

Coast League Playoff Lineup is Announced

Bearcats Take Field Monday; Outlook is Somewhat Cloudy

Oravec Leaves Large Vacancy

Quarterback and Center, Other Vacancies That Worry Spec Keene

Out on Sweetland field Monday morning will prance the stuff that "Spec" Keene, starting his 11th year as Willamette's head athletic man will attempt to weld into another championship Bearcat grid machine.

Most sought for things as 40 grid candidates, 16 of them lettermen, take the field will be a half-back to replace fleet Johnny Oravec, a quarterback to take over the place vacated by Carl Rhoda, and a center.

It is the backfield, where Keene lost two of his last year regulars, that will be the toughest problem for the Willamette mentor. Finding a back to fill Johnny Oravec's fast-stepping shoes is comparable to "Tiny" Thornhill's job of finding one to replace Bobby Grayson. It's a miracle if it can be done.

From last year's crop of reserves Jiggs Burnett seems the most likely to take over the mail carrying job at left half. Burnett, understudy Oravec last year and turned in several capable performances. Slightly larger than Oravec, the wiry youngster from LaGrande may produce stuff this year that will take many wrinkles out of Keene's furrowed brow.

Beard Possibility
Bill Beard, the tough luck lad of the Bearcat squad, is another on whom Keene is piling a few hopes. Beard was scheduled to do plenty of the ball packing last year until he broke an ankle before playing in a single game. The year before late registration made him ineligible so he is a junior on the squad who has never yet used up any of the years of his competition.

Beard spent much of his time while his ankle was recuperating last season practicing passing and if Keene comes in for an aerial game this year, as it has been rumored he will, Beard may be called upon to do much of the heaving.

Then there is Don Brandon, who has been a steady player through three years of Bearcat campaigns. Not fast but powerful Brandon, not bothered anymore by a knee injury that kept him on the sidelines last year, may be shoved in at right half in case Keene elects to shift Bill Stone, last year's regular blocking half, to quarterback.

Dick Weisgerber, all conference full for two years, makes the fullback berth one that Keene needn't worry over. Dick, a powerful line smasher, will do much of the Bearcat ball packing when the going is heavy and will probably do the kicking.

Other backs are Jim Hogg, Astoria sophomore who looked good last year; Dex Russell, sophomore from Wheeler, Art Gallon and Pat Rossland.

To Miss Williams
Finding a capable replacement for scrappy Bronc Williams at center will be the chief problem for Keene in the line. Williams, a senior in law school this year, elected to spend his time in the law library instead of the football field this year. Since Ver Urell, sophomore from Astoria, from whom great things were expected, will not return to school Keene is left only Frank Shepherd, husky junior from Winslow, Wash. Shepherd has been on the squad two years but did not play sufficiently to earn his monogram.

Veterans two deep for every position make the rest of the line probably stronger than last year, though not as good as the team that won the iron wall line Keene had two years ago.

Charles Versteeg, 195 pound senior, and Walt Weaver, 190 pound sophomore, will probably again be the regular flank men. They will be backed up by George Erickson, Bill McAdam and George Abbott, all capable men. Tiny Newhouse and Bob Vaz, a pair of 200 pound tackles, are the best bets for those berths after playing regular all last year but may have to move over for Karl Kahle and George Billings, a pair of husky sophs that showed great promise last year.

Elliott Becken, compact regular guard last year, will have little trouble holding his position while Norman Henson, big sophomore from LaGrande, is expected to take over the post vacated by Harold Hoyt, only one of last year's regular linemen to graduate. Tats Yada, 210 pound Japanese from Salem, and Mel Viken, junior from Portland, are the other experienced guards.

Keene will be assisted by Mike Balkovic and Johnny Oravec. Oravec is scheduled to arrive in Salem September 17.

Willamette faces a ten game schedule probably tougher than any in recent years. Besides the conference games in the round robin schedule adopted last year there will be four out-of-conference games, three of them away from home. A California trip will bring the Bearcats up against two of the toughest small college eleven in California in a space of five days, Fresno State on November 7 and Whittier on November 11.

