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# 1956 Varsity Football Squad



First row, left to right—Ron Vale, Pete Palleschi, Andy Donnelly, Al Emmi, Jack Shepherd, Rod Maloney, Roger Burns.  
 Second row—Bill Wilson, Chuck Blocklett, Pete Cacciolfi, Dick Conti, Jack Burroughs, Frank Dawson, Dick Skimin, Reg Mosier.  
 Third row—Bob Deger, Dick Stitzell, Jack Radzavicz, Jim Sellars, Joe Koesterer, Gary Vittorio, Cliff Toustant, Jim McDermott, Bob Zegler.  
 Fourth row—Roger Kane, Jack Stanbro, Andy Havens, Dick Dier, George Schumacher, Bob Hancock, Jack Polo, Joe Gasquez, Tom Major.  
 Fifth row—Head Coach Carl (Chugger) Davis, Ron Riccio, Charles Fox, George Kay, Richard Hillary, Lew Rutigliano, Herm Wyld, Ron Brusco, Lou Di Cocco.  
 Sixth row—Dr. Robert Weber, coach; Lou Kahn, manager, Bob Wallace, coach; Al Watrell, coach; Charles Thompson, Jack Root, Don Guido, Karel Horak, trainer; Norm Dubiel, Anthony Tesori, coach.

## 1955 CORTLAND FOOTBALL RECORD

|             |                      |        |
|-------------|----------------------|--------|
| Cortland 28 | U. of Buffalo.....   | 7      |
| Cortland 0  | Alfred .....         | 12     |
| Cortland 13 | Bloomsburg .....     | 6      |
| Cortland 28 | Ithaca .....         | 0      |
| Cortland 32 | Brockport .....      | 0      |
| Cortland 25 | Hofstra .....        | 0      |
| Cortland 19 | E. Stroudsburg ..... | 13     |
| <hr/>       |                      | <hr/>  |
| 145         |                      | 38     |
| Won 6       |                      | Lost 1 |

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# PRATT-ically Speaking

By Jim Pratt, Director of Publicity

Once again we find ourselves in the midst of that season of the year when the seven valleys, which meet to form the city of Cortland, display a multicolored face, resulting from mother nature's artistry. However, as the wind sweeps beligerently across beautiful College Hill Field, we look around and see many familiar faces, those of which were our classmates, one, two or maybe three years ago, and then those whom we don't know directly, but recognize from the look of; "Gee, It's great to be back", on their faces. Welcome, alumni, and we sincerely hope that this will be your best homecoming ever.

Among our words of welcome, we must not forget Coach Art Orlaske and his spirited "Bombers", who will be providing the opposition here this afternoon. We feel sure that everyone will do their utmost to make Coach Orlaske's charges feel at home.

Certainly, the Bombers are aware of their mud splattered loss to our Red Dragons at Percy Field last year, and will do everything in their power to atone that defeat this afternoon. Ithaca, like Cortland, has found the going in 1956 rather rough, as they lost their first two games, against East Stroudsburg and Wilkes College. However, the visitors sport a heavy, veteran line, led by 300 pound Bob Marella of Rochester, who will hold down the center berth. Their forward wall averages 215 pounds per man, which could make the going mighty tough for our Dragons.

With fast, breakaway backs, Coach Orlaske will probably use principally a ground attack. However, the Bombers have demonstrated that they have aerial power in the two previous outings, and could come up with a fine passing attack if Cortland's defenses permit. All in all this looks like a fine afternoon of football from start to finish.

Although the day was beautiful for football September 22nd, it was gloomy for Cortland, as the University of Buffalo downed the Davismen 26-12 here at College Hill Field.

Buffalo drew first blood, after a bad pass from center gave the Bulls the ball on the Cortland nine. Buffalo scored again in the initial quarter on a pass play.

In the second quarter Roger Kane hit "Butch" Burns in the end zone, for the Red and White's first score. Early in the third period Pete Pelleschi intercepted a Bull pass and came back to their five. Joe Gasquez crashed over from five yards out for the Dragon's second score.

On the ensuing kickoff, Chuck Daniels, Buffalo's fleet footed halfback, ran one hundred and one (101) yards for the score, and certainly the top play of the game. The final Buffalo T.D. came late in the third quarter.

Alfred University came thundering into town the following Saturday and defeated the Dragons 24-6. Except for two long pass-scoring plays, the Dragons outplayed the "Saxons" during the first half. However, the second half was all Alfred, and not until late in the game did Charlie Bocklet, Cortland fullback, go off tackle for twenty three yards and the Dragon's only score.

Playing under cold rainy skies at Bloomsburg, Pa., the Davismen downed the favored Pennsylvania State Teacher College Champions of a year ago, 6-3.

The game was hard fought all the way by both elevens and not until the second quarter was either team able to score. The "Huskies" drew first blood after a fifty eight yard march to the Cortland seven yard line. The visitors defense stiffened at that point and with a fourth and four situation, "Bull" Rainey, husky halfback split the up-rights for a three pointer.

In the third quarter, after moving the ball from the Husky forty nine to the three, Don Guido bucked over to tally the game winning score. Guido was outstanding on offense in that game, as were halfbacks Radaviez and Palleschi. Dawson, Zegler, Burroughs and Maloney were brilliant along the forward wall, throwing many Bloomsburg runners for losses, and consistantly rushing the passer.

After today's contest, the Chuggermen journey to Brockport to take on the "Golden Eagles" in their homecoming next Saturday. On the following Saturday, the Dragons will be in Hemstead, Long Island for a traditional contest with the "Flying Dutchmen" of Hofstra. On November 3, the Red Dragons close out the 1956 football season here at College Hill against a strong East Stroudsburg eleven.

