

Max Elliott Top Scorer For Jackets In Season

Junior halfback Max Elliott led a high-scoring Decatur Yellow Jacket football team in scoring this past season, official statistics compiled today reveal.

Elliott scored ten touchdowns, many on dazzling long-distance romps, and added two extra points of 62 points. Eight of his points by running for a season TD's were scored in conference competition, where he totaled 50 points for the year.

His longest run was that fabled sprint in the season's final game when he ran an estimated 180 yards to cover 83 for a touchdown. He also dashed 49, 45, 25, and 18 yards in some of his longer TD runs, and scored one TD on a 62-yard pass play.

A three-year letterman, Elliott scored two touchdowns in the Bluffton jamboree on runs of 70 and 50 yards.

Elliott was far and away the team's leading rusher, as he gained 1,116 yards in 103 carries for a fabulous average of 10.76 yards per carry. He also gained nearly 200 yards on pass-receiving.

Anspaugh Second
Junior quarterback Dave Anspaugh was the club's second leading scorer with 39 points, 27 in NEIC competition.

Anspaugh scored five touchdowns, the longest a nine-yard run, and also kicked nine extra points from placement.

In addition to scoring five TD's, he also passed for seven others; and for two extra points. His touchdown passes were of 62, 52, 34, 16, 8, 7, and 5 yards. He also scored a touchdown and booted four PAT's in the jamboree.

Buster Melchi was third in line in the scoring totals, racking up 32 points, 25 in conference clashes, and the senior fullback carried only about five times in the last three games due to a leg injury suffered in the Bluffton game and a later ankle injury.

Melchi scored five touchdowns rushing, with 34 and 30 yards his longest, and added two extra points, one on a pass. His longest TD run of the year was in the jamboree when he scored twice, one on a 44-yard romp.

Bye 3 TD's
Junior Bill Blythe, Elliott's halfback partner, scored 18 points, two on runs of 33 and two yards and the third on a 52 yard pass from Anspaugh in the Portland game.

Senior ends Greg Ladd and Deane Lehman were good for five touchdowns, all on pass plays.

Ladd scored 18 points on TD passes of eight and five yards from Anspaugh and 16 yards from Sam Blythe. Lehman scored on passes of seven and 16 yards from Anspaugh.

Senior halfback John Custer scored one touchdown, on a 34-yard pass from Anspaugh in the Bluffton game, and sophomore Blythe, who played quarterback, fullback and both halfback positions during the season, also scored one touchdown.

Blythe's game in the Concordia game on a two-yard run, the only touchdown of the game in a 7-0 Decatur victory. He also heaved one TD pass.

Average Over 21
As a team, Decatur scored an outstanding 193 points in their nine games, 30 touchdowns and 13 points after, for an average of 21.4 points per contest.

The biggest scoring night of the season was the eight-touchdown, 50-0 romp over Bluffton. The team was not held scoreless in any of their nine games, and only twice held to one touchdown.

A rugged defensive team allowed 97 points in nine games, an average of 10.7 points per game. After the first three games, however, the defensive team, led by Steve Hazelwood, Tom Macklin, Manny Ybarra, Jerry Egley, John Eichenauer, Sam Blythe, and others, gave up just 34 points in the final six games, or less than six points a contest.

In those final six games, Decatur posted three shutouts, allowed six points in one game, seven in another and 21 to Kendallville. The three teams that defeated Decatur had a combined season record of 22-4-1.

After racking up 34 points in the jamboree, Decatur beat Auburn 21-13, and then lost to Garrett, 22-6, and New Haven 28-12, before reeling off three straight wins, 27-6 over Portland, 50-0 over Bluffton and 25-0 over Kendallville.

Then came the heart-breaking 21-20 loss to Kendallville, before wins over Concordia, 7-0, and Angola 25-7 in the season finale. Following are the individual scoring, with touchdowns, extra points, NEIC total and overall total.

