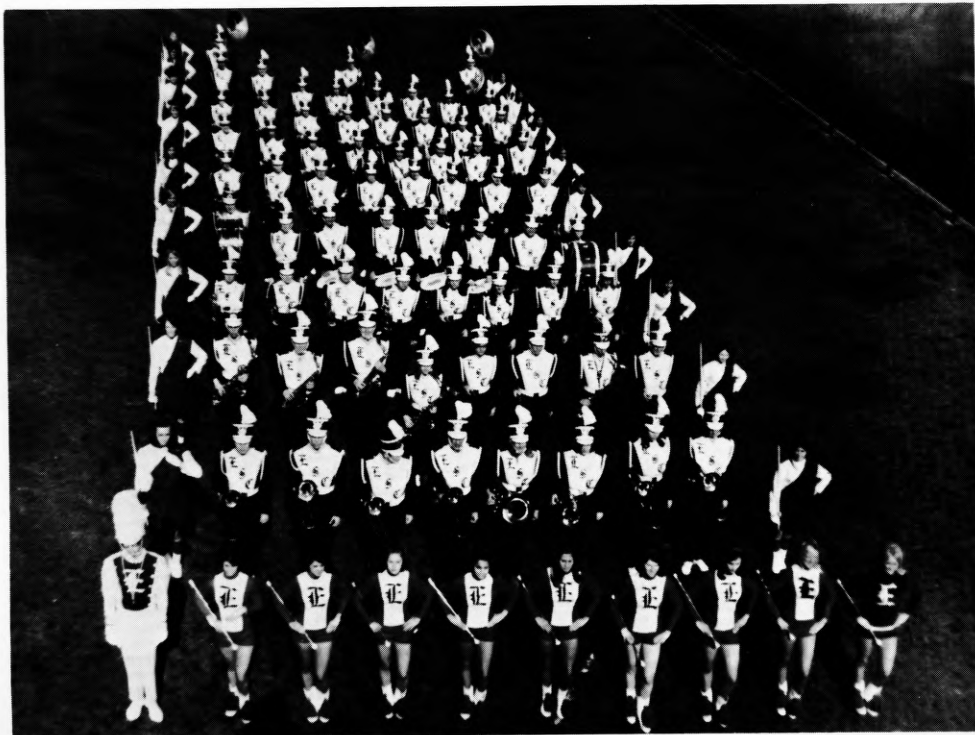
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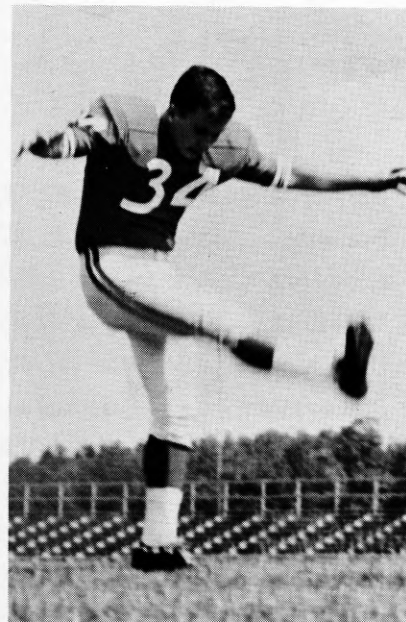
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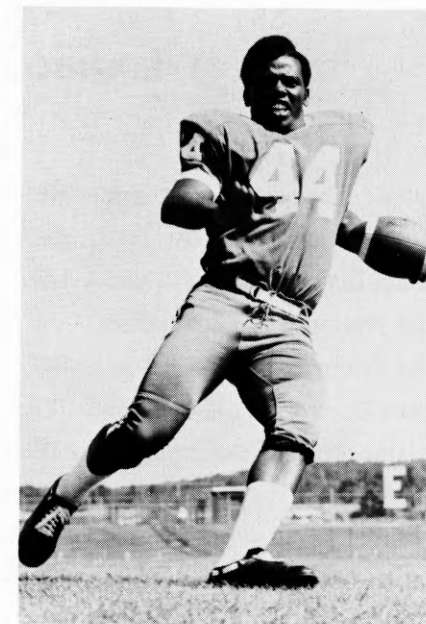
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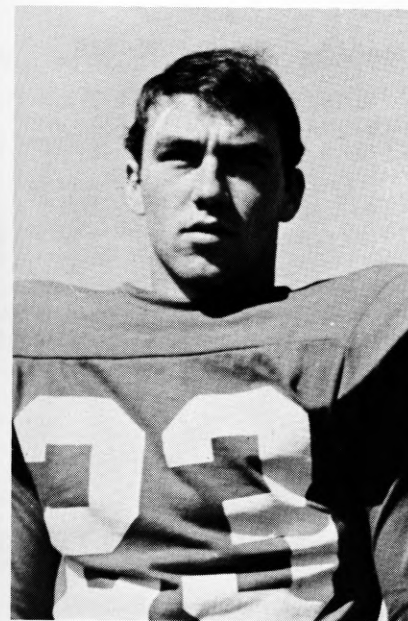
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Three Fighting Scot gridders have forged their way into the Edinboro record book this season. Sophomore defensive back, Joe Sass from Hope-well, led the assault on the Clan's annals when he intercepted three passes in one game against Clarion State to set a new standard. Sophomore tailback Al Raines from Aliquippa and Conneaut, Ohio's Tom Rockwell, a place-kicking specialist, also established new football marks in a conference contest against Lock Haven. Raines ran to five different rushing marks with the longest run from the line of scrimmage (85 yards), longest touchdown run (85 yards), most yards in one quarter (114), most yards in one half (218) and most yards in one game (260). Rockwell came up with a record setting performance in the same game when he booted field goals of 24, 26 and 31 yards. The three kicks not only set a game record, but all came in one period to set still another mark.

# PROBABLE STARTERS

## EDINBORO STATE

## GENEVA COLLEGE

### OFFENSE

### DEFENSE

84 Jim Tabaczynski.....SE  
 73 John Ballard.....LT  
 66 Paul Burkell.....LG  
 54 Ed Thompson.....C  
 52 Ed Quinn.....RG  
 70 Ken Zbinovec.....RT  
 87 Santo Policicchio.....TE  
 12 Joe Kodba.....QB  
 44 Al Raines.....TB  
 32 Greg Lomax.....FB  
 82 Gary Roth.....FLK

63 Gary Sisko.....LE  
 35 Bob King.....LT  
 55 Ebby Hollins.....MG  
 74 Tory Buck.....RT  
 88 Dave Mezie.....RE  
 67 Steve Hamm.....LLB  
 60 Dan DiTullio.....RLB  
 26 Joe Sass.....LHB  
 14 Joe Bufalino.....RHB  
 24 Bob Mengerink.....LS  
 42 Larry Pollick.....RS

### OFFENSE

### DEFENSE

82 Joe O'Neill.....SE  
 70 Bucky Waldron.....LT  
 62 Don Swartz.....LG  
 55 Bob Shriver.....C  
 65 Steve Palyash.....RG  
 73 Bruce Smeal.....RT  
 87 Pete Quinn.....TE  
 11 Don Phillips.....QB  
 22 Gary Stewart.....FL  
 21 Vern Welsh.....TB  
 32 Herb Brazton or  
 23 Tom Wood.....FB

