

Gordons Return Home; Lindell-Kurowski Crackup Turning Point in Series—Joe

Leaves on Hunting Trip; To Work For Feed Company

Joe Gordon, the New York Yankee second-baseman who established three new fielding records and tied a fourth while the Yankees were winning the 1943 World Series from the St. Louis Cardinals, 4-1, returned to his home here on The Bras over the week-end.

Joe was accompanied from St. Louis, and the completion of his sixth season in the "big time" of baseball, by his wife, Dorothy, and two children, three-year-old Judy and one-year-old Joseph Michael.

The former University of Oregon athlete who handled a record of 43 fielding chances in the five series games without an error, plans to leave for his annual hunting jaunt Tuesday and will return in two weeks to take over an essential war-industry job with the Ben Weber Feed company at Springfield Junction.

The hunting trip will be made in central Oregon for ducks, eastern Oregon for upland birds and deer, and southern Oregon for geese. He will be accompanied by Ford Danner, Walt Hummel, Stew Hurd, all of Eugene, and Brother Jack Gordon of Bend.

Gordon, who started his colorful baseball career on the Portland sandlots, skipped over his outstanding performance in the series—his fifth in six years—and tabbed Johnny Lindell's crashing slide into Whitey Kurowski of the Cards at third base in the five-run eighth inning of the third game as the turning point in the series. Joe thought Frankie Crosetti, his shortstop teammate, was the outstanding player for the Yankees—charging and scooping up hard-hit ground balls with amazing accuracy.

Bill Johnson, New York's rookie third-baseman, collected Gordon's vote as "the best first-year man I've ever seen in the majors."

Joe is making no plans for the 1944 season, intimating he would not return to New York even though the major leagues operate next summer. It appeared possible he may join the University of Oregon physical education staff as an instructor in the army physical fitness program after the first of the year. Joe is a graduate of the university's school of physical education.

Q's Views

By RED Q. GATES

When Friend Bill Love mentioned to us recently there would be two "corkin' good" ball games this week-end for local fans to see, he wasn't kidding. In fact we think it's going to be one of the outstanding football week-ends as far as Lane County is concerned, in a long, long time.

First of all Friday night Frank Ramsey brings his undefeated K. Falls team to test the challenge of our hometown Axemen, secondly Uni-high and Springfield meet in their annual battle which is more apt to prove which will become the Tri-County grid champion, thirdly the Oregon ASTU Ducks play the Marshfield 104th Cavalry team here.

Many of you have been waiting a long time to see this outstanding high school football power on the coast, and we know no better time than Friday night to see the Pelicans perform. Just as sideline we hope you'll be pulling to see an upset, which is very possible for Hank Kuchera's Axemen. Thursday or Saturday night the Golden Tide-Miller game is sure to produce a ding-dong battle, and if both teams play as they have in the past it will be wide-open football with no "love thy neighbor" stuff going on at any time. Uni-high, after getting off to a shaky start against Eugene, hit its stride against Roseburg, and has shown plenty ever since. Mel Johnson's Millers have yet to taste defeat, and reports from the Springfield camp say they don't intend to make this their first.

Eugene high's Axemen could really redeem themselves in the light of state championship consideration if they beat Klamath Falls, despite their loss to North Bend. Both games (K. Falls and N. B.) did not count officially in championship consideration, so all the Axemen lost to the Bulldogs was prestige. But if they should topple Klamath from the ranks of the undefeated, think what they would regain.

Incidentally, Kuchera has some excellent boys at the westside school. In fact, we can see about five who have proven worthy of all-star selections. They are: Ranny Smith, the brains of the Eugene team as well as the best blocking back we've seen this season, and that "added something" that makes the Axemen click. Then there are two rugged defensive ends in Cece Berg and Bob McKevitt. If Mert Jones can get in there the remainder of the season, our bet is he will be right up there with the leaders as far as tackles go. And of course we couldn't leave out Dean Bond. Dean has been the spearhead of the Axemen's grand offensive, and he will probably show them how a GOOD fullback does it in the Friday night fracas, too.



