

Scared Baylor Bears Defeat Aggies, 20-14

Cadet's Final Threat Broken As Game Ends

By ART HOWARD

An underdog Texas A&M football team almost ruined Baylor's Homecoming celebration in Waco Saturday before finally bowing, 20-14, in the final minutes of the game. The Aggie team took the confidence out of the partisan crowd by overtaking the Bears twice, and threaten to forge ahead in the closing seconds of the ball game.

Except for the running of George Sims, the Baylor offense was muzzled by the stout Aggie line and an improved pass defense. But that "little something extra" was missing from the Aggie offense as they lost their sixth straight game of the season.

The crucial point of the game came with the Aggies in possession of the ball on the Baylor five yard line, first down, two minutes and 10 seconds to go, and Baylor leading by six points. A&M had worked its way down from the 39-yard line on three completed passes, with the aid of a spread formation. Quarterback Jimmy Cashion was faced with the choice of time-consuming plays or a clock-stopping aerial attack.

He would have been the hero of the game if successful, but his third pass into the packed end zone was intercepted by Bear Gene Heubner. Baylor then used up the remaining time with three quarterback sneaks.

Baylor's famed Adrian Burk failed to live up to advance notices in the passing department as he overthrew his receivers numerous times when they were a few steps in from two of their blockers.

Fullback Bobby Giff was prevented from adding to his considerable ground-gaining total when he was injured early in the game.

PLAY BY PLAY

Baylor won the toss, but chose to kick to A&M. The Aggie running attack picked up a first down on the running of Bob Goode before stalling. Goode kicked out on the Bruin 23.

It looked like a run-away game for the home team when they marched 77 yards for a score the first time they got their hands on the ball. Quarterback Adrian Burk engineered the Bear drive with three completions for 49 yards, and ne A&M clipping penalty which put the ball on the 22-yard line.

Here they stalled until the fourth down when Burk hit end Harold Riley in the end zone. Frank Torno went up in the air to grapple with Riley for the ball, but the taller Bear player came down with the ball.

Dickerson's missed extra point kick seemed unimportant at the time to the confident Homecoming crowd as the Bears stopped A&M and started on another goalward

drive. Jerry Mangrum led a ground attack to a first down on the Aggie 25.

Quarterback Burk tried a series of passes, but they were batted down by the Cadet backfield. A&M took over on its own 22, but Goode fumbled after being hit hard.

Once again the maroon and white repulsed the Bear aerial attack in the end zone. An exchange of punts followed as Jimmy Flowers and Carl Molberg stopped the Bear ground game.

Then the Aggies' big break came as Ben Hall's fumble on the Baylor 36 was recovered by Ralph Daniel. Goode took a handoff from Cashion on a reverse and found end Charlie Wright alone in the right flat. The entire Baylor backfield was on the other side of the field as Wright took the pass on the 17 and ran all the way for a touchdown.

Herb Turley's kick put A&M ahead, 7-6, but the joy was short lived as Baylor once again began a 71-yard sustained drive after the kickoff for a score.

Most of this drive was made on the ground, but a third-down pass from Sims to Flankin netted a 14-yard gain and a first down for the Bears.

A&M took the kickoff with two minutes to go, and tried one end-zone pass from Cashion to Wright before the halftime.

The weather was perceptibly cooler as the second half started, but the football game got perceptibly warmer as the Aggies fought to regain the lead.

Charlie Royalty returned the kickoff 17 yards to the 31, and Ralph Daniel carried two tacklers for five yards. Two plays later Cashion hit Wright with a pass, good to the 14. Daniel again hit the line for six yards, but another pass and a run used up three tries.

Bob Goode then made one of the most amazing boits in football records. He aimed the ball towards the right sidelines, but it took a crazy bounce to the left and continued downfield to the goal line.

Bob "Sack" Spode, member of the sports staff, was watching the ball with high-powered field glasses. He said that if it had been pointing towards the goal line it would have been over.

The demoralized Bears kicked, and Goode brought it back to the Baylor 40 and added another jaunt to the 25 for a first down.

Daniel powered to the 16, and Goode carried to the four-yard line first and goal. But a score was not in the cards as the Baylor line stopped two line-backs and two of Baly's passes to take over on the seven.

A&M took a few minutes later and made up for their mistake. Fullback Frank Boyd's fumble was covered by Jim Winkler in midfield. Boswell then took a statue of liberty handoff from Cashion and ran it to the Baylor 25. Goode gave the Aggies a new lease on life with a first on the 14, and then Quarterback Cashion called for a spread formation.

He hit George Kadera with one good to the eight. "PeeWee" Smith pushed to the two-yard line, and Goode rolled over a heap of players for the tying score. Turley's kick was good, and A&M led, 14-13.

