

West Virginia Runs Wild in 28-10 Victory Over Cal

BERKELEY (AP)—West Virginia fullback Heywood Smith ran through the middle of California's defense for 146 yards and two touchdowns Saturday as the Mountaineers defeated the Bears, 28-10.

Smith's second 1-yard touchdown run, midway in the fourth period, gave West Virginia a 21-10 lead and teammate Artie Owens scored on a 4-yard run on the final play of the game to increase the winning margin.

Chuck Muncie, Cal's versatile running back, rushed for 107 yards, caught several passes and also completed a pass for a 50-yard gain which moved the ball deep into West Virginia territory early in the final quarter, but did not lead to a score.

The score was 7-7 at halftime, with Smith scoring for the Mountaineers in the first quarter and Tom Newton plunging 1 yard for a Cal touchdown in the second.

Ron Lee, of West Virginia, broke the tie with another one-yard touchdown run early in the third period before Jimmy Breech kicked a 28-yard field goal for Cal.

Owens, star of West Virginia's opening victory over Temple, gained 118 yards against Cal, which played without its regular defensive middle guard, Paul Von der Mehden, who has a knee injury.

Owens ran 52 yards, West Virginia's longest gain of the game, on a play off right tackle in the final touchdown drive, which came after

Cal was stopped at the Mountaineers' 25-yard line.

The Bears' Steve Rivera, leading receiver in the Pacific 8 last season, caught two passes on the final California drive, but dropped a well thrown pass by Fred Besana at the 10 to kill his team's last chance for a score.

Muncie's 50-yard pass went to Wes Walker, who was stopped at the West Virginia 16. After moving to the 12, Cal attempted a pass off a fake field goal play but Chuck Braswell intercepted the throw by Joe Roth to protect West Virginia's 14-10 lead at that point.

The Mountaineers then drove 88 yards for their third touchdown, with Smith and Lee carrying the load on running plays and quarterback Dan Kendra throwing an 18-yard completion to Scott MacDonald.

West Virginia is 2-0 for the season, Cal 0-2.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

West Virginia	7	0	7	14	—28
California	0	7	3	0	—10
WV—H. Smith 1 run (McKenzie kick)					
Cal—Newton 1 run (Breech kick)					
WV—Lee 1 run (McKenzie kick)					
Cal—FG Breech 28					
WV—H. Smith 1 run (McKenzie kick)					
WV—Owens 4 run (McKenzie kick)					
Attendance—23,375					

STATISTICS

	WV	Cal
First downs	22	20
Rushes-yards	61-337	44-160
Yards passing	90	179
Return yards	-1	40
Passes	7-13-1	16-31-1
Punts	4-35.5	2-33.5
Fumbles-lost	0-0	2-0
Penalties-yards	6-40	4-20