

Green Wave Wins 12-6 Victory Over the Hertford Indians Here

Pass Interceptions Halt 2 Indian Drives

Savage and Harris Grab Aerials Near Williamston's Goal

Russell Rogers Scores In Second And Third For Williamston Victory

Never permitting themselves to get behind or to stay in a tie for more than a few minutes, the Williamston High School Green Wave football team last Friday evening defeated the Perquimans Indians, 12-6 in a thrilling contest in the local park. It was the State Class A Champions fourteenth in a row and their fourth of the current season with a new system under a new coach.

While Russell Rogers again did the scoring, George Harris did a good job of carrying the ball and stopped Hertford on the goal line with a pass interception that resulted in a touchback to give Williamston the ball on its 20. Jerry Savage nipped another Hertford threat in the closing minutes of the game when he grabbed a pass thrown by Williams on the Green Wave two-yard line and returned it to the 11. Williams was running wide to the left when he was trapped and he attempted a long pass to keep from losing a lot of yardage. It was on third down so Savage did not bat the ball down but grabbed it and started up the field.

The Green Waves still have to win three games to take the conference crown. They have to get by Plymouth on Friday night in Plymouth, Scotland Neck here on

November 2, and Ahoskie there on November 9. On paper, at least, Ahoskie is the real threat.

The Williamston boys made it plain very early in the game that the visitors were in for a rough evening despite their favorite's rating in the conference. While the Green Wave did not score until the second quarter, they held the powerful Indians attack in check and did not allow them a first down until the second quarter. The visitors gained only 12 yards in the first quarter and a net of 6 in the final period. Williamston led in every department except punting. The Green Wave lost 20 yards rushing, but 11 of this came when McKeel was unable to get a pass away. Hertford lost 10 while gaining 112 for a net of 102. Williamston rolled up 142 yards on the ground and completed 9-out of 18 passes for 97 yards. Hertford made 90 yards on five of 14 pass attempts, losing two by interceptions at crucial points.

Williamston returned all kicks for a total of 84 yards to 51 for Hertford. Penalties cost Williamston 40 yards and Perquimans 10. Ross averaged 47 yards on three kickoffs while Perry got 42 in two tries for the visitors. Hertford punted six times and Williamston five. Williamston lost the ball on downs one time.

Williamston's first break came when Bobby Goff covered an Indian fumble on his 22. Harris hit for 2. McKeel passed to Robertson for 5 and Rogers added 5 more. Rogers got only eight on the next try but ran the ball over on the second down play. The point try was not good. Hertford came blazing back but Harris cut the drive short with his intercept-

ROUND-UP

Half dozen persons, running afoul of the law in this section, were arrested and temporarily detained in the county jail during the past week-end.

Three were booked for public drunkenness, two for assault and one for speeding. One of the six was white and the ages of the group ranged from 17 to 56 years.

tion and the half ended a few minutes later with the ball in Williamston hands.

