Coughlin Leads 28-6 Irish Win Over Norwalk

By JACK BROWN

Mike Coughlin, a name right out of a Dublin telephone book, led the Fighting Irish of Lorain St. Mary's to a 28-6 victory Friday night over Norwalk High School.

Coughlin performed an

Irish jig on the second play of the game when he broke off right tackle and chewed up 63 yards of Whitney Field's Auld Sod for the game's first touchdown.

It came with less than three minutes gone of the first quarter.

BILL BAINES (R) CONVERGES ON DAVE SNELL (L).

Milan Wins Another

with buzz saw legs, scored another St. Mary's touchdown in the third quarter and bucked over

twice for two pointers. St. Mary's also exhibited a fine passing quarterback in John Burke and a crushing defense that

Coughlin, a fullback held the Truckers to a net Meisler recovered an conds left in the half but gain of seven yards on the ground in the first half.

The Irish scored a TD in every period. Norwalk's offense began to click in the final two periods.

Halfback Billy Baines, whirling dervish with a football, set up the Trucker touchdown with a 29yard punt return to the Irish 26 late in the third

In three straight carries before the period expired, Billy earned a first down on the 15. Three plays later, fullback Greg Keefer reeled off nine yards to the one from where Gary Draxler punched into the end zone. Draxler failed in a run for the extra points.

Norwalk, helped by a gargantuan 102 yards in penalties against the Irish, threatened often but capitalized only once against the tough St. Marys defense.

Norwalk got its first opportunity midway in the first period when end Jim

Tuneup Bout

OGDEN, Utah (UPI) --Don Fullmer, top middleweight contender in the latest World Boxing Association ratings, will fight a tuneup bout against veteran Teddy Wright Sept. 22, it was announced today.

Fullmer, hopeful of getting a crack at the middleweight crown, will meet the Detroit veteran in a scheduled 10-round bout in the Weber State

College gymnasium.

New Yankee

NEW YORK (UPI) --Outfielder Tom Shopay, beat," said Western Re- just seemed to fall serve coach Jim Hastings apart." purchased from the Syracuse Chiefs of the International League, will into the telephone. finish the 1967 baseball season as a member of the New York Yankees.

The Yankees acquired the 22-year-old lefthanded hitter Friday. He batted .277 in 136 games this season with the

SANDWICH, England (UPI) -- Ireland's Christy O'Connor carried the favorite's role today going into the final 36hole round of the \$18,200 Dunlop Mastess Golf Irish fumble on the Lorain 39.

Baines and Keefer carried for a first down on the 24. A penalty against St. Mary's put the ball on the 15 and John Fell carried to the six for a first down, In four downs, the Truckers were shoved back to the 12.

St. Mary's launched its second scoring drive late in the first half from the 50. The Irish drove to the four-yard-line in six plays. After a penalty put them back on the nine, quarterback Burke passed to end Bob Skusa for the score.

the Truckers brought the crowd to its feet by blitz-

ing 55 yards in two plays. Sophomore Doug Ott, who quarterbacked the Truckers most of the way Friday night, threw 44 yards to end Dan Smith on the Irish 29.

Ott followed with a short pitch to Baines who did some amazing footwork before he was hauled down on the eight. Time ran out before Norwalk could even huddle.

St. Mary's drove 63 yards in nine plays for its third touchdown after receiving the second half kickoff, Coughlin scooting There were only 29 se- over from the nine. Long-

est gain in the drive was a 21-yard-pass from Burke to end Mike Campo.

The Truckers struck back. Led by Baines, the Truckers drove from their own 40 to the Irish 11 but a fumble stopped the surge.

After Norwalk finally scored early in the fourth quarter, Coughlin put the Irish in scoring position again with a 35-yard dash to the Trucker 35. Three Yards Passing plays later, halfback Dave Punts-Average 4-36.3 Snell skirted left end for 14 yards to score.

Norwalk finished the Truckers' leading rush- Norwalk 0 0 0 6 - 6 er with a net of 57 yards St. Mary's 8 6 6 8 - 28

and was on the receiving end of one of Norwalk's two completed passes for an additional 21 yards. FOOTBALL STATISTIC SHEET

Norwalk St. Mary 1st Downs Rushing 1st Downs Passing 1st Downs Penalties 0 **Total 1st Downs** 11 14 Passes Att. Passes Com. Passes Inter. 80 308 67 84 Yards Rusing 29.1 **Fumbles Fumbles Lost** Penalties game with a net gain of Yards Penalized 5 102 147 yards. Baines was the SCORE BY QUARTERS 5 102

Silence Is Golden? Hah!

By DAN McNEILL

Whoever said that silence is golden never saw a loser's

After Friday night's 28-6 loss to Lorain St. Mary's, Trucker coach Bill Mrukowski walked into the dressing room and said simply, "See you tomorrow at ten."

