

AIR ATTACK OF MEDFORD SWAMPS CHEMAWA 37 TO 7

The Medford High school football team, three mythical state champions playing their first regular game of the season defeated the Chemawa Indians 37 to 7 today. In a game replete with triple lateral passes, and long end runs executed with dazzling swiftness by the victors, all of Medford's touchdowns were scored on forward passes, except one by Anderson on an end run, and all the extra points scored on point formation runs by Melvin, quarterback. Medford completed six of eight attempted forward passes.

The lone touchdown of the visitors was scored after Melvin had fumbled a punt in the first quarter, and it was recovered by Meachem, Chemawa half, who was fumbled on the twenty yard line. A forward pass, Smith to Meachem, put over the score.

The Chemawa team was outwitted in every department of the game.

Anderson and Cooksie were the best ground-gainers for Medford, the former getting away for long end runs that placed the ball in position to score. Herold, a fine halfback, ripped and tore through the Indian line for consistent gains. Melvin at quarterback played a heady game, with the exception of two errors of judgment, and thrilled the fair-weather crowd that attended with long forward passes.

The high school scored its first touchdown in the first quarter, when Herold, married a long forward pass from Melvin, and went across the field for a touchdown. The second score came when Bowerman by a beautiful catch, of a 35-yard heave from Melvin, went for yards to the goal line. Bowerman scored the third touchdown on a similar play.

A lateral pass, Melvin to Cooksie, to Herold, pointed the fourth touchdown, and a long pass from Melvin to McDonald netted the fifth, and the final score was made by Anderson, on a climax to two successful end runs of 20 yards each.

The Medford team showed potential strength, but lacked the power of past teams. It made this up, however, by being a better forward passing team, due to the steel arm of Melvin, who hurled his passes far and accurately. Melvin Hughes did the kicking off, and did a good job of it.

A fair-sized crowd saw the game.

First Quarter. Chemawa won the toss-up and chose to kick-off, the ball going over the goal line, and a kick-off was ordered. Melvin caught the next attempt, and ran the ball back 30 yards from the shadow of his own goal posts. Cooksie made six yards through center, and Melvin on an attempted forward pass was thrown for a five-yard loss. Melvin made two yards through center, and then kicked 30 yards. Chemawa's ball. On the first, Oliver was thrown for a five-yard loss. Meachem was thrown for a two-yard loss. Anderson and Morgan going three to null the man with the ball. Meachem made five yards through guard, and the Indians were forced to kick. Melvin receiving and returning the ball 15 yards. Medford's ball.

Herold tore thru tackle for eight yards, and Cooksie, tipped off tackle, on a cross-pass play for 11 yards. Cooksie got away for a 25-yard run around the end. A forward pass was grounded, and Anderson made no gain thru center. Cooksie went through center for 5 yards. Melvin made eight yards. On the next four plays Medford was held for downs, and it was Chemawa's ball in the locals territory.

Meachem and Ross hit the Medford line for five yards in three plays and punted. Melvin being the ball back ten yards. Herold failed to gain through guard, and Cooksie went through tackle for three feet, and Melvin made two yards on a delayed back. Chemawa was penalized for off-side, five yards, giving the locals first down. Anderson got away through tackle for 15 yards. A forward pass Melvin to Bowerman yielded to yards, and carried the ball deep into Indian territory. A double lateral pass, Melvin to Anderson to Herold, took the visitors by surprise, and Herold ran 25 yards for the first touchdown. Melvin, following a drop kick, ran from punt formation for the extra point. Score, Medford 7, Chemawa 0.

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Second Quarter. It was Chemawa's ball, and Meachem made two yards through

tackle, but on the next two attempts was held to no gain. Cooksie recovered a punt, and it was Medford's ball in mid-field. Herold oozed through the center of the line for a first. Cooksie managed to get a yard through tackle. The defense of the Indians was stiffening. Melvin went through center for three yards. Melvin kicked, and the ball went outside. Chemawa's ball. Smith lost three yards, and Meachem was held to no gains in two line plunges. Bernie Hughes was breaking through to mess up the Indians' plays before they got under way. The Indians countered, and Melvin recovered and brought it back five yards.

Medford's ball. Cooksie moved through tackle for seven yards, and Meachem Anderson in an end run tore off twelve more. On a fake back, Melvin threw the ball 25 yards to Bowerman, who made a sensational leaping catch, and stepped over his own goal line. Melvin, again deceived the Indians, expecting a drop kick, and ran the ball off tackle for the extra point. Medford, 14, Chemawa, 0.

