Bulldogs Overpower Monticello Tigers, 27 To 0 In Home Opener

Bainbridge Drops 13-12 Thriller to Americus Panthers

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By W. D. NARRELL

Bainbridge, Sept. 30. — A fighting Bainbridge High School football team, trailing 13-0 at half-time, swarmed back in the last two periods to score two touchdowns, but injuries to extra point specialist Leo Brooks prevented his attempting the conversions and the Bearcats dropped a 13-12 thriller to the Americus Panthers here last night.

The Bearcats dropped behind in the first quarter when fullback Hilson Willis fumbled on his own 25 and Americus recovered. A short drive was climaxed by a 13 yard spur by Bob Wall for the touchdown. Moses Radford bucked over the extra point that eventually proved the game.

In the second quarter, slippery Joe Slappey of the Panthers twisted away for a 23 yard run to move the ball deep into Bainbridge territory, and again it was Bob Wall who plunged over for the score, this time from one yard out.

Coming back after the halftime intermission, El Willis intercepted an Americus pass on his own 35 and lugged it back ten yards. The Bearcats drove to pay dirt with Leo Brooks' 36 yard jaunt sparking the drive. Brooks scored from five yards out, but was injured on the play and had to leave the game. Jim Sasser replaced quarterback and attempted to pass for the conversion and failed.

Bainbridge left end Jack Bower broke into the Americus backfield in the last quarter to recover a Panther pitchout, and the Bearcats began operations on the Americus 28. A 15 yard pass, El Willis to Charles Wells set up the score, but again it was Brooks who powered over from the one. His injured leg again prevented his attempting the conversion and again the try was missed.

Besides scoring both touchdowns Brooks also showed up extremely well on defense for the Bearcats. In the line Glen Griffin and Neel Seaborn were the outstanding defensive players for Bainbridge.

Bainbridge	Starters: Pos.	Americus
Bower	LE	Harris
Wynn	LT	Jennings
Smith	LG	Cook
Story	C	Peak
Mulford	RG	Ansley
Griffin	RT	Johnson
Seaborn	RE	Wolfe
Brooks	QB	Jones
Wells	LH	Slappey
Palmer	RH	Radford
Wynn	FB	Wall

Scoring: Bainbridge — Touchdowns: Brooks, 2. Americus — Touchdowns: Wall, 2. Points after: Radford.

The Yardstick—	Bain.	Amer.
Net yards rushing	156	171
Passes attempted	15	2
Passes completed	3	0
Net yards passing	41	0
Total net offense	199	171
First downs	9	8
Penalties, yards	10	65

MOULTRIE RATED TOP TEAM IN AA BALL FOR STATE

By The Associated Press

The Moultrie High Packers have been nominated today as the top team in Region One of Class AA high school football—and maybe the whole state.

The nominator was Coach Melvin Bray whose Fitzgerald eleven bowed to the Packers 26 to 0 last night. He lauded Moultrie's running and passing attacks and said, "Moultrie is the best club in the region and stands a good chance to take the state title."

He was quick with his praise of fullback Ray Mercer, Bray said. "He ran wild. He's the best back I've seen."

Bray also had a good word for Moultrie Coach Jim Still. He said the former Georgia Tech and Buffalo Bill quarterback "has done a wonderful job. Moultrie was well-coached. Except for several breaks the score would have been even higher."

Moultrie is going to have a battle, however, for regional stumbling block and two Atlanta teams, Bass and O'Keefe, have served notice they would be in contention for state honors.

Valdosta's Wildcats crushed Nashville's Hornets 69-7 in a region 2-A battle.

Sammy Hardin, sophomore quarterback sensation of Coach Wright Baemore's Cats, scored on a kick-off return of 85 yards and two pass interceptions with runbacks of 87 and 50 yards. In addition, he passed 20 yards for another touchdown. Hardin scored in Valdosta's 24-0 opener over Cairo last week on runs of 80 and 40 yards.

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Straight Running Plays Get Scores; Defense Stronger

By CLAYTON HUCKABY

Coach E. O. Garner's Thomasville Bulldogs easily overpowered the Monticello, Fla., Tigers, 27-0, in the Bulldogs' first home game of the year in Veterans Memorial Stadium Friday night.

The Bulldogs, depending mostly on straight running plays between the tackles, scored twice in the first quarter then added one touchdown in each of the second and third periods before turning the rest of the game over to the reserves.

