

Surprising Seminoles Bow to Georgia Tech, 30-0

ENGINEERS SCORE EARLY

Outmanned Indians Surpass Expectation

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GRANT FIELD, ATLANTA, Nov. 22—Georgia Tech's slick Sugar Bowlers struck for four lightning touchdowns and a safety in the first and third periods here this afternoon and coasted to a 30-0 triumph over an outmanned Florida State University Seminole eleven that surprised Tech's coaches; players and legions of fans with its offense, defense and durability.

A crowd estimated at 25,000 saw the eager Engineers take a 16-0 lead in the first half and tack on two quick TD's in the opening minutes of the third period while en route to their tenth victory of the season and their 24th win in a row without a defeat.

Florida State, expected to be routed, and a 68-point underdog in some quarters, far exceeded expectations in holding to 30 points a Tech team which had beaten Vanderbilt 30-0, Auburn 33-0, Army 45-6 and the Citadel 54-6. Coach Bobby Dodd cleaned his bench in employing 62 men and four of his top runners were entirely out of action. Leon "Hard-rock" Hardeman, Larry Ruffin, Dick Pretz and Jimmie Johnson and defensive end Chick Wills did not dress for the fray because of injuries.

FIRST STRING STAYS IN

Dodd didn't call his wondrous first string animals off quite as quickly as expected. His first string offensive and defensive platoons played almost all the first quarter, came back for those two fast scores in the third period and were drifting in and out of the ball game individually as late as the last two minutes of the fourth period, when regular quarterback Bill Brigman was still in there pitching.

Tech grabbed a 16-0 lead in the first period on a two-yard power smash by Glenn Turner for one touchdown, a 14-yard Brigman to Buck Martin pass for an-

other, Sam Hensley's tackle of Bobby Fiveash in the end zone for a safety and two conversions by Pepper Rodgers.

Bobby Gilliland's 12-yard sweep of right end behind center Pete Brown's key block gave Tech another touchdown in the first three minutes of the second half and Turner tromped 54-yards for the last one four minutes later.

Rodgers converted after both the second half scores, too, and thereby set a new Southeastern Conference record for conversions

by running his string to 18 straight without a miss.

Against the number one defensive team in the nation the Seminoles rolled up a net gain of 111 yards on the ground and added 40 more in the air though the FSU passing attack was the Seminoles' poorest department of play here today.

Tech had allowed nine other opponents an average of only 105 yards running and 61.8 passing to lead the nation's defensive crews.

Most of FSU's yardage and most of its attack was generated by stocky Stan Dobosz, the freshman flash who can always seem to find a hole to wriggle through.

Dobosz gained 87 yards in 18 carries to top Tech's Turner as the leading ground gainer of the day, and until he hurt his ankle the Seminoles could move the ball, as their 10 first downs attest.

After Dobosz injured his ankle two plays before the end of the third period the Seminoles did not make a single first down. Al Woodham, who ran for 32 yards and Bobby Fiveash who gained 14, were Dobosz' chief assistants. Fiveash made several nice runs, but had his rushing average hurt by long losses on attempted pass plays.

The closest FSU came to Tech's hard-to-reach-goal was the 20 in the third period, but they came closer to scoring than that. John Griner almost intercepted a Burton Grant pass on his own 45-yard line with a clear field ahead for a touchdown.

FSU's mistakes helped Tech mightily in those 30 points. In addition to the safety, two of the Engineers' scores were set up by fumbles, one on the Seminole 20 and another on the 19.

FIREWORKS BEGIN AGAIN

The latter one started the fireworks in the second half. After holding Tech after the kickoff and forcing them to punt, FSU lost the ball when Roy Thompson bobbled Dave Davis's kick and Clyde Young gobbled up the ball on the 19. A Brigman-Davis pass and a lateral off the pass moved to the 12 and set the stage for Gilliland's sweep of right end which came after he had turned the Seminole flank with a beautiful head fake.

The final score came just a couple of minutes later when FSU had been stopped after the kickoff and Tommy Brown had punted to Jack Patterson on the 35. Patterson rambled back to the 46, and on the next play the big, bruising Turner shot up the middle on a guard trap play, blasted through the secondary and found clear sailing at FSU's 40.

Dodd substituted freely and frequently after that, using five men who hadn't even seen action before this season, and the two teams played scorelessly through the last 24 minutes.

