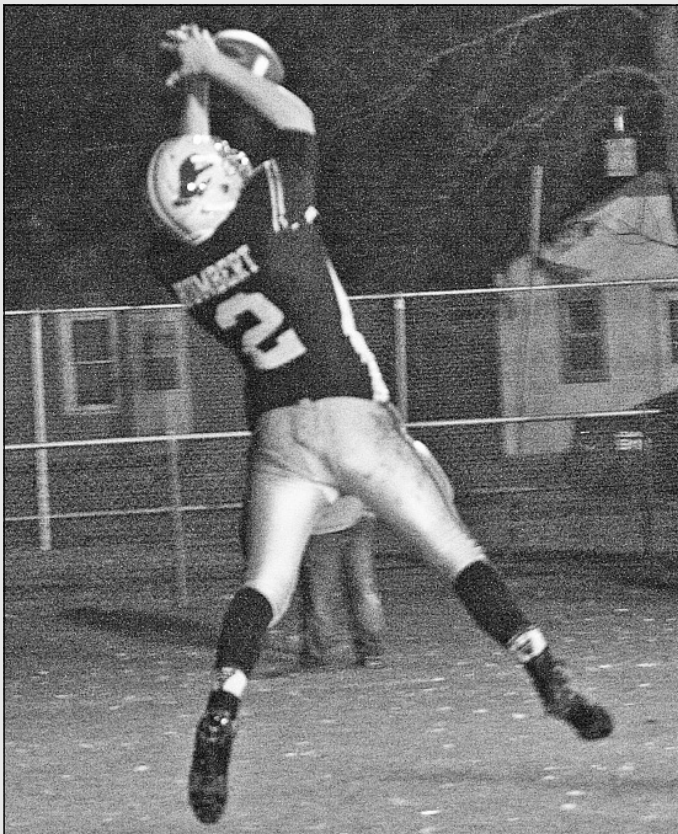


# SPORTS



The Broncos' Ben Humbert (2) jumps up to catch a touchdown pass as time expires in the first half of Friday's home game against Virginia. Humbert's reception capped off the Falls scoring 37 second-quarter points, a team record for the most points in a single quarter.

## FOOTBALL

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touchdown run by Parker Davis. Virginia continued to trail, 16-6, after the 2-point conversion failed. Ettestad then put the Broncos back in front by two touchdowns on a 53-yard run and also ran in the 2-point conversion for a 24-6 lead.

He ended up leading the team in scoring with 18 points on two touchdowns and three 2-point conversions.

The Falls scored its final two touchdowns of the second quarter in the final 2 minutes.

Broncos quarterback Jakob Eide threw an 80-yard touchdown pass to senior end Luke Spilde. Riley Rasmussen then kicked the extra point, the team's first this season.

After Virginia fumbled the ensuing kickoff, Eide connected on a touchdown pass with junior end Ben Humbert from about 10 yards away as time expired in the half. Falls' lead remained 37-6 at halftime after Rasmussen's extra-point kick was blocked.

Rainfall had been present early in the game, but then went away as the game

progressed and the Broncos took control.

"The turnovers hurt us to begin with," Humbert said. "It was slippery, we put the ball on the ground a lot, but we picked it up from there and kept rolling."

The Falls ended up losing three of four fumbles, while Virginia lost three of its five fumbles. Neither team had an interception.

The Broncos added a pair of touchdowns in the final quarter when several reserves saw playing time.

Falls running back Nehemiah Olson broke tackles before diving into the end zone to cap off a 29-yard touchdown run with 10:40 to play. Rasmussen kicked the extra point to extend the Broncos' lead to 44-6 as running time began.

Olson led the Falls in rushing with 17 carries for 181 yards and a touchdown.

The Broncos' final touchdown came with 1:32 to play on a 9-yard run by freshman running back Brady Wright. The score stayed at 50-6 after the pass for the 2-point conversion failed.

