

# GENE TUNNEY DISPOSES OF MADDEN IN THIRD ROUND OF BATTLE

## FOOTBALL INSIDE OUT

**THE WHY AND HOW OF THE RULES**  
By Norman E. Brown

Yesterday we discussed the rule enforcing the presence of seven men of the offensive team (the team with the ball) on the line of scrimmage.

The other players must be at least five yards back of the line of scrimmage—with the exception of the man who receives the ball from the center.

Immediately many readers will recall shift plays and backfield formations in which it seems as though this rule is violated. Close observation, however, will reveal that these shifts are so timed that the men enter this five-yard zone between the scrimmage line and



the backfield line after the ball has been put in play.

This five-yard zone plays an important part in the rules. It figures in the legality of kicks, forward passes and many other angles of a team's attack. These more technical points, however, will be taken up later.

## CHAMP NOW WANTS TO MEET DEMPSEY

Fight With Either Jack or Wills Goal of Light Heavy Title Holder

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Sept. 25.—Gene Tunney, New York heavy eight, knocked out Bartley Madden, heavy eight, in the third round of a scheduled 10-round bout here tonight.

The end came after a little more than two minutes of fighting, when Tunney backed Madden into a corner, gained his opening with a left jab and then crossed in crushing a crushing right to Madden's jaw. Topping over on his back, Madden was barely able to rise at the count of nine and a short left hook again sprawled him on the floor, face downward, where he strove ineffectually to rise before he was counted out.

Tunney weighed 184 pounds and Madden 189.

Billy Gibson, manager of the American light-heavyweight champion, declared that Tunney, who accomplished in three rounds what Harry Wills, the negro, heavy-weight, was unable to do in 15, is now ready for either Wills or Dempsey.

"We will fight either Dempsey or Wills now," Gibson said. "We prefer to meet Dempsey, of course, but if he is not available, we'll take on Wills any time he is ready. And we'll win too."

Tunney displayed greatly improved form since his last appearance here when he beat Harry Greb several months ago. His lightning like left never missed its lead for Madden's head or body and he also showed increased power in his right. He landed on the Irishman almost at will until the final left hook had placed him in line for a championship fight with Dempsey.

Tommy Gibbons, who also was knocked out by Tunney in New York, was at the ringside. Madden previously had announced that he would attempt to have Gibbons second him, but the arrangement did not materialize.

## FOOTBALL ELEVEN OPEN GAMES TODAY

Leading College Teams Start Annual Contest for Grid Supremacy

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—(By Associated Press.)—The first offensive of the annual football campaign takes place tomorrow with college battle fronts extended to all parts of the country.

The majority of leading eleven throughout the gridiron sphere will swing their forces into action there, although there are a number of notable exceptions, including the teams of the western conference and the eastern "Big Three" which enter their first combats a week from tomorrow.

In the east, however, such outstanding institutions as Pennsylvania, Cornell, Dartmouth, Syracuse, Pittsburgh, West Virginia, Colgate, Holy Cross, Rutgers, Lafayette and Columbia open their drives.

Notre Dame, 1924 national champions, figures in the middle west's list of certain raisers, while California, undefeated for five years, helps start off the season of the Pacific coast, and the south's leading hopes partly vested in such terms as Georgia Tech, and Alabama, set off on the chalk marked trail.

## NOVELTY ACTS FEATURED

**BLIGH VAUDEVILLE BILL IS ELABORATELY STAGED**

Music, novelty, comedy and dance revues dominate the new vaudeville bill at the Bligh theatre today.

The Lupe Trio, acknowledged kingpin equilibristic marvels, who are scheduled to present a routine of gymnastic stunts never before attempted in vaudeville. The act is elaborately staged and costumed.

Kennedy & Nelson, better known as the "Hilarious Funsters," present a clever comedy skit that every young couple loves to look at, for it bears more or less on everyday occurrences. Lane & Louise present a comedy satire called "Horning 72," replete with wholesome comedy. Songs that are catchy and lively are introduced. Sandy Morrison, a comedian with a humorous bundle of

## CHEMAWA TO OPEN ITS SEASON TODAY

Commerce High School of Portland Meets Redskins on Local's Ground

The Chemawa Indians will clash with the Commerce high school team of Portland this afternoon on the Chemawa field. It will be the first football game of the season for the Indians. For three weeks the Indians have been indulging in intensive practice to prepare themselves for the fray, and they are reported to be in excellent condition for the event. However, due to injuries received in scrimmage, several of the first stringers will be out of the lineup.

The Indians will be considerably strengthened by the advent of Coquille Tompson, 185-pound husky from Siletz, who will take up his old berth at full.

Mr. Bent, manager of the Indians, was in Portland last Saturday, and saw the Commerce eleven in action against Columbia university of the same city. According to Bent, while Commerce is strong on the defense, she is considerably weak on the offense.

The Commerce team is considered contenders for the Portland city championship, and to prove their metal, it is reported that they are out for blood when they meet the Indians. Bent, however, since he has seen Commerce in action, is confident that his squad will carry off the long end of the score.

## HAL PAXTON, JR., WINS FAST PACER TAKES FREE-FOR-ALL IN THREE HEATS

EUGENE, Or., Sept. 25.—Hal Paxton Jr., won the free-for-all pace at the Lane county fair today, taking all three heats, the time being 2:07, 2:10 and 2:10. No limit, in the special race, took two out of three heats, the time being 2:23 3-4, 2:17 1-4 and 2:15. Loreita won the mile running race in 1:50, defeating Princess who took second place, and Oregon Dan third.

## BASEBALL

**By the Associated Press**

**Pacific**  
Vernon 2; Portland 0.  
Sacramento 4; Los Angeles 3.  
San Francisco 5; Salt Lake 4.  
Oakland 10; Seattle 8.

**American**  
St. Louis 4; Washington 3.  
Cleveland 9; Philadelphia 5.  
Detroit 10; Boston 5.  
Only three games scheduled.

**National**  
Cincinnati 18; Brooklyn 7.  
Pittsburgh-New York, postponed, cold and wet; two games today.  
St. Louis-Boston, postponed, rain.  
Only three games scheduled.

## TAX FREE DAY NEARING

INTEREST WILL BE DEMANDED AS OF OCTOBER 5

Monday, October 5, will be the last day on which taxes can be paid for this year before interest begins to accrue, and it is probable that the first of the week the annual lineup in the court house corridor outside the tax collection department of Sheriff Bower's office will start.

On November 5 a penalty of 3 per cent accrues on unpaid taxes. Interest starts to run at the rate of 1 per cent a month on October 6. Taxes have been coming in in

## PORTLAND ELEVEN WINS

PORTLAND, Sept. 25.—Jefferson high school, Portland, defeated HHSBoro high school in the first football game of the season here today by a score of 30 to 0.

Native Maori women of New Zealand salute their friends in the street by rubbing noses.

good shape, and while it is impossible to say just how well the taxes have been paid up, the half-mark was reached a number of weeks ago.

Napoleon said, "Men are hogs that feed on gold"—a statement whose truth would be increased if it began with "some."

**RYM SCHOONER HELD**  
MOBILE, Ala., Sept. 2.—Surprised while off Timballer light near Barataria bar, Louisiana, the British two-masted schooner Hazel E. Herman, was captured late yesterday by the patrol boats CG-256 and CG-302 and towed into the port here. The schooner, registered out of Lunenburg, Nova Scotia, was loaded with 3,900 cases of liquors and alcohol. Seven men including Captain August Haughn, were arrested and held in jail in default of bail.

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