

1926

**RECORD:** 6-5  
**COACH:** Sidney Ellison

**CONFERENCE:** 2-2

**BIG TEN CONFERENCE**

Fort Myers	Orlando
Gainesville	Plant City
J'ville-Jackson	Tampa-Hillsborough
Lakeland	St. Petersburg
Miami	West Palm Beach

*Later Forfeited	F.M.	0	*Bartow	5
	F.M.	7	Tampa-Hillsborough	6
	F.M.	0	Southern College Freshman	7
	F.M.	7	West Palm Beach	0
	F.M.	33	Key West	0
	F.M.	6	Lakeland	13
	F.M.	47	Arcadia	0
	F.M.	0	Wauchula	13
	F.M.	7	St. Petersburg	19
Post-Season	F.M.	14	Tampa-Hillsborough	14

**F.M.-PTS(AVG)** 148 (13.5)  
**OPP.-PTS(AVG)** 104 (9.5)

**CAPTAIN:** Herman Hastings  
**LEADING SCORERS:** Seth Lee 5 TDS, Warren Bylaska 4 TDS, Reace Smith 4 TDS  
**LEADING RUSHER:** Seth Lee  
**LEADING PASSER:** Buck Armeda 94 YDS  
**LEADING RECEIVER:** George Crawford 82 YDS

**AWARDS, FACTS, HIGHLIGHTS, AND HONORS**

Fort Myers was the only team to defeat the 1926 State champs Hillsborough High (7-6). This was the only game the consolidated Hillsborough High ever lost. In 1927 two other Schools in Tampa opened.

Reace Smith (HB) **1st Team All-State**  
Herman Hastings (G) **3rd Team All-State**

Reace Smith was touted to be the fastest Halfback in the State.

