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# First Since '56 Gardner-Webb Bulldogs Clinch Western Carolinas **Conference Grown, Close Out Season With Two Wins**

## Wingate 'dogs 20-14 Losers

Gardner - Webb's Bulldogs gardner - webb's Bulldogs pounced on arch-rival Wingate's kennel October 28 and forgot to get off until they had rolled up get off until they had rolled up a 20-14 homecoming victory be-fore a crowd estimated at 1,500. The Conterne battle was stag-ed at George Blavion Memorial Fieldy freshman Ellen Aber-nethy was crowned homecoming queen at halt-time. G-W moved quickly to a two touchdown advantage in the first quarter, but lost part of the mar-semed avain in the second quar-

pred again in the second quar r and moved ahead 14-13 a DECIDING TD

The final score came in the last quarter of the start quarter of "Pe-Wee" Criti-cal climater of the start with a six-yard scoring dash. Steve Stehen blocked a Win-gate punt early in the clash, and C-W took over on the Wingate three-yard line. Roy Crisp car-ried for the T. Larry Hyder pounced on a Wingate tumble midway the first quarter, and the G-W viogs mov-d down to the 10-yard line when Ken Sanford carried for the score. the score.

Wingate put together a 47-yard drive in the second period to tie the game, and Asa Go-downs ran for the extra point. Godowns had previously narrow

Godowns had previously harlow-ed the gap on an 89-yard gallop near the end of the first quarter. Lionel Brooks intercepted a Wingate pass late in the game to hait a desperate scoring effort.

### Somford Paces G-W In 40-0 Win

Paced by the strong running of Halfbacks Ken Sanford and Lionel Brooks, the Buildogs roll-ed up their highest score of the season November 10, by pouring it on Davidson Wildkittens 40.0 at Davidson.

at Davidson. G-W was all power as they un-leashed an explosive offensive unit that they were supposed to have had all season.

with the game only a few minutes old, Sanford raced two yards to score the first TD. Davidson failed to move, and G-

Davidson failed to move, and G-W, in the next seven plays drove 38 yards, with Sanford galloping 31 for another score. Johnny Wim-berly kucked the extra point Davidson failed to show any serious threat until the late minutes of the second quarter, when the 'Kittens drove to the G-W 25 before being stopped cold by the rugged Bulldog de-fense.

#### NO MERCY

NG MERCY Showing no mercy, the Bull-dogs drove 68 yards for another TD in the second quarter. The march was led by Sanford, Bill Smarr, Roy Crisp, and Erooks. Erooks plunged over from the four for the score. The Bullders continued in

four for the score. The Bulkdogs continued to grow! and in the third quarter-tran the score up to 26.0. Quarter-back Smarr passed to Brooks in the end zone for the six-pointer. The third period, however, was mostly a defensiv tug-o'-war. The Battling Eaplits climaxed the grame with two more TDe in

The Batthing Baptists chinacket the game with two more TDs in the fourth quarter. Quarterback Harold Billings threw a 38-yard pass to Clay "Pee-Wee" Chrispass to Clay "Pee-Wee" Chr well to hike the score to 32-0.

USE Will JCASUII WILLI YUU HAID Gradner-Webb Buildags clinched the Conference cham-plonship Nov, 4 with a 25-7 win over the Mars Hill Llons, wenged the earlier 13-12 loss. The Buildags closed out the 'season Standay night with a 19-7 win over Florida Military College, to up their season's record to 5-32. Their winning Conference record was 3-1-2. Mars Hill Bows In 26-7 Game Durbusk Kon Sundral agent

Halfback Ken Sanford scored hree touchdowns November 4 at Initional Kern Santord sorred Inege touchdown Kowember d at George Blanton Stadium in Stel-by to pace Cardner Webb to a Santor Stadium (Santor) Mars Hill. The Buildog victory clinched the Conference champ-ionskip beföre 1.500 spectators. The championship cause, how-ever, was helped by Lees-McRae's conquest of Wingate 26:12 for a 3-2:1 Conference record. G-W got all the breaks and all the points in the first half to take a 20-0 edge. With the game hard-ly underway, Blil Smarr and his backfield of Sanford, Lionel Brooks, and Roy Crisp marched 45 yards to score the first TD

yards to score the first TD --Sanford plunging over from the one.

#### SANFORD STARS

 SANFORD STARS Sanford scored on runs of two and three yards to cap two Bull-dog ground drives in the first eight minutes of the game and added a 34-yard touchdown run in the second quarter as the Bulldogs turned the game into a

Mars Hill had previously hand-

Mars Hill had previously hand-ed the Bulldogs their only con-ference loss, 13-12, October 7. G-W cranked up its high-pow-ered offense, however, and didn't let up until they had socred three TDs. The Bulldogs picked up 149 yards on the ground in the first half. The Lions were held to only 11 varies. 11 yards.