Perry opened the game by kicking to Davis on the 18. He returned to the 27 and McKeel passed to Raymond Robertson for 20 yards and a first down. Two passes were incomplete and a penalty for offsidess against Williamston was declined. Harris ran into the line for three and McKeel punted 43 yards to the Hertford 8. On a line play Lane made 1, Williams 8 and a backfield in motion penalty set them back five yards. Walker kicked to Rogers on the 50 and he got back 1 yard to the Indian 49. McKeel's pass was no good and Rogers lost a yard, but McKeel hit Davis with a pass for 9. McKeel's kick was fumbled by Morris and Edwards recovered for Williamston. On the first play from the Hertford 15 Williamston drew a 5-yard penalty for backfield in motion and McKeel's pass to Rogers was no good. Rogers picked up a yard and McKeel failed on another pass to Rogers. Harrell went in for Rogers but a pass to Davis was no good and the ball went over on downs at the 19. Morris picked up 3 yards but Walker was held and Morris' pass to Sumner was no good. Walker kicked to the Williamston 46. Davis got 9 on the first play as Ward went in for Harris. McKeel threw a short pass to Ward who got 8 yards out of it for Williamston's second first down. On the next play Davis fumbled and Lane recovered for the Indians. On the next play Williamston declined a penalty on Hertford and Everett held Walker to 1 yard. A pass failed and Garland Walker kicked again. Williamston then picked up four first downs in a row before stalling, as Rogers ran the kick back 10 yards, Davis got 8 and Rogers 6 to the 45. Rogers made 4 and McKeel passed to Fussell for 21 to reach the Indian 30. Harris ran for 12 to the 18. Harris failed to gain but McKeel passed to Fussell for 5. Davis made 2 but Williamston lost 5 for offsidess and the ball went over when Harris' line buck failed to gain. Hertford was unable to gain again and had to kick. Ross stopped Lane and then hit Williams for a 2-yard loss. Two passes failed and McKeel had to fall on his own fumble on third down. He kicked to the 20 and Bobby Goff recovered Walker's fumble on the 22. Williamston going from there for their first score.

Grabbing the ball on his own goal line Walker raced upfield 17 yards and Hertford began to move as Williams ran for 30 yards. On the next series of downs an offsidess cost Hertford but Morris hit Sumner for 16 yards and a first down on the Williamston 42. Morris' pass was no good. Allbrook went in for Coker. Morris passed to Walker for 25 and a first down on the 17. Morris pass was missed by Sumner and his next heave was taken in over the goal line by George Harris. Davis got 4 1-2

in two tries and Ward 5. The half ended on Davis' second run.

Hertford went right to work in the second half, Walker returning the kickoff to his 32 for 20 yards. Williams then raced for 19 and a third first down for Hertford on Williamston's 49. Everett held Lane to 2 yards but Morris passed to Sumner for 7 and after Harris was injured Williams raced for 12 to the Williamston 28. Walker got 5 but Morris lost 4 as Everett and Goff caught him. Mobley went in for Williamston. Williams gained 8 as Fussell was injured. Williams then circled left end for the Indians' lone tally. The point try was no good as Davis stopped Williams before he could reach the line.

Hertford had tied the score but the Green Wave came straight back. Rogers returned the kick 9 yards to the Williamston 27. Davis lost 2. McKeel passed to Robertson for 7 and then Rogers hit off tackle for 8. McKeel ran into the center of the line for 10 and first down number 9. Ward got 3 and McKeel hit Fussell with an aerial for 15 to the Hertford 31. Harris was stopped but Rogers got almost through and picked up 20. On the next play he hit again and this time got the touchdown that meant victory for the Green Wave. Trying to run the extra point, Rogers missed by inches.

Lane returned Ross' kick for 12 to the 30. Williams was stopped by Joe Robertson for no gain. Lane made 2 but Morris pass was no good and Walker kicked out to Rogers on the 20 and he lugged it back 24 yards to the 44. Harris lost a yard as the quarter ended. McKeel was trapped for a loss of 11 yards and on a pass from McKeel to Davis 3 yards were lost. McKeel kicked to Walker who got back two yards to the 27. Williams made 3. Williamston drew a 5-yd penalty for offsidess and a 2-yard

gain by Walker netted a first on the 27. Everett and Savage got Williams for a 3-yard loss and a Morris pass was batted down by Savage. Williams' pass failed and Wilker kicked out of bounds on the Williamston 25. Harrell got 5. McKeel passed to Robertson for 2 and Ward picked up 7, for a first down on the Green Wave 39. McKeel passed to Robertson for 7 but Williamston drew a 15-yard penalty for offensive holding. Two passes failed and McKeel's punt rolled dead on the Indian 34. Hertford then started its last ditch drive. Williams got 1. Jack Daniels went in for Williamston. Morris' pass to Lane was no good but he hit Walker for 16 and then passed to Sumner for 26 to put the ball on the Williamston 24. Williamston drew a 15-yard penalty when McKeel hit a pass receiver's shoulders with his hands to give Hertford a first down on the 9. Williams got 2, and then 1 but when he tried to pass on third down Jerry Savage grabbed the ball for Williamston and close the books for Hertford. McKeel hit the line to run the clock out and picked up 8 yards in two tries before the game ended.

