

RECORD HOMECOMING

FSU Trims Furman By 33-14 Margin

Massey And Corso Star Before 14,112

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Florida State danced to the smooth waltz of Harry Massey passes and the jitterbug strains of Lee Corso running as it swept Furman University off its football feet, 33-14, here Saturday afternoon.

A record Homecoming crowd of 14,112 clapped their hands.

Neither quarterback Massey nor lefthalf Corso were ever better. Senior Massey completed 15 of 22 passes for 196 yards. Sophomore Corso ran 14 times for 75 yards, caught seven passes for 87, scored three touchdowns.

Corso was also superb defensively. He made a tackle that caused a fumble that paved FSU's first touchdown and he intercepted his fourth pass of the season.

NOT IN DOUBT

The issue, after the first couple of minutes, was not in doubt. FSU, which found a scoring key early in each quarter, skipped to a 20-0 lead midway the second quarter, boosted it to 26-0 before Furman finally scratched scoring dirt.

It might have been worse. An incredible penalty assessment of 125-yards—versus 19 against Furman—was a continuous road-block. Both teams fumbled heavily. FSU got the better of the fumble exchange, recovering five

of the seven Purple Hurricane miscues. Furman got three of FSU's four.

Then, too, other FSU threats fizzled in the shadow of Furman's goal as Coach Tom Nugent looked to the future with liberal substitution of reserves and freshmen.

A FUTILE EFFORT

Furman quarterback Jim Boyle, who took the cast off a broken hand earlier during the week, attempted in vain to match FSU at its own passing game. Star halfback John Popson showed early running form but was no major threat. Still, he picked up 67 yards in 10 rushes to run his season mark to 510 on an even 100 attempts.

Tackle Al Makowiecki was a terror up front for FSU and guard Webster Williams was a Furman standout.

Though FSU threw the ball more than in any game this season, hitting 19 of 32 for 266 yards, the Seminoles did flash a highly improved running game, paced by Corso and Billy Graham. Graham got 71 yards in 12 tries and FSU's rushing total was a creditable 173.

Thus the Seminoles ended a two-year victory famine against Furman and avenged the only Homecoming loss in their history.

which came by a 9-0 count at Hurricane hands in '32.

EARLY FURMAN BID

Furman received the opening kick. On the second scrimmage play of the game, Popson took a Jim Boyle pitchout and steamed 36 yards around his left end to the FSU 47. But, on a similar pitchout moments later, Lee Corso drove in to viciously rack Joe Apello and force a fumble. Tom Feinster covered the bouncing ball for FSU at the Hurricane 40.

With an alert Harry Massey passing seven and 12 yards to Feinster, seven and six yards to Corso, FSU scored in seven plays. Corso went wide on a pitchout from the two, registered his first touchdown of the season. Billy Graham converted for 7-6.

The Seminoles were using a new draw play—a gimmick frequently used effectively against them—and it was paying off.

FUMBLE EXCHANGE

Late in the quarter, Furman, on Jimmy Grant's 18-yard dash

through the middle and Boyle's 21-yard pass to Popson, whipped to the FSU 42. Popson struck center for six but fumbled and FSU's Vic Prinzi got it at the 36.

The Tribe rolled on the running of Corso and Graham and Prinzi's 18-yard pass to Jimmy Lee Tylor. Things simmered down on the first play of the second period when guard Webster Williams, one of the best linemen on the field, hopped aboard Carl Greenn's fumble at the Furman 28.

Furman marched. Bobby Dellinger and Popson spunt for five each. Boyle passed 12 yards to L. G. Hightower. Popson swept for nine to the FSU 41. Needing a yard for a first down, Boyle tried a flat pass. End Bud Leonard intercepted and sped, behind John Griner's big block of Dellinger, 60 yards to a touchdown. Hightower deflected Massey's extra-point effort and it stayed 13-0.

PASS THE MARK

FSU had already scored more points in less than two quarters than in the last two years against Furman.

More came quickly. With Massey back in the saddle, the Seminoles marched, following a Furman punt, 67 yards in seven plays to a third TD. Massey started it with a 25-yard pass to Corso. After a 15-yard clipping penalty, Massey sneaked for three, threw incomplete, passed to Corso for eight. After Graham picked up three, Massey threw to Ronnie Schomburger for a 35-yard gain on the Hurricane eight. Then Massey dashed—faking a pass on the run—around his right end for the remaining distance. Graham's conversion made it 20-0 with seven minutes left in the half.

Furman again drove, catapulted by a 41-yard pass play from Boyle to Bobby Stokes. And again a fumble stopped the Hures. After two passes fell astray, Boyle bobbled and FSU's Vince Gibson pounced on it at the Seminole 31.

With Massey aeriels continuing to click, FSU pushed to the Furman 33. Two 15-yard penalties short-circuited the bid and when Prinzi came back on the scene Dellinger intercepted his pitch and carried it 23 yards to the FSU 37. Boyle passes failed to produce in the remaining seconds before the half as Al Pacifico led a hard-charging defense.

