

CLEMSON

TIGERS



SCHEDULE

SEPT. 21 - PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE AT CLEMSON
SEPT. 27 - GEORGIA AT ATHENS (NIGHT)
OCT. 5 - N.C. STATE AT CLEMSON
OCT. 12 - WAKE FOREST AT WAKE FOREST
OCT. 24 - SOUTH CAROLINA AT COLUMBIA
NOV. 2 - VIRGINIA TECH AT BLACKSBURG
NOV. 9 - TULANE AT NEW ORLEANS
NOV. 16 - FURMAN AT CLEMSON (Homecoming)
NOV. 23 - AUBURN AT MONTGOMERY

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FOOTBALL GLANCE



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Sept. 21. Presbyterian College at Clemson
 Sept. 27. University of Georgia at Athens (N)
 Oct. 5. N. C. State at Clemson
 Oct. 12. Wake Forest at Wake Forest
 Oct. 24. South Carolina at Columbia
 Nov. 2. Virginia Tech at Blacksburg
 Nov. 9. Tulane at New Orleans
 Nov. 16. Furman University at Clemson
 Nov. 23. Auburn at Montgomery

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Frank Howard Alabama 1931
 Backfield Coach Covington McMillan Clemson 30
 End Coach Bob Jones Clemson 1930
 Line Coach Walter Cox Clemson 1939
 Backfield Asst. Banks McFadden Clemson 1940
 Assistant Coach A. W. Norman Ronoke 1915
 Assistant Coach Randy Hinson Clemson 1936

(Coach Frank Howard came to Clemson for the 1931 season as assistant to Coach Jess Neely)

1945 RESULTS

CLEMSON	76	PRESBYTERIAN	0
CLEMSON	0	GEORGIA	20
CLEMSON	13	N.C. STATE	0
CLEMSON	6	WAKE FOREST	13
CLEMSON	0	S. CAROLINA	0
CLEMSON	35	VA. TECH	0
CLEMSON	47	TULANE	20
CLEMSON	7	PENSACOLA N.	6
CLEMSON	6	MIAMI (Fla)	7
CLEMSON	21	GA. TECH	7

211	53
WON 6	LOST 3 TIED 1

Coch Frank Howard's 6 Year Clemson Record

WON	LOST	TIED
28	24	3
Clemson points	Opp. points	
995	719	

ALL-TIME CLEMSON RECORD AGAINST TEAMS ON 1946 SCHEDULE

Against,	Played	Won	Lost	Tied	Points	OP
Presbyterian	27	20	3	4	580	99
Georgia	26	8	16	2	274	404
N. C. State	22	16	5	1	288	116
Wake Forest	12	7	5	0	184	106
S. Carolina	43	28	13	2	729	331
Virginia Tech	10	4	5	1	118	116
Tulane	6	2	4	0	86	93
Furman	31	17	10	4	471	235
Auburn	27	6	20	1	102	470
	204	108	72	15	2,832	1,970

STARS OF FORMER YEARS WHO WILL BE WITH THE TIGERS IN 1946

Center Ralph Jenkins--1944 and 1945 All-Southern Conference
 1945 Third Team All-America (Associated Press)
 Tackle Bob Turner-----1945 All-Southern Conference
 Halfback Billy Poe-----Clemson's leading ground gainer, '44 and '45 Seasons.
 Tackle Bill Smith-----Outstanding Pre-War letterman
 End Chip Clark-----Pre-War letterman who also lettered in 1945
 Guard Jim Sultis-----Letterman in 1945
 End Eddis Freeman-----War-time Clemson end and letterman for '43-'44-'45.

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IN ORDER THAT WE MAY HAVE THE CLEMSON PRESS BOX PERFECTLY ARRANGED FOR HOME GAMES, WE WILL APPRECIATE YOUR ADVISING THIS OFFICE AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE WHENEVER YOU PLAN TO COVER A GAME HERE. AN EARLY REQUEST FOR WORKING SPACE AND TICKETS IN THE STANDS FORESTALLS THE POSSIBILITY OF LAST-MINUTE INCONVENIENCES. ROOMING ACCOMMODATIONS AT CLEMSON ARE BUSTING OUT AT THE SEAMS. IF YOU PLAN TO SPEND A NIGHT HERE, ADVISE US THE MOMENT YOU KNOW IT AND WE WILL DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO SEE THAT YOU ARE TAKEN CARE OF. (BUT THIS IS NO IRONCLAD GUARANTEE.)

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GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT CLEMSON



CLEMSON COLLEGE, The A&M College of South Carolina, is located at Clemson, S. C., in the northwestern corner of the state, 16 miles from Anderson, S. C., and 32 miles from Greenville, S. C., midway between Charlotte, N. C., and Atlanta, Georgia.

Clemson College was founded in 1889 and is named in honor of Thomas Green Clemson, the man whose bequest (approximately \$60,000) made Clemson College possible. Mr. Clemson was the first U.S. Commissioner of Agriculture, and was U. S. Minister to Belgium. Mr. Clemson was also the son-in-law of John C. Calhoun, a great figure in Southern statesmanship and Vice President of the United States in the years 1825-1832. Restored and preserved in the center of the Clemson

campus is the Fort Hill plantation home of John C. Calhoun, later Mr. Clemson's home.

ENROLLMENT The college opened in 1893 with an enrollment of 446. Clemson is a non-coed, All-ROTC land grant college. The college reached its peak enrollment in 1943 when 2,350 students were in college here. Wartime enrollment, including both regular ROTC students (pre-draft age) and Army trainees fluctuated between 500 and 2,000 students. The 1946 fall enrollment is expected to be 2,500 and some 1700 of these will be former service men.

CLEMSON AND WORLD WAR II

Clemson has been a military (ROTC) institution since its beginning and until 1944 its students had always worn the regulation college uniform. During the years 1944 and 1945 all students at Clemson--- ROTC and Army trainees---were the prescribed army uniform. More than 6,000 former Clemson students served in the armed forces during World War II and approximately 90 per cent of them were officers. A total of 365 former Clemson students are known to have lost their lives in the conflict.

DEGREES OFFERED

Clemson offers Bachelor of Science degrees in AGRICULTURE: agricultural economics and rural sociology, agricultural engineering, agronomy, animal husbandry, dairying, entomology, and horticulture. ENGINEERING: architecture, chemical engineering, civil engineering, mechanical engineering, and electrical engineering. TEXTILES: textile chemistry and dyeing, textile engineering, and weaving and designing. VOCATIONAL EDUCATION: agricultural education, education, industrial education, and textile education. ARTS AND SCIENCE: arts and science, pre-medicine, and physics. CHEMISTRY: chemistry, and the chemical courses named in connection with other departments.

