

1924 SEASON

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| WALLACE WADE | Coach |
| HENRY CRISP, RUSSELL COHEN | Assistant Coaches |
| W. T. VANDEGRAAFF | Freshman Coach |
| POOLEY HUBERT | Captain |
| JESS LONG | Manager |

PLAYERS

Ends: Graham McClintoch, Ben Hudson, Herschel Caldwell . . . **Tackles:** Claude Perry, J. S. Camp, Fred Prichard, Jack Langhorne, Ben Compton . . . **Guards:** Bruce Jones, William Buckler, Ben Ennis . . . **Centers:** Clyde Propst, Gordon Holmes . . . **Backs:** Grant Gillis, Emile Barnes, Pooley Hubert, Mack Brown, Andy Cohen, Dave Rosenfeld, W. S. Oliver, Hulet Whitaker, Hoyt Winslett, William Morrison.

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SEPTEMBER 27: Alabama opened the season on the campus by defeating the Union Bulldogs by the score of 55 to 0. The Tide scored in every period except the third, making three touchdowns in each of the first two periods and two in the final quarter. Touchdowns were made by Brown 3, Rosenfeld 2, Gillis, Hubert and Cohen.

Mercer and McLain in the line and Parker and Stewart in the backfield were the stars for Union.

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OCTOBER 4: Alabama met and defeated an alert Furman eleven in Greenville, South Carolina by the score of 20 to 0. Alabama played sluggish football in the first half and failed to score.

In the third period, Furman held Alabama on her one yard line. Furman punted and Gillis returned 17 yards. Brown, Gillis and Hubert advanced the ball to the 4 yard line where Hubert scored.

Alabama was in possession of the ball on the Furman 42 as the last period began. After Caldwell made 7, Hubert went off tackle for 35 yards and a touchdown.

Runs of 24, 7 and 9 yards by Mack Brown aided in carrying the ball deep into Furman territory where the ball went over on downs. Later, a Furman pass was intercepted by Brown on Alabama's 42 yard line and he ran 58 yards for a touchdown.

Dobson, red headed guard, was the star for Furman.

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OCTOBER 11: Alabama swamped Mississippi College on Denny Field by the score of 55 to 0, scoring in every period. Touchdowns were scored by Hubert 3, Cohen 2, Rosenfeld 2 and Barnes. A run of 82 yards for a touchdown by Cohen was the longest of the day.

Cy Parks, captain and quarterback, was the star for Mississippi College.

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OCTOBER 18: Alabama won from Sewanee in Birmingham by the score of 14 to 0. Both teams tackled and blocked well.

Sewanee threatened early in the game when off tackle plays made two first downs, advancing the ball to the Tide 23 where the ball was lost on downs.

Later, in the first period, Gillis returned a Sewanee punt to the Alabama 44 yard line. Rosenfeld went off right tackle and ran 56 yards behind excellent blocking for a touchdown. Buckler converted.

In the second period, a 52 yard punt by Gillis was grounded by Barnes on the Sewanee 3 yard line. Mahoney punted out 40 yards. Hubert and Rosenfeld made first down. Sewanee was penalized 15 yards to her own 4 where Hubert scored. Buckler kicked goal.

Rosenfeld, Hubert, Propst, Buckler and Langhorne were the stars for Alabama. Captain Millard and Helvey, tackles, Perry and Gooch, ends, and Stancell, center, were impressive for Sewanee.

OCTOBER 25: Alabama and Georgia Tech met in Atlanta before a full house and Alabama's victory by the score of 14 to 0 marked the first time that Tech had been defeated by a Southern team under Coach Alexander. Georgia Tech was favored to win but Alabama's line play plus the speed and elusiveness of Mack Brown and Rosenfeld marked the difference between the two teams.

Tech kicked over the goal. On the second play, Brown circled his right end for about 35 yards but Alabama was soon forced to punt. Later, Wycoff punted to the Tide's 25 yard line. On fourth down, Alabama, needing but inches to go for a first down, tried a line play which Tech stopped and the ball went over on the Alabama 35. Alabama held and Williams missed a place kick.

Just before the end of the second period, Wycoff punted over the Alabama goal line. Mack Brown ran around end for 32 yards. He then ran around left end to the Tech 37, near the western side of the field. The ball was then snapped to Gillis, who threw a long pass toward the eastern side of the field, which Brown caught on the run and scored. Buckler kicked goal.

In the third period, Tech made two drives which totaled 90 yards but an exchange of punts intervened. On the second drive, Tech marched from about midfield to the Tide 6, with Wycoff doing most of the gaining. It was fourth down and one yard to do. Wycoff tried the line, came in contact with Pete Camp and the ball went over. Gillis then kicked a long one out of danger.

In the fourth quarter, Rosenfeld, who had relieved Brown, intercepted a pass on the Tide 40 and returned 8 yards. He then ran around left end to the Tech 8 yard line, a gain of 44 yards. Three plays later, Rosenfeld scored and Buckler kicked goal.

Mack Brown, with his running, which gained 135 yards in 10 plays, and Hubert, with his generalship, blocking and backing up the line, were Alabama's backfield stars along with Whitaker, who played defensive end and offensive back, and Camp in the line.

Wycoff distinguished himself in all departments of play and was the star for Georgia Tech.



NOVEMBER 1: Alabama defeated the University of Mississippi in Montgomery by scoring nine touchdowns and kicking seven goals for a score of 61 to 0. Mack Brown scored twice, once on an 80 yard run from the first scrimmage of the game, while Barnes, Caldwell, Rosenfeld and Cohen made one touchdown each, the latter's being a 75 yard run in the final period.

