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Valdosta stayed right up with Albany in the first place slot by defeating Thomasville 25 to 1

In an 85 yard drive, featured by the running of Stephenson, Hill, Jordan and Grant, accounted for a Valdosta score in the first quarter. Stephenson kicked the only Valdosta conversion.

In the second period, a pass from Ronald Lewis to Billy Dunlap was good for a score, and the extra point was Fred Barnum's increment for the extra point tied the score at 7 all.

Valdosta scored twice in the third period. Grant's 35 yard toss to Stephenson put the ball on strip from the Thomasville three yard stripe from which point Stephenson plowed over. A fumble by Thomasville on the next kickoff figured in the third. Valdosta score. Stephenson and Gant pace el up a first down from the Thomasville 21 and Grant piled over for six yards and a score. The tied Wildcat marker came in the fourth quarter as Grant tossed a 23 yard pass to Stephenson for the end zone.

Dublin came visiting with the RGEA, and went back defeated by Jesup, twenty-two to 6. Cairo and Bainbridge thought the rain made it a nice night not to play football. So they postponed their engagement until Thanksgiving Day.

NOTRE DAME'S WAR CRY IS ANNIHILATE ARMY AS SERIES ENDS

South Bend, An overflow crowd (AP)—Notre Dame's Fighting Irish, who have been sounding "Carson-throated battle cries of "Annihilate Army!" during practices this week, went forth on the gridiron to try and do it today.

Concluding a bitterly-fought rivalry started in 1913, the 11th meeting held promise of a knock-down, drag-out scrap with both high-pitched teams unleashed all their artillery.

The tenacious, undefeated Irish, anxious to wipe out memories of the 59-0 and 48-0 walopings they took from the war-time powerful Cadets in 1944 and 1945, were keyed as seldom before. Army, too, was ready.

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Stubborn Bulldogs Bow To Valdosta

By CHARLES CALLAHAN

Paced by the Sonny Stephenson and Billy Grant combination, the high-riding Valdosta Wildcats marched to their eighth straight victory here last night as they defeated a determined Bulldog eleven 25-7 before some 2,000 rain-soaked fans.

Tied up at 7-7 at half time, the Cats came back hard in the second semester and pushed across three more touchdowns to coral to victory. It took some good defensive playing, however, as the visitors had to stop several Canine threats deep into Dosta territory in the second half. The Cats started a concentrated drive early in the first period and quickly drove 84 yards to score when Hill went over tackle from the six. The Garnermen came back, however, and took complete charge of the second quarter and to the great surprise of many scored just before half time when Lewis passed 34 yards to Billy Dunlap who stepped into the end zone for the tally.

Had the field been fast and the ball dry the story perhaps would have been a lot different. Several times runners on both sides were in the clear and hit a wet portion of ground and slid to earth perhaps preventing them from going all the way. And to both teams depending a lot on their pass attack which just wouldn't connect often enough and when the passes were complete they were for short gains. Dosta completed four of six aerials with two going for touchdowns. Thomasville threw 11 times completing six with one going for the Bulldogs' only touchdown.

The Grant to Stephenson combination is the prettiest pass attack this department has witnessed in a good many years and had they had a dry ball to work with our bet is that the Dosta would have really seen a show. There was nothing wrong with their ground attack, however, as they gained 238 yards along "terra firma."

First Period

Thomasville won the toss and elected to receive. Hill kicked out of bounds on the Bulldogs' 21-yard line and the ball went in play at the 40. Two line plays netted a five-yard loss and Gibson quick-kicked to the Valdosta 16. Grant hit center for five and the Cats began to roll. Stephenson went over tackle for ten and a first down at the 32. Grant squirted right end for seven and Hill moved the ball to the Thomasville 25 for a first down, on the next play with his 24 jaunt over tackle. Valdosta received the first penalty of the game, five yards for backfield in motion. This moved the ball back to the 43. Hill hit the line for twelve and Stephenson added one over center. Hill made it another first on the Thomasville 22. Jordan carried the ball to the six-yard marker on the next play on a quarterback sneak. Hill bucked over from the six and Valdosta had scored. Stephenson's kick was good and the Cats held a 7-0 lead with nine minutes of the first period elapsed. For the remainder of the quarter it was nip-and-tuck all the way, with Dosta holding the edge in rushing.