The schedule:
September 26—Albany at Salem (night).
October 3—Oregon State at Corvallis.
October 9—University of Nevada at Salem (night).
October 16—College of Idaho at Caldwell.

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Cub and Giant Quit All Even

Warneke Hurls Four-Swift Shutout, Cutting N. Y. Lead to 3½ Games

NATIONAL LEAGUE	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	83	55	.601
St. Louis	80	50	.576
Chicago	79	61	.564
Pittsburgh	74	65	.532
Cincinnati	69	70	.496
Boston	63	74	.460
Brooklyn	58	80	.420
Philadelphia	48	90	.348

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—(P)—A fifth inning uprising which shelled Hal Schumacher to the clubhouse enabled the Cubs to cash in on Lon Warneke's four-hit pitching and down the league-leading Giants 6 to 0 in the series finale between the two clubs today.

The defeat clipped half a game from the Giants' first place margin, leaving it at 3½ games as the second-place Cardinals split their double bill with Brooklyn.

The victory sent the Bruins out of town on even terms with the Giants for the season.
Chicago.....6 11 1
New York.....0 4 2
Warneke and Hartnett; Schumacher and Mancuso, Spencer.

Dizzy Loses, Wins
BROOKLYN, Sept. 12.—(P)—Dizzy Dean was beaten as a relief pitcher in the first game of a doubleheader with the Dodgers today, but came back in the nightcap to hurl the Cardinals to an even break in the twin bill.
St. Louis.....8 12 0
Brooklyn.....9 14 2
Johnson, Earnshaw, J. Dean and Ogdowski; Frankhouse, Winston, Baker, Jeffcoat and Phelps.
St. Louis.....10 13 0
Brooklyn.....3 7 3
J. Dean and Ryba; Eisenstat, Winston and Phelps, Gautreaux.

Bees Win in 9th
BOSTON, Sept. 12.—(P)—The veteran Walter Hoyt pitched almost flawlessly for eight innings today, only to weaken in the ninth and give the Boston Bees four hits, all they needed to drive in the three runs for their 3-2 triumph over the Pittsburgh Pirates.
Pittsburgh.....2 8 1
Hoyt and Padden; Bush and Lopez.

Phillies Win Pair
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 12.—(P)—The Phillies defeated the Reds in both ends of a double header here today, winning the first game 7 to 1 and the second 7 to 2.
Cincinnati.....1 6 3
Philadelphia.....7 1 1
Davis, Shine, Mooty and Lombardi; Passeau, Bence and Grace.
Cincinnati.....2 7 0
Philadelphia.....7 10 0
Hollingsworth, Mooty, Stine and Campbell; Bowman and Wilson.

Moguls Announce Plans for Series

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—(P)—The National league pennant winner—whether it's the Giants, Cardinals or Cubs—will be host to the New York Yankees and the first two games of the 1936 world series, September 30 and October 1.

Contending club owners decided that, among other essential details, at a meeting today with Baseball Commissioner K. M. Landis. A financial record-breaker appears likely if the New York Giants qualify to meet the Yankees in the first "subway series" since 1923.

Such is the combined seating capacity of the Polo Grounds and Yankee stadium, the American league's biggest park, that five games on a sellout basis would result in a new record for receipts, with the \$100,000 for radio rights taken into account. The all-time series "high" of \$1,207,864 was set in a seven-game series between the Yankees and Cardinals in 1926.

The third, fourth and fifth games will be at Yankee stadium, home of the American league champions. The sixth and seventh, if necessary, will be played under National league auspices.
Exclusive broadcast rights have been purchased for \$100,000 by the Ford Motor company for the third straight year, Commissioner Landis announced.

October 23—Linfield at Salem (night).
October 31—Puget Sound at Salem (night).
November 7—Fresno State at Fresno.
November 11—Whittier college at Whittier.
November 20—Pacific at Salem (night).
November 26—Whittier at Salem (night).