Alabama flashed a new offensive star in Jimmy Johnson who bucked the line and ran the ends in fine style to score three times.



NOVEMBER 8: On Homecoming Day at Tuscaloosa, Alabama crushed the Kentucky Wildcats by the score of 42 to 7.

In the opening period, Brown returned a punt to the Kentucky 40 yard line. Hubert and Whitaker drove to the 8 and Hubert hit center for the first score. A few minutes later, a bad pass from center was recovered by Sauer of Kentucky on the Tide 35. Sanders and Smith made first down. A pass, Smith to Hughes, was completed to the Tide 3 where Alabama held and the ball went over.

Near the end of the second period, Rosenfeld returned a punt 12 yards, then made 23 on two plays and then 22 more on a pass from Hubert. Gillis passed to Hubert for 10 more and then to Caldwell for a touchdown.

In the third period, Alabama drove to the Wildcat 10 yard line. A pass by Gillis was intercepted by Hughes who took the ball in stride and, never slackening his speed, ran about 95 yards for a touchdown. No Alabama man came close to tackling him.

Sauer then kicked off to Mack Brown, who took the ball on his one yard line, ran straight down the center of the field for about 25 yards, then cut to his right down the Western side lines. The interference formed down field as Brown reversed his field and ran down the Eastern side lines to score as Propst took out the last tackler.

Later in the third period, Brown ran 36 yards. Hubert, Brown and Whitaker alternated in carrying the ball and Hubert scored.

In the final period, Rosenfeld circled left end for 30 yards. Hubert made 15 and then drove off tackle for another score.

Later, Sauer punted to Rosenfeld, who caught the ball on the Tide 24 and, with Hubert leading the interference, ran 76 yards for a touchdown.

Captain Sanders, fullback, and Kirwin, end, were the defensive stars for the Wildcats.

Kentucky—Ends: Kirwin, King, Harbold. **Tackles:** Rice, Dehaven, Portwood, Shelton. **Guards:** Montgomery, Van Meter, Peyman. **Centers:** Sauer, Greech. **Backs:** Gregg, Sanders, Hughes, Smith, Tracey, Derrick, Rayless.



NOVEMBER 15: Centre and Kentucky had tied. Alabama had defeated Kentucky 42 to 7. But Centre beat Alabama in Birmingham 17 to 0. Centre played perfect football, getting the jump on Alabama and keep it throughout the game. Brown and Rosenfeld were completely bottled up and Hubert was stopped time after time by an alert and fast charging line. In the first half, Centre made 10 first downs and Alabama one.

In the first period, Centre drove to the Tide 20 where a drop kick by Covington was wide.

In the second period, Centre started from her 30 yard line. Gordy, fullback, drove through Alabama's line almost at will and Alabama simply couldn't stop Covington's passes to Lemon, who moved out wide. By cleverly mixing the plays, Covington scored and Lemon kicked goal.

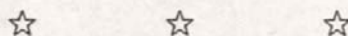
In the third period, Centre kicked out of bounds on the Tide 27: Two end runs by Brown lost 20 yards. Alabama then punted to Covington, who returned to the Tide 33. Covington passed to Lemon for 17 yards. Alabama held and Lemon kicked a field goal.

In the fourth period, Centre intercepted a pass on her own 40 yard line. Covington circled right end for 20 and then passed to Lemon for a touchdown. Lemon kicked goal.

Alabama never threatened and never advanced the ball further than Centre's 48 yard line during the game.

The entire Centre team were stars. Centre made only one substitution during the game when Priest went in for Skidmore.

Centre—Ends: Lemon, Thomasson. **Tackles:** Lynch, Skidmore. **Guards:** Hubarth, Bush. **Center:** Kubale. **Backs:** Captain Covington, Rabenstein, Wilson, Gordy.



NOVEMBER 27: Alabama presented an alert and hard charging team in badly defeating Georgia by the score of 33 to 0 in Birmingham.

In the first period, Big Ben Compton kicked two field goals from placement, one from the 33 and another from the 35 yard lines. In both instances, Georgia had stopped Alabama drives and Alabama tried for field goals instead of punting.

In the second period, Morton of Georgia punted to the Tide's 43 yard line. Barnes, Brown and Hubert carried the ball on a series of end runs and off tackle plays to Georgia's 10. Taylor, star Georgia tackle, threw Hubert for a 5 yard loss. On the next play, Hubert passed to Caldwell for a touchdown. Georgia advanced the ball as far as the center of the field as the half ended.

Alabama threatened in the third period when she carried the ball to the Georgia 22 yard line only to be held for downs.

In the final period, Propst intercepted a pass on the Georgia 42 yard line. Caldwell and Rosenfeld made a first down. Rosenfeld then circled end to Georgia's 18. On the second play, Hubert's pass over the goal to Hudson was complete. Compton kicked goal.

Later, Mack Brown intercepted a pass on his own 35 yard line and ran 65 yards for another touchdown. Compton kicked goal.

The Tide's last touchdown came when Hubert intercepted a pass on Georgia's 35. Hubert went off tackle for 17 and then aided by Caldwell, made another first down. Three line plays advanced the ball to the Georgia 3 yard line where Hubert scored. Compton converted.

Compton ended his career at Alabama by playing his best game. Oliver was shifted to guard and played excellently.

For Georgia, Taylor was the outstanding tackle on the field, repeating his fine playing of the previous year at Montgomery.