

# Sport Graphs

Billy Hulen says:

### Pete Proposes Schulz Rematch With No Referee

Pete Belcastro is a persistent person. Defeated twice in a row by Hans Schulz, the Teutonic terror, Weed's Italian bone-bender still believes he can liquidate the Nazi.

Belcastro is so certain he's a better man than Schulz that he has approached Promoter Mack Lillard with a proposition he feels will give him the opportunity to prove his superiority over the Hun horror.

Pete's proposition is that the pair be rematched next Monday night—WITH NO REFEREE IN THE RING TO HINDER ALL GOINGS-ON.

Enlarging upon that plan, Belcastro further stipulated that the referee be planted outside the ring to keep Schulz inside; that the official be available only to declare a fall when one or the other grapples gives up inside the arena (there would be no three-second-count falls), and the match be of a no-time-limit variety.

In other words, Pete explained to Lillard, he wants to get the German in that ring with no referee to bother with and with unlimited time in which to work him over.

Lillard likes the proposition, and believes he can induce the local boxing and wrestling commission to sanction it. The promoter hasn't contacted Schulz yet, but he is confident the German will agree. "He's so conceited," Lillard said of Schulz, "that he'll undoubtedly go for the match with no questions asked."

For some time now a movement among several wrestling fans has requested that matches be started a half hour earlier, at 8 o'clock, instead of 8:30. Lillard has given the matter serious consideration and has decided to put the question to fans attending next week's program. By hand-clapping, the customers will vote on whether to start the matches at 8:30, 8:15 or 8.

This writer is going to campaign for the 8 p. m. starting hour, and cordially invites all grapple clients to join in. By starting at 8 o'clock the matches, most of the time, would be ended around 9:30 or at least 10 o'clock, instead of the usual 10 o'clock current windup and sometimes 10:30.

In our opinion, most fans in Medford eat early dinners and are ready to strike out for the armory long before 8:30. We believe almost all fans would rather go earlier and get home earlier, by at least a half-hour, than continue with the present starting and getting-home time.

The 8:30 starting time for boxing and wrestling cards is almost universal, granted, but it is a tradition born in cities where fans eat late dinners and are forced to travel considerable distances to reach the arena. This is an early-dinner town and almost everyone is within a five-minute ride of the armory. Medford matches also are staged on Mondays, when a guy doesn't feel exactly frolicsome after the week-end, and would like to get a good night's sleep.

This Bend-Medford football game coming up here Friday night may not be a pink tea. If it's like the one the two teams staged at Bend last year it will be nothing short of murderous.

The Tigers managed to stop the Lava Bears last season, 12 to 6, but the casualty list was terrific. Not only for the locals but for the Bends, as well. In fact, if memory serves correct, the Lava Bears got slightly the worst of it, what with six of their comrades carried off the field. Carried is the correct word. Coach Bill Bowerman of the Tornado said after the game it was the most savagely-fought high school fracas he ever saw.

Defeated by Albany last Friday, 6 to 0, the Lava Bears won't be in a nice frame of mind. That was their first defeat in six starts and they won't like it. And, just to put this on record and tip off the Tigers to what they MIGHT face, Bend was penalized a total of 90 yards in the Albany game. The penalties, as reported in the Albany newspaper, were as follows: four 15-yarders for clipping, one 15-yarder for roughing and three for offside. Without a doubt the Eldon Cone team plays hard, tough football.

How good is Bend? Well, they have won five out of six games, scoring 148 points to their opponents' 27. They beat Hill Military

# Di Maggio Voted Most Valuable Player in American Loop

## YANK OUTFIELDER WINS HONOR OVER FOXX OF BOSTON

### Feller Places Third; Joe Gordon Ninth — DiMaggio Hits .381 to Lead Circuit.

Chicago, Oct. 25.—(AP)—The American League's most valuable player for the 1939 season was Joe DiMaggio, the star of stars on the New York Yankees world championship club.

His selection by a committee of 24 members of the baseball writers association of America emphasized once again the fact that power dominated the junior circuit.

