

KLAMATH FALLS MEETS ASHLAND HERE FRIDAY

Klamath Falls Pelicans and the Ashland high Grizzlies both undefeated in pre-season play, meet Friday night beginning at 8 o'clock, on Walter Phillips field in the southern Oregon conference opener for both teams.

The Pelicans have beaten Grant high of Portland, Redding and Eureka while Ashland downed their lone opponent, Lakeview, 20-0.

Ashland will be outweighed 185 pounds to 160 pounds for this crucial game. The Pelican line is led by gigantic Phil Blohm, 215-pound center who is in his third year of Pelican ball. Fullback Gordon McKay weighs 205 pounds and stands six feet, two inches. "Baldy" Foster playing halfback is a tough and fast ball carrier and once he gets out in the open the Pelicans are almost sure of a touchdown. He is one of the most shifty backfield men seen in the conference in several years.

In the game with Eureka last week which the Pelicans won 26 to 6 Bill Mast proved a powerful line plunger and very fast.

In spite of Klamath's good reputation, Ashland mentor Roland Parks is optimistic about his team's chances of upsetting the favored Pelicans. Parks has vowed that Klamath Falls will know they have been through a ball game no matter which team wins. He claims his team's double and single wing backs and bag full of razzle-dazzle, plus the air being full of passes, will give Coach Frank Ramsey's club a headache before it is over. The Grizzlies are hitting harder and charging faster than they have for several years.

Parks is planning on shifting Barney Riggs from his tackle position to right half. Riggs has shown up remarkably well at this position during practice this week and might see some action there against the Pelicans. Parks also announced that no position on the entire starting lineup is secure and said that each man will have to fight hard if he wants to keep his starting berth.

The probable starting lineup for Ashland against Klamath Falls will be Kerr or Weybrant at left end, Gettling at left tackle, Cawson or D. Arant at right tackle, Green or Roberson at right end. In the backfield will be Elam at quarter, Marquess at left half, Riggs or Caton at right half and Owen Griffith at fullback.

The Klamath lineup was not available at press time. The Ashland high school girls' drill team will be featured during the half-time intermission and the high school band will furnish music throughout the evening.

Ashland Downs Lakeview 20-0

The underdog Ashland high Grizzlies opened their football season at Lakeview last Friday night by taking the measure of the favored Honkers 20 to 0 the Grizzly tallies coming in the first, second, and third quarters.

Owen Griffith fullback, scored the first Grizzly touchdown on power drives and converted the extra point by going off tackle. Again in the second period it was Griffith who, by power plays, reached pay dirt. The conversion attempt failed. Billy Elam got through the line for the final touchdown and Mark Marquess took the ball around end for the extra point.

The Grizzlies, light but fast, looked surprisingly good on power plays and was featured by the thrilling end runs of Marquess, sophomore halfback.

Dick Kerr, end, was removed from the game in the first quarter with a broken nose and Teddy Clawson, guard, went out in the second quarter with a wrenched knee. Griffith was taken out in the third period with a rib injury and Ken Caton, halfback suffered a charley horse in each leg in the final period. All are expected to be back in shape for the Klamath Falls game.

Those seeing action against Lakeview were Green, Kerr, Roberson ends; Riggs, Gettling, D. Arant tackles; Wolcott, Clawson, Hall, guards; B. Davis and Bartelt, centers; N. Arant and Griffith fullbacks; Caton, Marquess, Ross, Landing halfbacks; and Elam, quarterback. All 18 players, who made the trip, saw action.

Football Scores Past Week
Ashland 20—Lakeview 0
Grants Pass 12—Medford 6
Klamath Falls 26—Eureka 6
Roseburg 20—Reedsport 12
Games this week: Klamath Falls at Ashland.

FOR VICTORY

BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

BLACK DAWN

by Victor Roussea

CHAPTER XIII

SYNOPSIS

Dave Bruce, out of a job, arrives at Wilbur Ferris' Cross-Bar ranch. Curran, the foreman, promises him a job if he can break a horse called Black Dawn. When he succeeds, he discovers Curran expected the horse to kill him. A girl named Lois rides up, angry with Dave for breaking "her" horse. She refuses to speak to him even when he uses his savings to pay off the mortgage on the small ranch she shares with her foster father, a man named Hooker. But when Hooker is shot and Dave is charged with murder, Lois saves him from being lynched. Wounded, she guides him to a mountain cave where she thinks they will be safe from Curran and the sheriff's posse. A quarrel between Ferris and Judge Lonergan reveals that Ferris had killed his partner, Blane Rowland, many years before. Thoroughly scared, Ferris takes Curran into his confidence. When Dave is away from the cave, Curran kidnaps Lois. Meanwhile Dave discovers a human skeleton with a bullet hole through the skull. When he later finds Lois gone he enlists the aid of Sheriff Cogswell, who is now convinced of his innocence. They go to the cabin where they have learned Lois is being held prisoner, unaware that Ferris and Curran have already brought Judge Lonergan there to kill him. Curran, however, double crosses Ferris and kills him instead. Just as Dave and the sheriff arrive on the scene, in the fight that follows Curran escapes.



Curran struggled helplessly to escape.

before cashin' in. "That skeleton yuh found in the ravine was Blane Rowland's. I'd knowed it since yuh spoke about his leg havin' been broke. Rowland was kicked by a hawss and broke his leg. He always limped after that, on account of its havin' been badly set.

"Ferris lured Rowland into the hills with a story of gold deposits, and murdered him. Then he cooked up that story about Rowland's havin' forged the check and skipped the country, so as to git the whole rights to the Cross-Bar in his own hands.

