

Bucyrus 'Slaughters' Norwalk 35-13



BUCYRUS PIRATE MEL SLAUGHTER (42) SKIRTS THE MASS OF TACKLES AND BLOCKERS

Mel Slaughter Scores 4 TD's

By DAN HOPWOOD

Senior tailback Mel Slaughter ripped Norwalk's defenses Friday night for 238 yards and four touchdowns as Bucyrus stopped the Trunkers 35-13 at Whitney Field.

Slaughter carried the ball 47 times for the Redmen and gained most of their 264 yards on the ground.

During the first half it looked as though Norwalk might end a 16-game losing streak. At the half Bucyrus was ahead by just a single point, 14-13.

Slaughter was practically a one-man show. He carried 47 of the Redmen's 61 plays on the ground, returned one punt for 11 yards, and threw two passes, both of them incomplete.

One fan commented after the game, "He's still running — pulling the bus back to Bucyrus."

The Trunkers scored first when Tom Budziszewski returned a Bucyrus punt 28 yards. Dale Perkins added the extra point with a kick and Norwalk led 7-0.

But Bucyrus came down the field in only five plays and Slaughter carried from the one-yard line for the score. Slaughter ran for the conversion and Bucyrus led 7-0.

The Trunkers took the kick and drove from their own 20 in 11 plays, with the help of a couple of pass interference calls. At the Bucyrus 15, quarterback Willie Robinson, who started in place of injured Jed Bohn, called an end around reverse, which worked perfectly and end Dan Smith scampered into the end zone.

Bucyrus defender Tim Spurlock blocked the kick and the Trunkers held a 13-8 edge.

Rick Wilson returned the kickoff to his own 45 and it took Bucyrus 11 plays to score with Carl McMichael hitting end Dave Foulk with a 33-yard scoring pass.

The second half was all Bucyrus. Neither team moved the ball well until late in the third period when Bucyrus started a drive on its own 42.

Slaughter carried the ball nine straight times to the Norwalk seven. After back Dick Predmore carried to the one, Slaughter plunged over. He ran for the two extra points.

After Norwalk had the ball again for a series of plays, Bucyrus started another drive, this time from the Norwalk 44. Slaughter scored again with an 18-yard run. Tackle Ned Raybuck kicked the extra point.

With the game well out of reach for the Trunkers, Bucyrus added another score with a little more than five minutes remaining in the game.

Dwight Felkey intercepted a Willie Robinson pass at the Norwalk 48 and six plays later, Slaughter ran for the TD from the one.

The wins brings Bucyrus' record to 2-2. Norwalk is 0-4.

STATISTICS

	Nor.	Bucyrus	Net yards pass.	124	107
First downs rush	4	12	Punts - aver.	5.23-4	3-28.7
First downs pass	5	4	Fumbles	2	1
First downs pen.	2	3	Fumbles lost	0	1
Total first dwns.	11	19	Penalties	12	9
Passes at.	16	12	Yards pen.	105	65
Passes comp.	10	4	SCORE BY QUARTERS		
Passes inter.	0	1	Nor.	0	13 0 0-13
Net yards rush.	120	264	Bucyrus	0	14 0 21-35

Reserve 'Fouls Out' Against BR

SULLIVAN — After a stalemated game of tough defensive work, Black River and Western Reserve exploded in the final two minutes of play here Friday night. Black River came out the winner, 6-0, scoring its touchdown with 38 seconds remaining on the clock.

In the waning moments of the game, Black River returned a punt to midfield. Reserve Roughrider Mickey Cassidy then was called for a pass interference which moved the ball to the Reserve 45.

