

# Stagg Starts 54th Campaign With 14-7 Win

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 18.—(P)—Silver haired Amos Alonzo Stagg, dean of coaches, started his 54th season as a mentor today as his College of the Pacific eleven passed and powered a 14 to 7 victory over the Alameda Coast Guard.

It was the opening game of the combined college—service team season here and a crowd of some 10,000 fans turned out in Kassar stadium for the contest, tag, 81 years old last month,

produced a fleet eleven, well grounded in both a running and passing attack. The nucleus of former St. Mary's college players, led by Left Halfback John Podesta, furnished the power. Podesta, one of the finest passers in the country last year, hipped a 13-yarder to his teammate, Jack Verutti, right halfback, to set the stage for the first Pacific score.

The Coast Guard eleven, with Left Halfback Morales, also

a former St. Mary's man handling the main passing and running burden, tied the count in the third quarter.

Late in the last period, Pacific broke the deadlock after putting the ball into play on the Coast Guard 29. A line plunge and a pass advanced it to the 16 from where Podesta passed over the line to a substitute End Carl Lueder and the former St. Martin's college (Wash) boy carried it five yards to a touchdown.

## STATESMAN SPORTS

By Al Lightner, Sports Editor

# Michigan Juggernaut Rolls Over Camp Grant, 26 to 0

## 'Dream' Backs Do Galloping As Advertised

By JERRY LISKA  
ROCKFORD, Ill., Sept. 18.—(P)—Michigan's high-gear collection of marines and navy footballers lived up to advance billing with a pulverizing 26-0 opening triumph over a once-tested Camp Grant team here today.

A capacity crowd of 11,000 in the small Rockford high school stadium saw Coach Fritz Crisler's well balanced team score in every period as the outmanned Warriors fell under the hammering of Minnesota's Bill Dingley, Wisconsin's Elroy Hirsch and Michigan's own Paul White.

Hirsch tallied two touchdowns on short bucks while White and Daley both scored on sweeps around Camp Grant's right flank from the 25-yard line. Daley missed Michigan's first two tries for points by place-kicks but Tackle Merv Pregulman connected twice in the second half.

Camp Grant's seasoned backfield of Reino Nori, Corwin Clait, Jimmy Dewar and Tony Stortli lacked the drive and finesse of Michigan's potent "dream" backfield, and the Warriors' strongest bid was a drive from Michigan's 42 to 12 in the third period. This was halted by White's interception of a pass on the four.

The Wolverines swept to a touchdown the first time they got the ball.

Michigan rolled up 14 first downs to four for Camp Grant and completed six of nine forward passes.

# Purdue Dumps Lakes, 23-13

GREAT LAKES, Ill., Sept. 18.—(P)—A pair of Illinois regulars of last year, Guard Alex Agase and Fullback Tony Butkovich, provided the firing power of a great Purdue team today as the Boilermakers opened their 1943 football season with a 23-13 victory over Great Lakes before a crowd of 22,000 recruits.

Purdue, winner of only one Western conference game last season, proved worthy of recognition as a championship contender this fall—the transformation coming from its rich supply of service students.

# Izzy to Count On Ex-Preps

SPOKANE, Sept. 18.—(P)—It's apparently no different with the army.

Lt. Isadore "Izzy" Weinstock, former Pittsburgh all-American, said today that former high school football stars will be the mainstay of his Spokane air service Commandos, with a few pre-war college players lending a sprinkling of varsity experience.

Which doesn't mean that Weinstock is doubtful of his team. While admitting the strength of the squad will not be fully known until the Commandos meet the University of Idaho here October 12 in their opener, Weinstock said he expected them to supply top-notch football.

Most certain of backfield berths today, Weinstock said, were Aubrey Minter, San Jose, Calif., and Bill Butknecht, Turtle Creek, Pa.

# Pelicans Open With Easy Win

KLAMATH FALLS, Sept. 18.—(P)—The strong Klamath Falls Pelicans, claimants of the state football title last fall, opened their 1943 grid campaign here Friday night with a 31-13 win over Ashland high. Passes and long runs featured the game with the Pelicans setting the tempo with a touchdown on the fifth play of the contest after driving 55 yards.