Putting all past records aside, Cortland and Ithaca always battle each other right down to the wire. Even though the Dragons trounced the Bombers in Ithaca last year, 28-0, they are traditional rivals and anything can happen here this afternoon.

We sincerely hope that this game will be a fine start to a wonderful homecoming weekend, with all the thrills that the homecoming delegations have in store for us. Incidentally, don't forget the big Homecoming Ball tonight at Brockway Hall, starting at 9:00. We'll see you all there.

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# The Coaching Staff



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Coach Carl "Chugger" Davis has held the reins as head football coach at Cortland State Teachers College for twenty-two years. His record up to this season has been close to the .650 percentage in the win column as his teams have been victorious in 82 games, while losing only 46 and tying 12. One of the outstanding records of college football was made by his 1932-35 teams who tasted defeat only once. In 1948 his team lost only one contest. Chugger has been a consistent winner in baseball and his 1954 undefeated nine was only one of his year-in-and-year-out representative small college teams which have always been good. The basketball teams which he coached until 1950 played and defeated some of the outstanding small college teams in the East. Coach Davis graduated from Springfield (Mo) College and did his graduate work at Springfield (Mass.) College. He was an outstanding performer in high school and college athletics.

Robert (Doc) Weber is working with the line for the fifth year. A graduate of the University of Iowa, Weber played football as an undergraduate and on service teams. He coached and taught in the public schools of Iowa and at the University of Iowa.

A graduate of Syracuse University, Albert Watrel is starting his third season as coach of

the junior varsity football squad. He is well qualified for this position in that he has played under such names in the coaching world as Biggie Munn, Floyd Schwartzwalder and Forest Evascheski and has had coaching experience at Syracuse University, Bolles Military School, Jacksonville, Fla. and Eastwood High School, Syracuse.

Anthony Tesori, a former graduate of Cortland, is by no means a newcomer to the football ranks, as he has assisted Mr. Davis on a number of occasions in his colorful years at Cortland. Mr. Tesori is working with the ends this year, having played end for Mr. Davis during his undergraduate days on the Hill. Mr. Tesori has also coached basketball and golf here on the Hill and had a fine record at Tully Central School, before joining the Physical Education staff here.

A 1953 graduate of Cortland State Teachers College, Robert Wallace is definitely no stranger to fans here at Cortland. Having played quarterback for Coach Davis for three years, Wallace is working with the backfield this year, taking Ed Bosse's place. Before coming to Cortland, Wallace was in the Physical Education department at Painted Post High School and coached its football team to two co-championships. Wallace expects to be coaching junior varsity basketball this winter and golf in the spring.



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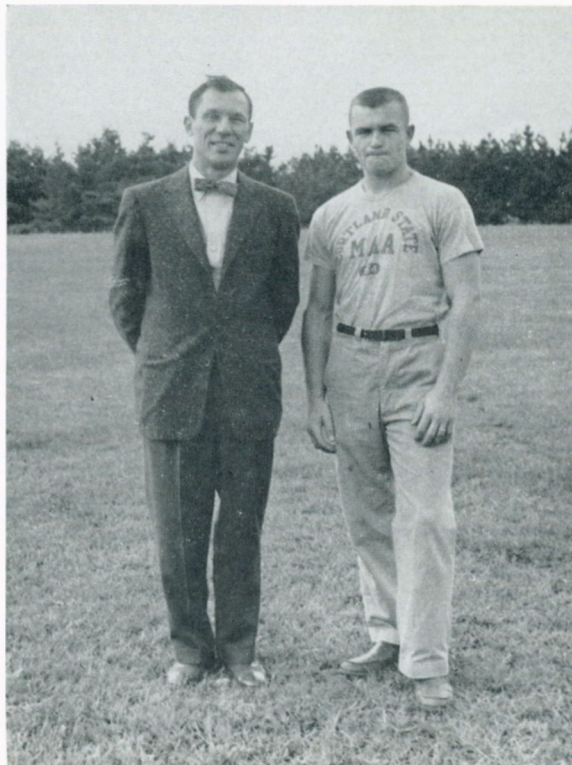


