



HERE'S THE PROBLEM—Avondale Coach Calvin Ramsey, center, relaxes with four touted members of his highly-prized championship team prior to tomorrow night's state AAA championship clash with Glynn Academy's Red Terrors. Shown, left to right, are fullback Steve Mills (42), wingback Gary West (30), halfback Brad Johnson (20) and quarterback Mike Colvard (10).

Champs Can Move Ball

Glynn Hopes Tomorrow Hang on Defense Play

By DAVE SPRIGGS

The football takes a funny bounce.

Last week the question in everybody's mind was whether the Red Terrors would be able to score against Columbus. This week one ponders the thought, "Can they contain Avondale?"

The hopes of Glynn Academy tomorrow night hang on defensive play. After watching the Terrors weave their magic against the tremendous Columbus defense, fans know that somehow, some way they'll get on the scoreboard. But keeping the high-scoring invaders in check is the important problem.

The defending champions can move the ball. They've gained over two miles on the ground this season, 3,627 yards to be exact, plus another 663 yards through the air. Their leading runner, Brad Johnson, rattled off touchdown runs of 45, 47 and 81 yards against Westminster in the North Georgia playoff game. Johnson has lugged the ball 133 times this season to score 12 touchdowns on the ground and one on a pass. He has pounded out 1,324 yards for an amazing 8.66 average per try.

And he still plays second fiddle to scabbard Gary West in scoring and average totals. West has accounted for 1,126 yards in 120 carries for a 9.40 average and scored 13 times. The 155-pound speedster runs from the slot back position in the "Slot T" formation used by the Imps.

All-State fullback Steve Mills is the power man for the Devils. He is a great blocker but managed to find time to score 10

touchdowns and pick up 713 yards in 154 carries for 4.60 average.

Senior quarterback Mike Colvard has tallied six times on the ground while churning out 54 attempts for three touchdowns and 247 yards while having six throws intercepted.

But the big passing threat for Avondale is freshman quarterback Charles Dudish. His 32 completions with 70 attempts has amassed seven touchdowns and 436 yards. He has had five throws intercepted.

These staggering statistics are the result of some great line play by the interior blockers who make the Devils go. Bob Bowen, Bill Johnson and Ed Spencer have the speed and agility usually found in backfields. They turn in down-backs, free. They execute their assignments in machine-like fashion and hold the key to the Avondale offense.

The Red Terror line which has been improving by leaps and bounds since midseason will have to produce their supreme effort of the season to give Glynn its first state title. The line has been almost lost among the heroics of the backs in recent games but their yeoman services have gained the plaudits of the scouts and coaches who have watch them perform.

Coaches Ed Woodruff and Elton Hinson brought them into battle last Friday night at a fighting pitch and to keep them on edge for the big one might be quite a task because of the natural letdown after a satisfying win.

Chris Reichenbach was singled out by the Quarterback Club as the outstanding lineman of the night. To be chosen as the outstanding lineman on the night when any or all were deserving was quite an honor. Big Rick played the best game of his high school career and richly deserved the award but his teammates were also "Tigers" of the first school.

The game will be loaded sure as you can strike like coiled rattlesnakes and the scoreboard should get plenty of use. But like two good pro teams, the one with the

superior defense and staying power will wind up on top.

Offense by Quarters

	1	2	3	4	Totals
Glynn	41	55	57	89	242
Avondale	100	99	94	61	354

Defense by Quarters

	1	2	3	4	Totals
Glynn	13	43	6	30	92
Avondale	14	13	14	30	80

Offensive Yardstick

	11 games	12 games
Glynn	222	Points 363
2008	Yds. rushing 3627	
993	Yds. passing 683	
77-173	Passes 53-124	

Individual Rushing

	Car.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Tullos	225	1079	4.79	9
Van Dora	129	633	4.90	13
Goss	54	206	3.81	0
Tippins	7	34	4.85	0
Liles	8	21	2.63	0
Schaffer	2	17	8.50	0
Smith	2	10	5.00	0
Mavromat	1	8	8.00	0

Columbus

	Car.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Johnson	153	1324	8.60	12
West	120	1126	9.40	13
Mills	154	713	4.60	10
Colvard	64	464	7.30	6

Individual Passing

	Att.	Com.	Yds.	Int.	TD	Pct
Van Dora	173	77	993	5	445	

Columbus

	Att.	Com.	Yds.	Int.	TD	Pct
Colvard	54	21	247	6	390	
Dudish	70	32	436	5	460	

Individual Kicking

	PAT	ATT.	Com.	FG
George, Glynn	32	27	1-3	
Brinsfield, Av.	51	40	0-0	

Pass Receiving

	N.	Yds.	TD
Mavromat	25	329	2
Tullos	20	306	4

Bear Bryant

Denies Rumors

Of Resigning

TUSCALOOSA, Ala. (AP) — Alabama football Coach Paul Bryant, whose Crimson Tide has captured its second national championship in four years, said today he is definitely not going to resign this year "or for a long time."

Bryant said he issued the statement because of the rumors that "pop up every year."

"People have been calling me from all over the country about this," he said.

"I plan to coach here (Alabama) and no place else as long as we are winning," Bryant said adding that he figures the Tide will win its share.

Bryant said his staff makes the job less demanding by taking almost everything off of him except the worrying, "and I believe I can take care of that."

