

Friday, January 1st, 1959

Clemson Sugar Bowl Stadium

Temperature: 44 degrees
Wind: N-NW 11 miles per hr.

Clemson College

vs

Louisiana State University

Clemson Captain: Rudy Hayes and Bill Thomas

LSU Captain: Billy Hendrix

Clemson won toss, elected to receive, LSU will kick off and defend North Goal.

FIRST QUARTER

Down	LSU	Play	Down	Clemson	Play
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		Fugler kicks off for LSU to Clemson out of bounds on 16-yard line. LSU penalized 5 yards to their 35 and will kick off again.			
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		Fugler kicks off to Clemson 8, Horne returns (Fugler) to 35 for 27 yard return.			
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				Clemson 35	
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				1 Hayes (Brodnax) gains 2 at rg	
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				2 Hayes at rg gains 3 (McCreeley)	
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				3 White at rt (Strange) for 4	
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				4 Horne punts dead to LSU 28 24-yard line for 32 yard punt. 24	
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	LSU 24				
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		1 Robinson (Thomas) at rt lost 2			
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		2 Cannon (Horne) at rt gains 15 and first down on LSU 37			
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	LSU 37				
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		1 Rabb pass intended for Cannon incomplete (LSU calls time out)			
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		2 Robinson (Cordileone) at lg for no gain			
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		3 Cannon punts to Clemson 25 for 38-yard kick			
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				Clemson 25	
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				1 Hayes (Fahlden) at center gains 2	
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				2 Usry (Brodnax) at rg gains 1	
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				3 Usry (Fugler) at rg gains 3	
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				4 Horne punts to LSU 42 for 26 yard kick	
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		Rabb signals for fair catch			
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	LSU 42				
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		1 Rabb attempting to pass, slipped and fell for 8-yard loss to the LSU 34			
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		2 Cannon at rt fumbled and Maxax recovered for 1-yard gain			
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		3 Davis punts to Clemson 13. Shingler was stopped by Branch (Kick for 52-yards)			
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Clemson 13

- 1 Morgan (Lott) lost 4 at 1t
- 2 Cline (Langan) at lg gains 3
- 3 Morgan (Purvis) at lg gains 17 and first down on Clemson 29

Clemson 29

- 1 Shingler at re (Branch) gains 2
- 2 Morgan at lg (Fournet) gains 2
- 3 Morgan at lg gains 2 (Davis)
- 4 Matherne punts to LSU 20 for 45-yard kick

Purvis was stopped by Morgan at the

LSU 20

- 1 Daye at lt (Cline) for 4-yard gain
- 2 Davis (Shingler) at lg for 15 yards and first down on LSU 39

LSU 39

- 1 Purvis (Shingler) at rg gains 5
- 2 Matherne passed to McClain for 26 yards and first down on Clemson 30-yard line

Clemson 30

- 1 Purvis (Debatdeleban) at rt gains 5 to Clemson 25 as first period ends.

Score: LSU 0, Clemson 0

SECOND QUARTER

Matherne

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- 2 ~~Matherne~~ Daye fumbled for 2-yard gain. Masneri recovered for Clemson on Clemson 23

Clemson 23

- 1 Usry (Mangham) at rt gains 5
- 2 Horne (LeBlanc) at lg gains 5 and first down on ~~the~~ Clemson 33

Clemson 33

- 1 Hayes (Strange) at lg gains 5
- 2 Horne (McCreedy) at lg for no gain
- 3 White (Strange) at le loses 7 yards
- 4 Horne punts out of bounds (bad pass from center) on Clemson 29 for minus 2-yard kick

Clemson 29

- 1 Brodnax (Usry) at rt gains 8
- 2 Rabb passes to Cannon (White) for 9 yards and first down on Clemson 12

Clemson 12

- 1 Rabb pass intended for Hendrix incomplete
- 2 Rabb pass broken up by Anderson
- 3 Rabb pass intended for Robinson broken up by Eberhart
- 4 Davis (with Rabb holding) tried fake field goal
- 5 Rabb pass intended for Cannon was too long

Ball goes over to Clemson on downs on its own 12.