Showing greatly improved defensive play, the Thomasville first team held the Tigers to a net gain of only 30 yards and no first downs in the two and one half quarters that they were in the game.

Fullback Charlie Grant showed up as the offensive star of the game, twice breaking through for 18 yard gains one of them for a touchdown, but it remained for James Owens, Grant's substitute at the fullback post, to make the longest run of the night. He sped 40 yards through the entire Monticello team from the fifty to the Monticello nine before being forced out of bounds. His run went for naught when the reserves failed to push across a marker from there.

Grant scored another of the Thomasville touchdowns on a five yard jaunt, and Wesley Fulghum and Walter Burgess each crossed the goal line once on short runs. Lyle Cooper converted three points after touchdown in a row from placement before missing his final effort.

Jimmy Harper attempted only six passes and completed four of them for 43 yards. Al Stringer connected once in two attempts late in the game, hitting Bobby Forrester for a six yard gain.

Bands Perform

Bands from both high schools entertained the crowd at the half-time period with specialty numbers prepared for the occasion. Both groups used lights attached to their feet on a darkened field to add to their effectiveness.

The Monticello band played "Three Blind Mice" in the form of a round with three distinct groups within the band moving seperately. Thomasville's organization waltzed down the field to the tune of "The Strawberry Blonde".

Thomasville captain Wayne Weeks and alternate Johnny Keyton met co-captains Jerry Bullock and Clyde Sauls at the center of the field to begin hostilities. Weeks won the toss of the coin and elected to receive.

James McClellan kicked off for the Tigers and Walter Burgess returned the kick to the Bulldog 42 after taking it on the 20. Burgess lost four at left tackle, but picked up 10 thru the middle on the next play. Charlie Grant moved it into Monticello territory for the first time with a first down on the 45.

In stabs averaging five yards per play, the Bulldogs moved steadily toward the goal with Grant carrying on the payoff play from five yards out. Lyle Cooper booted the extra point to put Thomasville out front, 7-0.

Tigers Stopped

Ed Titus kicked off for Thomasville and Clyde Sauls returned the boot from the twenty to his own thirty. James McClellan made two yards through the line, but Cap Shuman was stopped cold for no gain and Sauls lost three yards on end end sweep. The first Tiger offense had netted a loss of a yard.

Shuman punted for Monticello, and the Bulldogs took over on their own 44 yard line. Jimmy Harper completed an eleven yard

Reserves Take Over

The Bulldogs kicked off and forced Monticello to punt before the Thomasville reserves took over on the Tiger 37. Lavone Lewis and John Ragan picked up enough yardage to move the chain once, but on the next series of downs they failed to go the distance. Monticello took possession, but were forced to punt out.

With the ball on the middleli stripe, James Owens slipped around left end and, hugging the sidelines, went all the way to the nine before being shoved out of bounds. Monticello held and took over on their three yard line.

The Tigers made their initial first down on a 17 yard pass from Tommy Hamilton to Brinson Wilford, but Maxey Powell covered a fumble and the Bulldogs again had the ball on the Monticello 20.

The Bulldogs couldn't move and Monticello started the series of plays that moved them closer to the Bulldog goal than they had been all night. A fifteen yard penalty against Thomasville and a 14 yard canter by Sauls moved them inside Bulldog territory, but they lost the ball on the 29 when they missed a needed first down by a yard.

Thomasville was stalled again and were forced to punt for the first time. Bobby Forrester sent the ball rocketing 45 yards from his own 30 to the Monticello 25, and Al Stringer pulled the safety man down a yard behind where he took the ball as the final whistle blew.

Startine Lineups:

Thomasville		Monticello
Blane	LE	Collins
Titus	LT	Bullock
Ponder	LG	Griffin
E. Grant	C	Davis
Dixon	RG	Williams
Weeks	RT	Cooksey
Keyton	RE	Hitchcock
Harper	QB	Sauls
Fulghum	LH	McClellan
Burgess	RH	Wilford
Owens	FB	Hamilton

Scoring: Thomasville —Touchdowns: C. Grant, 2. Fulghum, Burgess. Extra Points: Cooper, 3.

The yardstick	Thom.	Mont.
Net yards rushing	225	32
Passes attempted	8	4
Passes completed	5	1
Opp. passes intercepted	1	0
Net yards passing	49	17
Total net offense	304	49
First downs	16	2
Lost ball, fumbles	1	1
Penalties, yards	35	5

Yankees "In", Dodgers Seek Playoff Berth

By Ralph Roden
Associated Press Sports Writer

The Yankees are "in" and the Brooklyn Dodgers are trying desperately to make it a greater New York World Series.

