JEFFERSON BEATS LINCOLN HIGH, 3-0

Referee in Error Allows Safety, but Later Reverses Decision.

PROTEST DELAYS START

Game, Played Amid Wrangling, Is Won by Moe Sax's Place Kick in Second Period—Lincoln Player Is Held Ineligible.

Interscholastic Football Standings.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Jefferson	2	0	1000	Port. Acad.	1	1	.500
Washington	2	0	1000	Columbia	0	2	.000
Lincoln	1	1	.500	Franklin	0	2	.000

BY EARL R. GOODWIN.

Jefferson High School well-nigh eliminated Lincoln High from the 1915 interscholastic football race yesterday in a sensational game, which ended 3-0, according to Referee Francis, but which in reality was 3-0.

Different interpretations over an alleged safety constituted the debated two points. At the time neither coach found any fault with the decision, but later Referee Francis discovered his error and notified the newspapers.

The play in question occurred in the second period, when Lincoln attempted to punt from behind its own goal line. The ball hit a Lincoln player and caromed on out into the field of play, where it was recovered by a Jefferson athlete. Referee Francis called it a safety because of its having hit a Lincoln player first behind the goal line. The rules, however, give immunity to offside players behind the goal lines, and no safety could be called unless the ball remained behind the goal line.

In any event, the ball was given Lincoln on the 20-yard line, and Lincoln fumbled. After vainly trying to puncture the Lincoln line for appreciable gains, Captain Moe Sax stepped back and booted a placement from the 16-yard line.

Big Crowd Sees Game.

Considerable wrangling enlivened the engagement, which was played on Multnomah Field under a sunny sky and with 1877 fans, actual count, in the grandstand. This is the largest crowd to see the preparatory athletes in action this year.

Both teams entered the inclosure at 3:15 o'clock, and when Captain Groce, of Lincoln, brought his teammates out it was seen that he was angry about something.

After a consultation in the middle of the field, Referee Francis announced that the Lincoln team would not play because one of its players was under protest. Jefferson High is said to have protested Tommy Richardson on the grounds that he was not registered at the West Side institution for one year. His teammates, led by Captain Groce, refused to go on unless that protest was removed, as they had put in a protest against "Ike" Wolfer, of Jefferson.

Game Finished Under Arc Lights.

Referee Francis gave the Lincolnites two minutes to get ready for play, but it was exactly two minutes past 4 before the kickoff was made. Finally, after half the crowd had surged on the field, Captain Groce yielded and played with Tommy under protest. Coach Borleske, of Lincoln, did not have anything to say, nor did Coach Jamison, of Jefferson. Both tried to smooth things over.

Before the game finally ended Superintendent Dow V. Walker, of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club, was required to turn the electric lights on in the spacious grandstand. Had it been a dark and rainy day there is no telling how the contest would have ended, as it was getting dark and almost impossible to distinguish one player from the other.

The rooting was far superior to anything yet heard this year. During the three-quarters of an hour wait previous to the start of the fracas Yell Leader Kenin, of Jefferson, and Yell Director Knudson, of Lincoln, entertained those present.

Lincoln Makes Many Changes.

Not one change was made in the Jefferson High lineup by Coach Homer Jamison, while Coach Borleske made seven substitutions. Captain Sax, Wolfer, Curry and Wilcox featured for the Jefferson team, while Driskell, Morrison, Fret Holt, Lynn Oliver and Tommy Richardson loomed up for the Lincolnites.

Oliver and Richardson pulled off some sensational forward passing and when time was called to end the game the West Siders had the ball on Jefferson's 24-yard line and they were going stronger every minute. For the most part, the Jefferson team outplayed the losers, but they lacked the punch to put across a touchdown. Coach Borleske started three of his players who had been injured recently and many gave this as the reason for such a poor showing.

The lineup and summary:

Lincoln (0).		Jefferson (3).
Driskell	C	Maurice
Morrison	R G	L. Emery
Hochimer	R G	L. Giebisch
Paget	R S	L. Hixon
G.Busch	L G	R. Wiley
Clerin	L T	R. Curry
Tannensee	L E	R. Wheeler
Richardson	Q	Lodell
Oliver	R H	L. Wolfer
F.Holt	L H	R. Capt. Sax
E.R.Holt	F	Wilcox

SCORE BY QUARTERS.

Jefferson	0	3	0	0	—3
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	—0

Officials—Grover Francis, referee; F. L. Phipps, umpire; J. Harter, head linesman; George Koehn, of Lincoln, A. R. Rittmar, of Jefferson, timers.

