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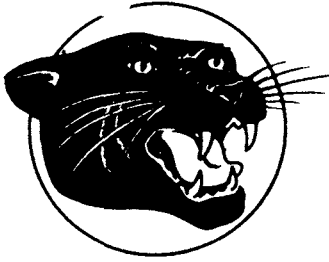
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CHARLESTON, IL--Eastern Illinois University's football Panthers will be playing one of the most highly regarded opponents on their 1984 schedule Saturday (Sept. 8) when they travel to Indiana State.

EIU and the Sycamores, one of the midwest's oldest rivalries, will kickoff in Terre Haute's Memorial Stadium at 1:30 CDT.

Both teams won their opener, Eastern 35-9 over Grand Valley State and ISU 41-6 over Wayne State.

However, the early season comparisons end there as Eastern lost 16 starters off last year's squad while Indiana State returns 16 from the team that edged the Panthers, 16-13, in last fall's NCAA I-AA playoffs.

Expected to compete for the national championship, ISU was picked as high as No. 2 in the nation by Sports Illustrated in its preseason poll of I-AA clubs.

* * * * * GAME NOTES * * * * *

THE GAME: Eastern Illinois University (1-0) at Indiana State (1-0) at 1:30 CDT, Saturday, Sept. 8, Memorial Stadium, Terre Haute.

RADIO: All the action can be heard on 50,000 watt WLBH-FM beginning at 1:15 with the Al Molde pre-game show . . . Ken Wooddell calls the play-by-play with Doug Bock providing commentary.

SERIES STANDING: ISU leads the series, 25-21-8, winning 16 of the last 17 games . . . EIU last won, 16-12, in 1982 at ISU.

LAST YEAR: ISU won the regular season game at Eastern, 17-13, snapping a 12-game home winning streak . . . Kevin Henderson, who returns this year, scored the winning TD on a five yard run with nine minutes remaining . . . altogether he had 97 yards rushing.

In the playoff game during Thanksgiving weekend, the Sycamores prevailed 16-13 in two overtimes as Scott Bridges kicked a 25 yard field goal . . . EIU's Henry Castellanos sent it into overtime with a 33 yard field goal with one second left . . . both Castellanos and Bridges then kicked a field goal in the first overtime before Bridges winning boot ended it.

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COACHES RECORD: EIU's Al Molde, in his second season, is 1-0 this season, 10-3 overall at Eastern, and 84-45-6 (64.3%) in 13 years . . . he's had ten winning seasons and four NCAA playoff teams as head coach at Central Missouri, Minnesota-Morris and Sioux Falls . . . Molde is 0-2 vs. Indiana State.

ISU's Dennis Raetz, in his fifth year as a head coach, all at Indiana State, is 26-20-1 . . . he formerly was an assistant at Missouri . . . he is 4-1 vs. the Panthers.

ABOUT ISU: The Sycamores are coming off their greatest season ever finishing 9-4 and reaching the quarterfinals of the I-AA playoffs . . . they return 16 starters, most on offense, led by junior QB Jeff Miller, a I-AA HM All-American who set singles season records for passing yardage (1762), pass completions (143) and total offense (2088) during 1983 . . . Miller played three quarters of ISU's opening 41-6 win over Wayne State last Saturday completing 13-16 for 165 yards and two TDs . . . HB Kevin Henderson, who led ISU with 768 yards last season, had 62 yards against Wayne State . . . the Sycamores used four tailbacks in the game consequently the stats were evenly dispersed . . . the top offensive lineman is Sullivan's Steve Buxton, a 6-6, 268 senior who was second team all-conference and is being touted as a possible pro prospect . . . defensive linemen Brad Verdun and Doug Arnold are top candidates for all-conference honors.

WRIGHT & BANKS: Wide receivers Jerry Wright (Chicago-Collins) and Roy Banks (Detroit, MI-King) proved in the first game that EIU's passing game is potentially the strength of the team . . . Wright caught nine passes for 103 yards while Banks had seven catches for 179 yards . . . his yardage figure was the fourth best single game effort, and came in his first collegiate start.

KICKING CHORES: It appears the Panthers have settled on their punting and kicking personnel, and JC transfers are holding down both spots . . . Evan Arapostathis (Mesa, AZ-Helix/Grossmount CC) is handling the punting and kickoffs . . . his punting average of 36.8 was hampered by a strong wind while he boomed each of six kickoffs into the endzone . . . Steve Berryman (San Bernardino, CA-San Bernardino CC) connected on all five PATs but did miss a 37 yard field goal attempt.