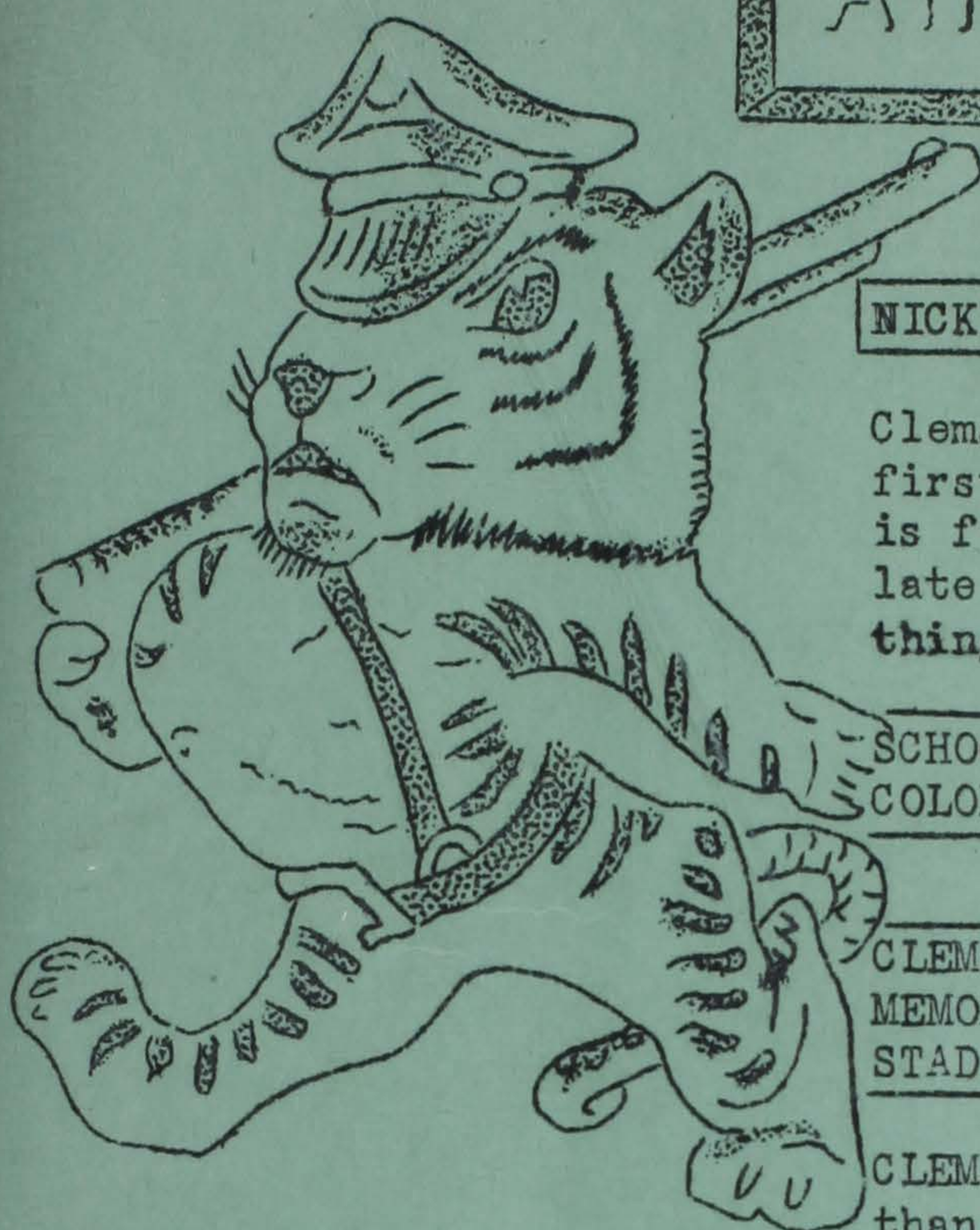
PRESIDENT ROBERT FRANKLIN POOLE

Dr. Robert Franklin Poole became president of Clemson in 1940, succeeding the late Dr. Enoch Walter Sikes. Born in Laurens County, S. C., December 2, 1893, Dr. Poole graduated from Clemson in 1918, a PH.D degree from Rutgers in 1921. He spent 17 months in France and Germany with the Aerial Photography Service during World War I. He was assistant plant pathologist at the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station from 1920 through 1926. Dr. Poole went to North Carolina State College in 1926 and remained there until he accepted the Clemson presidency in 1940.

ATHLETIC INFORMATION

ABOUT

THE TIGERS



NICKNAME

Clemson started playing football in 1896, but the first printed reference to the "Clemson Tigers" is found in the 1902 yearbook: "Heismann's (the late John W. Heismann) Tigers roared over everything in their path."

SCHOOL COLORS

Clemson's colors are PURPLE and BURNT ORANGE, usually arranged with the orange on a purple background.

CLEMSON MEMORIAL STADIUM

The Clemson Memorial Stadium was completed in 1942. It is a two-sided concrete and steel structure with a seating capacity of 20,500. The Stadium's name:

CLEMSON MEMORIAL STADIUM is in honor of the more than 6,000 Clemson men in the armed services during World War II. The press box, designed, built, and operated exclusively for the working press, radio, and photographers, is considered one of the finest appointed boxes in the country. Among its features: individual paper compartments, telephone service to both benches, photographers' dark-room, four radio booths, special covered section for motion picture photographers, a press cold drink stand. The working press is on the first floor, the radio on the second floor. There is a toilet on each floor.

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CLEMSON FOOTBALL HISTORY

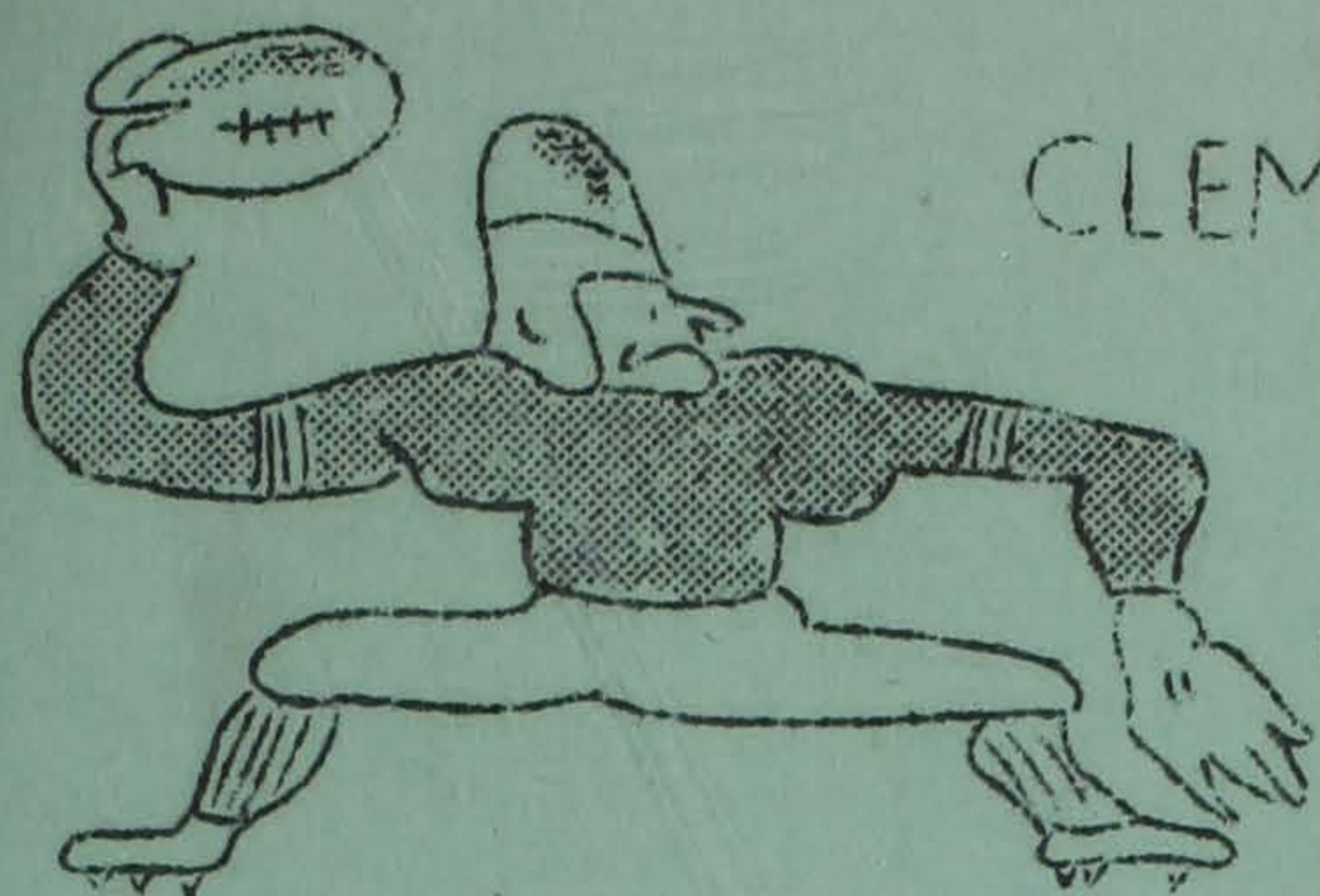
Clemson started playing football in 1896 with a three-game schedule. The only undefeated, untied team in Clemson history was coached by the late John W. Heismann in 1900. The team scored 236 points against 10 points for six opponents. The 1900 team record:

Clemson 49	Alabama	0	Clemson 12	Va. Tech	5
Clemson 39	Georgia	5	***Clemson 21	Wofford	0
Clemson 51	S. Carolina	0	Clemson 64	Davidson	0

***Football legend at Clemson offers an interesting sidelight on the Clemson-Wofford game of 1900. The Clemson News Bureau does not vouch for the correctness of the legend, it merely reports "as we heard it": A very strong team, the Tigers had been running roughshod over all opposition. Wofford was not very strong and there was a move to have the game cancelled. Rather than cancel the game, Coach Heismann agreed that Clemson would score only 20 points. When the score reached 21 to 0 in Clemson's favor after a very few minutes had been played (the story goes), the Tigers turned the ball over to Wofford for the remainder of the game. (We have seen the score of this game recorded: Clemson 21 plus, Wofford 0.)

The only Clemson bowl team was the Jess Neely-coached Tigers of 1939. This team won eight games (Presbyterian, N.C. State, S. Carolina, Wake Forest, George Washington, Southwestern, Furman, and Navy) and lost one (Tulane, 6-7). On January 1, 1940 the Tigers defeated Boston College (6-3) in the Cotton Bowl game at Dallas, Texas.

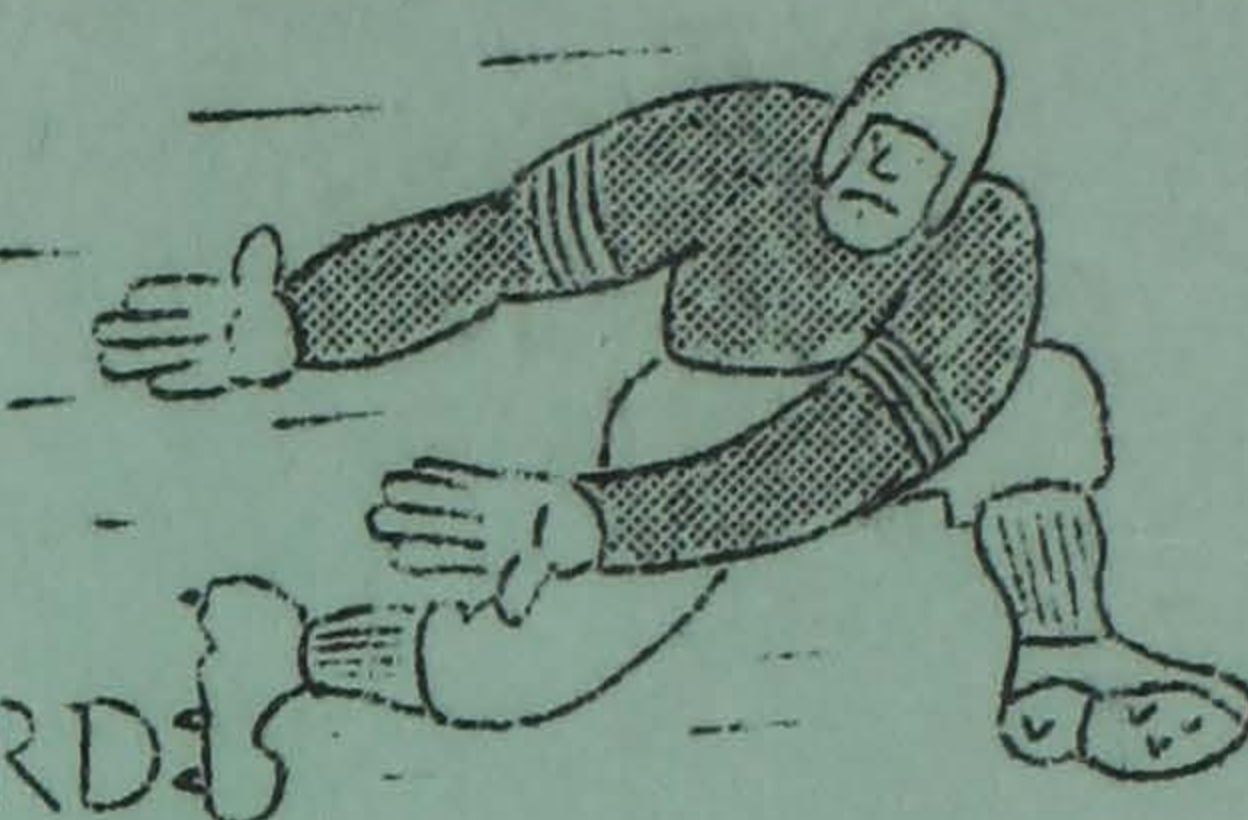
The Tigers won their first, and only, clear title to the SOUTHERN CONFERENCE championship with Coach Frank Howard's first Clemson team in 1940. In 1939 Clemson was undefeated in Conference play and so was Duke University, thus the two teams shared the title that year.



CLEMSON FOOTBALL

UNDER

COACH FRANK HOWARD



CLEMSON FOOTBALL UNDER COACH FRANK HOWARD (1940-----)

Clemson football of the Frank Howard era may be divided into three parts: (1) Prowar, (2) Wartime, and (3) Postwar.

At the time Coach Frank Howard succeeded Coach Jess Neely at the end of the 1939 season, modern Clemson football had advanced to what many Clemson people consider its peak. In 1939 Clemson won eight of nine games and defeated Boston College (6-3) in the 1940 Cotton Bowl game.

Two seasons passed before service manpower calls disrupted the Tigers. And during those two years the Tigers were a pretty respected bunch of football players on any man's field. Their records are well above average.

Clemson is an all-ROTC college and most of her students were quickly called into the service. In the War Department's educational program, Clemson is an "Army" college and its service students were not permitted to participate in collegiate athletics. So the Tigers played three years of pretty tough football with squads made up of pre-draft age youngsters. And the Tigers took it on the chin---hard.

Actual postwar football does not start until this fall, but when the number of ex-service men who played 1945 college football is considered, last season might be termed the prologue to postwar football. Clemson, as other schools, had some of those veterans, and with their experience came better football. The Tigers began to get back in the winning groove.

Clemson started out under Coach Frank Howard in an offensive frame of mind. His first team (1940) ran its first play from scrimmage for a 35 yard touchdown. Howard pays considerable attention to the details of sound defensive play, but in the main you will find his boys shooting for touchdowns.

