

1972 Season



LEFT to RIGHT: 1st ROW--Jim Smeal; Frank Lucas; Dan Hewitt; Russ Miller; Ken Rachocki; Jim Laing; Steve Kitko; Tom Gates; Ron Kauffman; Mike Vigne; Andy Popyack. 2nd ROW--Paul Miller; Jeff Parks; Jim Jeffries; Jack Carns; Gerald Belgin; Jack Kimberly; Tim Gates; Pat Kuttruff; Roger Twigg; Gary Troxell; Toby Hughes; Bob Slovikosky. 3rd ROW--Sam Marano; Tom Wilson; Charlie Troxell; Sam Tiesi; Wendell Hullihen; Bill Andrews; Ray Reynolds; Don Krug; Mark Rickard; Tim Troxell; Jim McCully.

September 8, 1972: Glendale 30 at Bucktail 0

Glendale Trounces Bucktail 30-0

RENOVO — The Sam Tiesi - Bill Andrews passing combination accounted for two touchdowns and Dan Hewitt and Jim Jeffries rushed for one each as Glendale continued its mastery over Bucktail 30-0 last night.

The Vikings launched what they hope will be their fourth consecutive banner season by piling up 272 yards in total offense, a big improvement over last year's opener.

Hewitt led the ground game with 76 yards. Behind him, there was good balance as Tiesi and Russ Miller picked up 34 yards apiece and Jeffries gained 25.

Coach John Lord's defensive unit proved to be tough again, holding the Bucks to 123 yards.

An interception by Andrews at the B-43 in the second quarter gave the Vikings their first big opportunity, and they took advantage as Jeffries bolted into the end zone for a six-yard touchdown. Tiesi threw to Andrews for the extra points.

Hewitt rambled 25 yards for a third period TD, Miller ran for the bonus points, and Glendale led 16-0.

The scoring passes came in the final period, a 26-yarder capping a 12-play, 57-yard thrust and a 36-yarder coming after the Bucks had coughed up the ball on a fumble. Tiesi found Mike Vigne in the end zone for the PAT after the last touchdown.

The Vikings return to action next Saturday against Chestnut

Ridge at Fisher's own.

GLENDALE

Ends—Andrews, Carns
Tackles—Gates, Krug
Guards—Hughes, Kutruff
Center—Marano
Backs—Tiesi, Jeffries, Miller, Hewitt

Subs—J. Kimberly, R. Kimberly, Troxell, Hillihen, Lucas, Vigne, J. Laing, Parks, Reynolds, Rachoocki, Smeal S. Laing, Popyack, Kauffman, Rickard, Beers

BUCKTAIL

Ends—Shaffer, Zubeck
Tackles—Williams, Moore
Guards—Lundfelt, B. Getz
Center—Knauff
Backs—Lacey, D. Getz, Coover, Houser

Subs—Schnars, Keener, Geutz-

yel. Mazzulla, Hadgeland, Prebble, Boggs, Busshaus, Finnefrock

Score by Quarters:

Glendale ... 0 8 8 14—30
Bucktail ... 0 0 0 0—0

Glendale TD: Andrews 2 (26, 36-yd. pass-runs from Tiesi); Jeffries (6-yd. run); Hewitt (25-yd. run). PAT: Andrews (Pass from Tiesi); Miller (Rush); Vigne (Pass from Tiesi).

STATISTICS

	GL	B
First Downs Rushing ..	8	9
First Downs Passing .	1	1
Net Rushing Yardage	201	95
Passes Com.-Att.	3-6	2-11
Passes Intercepted By	1	2
Net Yardage Pasing	71	28
Penalties-Yards ..	10-55	6-60
Punts-Ave.	4-31	2-28
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	3-2

Glendale Blitzes Chestnut Ridge

FISHERTOWN —The Glendale Vikings had their offense in high gear again Saturday, amassing 409 yards to blitz Chestnut Ridge 33-8 for their second win without a loss.

The Vikings scored in every quarter but didn't break it open until they hit the Lions with a three-touchdown salvo in the third period.

Bill Andrews found the end zone twice on passes from Sam Tiesi while Dan Hewitt, Jim Jeffries, Russ Miller and Tiesi reached paydirt on runs. Jeffries scored the only PAT the Vikes converted.

"We moved the football well," Coach John Lloyd said.

"We led only 12-0 at halftime, though, because we made a lot of mistakes in the first half, like three 15-yard penalties. Physical condition was a factor. Our kids were stronger in the second half.

"Over-all, the kids did a real nice job on offense. The line blocked exceptionally well and the backs were picking the holes. Our passing game is improving now that Sam is getting back and releasing the ball quicker."

The defensive unit held the Lions to 38 net yards and five first downs but Lloyd wasn't completely satisfied.

"We still have a good bit of work to do there," he added. "The kids hit real well but we were completely out of position a few times, and we've got to correct that."

Ken Rayhocki's fumble recovery at the CR-15 moments after the opening kickoff set

up the game's first TD, a five-yard run by Hewitt.

In the second period, the Vikings scored in two plays after holding on downs at their own 44. Tiesi and Andrews teamed up on a 49-yard pass and Jeffries plowed the last seven yards.

Glendale received the second half kickoff and marched 65 yards in seven plays for another score, Miller accounting for the final 17.

An interception by Jack Kimberly in Lion territory gave the Vikings another opportunity and they capitalized when Tiesi hit Andrews with a 25-yard payoff pass.

Tiesi came up with an interception on Chestnut Ridge's next series and then capped a seven-play, 35-yard thrust by going in from three yards out. Jeffries ran for the PAT, and the Vikes led 32-0.

Both teams scored in the fourth quarter. Chestnut Ridge on a streak by quarterback Kevin House, followed by Rod Corle's PAT run and Glendale on a 38-yard pass play from Tiesi to Andrews.

The Viking ground attack, which produced 307 yards, was led by Hewitt's 72 yards in 13 carries, Miller's 55 in 11 and Jeffries 48 in seven.

Glendale is scheduled to play Claysburg - Kimmel at Claysburg Saturday but that game is pending because of a teachers' strike at the Blair County School.

GLENDALE

Ends—Andrews, Wilson
Tackles—Tim Gares, C. Troxell

Guards—Kutruff, Kauffman
Center—Hughes
Backs—Tiesi, Miller, Hewitt, Jeffries
Subs—J. Kimberly, Lucas, J. Laing, Reynolds, Kutzo, M. Rickard, Vignone, Rayhocki, Popyack, Smeal, Carns, Parks, Beers, Twigg, Tom Gates, S. Laing, Miles Peno, Noel, Bloom, Lender, Braniff, Lightner, Gray, R. Kimberly, B. Rickard

CHESTNUT RIDGE

Ends—Morgart, Weyant
Tackles—Lambert, Gates
Guards—Speicher, Four
Center—T. Corle
Backs—House, R. Corle, Coolbaugh, Showalter
Subs—Barefoot, Ritchey, Dave Webb, Yarnell, Habnyak, Myers, C. Corle, Way, Sell, Feaster, Duane Webb, Noel

Score by Quarters:

Glendale . . . 6 6 20 6—38
Chestnut Ridge . . . 0 0 0 8—8

Glendale TD: Andrews 2 (25, 28-yd. pass runs from Tiesi); Hewitt (5-yd. run); Jeffries (7-yd. run); Miller (17-yd. run); Tiesi (3-yd. run) PAT: Jeffries (Rush).

Chestnut Ridge TD: House (1-yd. plunge), PAT: R. Corle (Rush).

