

Elyria Tumbles Tygers To First Home Loss

Pioneers Victors In Mud, 18 To 7

Defending champion Elyria High School kept its hopes alive for a second straight Buckeye Conference football championship by defeating the Mansfield Tygers, 18-7, last night at Arlin Field.

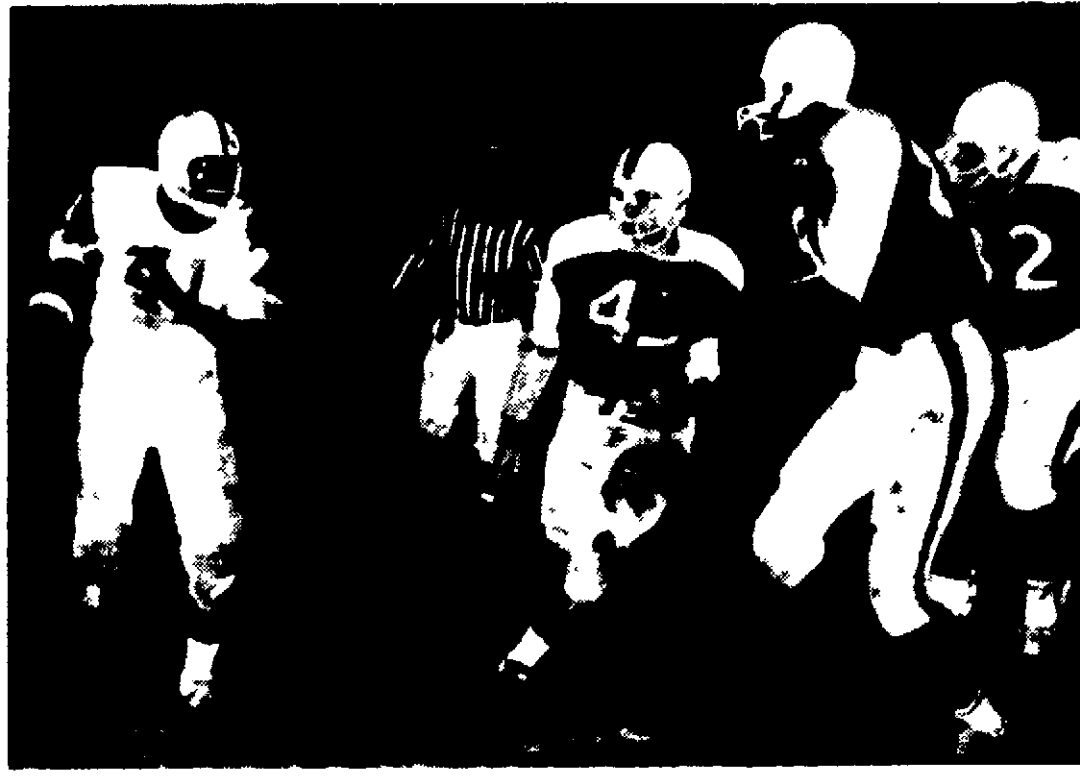
The Pioneers (3-3) won for the second time in three Buckeye games while Mansfield (3-3) fell out of the running by dropping its second of three league games.

All the scoring that really mattered was put on the score board in the first eight minutes of the Homecoming contest which was played before 5,000 on a soggy field. It was the first home loss for the Tygers in three starts and the first time they had yielded a point at Arlin Field.

Statistics ...

MANFIELD	
ENDS — A. Jett, C. Alexander, Allen, Kennedy, Pruitt, Gump	
TACKLES — Coe, L. Davis, Palm, Stone, Chairman, Socha	
GUARDS — Adams, Shukla, W. Alexander, King, Harding, Windigler, F. L. Jones	
CENTERS — Ruckman	
BACKS — Ogar, R. Lindsay, Parr, Jefferson, Westerfield, Waldman, F. Davis, Swann, Lane, Koronay	
ELYRIA	
ENDS — Hovey, Jackson, Barnhart, Brown, Horace	
TACKLES — McKenzie, Whelstone, P. Kershaw, Casto, C. Davis	
GUARDS — Fabian, E. Kershaw, White, Nader, Kunt, Kooch, Nester, Wozniak	
CENTERS — Blair, Somogyi, Reary	
BACKS — Beidelman, Bishop, Boddy, Robinson, Stevenson, Leslie, Biedinger, Zaffer, Zaffer, Klimowski, Jano, W. Obits, Hall, Johnson, Roberts, Randoz	