Summary	
Thomasville	Valdosta
5 First Downs	13
11 Passes Attempted	6
6 Passes Completed	4
4 Fumbles	4
1 Fumbles recovered by	1
10 Penalties	45
54 Yards Gained Rushing	238
57 Yards Gained Passing	78
27 Yards Averaged on Kicks	24
18 Yards Kicks Returned	31

Second Quarter

Thomasville recovered a Valdosta fumble on their 40 midway the second period and, before they gave up the ball the score read 7-7. Lewis traveled nine around his right side to the Dosta 45, where a penalty against Valdosta on the next play made it a first down on the 40. Lewis went for three over guard. Dollar broke loose over tackle and went 13 yards to the Dosta 25 where he slipped down after breaking into the clear. Thomasville was set back to the 34 on the next play as Lewis was thrown way behind the line of scrimmage. Thomasville's big moment came on the next play. Lewis faded back and shot a Stypard pass into the arms of Billy Dunlap who stepped into the end zone unmolested, and to the delight of everyone but the Valdosta fans, the Bulldogs had scored against the Cats. Barnum's kick split the uprights and the score was all tied up. This made only 19 points scored against the Cats this year. The half ended shortly after.

The Thomasville band was absent at the half for some unknown reason but the Valdosta band turned out in full color and entertained the thousands packed into the stands.

Third Quarter

Barnum kicked to Grant on the Dosta ten and he returned to the 29. Two plays netted a three-yard loss and Stephenson's kick went to the Thomasville 36. Two trys failed to gain and England kicked back to the Dosta 35 and Stephenson returned to mid-field. Four line plays netted two first downs and moved the ball to the Thomasville 22 but a 15-yard holding penalty against moved the ball back to the 35. The first Grant to Stephenson aerial toss came up on the next play and believe you me it was a beauty. Grant faded back to his 40-yard like and threw 36 yards down the alley and Stephenson just stepped under the ball and took it to the two where he was pulled down from behind. However, he bucked his way over on the next play for the second Dosta touchdown and Dosta again led in the ball game. Stephenson's try at the line was stopped and the score read 13-7.

Hill kicked to Lewis who returned to the 32. On the next play the Cats got their first break in the ball game and recovered a Thomasville fumble on the Canines' 20-yard line. Stephenson danced around left end for ten yards and a first down at the ten-yard line. Hill hit the center of the line for five and Dosta was penalized five yards for backfield-in-motion. Grant moved the ball to the two on the next play and then hit the same hole over guard for the third Valdosta touchdown. Stephenson's kick was wild and Dosta led 19-7.

Fourth Quarter

This was a very fast quarter with the Cats finally having possession of the ball most of the time but Thomasville made one last effort late in the game when they opened up with a pass attack that carried the ball to the Dosta 41. The last Wildcat score came shortly after the last period began. After England had kicked to the Dosta 47 to open the last quarter four quick plays moved the ball to the Thomasville 27. Again it was Grant to Stephenson that counted the touchdown. Grant again faded way back behind the line and threw toward the sidelines. Stephenson ran under the ball and stepped into the end zone for the marker that made the score read 25-7. For a moment it looked to us as if Dollar had knocked the ball out of the reach of Stephenson but we were mistaken. Stephenson's try for the point failed and the game ended not long after with the Wildcats victorious 25-7.

The line-ups:

Thomasville		Valdosta
Dunlap	Pos. LE	Jenkins
Stegall	LT	Register
Blanc	LG	Green
Barnum	C	Goodwin
Whiddon	RG	Tillman
Jeter	RT	Allen
England	RE	Metcall
Lewis	QB	Jordan
Harvin	LHB	Grant
Dollar	RHB	Stephenson
Gibson	FB	Hill

Subs: Tville: Shirley, Patterson, Bp. Dunlap, Keyton, Mitchell, West. Dosta: Brooks, Griffin, Joiner.

FLORIDA GATORS AND GA. BULLDOGS TANGLE TODAY

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 5 (AP)—The Florida Gators and the Georgia Bulldogs—neither boasting brilliant records this season—tangle here today in their Silver Anniversary game. Kickoff time is 2:00 p. m. (EST).

Georgia has won 10 times, Florida four and they tied one. The highest score was run up five years ago when the Bulldogs dusted off the Gators 35-0.

A capacity Gator Bowl crowd of 20,000 was expected for the Southeastern Conference clash, although neither team is battling for a title.

Georgia beat Louisiana State but lost to Alabama and Kentucky. Florida was defeated by Mississippi and Auburn and has no conference wins.

Today's biggest appeal is expected to be a duel between two top-ranking offensive gridmen.

John Rauch of Georgia, who led forward passers throughout the nation last year, is in third place in both pass completions and total offense this season.

