

Black Tornado Entertains North Salem Footballers This Evening

Air-Ground Duel Could Be Feature

A pair of grid machines highly rated in their respective districts despite being untied under fire open the 1958 football season on the Medford stadium tonight.

Medford's Black Tornado takes on the North Salem Vikings at the senior high stadium here in one of Oregon's feature opening night contests. Kick-off has been set for 8 p.m.

The encounter may prove to be a matching of air against ground power. North Salem's Vikings have a strong aerial weapon while Medford is expected to rely heavily on its single wing power with possibly some T offense and passing thrown in.

Have Throwers
The Vikings have the throwers in quarterback Ron Mickles and Tom Edwards and the catchers in ends Billy Maurer, Mike Youngquist and other backs, Glen Vanderhoof, Will Christiansen, Mitchell Billings and Gene Gilbertson.

Backs Skip Bennett, Ron Reich and Gerry Lyons, all vets of the 1957 season, may be the prime packers in Medford's goalward aims but a number of varsity newcomers, among them senior Don Peek and sophomores Al Funston and Mike Hood, likely will have opportunity to show their wares.

Midseason polish hardly is anticipated this evening but each club may flash potential which could carry it on to conference and district laurels. Salem tutor Mel Fox has remarked to Viking followers that his crew will be lucky to get a first down this evening. However, the word is spreading in the Willamette Valley that North Salem should be given the favored role in District 8 A-1. Medford is co-favorite with Grants Pass in the Southern Oregon conference.

Hustle and Fire
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MEDFORD-NORTH SALEM FOOTBALL

Probable Offensive Line-Ups

Senior High Stadium Friday 8 p.m.

MEDFORD				NORTH SALEM			
No.	Name	Wgt.	Pos.	No.	Name	Wgt.	Pos.
80	Jerry Anderson	163	E	150	Bill Maurer	75	
77	Mike Murray	206	E	185	Mike Youngquist	74	
73	Don Harrison	189	T	187	Ed Anderson	71	
71	Gary Winetrou	216	T	192	Monte Olson	70	
65	George Ice	153	G	176	Ron Alzman	65	
66	John Frohnmayer	166	G	170	Jim Dent	67	
51	Dennis Barr	190	C	178	Rex Ianson	57	
13	Bob Pond	161	QB	192	Ron Mickles	10	
20	Gerry Lyons	151	LH	155	Michell Billings	16	
24	Ron Reich	142	RB	176	Glen Vanderhoof	15	
25	Skip Bennett	160	FB	171	Will Christiansen	21	

mer player at Hedrick high here, entered Ashland high as a sophomore and is new to the North Salem squad.

The Black Tornado crew had its final pre-season workout under the lights at the stadium last night and head coach Fred Spiegelberg said the players displayed considerable hustle and fire. Punt return, kick-off and kick-off return drill and pass scrimmage were parts of the practice and the club ran through its offense.

Medford's aggregation is intact except for end Lowell Dean, still sidelined by a hernia operation. End Pete Rasmussen, troubled by a knee injury, will be in uniform and might see some action.