STATISTICS

	GL	CR
First Downs Rushing . . .	12	4
First Downs Passing . . .	2	0
First Downs Penalties . . .	0	1
Net Rushing Yardage . . .	307	53
Passes Com.-Att.	5-7	0-3
Passes Intercepted By . . .	3	0
Passing Yardage	100	0
Penalties—Yds.	8-66	3-21
Punts—Ave.	1-30	4-40
Fumbles—Lost	6-3	2-2

September 23, 1972: Glendale 2 at Claysburg 0 (Forfeit)

September 23, 1972: Glendale 6 at Curwensville 22

By FRANK ROESSNER
Progress Sports Writer

CURWENSVILLE — No, David did not knock off Goliath on Saturday night.

But I'll tell you this: Goliath sure knew he'd been in a scrap when it was all over. Little 'ol David dished out a few bumps and bruises before surrendering. Yessir, it was a dandy contest.

Goliath (Curwensville, to you non-Biblical types) played perhaps its finest game of the young season thanks to the brilliant pass-catch combination of Todd Wise and John Fleming and posted a 22-6 victory over scrappy, bantling, never-say-die David (Glendale).

Both teams were winners via forfeit going into the game due to teaching strikes at the schools they were to oppose, and now they possess identical 3-1 logs. The two squads were much better playing the game than they would have been just sitting around over the weekend.

Glendale, in recent years a team that has utterly dominated the grid scene among its peers, took a step up in competition to face the Golden Tide. The Vikings didn't win, but they certainly had nothing to be ashamed of. Two key plays which the veteran Tide team used to maneuver for 14 points in the first half made the real difference as Glendale came on in the second half to match, and at times outplay, the hosts.

In the end, though, Curwensville's overall depth and poise made the difference. Coach Bob Buriak's faith in his passing attack has never wavered, and after Saturday's showing by Wise, it probably never will.

The senior field general was amazingly accurate, completing 11 of 13 flings for 107 yards. One pass was dropped and the

other was broken up by a brilliant defensive play.

As superb as Wise was, would you believe that Fleming caught all 11 of those passes? He did. Some of them were real beauts, too.

To keep a passing lane open, you must be able to run the ball. Curwensville went into the game at somewhat less than full strength as haliback Gordie Bloom was nursing injury, so that left the bulk of the carrying chores to Paul Peters. All he did was hammer out 51 yards on 21 carries against the hard-hitting Viking defense.

Glendale's balanced backfield, which started finding daylight in the second half, piled up 142 yards rushing. Dan Hewitt was tops with 61 yards on 19 carries while Sam Tiesi showed 27, Jim Jeffries 26 and Russ Miller 25; the latter three all carrying seven times.

Perhaps the key play of the game occurred on the opening kick, which was fielded by Jerry Guiber, a lineman. He turned and pitched it to Wise at the 20, and by the time the Vikings corralled him, he was at the Glendale 39. That was a 41-yard return.

Eight plays later, it was 6-0 when Wise's first pass fell into Fleming's hands for a seven-yard TD play. A 10-yard run by Bloom sparked the drive. Wise fired to Randy Stewart for the two-point conversion and Glendale was eight points down with 7:29 showing.

With the exception of five plays, the next four series were played well within Curwensville territory as the Vikings took the game to the Tide. As the second quarter proceeded, Curwensville got its second key play when linebacker Peters picked off a desperation pass by Tiesi at the midfield stripe and returned to the G-43.

Wise found Fleming for 21 yards, Peters got three, and Wise's next zinger was turned into a first down at the one

by Fleming's diving catch. Peters blasted through the right side to make it 14-0 with 4:46 to go.

Normally, teams of Glendale's size playing schools of Curwensville's size are ready to board the bus when it's 14-0. Not the Vikings.

Glendale put together a masterful drive from its own 39 all the way to the C-16 before a fumble aborted the attack. One thing that hurt before the fumble, though, was a sharp 19-yard run by Tiesi to the Curwensville 14 which was nullified by a penalty. At any rate, the Vikings were close enough that the Tide coaches were raising their voices.

The fumble ruined the drive, and Curwensville was content to let the clock tick away until the intermission.

The Vikes picked up where they left off when they accepted the second half kick. A nice return by Frank Peno got Glendale out to its own 40, and from there it took 10 plays. First, a 20-yard run by Jeffries was nullified and then the Vikes advanced on a pass interference call.

Hewitt ripped off 15 yards after Miller had dashed 13 as the Viking wall ruptured Curwensville's middle, and finally Jeffries bucked across from three yards away. On the crucial PAT attempt, one official signaled good but the others didn't. Glendale got just the original six points.

The fans were up in their seats by now, though, and watched as Curwensville came back with a long march to the G-27. On fourth and 12 there, though, Wise's pass to Fleming was broken up thanks to a superb effort by Jeff Parks.

Glendale marched to the Tide 37 and gave up the ball on downs. That's when the Tide came on to put the game out of reach.

Starting at that point as the fourth quarter began, the hosts went all the way in a superlative 15-play offensive

that ate up nearly eight minutes.

Three passes to Fleming and the running of Peters keyed the thrust, which was capped by Wise's six-yard swing pass to Fleming. Peters charged for the two points to set the final count with 4:48 left.

Glendale did nothing on the next series, but got the ball one last time on an interception. The Vikings managed to squeeze off three plays before the gun sounded.

Both coaches were pleased with the outcome. Buriak said, "I thought our three scoring drives were real good. They stopped Stewart, so we went to Fleming. Both he and Todd were real sharp. Overall I thought the kids played a good ballgame."

"Defensively, Steve Riddle played well and of course Stewart has been tough at end in all three games. Paul Peters did a nice job of running and also playing at linebacker. Lance Bressler is really coming as a linebacker, too."

"Glendale hustled and did a nice job."

As for Viking tutor John Lloyd, he commented, "I think we'll be a better football team for playing the game. I felt we made a lot of mistakes, but now's as good a time as any to make them, so that you can find them and correct them before it's too late."

Concerning the Glendale comeback in the second half, Lloyd offered, "I was real proud of the kids for the way they played in the second half. The trademark of any good team is being able to come back after being down, and these kids gave it a good try. They're a fine group and a good team."

"We're still not playing good defense. We looked poor at times out there and I don't feel we're reading or reacting the way we should be. We did hit 'em hard, though, and that's a good sign."

"As I said, if we can correct these mistakes now, we can

have another fine season. I'm quite sure the kids believe in themselves, and I think we gained a lot even though we lost."

Goliath goes after Cambria Heights next week. David will get to play Goliath at home against Backlick Valley.

GLENDALE

Ends—Wilson, Andrews
Tackles—Gates, Krug
Guards—Kuttruff, Hughes
Center—Marano
Backs—Tiesi, Hewitt, Miller, Jeffries
Subs—J. Laing, Parks, Vigue, Penn, G. Troxell, C. Troxell, Carns, Slovikosky, J. Kimberly, R. Kimberly, Rickard, Lucas, Belgin, Kauffman, Hullihen, Rachoeki

CURWENSVILLE

Ends—Stewart, Maney
Tackles—Riddle, Hess
Guards—Bressler, Milliron
Center—Curry
Backs—Wise, Fleming, Bloom, Peters
Subs—Evaoko, Bohn, Eshelman, Matthews, Errigo, Radzieta, Wiggins, Hixon, Reid, R. Guisher, Carfley, Berger, J. Guisher, Kephart, Koval, Shaw, Gates, Sopic

Score by Quarters:

Glendale	0	0	6	0	6
Curwensville	8	6	0	8	22

Glendale TD: Jeffries (3-yd. run).

Curwensville TD: Fleming 2 (7-yd, 6-yd. passes from Wise); Peters (1-yd. plunge). PAT: Stewart (Pass from Wise), Peters (Rush).