The Oregon Statesman

Salem, Oregon, Sunday Morning, September 13, 1936

New Grid Coaches Take Charge at Many Colleges



A new football season brings a new crop of coaches. The turnover in coaching personnel in the nation's colleges has been heavy this year, with more than 100 schools changing mentors. While most of the new coaches are in the smaller colleges, there have been several changes in larger schools. Harry Stuhldreher, successful at Villanova, is now at University of Wisconsin. Carl Snavely, who set a

great record with the North Carolina team, is now head coach at Cornell, replacing the veteran Gil Dobie. Lawrence (Buck) Shaw, assistant at Santa Clara, is elevated to the head job since Clipper Smith took over Villanova's team. Bob Noyland returns to his former post at Tennessee after a year's absence. The former All-American, Ernie Nevers of Stanford, is now head coach at Lafayette.

SPILLS in which three of the starting six thoroughbreds fell and one rider was seriously injured gave the final day's events at the Oregon state fair a thrilling start which, without further casualties, carried through for the entire eight races.

A muddy track greeted the runners of the first event, but as the day wore on the running became better and the betting heavier. Because of the falls in the first race, the winning quinsela paid the record price over pari-mutuel windows here of \$178.50.

Prince Royal, two-year-old brown gelding, started the downfall, when in the lead he slipped on the last turn, throwing his rider, D. Sykes, under him. Right behind on the inside rail was First Lien which followed suit as did also Flash On with Landers and Wray up, respectively. Sykes was taken to the hospital with internal injuries, but the other two jockeys were but slightly injured.

The winner, First Mortgage, coupled with the long shot Buell, which came in second right behind the riderless First Lien, paid the high stakes. Little Boy loped in third.

Clothop.....112 5 1 2 3-8
Concordia.....112 8 3 3-1
Prince Royal.....115 7 4 4-8
Shasta Monk.....112 6 6 5-14
Sam Gilmore.....112 4 5 5-8
Blind Chatter.....112 8 8 7-4
Irish Peer.....112 3 7 7-8
Time, 2:00 3-5.....\$8.24 4.08 3.86
Quinsela, 1-4, \$178.50.....7.38 7.98 5.74

SEVENTH RACE—5½ FURLONGS
Purse, \$200.
Royal Chief.....112 3 1 1-34
Br. Queen.....112 8 8 3-4
Glad Scout.....112 1 2 2-2
Union Girl.....112 4 4 4-4
Premier Jim.....115 5 5 5-5
Time, 1:59 2-5.....\$9.92 5.50 2.80
Quinsela, 1-6, \$12.94.....There was no show betting.

WRESTLING

JACK CLAYBORN
—vs—
Walter Tinkit Achiu
1 Hour

SAILOR TROUT
—vs—
DON SUGAI
45 Minutes

JACK TERRY vs. PASCUAL COSTILLO
30 Minutes

Salem Armory, Tuesday 8:30 p.m.

Lower Floor 50c, Balcony 40c, Reserved Seats 75c (No Tax)
Students 25c, Ladies 25c
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Herb Owen, Matchmaker

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Clayborn and Achiu Tangle

Main Bout Tuesday to Be Fast, Clean; Trout Is Back, Meets Sugai

Fast and clean wrestling with a dash of paprika in one match will be the diet the American Legion will serve out to the wrestling fans at its weekly grapple circus at the armory Tuesday night.

Jack Clayborn and Walter Tinkit Achiu, two clean and popular tangles, are scheduled to mix in the main event. Achiu, the clever Chinese lad, is the present wearer of the Pacific coast middleweight belt after wrestling it away from Mike London at Eugene several weeks ago. The adroit Clayborn, a hard man to throw a hold on, is a clever matman.

Big excitement is expected to come in the 45-minute event in which Don Sugai, local product, meets Sailor Trout, returning to the local arena after a long absence. Trout has promised he will make things interesting for the Salem Japanese who is tops with the Salem fans.

Jack Terry, the handsome Honolulu, will appear with the equally handsome Pascual Costillo in the 30 minute event, another match that will be marked by clean and scientific grappling. Both are masters in the wrestling biz.

Rowe Lets Yanks Down with 6 Hits

Turns in 17th Victory of Season; White Sox and Senators Both Win

AMERICAN LEAGUE	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	83	47	.644
Chicago	75	64	.540
Washington	74	66	.529
Detroit	73	67	.521
Cleveland	72	67	.518
Boston	71	69	.507
St. Louis	69	66	.513
Philadelphia	49	90	.353

DETROIT, Sept. 12.—(P)—Schoolboy Rowe gained his 17th pitching victory of the year today by stopping the championship New York Yankees with six hits for a 10 to 1 Detroit victory. The Tigers touched Charley Ruffing for a dozen hits.