83 Gary Crees.....LE  
 76 Dave Holderman.....LT  
 66 Mike Hink.....LG  
 60 Chuck McShane.....RG  
 72 Ron Fye.....RT  
 84 Bill Haddox.....RE  
 50 Bill Hartman.....MLB  
 24 Frank Feola.....LH  
 10 Mike Maricone.....RH  
 41 Ron Galiffa.....LS  
 13 Scott Piccola.....RS

### Numerical Roster

No. NAME	No. NAME	No. NAME	No. NAME
11 Masterson	40 Creehan	60 DiTullio	78 Mennen
12 Kodba	41 Johnston	62 Kissman	80 Roccia
14 Bufalino	42 Pollick	63 Sisko	81 Romanovich
15 Mackey	43 Atwood	64 Laslow	82 Roth
22 Kutz	44 Raines	66 Burkell	83 Rockwell
23 McCurry	45 Iarocci	67 Hamm	84 Tabaczynski
24 Mengerink	46 Compel	68 Robinson	86 Herman
25 Mifsud	50 Nee	70 Zbinovec	87 Policicchio
26 Sass	51 Tamasy	72 Sullivan	88 Mezie
32 Lomax	52 Quinn	73 Ballard	
34 Jarmul	54 Thompson	74 Buck	
35 King	55 Hollins	76 McDonough	

### Numerical Roster

No. NAME	No. NAME	No. NAME	No. NAME
10 Maricone	33 Haney	63 Bossetti	80 Lutton
11 Phillips	40 DeMarco	64 Kofalt	81 Guandola
12 Smith	41 Galiffa	65 Palysah	82 O'Neill
13 Piccola	42 Hunter	66 Hink	83 Crees
20 Falcone	43 Montague	70 Waldron	84 Haddox
21 Welsh	50 Hartman	71 Nieser	85 DePaul
22 Stewart	54 Morrison	72 Fye	87 Quinn
23 Wood	55 Shriver	73 Smeal	88 Holderman, J. Lizzy
24 Feola	57 Cybak	74 Porter, T.	
30 Baker	60 McShane	75 Porter, R.	
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32 Braxton	62 Swartz	77 Sturdyvant	

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No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Hometown
10	Mike Maricone	CB	5'10"	175	So.	New Castle
11	Don Phillips	QB	5'8"	165	So.	Beaver
12	Torrey Smith	QB	5'10"	165	Fr.	Nyack, N.Y.
13	Scott Piccola	S	5'9"	170	So.	Erie
20	Mike Falcone	G	6'0"	175	Fr.	Rochester
21	Verner Welsh	TB	5'9"	160	Fr.	Beaver
22	Gary Stewart	S	5'11"	170	Jr.	Turtle Creek
23	Tom Wood	TB	5'10"	185	So.	Kensington, Ohio
24	Frank Feola	CB	5'9"	175	So.	New Castle
30	Monte Baker	MLB	5'8"	175	So.	Franklin
31	Elmer Laslo	CB-S	5'9"	175	Sr.	Johnstown
32	Herb Braxton	FB	6'1"	205	So.	Beaver Falls
33	Greg Haney	FB	5'11"	185	Sr.	Middlesex, N.J.
40	Gene DeMarco	FL	6'1"	170	Fr.	New Brighton
41	Ron Galiffa	S	6'0"	185	Sr.	Donora
42	Dave Hunter	FL	5'10"	185	So.	Donora
43	Van Montague	FL	5'8"	150	Fr.	South Huntington
50	Bill Hartman	MLB	5'9"	190	So.	Lisbon, Ohio
54	Chuck Morrison	C	6'0"	200	So.	New Castle
55	Bob Shriver	C	5'8"	170	Jr.	Easton
57	Al Cybak	C	6'0"	212	Fr.	Ambridge
60	Chuck McShane	DG	5'10"	220	So.	Midland
61	Fred Arnold	DG	6'2"	205	So.	New Brighton
62	Dan Swartz	OG	5'11"	195	So.	Erie
63	Leroy Bossetti	OG	5'3"	145	Fr.	Coraopolis
64	Tony Kofalt	DG	5'11"	190	So.	Beaver Falls
65	Steve Palyash	OG	5'10"	190	Jr.	Beaver Falls
66	Mike Hink	DG	6'1"	235	Sr.	New Castle
70	Bucky Waldron	OT	5'10"	195	Fr.	Rochester
71	Dan Nieser	OT	6'2"	210	Jr.	Pittsburg
72	Ron Fye	DT	6'1"	210	So.	Edinburg
73	Bruce Smeal	OT	6'1"	205	Jr.	Franklin
74	Terry Porter	OT	6'1"	200	So.	New Brighton
75	Rich Porter	OT	6'2"	205	Fr.	New Brighton
76	Dave Holderman	DT	6'0"	205	Sr.	Peekskill, N.Y.
77	Lyn Sturdyvant	OT	6'1"	195	Fr.	Franklin
80	Park Lutton	DE	6'0"	180	Fr.	Beaver Falls
81	Al Guandola	SE	5'9"	155	So.	Beaver
82	Joe O'Neill	SE	5'9"	175	Jr.	Aliquippa
83	Gary Crees	DE	6'2"	200	So.	Beaver Falls
84	Bill Haddox	DE	5'10"	195	So.	New Brighton
85	Sam DePaul	TE	6'4"	205	Fr.	Rochester
87	Pete Quinn	TE	6'3"	210	Jr.	New Castle
88	Jon Holderman	DE	6'1"	170	Fr.	Peekskill, N.Y.
	Al Lizzy	G	5'9"	175	Fr.	New Brighton

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72	Sullivan
73	Ballard
74	Buck
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78	Mennen
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81	Romanovich
82	Roth
83	Rockwell
84	Tabaczynski
86	Herman
87	Pollicchio
88	Mezie



## TOP CANDIDATES BY POSITION

### Offense

SE Roth Roccia	LT Ballard Robinson	LG Burkell Laslow	C Quinn Thompson Nee	RG Konet	RT Zbinovec Mennen	TE Policicchio Tabaczynski
			QB Masterson Kodba Mackey			
Punter: Kutz Place Kicker: Rockwell			TB Raines McCurry	FLK Johnston Roth Compel		
				FB Lomax Mifsud		

### Defense

LE Romanovich Herman	LT King Sullivan	MG Hollins Tamasy	RT McDonough Buck	RE Mezie Sisko
LLB Hamm Kissman				
		RLB Sisko DiTullio Jarmul		
LHB Sass Raines	LS Creehan Iarocci	RS Pollick		RHB Bufalino Atwood

## 1969 CONFERENCE CANDIDATES



Steve Hamm  
*Linebacker*



John Ballard  
*Offensive Tackle*



Ebbly Hollins  
*Middle Guard*

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 Pollick, Larry . . . . . PAUL-ik  
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 Zbinovec, Ken . . . . . Spin-O-vek

## HEAD COACH



Bill McDonald, assistant football coach at Indiana University of Pennsylvania for the past three years and head coach at Hopewell High School from 1958-1965, will be marking his first year as head football coach at Edinboro State College.

