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THE DRAFT

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• Victor Hill, Grambling, defensive back, 5-11, 190 pounds, 4.55 to 4.7 in the 40. "Good hitter and competitor. Around the ball a lot. Somewhat stiff. Lacks great coverage ability."

• Nathaniel Johnson, Texas Southern, running back, 6-0, 201 pounds, 4.5-4.6 in the 40. "Came on to rush for 1,142 yards as a senior. Does not appear to have great instincts or moves."

• Don Land, Albany (Ga.) State, running back, 6-0, 195 pounds, 4.65-4.8 in the 40. "Rushed for 1,311 yards in 1986. Lacks exceptional size and speed. Must be looked at because of his production."

• Kevin Roy, Grambling, tight end, 6-7, 255 pounds, 4.7 to 4.8 in the 40. Backed up Arthur Wells. "Tall, good speed. Can catch the ball. Has trouble changing directions and cutting. Lacks bulk, strength and blocking ability. Did not start in college. Has size and speed but must improve his blocking if he is to have any chance to make it."

• Steve Holloway, Tennessee State, tight end, 6-2, 219 pounds, 4.7 to 4.9 in the 40, Sheridan all-America. "Good athlete. Catches the ball well. Can get downfield. Must improve size, strength and blocking if he is to have a chance to catch on."

• Patrick Scott, Grambling, wide receiver, 5-9½, 169 pounds, 4.5 to 4.65 in the 40. "Quick, tough and a good athlete. Can return kickoffs and punts and run counters. But lacks size and some speed. Good little player."

• Calvin Nicholas, Grambling, wide receiver, 6-3½, 202 pounds, 4.6 to 4.7 in the 40. Says Buchsbaum, "Fine size and all-around athlete. Lacks great quickness and speed. Has hardly played since '84. Hard to rate because his playing time has been very limited for the past two seasons" because of knee and hamstring injuries.

• Darryl Holmes, Fort Valley State (Ga.), safety, 6-2½, 185 pounds, 4.6 to 4.75 in the 40. "Good athlete. Has played cornerback. Tall. Catches the ball well," Buchsbaum said. "Above-average range. Has returned punts. Lacks blazing speed. Should be looked at as a free safety. Did well in Division II ball in a league where they have some athletes."

• Adrian Wright, Virginia Union, running back, 6-1, between 235 and 282 pounds, 4.7 to 5.0 in the 40. "Checked in at 282 pounds in 1985," Buchsbaum said, "yet still rushed for 813 yards. Gained 650 yards in 1983 and 830 in 1984. Can hit the pile and move it. Has some quickness and a burst when his weight is down. Has had a major weight problem. Could make it if he can keep his weight down to 235-240 pounds."

• Warren Plowden, Jackson State, defensive back, 6-4, 196 pounds, 4.5 to 4.66 in the 40. "Good size and speed," Buchsbaum says. "Does not make enough plays. Played defensive end in high school and was set back by injuries early in his career, so there is an outside chance he could come on."

• Donald Narcisse, Texas Southern, wide receiver, 5-10, 185 pounds, 4.57 in the 40. Caught 88 passes for 1,074 yards to average 12.2 yards per catch. Scored 15 touchdowns, 97.6 yards per game, Sheridan all-America.

• Charles Buchanan, Tennessee State, defensive end, 6-3, 237 pounds, 4.89 in the 40, Sheridan all-America.

• Victor Simmons, Central State (Ohio), linebacker, 6-0¼, 244 pounds, 4.66 in the 40.

• Alton Scott, Langston (Okla.), cornerback, 5-10¼, 181 pounds, 4.43 in the 40.

• Will Hill, Bishop College (Texas), cornerback, 5-11½, 187 pounds, 4.72 in the 40.

• Steve Griffin, Tennessee State, running back, 5-10, 202 pounds, 4.71 in the 40.

• Donavan Fann, Bethune-Cookman, guard, 6-3, 263 pounds, 5.28 in the 40, Sheridan all-America.

• Sherman Cowley, Grambling running back, 6-1, 205 pounds, 4.66 in the 40.

• Herbert Harbison, North Carolina A&T, wide receiver, 5-8, 150 pounds, 4.55 in the 40.

• Darrell Colbert, Texas Southern, wide receiver, 5-10, 161 pounds, 4.68 in the 40.

• Daryl Skinner, Hampton University, wide receiver, 5-11, 179 pounds, 4.63 in the 40.

• James Thompson, Mississippi Valley State, offensive tackle, 6-5, 320 pounds, 5.46 in the 40.

• James Harvey, Jackson State, guard, 6-3, 257 pounds, 5.25 in the 40.

• Phillip James, Southern, guard, 6-2, 266 pounds, 5.18 in the 40.

• Mitch Livings, Southern, defensive tackle, 6-3, 237 pounds, 4.89 in the 40.

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ALUMNI

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time last season running for his life," he added, referring to the young Dallas reserve who replaced an injured Danny White last year. "He just needs some experience, and better protection from the line."

On the subject of coaches, Newsome said Dallas' Landry is silent and business-like, quite a contrast to the animated and personal approach he had seen in college from Hayes.

But there are similarities, he noted.

"Coach Landry and Coach Hayes are alike in that both are well-organized and have an exceptional ability to teach," he said.

"Pro football is a business and Coach Landry approaches it in that manner. College football is a learning experience and Coach Hayes could laugh with the fellows, but turn right around and chew you out for something."

Newsome also remembers the influence of Winston-Salem State Athletic Director Clarence "Bighouse" Gaines.

"Have we got two hours?" he joked.

"Coach Gaines and Coach Hayes set a standard for all the others to follow," Newsome said. "Those two put Winston-Salem State on the map.

"Coach Hayes got us on regional television in our second undefeated season. It was almost unheard of for a small school like ours to get that kind of exposure.

"As for Gaines, if he keeps going like he is now, then I think Coach Gaines might be the winningest coach ever. I'd hate to see what he could do at a Division I school with the kind of talent they have."

When asked about the exhibition matchup against the Bears last season in London's Wembley Stadium, Newsome said he remembers the fans the most.

"They probably had 40,000 people who had to stand three hours because there were not enough seats," he recalled of the 82,699 fans packed into the stadium to get a taste of American football.

"The media were pretty active over there, too. It was funny some of the things they came up with to print. It was definitely an experience."

From his small-town roots to collegiate stardom to the Cowboys, Newsome has paid his dues athletically, but he has never forgotten the value of an education.

Newsome owns his own computer programming firm in the off-season, and offers this advice to those dreaming of the pros:

"First, realize that it's just a game for fun. Don't lose sight of an education; put that first. Even if you do become a professional athlete, you need to know how to manage your money because you can't play forever.

"I never intended to play as a professional when I first got seriously involved in football in high school. Even if I had never made it to the pros, it was still worth it.

"I enjoy the game of football that much, and that's what it's all about."

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