

# Local Gridders Headed for Hard Games on Enemy Fields

## Stagg Retired by Age Limit at Height of Successful Grid Season

### BEARCATS SEEN AS UNDER DOGS

Squad of 23 Includes Only One Able-Bodied Extra Man for Backfield

Filled with grim realization that for the first time in four seasons they are the "under dogs" in Northwest conference football, 23 Willamette university gridmen accompanied by Coach "Spec" Keene boarded a train here early Thursday night.

Still uncertain as to whether Walt Erickson and Ed Frantz, billed as regulars at the opening of the season, will be able to play any major part in the game with the Coyotes, Coach Keene was uncertain up to the time of the squad's departure, just what his starting lineup would be. Everything considered, especially the fact that Erickson and Frantz have done little practicing with the varsity and will not be able to time their movements with the others, it seemed probable that the same backfield which started against Washington State will be on the field at the beginning of tonight's conflict.

Oravec, Cannady, Paul and Olson, Keith Jones is making the trip but stands little chance of playing for more than a short time, Dwight Adams is the only able-bodied reserve backfield man taken along.

The line is better supplied, with Houck and Grannis ready for duty at center, Boyd, Felton, Tweed and Woodworth at guard, Weisser, Jockisch, Connors and McKerrow at tackle, Kaiser, Gribble, Clarke, Carson and Emmel at end.

Willamette will not be outweighed by College of Idaho but Coach Anse Cornell of the Coyotes will have all the edge on experience and team development, and especially in the matter of reserves. The altitude and the cold weather which the Bearcats may encounter, are other handicaps they will have to face.

### Swim Class is Well Attended By H. S. Group

Attendance at the high school boys' swimming classes at the Y. M. C. A. is holding up well with 211 boys reporting at the regular time yesterday. The boys' junior leaders swim corps under the direction of Charles Perry and R. Johanson, which meets Friday at 4:15, now has 12 members signed.

### Franklin Beats Commerce High

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 13.—(AP)—Franklin high school defeated Commerce High, 6 to 0, in their football game here today.

### Missionary Society Plans Chicken Meal

GERVAIS, Oct. 13.—The principal order of business at the meeting of the Presbyterian Women's Missionary society next Wednesday afternoon will be completing arrangements for the chicken pie supper to be held at the auditorium Thursday night, October 27.

### Montgomery Gets 60 Days for Possession

SILVERTON, Oct. 12.—Chauncy Montgomery, who was picked up on the Bally place on the Abiquas last Saturday, on a charge of possession of beer, was given a 60 day sentence in the justice court at Silverton.

### BRUIN THREAT AGAINST WEBFEET



This young man is going places and doing things. He is Bob Decker, veteran halfback of the California Bruins who will meet the strong University of Oregon eleven at Pullman next Saturday in the annual Shrine game.

### This Week End's Grid Schedule

(Figures in parentheses denote last year's scores.)

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14**  
 Willamette (20) vs. College of Idaho (0) at Caldwell.  
 Pacific vs. Ashland Normal at Ashland.  
 St. Martins (51) vs. Albany (0) at Albany.

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15**  
 U. C. L. A. (6) vs. Oregon (13) at Portland.  
 Washington State (7) vs. California (13) at Berkeley.  
 Dakota Wesleyan vs. Gonzaga at Spokane.  
 Idaho (21) vs. Montana (19) at Missoula.  
 Linfield vs. Columbia at Portland.  
 Stanford (46) vs. West Coast Army (0) at Palo Alto.  
 U. S. C. vs. Loyola at Los Angeles.  
 Puget Sound (8) vs. Whitman (18) at Walla Walla.  
 Columbia (27) vs. Virginia (0) at New York.  
 Harvard vs. Penn State at Cambridge.  
 Illinois (6) vs. Northwestern (32) at Urbana.  
 Indiana (0) vs. Iowa (0) at Bloomington.  
 Minnesota vs. Nebraska at Minneapolis.  
 Notre Dame (63) vs. Drake (0) at South Bend.  
 Ohio State (20) vs. Michigan (7) at Columbus.  
 Pennsylvania vs. Dartmouth at Philadelphia.  
 Princeton (0) vs. Cornell (33) at Princeton.  
 Purdue (14) vs. Wisconsin (21) at Lafayette.  
 Tulane (19) vs. Vanderbilt (0) at New Orleans.  
 Yale vs. Brown at New Haven.

### COMMUNITY CLUB OPENS WORK 17TH

WEST SALEM, Oct. 13.—The first fall meeting of the West Salem community club will be held in the basement of the church, or community hall, Monday, October 17, at 8 p. m. The business meeting will be in charge of the president, Al C. Henningsen, and at this meeting the prizes for the "home beautification" contest will be awarded to the winners.