# Football Results

By the Associated Press

**EAST**  
Cornell 7, Bucknell 5.  
Rochester 14, Yale 12.  
Villanova 25, Muhlenberg 12.  
New London Coast Guard 25, Bates 6.  
Princeton 21, Lakehurst Naval Air 12.

**SOUTH**  
Duke 40, Camp Lejeune 9.

**MIDWEST**  
Michigan 26, Camp Grant 0.  
Purdue 23, Great Lakes 13.  
Marquette 23, Wisconsin 7.  
Iowa Seahawks 22, Illinois 18.  
Indiana 7, Miami (O) 7 (tie).  
Bowling Green 18, Ohio Wesleyan 7.  
Cape Girardeau (Mo) Techs. 13, Indiana State 9.  
Western Michigan 19, Central Michigan 9.

**PACIFIC**  
College of the Pacific 14, Alameda Coast Guard 7.  
Colorado College 32, Lowry (Colo) Field 14.

**SOUTHWEST**  
Texas Tech 26, Bullock Army Air Field 14.  
Southwestern 20, North Texas Aggies 0.

# Seahawks Nab 32-18 Victory Over Illinois

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Sept. 18.—(P)—The Iowa Seahawks' starting team of cadets had to call on its officers for help against Illinois today, and three ensigns obliged by scoring a touchdown apiece in the pre-flight school's 32 to 18 conquest of the Illini before 8500.

The other two Seahawk touchdowns were accounted for by Cadet Frank Maznicki, a flashy, zig-zag running halfback who used to play for the Chicago Bears in the National football league. Frank also kicked two conversion tries and had 14 points to show for his part in the day's doings.

Ensign Dick Todd, also a former pro leaguer who played for the Washington Redskins, galloped 51 yards for the Seahawk touchdown in the second period and threw a 30-yard pass to Ensign Bob Timmons for another in the same quarter. Ensign Perry Schwartz, ex-Brooklyn Dodger professional, made the last navy score in the third period by grabbing a 20-yard pass from Cadet Leonard Heinz in the end zone.

The all-civilian Illini team was no match for the Seahawks. Fullback Bill Krall, handicapped by a bad knee, scored two touchdowns, one on a short pass from Eddie Bray four minutes after the game started, and the other on a brilliant 83-yard kickoff return in the third period.

# Esmeralda Led By H. Givan

By JACK HEWINS  
SPOKANE, Wash., Sept. 18.—(P)—Booming the ball down the hard, fast and narrow fairways of Spokane's Downriver course for a 33-4-67, Seattle's veteran amateur Harry Givan drubbed par by five strokes today and led the field by two in the opening round of the \$1250 first annual Esmeralda Open golf tournament.

Scrambling was the rule for amateurs and professionals alike, as only one other of the 123 entrants broke 70.—Pro Roy Moe of the Spokane Country club racking a 35-34-69. Right behind him was Spokane Amateur M. A. R. Hammond with 70, and five tied at 71.

In the quintet were George Dancan, Virginia pro who came down out of the Yukon to see if his game was rusty and found it sharp as a knife; Bob Connolly, Seattle pro; Freddie Wood, Vancouver, B.C., professional; Ken Storey and Jim Shriver, Spokane amateurs.

But the hottest nine holes of the day were carded by Pro Sid Harman of Walla Walla, who took the back nine apart with a five-under-par 31 after fighting nine holes of first-round tre as for a 41. With him at even par were Bill Welch, national Publiclix champion; Bernie Hren, Port Angeles pro, and Henry Gasletts, Seattle professional.

Gross scores of 82 and better qualified 70 golfers for the 36-hole finals tomorrow. All play is medal in this inaugural of the tournament sponsored by the Athletic round table and named for its grinning horse mascot, Esmeralda.

All prizes are in war bonds and stamps, with the top professional to receive \$250 and the leading amateur \$75.