DiMaggio's past season with the Yankees was the best of his four in the big-time, his bat carving out a .381 mark, tops for the league. He knocked out 30 homers and drove home 126 runs, by far his most brilliant season.

Polks 280 Points  
DiMaggio polled a total of 280 points out of a possible 336, getting 15 first place votes out of 24. Each first place vote counted 14 points, second place votes counted nine points, third place eight points, and so on down to 10th place which was worth one point.

The Yankee centerfielder got three second-place votes, three third, one fourth and one fifth. Jimmy Foxx, Boston's slugging first baseman and most valuable three times already, was second in the voting with 170 points although only one writer gave him a first place nod. Bob Feller, Cleveland pitcher, collected three first place votes and a total of 135 points for third place.

Williams Fourth  
Ted Williams, Boston rookie gardner, and Charles Ruffing, Yankee pitcher, placed fourth and fifth, respectively, with 126 and 116 points, but neither was given a first place ballot. Bill Dickey, Yankee catcher, rated sixth at 110, including three top votes.

Dutch Leonard, Washington pitcher; Bob Johnson, Philadelphia outfielder; Joe Gordon, Yankee second baseman, and Mike Kreevich, Chicago outfielder, rated next in that order with 71, 52, 43 and 38 points respectively. Leonard, who won 20 games for a sixth place club, and Kreevich, got one first place vote apiece.

## BUCK BERRY AT FULL IN OREGON WORKOUTS

Eugene, Oct. 25.—(AP)—Buck Berry, an erstwhile halfback, was shifted to fullback on the Oregon eleven yesterday as Coach Tex Oliver worked his club for Saturday's battle with U.C.L.A. at Los Angeles. Berry held the position for half an hour or so before turning it over to the regular fullback, Frank Emmons.

Observers saw the move as an indication that Strenstrom, who alternates with Emmons, might not be ready for action. Strenstrom injured a leg muscle in the Gonzaga game.

## BEAVERS PLAN AERIAL ATTACK FOR COUGARS

Corvallis, Oct. 25.—(AP)—Oregon State college, unbeaten leader of the Pacific Coast conference, concentrated on attack during yesterday's rehearsals for Saturday's league game with Washington State here.

Coach Lon Stiner worked steadily on passing, despite rain and a soggy ball, and said afterward the Beavers would do a lot of pitching and—he hoped—catching against the Pullman team.

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of Portland, 40 to 0; Prineville, 38 to 7; Oregon City, 19 to 7; Redmond, 38 to 0, and The Dalles, 13 to 7. They lost only one player—Fullback George Redden—from last year's fine team. On a comparative score basis, if you believe in such things, Bend is one touchdown better than Medford. It figures this way: Klamath Falls and Medford tied, Klamath Falls and The Dalles tied, and Bend beat The Dalles by one touchdown. The Klamath-The Dalles deadlock was by 7 to 7.

## Oregon State Scores Again



Robert Olson, Oregon State College sub halfback (92), plunges through center to go over the goal line for Oregon State's first touchdown in the second quarter of their game against the University of Washington at Seattle. Referee at right throws his arms in air to indicate touchdown. OSC was a 13 to 7 victor.

## BOWLING

The ladies bowled at the Medford alleys last night, with Hunt's Ice Cream beating Alleyettes, 3 to 1; City Market taking all four points from Valentine's; and Gilman's Dairy blanketing City Cleaners, 4 to 0. Scores follow:

Hunt's Ice Cream	
Semon	126 122 141—388
Johnson	118 127 126—371
DeVore	140 107 150—397
Proeknow	115 121 91—327
Handicap	499 477 508—1484

Alleyettes	
Lendt	102 146 113—361
Morse	119 95 91—305
Bateman	112 134 151—397
Sims	136 127 135—400
Handicap	1 1 1—3

City Market	
Litrell	125 103 167—455
Fraser	85 100 103—288
Hierholzer	108 100 109—317
Wallace	105 155 134—394
Handicap	54 54 54—162

Valentine's	
O'Brien	88 114 101—303
Tollefson	127 138 156—423
Swoope (absent)	147 147 147—441
Carlsner	105 113 130—348
Handicap	467 512 586—1515

City Cleaners	
Watson	125 118 142—385
Gramme	115 101 98—314
Mikache	122 98 106—326
Huston	137 137 137—411
Handicap	499 454 483—1436

Gilman's Dairy	
Mathes	145 123 165—433
Harper	117 102 107—326

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## TIGERS CRIPPLED FOR BEND BATTLE; HIBBERT IS OUT

With its casualty list reading like a report from the western front, Medford's Black Tornado grid squad is hobbling and limping through very light practice sessions in preparation for the invasion Friday night of Bend High's Lava Bears, central Oregon power-horse.

