

## Major Changes Predicted in Offensive Grid Formations

By Jack Cuddy  
 United Press Correspondent  
 New York, Nov. 6—(U.P.)—Commenting upon the victory of Navy's single wing over Notre Dame's "T," Coach Lou Little of Columbia predicted today that wartime football will produce a new, explosive offense, combining the best features of both formations.

"What they'll call this offense, I don't know; but it's coming," said Little, who is chairman of the coaches rules committee and one of the most respected "brain guys" in the sport.

He continued, "Football has progressed rapidly during the past 20 years, and particularly during the past 10, both on the offense and defense; but it's the type of sport that still has limitless possibilities for development."

"The progress already made has resulted from constant experimenting; but never has the game witnessed such concentrated, nationwide experimenting as that which was virtually forced upon coaches by current wartime conditions—depleted squads, some green candidates who did not even play in high school, shortened practice sessions, and transfers during the season. For example, I changed from the single wing to the T at Columbia this season because my backs averaged about 150 pounds, and a few of the boys never had played before. I didn't have time to ground them in single-wing spencers, etc. And I note that Michigan and some other schools are using both the single wing and the T formations."

Little, a bespectacled chap who is coaching his 15th season at Columbia, emphasized that no

## CHICAGO BEARS UPSET PACKERS BY 21-0 SCORE

(UP Staff Correspondent)  
 New York, Nov. 6—(U.P.)—Not in the memory of the oldest living National League football fan has there been a time when a victory by the Chicago Bears over anybody could be classed as the season's top upset, but that was exactly the situation today after their triumph over the Green Bay Packers, 21 to 0.

When they met at Chicago yesterday, the Packers were heavy favorites but that didn't make any difference to Ensign Sid Luckman, the Bears' master passer and strategist. He scored the first touchdown in the first period on a center sneak after setting up the score with a pair of passes good for 38 yards. Within three minutes in the third period he tossed touchdown passes of 31 yards to Ray McLean and 25 yards to George Wilson.

It was the first time in 66 games that Green Bay had failed to score in league competition.

## Football Scores

By United Press  
 Second Air Force Super-Bombers, 46, Amarillo, Texas, A. A. F., 6.  
 Keesler Field 20, Selman Field 0.  
 Tonopah, Nev., Air Base 9, Fairfield, Cal., Sulson 0.  
 Fleet City Bluejackets 26, St. Marys 0.  
 New London, Conn., Submarine Base 6, Holy Cross 0.  
 Third Air Force Gremlins, Charlotte, N. C., 13, Georgia Pre-Flight 12.  
 Bainbridge, Md., Naval 49, North Carolina Pre-Flight 20.  
 Great Lakes Naval 45, Marquette 7.

## RANGERS LEAD COAST LEAGUE

By United Press  
 To all intents and purposes, the Hollywood Rangers today had the American Professional Football championship all tucked away after their smashing 27-6 victory over the second-place San Francisco Clippers in Hollywood yesterday before a rain-swept crowd of 14,000 fans.

At the other end of the circuit, the Seattle Bombers romped over the Portland Rockets, 28-7, in another game played on a slushy field.

Team standings:  
 Team— W. L. T. Pct.  
 Hy'w'd Rangers 9 0 0 1.000  
 S. F. Clippers... 6 2 0 .750  
 Seattle Bombers 4 4 1 .500  
 Port'nd Rockets 3 5 0 .375  
 L. A. Wildcats... 2 4 2 .333  
 S. D. Gunners... 2 4 1 .333  
 L. A. Mustangs 2 5 0 .286  
 Oak. Hornets... 0 4 0 .000

A new grate for fireplaces has a shaking mechanism to remove ashes and is lined with a refractory.

## USC FAVORITES FOR PASADENA BOWL CLASSIC

San Francisco, Nov. 6—(U.P.)—Pacific Coast Conference collegiate football teams open their final round of battles for Rose Bowl honors this weekend, after harrowing experiences with service elevens that saw two out of three go down to defeat.

California and UCLA, who clash in their second game of the season in Los Angeles Saturday, both dropped another game, the Bears losing to Alameda Coast Guard 12-6 and the Bruins to the undefeated Fourth Air Force 35-13.

Undeclared but twice tied, USC takes the week off after triumphing over San Diego Navy 28-21. The Trojans meet California Nov. 18 and UCLA Nov. 25 in the final two conference games, and are heavy favorites to return to the Pasadena Bowl New Year's day.

Saturday's other major contest will be at Seattle, where the once-tied Fourth Air Force will defend its record against the Washington Huskies.

## Baby Abandoned In L. A. Bus Terminal

Los Angeles, Nov. 6—(U.P.)—Police today were hunting for a well-dressed blond young woman who deserted a red-haired baby girl at the Greyhound bus depot.

Mrs. J. W. Carter told police the woman, blue-eyed, about 5 feet 6 inches tall and about 30 years old, asked her to hold the baby for "just a few minutes."

She said she was from Bakersfield, Calif.

## Authoress Says Far East Peace To Be Difficult

Milwaukee—(U.P.)—The far eastern peace will be an uneasy one because of probable British and Russian hesitation to allow a regime in China which is at odds with the Chinese communists, Emily Hahn, authoress, said.

Miss Hahn gathered material for her best-selling biography, "The Soong Sisters," during her nine years in China. Visiting relatives in this area, she told of her stay in China during Japanese hostilities until her repatriation on the Gripsholm last November.

