

BYU-1972



1972 VARSITY SCHEDULE

			Series Record
September 16 (Sat.)	Kansas State University	BYU Stadium 7:30	1-3
September 23 (Sat.)	Utah State University	BYU Stadium 7:30	17-27-3
September 30 (Sat.)	Oregon State University	Corvallis 1:30	1-2
October 7 (Sat.)	Long Beach State	Anaheim 8:00	0-0
October 14 (Sat.)	*University Texas-El Paso (Homecoming)	BYU Stadium 1:30	4-5-1
October 21 (Sat.)	*Arizona State University	BYU Stadium 1:30	3-12
October 28 (Sat.)	*Colorado State University	Fort Collins 1:30	13-20-2
November 4 (Sat.)	*University of Wyoming	BYU Stadium 1:30	16-23-3
November 11 (Sat.)	*University of Arizona	Tucson 2:30	5-7-1
November 18 (Sat.)	*University of Utah	Salt Lake City 1:30	5-38-4
November 25 (Sat.)	*University of New Mexico	Albuquerque 1:30	10-10-1

*Western Athletic Conference Game

1971 RESULTS

Date	BYU	Opponent	Opp.	Site	Attendance
September 10	41	North Texas State	13	Dallas (Cotton Bown)	13,500
September 18	54	Colorado State	14	Provo	31,087
September 25	7	Kansas State	23	Manhattan, Kansas	37,500
October 1	0	New Mexico	14	Provo	25,299
October 9	7	Utah State	29	Logan, Utah	17,015
October 16	35	Wyoming	17	Laramie, Wyoming	15,538
October 23	25	Tulsa	7	Tulsa, Oklahoma	11,500
October 30	16	Texas-El Paso	0	El Paso, Texas	12,235
November 6	13	Arizona State	38	Tempe, Arizona	50,341
November 13	14	Arizona (Homecoming)	27	Provo	27,105
November 20	15	Utah	17	Provo	26,878

Overall Record: 5-6
 Home Attendance: 110,369
 Home Average: 27,592

Conference Record: 3-4 (tie for fourth)
 Total Attendance: 267,998
 Overall Average: 24,363

FINAL WAC STANDING - 1971

Team	Conference Games					All Games					
	W	L	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
Arizona State	7	0	1.000	287	88	*11	1	0	.917	462	163
New Mexico	5	1	.833	231	154	6	3	2	.636	341	292
Arizona	3	3	.500	86	102	5	6	0	.455	191	232
BRIGHAM YOUNG	3	4	.429	147	127	5	6	0	.455	227	199
Utah	3	4	.429	170	182	3	8	0	.273	244	315
Wyoming	3	4	.429	117	173	5	6	0	.455	222	309
Colorado State	1	4	.200	60	162	3	8	0	.273	177	267
Texas-El Paso	1	6	.143	55	166	5	6	0	.455	166	217

*Includes 45-38 win over Florida State in Fiesta Bowl

BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY MEDIA GUIDE 1972

FOOTBALL STAFF

Head Coach: **LaVell Edwards** (Utah State '52)
 Coordinator and Offensive Line Coach: **Dave Kragthorpe** (Utah State '55)
 Defensive Coordinator and
 Defensive Secondary: **Dick Felt** (BYU '58)
 Defensive Line and Linebacker: **Jim Criner** (Cal Poly '62)
 Offensive Backs: **J. D. Helm** (Kansas '66)
 Quarterbacks, Receivers: **Dewey Warren** (Tenn '68)
 Linebackers, Frosh: **Mel Olson** (BYU '70)

ATHLETIC STAFF

Dean of College	Dr. Milton F. Hartvigsen	Ext. 2645
Athletic Chairman	Stan Watts	2096
Asst. Chairman	Glen Tuckett	3338
Business Manager	Floyd R. Taylor	2096
Ticket Manager	David Dredge	2639
Sports Information Directors ..	Dave Schulthess	2511
	Bob Fitch	2511
Equipment Manager	Floyd Johnson	2410
Trainers	Rodney Kimball	3102
	Marv Roberson	3102



New head football coach LaVell Edwards (bottom) is pictured with staff (clockwise) J. D. Helm, Dave Kragthorpe, Dick Felt, Edwards, Dewey Warren, Mel Olson and Jim Criner. Warren and Criner are new to the Cougar staff.

CAMPUS THUMBNAIL

LOCATION: Provo Utah (estimated population 50,000)

ENROLLMENT: 25,000 (estimated)

FOUNDED: October 16, 1875, by The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints (Mormon)

PRESIDENT: Dr. Dallin H. Oaks. BYU is governed by a Board of Trustees.

CONFERENCE: Western Athletic Conference (Rocky Mountain-Southwest), headquarters in Denver, Colorado. Stan Bates, Commissioner, Office: 1515 Cleveland Place, Suite 300, Denver, Colo. Members as of July 1, 1968: Arizona, Arizona State, BYU, Colorado State, New Mexico, Texas at El Paso, Utah, and Wyoming.

COLORS: Royal Blue and White

NICKNAME: Cougars

STADIUM: BYU Stadium (1964) 30,000 capacity with possible future expansion to 45,000.

VARSITY SPORTS: Football, basketball, baseball, track, wrestling, golf, tennis, gymnastics, swimming, cross country and indoor track.

CAMPUS EXCHANGE: Area Code 801, 374-1211

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ON THE COVER

Dave Atkinson, who led the nation in pass interceptions for several weeks last season, takes one away from an intended Kansas State receiver.

COUGARS WILL BE MOVING UP THE LADDER

Quote from Coach: "To get the job done this fall, we plan to throw the football. But at the same time, we won't sacrifice our running attack. Our ground game will be a lot more effective, if we can balance our offense with more clout in our passing game.

"The pivotal thing for us will be our ability to maintain depth throughout the season. Injuries to key people would really hurt us; we're just not that deep."

Major Losses: It's the unexpected losses that are painful, and the Cougars experienced a major setback with the departure of Golden Richards, an academic casualty. A kick-return specialist who set NCAA records as a junior, Richards was capable of playing any number of positions, offense and defense. Golden produced his share of spark and excitement, and he was a source of genuine concern for opponents. Gone also are 17 other lettermen from last year, including All-American Gordon Gravelle (offensive lineman); all-WAC linebacker Jeff Lyman; Spero Bowman, captain of the specialty unit, and others.

Returning Lettermen: For the record, a total of 28 lettermen are back. But that really doesn't tell the story. Six of them can be considered offensive starters, plus two on defense. The running backs—Pete Van Valkenburg, Dave Coon, Steve Stratton, and others—look strong, and all the passers of '71 are returning, but will that be sufficient to get BYU rolling?

Rushing Game: The players who packed the leather so effectively last year are veterans capable of breaking open any football game. In Pete Van Valkenburg the Cougars have a player who was the leading rusher and leading scoring back for the past two seasons. Fullback Dave Coon can do a lot more than just run with ball as a blocker, receiver, and passer. Steve Stratton, the stocky fullback, was a stalwart last season. Between the three of them (and there is more rushing power on the roster) they averaged 5.0 per carry last year. Except for the fact that BYU lacks the quick, darting speed some teams have, this group might be a match for anything in the league.

Passing Game: Overall statistics and game-by-game summaries bear out the fact this is a weak spot for the Cougars. The aerial game just didn't materialize last season. It's a good bet, however, that the three returning quarterbacks, plus two newcomers, will improve this phase of the game. Southpaw Dave Terry, only a junior, is a strong candidate, and senior Bill August can't be counted out. It could be that sophomore Terry McEwen will be the answer. A real question mark until a regular emerges.

Kicking Game: For the most part, the punting and place kicking at BYU has been the property of Joe "The Toe" Liljenquist for the past three seasons. In fact, Joe did all of BYU's punting and extra-point kicking last year. It will be somewhat surprising if the kicking game doesn't suffer while replacements are found. Senior Brian Gunderson is labeled for some punting, while Ricks transfer Dennis Olsen and tackle John Monahan will be doing the place-kicking. Until



Team captains for 1972 are Dan Hansen and Pete VanValkenburg.

the season begins, the distance and accuracy remain uncertain.

The Defense: Although the statistics don't indicate it, it was the defense that held the Cougars together in much of the rough going last year. In fact, the Cats were second only to ASU in rushing defense last fall. BYU's secondary had some trouble with fleet-footed receivers, but the group aged and seasoned in the process. They were good in '71, and should be even better this fall. The defensive line, especially the linebackers, may not be as stout this time around.

The Offense: Breaking loose in several games last year, BYU's runners were impressive, and linemen like Gordon Gravelle may have had something to do with it. But the aerial game went flat too frequently. Thus the Cougar offense of '71 was out of sync, so to speak. Here again, much will depend on how well the Cats can take to the air.

New Talent: In terms of numbers, a larger-than-usual supply of newcomers will be in uniform; ten transfers, eight redshirts, half a dozen mission-returnees and a fair number of prospects from the frosh ranks. Sophomores like Orrin Olsen, Wayne Baker (6-6, 235) and Stan Varner (6-4, 215) will help the defensive line, but there aren't too many new faces who, at this writing, can be considered stand-outs.

League Outlook: Like everybody else in the Rocky Mountain-Southwest, LaVell Edwards sees Arizona State head and shoulders above the rest of the teams. New Mexico, Arizona and Utah should be up there with the pack, and UTEP and Wyoming are darkhorse calibre.

Summary: It would not be surprising to see the Cougars start moving up the ladder again in Edwards' first year at the helm. However, first years are supposed to be periods of adjustment. It might be expecting too much, too soon for anything more than a strong finish with the second division teams.

CHARTING THE THREE DEEP

OFFENSE

QUARTERBACK:
TAILBACK:
FULLBACK:
FLANKERBACK:
SPLIT END:
TIGHT END:
RIGHT TACKLE:
LEFT TACKLE:
RIGHT GUARD:
LEFT GUARD:
CENTER:

***Dave Terry** (Jr.)
****Pete VanValkenburg** (Sr.)
****Dave Coon** (Sr.)
John Bethan (Soph.)
*Logan Hunter (Sr.)
**Dennis Doman (Sr.)
*Craig Denny (Jr.)
***Dave Brooks** (Jr.)
****Paul Howard** (Sr.)
****John Monahan** (Sr.)
*Joe Bailey (Jr.)

*Bill August (Sr.)
Dan Taylor (Soph.)
*Steve Stratton (Jr.)
Ed McDowell (Jr.)
David Affleck (Jr.)
*Mike Pistorius (Jr.)
* Steve Price (Jr.)
Paul Muklewicz (Jr.)
Ken Peterson (Soph.)
Doug Maughan (Jr.)
Sidney Smith (Soph.)

Terry McEwen (Soph.)
*Wayne Bower (Jr.)
Charley Ah You (Soph.)
Dave Clark (Soph.)
Rick Powell (Jr.)
Randy Little (Jr.)
Julian Smilowitz (Soph.)

Val Miller (Soph.)
Harold Farnsworth (Jr.)

DEFENSE

RIGHT END:
LEFT END:
RIGHT TACKLE:
LEFT TACKLE:
MIKE:
STRONG BACKER:
WEAK BACKER:
WEAK SAFETY:
STRONG SAFETY:
LEFT CORNER:
RIGHT CORNER:
PUNTING:
PLACE KICKING:

*Ed Rozeski (Jr.)
*Bob Larson (Jr.)
*Grant Wells (Jr.)
Paul Linford (Soph.)
Larry Carr (Soph.)
*Mike Preston (Jr.)
**Ron Tree (Sr.)
****Dan Hansen** (Sr.)
**Craig Crompton (Sr.)
***Dave Atkinson** (Jr.)
*Bennie Smith (Sr.)
Brian Gunderson (Sr.)
Dennis Olsen (Jr.)

Stan Varner (Soph.)
Lloyd Fairbanks (Soph.)
Wayne Baker (Soph.)
Wally Molifau (Jr.)
Orrin Olsen (Soph.)
Doug Adams (Soph.)
Greg Dunn (Soph.)
Tom Echohawk (Soph.)
***George Gourley** (Sr.)
Paul Karaica (Jr.)
Reed Gempeler (Soph.)

John Monahan (Sr.)

Roy Robbins (Soph.)

Bill Critchfield (Soph.)

Kahlili Hunt (Jr.)
Scott Stapley (Soph.)
Karl Rogoff (Soph.)

**Von Wells (Sr.)
Stan Call (Soph.)

PERSONNEL OUTLOOK

LETTERMEN RETURNING (27)

(Nine starters returning - four on offense, five on defense)

- ***BILL AUGUST**, reserve quarterback (passing leader)
- ***DAVE ATKINSON**, left corner on defense (ranked fourth in NCAA pass interceptions)
- ****DAVE COON**, starting fullback (549 yards, 4.8 average)
- ****DAN HANSEN**, veteran weak safety (number two in defensive statistics, ranked 8th in NCAA pass interceptions, all-WAC)
- ***DAVID TERRY**, starting quarterback as a sophomore
- ****BRIAN GUNDERSON**, reserve quarterback
- ***BENNIE SMITH**, reserve right corner
- ****VON WELLS**, reserve strong safety
- ***LOGAN HUNTER**, reserve wide receiver (2nd in pass interceptions)
- ****PETE VANYALKENBURG**, starting tailback (led team in rushing and scoring, a two-year regular)
- ****RON TREE**, reserve linebacker
- ***GEORGE GOURLEY**, regular at left corner
- ***STEVE STRATTON**, reserve fullback behind Coon (3rd in rushing)
- ***WAYNE BOWER**, reserve fullback
- ****CRAIG CROMPTON**, strong safety (hurt much of last season)
- ***MIKE PRESTON**, reserve linebacker
- ****DENNIS DOMAN**, reserve linebacker
- ***JOE BAILEY**, reserve center behind his brother
- ***CRAIG DENNEY**, reserve offensive tackle
- ***STEVE PRICE**, reserve offensive tackle
- ****JOHN MONAHAN**, starting offensive tackle
- ***GRANT WELLS**, reserve defensive tackle
- ****PAUL HOWARD**, starting defensive end switched to offensive guard
- ***DAVID BROOKS**, starting offensive tackle
- ***BOB LARSEN**, reserve defensive end
- ***ED ROZESKI**, reserve defensive end
- ***MIKE PISTORIUS**, reserve tight end

TRANSFERS (10)

Paul Devine, tailback, 5-8, 195, Ricks College (Idaho)
Lloyd Fairbanks, defensive end, 6-4, 215, Ricks College (Idaho)
Harold Farnsworth, tight end, 6-2, 215, Dixie College (Utah)
Paul Gustavson, center, 6-1, 240, Ricks College (Idaho)
Kahlili Hunt, linebacker, 5-11, 220, Eastern Arizona
Paul Karaica, defensive halfback, 5-10, 185, Diablo Valley (Calif.)
Ed McDowell, wide receiver, 5-8, 185, Ricks College (Idaho)
Wally Molifau, defensive tackle, 6-2, 263, Miracosta College (Calif.)
Paul Muklewicz, offensive tackle, 6-2, 233, Glendale College (Arizona)
Dennis Olsen, kicking specialist, 5-10, 175, Ricks College (Idaho)

REDSHIRTS (6)

David Affleck, wide receiver, 6-2, 190, Orem, Utah
Bryce Johnson, tailback, 6-2, 192, Riverside, Calif.
Tom Echohawk, weak safety, 6-2, 195, Farmington, N. Mex.
Doug Adams, linebacker, 6-2, 210, Pleasanton, Calif.
Larry Carr, linebacker, 6-0, 218, Canoga Park, Calif.
Bill Critchfield, offensive tackle, 6-2, 240, Lynwood, Calif.

OUTSTANDING FRESHMEN (6)

Charles Ah You, fullback, 5-10, 185, Laie, Hawaii
Wayne Baker, defensive tackle, 6-6, 235, Northwest, Mont.
John Bethan, wide receiver, 5-11, 165, Lynwood, Calif.
Paul Linford, defensive tackle, 6-5, 245, Salt Lake City, Utah
Orrin Olsen, middle linebacker, 6-2, 235, Orem, Utah
Stan Varner, defensive end, 6-4, 215, Salt Lake City, Utah

MISSION RETURNEES (6)

Joel Adams, defensive end, 6-3, 210, Pleasant Grove, Utah
Stan Call, left cornerback, 5-10, 180, Layton, Utah
Doug Maughan, offensive tackle, 6-3, 230, Sandy, Utah
Val Miller, offensive guard, 6-3, 260, Provo, Utah
Ken Peterson, offensive guard, 6-2, 210, Anaheim, Calif.
Dan Taylor, tailback, 6-2, 190, Anaheim, Calif.