McDonald directed Indiana University's offense during the past three years as the Big Indians registered 24 regular season victories against only three defeats. This year's grid squad finished unbeaten in nine outings and proved to be the greatest offensive team in Indiana's history by tallying 360 points, an average of 40 points a game.

The unblemished 9-0 mark landed Indiana University the opportunity to play in the Boardwalk Bowl in Atlantic City, New Jersey against the University of Delaware.

The Wilmerding, Pa. native guided Hopewell High School to a 46-25-1 slate during his seven years as Hopewell's head football coach. His 1960 ball club defeated Braddock High 7-6 and broke their WPIAL 58-game winning streak while his 1963 team captured the Midwest Class A Championship.

The Fighting Scots' new grid pilot has also served as an assistant coach at Braddock and Latrobe High Schools. He acted as aid to Chuck Klausung, Indiana's head football coach, through two undefeated seasons at Braddock High from 1956-1958.

McDonald holds both a B.S. degree in education and an M.Ed. from the University of Cincinnati where he played fullback under Sid Gillman, now head coach of the San Diego Chargers and his assistant coach, Paul Dietzel. This team was the original "Chinese Bandits," a defensive unit which later became famous at Louisiana State University.

He has also earned over 70 hours of graduate credits from Cincinnati, Penn State, Pitt and Indiana University of Pa.

"Mr. McDonald's coaching career has constantly been a story of success. In addition to this aspect of his life, we were impressed with him as a man who is prepared and capable to give both wise counseling and leadership to young men in all phases of their development," stated Edinboro President, Dr. Chester, T. Mc Nerney, in making the new appointment.

McDonald will be met with the challenge of building a football machine for the Scots that can produce wins. The last time Edinboro posted a winning slate was during the 1965 campaign when the Clan garnered six victories, two losses and one tie. He has already injected some innovations that hopefully will push the Highlander football program down the right production line.

The new coach along with his wife, Joanne, and their three children, have recently moved to Edinboro.

## DEFENSIVE SECONDARY COACH



Sam Ruvolo, former head grid mentor at Cathedral Latin High School in Cleveland, Ohio, joined the Fighting Scots' grid staff in the spring of 1968.

Ruvolo, who grooms the Scots' defensive secondary, guided his Cathedral Latin teams to two championships and one tie in the powerful Cleveland East Senate conference. During his nine years at Latin, Ruvolo amassed an overall record of 49-27-2. In the last four years his grid teams lost only six contests while winning 30. His best season was posted by his 1965 squad which registered a 9-1 slate.

A graduate of John Adams High in Cleveland and Kent State University, Ruvolo has spent 19 years in the coaching ranks. Among various Cleveland schools included under his past tutelage are: Chanel, Brecksville, South High and West Tech. He also served as athletic director at Cathedral Latin for two years.

During his coaching career at Cathedral Latin High School, Ruvolo coached such outstanding football players as Clinton Jones, former Michigan State University star now playing with the Minnesota Vikings; Larry Kaninski, former All-Big 10 Center from Purdue University now seeing action with the Denver Broncos; and Bob Taucher, former University of Nebraska standout now playing with the Dallas Cowboys. As head mentor at Chanel High School from 1958-1960, Ruvolo coached Ernie Kellerman, former All Mid-American Conference quarterback at Miami University of Ohio and now a defensive back for the Cleveland Browns.

Ruvolo, his wife, Lois, and their four children, Margaret Mary, Joseph, Thomas and John, make their home in Edinboro.

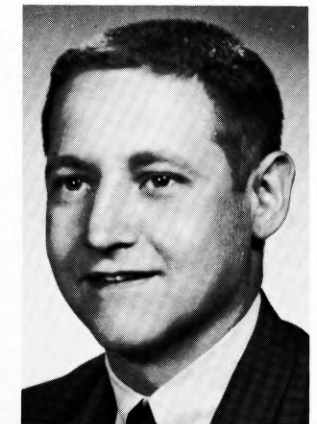
## DEFENSIVE LINE COACH

Starting his second year on the Highlanders' coaching staff is Jim Gilstrap, former center at Western Michigan University and assistant coach at Case Tech for two years. He directs Edinboro's defensive linemen.

Gilstrap is a 1964 graduate of Western Michigan University where he was a 3-letter winner in football. He earned his M.S. at Southern Illinois University where he was a graduate assistant on the football staff. He is originally from South Bend, Indiana, where he attended Clay High School.

Jim has been assigned to recruit in the Western Pennsylvania area and has been tagged by his coaching counterparts as one of the Clan's top talent scouts. He has landed several high school grid stars and has also signed some outstanding junior college grid prospects.

He and his wife, Linda, along with their new daughter, Bethany, live in Edinboro.



## OFFENSIVE BACKS COACH



One of the new faces on the Scots' coaching staff is Jack Hyland, former head football coach at Meadville High School. He joined the Clan during spring practice and guides the offensive backs.

A North Braddock native, Jack is a 1954 graduate of Slippery Rock State College where he was a top notch quarterback. He piloted the Rocket offense during four varsity campaigns and won 4 consecutive varsity letters. He also participated in basketball, track, and baseball at Slippery Rock.

Following graduation, Jack held the head football post at Ferndale High in Johnstown where he groomed Yellow Jacket teams for 10 years. In 1964 he became the head mentor of

Rochester High's Rams and remained there until he was selected to initiate a grid program at Meadville in 1968.

Jack and his wife, Nancy, along with their five children, are currently residing in the Meadville area.

## OFFENSIVE LINE COACH

Tony Zvonar, a 1963 grad of Shippensburg State, will round out the Fighting Scot staff as an offensive line coach.

Zvonar served in the Hopewell High School football ranks for five years and last year was a member of the new grid staff at Aliquippa High. Tony also was an assistant track coach at his alma mater, Hopewell High.

While capturing three varsity letters as an offensive tackle at Shippensburg, Zvonar received numerous grid awards. He was named as one of the Red Raiders' co-captains, selected to the all-conference team, the NAIA District 30 squad, and earned a berth on the all-state selections.

Tony brings valuable experience and coaching knowledge to his duties as the offensive line mentor and will be striving to strengthen the Clan's weakest spot.

## FRESHMAN COACH

Another newcomer in the Scot coaching camp is Joe Shesman, a highly successful football and baseball mentor at Fort LeBoeuf in Waterford, Pa.

Shesman has been on the staff at LeBoeuf the last 14 years serving as an assistant for 11 seasons and then as head coach since 1966. He guided the Bisons to three consecutive winning campaigns while finishing second in the league twice and third once.

Joe is a 1955 Edinboro State grad and returns to his alma mater as the freshman football coach. The returnee earned four varsity letters in both football and track at Edinboro during his undergraduate days and was a member of the foursome that established a longstanding record for the Clan in the mile relay. He also starred at both an offensive and defensive end slot for the Scots during his four years as an Edinboro gridder.