	TD	EP	CT	OT
Elliott	10	2	50	62
Anspaugh	5	9	37	39
Melchi	5	9	37	39
B. Blythe	3	0	12	18
Ladd	3	0	18	18
Lehman	2	0	12	12
S. Blythe	1	0	6	6
Custer	1	0	6	6

Steelers Beat Browns Sunday In NFL Feature

By NORMAN MILLER
UPI Sports Writer

The National Football League stages the game-of-the-year next Sunday in Chicago and a few million fans are wondering just what the Green Bay Packers' super-team will do against the Bears' amazing defense.

Defense? That's the fad among the best NFL clubs as the season goes into its 10th week with two-team ties for first place in both divisions.

The rough-tough Pittsburgh Steelers put forth their best defense to upset Jimmy Brown and the Cleveland Browns, 9-7, Sunday and throw the Eastern Division into a four-team race. The New York Giants (7-2) pulled even with the Browns for the lead by drubbing the Philadelphia Eagles, 42-21.

The Bears had little except defense, as they held the Los Angeles Rams to a net total of 88 yards (rushing and passing) and won, 6-0, on Roger LeClerc's two field goals.

The Packers' defense kept the Minnesota Vikings in line until the champs pulled away in the second half on John Roach's passes to win, 28-7. Green Bay and Chicago are tied with 8-1 records.

Cards In Race
The St. Louis Cardinals (6-3) remained in contention, only a game behind the deadlocked Browns and Giants, with a 24-20 victory over the Washington Redskins; the San Francisco Forty Niners upset the Dallas Cowboys, 31-24, and the Baltimore Colts edged the Detroit Lions, 24-21, in the three other games played.

To get back to the Bears and Packers. They meet next week at Wrigley Field in a battle that should determine which will go on to win the Western title. The Bears won their first meeting, 10-3, on the opening Sunday of the season and Green Bay since has reeled off eight straight wins.

Chicago has yielded only 82 points in nine games for one of the most remarkable defensive records in recent NFL history. The Bears' defense is so good they can win without scoring a touchdown. They played ball control against the Rams Sunday and won on LeClerc's field goals of 30 and 16 yards in the first and third periods.

The Packers should have Bart Starr back next week but they certainly can't complain about the fill-in job Roach has done for three games. Roach threw three touchdown passes after the Vikings had taken a first-period lead on Frank Tarkenton's 18-yard toss to Paul Flatley.

Hold Brown Down
The Steelers (5-3-1) held Jimmy Brown to less than his usual rushing average before a crowd of 54,497 at Pitt Stadium. Ed Brown's nine-yard pass to Gary Ballman in the final period produced the winning points. Brown set up that score with a 41-yard pass to Buddy Dial.

Jimmy Brown gained 40 of his 99 yards during Cleveland's 74-yard touchdown march in the second period. Frank Ryan passed four yards to Gary Collins for the score. The Steelers scored two points in the third period when Brown was tackled in the end zone by Bob Schmitz while attempting a pass.

Y.A. Tittle threw three touchdowns, completing 16 of 20 attempts for 261 yards before retiring late in the third period. He also set up two other Giant touchdowns with long passes.

Charley Johnson completed three touchdowns passes as the Cardinals withstood Washington's two-touchdown rally in the last period to win. The Cards' final touchdown was set up when Washington's Bobby Mitchell touched a St. Louis punt and rookie linebacker Larry Stallings fell on the ball on the Redskins' 14-yard line. Johnson passed the remaining distance to Sonny Randle for what proved to be the winning score.

The Forty Niners overcame a three-touchdown, 46-0 passing performance by the Cowboys' Don Meredith to win their second game of the season. Lamar McHan completed three touchdowns tosses for San Francisco.

Baltimore scored on each of its first four series of downs to go ahead 24-7 and then beat off Detroit's late rush. Johnny Unitas threw two scoring passes and gained 376 yards. Earl Morrall threw for two Detroit scores and gained 296 yards.

Hockey Results

National League
Detroit 3, Montreal 0.
Boston 4, Chicago 2.