BYU TEAM ROSTER FOR 1972

No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Exp.	Class	Hometown		
5.	Bennie Smith, RC	45	Adams, Doug—LB	6-2	210	RS	Soph.	Pleasanton, Calif.
7.	Bill August, QB	85	Adams, Joel—DE	6-3	210	Fr.	Soph.	Pleasant Grove, Utah
8.	Dave Atkinson, LC	9	Affleck, Dave—SE	6-2	190	RS	Jr.	Orem, Utah
9.	Dave Affleck, SE	34	Ah You Charley—FB	5-10	185	Fr.	Soph.	Laie, Hawaii
10.	Dave Coon, FB	8	Atkinson, Dave—LC	6-2	185	1	Jr.	Provo, Utah
11.	Dan Hansen, WS	7	August, Bill—QB	6-0	180	1	Sr.	San Lorenzo, Calif.
12.	Mike Epperson, DB	61	Bailey, Joe—C	6-1	200	1	Jr.	Orem, Utah
13.	Dave Terry, QB	72	Baker, Wayne—DT	6-6	235	Fr.	Soph.	Northwest, Montana
14.	Terry McEwen, QB	41	Bethan, John—FL	5-11	165	Fr.	Soph.	Lynwood, Calif.
15.	Brian Gunderson, QB	36	Bower, Wayne—TB	6-0	185	1	Jr.	Nampa, Idaho
16.	Mark Montgomery, QB	79	Brooks, Dave—OT	6-2	222	1	Jr.	Corvallis, Oregon
17.	Fred Echohawk, SS	69	Burke, Jerry—LB	6-2	210	Fr.	Soph.	Burbank, Calif.
18.	Stan Call, LC	18	Call, Stan—LC	5-10	180	Fr.	Soph.	Layton, Utah
19.	Dennis Olsen, KS	67	Carr, Larry—LB	6-0	218	RS	Soph.	Canoga Park, Calif.
20.	Bryce Johnson, TB	58	Cole, Conrad—DE	6-1	218	DT	Soph.	Nassena, N.Y.
22.	Dean Conway, FB	22	Conway, Dean—FB	6-1	210	Fr.	Soph.	Reseda, Calif.
23.	Von Wells, SS	42	Clark Dave—FL	6-0	170	Fr.	Soph.	Spanish Fork, Utah
24.	Tom Echohawk, WS	10	Coon, Dave—FB	6-0	185	2	Sr.	Las Vegas, Nev.
25.	Logan Hunter, SE	64	Critchfield, Bill—OT	6-4	240	RS	Soph.	Lynwood, Calif.
26.	Paul Karaica, LC	44	Crompton, Craig—SS	5-10	165	2	Sr.	Orem, Utah
28.	Pete VanValkenburg, TB	62	Denny, Craig—OT	6-2	225	1	Jr.	Murray, Utah
30.	Paul Devine, TB	30	Devine, Paul—TB	5-8	195	Tr.	Jr.	Chicago, Ill.
31.	Reed Gempeler, RC	80	Doman, Dennis—TE	6-1	210	2	Sr.	Nampa, Idaho
32.	Ron Tree, LB	54	Draeger, Steve—LB	6-1	190	Fr.	Soph.	Burbank, Calif.
33.	George Gourley, SS	84	Dunn, Greg—LB	6-5	215	Fr.	Soph.	Salt Lake City, Utah
34.	Charlie Ah You, FB	17	Echohawk, Fred—SS	6-1	190	Tr.	Jr.	Farmington, N.M.
35.	Steve Stratton, FB	24	Echohawk, Tom—WS	6-2	195	RS	Soph.	Farmington, N.M.
36.	Wayne Bower, FB	12	Epperson, Mike—DB	6-1	185	Fr.	Soph.	Austin, Texas
37.	Karl Rogoff, ML	68	Farnsworth, Harold—OG	6-1	215	Tr.	Jr.	Las Vegas, Nev.
41.	John Bethan, FL	86	Fairbanks, Lloyd—DE	6-4	215	Tr.	Jr.	Raymond, Alta., Canada
42.	Dave Clark, FL	33	Gourley, George—SS	5-11	180	1	Sr.	Provo, Utah
43.	Dan Taylor, TB	31	Gempeler, Reed—RC	5-10	180	Fr.	Soph.	Salt Lake City, Utah
44.	Craig Crompton, SS	16	Gunderson, Brian—QB	6-0	175	2	Sr.	Salt Lake City, Utah
45.	Doug Adams, LB	56	Gustavson, Paul—C	6-2	230	Tr.	Jr.	Overland Park, Calif.
46.	Roy Robbins, DE	52	Hunt, Kahili—LB	5-11	220	Tr.	Jr.	Laie, Hawaii
50.	Mike Preston, SLB	25	Hunter, Logan—SE	6-1	180	1	Sr.	Hayward, Calif.
51.	Scott Stapley, SLB	11	Hansen, Dan—WS	6-2	195	2	Sr.	Torrance, Calif.
52.	Kahili Hunt, LB	78	Howard, Paul—OG	6-3	260	2	Sr.	Reading, Calif.
53.	Ken Peterson, OT	20	Johnson, Bryce—TB	6-2	192	RS	Soph.	Riverside, Calif.
54.	Steve Draeger, LB	26	Karaica, Paul—LC	5-10	185	Tr.	Jr.	Concord, Calif.
56.	Paul Gustavson, C	87	Larsen, Bob—DE	6-4	205	1	Jr.	Logan, Utah
57.	Larry Nelson, LB	74	Linford, Paul—DT	6-5	245	Fr.	Soph.	Salt Lake City, Utah
58.	Conrad Cole, DE	76	Miller, Val—OG	6-3	260	-	Soph.	Provo, Utah
59.	Sid Smith, C	16	Montgomery, Mark—QB	6-0	175	Fr.	Soph.	Los Angeles, Calif.
60.	Wally Molifua, DT	14	McEwen, Terry—QB	6-2	180	Fr.	Soph.	Portland, Ore.
61.	Joe Bailey, C	71	Monahan, John—OG	6-3	225	2	Sr.	West Covina, Calif.
62.	Craig Denny, OT	70	Muklewicz, Paul—OT	6-2	233	Tr.	Jr.	Stubenville, Ohio
63.	Julian Smilowitz, OT	66	Maughan, Doug—OF	6-3	230	-	Jr.	Sandy, Utah
64.	Bill Critchfield, DT	60	Molifua, Wally—DT	6-2	263	Tr.	Jr.	Oceanside, Calif.
65.	Steve Price, OT	57	Nelson, Larry—LB	6-0	190	Fr.	Soph.	Twin Falls, Idaho
66.	Doug Maughan, OT	19	Olsen, Dennis—KS	6-4	200	Tr.	Jr.	Idaho Falls, Idaho
67.	Larry Carr, MLB	83	Olsen, Orrin—LB	6-2	230	Fr.	Soph.	Orem, Utah
68.	Gary Farnsworth, OG	53	Peterson, Ken—OT	6-1	230	Fr.	Soph.	Anaheim, Calif.
69.	Jerry Burke, LB	89	Pistorius, Mike—TE	6-1	195	1	Jr.	Salt Lake City, Utah
70.	Paul Muklewicz, OT	90	Powell, Rick—SE	6-1	165	Fr.	Soph.	Salt Lake City, Utah
71.	John Monahan, OT	50	Preston, Mike—LB	6-3	205	1	Jr.	Torrance, Calif.
72.	Wayne Baker, DT	65	Price, Steve—OT	6-2	195	1	Jr.	Salt Lake City, Utah
73.	Stan Varner, DE	46	Robbins, Roy—DE	6-0	220	Fr.	Soph.	Honolulu, Hawaii
74.	Paul Linford, DT	37	Rogoff, Karl—LB	6-3	205	Fr.	Soph.	Bell, Calif.
76.	Val Miller, OG	88	Rozeski, Ed—DE	6-1	220	1	Jr.	San Pedro, Calif.

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77. Grant Wells, DT	63 Smilowitz, Julian—DT	6-0	215	Fr.	Soph.	LaMirada, Calif.
78. Paul Howard, OG	5 Smith, Bennie—RC	6-0	178	1	Sr.	Yuma, Arizona
79. David Brooks, OT	59 Smith, Sid—C	6-2	215	Fr.	Soph.	Sunnyvale, Calif.
80. Dennis Doman, DE	51 Stapley, Scott—LB	6-3	215	Fr.	Soph.	Bountiful, Utah
83. Orrin Olsen, LB	35 Stratton, Steve—FB	6-0	215	1	Jr.	Auburn, Calif.
84. Greg Dunn, LB	43 Taylor, Dan—TB	6-2	190	Fr.	Soph.	Anaheim, Calif.
85. Joel Adams, DE	13 Terry, Dave—QB	5-11	165	1	Jr.	Newport Beach, Calif.
86. Lloyd Fairbanks, DE	32 Tree, Ron—LB	5-11	190	2	Sr.	Heber City, Utah
87. Bob Larsen, DE	28 VanValkenburg, Pete—TB	6-2	195	2	Sr.	Salt Lake City, Utah
88. Ed Rozeski, DE	73 Varner, Stan—DE	6-4	215	Fr.	Soph.	Salt Lake City, Utah
89. Mike Pistorius, TE	77 Wells, Grant—DT	6-4	227	1	Jr.	Salt Lake City, Utah
90. Rick Powell, SE	23 Wells, Von—SS	6-2	185	2	Sr.	Twin Falls, Idaho

INDIVIDUAL, TEAM STATISTICS - 1971

RUSHING

(Top five only, returning players in bold face)

Player, Pos.	TC	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD
P. VanValkenburg, TB	121	655	54	601	4.9	8
Dave Coon, FB	113	569	20	549	4.8	2
Steve Stratton, FB	77	509	7	502	6.5	3
Wayne Bowers, FB	27	103	4	99	3.8	1
BYU TOTALS	525	2538	397	2141	3.8	20
OPP TOTALS	555	2051	298	1753	3.2	15

PASSING

Player, Pos.	Att.	Comp.	Inter.	Net	Avg.	Td
Bill August, QB	87	37	11	448	12.1	2
Dave Terry, QB	70	29	4	325	11.2	-
Brian Gunderson, QB	26	10	6	191	19.1	2
P. VanValkenburg, TB	12	6	1	83	11.6	-
Dave Coon, FB	4	2	-	48	24.0	-
BYU TOTALS	199	84	22	1095	13.1	4
OPP TOTALS	329	157	25	1985	12.7	9

PASS RECEIVING

Player, Pos.	Caught	Yards	TD
Golden Richards, FL	14	287	1
Logan Hunter, SE	12	156	1
Dan Bowers, TE	12	142	-
Bill Miller, SE	12	113	-
Mike Pistorius, TE	9	137	1
BYU TOTALS	84	1095	4
OPP TOTALS	157	1985	9

SCORING

Player, Pos.	TD	Pat-K	Pat-R	Pat-P	FG	Pts
P. VanValkenburg, TB	8	-	0-1	-	-	48
Joe Lilienuist, K	-	23-29	-	-	4-18	35
Golden Richards, FL	5	-	-	-	-	30
Bill August, FB	3	-	-	0-1	-	18
Dave Terry, QB	3	-	0-1	-	-	18
Steve Stratton, FB	4	-	-	-	-	24
BYU TOTALS	32	23-29	0-2	0-1	4-18	227
OPP TOTALS	26	19-22	1-1	1-3	6-16	210

TOTAL OFFENSE

Player	Rush	Pass	Total
P. VanValkenburg	601	83	684
Dave Terry	277	325	602
Dave Coon	549	48	597
Bill August	-44	448	404
Steve Stratton	502	-	502
BYU TOTALS	2141	1095	3236
OPP TOTALS	1753	1985	3738

PUNTING

Player	No.	Yds.	Avg.
Joe Lilienuist	69	2748	39.8
BYU TOTALS	69	2748	39.8
OPP TOTALS	78	3070	36.8

INTERCEPTIONS

Player	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
Dave Atkinson	9	120	-	13.3
Dan Hansen	7	233	2	33.3
Jeff Lyman	4	131	1	32.7
Ron Knight	2	7	-	3.5
Craig Crompton	1	12	-	12.0
George Gourley	1	-	-	-
Von Wells	1	11	-	11.0
BYU TOTALS	25	514	3	30.5
OPP TOTALS	22	216	-	9.8

PUNT RETURNS

Player	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
Golden Richards	33	624	4	17.9
Bob Larsen	1	36	1	36.0
Dave Coon	1	12	-	12.0
P. VanValkenburg	1	3	-	3.0
Dan Hansen	3	26	-	7.2
BYU TOTALS	39	701	5	18.0
OPP TOTALS	42	314	-	7.6

KICKOFF RETURNS

Player	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
Golden Richards	23	468	-	19.8
Jerry Duacer	6	114	-	19.0
P. VanValkenburg	4	90	-	12.0
Wayne Bowers	2	42	-	21.0
Dave Coon	1	2	-	2.0
BYU TOTALS	37	716	-	19.3
OPP TOTALS	32	536	-	16.7

SCORE BY QUARTERS

	1	2	3	4	Total
BYU	74	48	66	39	227
OPP	54	58	27	60	210

NATIONAL STATISTICS

Golden Richards—16th in all-purpose running with a 139.9 yard average.
 —1st in the nation in punt returns with an average of 18.9 on 33 returns.
Dave Atkinson—4th in the nation in interceptions with a total of 9 for 120 yards.
Dan Hansen—8th in the nation in interceptions with a total of 7 for 233 yards.

THE UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATION



PRESIDENT OAKS

The president of Brigham Young University is 40-year-old Dallin Oaks, who assumed the responsibilities of the nation's largest church-related institution of higher learning Aug. 1, 1971. President Oaks, a former professor of law at University of Chicago, replaced Dr. Ernest L. Wilkinson who served as president of BYU for a period of 20 years (1951-1971).

President Oaks was born in Provo, Utah, on Aug. 12, 1932, a son of the late Dr. Lloyd E. Oaks and Stella H. Oaks. He graduated from BYU in 1954 with high honors, receiving the B.A. degree in accounting and economics. At University of Chicago Law School he received the Doctor of Jurisprudence degree in 1957, graduating cum laude, second in a class of 86, and was named to the Order of the Coif. He was also editor-in-chief of the university's Law Review in 1956-57.

He began his legal career as a law clerk to Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court, Earl Warren. A year later he entered private law practice in Chicago (Kirtland, Ellis, Hodson, Chaffetz and Masters). In 1961 he became associate professor of law at University of Chicago, and was associate dean from May 1962 to Jan. 1963, serving as dean during the last three months of this period. He was also Assistant States Attorney of Cook County (1964) and visiting professor of law at University of Michigan Law School (1968).

From January through June 1970 he was on leave of absence to serve as legal and research adviser to the Bill of Rights Committee of the Illinois Constitutional Convention. He became executive director of the American Bar Foundation (1970).

Pres. Oaks has been co-editor, co-author, or author of four books dealing with subjects of church and state, trust law, operation of criminal courts in Chicago. He has also authored about thirty articles in leading periodicals and other magazines.

An active member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, he served as first counselor in the presidency of the Chicago Stake (district) and was formerly mission president in Chicago Stake.

He married June Dixon of Spanish Fork, Utah, and they have five children; Sharmon, Cheri, Lloyd, Dallin and TruAnn.

DR. MILTON F. HARTVIGSEN, Dean

The key administrator and planner in BYU's recent athletic growth is Dr. Milton F. Hartvigsen, dean of the College of Physical Education at BYU. A powerful force in the shaping of the Cougar sports program, "Milt" has also filled a number of key administrative assignments on the national level with the NCAA. . . . born Feb. 26, 1907 in Downey, Idaho . . . graduated from Downey High . . . attended Idaho State, obtained his B.S. degree from Utah State in 1930 . . . served as coach and teacher at Grace, Ida. (1930-36), then as principal at Grace (1936-44) . . . earned his M. Ed at Utah State (1939) . . . superintendent of Grace Schools (1948-52), then superintendent of Pocatello schools (1952-54) . . . obtained Ed.D. at UCLA in 1956 . . . was appointed dean at BYU in 1956 . . . also became BYU faculty adviser (1956-62), then faculty representative (1962-) . . . was chosen professor of the year at BYU (1963) . . . has completed numerous professional appointments in professional, civic and church organizations . . . former stake president of Bannock Stake in Grace, Ida. (1944-52) . . . was also a member of three NCAA committees . . . married Virgil Burrup Mar. 27, 1928, and they have four children; Mrs. Max (Lois) Morrill; Mrs. Ted (Bonne) Simmons; Richard and Kip. . . . phone 373-8342.

STAN WATTS, Athletic Chairman

If anyone on the Provo campus deserves the athletic title of "Mr. BYU," it's Stan Watts, the Cougars' athletic chairman . . . until last spring when he elected to retire from coaching, Stan was a man wearing two hats . . . his basketball teams won back-to-back WAC championships (1971-72) before Watts decided to spend full-time directing Cougar athletic affairs . . . although he has coached football, baseball, track and basketball in his 25 years at BYU, Stan is identified most with the cage game where he coached BYU teams for 23 years . . . he also served as assistant director of athletics and acting director of athletics, taking over the chairman duties in the summer of 1970 . . . born Aug. 30, 1911 in Murray, Utah . . . son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Watts . . . attended Murray High (1928), was an all-around athlete at Weber State (class of '36), and won letters in several sports at BYU (class of '38) . . . began coaching career at Millard High (1938-41) where one of his top players was Clarence Robison, now BYU track coach . . . was A.D. and cage coach at Dixie College (1941-45) . . . coached three sports at Jordan High (1945-47) . . . joined the athletic staff at BYU in 1947, coaching baseball, track and assisted in football and basketball . . . replaced Floyd Millet as head basketball coach (1949) . . . his teams have won two NIT titles ('51 and '66), eight conference championships . . . his overall basketball record is 431-260 . . . assistant director of athletics (1949) . . . former president of the National Association of Basketball Coaches (1969-70) . . . member of NCAA rules committee . . . author of "Developing an Offensive Attack in Basketball" . . . married Emily Kelly Aug. 21, 1939 . . . four children; Mrs. Dennis (Janice) Jones, Mrs. Richard (Susan) Coon, Judy and Howard Watts . . . phone 373-8156.



