

Football--1937

Record: Won 7, Lost 2, Tied 1

Attendance

Duke 25, V. P. I. 0	Sept. 25 (night)	Greensboro, N.C.	7,768
Duke 34, Davidson 6	Oct. 2	Davidson, N. C.	5,128
Duke 0, Tennessee 0	Oct. 9	Duke stadium (Homecoming)	31,683
Duke 20, Georgia Tech 19	Oct. 16	Atlanta, Ga.	24,344
Duke 13, Colgate 0	Oct. 23	Hamilton, N. Y.	7,606
Duke 43, Washington & Lee 0	Oct. 30	Richmond, Va.	6,426
Duke 67, Wake Forest 0	Nov. 6	Duke stadium	1,735
Duke 6, North Carolina 14	Nov. 13	Duke stadium	35,854
Duke 20, N. C. State 7	Nov. 20	at Raleigh, N. C.	6,110
Duke 0, Pittsburgh 10	Nov. 27	Duke stadium	36,165

Starting lineup: Hudgins, left end; Brunansky, left tackle; Badgett, left guard; Hill, center; Lipscomb, right guard; Yorke, right tackle; Fischer or Edwards, right end; Hackney, quarterback; Spangler, left half; Tipton, right half; O'Mara, fullback.

Lettermen: Robert Alabaster, Baldwin, N. Y., guard; Clarence Badgett, Mt. Airy, guard; Bob Baskervill, Warrenton, guard; Joe Brunansky, Beaver Falls, Pa., tackle; Gordon Burns, Asheville, center; Robert Carpenter, Montchanin, Dela., end; McCauley Clark, Loudon, Tenn., end; Fred Davis, Newport, Vt., tackle; Willard Earney, Rockford, Ill., halfback; Fred Edwards, Bloomsburg, Pa., end; Charles Fischer, West Haven, Conn., end; Elmore Hackney, Durham, quarterback; Dan Hill, Asheville, center; Frank Bowers, Petersburg, Va., guard; Herbert Hudgins, Norfolk, Va., end; Allen Johnson, Lexington, guard; Walter Lenox, Ridgefield Park, N. J., guard; Woodrow Lipscomb (Captain), Hinton, W. Va., guard; George McAfee, Ironton, Ohio, quarterback; Robert O'Mara, Ashland, Ky., fullback; Willard Perdue, Thomasville, guard and halfback; Frank Ribar, Alliquippa, Pa., tackle; Robert Spangler, Newport News, Va., halfback; Harwood Smith, Petersburg, Va., halfback or fullback; Hal Stephens, Morristown, Tenn., halfback; Eric Tipton, Petersburg, Va., halfback; Fred Yorke, War, W. Va., tackle; and Student Manager Howard Ris, Freeport, N. Y.

Coaches: Wallace Wade, head coach; Carl Voyles, end coach; Eddie Cameron, backfield coach; Ellis Hagler, line coach.

Captain: Woodrow Lipscomb.

Student Manager: Howard (Tight-Biting) Ris.

Touchdowns: Hackney 9; Tipton 7; O'Mara 7; Smith 4; Carpenter 3; McAfee 3; Brunansky 1; Baskervill 1. Points after touchdowns: Hackney 10; Tipton 3; McAfee 3; Smith 1.

Yards gained by backs: Hackney 85-490; McAfee 48-287; Smith 57-178; Tipton 125-594; O'Mara 102-350; Stephens 4-6; Robinson 2-9; Hudson 1-0; Hudgins 5-4; Hendrickson 7-19.

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High scorer: Hackney nine touchdowns and 10 extra points 64 total

Longest punt: 1. Tipton 54 yards against Tennessee
2. McAfee 53 yards against North Carolina

Longest kick-off return: none

Longest runs from scrimmage: 1. Tipton 49 yds against Wake Forest
(for touchdown) 2. Hackney 47 yds against Wake Forest
3. McAfee 42 yards against Wake Forest
4. Hackney 41 yards against W&L
5. Tipton 34 yards against Davidson.

Longest punt returns for touchdowns:

1. McAfee 92 yards against W&L
2. Hackney 55 yards against N.C.State

(Note: McAfee made 67 yard punt return against Pitt and Hackney made 72 yards return against North Carolina but both were brought down short of goalline.)

Longest forward passes:(for touchdowns)

Harwood Smith (9)	to	George McAfee (48)	Wake Forest
Eric Tipton (17)	to	Hackney (35)	N. C. State
Smith (27)	to	Carpenter (15)	Wake Forest
Smith (20)	to	Carpenter (6)	W&L
Tipton (14)	to	Hackney (10)	W&L

Longest run after pass interception (for touchdown): none

Recovering blocked kick for touchdown:

Baskervill (in end zone)	V.P.I. (blocked by Baskervill)
Brunansky (in end zone)	Colgate (blocked by Hudgins)

SEASON'S STATISTICS:	Duke	Opponents
Total points	228	56
Touchdowns	35	8
Points after touchdowns	18	5
Field goals	0	1
Safeties	0	0
First downs	102	86
Yards gained rushing	2047	1317
Yards lost rushing	169	218
Forward passes attempted	126	143
Forward passes completed	47	51
Yards gained forwards	729	570
Forwards intercepted by	16	8
Yards gained after interc	204	111
Yards lost Att. forwards	96	68
Lateral passes attempted	8	10
Laterals completed	8	10
Yards gained laterals	112	53
Number of punts	106	131
Average punt	40.3	35.3
Total punt returns	701	182
Average return	9.3	3
Fumbles	21	21
Own fumbles recovered	7	14
Number of penalties	35	25
Yards lost penalties	285	225
NUMBER PLAYS FROM SCRIMM-	437	(No total)

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Honorary teams: Hackney and Brunansky on NEA second All-America.

A.P. All-State: Lipscomb, guard; Hill, center; Brunansky, tackle; Hudgins, end; Hackney, quarterback; on first team. Tipton and Badgett on second team.

AP All-Conference: Lipscomb, Brunansky, Hudgins and Hackney on first team. Tipton and Hill on second.

UP All-South: Brunansky and Hackney on first team. Lipscomb and Tipton on second team.

NEA All-South: Hackney and Brunansky on first team. Tipton on second team.