# Jack, Ruffin Sign for Bout

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—(P)—Promoter Mike Jacobs today announced a ten-round bout between Beau Jack, former lightweight titleholder, and Bobby Ruffin of New York in Madison Square Garden October 4 to take the place of the postponed lightweight title fight between Jack and Philadelphia Bob Montgomery.

# Death Takes George Mathey, Funeral Tuesday

George Mathey, 49, died Saturday at his residence on route six.

Survivors include one sister, Miss Alice Mathey of Salem; aunts Mrs. William Johnson of Salem and Mrs. Henry Jaquet of Silverton, and an uncle, Rev. E. J. Traglo, Portland.

Funeral services are to be held at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday from the chapel of the W. T. Rigdon company, with interment at Beicrest Memorial Park.

# Airlines Flew Troops During Alaska Crisis

FORT BENNING, Ga., Sept. 18.—(P)—The army used more than 150 passenger planes of various air lines to transport troops and equipment to Alaska when the Japs threatened Dutch Harbor in June, 1942, an officer of the troop carrier command disclosed today.

The officer, Capt. Ben L. Parker of San Diego, Calif., then was in a newly formed squadron of the troop carrier command, and flew to Alaska with the first planes making the trip. He now is executive officer of the Fifth Troop Carrier Squadron stationed here.

"Our planes were the only means of getting troops and equipment into Alaska in a hurry," Parker said. "And we went to work. Our 12 planes carried men and equipment 24 hours a day. I made 12 trips from Anchorage to Nome. On my first trip, there were two or three huts on the airport. On my last there were thousands of men and plenty of equipment for them."

Captain Herman J. Farley of Aurora, Ore., operations officer of the fifth squadron here, also is a veteran of Alaska flying.

At the time Parker was flying men and equipment, Farley was manning one of the few war planes in Alaska.

Both officers hold the distinguished Flying Cross.

# WU Institute Open Monday

With 40 students already registered and about 35 auditors expected to enroll Monday, Willamette university's Institute of American History and Civilization, a one-month early fall session, opens Monday with the first class at 8 a.m.

Music, art, literature and religion are to be presented along with studies in history and social development of this country. University credit will be given to regularly participating students, but a number of auditors have signified their interest in the courses, representatives of the Willamette administration pointed out Saturday.

Chapel hour lectures by Dr. William Warren Sweet, University of Chicago, will be open without charge to both students and the public.