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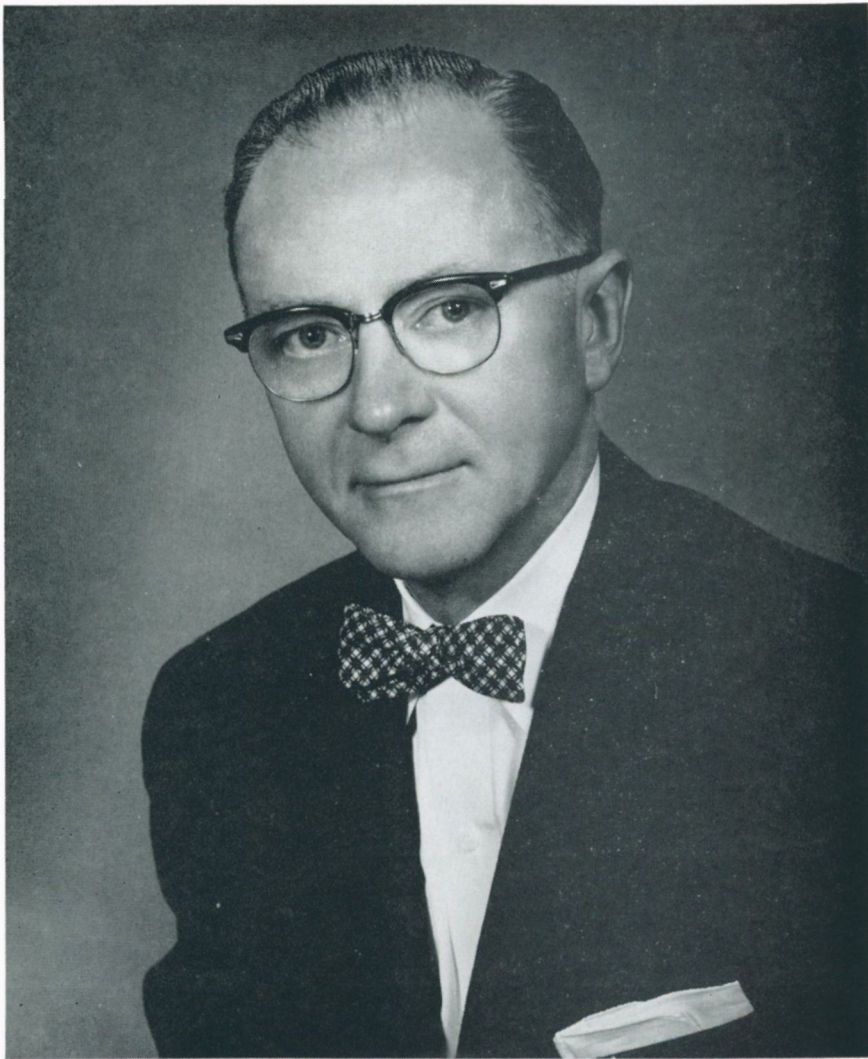
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Athletics is a part of our American culture and of all athletics the fall season competitive sports are the most popular. Cortland is no exception. Here we regard intercollegiate sports as a part of the curriculum; the coaches fully qualified members of the academic faculty; the players, everyone, regular members of the student body who are in the game because they like to play, not because they get scholarships or aid of any other kind. The game is the stake, the prize—may the victor be worthy—the loser strengthened.

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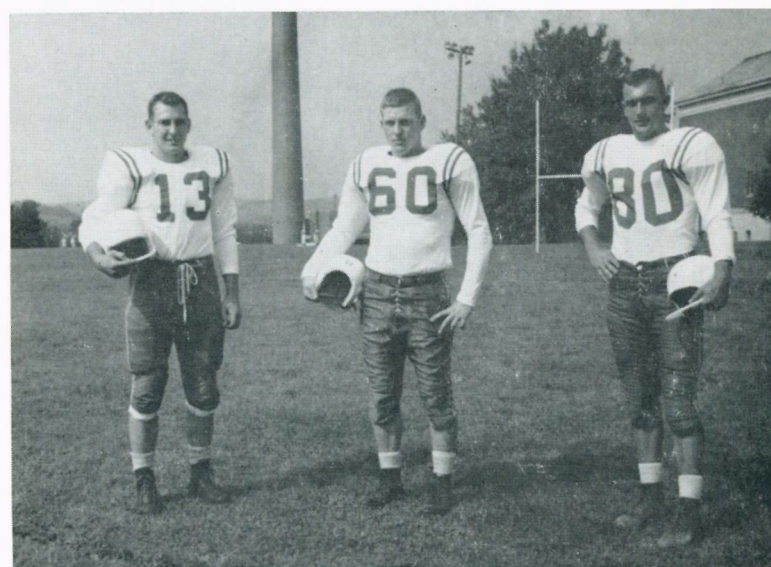


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# Cortland State Varsity Football Squad