Clemson calls time out

Clemson 12

- 1 Cline (Fugler) at lg for 2-yard gain
- 2 White (Strange) at lt gains 3
- 3 White at re (Langham) loses 2
- 4 Cline punts to LSU 44 for 41-yard kick
Cannon signals for fair catch

LSU 44

- 1 Cannon at rg slipped and fell for 1-yard loss
- 2 Robinson (Usry) at re sweep gains 1
- 3 Rabb passes to Langham for 24 yards
and first down on Clemson 32 (run of bounds
by white)

Clemson 32

- 1 Rabb (Usry) at re for 13 yards
and first down on Clemson 19

Clemson 19

- 1 Rabb (Padgett) at center gains 3
- 2 Brodnax (Usry) at rt gains 8 and
first down on Clemson 8

Clemson 8

- 1 Cannon (Masner) at rt gains 3
- 2 Cannon at rt (Usry) gains 4 to Clemson 1 (Clemson calls time)
- 3 Brodnax at middle fumbled....Cline recovered in end zone for Clemson for
touchback. Ball is brought out to Clemson 20

Clemson 20

- 1 Morgan at lg for 3-yard gain but play
called back and Clemson penalized 15-
yards holding
- 1 Dukes at lg for 3-yard gain, play called
back, LSU penalized 5 yards offside
- 1 Mathis off rt (Schexnaildre) for 4 yards
- 2 Morgan at le (Kinchen) for 7 yard gain
- 3 Morgan at lt (Langan) for 1-yard gain
- 4 Mathis punts to LSU 39, Purvis returns
to Clemson 42 for 19-yard return. Kick
was for 36 yards

Clemson 42

- 1 LSU penalized 5 yards excessive time out
- 1 Matherne (Cox) thrown for 5-yard loss to LSU 43
- 2 Matherne pass intended for Purvis incomplete
- 3 Cannon on re sweep (Snyder) for 6-yard gain
- 4 Cannon punts to Clemson end zone for 26-yard kick. Clemson takes over on downs
on its own 20.

Clemson 20

- 1 Shingler at rt (Fournet) gains 1
- 2 Dukes (Roberts) on le sweep gains 7
- 3 Shingler at lg (Branch) for no gain as
first half ends.

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SUGAR BOWL

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HALF TIME STATISTICS

	IA STATE	CLEMSON
FIRST DOWNS	7	2
NET YARDS PUSHING	78	69
NET YARDS PASSING	59	0
PASSES ATTEMPTED	9	0
PASSES COMPLETED	3	0
PUNT AVERAGE	38.6	29.6
YARDS PENALIZED	15	15
FUMBLES LOST	2	0

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HALF TIME STATISTICS

PLAYER	LA. STATE RUSHING	TIMES CARRIED	NET YARDAGE
ROBINSON		3	-1
CANNON		6	28
RABB		3	8
DAYE		1	4
DAVIS		1	15
PURVIS		2	10
MATHERNE		2	-3
BRODNAX		3	17

Player	LA STATE PASSING	Attempted	completed	HadInteped	Yards
RABB		7	2	0	33
MATHERNE		2	1	0	26

Player	CLEMSON RUSHING	Times Carried	Net Yardage
HAYES		4	13
WHITE		4	-2
USRY		3	9
MORGAN		6	25
CLINE		2	5
SHINGLER		3	3
HORNE		2	5
MATHIS		1	4
DUKES		1	7

Player	Clemson Passing	Attempted	completed	HadInteped	Yards
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Padgett kicked off out of bounds on LSU 33
Clemson penalized 5 yards and will kick off
from 35. Padgett kicking off again to LSU

Cannon receives on LSU 8
returned to LSU 39 run out of
bounds by Horne for 31-yard return

LSU 39

- 1 Cannon (Thomas) at lg gains 4
- 2 Cannon at rt (Thomas) gains 3
- 3 Matherne pass incomplete
- 4 Cannon punts dead on Clemson 6-yard line
for 48-yard kick, but play called back.
LSU penalized 15 yards illegal use of
hands to their own 31
- 4 Davis punts to Clemson 27, rolls head
for 42-yard kick.