As LeBoeuf's diamond coach, Shesman has led the Bisons to winning slates for nine consecutive seasons, never finishing lower than third in the Erie County league and capturing four league championships.

The new Scot coach and his wife have three children, Matt, Kim and Karen.

## ATHLETIC DIRECTOR



Mr. Allan W. Hall was appointed a year ago as Edinboro's first full-time Director of Athletics.

Hall, a graduate of Baldwin-Wallace College, served as Assistant Director of Athletics at Akron University for two years prior to coming to Edinboro.

While at Akron, Hall was quite active in the University's athletic program. He piloted Akron's cross country teams for 12 years and guided his harriers to three Ohio Conferences and three All-Ohio championships. His 1963 squad held the distinction of being runnerup to national champion Emporia State in the NCAA meet. Along with his cross country duties he also served as assistant track coach at A. U. for 12 years.

Hall's keen interest in all phases of sports is reflected by his past accomplishments in the field of athletics. In 1962 he was selected Meet Director of the National AAU Swimming Championships. He was highly instrumental in making Akron University the site of the Midwest Regional NCAA Basketball Tournaments in 1964, 1965, and 1966. Hall is also credited with the inception of the Junior Olympics program in the City of Akron. He served as the University's Sports Information Director during 1958 and 1959.

He and his wife, Pam, reside in Edinboro.

## HEAD OF THE HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

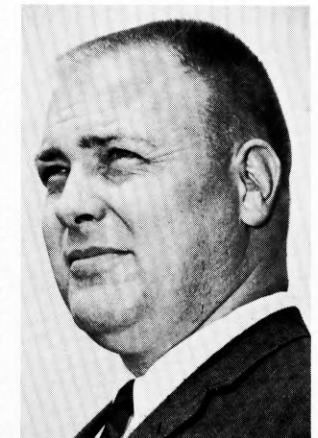
Fred Caro is commencing his third year as head of the Health and Physical Education Department.

Prior to serving as an Edinboro State College faculty member, he gained his initial teaching and coaching experience at Tyrone Area High School in Tyrone, Pa. For three years Caro functioned as assistant coach of the football, wrestling, and track teams at Tyrone High. In addition, he was an assistant football coach at Williston Academy, Easthampton, Massachusetts for one year while completing academic requirements for his degree. During this time he also served as assistant Wrestling coach at Springfield College.

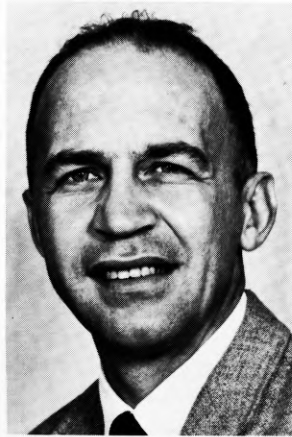
His coaching and teaching experience also includes tenure at Derry Area High School, Derry, Pa.

At Edinboro Caro has served as assistant Highlander football coach and head wrestling coach for five years.

Caro received his B.S. degree in Physical Education from Lock Haven State College in 1958 and his M.S. degree from Springfield College, Springfield, Mass.



## TEAM TRAINER



Bob Klingler is commencing his third year on the Scots' staff as team trainer. His valuable background of medical knowledge is also utilized in the instruction of anatomy and physiology at the College.

Klingler graduated from Lock Haven State College in 1952 with a B.S. degree and then ventured to Hermann School of Physical Therapy in Houston, Texas, where he became a registered physical therapist in 1954.

He received his M.S. from Bucknell University in Lewisburg, Pa., where he also acted as the Bisons' assistant athletic trainer.

He taught at Milton Hershey, a private boys' school in Hershey, Pa., prior to accepting his post at Edinboro. While at Milton Hershey School,

Klingler served as the Spartans' head football mentor, head track coach, and assistant basketball coach. Both his cinder and cage teams never experienced a losing season under his leadership, while his grid teams posted continuous successful campaigns in the powerful Capitol Area Conference.

During the off season the Scots' medical man has been enrolled in graduate work at Springfield College in Massachusetts and serves as a physical therapist at St. Vincent Hospital in Erie where he administers treatment to rehabilitation patients.

Mr. Klingler, his wife, Jill, and daughter, Julie, make their home in Edinboro.

## SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR

Paul Newman began his duties two years ago as Edinboro's first Sports Information Director.

Mr. Newman is a 1964 graduate of Edinboro where he earned both his B.S. degree and M.Ed. while majoring in English.

Prior to his appointment at the College, he held a teaching position with the Buckeye Local Schools in Ashtabula, Ohio for three years. He served as a cross country coach and assistant track coach at Edgewood Senior High School in Ashtabula, Ohio.

In connection with his duties, he is also the District 18 Publicity Chairman for the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics and is currently serving as Area 8 District Chairman for the NAIA.

He serves as the adviser for the *Tartan*, Edinboro's college yearbook.

Mr. Newman, his wife, Connie, and their children, Paul, Jr. and Michele, make their home in Edinboro.



## THE PAST



## 1968 AT A GLANCE

Few bright spots marked the Scots' dismal 1968 campaign which netted the Clan only two victories in nine gridiron battles. The injury plagued Scots rallied from a 13-0 deficit to trim visiting Ohio Northern 27-26 behind the passing of Barry Masterson to even their record at 1-1 early in the year. The Highlanders then found themselves on the short end of the score for five consecutive Saturday afternoons before they registered a 31-7 verdict over Geneva's Golden Tornadoes. The victory celebration was shortlived, however, as California's mighty Vulcans came to town and clinched the Western Division crown with a thundering 35-7 conquest to close the Clan's 1968 season.

A quick glance at the individual leaders in Edinboro State's final 1968 football statistics brought to light some bright spots after a dismal 2-7 season record.

The Scots came out 710 yards ahead of their 1967 passing mark as the Highlander quarterbacks clicked on 120 of 315 passes for 1,303 yards via the airways.

Tom Mackey, a 5-11, 180-pound quarterback from Pittsburgh, led the aerial display with 83 completions for 837 yards. Sub quarterback Barry Masterson, a 5-11, 180-pound sophomore from Erie, added 343 yards when he connected on 27 of 61 attempts. Mackey tossed four Edinboro State touchdowns and Masterson clicked on 3 more scoring passes. Mackey ranked seventh among the quarterbacks of the 13 state colleges.

Most impressive were the pass receiving statistics which found Chico Pollick, a 5-11, 175-pound junior wingback from Springdale in the top spot with 37 receptions for 488 yards and 5 touchdown catches. Pollick's yardage, which netted him a 13.2 average a catch, also established a new Edinboro record in pass receiving. Chico was also the leading scorer with 30 points.

Dan Bissontz, a 6-1, 216-pound senior tight end from Pittsburgh, ranked second in pass receptions with 341 yards in 35 grabs for an average catch of 9.8 yards. Bissontz was the leading rusher for the Scots as he bulled his way for 190 yards in 51 tries with an average of 3.8 yards a carry. The talented senior ran from the fullback slot for the first time in his football career and was quite impressive in the 4 games he ran from the deep back spot.