| No. | Name               | Class | Pos. | Age | Ht.   | Wt. | Home Town     |
|-----|--------------------|-------|------|-----|-------|-----|---------------|
| 10  | Thompson, Charles  | Fr    | QB   | 19  | 5'10" | 165 | Whitesboro    |
| 11  | *Kane, Roger       | So    | QB   | 19  | 5'11" | 180 | Whitesboro    |
| 12  | Dier, Richard      | Jr    | QB   | 20  | 6'    | 165 | Gouverneur    |
| 20  | *Skimin, Richard   | Sr    | HB   | 20  | 5'10" | 185 | Buffalo       |
| 21  | *Radzavicz, Jack   | So    | HB   | 19  | 6'1"  | 195 | Horseheads    |
| 22  | Shepherd, Jack     | Sr    | HB   | 22  | 6'    | 180 | Binghamton    |
| 30  | Major, Thomas      | So    | FB   | 19  | 5'5"  | 165 | Horseheads    |
| 31  | *Gasquez, Joseph   | Jr    | FB   | 24  | 5'8"  | 182 | Freeport      |
| 32  | *Emmi, Al          | Sr    | FB   | 20  | 5'10" | 210 | Auburn        |
| 33  | *Guido, Don        | So    | FB   | 24  | 6'    | 205 | Whitesboro    |
| 34  | Bocklet, Charles   | Jr    | FB   | 19  | 5'10" | 195 | Garned City   |
| 40  | Riccio, Ronald     | Fr    | HB   | 20  | 5'11" | 185 | Amsterdam     |
| 41  | *Palleschi, Pete   | Sr    | HB   | 20  | 6'    | 190 | Schnectady    |
| 42  | Schumacher, George | Jr    | HB   | 22  | 5'10" | 175 | Smithtown     |
| 43  | *Koesterer, Joseph | Jr    | HB   | 21  | 5'10" | 180 | Rochester     |
| 44  | Smith, Charles     | So    | HB   | 20  | 6'1"  | 195 | Carmel        |
| 51  | *Wyld, Herman      | So    | C    | 23  | 6'2"  | 229 | Albany        |
| 50  | *Sellars, James    | So    | C    | 18  | 6'1"  | 215 | New York City |
| 52  | Stitzel, Richard   | So    | C    | 19  | 5'9"  | 210 | Gowanda       |
| 53  | Coronato, Rocky    | Sr    | C    | 21  | 5'9"  | 185 | Huntington    |
| 60  | *Zegler, Robert    | Sr    | G    | 20  | 5'11" | 200 | Hamburg       |
| 61  | *Wilson, Bill      | Sr    | G    | 22  | 5'11" | 192 | Buffalo       |
| 62  | *Maloney, Rodney   | Sr    | G    | 22  | 6'    | 185 | Kennedy       |
| 63  | *Morpurgo, Harold  | Jr    | G    | 21  | 5'9"  | 195 | Patchogue     |
| 64  | Polo, Jack         | Jr    | G    | 19  | 6'    | 190 | Northport     |
| 65  | Mosior, Reginald   | Sr    | G    | 21  | 5'11" | 180 | Amityville    |
| 66  | DiCocco, Lou       | Jr    | G    | 24  | 5'11" | 182 | Schenectady   |
| 65  | Rutigliano, Lewis  | So    | G    | 19  | 5'8"  | 190 | White Plains  |
| 70  | Hilary, Richard    | Fr    | T    | 18  | 6'1"  | 215 | Sidney        |
| 71  | *Havens, Andrew    | Jr    | T    | 21  | 6'    | 213 | Eastport      |
| 72  | *Vale, Ronald      | Sr    | T    | 20  | 6'1"  | 210 | Merrick       |
| 73  | Conti, Richard     | Jr    | T    | 20  | 5'9"  | 200 | Yonkers       |
| 74  | Deger, Robert      | Jr    | T    | 20  | 6'3"  | 222 | Levittown     |
| 77  | *Dawson, Frank     | Sr    | T    | 21  | 6'5"  | 225 | Pearl River   |
| 80  | *Burns, Roger      | Sr    | E    | 21  | 6'3"  | 200 | Riverhead     |
| 81  | Bub, Richard       | Jr    | E    | 27  | 6'    | 195 | Poughkeepsie  |
| 82  | *Burroughs, Jack   | Sr    | E    | 22  | 6'1"  | 190 | Waterloo      |
| 83  | *Donelli, Andrew   | Sr    | E    | 26  | 6'1"  | 195 | Mahopac       |
| 84  | *Fox, Charles      | Jr    | E    | 25  | 6'1"  | 196 | Binghamton    |
| 85  | Kay, George        | Fr    | E    | 18  | 6'4"  | 190 | Elmont        |
| 86  | Bruso, Ronald      | Fr    | E    | 18  | 6'2"  | 200 | Albany        |
| 87  | Stanbro, Jack      | So    | E    | 19  | 6'1"  | 205 | Homer         |

\* Letterman

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|-----------------|-----------------|
| Carl A. Davis   | Head Coach      |
| Robert J. Weber | Line Coach      |
| Robert Wallace  | Backfield Coach |
| Anthony Tesori  | End Coach       |
| Albert Watrel   | JV Coach        |
| Karel Horak     | Trainer         |
| Lou Kahn        | Manager         |



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| LE              | LT         | LG           | C             | RG              | RT           | RE          |
|-----------------|------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|-------------|
| Burroughs<br>82 | Vale<br>72 | Wilson<br>61 | Sellars<br>50 | Zegler<br>60    | Dawson<br>77 | Burns<br>80 |
| LH              |            | QB           | FB            | RH              |              |             |
| Radzavicz<br>21 |            | Skimin<br>13 | Guido<br>33   | Palleschi<br>41 |              |             |

- 10 Thompson, Charles—QB
- 11 Kane, Roger, QB
- 12 Dier, Richard—QB
- 13 Skimin, Richard—HB
- 21 Radzavicz, Jack—HB
- 22 Shepherd, Jack—HB
- 30 Major, Thomas—FB
- 31 Gasquez, Joseph—FB
- 32 Emmi, Al—FB
- 33 Guido, Don—FB
- 34 Bocklet, Charles—FB
- 40 Riccio, Ronald—HB
- 41 Palleschi, Pete—HB
- 42 Schumacher, George—HB
- 43 Koesterer, Joseph—HB
- 44 Smith, Charles—HB
- 51 Wyld, Herman—C
- 50 Sellars, James—C
- 52 Stitzel, Richard—C
- 53 Coronato, Rocky—C
- 60 Zegler, Robert—G
- 61 Wilson, Bill—G
- 62 Maloney, Rodney—G
- 63 Morpurgo, Harold—G
- 64 Polo, Jack—G
- 65 Mosior, Reginald—G
- 66 DiCocco, Lou—G
- 67 Rutigliano, Lewis—G
- 70 Hilary, Richard—T
- 71 Havens, Andrew—T
- 72 Vale, Ronald—T
- 73 Conti, Richard—T
- 74 Deger, Robert—T
- 77 Dawson, Frank—T
- 80 Burns, Roger—E
- 81 Bub, Richard—E
- 82 Burroughs, Jack—E
- 83 Donelli, Andrew—E
- 84 Fox, Charles—E
- 85 Kay, George—E
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- 87 Stanbro, Jack—E

