

# GREEN BAY BOWS BEFORE CHICAGO; CARDINALS LOSE

New York, Nov. 5—(U.P.)—The chips were down for the defending champion Green Bay Packers as they began drills today for next Sunday's national football league game with the Cleveland Rams. A packer defeat virtually would assure a second year title for the Chicago Bears, losers in their first five games, upset the Packers with an irresistible ground attack yesterday in the second and third quarters to score four touchdowns and a 28 to 24 victory.

Meanwhile Cleveland topped the New York Giants, 21 to 17 and the Detroit Lions edged the Boston Braves, 10 to 9, to continue in a tie at the top of the western division. Green Bay has won four and lost two.

In the eastern division the Washington Redskins maintained their lead by beating the Chicago Cardinals, 24 to 21, with a field goal in the last 30 seconds. Philadelphia stayed in the race with a 45 to 3 romp over the Pittsburgh Steelers.

## Ruel Awaits Okay As Chandler Aid

Chicago, Nov. 5—(U.P.)—Herold (Muddy) Ruel, veteran Chicago White Sox coach, today awaited confirmation of his appointment as "special assistant" to Commissioner A. B. (Happy) Chandler. Chandler announced Ruel's ap-



Few of the more than 200 merchant ships now idle and anchored in San Francisco Bay, California, waiting disposition by the War Shipping Administration. Some will be sent back to sea, others will be sold to private interests and many will go to Suisun Bay "graveyard." The newer, faster and more economical of these ships will become the backbone of the U. S. peacetime merchant fleet.

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## Jockeys Hurt In Tijuana Accident

Tijuana, Mex., Nov. 5—(U.P.)—Four jockeys were recovering today from injuries received in a sensational four-way spill during yesterday's seventh race at Hipodromo de Tijuana.

Bobby Warren, 25, and Frank Wilbourn, 33, were seriously injured in the fall. Warren receiving internal injuries and Wilbourn suffering a broken shoulder.

## VINES CROWNED

Los Angeles, Nov. 5—(U.P.)—Ellsworth Vines, former tennis champion turned golf pro, was holder of the southern California open championship today after setting a 213 total for the 54-hole course.

## CRASH KILLS THREE

Fontana, Cal., Nov. 5—(U.P.)—Their car bent double when a Pacific Electric train hit it broadside, three youths were dead today and a fourth escaped with a broken leg as the only survivor of the accident. Josephine Skubic, 18, Pvt. John Charles Humphrey, Jr., 19, and Richard Black, 20, all of Fontana, were killed. Virginia Wassner, 17, was the survivor.

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Officials of the war shipping administration and ship operators indicated that the war built vessels would furnish no solution to the problems of high point soldiers and sailors at Pacific embarkation points, who have been flooding relatives with protests at their slow shipment home. The war-built vessels can not be converted to troopships officials said.

Departure Delay Seen Many servicemen complained that their departure for home was being delayed while cargo vessels returned to mainland ports with empty holds. Ship operators pointed out that bunking, feeding and medical facilities were lacking on most of the vessels.

Illustrating the scope of merchant marine problem, war shipping administration officials said that during the war the government spent approximately \$8,225,000,000 to build 5,304 cargo vessels, troop carriers and the other vessels.

One of the worst postwar snarls on the Pacific coast has been in San Francisco bay where shipping officials said 209 merchant vessels were anchored or docked. The worst jam was six weeks ago when ships crammed facilities from Carquinez straits to Redwood City.

While hearings were in progress in Washington to determine the basis on which some of the ships will be sold to foreign nations, scores of vessels were laid up at nearby Suisun bay.

WSA officials said 90 vessels already had been "pickled" and put on the idle list, and workmen are preparing 110 more for the graveyard.

The ships at Suisun bay are mostly Liberty ships, built during the war as an emergency measure.

# RED CROSS ADDS MORE TO STAFF AT CAMP WHITE

Four new Red Cross workers were recently assigned to the Camp White hospital, according to an announcement from the hospital office.