SCORING	
Mansfield	7 0 0 0-7
Elyria	18 0 0 0-18
Touchdowns	Mansfield 125 yard run
Extra Points	Ogar (placement)
Field Goals	None
Interceptions	Boddy 2 (two yard plunge three-yard run)
Passes	Beidelman 2 (pass)
Blocked	None
Safety	(Tygers intentionally grounded ball from end zone)
Penalties	15
Yards gained rushing	124
Yards gained passing	17
Yards lost scrimmage	9
Yards lost fumble	16
Passes completed	2
Passes intercepted by	1
No. of punts	8
Punt average	32.5
No. of punt returns	0
Punt return yards	0
No. of kick returns	2
Kick return yards	41
No. of fumbles	1
Own punts recovered	1
Penalty yards	30



OFF AND RUNNING — Mansfield Tiger Bob Westerfield heads around end on a 19-yard gain in the first quarter of the Homecoming game with Elyria last night at Arlin Field. Westerfield ran to the Elyria 49 before being brought down. Giving chase are (left to right) Bill Zaffer, Don Barnhart and Dave Jackson. Elyria won, 18-7. (News Journal Photo by Randy Dieter)

Galion, Shelby Share Lead In NOL Football Battling

The list was cut from three to two in the top spot of the Northern Ohio League football race last night, as Galion (4-0) and 6-0 turned back the challenge of Willard (3-1 and 4-2), 30-12 to trim the Flashes from a first place tie.

Galion now shares the NOL lead with powerful Shelby (4-0 and 6-0) which raced to a 41-0 win over Tiffin Columbian (1-3 and 1-5).

In other league play, Bellevue (2-2 and 3-1) bested traditional rival Bucyrus (0-4 and 0-6), 28-12, and Norwalk (1-3 and 2-4) took its first league win with a 20-6 win over Upper Sandusky (1-3 and 1-5).

Shelby led, 20 to 0, at the half. Hitting pay dirt in the second half were Junior Lanny Hopkins from Tiffin's 40-yard line with 9:03 left in the third period. Alfrey, who raced 42 yards to score with 3:32 left in the same quarter and Hamman, who cut loose for a 50-yard touchdown jaunt with 4:18 left in the fourth period.

Both the Shelby Whippet and Tiffin Columbian Tornados Bands performed at half-time.

Shelby ...

By JOHN GRAY

TIFFIN — Six Whippets scored as the bruising Shelby attack, shellacked Tiffin Columbian to spoil "homecoming" for the host Tornados.

First Whippet score came on the third play after Tiffin's opening kick-off.

Larry Baldrige was held to no gain on the first play. A pass from Baldrige to End Lynn Guern for 42 yards put the ball on Tiffin's one-yard stripe. Baldrige ran right end to score with 10:14 showing on the clock.

Tiffin rolled back with an attack that fell just three yards of the Whippet goal as the Hungry Hounds' defensive unit put up a stout, "iron wall" line.

With 9:14 left in the second quarter, Shelby scored on a

pass from Baldrige to Guern Bill Porter for two touchdowns, one a 62-yard effort which gave the Tigers a 16-12 edge at halftime.

Mike Tupps, another senior, scored the first and last Galion touchdowns on short runs.

Halsey and Porter amassed 18 of the Galion points. In addition to the two touchdowns, Halsey twice passed to Porter for extra points and ran over once himself.

Willard scored in each of the first two quarters. Ron Pugh passed to Chuck Coleman for one TD and Jerry Jarrett ran for the other.

STATISTICS	
First Downs	10
Rushing	6
Passing	4
Yards gained rushing	347
Yards gained passing	28
Yards lost scrimmage	21
Yards lost fumble	9
Passes completed	4
Passes intercepted	5
No. of punts	2
Punt average	21
No. of punt returns	1
Punt return yards	19
No. of fumbles	2
Own punts recovered	2
No. of penalties	11
Penalty yards	105

Galion ...

(By Mrs. Hazel Gray)

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Rushing	123
Passing	105
Yards gained rushing	27
Yards gained passing	105
Yards lost scrimmage	3
Yards lost fumble	0
Passes completed	4
Passes intercepted	5
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Ontario High Splits Lead With Colts

Defending Johnny Applesseed Conference champion Ontario (5-0 and 6-0) romped to another easy victory last night, downing the Big Red of Plymouth, 42-14, at Warrior Stadium. Plymouth now stands 3-3 and 3-3.

Unbeaten Clear Fork (5-0 and 6-0), currently sharing the JAC lead, kept pace by handling the Lexington Minutemen, 28-0. Lexington is 1-4 in the league and 2-4 overall.