However, he said he plans to cut down on "all this running around and making speeches that I have been doing."

"But as far as my quitting: first, I've got to work at something; second, I like to work with football; third, I love to work at Alabama."

Last Crown Try Recalled

Terrors Greatest Since Fabled Squad of 1949

By MAL FLANDERS

The Glynn Academy Red Terrors have waited 15 years since the now-legendary "49 Club" lined up against Brown High in Atlanta's Grady Stadium on Dec. 9, 1949 to play in a state championship football game.

There have been other outstanding Terror teams such as the 1960 aggregation that finished the season undefeated and region champs as well as the 1963 championship squad, but only the powerful 1964 Terrors, slated to meet Avondale tomorrow night, had been able to match the fabled '49 Club's South Georgia championship.

Assistant Coach Elton Hinson was the starting left guard on that last South Georgia championship squad along with other outstanding performers like Sonny George, Bob Sherman, Bill Brigman, Human Rhodes and Eddie Dykes to name just a few.

George went on to star at Wake Forest where he also captained the squad his senior year. Sherman earned All-America mention as an outstanding tackle on the Georgia Tech bowl teams of the early fifties. Bill Brigman was the second sophomore in the SEC to ever start at quarterback on a T-formation team, also at Tech. Human Rhodes was a freshman star at Florida before turning to professional baseball. Eddie Dykes, the 145-pound All-State end, was an outstanding defensive back and captain of the South Georgia College team.

There were many others not so well known who also continued in the sport. Eddie McLain and Jack Jarriel went to South Georgia, Robert Miller played Marine Corps ball and then attended the Citadel where he was a quarterback, Jimmy Peerson went to Auburn and Linwood Roberts played at Georgia Tech.

Joe Counts starred at Presbyterian for four years and was still playing service ball for the Norfolk Navy Tars in 1960. Mitchell Mavromat played at Presbyterian where he faced Miller.

a former teammate, Lee Owens also played service ball at Old Sherman.

Eddie Dykes played semi-pro ball in Miami where he faced former teammate Mavromat. Flanders who was then playing for the Key West semi-pro team.

Human Rhodes was organizer of the now defunct "Alumni Charity Football Game" played in the mid-fifties at Lanier Field.

Before submitting to Brown in the state championship game the '49 Terrors had gone through the campaign undefeated, scoring 275 points while allowing only 36 in regular season play and then booped Lanier of Macon, 55-27 for the South Georgia crown.

Sonny George was the state's leading scorer and accounted for nearly one-third of the Terrors points with his booming plunges and accurate extra point kicking.

Memory is short and the 1964 Red Terrors of Glynn Academy with another George and Mavromat as well as its Van Dora and Tullos will soon replace the "49 Club" as the school's greatest gridiron aggregation.

Bulldogs Set Workouts For Sun Bowl Game

ATLANTA, Ga. (AP) — Georgia's Bulldogs will begin workouts next week in preparation for their football game with Texas Tech in the Sun Bowl, Dec. 26, but Coach Vince Dooley plans very little heavy work.

Dooley said workouts would begin next Wednesday with warmups and calisthenics without coaches. Some members of the coaching staff will join players later in the week.

But Dooley, whose team compiled a surprising 6-3-1 record in his first year, said the Bulldogs will practice in pads only two or three days before leaving Dec. 22 for El Paso, Texas.



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Former Champ Carries Lead In Tournament

BRADENTON, Fla. (AP) — Former champion Loddie Kempa of Macon, Ga., carried a one-stroke lead into the third round of the National Left-handed Golfers' Open today.

He shot a three-over-par 74 Wednesday in scattered drizzles for a 146 total, beating out a fellow Macon resident, amateur Al Sims Jr., who shot a 73 for 147.

Kempa, runner-up for the past two years, was three over on the front nine at the 5,608-yard Dedoto Lakes course but parred the back nine.

Other leaders: Alvin Oddum Jr. of Galveston, Tex., 73-35 — 148; Jack Butler, amateur, of

NBA Results

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Wednesday's Results
Boston 106, New York 81
Detroit 123, Cincinnati 113
St. Louis 105, Los Angeles 107
Baltimore 120, San Francisco 114

Today's Games

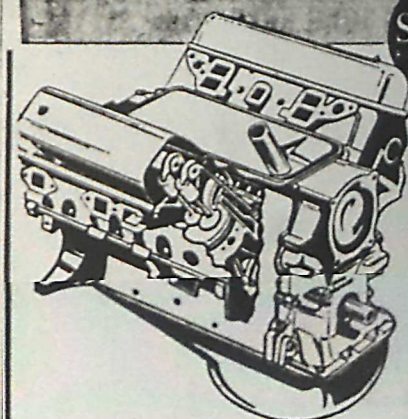
No games scheduled
Friday's Games
Detroit at Philadelphia
Los Angeles at Cincinnati
Boston at San Francisco
St. Louis at Baltimore

Atlanta, Ga., 73-75—149; John Bulla of Phoenix, Ariz., 75-75—150; Bill Flynn of Danvers, Mass., 76-74—150; Ken Mast of Bluffton, Ohio, 71-80—151; Billy Quiley of Calgary, Ont., 76-75—151; and Howard Brown of Detroit, 77-75—152.

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