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| LE              | LT           | LG         | C             | RG              | RT          | RE          |
|-----------------|--------------|------------|---------------|-----------------|-------------|-------------|
| McFarlane<br>87 | Maiolo<br>74 | Gage<br>62 | Marella<br>76 | Ornato<br>61    | Cohen<br>72 | Vieni<br>85 |
| LH              |              | QB         | FB            | RH              |             |             |
| Wade<br>24      |              | Noun<br>11 | LaPlaca<br>22 | Prettyman<br>32 |             |             |

| SCORE    | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | Total |
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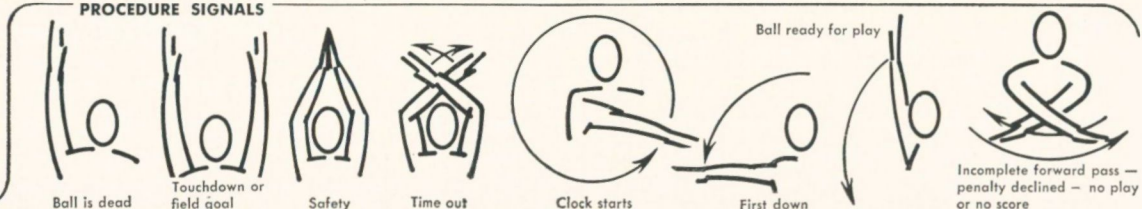
- 86 Salvatore Beninati—E
- 52 Richard Brown—C
- 31 Richard Carmean—B
- Donald Clark—T
- Leo Claus—E
- 72 Melvin Cohen—T
- 64 William Conroy—G
- 63 Donald Distin—G
- Walter Dlugolecki—HB
- 30 Kermit R. Dunmore—T
- 71 Kurt English—T
- 60 John Finster—G
- 62 Arthur Gage—G
- 10 Carlton Gaydosh—QB
- 12 Stephen Goodman—QB
- 43 Pasquale Grasso—QB
- 84 Charles Higgins—E
- 66 Arthur Hirt—G
- 75 John Kalinowski—E
- 22 Thomas LaPlaca—FB
- 87 Ray McFarlane—E
- 76 Robert Marella—C
- 74 Guido Maiolo—G
- 26 Louis Molisani—HB
- 82 Peter Nictakis—E
- 11 Perry Noun—QB
- 61 Michael Ornato—G
- 32 LeRoy Prettyman—HB
- 83 Ronald Price—T
- 79 Donald Purstell—T
- John Rice—T
- 73 Ralph Salem—T
- Charles Seager—E
- 41 Robert Sheehan—FB
- Gerald Spilky—FB
- 33 John Twyman—B
- 85 Carlo Vieni—G
- 24 Brian Wade—HB
- 65 Donald Winter—G

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# Ithaca College Varsity Football Squad

| No. | Name               | Class | Pos. | Age | Ht.   | Wt. | Home Town         |
|-----|--------------------|-------|------|-----|-------|-----|-------------------|
| 86  | Salvatore Beninati | Jr    | E    | 26  | 5'9"  | 180 | Ballston Spa      |
| 52  | Richard Brown      | So    | C    | 20  | 6'    | 185 | Jamestown         |
| 31  | Richard Carmean    | So    | B    | 23  | 5'10" | 170 | Lyndhurst, N. J.  |
|     | Donald Clark       | So    | T    | 24  | 6'    | 200 | Newfield          |
|     | Leo Claus          | Jr    | E    | 23  | 6'    | 200 | Forster Hills     |
| 72  | *Melvin Cohen      | Sr    | T    | 21  | 6'3"  | 225 | Bronx             |
| 64  | William Conroy     | Jr    | G    | 20  | 5'10" | 170 | Binghamton        |
| 63  | *Donald Distin     | Jr    | G    | 23  | 5'9"  | 211 | Fulton            |
|     | Walter Dlugolecki  | So    | HB   | 20  | 5'9"  | 180 | Amsterdam         |
| 30  | *Kermit R. Dunmore | So    | T    | 20  | 6'    | 170 | Union, N. J.      |
| 71  | Kurt English       | Sr    | T    | 20  | 6'    | 200 | Endicott          |
| 60  | *John Finster      | Jr    | G    | 27  | 5'7"  | 175 | Westerly, R. I.   |
| 62  | *Arthur Gage       | So    | G    | 20  | 5'11" | 190 | Bennington, Vt.   |
| 10  | Carlton Gaydosh    | So    | QB   | 22  | 5'11" | 165 | Ithaca            |
| 12  | Stephen Goodman    | Jr    | QB   | 20  | 6'3"  | 185 | Ithaca            |
| 43  | Pasquale Grasso    | Sr    | QB   | 23  | 5'8"  | 185 | Schenectady       |
| 84  | Charles Higgins    | Jr    | E    | 21  | 6'1"  | 175 | Baldwin           |
| 66  | Arthur Hirt        | So    | G    | 18  | 5'7"  | 185 | Mt. Vernon        |
| 75  | *John Kalinowski   | Jr    | E    | 26  | 5'11" | 195 | Greenport         |
| 22  | *Thomas LaPlaca    | Jr    | FB   | 24  | 5'7"  | 165 | West Rutland      |
| 87  | *Ray McFarlane     | Jr    | E    | 20  | 5'8"  | 180 | Brooklyn          |
| 76  | *Robert Marella    | So    | C    | 19  | 6'5"  | 300 | Rochester         |
| 74  | Guido Maiolo       | So    | G    | 18  | 5'10" | 211 | New Rochel        |
| 26  | *Louis Molisani    | Jr    | HB   | 21  | 6'    | 180 | Clyde             |
| 82  | Peter Nietakis     | So    | E    | 19  | 6'    | 191 | Trenton, N. J.    |
| 11  | *Perry Noun        | So    | QB   | 19  | 5'9"  | 165 | Rochester         |
| 61  | *Michael Ornato    | So    | G    | 22  | 5'10" | 185 | Scotch Pl., N. J. |
| 32  | *LeRoy Prettyman   | So    | HB   | 19  | 5'8"  | 175 | Elmira            |
| 83  | Ronald Price       | So    | T    | 20  | 5'11" | 180 | Caldwell, N. J.   |
| 79  | Donald Purstell    | So    | T    | 22  | 6'1"  | 202 | Watervliet        |
|     | John Rice          | So    | T    | 23  | 6'1"  | 210 | Elmira            |
| 73  | *Ralph Salem       | Jr    | T    | 24  | 6'    | 220 | Geneva            |
|     | Charles Seager     | So    | E    | 20  | 6'1"  | 187 | Trumansburg       |
| 41  | Robert Sheehan     | So    | FB   | 24  | 5'9"  | 185 | Watervliet        |
|     | Gerald Spilky      | So    | FB   | 22  | 5'9"  | 190 | Bronx             |
| 33  | John Twyman        | So    | B    | 19  | 5'8"  | 165 | Bound Brook, N.J. |
| 85  | Carlo Vieni        | So    | G    | 19  | 5'11" | 206 | Austerlitz        |
| 24  | *Brian Wade        | So    | HB   | 19  | 5'10" | 150 | Massena           |
| 65  | *Donald Winter     | Sr    | G    | 22  | 5'11" | 204 | Bronx             |