The four new workers are Miss Gloria Shank, Miss Jean Naffziger, Miss Audrey Anderson, hospital workers, and Miss Marcia McFarland, Red Cross field director. Miss Shank came here from San Francisco, where she formerly worked with the British information service, Miss Jean Naffziger, Stanford university graduate, formerly worked for the United States employment service at San Francisco, and Miss Anderson, University of California graduate, transferred from the naval hospital at Farragut, Ida., and at one time was a radio instructor for the army.

Miss McFarland, Stanford graduate and former student at the University of Chicago, was formerly a social worker in the naval hospital at Shoemaker, Calif.

Mrs. Robert Kyle, Medford woman who has been on the staff of the Camp White Red Cross office for the past two years, was recently named field assistant and is in charge of the office in the absence of Edward J. Warren, field director.

Closing time for Sunday Too Late to Classify 4:00 Saturday afternoon Please remember

# WARDS REFUSED SEIZURE REVIEW

Washington, Nov. 5—(U.P.)—The supreme court today refused to review the government's wartime seizure of Montgomery Ward properties.

It dismissed the case as "moot" since the properties have been returned to the company.

The court, by a brief order, va-

ated a seventh circuit court of appeals verdict upholding the wartime seizure of the properties in seven cities.

The high court ordered that the case be remanded to the U. S. district court at Chicago "with directions to dismiss the complaint as moot."

President Truman last month signed an order to restore the properties to Wards. But the Chicago mail order firm contended this did not diminish "the importance of the questions" in the case.

Ward's had asked the supreme court to "correct" the decision by the appeals court which upheld the seizures as constitutional under the war labor disputes act.

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## Daily Weather Report

**FORECASTS**  
Medford and vicinity: Partly cloudy to cloudy with scattered showers tonight and Tuesday. Snow in mountains. Cooler.

**OREGON:** Scattered showers tonight and Tuesday. Snow above five thousand foot elevations. Colder tonight and Tuesday. Moderate to fresh southwest wind off coast, becoming northwest Tuesday.

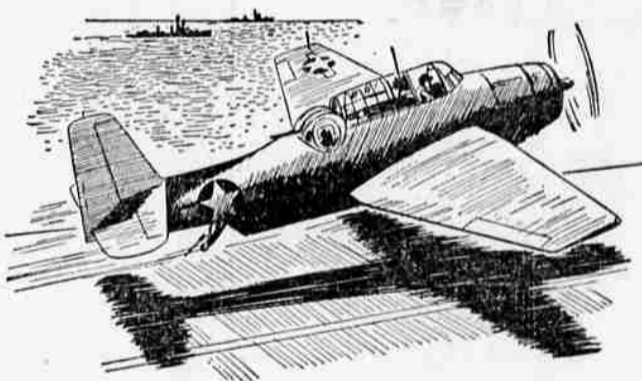
**LOCAL DATA**  
Temperature a year ago today: Highest 60; lowest 33.  
Total monthly precipitation a trace. Deficiency for the month 26 inches. Total precipitation since September 1, 1945, 1.72 inches. Deficiency for the season 60 inches. Relative humidity at 4:30 p.m. yesterday 64% 4:30 today 94%.

**Tomorrow**  
Sunrise 6:50 a.m. Sunset 4:59 p.m. Observations taken at 4:30 a.m., 120 Meridian time.

|                   | High | Low | Prec. |
|-------------------|------|-----|-------|
| Boise             | 67   | 42  |       |
| Boston            | 51   | 33  | 1.08  |
| Chicago           | 39   | 38  |       |
| Denver            | 71   | 49  |       |
| Eureka            | 34   | 51  |       |
| Havre             | 63   | 36  | T     |
| Los Angeles       | 60   | 58  |       |
| Medford           | 64   | 47  | .06   |
| New York          | 47   |     |       |
| Omaha             | 73   | 43  |       |
| Phoenix           | 90   | 50  |       |
| Portland          | 58   | 42  | .11   |
| Reno              | 76   | 39  |       |
| Roseburg          | 55   | 46  | .14   |
| Salt Lake         | 67   | 43  |       |
| San Francisco     | 75   | 53  | .45   |
| Seattle           | 58   | 38  |       |
| Spokane           | 54   | 34  |       |
| Washington, D. C. | 48   | 32  |       |
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