Rick Riffle, a 5-9, 175-pound senior halfback from Greensburg, ranked second in the rushing department after competing in only 2 games. The senior swiftly carried the pigskin 53 times and gained 136 yards while scoring 3 touchdowns.

Tom Rockwell, a 5-11, 200-pound sophomore kicker from Conneaut, Ohio, gained outstanding athletic distinction at his grid post. Rockwell booted the pigskin consistently for a 51.1 yard average. His longest kick was good for 60 yards.

Larry Pollick, 5-10, 172-pound sophomore from Springdale, performed very efficiently while handling the Scots' punt and kickoff returns. Pollick returned four punts for 49 yards and a 12.2 average. The sophomore standout tallied up 461 in 24 returns for a 19.4 average.

Torry Buck, a 6-0, 200-pound sophomore griddier from Cleveland, Ohio, and Tom McDonough, a 6-4, 225-pound sophomore tackle, also from Cleveland, were defensive standouts. Both recovered 3 fumbles during the course of the season.

## 1968 RESULTS

Date	ESC	Opponent	Opp.	Location	Attendance
Sept. 14	15	East Stroudsburg	49	Away	4,000
Sept. 21	27	Ohio Northern	26	Home	3,500
*Sept. 28	0	Slippery Rock	16	Away	2,500
Oct. 5	0	Indiana (Homecoming)	58	Home	7,000
*Oct. 12	13	Clarion	37	Away	7,000
*Oct. 19	21	Lock Haven	56	Home	2,500
*Oct. 26	0	Shippensburg	23	Away	2,000
Nov. 2	31	Geneva	7	Away	1,000
*Nov. 9	7	California	35	Home	1,200

\*Conference Games.

Record: 2-7 (overall)  
0-5 (conference)

## PENNSYLVANIA CONFERENCE

### Final Standings

	Eastern Division					All Games				
	W	L	T	PF	PA	W	L	T	PF	PA
1. East Stroudsburg	6	0	0	255	56	8	0	0	351	78
2. West Chester	5*	1	0	190	35	6	2	0	218	69
3. Bloomsburg	3	3	0	116	162	3	4	1	142	202
4. Kutztown	2	3	1	83	118	3	4	1	103	137
5. Millersville	2*	3	1	63	143	2	5	1	63	164
6. Mansfield	2	4	0	87	147	2	7	0	134	221
7. Cheyney	0	6**	0	64	197	0	8	0	77	279

	Western Division					All Games				
	W	L	T	PF	PA	W	L	T	PF	PA
1. California	5	0	0	161	74	6	2	0	222	122
2. Clarion	4	1	0	130	59	6	3	0	228	131
3. Shippensburg	3	2	0	77	83	5	3	0	118	127
4. Slippery Rock	2	3	0	70	100	3	6	0	129	218
5. Lock Haven	1	4	0	105	100	2	7	0	145	267
6. Edinboro	0	5	0	41	167	2	7	0	114	307

\*Includes forfeit win over Cheyney.

\*\*Includes forfeit losses to Millersville, West Chester.

## SCOTS' 1968 STATISTICS

### RUSHING

Name	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	LR
Bissontz, D.	51	195	5	190	3.8	1	27
Riffle, R.	53	158	22	136	2.6	3	18
Santillo, S.	35	109	13	96	2.7	1	20
Roth, G.	31	119	27	92	2.9	1	11
Kerpan, B.	24	69	1	68	2.8	0	10
Pollick, C.	21	63	28	35	1.7	0	14
Guerrasio, J.	19	35	3	32	1.6	1	6
Pollick, L.	3	13	0	13	4.3	0	7
Creehan, D.	10	16	0	16	1.6	0	2
Miller, D.	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1
Mikovich, J.	1	0	2	-2	0.0	0	0
Masterson, B.	26	48	121	73	0.0	1	20
Mackey, T.	50	64	202	-138	0.0	0	0
Totals	325	890	424	466	1.4	8	27

### PASSING

Name	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Pct.	Yds.	TD
Mackey, T.	232	83	16	35.7	837	4
Masterson, B.	61	27	5	44.8	343	3
Roth, G.	18	9	1	50.0	88	0
Pollick, C.	3	1	0	33.3	25	0
Totals	315	120	22	38.1	1303	7

### PUNTS

Name	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LP
Kutz, B.	77	2673	34.7	62
Pollick, L.	3	67	22.3	—
Kerpan, B.	1	29	29.0	—
Totals	81	2769	34.2	62

### SCORING

Name	TD	EP	T.P.
Pollick, C.	5	0	30
Riffle, R.	3	0	18
Rockwell, T.	0	13	16
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Roth, G.	2	0	12
Guerrasio, J.	1	0	6
Masterson, B.	1	0	6
Hamm, S.	1	0	6
Santillo, S.	1	0	6
Tabaczynski, J.	0	1	2
Bissontz, D.	1	0	6
Pollick, L.	1	0	6
Totals	16	14	11

### INTERCEPTIONS

Name	No.	Yds.	TD
Barbati, A.	3	49	0
Kerpan, B.	3	11	0
Hamm, S.	2	52	1
Creehan, D.	2	0	0
Pollick, L.	2	20	0
Bufalino, J.	2	0	0
Jaruszewicz, J.	2	0	0
Roth, G.	1	17	0
Mikovich, J.	1	0	0
Reardon, T.	1	7	0
Totals	19	156	1

### FUMBLES RECOVERED

Name	No.	Name	No.
Buck, T.	3	Laslow, K.	1
Creehan, D.	2	Jaruszewicz, J.	1
McDonough, T.	3	Reardon, T.	1
Brandell, D.	1	Romanovich, J.	1
Robinson, L.	1	Total	14

### PUNT RETURNS

Name	No.	Yds.	Avg.
Pollick, L.	44	49	12.2
Roth, G.	2	38	19.0
Pollick, C.	2	16	8.0
Bufalino, J.	5	11	2.2
Mikovich, J.	4	16	4.0
Creehan, D.	3	3	1.0
Totals	20	137	6.8

### PASS RECEIVING

Name	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Pollick, C.	37	488	13.2	5
Bissontz, D.	35	341	9.8	0
Tabaczynski, J.	11	115	10.4	0
Miller, D.	4	47	11.7	0
Pollick, L.	6	115	19.1	1
Roth, G.	4	95	23.7	1
Walker, K.	4	22	5.5	0
Riffle, R.	13	86	6.6	0
Kerpan, B.	1	9	9.0	0
Creehan, D.	2	-8	0.0	0
Santillo, S.	3	-7	0.0	0
Totals	120	1303	10.8	7

### KICKOFF RETURN

Name	No.	Yds.	Agv.
Pollick, L.	24	461	19.4
Santillo, S.	3	82	27.3
Pollick, C.	9	129	14.3
Guerrasio, J.	3	47	15.7
Creehan, D.	2	35	17.5
Bufalino, J.	4	70	17.5
Miller, D.	1	15	15.0
Roth, G.	1	10	10.0
Kerpan, B.	1	9	9.9
Riffle, R.	1	21	21.0
Totals	49	843	17.2

