

# Kings Mountain Stops Lincolnton 14-0

## Layton, George Score First Period Touchdowns In 3rd Western AA Win

Kings Mountain defeated Lincolnton here last Friday night in a Western AA Conference game 14-0, scoring two times in the opening period but failing on several occasions during the remainder of the contest.

The Mountaineers looked sharp at the start of the game, took the opening kickoff and marched 54 yards to the Lincolnton 14 before faltering.

Coach Shu Carlton's charges were not to be denied, however, and on the first Wolfpack offensive play punched over a six-pointer.

Lincolnton tried a "huddle" formation play on the first attempt but End Ronnie Layton broke through, deflected a lateral pass from T-Quarterback Dave McCullough to Fullback Buddy Beam, picked up the ball on the 7-yard line and stepped into pay-dirt.

### HOW THEY DID IT

KINGS MOUNTAIN		LINCOLNTON	
Player	Stat	Player	Stat
McCart	17 137 0	Whehnt	19 0
George	17 112 0	McCullough	4 16 0
Smith	1 4 0	Beam	19 62 7
Jackson	1 1 0	Moore	5 7 14
Marlowe	1 1 0	Beam	7 14 0
O. Harris	5 2 28		
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>42 257 28</b>	<b>42 229 55</b>	

for a yard (Caveny). McCullough ran the option play for 4 (Hope-Arnette) and, on 3rd down, McCullough punted 32 yards to McCarter, who returned the ball 4 yards to the KM-27.

McCarter ran over the line and cutback for 12 yards and 1st and 10. George made 7 at the right flank, McCarter's gain was cancelled when KM drew 5 for illegal motion. McCarter took Harris' pass in the right flat for 5 yards and cut over left tackle for a beautiful 33 yard run to the L-21. George made a yard into the line and 2 at the right flank, McCarter picked up 3 yards and George ran over left tackle, broke out of a host of tacklers short of the 10 and raced into the end zone for the score, a 15 yard yard, Cook's placement was good. Score — KM 14, L 0.

### YARDSTICK

Team	Final Score	KM	L
Kings Mountain	14	0	0
Lincolnton	0	0	0
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Layton kicked 40 yards to McCullough, who returned the ball 19 yards to the L-39 as the period ended. Score — KM 14, L 0.

**Second Quarter**

Whehnt ran for 4 yards (Hope). McCullough missed Michaels with a jump pass but hit Gates for 11 and a 1st and 10 (Marlowe). Beam made gains of 2 (Arnette) and 4 from the T and L switched to the single wing. Beam, at full-back, made a short 4 (Caveny) and rammed for 5 and a 1st and 10 (Hope). Whitesides injured on the play. L jumped offsidies and drew a 5-yard penalty. Beam made 2 (Hope) and McCullough's long pass to Whehnt in the right corner was no good. Whehnt took the ball on a "statue-of-liberty" play and made 8 yards and a 1st and 10 to keep the drive going. Beam made 3 (Hope - Caveny - George) and Poole ran a fake pass over left guard for 2 (Caveny). Beam made 2 on a spinner (Blanton) and Poole lost a yard on a fumble, Layton recovering for KM on the KM-35 to stop the threat.

McCarter made a yard on a dive and 3 across the middle. George was stopped after a pair and Harris punted 45 yards to Poole on the L-34 but lost a yard (Layton) trying to run back.

Poole, from tailback, made 2 off right tackle (Layton) and McCullough, from the blocking back post, passed to Gates for 15 (Marlowe) and 1st and 10 on the 50. L switched back to the T and McCullough passed to Beam on the East side of the field and pass interference was ruled against KM, the Mountaineers drawing 15 yards from the line of scrimmage and L getting a 1st and 10. McCullough's pass to Michaels was broken up (G. Harris) but he hit Beam for 9 yards. Beam ran for 6 yards (George-Layton) and a 1st and 10 on the KM-20. McCullough's pass to Michaels was broken up (McCarter) as the period ended. Score at the half — KM 14, L 0.

**Third Quarter**

Layton kicked to the L-28 to Michaels who ran back 4 yards (George - Blanton - Yelton - Layton). Beam hit into the line for 2, fumbled and Blanton recovered for KM on the L-34.

Harris went back to pass, attempted to run to his left when he couldn't find a receiver and was smeared for minus 13. McCarter took Harris' pass in the right flat for 13 yards. George ran a delayed buck into the line for 3. McCarter's 6 yard gain was short of a 1st and 10 and L took over on downs on the L-25.