Bobby Forbes, Gator ace, is number one in the nation on rushing offense. With seven touchdowns for 42 points, he has done more scoring than any other Southeastern Conference player.

GA. HALFBACK RUNS 97 YARDS TO SCORE WITH DISLOCATED HIP

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 5 (AP)—A substitute, 125 pound halfback demonstrated the do-or-die spirit in a high school game last night when he ran 97 yards for a touchdown—44 of them with a dislocated hip.

In a game against Benedictine High, young Bayne Mallory of Lanier High, Macon, Ga., caught a punt on his own three and raced the ball to the 53 where he reversed his field twicetwice.

The action dislocated his hip, but despite the pain he continued downfield while his teammates formed an alright defense around him. Once across the goal he collapsed in the arms of a Lanier player and was carried off the field on a stretcher.

Lanier won the game 27 to 6.

SPORTITORIALS

By DICK WAGNER

The Trippi Situation

Many Georgians feel Charlie Trippi could easily win the post as governor of the Peach State simply by having his name placed on the ballot in the race. It could be true. Certainly the University of Georgia ace is famous from San Diego to Maine. His name is as familiar as the peach throughout the state—Georgia. More than once, even before I had the faintest thought of personally living in Georgia, I can recall incidents when people in the west or midwest compared Georgia and Trippi like twins.

Most of the nation wondered just how good Trippi was. There is no doubt that the one-time Bulldog back is far more than good. He is sensational. And his best traits may not be limited to logging the pigskin alone. Emerging double-A baseball this year as a rookie the great Trippi came through with flying colors. Prior to the season many diamond scouts reported his spring training starring roles as "passing fancies." Yet the Georgia streak managed to belt the ball with the best, steal bases and play any position.

During the winter the present Chicago Cardinal football luminary spent his days playing basketball. Usually he managed some thing like 12 to 20 points per game. That number of points is good on any team, any floor and in any place. He turned to baseball and began near the top and still was a sensation. Then football—his prime sport—began and Trippi seemed bound for great new heights as a professional gridiron player.

Current reports, however, seem to indicate Trippi has found his 1949 one-man campaign was too much. For instance, the Associated Press yesterday reported from Chicago: "Latest of injury plagued Trippi's troubles is a stubbed right toe which began swelling Sunday morning and limited him to lim token appearance (two plays) against the Rams.

Trippi brought an injured ankle and knee from his basketball stint with the Atlanta Crackers in the Southern Association and in the College All-Star game against the Chicago Bears last August. He injured his knee August, he bruised his right hamstring thigh throughout the season."

One thing seems certain. Trippi may have to slow down next year. You have to admire a fellow for his will to play, will to win and in any sport. Not in just the specially brand. Recent reports rumor Trippi won't attempt pro baseball next year. Our suggestion is: We're wondering just wait and see.

It is hard to put the brakes on a personality and competitor such as Trippi. Right?

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SCORES

By The Associated Press

Valdosta 25, Thomasville 7.
Americus 7, Fitzgerald 6.
Brunswick 19, Waycross 0.
Albany 34, Moultrie 6.
Tifton 26, Cordele 6.
Jesup 22, Dublin 6.
Lanier 27, Benedictine 6.
Richmond Academy 39, O'Keefe 0.
Savannah 6, Charleston, S.C., 0.
Tennessee Military Academy 13, Darlington 7.
Decatur 22, West Fulton 6.
Marist 7, St. James 0.
GMA 41, Morgan 7.
Marietta 33, College Park 0.
Jordan 6, Catholic 6 (tie).
Rome 63, Dalton 0.
LaGrange 32, Spalding 0.

DOUGLAS COMES FROM BEHIND TO BEAT DOSTA

After the Lions had regained their wits they came from behind to defeat the second half of a rugged Valdosta eleven 13-6 last night on their home ground.

The game which was played under the threat of rain happened to be the Dasher High's home coming event and naturally all teams want to win their homecoming but the Lions had other ideas and they proved the idea that they had was best. Armed with a will and a determination that can't be beat they came from behind in the last half and scored in each canto to hand the host their defeat.

The Lions won the toss and elected to receive, but was stopped cold, and therefore kicked. All though out the first quarter neither team could go anywhere until Dasher broke the ice and intercepted a Lions pass on their 40 and carried it over the mid-field strip down to the Lions 35, where with first and ten they passed to the 20 and with some hard running played to the over for the tally but the extra point failed.