### KICKOFFS

Name	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LK
Rockwell, T.	24	1227	51.1	60

## SERIES RECORDS 1926 TO PRESENT

College	Initial Game	Latest Game	Total Games	Won	Lost	Tied
Alfred University	1928	1928	1	0	1	0
Allegheny	1930	1933	4	2	2	0
Alliance	1926	1949	10	6	4	0
Ashland	1953	1958	3	3	0	0
Baldwin-Wallace	1965	1966	2	0	1	1
Bridgewater	1964	1965	2	2	0	0
Brockport State	1948	1963	12	6	5	1
Buffalo University	1928	1928	1	1	0	0
California State	1927	1968	35	7	27	1
Canisius	1930	1930	1	0	1	0
Carnegie Tech	1954	1954	1	0	1	0
Case Tech	1955	1956	2	1	1	0
Cathedral Prep	1927	1927	1	0	0	1
Cheyney State	1967	1967	1	0	1	0
Clarion State	1926	1968	40	15	24	1
Curry	1965	1965	1	1	0	0
Duquesne University	1929	1929	1	0	1	0
East Stroudsburg State	1967	1968	2	0	2	0
Findlay	1947	1947	1	0	1	0
Fredrick	1961	1961	1	0	1	0
Geneva	1952	1968	5	4	1	0
Grove City	1933	1963	7	4	3	0
Hiram	1959	1959	1	0	0	1
Indiana University (Pa.)	1926	1968	36	6	28	2
John Carroll University	1955	1956	2	0	2	0
Kent State University	1926	1927	2	1	1	0
Lock Haven State	1958	1968	11	3	7	1
Lycoming	1960	1961	2	1	1	0
Mansfield State	1935	1959	19	8	10	1
Michigan Tech	1964	1964	1	0	1	0
Ohio Northern University	1968	1968	1	1	0	0
Shippensburg State	1957	1968	8	0	8	0
Slippery Rock State	1926	1968	36	5	27	4
Shepard	1957	1957	1	0	1	0
St. Francis	1953	1953	1	0	1	0
St. Vincent	1929	1959	2	0	2	0
Thiel	1933	1952	9	1	8	0
Waynesburg	1957	1957	1	0	1	0
West Liberty	1926	1947	2	0	2	0
Westminster	1930	1946	11	0	11	0

## SEASONAL RECORDS — 1926-1968

Year	Coach	Won	Lost	Tied
1926	R. B. "Sox" Harrison.....	3	3	1
1927	R. B. "Sox" Harrison.....	4	1	0
1928	R. B. "Sox" Harrison.....	5	2	0
1929	R. B. "Sox" Harrison.....	2	4	0
1930	R. B. "Sox" Harrison.....	3	4	0
1931	R. B. "Sox" Harrison.....	1	5	0
1932	R. B. "Sox" Harrison.....	3	2	0
1933	R. B. "Sox" Harrison.....	1	6	0
1934	R. B. "Sox" Harrison.....	0	6	0
1935	R. B. "Sox" Harrison.....	0	6	0
1936	R. B. "Sox" Harrison.....	1	4	0
1937	R. B. "Sox" Harrison.....	0	4	1
1938	R. B. "Sox" Harrison.....	1	4	0
1939	Orville Bailey.....	1	6	0
1940	Orville Bailey.....	0	7	0
1941	R. B. "Sox" Harrison.....	2	2	1
1942	R. B. "Sox" Harrison.....	1	2	0
1943-45	No Football Games.....	World War II		
1946	A. L. McComb.....	0	6	0
1947	A. L. McComb.....	1	6	0
1948	A. L. McComb.....	1	7	0
1949	A. L. McComb.....	1	5	2
1950	A. L. McComb.....	3	4	0
1951	A. L. McComb.....	0	5	1
1952	A. L. McComb.....	3	4	0
1953	A. L. McComb.....	3	5	1
1954	A. L. McComb.....	1	6	0
1955	A. L. McComb.....	1	8	0
1956	Robert Thurbon.....	5	4	0
1957	Robert Thurbon.....	3	4	0
1958	Robert Thurbon.....	4	4	1
1959	Robert Thurbon.....	3	4	1
1960	Loyal Park.....	3	4	1
1961	Loyal Park.....	4	3	1
1962	James Hazlett.....	3	5	0
1963	James Hazlett.....	2	6	0
1964	James Hazlett.....	2	5	1
1965	James Hazlett.....	2	6	1
1966	William Cutcher.....	1	6	1
1967	William Cutcher.....	2	7	0
1968	William Cutcher.....	2	7	0

## FORMER ESC GRID COACHES AND RECORDS

Coach	Years	Won	Lost	Tied	Best Season
R. B. "Sox" Harrison...	15	27	60	3	1928 (5-2-0)
Orville Bailey.....	2	1	13	0	1939 (1-6-0)
A. L. McComb.....	10	14	56	4	1950
					1952 (3-4-0)
Robert Thurbon.....	4	15	16	2	1956 (5-4-0)
Loyal Park.....	2	7	7	2	1961 (4-3-1)
James Hazlett.....	4	9	22	2	1962 (3-5-0)
William Cutcher.....	3	5	20	1	1967
					1968 (2-7-0)



## THE COLLEGE'S HISTORY

The beginnings of the college were laid in 1857, over one hundred years ago, when a band of Scotch-Irish farmers grouped together and founded a private normal school at Edinboro by popular subscription to train teachers. In 1861 it was chartered by the Commonwealth as Pennsylvania's second Normal School and developed and grew through service to the Commonwealth.

A great forward stride was taken in 1914, when the Commonwealth purchased Edinboro Normal School. In 1926, alerted to the need for better educated teachers for its schools, Pennsylvania made Edinboro a Teachers College offering a four-year curriculum leading to degrees of Bachelor of Science in Secondary, Elementary, and Art Education, and Library Science.

In 1960 the name of the college was changed to Edinboro State College.

Beginning in September of 1957, the college was empowered to grant degrees of Master of Education in Elementary Education. In September 1961, graduate study in secondary education was added to the graduate program.

In 1962 the liberal arts degree program was begun. Students may prepare for various vocations as an arts and science major in Humanities, Social Sciences or Natural Sciences and may receive a Bachelor of Arts degree.

The control of the College is vested in the Board of Trustees, composed of nine members appointed by the Governor of Pennsylvania. The Board of Trustees in turn elects the President of the College who is responsible for its administration. The State Superintendent of Public Instruction is an ex-officio member of the Board of Trustees.

The College is accredited by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education, the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, and the American Medical Association. In addition, its curriculums are registered by the New York State Department of Education.

Graduates of Edinboro have distinguished themselves in all professional fields: education, law, medicine, and religion as well as business and politics.

