WEEK SIX KANSAS STATE AT BAYLOR

WACO, Texas -- A rough day for Baylor kicker Connor Martin ended with a game-winning field goal.

Martin missed three field goal attempts and an extra point, but his third made field goal was a 29-yarder with eight seconds left Saturday to give the Bears a 37-34 win over Kansas State.

"I felt like I owed everybody," Martin said. "My job as a specialist is to help bail out the offense when they're not able to get things going. I feel like our offense and defense bailed me out. I left a lot of points on the field, so I really wanted it for them. I was like I've got to make it for these guys because they saved my butt all day."

After Kansas State tied the game at 34 on Skylar Thompson's 28-yard touchdown pass to Dalvin Warmack with 4:26 left, quarterback Charlie Brewer set up the Bears (4-2, 2-1 Big 12) for the game-winning kick by driving them 76 yards on 11 plays.

"As a quarterback in this offense, you like that situation, to have a chance to go seal the deal there at the end," said Brewer, who completed 30 of 44 passes for 296 yards with a touchdown and interception. "Which we were able to do."

Jalen Hurd had 11 catches for 135 yards, and the former Tennessee running back also ran for 56 yards and a touchdown for the Bears, who last year won only once in coach Matt Rhule's first season. Trestan Ebner ran for 100 yards.

Alex Barnes ran 22 times for 250 yards and three touchdowns for Kansas State (2-4, 0-3).

"The offensive line had a really good day today, and most of those runs I was not touched," Barnes said. "I was getting to the second and third level scot free, so it's a well-executed game plan that we had in the run game and by the coordinators calling the game."

A week after Thompson came in after halftime and sparked the Wildcats in a home loss to Texas, he returned to the starting role and played the entire game. He was 15 of 26 for 149 yards with a touchdown and two interceptions and ran for 50 yards and a score.

Barnes opened the fourth quarter with a 48-yard TD run that tied the game at 20 before the Wildcats' extra point was blocked. Thompson's 52-yard TD run with 10:38 left put the Wildcats ahead.

"I don't know how he graded out, but he'd like to have some snaps back," K-State coach Bill Snyder said. "He also did some good things. He played OK. He could have played better. He led some drives and did a nice job, especially early in the ballgame."

Brewer's 21-yard TD pass to Denzel Mims tied the game again before freshman Craig Williams scored on a 21-yard run with 6:41 left to put the Bears back in front.

"That first college touchdown feels great," Williams said. "I'm going to remain humble, stay patient, and when my number is called again, I'll be ready."

THE TAKEAWAY

Kansas St.: Despite the loss, Barnes had another field day at McLane Stadium, where he ran for 129 yards and four touchdowns in 2016. The Wildcats had problems on special teams, including fumbling the opening kickoff of the second half, missing a field goal, muffing a punt they recovered and having an extra point blocked that would have given them a 21-20 lead early in the fourth quarter.

Baylor: The Bears could have put this one away much sooner. They reached at least the Kansas State 32 five times in the first half and had 12 points to show for it. But they did a better job of keeping drives alive and reaching the end zone in the second half. They finished 10 for 17 on third-down conversions.

BEARS CASH IN ON MISTAKES

Baylor collected only two takeaways in the first five games of the season, but it came away with three.

More importantly, the Bears turned those Kansas State miscues into $21\ \mathrm{points.}$

Safties Jairon McVea and Christian Morgan recorded the first interception of their Baylor careers, and the Bears pounced on the second-half kickoff for their first fumble recovery of the season.

Final KSU BAY	1 7 3	2 7 9	3 0 8		4 20 17	T 34 37	
Scoring Summary - FIRST QUARTER KSU FG 11:17					KS	ប	BAY
Connor Martin 35 11 plays, 58 yard BAY TD 9:04	ls, 3:43				C)	3
Alex Barnes 55 Yo 6 plays, 75 yards SECOND QUARTER BAY FG 14:40		ck McLe	llan Ki	.ck)	7 KS		3 BAY
Connor Martin 28 9 plays, 51 yards BAY TD 9:47	3, 2:22				7	,	6
Charlie Brewer 3 10 plays, 43 yard KSU TD 5:50		Connor	Martin	PAT :	failed) 7	,	12
Alex Barnes 34 Yo 2 plays, 36 yards THIRD QUARTER		ck McLe	llan Ki	ck)	1 KS		12 BAY
BAY TD 14:28 Jalen Hurd 1 Yd F 2 plays, 19 yards FOURTH QUARTER		lie Bre	wer Pas	s to	for Tw	4	t Conversion) 20 BAY
KSU TD 14:51 Alex Barnes 48 Yo 7 plays, 69 yards		ck McLe	llan PA	T blo			20
KSU TD 10:38 Skylar Thompson 5 5 plays, 68 yards BAY TD 8:32		(Andre	w Hicks	Kic	k) 2	7	20
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Connor Martin 29 12 plays, 76 yard		Goal			3	4	37
Team Stats First Downs Total Yards			KSU 20 468		BAY 38 557		
Total Plays Avg Gain Per Play			61 7.7		93 6.0		
Net Yards Rushing Rushes Yards Per Rush	I		319 35 9.1		261 48 5.4		
Net Yards Passing Comp-Att	ı		149 15-26		296 30-		
Yards Per Pass Times Sacked			5.7 4		6.6 3		
Yds Lost To Sacks Interceptions Punts	5		-25 2 2		-27 2 1		
Punt Average Penalties			0.0		0.0		
Penalty Yards Fumbles			55 3		10 3		
Fumbles Lost Possession			1 25:46		0 34:	14	
Individual Stats RUSHING KSU	Beret.	- Lw	3		m.	•	_
Alex Barnes Skylar Thompson	Rush 22 9	Yds 250 50		4	TD 3 1	Lon 55 52	, _
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Trestan Ebner JaMycal Hasty	17 9	100			0	18	3
Jalen Hurd Craig Williams	8	56 35	7.0 17.		1 1	37 21	•
Charlie Brewer PASSING KSU	12 Comp	10	0.8		1	10	
Skylar Thompson BAY	15 Comp	26 Att	149 Yds	5.7 Y/A	1 TD	2 Int	70.8 QBRat
Charlie Brewer Trestan Ebner RECEIVING	3 0 0	44 1	296 0	6.7 0.0	1 0	1	60.1 0.0
KSU Isaiah Zuber	Rec 7	Yds 56	Avg 8.0		TD 0	Long 12	
Dalton Schoen Dalvin Warmack	2	30 28	15.0 28.0		0	26 28	
Alex Barnes Zach Reuter	2 1	22 7	11.0 7.0		0 0	11 7	
Isaiah Harris	2 Rec	6 Yds	3.0 Avg		0 TD	8 Long	
Jalen Hurd Denzel Mims	11 8	135 90	12.3		0	17 21	
Chris Platt Marques Jones	3 2	30 17	10.0 8.5		0	16 9	
Trestan Ebner JaMycal Hasty	3 2	13 11	4.3 5.5		0	6 6	
Tyquan Thornton	1	0	0.0		0	0	