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Senior defensive end Art Davis explained "when you win, everyone wants to jump on the bandwagon, and that's good. Winning is fun, and when the guys come out, they're out to have fun."

Cardinals stomp Evangel

William Jewell's 30-16 win over Evangel College Saturday night in Liberty was a debut for the Cardinals in more ways than one. Not only was it their season opener, but senior quarterback Scott Sandridge started his first game for Jewell.

The first thing the Greene Stadium crowd learned about Sandridge was that he didn't waste time. In the opening drive, the Cardinals and their new quarterback went 77 yards in nine plays, scoring before five minutes had elapsed. The drive was highlighted by two nine-yard bursts from running back Scoop Gillespie and two nine-yard passes to wide receiver Jimi Reed. A nine-yard reception by tight end Jeff Morhaus

made it second down and inches on Evangel's 33. Sandridge then ran a keeper around right end and sprinted 33 yards for the touchdown. Eddy Adden's extra point attempt was wide to the right and Jewell led 6-0.

The Cardinals forced Evangel to punt on their first possession, but a clipping call on the return pinned Jewell to their own seven. Then, a two-yard loss, a delay of game penalty and an incomplete pass later, the Cards found themselves third and fifteen on their own two. But a 22-yard pass to Morhaus revitalized the Cardinal offense. Running back Steve Hodges, who had been stopped cold in the first drive, exploded with runs of ten and nine yards and a 17-yard reception. A 36-yard

strike from Sandridge to Reed set up a first and goal on the seven, and Hodges punched in the Cardinal's second touchdown with less than a minute left in the first quarter. Once again, Adden's kick was wide to the right and Jewell led 12-0.

Four plays later it was 12-6. Evangel's freshman tailback Tony Dollinger ignited his team with a 24-yard run, and in the first play of the second quarter, quarterback Jay Lohrey connected with George Skipper on a 54-yard touchdown pass. Kicker John Spurling made it 12-7.

With two minutes left in the first half, an Evangel punt put the Cardinals on their own three.

Jewell struck once more in the first half as linebacker Jerry Twigg

batted down a lateral and the Cardinal defense recovered.

With three minutes left in the game, Evangel mounted a nine play, 74-yard drive, capped by a Darryl Cazares one yard touchdown plunge. Spurling made it 30-16.

William Jewell indeed looked impressive in their first outing as they amassed 336 total yards against Evangel's 215. Scott Sandridge completed 10 of 15 passes for 177 yards and one touchdown. Senior fullback Steve Hodges led Cardinal rushers with 53 yards in 16 attempts, and two touchdowns.

Jewell will pit their 1-0 record against Division I Missouri Western State on Sept. 10 at 7:30 p.m. here in Liberty.