

Admiral King Bounces Marion, 26-6

Elyria, Lorain Breeze

Elyria and Lorain breezed to victories and remain deadlocked for the Buckeye Conference lead, but Marion Harding stumbled at the hands of Lorain Admiral King.

Rolling up 493 yards in total offense, Elyria's seventh ranked offense bounced Mansfield, 27-0, for their sixth decision and Lorain blanketed Fremont with 398 yards, 25-7, for its fifth win in a row after an opening game loss. Both clubs are now 3-0 in the Buckeye.

Marion's hopes for a crown were jolted when the Admirals raced to a 29-0 halftime bulge and coasted to a 26-6 triumph.

Elyria again displayed a well-balanced running attack with speedster Greg Edwards gaining 83 yards in 16 carries and scoring twice. John Husband added 82 yards in 15 attempts and one tally, while Ed Simenson chipped in with 72 yards and veteran quarterback Al Van-Vaulkenberg 64 yards in six carries. Bill Barton's squad amassed 334 yards on the ground.

Husband slashed off-tackle for three yards early in the

second period and Van Vaulkenberg connected for 16 yards to Edwards.

Elyria wrapped up the win in the third stanza when Kolin Messaros recovered a Mansfield fumble in the end zone.

Mansfield's defense scored its touchdown as Bob Brooks sped 82 yards on a pass interception later in the third period and Mark Smith's pass to Nixon added the PAT. Edwards added the frosting on the cake with a 16-yard scamper in the final canto.

The Tigers again relied on an aerial attack, hitting nine of 27 attempts for 167 yards, but managed only 66 yards on the ground to fall back to 3-3 for the year and 1-2 in the conference.

LORAIN EXPLODED for two touchdowns in each of the first two periods for a 28-0 halftime advantage and fro-

liced with 276 yards rushing and 122 passing on six of 14 attempts by Jim Sheets and Jeff Novotny.

Fullback Pete Ulichnev rumbled 25 yards at the 3:20 mark and halfback Flynn Smith slid off-tackle from the two with 43 seconds left in the same period. He also added the extra points for a 14-0 lead.

Novotny and all-state candidate Jim Svoboda teamed up for a 40-yard scoring pass early in the second stanza and Novotny carried in from the four for the fourth Steeler marker. The hosts concluded their scoring on a 50-yard pass from Sheets to Bob Kaya in the third canto.

Fremont averted a shutout with Bob Ferguson bulldozing in from the three in the final stanza and Phil Garry added the PAT.

Fremont rolled up 229 yards

in total offense in its best performance. The Little Giants, winless in three Buckeye games and tied with Findlay for the cellar, had 154 yards rushing and 75 passing on three of nine. Lorain intercepted three Fremont aeri-

ADMIRAL KING tied Marion at 2-1 by virtue of another balanced attack in which they gained 352 yards for the night, 194 on the ground and 158 in the air as quarterback Ruben Lopez hit on six of 10 passes.

Lopez and senior end Harold Taylor teamed up for 19 and 21 yards for the first and last Admiral touchdowns. Speedy halfback Lemmie Davis raced 40 yards and Larry Barnes bolted in from the nine for second-quarter markers.

Marion struck paydirt after Admiral King completed its scoring. Tom Reese hooked up with Steve Shultz for the final nine yards.

Marion, now 2-3-1 on the year compared to the Admirals 4-2 mark, was stifled on the yards. They connected on seven of 11 in the air, but for only 76 yards.

BUCKEYE CONFERENCE

	G	W	L	T	Pts	OP
Elyria	3	3	0	0	46	10
Lorain	3	3	0	0	83	21
Lorain Admiral King	3	2	1	0	70	13
Marion Harding	3	2	1	0	25	38
Sandusky	3	1	2	0	26	31
Mansfield	3	1	2	0	37	84
Findlay	3	0	3	0	14	65
Fremont	3	0	3	0	27	76



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Sailors Rock New London

Wildcats Lose Nugent With Broken Arm In First Period

NEW LONDON — Vermilion spotted New London a 6-0 lead then roared back with three touchdowns to grab a 20-6 Lakeland Conference triumph Friday with the Wildcats not only losing the game, but also their fine sophomore quarterback Mike Nugent.