STATISTICS

	G	C
First Downs Rushing ..	6	9
First Downs Passing ..	3	4
First Downs Penalties ..	2	0
Yards Gained Rushing	148	134
Yards Lost Rushing ...	6	8
Net Rushing Yardage	142	126
Passes Att.-Com. ...	11-4	14-11
Passes Intercepted By ..	2	1
Passing Yardage	46	107
Penalties—Yds.	5-41	4-30
Punts—Ave.	2-29	2-34
Fumbles—Lost	2-1	1-0

Russ Miller Runs 98 Yards for TD . . .

Glendale Drubs Blacklick 34-6

By FRED KAVELAK
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FLINTON — Playing before the home folks must really be a source of inspiration for the Glendale grid teams.

The Vikings, who haven't lost a home game in five seasons, put on quite a show Saturday in drubbing Blacklick Valley 34-6 for their fourth win against one loss.

Touchdown runs of 98 yards by Russ Miller and 51 yards by reserve quarterback Scott Laing were the big gamers as Coach John Lloyd's team piled up 412 yards, 336 of them on the ground.

Quarterback Sam Tiesi, who had a field day on defense with three interceptions, scored twice on one-yard sneaks and Dan Hewitt added the other TD on a two-yarder. Tiesi passed to Miller for the PAT following the first and second touchdowns.

Miller's jump, probably the longest run from scrimmage ever by an area player, was a beautifully-executed play.

The Vikings caught Blacklick in a Gap 8 defense and blocked perfectly to spring Miller, who was in the clear at the 10. He had one defender to outrun, but outside end Bill Andrews raced downfield to wipe him out at the Blacklick 15. It was a great effort by Andrews, whose blocking all day impressed the coaches.

Not too long ago, the Gap 8 would have really befuddled the Vikings. "It used to bother us all the time," Lloyd explained.

"We've worked awfully hard against it and now the kids enjoy blocking against it. We have a call block when they spies that defense and he made a real good call."

The outcome already had been decided by the time Miller stepped into the end zone with 3:18 on the new scoreboard clock, but it was a play to remember.

Glendale completely dominated the first half with 12 first downs to Blacklick's one, but the Vikings didn't crack through to go all the way until the second period.

The visitors had recovered a Glendale fumble at the G-44, but a defensive gem by Andrews on fourth and one stopped them at the 40. Andrews trailed a sweep to the right and caught the ball carrier for a five-yard loss.

The Vikings then marched 60 yards in eight plays, the big ones a 35-yard keeper by Tiesi after he found his pass receivers covered and then a 13-yard pass from Tiesi to Miller that put the ball on the one. Tiesi went over on the next play. He passed to Miller for the PAT and an 80 lead with 9:56 to go in the half.

Late in the quarter, Miller returned a Blacklick punt eight yards to midfield. In eight plays, the Vikings reached the end zone. Tiesi hit Andrews for nine yards and Miller for 21 before sneaking across from the one. His PAT pass to Miller made it 16-0 with the

scoreboard blanking 16 seconds left in the half.

Blacklick looked like a different team at the outset of the third quarter, taking the kickoff and parading 78 yards in 15 plays for its lone touchdown. The losers moved the sticks five times in the drive that was capped by a one-yard pass from Vince LaMantia to Bernie Marines. The fourth down play came with 5:56 gone in the half. The PAT pass fell incomplete.

The Vikings didn't fold, however. They came right back with a seven-play, 34-yard thrust highlighted by Tiesi's 19-yard pass to Andrews, who made a tremendous catch on the fourth down play. He carried to the two, and Hewitt cracked over right tackle to score standing up with 2:53 remaining in the period. The PAT pass was no good, and the hosts led 22-6.

Miller's long TD run came on second down after linebacker Don Krug had made a diving interception of a deflected Blacklick pass. The alert play by Krug snuffed out the visitors' last hope. Laing attempted to boot the PAT, but it was blocked.

On Blacklick's next scrimmage play, Tiesi slipped trying to cover the receiver but got back up in time to make his third interception at the G-42.

Lloyd inserted his reserves, and Laing completely baffled the Blacklick defense on his third down bootleg around right end. Once he turned the corner,

only white stripes were ahead and he showed good speed in stepping off the 51 yards. His PAT placement was blocked again, but it didn't matter.

"The kids did a good job again," Lloyd said. "We had decent ball control with some good drives."

"Our defense is starting to come, too. The kids are doing a much better job of getting in the right position. They always hit hard. Our ends got caught inside a few times but, overall, everybody reacted very well. I was pleased with the secondary especially Sam. He's really coming of age, both as a quarterback and a defensive back."

"He's starting to realize when it's important to tuck the ball and run and not to throw. He made a key decision like that in our first touchdown drive."

"All our backs gave us a good effort, though, and the blocking was good."

Miller stole rushing honors from Jim Jeffries with his 98-yarder. He had carried only four times previously, finishing with 100 net yards. Jeffries had 67 yards in 17 trips and Hewitt had 56 in 18 carries. Miller caught three aerials for 26 yards, Andrews two for 10.

The Vikes travel to Huntingdon Saturday to play Juniata Valley.

BLACKLICK VALLEY
Ends—Marines, Kucchole
Tackles—Marchu, Carney
Guards—Bartoloni, Kelly
Center—Labash
Backs—LaMantia, Pe'aci, J. Schilling, Pytash

Subs—Molato, Streako, Kish, McDermott, Miranda, Olate n. Campbell, Fuller, Prave.
GLENDALE

Ends—Vigne, Andrews
Tackles—Tim Gates, Krug
Guards—Hughes, Kurruff
Center—Marano
Backs—Tiesi, J. Jeffries, Miller, Hewitt

Subs—C Troxell, Carns, J. Kimberly, Reynolds, Huff-ben, Rachoocki, Kitho, Kaufman, J Laing, Lucas, M Rickard, Smeal T. Troxell, Belgin, Tom Gates, Miller, McCulley, Sorklosky, G. Troxel, Twigg, Bloom, Braniff, Gray, Hockenberry, Parks, Popvack, E. Jeffries, R. Kimberly, S Laing, Lender, Lidwell, Lutzner, Matthews, Miles, Noc, Peno, B. Rickard, Smith Williams

Score by Quarters:
Blacklick 0 0 6 0-6
Glendale 0 16 6 12-34
Blacklick TD: Marines (1-yd. pass from LaMantia)
Glendale TD: Tiesi 2 (1-yd. sneaks); Hewitt (2-yd run); Miller (98-yd. run); S Laing (51-yd. run). PAT: Miller 2 (Passes from Tiesi)

STATISTICS

	BV	G
First Downs Rushing	7	11
First Downs Passing	2	4
First Downs Penalties	1	0
Yards Gained Rushing	121	333
Yards Lost Rushing	14	17
Net Rushing Yardage	110	336
Passes Com.-Att.	7-16	5-12
Passes Intercepted By	0	4
Net Yardage Passing	49	76
Penalties—Yards	9	2-25
Punts—Yards	331	3-35
Fumbles—Lost	3-0	2-1

Glendale Held to 6-6 Tie

HUNTINGDON — Four turnovers stymied the Glendale offense and the Vikings had to settle for a 6-6 deadlock with Juniata Valley Saturday night at War Vets Memorial Field.

"We were able to move the football but we just couldn't punch it in," said a disappointed Coach John Lloyd. "We lost one fumble and had three passes intercepted.

"It was just one of those nights, I guess."

The tie sets the Vikings' record at 4-1-1 for Saturday afternoon's Homecoming clash against West Branch, the de-

fending Progress Bowl champion.

Defensively, the Vikings did another great job. They held the Green Hornets to 107 total yards and four first downs.