Nobody said a word.

Next door, the victorious Irish whooped it up, patting each other on the back and shaking hands with everyone

The Truckers sat limply on the hard wooden benches. Helmets and shoulder pads dropped to the floor, and the windows slowly steamed up. No smiles, little noise.

St. Mary's coach Tim Rose stepped outside into the cool evening air. His small boy came running up to him. and Daddy whisked him up to his shoulders. His wife beamed as she gave him a congratulatory kiss.

Bill Mrukowski huddled with his coaching staff in an intense strategy session in the cramped coaches' office. He had problems.

"I still feel that Norwalk has a good football team." Rose was saying. "It could be real fine in a couple of

"That Baines -- he's tough. We had to change our whole defense because of him. We spread wide and we kicked the flat ball. You don't do this against an ordinary back. He's the kind of player who might do nothing all game, then come back and hurt you, like he did on that screen play in the first half."

The last of the Irish were trickling out of the locker room, and the victory celebration had shifted to the bus. The Trucker door was still closed.

"We were tough when we had to be," Rose went on.

"We were disappointed we didn't get a shutout, of course." That's what we're always trying for.'

The Lorain bus drove off, and slowly Truckers began leaving Whitney Field, thinking perhaps of next week.

Before the game, someone asked Mrukowski what Norwalk would do if it lost. "Well," he said, "I guess we'll just have to come back next week and try harder.'

Standings

Washington

83 66

69 81

66 82

65 81

Kansas City 59 87 .404 24

FRIDAY'S RESULTS

Baltimore 6 Boston 2 night New York 5 Cleveland 1 night Detroit 5 Washington 4 night Chicago 7 Minnesota 3 night California 2 Kansas City 1 11 inns.

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(All Times EDT)
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York (Stottlemyre 14-12), 8 p.m.
Washington (Moore 7-10) at Detroit (McLain 17-16), 1:15 p.m.
Baltimore (Hardin 6-2) at Boston
(Lonborg 20-7) 2 p.m.
Minnesota (Chance 18-11) at Chicago (John 9-11), 9 p.m.
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SOUTH AMHERST -- I don't know how

it got there, but all of the sudden the ball

was in my arms and I didn't know what

to do so I just took off running." . . . Mid-

dleguard Bobby Stower explaining how he

grabbed a South Amherst fumble in mid-

air and rambled 60 yards to set up the

winning touchdown in Milan's 21-14 vic-

Stower came up with the ball around

The 200-pound junior was the hero in

Milan's 12th straight victory, but he

the Milan 20 and was brought down on

tory here Friday night.

the South Amherst 20.

wasn't the only standout.

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New York (McGraw 0-1) at Houston
(Cuellar 13-11), 8:05 p.m.
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Willard **Overruns** AMERICAN LEAGUE Riverview .568

Bob Kaatz ran for two touchdowns

and kicked an extra-point. Kaatz scored

his first touchdown from eight yards

out, after Milan recoved a fumble on

His second score was on an off tackle

play that went from the South Amherst

Milan's final score came on a pass

play that covered 12 yards, Mark Van-

SCORE BY QUARTERS
MILAN 6 14 14 21

SOUTH AMHERST 0 14 14 14

six. Bob Kaiser added the bonus points.

the opening kickoff on the 25.

derpool to Kirby Vahle.

Willard clobbered Riverview 52-6 in a Friday night football game at Riverview High School.

Chuck Barrison and Dave Wilson each scored a pair of touchdowns, and Bob Thornton, Bob Stover, Greg Sand, and John Lindsey added TDs of their own. The lone Riverview

tally was garnered by Dave Howell in the second quarter.

Score By Quarters Willard 6 18 16 12-52 0 6 0 0 - 6

Wildcats Win

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Tournament.

O'Connor fired a fourunder-par 66 Friday for a 36-hole total of 139. He was tied with Neil Coles and Fred Bobbyer.

1-yard line, but failed to 50-yard pass from Mike

Grid Results

NORTHERN OHIO

LAGRANGE -- "We got

On the opening drive,

the Roughriders scram-

bled down to the Keystone

LEAGUE Bellevue 29, Clyde 6; Shelby 42, Ashland 12; Kent Roosevelt 42, Galion 0; Fostoria 20, Tiffin Columbian 8: Lorain St. Mary's 28, Norwalk

FIRELANDS CONFERENCE Hillsdale 6, Triway 6; Milan 21, South Amherst 14; Plymouth 50, Berlin Heights 0; Avon 22, South Central 0; 14.

Coombs Scores Six Touchdowns

Keystone 48, Western Reserve 14.

"After that, the kids

Keystone won 48-14.