Running from the SW, Beam made 5 (George-Caveny) and a short 5 (Hope-Caveny). Beam made the yardage but L drew 5 for offsidies. Poole made 3 (Hope) and McCullough punted to the KM-30 (37 yards) to McCarter who ran back 11, fumbled and recovered on the KM-41.

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Beam ran for 3 (Goforth) and McCullough made 4 (Blanton-George - Hope) from tailback. Poole got a bad pass from center and Layton fell on the loose ball. L losing 13 on the play to the L-30.

George made 4. McCarter 1. Harris lost 8 trying to pass and hit Layton with a screen for 8, short of 1st and 10 and L took over on the L-25 as the period ended, scoreless.

**Fourth Quarter**

Beam made 4, cancelled when L drew 5 for illegal motion. Whehnt made 7 on the "statue-of-liberty" (Hope-Marlowe). McCullough's pass to Beam was broken up (McCarter) as the period ended. Score at the half — KM 14, L 0.

Number of plays (not counting kicks and penalties where play is nullified) ... 49 44

Average gain per play ... 5.5 3.7

Passes intercepted ... 0 0

Number of punts ... 1 4

Punts had blocked ... 0 114

Yds. punts averaged ... 45 28.5

Yds. punts returned ... 3 1

Number of kickoffs ... 3 1

Yards kickoffs ... 117 48

Yds. kickoffs averaged ... 39 48

Yds. kickoffs returned ... 20 46

Ball lost on fumbles ... 1 4

Yds. rec. fums. returned ... 7 0

Number of penalties ... 2 0

Times enforced ... 2 4

Yds. lost by penalty ... 20 20

**TOTAL YARDS GAINED IN GAME (add yards gained run-back punts, kickoffs & intercepted passes to net rushing-passing and penalty gains) ... 329 226**



### Pig-Pasture Plan Saves Farm Labor

"Let the grass grow under their feet," says Ellis Boykin of Turkey, Route 1, "and I'll have time for other things."

Boykin, one of Sampson County's progressive Negro farmers plans to let between 80 and 100 pigs "harvest" his new Ladin clover - Kentucky 31 fescue pasture. "Let them harvest some of their own feed," adds Boykin.

C. R. Greene, assistant Negro county agent for the Agricultural Extension Service, says Boykin is one of several Sampson farmers to learn that pigs and pasture go well together and leave time for other important farm chores.

Greene says Boykin is convinced that a good pasture is important in balancing his farm program. Recently Boykin attended a group meeting on pastures and cover crops conducted by the farm agent in the Poplar Grove community. That was the spark that started Boykin into action, says Greene.

He immediately took several soil samples and began preparing his pasture seedbed on five and a half acres of well-drained, sandy loam soil. He plans to have five brood sows in the near future and let them do most of their own foraging for food. It sounds foolish, says Boykin, but with plenty of pasture it can be done.

## TV Cameras Swing To Minneapolis For Panther-Gopher Test Saturday

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. — The Pittsburgh Panthers, fast becoming one of the nation's roughest, toughest football teams, will invade Memorial Stadium here Saturday afternoon (Oct. 31) to do battle with the Gophers of Minnesota in the General Motors TV Game of the Week.

In an intersectional clash to be televised nationally over the NBC network, Coach Red Dawson's Panthers will present a defense designed to stop Paul Glie, triple-threat Gopher back who seems destined for 1953 All-American honors. The outcome of the game might well depend upon how effectively the Pittsburgh defense can bottle up Glie.

The telecast will start at 2:15 (EST), with game time set for 2:30 p.m.

The Minnesota-Pittsburgh game will mark the midpoint in the NCAA-approved 1953 GM Game of the Week television schedule. Six more games, including the Thanksgiving Day contest between Idaho and Brigham Young Universities, are scheduled in the series.

### Probable starting lineups for Saturday's game:

MINNESOTA		PITTSBURGH	
Number	Name	Position	Name
88	Jim Soltau	LE	Joe Zombek
78	Gordon Holz	LT	William Cessar
67	Bob Hagemeister	LG	Harold Hunter
57	Jerry Helgeson	C	Ed Johnson
69	Mike Falls	RG	John Cenci
79	Stavros Canakes	RT	Eldred Kraemer
86	Phil McElroy	RE	Dick Delbrick
15	Geno Cappelletti	QB	Henry Ford
10	Paul Glie	LH	Ray DiPasquale
44	Bob McNamara	RH	Richie McCabe
33	Mel Holme	FB	Bob Epps

The Mountaineers held after a Wolf series, took a punt and started to roll goalward again. There was no stopping the "Model T Express" this time and with Right Halfback Don McCarter and Fullback Richard George running brilliantly, Kings Mountain crossed the double stripe again before the period ended.

