



COME HERE BALL!

Buck Corey, La Grande's 200-pound end goes after a pass during a practice session. Corey caught several passes against Union and also batted down a fourth down pass in aiding the Tiger win. Corey will be ready for full time duty this Friday when the Tigers meet the Baker Bulldogs in Baker in the first of two games this year. Next Friday's meeting will be a non-counting affair for both teams. (Observer Photo)

Braves Make Bid For Pennant With Win Over LA

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Milwaukee is making a stretch run—and it's a sizzler—so Bill Rigney may be right when he says "it's liable to be another one of those photo finishes."
The Braves apparently have no intention of taking down the flag, symbolic of the National League championship, that has flown over County Stadium the past two years.
They won their eighth game in the last nine and climbed within a game of Rigney's pace-setting Giants by defeating the Los Angeles Dodgers, 4-1, Monday night after Cincinnati beat San Francisco, 4-1, in the only other N.L. scheduled contest.

Buhl Kills Dodgers
Bob Buhl, a Dodger-killer from way back, licked them for the fifth time in six decisions this year even though he needed Don McMahon's help in the ninth. Buhl hurled a three-hitter for his 13th win of the season and he now owns a 20-8 lifetime record over the Dodgers.

Dutch Dotterer, Cincinnati's second-string catcher, proved San Francisco's undoing. Dotterer singled runs across in the fourth and sixth innings after taking over for Ed Bailey in the second inning. Johnny Antonelli failed in his second attempt to nail down his 20th victory.

In the American League race, the White Sox' lead was cut to 4½ games when they dropped a 9-3 decision to the Red Sox while the Indians beat the Yankees, 8-5. Baltimore topped Kansas City, 9-4, and Washington beat Detroit, 5-0.

Bosox Rout Donevan
The Red Sox routed Dick Donevan with a six-run rally in the sixth inning that kept the White Sox' pennant clinching "magic number" at six. Boston overcame a 2-0 deficit during the big sixth with a rally comprised of five walks and four singles, including one by pinch-hitter Ted Williams.

Basketball Stars Named To Hoop Hall Of Fame
BOSTON, Mass. (UPI)—Hank Luisetti, Stanford's famed shot-maker, and George Mikan, DePaul's 6-foot, 10-inch scoring machine, were named today to the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame.
In addition to the two "super stars," those named to the hall were Charles (Chuck) Hyatt, former Pittsburgh star; the late Coach Dr. Walter Meanwell of Missouri and Wisconsin, former Coach Dr. H. Clifford Carlson of Pittsburgh, former Coach Dr. Forrest (Phog) Allen of Kansas, former University of Chicago athletic director Amos Alonzo Stagg, Dr. Luther Gulick, who assisted Dr. Naismith in drawing up the game's first rule code; the late Coach Harold Olsen of Ohio State, former Coach Edward J. Hickox and the late Matthew (Pat) Kennedy, a referee.

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Jose State and Denver, Saturday—California vs. Washington State at Spokane, Oregon at Stanford, Southern California vs. Oregon State at Portland; Washington at Colorado; Colorado State at College of Pacific.

Cleveland clinched second place and kept its faint pennant hopes alive with its victory over New York. Cal McLish scored his 18th triumph although the Yankees routed him with a too-little, too-late five-run rally in the ninth.
Bob Nieman batted in four runs with his 21st homer and a single as the Orioles climbed within a game of fourth place by beating the Athletics.
Tex Clevenger, a former reliever promoted to a starter, limited the Tigers to four singles in gaining his eighth victory for the Senators. Big Jim Lemon slugged his 32nd homer.

N.Y. State Suspends C. D'Amato

NEW YORK (UPI)—Fight-promoter Vincent J. Veleva will have his big chance to deny underworld connections today before the New York state Athletic Commission, which suspended indefinitely fight manager Cus D'Amato.