The scrappy 145-pound son of the New London coach scored the only touchdown for the hosts on an eight-yard scamper with 7:39 remaining in the opening period. One minute later, he was lost for the balance of the season as a result of a broken arm.

He connected for a pair of scoring strikes last week in his starting debut and sparked the Wildcats to a stunning 13-12 win over Wellington.

Nugent's loss removed the spark from the hosts and Vermilion took up the cue and proceeded to square both its season log at 3-3 and conference mark at 2-2.

Vermilion forged in front early in the second stanza. The Sailors have their own prize sophomore in 175-pound tailback John Griffin and he

slammed in from two yards out with 8:22 left in the quarter. Quarterback Rick Cline dashed in for the bonus points and Coach Larry Eberhard's resurgent Sailors held the lead to stay.

They reeled off two third-period scores to clinch the victory. Fullback Gary Martin sliced over from two yards out with the second half less than 90 seconds old.

New London had its prob-

lems with Vermilion's staunch defense and the Sailors struck again at the 4:49 of the final stanza on Cline's eight-yard pass to Chuck Trinter.

The Sailors rushed for 171 yards with Griffin and Martin dividing the chores and Cline clicked on five of 13 for 85 yards in the air. Vermilion, which rolled up 17 first downs, had two promising drives halted by fumbles.

New London, now 2-3-1 on the year, was limited to only 43 yards rushing and matched Vermilion's passing total with five of 19. However, they had three passes intercepted

LAKELAND CONFERENCE

	G	W	L	T	Pts	OP
Clearview	4	4	0	0	136	20
Midview	4	3	1	0	98	84
Wellington	4	3	1	0	70	42
Vermilion	5	3	3	0	90	93
Oberlin	4	2	2	0	82	58
New London	4	1	3	0	38	89
Ridgeville	6	1	5	0	48	133
Amherst	3	0	3	0	23	64

Clearview Rips Midview For Lakeland Lead, 60-6

There's no doubt who is the team to beat in the Lakeland after Friday's thrashing Clearview gave Midview in the battle of LC unbeaten teams.

The clippers rolled up a massive 553 yards in total offense in annihilating the Middies, 60-6, as Money Goins gained an even 200 yards in 11 attempts and fullback Joe Tucker 121 yards in 18 carries. The unbeaten Clippers (6-0), ranked in the top 10 in the Class A ratings, had 459 yards rushing and enjoyed a 32-0 halftime lead.

Bill Knowles opened the scoring with a seven-yard jaunt in the opening stanza and Goins added the PAT for an 8-0 lead. Clearview opened the flood gate in the second stanza. Goins dashed 66 yards, Knowles scored for the second time from the 10 and quarterback Denby Schuster raced six yards. They added the bonus points after each tally.

The Clippers stromed out with three more in the third stanza as Tucker banged in from the one, Goins sprinted 80 yards and Schuster passed for 34 yards to Jim Urban.

Ed Kimbrough completed the romp with a one-yard plunge. Midview, now 4-2 on the year and 3-1 in conference play, scored when Bob Stacey plunged two yards after Clearview raised its margin to 46-0.

HALFBACKS JIM MARQUIS AND DAN NELSON collected two touchdowns apiece as Ridgeville shocked Wellington, 26-16 with the Rangers doing all of their scoring before the Dukes broke the ice.

Marquis rambled 14 yards on a reverse for the initial tally and Nelson added the next two markers. Starting at halfback for the first time and gaining 211 yards in 21 carries, Nelson raced 49 yards early in the second canto and added a 15-yard scoring jaunt late in the first half. Marquis cracked in from 15 yards early in the final stanza as the Rangers posted their second win in six games, all in the Lakeland.

Wellington, suffering its second defeat in a row after four wins, tallied twice in the last eight minutes when John Worcester plunged one yard on both occasions.

Miami Upsets LSU

Miami finally put everything together in a surprise victory over highly regarded Louisiana State and underdogs Ohio State and Stanford attempt to do the same thing today in key collegiate football games across the land.

The Hurricanes, with an established defensive powerhouse built around All-America

and down the Orange Bowl turf behind the passing arm of David Olivo Friday night to score a lopsided 30-0 victory.