Once again the Bears put on a sustained drive after taking the kickoff and pushed over a score with only five plays. Lyle Blackwood ran over and around the whole Aggie team to the A&M 36.

Razorbacks To Be Favored In Game Saturday

Speedy Clyde Scott and his Arkansas Razorbacks come to Aggieland this week.

The Porkers take on the Texas Aggies in one of three Southwest Conference games scheduled for Saturday. TCU hosts Baylor and Texas entertains SMU in two other league tilts.

Aggie scouts express doubt over whether or not the Cadets have any players fast enough to catch the versatile Scott. The Smackover Kid dealt the Cadets plenty of misery last year in Fayetteville, but somehow the Aggies' aerial circus managed to match the Porker running game, and the game ended in a 21-21 tie.

Scott and Company blanked the Aggies, 7-0, here two seasons ago. In 1945, the Farmers flogged the Razorbacks, 34-0, in Arkansas. The Hogs nipped the Aggies, 7-6 here in 1944.

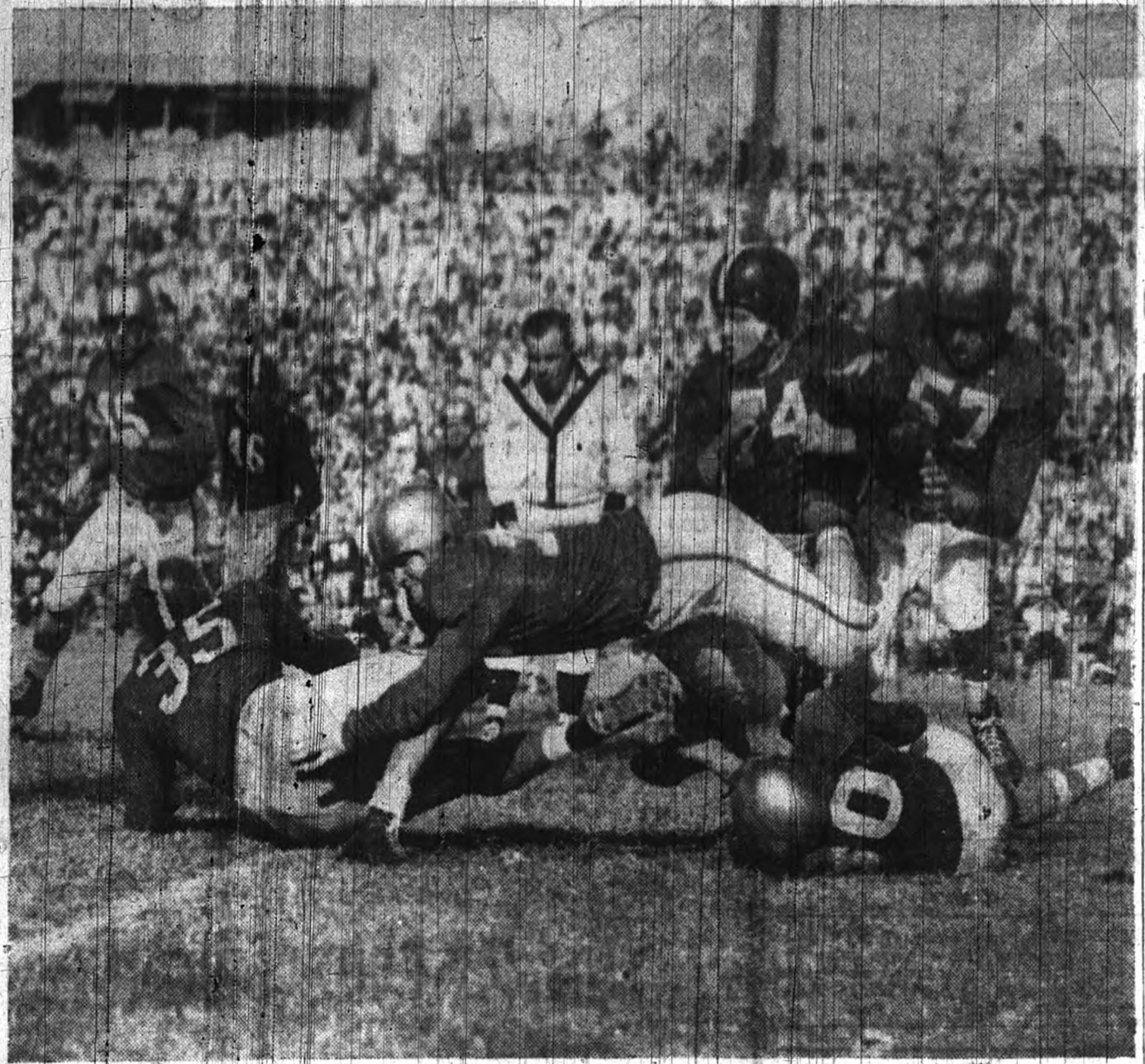
Thus, A&M hasn't been able to outscore the tall boys from the Ozarks on Kyle Field since 1942 when the Aggies turned the trick, 41-0.

