

Otter Air Offense Hits, 13-7

Otterbein struck twice through the air to defeat Hiram, 13-7, before a Homecoming crowd of about 2000 at Westerville Saturday.

It was the second straight win for the Cardinals after losing four straight, and left Hiram with a 1-3-1 record.

Mel Staats, Otter quarterback who has been out all season with a fractured wrist, returned to the lineup, but fumbled the first time he handled the ball and retired from the game. Hiram covered the bobble on its 47 yard line and scored its only touchdown with three minutes gone in the first quarter.

The drive required only three plays, Dick Zahn pitching a 36-yard touchdown pass to Bill Allen in the end zone.

The Cards went scoreless until only two seconds remained in the first half. Quarterback Lee Newell passed nine yards to Graham Thompson at the Terrier 20 and Thompson eluded tacklers with some fancy footwork to cover the remaining distance. He also converted for a 7-7 halftime standoff.

Another Otter quarterback, Ronnie Andrews, directed the pay-off touchdown drive in the third period. The Cards marched 73 yards, mainly on Andrews passes, and he crossed up the defense by passing again with second down and one yard to go for the score. Del Thatcher caught the ball in the end zone.

The Otterbein passing attack netted 178 yards on 11 completions in 21 attempts. The Cards also had 16 first downs to seven for the Terriers.

OTTERBEIN

ENDS—Ruh, Thatcher, Mulby, Blala.
TACKLES—Green, White, Lamb, Moore.
GUARDS—Regis, McGreary, Walton, Zimmer.

CENTERS—Potts.

BACKS—Staats, Lintner, Walterhouse, Fowler, Newell, Andrews, Reichter, Thompson, Barr, Lipscomb.

HIRAM

ENDS—Stanton, E. Smith, Crowley, M. Davis, Yerra.
TACKLES—Wallace, Allen, Johnson, London, Ross.

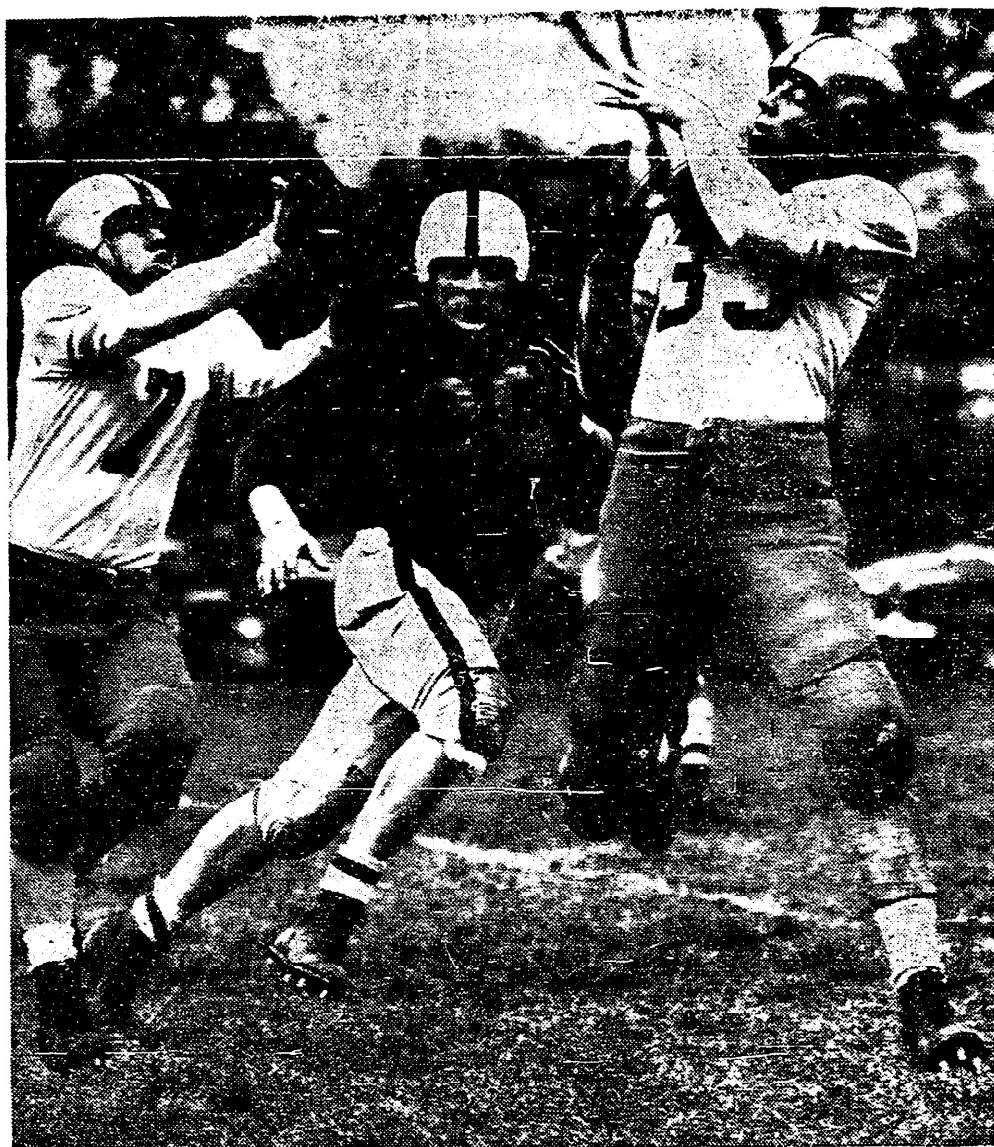
GUARDS—Stein, Gordon, B. Davis, Hoffer, Hurst, Kohler, Phillips, Oney.

CENTERS—Conant, Terry.

BACKS—Zahn, Stochl, Miller, Hrabak, Carlson, Henry, Thompson, Watkins.

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Otterbein scoring: touchdowns—Thompson, Thatcher, Conversion, Thompson. Hiram scoring: touchdown—Allen, Conversion, Stochl.



OTTERBEIN PASS COMPLETED — Otterbein End Delbert Thatcher (33) snags a pass on the Hiram 30-yard line. He toted the ball to the Hiram 12 before he was forced out of bounds. Also shown

are Hiram Halfback Robert Stochl (20) and Otterbein Back Graham Thompson (7). It was Homecoming Day at Otterbein, where the game was played.—(Dispatch Photo).

42 Top Bowlers Set to Start All-Star Elimination Event

By DICK OTTE

A field of at least 29 men and 13 women—the pick of Columbus' tenpin crop—begins competition Sunday in the elimination tournament which will send one from each division to the National All-Star match game bowling classic at Chicago.

The first of three eight-game sets for the men is scheduled at 1:30 p. m. on the Linden lanes.

has cracked three 600 series in league and tournament play within the last 10 days.

Others already lined up for the women's race are Florence Seeds, Nicky Rothfuss, Mildred Shaw, Jerry Baker, Elizabeth Miller, Evelyn Milbourne, Beulah Perkins, Irene Weidner, Louise Wolf and Betty Chaffin.

The men's field is wide open since a Chillicothe bowler won the local event last year when it was

lers. Entered and ready to go are:

Edwin McClary, Merrell Weaver, Dick Braun, Bill Elzey, Whitey Gans, Dick Reitter, Paul McCabe, Harry Gossner, Bill Evans, Jack Ritter, Tony Trappasso, Roy Lyons, Carl Williams, Jay Hyatt, Bob Winkle, Marv Oder, Paul Machack, Andy McKenzie, Cliff Robling, Don Heimberger, Lou Voisenett, Mike Cyphers, Bud Roach, Jake Richards, David France, Slim Clark, Jim