Dean Hartvigsen



Chairman Watts



COACHING RECORD

Coach	Year	Seasons	W	L	T	Pct.
A. G. Twitchell	1922-24	3	5	13	1	.289
C. J. Hart	1925-27	3	6	12	2	.350
G. Ott Romney	1928-36	9	42	31	5	.570
Eddie Kimball	1937-48	8	34	32	8	.514
Floyd Millet	1942	1	2	5	..	.286
Chick Atkinson	1949-55	7	18	49	3	.283
Harold Kopp	1956-58	3	13	14	3	.483
Tally Stevens	1959-60	2	6	15	..	.286
Hal Mitchell	1961-63	3	8	22	..	.267
Tom Hudspeth	1964-71	8	39	42	1	.482

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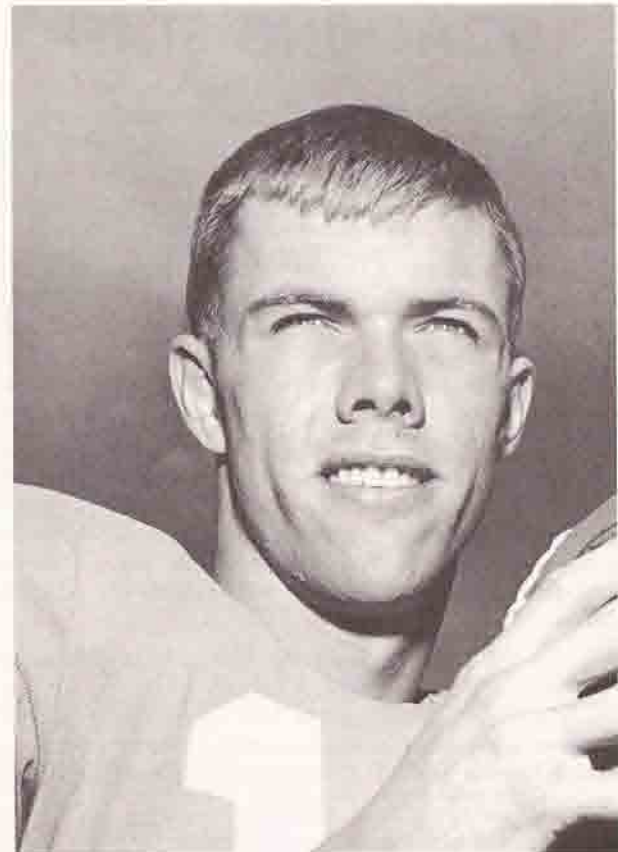
Although football—or what was known as football—was played at the Academy around the turn of the century, it was terminated soon thereafter because of a player fatality. It was not resumed on campus as an intercollegiate sport until 1922.

In the 47 seasons that followed (no games during World War II) the Cougars had 10 coaches and played over 400 games. The Cougars haven't had any undefeated seasons, but Ott Romney had an 8-1 season (1932), and Tom Hudspeth logged an 8-2 record in 1966.

Several ball players have won national recognition, or have set national records that still stand. One of the most recent was **Eldon "The Phantom" Forte**, tailback who was named to several All-America teams in 1962.

A player of more recent vintage is **Virgil Carter**, outstanding quarterback in the mid-sixties (1964-66) who still holds three major NCAA records. At one time Carter was credited with more yards total offense (6,354 yards) than any player in college football history. His 68 touchdowns is also a career record, and his 599 yards in a single game is also an NCAA high.

Another former player who is legend at BYU is **Phil Odle**, the Cougars' classy split end (1966-68) who is ranked among the top NCAA receivers (181 receptions for 2548 yards) of all time. **Chris Fara-sopoulos**, the Galloping Greek, set two NCAA records in punt and kickoff return yardage. **Golden Richards** also set or tied three NCAA kick-return records last season.



Quarterback Virgil Carter (1964-66) ran and passed for more yards than any player in intercollegiate football history during his three-year career at Brigham Young University.



LaVell Edwards, Head Football Coach

COACHING STAFF

"As a youngster in Orem," recalls LaVell Edwards, the Cougars' 41-year-old first-year head coach, "I used to follow BYU football regularly, often while perched in one of the orchard trees adjoining the practice field. My ambition was to be a coach, and that youthful dream is now a reality."

Edwards became Brigham Young University's 11th head football coach in January, replacing Tommy Hudspeth who resigned. A ten-year veteran as assistant coach on the Cougar staff, Edwards was raised within the shadows of BYU, but took a circuitous route of returning to the Provo campus.

Born in Provo, and raised in Orem, Edwards was an all-state player at Lincoln High School. He enrolled at Utah State, winning all-conference honors (center and linebacker) two years in a row. After being called into the service, Edwards played service ball for a couple of years, then began his coaching career at Granite High in Salt Lake City.

In 1962, LaVell joined the Cougar staff as an assistant coach. His coaching talents were evident from the start, and his strength has been in the area of defense. Prior to his appointment as head coach, LaVell was assistant head coach and defensive coordinator.

Another plus in Edwards' favor is his gift for working with people. He has excellent rapport with the players and coaches, including opposing coaches. In fact, LaVell seems to get along well with everyone.

The veteran member of the varsity staff (he came to BYU in 1962), . . . born Oct. 11, 1930 in Provo, Utah . . . attended



Dave Kragthorpe



Dick Felt

schools in nearby Orem . . . was all-state at Lincoln High School (now Orem High) in 1946 and 1947 . . . three-year regular at center . . . also lettered two years each in basketball and track . . . enrolled at Utah State in 1948, played center and linebacker . . . three-year letterman as center for the Aggies . . . was captain and all-conference for two years (1950-51) . . . he played service ball for the Army (1952-54) at Fort Lee, Va. . . . was player-coach for 6-3 team at Fort Meade, Maryland . . . returned to Utah and joined staff at Granite High in Salt Lake City (1954), serving as head football coach, wrestling coach, golf coach for a period of eight years . . . also tennis and basketball (1954-55) for two seasons . . . he joined the BYU staff in 1962 . . . LaVell obtained his M.S. degree from University of Utah in 1960, and is nearing completion of his work on a Ph.D. at BYU . . . married former Patti Louise Covey of Big Piney, Wyo., and they have three children: Ann, 16, John, 13, and James, 9 . . . LaVell likes to golf and garden . . . phone 225-2625.

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DAVE KRAGTHORPE (Utah State '55)

Offensive Coordinator, Offensive Line Coach

Now in his third year with the Cougars, Dave came to BYU two years ago last spring from the head coaching post at South Dakota State . . . his job: offensive coordinator and chief assistant. Born May 1, 1933 at Mound, Minn., to Jalmer and Emma Kragthorpe . . . was all-state and captain of football team at Mound . . . won letters in basketball and baseball, too . . . graduated in 1951 . . . enrolled at Utah State, was all-Skyline Conference lineman for two years, baseball catcher (1953-54) . . . played in the Salad Bowl in Phoenix, Ariz. (1955) . . . received his M.Ed. from USU in 1958 . . . began coaching at Idaho Falls (1958-59) . . . moved to Wyandotte, Mich., as head coach (1960-63) . . . named assistant at Montana (1964-66) . . . then assistant at South Dakota State (1967-68) . . . then head coach there in 1969 . . . married to former Barbara Ann Barnson of Kearns, Utah . . . two sons: Kurt, 11 and Steven, 7 . . . golf is hobby . . . phone: 375-2775.

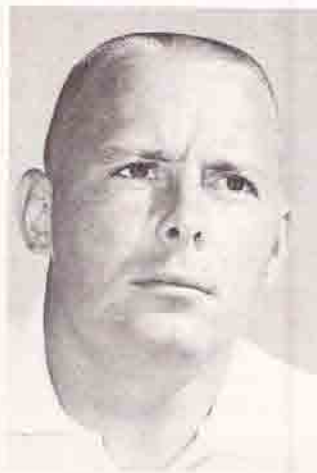
DICK FELT (BYU '58)

Defensive Coordinator, Backs

A veteran of seven years in the pros (N.Y. Titans and Boston Patriots), Dick was a natural selection for a BYU post when he concluded his pro career in 1967 . . . entering his fifth season on the Cougar staff . . . born March 4, 1933, in Lehi, Utah, Dick lettered in five sports at Lehi, winning all-state honors in football. . . his career has since gone full cycle: going from Lehi to BYU, service ball, to pro ball, and back to BYU . . . as a sophomore back, a relative unknown, he came off the bench to score four touchdowns in one quarter in a game with San Jose State . . . this record still



Mel Olson



J. D. Helm



Jim Criner



Dewey Warren

stands . . . he was a great-all-around player . . . in 1953 game with San Jose State he rushed for 109 yards (12 carries) was 2-for-2 in passing, caught two passes for 49 yards and two TDs, punted once for 58 yards, returned two kicks for 39 yards and scored three touchdowns . . . he won all-conference honors as a senior . . . graduated from BYU in 1958, was commissioned an officer in the Air Force . . . played for Bolling Air Force Base (1958-60), was all-service and MVP in the Air Force (1960) . . . came out a 1st Lt. . . . was signed by the New York Titans and played two seasons with them (1960-61) . . . all-pro second team as defensive back (1961) . . . traded to Boston Patriots as cornerback and was all-pro (1962) . . . he played in first and second all-star games in AFL . . . left pro ball in '66 and joined BYU staff in '67 . . . married Dayleen LaVon Hobson of Boise, Ida., on Apr. 20, 1960 in Salt Lake City . . . they have four children: Karen, 11, Curtis, 9, Kristie, 5, and Nancy, 3 . . . loves to golf. phone 225-7156.

JIM CRINER (Cal Poly '62)

Defensive Line, Linebackers

Coach LaVell Edwards' appointment of 32-year-old Jim Criner, a highly respected assistant at California (Berkeley) . . . is regarded as a definite plus for the Cougar staff . . . said Criner: "I am not trying to brag, but I had other offers for coaching positions. I chose BYU because of my very high regard for Coach Edwards." . . . born 3/31/40 in Lurton, Ark., Jim attended school at Coachella, Calif., where he was an all-around athlete . . . he attended Palo Verde J.C. for two years (58-59), then enrolled at Cal Poly of Pomona (60-61-62) . . . he was named a jucco all-American in football . . . graduated from Cal Poly in '62 on dean's honor roll . . . he played in the Olive Bowl . . . Cal Poly teams were 9-1 and 8-2 when Jim was there . . . he coached high school ball for five years (41-13-2 record) . . . spent one season at Utah (1967) then one season at Cal State-Hayward (10-1 and nationally ranked) . . . his two seasons at Berkeley were 13-9 overall, and Cal was ranked first and third in pass defense . . . Jim obtained his master's degree from Cal Poly in 1970 . . . he married Ann Marie Shmorhuni (1963), and they have two children: Mark, 5, and Kelli, 2.

J. D. HELM (Kansas '66)

Running Backs, Receivers

At age 30, J. D. Helm will begin his fourth season on the Cougar staff . . . this year as coach of the receivers and running backs . . . during his first two seasons he was freshman coach . . . he also worked with the varsity receivers last year . . . born Dec. 27, 1940 in El Dorado Springs, Mo. . . . J. D. was an all-conference halfback and defensive back at El Dorado . . . enrolled at Kansas where he competed in both football and track . . . he continued to play offensive halfback as frosh and soph and was moved to slotback and flanker as a

junior . . . blindsided on a look-in pass, he suffered a torn ligament . . . underwent three knee operations . . . on same team with John Hadl, Curtis McClinton . . . he served as frosh student assistant at KU (1965-66) before graduating in 1966 . . . he coached two years (1966-67) at Shawnee Mission East in Kansas . . . then came to BYU to work on advanced degree . . . BYU frosh assistant (1968), joined the varsity in 1969 . . . married Sarah Elizabeth Barker of Kansas City, Mo., on Aug. 6, 1968 in Salt Lake City . . . they have one daughter, Heather Ann, 2½ . . . phone: 374-6878.

DEWEY WARREN (Tennessee '68)

Quarterbacks, Receivers

The newest member of the Cougar staff, Dewey "Swamp Rat" Warren joined Edwards's staff this summer . . . he came to Provo from Knoxville, where he was assistant freshman coach at Tennessee . . . Coach Edwards feels that Warren's contribution with the quarterbacks and receivers will definitely help BYU . . . born in Valdosta, Georgia (5/7/45); Dewey won 12 letters at Jenkins High School in Savannah . . . he was all-city in three sports, all-state in two . . . he attended Tennessee where he: was quarterback in three bowl games Bluebonnet-1965, Gator Bowl-1967, and Orange Bowl-1968), was voted MVB in Bluebonnet, MVP in Gator, and best Tennessee QB of the 60's by Knoxville Journal readers . . . he set three major passing records for the Vols . . . was number two in career passing with 3,357 yards . . . he got his B.S. degree in P.E. in 1968 . . . drafted in '68 by the Cincinnati, spent one season with the Bengals . . . the following year he played for the Las Vegas Cowboys . . . he launched his coaching career as member of frosh staff at Tennessee in '70, a position he held until coming to BYU . . . he married Linda Hines in 1967, and they have one daughter, Angela Lynn, 1½.

MEL JAY OLSON (BYU '70)

Freshman Coach, Linebackers

The youngest member of the football staff at BYU, 27-year-old Mel Olson, was added to the staff not long after his graduation from BYU in 1970 . . . born Jan. 20, 1945 in Afton, Wyo., one of seven sons and daughters of Melvin and Wilda Olson . . . Mel was an all-state fullback and linebacker at Star Valley High for two years (1962-1963) and also made all-state basketball as a senior . . . enrolled at BYU and played center and linebacker as a freshman . . . suffered a knee injury in spring practice (1965) and redshirted that fall . . . had a fine season as a center (1966) before accepting a church mission call to Texas (1967-69) . . . returning to BYU, he won all-conference honors at center (1969) his senior season, an unusual achievement . . . married to the former Susan Taylor of Provo . . . likes to golf, camp . . . is working on master's degree . . . phone 225-7193.

THE UNIVERSITY

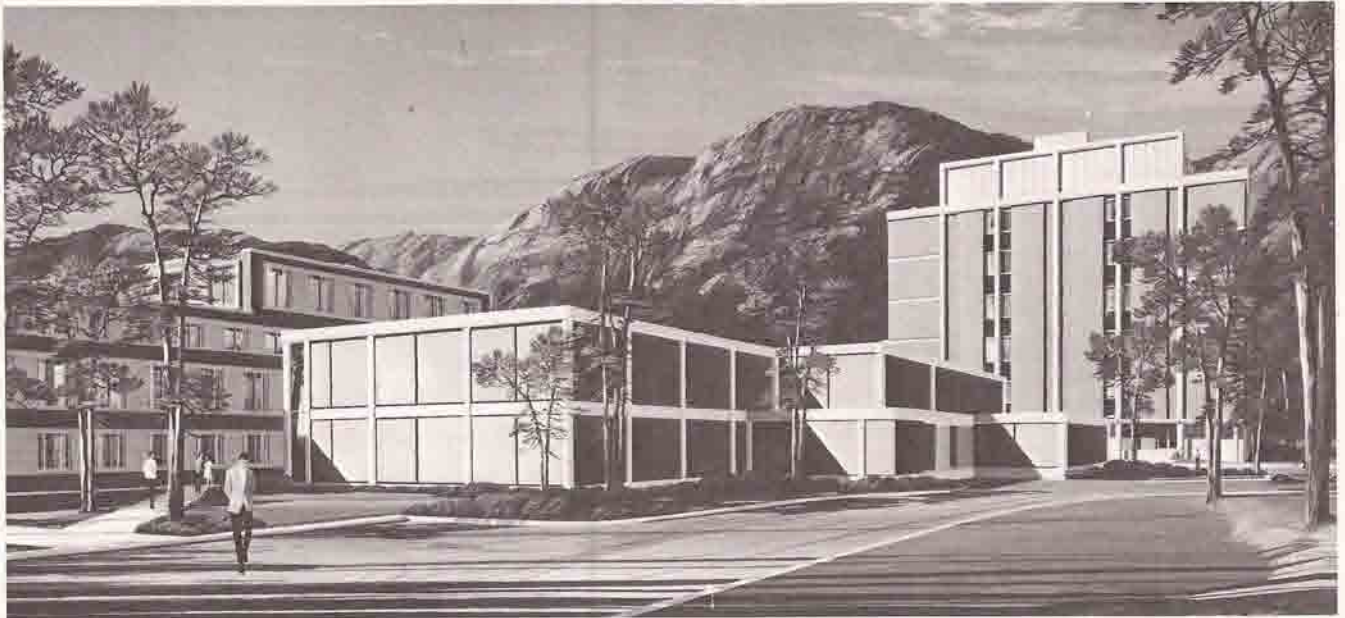
Brigham Young University, the fountainhead of learning for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints is among the largest church-related institutions of higher learning in the world. Within the University there are 13 colleges, and the graduate school offers masters degrees in 85 fields and doctoral degrees in 40 fields.

The school is located in beautiful Utah Valley on a bench overlooking Provo, Utah, a community of almost 50,000 people. Rugged mountains in the Wasatch range border the valley on three sides, the Utah Lake forms a border on the west.

Forty-five miles to the north is Salt Lake City, capital of Utah and historic center of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, (commonly called the Mormon Church).

This is the setting. But the school is more than this. It is a center of higher learning which places special emphasis on spiritual values, on friendly association, and on knowledge. But in any setting, the school would be unique because of its atmosphere.

BYU is a member of the Western Athletic Conference and is consistently a powerful contender in both conference and national intercollegiate sports.



Drawing of the new Life Science building on campus.

THE TRAINERS



Rod Kimball



Marv Roberson

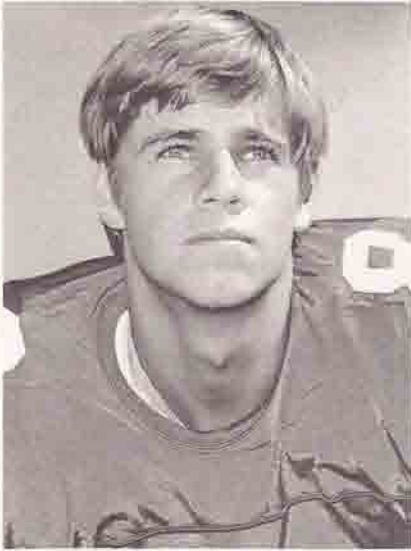
The Cougars' training tandem consists of veteran Rod Kimball and relative newcomer Marv Roberson. Rod is a veteran of more than 30 years in the business, while Marv is now in his seventh season with the Cougars.

Rod Kimball was born Feb. 13, 1910 in St. David, Ariz. . . . the fifth of 10 children born to Crozier and Mary Kimball . . . grew up in Draper, Utah . . . three-sport letterman at Jordan High (class of '29) . . . also student body president . . . missionary in German-Austrian mission (1930-33) . . . attended Utah State . . . graduated BYU (class '55) . . . M.S. degree from BYU (1963) . . . joined BYU staff as trainer and equipment man in 1937 . . . with exception of three-year period in World War II, has been trainer since . . . most travelled man on campus . . . four trips to Europe, two to Central and South America, three to Hawaii, one to Orient-Pacific . . . married LeNeve Martin Jan. 2, 1934 in S.L. Temple . . . they had 14 children, 12 of whom are living today . . . 22 grandchildren . . . former bishop of Grandview Ward in Provo (1941-1946) . . . phone: 373-1333.

