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Gets Breaks Over Altomah Indians for 18-8 Victory

Fumbles Cost Tribe Two Touchdowns In Final

CLOSING DRIVE

Morton Intercepts Forward for 95-Yard Gallop

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EDMONTON, Oct. 22.—Champions of the Alberta gridiron since 1929, Calgary football players were relieved of the title at the University of Alberta's campus on Saturday when the Golden Bears won 18-8 against Altomah Indians.

And the students won their first provincial title in a decade in the same manner that the team captured the first clash in Calgary on Thanksgiving Day — by its powerful defence and ability to take advantage of every opportunity presented.

Again the students were outplayed in scrimmage and forward passing and at times Charlie Marriam's kicking proved superior in punting duels, but the Halls took all chances offered and sent three players to hospital in a contest that demanded everything from the gladiators.

Three Touchdowns

The Golden Bears scored three touchdowns, Pete Ruie, Harold Richard and Guy Morton carrying the lopsided sphere across the Calgary goal line, while Morton's great kicking and the tackling of Ruie and McIntyre brought the three single scores to the student total.

Calgary ends were outstanding throughout the battle, waged on a perfect Varsity grid and before a capacity crowd. Mel Friend chalked up two rouges and Lorne Christie got the other, while a brilliant advance by the Indians, in which Al Leven, Harold Thom, Bill Roberts, Gobbo Gilkes and Lorne Christie rolled up a total of six first downs in succession, brought Calgary its only try, Leven plunging for the major score.

Fumbles Costly

Calgary lost possession five times on fumbles—no one kept track of how many times they fumbled and managed to recover — and it was those fumbles that cost the game as well as their Alberta championship.

The Halls had a 5-2 lead by the end of the first quarter, when Ruie fisted a fumbled ball over the goal line and had it for a touchdown, while Friend and Christie scored rouges on a kickoff by Don Wares and an attempted field goal by the same player.

McIntyre scored the only point of the second with a rouge on Morton's kick from the Calgary 35-yard line. Calgary got a single in the third, Friend rouging on Harrison's 30-yard punt.

Brilliant Run

Morton kicked to touch in goal from midfield in the fourth period and then turned a determined Indian advance into complete rout by intercepting a long forward pass to the side, and he was in the clear for a 95-yard race to the Calgary goal line. It was on the closing play of the game and the Altomahs gambled on putting the play across or losing by a larger count. Had it worked, Gobbo Gilkes would have been over for a touchdown. There was no defence for the play if it failed.

Varsity played the game without one fumble being chalked up against the team, and the students intercepted two Altomah forwards. The Indians completed six passes for a total gain of 132 yards. Altomahs gained 11 first downs from scrimmage plays against one for Varsity. The students attempted two forwards.

Just after the Varsity kickoff, Fyfe Gordon snagged a blocked kick and Roberts had to run out Morton's kick over the goal line. Harrison booted it upfield.

First Try

The students gained a first down by Calgary offside and Morton sent up a spiraling, spiral that twisted away from Roberts, Pete Ruie darting between Roberts and McDowall to fist it 10 yards over the Calgary scoring strip and touchdown.

From Don Wares' kickoff Bill Scott was rouged by Friend. It was a great kick and a great tackle.

Calgary held a slight advantage in the punting to back the students, and the Indians were soon in position to try a field goal, Wares' drop-kick going wide but Lorne Christie was up to rouge Morton.

After Morton's punt to midfield, Charlie Harrison and Jim McConnell carried the ball for a first down, and even though too far for a goal, the Indians tried one anyway, Wares' dropkick falling short to Morton on the Varsity 10-yard line.

In Old-Time Form

Scott and Richard gained for a Varsity first down, but again Harrison was kicking in old-time form to hold the edge in punt exchanges, and Richard had to run out one of Harrison's kicks.

The quarter-time score was 5-2 for the students.

Varsity made a big gain on an exchange of kicks at the start of the second and, even though Indians gained a first down, the punting duel changed, and the Halls got back to midfield on Morton's kicking. A Varsity forward was completed off the field and brought back.

