

OUTLOOK FOR TONIGHTS FOOTBALL GAME

Before the 1969 football season ever got under way, Northern Arizona football coach John Symank leaned back, smiled and volunteered: "We should have a pretty strong defense and offensively we should be able to attack in just about any manner."

Also prior to the season, Cal State Los Angeles coach Walt Thurmond took stock of what he had on hand. "We should be solid in some areas, but as our quarterback goes, that's probably how we will do as a team."

As the season wears on, it is amazing how accurate the two philosophies were, for to this day both teams have established patterns similar to the pre-season observations by their overseers.

The Lumberjacks proved an ability to handle things adequately when they pulled off a stunning 21-20 upset over highly regarded West Texas State in their second game of the season.

When the Diablo quarterbacks are having a good series, the squad has moved well up the field, but on a flat series, the team has seemingly been hard pressed to find its offensive legs.

Tonight's game will mark the first meeting between the two opponents, and it figures to be a test of Cal State's quickness against Northern Arizona's size. The Lumberjacks have a huge line both ways, and the Diablos, while not equal in physical size, have relative quickness and the ability to maneuver.

One common problem that both squads share is a decided lack of depth — and each coach lives from game to game with the fear that if a front-line player gets hurt, filling the gap may be a monumental task.

"Our coaching staff knows that Arizona is a fine ball club and that it can do many things well," said Thurmond. "Because of their size, we are really going to have to do a job on them in order to win."

Thurmond isn't just talking through his hat. He has had a chance to observe a club with many traits like those of the Lumberjacks first hand — San Diego State, a school the Diablos opened the season against.

Massive Aztec linemen bulled their way into Cal State's backfield, putting the lock on runners almost before they could get their hands on the ball. Passing was also difficult because of the height of those same linemen.

Given a little running room, Cal State has the men who could give it a strong running game, and the air attack has the necessary ingredients for success — strong, accurate throwing arms and sure-fingered receivers.

"If we can put it together offensively, and if our defensive unit does its job as it's supposed to, we could win this football game," concluded Thurmond.

It would be a good one to win. The team could take pride in having defeated a first-class opponent; the new coach would have his first home triumph; and fans would be exposed immediately to the winning tradition in football that hopefully is to become the norm at Cal State.

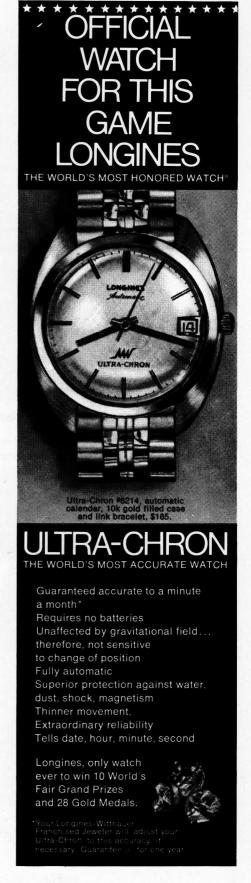
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NORTHERN ARIZONA

Offense

SE	203	I BOB GREY ISNOWN	180	5-10
LT	78	DOUG BAAR	250	6-4
LG	71	TERRY HUDGINS	230	6-2
C	51	LARRY RAMSEY	230	6-0
RG	69	STEVE PRESTON	210	6-2
RT	77	JOHN NICHOLS	245	6-4
TE	82	STEVE MAIER	210	6-3
QB	1/21	4 BOB STEWART	205	6-2
FL	83	CHARLES BROWN	190	6-3
HB	269	ALEC WALKER	185	6-0
FB	283	SONNY CAMPBELL DILL	205	6-0
		Defense	4	
LE	66	MARK LOMAS	230	6-4
LT	79	ED DULEY		
	17	ED DOLET	260	6-7
RT	70	STEVE HOLMES	260 245	6-7
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No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.					
912	Bobby Stewart	QB	6-2	205	63	Jay Hills	T	6-2	215
214	Ronny Johnson	QB	5-11	170	64	Mike Crowe	LB	6-1	205
15	Dave Narramore	QB	6-2	200	65	Jack Simon	G	6-0	224
17	Mike Olson	QB	6-2	195	66	Mark Lomas	DE	6-4	230
19	Jim Beckenhauer	QB	5-10	180	6/ 6	Bob Steward	OG	6-1	190
20	Bobby Grey	E	5-10	180	68	Tom Anderson	DE	6-2	210
21	Bob Brown	E	5-9	165	69	Steve Preston	C	6-2	198
22	Al Clark	DB	6-1	190					
23	Jim Fuller	DB	6-0	170	70	Steve Holmes	T	6-4	245
24	John Kmetovio	DB	5-8	165	71	Terry Hudgins	G	6-2	230
25	Frank Melendez	DB	6-0	171	72	Mario Lopez	OT	6-1	200
26	Alec Walker	HB	6-0	185	73	Tim Oder	T	6-4	260
27	Jose Hernandez	DB	5-10	182	74	Jim Volpe	OT	6-2	205
28	Sonny Campbell	FB	6-0	205	75	Steve Lannon	OT	6-4	205
					76	Ed Kelly	Т	6-1	240
30	Doug Dean	FB	6-1	190	77	John Nichols	T	6-3 1/2	246
31	Bill Tate	FB	6-1	220	78	Doug Barr	Т	6-4	255
32	John DeGrenier	FB	6-2	210	79	Ed Duley	Т	6-7	260
33	Cleveland Colter	FB	5-7	195					
36	Rich Correa	LB	6-1	210	80	Cleo Robinson	E	5-10	170
40	Larry Cox	LB	6-1	195	878+	Kurt Van Hazel	E	6-2	185
42	Dick Bowers	DB	5-8	160	82	Steve Maier	E	6-3	200
43	Mike Hlavac	DB	5-111/2	183	83	Charles Brown	E	6-2 1/2	190
44	Joe Jackson	HB	6-1	190	84	Tom Ramsey	E	6-5	215
45	Jim Bennett	DB	5-9	180	85	Kino Flores	E	6-2	190
46	Paul Thompson	DB	6-2	185	86	Rusty Tillman	LB	6-1	130
					K1 87	Calvin Pharr	E	6-2	210
50	Jim Farley	LB	6-0	245	88	Ken Sherman	E	6-3	205
51	Larry Ramsey	C	5-11 1/2	230					
53	Jim Bunk	OG	6-2	210		Marty Arambel	DB	6-0	197
55	Pete Greer	LB	6-0	190		Earnest Smith	DB	5-9	165
56		LB	6-0	230		Gregg Williams	E	6-4	195
60	Joe Sanchez	C	6-3	220		Robert Johnson	G	5-11	215
61	Steve Garner	G	6-2	210		Jordan Miller	G	6-0	220
62	Bill Orinski	T	6-2	240		Dan Lorenz	C	6-1	199
						Scott Free	LB	5-10	183