The College stresses friendly relations among students and faculty and informal student counseling and guidance. The faculty is keenly aware of professional interests and self growth. High qualitative and quantitative standards distinguish the graduates of this college. The preparation of better educated citizens has been an Edinboro tradition for over a century.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

<i>Location</i> .....	Edinboro, Pa.
<i>President</i> .....	Dr. Chester T. McNerney
<i>Enrollment</i> .....	5,500
<i>Colors</i> .....	Red and White
<i>Nickname</i> .....	Fighting Scots
<i>Stadium</i> .....	Sox Harrison Stadium
<i>Conferences</i> .....	Pennsylvania, NAIA
<i>Athletic Director</i> .....	Al Hall
<i>Head Football Coach</i> .....	Bill McDonald
<i>Assistant Football Coaches</i> .....	Sam Ruvolo, Jim Gilstrap, Jack Hyland, Joe Shesman, Tony Zvonar
<i>Sports Information Director</i> .....	Paul Newman
<i>Equipment Managers</i> ....	Denny Harkness, George Dougherty

## PRESIDENT



Dr. Chester T. McNerney became president of Edinboro State College in September, 1966. His formal inauguration, honoring him as Edinboro's thirteenth president, followed on April 22, 1967.

Dr. McNerney came to Edinboro from the University of Akron, where he was the Dean of the College of Education and was highly instrumental in the development of numerous educational innovations. He was cited as the motivating force behind the University of Akron Classrooms Around the World, and recognized for his scholarly studies of comparative education abroad.

Dr. McNerney's primary areas of interest deal with the improvement of the curriculum, the program for educational supervision and administration, and the improvement of inter-personal relationships among the various members of working groups. His concern in this area has led to his writing of several books, lecturing and conducting various workshops.

Under Dr. McNerney's guidance, the College has witnessed the growth of administrative operations, broader forms of student government, and the development of the future growth of Edinboro State College.

He is a man dedicated to the academic life, a tireless advocate of personal involvement in the religious and civic affairs of one's community, and an educator who visibly believes in and practices total individual professional commitment.

## EDINBORO STATE COLLEGE'S ATHLETIC PROGRAM

Intercollegiate athletics play an important role in the total educational program of Edinboro State College. The program is so conducted as to assure wholesome use of leisure time, a healthy focal point for the experience and the expression of group spirit, and a laboratory experience for prospective coaches.

Edinboro's athletic program includes intercollegiate competition in football, basketball, wrestling, golf, track, tennis, baseball, soccer and cross country. The finest of facilities are readily being made available to accommodate these sports.

Sox Harrison Stadium, one of the most recent additions to the athletic complex which entails the northeast corner of the campus, has a seating capacity of 4,500 and provides complete track facilities along with the football playing area. A baseball diamond of major league specifications has also been completed just west of the stadium.

Scheduled for completion next year is the Scots' new fieldhouse. The structure will include an inter-collegiate basketball court, three intramural basketball courts, an AAU-sized swimming pool, wrestling and handball rooms, a steam room, a corrective gym, medical suite, and rifle range. Seating capacity of the sports arena will be approximately 4,500 with provisions for later expansion to 7,000 provided.

The continuing growth of Edinboro's athletic program is rapidly establishing the College as a respected collegiate competitor.



## SOX HARRISON STADIUM



On October 2, 1965 Edinboro State College dedicated the Fighting Scots' football stadium in honor of R. B. "Sox" Harrison who served as head football and basketball coach at the College for 15 years. His 1931-32 cage record of 11 wins and 1 loss still stands as one of the best marks ever posted by an Edinboro basketball team.

Sox Harrison Stadium is located in the athletic complex in the northeast part of the Edinboro campus off route 6N and Perry Lane.

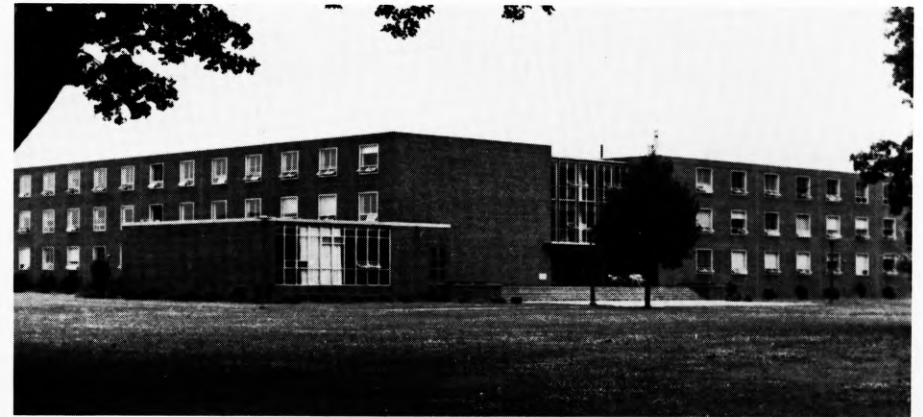
Complete facilities are located beneath the grandstand area, which seats 3,000 people. Locker space for both the home and visiting teams, the coaching staff offices and locker room, the officials' dressing room, the training room, showers, the weight room and a laundry room are utilized within this space. Also included are restrooms, janitors' facilities, equipment rooms and a large concession stand.

A glass enclosed press box is provided for local and out-of-town reporters. The press area is equipped with microphone control system, a telephone and radio broadcasting areas. Above the press box is a location for film coverage of the game.

In addition to the football field, the stadium also contains complete track facilities. A quarter-mile oval, a 220 straight-away and asphalt approaches for the field events highlight the home of the cinder sport.

Bleacher seats on the visitor side of the stadium bring the total seating capacity to 5,000.

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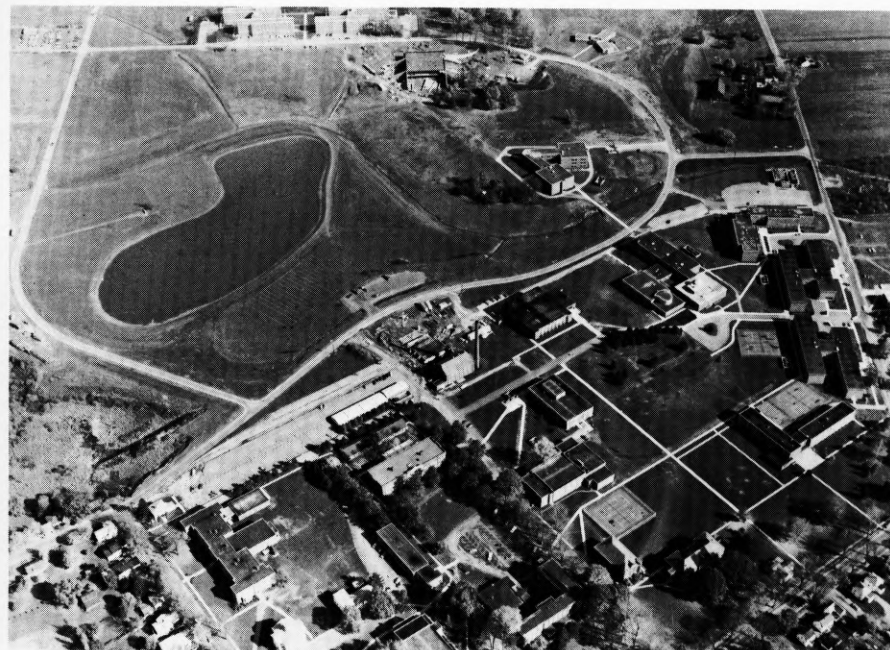
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Vaughn E. Herbel . . . . .	Business Manager . . . . .	241
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## ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