Marv Roberson was born Mar. 21, 1932 in Long Beach, Calif. . . . raised in California and Oklahoma . . . graduated from Chickasha, Okla., 1950 . . . served on church mission to Central States (1951-53) . . . attended BYU (class of '57), graduated with B.S. degree . . . was shot putter and co-captain on track team (1956) . . . physical therapy degree from Stanford (1958) . . . M.S. degree from Stanford (1963) . . . assistant athletic trainer at Stanford (1958-62) . . . head trainer Foothill Junior College (1962-66) . . . assistant trainer for Oakland Raiders of AFL (1965) . . . joined BYU staff in 1966 . . . travels to Europe extensively, giving lectures on training techniques . . . was trainer for foreign track and field teams in last two Olympics (Mexico and Munich) . . . married to former Doris Jean Belbutowski and they have three children . . . phone 375-3103.

PLAYER PROFILES

Dave Atkinson



The most important thing learned by Dave Atkinson in his first year of varsity ball was patience. It was a forced lesson, however, since Atkinson had to redshirt the 1970 season.

As it turned out, the "bye" may have been one of the smartest decisions he could have made. Had he played in '70, he would have been behind Chris Farasopoulos, the famed Galloping Greek. But Dave was really ready by '71, starting and playing in all 11 games.

"For a sophomore just starting his varsity career," says BYU defensive coordinator Dick Felt, "Dave played well enough to make nearly any team in the country."

Indeed, Atkinson's first year was rather unusual. He tied a school record with three interceptions in one game (North Texas State), was ranked fourth in the nation in pass interceptions (nine in 11 games), and won honorable mention all-WAC.

Prior to his first game with the Cougars, however, Dave was a bit uncertain about his ability.

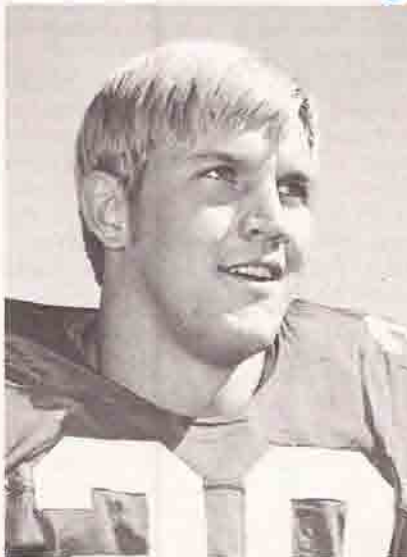
"I was really nervous," says Dave, "especially after they (No. Texas State) completed their first pass against us."

But Dave and his teammates settled down in the Cotton Bowl setting. Dave picked off three NTS passes to tie a school record, as the Cougars won the opener, 41-13.

"For a defensive back who has man-to-man coverage, nine interceptions is quite unusual," says Felt. "Generally, a defensive back is somewhat limited in interception opportunities, compared to the roaming safety."

ATKINSON, DAVE (8), Cornerback, 6-2, 193, Junior, Provo, Utah.—Dave may come by his talent naturally . . . as the son of the late Chick Atkinson, head football coach at BYU (1949-55) . . . an all-state quarterback at Provo High, he was switched to defensive back in college . . . a red-shirt for the '70 season . . . has good speed, hits with authority and has good football sense . . . as a sophomore last year he led the nation in pass interceptions for several weeks, finishing the season in fourth place in NCAB stax . . . ranked third in BYU defensive stax with 31 assisted tackles, 31 unassisted tackles, two fumble recoveries, nine interceptions and seven deflections . . . younger brother, Scott, was member of BYU frosh basketball team . . . single . . . English major . . . born 5/9/51.

Pete VanValkenburg



Fleet Pete VanValkenburg, the senior tailback from Salt Lake City, is the Mr. Steady of Cougar football. Although he is not the spectacular performer one might expect him to be as the leading rusher and scoring back on the team, he does everything well.

The 1971 season is a good case in point.

Pete led the team in rushing with 601 yards (4.9 per carry), scored the most touchdowns (eight), completed six out of 12 passes, caught seven passes, had five kick-returns and led the team in total offense.

With all of that, one might expect Fleet Pete would be in line for more public notice. But the 6-2, 195-pound senior is indifferent to any special recognition. He's just doing his job the way he's been doing it since his prep days at Hillcrest High.

An all-state fullback, Pete ran for over 1,200 yards one season and scored six touchdowns in a single game. In addition, he was a forward on a state championship basketball

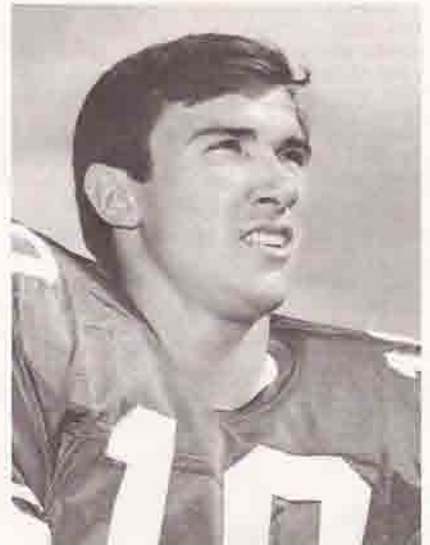
team and lettered two years in baseball.

During his two years as a starting back, VanValkenburg has managed to set at least one record. Two years ago in a game against rival Utah State, Pete carried the ball 37 times, the most ever for a BYU player in a single game.

It should be added that he netted 127 yards as the Cougars upset the Aggies, 27-20.

VANVALKENBURG, PETE (28), Tailback, 6-2, 195, Senior, Salt Lake City.—What more can you say about a player who has been the leading rusher and top scoring back on the team for the past two seasons? . . . he may not have blinding speed, but he does have an excellent combination of qualities (power, balance, etc.) . . . all-state fullback, all-region basketball player at Hillcrest . . . had fine freshman season at BYU, but redshirted '69 season . . . single . . . recreation education major . . . born 5/19/50.

Dave Coon



If a football coach were to put all the good qualities of a football player into one person, he would probably come up with a griddler like Dave Coon.

The senior fullback from Las Vegas was an indispensable part of the Veer-formation attack of last season. He ran (549 yards and 4.8 per carry), blocked, passed, and caught passes in the most unrelenting fashion. Indeed, he seemed to be most responsive when the going was the toughest.

Like VanValkenburg, Dave has been a key player for the Cougars the last two seasons.

Dave really got rolling towards the end of the season, rushing for more than 100 yards in each of the last three games of the season (Arizona State, Arizona and Utah).

Coon set several passing records as a member of the frosh squad. He started his sophomore year as a quarterback, then alternated at fullback and tailback in his first season. He is the kind of player who will fit in where needed.

The same can be said of Dave when he is in a BYU baseball uniform. Coon has spent two full seasons on the Cougar nine as catcher-outfielder. Two years ago he was catcher on the team that won the WAC title and NCAA regional championship and earned a berth in the College World Series at Omaha. He hit nine home runs and batted .291 for the season.

Last year Dave played the outfield, hitting ten homeruns in 47 games. His slugging percentage was .525, and he stole seven bases.

COON, DAVE (10), Tailback, 6-0, 185, Senior, Las Vegas, Nev.—Very versatile player . . . started as a quarterback with the frosh . . . opened his sophomore season as a QB . . . then switched to running back, both fullback and tailback . . . has rushed for about 750 yards in two seasons . . . has caught 19 passes, and is capable of hitting receivers off his running assignments . . . as a freshman he scored 36 points in four games, passed for 666 yards . . . all-anything at Las Vegas High . . . also student-body president . . . Dave was all-District Seven in baseball as a sophomore . . . his younger brother, Doug, is also a member of the BYU baseball team . . . a business administration major . . . single . . . born 7/23/51.

Dan Hansen



For most fans and players, football is a game of emotion. But Dan Hansen, BYU's outstanding weak safety, will take hard work and planning over emotion any day.

"I don't believe in yelling and working up a hate," says the Cougars' number one pass interceptor. "I

have to call defensive signals, and a lot depends on my remaining calm and alert to everything that is going on. Consequently, I can't afford to get too emotional."

In lieu of outbursts of inner fire, Hansen relies on great physical conditioning and planning. The 6-3, 195-pound native of Torrance, Calif., remains in superb shape with weight-lifting and other regimens. And he knows his assignments.

Apparently the Hansen formula pays dividends. Dan led the WAC in pass interceptions as a sophomore, and he was named to the official all-WAC defensive team as a junior. He should break the pass interception record for the school by mid-season.

"Dan worked harder as a redshirt than most players do preparing for a game," notes defensive coach Dick Felt. "And he is a great student of the game."

Some of Dan's success can be attributed to the fact that he is familiar with quarterbacking. Dan was second team all-CIF quarterback at North Torrance, but was moved to defense at BYU. "In my opinion, Dan is the best defensive back in the West," adds Felt. "Better defensive backs would be hard to come by."

DAN HANSEN (11), Weak Safety, 6-3, 195, Senior, Torrance, Calif.—Dan did it all at North Torrance High . . . second team all-CIF in football as QB, all-league in basketball . . . four letters in both sports . . . played frosh basketball at BYU as "sixth man" . . . QB on frosh football team . . . switched to defense, redshirted '69 season . . . led WAC in pass interceptions as a sophomore (eight, ranked 12th nationally) . . . had seven, ranked 8th in '71 . . . holds school record for most yards intercepted returns (341 yards) . . . ranked second in BYU defensive stax as sophomore and junior . . . married to the former Donna Wilson of Torrance . . . they have two children . . . P.E. major . . . born 1/3/50.

Paul Howard

Football coaches, who tend to be skeptics, generally reserve their praises for the proven performer. This year the BYU staff is high on a lineman who will be playing offense for the first time.

The player, the one Coach Edwards expects will win some post-season honors, is Paul Howard, former defensive end who has been moved to offensive guard.

A senior from Redding, Calif., Howard stands 6-3, but at this writing his weight is still in question. As a sophomore he was listed at 225; as a junior 235, and last spring it was



250. Since starting a weight-lifting program, however, his weight has soared over the 260 mark, and he is expecting to play at around 270.

The rather dramatic change in Paul's weight and strength is credited to a weight-lifting program the Cougars have been following. In Howard's case, the results have surpassed expectations.

At a recent meet in Utah, Howard (super heavy weight class) set four state records with personal highs in each event. He had a 395 bench press, 500 squat, 575 dead lift, and an overall total of 1470. The last figure puts him among the top lifters in the college ranks today.

What's more important, Paul can carry his weight on the football field as well. He is versatile enough that he can be moved around, offense or defense.

Only one other BYU player had more tackles-for-loss than Howard in his sophomore year, and he was in on 111 tackles (assisted or unassisted) last season.

"Frankly," says Edwards, "I believe that Howard will match the play of Gordon Gravelle (all-American of last year) as offensive guard, even though this is his first season at that position."

That's quite a statement from a person who's supposed to be a skeptic.

HOWARD, PAUL (78), Offensive Guard, 6-3, 265, Senior, Redding, Calif.—A very steady performer for the past two years . . . won three letters each in football and basketball at Central Valley High . . . overlooked as a college player . . . came on basketball grant . . . ranked among top ten defensively on squad past two seasons . . . weight lifting has increased his strength and size, but not hurt his speed . . . spent summer driving a truck . . . enjoys golfing . . . Paul and wife, Kathy, married last year . . . P.E. major . . . born 9/12/50 in San Jose, Calif.

Orrin Olsen



Despite his rich football heritage, Orrin Olsen finds almost as much pleasure in breaking family traditions as he does in upholding them.

Orrin, of course, is the younger brother of the Los Angeles Rams' Merlin and Phil Olsen, two of professional football's finest defensive tackles. Following the Olsen tradition is something Orrin has always had in mind. But he broke with tradition when he decided to attend BYU over Utah State.

Furthermore, Orrin has changed positions, moving from a tackle in high school, to a defensive end as a freshman, and finally to linebacker as a varsity candidate. The last switch was to help the Cougars who lost all three starting linebackers.

Hard work and versatility are Orrin's fortes, as evidenced in his prep

career. At Orem High he placed second in the state in wrestling, was all-state in football, set a new state record in the discus, was a member of the A Cappella choir and served as senior class president.

He was a standout in the classroom, too. As a student at BYU he has a 3.57 cumulative GPA, and last spring sported a 3.82 average in his major, business management.

An Eagle Scout, Orrin spent part of his summer working on the Hill Cumorah Pageant, an outdoor production in Upper New York State produced by the LDS Church.

ORRIN OLSEN, (83), Linebacker, 6-3, 230, Soph., Logan, Utah.—The youngest of nine children . . . born 7/7/53 son of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Olsen (father is a soil scientist), who have seen to it that all of their children have gone to college . . . Orrin attended Logan High as a soph . . . Orem as a junior and senior . . . was offensive tackle, defensive end in high school . . . second in state wrestling . . . set state discus record in track . . . sang in A Cappella choir . . . senior class president . . . pursued by some 200 schools . . . an excellent student in business management . . . single.

Dave Terry

The automobile's California license plate reads "BYU-1" and the optimism it reflects for the coming football season is akin to the optimism of the car's owner, Cougar quarterback Dave Terry.

Dave must be something of an optimist to be where he is today, the leading contender for the quarterback job for coach LaVell Edwards' Cougars.



"People are always saying I'm too small for football," the 5-11, 165 pound junior says with a grin. "I know I'm not the biggest player on the field, but I feel ability, not size alone, has something to do with your success."

Skeptics have also pointed out that Dave is left-handed, and therefore "unorthodox" for a signal-call. But you will have a hard time convincing Terry or members of the BYU staff that this is the case.

In the fore part of the season (1971) Dave completed 11 straight passes before missing.

DAVE TERRY (13), Quarterback, 5-11, 165, Jr., Newport Beach, Calif.—all-Orange Coast at Corona Del Mar High in Newport Beach, Calif. . . . a '70 redshirt . . . hit 29 of 70 attempts (four interceptions) for 325 yards passing last year . . . pretty good speed with a 10.6 in the 100 . . . high school honor roll . . . born 10/3/51 . . . single . . . majoring in international relations.

PLAYER PROFILES

ADAMS, DOUG (45), Linebacker, 6-2, 210, Soph., Pleasanton, Calif.—A former all-league tight end and linebacker at Amador Valley High School . . . a redshirt . . . shows promise at linebacking spot . . . worked as cook at a country club during summer . . . enjoys art, writing short stories . . . single . . . P.E. major . . . born 12/31/51.

AFFLECK, DAVE (9), Flanker, 6-2, 190, Jr., Orem, Utah—Red-shirted last year but should help the receiving corps this fall . . . converted quarterback was former J.C. national passing leader at Snow College in 1969 with 1550 yards . . . all-state QB at Orem under Udell Westover . . . business management major . . . 6/15/51.

AH YOU, CHARLEY (34), Fullback, 5-10, 185, Soph., Laie, Hawaii—Leading ground-gainer from last year's frosh squad . . . compact runner who accelerates extremely fast . . . younger brother of Arizona State All-American Junior Ah You . . . named "Back of the Year" . . . lettered in three sports as a prep at Kahuku High . . . Charley and wife, Joyce, were married last

November . . . born 3/21/52.

AUGUST, BILL (7), Quarterback, 6-0, 180, Sr., San Lorenzo, Calif.—Last season's passing leader with 37 of 87 for 448 yards and two TD's . . . great passer, once hit 39 of 60 in one game for 600-plus yards at Chabot J.C. . . . needs to scramble more . . . could see plenty of action . . . excellent baseball player . . . single . . . P.E. major . . . born 2/12/51.

BAILEY, JOE (61), Center, 6-1, 200, Jr., Orem, Utah—Younger brother to last year's starting center, Mike Bailey . . . should start on his own this year . . . all-state, all-region, and All-American mention at Orem High . . . snaps the ball well and should anchor the line well . . . P.E. major . . . single . . . born 5/11/52.

BAKER, WAYNE (72), Defensive Tackle, 6-6, 235, Soph., Plains, Mont.—A starter on defense in the spring game . . . standout for last year's frosh . . . all-state, all-conference in football at Plains Public High . . . played in the East-West Shrine game . . . great potential . . . major undecided . . . born 7/7/53.

BETHAM, JOHN (41), Flanker, 5-11, 165, Soph., Lynwood, Calif.—Top receiver on the frosh team last year . . . probable starter this fall . . . great all-around athlete . . . all-league and all-area in football, basketball, and baseball at Lynwood High . . . good speed and moves . . . should see a lot of action . . . single . . . P.E. major . . . born 1/7/53.

BOWER, WAYNE (36), Tailback, 6-0, 185, Jr., Nampa, Idaho—Played well as reserve last year . . . gained 99 yards in 27 carries for 3.8 mean . . . adds good depth to a strong corps of runners for the Cougars . . . all-state at Nampa High . . . single . . . recreation major . . . born 10/29/50.

BROOKS, DAVE (79), Offensive Tackle, 6-2, 222, Jr., Corvallis, Ore.—Letterman from last year's team . . . came to BYU with fine prep record . . . all-league at Corvallis High . . . played in Shrine game . . . hobby is mountain climbing.

BURKE, JERRY (69), Linebacker, 6-2, 210, Soph., Burbank, Calif.—Fine prospect up from the frosh . . . honorable mention all-CIF in football . . . hit .416 for the baseball team at Burbank High . . . enjoys scuba diving . . . single . . . public communications major . . . born 4/2/53.

CALL, STAN (18), Cornerback, 5-10, 180, Soph., Layton, Utah—Converted from fullback, where he gained all-state, all-region honors by gaining over 1400 yards . . . standout for Davis High . . . brother Ken played for BYU 1967-70 . . . computer science major . . . mission returnee . . . single . . . born 12/1/50.