Clemson 27

- 1 Horne at lg (Lott) gains 4
- 2 Horne at middle (Fugler) picks up 5 yards
- 3 Hayes at middle (Strange) gains 22 and first
down on Clemson 37

Clemson 38

- 1 Usry (Fugler) at rg gains 7
- 2 Hayes (Fugler) at lg gains 2
- 3 White at rt dove for 2 yards and first
down on Clemson 49

Clemson 49

- 1 Hayes (Cannon) at rg picks up 11 yards and
first down on LSU 40

~~21x~~ LSU 40

- 1 Usry at re (Robinson) went for 8 yards
- 2 Hayes (Brodnax) at rg for 2 yards and
first down on LSU 30

LSU 30

- 1 Horne at lg (Lott) for 3-yard gain
- 2 Usry ~~pickxxxxxxx~~ lost 1 yard, fumbled
and Strange recovered for LSU on its 28

Clemson calls time

LSU 28

- 1 Purvis at rt (Snyder) gains 3
- 2 Davis hurdled over lt for 2, after slipping down
- 3 Daye at middle (J. Smith) for 4 yards
- 4 Davis punts to Clemson 19, Morgan returns 7 ~~xxxxx~~ yards to Clemson ~~17~~ 18
Kick was for 52 yards

Clemson ~~17~~ 18

- 1 Morgan (Branch) at lg loses 1
- 2 Mathis (Kinchen) at re sweep gains 3
- 3 Morgan at le sweep (Langan) for no gain
- 4 Mathis ~~xxxxx~~ back to punt, a bad pass from
center caused Cline to fumble, Leopard
recovers for LSU on Clemson 11-yard line

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annon at rg (Wasner) loses 2

annon on le sweep for 4-yard gain

run out of bounds by Horne

annon passes to Mangham for touchdown. (Time: 2:31 left in third quarter)

play good for nine yards

touchdown drive was for 11 yards Score: LSU 6, Clemson 0

3 plays.

Matherne holding, Cannon converted

Score: LSU 7, Clemson 0

r kicks off for LSU to Clemson 5-yard line, Horne returns 21 26 yards to Clemson 31, stopped by Robinson

Clemson 31

1 Hayes (Norwood) at center gains 6 yards

2 White fumbled and recovered for 1-yard gain

3 Usry (Strange) at center gains 3 and first down on Clemson 41

Clemson 41

1 White on le sweep (McClain) gains 7

2 Hayes at middle (Fugler) gains 2 yards as third quarter ends

Score: LSU 7, Clemson 0

FOURTH QUARTER

3 Hayes at rg (Mangham) gains 2 and first down on ~~21~~ LSU 48

LSU 48

1 Usry (Cannon) at re sweep for ~~na~~ gain of 1

2 Hayes (Strange) at center gains 3

3 Horne (Brodnax) at center gains 4

4 Usry at rg (Fugler) for 1 yard to LSU 39
Clemson failed to make first down, ball goes over to LSU on their own 39

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Cannon run out of bounds by Horne

after 2-yr gain at le

Robinson (Wagner) at lt gains 2

Cannon (Pilk.) at re gains 4

3 4

Cannon punts to Clemson 19.....Morgan returns 1 yard to Clemson 17

kick good fr 47 yards

Clemson 17

1 Morgan (Brodnax) at middle gains 4

2 Cline at center (Strange) gains 2

3 Shingler at le sweep (Brodnax) gains 7 and first down on Clemson 30

Clemson 30

- 1 Morgan (Strange) held for no gain at rt
- 2 Cline run out of bounds by Robinson after gain of 5 yards on re sweep
- 3 Shingler passes to Cox (Robinson) for 12 yards and first down on Clemson 47

Clemson 47

- 1 Horne (Langan) at rt loses 2
- 2 White (Kinchen) at middle for 4 yard gain
- 3 White passes to Anderson for 11-yard gain and first down on LSU 40