Substitutions—Captain Groce for Tannensee, Wyld for Preston Holt, Olson for Morrison, Howard for Olson, Smith for Wyld, Leach for Captain Croce and Stephenson for Leach.

Scores—Captain Moe Sax, of Jefferson High, one place kick from the 16-yard line in the second quarter.

Time of quarters, 12 minutes each.

U. S. Infantry Team Best Shots.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Oct. 20.—The United States Infantry team, with a score of 2327 out of a possible 2100, led today at the end of the first stage of the National team rifle match here under the auspices of the National Rifle Association. A drenching rain did not deter hundreds of spectators. The United States Marine Corps, 2325; the United States cavalry, 1998, and the Massachusetts team, 1993, followed the infantry team in standing.

Baseball Statistics

How the Series Stand.

Pacific Coast League—Portland 2 games, Vernon no game; San Francisco 1 game, Oakland 1 game; Los Angeles 1 game, Salt Lake 1 game.

Where the Teams Play Today.

Pacific Coast League—Portland vs. Vernon at Los Angeles, Los Angeles at Salt Lake, San Francisco at Oakland.

Beaver Batting Averages.

	AB.	H.	Av.		AB	H	Av.
Brth'my	2	1	.500	Elliott	12	3	.250
Fisher	453	149	.329	Derrick	690	171	.249
Schw'b	100	32	.320	Davis	428	103	.240
Bates	341	102	.300	Evans	86	20	.232
Stumpf	748	221	.295	Hitz	130	29	.154
Spear	616	177	.289	Lush	110	23	.209
Lober	390	160	.272	Noyes	14	2	.143
Carlsch	513	84	.247	Cvelekis	88	13	.147
Ward	160	44	.360	Kahler	64	9	.140
Krause	119	30	.251				

INTERESTING SNAPSHOTS AT THE LINCOLN-JEFFERSON FOOTBALL GAME ON MULTNOMAH FIELD YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

(1) Lynn Oliver, of Lincoln, Just Starting on a 22-Yard Run in the First Quarter. (2) George Busch, Who Proved a Tower of Strength for the West Siders. (3) The Youngest Rooter Present, Little Gene Inge. (4) Tommy Richardson, the Player Who Caused a Big Dispute and Delayed the Game Almost an Hour.

TOWN GREETS TEAM

Pullman Gives Rousing Welcome to Victors Over Aggies.

CONFIDENCE WARNING OUT

Dietz, Idol of Washington State College, Outlines Plans for Future. Monster Demonstration Stirs Whole Population.

WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE, Pullman, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The reception given the crimson and gray warriors Monday after their return from a thorough drubbing given the Oregon Aggies was the most complete and largest ever accorded a victorious state college team.

It was a fitting tribute to the men who overwhelmed Oregon on the home field; when the dope was all against them, with only the best kind of a fighting spirit to goad them on, but who a week later, with the same odds and more, sent down to defeat the strongest team that Oregon Agricultural has boasted in years.

As early as the night of the departure of the team the arrangements for a reception were under way. The team was met by the entire student body, and by the majority of the townspeople.

Yelling Students Greet Team.

The team was marched through an aisle of yelling students to an old wagon, once the property of President Bryan, of the college, the motive power of which was furnished by several scores pulling on a 200-foot rope.

Coach Dietz and Physical Director Doc Bohler were honored with a place at the head of the parade in a splendidly decorated float, also pulled by a detachment of students. The parade, after passing through the principal business section of Pullman, ended at the auditorium building on the campus. Here the big demonstration of the morning took place; speeches by Coach Dietz, Doc Bohler, the team and prominent members of the faculty and student body were given; college songs were sung and yells given and it was not until every throat had been torn to ribbons and all available fireworks and noise producers had been touched off that the celebration ceased.

Overconfidence Warning Given.

Coach Dietz in a short speech warned against overconfidence. He remarked that to "be beaten now by one of the smaller teams in the conference after having successfully met the two strongest would be the worst kind of defeat."

The attentions of the coaching staff will now center on a system of defense and attack for the Idaho game, at Moscow. This game being two weeks off will therefore give the coach and team sufficient time to work out an eneirely new system of play. An entirely new set of plays will be given the team in order to avoid a re-occurrence of the thing which happened last year, when it was learned that Idaho had prepared a stiff offense to meet every Washington State College attack.

Alameda Girl Vitt's Bride.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Miss Irene Freund, of Oakland, became the wife of Oscar Vitt, third baseman of the Detroit Tigers and rated one of the best infielders in the American League, tonight. The wedding of the Alameda County belle to the San Francisco ballplayer who has made so pronounced a success of his major league career took place at 7 o'clock at St. Matthews' Lutheran Church. Only members of the two families were present at the ceremony and attended the wedding dinner that was served later at a downtown cafe.