MARCH FROM KICK

Taking the second-half kick-off, the Seminoles paraded 63 yards to TD No. 4 in 14 plays.

Massey passes consumed most of the yardage. One 18-yarder to Corso carried to the Furman seven but a clipping assessment placed FSU back on the 31. Prinzi came in to keep the drive alive. On a fourth-down keep, Prinzi sliced 16 yards to the eight. Corso found an opening at right tackle and bulled over. A penalty nullified the first point try and Feamster's kick from the 20 was wide, leaving it 26-0.

Feamster and Corso intercepted third-quarter passes that gave PSU shots from Furman's 39 and 36 but pass attempts by quarterbacks Len Swantic and Ted Rodrigue misfired. Corso made a dazzling return on his pass-steal 30 yards to the 12. A clipping call erased all but six yards of the run. It was Corso's fourth interception of the season.

Furman tallied with 25 seconds to go in the quarter. On its 24 after a punt, FSU was knocked back to its six by a pair of penalties.

Rodrigue fumbled a handoff. The ball rolled into the end zone and freshman guard Jack Anderson, who had just entered the game, recovered for six Furman points. Gus Pringle's toe brought the score to 26-7.

A 26-yard drive brought FSU's fifth score early in the last quarter. Graham twice ran for 15 yards in leading to the Furman 35. Massey and Corso teamed to climax it with a 25-yard touchdown on a pass. Corso gathered the strike in on the 13 and neatly evaded Furman defenders in a cutback. Massey converted for 33-7.

STOPPED AT SIX

Ray Staab's recovery of Furman quarterback Dick Kolan's fumble at the Hurricane 14 a couple of minutes later but the Seminoles could not cash the opportunity, finally yielding the ball on downs at the six.

Apello provided a thrill when, apparently trapped behind the line of scrimmage, he reversed his field, got loose and raced 77 yards to the PSU one before Buck Metts chased him out of bounds. A penalty dropped Furman back to the six but Boyle slipped through from there for a score. Dellinger's kick moved the tally to 33-14.

Billy Odom returned the kick 30 yards to the FSU 40. Prinzi passed 31 yards to Metts, 15 to Mercury Paskalakakis to spur the Tribe to the Hurricane 11. The effort played out as further passes failed.

The teams swapped punts and it was over.

FSU Figures

	FURMAN	FSU
First Downs	9	20
Yards Rushing	153	173
Yards Passing	69	266
Passes Attempted	14	32
Passes Completed	6	19
Passes Intercepted	1	2
Number of Punts	4	3
Punting Average	41	41
Fumbles Lost	5	1
Yards Penalized	19	125

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

FURMAN

LEADING RUSHERS

	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD's
Appello	5	90	15	75	0
Popson	10	67	0	67	0

LEADING PASSER

	Att.	Cmp.	Int.	Yards	TD's
Boyle	11	4	2	63	0

LEADING RECEIVERS

	Caught	Yards	TD's
Stokes	2	52	0
Popson	1	21	0

LEADING PUNTER

	No.	Yards	Av.
Carter	2	78	39

FSU

LEADING RUSHERS

	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD's
Corso	14	76	1	75	3
Graham	12	71	0	71	0

LEADING PASSERS

	Att.	Cmp.	Int.	Yards	TD's
Massey	22	15	0	196	1
Prinzi	7	3	1	62	0

LEADING RECEIVERS

	Caught	Yards	TD's
Corso	7	82	0
Feamster	4	43	0

LEADING PUNTER

	No.	Yards	Av.
Massey	2	106	53

Furman 0 0 7 7-14

Florida State 7 13 6 7-33

Furman scoring: Touchdown—Anderson, Boyle. Conversions—Pringles, Dellinger.

Florida State scoring: Touchdowns—Corso 3, Leonard, Massey. Conversions—Graham 2, Massey.

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THE LINEUPS

Furman

Left end—Hightower, Medlin, Stokes.
Left tackle—Harris, Freeman, Lyle.
Left guard—Hamel, Bolick, Tzouvelekas
Center—Socha, Clardy.
Right guard—Williams, Anderson.
Right tackle—Young, Bielecki.
Right end—Maddox, Pfeifer.
Quarterback—Boyle, Pringels, Carter.
Left halfback—Appello, Petty, Weir.
Right halfback—Popson, Penland.
Fullback—Dellinger, Grant, Kolans.

Florida State

Left end—Schomburger, Leonard, Bisbee.
Left tackle—Makowiecki, Powell, Gardner.
Left guard—J. Jacobs, Gibson, Baggett.
Center—Crenshaw, Ackerman, Cullom.
Right guard—Pacifico, Bryant, Daniels.
Right tackle—Staab, Barber, Musselman.
Right end—Feamster, Taylor, Trado, R. Grenn.
Quarterback—Massey, Prinzi, Sawntic, Rodrigue.
Left halfback—Corso, Thompson, Odom.
Right halfback—Graham, C. Grenn, Metts.
Fullback—Holt, Griner, Pasakalakis.