

1930 SEASON

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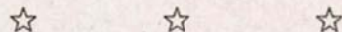
PLAYERS

Ends: Albert Elmore, Edgar Dobbs, Jimmy Moore, Autrey Dotherow, Ben Smith . . . **Tackles:** Charles Clement, Fred Sington, Newton Godfrey, Max Jackson, J. B. Whitworth, Troy Barker . . . **Guards:** Frank Howard, John Miller, Carney Laslie, Everett Sanford . . . **Center:** Jess Eberdt, Ellis Houston, Joe Sharpe . . . **Backs:** J. R. Campbell, John Suther, Ralph McRight, Ray Hansen, Leon Long, Hillman Holley, John Tucker, Dave Boykin, John Cain, William Brown, H. B. Miller.



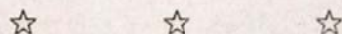
SEPTEMBER 27th: Alabama defeated Howard on the campus by the score of 43 to 0, scoring 34 points in the second quarter.

Touchdowns were made by Suther 2, Cain, Holley, Tucker and Campbell. Suther returned a kickoff 96 yards and also made a 55 yard run. Campbell ran 53 yards to score. Hugh Barr Miller scored 3 points on a drop kick while standing on Howard's 40.



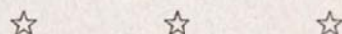
OCTOBER 4th: Alabama defeated Ole Miss on Denny Field by the score of 64 to 0 and used reserves during most of the game. The Tide made 10 touchdowns and scored in every period.

Touchdowns were made by Tucker, Smith, Campbell 2, Long, Dotherow, Holley, McRight, Suther and Causey. Joe Causey's run of 64 yards, Suther's of 58 and Campbell's of 42 yards were the longest runs of the day resulting in touchdowns.



OCTOBER 11th: Alabama won from the Tigers of Sewanee in Birmingham by the score of 25 to 0. The light Sewanee line held the Tide to one touchdown for the first three quarters. Neither Cain or Suther played at all. Coaches Wade and Neely were in Knoxville scouting the Tennessee team.

Tucker and Campbell scored two touchdowns each for the Tide.



NOVEMBER 18: Alabama and Tennessee squared off in Alabama's Homecoming Game before a capacity crowd of 18,000 fans. Alabama won by the score of 18 to 6.

The Vols played without the services of McEver, who was out for the season with a knee injury, and of Hug and Brandt, two first string ends. But they made a game of it, anyway. Alabama fans shuddered to think what the outcome might have been had they been physically fit to play.

Alabama started her shock troops and the first period was scoreless. The Tide received a break when Dotherow intercepted a Dodd pass on the Vol 33 but soon thereafter Miller fumbled, Tennessee recovered and stepped on the gas. Dodd passed to Hackman for 26 yards as the Vols marched on to the Alabama 28 yard line. At this point, three of the Tide regulars—Sington, Clement and Campbell—came in and Tennessee was stopped on the Tide 10. Miller punted to midfield. Alabama held and Dodd punted to the Alabama 19. The Tide drove to midfield as the first quarter ended.

Alabama scored in eleven plays, using a mixture of line plunges and end runs, with Cain driving the last 14 yards off tackle. Goal was missed.

Later, it was Alabama's ball on the Vol 40 yard line. Suther made 9 yards and then ran 31 yards for the second touchdown. Again goal was missed.

Tennessee came back impressively. Hackman returned the kickoff 21 yards. Dodd's pass to Rayburn moved the ball to the Tide 45 yard line. Another pass, Dodd to Disney, made 8. Dodd, who had been doing all of the passing for the Vols, then ran down the right side of the field. The ball was snapped to Hackman, who threw a long one to Dodd, who cut back and had gotten behind Alabama's safety man. The ball bounced off Dodd's chest and fell incomplete. Alabama, aided

by a 46 yard end run by Suther, drove from her 20 to the Tennessee 20 as the half ended. Alabama 12, Tennessee 0.

Campbell returned the kickoff 13 yards. Miller circled end for 27 yards to midfield. The Vols held and Miller punted to Disney, who fumbled and Sharpe recovered for the Tide on the Vol 12 yard line. It required six line plunges to make the distance with Campbell scoring. Again goal was missed.