\* Letterman

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|----------------------|-------------------------------|
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| Harold Seidenberg    | Backfield Coach               |
| Gene S. Welborn      | Asst. Coach                   |
| Herbert E. Broadwell | Asst. Coach                   |
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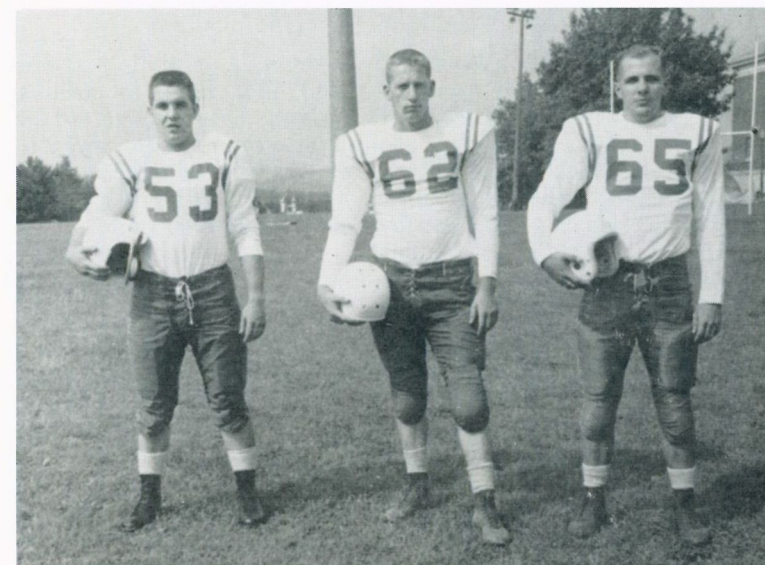
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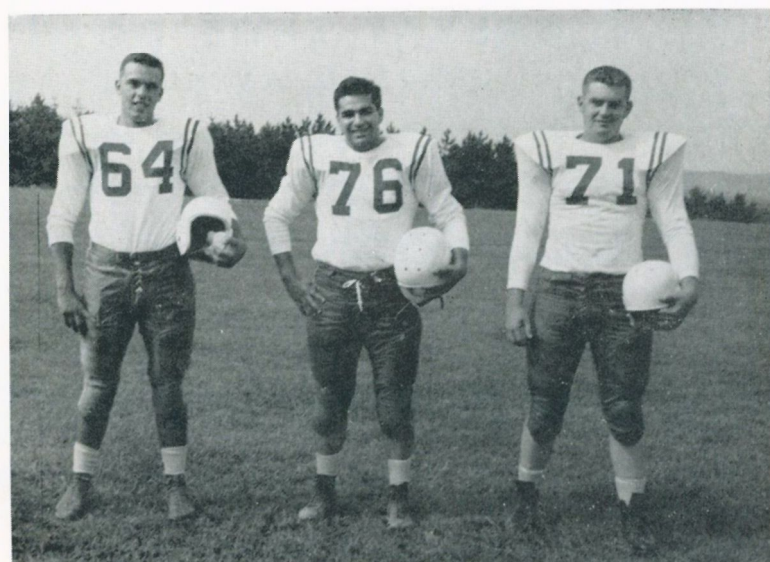
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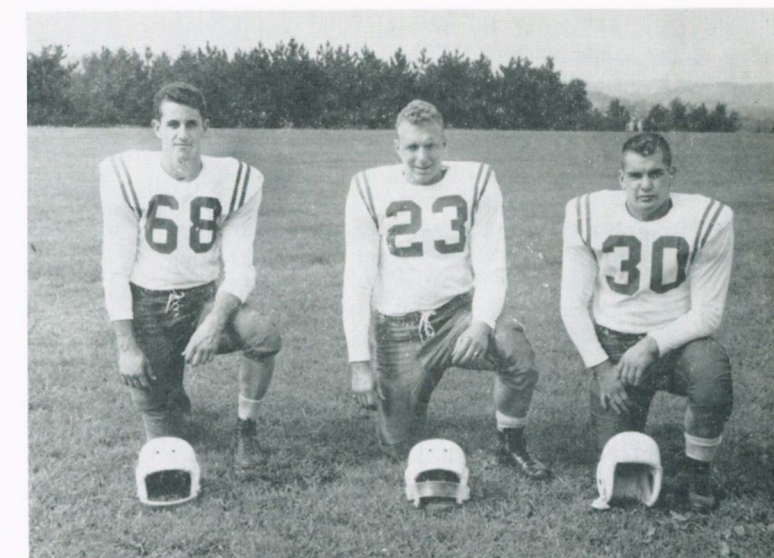