CARR, LARRY (67), Linebacker, 6-0, 218, Soph., Canoga Park, Calif.—A redshirt last year . . . will probably start at the middle or Mike position . . . very aggressive . . . all-league at Canoga Park . . . captain of 1970 frosh . . . P.E. major . . . single.

CLARK, DAVE (42), Flanker, 6-1, 210, Soph., Spanish Fork, Utah—Steady player up from the frosh . . . should help out.

COLE, CONRAD (58), Defensive End, 6-1, 218, Soph., Nassena, N.Y.—A redshirt last year . . . should help out on the front line . . . information lacking at this writing.

CONWAY, DEAN (22), Fullback, 6-1, 218, Soph., Reseda, Calif.—Transfer from L.A. Valley J.C. . . . selected MVP at Reseda High with 530 yards in 105 carries . . . brother Mike plays for Utah . . . physical therapy major . . . single . . . born 5/20/49.

CRITCHFIELD, BILL (64), Offensive Tackle, 6-4, 240, Soph., Lynwood, Calif.—Redshirted last season . . . should help out the line with experience . . . was San Gabriel Valley's lineman of the year in 1969 . . . all-area at Lynwood High . . . married . . . wife's name is Jody . . . born 12/16/51.

CROMPTON, CRAIG (46), Strong Safety, 5-10, 165, Sr., Orem, Utah—Solid, experienced man in the secondary . . . should start . . . former all-state running back at Orem High . . . fine student . . . zoology major . . . with 3.65 cumulative GPA in zoology . . . married.

DENNY, CRAIG (62), Offensive Tackle, 6-2, 225, Jr., Murray, Utah—A probable starter at tackle this year . . . was all-state at Murray High under Rex Wright . . . single . . . born 3/9/51.

DEVINE, PAUL (30), Tailback, 5-8, 195, Jr., Chicago, Ill.—A transfer from Ricks J.C. . . . looked good last year for the Vikings . . . three-year veteran with the Army . . . earned honorable mention all-conference honors at Crane Tech High in Chicago . . . P.E. major . . . Paul and wife Ernestine are the parents of two children, Paul, 4 and Latanya, 2½ . . . P.E. major.

DOMAN, DENNIS (80), Tight End, 6-1, 210, Sr., Nampa, Idaho—A converted linebacker from last year . . . played tight end in high school . . . all-SIC in football . . . all-state in baseball . . . business management major . . . could be a regular this year . . . single . . . born 5/9/50.

DRAEGER, STEVE (54), Linebacker, 6-2, 205, Soph., Burbank, Calif.—Transfer of a year ago from L.A. Valley J.C. . . . shows promise . . . named most improved lineman at Monroe High and captained the baseball team . . . father works for the L.A. police dept. . . . single . . . P.E. major . . . born 5/3/52.

DUNN, GREG (84), Linebacker, 6-5, 215, Soph., Salt Lake City, Utah—A frosh grad, Greg should move up with a little experience . . . very agile . . . was all-state in football at Skyline

High . . . also all-region in basketball . . . single . . . born 12/19/52.

ECHOHAWK, FRED (17), Safety, 6-1, 190, Jr., Farmington, N.M.—Oldest of three Echohawk brothers to play for BYU . . . brother Larry starred in the defensive backfield 1968-70 . . . younger brother Tom is currently with team . . . Fred transferred to BYU following 3½ years with the Marines . . . lettered in football, track and basketball at Farmington High . . . married . . . aiming for Law School.

ECHOHAWK, TOM (24), Safety, 6-2, 195, Soph., Farmington, N.M.—A fine prospect for the Cougars . . . will play behind Hansen at weak safety . . . Redshirted last season after top freshman year . . . captain of football and track teams at Farmington High . . . married wife Celia 5/29/71 . . . one child, Crystal . . . sociology major . . . born 8/7/52.

EPPELSON, MIKE (12), Defensive Back, 6-1, 185, Soph., Austin, Texas—Came to BYU from Reagan High in Austin . . . earned eight letters in high school . . . all-zone in football . . . all-state baseball . . . captain of high school national championship team . . . named Texan of the Month in April of '71 . . . brother Steve was All-American wrestler at BYU in 1965 . . . single . . . health science major . . . born 7/30/53.

FAIRBANKS, LLOYD (86), Defensive End, 6-4, 215, Jr., Raymond, Alta., Canada—Transferred to BYU this fall from Ricks J.C. . . . Has worked in well and should see some action for the Cougars.

FARNSWORTH, HAROLD (68), Offensive Guard, 6-1, 215, Jr., Las Vegas, Nev.—A transfer from Dixie J.C. . . . attended Western High in Las Vegas . . . named to all-conference team in 1970 . . . zoology major . . . single . . . born 1/30/52.

GEMPELER, REED (31), Defensive Back, 5-10, 180, Soph., Salt Lake City, Utah—Has moved up fast since playing frosh ball last year . . . will back up Bennie Smith at right corner . . . named all-region in football and track in 1970 . . . single . . . P.E. major . . . born 1/13/53.

GOURLEY, GEORGE (33), Safety, 5-11, 180, Sr., Provo, Utah—Started for the Cougars last year . . . should push again for top spot . . . has made good progress since transferring from Snow College two years ago . . . physical therapy major . . . single . . . born 6/16/51.

GUNDERSON, BRIAN (15), Quarterback, 6-0, 175, Sr., Salt Lake City, Utah—Probably the only QB most alumni are familiar with . . . sparked BYU's upset over Utah State two years ago . . . helped the Cats gain lead over Arizona last year before the roof caved in in the last two minutes . . . fine all-around athlete from Olympus High . . . carried football with him while serving two years in Europe as church missionary . . . married . . . accounting major . . . born 11/18/47.

GUSTAVSON, PAUL (56), Center, 6-2, 230, Jr., Overland Park, Kans.—Transfer from Ricks J.C. . . . will have to establish himself in order to move into the lineup.

HUNT, KAHLILI (52), Linebacker, 5-11, 220, Jr., Laie, Hawaii—A bullish-type player . . . came to BYU this year from Eastern Arizona J.C. . . . shows promise.

HUNTER, LOGAN (25), Split End, 6-1, 180, Sr., Hayward, Calif.—Ranked second in pass receptions despite sharing playing time . . . 12 catches for 156 yds. and one TD last year . . . teamed with Bill August at Chabot J.C. two years ago . . . runs patterns well . . . should benefit from improved Cougar passing attack . . . P.E. major . . . single . . . born 4/24/51.

JOHNSON, BRYCE (20), Tailback, 6-2, 192, Soph., Riverside, Calif.—Will probably be in reserve role this year . . . redshirted last year . . . earned honors at Ramona High in Riverside . . . undecided on major . . . born 2/8/52.

KARAICA, PAUL (26), Defensive Back, 5-10, 185, Jr., Concord, Calif.—Has come on strong since transferring from Diablo Valley College in California . . . should be top reserve at cornerback this year . . .

LARSEN, BOB (87), Defensive End, 6-4, 205, Jr., Logan, Utah—Should be a regular this year . . . ran punt back 36 yards for TD against North Texas State last year . . . played three positions and was kicker at Logan High . . . also played basketball and track . . . psychology major . . . single . . . born 6/9/52.

LINFORD, PAUL (74), Defensive Tackle, 6-5, 245, Soph., Salt Lake City, Utah—Could be one of the mainstays of this year's defensive crew . . . had excellent frosh season and earned starting berth in spring drills . . . prep All-American under coach Darrell Simmons at Granite High . . . all-region in track (shot put) . . . business major . . . born 8/4/53.

MILLER, VAL (76), Offensive Guard, 6-3, 260, Soph., Provo, Utah—Just returned from serving an LDS mission . . . may take time to work in, but Val certainly has the tools . . . business administration major.

MONTGOMERY, MARK (16), Quarterback, 6-0, 175, Soph., Los Angeles, Calif.—One of many quarterback hopefuls for the Cougars . . . played for frosh last year . . . player of the year in high school conference . . . all-city . . . special education major . . . born 8/10/53.

McEWAN, TERRY (14), Quarterback, 6-2, 180, Soph., Portland, Ore.—Could be the darkhorse in the starting quarterback race this year . . . was co-captain of the freshman team . . . impressed coaches with his ability to pick up new plays . . . 4.0 GPA in high school and valedictorian . . . wears Virgil Carter's old number 14 . . . major undecided . . . born 10/30/52.

MONAHAN, JOHN (71), Offensive Guard, 6-3, 225, Sr., West Covina, Calif.—One of the few experienced hands left on the offensive line from last year . . . should be a big plus for the offense this time around . . . played center and defensive end at Edgewood High . . . all-CIF . . . could do some place-kicking this year for the Cats . . . son of Neil Monahan, former BYU basketball player . . . business management major . . . John and wife, Nancy, married 6/19/71 . . . born 2/24/51.

MUKLEWICZ, PAUL (70), Offensive Tackle, 6-2, 233, Jr., Steubenville, Ohio—A newcomer on the offensive line after transferring from Glendale Community College in Arizona . . . all-conference and all-region at Steubenville High . . . P.E. major . . . single . . . born 3/20/50.

MAUGHAN, DOUG (66), Offensive Guard, 6-3, 230, Jr., Sandy, Utah—Returns to BYU after completing LDS mission . . . all-region and all-state under coach Robert Sanchez at Jordan High . . . brother LeRoy played basketball at BYU 69-70 . . . single . . . born 9/28/49.

MOLIFUA, WALLY (60), Defensive Tackle, 6-2, 263, Jr., Oceanside, Calif.—A giant prospect for the defense . . . a transfer from Miracosta College in California . . . will probably see reserve role this year.

NELSON, LARRY (57), Linebacker, 6-0, 190, Soph., Twin Falls, Idaho—May take a while for Larry to work in . . . competed in football and track (discus) in high school at Twin Falls High . . . captain of the BYU rugby team last year . . . geology major . . . single . . . born 2/12/52.

PETERSON, KEN (53), Offensive Tackle, 6-1, 230, Soph., Anaheim, Calif.—Mission returnee . . . lettered in football and track at Loara High in Anaheim . . . all-city, second team all-CIF . . . married Rebecca Jane 1/28/72 . . . pre dental major . . . born 2/16/50.

PISTORIUS, MIKE (89), Tight End, 6-1, 195, Jr., Salt Lake City, Utah—Saw considerable action last year . . . caught 9 passes for 137 yards and one TD . . . good hands . . . all-region full-back at Granite High . . . also all-region in basketball and baseball in high school . . . P.E. major . . . single . . . born 12/31/51.

POWELL, RICK (90), Split End, 6-1, 165, Soph., Salt Lake City, Utah—A real speedster . . . could see considerable action in '72 . . . all-region in football at Skyline High . . . also lettered in basketball and track . . . physical therapy major . . . past winner of BYU Invitation Meet all-around championship . . . single . . . born 8/4/52.

PRESTON, MIKE (50), Linebacker, 6-3, 205, Jr., Torrance, Calif.—Solid reserve last year . . . should start this fall . . . came off preseason injury in 1970 . . . all-city in Los Angeles as a prep at Carson High . . . P.E. major . . . should see plenty of action this fall . . . single . . . born 1/22/51.

PRICE STEVE (65), Offensive Tackle, 6-2, 195, Jr., Salt Lake City, Utah—Returning letterman should be in reserve role this fall . . . all-state at West High . . . honorable mention all-WAC academic team . . . physical therapy major . . . single . . . born 2/17/52.

ROBINS, ROY (46), Defensive End, 6-0, 220, Soph., Honolulu, Hawaii—A starter on last year's frosh team . . . lettered in both football and basketball at Campbell High in Ewa, Hawaii . . . named to OIA all-star team three consecutive years . . . good potential . . . played under BYU grad John Kapepe in high school . . . P.E. major . . . single . . . born 2/3/53.

ROGOFF, KARL (37), Linebacker, 6-3, 205, Soph., Bell, Calif.—Got good seasoning as a freshman last year . . . earned seven letters in football and track (shot put) at Bell High . . . may need a little seasoning yet . . . major undecided . . . single . . . born 6/5/53.

ROZESKI, ED (88), Defensive End, 6-1, 220, Jr., San Pedro, Calif.—A letterman last year as a reserve, Ed has really come on strong and will undoubtedly be a starter this year . . . transferred from Harbor J.C. last year . . . was all-league and all-city at San Pedro High . . . sociology major . . . single . . . born 1/5/52.

SMILOWITZ, JULIAN (63), Offensive Tackle, 6-0, 215, Soph., LaMirada, Calif.—A starter on last year's frosh team . . . has good potential . . . outstanding as a prepster at William Neff High . . . all-league in football and baseball . . . All-American football team at guard . . . P.E. major . . . single . . . born 3/9/53.

SMITH, BENNIE (5), Defensive Back, 6-0, 178, Sr., Yuma Ariz.—Early season injury kept Bennie out of the starting lineup last year . . . will start this year . . . all-state in football at Winslow High . . . also lettered in basketball and track . . . attended Western Arizona J.C. before coming to BYU . . . hard worker . . . political science major . . . single . . . born 12/19/51.

SMITH, SID (59), Center, 6-2, 215, Soph., Sunnyvale, Calif.—Up from the freshman squad . . . should be top backup man this year . . . was all-league at Peterson High . . . lettered two years in football and wrestling . . . business major . . . single . . . born 8/4/53.

STAPLEY, SCOTT (51), Linebacker, 6-3, 215, Soph., Bountiful, Utah—Will be a back-up man this year . . . needs a little seasoning yet . . . played on '71 freshman team.

STRATTON, STEVE (35), Fullback, 6-0, 215, Jr., Auburn, Calif.—A knee injury actually hampered Steve last fall, but his performance rarely showed it . . . rushed for 502 yards and three TD's . . . highest average on team with 6.5 per carry . . . gained 173 yards against Wyoming . . . great power runner . . . indications are the knee is fully sound after surgery . . . should be a great one . . . good student in physical therapy . . . born 5/31/52.

TAYLOR, DAN (43), Tailback, 6-2, 190, Soph., Anaheim, Calif.—A real surprise in the Cougar camp after returning from a church mission . . . started the spring game . . . should see plenty of action this fall . . . three-year letterman at Loara High in both football and track . . . zoology major with 3.72 cumulative GPA . . . single . . . born 8/4/53.

TREE, RON (32), Linebacker, 5-11, 190, Sr., Heber City, Utah—Hampered by injuries in the past . . . Ron should start this year . . . great scrapper . . . was all-region and all-state at Wasatch High . . . state wrestling champ in '69 . . . two-year letterman at BYU in both football and wrestling . . . father J. Marion was all-conference at BYU back in 1948 . . . P.E. major . . . born 6/13/51 . . . single.

VARNER, STAN (73), Defensive End, 6-4, 215, Soph., Salt Lake City, Utah—A real comer for the Cats . . . started for the freshman team last year . . . was two-year letterman at Skyline High under Ken Schmidt . . . undecided major . . . working towards pilot license . . . single . . . born 12/22/52.

WELLS, GRANT (77), Defensive Tackle, 6-4, 227, Jr., Salt Lake City, Utah—Gained a lot of experience as a soph. last year . . . will likely start in '72 . . . good size and agility . . . played at Granite High . . . P.E. major . . . single . . . born 8/4/52.

WELLS, VON (23), Safety, 6-2, 185, Sr., Twin Falls, Idaho—A two-year letterman for the Cougars . . . should add experience in the secondary . . . played quarterback at Twin Falls High . . . also lettered in basketball and track . . . business management major . . . single . . . born 1/19/50.

BYU OPPONENTS FOR 1972

No. 1 - Kansas State September 16 - 7:30 at Provo

LOCATION: Manhattan, Kansas ENROLLMENT: 14,000 (Estimated)
COLORS: Purple and White MASCOT: Wildcats
CONFERENCE: Big Eight STADIUM: KSU Stadium (46,000)
HEAD COACH: Vince Gibson (Fla. St. '55) 21-31-1

1971 RECORD: 5-6-1, tied for sixth in Big Eight with 2-5 mark

SERIES RECORD: Last year's KSU win over BYU at Manhattan, 23-7, boosted the Wildcat series record to 3-1. The Cougars only win was a 21-3 win in Provo seven years ago. Kansas State has won three in a row since then.

OUTLOOK: KSU won three of last four games last season, which is a pretty good indication they will be ready in '72. Quarterback Dennis Morrison and halfbacks Isaac Jackson and Dan Calhoun are the standouts.

A.D.: Ernie Barrett SID: Dev Nelson PHONE: (913) 532-5674

No. 2 - Utah State September 23 - 7:30 at Provo

LOCATION: Logan, Utah (22,000) ENROLLMENT: 8,900
COLORS: Navy Blue and White MASCOT: Aggies
CONFERENCE: Independent STADIUM: Romney (20,000) 1968
HEAD COACH: Chuck Mills (Ill. State '50) 32-20-1

1971 RECORD: 8-3, winner of the Beehive Boot

SERIES RECORD: Utah State has had the upper hand, posting a 27-17-3 edge in the series, including last year's 29-7 victory at Logan. First game was played in 1922. The game trophy is the Old Wagon Wheel.

OUTLOOK: The prospects for matching last year's 8-3 record are very good, especially with 22 lettermen, plus All-America quarterback Tony Adams, returning. In fact, USU is ranked among the top independents in the country this season. Top prospects include Ken Nelson, 225-pound offensive guard, and Tom Forzani, outstanding receiver.

A.D.: Frank "Bus" Williams SID: Ken Mitchell
PHONE: (801) 752-4100, Ext. 7437

No. 3 - Oregon State September 30 - 1:30 at Corvallis

LOCATION: Corvallis, Ore. ENROLLMENT: 15,500
COLORS: Orange and Black MASCOT: Beavers
CONFERENCE: Pacific-8 STADIUM: Parker (41,000)
HEAD COACH: Dee Andros (Oklahoma '50) 43-28-1 at OSU

1971 RECORD: 5-6 overall, but second (3-2) in the Pac-8 behind Stanford.

SERIES RECORD: First game between the two schools was in 1955, and the series stands 2-1, Beavers. The last meeting was in 1967, a real shocker as the Cougars upset OSU, 31-13, during one of their better campaigns.

