

FOOTBALL RULES

Harvard's Head Coach Writes About Ethical and Technical Features of Recently Adopted Gridiron Regulations

By William T. Reid Jr. The general public has always taken a great interest in the football rules...

These revisions and innovations, it will be remembered, are of two kinds—those dealing with the ethical side of the game and those affecting its technique...

Briefly, the legislation affecting the ethical side of the game may be summarized as follows: The rules have been made more definite; another official has been added; all officials are empowered to penalize foul play...

Based on these provisions, it is my opinion that everything has been done that can be done by rules to clean up the present football game...

Turning now to the technical side of the game, we find ourselves confronted with a bewildering mass of new legislation...

Looking now at the 10-yard proposition, we see that it allows the players to stand where they please and to adopt any style of game that they choose...

crease, I still do not think that it can be consecutively accomplished, for any team which attempts it must overcome a number of handicaps which are almost certain to be incurred...

Second—Again, even if it is admitted that in the middle of the field the weakness of the defense will permit of a successful advance by mass play...

Third—Again, if it is admitted that it will be harder to make 10 yards in three downs than it was to make five yards in three downs...

Glancing at the fact that while all these provisions deal with the problem of opening up the game, some of them approach it indirectly...

The 10-yard rule was passed to decrease mass play. There are many who claim that this rule will not be effective...

Grand Forks, N. D., Aug. 6.—In both the number and class of its entry into the annual tournament of the North Dakota Lawn Tennis Association...

GRAYS DEFEATED BY THE BLUES

Soldiers From Fort Stevens Mark Time With the Portland Lads.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Fort Stevens, Aug. 6.—Manager O'Donnell distributed a knapsack of horseshoes to his doughty warriors yesterday just before they marched out to the barracks diamond to do battle with the Portland Grays...

Portland Grays. AB. R. H. PO. A. E. Gairin, 1b. 4 0 0 0 0 0. Thing, 1b. 4 0 0 0 0 0. Taucher, 2b. 4 1 1 1 2 2.2

Fort Stevens. AB. R. H. PO. A. E. Moore, 1b. 4 0 0 0 0 0. Leabo, 1b. 4 0 0 0 0 0. Cooper, 1b. 4 0 0 0 0 0. Wright, 1b. 4 0 0 0 0 0

PORTLAND CREW ARRIVES IN FINE CONDITION Senior Four Are at Worcester and Take a Fast Spin Over the Course.

Word was received this morning by Secretary Hart of the Portland Rowing club that the senior crew arrived safely at Worcester yesterday morning, after a very satisfactory trip across the continent...

TACOMA WILL HAVE FINE TENNIS THIS YEAR (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Tacoma, Aug. 6.—The international tennis tournament will open here tomorrow. The affair promises to be the biggest ever held in the northwest...

TENNIS MAKERS LOSE TO THE SCHILLER TEAM

Interesting Ten-Inning Battle Goes to Cigar Men After Hard Struggle.

The Schiller team defeated the Trunk-makers yesterday by the score of 4 to 3, in an interesting 10-inning battle, thus winning the gate receipts and a side bet of \$100. The game was exciting throughout...

Portland Trunk Co. AB. R. H. PO. A. E. Briggs, cf. 4 0 0 0 0 0. Jamieson, rf. 4 0 0 0 0 0. Oliver, 2b. 4 0 0 0 0 0

SACRAMENTO MAKES HIGH BID FOR CONTEST California Capital's Sports Offer Forty-Two Thousand for Nelson-Gans Bout.

(Journal Special Service.) Sacramento, Aug. 6.—E. L. Van Buren, manager of the Hoffman club, sent duplicate telegrams Sunday afternoon to the managers of Battling Nelson and Joe Gans, bidding \$42,500 for the privilege of promoting a lightweight championship fight at Sacramento on September 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Philadelphia . . . 59 25 628. New York . . . 55 37 602. Cleveland . . . 52 41 569. Pittsburgh . . . 48 46 511. Detroit . . . 48 47 505. St. Louis . . . 47 46 505. Washington . . . 46 46 497. Boston . . . 36 71 268.

NORTHWEST LEAGUE. At Hoquiam. R. H. E. Grays Harbor . . . 2 0 0 1 0 0 0. Butte . . . 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 2 5 0. Toren and Swindell.

GIANTS CAPTURE SERIES

Even Break at Oakland Yesterday Gives Portland Advantage of One Game.

(Special Special Service.) Oakland, Cal., Aug. 6.—The Giants managed to take four out of seven in last week's series from the Seals. Yesterday the teams played a double header, the honors of the day being divided...

Portland. AB. R. H. PO. A. E. Sweeney, ss. 4 0 0 0 0 0. McFie, cf. 4 0 0 0 0 0. McCredie, 1b. 4 0 0 0 0 0

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PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE. Portland . . . 60 23 645. San Francisco . . . 58 35 604. Los Angeles . . . 55 48 547. Seattle . . . 52 46 539. Oakland . . . 39 58 402. Fresno . . . 40 61 398.

THE ANGELS WIN. Fresno, Aug. 6.—The Angels defeated Fresno yesterday in an exciting game. Score: R. H. E. Fresno . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 5 3. Los Angeles . . . 5 9 2. Batteries—Nagle, Randolph and Mangrinas; McGregor and Danahood.

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BIGELOW IS WORTH MORE DEAD THAN ALIVE. According to plans now making a tournament for the American billiard championship, 18-inch balk line, two shots in, will be held in New York early in September for a trophy and a cash prize.

EASTERN EXCURSION RATE. August 7, 8, 9, September 8 and 10. On the above dates the Great Northern Railway will have on sale tickets to Chicago and return at rate of \$71.80.