George, the Mountaineers' hard driving point leader, drove over from 15 yards out for the final touchdown, his seventh of the season. Running with fourth down, four to go, the pile-driver appeared to be stopped short of a first and ten but barreled through a host of tacklers to score standing up.

Tackle Ken Cook, who was injured in the Rutherfordton-Spartanville contest on October 9 and missed the Marion game, added points after each score from placement. He was in the game for the two plays only.

Kings Mountain was also without the services of Left Halfback Gene Patterson, out for the season with a leg fracture, and Defensive Guard Ken Cloninger, who was also injured in the RS clash.

Fumbles hurt the visitors, who played an inspired game with McCullough directing the team from both the T and single wing formations and Beam doing the major part of the running.

Layton covered two other Lincolnton bobbles and Guard Dewitt Blanton copped the fourth.

Kings Mountain ran up 257 yards rushing and, on four completed passes, added 38 via the airlines but had four long marches stopped when the visitors took over on downs, on the 25, 36, 25 and 10 yard lines. In the final period they were denied scores when Lincolnton recovered

a fumble and a pass from Sub Quarterback George Harris to End Dan Payne failed to connect on the last offensive play.

Layton's second fumble recovery stopped a serious second period Lincolnton thrust on the Kings Mountain 15, and the losers had another nipped in the blossom on the Kings Mountain 20 as the second canto ended.

The Mountaineers, who are idle Friday, took the day off Monday before beginning preparation for the finale against Shelby here on November 6.

**Play-by-Play**

Kings Mountain won the toss and elected to receive, Lincolnton choosing to kick from the North goal.

McCullough kicked 48 yards to Marlowe who returned the ball 20 yards to the KM-32. George made 3 and McCarter 7 for a 1st down. George made 6, Harris missed Layton with a pass and McCarter ran through the line for 20 yards and another 1st and 10. George made 9 and McCarter 3 for 1st Down No. 3 on the L-20. McCarter made 2, George was stopped for no gain and McCarter was stopped after 4, short of a 1st down. Harris' 4th down pass to Layton failed to connect and the ball went over on the L-14.

Lincolnton lined up with only two men at the ball and the rest some distance to the right, a "huddle play" formation. McCullough attempted to pitch-back to Beam on the L-2 but Layton broke through, knocked the ball out of Beam's hands, picked it up on the 7 and stepped over for a touchdown. Cook's placement was true. Score — KM 7, L 0.

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### LINEUPS

POS.	KINGS Mtn.	LINCOLNTON
LE	Abernathy	Jerry Gates
LT	Arnette	Eddie House
LG	Caveny	Billy Moore
C	Hope	Don Buckley
RG	Yelton	Oscar Huss
RT	Goforth	Randall Anderson
RE	Layton	Emmett Michael
QB	O. Harris	Dave McCullough
RH	McCarter	Kenneth Whitson
LH	Jackson	Gene Whitesides
FB	George	Buddy Beam

**SCORE BY PERIODS:**  
KINGS MOUNTAIN 14 0 0 0-14  
LINCOLNTON 0 0 0 0-0

**SCORING:** KINGS Mtn.: Touchdowns — Layton 1 (2-yard run with recovered fumble, 1st quarter); and George 1 (15-yard run, 1st quarter). Points after touchdown — Cook 2 (kick).

**SUBS:** KINGS MOUNTAIN: ends, Payne and Potts; tackles, Cook and Hayes; guards, Blanton and Cole; centers, Ormond and Bluffett; backs, G. Harris, Marlowe and Smith. LINCOLNTON: ends, Durrell Post, Kenneth Carpenter and Ted Robinson; tackles, Charles Jarrett and David Smith; backs, Robert Auton, Billy Wesley, Eddie Lohr and Jim Poole.

**OFFICIALS:** Bill Robinson, Morganton, referee; Babe Daniels, Charlotte, umpire; Dahl Rumpelhuber, Charlotte, head linesman; and Art Cooper, Charlotte, field judge.

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