HERE IS JOE GORDON making one of record-breaking 43 fielding chances in the final game of the World Series. The New York Yankee second-baseman had just taken a loss from Shortstop Frank Crosetti to force Stan Musial at second, but his throw to first was not in time to double Walker Cooper off the initial sack.

Pacific Coast Championship at Stake in Pacific-USC Battle

By RUSS NEWLAND
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—(AP)—Once again 81-year-old Amos Alonzo Stagg and his crack College of the Pacific team find themselves in leading roles in the Pacific coast's biggest football show of the week.

Pacific, fresh from its stunning 16-7 win over the seemingly un-

beatable Del Monte navy pre-flight eleven, tackles the unscored upon U.S.C. Trojans at Los Angeles.

The Trojans made it four in a row with a lopsided win over U.S.F. 34-0 and probably could have doubled.

This Saturday's top contest will pit Pacific's pass attack, featuring the accurate throwing of John Podesto, against the tremendous backfield speed of Southern California. The Pacific line is equal to, if not stronger, than U.S.C.'s.

The undefeated Fourth Air Force team from March Field travels to Seattle to face orphaned University of Washington, represented by a first rate team and with but few opponents to play.

The Army squad skidded by the naval training station of San Diego last week with a 7-0 win, but its previous victories have been one-sided.

Other games this week-end will oppose California and St. Mary's navy pre-flight at Berkeley and the Alameda Coast Guard and Pleasanton Navy blue jackets at San Francisco.

California added another victory Saturday with a 13-0 setback to UCLA. Redlands hung up a 46-0 decision over the Pomona army ordinance squad; Willamette defeated a team of army trainees from the University of Oregon 25-6, and the combined Reno army base-University of Nevada crew won from Utah, 27-19.

In a Sunday game at San Francisco the Alameda coast guard defeated the freshman Gael of St. Mary's, 21 to 7.

CHAMPIONSHIP
Carpenter beat Swartz, 1 up.
Prescott beat John Koke, 2-1.
Leal beat Winkler, default.
Mills beat Immel, 1 up.

Pairings
Carpenter vs. Prescott
Leal vs. Mills.

FIRST FLIGHT
Vincent beat V. Smith, 1 up.
Lemley beat Taylor, 4-3.
Evans beat C. Schaefer, 1 up.
Dunaway beat Sigwart, 1 up.

Pairings
Vincent vs. Lemley
Evans vs. Dunaway.

SECOND FLIGHT
J. Fischer beat C. Smith, 6-5.
Fischer beat Brownson, 2-1.
B. Fischer beat Tyler, 1 up.
Roadman beat Daly, 2-1.

Pairings
J. Fischer vs. Fitchner
B. Fischer vs. Roadman.

THIRD FLIGHT
C. Johnson beat Pollard, 1 up.
Fischer beat Brownson, 2-1.
Reed beat Conner, 4-3.
Dillon beat McDonald, 2-1.

Pairings
Johnson vs. Fletcher
Reed vs. Dillon.

CONSOLATIONS
First Flight
Smith-Taylor, unplayed.
Fischer-Sigwart, unplayed.

Second Flight
A. Lewis beat Viter, 1 up.
C. Miller beat Thompson, 2-1.
Rietman beat Crouse, 2-1.
Talbot-Cloves, tied.

Third Flight
Brownson beat Pollard, 3-1.
Conner beat McDonald, 1 up.

Kimbrough Fumbles 4 Times as Team Loses

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Oct. 18.—(AP)—John Kimbrough, former Texas A. & M. all-America back, latest addition to the Kirtland Field, Albuquerque, N. M., football team, had trouble holding the ball, fumbled four times and accounted for little yardage as Kirtland Field fell 20-0 before Colorado College Saturday.

San Diego Bombers Win

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Oct. 18.—(AP)—The undefeated San Diego Bombers, defending Pacific coast professional football champions, maintained their record Sunday with a thumping 28-19 win over the Los Angeles Mustangs.