Fred Caro . . . . .	Director of Health and Physical Education, Wrestling Coach . . . . .	282
Guy Conti . . . . .	Baseball Coach . . . . .	282
James Gilstrap . . . . .	Assistant Football Coach, Assistant Wrestling Coach . . . . .	207
Al Hall . . . . .	Athletic Director . . . . .	249
Jack Hyland . . . . .	Assistant Football Coach . . . . .	207
Robert Klingler . . . . .	Trainer . . . . .	276
Hank Mariotti . . . . .	Tennis Coach . . . . .	282
Bill McDonald . . . . .	Head Football Coach . . . . .	207
James McDonald . . . . .	Head Basketball Coach . . . . .	366
Dr. Gus Miller . . . . .	Judo Coach . . . . .	201
Dr. Thomas Miller, II . . . . .	Team Physician . . . . .	344
Paul Newman . . . . .	Sports Information Director . . . . .	245
Dave Rooney . . . . .	Assistant Basketball Coach . . . . .	366
Sam Ruvolo . . . . .	Assistant Football Coach . . . . .	207
Joe Shesman . . . . .	Freshman Football Coach . . . . .	207
George Shimpino . . . . .	Soccer Coach . . . . .	282
George Viercorn . . . . .	Intramurals Director . . . . .	366
Doug Watts . . . . .	Track Coach, Cross Country Coach . . . . .	282
Tony Zvonar . . . . .	Assistant Football Coach . . . . .	207
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Miss Ada Gustaveson . . . . .	Women's Tennis Coach, Women's Intramurals Director . . . . .	202
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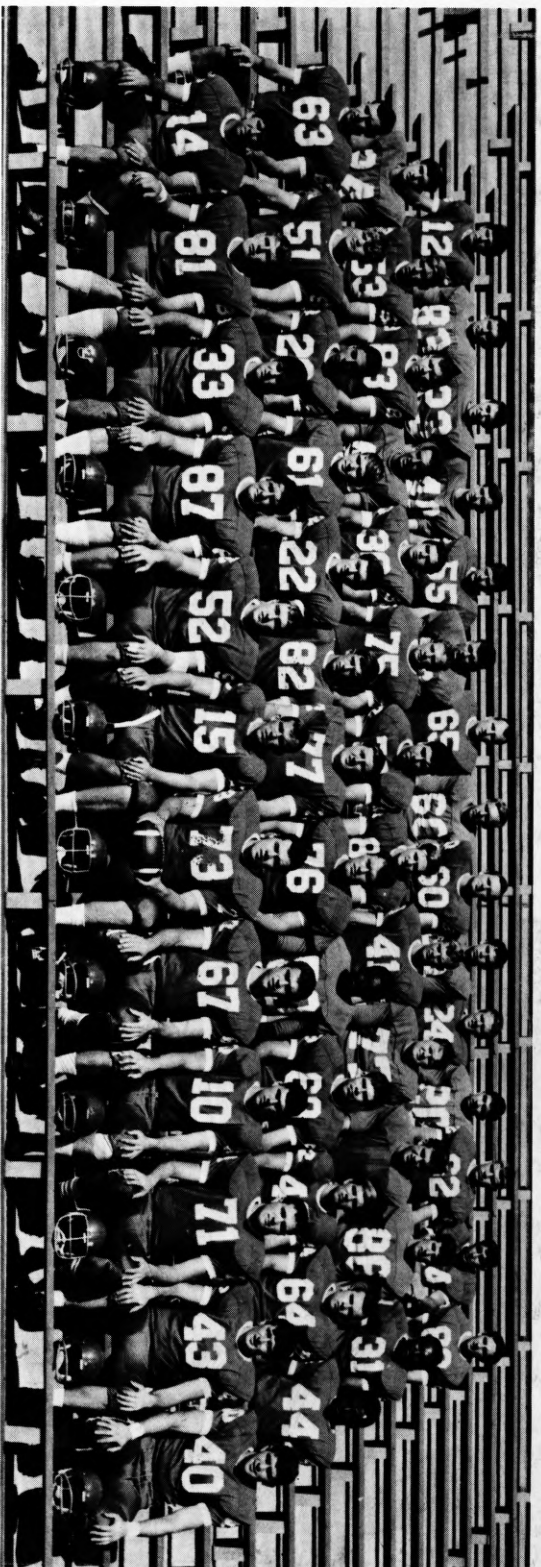
We at Edinboro State College invite you to join us for the 1969 Fighting Scots' grid season. We sincerely appreciate your publicity of Edinboro's athletics in the past and have compiled this brochure to assist you in your coverage of the Scots' 1969 football season.

Press releases, photographs, and statistics will be made available for your use throughout the season. For additional information please contact:

Paul Newman, *Sports Information Director*  
Edinboro State College  
Edinboro, Pennsylvania 16412  
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Ext. 245

## 1969 FRESHMAN SCHEDULE

September 30 (Tuesday)	Slippery Rock State College	Home
October 8 (Wednesday)	Indiana University of Pa.	Home
October 13 (Monday)	Youngstown State University	Away
October 21 (Tuesday)	Slippery Rock State College	Away
October 27 (Monday)	Baldwin-Wallace College	Home
November 3 (Monday)	Clarion State College	Home



## 1969 FIGHTING SCOTS' FOOTBALL TEAM

FRONT ROW (L-R)

J. Bufalino  
 J. Romanovich  
 J. Guerrasio  
 D. DiTullio  
 E. Quinn  
 T. Mackey  
 J. Ballard  
 S. Hamm  
 B. Masterson  
 B. Hoover  
 H. Atwood  
 D. Creehan

SECOND ROW (L-R)

S. Pollicchio  
 D. Tamasy  
 B. Grant  
 M. Hall  
 B. Kutz  
 G. Roth  
 E. Thompson  
 T. McDonough  
 E. Hollins  
 L. Robinson  
 L. Pollick  
 K. Laslow  
 A. Raines

THIRD ROW (L-R)

J. McCurry  
 D. Mezie  
 T. Rockwell  
 D. Iarocci  
 J. Mitsu  
 B. King  
 T. Buck  
 J. Tabaczynski  
 P. Johnston  
 S. Mennen  
 F. Konet  
 T. Herman  
 G. Lomax

FOURTH ROW (L-R)

J. Kodba  
 T. Zumpetta  
 J. Sass  
 J. Compel  
 P. Nee  
 K. Zbinovec  
 R. Jarnul  
 B. Hambor  
 G. Sisko  
 P. Burkell  
 B. Mengerik  
 D. Hromyak  
 G. Kissman  
 D. Tommelleo  
 D. Roccia