

Raiders Sink Memphis Hellcats 33-0 Following Three Goal Line Stands

Arnold, McCoy, Rather, Canada, Fandrich Score in Demonstrating Varied Offensive Power

MTSC ran its victory string to 11 games (with a Murray State tie intervening) by defeating the Millington Naval Station team 33-0 in Memphis last Saturday night.

Middle Tennessee staved off three scoring threats by the Hellcats of Millington in the first quarter and then roared back in the last three quarters for a total gain of 193 yards on the ground and 123 more via the air. The Raiders completed 10 out of 13 passing attempts in the last half.

Head Coach Charles Murphy used ten ball-carrying backs to amass the Raiders huge yardage, the majority of which came in the second and third periods. Garnette Rather, freshman from East High, gained the most individual yardage for the Raiders—69, but it was Jim McCoy, John Raymond Smith, and Max Arnold who blasted out the most consistent gains.

The Hellcats had kept the Raiders deep in their own territory in the first quarter, rolling for seven first downs and three times being stopped inside the Raider ten-yard line-up by a punt return by Searcy. Don

Rather broke loose with a 38-yard run that gave the Raiders their first offensive break. After that it was Katie-bar-the-door as McCoy, Smith and Arnold alternated in smashing through the line.

McCoy and Arnold each contributed a touchdown in the second quarter while Bill Fandrich boot-ed the extra points.

Middle Tennessee's quarterbacks tried only one pass in the first half. In the second Jim Babb went in to direct the Raider attack and completed four of six attempts, the last hitting Rather for 23 yards and a TD. Fandrich missed the conversion.

Don Stotser entered the game at quarterback for the Raiders later in this period and passed 22 yards to Halfback Hubert McCullough, enabling Fullback Arnold to shake loose for another score.

Tackle Frank Ford was the key man on two of the Raider goal line stands. Guards Charlie Lyons and David Burnette, along with Tackle Howard Alsop also played outstanding defensive ball.

The final Raider counter was set



Here is the Middle Tennessee State College football squad for 1950, rated as one of the nations finest small-college eleven. Left to right: James Babb, Lebanon; qb; Bobby Hardison, Lewisburg, hb; Don Stotser, Lawrenceburg, qb; Hubert McCullough, Murfreesboro, hb; Jimmy Joe Jackson, Decherd, hb; Bob Searcy, Richard City, hb; Bill Fandrich, Belvidere, hb; C. D. Pinkleton, Columbia, hb; Dick Beck, Nashville, fb; Jimmy Hite, Nashville, c; Maxie Runion, Nashville, hb; Second Row: left to right—Bill Smith, Cowan, mgr; Gerald Johnson, Franklin, e; Monte Kennedy, Fayetteville, c; John Miles, Gallatin, g; Joe Morgan, Nashville, g; Jim McCoy, Cleveland, hb; James Harrison, Old Hickory, t; Max Arnold, Tullahoma, hb; Jim Kennedy, Plmouth, O, c; David Burnette, Gallatin, g; Billy Williams, Chattanooga, end; Ernest Adams, Murfreesboro, fb; Wade Murray, Bridgeport, Ala., t; Jim Loftin, Franklin, g; Howard Alsop, Murfreesboro, t; Carl Wells, Bridgeport, Ala., mgr. Third row, left to right: Coach Joe Little (centers); Coach Joe Black Hayes, (guards and tackles); Coach Charles Murphy (athletic director) Bill Hendsley, Columbia, c; Ben Canada, Montgomery, Ala., e; James Andrews, Lebanon, Frank Atchley, Nashville, (al-capt.) e; Guy Buchanan, Fayetteville, g; Frank Ford, Huntsville, Ala., t; John Raymond Smith, Old Hickory, qb; Charlie Lyons, Nashville, g; Frank Tice, Nashville, t; Jim Ballard, Culman, Ala., e; Jim Burcham, Columbia, e; Coach Charles Greer (ends); Coach Frances Riel, (backfield), Lew Aaron, Nashville, trainer. Fourth Row, left to right, George Fraley, Winchester, g; George Smotherman, Tullahoma, g; Harold Hitt, Nashville, t; Emory Cox, Chattanooga, t; Tom Crosslin, Sparta, hb; Bobby Pittard, Murfreesboro, hb; Bob Brown, Winchester, e; Hensley Etter, Old Hickory, t; John Swafford, Cleveland, g; Andrew Hardaway, Murfreesboro, g.

