

WEEK TEN
KANSAS ST at KANSAS

Thompson runs for 3 TDs as No. 22 K-State routs Kansas 38-10

LAWRENCE, Kan. -- Skylar Thompson ran for 127 yards and three touchdowns, Harry Trotter added 92 yards rushing and another score and No. 22 Kansas State romped to a 38-10 victory over Kansas on Saturday.

Thompson also had 129 yards passing for the Wildcats (6-2, 3-2), who showed no letdown from their upset of then-No. 5 Oklahoma in bludgeoning the Jayhawks (3-6, 1-5) for the 12th consecutive time.

Carter Stanley was 13 of 23 for 115 yards and two interceptions for Kansas before leaving with an injury late in the game. Star running back Pooka Williams managed just 61 yards rushing.

The Wildcats held new coach Les Miles' team to 241 yards of offense, a 2-for-10 mark on third down and stopped it on both fourth down tries. Kansas State also had four sacks, dominated the time of possession and had 342 yards rushing in what turned into a lopsided affair.

Both teams rolled into Memorial Stadium off big wins, though. Along with the Wildcats' win over the Sooners, the Jayhawks beat Texas Tech on a game-ending field goal -- the two wins separated by a stretch of Interstate 70 each prompting field-stormings and Big 12 reprimands.

So there was a little more excitement than usual for the Sunflower Showdown. Kansas announced a sellout for the first time since 2009, and fans were still waiting in long lines at security outside the stadium long after the game had kicked off.

Many of them missed the only time it was tied.

Kansas State promptly marched 88 yards for an opening touchdown, pounding it downfield with its run game despite having its top two running backs slowed by injuries. And when the Jayhawks managed a field goal, the Wildcats answered with a 78-yard touchdown march for a 14-3 lead.

Stanley, who had been so solid the past two weeks, threw both of his interceptions in the first half. The second came with less than 2 minutes left and set Kansas State up for a field goal.

The only gripe the Wildcats at the break were the penalties: They were flagged seven times for 78 yards, or exactly four yards more than Kansas had in total offense.

The Wildcats ended any chance of a comeback with a 75-yard touchdown drive to open the second half. It was capped by Thompson scrambling to his right, then winning a race with Kansas safety Mike Lee to the end zone for his sixth touchdown rushing in the past two weeks.

Thompson added a seventh early in the fourth quarter, when new Kansas State coach Chris Klieman began to grind away his first win in the 108-year history of the series.

BROTHERLY LOVE

Kansas State fullback Jax Dineen sent his brother, Kansas linebacker Jay Dineen, hobbling to the sideline with a knee injury after a dastardly block late in the third quarter.

WOODLAND'S MOMENT

U.S. Open champion Gary Woodland, a Topeka native who played briefly at Kansas, was honored early in the game. It was the one moment that Kansas State and Kansas fans both cheered.

THE TAKEAWAY

Kansas State proved a massive gulf still exists between the Wildcats and their biggest rival. Not only did they dominate, they did it without much help from top running backs James Gilbert and Jordon Brown, both of whom were nicked up in last week's game against the Sooners.

Kansas had been averaging 548 yards per game since Miles fired offensive coordinator Vic Koenning and promoted Brent Dearmon. But the Jayhawks never got on track against the Wildcats.

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KSU	7	10	7	14	38
KU	3	0	0	7	10

Scoring Summary -----

Quarter	Time	Player	Yards	Result	KSU	KU
FIRST QUARTER	7:21	Skylar Thompson	1	Run (Blake Lynch Kick)		0
	10 plays		88	yards, 5:54	7	
	4:50	Liam Jones	34	Field Goal		3
SECOND QUARTER	14:54	Harry Trotter	9	Run (Blake Lynch Kick)		3
	10 plays		78	yards, 4:51	14	
	0:00	Blake Lynch	39	Field Goal		3
THIRD QUARTER	10:52	Skylar Thompson	12	Run (Blake Lynch Kick)		3
	9 plays		75	yards, 4:08	24	
	12:18	Skylar Thompson	4	Run (Blake Lynch Kick)		3
FOURTH QUARTER	6 plays		26	yards, 2:36	31	
	9:30	Tyler Burns	14	Run (Blake Lynch Kick)		3
	0:35	Manny Miles	1	Run (Liam Jones Kick)		10
5 plays		66	yards, 0:55	38		

Team Stats	KSU	KU
First Downs	23	12
Passes for First	5	9
Rushes for First	17	2
Penalties for First	1	1
Third Down Efficiency	11-17	2-10
Fourth Down Efficiency	0-0	0-2
Total Yards	471	241
Total Plays	76	51
Avg Gain Per Play	6.2	4.7
Net Yards Rushing	342	61
Rushes	60	25
Yards Per Rush	5.7	2.4
Net Yards Passing	129	180
Comp-Att	9-16	15-26
Yards Per Pass	8.1	6.9
Times Sacked	1	4
Yds Lost To Sacks	-4	-33
Interceptions	0	2
Punts	5	5
Punt Average	37.4	42.6
Penalties	11	4
Penalty Yards	113	55
Fumbles	1	0
Fumbles Lost	0	0
Time of Poss	38:03	21:57

Individual Stats

RUSHING					
KANSAS ST	Rush	Yds	Avg	TD	LONG
Skylar Thompson	17	127	7.5	3	34
Harry Trotter	20	92	4.6	1	10
Tyler Burns	7	58	8.3	1	18
Joe Ervin	10	46	4.6	0	13
Phillip Brooks	3	9	3.0	0	6
Jordon Brown	2	8	4.0	0	4
Nick Ast	1	2	2.0	0	2
KANSAS	Rush	Yds	Avg	TD	LONG
Pooka Williams Jr.	14	61	4.4	0	13
Velton Gardner	3	16	5.3	0	10
Manny Miles	2	11	5.5	1	10
Ben Miles	1	0	0.0	0	0
Carter Stanley	5	-27	-5.4	0	6

PASSING							
KANSAS ST	Comp	Att	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
Skylar Thompson	9	16	129	8.1	0	0	96.5
KANSAS	Comp	Att	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
Carter Stanley	13	23	115	5.0	0	2	3.1
Manny Miles	2	3	65	21.7	0	0	99.2

RECEIVING					
KANSAS ST	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	LONG
Dalton Schoen	2	67	33.5	0	46
Nick Lenners	2	19	9.5	0	10
Landry Weber	1	18	18.0	0	18
Phillip Brooks	1	9	9.0	0	9
Malik Knowles	1	7	7.0	0	7
Harry Trotter	1	5	5.0	0	5
Wykeen Gill	1	4	4.0	0	4
KANSAS	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	LONG
Stephon Robinson Jr.	4	62	15.5	0	33
Daylon Charlot	4	49	12.3	0	32
Andrew Parchment	5	49	9.8	0	23
Pooka Williams Jr.	1	17	17.0	0	17
Jack Luavasa	1	3	3.0	0	3