"They got inside our 30 only once and that was when they scored," Lloyd added. "They switched quarterbacks on us replacing their regular boy with one who is much bigger, but we played excellent defense.

"It was a hard-hitting game."

Glendale scored in lightning-like fashion in the second quarter. Setting up at their 26 following a Hornet punt, the Vikings

sprung quarterback Sam Tiesi on a rollout and the slender senior rambled 69 yards to the JV-5. A penalty moved the ball back to the 10, but Jim Jeffries rammed to the one and Tiesi scored on a sneak. The PAT pass fell incomplete.

Juniata Valley got even in the third period with a 53-yard push. Halfback Dan Snare, taking over as the workhorse with fullback Ray Scott out with an injury, carried five times and broke off a 29-yard jaunt for the score. The Hornets tried to run for the PAT but the Viking defense held.

Glendale came up with one Hornet fumble while Jack Kimberly and Jim Lang picked off a pair of passes.

GLENDALE

Ends—Andrew Wilson
Tackles—Tim Gates, Krug
Guards—Hughes, Kurral
Center—Marano
Backs—Tiesi, Hewitt, R. M. Jeffries
Subs—Parks, Popyack, C. Troxell, J. Kimberly, J. Laine, Kaufman, Reynolds, S. Laing, M. Rickard, Carns, R. Kimberly, Hockenberry, Twigg, Rabocki, P. Miller, Tom Gates, Smeal, Koko,

Lucas, Hullihen, Slovkosky, B. Rickard, Lightner, Pano
JUNIATA VALLEY

Ends—Noel, Smith
Tackles—S. Isenberg, Kurtz
Guards—Brooks, Hawn
Center—Wisor
Backs—M. Ross, Snare, Isett, Anders
Subs—Everhart, Ayers, Grove, Boyd, Whitaker, Kevin Ross, Carr, G. Isenberg, Kurt Ross

Score by Quarters:
Glendale 0 6 0 0—6
Juniata Valley ... 0 0 6 0—6
Glen — Tiesi, 1 sneak (pass failed)
JV — Snare, 29 run (run failed)

October 14, 1972: West Branch 14 at Glendale 15

Laing's Field Goal Lifts Vikes Past Warriors

By FRANK ROESSNER

Progress Sports Writer

FLINTON — Football games don't come any better than Saturday's battle between Glendale and West Branch.

For sheer drama, excitement and individual brilliance, you'd have to wait a long time to see another one like it. The words to describe the action are hard to come by, and most of them are superlatives.

Glendale, three years ago the victim of a last - ditch field goal by West Branch, used the same weapon on Saturday to pull out a 15-14 heart - stopper before a late afternoon crowd. Sophomore Scott Laing became the day's final hero when he booted the ball squarely through the uprights from 13 yards out with just 14 seconds to go.

Even with the pandemonium which reigned on the Glendale bench when the final seconds ticked away, the Vikings players hurried to catch up to Jerry White. They wanted to shake his hand. They had the reasons, and most of them had to do with respect.

The Warrior senior turned in one of the most brilliant individual efforts ever seen on a local field as he carried the ball 46 times against the hard - hitting, gang - tackling Glendale defense for a total of 217 yards. He couldn't do it alone, naturally, and thus a good load of the credit must go to the West Branch offensive line for making daylight.

Still, everyone in the place knew who'd be carrying the ball. The Viking defenders knew it, and they dished out everything they could in the way of honest but hard hits. White never quit.

Early in the fourth quarter, with Glendale holding a 12-8 lead, West Branch took over at its own 14. With 86 yards to go, the Warrior hopes rested

on a sustained drive against a defensive unit which is well-known for its ability to stop the run.

West Branch used 18 plays to reach paydirt. White carried on 13 of them, despite the fact that the Vikings were anticipating him, and finally scored from the one with 1:45 left. On the PAT try, a pass fell incomplete. The two points proved most crucial.

West Branch kicked short, giving Glendale the ball at its own 38. Quarterback Sam Tiesi's first two passes fell incomplete, but the third one started Bill Wilson for 100 yards. Tiesi ran a keeper for the first down.

Tiesi hit Andrews for seven yards and then connected with him again for 20 on a play which White — yes, he also played defense — nearly broke up. Tiesi then found Bill Wilson open in the middle for a 15 - yard gain to the WB-6. With no time outs left, Viking mentor Joan Lloyd had Laing kick on first down. You know the result.

The fourth quarter thus was the most exciting, but the other three weren't bad.

West Branch's game plan was displayed early. On their first series the Warriors paraded 61 yards in nine plays for the first TD. White did most of the work, of course, and swept the right side for the score from 16 yards out. He also carried for the PAT to make it 8-0.

Glendale didn't get untracked until the second period. A first quarter drive had been thwarted when White (who else?) intercepted a pass. The Vikings finally did get rolling, though, and went 69 yards in nine plays. The capper was a 16 - yard pass from Tiesi to Russ Miller with 28 seconds left in the half. A run for the two points failed.

West Branch opened the second half by driving from its

own 34 to the G-41 before disaster — and Jack Carns — struck.

Jack Bunyak went back to pass, was hit from behind by the hard - charging Carns and fumbled. Glendale's Toby Hughes scooped up the ball at the West Branch 45 - yard line and went all the way untouched for the 20 - ahead touchdown with 8:57 showing. A PAT pass failed, but the Vikings were on top.

The ball changed hands three times as the game wore into the fourth quarter until West Branch dug in on a fine Glendale drive to take over on the 14 when Ranty Conahan recovered a fourth - down fumble. That's when the Warriors put together their string drive.

"I think it's one of the most exciting things that's ever happened here," said Lloyd. "It was almost a complete reversal of what happened over there a couple of years ago. You get to know the emotional feeling from both sides, and I can tell you this side is nicer. That was some ballgame. It was everything anyone could expect. Both teams played with everything they had."

He continued, "We expected Jerry White to be good. He was everything we expected plus a whole lot more. And those kids did a nice job blocking for him."

"I thought overall our kids did a good job defensively. White's an outstanding runner and we didn't always stop him, but we held him down to the point where we could still come back and win the game."

"We've got to give our kids a tremendous amount of credit for coming back like that, for keeping their poise and moving the ball the way they did on that last series. They just don't believe they're going to lose and they never quit. As for Scott, well, he kept his head

down and made a nice kick. He had trouble earlier in the year because he wanted to lift his head to see where the ball was going, but he overcame that."

Lloyd pointed out that the victory clinched a winning season — the fourth in a row for Glendale. The Vikings are now 3-1-2 and also are in good shape to win The Progress Bow. They need only to defeat Moshannon Valley to earn it. The award currently resides in the West Branch trophy case.

West Branch's loss was the sixth in a row — and the toughest to accept. White and his teammates shouldn't hang their heads, however, because they certainly played well enough to win.

Warrior skipper Jack Bailey noted, "Our game plan worked on offense. We brought John Dobo in to get some extra blocking and that allowed us to use some extra plays inside."

"It was just a tremendous effort on Jerry's part and probably the best job our offensive line did all year. The kids up front were coming off the ball and doing some real fine blocking."

"That last drive was a tremendous team effort. The guys made the holes and Jerry and Jim Benton hit them the way they were supposed to. Everyone knew Jerry was coming and they still couldn't stop him. He's full of desire."

"You can't take anything away from Glendale, though. They had to come up with it late in the game and they came right back to get it. It's a case of knowing you can do it, that you can come up with the big plays, and that comes from winning. It's something that our kids lack right now although they also came up with the big drive when they were down."

"We were ready to play football. Now we'll have to start

all over again."

The Warriors play host to Juniata Valley on Friday night when the Vikings will travel to Purchase Line.

