



These guys think they're pretty good...

...so does the Elco football team...



...so do the Donegal High cheerleaders.

Indians grab lead in Section 3

It was billed as a hard-fought defensive battle, and that's what it was, for the first fifteen minutes.

Then the Donegal offensive line, working with the powerful precision of a steamroller, began to flatten the Elco defense.

Running back Pete Splain drove through the broad avenues the linemen created, cruising 110 yards on 11 carries. The Indian backfield ran 256 yards in the game, to the Raiders' 112.

When the clock ran out, the Indians had won 27-0.

They had also taken sole possession of the number one spot in Section 3 of the Lancaster Lebanon Football League. It was the first time since 1963 that a Donegal team had been in first place this late in the season.

The offensive linemen — Randy Derr, Pete Gohn, Jim Shrum, Bill Lambert, Floyd Runkle, Tom Weber, Gary Byrd and Scott Boylan — have never played better.

In addition to their road-building efforts on behalf of the running backs, the boys erected

excellent roadblocks for quarterback Brian Ney, who was only forced to scramble once in the course of the evening.

The Indian defense also had a good night. Pass interceptions by Scott Boylan and Keith Persun helped the defensive unit

add a fifth shut-out to the Indian's 5-1 record this year.

Arlen Mummau and Scott Jones accounted for

two Donegal touchdowns. Both scored on passes from Brian Ney.

The other two Donegal TD's were Splain's work. Pete kicked two conversions, and Jones caught a pass from Ney for another two points.

Next week, the Indians travel to Annville-Cleona to take on the Little Dutchmen.

A-C has a deceptively mediocre 2-2-1 record this year. The numbers hide a record of very close losses, a powerful defensive unit, and an excellent quarterback named Mike Sorentino. Sorentino runs as well as he throws, which could prove a dangerous combination for the Indians, who have had trouble protecting themselves against option plays.

The game will be critical for Donegal.



Donegal backs had room to run

Mimi Ginder is new Homecoming Queen



Newly-crowned Homecoming Queen Mimi Ginder is driven on her triumphal circuit of the DHS football field by Brian Newcomer, escort of last year's Queen, Suzanne Frey.



Runner-up Deb Sarbaugh is shown with her escort, Ted McKain.

Mimi Ginder tried not to cry when Suzanne Frey, last year's Homecoming Queen, put the crown on Mimi's head last Friday night. It's hard to look radiant when you're trying not to cry, but Mimi

somehow succeeded.

For the first time this year, a runner-up was announced. The award went to Deb Sarbaugh.

The junior class won the float competition.

The band, resplendent in

their new uniforms, has performed exceptionally well all year, and their homecoming performance was no exception.

It would have been a great show, even if the football team had lost.