Veleva and an unidentified representative of the district attorney's office were scheduled to testify at today's resumption of the commission's open hearing into activities surrounding the Johansen-Patterson fight promotion.
D'Amato, manager of former heavyweight champion Floyd Patterson, was suspended Monday for failure to appear at the hearing's first session. The commission had ordered his appearance in a registered letter sent him on Sept. 2, Chairman Melvin L. Krulwich announced.

Veleva, Harlem Politician, was described as a "front man" for Anthony (Fat Tony) Salerno, missing Harlem mobster, during Monday's four-hour testimony by ex-promoter Bill Rosensohn.
Young Rosensohn was president of Rosensohn Enterprises, Inc., when he promoted the June 26 fight at Yankee Stadium, where Giggam Johansson of Sweden took the heavyweight title from Patterson on a third-round knockout.

Rosensohn's testimony described how he became so financially emmeshed among Salerno, Veleva, D'Amato, gambler Gilbert Beckley and Charley Black, a D'Amato co-conspirator, that he ultimately lost only two-thirds of the stock in his own organization but had to give up all rights to and future fights.

Rifle Club Plans First Meeting
The La Grande Rifle club will hold its first full meeting Thursday night, according to Herb Miller, secretary.
The meeting will begin promptly at 8 p.m. at the club's indoor range on Elm St.
All members are requested to be present for the meeting. It was stressed that all members holding keys to the outdoor range should attend the meeting.

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LA Hopes For Series Tie Today

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—The Milwaukee Braves and the Los Angeles Dodgers met today for the last time this season in the first mid-week afternoon game in the Coliseum this year.

With the long-ball hitting Cincinnati Reds coming to town Wednesday, Los Angeles dug in for a victory over the Braves to even their two game series and tie them in the standings behind the San Francisco Giants.
By their 4-1 victory Monday night the Braves moved to second place a game back of the Giants while Los Angeles dropped two games back into third place.

For today's finale, manager Walt Alston named Roger Craig, 8-5, while Joey Jay, 5-10, was nominated for the Braves.
A crowd of 53,765 Monday night saw Bob Buhl hold the Dodgers to one hit until the bottom of the ninth when he loaded the bases. But Don McMahon came to the rescue and retired the Dodgers in order, striking out two of the three men he faced.

Crandall's Homer Key Blow
For the Braves, a homer by catcher Del Crandall with a man on base in the second and a single by outfielder Bill Bruton that drove in two runs in the seventh gave Buhl his margin of victory. Wally Moon homered in the fourth for Los Angeles' lone tally.

Don Drysdale suffered the loss and he led the game in the seventh after giving up all four runs to the Braves.
"About all I can say is that they outpitch us, outpitched us, and outplayed us," Alston muttered in the clubhouse after the game. "We didn't deserve to win."

The Dodger manager reported that second baseman Charlie Neal had re-injured his left leg that was hurt earlier in the season and might not be able to play today.
Neal May Not Start
If Neal is unable to start, Jim Gilliam will shift from third to second, Alston said. He didn't indicate who would fill in at third.

Alston said Drysdale did not have his usual "good stuff" although he was effective in striking out several of the Braves' long-ball hitters, including Hank Aaron. Alston said he didn't believe Drysdale had recovered entirely from a recent bout of flu.
"We are still only two games out," he said optimistically. "The only difference is we now have two teams in front of us."

WARRIORS SIGN HATTON
PHILADELPHIA (UPI)—Vern Hatton, promising backcourtman who will be released from the Army today, has signed with the Philadelphia Warriors. The former Kentucky star joined the Warriors last season in a deal which sent Phil Rollins to the Cincinnati Royals. He scored 375 points in 64 games.

Jim Davenport May Hobble At Old Post

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI)—Don't be surprised if Jim Davenport hobbles back to his old post today at third base for the San Francisco Giants. Things are getting that bad there.