Later, Dodd punted out of bounds on the Alabama 3. Alabama punted out of bounds and Tennessee marched to the Tide 11 yard line as the period ended.

Alabama dug in. In two plays, Disney and Hackman made 4 yards. Two passes failed and Alabama took over on her 7. Miller then punted to Dodd on the 29 yard line. Instead of passing, as Alabama expected, Dodd ran end for 13 yards. Dodd's pass to Rayburn was ruled complete because of interference. Dodd passed to Hackman on the Tide 6. Another pass was complete on the one yard line when Campbell deflected the ball into Hackman's arms. Two bucks by Disney failed to gain before Hackman scored. Goal was missed.

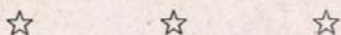
Alabama was in possession of the ball on the Tennessee 8 yard line when the game ended.

Dodd was the big gun in the Tennessee arsenal, again proving to be a fine quarterback, a splendid punter and a passer probably without an equal in the country.

All of the Tidemen played well. Coach Wade was particularly loud in his praise of Albert Elmore.

Tennessee—Ends: Clemmer, Rayburn, Derryberry. **Tackles:** Saunders, Hickman, Still, Aitkens. **Guards:** Thayer, Mayer, Franklin. **Center:** Roberts. **Backs:** Dodd, Hackman, Disney, Decker, Kohlcase.

Alabama—Ends: Elmore, Dotherow, Moore, B. Smith. **Tackles:** Whitworth, Sington, Godfrey, Clement, Jackson. **Guards:** Laslie, Sanford, J. Miller, Howard. **Center:** Eberdt, Sharpe, Houston. **Backs:** Tucker, Miller, Long, Boykin, Campbell, Suther, Cain, McRight, Holley.



OCTOBER 25: Sophomore John Cain, quarterbacking a first team of 10 seniors, led Alabama to a win over Vanderbilt at Legion Field in Birmingham by the score of 12 to 7 in a well played and exciting game.

Askew of Vandy fumbled the kickoff over the goal, recovered and was nailed by John Miller on the Vandy 7. An exchange of punts and Campbell's return placed the ball on the Vandy 25. Cain made 12 yards off tackle and Suther 9 but Campbell fumbled and Vandy recovered. Punt exchanges followed and, with the ball on his own 43, Cain kicked to Vandy's 4 yard line where Dotherow grounded the ball as the quarter ended.

Parker punted to his own 42 and the onward march began. Suther and Campbell made 8 yards and Suther then made 19 more. On a triple pass, Suther ran 11 yards to the Vandy 2 yard line where Campbell went over. Goal was missed.

In the third period, Suther returned the kickoff 59 yards, Leonard making a sensational tackle just as Suther seemed to be in the clear. Vandy held and Cain punted out of bounds on the Vandy 21 yard line. Miller then blocked Parker's quick kick, Godfrey and Howard recovering on the Vandy 15. Suther then ran wide around right end and scored. No goal.

Leonard returned the kickoff to his own 33. Two passes gained 15 yards. Three more passes failed and Vandy punted to the Tide 19. An exchange of punts gave Vandy the ball in Alabama territory for the first time. Parker passed to Schwartz to the Tide 31. After Fortune made 7, Parker passed to Schwartz for a touchdown. Schwartz kicked goal. Alabama 12, Vanderbilt 7.

Vandy was back in the ball game. The Commodores were on the march and Alabama was yielding ground in the face of passes by Parker, who completed 5 in the third quarter.

Alabama returned the kickoff to her 20 and was soon forced to punt, Vandy taking over on her 45. Leonard circled end for 15 almost getting away, but John Cain nailed him. He was hurt on the play but wouldn't come out. He then caught a pass from Parker for 12 yards to Alabama's 27. Fortune failed to gain, three passes failed—one to Schwartz over the goal which Campbell batted down—and the ball went over.

In the fourth period, Cain punted out of bounds on the Vandy 4 yard line. Vandy punted back to her 28. Three plays failed to gain. Elmore then threw the first pass of the game for Alabama, which was intercepted by Askew on the goal line and returned to the Vanderbilt 33 yard line. Alabama held and the game ended a few plays later.