THESE 1913 RAIDERS TIED VANDERBILT



First row, left to right—Ennis Harris, Jack Burton, Bob Downing, James (Goat) Ridley, Putty Overall, Claude Covington, Cas Miles, Granville Larry Nelson, Hubert, Tom Ridley. Second row—Carter Bell White, Sam Huddleston, Mr. Mayo, Halbert Harvill, Baird McKnight, Unidentified, Neal Bass, Unidentified, Hubert Burton, Chip Smith, Mutt Webber. Third row, standing—Mr. McConnell, Mgr., Alf Miles, Coach, Will Ragland, Jesse Huggins, Rubert Smith, Bill Moffett, Pete Nelson, Henry Ewing Jordan, Rice Woodfin, Jack Fox, Oscar Baskins, Roy Ott, Sister Williams, Thurman McMahon, Wallace Gannaway.

Stotser passed twice to Ben Canada, for 10 yards, then a 23 yard touchdown heave.

The pass defense of the Raiders looked woefully weak in the first half. The Hellcats completed eight of twelve passes attempted in the first half.

The Raider coaches used 39 players, only Beck, Adams and Runion failing to get in the game.

Middle Tennessee had the edge in first downs, 13 to 11, but lost the ball on two fumbles.

Andrew Hardaway, whose leg was hurt on the first play of the game, was able to return to action in the fourth quarter. He was the only Raider who left the game because of injuries.

Experts Believe Raiders, Vandy Will Both Score in Saturday Tilt

Middle Tennessee State College football steps into the national spotlight Saturday afternoon when the RAIDERS meet the Vanderbilt University Commodores in Nashville. No Blue and White team has ever scored off against Vandy in the six times the teams have met. Coach Murphy's boys are determined to end that drought on Dudley Field this week.

That Vandy does not understate the RAIDERS was evidenced by a statement attributed to Bill Edwards in the Monday Nashville Banner when the Vandy coach, who scouted the MTSC-Millington game, said:

"Middle Tennessee has a good football team. It is a much bigger team than I had thought."

"They were able to operate defensive and offensive units. Two boys who were with us in the past, Gerald Johnson and Jim Loftin, played on the defensive unit. The speed of the backs was very impressive. I thought Jim Babb did a good job of T-quarterbacking."

"We'll have our hands full in Saturday's opener. Middle Tennessee is further along than we are."

On the other hand the most opti-

mistic RAIDER fan cannot be a realist and expect an MTSC victory. Any Southeastern conference college is just too deep in talent and reserves for a medium sized college to beat. Rumor has it that the "smart" bookies are giving the RAIDERS a good chance to score, perhaps twice, and expect the Vanderbilt team to win by 14 to 20 points.

Neil Wright will take the MTSC band down to Dudley Stadium and from 8,000 to 10,000 fans are expected to see a good musical show and a fine football game.

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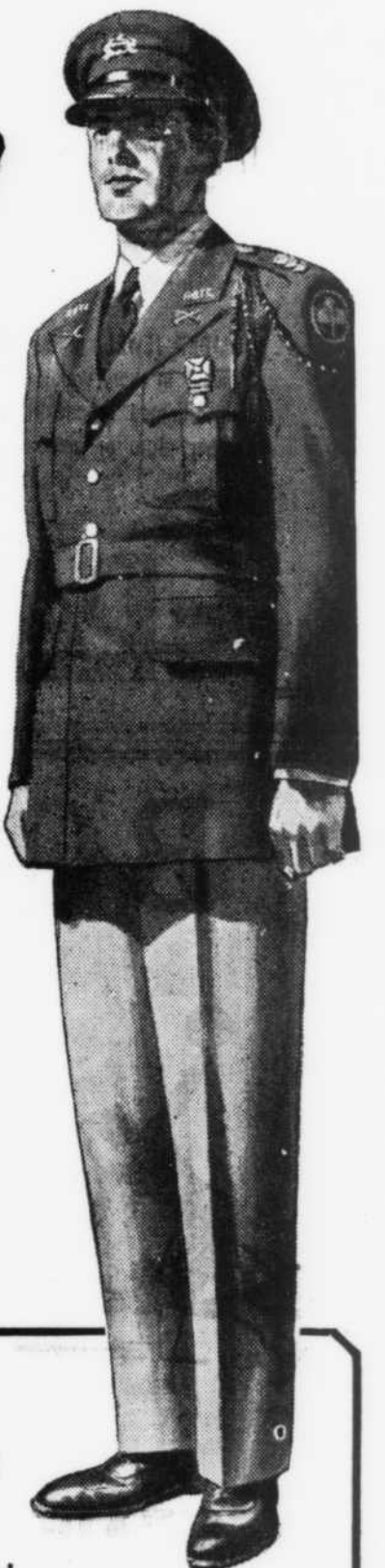


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school program and make any advances, it is imperative that the legislative program proposed for the 1951 Legislature be enacted.