Despite the long trip, the Porkers will have a wide advantage in physical condition, having rested from game-action last week while the Aggies were engaging Baylor in a bruising battle at Waco.

Burke hit Flankin with a pass to the 19. Blackwood ran for five yards, and Sims carried over in two tries for the final score.

Baylor was almost completely bottled up in the fourth quarter, but the Cadets were unable to push across the goal line. Fullback Paul Yates picked up two straight first downs for A&M, but the passing attack failed four straight times.

One of the smartest plays of the day was run by Goode. It was last and six on the Baylor 45, with slightly over three minutes to go. Goode backed up to punt, but ran the ball to the 39, from whence the ill-fated final drive started.



Jimmy Flowers, surrounded by Baylor Bears, looks on as Bob Goode plunges over for another of his all important, short yardage gains of the afternoon. Goode played another outstanding game, both offensively and defensively, and despite an all game case of cramps in his legs, spelled the difference between first down and loss of the ball on downs on three sustained A&M drives.

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Football scores

Baylor 20, Texas A&M 14.
Texas 20, Rice 7.
East Texas 19, West Texas 7.
Oklahoma 21, TCU 18.
SMU 53, Santa Clara 9.
Oklahoma A&M 41, Temple 7.
Vanderbilt 35, Yale 0.
Michigan S. 14, Penn S. 14 (tie).
Pittsburg 21, Indiana 14.
Mississippi 32, Boston College 13.
Nevada 65, Tulsa 13.
Northwestern 48, Syracuse 0.
Kentucky 25, Marquette 0.
Alabama 10, Miss. State 7.
Tulane 21, Auburn 6.
Duke 7, Virginia Tech 0.
Georgia Tech 42, Florida 7.
North Carolina 34, LSU 7.
Tennessee 41, Tenn. Tech. 0.
Pennsylvania 20, Navy 14.
Princeton 16, Columbia 14.
Army 27, Cornell 6.
Colgate 14, Holy Cross 13.
Dartmouth 14, Harvard 7.
Missouri 49, Iowa 7.
Kansas 27, Nebraska 7.
Notre Dame 27, Iowa 12.
Illinois 10, Purdue 6.
Michigan 27, Minnesota 14.
Oregon State 28, UCLA 0.
California 21, Washington 0.
Southern Cal. 7, Stanford 6.
Oregon 33, Wash. State 7.

GAME AT A GLANCE

	A&M	Baylor
First downs	12	18
Net yards rushing	122	220
Forward passes attempted	24	18
Forward passes completed	9	9
Yards forward passing	9	128
Forward intercepts	0	1
Yards gained runback	0	1
Interceptions	0	1
Punting average	48	31
Total yards all kicks returned	94	60
Opponent fumbles recovered	2	1
Yards lost by penalties	25	45

Tigers Run Wild In 53-0 Riot Of Chilton Pirates

Sparked by the running of Bob Williams and Johnny Cooley, the A&M Consolidated Tigers smashed the Chilton Pirates 53-0 in a district 27-B game played on Tiger Field Friday night.

The Tigers scored almost at will racking up two tallies in the first period, three in the second, two in the third, and one in the last.

Quarterback Red Cashion started the rout in the first four minutes of play, when he went six yards on a quarterback sneak to climax a 67 yard drive. Halfback Johnny Cooley scored from the six a few plays later to put Consolidated in front 13-0.

Cooley, Johnny Kilgough and end Dickie Dowell continued the slaughter in the second frame with one marker apiece. Cooley's came on a 32-yard end sweep, Kilgough raced 49 yards for his, and Dowell puffed in a pass from Cashion in the end zone to give the Tigers a 33-0 half-time lead.

Midway in the third period, Billy Cooner, rugged Tiger center, intercepted a Pirate toss on the Chilton 16, and galloped the needed 16 yards untouched. Bobby Williams, flashy reserve halfback, smashed two yards for the other third-period tilt.

In the last quarter Williams displayed his speed again when he snatched a Chilton pass on the Pirate's 41, and raced 59 yards to paydirt in the longest run of the contest. Kilgough made good his fifth extra point of the game to give the Tigers their final total.

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