

Kimmell Leads Scoring, Rushing; Harris, Passing; McCarter, Catching

Tailback Jimmy Kimmell, Tailback Ollie Harris and Wingback Don McCarter were the individual leaders in the four major departments of offensive statistics for the Kings Mountain high school gridgers during the past season.

Composite figures for the Mountaineers' 9-game slate indicate the 1952 edition slipped badly over the 1951 club's record. Playing the same opponents as in 1951, the current team was badly out-scored, almost double, after topping the 9 enemies in 1951.

In total offense, the 1951 club topped the 9 foes 1440 yards to 1194 but this fall the club fell behind at 1429 to 1756.

The 1952 club posted a record of one win in the nine starts. The 1951 team record was 4-4-1.

Kimmell led the 1952 team in scoring with 46 points and topped the rushing effort, netting 542 yards on 121 rushes for an average gain per play of 4.5. McCarter had 176 yards on 40 tries for 4.4 per try.

STATISTICS				
Composite for 1952				
RUSHING:				
Player	Yds	Att	Avg	TD
Kimmell	542	121	4.5	10
Harris	493	88	5.6	11
McCarter	176	40	4.4	3
Layton	161	28	5.8	1
Patterson	13	1	13	0
Harris	1	1	1	0
TOTALS	1285	289	4.4	25
PASSING:				
Player	Yds	Att	Int	TD
Harris	493	88	6	11
McCarter	176	40	5	3
Layton	161	28	1	1
Patterson	13	1	0	0
Harris	1	1	0	0
TOTALS	844	158	12	15
RECEIVING:				
Player	Yds	Att	TD	
McCarter	176	40	3	
Layton	161	28	1	
Harris	161	28	1	
Patterson	13	1	0	
Harris	1	1	0	
TOTALS	512	98	5	

Harris hit 51.2 percent on his passes, completing 41 of 80 for 493 yards. He had six passes intercepted.

McCarter caught 13 passes for 197 yards and one touchdown. End Ronnie Layton gained 161 yards on 11 receptions.

Kimmell was also tops in total offense, contributing a total of 759 yards for an average of 4.8 per play. He rushed 542 yards, caught 9 passes for 96 yards and completed 9 of 32 for 121 yards. He had five passes intercepted.

The Mountaineers this season scored one more point than the 1951 club (78 to 77) in dropping eight of nine games. They were blanked in only two contests and managed 20 points against two foes, five less than the top point effort in 1951.

On the defensive side of the ledger, the 1952 club allowed 146 points as against only 72 points the 1951 club gave up. The locals

1952 SEASON RESULTS (Records - 1 win, 8 losses) (1951 score in parentheses, KM score first) Sept. 5 - 12, Bessemer City 14 (7-0) Sept. 19 - 20, Mt. Holly 7 (18-0) Sept. 26 - 6, Cherryville 14 (13-7) Oct. 3 - 0, Forest City 12 (6-7) Oct. 10 - 7, R. Spindler 12 (25-21) Oct. 17 - 0, Marion 7 (0-7) Oct. 24 - 20, Lincolnton 25 (0-0) Oct. 31 - 6, M. Conover 19 (7-12) Nov. 7 - 7, Shelby 36 (0-12) (Last 7 Western AA games)

(1951 score in parentheses, KM score first) were "greener" in the forward wall this season, losing all starting 1951 forwards with the exception of Center Bob Hüllender.

Injuries burdened the club this season, with Harris, Kimmell, Hüllender, End and Wingback Richard George, End Murel Valentine, Tackle Ben Hudson, Tackle Robert Davis, Center Milton Hope and Blocking Back Bill Ruth all missing games at various stages.

SCORING Kimmell led the team in scoring with 46 points, better than his 1951 team-high of 35 points. All of his touchdowns came in the first five games of the season, as Marion blanked the Mountaineers and Kimmell went out for the season with an injury early in the Lincolnton game after contributing a placement extra point.

His scoring rundown: Talled on a one-yard buck and on a six-yard run against Bessemer City in the opener. Scored three touchdowns, two on one-yard bucks and one on a

Player	TD	PAT	TOTAL
Kimmell	7	4	46
Harris	2	0	12
Layton	1	0	6
McCarter	1	0	6
Patterson	1	0	6
Ruth	0	1	1
K. Davis	0	1	1
TOTALS	12	6	78

seven-yard run, and kicked two extra points against Mt. Holly. Smashed across from the one-yard line against Cherryville. Failed to score in the Marion shutout.

Kicked the point after the first touchdown - against Lincolnton, his last scholastic grid appearance.

Harris was scoring runnerup, busting over twice against Lincolnton after taking over full-time when Kimmell was injured. Both were short bucks, two yards in one yard.

Other scoring:



COMPLETING TRAINING - Harold G. Reinhardt, left, and J. V. Williams, right, are completing basic army indoctrination courses at Lackland Air Force Base, near San Antonio, Texas. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Reinhardt of 106 Myers street, and Mrs. Joe Williams of route 3.

YARDSTICK Composite for 1952 (9 Opponents)

SCORE	KM	Opps.
TD, rushing	10	11
TD, passing	1	5
TD, int. passes	0	2
TD, punt returns	0	1
TD, fumble	1	0
TD, KO returns	0	3
Total TD	12	22
Extra Point	6	11
Field Goal	0	1
1st downs rushing	50	66
1st downs passing	29	11
1st downs penalty	7	1
Total 1st downs	86	78
Yds. gained rushing	1028	1503
Yds. lost rushing	213	202
Net yards rushing	815	1301
Passes attempted	112	63
Passes completed	50	21
Yds. gained passing	614	455
Net rushing & passing	1429	1756
Number of plays (not counting kicks and penalties)	381	356
Average gain per play	3.8	4.9
Passes intercepted by	4	11
Yards runback	31	140
Number of punts	39	30
Punts had blocked	1	0
Yds. punts averaged	31	35
Yds. punts returned	135	229
Number of kickoffs	22	30
Yds. kickoffs averaged	44	44
Yds. kickoffs returned	482	502
Ball lost on fumbles	5	14
Yards runback fumbles	0	13
Number penalties	46	52
Yds. lost by penalty	228	430
TOTAL YARDS GAINED IN GAMES (add yards gained run-back punts, kickoffs & intercepted passes to net rushing, passing and penalty gains)	2507	2868
AVERAGE YDS GAINED PER GAME	278	316

McCarter, on a pass from Harris good for 45 yards against Newton-Conover.