Here is a year-by-year record of Clemson-Howard football:

		Won	Lost	Tied	Points	Opp.Pts.
Prowar (1940-41)		13	4	1	415	164
Wartime (1942-43-44)		9	17	1	369	502
Postwar (1945)		6	3	1	211	53
		28	24	3	995	719
1940		1942		1944		
C. 38 Presbyterian	0	C. 32 Presbyterian	13	C. 34 Presbyterian	0	
C. 26 Wofford	0	C. 0 V.M.I.	0	C. 0 Georgia Tech	51	
C. 26 N.C.State	7	C. 6 N.C.State	7	C. 13 N.C.State	7	
C. 39 Wake Forest	0	C. 7 Boston Col.	14	C. 20 S.Carolina	13	
C. 21 S.Carolina	13	C. 18 S.Carolina	6	C. 7 Tennessee	26	
C. 0 Tulane	13	C. 6 Wake Forest	19	C. 7 Wake Forest	13	
C. 12 Southwestern	12	C. 0 G.Washington	7	C. 57 V.M.I.	12	
C. 13 Furman	7	C. 6 J'sonv'leNavy	24	C. 20 Tulane	36	
C. 7 Auburn	21	C. 12 Furman	7	C. 7 Georgia	21	
		C. 13 Auburn	41			
1941		1943		1945		
C. 41 Presbyterian	12	C. 12 Presbyterian	13	C. 76 Presbyterian	0	
C. 36 V.M.I.	7	C. 7 V.M.I.	12	C. 0 Georgia	20	
C. 17 N.C.State	7	C. 19 N.C.State	7	C. 13 N.C.State	0	
C. 26 Boston Col.	13	C. 6 S.Carolina	33	C. 0 S.Carolina	0	
C. 14 S.Carolina	18	C. 12 Wake Forest	41	C. 35 Va. Tech	0	
C. 29 Wake Forest	0	C. 26 Davidson	6	C. 7 Pensacola Navy	6	
C. 19 G.Washington	0	C. 6 GaProFlight	32	C. 6 Miami (Fla)	7	
C. 34 Furman	6	C. 6 Georgia Tech	41	C. 47 Tulane	20	
C. 7 Auburn	28			C. 21 Georgia Tech	7	
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CLEMSON ASSISTANT COACHES

BOB JONES
End Coach

A standout Clemson football and basketball star of the years 1928-30 and generally considered one of the finest ends in Clemson history, Bob Jones joined the coaching staff here upon graduation in 1930. He coached Clemson's freshman footballers and varsity boxers until 1940 and then moved up to the varsity end coach job. Entering the Army in 1941, Jones spent 12 months in the thick of European fighting, won the Silver Star, Bronze Star, Purple Heart, and Combat Infantryman Badge. He held the rank of Lieutenant Colonel when discharged in 1946. Beginning with the 1946-47 season, Jones will be head mentor of Clemson's basketballers.

COVINGTON (Goat) McMILLAN
Backfield Coach

Another Clemson gridiron star of the 1928-30 era, "Goat" McMillan spent four coaching years at Friffin (Ga) High School and three years at Furman University before joining the Clemson staff in 1937. Entering the Army in 1942, McMillan spent 6 months in the South Pacific, with occupational duty in Korea and Japan. He held the rank of Captain when discharged in 1946.

WALTER COX
Line Coach

A regular guard on Clemson's 1939 Cotton Bowl team, Walter Cox stepped out of a first string position with the Tigers into a job on the coaching staff. Called into the Army in 1942, Cox spent 12 months in the Figi Islands, New Caledonia, and Guadalcanal, and held the rank of First Lieutenant when medically discharged in 1943. Next winter he will coach the Clemson boxers.

BANKS MCFADDEN
Backfield Asst.

The only full-fledged All-America football and basketball player in Clemson history, Banks McFadden registered touchdown, field goals, and track points for the Tigers during the 1937-38-39-40 athletic seasons. His play in winter and fall of 1939 (same college year) placed him on the Associated Press All-America football team and on Chuck Taylor's All-America basketball team. During the spring of 1940 (as a hurdler, broad jumper and relay runner) he averaged 21 points in dual track meets. McFadden spent the fall of 1940 playing professional football for the Brooklyn Dodgers, and stayed in character by leading the league in ground gaining. He entered the Army in 1942, spent 33 months overseas, and was a Major at the time of his discharge. In the winter and spring he assists with Clemson's basketballers and trackmen.

RANDY HINSON
Assistant Coach

A Clemson backfield and baseball star of 1933-34-35-36, Hinson joined the coaching staff after graduation. He entered the Army in 1940, spent 36 months in Italy, and was a Major when discharged in 1945. This fall he will direct Clemson's "B" football squad. He is head coach of baseball, and last spring his diamond aces won the South Carolina collegiate championship and topped the Southern Conference percentages when the season ended.

A. W. (Rock) NORMAN
Assistant Coach

Considered one of the greatest and most versatile athletes in the history of Roanoke College, Rock Norman came to Clemson in 1940 as freshman football and varsity basketball and track coach. He has recently been placed in charge of training the Tiger athletes and handling all athletic equipment. He will assist with Clemson's football "B" squad this fall and direct the Tiger cindermen next spring.

1946--CLEMSON FOOTBALL ROSTER--1946

<u>NAME</u>	<u>HOMETOWN</u>	<u>POS</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>HT</u>	<u>WT</u>	<u>College FB Letters&Years</u>
Henry(Hank)Walker (V)	Griffin, Ga.	RE	21	6- 0	185	3(43-44-45)
Eddis(Fireball)Freeman	Greenville	RE	22	5-11	168	3(43-44-45)
Clyde(Horse)Holsclaw (V)	Erwin, Tenn.	RE	21	6- 1	185	
Melvin Smith (V)	Great Falls	RE	23	6- 1	205	
Walt Spearman (V)	Charlotte, N.C.	RE	22	6- 5	203	
Robert (Jake) Jacobs (V)	Cheraw	RE	21	6- 5	196	
Lewis (Lude) Deanhardt (V)	Belton	RE	24	6- 3	215	
Paul Gresham	Newport News, Va.	RE	18	6- 2	185	
Neal Westmoreland	Winston Salem, N.C.	RE	18	6- 0	170	
Walter (Chip) Clark (V)	Lexington, N.C.	LE	23	6- 3	175	2(42-45)
Clint Dyer	Charleston	LE	18	5-11	165	1(45)
Gene Carson (V)	Spartanburg	LE	19	6- 1	171	
Avery Garrison (V)	Hartwell, Ga.	LE	20	6- 1	165	
Billy DeLoach	Columbia	LE	17	5-11	170	
Frank Green (V)	Griffin, Ga.	LE	19	5-10	180	
Theron Cook	Sumter	LE	19	6- 2	160	
Wes Holcombe (V)	Greenville	LE	22	6- 1	165	
Richard Sublette	Westminster	LE	17	6- 0	157	
Bob Sistrunk (V)	Decatur, Ga.	LE	22	6- 1	185	
Bob Turner (V)	Mission, Tex.	RT	25	6- 0	225	1(45)
Wayne O'Dell (V)	Easley	RT	23	6- 3	215	1(41)
Harley (Tiny) Phillips (V)	Jessup, Ga.	RT	19	6- 5	205	2(43-44)
Bob Bonds (V)	Georgetown	RT	23	6- 0	205	
Louis (Biggie) Batson	Greenville	RT	18	6- 0	202	
Jack Banks	Augusta, Ga.	RT	18	6- 3	206	
Bob Davis	Spencer, N. C.	RT	22	6- 3	235	
Jack Pruitt (V)	Anderson	RT	21	6- 2	240	
Colin (Quinn) Jeffords (V)	Florence	RT	21	6- 3	215	
Leroy Stewart	Six Mile	RT	18	5-10	220	
Bill Smith (V)	Greenville	LT	23	6- 4	208	2(42-43)
Francis (Bo) Saunders	Aulander, N. C.	LT	25	6- 1	215	1(45)
Jack Ross (V)	W. Palm Beach, Fla.	LT	24	6- 0	215	1(42)
Phil Prince (V)	Erwin, Tenn.	LT	20	6- 0	198	1(44)
Milton Wiggs	Fayetteville, N.C.	LT	20	6- 1	200	1(45)
Mavis (Bull) Cagle	Andrews	LT	24	6- 1	200	2(44-45)
Raymond West (V)	Spartanburg	LT	21	6- 1	210	
W. A. Holshouser (V)	Erwin, Tenn.	LT	23	6- 5	250	
DuBose Rogers (V)	Blenheim	LT	23	6- 1	200	
Jack Jennings	Abbeville	LT	17	6- 2	178	
Lloyd Bruce	Erwin, Tenn.	LT	18	5-11	211	
Frank Gillospie (V)	Beckley, W. Va.	RG	23	5-11	193	1(42)
Bill Hunter (V)	Greenville	RG	22	6- 0	200	
Charlie Mimms (V)	Elliott	RG	22	6- 0	198	
Don (Hunk) Simpson (V)	Charleston, W. Va.	RG	21	5-10	185	1(43)
Oscar Thompson	Columbia	RG	18	5-10	165	
Porter Cohen	Waynesboro, Ga.	RG	17	5-11	170	
Ernest Corley (V)	Saluda	RG	22	5-11	180	
Jimmy Hyder	Anderson	RG	16	6- 2	179	
Barry King	Atlanta, Ga.	RG	17	5-11	170	
Jimmy Sultis	Dallas, Texas	LG	26	5- 9	195	1(45)
Ray Clanton	Darlington	LG	17	6- 1	195	1(45)
Jack Cox	Marion	LG	18	5- 9	185	
Carroll (Chick) Gainer (V)	Lancaster	LG	21	6- 0	205	1(43)
Jerome Senn	Columbia	LG	20	5-11	185	
Jack (Rabbitt) Emerson (V)	Buckhead, Ga.	LG	22	5-10	185	
Joe Connelly	Morganton, N.C.	LE	19	6- 0	175	
Wilfred Steele	Orangeburg	LG	17	6- 0	185	
Sterling (Brass) Smith	Greenville	LG	17	5- 8	200	

