

# Mountaineers Flash Classy Ground Attack To Subdue Dallas 18 To 6

Kings Mountain high school Mountaineers, 1949 edition, yanked up the curtain on the Kings Mountain football season last Friday night in City Stadium with an impressive 18 to 6 victory over Dallas high.

The Mountaineers flashed a classy ground game in tromping the Little Eight conference (Gaston county) Dallas lads in the non-loop go.

Kings Mountain had to come from behind to win after Wingback Charles Edison intercepted a fourth-down pass on the Dallas 17 and raced 83 yards for a touchdown. The Mountaineers had gained possession

of the ball on the Dallas 18 after Guard Roger McDaniel crashed through the Dallas forward wall to block a punt but failed to gain.

Kings Mountain started an 88-yard scoring drive with the next kick off. The Mountaineers drove to the Dallas 40 yard line with Fullback Delvin Huffstetler, Tailback Richard White and Wingback Jim Cobb moving in a flashy ground attack.

On the second play of the second period Huffstetler hit a big hole in the center of the line, scooted through the Dallas secondary not drawing a glance from the defenders, and raced the remainder of the 40 yards to paydirt. Huffstetler had gained 12 yards on the same play the pre-

vious down but the play was called back because both sides were off-sides.

The Mountaineers came storming

THE YARDSTICK STORY		
	KM	D
1st downs	10	2
yds. gained rushing	238	37
yds. lost rushing	14	8
net rushing gain	224	29
no. passes attempted	4	5
no. passes completed	0	1
yds. gained passing	0	0
passes intercepted by	1	1
yds. runback int. passes	3	87
yds. all kicks returned	33	52
number of punts	1	4
punts blocked by	2	0
punting average	22	15
opponents fumbles rec.	0	1
yds. lost by penalty	30	5
total net gain	230	183

back to tally after Dallas punted. Huffstetler bucking over from the 1-yard line to climax a 57-yard drive.

The final Kings-Mountain tally came in the third quarter, Cobb climaxing a 55-yard drive by scooting the final 11 yards.

Kings Mountain reserves played a majority of the final period and put on a show of defensive power.

### Play-by-Play

**By John Warlick**  
**First Quarter**  
Tackle Winfield Rhyme kicked off to the Kings Mountain 22 to Fullback Delvin Huffstetler who brought the ball back 12 yards to the Mountaineer's 34. Tailback Richard White lost 4 on an end around. Wingback Jim Cobb added 5 to the K. M. 35. White, going off tackle, added 6 to the K. M. 41. White kicked to the Dallas 19. Dallas Tailback

Bill Estes gained 5 off tackle to the 24. Fullback Jack Withers plunged the line for 5 yards and a first and ten on the Dallas 30. Estes' pass to Quarterback Robert Ratchford was incomplete. Wingback Charles Edison lost 3 to the Dallas 27. Fullback Lutz hit the line for 2 to the Dallas 29. Withers' kick was blocked by Guard Roger McDaniel with Kings Mountain recovering on the Dallas 18. Huffstetler hit the line but Kings Mountain was penalized 5 yards for off-sides to the Dallas 23. White, going off tackle, added 2 to the Dallas 21. End Bob Jackson on an end around lost 3 to the Dallas 24. White's pass to Blocking-back Bryan Ware was incomplete. On the next play White's pass in the flat was intercepted by Edison who ran 83 yards for a touchdown. Edison's try for the conversion was no good making the score Dallas 6, Kings Mountain 0.

Rhyme kicked off to the Kings Mountain 22 to White who returned the ball 4 yards to the Mountaineer's 26. White, going off tackle, added 6 to the K. M. 32. Huffstetler made it first and ten through the line to the K. M. 42. White gained 7 off tackle to the K. M. 49, and Huffstetler made it another first and ten to the Dallas 46. Cobb on a reverse added 6 to the Dallas 40 to end the first quarter. Score: Dallas 6, Kings Mountain 0.