She said she escaped internment in Hong Kong when she lied that her husband was a Chinese, who were not interned because Japan never admits being at war with her neighbor.

Chiang to Stay  
 There is a sort of communistic group in China, just as there is in the United States, Miss Hahn stated, and there are diverse factions, just as there are here, but there will be no civil war in China. While Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek is in charge, Chiang will be the leader until his death, the writer predicted, anticipating a shake-up in the country after that. As for the famous American-educated Soong sisters, Mme. Chiang Kai-Shek, Mme. Kung and Mme. Sun Yat-sen, leading the nation to democracy in the postwar era, Miss Hahn said no woman would ever lead China. The country will become democratic, with a constitution modeled after that of the United States, she said, but only Chinese male leaders would bring about such a government.

The writer scored the biting comments made against the Chinese for slow progress in the war.

"We can't scream at them for not doing better," she said, "because we don't send them ammunition and they have none. All during the war, the United States sent China only as many tanks as were lost in one day on the Normandy beachhead."

Eliminates Corruption  
 But nevertheless, Chiang has a good army, mainly because of his reform movement, which kept political corruption out of it and rejuvenated the weary Chinese brigade, Miss Hahn stated. She said the reform which asked conscription of secondary school students, hitherto draft-exempt, was dangerous because China's youth always started revolts.

## 200 Absentee Ballots Still To Be Received

San Francisco, Nov. 6—(U.P.)—An 80 per cent turnout of California's record 4,141,331 registered voters is expected tomorrow as both Republicans and Democrats claimed the state's 25 presidential electoral votes, a U. S. senate seat and control of the 23-man congressional delegation.

More than 3,000,000 ballots probably will be cast, with perhaps 300,000 service votes coming in until Nov. 24 for delayed tabulation.

## Heavy Snowfall Hits New England States

Berlin, N. H., Nov. 6—(U.P.)—A heavy snowstorm swept northern New England today—with eight inches of snow already on the ground at some points—and town officials believed it would hamper the rural vote tomorrow in several areas.

## Split Week Invalid

Washington, Nov. 6—(U.P.)—The supreme court today ruled invalid under the federal wage-hour law a "split-week" system formerly used by a Tulsa, Okla., oil firm in paying its employees.

## Piluso To Meet Unknown Mask

Promoter Mack Lillard announced today that Ernie Piluso and the Gray Mask will clash in the one hour top main event wrestling bout at Medford armory Thursday night. Piluso issued the challenge from the ring last week and was given the bout on the strength of his victory over rough-house Earl Malone on the last card.

Pete Belcastro, Weed Assassin, will come back to the local arena after considerable absence to face Tex Porter, former Medford boy, in the four round semi-windup. Lillard has been dealing with Belcastro for several weeks to face the Mask but he was forced into a secondary place on the card when he was too late in making up his mind to accept a match.

Bulldog Jackson, himself a master at rough-house tactics, will meet Malone in the opener.

## Yank Troops In Burma Rebuild Myitkyina Ruins

Myitkyina, North Burma—(U.P.)—American and Chinese troops, who blasted the last Japanese defender out of this city more than two months ago—and incidentally blew away most of the city along with the enemy—are hard at work today, rebuilding and repairing some of the buildings they shelled, bombed and riddled with machinegun fire.

The Americans and Chinese have moved into the Myitkyina area and taken over every construction, with the exception of a few buildings to which war-weary Myitkyina citizens have returned, that could possibly be used as a shelter. The sound of hammering and sawing goes on into the night these days as troops patch walls ripped open by shellfire, laying floors which had been removed by digging in Japanese and repair roofs which were riddled and blasted by shellfire and strafing planes.

But so many totally destroyed homes and buildings remain that the sight of Myitkyina is not so much different from what it was on August 4, the day after the last defending enemy had been chased into the bushes and trees beyond.

## 'HELLSHIP' SAID USED FOR BRIDES

Sydney, Australia, Nov. 6—(U.P.)—Charges that Australian wives and children of American servicemen were transported to the United States aboard a "hellship" operated by the U. S. navy were made public today by a Sydney Automobile company official who accompanied a party of immigrants on a recent voyage.

The complainant, Darcy Jones, said in an open letter of protest today that as many as 15 women and children were forced to sleep in a single cabin without fresh water or fans.

"The mothers' nerves went to hell because there was nowhere to leave their babies at meal-times," Jones said. "Conditions for feeding the babies were terrible. The hot water supply was inadequate and the food unsuitable."

Jones said the vessel, which was not identified, was owned by the Matson Steamship company. It reached the United States on September 28.

## Ride To Polls Offered Voters

Arrangements have been made to have cars available to transport voters to the polls tomorrow it was announced at Republican headquarters today. Since the forecast is for rainy weather in this area, this service is being provided mainly for elderly or infirm persons who otherwise might not be able to go to the polls, it was stated. Those desiring the service should call 5421, Republican headquarters.

Headquarters workers urged women to vote early if possible in order that the polls may not be so crowded after working hours. It was also stated that information on polling places is on hand at the headquarters.

## Merchant Marines Get Old Jobs Back

Washington, Nov. 6—(U.P.)—Selective service headquarters announced today that it would take responsibility for getting members of the merchant marine their old jobs back.

Congress provided that any persons leaving their jobs for service in the merchant marine should have the same legal employment rights as persons entering the armed services. However, no person or agency was named to see that this law was carried out.

## Nation Faces Severe Soft Coal Shortage

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