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# THE NATIONAL FOOTBALL FOUNDATION AND HALL OF FAME

New Brunswick, New Jersey

The National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame, composed largely of former football players, was organized in 1947 to honor those men, who as players and coaches, have made amateur football the game of American youth.

Since then, its aims have been expanded to include offering those directly responsible for the conduct and administration of the game, assistance to help preserve intercollegiate football in its rightful position as a beneficial and necessary function of our educational system.

The Foundation feels strongly that there is a demand that these aims continue to be realized. It is engaged in a program designed to answer that demand and looks to those who share its determination for support.

This support comes largely from its members, organized in chapters stretching from coast-to-coast, whose dues range from five dollars annually. Through these chapters, the Foundation unites, in one group, the varied forces responsible for the conduct of the game with the man who has played it and made it what it is today. For him, the ex-football player, the National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame is particularly an opportunity for expression, perhaps for the first time in a national way.

Chapters are organized with the help of the national organization and elect their own officers. In addition to their activities locally, they elect state officers, who in turn, attend the Foundation's annual Football Congress, during which players and coaches are elected to the Hall of Fame. Nominations are submitted by Foundation members. There is selective voting by the press, and final selections by a national Honors Court.

To date, out of the thousands who have participated in the game, 99 players and 45 coaches, representing 52 colleges and universities, have been so elected. In many cases, they have been honored at Hall of Fame game ceremonies conducted on the very fields of their success in view of thousands of spectators. This Fall, approximately 11 such games have already been scheduled to honor recent nominees.

The Foundation's future plans include the erection of a Hall of Fame building, land for which has already been made available and plans for which have already been drawn, on the Rutgers University campus in New Brunswick, New Jersey, where its headquarters have been located since 1949. Until such a building is completed, space is

not available for the library, museum and reference files, which will be established to augment an intensive fact-finding and informational program designed as a much needed and constructive contribution to the game as a whole.

Guiding all its activities is the continuing belief of the National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame, that amateur football is one of the principle breeding grounds of that typically American phenomenon known as "the winning spirit". This spirit finds its truest expression in the amateur athlete whose greatest reward and chief goal is the development of his own excellence. Football properly played and properly administered, sets this standard.

The Foundation believes, and critics of the game have tacitly agreed, that there is nothing wrong with football the way it is played on the field but there is something wrong with the way in which it is conducted off the field if educators allow their institutions to bid for students and if playing "for the love of the game" is replaced by "What's in it for me?".

These trends toward professionalism in amateur sport have been the motivating factors behind the recent actions by various governing bodies within the game itself to bring football back into proper perspective and, as such, have had the Foundation's unqualified support.

In this connection, the Foundation's efforts have been directed toward mobilizing the constructive forces in the game to create a greater national awareness of the basic and irreplaceable values which the playing of football contributes toward the best education of American youth.

The Foundation also endorses without reservation the increasingly high standards being set in the classroom to answer the country's demand for better trained citizens. It believes just as strongly however, that educators must support the same standard of excellence on the playing field.

In other words, the Foundation feels that football, properly played and properly administered, must be emphasized as an essential adjunct to the values obtained through a formal education. Its work has, and will continue to be directed toward this end.

Those wishing to help further these aims by joining the Foundation may do so by contacting The Executive Secretary, National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame, New Brunswick, New Jersey.



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# 1956 Varsity Soccer Squad



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 Second row—Fowell, Foster, Fitzgerald, Kise, Flance, Combs.  
 Third row—Lee, Chandler, Campbell, Hartley, Comfort, Engle, Rathjens.  
 Fourth row—Mgr. Greco, Schmitt, Calley, Baglia, Bosch, Joseph, G., De Luca, Coach Holloway

T. Fred Holloway is starting his twenty-first year at Cortland and his nineteenth season as varsity soccer coach. He received his BPE and MPE degrees from Springfield College in 1928 and 29 and his Ph.D. from New York University in 1954. He has coached at Springfield College and Foxwood School in Soccer, Football, Basketball, Baseball and Track. His soccer teams at Cortland have compiled a record of 83 wins, 44 losses and 6 ties.

After a year's Sabatical leave, Dr. James Counsilman returns to handle the JV soccer team. Dr. Counsilman's JV soccer teams have established very good records in the past years that he has coached them. Besides JV soccer, Dr. Counsilman is head coach of the Cortland Swimming team, which is tops for the size of the school, in the country.

