Greyhounds Race To 38-7 Margin Over Wampus Cats;

Batesville Bulldogs Coming Here Friday Night

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The Brookville Greyhounds lived up to their press clippings - big, fast, veteran team - as they raced to a 38-7 triumph on Lincoln Memorial Field, here, last Friday night in an Eastern Indiana Athletic Conference football game.

It was the 'Hounds second straight conference win in as many games, and for the Cats it was loss number two of the season.

The inexperienced Wampus Cats though battered by the powerful Brookvillians showed considerable improvement over their first game a week previous. Buzz Duff's lads host an improved Batesville Bulldog 11 On Lincoln Field this Friday night in another EIAC contest.

Coach Milt Baas' Bulldogs started the season fast with a 16-7 victory over Rushville and then topped Madison 32-14. Rushville is reportedly 'down' this year and Madison is in its first year at the pigskin sport, but Batesville is also an improved ball club over their performances of the past couple seasons. If the Cats continue to progress in practice this week as the previous week, Friday's game should be a nip and tuck battle all the way. Kickoff time is 8 p. m.

Brookville's fullback Jim Price and halfback Bob Brack were the big 'leatherluggers' for Joe Codiano with two touchdowns apiece. However, the Wampus Cats did have their moment, and electrified the home crowd when on the first scrimmage play of the game from their own 32, quarterback Dave Dunavant passed to end Jerry Thompson at midfield who rambled down the sideline for a touchdown. The play covering 68 yards, Halfback Dick Craig scored the point-after-touchdown with a plunge.

The Greyhounds were stunned and didn't gain their composure until late in the first quarter, a sustained drive of 34 yards in four scrimmage plays with Price bulling into the end zone from the two yard line.

PAT kick for extra point John Roell was low. Early in the second period the Greyhounds recovered at Cats fumble and struck again, going 62 yards on the ground with Brack dashing the last 10 for the TD. Price's kick for extra point was wide. After the Cats attack bogged down at midfield late in the period Brookville received the out-of-bounds punt on their own 32; a rushing play lost to the 23 and on the next play quarterback Dennis Berg's forward pass was intercepted by Thompson on the 38 and he treaded the sideline into the end zone, but was ruled stepping out of bounds on the 18. Two Dunavent passes to Thompson in the end zone were on target, but so was the 'Hounds defenses. Another pass to halfback Paul Schneider in the flat was too high, then a penalty put the ball on the Brooks 12 with four seconds remaining in the period. Dunavent's pass in the flat intended for Schneider was snatched by Brookville's linebacker Jim Johnson who raced 90 yards to pay dirt. Price's PAT kick was no good again.

The third quarter was a defensive standoff. After a Cambridge punt opened the fourth period action, Brack burst thru tackle for a 54 yard gallop into the end zone. Price's PAT kick was good. The winners scored again after getting the ball on a pass interception. This time Price twisted and turned from would-be tacklers on the scrimmage play, plowing 37 yards for the touchdown. Dick Meyers kick for extra point was no good. Getting possession with an onside kick, Brookville marched to the four yard line where Price missed on field goal try. Soon afterwards, a Cat's aerial was intercepted on their own 35. On the next play, Berg passed to Bill Lakes who carried into the end zone. Gene Stewart added the point-after-touchdown with a kick to complete the night's scoring.

Thompson was an all-around standout for the Cats. Craig was recognized for a good defensive game.

Gar	me Statistics	Touchdowns:					
	Cambridge City	Brookville	Cambridge City				
First Downs	3	11	Thompson				
By Rushing	2	11	Brookville				
By Passing	1	0	Price 2				
Net yds. Rushing	36	331	Brack 2				
Net yds. Passing	79	37	Johnson				
Passes Attempted	9	4	Lakes				
Passes Completed	2	2	Point after-touchdown:				
Passes Intercepted	3	1	Cambridge City				
Punts	4	1	Craig Plunge				
Punts avg yds	28.3	30.0	Brookville				
Fumbles	1	1	Price Kick				
Fumbles Lost	1	0	Stewart Kick				
Yds Penalized	0	60					
			Cambridge City 7 0 0 0 7				
			Brookville 6 12 0 20 38				

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Mike's Counsel, a six year old son of Chief Counsel owned by John & Betty Marson's Hunter Hill Farm, here, was the upset winner of the West Detroit Optimist club pace at Wolverine Harness Raceway meeting. The time was 2:07.2 (see special article elsewhere, this page) . . .

Dave Parker, undoubtedly one of Milton's all-time high school athletes hurled a perfect game last week, defeating Whitewater 8-0 in a seven inning contest of the Wayne county baseball league. He also .got three of his 'team's eight hits. Dave stars on the basketball team, too . . .

You are to note that the kickoff of the Batesville-Cambridge City game here Friday night is 8 o'clock . . . Of the 40 rushing plays Brookville crammed into the game against the Cats, fullback Jim Price carried 19 times and halfback Bob Brack 13 - that's a pretty fair 1-2 punch as opponents will realize. Price in two EIAC games has scored 27 points, Brack 18...

A couple of tips to football players who desire to be real tough on defense. In tackling get your head in front of the runner and ,drive through him - ' with a shoulder, where you're best protected. Also when tackling headon, aim your helmet at the ball. You'll be surprised how many fumbles this causes