LSU 40

- 1 Hayes at rg (Schexnaildre) gains 3
- 2 White (Bourgeois) at le for 2-yard gain, but play called back, LSU penalized 5 yards offside.
- 2~~1~~ Hayes (Schexnaildre) at lg gains 1
- 3~~4~~ Hayes at middle (Langan) for no gain
- 4 Hayes at lg (Bourgeois) gains 3 and first down on LSU 28

LSU 28

- 1 Usry (Kinchen) at re sweep gains 1
- 2 Hayes at center (Schexnaildre) gains 3
- 3 White pass intended for Anderson broken up by Schexnaildre
- 4 White pass to Usry incomplete
Ball goes over to LSU on downs on its own 24

LSU 24

- 1 Cannon (Eberhart) at lg gains 8
- 2 Robinson at middle gains 1 stopped by Hayes
- 3 Matherne on keeper at middle gains 2 and first down on LSU 36

LSU 36

- 1 Matherne at middle (Payne) for 1 yard gain
- 2 Matherne at middle for ~~max gain~~ loss ~~of~~ 2
- 3 Matherne fumbled and Fugler recovered for no gain as game ends.

FINAL SCORE: LSU 7, CLEMSON 0

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Final Game Statistics

	La. State	Clemson
First Downs Rushing	5	10
First Downs Passing	4	2
First Downs by Penalty	0	0
Total First Downs	9	12
Yards Gained Rushing	134	195
Yards loss rushing	20	27
NET Yards Rushing	114	168
Passes attempted	11	4
Passes completed and Yardage	4 for 68 yds.	2 for 23 yds
Passes HAD intercepted	0	0
Number of Punts and average	6 for 41.4 yds	6 for 29.6 yds
Number of fumbles	4	3
Fumbles Lost	2	2
No. of Penalties	5	2
Yards Penalized	35	20

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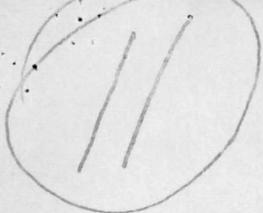
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(Starting Lineup in circles) Louisiana State Lineups

LE	<u>Hendrix</u>	McClain	Bourgeois	
LT	<u>LeBlanc</u>	McCarty	Branch	
LG	<u>Kahlden</u>	Dampier	Fournet	
C	<u>Fugler</u>	Wasson	Langan	
RG	<u>McCreedy</u>	Stupka	Lott	Nelson
RT	<u>Strange</u>	Frayer	Leopard	Bergman
RE	<u>Mangham</u>	Norwood	O	Kinchen
QB	<u>Rabb</u>	Matherne	Jenkins	
LHB	<u>Cannon</u>	Purvis	Roberts	
RHB	<u>Robinson</u>	Daye	Bourque	
FB	<u>Brednax</u>	Davis	Schexnaildre	

Clemson Starting Lineups incircles

LE	<u>Masneri</u>	DeBardelaben	Bundy	Bempsey
LT	<u>Eng</u>	<u>Padgett</u>	McCanless	Adette King
LG	<u>Payne</u>	Crout	Wagner	Ward West
C	<u>Thomas</u>	Snyder	Pilot	Andrew
RG	<u>Lynn</u>	Gobble	Branson	Carroll
RT	Kyan	<u>Cordile</u>	J. Smith	Heath Osborne
RE	<u>Anderson</u>	Cox	Zuger	Daniel
QB	<u>White</u>	Shingler	Scott	Henning Hoop
	<u>Usry</u>	Mathis	Chastain	Hess Math
RHB	<u>Horne</u>	Morgan	Daigneault	Eberhart Hay
FB	<u>Hayes</u>	Cline	Dukes	Enott



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Louisiana State vs Clemson

Score by Quarters:

LSU	0	0	7	0	-	7
CLEMSON	0	0	0	0	-	0

Scoring touchdowns LSU -- Mangham (9-yard pass from Cannon)

Extra point $\frac{1}{2}$ LSU -- Cannon (placement)

~~Scoring touchdowns CLEMSON~~

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Officials: John J. Lynch (Holy Cross) Referee. Harwood T. Smith (Duke) Umpire
H.M. (Hawk) Cavette (Ga. Tech) Head Linesman. James W. Grey (Davidson) Field
Judge. William C. Gibson (Ga. Tech) Back Judge. Daniel J. Lyons (Loyola)
Clock Operator.