Suther, with his running and Cain, with his brilliant punting and fine defensive play, were the stars for Alabama along with the entire Alabama line, especially Godfrey, sophomore tackle, who played in the place of Captain Clemens who was unable to play because of injuries.

Gracey was outstanding for Vanderbilt.

Vanderbilt—Ends: Schwartz, Berry, Foster, J. Schaefer. **Tackles:** Leyendecker, Moorehead. **Guards:** Talley, Beasley. **Center:** Gracey. **Backs:** Parker, Askew, Thomas, Fortune, Leonard, Roberts, Henderson. **Substitutes:** Kirwin, R. Lockett, Johnson.



NOVEMBER 1: Alabama defeated Kentucky in Lexington before 22,000 fans by the score of 19 to 0 on Homecoming Day.

Alabama had gotten by Tennessee and Vanderbilt without a passing attack and it was rumored that she did not have one. But Cain, Tucker and Moore not only passed effectively but their passing threat assisted in making the running plays click.

Alabama received the kickoff and Cain and Suther made a first down. Suther circled end for 45 yards. Moore's pass to Suther failed by inches. Another pass, Moore to Suther, was no good as Suther caught the ball while jumping for it and came to the ground out of bounds. Kentucky took over and punted to Alabama's 40 yard line. On a double reverse, Jimmy Moore fired a 44 yard pass to Suther, who caught the ball on the run and scored. Goal was missed. The quarter ended with the ball in Kentucky's possession on her own 45 yard line.

In the second period, a pass from Johnson to Cavana was good for 36 yards. Phipps made 6 but Clement stopped the march on the Tide 12. Cain then punted to the Wildcat 46. Kentucky again marched down the field but the Tide stopped the drive just before the half ended.

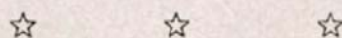
In the third period, an exchange of punts gave the Tide the ball on her own 35. Suther, Cain and Campbell drove to the Wildcat 40 in three plays. Moore passed to Suther for 10. Cain passed to Suther for 20. Four line plays carried to the one yard line where Kentucky held. Kelly punted out 40 yards. Campbell made 26 in three plays. Cain made 5 and the ball was on the Wildcat 8 as the period ended.

Campbell scored in two plays. Later, Kelly was rushed while back to punt and, as he tried to run, was tackled on his own 35 yard line and the ball went over. Coach Wade sent in his reserve backfield. Tucker and Long made 17 in two plays. Tucker made 6 through tackle and 5 through center. Long went over for the score and Whitworth kicked goal.

Again it was the Alabama line that did the work and made it possible for the backs to run.

Phipps and Captain Forquier were the stars for Kentucky.

Kentucky—Ends: Cavana, Andrews. **Tackles:** Wright, Kipping. **Guards:** Forquier, Rose. **Center:** Williams. **Backs:** Spicer, Kelly, Johnson, T. Phipps. **Substitutes:** Toth, Bronson, J. Phipps, Yates, Darby, Meyer, Aldridge, Calker.



NOVEMBER 8: Alabama and the rain spoiled Florida's Homecoming and the dedication of the new stadium at Gainesville as the Tide won by the score of 20 to 0.

Alabama started her second string team and the first period was scoreless. Florida held the reserves on their 20 and the regulars on their two yard line before falling apart from the constant pounding in the line.

In the second period, Campbell climaxed a drive of 54 yards by spinning for 21 yards and a touchdown. No goal.

In the third period, the Tide drove to the Florida 14 where they were stopped. Another drive from the Tide's 34 to the Florida 43 failed, Waters and Steele, linemen, playing brilliantly for Florida in stopping the advance. Suther and Cain carried the ball 43 yards to the Florida 11 as the period ended.

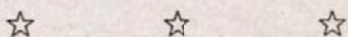
On the fourth down, Moore's pass to Suther was complete on the one yard line. Campbell scored and Whitworth kicked goal. Later, Suther intercepted a pass on Florida's 24. Four plays later, Tucker scored and Whitworth kicked goal.