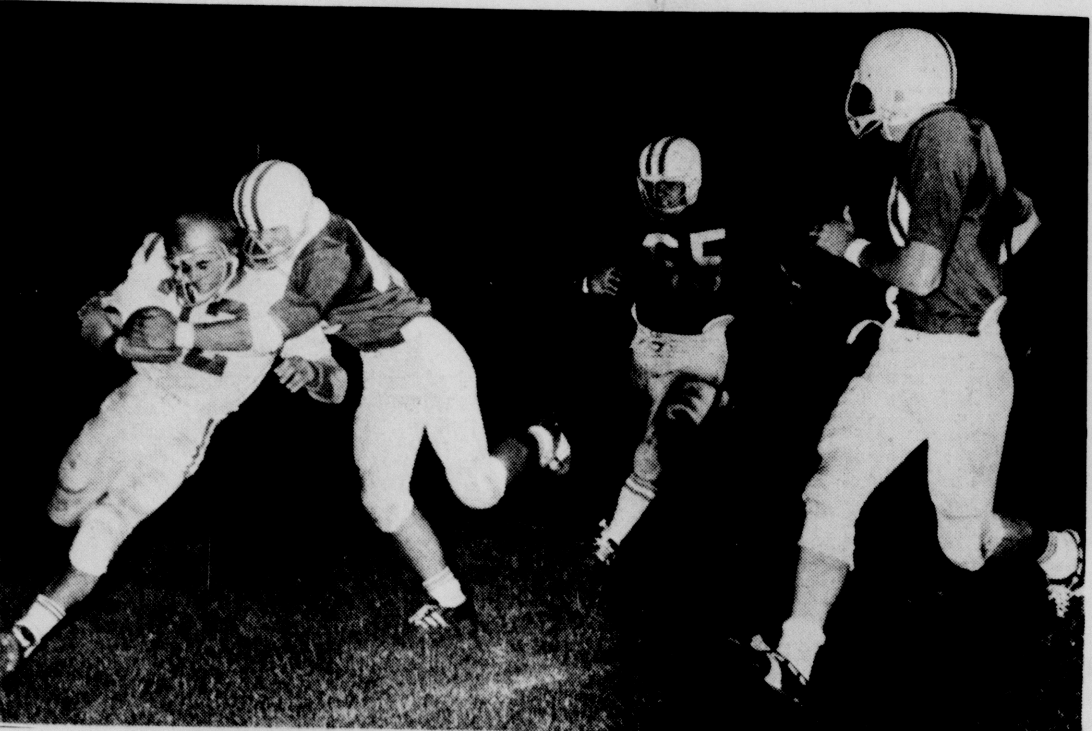
Black River was moved forward another 15 yards when Roughrider coach Rodney Durgin strenuously protested the pass interference call.

Another 15 - yard penalty took Black River up to about the 15 from where the Pirates scored in four plays. Paul Palmeroy ran two yards to score.

The run for extra points failed.



DICK PREDMORE, BUCYRUS, INTERCEPTS BALL
Intended Receiver is Dan Smith (80)



TRUCKER DON SMITH GOES DOWN UNDER BUCYRUS TACKLES

Reject Clay Fight

COLUMBUS (UPI) — The Columbus Boxing Commission Friday night unanimously rejected the proposed 15-round comeback fight by Cassius Clay, former world heavyweight champion,

here Nov. 11 against an unnamed opponent.

The commission voted 5-0 against sanctioning a fight at the state fairgrounds involving the controversial Clay, who has not appeared in a professional fight in 18

months. Two commissioners were not present at the brief meeting.

The commission indicated that as an affiliate with the World Boxing Association, it must follow its decisions, and it has banned Clay.

Winning Number Tonight, Too?

Maybe it's a good omen for the Flyers. Jack Lodermeier, fullback for St. Paul's Flyers, was a spectator at Friday night's Norwalk-Bucyrus game.

Lodermeier bought a program with a winning number and was presented, very appropriately, a football.

He and his teammates will see the game tonight from where the action is — on the field — as they take on the Edison Chargers in an important Firelands Conference game.

Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE				NATIONAL LEAGUE				
	W	L	Pct. GB		W	L	Pct. GB	
x - Detroit	103	57	.644		x - St. Louis	96	64	.600
Baltimore	91	71	.562	13	San Fran	87	73	.544
Boston	86	71	.538	17	Cincinnati	82	78	.513
Cleveland	86	75	.534	17 1/2	Chicago	82	78	.513
New York	81	79	.506	22	Atlanta	80	80	.500
Oakland	81	79	.506	22	Pittsburgh	80	80	.500
Minnesota	78	82	.488	25	Los Ang	75	85	.469
Calif	66	94	.412	37	Philadelphia	75	85	.469
Chicago	66	94	.412	37	New York	72	99	.450
Wash	63	96	.396	39 1/2	Houston	71	89	.444
x - clinched pennant					x - clinched pennant			
Friday's Results					Friday's Results			
Wash 3 Detroit 1, night					St. Louis 1 Hous 0, night			
Cleve 2 Baltimore 0, night					San Fran 3 Cinn 2, 15 ins., night			
Boston 12 NY 2, night					Phil 3 NY 2, 11 ins., night			
Oakland 8 Minn 4, night					Los Ang 5 Atlanta 2, night			
Chicago 5 Calif 1, night					Chicago 4 Pittsburgh 1			
Today's Probable Pitchers					Today's Probable Pitchers			
All Times EDT					All Times EDT			
NY at Boston, 2 p.m.					Philadelphia 3 Jackson (1-6)			
Wash at Detroit, 2:15 p.m.					or Johnson (4-3), at New York Ryan			
Minnesota at Oakland, 9 p.m.					(6-9), or Cardwell (7-13), 2:15 p.m.			
Chicago at Calif., 10:30 p.m.					Pittsburgh Blass (18-5) at Chicago Jen-			
Only games scheduled					kins (19-15), 2:15 p.m.			
Sunday's Games					San Francisco Perry (15-15), at Cincin-			
New York at Boston					nati Nolan (9-3), 2:15 p.m.			
Washington at Detroit					Los Angeles Sutton (10-15), at Atlanta			
Minnesota at Oakland					Jarvis (16-11), 8:05 p.m.			
Chicago at California					Houston Wilson (13-16), at St. Louis			
Only games scheduled					Carlton (13-11), 2:15 p.m.			
					Sunday's Games			
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Balt	000	000	000-0 4 2		Pittsburgh at Chicago			
McDowell (15-14) and Sims; Nelson;					San Francisco at Cincinnati			
Drabowsky 9 and Hendricks. LP-Nel-					Los Angeles at Atlanta			
son (4-3).					Houston at St. Louis			
Minn	011	001	001-4 5 0					
Oakland	100	230	20x-8 10 2					
Boswell, Miller 5, Roland 6, Keller 8								
and Roseboro. C. Dobson, Segui 7 and								
Duncan. WP-C. Dobson (12-14). LP-								
Boswell (10-13). HRs-Monday 2 7th &								
8th, Green 6th, Allison 22nd.								
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Calif	000	000	100-1 8 1					
Horlen, Wood 7 and Josephson; Mes-								
semersmith, Burgmeier 7, Kealey 7, Ellis,								
8 and Egan. WP-Horlen (12-14). LP-Mes-								
semersmith (4-2).								
New York	010	000	100-2 12 3					
Boston	310	202	22x-12 13 0					
Verbanic, Peterson 1, Talbot 4, Cum-								
berland 7 and Fernandez; Ellsworth,								
Slange 7, Lyle 9 and Gibson. WP-Will-								
worth (16-7). LP-Verbanic (6-7). HRs-								
Yastrzemski 23rd, Andrews 7th, Cox								
7th, R. Smith 15th.								
Wash	010	000	200-3 5 2					
Detroit	010	000	000-1 6 0					
Coleman (12-16) and French; Spar-								
ma, Hiller 4, Dobson 7, Patterson 9								
and Freehan. Price 9. LP-Dobson								
(5-7). HRs-Cash 25th, F. Howard 44th.								

Veeck May Buy

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Controversial Bill Veeck may be a prospective buyer of a half-share of the Washington Senators baseball team.

Willard, Shelby, Bellevue Win Northern Ohio Games

By DON HOHLER

The Willard Flashes hiked their overall record to 4-0 and gained their second Northern Ohio League Victory in stopping Upper Sandusky Friday night, 20-0.

In other league action Shelby also remained undefeated but did not have an easy time in stopping Galion, 22-12, while Bellevue finally hit the win column with a narrow 14-12 decision over Tiffin Columbian.

WILLARD - UPPER

Willard halfback Chuck Barrison opened the scoring for Coach Wally Cook's club as he rambled 25 yards in the second quarter. Bill Sowers then picked up the extra points on a run and this is the way it stood at halftime.

Halfback Don Wilson scored from three yards out in the third quarter and then fullback Gregg Sands added the final six points in the last eight minutes with a two yard blast.

SHELBY - GALION

Shelby tailback Ked Varble continued to be the running scourge of the league as he rambled 55 yards in the first quarter to send the defending league champions off to a 6-0 lead. Varble then made connections with halfback Gary Moore for the extra points.