Williamston's line played good ball and two of its lighter members, Bobby Goff and Harrell Everett were particularly tough on many of the plays through the line. Randolph Coker, Jack Ross and Joe Robertson were the big boys in the line, Joe getting in a little late but doing a good job afterward. Hertford's favorite plays were around ends and this put a big strain on Raymond Robertson, Bobby Mobley and Buddy Fussell and Jerry Savage. Wilbur Edwards, started at center and did a good job. The entire team played good, alert ball all the way. Hertford made sure they did not get away with any effort to relax.

Nashville Trims Jamesville 18 - 6 In Rain and Mud

Favored Visitors Get 18 Point Lead But Terrors Come Back to Score

By Wayne Beard

Nashville started fast to cut down Jamesville's Red Terrors, 18-6. The game was played in heavy rain. The field was soft and all runners were at a disadvantage.

Jamesville's Bob Waters kicked off with Collins returning the ball eight yards to his own forty. After failing to gain a first down in three tries, Collins kicked to Bob Hardison on the Jamesville 15. Three runs failed to get a first down and Modlin went back to kick. He got poor blocking from his end and Chapel blocked the kick. He scooped up the ball on the local ten and went over standing.

Nashville then kicked off and J. Waters returned the ball to his own 35. On two plays, B. Waters carried for a first down. Operating from the T formation, quarterback B. Hardison passed to B. Waters for another first down on the Nashville 25. On four plays the Terrors gained only eight yards; so Nashville took over on their own 17 yard marker. This marked the end of the first period. Score: Nashville 6, Jamesville 0.

After Collins kicked to B. Hardison on the Nashville 48, Jamesville began to move. The first play covered eight yards. On the opponents 40 B. Hardison pitched out to Williams, only to have Taylor intercept the ball and gallop sixty yards to paydirt. For the second straight time the attempted conversion was no good. Nashville was ahead, 12-0.

On the kick-off J. Waters returned the ball to the local 48. After B. Hardison completed two passes, Jamesville round themselves on the Nashville 30. Hardison again hit C. Modlin on the opponents 18 for another first down. Once again Jamesville lost the ball on downs.

From his own ten Collins tried an off-tackle play and hit a brick wall. On second down Collins

rounded his own left end and was off for a 90 yard jaunt behind fine downfield blocking. For the third straight time, the attempted conversion was no good. Nashville led 18-0 at this point.

After carrying the ball to the Nashville 20, Jamesville again lost it on downs. In three plays, Nashville gained eight yards. Collins went back to punt on fourth down and C. Modlin threw him for a 32 yard loss. Jamesville took over first and ten on the Nashville 5. Before a play could be run, the half ended. Nashville 18, Jamesville 0.

Jamesville received to begin the second half. On three pass plays they found themselves on the Nashville 22. Once again the offense collapsed.

With B. Hardison running the ball back to the opponents 48, a new drive began. B. Hardison passed to Waters for 15 yards and

R. Modlin for 22 yards. On the next play, Hardison passed to R. Modlin in the end zone for the score. The try for the extra point was no good. The third period ended; Nashville 18, Jamesville 6.

An exchange of punts opened the final quarter. Jamesville was backed to its own 38 yard line. On fourth down R. Modlin booted the ball high and far. The ball rolled dead on the Nashville 8-yard line. The punt covered 54 yards. After no gain on two pass plays Collins kicked to B. Hardison on the Nashville 30 yard line. On a pass from Williams to Modlin.

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