White Sox Win
CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—(P)—The Chicago White Sox, with Johnny Whitehead pitching six-hit ball, defeated the Philadelphia Athletics 5 to 1 today.

Philadelphia.....1 6 2
Chicago.....5 12 2
Ross and F. Hayes; Whitehead and Sewell.
Boston.....4 11 2
St. Louis.....6 11 0
Ostermueller, Perry, Olson and R. Ferrell; Thomas, Knott and Giuliani.
Boston.....2 7 0
St. Louis.....3 9 0
Mead and Berg; Caldwell and Giuliani, Hemsley.
Washington.....12 17 2
Cleveland.....2 7 3
Deshong and Hogan; Milner, Harder and Sullivan.

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BY PAUL HAUSER

Beavers Will Meet Seattle

By Tonight; Ducks Lose But Are Game Ahead

If "Spec" Keene has an ace in the hole he hasn't been saying much about it, which is right. Fre stidlighters, which is many back word meaning guys with white mice in their bonnets, don't go around telling the world that the hand of a 11y 1 s n't quicker than the eye and that it's all d o n e with mirrors. What we meant to say and didn't quite succeed in is that if "Spec" has a halfback in his hat it's a good thing and we are all very happy. It would be nice too if he could pull a center out of his coat tails and with a wave of his wand produce somebody that could do more with a football than tumble it.

"Spec" gets his lads out on Sweetland field Monday and won't be long after that until we and the rest of the downtown coaches have at least an idea whether Keene has an ace in the hole or just a joker. Anyway it looks like he's going to have to perform some miracles somewhere and we'd just as soon see him cast his bread on the waters and have it come back as a pair of halfbacks that could pass, kick and run.

Frankly we're as pessimistic as "Spec" is about the chances of the Bearcats this year. Without Oravec running attack will bog down and we can't at this moment see anybody on the reserve list that can bring it up. Willamette has a tough schedule. All the four non-conference games are hard ones. In the conference Puget Sound, Whitman and Linfield have all been waiting to take a healthy crack at Willamette and this is the year they plan on doing it. It's going to take a real team to beat off the attack. We hope "Spec's" got it.

This Jackie Drews who will fight Jackie Shell in the semi-finals of the card Curly Feldman is staying at the armory Friday night is a great little welter, according to Feldman who handled him in Marshfield. He's the punching type of fighter who wades right in, laughs off the blows that land on him, and keeps socking away. Jackie Shell is much the same type of fighter. He also prefers to keep coming forward and isn't afraid to let the leather fly. They're both the kind of fighters that make the crowds howl and their six round battle should be a clinic.

If you go for clean wrestling without the vaudeville acts staged by the so-called villains the Tuesday night show at the armory is such a one. There's not a wrestler on it who could be classified as a meanie. Jack Clayborn, Walter Achiu, Sailor Trout, Don Sugai, Jack Terry and Pascual Costillo are all crowd favorites. We don't know what happened to the villains unless somebody hired them all to haunt a house.

Statesman selections for the state fair horse races placed 65 per cent "in the money," an unusually high percentage. In the 40 races in the five days The Statesman gave selections 13 winners were picked on the nose and in one race named the first, second and third finishers in that order and in five others named the three winners but not in the order in which they finished. H. H. Smith, associated with Sol Simon in handling the state fair programs, was one of the chief collaborators in these high-rating selections. Follow them next year but don't blame us if you lose your shirt.

Six Purdue Grid Players Injured

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Sept. 12.—(P)—Six Purdue university football players suffered painful burns late today when a heater store in their shower room exploded.

Tom Johnston, university publicity director expressed belief fumes from gasoline, being used to remove tape from the players' feet and ankles, had caused the blast.

Other players and volunteers quickly extinguished the flames, and the injured were rushed to St. Elizabeth hospital.

Attending physicians said some of the players might be confined to the hospital for "two or three weeks."

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