## 1955 CORTLAND SOCCER RECORD

|            |                   |   |
|------------|-------------------|---|
| Cortland 3 | R. P. I. ....     | 2 |
| Cortland 0 | Springfield ..... | 1 |
| Cortland 3 | Hamilton .....    | 0 |
| Cortland 6 | Syracuse .....    | 0 |
| Cortland 3 | Rochester .....   | 1 |
| Cortland 2 | Ithaca .....      | 1 |
| Cortland 0 | Cornell .....     | 2 |
| Cortland 1 | Brockport .....   | 6 |

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## FALL INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETIC PROGRAM

### Varsity Football

|          |                   |             |
|----------|-------------------|-------------|
| Sept. 22 | Buffalo 26        | Cortland 12 |
| Sept. 29 | Alfred 24         | Cortland 6  |
| Oct. 6   | Bloomsburg 3      | Cortland 6  |
| Oct. 13  | Ithaca—Homecoming | 2:00 p.m.   |
| Oct. 20  | At Brockport      | 2:00 p.m.   |
| Oct. 27  | At Hofstra        | 2:00 p.m.   |
| Nov. 3   | E. Stroudsburg    | 2:00 p.m.   |

Coach—Carl "Chugger" Davis

Assistants: Robert Weber, Robert Wallace,

Anthony Tesori

Manager—Louis Kahn

Asst. Manager—Ken Bugenhagen

### Varsity Soccer

|          |                     |             |
|----------|---------------------|-------------|
| Sept. 29 | Springfield 2       | Cortland 1  |
| Oct. 2   | R. P. I. 3          | Cortland 2  |
| Oct. 6   | Syracuse 2          | Cortland 10 |
| Oct. 13  | At Hamilton College | 2:00 p.m.   |
| Oct. 17  | At Cornell U.       | 4:15 p.m.   |
| Oct. 23  | At Ithaca College   | 3:00 p.m.   |
| Oct. 30  | Brockport           | 3:00 p.m.   |

Coach—T. Fred Holloway

Manager—Don Greco

Assistant Manager—George Peers

### Cross Country

|          |                     |             |
|----------|---------------------|-------------|
| Sept. 29 | R. P. I. 29         | Cortland 26 |
| Oct. 13  | At Hamilton College | 2:30 p.m.   |
| Oct. 17  | Harpur College      | 4:00 p.m.   |
| Oct. 20  | At Alfred U.        | 2:30 p.m.   |
| Oct. 30  | At Brockport        | 4:00 p.m.   |

Coach—Roland J. Eckard

Manager—Pete Brown

### J-V Soccer

|         |                   |           |
|---------|-------------------|-----------|
| Oct. 9  | Ithaca College    | 3:30 p.m. |
| Oct. 12 | Cornell U.        | 3:30 p.m. |
| Oct. 15 | At Brockport      | 3:30 p.m. |
| Oct. 25 | At Ithaca College | 3:00 p.m. |
| Oct. 30 | At Cornell U.     | 4:15 p.m. |
| Nov. 2  | Westover A.F.B.   | 3:00 p.m. |

Coach—James Counsilman

Manager—Bob Ruff

### J-V Football

|          |                 |             |
|----------|-----------------|-------------|
| Sept. 29 | Morrisville 12  | Cortland 27 |
| Oct. 5   | Ithaca 7        | Cortland 6  |
| Oct. 20  | Hobart College  | 2:00 p.m.   |
| Oct. 27  | St. Lawrence U. | 2:00 p.m.   |
| Nov. 3   | Manlius School  | 2:00 p.m.   |

Coach—Albert Watrell

Manager—John Rathjens

Student Coach—Dick Zuck



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|--------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------------|
| September 22 | CORTLAND<br>(T)        | Open                   | Open                               |                                     | Montclair<br>(H)           | Wilkes<br>(T) N     | Millersville St.<br>(T)              |
| September 29 | Carnegie Tech.<br>(H)  | CORTLAND<br>(T)        | Delaware St.<br>Dover, Del.<br>(H) | Sept. 28<br>E. Stroudsburg<br>(H) N | Mansfield St.<br>(T)       | St. Lawrence<br>(H) | Sept. 28<br>Ithaca<br>(T) N          |
| October 6    | Open                   | King's Point<br>(H) N  | CORTLAND<br>(H)                    | Wilkes<br>(T) N                     | Clarion St.<br>(H)         | Maryland St.<br>(H) | Shippensburg<br>(H)                  |
| October 13   | Western Reserve<br>(T) | St. Lawrence<br>(T)    | Mansfield St.<br>(H)               | CORTLAND<br>(T)                     | Edinboro St.<br>(T)        | Bridgeport<br>(H)   | Lock Haven St.<br>(T)                |
| October 20   | St. Lawrence<br>(H)    | Ithaca<br>(H) N        | Shippensburg<br>(T)                | Alfred<br>(T) N<br>Oct. 26          | CORTLAND<br>(H)<br>Oct. 26 | Northeastern<br>(T) | Mansfield St.<br>(H)                 |
| October 27   | Alfred<br>(H)          | Buffalo<br>(T)         | King's (Pa.)<br>(T) N              | Brockport St.<br>(H) N<br>Nov. 2    | Ithaca<br>(T) N            | CORTLAND<br>(H)     | Oct. 26<br>West Chester St.<br>(T) N |
| November 3   | Bucknell<br>(T)        | American Int.<br>(H) N | California St.<br>(T)<br>Nov. 9    | Lock Haven St.<br>(H) N             | New Haven St.<br>(T)       | Muhlenberg<br>(T)   | CORTLAND<br>(T)                      |
| November 10  | Ohio Northern<br>(H)   | Brockport<br>(T)       | West Chester St.<br>(T) N          |                                     | Alfred<br>(H)              | Upsala<br>(H)       | Cheyney St.<br>(H)                   |
| November 17  | Hobart<br>(T)          |                        |                                    |                                     |                            | Springfield<br>(H)  | Kutztown St.<br>(T)                  |



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