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MORRIS--The University of Minnesota, Morris Cougars lost a hard-fought game last Saturday evening to Minot State Teachers College, 17 to 14. The game was played at Morris.

Minot scored their winning touchdown with only 45 seconds remaining in the game. However, the winning margin turned out to be two safeties that Minot was awarded.

UMM took an early lead with a touchdown midway through the second quarter on a 14 yard pass from quarterback Denny Malherek to Paul Jorgenson, left half. Malherek kicked the extra point.

Minot tied the game on the following series of plays. Late in the second quarter Stu Starner, Cougar defensive safety, intercepted a pass on his own 2 yard line, fumbled the ball and a Cougar recovered in the end zone for a Minot safety. This gave Minot a 9 to 7 lead.

The Cougars went ahead early in the fourth quarter when Steve Chaon scored from the one yard line. Malherek added the extra point and UMM led 14 to 9.

Minot closed the gap to 14 to 11 in the middle of the fourth quarter when they blocked a UMM punt which rolled through the Cougar end zone for a Minot safety. And then with 45 seconds left, Steve Loper, fullback, ploughed through the Cougar line for the second Minot TD and a 17 to 14 victory.

The Cougars will meet Bethel College of St. Paul next Saturday night at Midway Stadium in St. Paul. This is a 7:30 p.m. game and will be broadcast by KMRS Radio of Morris.

This is the Cougars' first conference game. Bethel has defeated Northland College of Wisconsin in an earlier conference game and this could be a title game. These are the only teams in the Pioneer College Conference which compete in football. The fourth member is Northwestern of Minneapolis.