Waters was the star for Florida while Moore played his best game of the year for Alabama.

Florida—Ends: Parnell, Hall. **Tackles:** Waters, Procter. **Guards:** Steele, Forsyth. **Center:** Clemons. **Backs:** Dorsett, Bethea, Sauls, Jenkins.

NOVEMBER 15: Alabama defeated the Tigers of Louisiana State in Cramton Bowl in Montgomery by the score of 33 to 0 in a heavy downpour.

The second and third teams of the Tide scored all of the points except six, the latter resulting from a touchdown run of Monk Campbell of the kickoff beginning the second half. Touchdowns were made by Tucker, Holley, Long, Bellini and Campbell.



NOVEMBER 27: John Cain, the sophomore southpaw sensation, in a fine exhibition of all around play, guided Alabama to a victory over the Georgia Bulldogs before 28,000 spectators in Birmingham by the score of 13 to 0. The victory ended an undefeated season and resulted in an invitation to the Rose Bowl on the following New Year's day. The game was a thriller and the issue in doubt until Cain scored Alabama's second touchdown in the final period.

Cain was the outstanding back on the field. Those long, high punts of his gave Downes of Georgia a miserable afternoon as he waited for the ball. And when the ball had completed its descent and Downes was prepared to haul it back, he was met by a committee from Alabama consisting of Chairman Sington, Elmore, Miller and Eberdt. Cain also led in yardage with 118 yards, his run of 24 yards setting up the first score. In the third period, he shot around right end for 40 yards. He threw one pass, which was completed to Jimmy Moore on the 1 yard line. He also backed up the line and ran interference in his usual faultless manner.

Alabama was the superior team but Georgia certainly made a fight of it by playing her best game of the season and in so doing earned the admiration of the crowd including the Alabama players.

In the first quarter, it was Alabama's ball on the Georgia 40 yard line following an exchange of punts. Cain made 24 and then passed to Moore who was downed on the Bulldog 1 yard line. Campbell then scored but missed goal. Later, Georgia drove to the Tide 38. But Sington threw Downes, attempting to pass, for a 20 yard loss.

In the third period, Cain circled end for 40 yards and the quarter ended with the ball on Georgia's 14 yard line.

Cain and Campbell made 5, Campbell drove through a big hole in the line, fumbled and Chandler recovered for a touchback as Alabama supporters groaned. This was the spark that Georgia needed. Starting from her own 20, with Roberts leading the charge, Georgia made two first downs. And then came the play that produced the real groans. Dickens passed to Chandler, who was tackled by Campbell on the Tide's 15 yard line. Roberts tried the line and Sanford stopped him for no gain. Two more plays were directed at Sanford and he stopped them cold. On fourth down, Downes faded back for a pass but Sington tackled him before he could get rid of the ball. Sanford was hurt on the play and, as he left the game, the groans of a few moments before gave way to cheers for his magnificent effort.

Later, Chandler, now a star pitcher for the New York Yankees, punted to Campbell on the Alabama 32. With Tide's blockers swinging into action, Campbell returned 58 yards to the Georgia 10 yard line. Cain gained 7, Campbell made 2 and Cain went over for a touchdown. Campbell kicked goal. The game ended a few minutes later.

Campbell was a constant threat while Suther did an excellent job of blocking as did McRight. Sington was the greatest lineman on the field and well deserved his numerous All-American selections. Miller, Godfrey and Eberdt played their usual fine games.

Chandler with his magnificent punting was of inestimable value to Georgia while Dickens gave a fine exhibition of offensive and defensive play.

The game was Wallace Wade's last one for Alabama except the Rose Bowl game. When the whistle sounded ending the game, the vast crowd rose and cheered long and loud for the man who had done so much for Alabama and Southern football.

Georgia—Ends: Captain Maffett, Smith. **Tackles:** Rose, Hamrick. **Guards:** Patterson, Maddox. **Center:** McWhorter. **Backs:** Sullivan, Davidson, Dickens, Downes, Roberts, Chandler, Mott. **Substitues:** Bennett, Crenshaw, Tassapoulas.