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Sugar Bowl New Orleans Jan. 1, 1959 Final Game Statistics
Clemson Individual Statistics

Player	Rushing			Net yards
	Times Carried	Yds Gained	Yds Lost	
HAYES	17	55	0	55
WHITE	8	20	10	10
USRY	10	30	1	29
MORGAN	10	33	5	28
CLINE	5	12	9	3
SHINGLER	4	10	0	10
HORNE	7	21	2	19
MATHIS	2	7	0	7
DUKES	1	7	0	7
TOTALS:	64	195	27	168

Player	Clemson Punting			Yards Gain
	Attempted	Completed	Had Intercepted	
SHINGLER	1	1	0	12
WHITE	3	1	0	11
TOTAL:	4	2	0	23

Player	Clemson Punting		
	No. Punts	Yards	Average
HORNE	3	56	18.6
MATHIS	2	80	40.5
CLINE	1	41	41.0
TOTAL:	6	197	

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Louisiana State Individual Statistics

RUSHING

Player	Times Carried	Yds. Gained	Yds. Lost	Net Yards
ROBINSON	5	4	2	2
CANNON	13	54	3	51
RABB	3	16	8	8
DAYE	2	8	0	8
DAVIS	2	17	0	17
PURVIS	3	13	0	13
MATHERNE	6	5	7	-2
BRODNAX	3	17	0	17
TOTALS	37	134	20	114

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Player	LSU Passing		Had Intcped	Yards Gained
	Attempted	Completed		
RABB	7	2	0	33
MATHERNE	3	1	0	26
CANNON	1	1	0	9
TOTALS	11	4	0	68

Player	L S U Punting		Yards	Average
	No.	of Punts		
CANNON	3		104	34.7
DAVIS	3		146	48.7

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Final Game Statistics

La. State Receiving Player	Receiving Passes Caught	Yards	La State Player	Runbacks No. pass Intc. Yds	No. punt Runb. yds	No. K.O. Runb Yds.
McCLAIN	1	26	PURVIS		2 FOR 19	
CANNON	1	9	CANNON			1 FOR 31
MANGHAM	2	33				
TOTALS	4	68				

Clemson Receiving Player	Receiving passes caught	Yards	Clemson Player	Runbacks No. pass Intc. Yds	No. punt Runb. yds	No. K.O. Runb Yds.
COX	1	12	SHINGLER		1 FOR 0	
ANDERSON	1	11	MORGAN		2 FOR 11	
			HORNE			2 FOR 53
TOTALS	2	23				

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Coaches' Statements

Coach Paul Dietzel of Louisiana State

"It was a wonderful victory. They're just as fine when you win 'em, 7-0 as 30-0. I'm very happy that we won.

That was a perfect strike Cannon threw on that pass play for the touchdown.

Losing Rabb hurt us in this respect. He had been working with the White backfield all season, but Durel Matherne, our No. 2 quarterback, did a fine job, though, both on offense and defense.

Clemson proved tougher than most people figured. But we knew we would have to play at our top peak to beat them. They were a good team.

Coaches' Statement

By Coach Frank Howard of Clemson College

In his ~~usual~~ usual relaxed way, Coach Frank Howard of Clemson said he was well pleased with his team.

Hell; I think we'd have beat them if that boy had held onto that little screen pass, Howard said. "I was going for those two ~~points~~ and beat them.

Other than not winning, he said, "I was pretty well pleased with my team.

Howard paid special tribute to Bo Strange.

"~~Ixxix~~ didn't think we would hold them to one touchdown, but I didn't think they would shut us out, either."

"LSU has a good team, they rate the No. 1 spot in the nation.

✕ " Cannon is quite a boy. Deserves his All-America rating.

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