B. Hughes kicked off a 37 yard punt, and Meachem returned ten yards. Meachem, a one-armed halfback, made five yards through tackle. The Indians failed to gain on the next play, and kicked. Melvin fumbled the ball, Chemawa running the ball to the 24-yard line. Meachem made two yards and Herold three, around the end. A forward pass Smith to B. Meachem was completed, and Chemawa scored its first touchdown. The kicking around Cooksie. Smith kicked the ball, Chemawa, 7, Medford, 14.

Chemawa kicked off, and Herold let the ball go over his head, and it was brought back to the 26-yard line. Herold made four yards through tackle, Melvin was held to no gain, and Medford was penalized for being offside, five yards, as the half ended, with the score, Medford, 14, Chemawa, 7.

Second Half—Third Quarter. The Medford team was given a talking to between halves by Coach Callahan, and they came on the field chastened and pounding each other. Bernie Hughes booted the punting 45 yards down the field to Smith. Hughes kicked down the field, to stop after he had brought the ball back ten yards. The Medford center was worthy. B. Hughes broke through the Chemawa line to flip Oliver for a three-yard loss. Chemawa was held to no gain, and Melvin made two yards through center, and Cooksie went through tackle for six yards, and Melvin gained two yards. Chemawa was penalized five yards for holding. Cooksie on an off-tackle back made 12 yards. Anderson slipped and lost a yard. Medford was penalized five yards for offside. Melvin made a yard through center, and Anderson went through the same hole for three more. Bowerman caught a long forward pass for Melvin, and went across for the third touchdown. Medford 21, Chemawa, 7.

Bowerman was playing a great game at end, and this was his second touchdown. Melvin scored the extra point on an off-tackle run.

Chemawa received, Wilbur made ten yards and first down. A forward pass was grounded. The Indians were unable to gain thru the line, and kicked. It was Medford's ball. Anderson went off tackle for 25 yards, warding off his blockers, in a broken field. Cooksie made eight yards thru center. Medford was penalized ten yards for holding. Melvin got it back on a broken field run for 12 yards, and repeated for 25 yards more. After a brilliant run, Cooksie made a loss of three yards on the next play. A double lateral pass Melvin to Cooksie to Herold, the latter running five yards for the touchdown. Melvin failed to make the extra point. Medford 27, Chemawa, 7.

Chemawa fumbled the kick-off and Herold recovered. On the first play Melvin hurled a beautiful pass to McDonald, who caught the ball behind his own goal. Melvin's run for point was declared void. Score, Medford, 33, Chemawa, 7.

Fourth Quarter. Chemawa received the kick-off, the long boot of B. Hughes going into the end zone. The Indians began to open up, and a

forward pass Melvin to Bowerman yielded to yards, and carried the ball deep into Indian territory. A double lateral pass, Melvin to Anderson to Herold, took the visitors by surprise, and Herold ran 25 yards for the first touchdown. Melvin, following a drop kick, ran from punt formation for the extra point. Score, Medford 37, Chemawa 7.

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perfect forward pass netted 20 yards. Meachem, in a line plunge, failed to gain. Herold recovered a forward pass, and forced back fifteen yards. Herold in three brilliant runs piled up 32 yards. Anderson smashed and tore around the end and was forced out of bounds, with two feet to go. Melvin took the ball over Chemawa 7, Medford 39; Melvin failing to convert.

Gannett went into play for Herold for half, and made twenty yards in three tries. A Medford forward pass failed, and it was Chemawa's ball with a minute to play. The Chemawa backs were thrown for heavy losses on the next two plays, and they kicked the long home for 20 yards. The Cardinals were thrown out of bounds as the final whistle blew.

Final score: Medford 37, Chemawa 7.

The line-ups:
Chemawa: George, C. B. Hughes, E. Peratrovich, J. B. Hughes, E. Green, E. Bruno, T. Meachem, R. Peratrovich, G. Meachem, E. Bowerman, Alexander, J. McDonald, Smith, M. Melvin, Ross, H. B. Anderson, Oliver, H. B. Herold, J. Meachem, E. Cooksie, J. B. Hughes, E. Bruno, J. Young, J. Ashland, Timekeeper, Jerry Jerome. Time of quarters 12 1/2 minutes.

FINAL BASEBALL GAMES ON TODAY

Baseball in the Rogue River valley will make its final bow today with two games between the Bend Eagles and the Medford Merchants. The first game starts at 10:30 this morning, and the second at 2:45 in the afternoon.

Both teams have strengthened their lineups for the contests, upon which hangs the nonpareil championship of Oregon.

Curtis Davis, pitcher for the Bend last year, and star hurler for the Sals Lake team this season, will pitch one of the games for Medford.

A record crowd is expected for both games. The games were insured the first of the week against rain.

Manager Hall visited the field late last night and reported the field had not hurt the playing field.