The victory improved Falls' season record to 2-3 in the Sea Range Conference and 3-4 overall, while Virginia remained winless after seven games.

The Broncos close out



The Broncos' Nick Hedtke (25) runs with the football while being pursued by two Virginia players in Friday's game at Sports Stadium.



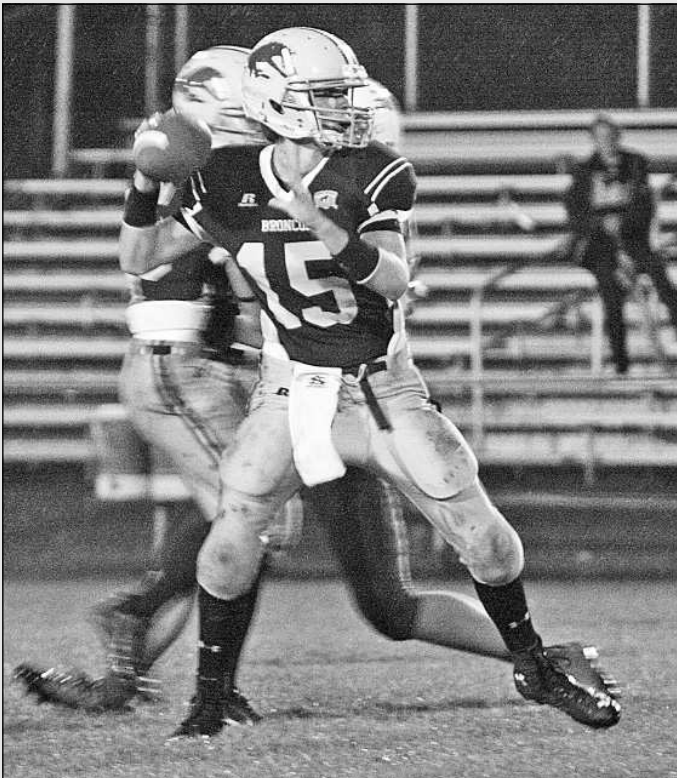
The Broncos' Brady Wright (20) runs into the end zone to score a fourth-quarter touchdown in Friday's home game against Virginia.

the regular season tonight at home against Greenway/Nashauk-Keewatin, prior to the first round of the Section 7AAA playoffs Oct. 22.

"We still have a hope of a home playoff game, but either way looking at it, it looks like we're probably going to play Two Harbors again, or possibly Duluth

Marshall," Boyle said. "We know that we can play with them. We've just got to keep working and go out there and do it."

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**Scoring:** IF: Jakob Ettestad, 1-yard run (Ettestad run); IF: Cody Hallin,



Broncos quarterback Jakob Eide drops back to pass in Friday's home game against Virginia. Eide completed five of six passes for 127 yards and two touchdowns.

45-yard run (Ettestad run); V: Parker Davis, 9-yard run (pass failed); IF: Ettestad, 53-yard run (Ettestad run); IF: Luke Spilde, 80-yard pass from Jakob Eide (Riley Rasmussen kick); IF: Ben Humbert, 10-yard pass from Eide (kick failed); IF: Nehemiah Olson, 29-yard run (Rasmussen kick); IF: Brady Wright, 9-yard run (pass failed).  
**Team statistics:** IF: 398 yards rushing, 149 passing, 547 total.

V: 98 yards rushing, 65 passing, 163 total.  
**Rushing:** IF: Olson, 17-181, 1 TD; Hallin, 2-80, 1 TD; Ettestad, 12-65, 2 TDs; Shane Nicholson, 4-39; Nick Hedtke, 6-25; Wright, 3-20, 1 TD; Eide, 3-(-12).  
**Passing:** IF: Eide, 5-6, 127 yards, 2 TDs; Riley Nemec, 1-1, 22 yards.  
**Receiving:** IF: Spilde, 2-95, 1 TD; Jacob Huffhagle, 1-22; Hallin, 2-21; Humbert, 1-11, 1 TD.

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