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Navy, Gophers, USC Face Stiff Tests This Week

Irish, Cadets Remain at Top

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—(AP)—Just how good are Navy, Minnesota, and Southern California? Their games this week against Georgia Tech, Michigan and College of the Pacific should give the answer and help clarify the college football picture.

The Midshipmen, Gophers and Trojans are among the nation's 18 unbeaten and untied teams, but whether they rank with such recognized juggernauts as Notre Dame, Army, Purdue and Pennsylvania still is debated in some quarters.

Their games shape up as the best three in the country since the Irish, Cadets, Boilermakers and Quakers again take the field against opponents who do not rate in their class.

Notre Dame Awaits Navy

Navy, with Notre Dame lurking around the corner on October 30, faces a real test in Georgia Tech. Notre Dame is the only team that has beaten the Engineers. That was a 55-13 wallowing. If the navy, after taking Duke and Penn State on successive Saturdays, duplicates the Irish feat the Midshipmen will be deserving of the most flowery adjectives.

Minnesota, too, is on the spot in its battle with Michigan for the "Little Brown Jug." Like Georgia Tech, Michigan has lost only one game, that to Notre Dame, 35-12. Idle last week the Wolverines will be out to redeem themselves as well as end their Gopher jinx.

Minnesota has beaten Michigan nine years in a row.

Southern California hasn't yielded a point in four games, but the Trojans tangle with an inspired College of the Pacific outfit that may shatter their dreams of a perfect season. It will be a battle of unbeaten teams since Pacific, coached by 81-year-old A. A. Stagg, Sr., upset the Del Monte pre-flight eleven 16-7 last Saturday.

Penn State held Navy even for three-quarters before losing 14-8. Ohio State threw a scare into Purdue by holding a 7-0 lead for more than 30 minutes, but the final was Purdue 30, Ohio State 7. Oklahoma and Missouri also scared Tulsa and the Iowa Seahawks, but each yielded two touchdowns in the last quarter and lost 20-6 and 21-6 respectively.

Leaders Engage in Workouts
Most of the other leading teams merely had a good workout. Notre Dame crushed Wisconsin 50-0. Army, held to 13-0 at halftime, went on to wallow Columbia 52-0. Pennsylvania rolled up its biggest score in years in trouncing Lakehurst Naval 74-8, and Southern California smashed San Francisco 34-0.

Duke, on the rebound from its one-point Navy setback, defeated North Carolina 14-7, while the Texas Aggies beat Texas Christian 13-0 in a game that was expected to produce the eventual winner of the Southwest conference.

Cornell, beaten only by Navy, afforded a mild surprise by whipping Holy Cross 20-7, while Minnesota downed Camp Grant 13-7. Northwestern beat Grant Lakes 13-0, California defeated UCLA 13-0, and Illinois outscored Pitt in a flurry of touchdowns 33-25. In other games Texas beat Arkansas 34-0, Southern Methodist took Rice 12-0, Rochester humbled Colgate 14-6, and Villanova rushed over a last period six-pointer to defeat Bucknell 12-8.

Ben Holcomb Bested By Weinstock, 12-6

WALLA WALLA, Oct. 18.—(AP)—Coach Izzy Weinstock stepped into the game in the third quarter here Sunday and took personal command to lead his Spokane Air Service Commandos to a 12-6 victory over Whitman College.

When the ex-Pittsburgher entered the scene the Aerialists trailed 6-0 as a result of a second-quarter pass interception and 43-yard run by Ben Holcomb, ex-Oregon Duckling.

Aubrey Minter, army halfback, culminated the 10-play, 67-yard drive with a four-yard scoring thrust off tackle for the first score and Weinstock added the second tally several moments later after a series of passes put the ball on Whitman's two.

Scorchy Smith of Whitman ran the opening kickoff back 82 yards to the Spokane nine, but the Missionaries failed to score.

HUNTING SEASON LONGER

BOISE, Idaho, Oct. 18.—(AP)—Deer hunting season in five north Idaho counties has been lengthened 15 days by the state fish and game department.