**Second Quarter**  
White, going off tackle, was held for no gain. Huffstetler bucked the center of the line for 12 and a first and ten to the Dallas 28 but the play was called back because both sides were off sides. Huffstetler on the same play smacked the line for 40 yards and a touchdown. Robert Davis' placement try for the conversion no good because of a bad cen-

**Third Quarter**  
Davis kicked off to the Dallas 19 to Estes who returned the ball 20 yards to the Dallas 39. Estes, on a reverse, loss 1, but Withers, trying the line, added 2 to the Dallas 40. Edison, on a reverse, added 4 to the Dallas 44. Estes kicked to the K. M. 37 to Huffstetler who returned the kick 3 to the K. M. 40. The next play Dallas was penalized 5 to the Mountaineer's 45. Cobb, on a reverse, made it first and ten on the Dallas 47. White, going off tackle, added 7 to the Dallas 40. Huffstetler made it first and ten through the line to the Dallas 35. The next play Kings Mountain was penalized 15 to the Mountaineer's 45. Huffstetler bulled through the line to the K. M. 48. Jackson, on an end around, added 4 to the Dallas 48. White, off tackle, gained 8 to the Dallas 40. Huffstetler made it first and ten to the Dallas 24. White, going off tackle, added 6 to the Dallas 18. Cobb, on a reverse, made it first and ten on the Dallas 12. White was stopped for a 1 yard loss to the Dallas 13. Huffstetler hit the line for 2 to the Dallas 11. Cobb, on a reverse, went 11 yards for a touchdown. Davis' try for the conversion no good (bad center). Score: Dallas 6, K. M. 18.

**Fourth Quarter**  
T. Rhyme, through the line, gained 3 to the Dallas 26. Tommy Cloninger's kick was blocked by Guard Gerald Valentine with Kings Mountain recovering on the D. 20. Tailback Charles Shytle, on a reverse, added 2 to the Dallas 18. Shytle, going off tackle, gained 1 to the Dallas 17. Shytle was stopped for no gain, and on the next play Shytle went off-tackle for no gain, the ball going over on downs. T. Rhyme added 8 on a reverse to the Dallas 25. Lutz ran through the line to the Dallas 26. T. Rhyme made it first and ten through the line to the Dallas 31. T. Rhyme failed to gain, and was stopped on a reverse. T. Rhyme's pass to Edison was incomplete. Cloninger kicked to Fullback Don Bumgardner on the K. M. 35, the reserve Spinback returning the ball to the K. M. 43. Kings Mountain was penalized 5 yards for too much time to the 38. White was thrown for a yard loss. Huffstetler, through the line, added 2 to the K. M. 39. Cobb made it first and ten on a 28 yard run to the Dallas 33. White, off tackle, added 3 to the Dallas 30. A fumble on the next play gave the ball to Dallas on their own 26. T.

er. Score: Dallas 6, Kings Mountain 6.

Davis kicked off to the Dallas 11 to Estes who returned the ball 8 yards to the Dallas 19. Wright was stopped for no gain, and, on the next play, Withers was stopped cold but Kings Mountain was penalized 5 yards to the Dallas 24. Estes was thrown for a 2 yards loss to the Dallas 22. Estes' pass to Ratchford fell incomplete. Withers kicked 25 yards to White who returned the ball to the Dallas 43. Huffstetler, through the line, added 6 to the Dallas 37. White going around end, made it first and ten on the Dallas 30. Cobb added 9 on a reverse to the Dallas 21. White made it first and ten by adding 1 to the Dallas 20. Jackson on a reverse gained 9 to the 11. Huffstetler made it first and goal-to-go on the Dallas 5. White, going off tackle, was stopped for no gain. White, going off tackle, added 4 to the Dallas 1 yard line. Huffstetler bucked the line and went over for a touchdown. Davis' try for the conversion no good. Score: Dallas 6, K. M. 12.

Davis' kick off went into the Dallas end zone and Estes returned the ball to the 16 yard line. Estes' pass to Edison was complete for no gain. Estes, trying the line, was stopped for no gain. Withers' pass was intercepted by Cobb who was brought down on the Dallas 29. White's pass to Jackson fell incomplete. White was thrown for a 3 yard loss to end the quarter. Score: Dallas 6, Kings Mountain 12.