Depending on which side the fans favored on Saturday, they could have felt elated or saddened by the outcome. In either case, it was a game they won't forget.

WEST BRANCH

Ends—Hummel, Rasdorf
Tackles—Nelson, Folmar
Guards—McDowell, Cartwright
Center—J. Zelenky
Backs—Bunyak, White, Dobo, Benton
Subs—Pilot, Kova'can, Conklin, Roos, Wesesky, Marinco, Fye, Hubler, Carlson, Carr

GLENDALE

Ends—Wilson, Andrews
Tackles—Tim Gates, Krug
Guards—Hughes, Kutruff
Center—Marano
Backs—Tesi, Hewitt, Miller, Jeffries
Subs—Vince C. Troxel, Kauffman, J. Kimberly, Reynolds, T. Troxel, Carns, Taigs, Laing, Miles, Franks

Score by Quarters:

West Branch 8 0 0 6—14

Glendale 0 6 6 3—15

WB — White, 15 run (White run)

G—Miller, 16 pass from Tesi (run failed)

G—Hughes, 45 with fumble (pass failed)

WB—White, 1 run (pass failed)

G—Laing, 23 field goal

STATISTICS

	WB	G
First Downs Rushing	14	11
First Downs Passing	2	2
First Downs Penalties	1	0
Yards Gained Rushing	251	231
Yards Lost Rushing	3	9
Net Rushing Yardage	248	222
Passes Att.-Comp.	4-1	14-6
Passes Intercepted By	1	1
Passing Yardage	11	88
Penalties—Yards	1-5	3-29
Punts—Average	2-34	1-35
Fumbles—Lost	2-1	1-1



THE CLINCHER — Glendale's Scott Laing, partially hidden behind a pair of linemen, gets off a 23-yard field goal as the ball (arrow) starts rising. The two players looking on are Viking Tom Wilson (81) and West Branch's Fred Rasdorf.

October 20, 1972: Glendale 20 at Purchase Line 0

Tiesi Stars as Vikings Blank Crippled Dragons

By FRANK ROESSNER
Progress Sports Writer

PURCHASE LINE — Two things you should never do when playing against Glendale are A) give away the ball on turnovers and B) take the field at anything less than full strength.

Purchase Line did 'em both last night.

Glendale smiled, said, "Thanks for the turnovers; sorry to hear about your injuries; see you later, boys." Then the Vikings went home with a 20-0 victory, their sixth of the season.

Quarterback Sam Tiesi, continuing to shine in his first and last year at the offensive helm, ran for one touchdown and threw to Bill Andrews for the other two and made his night complete by running for the only successful conversion. The Viking field general is a good one.

As for the Dragons, now 3-2, things are looking rather bleak. They still must face rivals Homer - Center and United, but will do it with 50 per cent of the backfield missing.

Three-year quarterback Terry Lundberg and dependable halfback Ernie Lee both were missing last night against the Vikings and will be sidelined for the remainder of the year. Lundberg is hospitalized with pelvic separation while Lee is sidelined by a knee injury.

Without those two, the Dragons simply were no match for the Vikings. To his credit, back-up quarterback Dana Neely played extremely well

under pressure, but no team can lose a Lundberg and play up to snuff. Take Tiesi away from Glendale, for instance, and see what happens.

Not to say that the Dragons would have won with Lundberg and Lee in action, though for the Vikings were in peak form. They put together a fine effort both ways, causing most of the game to be played well inside Purchase Line territory.

The Dragons coughed up the ball four times, three on fumbles and once on an interception, and only a very performance by the Purchase Line defense kept the score respectable. Actually, the Vikings put together only one real scoring drive. The other two scores were made easy by Dragon misplays.

Purchase Line accepted the opening kick and moved upfield but lost the ball on a fumble at its own 35. Jim Laing recovered for the visitors. The Vikings went on for the score in 16 plays as Tiesi, finding his receivers cornered, tucked the ball and ran the final three yards. The score came with six minutes left in the quarter, but Tiesi was stopped short on the PAT try.

That was all the scoring for the half, although Glendale mustered a second-quarter drive to the PL-20 which ended when Randy Smay intercepted a Tiesi pass in the end zone.

Time after time, the Dragons tried to spring fullback Randy Bue, but the big fella couldn't do it on his own against the swarming Glendale defense. After looking at West Branch's Jerry White, the Viking defenders were alert to the inside

charges and outside pitches and covered both of them well.

Glendale put the game on ice in the third act with a pair of scores. An outside kick try by the Dragons opened the field and gave the Vikings the ball at their own 45. They covered the 55 yards in nine plays as Tiesi found Andrews for the final 15 yards with 8:31 left. Tiesi ran wide for the two points to make it 14-0.

Moments later, Glendale linebacker Jack Kimberly picked off a Neely pass at the PL-33 and returned it to the 27. The offense took over and went on for the final six points in five plays.

The capper came with just five seconds left in the period when Tiesi again spotted Andrews and hit him with an 11-yard strike.

Purchase Line's deepest penetration was to the G-56 late in the game.

Even with Tiesi and Andrews doing all of the scoring, Glendale's offensive star was Dan Hewitt. The dynamic halfback carried 25 times for 109 yards. In all, the Vikes showed 195 yards overall and 72 through the air.

Blue managed 67 yards on 21 carries for the 10-er.

The game was a good one for Glendale from the standpoint that they face Williamsburg next week. The Blue Pirates are only 3-2-1 for today's game against Blacklick Valley, but defeated Juniata Valley 34-7 and Southern Huntingdon 34-18 while trying Bellwood - Antis 16-16 and losing to Contra' by a 32-23 score. They've played well and will be primed for an upset bid

against the Vikings

GLENDALE

Ends — Wilson, Andrews
Tackles — Tim Gates, C. Troxell
Guards — Hughes, Kutruff
Center — Marano
Backs — Tiesi, Hewitt, Miller, Jeffries
Subs — Kaufman, Krook, J. Laing, S. Laing, Lucas, Reynolds, Smeal, Carns, Terry, Bloom, Tom Gates, Williams, Rachoeki Hockenberry, B. Rickard, Penn, Smith, Poryack, Parke Krug, Hulthen, J. Kimberly, R. Kimberly

PURCHASE LINE

Ends — Baumgardner, M. Miller
Tackles — Lewis, Belford
Guards — Ron Marusa, Love
Center — B. Miller
Backs — Neely, Hayward, Kester, Blue
Subs — Ron Marusa, Pittman, Smay, Smith, Green, R. Reighard, B. Reighard, Stotz

Glendale	6	0	11	0	—20
Purchase Line	0	0	0	0	—0
GI — Laing	3	run	run	failed,	
GI — Andrews	15	pass	from		
TE — Tiesi	run,				
GI — Andrews	11	pass	from		
TE — Tiesi	pass	failed,			

STATISTICS

	G	PL
First Downs Rushing	11	3
First Downs Passing	1	2
First Downs Penalties	0	1
Yards Gained Rushing	198	98
Yards Lost Rushing	32	19
Net Rushing Yardage	166	79
Passes Att-Comp.	7-4	7-3
Passes Intercepted By	1	1
Passing Yardage	73	37
Penalties-Yards	6-75	4-30
Punts-Average	3-25	2-33
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	3-3

October 28, 1972: Williamsburg 6 at Glendale 16

Glendale Stops Williamsburg 18-6, Cops Title

By FRED KAVELAK
Progress Sports Editor

FLINTON — Glendale's Vikings had three mighty good reasons for beating Williamsburg Saturday, so the Blue Pirates' chances of a successful trip were reduced to almost nothing.

Anyone who has followed Coach John Lloyd's teams in recent seasons knows the Vikings seldom fail to accomplish what they set out to do.