Week's Schedule Of Adams County Basketball Teams

Tuesday	Friday
Commodores at Larwill	Yellow Jackets at Adams Central.
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BOWLING

Classic League

	W	L	Pts.
Leland Smith Ins.	22 1/2	7 1/2	29 1/2
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Hammond Market	16	14	20
Reidenbach Equip.	15	15	20
Two Brothers	15	15	20
Decatur Farms	13	17	19
A. Schrock Builder	13 1/2	16 1/2	18 1/2
Gerber Market	12 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Proble Garden	13	17	17
Citizens Tel. Co.	11	19	13

High series: Bill Tutewiler 625 (198, 243, 184); Bill Schludraff 601 (189, 193, 219).
High games: C. Melcher 210, W. Gallmeyer 205, R. Scheumann 217, R. Miles 201, T. Fennig 224, 205, R. Ladd 200, 215, E. Hammond 204, L. Chrisman 211, 200, W. Frauhiger 216, E. Anderson 204, E. Schindler 201, W. Shepherd 203, R. Lord 210.

Coffee League

	W	L	Pts.
Saucerettes	15	9	22
Instant	15	9	20
Perks	15	9	20
Cubes	14	10	20
Drips	15	9	19
Sippers	15	9	19
Cups	14	10	18
Sugar	12	12	18
Warmers	12	12	16
Spoons	11	13	15
Coasters	9	16	10
Dunkers	8	16	10
Cream	8	16	9
Caffeine	5	19	5

High series: K. Pageler 168, 168, 178 (514).
High games: M. Tutewiler 184, 152; P. Koller 181; S. Mutschler 176, 162, 154; T. Yost 175; M. Merriman 174, 152; L. Gehrig 168, 161; J. Voglewede 166, 161; A. Baker 162; C. Bassett 162; M. Reef 160; S. Springer 159, 159; W. Rafters 153; C. Hook 152, 150; C. Schafer 151; L. Schuster 151; T. Franklin 150; M. Geisler 155.

Splits converted: L. Swearingen 6-7, M. Tutewiler 3-10, M. Gantz 9-10, B. Shackley 3-9-10, R. Tumlin 5-8-10, E. Bultemeier 3-10, W. Terhune 3-10 twice and 2-4-17, C. Corah 6-10, P. Koller 3-10, J. Jackson 3-10, K. Wynn 5-10, G. Krueckberg 3-4-8-10, D. Johnson 5-7, G. Buckner 5-6-10, J. Lutes 6-7.

Central Soya League
Hootenanny's 4 points, Bagdads 0; Orbits 4, Highwaymen 0; Feed Mill 3, Master Mixers 1; Hots 3, Alley Kats 1; Spares 2, Elevator 2; Rockets 2, Torpedoes 2; Lab 2, Pinsters 2; Wonders 2, Keystone 2.

High games and series: Men—R. Christen 214-258 (620); P. Morgan 190-197-190 (577); T. Butler 175-195 (528); B. Cook 191-210-207 (608); H. Nash 185; B. Sittler 172; E. Shoup 184; L. Meyer 181-185-203 (569); J. Bayles 179; D. Cochran 211 (537); J. Schlickman 174 (508); H. Mauler 185; D. Lengerich 192-180 (514); W. Bedwell 176; K. Baumgartner 190-172 (516); J. Wendel 214 (524); C. Blumh 170; B. Wendel 197-171 (524); D. Abbott 180-215 (553); P. Inniger 188; C. Lengerich 180; R. Canales 208; R. Gase 177; G. Ainsworth 189; V. McIntosh 180; F. Bittner 174-172; G. Simons 185; B. Hoffman 171-183-190 (544); C. Hirschy 181 (510); B. Feasel 174-172 (505).

High games and series: Women—M. Simons 175; L. MacLean 187; M. Schlickman 155; P. Johnson 155-158 (461); I. Bowman 179 (450); J. Gerber 169; S. Keller 155-155 (452); K. Baumgartner 171; A. Sharpe 154.

Coaches Named For North-South Game

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (UPI)—Rip Engle of Penn State and Charles McLendon of Louisiana State have been named to coach the North and South squads, respectively in the annual Blue-Gray football game Dec. 28.

Missouri Athletic Director Don Faurot, a former head coach, will aid Engle with the Blue team and South Carolina's Marvin Bass will assist McLendon with the Gray squad.

Hunting Season Is Opened In Indiana

INDIANAPOLIS (UPI)—Indiana's small game hunting season opened today as hunters went into the fields and woods in search of rabbits, quail, pheasants and Hungarian partridge.