Morton kicked and again it was a student advance when Woywitka got the Altomah short kick and another punt was fumbled, Thompson snagging the ball for Varsity on the Indian 15-yard line, but the Halls' first down placement kick was blocked.

High Tackle Penalty

Calgary booted and a high tackle of the receiver brought a 15-yard penalty. Morton's forward was missed and he then hoofed it over the Calgary goal line for McIntyre to rouge Bannister.

The receiver of the Indian kick wasn't given yards and the officials paced off another 15 yards, Morton kicking over the goal line, but the Calgary receiver also wasn't given the required distance and no point was allowed as the half ended with the score standing at 4-2.

Following another exchange of punts in the third, Cameron intercepted an Altomah toss at the Varsity 45 and, unable to gain, Morton kicked.

Complete Forward

Charlie Harrison shot a great forward to Mel Friend, who reeled off another 20 yards, and it was a 35-yard advance for the tribe, but on the next play Kramer snagged the Indian fumble on Varsity's 32-yard line, and the threat ended.

Jim McConnell and Don Wares were hurt on successive plays and carried off the field, McConnell being kicked in the eye and Wares on the head.

Laven completed yards for a first down and Harrison's forward went uncompleted. Later, Harrison hoisted a 50-yard punt, the ball bounding over the Varsity goal line and Friend rouged McIntyre with a shoelace tackle. The score was 6-5 for the Halls starting the closing session.

Brilliant Close

Up to the closing quarter it was a very ordinary game, but all the brilliance of the final period made up for the dull moments. It was a fumbling start for the Indians, but the tribe settled down after that.

McDowall let Morton's kick get away from him, and Harrison drilled the ball with Donovan recovering for Varsity at the Calgary 45-yard line.

Morton kicked again, Harrison collapsing as he tried to make the catch, and Clarke snagged it on the Altomah two-yard line. Ruie was thrown for a loss, but Richard made it back with the next play. The Varsity quarterback carried it again, placing the ball right on the goal line for the second touchdown of the match.

The kickoff was carried back 25 yards by Ruie for the longest run back of the contest, and Morton's towering spiral had the Indians backed into their own territory.

Three Forwards Fail

McDowall shot a 20-yard forward to Christie just before Thom went in to call the plays. Three successive Indian forwards were uncompleted and the students had possession in midfield.

With scrimmage on Varsity's own 35-yard line, Morton hoisted the best kick of the contest, Ruie tackling Roberts for the rouge that made the count 12-5.

But the Indian forward passing threat had spread out the opposition and Thom set in to guide the team in a steady march to the student goal line.

Gilkes cut through for a first down and another followed with Varsity offside. Thom sent a short forward to Christie and Laven completed yards. Gilkes passed to Roberts on an extension play for a 15-yard gain to the Varsity 35, and again Laven completed yards. The big Altomah slamming half was given the ball for three successive plays and gained another first down, leaving three to go to the goal line.

Altomahs Score

Thom placed the ball two yards out and once more Laven took the lopsided sphere and crashed through for the major score. They carried him to hospital after this to attend to an injured hip. He was all right later in the evening.

Roberts brought the kick 17 back 10 yards, Gilkes and Roberts gained a first down and Lorne Christie took Thom's 18-yard forward pass. Bannister kicked to McIntyre who brought it back to midfield, and again Morton got away one of those long kicks. It rolled to touch in goal and the count was 18-8.

Morton knocked down a forward and Thom followed with a 20-yard toss to Friend. Another forward was missed and Thom completed yards to the Varsity 30. Laverie got away to an 18-yard sprint and another Altomah forward was spilled

TAKES FIRST POSITION ON COLLEGE GRID

Western Champion Teams Undefeated To Open Playdown

BRITISH COLUMBIA BIG FOUR
(Final)

	P	W	L	T	Pts
Vanc. Meralomas	5	3	0	0	6
Vanc. Ath. Club	4	1	2	1	3
N. Shore Club	5	1	3	1	3
U. of B.C.	4	2	2	0	4

SASKATCHEWAN UNION

Regina Roughriders	5	5	0	0	10
Moose Jaw Millers	4	4	2	0	8
Saskatoon Hilltops	6	3	4	1	7
U. of Sask.	5	0	4	1	1