On Saturday, they were (1) shooting for the school's third Inter-County Conference Group B championship in the last four years, (2) protecting a home field victory string that dates back to the 1963 campaign and (3) atoning once again for a 72-0 loss inflicted a few years back when everybody was pouring it on the Vikings.

With Jim Jeffries scoring two touchdowns and Sam Tiesi the other, the Vikings triumphed 18-6 and boosted their record to 7-1-1.

However, most of Lloyd's accolades were directed at the defensive unit that was brilliant against a team that has held its own with powers like Central and Northern Bedford.

The Blue Pirates, now 4-3-1, discovered early that their only hope of moving the pigskin was through the air. Fortunately, they are a good passing club and Roger Royer hit eight of 14 passes for 139 yards and the lone touchdown.

The ground game that did so well against other teams

was stopped cold by the inspired Viking defenders. Royer was trapped behind the line of scrimmage eight times, and the Pirates wound up with a minus 22 yards rushing.

"This was our best defensive game of the year," Lloyd said. "Let's face it, Williamsburg is a good team. They moved the ball well on the ground in games we saw, and we told our inside kids they had to do the job for us to win.

The inside people — Tim Gates, Toby Hughes, Frank Lucas, Ron Kaufman, Pat Kuttruff — threw up an impregnable defense that left big fullback Bob Gates pounding the turf more than once.

When Royer went back to pass he knew there would be pressure coming from the outside as Viking ends Jack Carns and Tom Wilson continually were draping themselves over him before, during or immediately after he threw.

"By the same token, our secondary did a pretty good job," Lloyd added. "And I think our outside linebackers, Jack Kinberly and Chuck Troxell, did a heck of a job."

The Viking offense had to take a back seat to the defense on this day despite moving the ball 265 yards. The ground game was very well balanced as Jeffries gained 55 yards in just nine trips, Dan Hewitt had 49 in 12, Tiesi 57 in 23 and Miller 33 in six.

Glendale threatened with a long march the first time it had possession but, after a first- and - 10 at the W-44, surrendered the ball at the 16.

Wilson sacked Royer for a 12-yard loss to the one, forcing Mike Lilly to punt from the end zone, and the Vikings had great field possession at the 26, only to fumble the ball away on first down.

Late in the half, the Vikings put it all together offensively and just managed to beat the clock on a 13-play, 59-yard thrust. On third- and - long at the 22, Tiesi fired a strike to reliable Bill Andrews for 21 yards and then, with one second remaining, plunged the last yard.

Williamsburg was on the verge of putting the tying TD on the board early in the third period when Troxell tipped a Royer pass over the middle and punted it off at the G-15.

The Vikings then paraded 85 yards in 11 plays for their second TD. A Tiesi-to-Andrews pass for 44 yards got them out of the hole and the entire backfield had a hand in grinding out the remaining 41 yards. Jeffries skirted right end from the three on the first play of the fourth quarter to make it a 12-0 game.

Williamsburg didn't quit. The Pirates parlayed the third of four Viking turnovers into their touchdown when Lilly grabbed a Royer pass and sprinted 25 yards to cap a 52-yard play with 6:49 left.

The Blue Pirates got a tremendous opportunity to send the Vikings down the plank when another Glendale fumble

was recovered by Gates at the G-27.

It was Glendale's turn to be on the receiving end of a big break when a pass good for 25 yards to the two was nullified by backfield-in-motion, and Scotty Laing then brought the Viking fans to their feet with an interception that he returned 22 yards to the G-42.

After a short pickup by Hewitt and a personal foul penalty against the Pirates moved the ball to the W-44, Jeffries locked up the victory with a great run to paydirt. He broke three tackles before getting to the right side line and then just ran away from the punt. Laing's kick on the PAT was a dud, but the 18-6 lead was safe with 3:23 to go.

Any hopes the Pirates had were snatched on their next scrimmage play when Royer fumbled and Tim Gates recovered.

"We made our mistakes on offense but when we had to move the ball, we moved it," Lloyd said. "Jeffries really came into his own but that's been the story this year for us. One kid does a tremendous job one game and another does it the next week."

Glendale winds up the 1972 season at home next Saturday against Moshannon Valley and a win will make the Vikings The Progress Bowl champs. That and the 19-game home field win streak should make them hungry again.

WILLIAMSBURG

Ends—Burger, Lilly

Tackles—Lengenotker, Over
Guards—Greaser, Bokhammer
Center—Snyder
Back—Royer, Spate, Kazanise,
Gates

Subs—Forsythe, Traxler,
Feathers, Sayon, Evans, Fort-
te

GLENDALE

Ends—Wilson, Andrews
Tackles—Tim Gates, Krug
Guards—Kaufman, Kuttruff
Center—Murano

Backs—Tiesi, Jeffries, Miller,
Hewitt

Subs—Hughes, Lucas, C. Trox-
ell, Carns, Poppack, Parks,
J. Kinberly, J. Laing,
Rachocki, Tuzig, S. Laing,
Kirk, Reynolds, M. Richard,
Tom Gates, Hockenberry, R.
Kumbery, Penn, B. Richard,
Smith, Williams

Score by Quarters:

Williamsburg	0	0	6	0
Glendale	0	6	0	12-18
G.—Tiesi 1 run (kick failed)				
G.—Jeffries 3 run (pass failed)				
W.—Lilly 52 pass-run from Royer (kick failed)				
G.—Jeffries 41 run (kick failed)				

STATISTICS

	W	G
First Downs Rushing	6	11
First Downs Passing	6	2
First Downs Penalties	0	1
Yards Gained Rushing	37	223
Yards Lost Rushing	59	41
Net Rushing Yardage	-22	182
Passes Intercepted By	1	2
Passes Att.-Com.	15-9	10-4
Passing Yardage	139	83
Penalties—Yards	5-46	3-34
Punts—Average	2-42	0-0
Fumbles—Lost	3-1	4-3

November 4, 1972: MoValley 6 at Glendale 35

Glendale Beats Mo Valley 35-6 for 8-1-1 Mark Vikings Earn Progress Bowl With Easy Victory

By FRANK ROESSNER
Progress Sports Writer

GLENTON — There may never be another Glendale - Moshannon Valley game like the one played Saturday. We hope.

With the veteran Vikings putting the final touches on another brilliant season and the youthful Black Knights laboring through a winless one, the difference between the two teams was just too great. In perhaps the most one-sided game in the traditional series, Glendale posted an easy 35-6 triumph.

Mo Valley, with seven sophomores on the starting offensive unit, simply couldn't match the experience and talent of the Vikings, who had eight seniors on its starting squad. Glendale took charge early in the game and stayed comfortably in front of the scrappy but outclassed Knights.

Glendale finished the season with a fine 8-1-1 mark and also earned itself The Progress Bowl for 1972. Wins over Mo Valley and West Branch (15-14) enabled the Vikes to claim this paper's annual award for the first time. The only blemishes on the record were a 6-6 tie with Juniata Valley and a 22-6 loss to Curwensville.

That Curwensville game was set up hastily after both teams had received forfeit wins on the third week of the season. Some Glendale fans are of the opinion that the game shouldn't have been played, because it cost the Vikes an unbeaten record. Coach John Lloyd doesn't agree.

"I think that game made us a better football team," said the Viking skipper. "We corrected a lot of our mistakes right after that game, and in my mind, I feel it might have

even taken some of the pressure off the kids."

Prior to Saturday's game, 19 Glendale seniors were introduced to the crowd. In three years of varsity competition, they finished with a 243-1 mark. This year's winning season was the fourth straight at Glendale, and over those four years, Lloyd's teams have produced a 32-4-1 mark. You can't get much better than that.