MEDFORD ROSTER:
10 Ray Konopasek Q 137; 11 Jim Clark Q 167; 12 Jim Barry H 140; 13 Bob Pond Q 161; 14 Mike Monroe Q 144; 15 Bert Lindemann T 157; 16 George Lindemann G 161; 17 Kim Griffin H 151; 18 Ken Morris H 137; 19 Warren Parke C 196; 20 Gerry Lyons H 151; 22 Larry Hamack H 161; 23 Phil Humphrey E 160; 24 Ron Reich H 162; 25 Skip Bennett F 160; 26 Don Peek H 150; 27 Bob Walker H 138; 28 Eddie McGinty G 144; 29 John Fontaine G 145; 30 Calvin Dean H 145; 31 Ken Durkee H 145; 32 Dick Ragsdale H 150; 33 Len Griggs H 165; 34 John Harvey H 167; 35 Mike Hood H 161; 36 Al Minnick T 160; 38 Jack Shoemaker T 155; 39 Terry O'Sullivan T 178; 40 Al Funston F 165; 41 Danny Sieg F 158; 42 Fred Funston Q 164; 43 Chuck Holt T 174; 44 Dick Connolly T 170; 45 Lee Cook G 155; 46 Bill Charley F 165; 48 Bill Hobbs G 158; 49 Art House E 165; 50 Gary Beach C 170; 51 Dennis Barr C 190; 52 Pat McLaughlin C 195; 53 Terry Earl G 155; 54 Doug Kiever C 168; 55 Bob Rix C 158; 56 Bob Custance E 140; 57 Phil Baird E 170; 58 Booth Deukins E 170; 60 Dennis Jensen G 180; 61 Don Mann G 190; 62 Dave Jones H 185; 63 Larry Brown G 134; 64 Keith Berg G 153; 65 George Lee G 153; 66 John Frohnmayer G 166; 67 Black Taylor G 153; 70 Gordon Pathman T 200; 71 Gary Winetrou T 216; 72 Gary Heath T 177; 73 Mike Murray E 206; 74 Lynn Knight T 185; 75 Jim Fontaine T 178; 76 Monty Penwell T 220; 77 Don Harrison T 189; 80 Jerry Anderson E 163; 81 Frank Peterson E 163; 82 Jerry Winetrou E 150; 83 Bob Quinney E 155; 84 Lowell Dean E 188; 85 Pete Rasmussen E 185; 86 Jim Johnston E 165; 87 Reggie Breeze E 159; John Pierce

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E 155; Bob Eckel G 165; John Hamilton E 135; Harold Holmes T 183; Phil Morris T 140; Curtis Saltmarsh E 170; Jim Stever E 145; Don Tichenor C 165; John Tichenor E 165.

SALEM ROSTER:
2 Bill Mickles B 137; 3 John Stiffler B 155; 4 Jim Brown B 150; 6 Bill Harris E 153; 8 John Rohor E 153; 9 Ned Dorling B 131; 10 Ron Mickles B 192; 11 Tom Edwards B 174; 12 Tom Johnson B 148; 13 Gene Gilbertson B 150; 15 Glen Vanderhoof B 176; 16 Mitchell Billings B 155; 21 Will Christiansen B 171; 48 Pat Loy E 144; 49 Chuck Alderman E 144; 53 Ron Jones C 171; 54 Norm DeLapp G 158; 55 Scott Gorton T 178; 56 Ben Hayashi G 150; 57 Rex Ianson C 178; 58 Ennis Aurright T 181; 62 Dwight Rienwald G 168; 64 Jerry Gilbertson C 156; 66 Dick Smart T 167; 67 Jim Dent G 170; 68 Frank Miers G 150; Larry Miller T 183; 70 Monte Olson T 192; 71 Ed Anderson T 187; 72 Wayne Seaburn E 156; 74 Mike Youngquist E 185; 75 Bill Maurer E 130; 76 Chuck McGee.

Tornado Grid Films on Video

Films of Medford and Grants Pass high school football games will be shown over television station KBES starting next week.

Movies of the Grants Pass-Albany tussle will be shown at 10 p.m. Tuesday and those of the Medford-North Salem brush will be presented on Thursday at 9:30 p.m.

Six Grants Pass hassles and the four Medford home frays will be shown. After next week the Medford films will be on TV on Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. From Sept. 29 on the GP game movies will be on Monday nights.

Coach Fred Spiegelberg for Medford and Paul Hoff for Grants Pass will be commentators.

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Sportscasts

Radio stations KYJC and KMED will carry the Medford-North Salem high football game this evening. Kick-off is at 8 p.m. KYJC at 10 p.m. will have a delayed broadcast of the Los Angeles Rams-San Francisco Forty Niners pro grid game.



TORNADO HALFBACK-Ron Reich, above, regular right halfback for the Medford high football team last year, begins another season for the Black Tornado when it plays host to North Salem this evening. Reich, a 142-pounder, had the top ball packing yardage for the Tornado in 1957 with 406 yards gained in 60 carries. He had a slight edge over other backs in average per carry at 6.76 yards.

