



CO-CAPTAINS of the 1955 Mountaineers are Donald Jordan, (53) a back, and Harold Clark, (55), an end. Both men turned in a good record Friday night as the Mountaineers met Sylva for the season's opener. (Mountaineer Photo).

Canton Black Bears Give Valdese 26-7 Trouncing

Canton's Black Bears turned on their full power during the second half of their game with Valdese Friday night, and took the game by 26-7. The Canton eleven were trailing 7-6 at half time.

Canton started its scoring early as halfback Bill Stamey skirted end and romped 61 yards for a touchdown on the Black Bears' fourth play from scrimmage. The try for extra point failed.

Valdese came back strong, with

| | Canton | Valdese |
|-------------------------|--------|---------|
| First downs | 11 | 7 |
| Yds. gained rushing | 277 | 175 |
| Passes attempted | 3 | 5 |
| Passes completed | 0 | 1 |
| Yds. gained passing | 0 | 8 |
| Passes inter. by | 0 | 0 |
| Yds. gained intercept'n | 0 | 0 |
| Punting average | 27 | 33 |
| Yds. kicks returned | 3 | 4 |
| Oppon. fumbles rec'd | 1 | 1 |
| Yds. lost penalties | 25 | 25 |

fullback Harry Jackson smashing up the middle from 12 yards out on the fifth play after the kickoff. Banny Bridges kicked the extra point.

Neither team could count in the second period, though Canton drove to the Valdese 2-yard line. But with a first and goal, the Bears were stopped by the Valdese line.

Canton went ahead to stay in the third period when fullback Wiley Carpenter plowed up the middle from 12 yards out. The Bears had driven from the 30-

yard line, where they had taken a Valdese punt. Dwaine Milner kicked the point.

In the final period, Stamey scored his second TD of the night, this one from 12 yards out. Canton had recovered a fumble on the 28-yard line. The try from placement was wide.

Quarterback Milner marked the final tally, scoring from the six on a keep play after a sustained drive which covered 70 yards.

Canton line standouts included center Jackie Conrad and end Del Ohliders.

Playing an outstanding game in the line for Valdese were Charles Smith, guard, and tackle Harold Barker.

The score by periods:
Canton 6 0 7 13-26
Valdese 7 0 0 0-7

FOOTBALL SCORES

Brevard 25; Reynolds 6.
Canton 26; Valdese 7.
Morganton 0; Newton-Conover 0 (tie).
Forest 39; Rutherfordton-Spindale 6.
Swain 34; North Buncombe 26.
Cherokee 6; Robbinsville 0.
Marion 19; Taylorsville 0.
Spruce Pine 35; Crossnore 6.
Andrews 27; Franklin 0.
Hendersonville 19; Enka 13.

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