AL SIMMONS RELEASED

BOSTON, Oct. 18.—(AP)—Al Simmons, 40, once one of the American league's star outfielders, has been given his unconditional release by the Boston Red Sox. He batted .303 in 41 games this season after coming out of retirement because of the player shortage.

Bob Steuber Top Scorer

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—(AP)—Running wild for 25 points against Wabash on Saturday, Bob Steuber, DePauw (Ind.) halfback, boosted his season total to 77 and became the leading college football scorer in the country.

Steuber crossed the Wabash goal line four times, twice on runs of 50 yards, and booted one extra point.

Steve Van Buren of Louisiana State chalked up 21 points against the army specialists training unit from the LSU campus and took over second place with 64 points.

Tony Butkovich, star of Purdue's undefeated and untied Boilermakers, scored three times against Ohio State, the 18 points giving him 60 for the season and third place. Glenn Davis of Army and Howard Bloose of Cornell are tied for fourth with 42 points.

(Jay Stoves, University of Washington back, maintained his edge over the Pacific coast scoring field although the Huskies were idle. Stoves, in two games, has racked up four touchdowns and as many try-points to register 28 points.

Oregon G. I. Ducks Meet Cavalry Next

The University of Oregon's G.I. Ducks, defeated 25-8 in their football debut here last Saturday by an experienced Willamette University aggregation, are expected to present a considerably more potent team here next Saturday against the 104th Cavalry eleven from Marshfield.

The game here will be the second on a tentatively scheduled five-game season, featuring three more local contests for the soldier trainees.

Coach John Warren announced no injuries with the exception of Bob Pinnick, ex-Northwestern freshman fullback who suffered a sprained ankle. With five additional one-hour practice sessions under their belts before next Saturday, the Army Ducks are expected to make a much better showing against the Marshfield invaders.

The Cavalry team, with several ex-colleagues in the lineup, played together for two years in the east before moving to the west coast.

Grid Results

SUNDAY FOOTBALL SCORES
Collegiate
Sam Houston 47, Rome Army 0.
Loran naval 13, Pocatello air base 12.
Georgia pre-flight 33, Newberry 0.
Camp Lee 20, Cherry Point marines 0.
Camp Pickett 19, Fort Meade 0.
Alameda coast guard 21, St. Mary's 7.
Spokane's commandos 12, Whitman 6.
Professional
Detroit 7, Chicago Cardinals 6.
New York 20, Brooklyn 0.
Washington 38, Green Bay 7.
Chicago Bears 48, Philadelphia 21.

Athletic Shoes Stock Is Nearly Exhausted

PORTLAND, Oct. 18.—(AP)—Stocks of athletic shoes are nearly exhausted, Richard G. Montgomery, district OPA director, said today, but the footwear still may be obtained by school athletic teams.

NEWS VIEWS

By H. F. "MAC" McDANIEL

This new "Bazooka" the army is using seems to have everything ever claimed for a secret weapon since away back when the first caveman dusted off his favorite shillalah and went out looking for trouble. The gun is carried and aimed by one soldier, while his buddy slips rocket shells into it like a kid tossing peppermint candies in his mouth. The gun gets its name from Bob Burns' "Bazooka"—and it causes even more consternation among the enemy than Burns' musical plumbing causes among music critics. We believe that the favorite song on the Army's new "Bazooka" will be "Pop! Go the Weasels!"

The Active club tells me they are going to organize "Gang Busters" again this year—they did a swell job last year and contributed much to relieving the juvenile problem.

A doctor in Massachusetts has just retired after 51 years of practice—during which he delivered 3480 babies. It's a wonder he wasn't driven stark mad.

A Los Angeles man changed his last name from Horsey to Collins. It seems his friends named him about his hayburner handle—and it finally got his goat. Does it get your goat when the roof unexpectedly leaks, drafts play tag through the rooms of your home? Don't put up with this inconvenience when it's so easy to get new roofing and insulation from the McDaniels Lumber Co., 131 8th Ave. West. Make your home snug and cozy this winter—go to McDaniels Lumber. Phone 372.

