Gobblets Tie S.C. Freshmen

COLUMBIA, S.C. — Time ran out at the Virginia Tech one yard line Saturday night with South Carolina’s freshmen frantically signalling for a time out but the unbeaten Biddies had to settle for a 24-24 tie.

Virginia Tech, which missed three placement attempts and a two point try after its four touchdowns, converted two big fourth period breaks into touchdowns to come from a 24-12 deficit for the tie.

The Gobblets drove 54 yards in six plays plus a pass interference penalty to tie the score but Luke Marsingill’s placement attempt was off to the left. Sandy Johnson had missed from placement after the first two scores and a two point pass attempt after the

The tying touchdown was scored by Phil Rogers on a four yard burst off left tackle. Tech is now 1-1-1.

South Carolina .............3 7 7 7-24
Va. Tech .................. 0 6 6 12-24
SC—Marling FG 43.
SC—Thomas 1 run (Smith kick).
VT—Hardee 37 pass from Kinsey (kick failed).
VT—Dick 24 pass from Kinsey (kick failed).
SC—Swan 1 run (Marino kick).
SC—Thomas 1 run (Marino kick).
VT—Hardee 45 fumble return (pass failed).
VT—Rogers 4 run (kick failed).

After—3,082.

SC VT
First downs .............. 21 14
Rushing yardage 72-343 32-75
Passing yardage 89 214
Return yardage 33 45
Passes .............. 7-14-1 11-27-2
Punts .................. 3-32.7 6-38.5
Fumbles lost ........... 1 1
Yards penalized ....... 127 80