OUTLOOK: Good enough to be picked as a first division team by one pre-season expert, the Beavers have a total of 29 lettermen back. Defensively, Oregon State should be very strong. Linebacker Steve Brown anchors the defensive unit.

A. D.: Jim Barratt SID: John Eggers PHONE: (503) 754-2611

No. 4 - Long Beach State October 7 - 8:00 at Anaheim

LOCATION: Long Beach, Calif. ENROLLMENT: 29,000
COLORS: Brown and Gold MASCOT: '49ers
CONFERENCE: Pacific Coast Athletic STADIUM: Anaheim (45,000)

HEAD COACH: Jim Stangeland, 25-9 at Long Beach State

1971 RECORD: 8-4, first place in the Pacific Coast Conference with a 5-1 record.

SERIES RECORD: First meeting.

OUTLOOK: A strong favorite to win the PCAA title again, the 49ers are led by tailback Terry Metcalf who rushed for 1,673 yards last year, scoring 29 touchdowns. LBS also has a seasoned quarterback in Randy Drake, a two-year starter who runs the Pro-I formation. Excellent size, and a total of 24 returning lettermen.

A.D.: James L. Comer SID: Gary Wright PHONE: (213) 498-4667

No. 5 - Texas-El Paso October 14 - 1:30 at Provo (Homecoming)

LOCATION: El Paso, Texas ENROLLMENT: 12,500
(322,261)

COLORS: Orange and White MASCOT: Miners
CONFERENCE: Western Athletic STADIUM: Sun Bowl (30,000)
HEAD COACH: Bobby Dobbs (Army '46) 40-30-2 (8th Season)

1971 RECORD: 5-6, with 1-6 record in WAC (last place)

SERIES RECORD: These two schools have produced one of the most exciting football series in the country. The record now stands at 4-5-1, UTEP, with the first game being played in 1946. In the main, the series produced some high-scoring games. But two years ago in Provo the UTEPS blanked BYU, 17-0. The Cougars returned the favor at El Paso last fall, 16-0.

OUTLOOK: New, young players would indicate the Miners will be rebuilding this season. But the UTEPs do have a fine quarterback in Gary Keithley, whom Dobbs ranks among the nation's best. The Miners will have some fine linebackers headed by Tony Perea. Weak spots will be strengthened with transfers and players up from the frosh.

A.D. George McCarty SID: Scott Binning PHONE: (915) 747-5254



Golden Richards (22) clings to jersey of Arizona's Greg Boyd (61) following an interception.

No. 6 - Arizona State October 21 - 1:30 at Provo

LOCATION: Tempe, Arizona ENROLLMENT: 30,000
COLORS: Maroon and Gold MASCOT: Sun Devils
CONFERENCE: Western Athletic STADIUM: Sun Devil (51,000)
HEAD COACH: Frank Kush (Michigan State '53) 111-31-0

1971 RECORD: 11-1, champion of the WAC and winner of Fiesta Bowl, 45-38 over Florida State.

SERIES RECORD: It's been a long time since BYU turned the trick against Arizona State, and the record now stands 12-3, ASU. The outing at Tempe last fall ended in a 38-13 reading for the host team.

OUTLOOK: Those ASU opponents who keep hoping for a Sun Devil letdown will have to wait at least another year or more. A total of 42 players from the Fiesta Bowl team are returning, including the entire backfield. Three of the starters—quarterback Danny White, halfback Woody Green and fullback Ben Malone—are only juniors. Look out!

A.D. Fred Miller **SID:** Dick Mullins **PHONE:** (602) 961-3659

No. 7 - Colorado State

October 28 - 1:30 at Fort Collins

LOCATION: Fort Collins, Colorado **ENROLLMENT:** 17,000 (43,337)

COLORS: Green and Gold **MASCOT:** Rams

CONFERENCE: Western Athletic **STADIUM:** Hughes (30,000)

HEAD COACH: Jerry Wampfler (Miami, O. '54) 7-15 (third year)

1971 RECORD: 3-8 overall, and 1-4 in WAC play for seventh place finish.

SERIES RECORD: Colorado State is in front, 20-12-2, in a series dating back to 1926. The Cougars, however, have won three of the last four games.

OUTLOOK: Faced with the toughest schedule in the school's history, the Rams will have to go it without their great halfback of the past three years, Lawrence McCutcheon. McCutcheon rushed for 1,112 yards last year. Defensively the Rams should be stronger. Ten of 22 starters will be back.

A. D.: Perry Moore **SID:** Mike Ryan **PHONE:** (303) 491-5067

No. 8 - Wyoming

November 4 - 1:30 at Provo

LOCATION: Laramie, Wyoming **ENROLLMENT:** 8,026 (23,143)

COLORS: Brown and Yellow **MASCOT:** Cowboys

CONFERENCE: Western Athletic **STADIUM:** Memorial (27,000)

HEAD COACH: Fritz Shurmur (Albion, Mich. '54) 5-6-0 (Second Year)

1971 RECORD: 5-6 overall, 3-4 in the WAC for tie for fourth place.

SERIES RECORD: Until last fall, Wyoming had a long win streak going with the Cougars, giving up only three games since World War II. Last year's 35-17 win by BYU at Laramie was one of the big wins of the season. The Cowboys hold the series edge 23-16-3.

OUTLOOK: Fritz Shurmur's second season at the Laramie helm should find the Pokes improving on last year's record. Numbers should not be a question, since 32 lettermen are returning along with help from the frosh. Good strength in the offensive line and defensive secondary. Things are looking up again for the Cowboys.

A.D. Glenn J. Jacoby **SID:** Bill Young **PHONE:** (307) 766-2256

No. 9 - Arizona

November 11 - 2:30 at Tucson

LOCATION: Tucson, Arizona **ENROLLMENT:** 26,500 (375,000)

COLORS: Cardinal Red & Navy Blue **MASCOT:** Wildcats

CONFERENCE: Western Athletic **STADIUM:** Arizona (40,000)

HEAD COACH: Bob Weber (Colorado State '58) 12-19 (third season)

1971 RECORD: 5-6 overall, 3-3 in WAC for third place.

SERIES RECORD: Last year's UA victory in Provo boosted the Arizona edge in the series history to 7-5-1. The first game was played in 1936.

OUTLOOK: With 15 of last year's 22 starters returning, the Wildcats are pegged as likely title contender this time around. Good quarterback in Bill Demory, plus outstanding performers in cornerback Jackie Wallace and defensive end Bob Crum. Very tough schedule ahead, but this could be the year for the Wildcats.

A.D.: Dave Strack **SID:** Frank Soltys **PHONE:** (602) 884-1919

No. 10 - Utah

November 18 - 1:30 at Salt Lake City

LOCATION: Salt Lake City **ENROLLMENT:** 23,500

COLORS: Crimson and White **MASCOT:** Utes

CONFERENCE: Western Athletic **STADIUM:** Ute Stadium (30,000)

HEAD COACH: Bill Meek (Tenn. '43) 65-78-7

1971 RECORD: Overall 3-8, and 3-4 for tie for fourth in the WAC.

SERIES RECORD: About as lopsided as you can get, this series stands at 38-5-4, Utah. As you can imagine, the Cougars have experienced some dry spells since the series was started in 1922. That first win came in 1942, and three of the five were won 1965-1967.

OUTLOOK: After a poor year in '71, the Utes are expected to bounce back in real style this fall. A total of 34 lettermen are returning, and there will be much more speed in the backfield. The lines will be bigger and more experienced.

A. D.: James "Bud" Jack **SID:** Ron Fessenden **PHONE:** (801) 581-8171

No. 11 - New Mexico

November 25 - 1:30 at Albuquerque

LOCATION: Albuquerque, New Mexico **ENROLLMENT:** 18,500

COLORS: Cherry and Silver **MASCOT:** Lobos

CONFERENCE: Western Athletic **STADIUM:** University (30,000)

HEAD COACH: Rudy Feldman (UCLA '54) 17-22-2 in fifth season.

1971 RECORD: 6-3-2 overall, and 5-1 in the league for second place.

SERIES RECORD: As close as two teams can get after 21 games, 10-10-1, with the first game being played in 1951. The Lobos blanked the Cougars 14-0 in the '71 outing in Provo.

OUTLOOK: Tops in the league in rushing and total offense, the Lobos will need to fill some holes to keep rolling at that pace. Rocky Long is gone, and that means UNM will need a new quarterback to run the option. Good running backs in Fred Henry and Rich Diller.

A.D. Pete McDavid **SID:** Eddie Groth **PHONE:** (505) 277-2026



Pete VanValkenburg (28), BYU's leading rusher for past two seasons, hits Utah State line.

THINGS THAT DIDN'T GO AS PLANNED

Football campaigns seldom go as planned, and sometimes that's a good thing.

The experts, for example, pegged Brigham Young University as the seventh or eighth place team in the 1971 WAC race. But the Cougars, unveiling a few surprises, made some of the experts look bad.

In fact, heading into the last two games of the season, Coach Tommy Hudspeth and his crew could have tied New Mexico for second place in the final league standings. As it turned out, BYU had to settle for a 5-6 record and a tie for fourth place.

The season hadn't even started for the major schools when the Cougars got things going. **Golden Richards** and his teammates set or tied four NCAA records in the opener at the Cotton Bowl in Dallas the night of Sept. 10. And the same level of excitement was maintained for the balance of the season.



Interceptions, like the one Dave Atkinson made against Wyoming, were a big factor in '71.

Looking at the team as a whole, the Cougars had a strong rushing game (they scored 20 touchdowns rushing), but their passing game fell short of expectations; less than 100 yards a game and only four TDs overall.

Defensively, the Cougars were ranked third in the league and second in both rushing defense and defense against scoring. The Cats were also at their best in the pass interception department, with sophomore **Dave Atkinson** and junior **Dan Hansen** collecting 16 between them. Atkinson was fourth, Hansen eighth in the NCAA pass interception standings.

Individually, **Golden Richards** had his share of honors, leading the nation in punt returns and setting or tying two NCAA records; most yards in punt returns for one game and most touchdowns on punt returns for one season.

No less than five of the Cougars won first-place positions on the official all-Western Athletic Conference football selections. **Gordon Gravelle** and **Golden Richards** made the offensive squad, while **Dan Hansen**, **Jeff Lyman** and **Joe Liljenquist** were selected

on the defensive unit.

Two of the Cougar players—**Gravelle** and **Lyman**—played in post-season games. Gravelle was in the Shrine East-West, Lyman in the Blue-Gray, and both played in the Senior Bowl.

Here's a week-by-week summary of the season:

Sept. 10 - BYU 41, North Texas State 13 at Dallas (1-0), Night-82°, 61% humidity, 13,500 - The victory in the lid-lifter in the Cotton Bowl can be credited to the Cougars' defensive unit, points notwithstanding . . . Golden Richards, who set three NCAA records and tied another in kick returns, accumulated 219 yards and two TDs on his returns . . . Joe Liljenquist added 11 points to the total with two field goals (51 and 25 yards) and five conversion kicks . . . defensively, the Cougars claimed six interceptions and recovered three NTS fumbles.

Sept. 18 - BYU 54, Colorado State 14 at Provo (2-0), Night-56°, 37,500 - Scoring 21 points in the first 18 minutes of play, the Cougars pushed it to 33-0 in the third quarter . . . Golden Richards got it rolling with a 58-yard punt return TD, thus matching the NCAA record (3) for punt-return TDs in a season . . . Pete VanValkenburg carried for two TDs . . . Steve Stratton rushed for 108 yards . . . CSU had the statistical edge (406 to 340 in total offense), BYU the points . . . the Cougars did not fumble once or have a pass intercepted.

Sept. 25 - Kansas State 23, BYU 7 at Manhattan (2-1), Day-64°, 37,500 - Bill Butler bulldozed for 142 yards, and the Wildcats gambled six times on fourth down plays to end the BYU win string at two . . . KSU rushed for 269 yards and the Cougars fumbled three times in running seven offensive plays . . . Dave Atkinson intercepted two passes . . . BYU's only score was a three-yard run by VanValkenburg . . . BYU tried the aerial game, completing 15 of 32 attempts while gaining only 31 yards on the ground.

Oct. 1 - New Mexico 14, BYU 0 at Provo (2-2), Night-40°, cloudy-cold, 25,299 - The first blanking of a BYU team since moving to the new stadium in 1964 . . . quarterback Rocky Long, running the option to perfection, guided the Lobos to 427 yards total offense, while the Cougars had 103 yards rushing . . . UNM's Fred Henry carried for the two Lobo touchdowns, both from one yard out . . . BYU completed only six of 23 attempted passes for 66 yards.

Oct. 9 - Utah State 29, BYU 7 at Logan (2-3), Day-64° and clear, 17,015 - The Cougars drop their third straight, the wagon wheel remains in Logan . . . the Aggies more than doubled the Cougar total offense (147 to 361) . . . Cats just couldn't get rolling, rushing or passing . . . BYU's only score was a 49-yard run by Pete VanValkenburg that tied the score, 7-7, in the first quarter . . . QB Tony Adams passed for 172 yards, rushed for 51 more for Aggies . . .

Oct. 16 - BYU 35, Wyoming 17 at Laramie (3-3), Day-44°, with winds gusting to 35 MPH, 15,538 - For the first time in 30 years the Cougars won a football game at Laramie, and they did it with their ground game . . . BYU rushed for 393 yards while giving up only 78 yards rushing to the Pokes . . . sophomore Steve Stratton (173 yards) and Pete VanValkenburg (128 yards) carried the ground attack . . . Dan Hansen set a school record with a 93-yard pass interception return . . . Hansen was named WAC defensive player of the week . . . the Pokes passed for 366 yards, but had trouble reaching the end zone.

Oct. 23 - BYU 25, Tulsa 7 at Tulsa (4-3), Day-50°, rain and mud, 11,500 - A great homecoming for Tommy Hudspeth as his "mudders" upset Tulsa with a steady ground game (202 yards), a quick defensive secondary that intercepted five passes (one by Jeff Lyman was good for 25 yards and a TD), and a consistent kicking game . . . VanValkenburg was credited with 90 yards on 18 carries.

Oct. 30 - BYU 16, El Paso 0, (5-3), Night-58°, wind at 6 MPH, 12,235 - Sticking with the ground game that carried them to two previous wins, the Cougars moved into second place in the WAC standings . . . the shutout was in payment for the UTEP blanking in Provo the season before . . . it was the first blanking hung on a UTEP team in 34 games . . . Pete VanValkenburg was credited with 95 yards on 17 carries . . . Dave Terry engineered the first TD drive.

Nov. 6 - Arizona State 38, BYU, 13 at Tempe (5-4), Night-69°, clear, 50,341 - Billed as the showdown game between the first and second place teams in the WAC, this contest was an ASU rout . . . tenth-ranked ASU rushed and passed the Cougars (475 yards total offense) right out of the picture . . . halfback Woody Green ran for 162 yards and Danny White connected on 13 of 26 passes . . . Dave Coon had 107 yards rushing, VanValkenburg 98 . . . four BYU passes were intercepted.

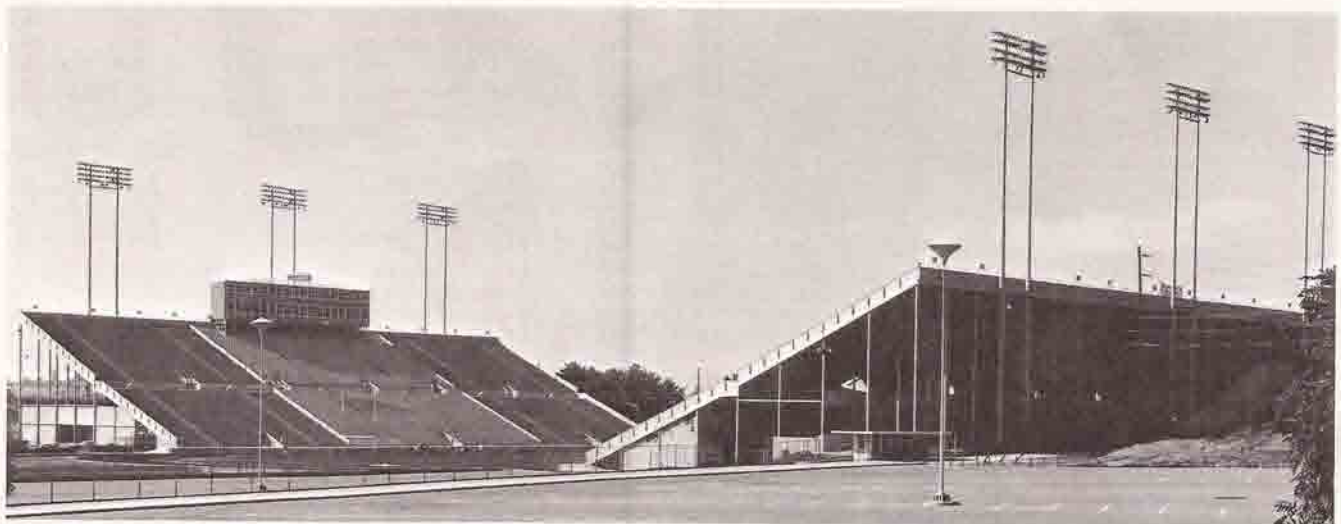
Nov. 13 - Arizona 27, BYU 14 at Provo (5-5), Day-50° and sunny, 27,105 - Faced with an opportunity to win at home after five weeks on the road, the Cougars gave up six pass interceptions and four fumbles . . . and the game . . . aside from that, the contest was statistically close . . . a third period pass play good for 92-yards (Bill Demory to Charlie McKee) was the clincher for Arizona . . . the Cougars had twice as many first downs (22-11) but half as many points . . . a real defeat for BYU homecomers.