H. S. Basketball

Huntertown 55, Avilla 42.
South Whitley 85, Huntington Twp. 69.
Ligonier 90, LaGrange 89.

Spartans Take Over Lead In Big Ten Race

CHICAGO (UPI)—Michigan State headed into the final two weeks of the season as the Big Ten's undisputed football leader, with a convincing demonstration that a good defense may be the shortest road to the Rose Bowl.

The stubborn Spartans, who blanked Purdue 23-0 Saturday, lead the league with a 4-0-1 record and are closing in on a new Big Ten mark for defense.

They have allowed only six points per opponent in five league games and have yielded an average of less than 56 yards rushing per game. Minnesota's 1962 Gophers hold the record of 58 yards per game.

The Big Ten's three-way tie for the lead vanished in Saturday's cloud of fumbles and interceptions and so did its only perfect record when Illinois bowed to Michigan 14-8.

In second place was Ohio State, which lost a non-conference game with Penn State, 10-7. Illinois, a former member of the league-leading trio, dropped to third with its first loss of the season.

The Spartans, who meet Notre Dame in an extra-league tilt next weekend, are assured of at least a share of the lead through next weekend.

Illinois faces Wisconsin at Madison, Wis., and Ohio State has a chance to move back into a tie in a game with Northwestern at Columbus, Ohio.

In Saturday's action, Michigan recovered four fumbles and intercepted two Illinois passes. But the fatal fumble came in the last six minutes of play when Wolverine John Rowser pounced on the ball to start the winning drive from the Illinois 11-yard line.

The Spartans capitalized on two fumbles and a pass interception. Allowing Purdue only 68 yards on the ground and 65 in the air, they scored a field goal and a touchdown following fumble recoveries and added a final touchdown after an interception.

Wisconsin moved into a respectable fourth place and Badger quarterback Harold Brandt, demoted to second string, apparently won back his starting slot in the 17-14 decision over Northwestern.

Brandt came off the bench in the final period and threw a 50-yard scoring pass to tie the score at 14-14. The southpaw thrower completed a 24-yard pass in a subsequent drive which ended in Dave Fronek's game-winning field goal.

Iowa sophomore Gary Snook fired three touchdown passes in a 27-13 victory over a bungling Minnesota team which lost possession twice on fumbles and twice on pass interceptions.

In the only other game, Indiana defeated Oregon State 20-15 in a non-conference game.

Pep Rally, Bonfire Here This Evening

A pep rally and bonfire will be held this evening to kick off the Decatur high school basketball season, the cheerleaders said this morning.

The bonfire will be lit at 7:30 o'clock tonight at Worthman field, and a short pep session will be held. A sock hop will be held at the school following the pep rally.

Dirty Windshield Is Blamed For Accident

A dirty windshield caused a one-car accident with damage estimated at \$750 at 2:15 a.m. Sunday on a wet highway one-half mile east of Berne.

Brooks Wheeler, 46, of route 2, Berne, was uninjured as his car, headed east on state road 118, left the road, swerved back and off the road, sheering off a Citizens Telephone Co. pole, and 57 feet of fence, including five fence posts, at the Lawrence Elcher farm.

The left door, right front fender, right rear tire, and lower rocker panels were damaged. Deputy sheriff Warren Kneuss investigated.

Pro Basketball

Los Angeles 104, New York 79.

MASONIC EASTERN STAR and RAINBOW GIRLS FAMILY NIGHT
Tuesday, Nov. 12
Pot Luck at 6:00 P. M.
Home Talent Entertainment

Regular Stated Meeting
7:30 P. M.
Robert S. Workinger
W. M.



Team Standings

	W	L	Pct.
Adams Central	2	0	1.000
Berne	0	0	.000
Commodores	0	0	.000
Geneva	0	0	.000
Yellow Jackets	0	0	.000
Monmouth	0	2	.000

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Action really steps up in the young basketball season this week, as three more Adams county high school teams swing into the fray for the first time.

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Five games are on the week's schedule, one Tuesday night and four Friday night.