The Yanks, who were idle, backed into their second straight American League championship Yesterday as the Cleveland Indians trounced Detroit, 12-2, to eliminate the runner-up Tigers. But the dauntless Dodgers are the talk of the baseball world.

Faced with sudden death, the Brooks came from behind in both

High School Grid Scores

By The Associated Press

Lanier (Macon) 31, Columbus 6
Richmond Academy (Augusta) 14, Charleston (S.C.) 0.
North Augusta (S.C.) 27, Boys' Catholic (Augusta) 0.
Glynn Academy (Brunswick) 27, Commercial (Savannah) 0.
Swainsboro 13, Vidalia 0.
Tifton, 13; Adel, 7.
Quitman at Folkston, ppd. rain.
Greensboro 45, Thomson 0.
Moultrie 26, Fitzgerald 0.
Claxton 52, Hazlehurst 13.
Ft. Valley 20, Cochran 0.
Eatonton 20, Eastman 6.
Lincolnton 13, Wrightsville 6.
Cordele 37, Patterson 6.
Americus 13, Bainbridge 12.
Gray 13, Trenville 6.
Model 30, Ellijay 0.
Austell 25, Douglasville 6.
Griffin 18, Gainesville 0.
Rome 13, Baker Village 0.
LaGrange 32, Carrollton 6.
LaFayette 24, Lee 6 (tie).
Calhoun 27, Chattanooga Valley 0.

Avondale 19, Litonoia 6.
Dublin 22, Winder 0.
Monroe 13, Morgan County 7.
Jefferson 18, Clarkesville 0.
Villa Rica 30, Acworth 6.
Bass (Atlanta) 7, Sylvan (Atlanta) 6.

West Point 26, Manchester 7.
South Habersham 45, Eastonolee 0.
O'Keefe (Atlanta) 19, Smith (Atlanta) 12.
Rockmart 58, Canton 7.
Warrenton 31, Wrens 0.
Decatur 33, Marist 12.
Sandersville 20, Miller 7.
Douglas 18, Baxley 0.
GMC 63, Army Depot 0.
Forsyth 28, Sparta 0.
Russell 6, Rossville 6 (tie).
Jonesboro 47, Tallapoosa 7.
Thomaston 6, Albany 0.
Tucker 24, Stone Mountain 6.
McHenry 38, Ringgold 0.
Northside 18, Forest Park 7.
Trion 34, Dallas 15.
Campbell 6, Southwest DeKalb 0.

Cartersville 13, Newnan 7.
Athens 26, Toccoa 13.
Spalding 34, Cedartown 13.
GMA 28, Savannah 6.
Commerce 22, Buford 7.
Jesup 26, Soperton 0.
Lavonia 19, Hartwell 7.

ST. MARY'S GAELS STARTLE BULLDOGS WITH 7-7 UPSET

San Francisco, Sept. 30—(AP)—The Gaels of little St. Mary's swung a fancy Sunday punch at Georgia Friday night and held the startled Bulldogs to a 7-7 tie in an international football upset.

The Gaels were outweighed and outmanned, but they were never out played. They rallied behind John Henry Johnson, their big Negro tackle, outrushed and outpassed the Bulldogs, and made 15 first down to nine by the Georgians.

Pre-game dopesters had made Georgia a 30-point favorite and pointed to the Bulldogs' 25 pound weight advantage in the line as a basis for their optimism.

But the Gaels—almost as thin as a beggar's whisper—rocked the Bulldogs back, and made up in aggressiveness what they lacked in brawn.

St. Mary's gained 166 yards rushing to Georgia's 73 and passed for 77 yards, nine more than the Georgians chalked up.

Johnson, a 191-pounder who stands six feet one, took the kick-off in the third period and ran 41 yards on the sidelines for the first score of the game. His team

Bulldozers Open Season as They Face All-Stars Tonite

The Thomasville Bulldozers will explode into action tonight for the first time this year, meeting the University of Georgia All-Stars at Veterans Memorial Stadium here in a game beginning at 8:15.

The All-Stars, loaded with former college and high school talent, are led by quarterback-coach Buddy Asher. They plan to have such former Georgia greats as ends Gene Chandler and Reid Mosley in their lineup.