The happy couple left late in the evening on a trip, but held the destination a secret. They expect to be away a week or 10 days and will pass the Winter in San Francisco.

AGGIE INTEREST SOARS

SIX TEAMS ARE HARD AT WORK ON CORVALLIS GRIDIRON.

Shifts Being Made on College Team to Strengthen Line—Lively Scrimmages Are Held.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Football interest is at high tide on the Oregon Agricultural College campus. Last night six teams were hard at work upon the athletic field. The varsity and second team were engaged in a lively scrimmage session, and four class teams were rounding into condition for the interclass series which will begin Friday afternoon.

Greatest interest is centered in the varsity, which is being reorganized in final preparation for the Michigan trip. Eighteen men, accompanied by Coach Stewart, will leave for the East Sunday, and the four remaining practice sessions will be filled with the most strenuous kind of work. Bruises, strains and stiffness resulting from the hard Washington State College game Saturday had largely disappeared when the athletes reported for practice this afternoon, and two teams were sent through an hour of scrimmage. Many changes were made in the varsity front, the most marked being the playing of Smyth and Billie at end. Smyth was also played at guard and tackle as the director of strategy searched for the strongest combination in the line.

Yeager or Anderson may be found at center when the team lines up for the intersectional game at East Lansing. Yeager is the surest man for the safety role which Stewart has in his squad and he is also a sure ground gainer in running back punts through a broken field.

Oaks Seek "Rudy" Kallio.

"Rudy" Kallio has received an offer of a position on the Oakland twirling corps next season. "Rudy" is a graduate of the Portland sandlots. He played last season in the Rio Grande Association until the league went flooey and then returned home. While here he was a member of the Piedmont Maroons in the City League.

Coast League Leaders

THESE statistics include only leading regular players and do not take in games of present series.

Pitchers—Williams, Salt Lake, won 20, lost 12, .625; Beer, Oakland, won 9, lost 4, .690; Steen, San Francisco, won 9, lost 4, .690; Smith, San Francisco, won 17, lost 8, .680; Baum, San Francisco, won 28, lost 15, .651.

Hitters — Hellmann, San Francisco, .365; Wolter, Los Angeles, .361; Brief, Salt Lake, .360; Ness, Oakland, .328; Johnston, Oakland, .325; Ryan, Salt Lake, .329.

Run makers—Maggert, Los Angeles, 142; Schaller, San Francisco, 128; Shinn, Salt Lake, 125; Johnston, Oakland, 122; Ryan, Salt Lake, 124; Gedeon, Salt Lake, 124; Fitzgerald, San Francisco, 123; Bodie, San Francisco, 110; Orr, Salt Lake, 104; Ness, Oakland, 97.

Base stealers — Johnston, Oakland, 81; Schaller, San Francisco, 61; Maggert, Los Angeles, 52; Fitzgerald, San Francisco, 48; Shinn, Salt Lake, 42; Bodie, San Francisco, 37; McMullen, Los Angeles, 32; Jones, San Francisco, 32; Corhan, San Francisco, 32; Ellis, Los Angeles, 32.

Home-run hitters—Schaller, San Francisco, 20; Bodie, San Francisco, 18; Gedeon, Salt Lake, 18; Ness, Oakland, 14.

Three-base hitters—Wolter, Los Angeles, 15; Maggert, Los Angeles, 15; Koerner, Los Angeles-Oakland, 15; Shinn, Salt Lake, 15.

Two-base hitters—Gedeon, Salt Lake, 61; Ryan, Salt Lake, 58; Bodie, San Francisco, 48; Shinn, Salt Lake, 48.

Sacrifice hitters—McMullen, Los Angeles, 48; Purtell, Vernon, 40; Middleton, Oakland, 38; Corhan, San Francisco, 35; Terry, Los Angeles, 28.

SEALS WIN FIRST FLAG SINCE 1909

Exciting Race Ends After Season in Which San Francisco Team Shows Merit.

SECOND STILL IN DOUBT

Bees Are Surprise of Year, While Angels Suffer From Injuries. Hogan's Death Blow to Tigers. Beavers Are Dismal Last.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 20.—San Francisco won the title to the 1915 pennant of the Pacific Coast League today when the Seals won from Oakland, 9 to 4. The Seals drove home 3 runs in the first inning and led all the way.

For the first time since the conclusion of the baseball season of 1909, when Manager Danny Long led the San Francisco club to the championship, the pennant of the Pacific Coast League will float over the headquarters of Recreation Park.