"We may have to use him," Rigney said of the doughty little trooper who has been used sparingly since wrenching his knee on Aug. 17. "We just don't have the protection at third that we need."
Davenport wrenched his left knee in Cincinnati almost a month ago when he whacked into Redleg catcher Ed Bailey while trying to score. There has been some talk since that Davenport might have to undergo surgery when the season ends. But nothing official.

In the meantime, left fielder Jackie Brandt, aging Danny O'Connell and rookie Jose Pagan have tried to hold down Jim's job without conspicuous success. Numerous balls have slipped past the area for hits which Davenport ordinarily would have gloved for just another infield out.

Rocky Situation Monday
It was a rocky situation at third Monday as the Cincinnati Reds defeated the Giants, 4-1, with the aid of a brace of errors by Davenport's replacements. The loss coupled with the Braves victory over Los Angeles Monday night left San Francisco hanging onto first place by one game ahead of Milwaukee.

Danny O'Connell, who started at the hot spot Monday, committed a boot in the third inning which set up one unearned Cincinnati tally. Jose Pagan, who replaced him, then erred in the ninth to start the Reds on the way toward another unearned run.

While Rigney mulled over the possibility of using Davenport, he was pretty sure he'd throw Mike McCormick (11-14), the dark-haired southpaw against Cincinnati's Jay Hoak (5-4) this afternoon.

Antonelli Loses 9th
Johnny Antonelli made his second run on becoming a 20-game winner Monday and left after eight innings a nine-game loser. "Anty" gave up a pair of run-scoring singles to catcher Dutch Dotterer, who subbed for the banished Ed Bailey, plus a solo homer to Johnny Temple.

Temple, whose career total was seven homers when the season opened, matched it for this season in the third inning when he dumped one of Joh's southpaw serves over the left field barricade. The ball barely made it across.

Willie Mays offset this in the sixth frame with a homer, his 30th, off winning pitcher Jim Brosnan (9-5).
Bailey, Hutchinson Booted
Dotterer took over as catcher in the second inning when Bailey was chased out of the game by umpire Jocko Conlan for disput-

ing a called third strike. Fred Hutchinson, the Reds manager, followed Bailey into Siberia after storming out of the dugout to take up his catcher's cause.

But with Dotterer around, the Reds hardly could say they missed Ed's hefty bat. Dutch cracked solid singles off Antonelli in the fourth and sixth frames to bring in runs then tallied one himself in the ninth off reliever Stu Miller. The man who chased him home was Whitey Lockman, for many years a Giant, who belted a line double to right center after Dotterer was safe on Pagan's error.

NW Teams Gird For Openers

PULLMAN, Wash. (UPI)—Veteran fullback LeRoy Rath has been shifted to end for the Washington State University Cougars, to fill the gap left by the shoulder injury of starting right end Ed Shaw.

Coach Jim Sutherland said Shaw, a junior letterman injured in scrimmage last Saturday, would definitely miss Saturday's WSU opener against the U. of California.

CORVALLIS, Ore. (UPI)—The last heavy workout of the week is scheduled for today for the Oregon State College football squad.
The Beavers battle the University of Southern California in Portland Saturday night, and it looks as if three injured linemen will be back in action for Tommy Prothro's eleven.

The three, left guard Sonny Sanchez, San Francisco; center Bruce Hake, Oceanside, Calif., and right guard George Enderle, Newark, N. J., all were back in the practice lineup Monday.
Another injured Beaver, left halfback Grimm Mason of Watsonville, Calif., was released from Doctor's care. Mason had a twisted knee.

EUGENE, Ore. (UPI)—Coach Len Casanova scheduled another secret practice session for his University of Oregon Webfeet today, with thoughts toward Saturday's season opener against the offense-minded Stanford Indians at Palo Alto.

Casanova emphasized Monday that his biggest problem is finding enough reserves, especially in the line. Only four scheduled starters in the opening game played at least 300 minutes last season.