Moshannon Valley, on the other hand, is going through one of those rebuilding years that you've heard about. Coach Barry Swift's crew is 0-9 for Friday night's home finale against West Branch.

The young Knights, who will get better, are gummy and spirited, but this is just not their year.

After taking the kickoff to open Saturday's game, the Knights muffed a handoff. Tom Wilson was there to recover for Glendale at the MV-11 and the stage was set. Moments later, with 10:17 left, Dan Hewitt slashed through the right side for the touchdown from four yards out. He also carried for the PAT to make it 8-0.

Later in the quarter, after a Mo Valley punt, the Vikings went 53 yards on eight plays for their second score. Quarterback Sam Tiesi, who's under-rated by even a few of the Glendale fans, made the big play when he scrambled for 23 yards and then picked up the TD on a one-yard run. The PAT try failed, but it was 14-0 with 4:21 showing.

Glendale continued its domination through the second act as the defense kept the Knights bottled up in their own territory and the offense kept moving the ball with ease

The Vikings, third scoring drive went 74 yards in 12 plays, including a 21-yard burst by Tiesi and an 11-yard scamper by fullback Jim Jeffries. The capper came when Tiesi connected with end Bill Andrews for the TD from 19 yards away with 3:03 left. Tiesi's conversion throw to Russ Miller was good despite a fine defensive effort by Mo Valley's Sergio Brandao, and it was 22-0.

Lloyd started using offensive substitutes in the third period after the regulars had scored again. Miller did the honors with a one-yard crack to up the tally to 23-0.

Moshannon Valley got on the board in the final act. After John Horgas recovered a fumble at the G-24, Ron Bierlar got the Knights close with a nine-yard run and then quarterback Gunn Morrison connected with end Joe Sabol for the TD with 1:47 left.

Late in the game, the Vikings used a little razz-dazzle to complete the scoring. Tiesi went to Andrews who then lofted a bomb to Miller. The play was good for 58 yards and a touchdown, and Andrews' conversion kick set the final score.

"They beat us about every way you could," noted Swift. "They threw the ball and ran it, they out-booked and out-tackled us, beat us off the line and controlled the line of scrimmage. They just gave us a good whippin'."

"Although we moved the ball a little, they were just a better team than us out there. They just came out on the field and beat us physically."

Lloyd commented, "I thought the kids were ready both mentally and physically for this game. We were very healthy

again, and I think that was one of the keys to our season. We stayed healthy all year long.

"There was a lot riding on this game. The Progress Bowl, of course, was a big factor, along with the fact that we've never lost on this field. It's a rival game too, and that always gets the players fired up. I don't care who you are, but when you've beaten our team the year before as Mo Valley did, that always affects our boys as well."

On the season, Lloyd observed, "This team has improved weekly right from the start. I don't think we ever leveled off, but just kept getting stronger and stronger every week.

"I think this team was well-balanced, both offensively and defensively. We also had good balance between running and throwing the ball. Bill Andrews is as good an end as I saw all year, and no team could afford to double-team him because we could hurt them with the run."

In this writer's opinion, the 1972 Viking team was the best-balanced of any in recent years. True, there were leaders such as Tiesi, Andrews, Wilson, Tim Gates and Don Krug; but there was an abundance of fine talent to go with the leadership.

Lloyd added, "A lot of credit should go to the seniors, who are a fine group. Our young kids played well, too, and should be ready to carry on the example of the older boys.

"I also must say that I have as good a coaching staff as anyone could hope for. These men certainly deserve a lot of the credit for our success."

All in all, another banner year at Glendale.

Ends—Hinchliffe, Sabol
Tackles—J. Horgas, Boulton

Guards—Kasubick, B. Horgas
Center—Baer
Backs—Janocko, Pleskonko, Morrone, Bierlair
Subs—Boyle, Brandao, Wargo, Hawkins, Eckberg, Glass

GLENDALE

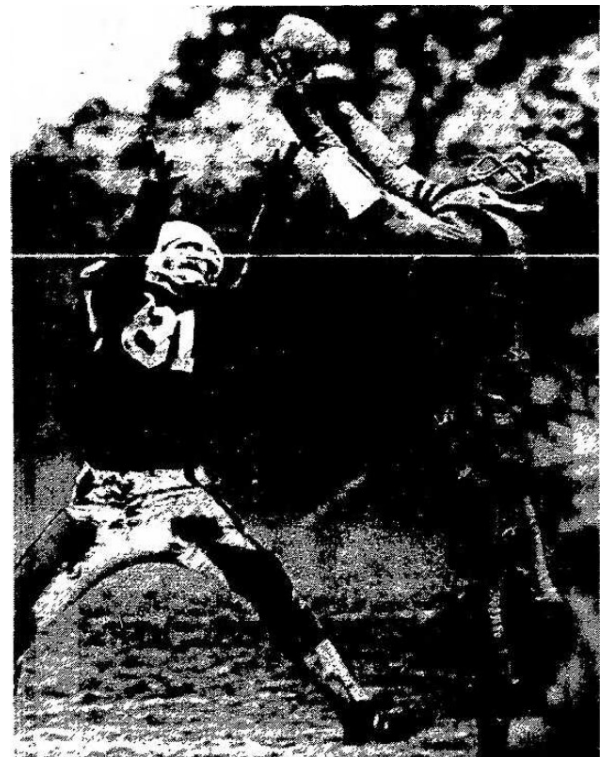
Ends—Wilson, Andrews
Tackles—Tim Gates, Krug
Guards—Kutruuff, Hughes
Center—Marano
Backs—Tiesi, R. Miller, Hewitt, Jeffries
Subs—Vigne, C. Troxell, Parks, Popyack, Kauffman, J. Kimberly, Belgin, Carns, Tom Gates, Hullivan, P. Miller, J. McCulley, Rackocki, Kitko, J. Laing, Lucas, R. Reynolds, M. Rickard, Smeal, T. Troxell, Slovikoski, G. Troxell, Twigg, Bloom, Braniff, Gray, Hockenberry, E. Jeffries, R. Kimberly, S. Laing, E. Lender, Lidwell, Lightner, Matthews, Miles, Noel, Peno, B. Rickard, Smith, Williams

Score by Quarters:

Moshannon Valley . . . 0 0 0 6—6
Glendale . . . 14 8 6 7—35
Gl—Hewitt, 4 run (Hewitt Run)
Gl—Tiesi, 1 run (Run failed)
Gl—Andrews, 19 pass from Tiesi (Miller Pass)
Gl—Miller, 1 run (Run failed)
MV—Sabol, 9 pass from Morrone (Run failed)
Gl—Miller, 58 pass from Andrews (Andrews Kick)

STATISTICS

	MV	G
First Downs Rushing ..	5	8
First Downs Passing . .	1	0
First Downs Penalties	0	1
Yards Gained Rushing	116	195
Yards Lost Rushing ..	4	22
Net Rushing Yardage	112	173
Passes Att.-Com. . . .	8-2	7-4
Passing Yardage . . .	21	102
Passes Intercepted By	1	2
Penalties—Yards . . .	6-60	3-25
Punts—Average	4-26	3-23
Fumbles—Lost	3-2	2-1



INTERCEPTION — Glendale's Sam Tiesi a safety on defense, arrives in time to steal a pass from Mo Valley end Mark Hinchliffe in the third period of Saturday's game. Tiesi and his mates earned a 35-6 win to capture The Progress Bowl and finish the year with a fine 8-1-1 record.



LOOKING FOR DAYLIGHT, Glendale's Jeff Parks gets a block and cuts back as Mo Valley defenders Mark Hinchliffe and Glenn Morrone (14) close in. Parks is the number two Viking quarterback and also plays defense.