Ohio State and Stanford get their chances today with the Buckeyes facing top-ranked Purdue and second-rated Southern California meeting Stanford.

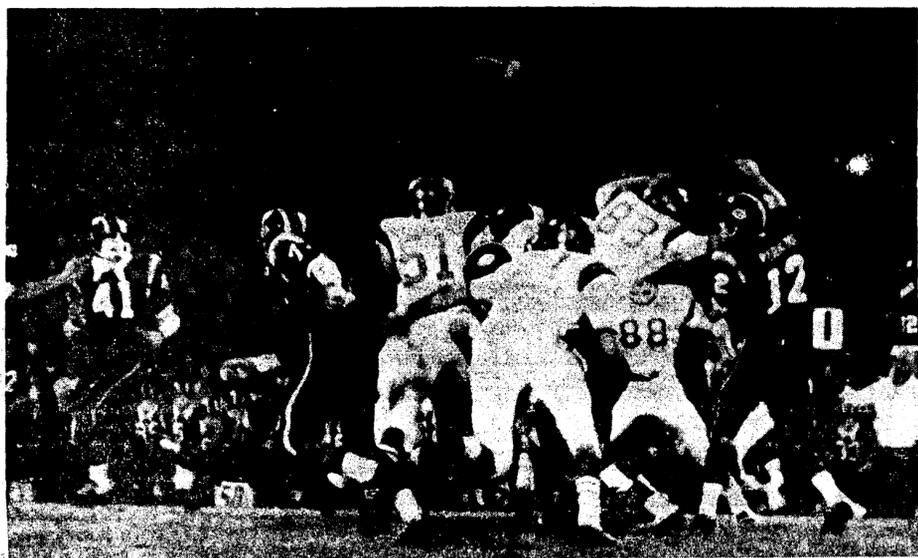
Leading 6-0 at halftime, Miami exploded for 17 points within a six-minute span in the third period. Olivo marched the Hurricanes 76 yards to a touchdown, passing the final 23 yards to David Kalina for the score. An interception by Bob Zeipulis set up Vincent Opalsky's two-yard touchdown run only three minutes later. Huff connected on a 26-yard field goal, this third of the game, after Oscar Gonzalez had returned an LSU punt 30 yards. Olivo, who hit on 18 of 28 passes, hit Rick Strawbridge with a three-yard scoring toss in the final quarter.

In the only other night game West Virginia came from behind to defeat VMI 14-7.

In a key Big Ten battle Saturday top-ranked Purdue visits Columbus to take on the Buckeyes of Ohio State. The Boilermakers (3-0) are led by All-America Leroy Keyes. The versatile Heisman Trophy candidate runs, passes, kicks and is also a defensive standout. Ohio State will be led by Rex Kern, a sophomore quarterback.

Fourth-ranked Kansas is a slight favorite over Nebraska, despite the fact that the Cornhuskers have had two weeks to prepare for the crucial Big Eight encounter. The Jayhawks are the leading scoring team in the nation with a 51-point average. Nebraska is 10th in defense in the country.

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St. Paul Flattens Black River

The Norwalk St. Paul Flyers continued to live up to their name, as they soared over Black River 48-12. St. Paul ranked second in the state among class A schools took the lead early and was never headed as they handed the Pirates a convincing defeat.

The Flyers' first score came with 9:23 remaining in the first period, as Steve Missler carried over from the one-yard line. An attempted run for the PAT failed.

St. Paul came back with a second score in the initial period. Dave Heyman went two yards to cap a 65 yard drive highlighted by a pass to Mike Wasiniak. Trying the air for the conversion failed, and with 2:04 remaining in the first quarter, St. Paul enjoyed a 12-0 lead.

Midway through the second period, St. Paul fumbled on its own 13, and the Pirates recovered. Russ Pruitt scored from the one after receiving an eight yard pass in the short drive that followed. The conversion attempt failed leaving the score 12-6.

ST. PAUL CAME back, moving 80 yards in seven plays with Heyman carrying

every time. The senior halfback scored on a six yard jaunt, then came back to add the conversion points. In the first half, he personally accounted for 106 yards in 14 carries, as the Flyers took a 20-6 lead to the locker room.