MOLDE ON EIU: "We made some first game mistakes but overall I'm pleased with the performance of our young players on the road . . . the defense was aggressive but we need to work with the offense in regard to blocking on the run . . . we weren't able to move the ball much on the ground . . . Wright and Banks will keep the defenses honest, and that's a big plus and I thought (Sean) Payton played well in his first starting role."

MOLDE ON ISU: "By their own admission they expect to be as good or better than last year so will be competing not just to get into the playoffs but to go all the way . . . so it's a tall order for us in just our second game to go into their place . . . their offensive line is particularly strong and the quarterback, (Jeff) Miller, poses a lot of problems because he is a multi-talented young man . . . We must again not turnover the ball and may be a little unorthodox in a couple instances, and then see what happens."

OPPONENTS THIS WEEK: Grand Valley (0-1) at Carson-Newman
Northeast Missouri (0-1) hosts South Dakota
Toledo (0-0) at Ball State
Ferris State (0-0) hosts Kalamazoo College
Illinois State (1-0) hosts Southern Illinois (0-1)
Western Illinois (1-0) at Southwest Missouri (1-0)
Northern Iowa (1-0) at Drake
Western Kentucky (0-0) hosts Appalachian State

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TENTATIVE STARTERS:

OFFENSE

TE 15 Scott Sanderson (6-2, 205, So.)
LT 75 Del Pittman** (6-3, 275, Jr.)
LG 66 Bob Benning (6-0, 235, So.)
C 55 Tim Wyatt (6-0, 235, Jr.)
RG 79 Mike Kuhn*** (6-2, 245, Sr.)
RT 56 Barry Wolfe* (6-2, 250, Jr.)
SE 9 Jerry Wright** (5-11, 175, Sr.)
QB 18 Sean Payton (6-0, 185, So.)
HB 35 Bernard Holland (5-10, 185, Fr.)
FB 21 Calvin Pierce (6-1, 200, So.)
FL 2 Roy Banks (5-10, 180, So.)

DEFENSE

LT 85 Tom Moskal** (6-2, 240, Jr.)
NG 94 Pete Schaub (6-0, 270, So.)
RT 77 Randy Harms* (6-2, 210, Sr.)
SSB58 Chris Nelson (6-1, 200, Fr.)
ILB33 Tyrone Covington** (5-10, 210, Sr.)
ILB59 Dave Fergurson*** (6-2, 210, Sr.)
WSB57 Will Smith (6-2, 200, Jr.)
LCB 5 James Boyd (5-11, 165, Jr.)
RCB26 Jerry Jackson (5-9, 180, Jr.)
SS 22 Dan Fallon** (5-10, 190, Sr.)
FS 4 Reggie Drew** (6-1, 180, Sr.)

PUNT RETURNS: 9 Jerry Wright, 23 Barry Gravenhorst
KO RETURNS: 23 Barry Gravenhorst, 6 Eric Lindstrom
PUNTER: 41 Evan Arapostathis (5-9, 160, Jr.), 46 Brian Necessary (5-11, 190, Fr.)
PAT, KICKOFFS: 1 Steve Berryman (5-11, 145, Jr.), 25 Dave Strauch (5-9, 185, Jr.)
HOLDER: 15 Scott Sanderson
LONG SNAPPER: 56 Barry Wolfe, 55 Tim Wyatt

1984 EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL STATISTICS (1-0)

<u>Rushing</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>Att</u>	<u>Gain</u>	<u>Lost</u>	<u>Net</u>	<u>P/Game</u>	<u>P/Carry</u>	<u>TD</u>	<u>Long</u>
Bernard Holland	1	11	42	3	39	39.0	3.5	1	15(GVS)
Calvin Pierce	1	7	46	-	46	46.0	6.6	-	14(GVS)
Tom Fendley	1	3	12	-	12	12.0	4.0	-	10(GVS)
DuWayne Pitts	1	2	4	-	4	4.0	4.0	-	3(GVS)
Sean Payton	1	6	-	28	-28	-	-	-	-
EIU TOTALS	1	29	104	31	73	73.0	2.5	1	15(GVS)
OPP TOTALS	1	39	117	71	46	46.0	1.2	-	13(GVS)

<u>PASSING</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>CPL</u>	<u>ATT</u>	<u>INT</u>	<u>YDS</u>	<u>PCT</u>	<u>P/GAME</u>	<u>P/CPL</u>	<u>P/ATT</u>	<u>TD</u>	<u>LONG</u>
Sean Payton	1	21	31	-	325	.677	325.0	15.5	10.5	3	73(GVS)
John Rafferty	1	3	6	-	16	.500	16.0	5.3	2.7	-	9(GVS)
EIU TOTALS	1	24	37	-	341	.649	341.0	14.2	9.2	3	73(GVS)
OPP TOTALS	1	16	31	2	161	.516	161.0	10.1	5.2	-	30(GVS)