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NAME	HOMETOWN	POS	AGE	HT	WT	Collego F.B. Lotters&Years
Ralph (Jenks) Jenkins (V)	Nowport, Tenn.	C	25	6- 3	190	3(43-44-45)
Carey Cox (V)	Dawson, Ga.	C	23	5-10	200	1(43)
Ralph (Gappy) Curtis (V)	Lexington, N.C.	C	22	5-10	205	
Harold Townes (V)	Pickens	C	20	6- 3	220	
Geno Moore	Lake City	C	18	6- 1	185	
Sam (Yankee) Moore	Buffalo, N. Y.	C	18	6- 0	180	
Charles (Rod) Little	Atlanta, Ga.	C	18	6- 0	200	
Tom Castles (V)	Great Falls	C	20	6- 0	190	
Bob Martin	Fort Mill	BB	17	6- 0	185	
Olin Cleveland (V)	Anderson	BB	23	5-11	200	1(45)
John Moorner	Navy Yard	BB	18	5-10	185	1(45)
Spivey Rowell (V)	Andrews	BB	19	6- 1	200	1(44)
Dave Partin (V)	Camden	BB	20	5-10	205	
Tom McIlwain (V)	Buckhead, Ga.	BB	22	5-10	180	
Felix Marbury (V)	Albany, Ga.	BB	25	5-11	170	
Dick Gillespie (V)	Beckley, W. Va.	BB	21	5-11	217	
Tom Martin (V)	Griffin, Ga.	BB	21	5- 8	170	
Robert Gage	Anderson	WB	18	5-11	165	1(45)
Billy (Tweet) Poe (V)	Greenville	WB	23	6- 1	175	1(44-45)
June Pruitt (V)	Greer	WB	26	6- 0	175	1(45)
Jimmy Whitmire (V)	Griffin, Ga.	WB	21	5-11	185	1(43)
Bob Williams (V)	Spartanburg	WB	22	5- 9	155	
Jimmy Miller	Erwin, Tenn.	WB	20	5- 9	165	
Albert (Bubba) Willis	Gainesville, Ga.	WB	17	5- 9	160	
Tom Coursey	Charlotte, N.C.	WB	17	5-11	165	
Dick Yarbrough	Salisbury, N. C.	WB	18	5-10	165	
Dewey Quinn (V)	Pelzer	FB	22	6- 0	180	2(42-45)
Lewis (Hootchie) Morgan (V)	Albermarle	FB	23	5-11	187	
Billy Rogers (V)	Lake View	FB	19	6- 0	175	1(44)
Earl (Dub) Bundy (V)	Erwin, Tenn.	FB	25	5-11	187	
Bill Rogers (V)	Blackville	FB	20	5-11	170	1(43)
Bonneau (Bunny) Brodie (V)	Aiken	FB	22	5-11	198	
Jimmy Jones	Spartanburg	FB	17	6- 0	178	
Paul Holosa	Mt. Union, Penn.	FB	20	6- 1	180	
Webber Rowell	Andrews	FB	18	6- 2	185	
Hal Leonard	Columbia	TB	23	6- 1	180	
Rod (Bris) Brisendine (V)	EastPoint, Ga.	TB	21	6- 1	185	
Dick (Bull) Hendley (V)	Greenville	TB	20	5-11	195	
Gerald (Dutch) Loverman (V)	McAllen, Tex.	TB	20	6- 1	204	
Jack Miller (V)	Georgetown	TB	19	5- 9	165	1(44)
Ariel Warrick (V)	Old Hickory, Tenn.	TB	22	5- 9	165	
Coleman (Dub) Grubb	Salisbury, N.C.	TB	18	6- 2	187	
Dale (Andy) Anderson	Miami, Fla.	TB	18	5-10	165	

BB-Blocking Back
WB-Wingback
FB-Fullback
TB-Tailback

Henry Walker made football letters at
South Carolina (1943) and
U. of Virginia (44-45)

Carey Cox lettered at U. of South Carolina
(1943)

Dewey Quinn lettered at Newberry College(1942)

Bill Smith lettered at Clemson(1942) and at
Georgia Tech (1943)

THUMBNAIL SKETCHES OF LETTERMEN ON 1946 CLEMSON SQUAD

CENTER

RALPH JENKINS---THIS IS JENKINS' FOURTH YEAR WITH THE TIGERS. THE SIX FOOT, ONE INCH, 191 POUND NEWPORT, TENN, BOY CAPTAINED CLEMSON THROUGH TWO SEASONS (1944-45) AND WAS GAME CAPTAIN IN MOST '43 SCRAPS. STEADY-GOING ON OFFENSE, BRILLIANT ON DEFENSE, JENKINS WAS ALL-SOUTHERN CONFERENCE CENTER IN 1944 AND 1945 AND WAS SELECTED ON THE AP ALL-AMERICA THIRD TEAM IN 1945. HE PLAYED A MAJOR ROLE IN HOLDING THE TIGERS TOGETHER DURING THE WAR YEARS AND NOW, WITH HUSKIER HELP ALL AROUND HIM, SHOULD BE ONE OF THE NATION'S STANDOUT LINEMEN THIS FALL. HE HAS WON THREE CLEMSON FOOTBALL LETTERS.

GUARDS

JIM SULTIS---A LITTLE ON THE STOCKY SIDE (FIVE FEET, 10 INCHES, 200 POUNDS), SULTIS STEPPED INTO A REGULAR CLEMSON GUARD POSITION LAST FALL AS A FRESHMAN. A RUGGED, DEPENDABLE FOOTBALLER, HE IS ONE OF THE SCHOLASTIC LEADERS OF HIS CLASS AND DURING HIS FIRST THREE SEMESTERS HERE AS A CIVIL ENGINEERING STUDENT HAS MADE 15 AS, 2 BS, AND ONE C. ORIGINALLY LISTED FROM MEMPHIS, SULTIS HAS CHANGED HIS ADDRESS TO CLEMSON. HIS WIFE SUPERVISES THE OPERATION OF THE COLLEGE HOTEL.

RAY CLANTON---A YOUNGSTER OF GREAT PROMISE, RAY CLANTON WON HIS LETTER WITH THE TIGERS OF 1945 AS A PRE-DRAFT-AGER. FAST AND POWERFUL, HE NEEDS ONLY EXPERIENCE TO FIT INTO THE SCHEME OF THINGS IN THE BIG CLEMSON LINE.