KLAMATH BEATS ASHLAND SQUAD

The Klamath Falls high school football team, for the first time in years, defeated a Rogue River Valley high school yesterday afternoon when they nipped Ashland 9 to 0.

The Klamath sound outwitted the light Lithian team 25 pounds to the man, but despite this advantage were unable to wear down their lighter foe, who fought with characteristic Ashland gameness. Neither team showed much smoothness in play. It was the first game of the Southern Oregon district conference.

MADEIRAFIELD, Ore., Sept. 29. Myrtle Point high school defeated the Giants Pass football team 25 to 0 in an easy game for the Cross eleven at Myrtle Point today.

The Battalion Tigers invaded Crescent City for the first time in two years, winning 12 to 0.

PARIS, Sept. 29.—Former Premier Clemenceau celebrated his 87th birthday yesterday in earned and successful efforts to avoid interviewers.

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 29.—GP 23 Universal said today that it was feared that 12, 12, 12wards, an American engineer, had met with some mishap since he had been missing since Sunday.

GIANTS CRUMBLE BEFORE CUBS AS CARDS WIN FLAG

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—(AP)—Obsequies over the Giants today were brief and simple. The Cubs romped through a drizzle to defeat the home forces 6 to 2, and the young men of John Joseph McGraw were out of the race for good and all. The Cardinals would have clinched the flag about one hour later anyhow on their 3 to 1 conquest of the Boston Braves, but the Giants had any satisfaction which may have accrued from losing it in person.

The Cardinals jumped into a lead of three full games, and started immediately for the Polo grounds where they will finish off the campaign with a single skirmish against the gallant Giants, tomorrow. **Score:** R H E Chicago 6 9 1 New York 2 6 3 Blake and Gonzales; Fitzsimmons, Scott and Hozan.

BOSTON, Sept. 29.—(AP)—St. Louis won the hottest National league pugnat fight in 20 years by the Cubs 6 to 2 victory over the Giants at New York today about one hour before the Cardinals made assurance doubly sure by defeating the Braves here 3 to 1. To take their only previous National league flag two years ago the Cardinals had to fight until Friday, with a Sunday finish, but this year's contest held on one day.

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Southern California aggregation, Smart was fast and shifty, and his dash through the Trojans on an eighty-yard sprint at the opening of the second half was the feature of the game. Battling on even terms the first period the teams struggled from one end of the turf to the other, each threatening to score but failing in the crucial plays.

Couch Jones' thundering head had a touchdown snatched from its fingers when a costly penalty cut off its advance, and a fumble nip-off the Azgic attack just as it seemed to be rolling the powerful Trojan before it almost in the shadow of the goal posts.

MOSCOW, Sept. 29.—(AP)—After a nip and tuck struggle, the Vandals of the University of Idaho decided to the smooth machine of Montana State, and the Bobcats won a close, furious, scuffle 15 to 13.

SPOKANE, Sept. 29.—(AP)—Washington State's Cougars and the Lumberjacks of Gonzaga University tore at each other for three scoreless periods here today, and then Buckley put over the place kick that gave the game to W. S. C. by the score of 3 to 0.

Gonzaga's gridders had surprised the crowd by their ferocity in holding the Washington Staters, who had been doped to win on superior weight. Buckley, who claimed over his kick in the last few minutes of play, is playing his first year on the varsity. He is a quarterback.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 29.—(AP)—Arizona Wildcats clawed their way to a 7 to 0 tie with the University of California at Los Angeles in the opening game of the football season here today.

The Bruins started the scoring early in the first period on a peppy 30 yard run on a fumble. The Wildcats tied the score in the second period on a series of bucks.

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starting from the middle of the field. The Bruins threatened in the third and fourth periods but were stopped by the Wildcats strong wall from the ten yard line each time.

SEATTLE, Sept. 29.—(P)—The University of Washington Huskies opened the 1928 football season here today by defeating Williamette University 26 to 0. The Oregon team displayed a good aerial attack against the heavier Huskies, but the Washington eleven failed to show much class. Chuck Carroll leading Washington scorer of last year, led with three touchdowns. Bill Broz scored in the final minutes of the game when he carried a pass from Elliott Pulver over the goal line.

ELLENBURG, Wyo., Sept. 29.—(P)—The University of Puget Sound defeated Ellensburg State Normal this afternoon 21 to 14 when Ellensburg failed to solve an off-tackle crisis cross in the last half. At the end of the second period the score was 7 to 6 in favor of Ellensburg but in the third period Puget Sound opened a passing attack mixed with a crisp cross play which netted them three touchdowns.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 29.—(P)—Exhibiting a powerful running attack and a fast charging line, St. Ignace registered a decisive

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