Today's victory placed San Francisco so superlatively at the head of the percentage column that should Los Angeles and Salt Lake, the runners-up, win all their remaining games, and should the Seals lose through the rest of the season, the coveted bunting could not be snatched from their clasp.

Second Place Still in Dispute.

Second place still is in dispute and probably will be until the last series has been fought out. Vernon has a tight grasp upon the leadership of the second division, with Oakland in fifth position and Portland, last year's champions, a dismal last.

The race has been an exciting one this year, although early in the Spring wise dopesters picked San Francisco and Los Angeles as the contenders. To add spice as well as variety, Salt Lake surprised magnates and fans by starting with an early season rush, a mid-season slump which carried the Bees to the cellar, and a fine closing rally which kept the heirs to the deceased Sacramento franchise well within striking distance until today.

Seals' Play Is Consistent.

San Francisco played consistent ball all season and is generally termed the class of the league. Los Angeles caught and passed the front running Seals on August 7 and soon acquired a lead of four full games. Wolverton's men, however, regained the lost ground in short, order, resuming their place at the head of the list early in September. They have not been headed since.

Los Angeles suffered terribly through accidents this year. Outfielder Harry Wolter, one of the club's mainstays, has been out of the game for many weeks, and Maggert, Terry and McMullen, other dependables, have been able to play only sporadically.

Vernon started with pennant aspirations and was well up until the death of Manager Wallace Bray, known and loved by the baseball world as "Happy" Hogan, on May 17. For several weeks the Vernonites played in listless fashion, falling into the cellar position. Toward the close of the season, however, they rallied and resumed the fast stride of the opening weeks.

Rallies Show Seals' Mettle.

Heavy, timely hitting and bulldog determination coupled with the early rounding into form of the pitching forces, are the factors which critics say brought the bacon home for the Seals. Enough contests, seemingly lost, were won this season by splendid ninth-inning rallies to have lost the pennant to them had the rallies not been forthcoming.

To Jack Ness, Oakland's first baseman, goes the stellar performance of the year. On July 14 he passed Ty Cobb's world record of hitting safely in 40 consecutive games, and later he set a new mark of 50 straight for other batters to shoot at.

Financially, Salt Lake and San Francisco have been the only teams to show profits. The managers are not complaining, however, according to President A. L. Baum, who considers patronage satisfactory in view of the opposition offered by the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

SOCCER TEAM CHANGES MADE

British Red Cross Benefit Game Will Be Played Sunday.

Several changes were made in the lineups of the Dreadnought and Invincible soccer teams which are going to play in the benefit game for the British Red Cross fund next Sunday on the Vaughn-street grounds. The changes were made last night at the meeting of the committee in charge of the affair.

A. G. Matthews will captain the Dreadnoughts, while the Invincibles will have A. F. Morris as a leader. Eddie Sammons, a member of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club eleven, and Kane, a former interscholastic star, have been added to the string of athletes who will compete Sunday.

The aggregations will be led onto the field by the pipers of the local pipe band. Highland selections will be rendered between halves and everything will be done to start the contest promptly at 2:30 o'clock.

Following are the lineups:

Invincibles.		Dreadnoughts.
G.Haefling	G	E.Bucharan
W.Kane	R B	E.Sammons
S.Martin	L B	J.Mackie
A.Duncan	R H B	W.Gray
A.E.Morris	C H B	H.Sloor
W.Wright	L H B	A.Matthew
A.MacKenzie	Q	D.MacPherson
S.Duncan	I R F	W.Graham
J.Stuart	C F	W.Grier
R.Rankin	I L R	G.Ingles
J.Fairley	O L F	P.Shevlin

Reserves—H. King, J. Young, R. Pasquili and J. Gardner.

Shedd to Play Cottage Grove.

SHEDD, Or., Oct. 20.—The Shedd High School football team will go to Cottage Grove Saturday to play the high school team there. This is the second game of the season for the Shedd team, which was defeated by the Junction City team last week 12 to 0.

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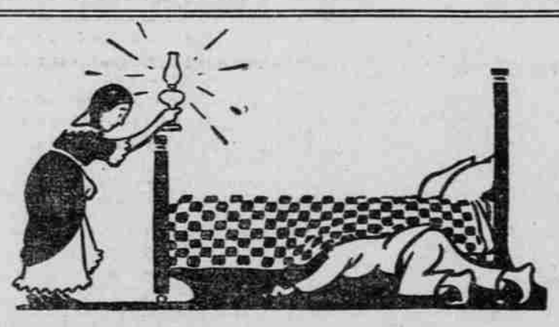

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