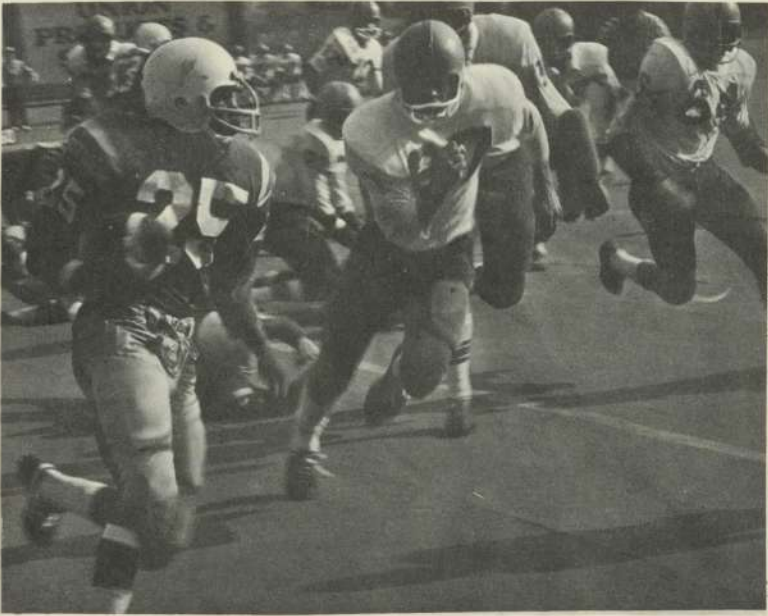


Varsity gridders stop Jeff at Civic Stadium



SENIOR HALFBACK Robert Bates makes substantial gain around Jefferson defenders in last Saturday's action at Civic Stadium. Bates is leading General scorer with five touchdowns.

General gridders, now in first place all alone with a 3-0 record stopped Jefferson and came through with a 7-6 score, a repeat of last year's crucial. Tomorrow they face another tough contest at Wilson high school at 1:30.

Wilson has just about the most underrated team in the P.I.L. and sports a very fine offense unit. They are 1-2 in league play but both their losses proved to be close battles. In their loss to Jefferson they managed to score three times.

Wilson has a very quick offensive and defensive line. Even though they have been outweighed in every game, their ability to react quickly has made up for their size.

If the Generals win tomorrow's game then that means a division title and a chance to play in the city championship game.

Grant received the opening kickoff in the Jeff game and on their first four plays failed to move the ball. After the Generals' punt, Tony Warren romped for 49 yards on their first play and started what seemed to be a scoring feast.

But the next time the Demos got the ball, they fumbled and Grant picked up the ball deep in Jefferson territory. On the next series of plays the Generals moved it into the end zone with Robert Bates getting his fifth touchdown of the season. Junior Bill Sinclair booted a perfect extra point and the Generals took the lead 7-6.

That was all it wrote for both teams scoring wise as the defensive teams battled their ways through the final three quarters of action.

Jefferson fumbled seven times

and Grant picked up four of them using the first one to its fullest advantage.

Runners capture dual meet crown

by Steve Johnson

By winning the October 15 dual meet, the varsity cross country team took first place in PIL dual meet standings and now must be rated as solid favorites for today's city meet at Adams.

THE GENERALS will send seven men to run in the city meet. Scott Jackson heads this list, by virtue of his recent record-setting performances. On October 15, at Franklin, he set a new course record, while placing first in the race. Last Saturday, he broke his own Grant course record by more than ten seconds.

Other Generals in the meet include: Don Johnson, Greg Schukart, Jeff Klein, and Scott Brady. Coach Cotton was undecided as to who will fill the other two spots.

THE TOP FOUR teams in the city meet will go on to the regional meet on November 1 at the Lake Oswego golf course. The teams taking the top three positions in this meet will then run in the November 8 state meet.

In the October 15 meet, the Generals won handily by 17 points over second place Madison. Benson, Franklin, and Washington were all well off the pace.

Last Saturday, the first invitational cross country meet to be held at Gratin, was won by Lake Oswego. The G-men captured second place, however, as they scored 36 points as compared to the Lakers' 31.

Cogill Comments

by Gary Cogill

Even though our basketball team is not going through an organized practice and their season is far off, one thing that they are doing now is raising money for a trip to Hawaii.

Over a thousand boxes of candy have been distributed to members of the basketball team, rally, Gendrills, and various other organizations to sell for their trip. Their support is needed very badly for it takes over two hundred dollars to send each player to Hawaii.

Many people may wonder why our team gets to make the trip. Well, if you look at what our team accomplished last year by winning the state championship, it seems that a trip like this would be very deserving. It may be termed as just a rare opportunity for a winning team.

Making the trip this year will be just twelve members of the team plus Mr. Rooney.

As for living over there, they will be staying in the homes of the members of the Hawaiian team that they are playing.

It is time that the students of Grant high school start supporting a deserving team of basketball players. The response of the student body has been excellent so far, but there is still a lot of students that haven't bought candy.

Frosh better record; defense proves tough

Since the season has started for the freshman football team, they have compiled a 2-2 win-loss record, and according to Coach Jim Chambers they are planning on ending up 5-2 overall.

"Our Chinese Bandits have done an outstanding job since the first game," mentioned Coach Chambers, meaning that the defense has held up quite well.

"Next week we play Roosevelt and they have a real good defense," said Coach Chambers about the upcoming game. He also added that they have a very fine offensive punch.

In the first two games the freshman team was beaten by teams from Madison and Wilson. Then came the Franklin game and the team's first victory by a score of 14-0. After their first big win, the frosh gridders proved victorious again as they downed a fine Adams team 18-14.

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