The Bulldozers will depend heavily on the running and passing of former Thomasville High School players such as Buddy DePreitas, Norwood Eason and Thornton Smith.

In the line, anchored by Sharkey Braswell in the pivot slot, the Bulldozers have added some outside talent including Ward Manley and Brewer Pope of Barwick, both big and rugged football players. Pope is an end and Manley plays one of the tackles.

Another new face on the Bulldozer squad this year will be Johnny Norwood, new assistant coach at Thomasville High School. Gone however will be such favorites as "Kibo" Mitchell and Dannimar Kelly in the line and backfield favorites Squirt Mitchell and Red Herring.

Coach Roy Huggins has drilled the Bulldozers long and hard, coming up with a team that runs from the single wing formation.

It's bound to be a high-powered ball game.

Probable Starters

Bulldozers		All-Stars
Norwood	LE	Chandler
Manley	LT	Pope
Capps	LG	Strickland
Braswell	C	Henderson
Fielding	RG	Langford
Kelly	RT	Lyle
McDaniels	RE	Mosley
Carter	QB	Asher
DePreitas or	LH	Vlass
Eason		
Gaus	RH	Brightwell
Sutton	FB	Mullis

WALTERS WITHDRAWS FROM SOUTHEASTERN PGA GOLF TOURNEY

Selma, Ala., Sept. 30 (AP)—Leaders in the Southeastern PGA and Open Tournament set a three sub-par pace into the third round today.

Hal Williams, Tuscaloosa, Ala., pro, led the field with a 67-65—132. He came within a stroke of tying the course record with his six-under-par second round tour.

He was the second man to card a 65. Tommy Wright, Knoxville, Tenn., pro, led the pack with the same score in the opening round. Wright dropped to third place with a 65-71—136.

Pete Cooper, defending champion from Ponte Verde, Fla., carried a 67 to move up behind Williams. His two-day total was 68-67—135.

Eddie Miller, Gadsden, Ala., pro, hit the skids yesterday with a six over par 77. He started among the leaders with a 68.

Second round results included: Charley Harper, Ft. Benning, Ga., 71-68—139.

Maurice Hudson, Cedartown, Ga., 71-71—142.

J. B. Walters, Thomasville, Ga., 78-Withdraw.

BASEBALL STANDINGS

National League	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	90	62	.567
Brooklyn	89	64	.579
New York	84	68	.553
Boston	83	69	.546
St. Louis	76	74	.507
Cincinnati	64	86	.427
Chicago	63	87	.420
Pittsburgh	54	94	.373

American League	W	L	Pct.
New York	97	54	.638
Detroit	94	58	.618
Boston	92	60	.613
Cleveland	91	61	.599
Washington	67	86	.438
Chicago	56	95	.334
St. Louis	57	94	.337
Philadelphia	51	102	.333

Yesterday's Results

National League
Brooklyn 7-1 Boston 1-6
St. Louis 5 Chicago 1 (night)

American League
Cleveland 12 Detroit 2
Boston 7 Washington 6

Camilla Panthers Beat Pelham Hornets, 13-0

(Special to the Times Enterprise)

Camilla, Sept. 30—The Camilla Panthers scored twice in the first half and held on in the late stages of the game here last night to defeat the Pelham High School Hornets, 13-0.

Camilla took the opening kick-off and immediately drove to paydirt on a march that covered more than fifty yards. The try for extra point failed.

In the second quarter the Pathers got possession of the ball on Pelham's 30 and a pass snatched by right end Perry carried into the end zone. This time the conversion was good.

Pelham seemed able to gain good yardage near midfield, but every drive that they got under way was stopped before they reached goal. Arnold Aldridge, the fleet little Hornet half back, reeled off a couple nice 15 to 20 yard runs, but could never quite get into the clear.

Earl West, left end for the Hornets, caught one pass good for about forty yards, but dropped another in the end zone for what would have been a Pelham touchdown.

Score by Quarters:

Pelham	0	0	0	0	0
Camilla	6	7	0	0	13

Starters:

Pelham		Camilla
West	LE	Hurst
Sinquefield	LT	Bateman
Anglin	LG	Atkins
O'Steen	C	Yates
F. Smith	RG	Pa...
Monk	RT	Gore
E. Smith	RE	Perry
Curles	QB	Bullard
Aldridge	LH	Mansfield
Whitehead	RH	Richards
McClain	FB	Glass

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