11 yards. G-W's flashy defense — an-chored by Steve Shehan, Robert Brown, Edgar Cox, Enoch Mc-Carter, "Pee - Wee" Chriswell, Richard Rankin, Sanford, and Brooks — played one of its best Carter. games. The Lions failed to move the

the boost fathed to move the ball beyond the 50-yard line in the third quarter and were stop-ped cold by the tenacious G-W line.

line. Mars Hill's single TD came in the final period with only 20 seconds left in the game. Quar-terback Ottley threw a five-yard pass to Buddy Fostell. However, G-W reserves were playing out

favored to take the crown. The season started slowly for the Bulldogs, losing their opener 6-0 to Chowan, followed by a 13-2 loss to Furman Frosh. However, the 'dogs got back on the win-ning trail the following week with a 19-13 lashing of Lees-Mc-Rae, a team that later tagged a 0-0 tie on the Bulldogs.

G-W followed up the 19-13 L-M win with a 13-12 loss to M H, but surprised the Wingate Bull-dogs 19-19 the next week. After the 9-0 tic, Wingate fell at G-W's Homecoming 20-14, followed by the 26-7 win that elinched the crown. The Bulldogs closed out the season with a 40-0 romp over Davidson Frosh and the 19-7 win

Saturday night. It was the first Conference crown since 1956 for Coach Norman Harris.

## "Players of the Week" Are Listed

G-W Bulldogs named "Player G-W Buildogs named "Player of the Week" this season by "The Cleveland Times" were nine football players who were out-standing in the games for which they were named. "The Times" recognized each with a picture and a brief recap of his performance in the game.

Ken Sanford was the only player named twice — for the 0.6 loss to Chowan and the 19-13 win over Lees-MCRae. He was the only player named twice last

Others were Steve Shehan for the 2-13 Furman game, Clay Chriswell for the 12-13 Mars Hill battle, Jerald Campbell for the Chriswell for the 12-13 Mars Hill battle, Jerald Campbell for the 19-19 tie with Wingate, Llonel Brooks for the 0-0 L-M tie, Roy Crisp for the 20-14 homecoming win over Wingate, Bill Smarr for the 20-7 Mars Hill game, Woody Juliard for the 40-0 rout of David-son, and "Wild Bill" Lewis for the 19-7 win over Florida Mili-Sahaal

Gardner-Webb College rolled triumphantly over Florida Mili-tary College of DeLand, Fla., taking a 19-7 decision Saturday night. The Bulldogs put across two TDs and turned a blocked punt into another score.

scores on several occasions by

With the football intramural season well under way, the East Wing of HAPY leads the seventeam conference with a 4-1 rec-

The first floor of HAPY is close behind with a 3-2 record. The Wing took over first place November 8 when they whipped the First Floor 25-6.

Jeff Shields and his crew dropped their only game to the sec ond floor of HAPY.

The first floor of HAPY led by Tommy Johnson and Art Crocker are far from out of the running. The battle between the two HAPY teams is shaping up to be one of the toughest in th intramural

The best team Decker has mustered is Second Floor East with a 3-1-1 record.

the tenacious Bulldog team. One particularly valiant stand by the Bulldogs came in the fourth quarter when they held the Cadets for four downs on the four-

. . . Bulldog Champions G-W Ends Season With 19-7 Win

> moved the ball well, with G-W taking the opening kick-off and moving from their own 24 to the Cadets' 32. Ken Sanford sparked

> the Bulldogs rolled to a second quarter TD. Roy Crisp carried two tacklers into the end zone for the score

> Shehan grabbed off a Florida pass to set up a second TD. Lionel Brooks plunged over from the three-yard line.

> to life in the third period, but G-W stopped the rally.

the final G-W tally

## Kenneth Sanford Is Nominated For Two All-American Honors

Kenneth Sanlord, star halfback on the Gardner-Webb Bulldog football team for two seasons, has been nominated to play in the All-America All Star game for junior college teams. The game will be played December 2, in Albuquerque, N. M. Should Sanford be chosen to play, he will leave for a week's practice on November 26. He will travel by

Sanford has also been nominat ed for the National Junior Col-lege Athletic Association All-American football team. Sanford has been outstanding

for the Bulldogs during his two seasons at Gardner-Webb. He was highly recommended by the G-W coaching staff. Last year's nominee was Colev

Sanford again hit pay-dirt from the eight-yard line for the final

tally. The win upped the G-W, over-all record to 4-3-2 for the season



... All-American Nominee Sanford

The first quarter both teams

the G-W drive with a 14-yard After an exchange of punts

Early in the second half Steve

Florida Military came briefly

The Cadets cranked up their offense again, but the rally bogged down under the tenacious G-W defense. Rogers, dropping back to punt, was hit hard by Jerry Campbell, with Enoch Mc-Carter scooping up the ball and racing 35 yards untouched for

Rogers hit end Tom Bresnahan for 53 yards and handed off to John Olkoski for the final three yards and a TD late in the game.

Brannock, now enrolled at West-ern Carolina College. Sanford was a stand-out at his Hartwell, Ga. High School, where he was most valuable back his junior and senior years and re-ceived honorable mention for All-State honors three consecutive

#### MOST VALUABLE

MOST VALUABLE Last year he was named most valuable player by his team-mates, an hour that he shared with Frannock. He was also an All-Conference selection. He is the only Gardner-Webb foothall player to be named player of the week by 'The Cle-veland Times' twice each in the two seasons that he has been on the Bulldog club. Sanford has ground out the yandage all season, repeating his feats of last season. Not only has he been a key man in the

has he been a key man in the G-W offense, Sanford has been just as valuable as a defensive halfback

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