### Raymond Griffin Jr. Is Scout Assistant

WEST SALEM, Oct. 13.—The West Salem Boy Scout troop made a weekend hike and camping trip into the hills beyond Monmouth accompanied by the leader, A. C. Henningsen. Those going were Raymond Griffin, Winston Gosser, Dean Thompson, Eugene Krebs, Harvey Griffin, David Wil-

### MIXING BUSINESS WITH PLEASURE



Elizabeth Vinson, ranking American female star, and her bride, the former Verle Low, 21 of Pasadena, called for Honolulu on a combined honeymoon and business trip. Vinson will join John Van Ryn, Wilmer Allison and Keith Glavin in a series of exhibition matches in Honolulu, New Zealand, Australia and the Orient.

### HUNTINGTON TO MEET EX-PUPIL

Recalls Cochran, Coach of Bend Eleven; Squad of 20 to Make Trip

When the red and black clad warriors of Salem High and the blue and gold Lava Bears of Bend high get together on the gridiron at Bend tomorrow afternoon, the game will be more than an inter-sectional contest between unbeaten squads which have never met before.

A number of years ago when Huntington was just breaking into the coaching business, he directed the baseball squad at his alma mater, The Dalles high; and on that squad was "Shorty" Cochran, now more formally addressed as M. A. Cochran, coach of the Bend high eleven. Huntington remembers him as a good ball player and a fine young fellow to get along with.

The selection may be Orville "Pat" Pate, Stagg's assistant and a noted gridiron star at the University of Chicago 15 years ago. Pate was head football coach at Indiana university before joining Stagg's staff.

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The Bend team has had unusual inducement to play its best this year, for each week the man who makes the best showing in the game, is picked out and treated to a trip to some college game in the Willamette valley.

### Chocolate is Winner, Gets Leg on Title

By EDWARD J. NEIL MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, New York, Oct. 13.—(AP)—Kid Chocolate, sleek little Cuban negro, won himself a leg on the vacant featherweight title tonight by beating Lew Feldman into defeat by way of a technical knock-out in the 11th round of a 15-round match that had the championship sanction of the New York state athletic commission.

### Mrs. Hannah Martin Will Talk on Ballot

SILVERTON, Oct. 13.—Mrs. Hannah Martin will speak at a meeting at the Methodist church Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Martin will talk on the various amendments and bills coming up at election. The meeting is being sponsored by the legislative committee of the Women's club and everyone, whether a member of the club or not, is invited to attend.

### COLUMBIA DEFEATS LA GRANDE NORMAL

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 13.—(AP)—The Columbia university football team defeated the eastern Oregon Normal squad, 19 to 0, in their game here tonight. The game was played on a wet field.

Four grand teams take the eastern football spotlight this week in two games which are somebody or other might say, fraught with interest. We're referring to the Pitt-Army game and the Pennsylvania-Dartmouth game.

### Grand Old Man of Football To Bow Out at End of This Year; Resigned to His Fate

By CHARLES W. DUNKLEY CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—(AP)—Amos Alonzo Stagg, grand old man of American football, was forced out as director of athletics and head football coach at the University of Chicago tonight after 40 years of service.

The order for Stagg's retirement next June, coming as a stunning surprise to the intercollegiate athletic world and to Stagg, was ascribed to a rule providing that no member of the faculty shall continue to hold a post after reaching the age of 70.

Stagg became 70 August 16. The trustees created a new position for Stagg as chairman of the committee on intercollegiate athletics, but Stagg gave no indication he would accept. He said he felt physically able to carry on for at least 15 or 20 years longer and he was not content with his enforced retirement.

Stagg's retirement will be effective at the end of the collegiate year, June 30, 1933. His successor will be Thomas Nelson Metcalf, director of athletics and chairman of physical education at Iowa State college. Metcalf will name Stagg's successor as head football coach.

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Two days ago Stagg returned from his greatest personal triumph—that of holding Yale, his alma mater, to a 7 to 7 tie on the gridiron Saturday. He was riding on the crest of the wave because of that victory. Then came the crushing blow of his enforced retirement.

A process of freezing oysters in the shell is being tried by a New Zealand firm which has made an experimental shipment to London.

### PARRISH WINS 38-0 VICTORY

Salstrom Sprints for Four Touchdowns; Leslie to Visit Oregon City

Surprising everybody including themselves and Coach Harold Hauk, the Parrish junior high gridmen smashed through, over and around the West Linn high "B" team Thursday afternoon at West Linn and emerged with a 38-to-0 victory.