Layton, recovering a Lincoln fumble in the end zone. Patterson, on a one-yard buck against Shelby.

Ruth contributed an extra point on a Harris pass against Lincolnton and Kenneth Davis kicked one PAT against Shelby.

The lineups: LE - Franklin Platt, Murel Valentine, Richard George, Dewitt Blanton. LT - Ben Hudson, Charles Yelton, Rannie Arnette. LG - Jimmy Caveny. C - Bob Hüllender, Milton Hope. RG - Kenneth Davis, Eddie Goforth. RT - Arnette, Sammy McCarter, Robert Davis. RE - Ronnie Layton, James Abernathy, David Kincaid. QB - Bill Ruth, Bud Rhea, D. McCarter, Marlowe. LH - Earl Marlowe, Jimmy Kimmell, Ollie Harris. RH - Don McCarter, George, Clyde Cobb. FB - Gene Patterson, Kimmell.

Composite Score by Quarters
Kings Mtn. 14 25 7 32 - 78
Opponents 60 29 25 32 - 146

Church Notices

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
ROYCE MEMORIAL A. R. P. CHURCH
Wm. J. PRESLEY, Minister
Sabbath School 10 a. m.
Morning Service 11 a. m.
No Prayer Meeting
Thursday Morning at 7:30 the annual Thanksgiving service will be held. Breakfast will be served at 8 a. m.
Sabbath Evening services at 7:30.
Cub Scouts Monday at 7:30.
Thursday, Nov. 20:
5:30 p. m. Brownie Scouts - supper for parents.
Sunday, Nov. 23:
9:45 a. m. Sunday School. Mr. Harry Page, Supr.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
3:30 p. m. Pioneer Fellowship.
6:30 p. m. Senior High Fellowship.
7:30 p. m. Evening Worship.
Monday, Nov. 24:
3:30 p. m. Cub Scouts.
7:30 p. m. Boy Scouts.
7:30 p. m. Sunday School Teachers and Officers meeting.
Tuesday, Nov. 25:
3:30 p. m. Girl Scouts.
Wednesday, Nov. 26:
7:30 p. m. Choir Practice.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
REV. H. GORDON WEEKLY, Pastor
Sunday:
9:45 a. m. Sunday School.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
6:15 p. m. Baptist Training Union.
7:30 p. m. Evening Worship.
Monday:
7:30 p. m. Brotherhood meets at church.
Tuesday:
7:00 p. m. Bible study - Gardner-Webb college.
Wednesday:
6:30 p. m. Outdoor party at Lake Crawford picnic area for college students and young people.
Thursday:
7:30 p. m. Thanksgiving Service at the church.

DIXON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Sunday, Nov. 23:
3:30 p. m. Sunday School. Mr. J. G. Darroott, Supr.
3:45 p. m. Evening Worship services.
7:30 p. m. Birthdays of revival series with Mr. Best to bring the message. Rev. Charles W. Solomon, well-known Montreal evangelist will conduct the week's services beginning Monday night at 7:30.

Negro News By Mrs. Cannie Gordon 105 Carpenter Street

There will be a Thanksgiving program at Davidson high school next Tuesday, November 25, 1952, at 7:30 o'clock. A short play, "The Thanksgiving Dilemma" will be given by the third grade. The third grade will also recite "The Turkey Trot". A play en-

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Thursday at the home of Mrs. Cannie Gordon. The president had charge of the business session. Persons present were Mrs. Lottie Means, Quincey Starr, Rose Lee Pressley, Mrs. Viola Orr, Mrs. Lottie Bell Stowe, Mrs. Mary Lizzie Roberts and Dorothy Pressley. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

The WSCS of St. Paul church met Sunday evening at the parsonage. Mrs. Dalay Smith, vice-president, presided as usual. Business items were discussed. Members present were Mrs. Pearl Goudeock, Mrs. Lottie Means, Mrs. Mary Ella Roberts, Mrs. Cannie Gordon and Rev. J. L. Alford.

The Kings Mountain Home Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. Nannie Tinsley, 222 Watterson street at 7:30 p. m. The demonstration was "Making Electric Lamps from old kerosene lamps." This was very interesting. One lamp was finished and it was very beautiful. Plans were made for our annual Christmas party. After the demonstration, we were served a chicken supper. The menu for the evening was: chicken-in-the-basket, potatoes - in - coat, chicken dressing, cranberry sauce, hot rolls, butter, pecan pie with whipped cream, punch, fruits, nuts and candy. Hostesses for the evening were: Mrs. Nanny Tinsley, Mrs. Lizzie Lee Blalock, Mrs. Margaret Leech and Mrs. Magnolia Owens. The next meeting will be held Dec. 11, the place to be announced later.

Funeral services for Tom Pagan were held Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. at Mt. Zion church. Mr. Pagan died Sunday at Kings Mountain hospital. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Jennie Pagan, one daughter, Mrs. Tom Williams, one son, Sam Pagan, three brothers, Jack Pagan, Hampton Pagan of Gastonia, and Sam Pagan of Ohio, four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Gill and Brown Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

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