The game came to life again in the third quarter when the Lions staged an 80 yd drive paced by Jackson, Bailey, Reynolds and Browell to score a touchdown but was called back as the referee ruled that the Lions were slugging and as a result a 15 yard penalty. The Lions got back the 15 yards but couldn't make enough for a first down as Dasher took over. With four minutes left in the 3rd quarter the Lions took a 3rd punt by Dasher and recovered it on the middleid strips. Halfback Reynolds got 8 yards on an end run. A pass netted 10 yard, Quarterback Bailey smashed thru the line and bulled his way down to the 2 inch stripe before being hauled down, on the next play Bailey scored in the end zone standing up, the extra point failed as the game was tied 6-6.

In the fourth quarter the Lions were really beginning to roll as Chester Waters tight tackle drifted through the line and blocked a kick deep in scoring territory. Right guard Hatcher recovered. Halfback Browell and Thomas alternated and ripped off 15 yards, placing the ball on the 9 yd line and with some turning, twisting and spinning, Jackson chalked up the second tally. This time the point was good as Jackson passed to Kirksey in the end zone. After these hard earned tallies the Lions didn't mean to lose as they battered down desprate passes. With three and a half minutes left in the game Douglas led by B. Randall, Revels and Thomas were on their way for another touchdown as the game ended.

Next week the Lions tackle another strong rival as Brooks High of Quitman, Ga., drops in the town for a visit, and well as every one knows this will probably be the toughest game yet, and again we hope the Lions will come through in the pinch.

Sterilizing Bottles

The pressure cooker is a good baby-bottle sterilizer. A quart of water and five minutes at 15 pounds pressure are all that is needed.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL SCORES

(Not from Associated Press)

Wake Chester (Pa.) 19, Colgate 7.
Detroit 26, Marquette 6.
Cameron (Okla.) 45, Langston (Okla.) 0.
Eastern (Okla.) 44, Northwestern (Okla.) 0.
Mount Valley 60, Tarkio 6.
Kansas Wesleyan 13, Hamline 3.
South Carolina 12, The Citadel 0.
Presbyterian 12, Wofford 7.
Catawba 28, Newberry 0.
Miss. Southern 20, Northwestern (La.) 0.
Jacksonville Teachers 38, Marion (Ala) Institute 13.
Tuskegee 27, A&T 26; Alcorn (Miss) A&I 7.
Florida-Simmons 27, West Texas State 6.
Montana 21, Idaho 0.

TECH FAVORED BUT NAVY IS A TOUGH FOE

Baltimore, Nov. 4 (AP)—A powerhouse football eleven from Georgia Tech was favored to continue its season of unbroken victories here today, but a formidable Navy team promised the outcome was far from certain.

Navy Coach Capt. Tom Hamilton rates the Georgians the best team in the South, and has called the Engineer attack more dangerous than that of Notre Dame to which the Midshipmen succumbed 27-0.

The determined underdogs nevertheless held hopes of avenging last year's bitter defeat, when the Georgia Cracknorns in the last two minutes of play reversed a seemingly sure lost the final score at 13-19 in the Engineers favor.

The Middies come to today's fray bearing the scars of defeats at the hands of California, Columbia and Pennsylvania, besides the Irish. Only consolations have been a victory over Cornell, and a deadlock with Duke.

On the other hand, the Georgians have piled up 150 points since the season opened, and have allowed only seven to Auburn, Tennessee, Tulane, Virginia Tech, the Citadel and Duke were unlucky enough to tie the Midshipmen draw hope from the fact that their own schedule has been tougher than that faced by the boys from Atlanta.

Both teams have key men benched with injuries. Broken ankles will keep Georgia Tech's halfback Matthews and Navy's "Pistol Pete" Williams on the sidelines, while Navy right halfback Roy Russell is out with injuries received in the Notre Dame tilt.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

A Sporting Proposition

That fisherman who came into Andy's Garden Tavern, and boasted of catching sixteen trout in Seward's Creek, not only got a cold reception. He almost lost his license when Andy threatened to report him to the warden.

As Andy said, a fishing license is an obligation to play fair—and not exceed the limit. And it's up to every sportsman to live by the rules or lose his license.

It's the same with Andy's business. Under the Brewers' Program of "Self Regulation," taverns selling beer must maintain decent standards. They're subject to inspection, and any offenders are warned to "clean up." If they don't, the proper authorities are notified.

From where I sit, it's simply a sporting proposition. In this country where we believe in individual freedom, it's mighty fine when business does its own policing . . . just as sportsmen must protect their rights. And the Brewers have proved that it can work.

Joe Marsh

BRONCHO BILL

Refusing to Budge

By Harry F. O'Neill

NANCY

You Can't Win!

By Ernie Bushmiller