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Rhyme lost 3 on a reverse. T. Rhyme's pass was intercepted by Wingback Jack Rhea on the last play of the game. Final score: Dallas 6, Kings Mountain 18.

The lineups:

Pos.	Dallas	Kings Mt.
LE	Whitson	Jackson
LT	Addington	Crouch
LG	Gardner	McDaniel
C	Cloninger	Wright
RG	Ballard	Cashion
RT	W. Rhyme	Mauney
RE	Brown	Flowers
QB	Ratchford	Ware
WB	Edison	Cobb
TB	Estes	White
FB	Huffstetler	Withers

Subs: Dallas: Stines, T. Rhyme, Lutz, KM: Ends, McGinnis, Kiser, Goforth; Tackles, Moss, Valentine; Guards, Fisher, McMackin, Davis; Center, Hullender; Backs, Shytle, Bumgardner, B., Crawford, Rhea, Tate, Downey, Short, Hord, and Welch.

Score by periods:

	1	2	3	4
Dallas	6	0	0	0
Kings Mountain	0	12	6	0

Scoring: Dallas, Edison, KM, Huffstetler 2, Cobb.

Officials: Rereree Breeland, Umpire Falls, Head Linesman L. Walters, and Field Judge Hawkins.

## Oak Grove News

By Mrs. William Wright

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bell spent Sunday in Bessemer City visiting with Mrs. Bell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex McMullan.

Misses Carolyn and Nancy Bell were Sunday guests of Miss Juanita Lovelace.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Lovelace and granddaughter, Judy Watterson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ware and son, Michael, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Culp Ford of Shelby.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bell spent Saturday night with Mrs. Bell's parents Mr. and Mrs. Lester Canipe.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bell, and the scribe attended a singing convention Sunday afternoon held at the Second Baptist church of Cherryville.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Watterson were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Watterson of Shelby.

Mr. and Mrs. Stokes Wright and son, Charles, spent awhile in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McGill of St. Luke Sunday.

Mrs. Lloyd Pifer, Miss Ollie Mae Scism and Miss Kathleen Goforth of Patterson Grove were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mrs. H. T. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ledford and son, Jerry, moved Monday to Nebo Valley near Kings Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Champion and daughter, Patsy, of Wilmington spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Champion, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Camp and son Ben and Mr. Dow Putnam were recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Camp of Bethlehem.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bell and sons and daughter of Swainsville spent the day Monday with another son, Mr. Jonas Bell and Mrs. Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bell entertained on Sunday, Sept. 18, for the new Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bell at a picnic dinner. The only decoration for the table was the traditional wedding cake. Only close relatives and friends attended the affair. Sharing honors with Mr. and Mrs. Bell were those in the family that had birthdays in September, Miss Carolyn Bell and Mr. Eugene Bell.

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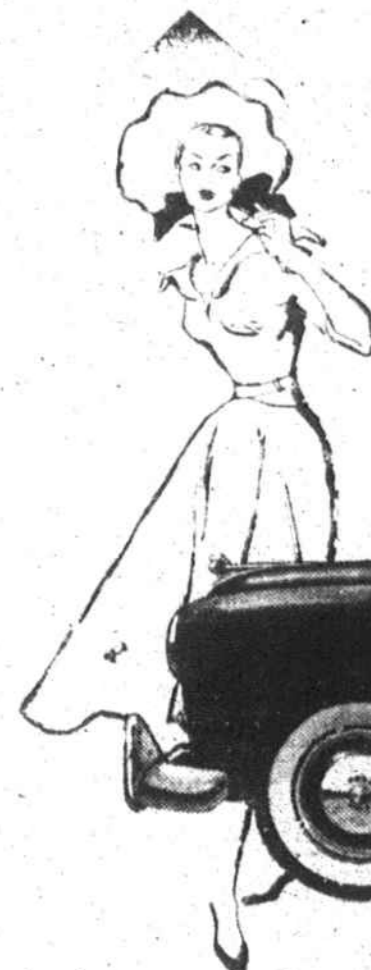
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