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MANGUSO'S INJURY LUCKY BREAK FOR NEW YORK GIANTS

Absence of First String Catcher Caused 'Finding' of Harry Danning — Sat On Bench for Six Years

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Around and about in the baseball business today they're saying the luckiest thing that happened to the Giants this year was the injury that put their first-string catcher, Gus Mancuso, in the hospital back in July.

It's funny they should be glad-handing Old Man Jinks as though he was Santa Claus, but if Gus hadn't been laid up with a broken finger, the Giants never would have "found" Harry (The Hawk) Danning—who had been warming the Giant bench for only six years.

Harry is hero

And if they hadn't come across Harry, sitting there minding his own business day after day, it is extremely doubtful that the Giants would be up there sporting a 2½-game lead for the National league pennant at this writing.

Harry is the hero of the piece because of the way he brought the right-handed department of the Giants' pitching staff out of the doldrums, and because he's been waving that big bat of his in rival hurlers' faces until they're scared to death of him.

For instance, there were Prince Hal Schumacher and Harry Gumbert, who had been about as much use as a couple of bats with holes in them. Since Harry began handling them, Schumacher has started nine games, completed seven and won six, while Gumbert has taken half a dozen decisions.

Davis Wins

Schumacher did it again with Danning yesterday. He turned in a neat nine-hit effort while his mates clubbed the Pirates, 7-2. Since the Cubs also won their game, taking a 5-2 decision from the Bees behind Curt Davis' six-hitter, the pennant situation remained as was.

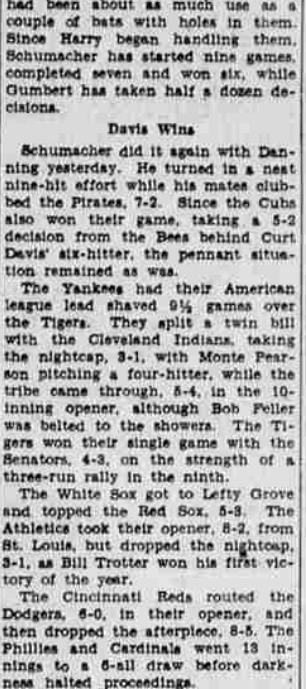
The Yankees had their American league lead shaved 9½ games over the Tigers. They split a twin bill with the Cleveland Indians, taking the nightcap, 3-1, with Monte Pearson pitching a four-hitter, while the tribe came through, 6-4, in the 10-inning opener, although Bob Feller was belted to the showers. The Tigers won their single game with the Senators, 4-3, on the strength of a three-run rally in the ninth.

The White Sox got to Lefty Grove and topped the Red Sox, 5-3. The Athletics took their opener, 8-2, from St. Louis, but dropped the nightcap, 3-1, as Bill Trotter won his first victory of the year.

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Crowned as Fishing Champs



Here are the new fishing champions who were crowned in the seventh annual Seattle, Wash., salmon fishing derby. Mrs. Minnie Spangle of Bremerton caught the biggest fish in the women's division, and William E. Watts of Seattle gained the men's title with a 31 pound, 2 ounce fish. A field of 333 persons took part in the finals.

Sport Graphs

Billy Hulen Says:

Six-Man Football Declared Answer for Small Schools

Why, asks Fred Lennard, a local sports enthusiast, don't these class B high schools in Jackson county follow in the footsteps of Umatilla county secondary schools and take up this new game of six-man football? To which we add our own most intensive "why?"

Because of the shortage of player material, prohibitory cost of equipment, and lack of proper playing fields, regulation football is almost out of the question for high schools with enrollments of less than 150 students. The new game, which consists of six players to a team and stresses kicking and passing while eliminating much piling-up and blocking, is apparently an excellent answer to the question of what the small-school athlete can do to keep out of mischief during the football season.

Athletics come to a complete standstill in most class B schools during the fall. To remedy that, why doesn't Jacksonville, Phoenix, Talent, Eagle Point, Sams Valley, Gold Hill, Butte Falls and prospect get together, draw up a schedule, and procure their own brand of football. Central Point, largest of the county class B high schools, will play the regulation grid game, but that should not stop the others from having their fling at what they can manage to produce.

If Coach Bill Bowerman of the Medford high school is correct, local football fans will next year witness the finest of the finest halfbacks in a long list of super-fine ball-carriers to wear the red and black. The young gent to whom Bowerman referred the other day as almost a clutch to develop into the greatest of them all is none other than Jack Bowman, present member of the school's varsity quartet of fancy ground gainers.

A junior this year, Bowman has everything necessary to make him a grand halfback, Bowerman said. He not only packs the mail with plenty of dispatch, but is one of those rare guys who love to do some blocking on the side. In fact, the coach said he apparently would rather mop up for somebody else than take that pigskin places himself. However, he is too good a runner to be relegated to solely a blocking position, although he will be allowed to blast an end or defensive halfback when the occasion demands.

Bowman was a member of the Tiger track team this spring, competing in the hurdles with more than ordinary success. On the football field, he has that same long high stride and the effect on would-be tacklers is all that can be imagined. We asked Bowerman about Bowman's speed, which is said to be quite necessary in a good halfback. "Well," the coach drawled, "he runs the hundred in 10.2."

And, while on the subject of this Medford halfback, Bowman is not alone of gentlemen who would just as leave smack an opponent out of the way for another ball carrier as travel along behind teammates who are clearing the way for them. Jack Hill and Bobby Ettinger, a couple of other "payoff" halfbacks, both dearly love to run interference, a trait not usually found in the ordinary run of high school ball-carriers who, by their speed and other more sensational abilities, have reached the "star" status. More often, the young back who gains the ground can't block and don't like to block. He does the ball-toting while teammates open up for him.