ALBERTA UNION
(Final Standing)

U. of Alta.	4	4	0	0	8
Calgary Altomahs	5	3	2	0	6
Lethbridge Bulldogs	3	0	3	0	0

Hamilton Tigers Beat Argos 17-9 Score in Interprovincial

TORONTO, Oct. 22. — (C.P.) — The spirit of Ted Reeve and the only 15 players left on his squad at Queen's, charged the week-end football results with drama that may remain the high spot of the eastern season. Queen's desperate stand to defeat University of Toronto 4-3 and take over first place in the International Union standing was by far the outstanding upset of the day.

With only four substitutes available for action, the tricolor tied up Varsity's attack from start to finish at Kingston and won their third straight game without scoring a touchdown. Five members of the team had been suspended over a fraternity violation.

McGill won their first victory in the college season at London, defeating the Western Mustangs 12-5. The defeat put the Mustangs in the cellar position of the intercollegiate loop.

Tigers Smash Argos

Hamilton's grim old tiger, the same ferocious fellow he was two or three years ago, jumped into the interprovincial union football lead by a full game with a 17-9 victory over Toronto Argos.

Abe Eliowitz and Lorne Johnson engineered one brilliant Ottawa drive in the first quarter that brought a touchdown and sent Roughriders out in front to stay, as Ottawa won from Montreal 6-4.

Sarnia Imperials defeated St. Michael's College 19-12 in a spectacular affair in Toronto to remain unbeaten in the O.R.F.U.

Fifteen out of 25 forwards were completed by St. Mikes but Imperials packed just enough extra weight to ensure a victory.

In the other O.R.F.U. game Hamilton Cubs defeated Balmy Beach 14-1.

Tennis Prospect Adds to Laurels With College Win

MONTREAL, Oct. 22.—(C.P.)—Regarded by many critics as the finest young international prospect Canada has, Robert D. "Bob" Murray today held the individual tennis championship of the Canadian Intercollegiate Athletic Union, in addition to his Province of Quebec singles title.

Murray retained the championship for McGill Saturday in the final of the three-day tournament, with a straight-set victory over George Leclerc, Ottawa student at University of Montreal, 6-2, 10-8, 6-3. Murray partnered "Rock" Robertson of Vancouver to capture the doubles honors for McGill, defeating Harrie Crowson and Ken Black of University of Toronto, 6-3, 6-2, 6-2.

In the event the Red team scored 14 points; University of Toronto was second with six; University of Montreal next with five; Queen's secured four and Royal Military College one.

completed for interference. It had play on the Varsity 20-yard line.

With five points needed to tie the score, Altomahs used the last play of the game for a long lateral forward, which Morton took at top speed on the 15-yard line, and was in the clear to win the 95-yard sprint to the goal line, and the final count was 18-8.

The Teams

University of Alberta—Gordon, Ruie, Morton, Scott, Baines; Tubbard, quarter; Cameron, centre; Donovan, Park, inside; Creighton, Hargrave, middles; Kramer, Zeglor, ends; Clarke, Killick, McIntyre, Proctor, Thompson, Woywitka, alternates.

Calgary Altomahs—Wares, Bannister, C. Harrison, Roberts, halves; McDowall, quarter; Jefferson, centre; Ferguson, Houghton, inside; J. Christie, Ellis, middles; L. Christie, Friend, ends; Munro, J. McConnell, M. McConnell, Hagen, Laven, Gilkes, H. Harrison, Thom, alternates.

Officials — Frank Woodman Calgary referee; Eric Duggan, Edmonton, judge of play; Jimmy Enright, Edmonton, head linesman.

SUMMARY

VARSITY		ALTOMAHS
First Quarter		
Ruie, touchdown	5	
		Friend rouge 1
		L. Christie rouge 1
Second Quarter		
McIntyre rouge	1	
Third Quarter		
		Friend rouge 1
Fourth Quarter		
Richard, touchdown	5	
Ruie, rouge	1	
		Laven, touchdown 5
Morton, kick to touch in goal	1	
Morton, touchdown	5	
Total	18	Total 8

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