FRANCIS RICHARDSON---RICHARDSON WON FOOTBALL LETTERS AT CLEMSON FOR THE SEASONS OF 1943 AND 1944 BEFORE GOING INTO THE SERVICES. AT THAT TIME HE WAS ONE OF THE "SCRAPINGEST" LITTLE (163 POUNDS) GUARDS IN THIS SECTION.

TOM SALISBURY---ANOTHER WAR-TIME CLEMSON LETTERMAN (SEASONS OF 1943 AND 1944) WHO WITHDREW FROM COLLEGE FOR A HITCH IN THE SERVICE AND RETURNS TO THE SCENE THIS FALL. SALISBURY IS BIG ENOUGH (200 POUNDS) TO BE USEFUL IN THE TIGER FRONT LINE AND IS BEING COUNTED ON FOR CONSIDERABLE GUARD RELIEF WORK.

BILL HUNTER---IF ALL THAT WEIGHT BILL HUNTER GAINED WHILE IN THE ARMY STAYS WITH HIM AS A FOOTBALLER AND HAS IN NO WAY REDUCED HIS POWER, SPEED AND SCRAP, SOMEBODY IS GOING TO HAVE A ROUGH TIME KEEPING HIM FROM A REGULAR PLAYING SPOT. A LETTERMAN IN 1942 AT 167 POUNDS, HUNTER RETURNS TO FOOTBALL AFTER A THREE-YEAR LAPSE WEIGHING 190.

CHICK GAINER---STILL ANOTHER YOUNGSTER WHO RETURNS FROM THE SERVICE WITH CONSIDERABLE MORE WEIGHT THAN WHEN HE FIRST WON A FOOTBALL LETTER WITH THE TIGERS. GAINER, AS A FIRST TEAM GUARD IN 1943, WEIGHED 183 POUNDS, BUT HE IS IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD OF 200 FOR THIS YEAR'S PLAY.

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THUMBNAIL SKETCHES OF LETTERMEN ON 1946 CLEMSON SQUAD (CONT)

TACKLES

BOB TURNER---AS A CLEMSON FRESHMAN LAST YEAR, TURNER FORCED HIS POWERFUL 230 POUNDS INTO A REGULAR TACKLE SPOT AND EMERGED AT THE END OF THE SEASON ON THE UP ALL-SOUTHERN FIRST TEAM. A FAST AND HARD-HITTING LINESMAN WHO KNOWS THE FOOTBALL ROPES, TURNER WILL BE ONE OF THE TIGER MAINSTAYS DURING THE 1946 SEASON.

BILL SMITH---"BIG WILLIE" SMITH SHOULD BE SET FOR A YEAR OF OUTSTANDING FOOTBALL. HE FIRST MADE HIS CLEMSON FOOTBALL LETTER IN 1942 AND THEN, ENTERING THE NAVY, PLAYED MOST OF THE 1943 SEASON IN GEORGIA TECH'S LINE AS A NAVAL V-12 STUDENT. SINCE '43 HE HAS BEEN WITH THE MARINES. THE BEST PRE-SEASON ESTIMATES GIVE HIM CLEMSON'S FIRST STRING LEFT TACKLE POSITION.

JACK ROSS---A LETTERMAN IN 1942, ROSS RETURNS FROM THE SERVICE AT 205 POUNDS AND MAY WELL MOVE INTO A REGULAR SPOT BEFORE THE '46 SEASON IS MANY WEEKS OLD. SOLIDLY BUILT, A POWERFUL MAN, AND FAST ENOUGH TO KEEP COMPANY WITH THE BEST, ROSS IS EXPECTED TO BE MUCH OF THE STRENGTH IN A TOUGH-TO-PUNCTURE CLEMSON LINE.

WAYNE O'DELL---OF REAL PRE-WAR VINTAGE, WAYNE O'DELL RETURNS TO THE TIGERS AFTER FOUR YEARS. HE WAS A RESERVE TACKLE ON CLEMSON'S COLORFUL 1941 TEAM AND WON HIS LETTER THAT SEASON, SEEING SERVICE IN SEVEN OF NINE GAMES.

PHIL PRINCE---TAGGED AS ONE OF THE MOST PROMISING FRESHMAN TACKLES IN RECENT YEARS AT CLEMSON, PHIL PRINCE BATTLED HIS WAY AROUND IN THE TIGER LINE OF 1944 TO BECOME A LETTERMAN. HE WAS IN SERVICE DURING THE '45 SEASON, BUT HE GETS BACK IN HARNESS THIS YEAR.

HARLEY PHILLIPS---ANOTHER WAR-TIME TACKLE RETURNING AFTER A STRETCH IN THE SERVICE, PHILLIPS SHOULD PROVE HELPFUL IN A RELIEF ROLE THIS FALL AND, WITH EXPERIENCE, MAY MOVE WELL UP THE LADDER. HE WON LETTERS IN 1943 AND 1944.

MAVIS CAGLE---A 1945 REGULAR AND LETTERMAN, CAGLE WILL FIND THE COMPETITION FOR A FIRST STRING POSITION MUCH KEENER IN '46, BUT THIS HUSKY BROTHER OF JOHN (BULL) CAGLE (1941 REGULAR) MAY MAKE SOME OF THE BIGGER BOYS STEP PRETTY LIVELY. AND WHEN THE TIGERS SCORE, CAGLE'S EDUCATED TOE WILL PROBABLY BE SENT INTO ACTION. LAST SEASON HE MADE GOOD ON 20 OF 25 EXTRA POINT ATTEMPTS.

MILTON WIGGS---ANOTHER OF THE 1945 LETTERMEN WHO WILL HAVE TO HUSTLE APLENTY FOR PLAYING RIGHTS IN '46. BIG AND STRONG AT 200 POUNDS EVEN, WIGGS WILL PLAY AN IMPORTANT RELIEF ROLE WITH THE TIGERS THIS FALL.

BO SAUNDERS---A PRE-WAR NON-LETTERMAN, SAUNDERS RETURNED TO CLEMSON FOR THE 1945 SEASON AND TOOK POSSESSION OF A FIRST STRING TACKLE POSITION. BIG (200 POUNDS), FAST, AND POWERFUL, HE WILL FIND THE COMPETITION MUCH TOUGHER THIS FALL, BUT HE WILL IN ALL PROBABILITY BE AMONG THOSE WHO SEE THE MOST SERVICE IN THE TIGER LINE.

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THUMBNAIL SKETCHES OF LETTERMEN ON 1946 CLEMSON SQUAD (CONT'D)

ENDS

CHIP CLARK---CLARK HAS WON TWO CLEMSON FOOTBALL LETTERS, WITH TWO YEARS IN THE AIR CORPS SEPARATING THEM. HE WAS A FIRST STRING END IN 1942 AND RETURNED TO THE TIGERS LAST YEAR TO TAKE OVER HIS OLD POSITION. IN '42 CLARK SNAGGED 13 PASSES FOR 124 YARDS AND SCORED FOUR TOUCHDOWNS. LAST FALL HE WAS ON THE RECEIVING END OF 5 PASSES FOR 92 YARDS AND SCORED TWO SIX-POINTERS.

EDDIS FREEMAN---AT 167 POUNDS, "FIREBALL" FREEMAN IS GOING AFTER HIS FOURTH CLEMSON FOOTBALL MONOGRAM THIS FALL. A 4F DURING THE WAR YEARS, FREEMAN LETTERED IN 1943-44-45. A SCRAPPER FROM 'WAY BACK, FREEMAN HAS PLAYED A FIRST STRING CLEMSON END FOR THREE SUCCESSIVE YEARS, AND IN SPITE OF HIS LIGHT WEIGHT, WILL VERY LIKELY DO IT AGAIN THIS FALL. VERY FAST AND A GLUE-FINGERED PASS RECEIVER, OVER A THREE YEAR PERIOD FREEMAN HAS CAUGHT 24 TOSSES FOR 493 YARDS, SCORED EIGHT TOUCHDOWNS, KICKED THREE EXTRA POINTS, AND GAINED 108 YARDS RUNNING ON 12 PLAYS.