Fredericktown (4-1 and 5-1) dropped the Loudonville Redbirds (2-3 and 3-3), 26-8 while the Crestline Bulldogs (4-1 and 4-2) were hanging a 40-6 shellacking on Northmor (0-5 and 1-5).

Crestview visits Lucas this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the other JAC contest.

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First Downs	15
Rushing	150
Passing	120
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Passes completed	120
Passes intercepted	120
No. of punts	120
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Clear Fork ...

By D. L. STEWART

BELLVILLE — The Colts treated the Homecoming crowd to a 28-point barrage in the first half, and then settled back for an easy win.

Clear Fork took the opening kick off and marched 72 yards for the first score, with junior fullback Ken Hollar ripping the final 14 yards over left tackle.

On the following kick off, the Minutemen watched Steve Walker's boot settle in the end zone. A pair of alert Clear Fork defenders pounced on the ball, with Halfback Bob Stelzer getting credit for the touchdown.

The Colts scored twice in the second quarter, with Hollar totting the ball five yards over left guard, and Walker romping 11

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The Warriors had a tough battle on their hand in the opening half as two scoring bursts for the Big Red "allowed" Ontario a scant six-point lead, 20-14 at the halfway post.

Ontario's defensive unit went to work in the half of the muddy contest holding the Plymouth gridders to a measly 24 yards rushing while the defending JAC champs' offensive unit took over to drive over three TD's. Larry Easterday and Mike

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Perry accounted for two touchdowns each in giving the Warriors the lopsided win. Teammates Jim Herrick and Jerry Alexander also found the end zone.

Plymouth, who made its best showing in the first half, scored on two bursting opportunities in the second quarter. Bill Goth, a hard charging halfback, raced up the middle on a 75-yard run on the first play of the second quarter and figured in the second Big Red touchdown on a 30-yard aerial to Norm Howard.

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Freddie gridders scored as Fredericktown built a 19-0 halftime margin.

Quarterback Dennis Snyder had a large role in the first two scores. The senior signal-caller completed touchdown passes of eight and 21 yards to Ends Ron Carter and Charles Gregg in the first quarter.

Highlight of the game, however, was a 70-yard scoring run by Gordon Sargent in the second quarter. Sargent took the ball on what was originally a sweep around the right side, cut back and ran the entire

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Lexington made only one threatening gesture, moving to the five-yard line of Clear Fork early in the fourth quarter. But the Minutemen's passing attack backfired, when Cliff Clogg picked off a Lexington aerial at the four.

An earlier Lexington offensive threat, in the first quarter, was stopped when Steve Leedy made the first of his two fumble recoveries at the Clear Fork 19-yard line.

Walker, a 168-pound junior halfback, was the workhorse for the Colts, gaining 172 yards in 20 carries.

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Bucyrus seemed to be well on its way to its first win of the 1965 season, as Mike Burling smashed into the end zone from one-yard out to put Bucyrus temporarily in front.

Halfback Jeff Richards battled Pambianco for honors in the Bellevue backfield. Richards, playing in his second game of the season, ground out 132 yards in 22 carries, for a six-yard per rush average. Richards scored all four Bellevue extra points.

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Bellevue — Bucyrus scored first, but Bellevue scored at least once in each of the final three quarters, with Fullback Carl Pambianco leading the way.

Pambianco, a 185-pound junior, scored three times to run his NOL scoring total to 38 points.

Powerful Pambianco scored on a pair of one-yard bursts and an 11-yard scamper.

Dave Doster scored the other Bellevue touchdown on a one-yard run.

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By CHET BRYANT

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play which covered 45 yards from Carl Rittensbaugh to Bill Beach.

The Riverdale advantage was gained with solo TD's in the second, third and fourth quarters after a scoreless first period.

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N. London In Fourth Win, 20-8

VERMILION — New London (3-1 and 4-1) trailed 8-6 after the first quarter, but came roaring back to snare a 20-8 Lakeland Conference victory last night to ruin the Vermilion Homecoming festivities.

High-scoring Halfback Al Randleman gave the Wildcats the go-ahead score with a one-yard plunge in the second quarter.

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speared by Mervyn Nugent and Ed Bowman, limited the Vermilion squad scoreless after a first period one-yard plunge by Jerry Brothers.

Rick Evans also scored for New London on an eight-yard pass from Nugent. Evans with 44 and Randleman with 36, are the top New London point-producers.

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Washington (UPI) — Touchdown passes of 17 and 9 yards to end Mike Turner carried Cincinnati to a 13-3 victory Friday night over George Washington in an inter-sectional football game.

Turner, a 200-pound junior playing at full speed for the first time this season, caught the 17-yarder from Mike Faherty in the first period as the Bearcats went in front