Phil Salstrom, only letterman in the Parrish lineup, scintillated as a ball carrier, tearing off one run of 40 yards for a touchdown and others from 20 yards up, crossing the double chalk mark four times in all. Hoffer and Hughey divided the other two touchdowns between them. Parrish scored three times in each half.

The teams were about equal in weight and the West Linn boys could hardly have been less experienced than those from Parrish, but Hauk's lads started in with a lot of drive and swept their opponents off their feet.

Parrish's starting lineup was Oglesby and Matteson ends, Williams and Porter tackles, Hill and Damon guards, Willig center, Salstrom quarter, Hoffer and Gentry halves, Sequin full.

Leslie junior high school's football squad will go to Oregon City today to meet the strong Oregon City junior high eleven. Coach Clarence Fisher of Leslie is not hopeful of duplicating Leslie's performance of last year when it defeated Oregon City in one game and tied another, as his boys this year are smaller and inexperienced.

However, no matter how the score goes, Fisher plans to use all of the 22 men he will take on the trip.

### FORCED OUT



ALONZO STAGG

### William Gosser is Transferred South

WOODBURN, Oct. 13.—William Gosser, local manager of the Union Oil plant received notice Wednesday of his transfer to Marshfield. This is a promotion for Mr. Gosser. They expect to move Saturday as he is to report for duty Monday.

### In the Eastern Football Spotlight

By HARDIN BURNLEY

### CURT COMMENTS

The little colleges are showing signs of rebellion against their annual task of serving as gridiron doormats for the big schools. Swarthmore takes the lead, announcing it will no longer play Pennsylvania. Swarthmore has 540 students, Pennsylvania 12,000.

Time was when the little school had a chance, though not an even chance. That was before the day of big squads and wholesale substitutions; when 22 men fought and wore each other down on even terms. Now 11 men have to battle 44 or so, or if the coach at the little school makes replacements, it's at the expense of quality.

We have one of those little schools in Salem. Willamette hasn't kicked; if it didn't want to play the big schools, it didn't have to. But every year, playing a couple of big schools has put an awful crimp in Spec Keene's style. After his boys have rumbled into a couple of stone walls, it's hard to bring them around to a realization that they can cope with teams their own size on even terms.

This year the Oregon State game, for some reason, was especially hard on the Bearcat squad; about five of the Willamette regulars have done no playing since. There was some informal mention of wholesale clipping. Anyway, it was costly.

The Washington State game, on the other hand, produced no lengthy casualty list and actually helped the Willamette team find itself. Babe Hollingbery, we have heard, is a gentlemanly fellow who teaches his boys clean football and doesn't believe in rugging it in on the little fellow.

Now in golf, for purposes of pleasurable competition there has been developed a system of handicapping; so many strokes per 18 holes, based on what scores the opposing players have averaged in the past. Wonder if there's any way to do that in football?

Spotting the little college 20 or 30 points wouldn't really help, because it would be too obvious. Many times it has been suggested that the big colleges be limited to 22 players or so, or whatever number the little fellow can muster.

But why not another system that would make, of these uneven contests, fairly well matched games in which the lesser lights of the big squads would get their chance to shine?

By a little experimenting, a basis of handicapping could be arrived at, and then the coach for the little college could scratch off a certain number of names from the big college's squad roster; any names he wished. And then let them fix it.

### NOLLIE FELTS PRO CHARGE IS UPHOLD

ATLANTA, Oct. 13.—(AP)—Charges of professionalism, which snatched Nollie Felts from the position of captain and star fullback of the Tulane university football team and left him resting on the bench of disqualification, were upheld tonight by the Southern conference executive committee.

A statement was issued immediately after the meeting as follows: "Since new evidence has developed in the case of Nollie C. Felts, since his case was originally presented to the executive committee on March 1, 1930, and at which time a ruling was given declaring him ineligible and whereas the new evidence proves conclusively that Felts signed a contract and played professional baseball with the Hattiesburg, and Meridian teams of the Cotton States league in 1927... the executive committee after hearing the case of Tulane presented in full detail voted unanimously to sustain the ruling of President C. P. Miles declaring Nollie C. Felts ineligible for further participation in intercollegiate athletics of the Southern conference."

### Willard Bouncer In Meat Market

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 13.—(AP)—Jesse Willard, one of the heavyweights of the prize ring and later a successful business man, told a municipal referee today that he is broke and is working as a "bouncer" for about \$15 a week in a meat market which he once owned.

He was summoned to court to explain his failure to pay \$292.16, which he owed to a plumbing company.

CARNERA POPS ONE CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 13.—(AP)—Primo Carnera of Italy, tonight knocked out Gene Stanton, Cleveland's a former round-bout. Carnera had command of the battle from the start and floored Stanton 11 times.