CLINT DYER---DYER WON A CLEMSON FOOTBALL LETTER LAST FALL AS A RESERVE END AND IS BEING COUNTED ON FOR CONSIDERABLE SERVICE IN THE SAME CAPACITY THIS YEAR.

BILL SMARTT---SMARTT PLAYED A YEAR OF RESERVE FOOTBALL AT CLEMSON IN 1944 AND WAS AMONG THOSE WINNING LETTERS. NEEDING EXPERIENCE, MOST OF HIS PLAY THIS YEAR WILL PROBABLY AGAIN BE IN A RESERVE CAPACITY.

BLOCKING BACKS

JOHN MOORER---A NON-LETTERMAN RESERVE IN 1944, MOORER SAW ENOUGH ACTION LAST FALL TO BE AMONG THE MONOGRAM WINNERS.

OLIN CLEVELAND---CLEVELAND RETURNED TO THE TIGERS LAST FALL AFTER A STRETCH IN THE ARMY AND WON HIS LETTER AS A RELIEF WORKER FOR CENTER RALPH JENKINS. THE PLANS ARE TO SHIFT HIM TO BLOCKING BACK THIS FALL. RESULTS? TO BE DETERMINED.

SPIVEY ROWELL---A WAR-TIME LETTERMAN (1944 SEASON) RETURNING FOR PLAY WITH THE TIGERS, ROWELL PROBABLY HAS MUCH WORK TO DO BEFORE BREAKING BACK INTO THE LINEUP. HE WAS NOT HERE FOR SPRING PRACTICE.

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FOOTBALLERS PLAY BASKETBALL

Five of Clemson's 1945 football lettermen also won their Tiger monograms in basketball: Chip Clark, Eddis Freeman, Dewey Quinn, June Pruitt and Jim Reynolds. Pruitt and Reynolds, forward, made the All-South Carolina basketball team selected by the Charlotte (N.C.) News.

WINGBACKS

BILLY POE---AN EX-SERVICEMAN, POE WON HIS LETTER WITH THE TIGERS AS REGULAR WINGBACK DURING THE SEASONS OF 1944 AND 1945. VERY FAST, A DECEPTIVE RUNNER, HE LED THE TIGER BALL CARRIERS BOTH SEASONS. FOR SOME REASON HIS STANDOUT PERFORMANCES EACH YEAR WERE IN NEW ORLEANS. LAST FALL HE RIPPED OFF THREE TOUCHDOWNS AGAINST TULANE. IN TWO YEARS WITH THE TIGERS, POE HAS GAINED 651 YARDS ON 93 TRIPS WITH THE PIGSKIN, AN AVERAGE OF SEVEN YARDS PER RUN. HE HAS RECEIVED 8 PASSES FOR 170 YARDS AND SCORED SEVEN TOUCHDOWNS.

JUNE PRUITT---AN EX-SERVICEMAN, PRUITT WON HIS FOOTBALL LETTER IN '45 AS A CLEMSON FRESHMAN. (HE ALSO WON LETTERS IN BASKETBALL AND BASEBALL.) WITH DEFENSIVE PLAY AGAINST BOTH RUNNING AND PASSING AS A SPECIALTY, MOST OF HIS OUTSTANDING PLAY LAST YEAR WAS IN THAT CAPACITY, AND PROBABLY WILL BE AGAIN THIS FALL. A YEAR AGO HE GAINED 73 YARDS ON 15 RUNNING PLAYS, RECEIVED FIVE PASSES FOR 85 YARDS, AND SCORED TWO TOUCHDOWNS.

JIM WHITMIRE---IF YOU'LL PARDON THE WORDING "A RUNNING FOOL" IS PROBABLY THE BEST THREE-WORD DESCRIPTION OF JIM WHITMIRE, 1943 CLEMSON WINGBACK WHO LAID 'EM IN THE AISLES WITH SEVERAL SPECTACULAR BALL-CARRYING EXHIBITIONS. HE'S BEEN IN THE SERVICE A COUPLE OF YEARS AND COMES BACK WITH ABOUT 15 POUNDS MORE THAN HIS '43 PLAYING WEIGHT. IF THE EXTRA BAGGAGE DOES NOT SUBTRACT FROM HIS SPEED AND ELUSIVENESS, DEFENSES DEWARE! IN '43 HE GAINED 422 YARDS ON 72 RUNS (AVE. SLIGHTLY UNDER SIX), CAUGHT FOUR PASSES FOR 77 YARDS, AND SCORED FIVE TOUCHDOWNS.

BOBBY GAGE---BOBBY GAGE IS LISTED HERE AMONG THE WINGBACKS, BUT NO GURANTEE GOES WITH IT. HE MAY BE ONE OF THE TOP TAILBACKS, THE POSITION HE PLAYED LAST YEAR AS A FRESHMAN TO BECOME A LETTERMAN. VERY FAST, VERY SHIFTY, AN EXCELLENT PUNTER AND QUICK-KICKER, AND A PASSER WHO HAS DEFINITE POSSIBILITIES, GAGE WILL SEE A LOT OF SERVICE IN SOME BACKFIELD CAPACITY. DURING THE '45 SEASON HE GAINED 214 YARDS ON 44 RUNNING PLAYS, COMPLETED 8 OF 14 PASSES (ONE INTERCEPTED) FOR 171 YARDS, SCORED ONE TOUCHDOWN, AND AVERAGED 37 YARDS ON 21 KICKS.

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GRIDMEN IN OTHER SPORTS

Football lettermen on Clemson's 1946 football squad who participate in other collegiate sports: Basketball: Clark, Freeman, Quinn, Pruitt, and Reynolds. Baseball: Quinn and Pruitt; Track: Poe and Freeman. Golf: Clark.

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FOUR GRID MONOGRAMS

If end Eddis Freeman makes his Clemson football monogram for play in 1946, and the odds that he will are top-heavy, he will become the first known player in Clemson gridiron history to make four varsity letters in one sport. Classified 4F during the war years, Freeman won football letters here in 1943-44-45. If any other Clemson player has made four letters in one sport, the records don't show it.

THUMBNAIL SKETCHES OF LETTERMEN ON 1946 CLEMSON SQUAD (CONT'D)

FULLBACKS

DEWEY QUINN---A PRE-WAR NEWBERRY COLLEGE FOOTBALLER, DEWEY QUINN PLAYED HIS FIRST YEAR OF CLEMSON FOOTBALL LAST FALL. A QUICK-STARTING, FAST-MOVING, AND ELUSIVE RUNNER, HE IS BEING COUNTED ON FOR A LOT OF CLEMSON FULLBACKING THIS FALL. WINNING A LETTER IN '45, HE GAINED 392 YARDS ON 89 RUNNING PLAYS, CAUGHT ONE 17 YARD PASS, AND SCORED FOUR TOUCHDOWNS.

JIM REYNOLDS---SHOWING MUCH PROMISE LAST FALL AS A FIRST STRING FRESHMAN FULLBACK, REYNOLDS HAS THE QUALITIES OF AN OUTSTANDING BACK. FAST, SHIFTY, HARD-HITTING, AND THE POSSESSOR OF "EXPLOSIVE" RUNNING QUALITIES, THE BLACK-HAIRED PENNSYLVANIA BOY MAY BE ONE OF THE STANDOUT BACKS OF THE SECTION. HE LED CLEMSON'S SCORING LAST FALL WITH FIVE TOUCHDOWNS. ON 60 CRACKS AT THE LINE HE GAINED 270 YARDS, AND CAUGHT TWO PASSES FOR 86 YARDS.