With 7:38 left in the third stanza, Mike Wasiniak intercepted a Black River pass and returned it 17 yards for

the score. Following the theft, brother Dave ran for the PAT.

Later in the same period, St. Paul added another score as quarterback Chris Amato connected on a 40 yard pass with Mike Wasiniak. Steve Missler carried for the extra points to run the score to 36-6.

EARLY IN the final period Missler climaxed a 60 yard drive by diving one yard into the end zone. The conversion try failed, but the Flyers were seen knocking on the door again. Brad Tinker picked off a Black River aerial and re-

Mapleton Thwarts Western

Mapleton remained in contention for a share of the Firelands Conference crown with a 23-8 verdict over Western Reserve Friday as Cliff Hickey collared a pair of touchdowns.

The Mounties, riddled by Edison last week, 38-6, to snap a four-game winning streak, struck for 17 points in the second stanza enroute to their third Firelands win in four games.

Hickey dashed 10 yards with 6:29 left in the half to break the ice and ran 45 yards with a pass interception later in the quarter. Mike Murtagh booted a 28-yard field goal with just seconds left in the half.

Jim Reynolds passed for seven yards to Denny Biddinger for the final Mapleton tally with 1:37 remaining in the third stanza.

Western, now 2-4 on the year, broke the ice when quarterback Jim Kern plunged one yard in the final period. Matt Valencic added the two-point conversion on a pass from Kern.

FIRELANDS CONFERENCE

	G	W	L	T	Pts	OP
Norwalk St. Paul	4	4	0	0	110	30
Edison	4	3	1	0	101	40
Mapleton	4	3	1	0	86	52
Black River	4	2	2	0	32	66
Hillsdale	4	2	2	0	50	50
South Central	4	1	3	0	20	80
Western Reserve	4	1	3	0	36	74
Monroeville	4	0	4	0	13	56

Creeger Sparks

Jerry Creeger scored three touchdowns on short bursts and slashed his way for 190 yards in 33 rushes in sparking Lakota to a 20-12 win over invading Oak Harbor Friday.

The 165-pound senior halfback, was handed the burden of carrying the load with running mate Dick Cassidy sidelined because of disciplinary action taken for his post-game actions involving an assistant Huron coach last week.

Creeger scored on a four-yard effort off-tackle early in the first quarter and Oak Harbor's fine fullback, Gene Arnold raced 58 yards to knot the score at 6-6.

Creeger put the Raiders ahead to stay with another short burst and the two-point conversion. Arnold, who gained 139 of Oak Harbor's 186 yards rushing, plunged two yards in the third period to close the gap to 14-12, but Creeger's third tally with two minutes gone in the final canto provided the clincher.

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Pass Interception Foils Plymouth's Comeback Effort

PLYMOUTH—Plymouth's Big Red fell to Clearfork 26-14 to drop their season record to 2-3-1.

Clearfork posted the initial score with 10:35 remaining in the first quarter with Jeff Halsey capping a four play 68 yard drive by running four yards for the touchdown.

Plymouth returned with 1:50 remaining in the first quarter, recovering a Clearfork fumble on the 17 and moving in to score in three plays. Jim Clark went the final 12 yards for the score. Ken Foreman ran for the extra points to put the Big Red on top 8-6.

In the second period the Johnny Appleseed opponents traded touchdowns, and Clearfork picked up the extra points to knot the score at the half. Clearfork scored first, on a 30 yard pass from Halsey to David Beal. Terry Leedy ran for the points after.

Plymouth marched 66 yards in 10 plays with Clark going the final three for the touchdown, but were only able to gain a halftime tie as the conversion run failed.

The third period was scoreless, but in the final canto, Clearfork broke the game open. Recovering a fumble on the Plymouth 47, Halsey hit Beal on a pass for the distance, giving Clearfork a 20-14 lead with 8:15 remaining.

As the Big Red fought back in the closing stages of the game, Boe Layfield put the game on ice as he picked off a Plymouth pass and raced 26 yards for the final score. The PAT failed, but Clearfork carried home a 26-14 victory.

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