"I hope we can put a ball club on the field Friday," Coach Bill Bowerman said today, "but it looks rather doubtful."

The brutal Klamath game last Friday night took a terrible toll in Tiger injuries, sending one regular definitely to the sidelines for the Bend game, making two more first-stringers doubtful starters and banging up four others to such an extent that their effectiveness will be greatly hindered.

Alden Hibbert, regular left guard, suffered a fallen arch against the Pelicans and is on crutches. He is out for one week, maybe two.

Harry Thurman, center, hurt both legs and received a general going-over that may force him to watch the fracas from the bench.

Louie Thurman, quarterback, got a pair of charley-horses, and probably won't start the game. He may not be able to play at all.

Al Barrow and Bill Clute, tackles, may not start because of hurts suffered in the Pelican battle. Barrow injured his side and Clute hurt a knee.

Billy Piche, right halfback, and John Saulesberry, fullback, will probably play despite painful and slowing-down injuries. Piche hurt his hip and Saulesberry got a nasty crack on one knee.

Calling on his reserves, Coach Bowerman has been working Jim Wallis in the center position to take the place of Thurman. Dean Grimes will fill in at left guard for Hibbert. Dale Howard, right guard, has been shifted to the blocking quarterback position to replace Louie Thurman, and Jack Florey has been moved up to the right guard spot. Ray Johnson and Bob Stead are available for right half if Piche isn't fit, while Ike Orr may start at full if Saulesberry doesn't come around in time.

Washington, Oct. 25.—(AP)—Increased industrial employment caused civil conservation corps enrollment to drop, headquarters said today. The decline in Oregon was 69.

## Eugene-Unihi Game Features Prep Grid Slate This Week

By Fred Hampson  
Associated Press Writer  
The Oregon Webfoots will be on the road again, but Eugene has a pretty good substitute feature this week end. Eugene High, one of a half-dozen undefeated, untied Oregon elevens stakes its record against a tough cousin, University High of Eugene, Thursday night.

The U-Hi eleven is also undefeated but a 7-7 tie with Albany stands against it. That same tie, however, is enough to make Friday's hostilities paramount among the up-state preps. Albany is the team that wrecked no-loss records for Salem and Bend on successive week ends. Last week University ran Roseburg ragged 26-7.

Lost To Vancouver  
The axmen are also rolling. Last Friday they spotted Corvallis a 6 point lead, then went on a scoring spurge and won 37-6. They defeated McMinnville, Tillamook and Oregon City before losing an interstate game with Vancouver, Wash., which, of course, didn't count in the state tabulations.

While this neighborhood quarrel is going on Milwaukie's high fliers who consider anything less than five touchdowns, a slump, meet Albany, at Milwaukie. This will be the third straight Friday on which Coach Tom Swanson has met an unbeaten team. Three weeks ago he spilled Salem and last week, Bend, Klamath Favored

In the Southern Oregon circuit Klamath Falls was favored over Grants Pass at Klamath. Bend will try to get back in winning stride at Medford. The powerful Peapack, still unbeaten, were tied last week by Klamath Falls. Two strong East-siders play when The Dalles invades Milton-Freewater. Dunsuir, Calif., will play Ashland at Ashland.

Sandpoint, Idaho, Oct. 25.—(AP)—Two brothers, Bert and Fay Hall, both about 30 years old, were reported drowned today in Pend Oreille Lake when their boat capsized as they were retrieving ducks.

Weather.  
Northern California: Fair tonight and Thursday, warmer in the interior Thursday; fresh northwest wind off the coast; light local frosts tonight.

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