BILL B. ROGERS---ANOTHER WAR-TIME CLEMSON LETTERMAN (1943) WHO IS RETURNING TO THE TIGERS THIS FALL. BILL ROGERS WAS A SLIGHTLY-BUILT BUT HARD-HITTING FULLBACK THREE YEARS AGO AND, WITH ADDED WEIGHT, SHOULD BE STILL BETTER IN '46. AS THE '43 REGULAR FULLBACK, HE GAINED 317 YARDS ON 110 RUNNING PLAYS, SCORED ONE.

BILLY G. ROGERS---(NOT TO BE CONFUSED WITH BILL ROGERS, ABOVE.) THERE WAS SOME CONFUSION ABOUT CLEMSON'S FULLBACKS IN 1943 AND 1944, AND PROBABLY WILL BE AGAIN THIS YEAR. IN 1943 BILL ROGERS, OF BLACKVILLE, WAS THE REGULAR LINE BUSTER, AND IN 1944 BILLY ROGERS, OF DILLON, WAS IN THE SPOT. THEY ARE TWO DIFFERENT GUYS. RETURNING TO CLEMSON AFTER MISSING THE '45 SEASON BECAUSE OF ARMED SERVICE, BILLY ROGERS MAY MAKE THE '45 FULLBACKS---REYNOLDS AND QUINN---HUSTLE QUITE A BIT MORE TO HOLD THEIR POSTS. IN 1944 BILLY ROGERS CARRIED THE BALL 87 TIMES TO GAIN 333 YARDS (AVE. 3.8), AND LED THE SCORING WITH SIX TOUCHDOWNS AND AN EXTRA POINT.

TAILBACKS

MONTY BYERS---MONTY BYERS PLAYED QUITE A BIT OF FOOTBALL FOR THE TIGERS IN 1942, AND WAS IN THE ARMY DURING THE '43-44-45 SEASONS. A STOCKY, RUGGED RUNNER-PUNTER-PASSER, HE WILL NEED TO GET BACK IN THE SWING OF THINGS TO JUST THE YOUNGER TAILBACKS WHO SEEM TO BE IN LINE FOR THE CLEMSON TAILBACK SPOT THIS FALL. AS A '42 SOPHOMORE, BYERS GAINED 109 YARDS ON 43 RUNNING PLAYS, COMPLETED FOUR OF 11 PASSES (NONE INTERCEPTED) FOR 76 YARDS, AND AVERAGED 35 YARDS ON 17 PUNTS.

JACK MILLER---A VERY PROMISING WAR-TIME (1944) TAILBACK LETTERMAN WHO WAS IN SERVICE DURING THE 1945 SEASON, JACK MILLER RETURNS TO TIGERTOWN AT HIS OLD-TIME PLAYING WEIGHT OF 165 POUNDS. A FAST AND ELUSIVE RUNNER, MILLER'S PASSING AND PUNTING ABILITIES ARE YET TO BE REAFFIRMED. IN '44, WHEN HE LETTERED AS A FRESHMAN, MILLER (HAMPERED SOMEWHAT BY AN INJURED FOOT) GAINED 225 YARDS ON 38 RUNNING PLAYS (AVE. 5.9), COMPLETED SIX OF 24 PASSES (ONE INTERCEPTED) FOR 67 YARDS, AVERAGED 33 YARDS ON FIVE KICKS, AND KICKED 14 EXTRA POINTS.

(End of 1946 lettermen)

CLEMSON ALL-STARS

CLEMSON, S.C.-----The 1946 Clemson Tigers have six All-Somethings this year. Center Ralph Jenkins has been the All-Southern Conference center for two years running and made the AP All-America third team last year; Tackle Bob Turner made the UP All-Southern last fall; Ends Chip Clark and Eddis Freeman, tackle Mavis Caglo, and wingback Billy Poo made the '45 All-South Carolina team.

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VETERANS GALORE

CLEMSON, S.C.-----The Clemson squad roster of approximately 100 footballers includes three score service veterans.

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CLEMSON LETTERMEN

CLEMSON, S.C.-----Of the 35 lettermen on Clemson's squad this year, 21 won football letters prior to the 1945 season, but only three of these were genuine "pre-war" players. Eighteen were awarded letters for play in 1943 and 1944.

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17 CLEMSON MENTORS

CLEMSON, S.C.-----Clemson's Tigers have had 17 different head football coaches in 50 years of football. Longest single reign was nine year stretch by Jess Neely, now at Rice. Present Head Coach Frank Howard is in his 16th year at Clemson, his sixth year as boss.

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TIGERS TOP OPPONENTS

CLEMSON, S.C.-----Against the teams on Clemson's 1946 schedule, the Tigers have played 204 games in past years. Clemson has won 108, lost 72, tied 15, scored 2,832 points and given up 1,970 points.

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TIGER STAFF RETURNS

CLEMSON, S.C.-----The entire Clemson coaching staff is back on the job for the '46 season: Head Coach Frank Howard and assistants Bob Jones, Covington McMillan, Walter Cox, Randy Hinson, Banks McFadden, and A. W. (Rock) Norman. Jones, McMillan, Cox, Hinson, and McFadden all saw service overseas.

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REGULARS RETURN

CLEMSON, S.C.-----Eight of Clemson's 1945 regulars are back this fall: Ends Chip Clark and Eddis Freeman, tackles Bob Turner and Mavis Cagle, guard Jim Sultis, center Ralph Jenkins; fullback Jim Reynolds and wingback Billy Poe.

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ROUGH SCHEDULE

CLEMSON, S.C.-----In 1946 Clemson's Tigers play five Southern Conference teams (N.C. State, Wake Forest, S. Carolina, Virginia Tech, and Furman), three Southeastern Conference members (Georgia, Tulane, and Auburn) and Presbyterian College.

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THIRTEEN STATES

CLEMSON, S.C.-----Thirteen states are represented on the 1946 Clemson football squad: SC; NC; Ga; Fla; Ala; Tenn; Texas; Va; W.Va; Penna; Ky; N.J.; and New York.

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GENERAL WINGBACK

CLEMSON, S.C.-----General June Pruitt (that's his name, not his rank), Clemson wingback, spent four and a half years in the Army, over two of them overseas, and more than a year in European combat areas.

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TOP GAINER RETURNS

CLEMSON, S.C.---Billy Poe, fleet-footed Clemson wingback who has led the Tiger ball carriers for two years in a row, is back on deck this fall. In two years Poe has carried the ball 93 times for 651 yards, a seven-yard-per-run average, has caught eight passes for 170 yards, and scored seven touchdowns.

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TOUCHDOWN FACTORY

CLEMSON, S.C.----Fans who like touchdowns and plenty of 'em will do well to be in New Orleans when Clemson and Tulane tangle this year. Two years ago Tulane downed the Tigers 36 to 20, and last year Clemson was on top by a 47 to 20 score. The Tiger-Green Wave games have always been thrillers. Other scores, Clemson's score first, have been: 0-7; 13-10; 6-7; and 0-13.

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GOOSE-EGGS

CLEMSON, S.C.----In the last ten years Clemson's Tigers have held the opposition scoreless 25 times and been blanked 14 times.

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BAR-SPLITTER

CLEMSON, S.C.----Mavis (Bull) Cagle, Clemson tackle, made good on 20 of 25 attempted extra points last year. He stood third among Clemson's point scorers for 1945.

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TRAVELLERS

CLEMSON, S.C.----Clemson's Tigers play in six states this fall: South Carolina (Presbyterian, W. C. State, S. Carolina, and Furman); North Carolina (Wake Forest); Georgia (U. of Ga.); Virginia (Virginia Tech); Alabama (Auburn) and Louisiana (Tulane).

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