Nov. 20 - Utah 17, BYU 15 at Provo (5-6), Day-38° and fair, 26,878 - A classic in the old tradition, the ball game was won on a 32-yard field goal (Marv Bateman's) with 1:05 left in the game . . . prior to that it was Utah's passing game (Don VanGelder hit 21 of 37 with no interceptions) vs. BYU's running game (Dave Coon had 137 yards, Steve Stratton 102) . . . Golden Richards, with four minutes gone in the first quarter, took a Bateman punt and returned it 73 yards for first blood . . . his fourth of the season.

RECORDS:

BYU COACHES, RECORDS AND CAPTAINS

Year	Coach	Record	Captain	Year	Coach	Record	Captain
1922	Alvin Twitchell	1-5	Paul Packard	1955	Chick Atkinson	1-9	Tom Verbantz
1923	Alvin Twitchell	2-5	Ike Young				Phil Oyler
1924	Alvin Twitchell	2-3-1	Ellwood Gledhill	1956	Hal Kopp	2-7-1	Jay Weenig
			Orrin Howard	1957	Hal Kopp	5-3-2	(Game Captains Only)
1925	C. J. Hart	3-3	Edwin R. Kimball	1958	Hal Kopp	6-4	R. K. Brown
1926	C. J. Hart	1-5-1	Richard Thorne				Wayne Startin
1927	C. J. Hart	2-4-1	Don C. Corbett	1959	Tally Stevens	3-7	Howard Ringwood
1928	G. Ott Romney	3-3-1	Henry Simons				Lonnie Dennis
1929	G. Ott Romney	5-3	Paul Thorne				Paul Eckel
1930	G. Ott Romney	5-2-4	A. Elmer Dastrup	1960	Tally Stevens	3-8	Dick Magoffin
1931	G. Ott Romney	4-4	Keith Wangsgard	1961	Hal Mitchell	2-8	Eldon Fortie
1932	G. Ott Romney	8-1	Lloyd Shields				Steve Dangerfield
1933	G. Ott Romney	5-4	Max Nisonger	1962	Hal Mitchell	4-6	Eldon Fortie
1934	G. Ott Romney	4-5	Max L. Warner				Dick Darling
1935	G. Ott Romney	4-4	Charles E. Oaks	1963	Hal Mitchell	2-8	Mike Brady
1936	G. Ott Romney	4-5	Mel Vern Wheeler				Bill Nelson
1937	Eddie Kimball	6-3	H. Wayne Soffe				Lloyd Smith
1938	Eddie Kimball	4-3-1	Forrest Bird	1964	Tom Hudspeth	3-6-1	Dennis Brewster
1939	Eddie Kimball	5-2-2	Wayne Reeve				Glenn Shea
			Fred Bateman	1965	Tom Hudspeth	6-4	Kent Nance
1940	Eddie Kimball	2-4-2	Art Gilbert				Monte Jones
			Lloyd Brink	1966	Tom Hudspeth	8-2	Virgil Carter
1941	Eddie Kimball	4-3-2	George Jackson				Grant Wilson
			Owen Dixon	1967	Tom Hudspeth	6-4	Curg Belcher
1942	Floyd Millet	2-5	Herm Longhurst				Bobby Roberts
1943-45	(No football — World War II)			1968	Tom Hudspeth	2-8	Craig Bozich
1946	Eddie Kimball	5-4-1	Reed Nilsen				Casey Boyett
1947	Eddie Kimball	3-7	Fielding Abbott	1969	Tom Hudspeth	6-4	Wally Hawkins
1948	Eddie Kimball	5-6	Kimball Merrill				Jeff Slipp
1949	Chick Atkinson	0-11					Mel Olson
1950	Chick Atkinson	4-5-1	Rex Berry	1970	Tom Hudspeth	3-8	Paul Sutorius
			Dick Hill				Chris Farasopoulos
1951	Chick Atkinson	6-3-1	Ray Oliverson	1971	Tom Hudspeth	5-6	Gerald Meyer
1952	Chick Atkinson	4-6	Jae Ballif	1972	LaVell Edwards	—	Gordon Gravelle
			Gary Paxman				—
1953	Chick Atkinson	2-7-1	Lowell Madsen				—
			Reed Stolworthy				
1954	Chick Atkinson	1-8	George Bowman				
			Dick Felt				
			Marion Probert				



Brigham Young University's 30,000-seat stadium.

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS - 1950 TO 1971

TOTAL OFFENSE

Year	Player	Rush	Pass	Total
1971	Pete VanValkenburg	601	83	684
1970	Rick Jones	-112	851	739
1969	Marc Lyons	-83	1297	1214
1968	Marc Lyons	-99	735	636
1967	Marc Lyons	137	1313	1450
1966	*Virgil Carter	363	2182	2545
1965	*Virgil Carter	474	1789	2263
1964	Virgil Carter	38	1154	1542
1963	Phil Brady	318	130	448
1962	*Eldon Fortie	1149	814	1963
1961	Eldon Fortie	422	469	891
1960	Bud Belnap	256	285	541
1959	LeGrand Young	423	-	423
1958	Weldon Jackson	698	-	698
1957	Weldon Jackson	605	-	605
1956	Carroll Johnson	39	986	1025
1955	Phil Oylar	366	15	381
1954	Ron Bean	4	437	441
1953	LaVon Satterfield	114	568	682
1952	Reed Stolworthy	436	-	436
1951	Ray Oliverson	822	-	822
1950	Ray Oliverson	437	-	437

SCORING

Year	Player	TD	PAT	FG	PTS
1971	Pete VanValkenburg	8	-	-	48
1970	Joe Liljenquist	-	9	11	42
1969	Joe Liljenquist	-	21	7	42
1968	Dave Swanson	6	6	-	44
1967	Dennis Patera	-	29	11	62
1966	Virgil Carter	9	1	-	56
1965	Phil Odle	11	-	-	66
1964	Virgil Carter	5	1	-	32
1963	Frank Baker	-	8	5	23
1962	Eldon Fortie	14	4	-	86
1961	Paul Allen	9	4	-	58
1960	Jack Gifford	3	-	-	18
1959	Jack Gifford	5	2	-	32
1958	Nyle McFarlane	6	3	-	42
1957	Steve Campora	3	1	-	19
1956	Steve Campora	4	-	-	24
1955	LeGrand Young	3	1	-	19
1954	Phil Oylar	3	-	-	18
1953	Dick Felt	5	-	-	30
1952	Dick Felt	7	-	-	42
1951	*Ray Oliverson	15	-	-	90
1950	Bob Karpowitz	1	22	1	31

RUSHING

Year	Player	TC	Yards	Avg.
1971	Pete VanValkenburg	121	601	4.9
1970	Pete VanValkenburg	103	405	3.9
1969	Kip Jackson	209	791	3.7
1968	Dave Swanson	94	353	3.8
1967	Ron Wakley	62	296	4.7
1966	*John Ogden	204	906	4.4
1965	*John Ogden	152	700	4.6
1964	*John Ogden	179	770	4.3
1963	Phil Brady	71	318	4.5
1962	*Eldon Fortie	199	1149	5.8
1961	Eldon Fortie	138	422	3.1
1960	Bud Belnap	101	256	2.5
1959	LeGrand Young	83	423	5.1
1958	*Weldon Jackson	101	698*	6.9
1957	Weldon Jackson	138	605	4.3
1956	Steve Campora	34	259	7.6
1955	Phil Oylar	64	366	5.7
1954	Dick Felt	90	379	4.2
1953	Reed Stolworthy	86	473	5.5
1952	Reed Stolworthy	99	436	4.4
1951	*Ray Oliverson	129	822*	6.4
1950	Ray Oliverson	69	437	6.3

PASSING

Year	Player	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Yards	TD
1971	Bill August	87	37	11	448	2
1970	Rick Jones	168	76	17	851	1
1969	Marc Lyons	193	87	11	1297	9
1968	Marc Lyons	157	66	9	735	2
1967	Marc Lyons	193	99	8	1313	9
1966	Virgil Carter	293	141	16	2182	21
1965	*Virgil Carter	250	120	13	1789	20
1964	Virgil Carter	193	66	14	1154	9

Year	Player	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Yards	TD
1963	Ron Stewart	23	10	-	160	1
1962	Eldon Fortie	100	43	11	814	7
1961	Eldon Fortie	83	33	11	469	5
1960	Bud Belnap	51	20	8	285	2
1959	Gary Dunn	31	10	3	223	1
	Ron Startin	35	16	4	145	0
1959	Wayne Startin	68	28	8	332	2
1957	Carroll Johnson	102	39	7	477	3
1956	*Carroll Johnston	167	71	15	945*	8
1955	Don Dixon	60	21	9	335	2
1954	Ron Bean	42	20	1	437	0
1953	LaVon Satterfield	92	34	8	568	4
1952	LaVon Satterfield	65	28	5	344	5
1951	Darrell Doney	87	35	9	530	-
1950	Benny Mortensen	68	24	6	267	-

PASS RECEIVING

Year	Player	Caught	Yards	TD
1971	Golden Richards	14	238	1
1970	Golden Richards	36	513	1
1969	Kip Jackson	25	261	2
1968	Ed Romero	41	495	1
1967	*Phil Odle	77	971	9
1966	Phil Odle	60	920	5
1965	*Phil Odle	46	657	11
1964	Bruce Smith	24	413	3
1963	Bruce Smith	13	178	1
1962	Bruce Smith	14	230	-
1961	Paul Allen	5	261	3
	Don Peterson	11	115	-
1960	Jack Gifford	6	138	1
1959	Howard Ringwood	10	130	-
1958	R. K. Brown	10	177	2
1957	R. K. Brown	12	183	2
1956	Burt Bullock	22	291	2
1955	Owen Skousen	10	190	-
1954	Tom Verbantz	14	226	0
1953	*Marion Probert	22	326	2
1952	*Owen Skousen	32	439	3
1951	Owen Skousen	18	267	-

PUNTING

Year	Player	No.	Yards	Avg.
1971	Joe Liljenquist	69	2748	39.8
1970	Joe Liljenquist	37	1489	40.3
1969	Rich Adams	83	3239	39.0
1968	Rich Adams	81	3318	40.9
1967	Rich Adams	37	1530	41.4
1966	Ben Laverty	32	1255	39.2
1965	Ben Laverty	52	2008	38.6
1964	Barry Corchnoy	40	1501	37.5
1963	*Barry Corchnoy	55	2159	39.3
1962	Bill Wright	41	1498	36.5
1961	Bill Wright	46	1862	40.5
1960	Ron Jacobson	34	1382	39.0
1959	*Gary Dunn	39	1748	44.8
1958	Gary Dunn	21	828	39.4
1957	Carroll Johnson	50	1730	34.6
1956	Carroll Johnston	26	977	37.4
1955	Dalton Overstreet	15	543	36.2
1954	Dalton Overstreet	14	617	44.1
1953	Dick Felt	27	958	35.5
1952	Udell Westover	40	1619	40.5
1951	Udell Westover	65	2464	37.9

INTERCEPTIONS

Year	Player	No.	Yards
1971	Dave Atkinson	9	120
	Dan Hansen	7	233
1970	*Dan Hansen	8	108
1969	Paul Sutorius	6	55
1968	Larry Echohawk	5	52
1967	Bobby Roberts	7	96
1966	*Bobby Roberts	7	87
1965	Bobby Roberts	4	33
1964	Kent Oborn	2	37
1963	(five-way tie with one each)	-	-
1962	*Gene Frantz	9	133
1961	(several with one each)	-	-
1960	Mike Brady	3	17
1959	(five-way tie with one each)	-	-
1958	Howard Ringwood	2	32
	Wayne Startin	2	22
1957	Carroll Johnston	7	89
	*Led Conference	-	-

THE FOOTBALL RECORDS SECTION

GAME RECORDS—INDIVIDUAL

Most times handled the ball
 65—Virgil Carter (Utah State, 1965)
 Total yardage 599—Virgil Carter (Texas Western, 1966)

—RUSHING—

Most rushes 36—Pete VanValkenburg (Utah State, 1970)
 Most yards rushing 272—Eldon Fortie (Geo. Wash., 1962)
 Best rushing average 13.6—Eldon Fortie (Geo. Wash., 1962)
 Longest scoring run 93—Weldon Jackson (Fresno St., 1958)
 92—Phil Brady (Utah, 1962)

—PASSING—

Most passes attempted
 51—Virgil Carter (Utah State, 1965)
 Most passes completed
 29—Virgil Carter (Texas Western, 1966)
 Yards passing 513—Virgil Carter (Texas Western, 1966)
 Most touchdown passes .. 5—Virgil Carter (Texas Western, 1966)
 Best completion percentage
 .760 — Marc Lyons (Arizona, 1969) 19 of 25 attempts

—PUNTING—

Best punting average 54.3—Gary Dunn (Wyoming, 1959)
 Longest punt 79—Ben Laverty (Pacific, 1966)
 Most punts 15—Rich Adams (Iowa State, 1969)

—PASS RECEIVING—

Most receptions 14—Phil Odle (Texas Western, 1966)
 Most yards pass receptions
 242—Phil Odle (Texas Western, 1966)

—PASS INTERCEPTION—

Most pass interceptions
 3—Bobby Roberts (Texas Western, 1966)
 3—Gene Frantz (CSU, New Mexico, 1962)
 3—Dave Atkinson (No. Texas State, 1971)
 Longest interception return
 93—Dan Hansen (Wyoming, 1971)

—PUNT RETURNS—

Most yards punt returns
 219—Golden Richards (No. Texas St., 1971)
 Most punt returns 8—Don Bushore (Pepperdine, 1949)
 Longest punt return 94—Ken Oborn (Arizona, 1965)

—KICKOFF RETURNS—

Longest kickoff return .. 97—Chris Farasopoulos (Arizona, 1969)
 Most yards kickoff returns
 177—Chris Farasopoulos (San Diego, 1970)

—SCORING—

Most touchdowns 4—John Ogden (W. Michigan, 1964)
 4—Dick Felt (San Jose, 1952)
 Most points scored 24—John Ogden (W. Michigan, 1964)
 24—Dick Felt (San Jose, 1952)
 Most conversions 7—Dennis Patera (San Jose State, 1967)
 Most points kicking 16—Joe Liljenquist (Colorado St., 1969)
 Most field goals 5—Joe Liljenquist (Colorado St., 1969)

—FIELD GOALS—

Most field goals attempted 6—Dennis Patera (Utah, 1967)
 6—Joe Liljenquist (Colorado St., 1969)
 Longest field goal 53—Dennis Patera (Utah State, 1967)

GAME RECORDS—TEAM

—SCORING—

Most points one game 67—1951 (Western State)
 67—1967 (San Jose State)
 Most points scored in one half 54—1951 (Western State)

—OFFENSE—

Most plays 100—(Utah, 1967)
 Most rushing attempts 72—(Utah, 1967)
 Most total yards offense 701—1966 (Texas Western)
 Most first downs 33—1966 (Texas Western)
 Most first downs rushing 22—1958 (Montana)
 Most first downs passing 23—1965 (New Mexico)
 Most yards gained rushing 465—1958 (Montana)
 Most yards passing 548—1966 (Texas Western)
 Most passes attempted 53—1966 (Texas Western)
 Most passes completed 32—1966 (Texas Western)
 Most passes had intercepted 6—1970 (New Mexico)
 6—(Arizona, 1971)
 Most punts 15—1969 (Iowa State)
 Most yards on punt returns 258—(North Texas St., 1971)
 Best punting average 54.3—1959 (Wyoming)

—DEFENSE—

Lowest yardage yielded 66—1964 (W. Michigan)
 Lowest average rushing 29—1968 (UTEP)
 Lowest average passing 2—1959 (New Mexico)
 Passes intercepted 6—1951 (Western State)
 6—1970 (Wyoming)
 Most fumbles recovered 7—1956 (Wichita)
 Fewest first downs 3—1962 (New Mexico)

—MISCELLANEOUS—

Most yardage penalized 216—1951 (Western State)
 Fewest yards penalized 0—1953 (Utah)
 0—1956 (Fresno State)
 0—1961 (Oregon State)
 0—1965 (Colorado State)
 Fewest first downs 4—1956 (Wichita)
 4—1969 (Iowa State)
 Poorest offense 42—1969 (Iowa State)
 Poorest rushing offense 96—1970 (New Mexico)
 Poorest passing offense 0—1957 (New Mexico)

TOP FIVE

TOTAL OFFENSE (Season)

2,545—*Virgil Carter (1966)
 2,263—*Virgil Carter (1965)
 1,963—*Eldon Fortie (1962)
 1,542—Virgil Carter (1964)
 1,450—Marc Lyons (1967)

RUSHING

1,149—*Eldon Fortie (1962)
 906—*John Ogden (1966)
 822—*Ray Oliverson (1951)
 791—Kip Jackson (1969)
 770—John Ogden (1964)
 700—John Ogden (1965)
 698—*Weldon Jackson (1958)

PASSING

2,182—Virgil Carter (1966)
 1,789—*Virgil Carter (1965)
 1,313—Marc Lyons (1967)
 1,297—Marc Lyons (1969)
 1,154—Virgil Carter (1964)
 945—*Carroll Johnston (1956)

PASS RECEIVING

77—*Phil Odle (1967)
 60—Phil Odle (1966)
 46—*Phil Odle (1965)
 41—Ed Romero (1968)

36—Golden Richards (1970)
 32—*Owen Skousen (1952)

PUNTING

44.8—*Gary Dunn (1959)
 44.1—Dalton Overstreet (1954)
 41.4—Rich Adams (1967)
 40.9—Rich Adams (1968)
 40.5—Bill Wright (1961)
 40.5—Udell Westover (1952)
 40.3—Joe Liljenquist (1970)

SCORING

90—*Ray Oliverson (1951)
 86—Eldon Fortie (1962)
 66—*Phil Odle (1965)
 62—Dennis Patera (1967)
 58—Paul Allen (1961)
 56—Virgil Carter (1966)

INTERCEPTIONS

9—Dave Atkinson (1971)
 9—*Gene Frantz (1962)
 8—*Dan Hansen (1970)
 7—*Bobby Roberts (1966)
 7—Bobby Roberts (1967)
 7—Carroll Johnston (1957)
 7—Dan Hansen (1971)
 *Led Conference