The T. E. A. legislative program includes these points: 1. Sufficient state appropriations to maintain the present foundation school program, including funds for capital outlay, during the coming biennium, in the face of increased costs due to

increased enrollment, improved training of teachers and accumulated needs of the state teacher's retirement system.

2. A revision of the state salary schedule which will provide a teacher with a bachelor's degree a beginning salary of \$2,000 and will advance over a period of fifteen years to \$2,500 with similar increases in the state salary schedule for certified teachers of other levels of training and corresponding increases for teachers in non-equalizing counties

and cities.

3. Improvement of certification standards as rapidly as the supply of trained teachers will permit.

4. Teachers tenure legislation which will provide for: (a) tenure protection to all certified teachers who have served a probationary period sufficiently long to determine their qualifications to continue in service; (b) provision for dismissal of teachers for incompetence, inefficiency, neglect of duty, unprofessional conduct, insubordination or abolition of position; (c) fair trial for teachers who have been dismissed; and (d) protection of local tenure laws.

5. Adequate state support for higher education.

Mr. Bass has worked with the schools of Marshall and Rutherford Counties, Hickman County High School, and Mt. Pleasant schools. He was at one time High School Visitor for Middle Tennessee and subsequently Curriculum Director in the State Department of Education, in which capacity he directed publication of numerous documents including "Looking Ahead With Tennessee's Schools." Immediately before coming to the T. E. A. he was Director of Teacher Training at Middle Tennessee State College.

Mr. Bass is chairman of the Education Committee of the Mid-century White House Conference on Children and Youth, member of the Legislative Commission of the National Education Association, and a member of the American Association of School Administrators. He is a member of the Baptist Church, is a Scottish Rite Mason and a Rotarian, and holds membership in Phi Sigma and Phi Delta Kappa, honorary educational fraternities.

On a recent inspection from the Washington office of the C.A.A., the college administration was highly commended for the methods used in the instruction courses. According to a letter from Mr. McCure, chief airman agent of the C.A.A., who declared the MTSC course to be the "best planned and executed of any college in the Southern area."

John E. Sims, advisor in Aviation Education for the C.A.A. in Atlanta, has frequently cited the MTSC aviation program as among the country's best in the teaching of aviation.

The college aviation department has recently been visited by personnel for other colleges who contemplate introducing aviation into the curriculum. Among these visitors was Gilbert L. Gifford, assistant professor of transportation, University of

Tom T. Tucker Wins Doctorate at U. O.

Thomas T. Tucker, Jr., of Lafayette, has recently been awarded his doctor of education degree by the University of Oklahoma. This was conferred on August 7, 1950. He was one among a class of 726 including nine doctor's degrees.

While a student on the campus he was known as Tommy Tucker and was very active in student life and took a great interest in athletics. He later coached in his home town of Lafayette and produced some good to outstanding ball teams.

Concert Series
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turned here by popular request, includes music by Beethoven, Mendelssohn, Brahms, Schubert, Dvorak, Mozart, and Haydn, in addition to individual instrumental solos.

Pressler, brilliant young Palestinian pianist, has been hailed by American critics as "the poet of the piano." He has appeared as soloist

with the outstanding American symphony orchestras.

Adult memberships for the entire series are \$6.00, including tax, and student memberships are \$3.00. Persons who were out of town at the time of the spring membership drive, May 14-20, and persons who have moved to Murfreesboro since that date, may secure membership next week, September 25-30, by calling


chairman, or Joe F. Wilkes, president. There will be no solicitation of members.

Billie Williams Jr., graduate of Pulaski

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The Middle Tennessee State College aviation department has earned a high reputation in aviation circles, and the airport and its facilities was one of five in Tennessee to win the Aircraft Owners and Pilot's Association certificate for "above average accommodation and services" for visiting pilots last year.

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