"Then he got into difficulties. Either he went to Lonergan, or Lonergan found out Lonergan had Ferris where he wanted him after that. He got that twenty thousand, and he got a mortgage on the Cross-Bar by means of a fictitious loan that Ferris never received. He bled him steady, till Ferris was des'p'rate.

"Then he put Curran in. Curran was wanted for murder in Missouri, and Lonergan knew Curran would do just what he told him. So when Ferris refused to quit and leave this part of the country, there was nothing to do but put him on the spot, Ferris bein' ready to face a life sentence if he could git back at Lonergan. Curran got Ferris to the cabin, pretendin' he'd lure Lonergan there and kill him, but he double-crossed him. That's what I got from Ferris before he died.

"Went back to Lonergan with them facts, and Ferris' cross under the signature I wrote out in the dark, at the bottom of the gully. Lonergan broke down and told the rest, though he refused to sign a confession. He claimed Curran murdered Mr. Hooker, but it's a safe bet Lonergan sent him to do it. We can't prove that, but we got enough evidence to send Lonergan up for a stiff term."

Cogswell paused in his story and rolled Dave another cigarette. "Miss Lois is Blane Rowland's daughter," he said. "Rowland's wife had divorced him, and he'd come West, leavin' Miss Lois with her mother. He'd never spoke about his wife and daughter, but Lonergan found out when he went through his papers. After that, Lonergan's main idea was to keep Miss Lois from gittin' her share of the ranch.

"He got the Hookers to take her from the orphanage where she'd been put after her mother died, and kept her under his eye, so as to have her under his eye. Well, Hooker had been findin' out things, and got to shootin' off his mouth, so Lonergan sent Curran to the cabin to kill him and put the crime on yuh.

"Way things stand now, Miss Lois is half-owner of the Cross-Bar, and if Ferris had any heirs, they got to pay up that twenty thousand that was stolen, which means in effect that Miss Lois is the sole owner. And now I told yuh everything, I'll see yuh later, Bruce."

Cogswell got up and strode away. "There goes the whitest man I ever knew, Lois," Dave said. "I can't tell yuh how glad I am things have cleared up in this way. Yuh won't need to be ridin' through the mountains with me now. Why, you're an heirress."

"Yes, Dave," answered Lois wistfully. She kneeled beside him and laid her cheek against his. "Is that all that you have to tell me, Dave?" "I reckon I told yuh all, Lois. But things have changed now, and you—"

"I shall never be any different, Dave. I never change. Dave, don't tell me you've stopped caring?" "Stopped carin'? Why, I—I—"

Dave caught the little figure in his arms and looked into her woeful face. "Now stop that," he said, "or yuh'll find yuh've got a caveman for a husband instead of just a range waddy. Don't cry any more."

"I'm not cryin' any more, I'm laughin' Dave," Lois sobbed. [THE END]

OLD DEBT PAID
Forty-three years ago, Superior Judge Alfred J. Fritz of San Francisco, Calif., left private practice to become a police judge. He sold his typewriter to a friend for \$20, to be paid as soon as the friend was able. Fritz received a letter last week containing a check for \$71.66—his \$20 and interest.

Host: "What do you think of these cigars? I got them from an airplane pilot."
Guest: "What does he use them for—skywriting?"

Hindsight On Sports

By I Told You So

Yours truly kind of got kicked all over the lot last week when he picked only two correct out of 10. The winners were Santa Clara over Stanford and Klamath Falls over Eureka. But this week it looks somewhat different. With the percentage standing at .200 Hindsight chooses ten more games, all of which look good from this corner. Here they are: Stanford will get a first-class beating at the hands of Notre Dame Saturday. They play at South Bend.

Oregon will win a close one from Washington at Portland Saturday.

Oregon State will gain another notch on the coast championship by whipping UCLA at Los Angeles. It's Saturday, too.

Washington State will manhandle Montana when they meet in a conference game at Pullman.

California will triumph in a close, hard-fought game over Santa Clara at Berkeley Saturday.

Iowa Cadets over Michigan and Minnesota over Illinois.

The Navy will lick Princeton Saturday while Northwestern is beating Purdue at Evanston.

Friday night, here in Ashland, Klamath Falls looks like the logical choice over Ashland. Let's hope we miss this one.



This tough-looking character is Sgt. Kenneth Elder, member of one of the tank destroyer battalions training at Camp Joseph P. Robinson, Ark. Stopping tanks is a tough job, but the men who undertake it do that job are plenty tough. The sergeant's uniform is camouflaged for action here.

Cavemen Win Over Medford

Southern Oregon Conference Standings

	W	L	Pct.
Grants Pass	1	0	1.000
Medford	0	1	.000
Ashland	0	0	.000
Klamath Falls	0	0	.000

The Grants Pass Cavemen outplayed and outfought the Medford Tigers in almost every department to win 12 to 6 and jump into an early lead in the southern Oregon high school football conference at Medford last Friday night.

Although the score was close, there was little doubt as to which was the better team after the first few minutes of the first quarter.

It was the second time in 23 years that Grants Pass has been able to celebrate a win over their bitter rivals. The last time was in 1930.

GOOD PERCENTAGE
Corp. Ken, Scotland, stationed at Camp Adair, near Salem, Ore., started to hitch-hike to Salem to meet his parents, coming from California for a visit. The first car that passed him stopped. In it were his parents.

Parks: "Name three kinds of nuts."
Bill: "Walnuts, peanuts and forget-me-nuts."
Parks: "Fine remember the last one, don't forget dues."

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Wife: "Art, I'm writing a paper on calendar reform for our Club. Do you know which Pope gave us our present calendar?"
Art: "Pope? Good heavens! I thought it came from our grocer."
Babe: "I suppose you've been in the navy long enough to be accustomed to sea legs."
Bill: "Honest, lady, I wasn't even looking."
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