Bears, Redskins Loom as Rivals

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—(AP)—The Chicago Bears, growing to themselves since last year for allowing Washington to win the 1942 National football league championship, may get another crack at the Redskins for the pro crown if the current pattern continues to be followed.

The Bears and Redskins remained the only unbeaten teams in their respective divisions after Sunday's sessions, and should either be defeated from here on, it would have to be rated an upset.

The Phil-Pitt combine, the east's "surprise team," rode into Chicago with an undefeated league record of two victories. But the Eagles were smashed 48-21 by the Bears. Sid Luckman pitched three touchdowns passes, Dantz Magnani scampered 96 yards with a kickoff and Harry Clark raced 81 more with a recovered fumble.

Meanwhile, Washington rolled up its second straight win with a stunning 37-7 triumph over the Green Bay Packers, the team which earlier had held the Bears to a 21-21 tie. Slingin' Sammy Baugh flicked passes of 14, 8, 7 and 5 yards for touchdowns and Andy Farkas made another on a short plunge.

New York trounced Brooklyn 20-0 with Bill Paschal of Georgia Tech scoring twice on short lunges to cap drives of 66 and 83 yards. The Detroit Lions bounced back from two straight lickings to beat the hapless Cardinals 7-0 on Harry Hopp's 70-yard run with Frankie Sinkwich's screen pass in the third period.

Pancho Segura Wins Pan-American Title

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 18.—(AP)—Francisco "Pancho" Segura, fiery two-handed shotmaker from Guayaquil, Ecuador, retained his Pan-American tournament title by defeating William Talbert, Indianapolis, Ind., 6-2, 6-3, 6-2, before a capacity crowd of 5000 fans at the Chapultepec sports center Sunday.

Pauline Betz and Dorothy May Bundy, of the United States, defeated fellow teammates Louise Brough and Margaret Osborne, 6-4, 2-6, 6-2, to win the women's doubles championship.

Segura and Miss Betz teamed up to win the mixed doubles title by defeating Talbert and Margaret Osborne, 7-5, 6-4.

Armando and Rolando Vega of Mexico defeated Segura and Talbert 6-1, 6-3, 7-5, in the doubles finals Saturday while Miss Betz was measuring Miss Bundy, 7-5, 6-4, in the women's singles finals.

ZIVIC WILL NOT QUIT

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 18.—(AP)—Unperturbed by his defeat Friday night by Jose Basora at Detroit, Fritz Zivic today scotched rumors of his immediate retirement.

Ross Beats Piluso To Keep Mat Crown

By VIC HUFFAKER

The Pacific Coast light-heavyweight championship remained with Tony Ross Saturday night after an exciting mat duel with Ernie Piluso. The tilt was a fitting climax to a series of hot matches in the Pearl Street arena.

The main was completed within an aggregate time of 18 minutes. Ross, using his "blitz" attack won two falls to one for Piluso. The first fall went to Ross when he secured a headlock on Piluso and proceeded to pound him with rights to the head and with a few punches to the heart. This fall required five minutes of hard fighting for both Ross and the challenger, Piluso. The second fall went to Piluso when he downed Ross several times with chinlocks and flying arm bars. After making Ross dizzy, Piluso pushed him into the ropes, and on the rebound threw Ross over his back and fell on him, gaining the fall in six minutes.

The third and deciding fall went to Ross in five minutes when he caught Piluso with his right fist on the rebound of a Sonnenberg. After the fall was awarded to Ross, Piluso did not retire, but went after Ross with flying fists.

The skirmish lasted only time and was refereed by Referee Elton Owen. A substitution was made in the semi-final match, replacing LaBelle because of a replaced by the injured Wagner. The tilt ended in minutes with a hammerfist Belle took the second fall. Australian grapevine in one half minutes. The minute and a half the went at it with all they had to no avail. The opener equalled other bouts in the way and excitement. The fight fell went to Tex Hager in 21 minutes. The downed the tough Tex Hager with a knife. The last showed some fast action neither could gain a fall.

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