It will be a beautiful sight



Billy Hulen.

SAMS VALLEY BRONCS TAMED FOR POLO TILT AT GOLD HILL'S FAIR

SAMS VALLEY, Sept. 16.—(Sp.)—The Sams Valley buckaroos have almost completed the round-up of their broncs for the big polo game Saturday at the Gold Hill fair. They will play a team from the Dodge Riding academy of Medford. "Dynamite" and "Quarter Past Midnight" are still at large but are expected to be in the corral by Friday evening. The boys have spent most of the week taming the cow ponies down so they won't be compelled to give too many bucking exhibitions during the game. "Tall and Slim," "Bashful Jim," "Baldy," "Mac," "Louie the Louse," "Chuck" and "Handsome" are some of the boys in the big hats who will take part in the parade, races and contests during the day. All the "gals" are advised to "hang onto their hearts" on Fair Day, September 18. Latest reports are that the cowgirls will also be on hand for a game with the girls from the riding academy.

Committees are all busy with final preparations for the Grange booth which is to be ready for final inspection Friday at 2 p. m. Many are preparing individual exhibits also.

BEAVERS ADVANCE TO FIRST DIVISION WITH 8-6 WIN OVER ACORNS

(By Associated Press.)

A determined Portland baseball team moved into the first division of the Pacific Coast baseball league today as rebelling underdogs made things unpleasant for the league leaders and caused three changes in the standings.

Portland with a collection of four runs in the first inning, went on to take its second straight from the wobbly Oakland Acorns, 8 to 6. Seattle, with the aid of a timely homerun with one on in the last of the 10th, defeated the league leading Sacramento club, 8 to 4. It was Seattle's second victory over the Senators in as many days.

San Francisco took definite hold of second place when Ted Norbert's home-run with two on the bags helped defeat Los Angeles, 7 to 3. The loss dropped the Angels half a game behind Portland. San Diego dropped into third place when the bedraggled San Francisco Mission Reds, with the aid of a rookie sub, defeated them for the second straight time, 6 to 3.

Sailor Bill Posedel, one of the Beavers' most reliable hurlers, was credited with his 20th victory last night. Little Dudley Lee, Beaver shortstop, nailed three of their ten hits when the connected three times out of five. Walt Judnick of the Oaks hit a homer.

After getting four runs in the first inning, the Beavers collected three more in the third on four hits and an error. Oakland hammered away at the Beaver lead, but fell short when a ninth inning effort was stopped.

Closing time for Too Late to Classify Ads is 1:30 p. m.

FOUR ENTER RACE FOR JOSSLIN'S POST

CORVALLIS, Sept. 16.—(P)—Word that Dick Joslin would not enter Oregon State college this fall started a four-cornered race for the vacancy at right half on the Orange grid squad, left vacant by the graduation of Tommy Swanson.

John Eilers, two-year letterman from Oregon Normal; Jay Mercer, former Jefferson high school of Portland, and Bob Mountain of Burlington, Cal., were principal contenders. Coach Lon Stiner called it an even race, none having the edge at the present stage of practice.

Campus experts, however, were inclined to favor Eilers as the probable starter against the Idaho Vandals, September 25, claiming his weight, speed and experience would tell heavily in his favor.

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HOW THEY STAND

(By the Associated Press.)

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Sacramento	100	73	.575
San Francisco	98	77	.555
San Diego	95	78	.549
Portland	87	85	.506
Los Angeles	87	86	.503
Seattle	78	94	.453
Oakland	78	95	.451
Missions	70	103	.405

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	81	52	.609
Chicago	80	56	.588
St. Louis	72	62	.537
Pittsburgh	72	64	.529
Boston	68	68	.500
Brooklyn	60	75	.444
Philadelphia	54	80	.403
Cincinnati	51	81	.386

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	90	44	.672
Detroit	81	54	.600
Chicago	77	59	.566
Boston	71	61	.538
Cleveland	72	63	.533
Washington	65	72	.467
Philadelphia	43	89	.331
St. Louis	40	96	.294

Scores Yesterday

(By the Associated Press.)

Team	R.	H.	E.
Oakland	6	9	3
Portland	8	10	2
Bonham, Miller, Haid and Hammond; Volpi; Poedel and Cronin.			
San Francisco	7	12	0
Los Angeles	2	4	1
Shores and Monzo; Prim and Collins.			
(16 Innings)			
Sacramento	4	11	1
Seattle	6	14	1
Klinger and Franks; Gregory and Spindel.			
San Diego	3	9	0
Missions	3	12	1
Ward, Pillette and Starr; W. Beck and Sprinz.			
National.			
New York 7, Pittsburgh 2.			
Brooklyn 0-8, Cincinnati 6-8.			
Chicago 8, Boston 2.			
Philadelphia 6, St. Louis 2. (Called end of 13th on account of darkness.)			
American.			
Cleveland 3-1, New York 4-3. (First game 10 innings.)			
Chicago 5, Boston 3.			
St. Louis 2-3, Philadelphia 8-1.			
Detroit 4, Washington 3.			

GRAYSON CRACKS RIB TUTORING BLOCKERS

PALO ALTO, Calif., Sept. 16.—(AP)—Backfield Coach Bobby Grayson, one of the greatest fullbacks Stanford ever produced, was on the injury list today. He cracked a rib yesterday in demonstrating blocking technique.

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