SOC Scrimmage Against Shasta Set Saturday

Ashland-Southern Oregon college will have a pre-season football scrimmage with Shasta JC Saturday morning at 9 o'clock on the Weed High school field.

The Raider coaches will take the complete squad of 31 players and the SOC coaching staff plans to use all players during the scrimmage.

Coach Al Atkins has invited any interested spectators to drop down to Weed and see the workout.

The scrimmage is a prep for the opening game on Sept. 20 against Moffett Air Force base at Ashland at 8 p.m.

Rams Favored Over SF Eleven

Los Angeles - (UPI) - The Los Angeles Rams, a solid defensive club, are slight favorites to defeat the San Francisco Forty Niners, a good offensive team, tonight at the Memorial Coliseum.

The Rams are favored from one to three points, depending on who is talking, apparently because they nearly always perform well in the Coliseum.

Durden Sparks OSC First Team

Corvallis - (UPI) - Speedy wingback Earnel Durden sparked the Oregon State first team to a 16-0 victory over the second team Thursday in a three-quarter scrimmage session - but Coach Tommy Prothro wasn't satisfied.

Prothro pointed out that the first team drubbed the second, 70-0, in the same length of time last week.

HEADS CENTENNIAL
Denver - (UPI) - Tommy Jacobs, 23-year-old pro from Whittier, Calif., set out to whip his jinx today as he led the field into the second round of the \$25,000 Centennial Open golf tournament. Jacobs burned up the 6,620-yard Wellshire course Thursday with a 65, five under par, to take the lead. He was one stroke ahead of John McMillin, also 23, of Fair Oak, Calif., and Bill Parker, 28, of Wewoka, Okla.

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MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE SPORTS

72 Gridiron Games Open Oregon's Prep Schedule

United Press International Oregon's prep grid season kicks off this weekend with a total of 72 gridiron tilts on tap.

Many of the state's 130 A-1 and A-2 football squads will parade on the turf for the opening round of grid clashes.

Counting games are scheduled in many leagues around the state, despite the early opening dates.

Action gets underway in the rugged Portland Interscholastic league Saturday afternoon. Friday night openers in the Tualatin-Yamhill Valley league (District 4) and the Valley league (District 8) will all be counting games.

In class A-2 play counting games are on tap in the Cowapa league (District 1); the Yawana league (District 2);

Leafs Seeking Third Straight

United Press International The Toronto Maple Leafs will try to make it three straight over the Rochester Red Wings while the Montreal Royals seek to take the lead over the Columbus Jets for the second time tonight in the semi-final-round series in the International League playoffs.

The Maple Leafs made it two in a row over the Red Wings Thursday night when Mike Goliath hit a two-run homer in the 10th inning for a 4-2 triumph. The Jets evened their series with Montreal as Lynn Lovenguth pitched a six-hitter for a 5-1 triumph.

Yreka Gridmen Hosts To Etna

Yreka, Calif. - Yreka High school Miners, who have games with three Oregon foes this fall, start their season tonight as host to a California rival, Etna.

The Miners will have games on Sept. 19 with Lakeview, Ore.; on Sept. 26 at Ashland, Ore.; and on Oct. 17 with Crater at Central Point, Ore.

Yreka has 14 players with varsity experience, including Jim Walters, a two-year end.

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3 Unknowns Reach National Am Semis

San Francisco - (UPI) - You can't tell the players without a scorecard in the semi-finals of the National Amateur golf tournament today.

It's Dick Foote, 20, Santa Ana, Calif., vs Tom Aaron, 21, Gainesville, Fla., in one bracket and Roger McManus, 34, Cincinnati, Ohio, vs Charley Coe, 34, Oklahoma City, in the other.

They go over the 36-hole route on the Olympic Club course for the right to meet in another 36-hole final match Saturday.

All the semi-finalists except Coe are unknown to the national golfing public. McMan-

us admits he's only a week end golfer; and the other two youngsters haven't been around long enough to establish themselves.

But they all played brilliant golf Thursday in winning two matches to battle their way down the glory road.

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