FSU, refusing to be awed by Tech's strength and reputation as a defensive giant, came out swinging in the opening minutes. After Thompson ran the opening kick-

off back from the end zone to his 12, the Seminoles punched out three straight first downs and moved 51 yards in nine plays before stalling on the Tech 36. Dobosz and Fiveash did most of the work with the stocky Stan reeling off one 16 yard run up the middle.

Tech took over after a Fiveash pass fell incomplete, and immediately went to work, zipping 64 yards in nine plays to score. Teas and Turner worked the outside and inside on the ground with a 20-yard Brigman-Martin pass to the two, setting up the score for Turner's bolt over right tackle. Rodgers converted for the 15th consecutive time this season and it was 7-0 with 9:45 of the period gone.

Liking the taste of that first one, Tech came right back with another in less than two minutes. Fiveash fumbled on his own 20 to give the Engineers their shot, and they cashed in in two plays with Turner getting six at tackle and Brigman pitching 14 yards to Martin in the end zone. Automatic Rodgers clicked again and it was 14-0 with 11:15 gone.

Thompson ran the next kickoff 11 yards to his 13 and FSU picked up its fifth first down of the game on a Fiveash to King pass, but a pass from center got away from Fiveash two plays later and when Bobby scooped it up on the 2 and tried to circle into the end zone to run it out he was dropped by Hensley for a safety. That made it 16-0 and that's the way it stood at the half as FSU stopped four Tech threats with the aid of two Tommy Brown pass interceptions. The Seminoles were on the Engineer 27—their deepest penetration of the game—when the half ended.

FSU's circus and band staged the entire halftime show and got a big hand with their colorful and humorous performances.

FSU edged Tech in first downs in the first half 9-8, trailed in rushing yardage 104 to 75 and in passing yardage 47 to 25, a very respectable two periods against the nation's number two power.

STATISTICS

	FSU	TECH
First downs	10	13
Rushing yardage	111	229
Passing yardage	40	75
Passes attempted	24	24
Passes completed	8	6
Passes intercepted	4	2
Punts	8	4
Punting average	35.5	40
Fumbles lost	4	2
Yards penalized	65	50

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

FLORIDA STATE—Running: Fiveash 14 yards in 11 carries, Dobosz 27 in 18, Woodham 32 in 6. Passing: Fiveash—attempted 17, completed 3, had intercepted 2, yards 33; Rabon—attempted 6, completed 2, had intercepted 0, yards 7.

GEORGIA TECH—Running: Teas 63 yards in 5 carries, Turner 75 in 8, Gilliland 28 in 6. Passing: Brigman—attempted 13, completed 4, had intercepted 2, yards 51; Rodgers attempted 7, completed 1, had intercepted 1, yards 14.

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Florida State

Left ends — Bryant, Mann, McDonald, Campbell.

Left tackles — Szczepank, Leonhardt, Kalenich, Merritt, Barnes, Powell.

Left guards — Jacobs, Karlowicz.

Centers — Ammons, Boyer, Crenshaw.

Right guards — Carnes, Wodrich.

Right tackles — Breger, Polak, O'Neal.

Right ends — Simatovich, Greene, Johnson, King.

Quarterbacks — Taylor, Griner, Huey.

Left halfbacks—Cassedy, Rabon, Fiveash.

Right halfbacks — Thompson, Brown, Woodham, Bringger, Messinese.

Fullbacks — Turk, Dobosz.

Ga. Tech

Left ends — Knox, Hensley, Davis, Durham, Sennett, Hunsinger.

Left tackles — Lyons, Thaden, Daugherty, Phenix, Akins.

Left guards — Gossage, Vereen, Brooks, Shuler, Roberts, Willock, R. G. Anderson.

Centers — Brown, G. Morris, Inman, Young, Bennett, Beard, J. M. Morris.

Right guards — Shoemaker, Frey, Banks, Theodocian, Carrithers, Spears.

Right tackles — Miller, Sherman, Givens, West.

Right ends — Martin, Trainer, Jones, Austin.

Quarterbacks — Brigman, Rodgers, Jack Hall, Redford, Grant, Wright, Rudolph, Edge.

Left halfbacks — Gilliland, Moorhead, J. L. Morris.

Right halfbacks — Teas, Rhino, Brannon, Joe Hall, Patterson, Ray C. Anderson.

Fullbacks—Turner, Humphreys, L. Morris, Hunt, Goss.