Galion bounced right back with a score of their own as quarterback Steve Sorrenson tossed a nine yard strike to halfback Fred Ortlip, but the run failed making it an 8-6 game at the intermission.

Moore then opened the game up early in the second period with a 63-yard run for six points and substitute halfback Dale Alfrey added the points after.

Moore rambled 34 yards later in the period to make it a 22-6 game and offset Sorrenson's one yard lunge for Galion in the final stanza.

BELLEVUE - TIFFIN

Bellevue cranked out a score in each of the first two periods and then hung on for dear life.

End Jeff McClain, brother to the famed halfback of a few years ago, rambled with a 66 yard pass from quarterback Harry Lee for the Redmen's first six points. The kick failed.

Fullback Tom Nation then bulled for two yards in the second period and took a pass from Lee for the extra points which proved to be the difference in the game.

Tiffin fullback Chuck Rinker cut the margin to eight points shortly before halftime with a two yard run but the pass for the points after failed.

Halfback Chuck Heater scored the final Columbian touchdown on a 25 yard run but again the extra point pass went incomplete.

Neither team managed a score in the final eight minutes.

Bellevue held a slight advantage in almost every department including total yardage, 272-211, and first downs, 15-11.



DEAN HARMONY
Gained 170 Yards

NL Loses Despite Harmony

RIDGEVILLE — The New London Wildcats practiced the fine art of harkari in Ridgeville Friday night, and mastered it well enough to lose 20-13.

The Wildcats lost five fumbles, and one of those in the third quarter made all the difference.

New London opened the scoring when the game was only two minutes old, on a pass from Mike Nugent to Dean Harmony. It covered 65 yards.

The Ridgeville Rangers answered four minutes later on a drive from their own 30-yard line. Dan Merrill and Jim Marquis combined on a 19-yard pass for the touchdown.

New London staged a 70-yard drive after the second half kickoff, with Bruce Ewell gaining 38 of those yards. Dean Harmony ran the final seven to score. The successful kick was made by Toby Thomas.

The Cats had the ball back soon, but were just beginning to drive when they fumbled on their own 30. Ridgeville recovered, and eight plays later, Bill Atsberger finished the short drive with a three yard run. Merrill ran the 2-point conversion.

With 31 seconds left in the game, Atsberger took to his heels and covered 43 yards for the Rangers' final scoring.

Dean Harmony was standout player for New London, gaining 170 yards rushing and passing. The Wildcats' record now stands at one win, two losses, and a tie.

New London	6	0	7	0
Ridgeville	6	0	8	6
First downs	9	14		
Passing	2	2		
Rushing	7	9		
Penalties	0	3		
Passing yard.	36	79		
Rushing yard.	191	201		
Intercept.	0	0		
Passes completed	3-14	3-5		
Fumbles lost	0	5		
Punts - average yard.	6-34	4-23		
Penalties - yards	9-115	10-95		

Football Scores

NORTHERN OHIO LEAGUE

Bucyrus 35, Norwalk 13	
Willard 20, Upper Sandusky 0	
Bellevue 14, Tiffin Columbian 12	
Shelby 22, Galion 12	

FIRELANDS CONFERENCE

Black River 6, Western Reserve 0	
South Central 14, Monroeville 7	
Mapleton 16, Hillsdale 6	

BUCKEYE CONFERENCE

Marion Harding 7, Sandusky Sr. 6	
Mansfield Sr. 29, Fremont Ross 14	
Elyria 7, Lorain Admiral King 0	
Lorain Senior 40, Findlay 6	

OTHER GAMES

Ridgeville 20, New London 13	
Plymouth 6, Ontario 20	
Gibsonburg 14, Woodmore 8	
Danbury - Lakeside 0, Ottawa Hills 23	
Fremont St. Joe 14, Margaretta 6	
Sandusky - Perkins, 8, Clearview 14	
Huron 0, Clyde 19	

Dartball

DARTBALL

Reinecks	3-0
Hergatts	3-0
Windy's	2-1
Am. Leg.	2-1
Baltes	2-1
Knob Hill	2-1
Moore	2-1
Mon. K of C	2-1
Nor. K of C	1-2
Con. No. 2	1-2
Con. No. 1	1-2
Wonder Bar	1-2
Rock Inn	0-3
VFW	0-3