—ATTENDANCE—

Single game at home 38,333 (Wyoming, 1966)
 Season at home 158,139 (Six Games, 1966)
 Season average at home 28,605 (Five games, 1969)
 Season total 253,806 (10 games, 1969)
 Season average 25,381 (10 games, 1969)

SEASON RECORDS—INDIVIDUAL

—SCORING—

Most touchdowns scored	16—Ray Oliverson (1951)
	14—Eldon Fortie (1962)
Most touchdowns responsible for	30—Virgil Carter (1966)
Most points scored	90—Ray Oliverson (1951)
	86—Eldon Fortie (1962)
Most PAT's attempted	35—Dennis Patera (1967)
	27—Ben Laverty (1966)
Most PAT's made	29—Dennis Patera (1967)
	23—Ben Laverty (1966)
Most consecutive PAT's	14—Bob Karpowitz (1950)
Most points kicking	62—Dennis Patera (1967)

—TOTAL OFFENSE—

Most yards total offense	2,545—Virgil Carter (1966)
Most yards rushing	1,149—Eldon Fortie (1962)
Most times handled the ball	388—Virgil Carter (1966)
Most rushes	204—John Ogden (1966)
Best rushing average	6.37—Ray Oliverson (1951)
	5.8—Eldon Fortie (1962)

—PASSING—

Most yards passing	2,182—Virgil Carter (1966)
Most touchdown passes	21—Virgil Carter (1966)
Most passes attempted	293—Virgil Carter (1966)
Most passes completed	141—Virgil Carter (1966)
Best completion percentage	.508—Marc Lyons (1967)
Most passes had intercepted	17—Rick Jones (1970)
Best interception avoidance	4.1%—Marc Lyons (1967)

—PASS RECEIVING—

Most passes caught	77—Phil Odle (1967)
Most yards pass receiving	971—Phil Odle (1967)
Most touchdown receptions	11—Phil Odle (1965)

—PUNTING—

Most punts	83—Rich Adams (1969)
Best punting average	44.8—Gary Dunn (1959)

—PUNT RETURNS—

Most yards on punt returns	624—Golden Richards (1971)
Most punt returns	35—Chris Farasopoulos (1969)
Best average punt return	22.9—Don Bushore (1948)
Most touchdowns on punt returns	4—Golden Richards (1971)

—KICKOFF RETURNS—

Most kickoff returns	27—Chris Farasopoulos (1970)
Most yards kickoff returns	659—Chris Farasopoulos (1970)
Best average kickoff returns	40.1—Paul Allen (1961)

—PASS INTERCEPTIONS—

Most pass interceptions	9—Gene Frantz (1962)
Most yards interception returns	233—Dan Hansen (1971)

SEASON RECORDS—TEAM

—OFFENSE—

Most yards gained on total offense	4,006—1966 (10 games)
Best average total offense	400.6—1966 (10 games)
Most first downs	212—1966 (10 games)
Most yards rushing	2,499—1958 (10 games)
Most yards passing	2,416—1966 (10 games)

—PASSING—

Most passes attempted	370—1967 (10 games)
Most passes completed	177—1967 (10 games)
Lowest interception percentage	4.6—1967 (10 games)
Best completion percentage	.489—1966 (10 games)

—PASS INTERCEPTIONS—

Percentage of interceptions by BYU	8.5—1967 (10 games)
Most pass interceptions	25—1962 (10 games)
	25—1971 (11 games)

—PUNTING—

Most punts	83—1969 (3239 yards)
Best punting average	43.2—1959

—PUNT RETURNS—

Most yards punt returns	701—1971 (11 games)
Best average per return	19.5—1948

—KICKOFF RETURNS—

Most yards kickoff returns	994—1960 (41 returns)
Best average per return	28.0—1969 (28 returns)

—SCORING—

Most points scored	278—1967 (10 games)
Fewest points scored	10—1922 (6 games)

—PENALTIES, FUMBLES—

Most yards penalized	1,003—1971 (11 games)
Fewest yards penalized	204—1953 (10 games)
Most opponents' fumbles recovered	32—1957 (of 53)
Fewest fumbles lost	9—1957

—MISCELLANEOUS—

Most consecutive victories	7—1937-38
Longest undefeated string	8—1937-38
Longest without shutout	51 games—1964-69

—DEFENSE—

Total defensive yardage	2381—1954 (9 games)
Lowest average per game	244.5—1958 (10 games)
Fewest yards allowed rushing	874—1967 (10 games)
Fewest yards allowed passing	605—1952 (60.5 yds. per ga.)
Fewest first downs	111—1954 (9 games)
Fewest points allowed opponents	41—1937
Fewest points allowed per game	4.6—1937
Lowest rushing per game	2.1—1967

CAREER RECORDS—INDIVIDUAL

—TOTAL OFFENSE—

Most total plays	1,059—Virgil Carter (1964-66)
Most total yardage	6,354—Virgil Carter (1964-66)
Best average gain per play	5.76—Virgil Carter (1964-66)

—RUSHING OFFENSE—

Most rushes	535—John Ogden (1964-66)
Most yards gained rushing	2,376—John Ogden (1964-66)
Best average gain per rush	4.5—Eldon Fortie (1960-62)

—PASSING OFFENSE—

Most passes attempted	736—Virgil Carter (1964-66)
Most passes completed	327—Virgil Carter (1964-66)
Most passes had intercepted	43—Virgil Carter (1964-66)
Highest completion percentage	.462—Marc Lyons (1967-69)
Most yards gained passing	5,125—Virgil Carter (1964-66)
Most touchdown passes	50—Virgil Carter (1964-66)
Best interception avoidance	5.2%—Marc Lyons (1967-69)

—PASS RECEIVING—

Most passes caught	183—Phil Odle (1965-67)
Most yards gained	2,548—Phil Odle (1965-67)
Most touchdown passes caught	25—Phil Odle (1967)

—PUNTING—

Most punts	201—Rich Adams (1967-69)
Best average	42.9—Gary Dunn (1958-59)

—PASS INTERCEPTIONS—

Most interceptions	18—Bobby Roberts (1965-67)
Most yards interceptions returned	341—Dan Hansen (1970-71)

RETURN YARDAGE

Most yards kickoff returns	1,375—Chris Farasopoulos (1968-70)
Most yards punt returns	1,079—Chris Farasopoulos (1968-70)
Most combined punt-kickoff yards	2,454—Chris Farasopoulos (1968-70)
Most punt-kickoff returns	122—Chris Farasopoulos (1968-70)

—SCORING—

Most touchdowns scored	25—Phil Odle (1965-67)
	18—Ray Oliverson (1950-51)
	18—Virgil Carter (1964-66)
Most touchdowns responsible for	68—Virgil Carter (1964-66)
Most points scored	150—Phil Odle (1965-67)
	108—Ray Oliverson (1950-51)
Most points on conversions	33—Frank Baker (61-62-63)
Most consecutive conversions	14—Bob Karpowitz (1950)
Most field goals	22—Joe Liljenquist (1969-71)
Most points kicking	119—Joe Liljenquist (1969-71)
	54—Frank Baker (1961-62-63)

YEAR-BY-YEAR LOOK AT THE COUGARS

BYU	1922	Opp.
3	Utah State	42
0	Utah	49
0	Colorado Mines	49
7	Wyoming	0
0	Colorado A&M	33
0	Wyoming	13

Alvin Twitchell
1-5-0 (Rocky Mountain)

BYU	1923	Opp.
16	Montana State	15
6	Colorado A&M	14
0	Colorado	41
0	Utah	15
19	Western State	0
0	Utah State	40
6	Colorado State	31

Alvin Twitchell
2-5-0 (Rocky Mountain)

BYU	1934	Opp.
32	Occidental	7
20	Montana State	6
0	Wyoming	7
0	Utah	43
6	Colorado	48
46	Western State	0
0	Utah State	15
34	Colorado College	19
6	Denver	24

G. Ott Romney
4-5-0 (Rocky Mountain)

BYU	1935	Opp.
0	Montana State	7
19	Colorado State	3
12	Colorado College	13
13	Wyoming	6
0	Utah	32
21	Western State	2
0	Utah State	27
13	Arizona State	0

G. Ott Romney
4-4-0 (Rocky Mountain)

BYU	1924	Opp.
3	Colorado State	0
0	Montana State	13
6	Utah	35
6	Utah State	13
26	Western State	0
0	Colorado Mines	0

Alvin Twitchell
2-3-1 (Rocky Mountain)

BYU	1925	Opp.
7	Colorado A&M	21
7	Colorado College	6
0	Utah State	14
0	Utah	27
39	Western State	6
16	Montana State	7

C. J. Hart
3-3-0 (Rocky Mountain)

BYU	1936	Opp.
6	Arizona	32
19	Montana State	0
33	Colorado State	0
0	Utah State	13
0	Utah	18
26	Western State	12
7	Denver	35
32	Wyoming	7
0	Colorado College	6

G. Ott Romney
4-5-0 (Rocky Mountain)

BYU	1937	Opp.
7	Colorado State	0
0	Utah	14
34	Calif. Aggies	0
0	Colorado	14
10	Portland	13
21	Western State	0
19	Wyoming	0
54	Utah State	0
19	Montana State	0

Eddie Kimball
6-3-0 (Rocky Mountain)

BYU	1926	Opp.
0	Calif. Aggies	17
6	Colorado State	12
0	Utah State	0
30	Western State	0
0	Montana State	27
7	Utah	40
6	Colorado A&M	19

C. J. Hart
1-5-1 (Rocky Mountain)

BYU	1927	Opp.
0	Colorado A&M	29
0	Calif. Aggies	0
7	Colorado State	21
0	Utah State	22
60	Western State	7
0	Utah	20
38	Colorado Mines	19

C. J. Hart
2-4-1 (Rocky Mountain)

BYU	1938	Opp.
19	Arizona State	0
20	Denver	0
24	Wyoming	13
7	Utah	7
3	Portland	6
0	Utah State	3
0	Colorado	8
20	Colorado State	12

Eddie Kimball
4-3-1 (Mountain St. 2nd-tie)

BYU	1939	Opp.
25	Arizona State	0
13	Colorado State	12
13	Utah	35
7	Nevada	0
18	Western State	6
21	Denver	18
0	Utah State	0
6	Colorado	12
7	Wyoming	7

Eddie Kimball
5-2-2 (Mountain States 4th)

BYU	1928	Opp.
9	College of Idaho	6
7	Calif. Aggies	6
6	Colorado A&M	15
46	Western State	0
0	Utah State	10
7	Montana State	19
0	Utah	0

G. Ott Romney
3-3-1 (Rocky Mountain)

BYU	1929	Opp.
10	Nevada	7
0	Calif. Aggies	19
12	Montana State	13
7	Utah State	6
33	Western State	12
13	Utah	45
25	Colorado State	13
40	Wyoming	0

G. Ott Romney
5-3-0 (Rocky Mountain)

BYU	1940	Opp.
6	Nevada	6
6	Utah	12
20	Wyoming	0
20	Texas Tech	21
12	Utah State	7
0	Denver	9
2	Colorado	25
13	Colorado State	13

Eddie Kimball
2-4-2 (Mountain States 4th)

BYU	1941	Opp.
7	Montana State	20
13	Denver	7
6	Utah	6
13	San Francisco	25
28	Utah State	0
23	Wyoming	7
13	Colorado	13
7	Colorado State	22
26	Western State	0

Eddie Kimball
4-3-2 (Mountain St. 2nd-tie)

BYU	1930	Opp.
19	Wyoming	12
6	Nevada	6
18	Regis	6
13	College of Idaho	13
13	Hawai	49
7	Colorado State	7
7	Utah	34
25	Western State	0
39	Utah State	14
13	Mt. St. Charles	13
19	Montana State	6

G. Ott Romney
5-2-4 (Rocky Mountain)

BYU	1931	Opp.
7	UAY All-Star	3
0	San Francisco	25
18	Nevada	14
0	Utah	43
31	Western State	0
0	Colorado State	6
6	Utah State	0
7	Wyoming	13

G. Ott Romney
4-4-0 (Rocky Mountain)

BYU	1942	Opp.
12	Montana State	6
6	Wyoming	13
12	Utah	7
6	Utah State	9
6	Denver	26
0	Colorado	48
13	Fort Douglas	24

Floyd Millet
2-5-0 (Mountain States 7th)

BYU	1946	Opp.
13	Western State	2
12	Montana State	13
13	Denver	26
6	Utah	35
10	Colorado	7
0	San Jose State	14
0	Wyoming	3
0	Utah State	0
20	Colorado A&M	6
14	Texas Mines	13

Eddie Kimball
5-4-1 (Mountain States 4th)

BYU	1932	Opp.
6	Montana State	0
28	Western State	6
46	Occidental	0
0	Utah	29
20	Colorado State	2
25	Wyoming	0
32	Idaho State	0
18	Utah State	6
13	South Dakota	7

G. Ott Romney
8-1-0 (Rocky Mountain)

BYU	1933	Opp.
0	US Marines	21
25	Montana State	0
6	Utah	21
6	Colorado State	2
13	Western State	0
0	Denver	6
25	Colorado College	0
0	Utah State	14
6	Wyoming	3

G. Ott Romney
5-4-0 (Rocky Mountain)

1943-45 No BYU football team during war years.

* Home game

† Homecoming (1948-68 Only)

FUTURE SCHEDULES

1973

Sept. 22	Colorado State University	at Provo
Sept. 29	Oregon State University	at Provo
Oct. 6	Utah State University	at Logan
Oct. 13	Iowa State	at Provo
Oct. 20	Arizona State University	at Tempe
Oct. 27	University of Wyoming	at Laramie
Nov. 3	University of New Mexico	at Provo
Nov. 10	University of Arizona	at Provo
Nov. 17	University of Houston	at Houston
Nov. 24	University of Utah	at Salt Lake City
Dec. 1	Texas-El Paso	at El Paso

1975

Sept. 13	Bowling Green	at Provo
Sept. 20	Colorado State University	at Fort Collins
Sept. 27	Arizona State University	at Tempe
Oct. 4	University of New Mexico	at Provo
Oct. 11	Air Force Academy	at Provo
Oct. 18	Open	
Oct. 25	University of Wyoming	at Laramie
Nov. 1	University of Arizona	at Provo
Nov. 8	Utah State University	at Logan
Nov. 15	University of Utah	at Provo
Nov. 22	Texas-El Paso	at El Paso
Nov. 29	Southern Mississippi	at Hattiesburg

1974

Sept. 21	Utah State University	at Provo
Sept. 28	Iowa State University	at Ames
Oct. 5	Colorado State	at Fort Collins
Oct. 12	University of Wyoming	at Provo
Oct. 19	University of Houston	at Provo
Oct. 26	University of Arizona	at Tucson
Nov. 2	Air Force Academy	at Air Force
Nov. 9	Arizona State University	at Provo
Nov. 16	University of New Mexico	at Albuquerque
Nov. 23	University of Utah	at Provo
Nov. 30	Texas-El Paso	at El Paso

1976

Sept. 11	Kansas State University	at Manhattan
Sept. 18	Colorado State University	at Provo
Sept. 25	University of Arizona	at Tucson
Oct. 2	San Diego State College	at San Diego
Oct. 9	University of Wyoming	at Provo
Oct. 16	Southern Mississippi	at Provo
Oct. 23	Utah State University	at Provo
Oct. 30	Arizona State University	at Provo
Nov. 6	University of Texas-El Paso	at Provo
Nov. 13	University of New Mexico	at Albuquerque
Nov. 20	University of Utah	at Salt Lake City

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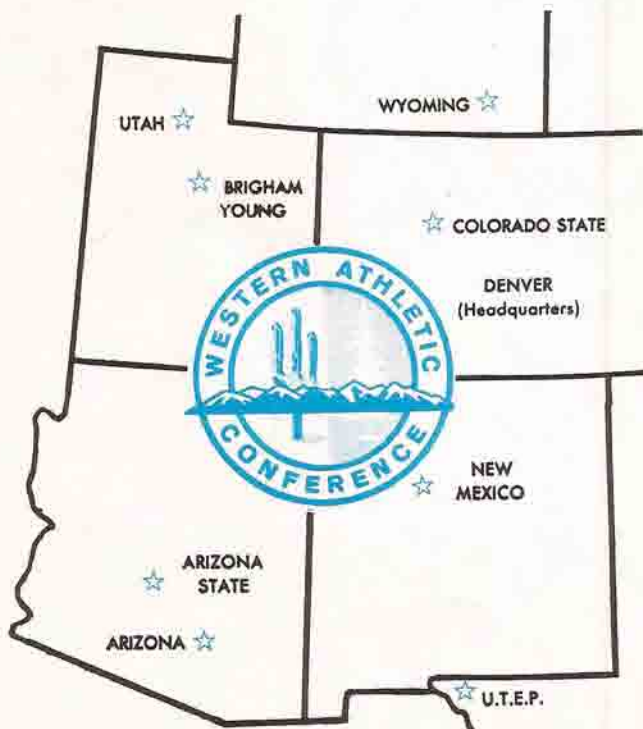
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The Western Athletic Conference will enter its eleventh year this fall, having established itself as one of the finest leagues in the nation. The eight member institutions extend over a broad region of the Rocky Mountain-Southwest (six states in all), and the league has its headquarters in Denver, Colorado.

Commissioner for the WAC is Stan Bates, former director of athletics at Washington State, who became the league's third commissioner on July 1, 1971. He replaced Wiles Hallock, who left to become executive director of the Pacific Eight Conference.

The Western Athletic Conference came into being on July 1, 1962. There were six charter members: Arizona, Arizona State, Brigham Young, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming. Two members, Colorado State University and Texas-El Paso, were added to the group on July 1, 1968.

Conference headquarters are located in Denver, Colo., with offices at 1515 Cleveland Place (the Denver-Hilton). Director of information for the WAC is Nurdy Jensen, who took over the assignment in July of this year. John Adams is supervisor of officials.