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'Sleepers' Ready When Big Grid Stars Falter

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI)—A tough contingent of "sleepers"—those unsung gridlers who can take over the headlines when big names falter—will be digging in this week when Pacific Coast football opens another campaign.
Campus tub-thumpers have just about knocked themselves out exalting the wonders of such established gentry as tackle Dan Ficen of Southern California and halfback Dick Bass of College of the Pacific. During the furor, lesser lights have gone about their business of getting set to play with little or no buildup.

Let's look some of them over: Cleveland Jones, a halfback, weighs in at 147 pounds on Oregon's scales but is a little heavier than welterweight champ Carmen Basilio in that he stands five feet five. Little has been heard about the San Diego product what with quarterback Dave Grosz and halfback Willie West still on the Ducks' roster. Yet in some quarters, Jones has been rated as just as fast as Jim Shanley, the Ducks' mercurial star of their 1957 Rose Bowl squad.

COP Fullback "Sleeper"
Gentlemen, we give you Henry Wallace—not for president but for star fullback at COP. Wallace, who was voted athlete of the year while playing football at Long Beach, Calif., four years ago, never has reached his potential. Coach Jack (Moose) Myers thinks this could be his year.
Bobby Smith, a transfer from Compton J. C., looks like the starting tailback this season at UCLA. It's the key position in coach Bill Barnes' version of the single wing. And now that fullback Jerry Persinger has quit football at Southern California, Don Clark has a replacement on hand in Lloyd Winston. The new Trojan is in his first year at USC after coming in from Santa Monica City College, where he starred with the Junior

Rose Bowl champs.
Arizona State University has a good one going in sophomore Nolan Jones, one of the many Pennsylvanians who have migrated to Tempe. Sidelines chatter has it that Jones, who lettered as a frosh under the conference rules, could lead the greatness of long-gone Leon Burton.

Gael Barsotti, crashing tackler, has been laying the ball toters low most unmercifully on California's practice field and could become a big wheel this season. He played freshman football at San Diego State and sat out last year.

Big Ben Robinson (220 pounds and six feet five) is on hand again at Stanford seeking laurels which may be overdue. He played under the shadow of Gary Van Galder as an end there in 1956 and 1957 then was out last year with an injured knee. This could be his one to arrive, according to local observers.

Washington State's line averages 201 pounds but Bill Berry, who measures five feet seven inches and weighs 160, is being tabbed as a starting guard. He figures to hold the job all year.
Leon Donahue, a converted end, shapes up as San Jose State's best interior lineman. He's number 71 on a program which features numerous better-known names.

Thomas May Be Ready
At Oregon State, end Aaron Thomas, a junior, may be ready for stardom. The transplanted Californian has the size at six feet three and 198 pounds, plus the good speed, good hands and even a bonus in that he is a top place-kicker. But last year he performed in a hot and cold manner and left much to be desired in the blocking department. With a year of experience under his belt, however, he may well develop into a stand-out wingman.

This weekend's openers:
Friday—Purdue at UCLA, San

Standings
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National League

	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
San Francisco	80	63	.559	—
Milwaukee	79	64	.552	1
Los Angeles	78	65	.545	2
Pittsburgh	73	71	.507	7½
Cincinnati	71	74	.490	10
Chicago	68	74	.479	11½
St. Louis	65	79	.451	15½
Philadelphia	60	84	.417	20½

Monday's Results

Cincinnati 4 San Francisco 1
Milwaukee 4 Los Angeles 1 night
(Only games scheduled.)

American League

	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Chicago	89	56	.614	—
Cleveland	84	60	.583	4½
New York	73	71	.507	15½
Detroit	71	73	.490	17½
Baltimore	70	74	.486	18½
Boston	67	77	.465	21½
Kansas City	62	81	.434	26
Washington	60	84	.417	29½

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Baltimore 9 Kan. City 4, night
Washington 5 Detroit 0, night

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