Century Rushing Club

The Century Rushing Club greeted its fourteenth and final player for 1972 on Friday night when Clearfield quarterback Greg Shirey rambled for 161 yards on 11 carries.

Shirey and teammate Rod Ricotta, whose 127-yard output against the Golden Tide made him a repeater on the chart, were two of the three players to crack the magic number on the final night of the season. The other was Jerry White of West Branch, who gained 115 yards against Moshannon Valley.

White literally ran away with the top honors among area backs this season. His 244-yard effort against Juniata Valley was tops for a single game and he gained more than 100 yards in seven of the ten contests he participated in this fall.

As for Shirey, his effort against Curwensville enabled him to claim the fifth best single-game performance and also made Clearfield the only area team with an entire backfield in the exclusive club. Halfback Chuck Clark made the list three times, fullback Ricotta twice and halfback Marty Mohney once.

Moshannon Valley halfback Tom Janocko was second to White with four games over the 100-yard mark. Philipsburg-Osceola quarterback Paul Guillard and Purchase Line fullback Randy Blue each showed three 100-yard games while Purchase Line's Ernie Lee had two.

Others who made the honor roll this season were Ron Bierlair of Moshannon Valley, Joe Good of P-O, Dan Hewitt and Russ Miller of Glendale and Paul Peters of Curwensville.

In all, the century mark was broken 31 times by the 14 players. They gained a total of 4,022 yards on 593 carries, an average of 6.8 per carry. Miller had the best average of the year, gaining 101 yards against Blacklick on just five carries.

Player, Team	Opp.	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net
Jerry White, WB	Juniata Valley	30	244	0	244
Jerry White, WB	Glendale	46	218	1	217
Paul Guillard, P-O	Curwensville	12	199	2	197
Jerry White, WB	Bucktail	18	171	0	171
Greg Shirey, Cl.	Curwensville	11	161	0	161
Jerry White, WB	Curwensville	30	149	0	149
Marty Mohney, Cl.	P-O	15	146	0	146
Ernie Lee, Pl.	West Branch	23	141	1	140
Ron Bierlair, MV	Bellwood-Antis	9	143	4	139
Joe Good, P-O	Tyrone	24	136	5	131
Rod Ricotta, Cl.	Curwensville	18	127	0	127
Dan Hewitt, G	Purchase Line	25	128	5	123
Rod Ricotta, Cl.	Bellefonte	17	121	0	121
Chuck Clark, Cl.	P-O	26	121	1	120
Randy Blue, Pl.	Ferndale	12	118	0	118
Chuck Clark, Cl.	Jersey Shore	16	121	3	118
Jerry White, WB	Bald Eagle Area	31	127	11	116
Jerry White, WB	Mo Valley	33	115	0	115
Tom Janocko, MV	Bucktail	15	120	8	112
Chuck Clark, Cl.	Punxsutawney	16	115	3	112
Paul Guillard, P-O	Tyrone	17	128	18	110
Tom Janocko, MV	Blacklick	17	107	0	107
Jerry White, WB	Purchase Line	19	107	0	107
Randy Blue, Pl.	Laurel Valley	20	106	0	106
Randy Blue, Pl.	Blacklick	22	105	0	105
Tom Janocko, MV	Bellwood-Antis	10	112	8	104
Paul Guillard, P-O	West Branch	12	113	10	103
Russ Miller, G	Blacklick	5	102	1	101
Ernie Lee, Pl.	Saltsburg	10	101	0	101
Tom Janocko, MV	Johnsonburg	15	101	0	101
Paul Peters, Cur.	Mount Union	19	103	3	100

Jerry White of West Branch had the kind of season every football player dreams about.

The senior-halfback carried the ball 258 times this year, gained 1,348 yards for an average of 5.2 yards per carry and scored 14 touchdowns. The later statistic earned him the area schoolboy scoring championship for 1972.

The 5-11, 175-pounder scored 90 of his team's 126 points in a 3-7 campaign to easily outdistance the other area players in the scoring derby.

Philipsburg's Osceola halfback Joe Good wound up as the number two scorer for the season as he collected 6 points. Mounlie quarterback Paul Guillard was third with

8 points while Moshannon Valley halfback Tom Janocko finished fourth with 56 points and Curwensville flanker John Fleming, the only junior in the group, rounded out the top five with 52 points.

Tied for sixth were Glendale quarterback Sam Tiesi and Purchase Line fullback Randy Blue, who led the scoring through the first six weeks but was blanked in his final three games. Bill Andrews (39 points) and Russ Miller (38) of Glendale and Greg Shirey (37) of Clearfield complete the top ten.

In all, 41 players took part in the scoring. Glendale had eight players reach paydirt, Clearfield and P-O each seven,

West Branch and Curwensville each six and Mo Valley and Purchase Line each five.

Glendale copped the team stats with 202 points scored to 68 yielded. No other area team managed to outscore the opposition.

Curwensville's Todd Wise edged Tiesi for quarterback honors by throwing nine TD passes. The Viking star had eight. Shirey was third with six TD aeriels.

Player, Team	TD	PAT	PAT	Pts.
White, WB	14	3	0	90
Good, P-O	9	5	1	65
P. Guillard,				
P-O	8	5	0	58
Janocko, MV	9	1	0	56
Fleming, Cur.	8	2	0	52
Blue, PL	7	4	0	50
Tiesi, G	8	1	0	50
Andrews, G	6	1	1	39
Miller, G	5	4	0	38
Shirey, Cl.	5	0	7	37
Clark, Cl.	5	1	0	32
Jeffries, G	5	1	0	32
Peters, Cur.	4	2	0	28
Lee, PL	4	2	0	28
Ricotta, Cl.	4	1	0	26
Osewall, P-O	4	1	0	26
Hewitt, G	4	1	0	26
Shimmel, Cl.	4	0	0	25
Mohney, Cl.	4	0	0	24
Bierlair, MV	3	0	0	18
Lashinsky, MV	3	0	0	18
Wise, Cur.	3	0	0	18
Bloom, Cur.	3	0	0	18
Stewart, Cur.	2	3	0	18
Rasdorf, WB	2	2	0	16
Lundberg, PL	2	0	0	12
Dobo, WB	1	2	0	10
Laing, G	1	0	0	9*
Gallaber, Cl.	1	1	0	8
Abbott, P-O	1	0	0	6

Player, Team	TD	PAT	PAT	Pts.
K. Guillard,				
P-O	1	0	0	6
Baumgardner,				
PL	1	0	0	6
Hughes, G	1	0	0	6
Kovalcin, WB	1	0	0	6
Sabol, MV	1	0	0	6
Billotte, Cl.	1	0	0	6
Vigne, G	0	1	0	2
Bunyak, WB	0	1	0	2
Benton, WB	0	1	0	2
Hinchliffe, MV	0	1	0	2
Wood, P-O	0	1	0	2
Mancy, Cur.	0	1	0	2
Sollis, P-O	0	1	0	2
Marusa, PL	0	0	0	2**

*Includes Field Goal

**Includes Safety

TD Passes: Todd Wise, Curwensville, 9; Sam Tiesi, Glendale, 8; Greg Shirey, Clearfield, 8; Jack Bunyak, West Branch, 4; Glenn Morrioni, Moshannon Valley, 2; Paul Guillard, P-O, 2.

Team	Pts.	Opp.
Glendale (8-1-1)	202	68
Curwensville (6-5)	136	226
Purchase Line (3-4-2)	98	127
Clearfield (4-6)	157	213
P-O (3-6-1)	165	180
West Branch (3-7)	126	162
Mo Valley (0-10)	100	275