<u>PASS RECEIVING</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>REC</u>	<u>YDS</u>	<u>P/CATCH</u>	<u>P/GAME</u>	<u>TD</u>	<u>LONG</u>	<u>TEAM TOTALS</u>		
Roy Banks	1	7	179	25.6	179.0	3	73(GVS)	First Downs	19	18
Jerry Wright	1	9	103	11.4	103.0	-	24(GVS)	by Rushing	7	7
Bernard Holland	1	3	33	11.0	33.0	-	13(GVS)	by passing	11	7
Scott Sanderson	1	1	9	9.0	9.0	-	9(GVS)	by penalty	1	4
Tom Fendley	1	1	8	8.0	8.0	-	8(GVS)	Total Off.	404	207
Charlie Vinson	1	1	6	6.0	6.0	-	6(GVS)	per game	404.0	207.
Calvin Pierce	1	1	4	4.0	4.0	-	4(GVS)	totalplays	66	70
DuWayne Pitts	1	1	-1	-	-	-	-	yds. p/play	6.3	2.9
EIU TOTALS	1	24	341	14.2	341.0	3	73(GVS)	Penalties/Yds	13/128	6/53
								Fumbles/lost	2/1	2/1

<u>PUNTING</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>YDS</u>	<u>AVE</u>	<u>RET</u>	<u>NET</u>	<u>AVE</u>	<u>LONG</u>	<u>Score by Quarter</u>					
Evan Araposthathis	1	5	184	36.8	23	161	32.2	49(GVS)	1	2	3	4		
EIU TOTALS	1	5	184	36.8	23	161	32.2	49(GVS)	EIU	14	0	7	14-35	
OPP Totals	1	6	206	34.3	5	206	34.3	45(GVS)	OPP	0	3	3	3-	

<u>RETURNS</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>KO</u>	<u>YDS</u>	<u>AVE</u>	<u>TD</u>	<u>LONG</u>	<u>PT</u>	<u>YDS</u>	<u>AVE</u>	<u>TD</u>	<u>LONG</u>
Barry Gravenhorst	1	2	41	20.5	-	23(GVS)	-	-	-	-	-
Eric Landstrom	1	1	4	4.0	-	4(GVS)	-	-	-	-	-
Jerry Wright	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	5.0	-	5(GVS)
EIU TOTALS	1	3	45	15.0	-	23(GVS)	1	5	5.0	-	5(GVS)
OPP TOTALS	1	2	25	12.5	-	17(GVS)	3	23	7.7	-	9(GVS)

<u>SCORING</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>TD</u>	<u>PAT/K</u>	<u>PAT/R-P</u>	<u>FG</u>	<u>SAF</u>	<u>POINTS</u>
Roy Banks	1	3	-	-	-	-	18
Will Smith	1	1	-	-	-	-	6
Bernard Holland	1	1	-	-	-	-	6
Steve Berryman	1	-	5-5	-	0-1	-	5
EIU TOTALS	1	5	5-5	-	0-1	-	35
OPP TOTALS	1	-	-	-	3-3	-	9

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

NAME	G	ST	AT	SACKS	TFL	FF	FR	INT/YDS/TD	PBU	Blocks		
										PUNT	FG	PAT
Tyrone Covington	1	2	10½	1½	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
David Fergurson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tom Moskal	1	5	7	2½	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rob DeVita	1	5	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Randy Harms	1	3	5	½	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dan Fallon	1	3	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pete Schaub	1	3	5	1½	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
James Boyd	1	2	2	-	-	-	-	1/33/0	1	-	-	-
Reggie Drew	1	2	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brian Newby	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Derick Wilhelms	1	1	5½	½	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dean Magro	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chris Nelson	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jerry Jackson	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Will Smith	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1/13/1*	-	-	-	*intercepted fumble
Melvin Black	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bob Bronaugh	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	1/0/0	-	-	-	-
Rod Mathis	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carl Parker	1	1	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
John Borchardt	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Herold Walls	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eddie Nailon	1	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barry Gravenhorst	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eric Landstrom	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

KEY:ST(solo tackles) AT(assisted Tackles) SACKS (QB only) TFL(tackles for loss) FF(forced fumble)
FR(fumble recovery) PBU(pass broken up)

1984 RESULTS (1-0)

35 9 at Grand Valley State (700)