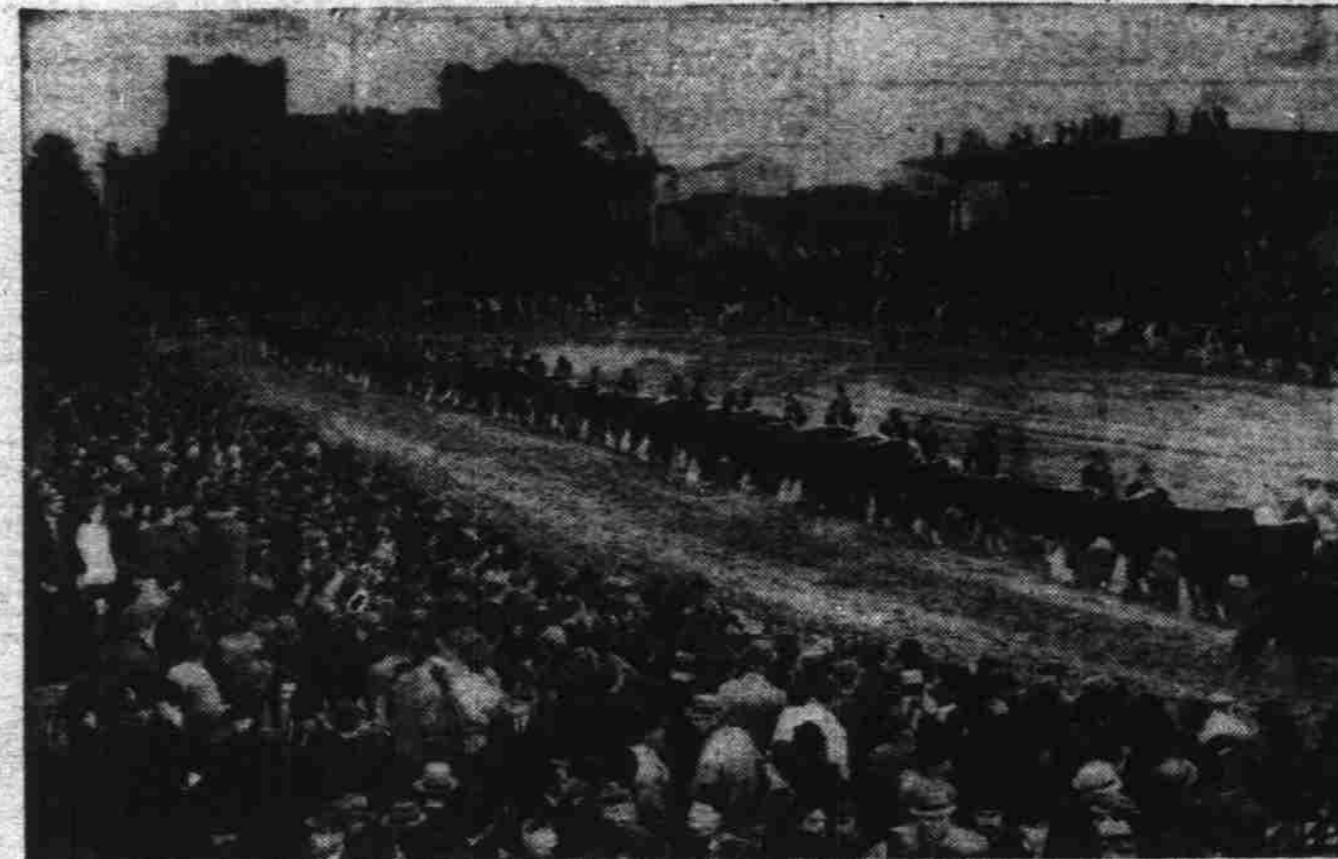
# PICTURE NEWS



WILLING HARVEST HANDS — To aid English farmers short of harvest help, United States army men shock grain in a field somewhere in Britain's agricultural belt.



CLEANUP TIME—A workman from the British ministry of works and planning gives a periodical cleaning to the statue of the Earl of Haly in Whitehall, World War I monument, the design of which caused much controversy.



PRESIDENTIAL REVIEW—Prime Argentine livestock in the annual exhibition line up in Palermo stadium, Buenos Aires, for review by President Gen. Pedro F. Ramirez.



LABOR LEADER—Ernest Bevin, Britain's minister of labor, poses with little Patricia White at the opening of a new day nursery for children of London's war workers.



STACKED IN A "BOMB BANK" at an R.A.F. airfield in Britain, here are pictured some of the actual missiles which were among the 9,000 tons recently dropped in the devastating series of raids on the Nazi U-boat building base of Hamburg. The armors have the job of moving all these huge bombs to the Lancasters, Stirlings and Halifaxes dispersed around the field and there loading them up for rapid delivery. This "bank" is never out of "funds."



ROUGH COMPANIONS — Capt. F. Villobos of the Fighting French navy seems not at all worried by his rough companions at a staid luncheon in Hollywood. Guess he knows they're Actors Humphrey Bogart (left) and Peter Lorre.



LADY AT WORK—Lady Lyttelton (center), wife of Britain's minister of production, engaged with two fellow-workers entering the factory where they make fittings for aircraft parts.



NIFTY — To help make farm work attractive for women, Ella Gayman designed this farmette costume for the New Jersey state fair at Trenton. Jean Bowen is the model.



NEW UNIFORMS—Hugh Casey (left), ex-Dodger hurler, and Trevor Evans, former Brooklyn shortstop, are in navy uniforms at the same team—the classy nine of the Norfolk, Va., naval air station. (U. S. Navy photo)