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The Decatur Commodores, with a fine nucleus of regulars returning, will open their season on the road Tuesday night, playing at Larwill. The Commodores were handed a 74-55 setback by Larwill last season, and hope to even the score Tuesday.

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The Decatur Yellow Jackets, riddled by graduation last spring, and short on practice with the football season ended only 10 days ago, will open up Friday night, meeting the Adams Central Flying Jets at the Adams Central gym.

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The Commodores will make their second start Friday, traveling to New Haven to meet the Arcola Aces. In addition to the two Decatur games Friday, the Berne Bears, defending sectional and regional champions, will also open their schedule Friday, traveling to Leo to meet the Lions. The Monmouth Eagles round out the week's card, entertaining their neighboring Wildcats from Hoagland at the Monmouth gym Friday.

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Adams Central has moved out to a flying start with victories over Leo and Monmouth in their first two starts. On the other hand, Monmouth has dropped its first two games, to Adams Central and Owsen. The Eagles have a double incentive for victory Friday, as Hoagland headed the Eagles their only regular season setback last season.

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The Geneva Cardinals will have plenty of practice time before their opener as they wait until Nov. 29 to launch their schedule, meeting the Bryant Owls at Geneva.

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Results one year ago this week: Larwill 74, Commodores 55; Berne 83, Pleasant Mills 66; Commodores 49, Woodland 45; Hoagland 57, Monmouth 56; Geneva 80, Montpelier 50; Crestview 63, Pleasant Mills 62; Hartford 66, Bryant 59.

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Urges Early Entry In Bowling Tourney

The 54th annual Indiana bowling association tourney will be held at Michigan City March 7 through May 17, 1964. Entries will close Feb. 1.

Local bowlers wishing to compete are urged to see or call Ted Eyanon before next Sunday to make early reservations, otherwise date and time will be assigned.

High School Football

Calumet 7, Griffith 7, (tie).
Indianapolis Sacred Heart 26, Indianapolis Charard 7.
Evansville Mater Dei 18, Vincennes 0.

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Oilers Take East Division Lead In AFL

By United Press International
The Houston Oilers finally gave the rookie from Missouri a chance to show 'em—and that's exactly what Bill Tobin did.

He showed 'em what hobbled Bill Cannon hasn't been able to do all season—a runner who could give the Oilers a balanced attack and take some of the pressure off passer George Blanda.

The result today is that the Oilers hold undisputed possession of first place in the Eastern Division of the American Football League and have become clear-cut favorites to win their fourth straight divisional title. The San Diego Chargers gave the Oilers an assist with a 7-6 victory over the Boston Patriots in the lowest-scoring game in AFL history.

Tobin, a 210-pound rookie from the University of Missouri who had gained a total of 95 yards in 29 carries before Sunday's game, scored three touchdowns and set up another in the Oilers' 31-27 triumph over the New York Jets. His 32-yard run to the seven-yard line setting up the Oilers' winning touchdown in the fourth period also was the longest run from scrimmage by a Houston back this season.

Tobin's heroics offset a brilliant performance by New York's Dick Wood, who threw scoring passes of 47, 7 and 12 yards.

The Chargers retained their lead in the Western Division on the strength of a 27-yard first-period touchdown pass from Tobin Rote to Lance Alworth and George Blair's conversion. Gino Cappalletti put the Patriots' points on the scoreboard with field goals of 35 and 25 yards but also missed three-point tries from 38, 37 and 55 yards.

Jack Kemp threw three touchdowns passes and ran 14 yards for a fourth touchdown to lead the Buffalo Bills to a 27-17 victory over the Denver Broncos in a Saturday night game.

Frank Beard Wins First Golf Title

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (UPI)—Frank Beard, a fuzzy-cheeked golfer who looks younger than his 24 years, is in the big money—but suddenly—today.

Bachelor Beard, who wears eyeglasses and looks rather scholarly, won his first pro golf tournament Sunday—he picked up a \$9,000 check for taking the first annual Frank Sinatra Open with a 72-hole score of 278—six under par.

Jerry Steelsmith, a red-haired 28-year-old southern Californian, took second money of \$4,600 by sinking an 11-foot birdie putt on the 18th green in the final round.

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