OTHER GAMES

land West Tech 0; Lorain Admiral King 24, Lima 12; Fremont 36, Cleveland West

Conry to Dave Zimmer- we're in trouble. We've man, and the other on got a green front line, a 45-yard reverse play by which really kills you.' Zimmerman.

Western Reserve scor-"Dave Zimmerman is not blessed with an extra-

'Green Line' Plagues Roughriders

probably the finest foot- ordinary turnout for footthe last quarter, one on a ball player in the con- ball this year. Thirty ference, but it's of no help players showed up. whatsoever. It's what's up front that counts."

> And, for Western Reserve, inexperience is up

> young kids. Until they grow up mentally, ma-

ture, and come through,

"I thought they were ready for Keystone, but they looked twice as bad "We've got so many as against St. Paul's," Hastings mused. "It's just something you can't tell about."

Seventeen of these were

freshmen. Three were

seniors.

The Roughriders were

Sandusky 46, Cleveland East 6; North Ridgeville 16, Avon Stops SC Vermilion 8; Huron 12, Amherst 0; Elyria Catholic 39, Midview 0: Elyria 21, Cleve-

GREENWICH -- A penalty at the one-yard line stopped South Central from reaching the scoreboard Friday night as Avon blanked the Trojans

"We had our offense pretty well down," said head coach David Mitchell, "We got down to the one yard line, and were stopped by a penalty. We moved down to the 20. and were stopped by a fumble. And we moved down to the 30, and were just plain stopped.'

Avon scored its first touchdown in the second quarter, on a 7-yard run by Bill Chapman. In the fourth quarter, Pat Maguire racked up 6 points with a 65-yard run, and Ray Dechant took a 10yard pass for Avon's third and final TD.

"We expected them to be tough, but we thought we could handle them,' Mitchell admitted.

South Central gained 175 yards on the ground, of which fullback Rick Mullins achieved 80 and Bob Smith 82 yards.

The Trojan air attack was successful twice in eight attempts, with a total gain of 15 yards. South Central was pen-

alized fr 100 vards.

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WILKINSON'S

Tigers absorbed a 50-0 points. defeat at the hands of the Plymouth Big Red. Plymouth totally domi-

KEITH COOMBS

scoring 16 points in the first quarter, 8 in the se-In the first quarter,

Hoffman ran 60

PLYMOUTH -- Friday yards for the first touchnight was quieter than down, and Ken Foreman usual in Berlin Heights, ran for the two extra

pass from Hoffman for the second TD, and Erv nated the proceedings, Howard ran for the extra points.

In the second quarter, cond, and 13 in both the Tim Willet scored Plythird and fourth quarters. mouth's touchdown, and Eugene Kok ran for the extra points.

Erv Howard started the second half off with a bang, as he ran a kickoff return all the way into Foreman took a long the end zone, Kok kicked the extra point.

> Kok also scored a touchdown in the third quarter.

John Garrett intercepted a pass and made it good for another TD in fourth quarter. Kok kicked the extra point.

forty yards.

The final blow came on another intercepted pass, as John Daup ran it infor the 6 points.

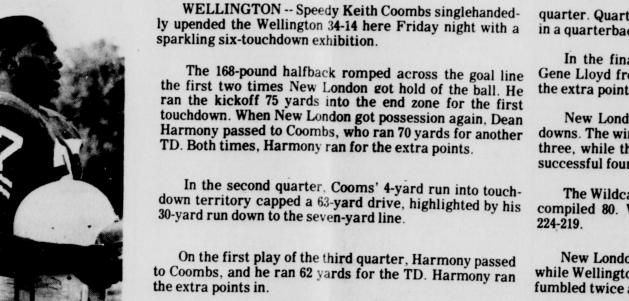
Berlin Heights had four first downs to Plymouth's ten. It sustained 3 penalties to Plymouth's 5, and gained 181 yards to the Big Red's 357.

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A 48-yard run into the end zone in the fourth quarter completed Coombs' one-man devastation of the Dukes. Wellington scored its first touchdown in the first

quarter. Quarterback Ken Anderson covered about 3 yards in a quarterback sneak.

In the final quarter, Anderson tossed a pass to end Gene Lloyd from the 28-yard line. Doug Coleman ran for the extra points.

New London and Wellington each racked up ten first downs. The winners attempted four passes, and completed three, while the losers went to the air 16 times and were successful four times.

The Wildcats gained 61 yards passing, while the Dukes compiled 80. Wellington edged New London in rushing,

while Wellington kicked 4 for a 27-yard average. Each team fumbled twice and lost the ball once.

New London was penalized seven times for a loss of 55 yards, while Wellington had four penalties amounting to

New London attempted 6 punts for a 35 yard average,