

### New Teams, Coaches, Familiar Quarterbacks in Pro Grid Mix

Portland—Two new teams, two new coaches and two familiar quarterbacks make this year's professional football game between the Philadelphia Eagles and Green Bay Packers as exciting as any ever presented here.

### Grid Teams Work Out For Games

United Press International—Apparently most of the National Football league teams came out of last week-end's exhibition play without any serious injuries.

George Halas, Chicago Bears' owner-coach, has stepped-up practice sessions for today and Wednesday before the squad pushes off for Houston, Tex., for a Saturday game with the Pittsburgh Steelers.

Halas reported his squad in "good shape" after last Saturday's victory over the Philadelphia Eagles at Lynn, Mass. Friday night.

The champion Baltimore Colts, who whipped the New York Giants in the Cotton Bowl last Friday, were back at their training base in Westminster, Md., prepping for a Friday night game with the Washington Redskins in Baltimore's Memorial Coliseum.

Del Shofner, who suffered a charley horse against the Redskins in Los Angeles last Friday night, will be ready to play again Saturday when the Rams meet the undefeated Chicago Cardinals at Los Angeles. The Rams enjoyed a day of Monday but are expected to resume head knocking today.

The Detroit Lions cut five players from their roster, including Tom Rychel, who made the club last year after a year in the Army. The others cut all were newcomers—halfback Carl Smith of Tennessee, guard Harry Jacobs of Bradley, linebacker Jim Baldwin of Murray State and center Dan McGrew of Purdue.

Smith was the highest draft choice to be dropped. He was picked on the ninth round. The Lions play the Giants in Detroit Friday night.

### Hall Leads PCL Stats

San Francisco—(UPI)—Dick Hall, whose slow-ball pitching has carried Salt Lake into first place in the Pacific Coast league, dominates nearly all phases of pitching in official statistics released today.

Hall's 16 wins are tops in the league, and combined with only four losses, give him an .800 percentage, which is also the league's best. His e.r.a. of 1.80 is low among league regulars and his six shutouts is also a league high.

Ken Johnson's 212 innings pitched make him the league's hardest working hurler, while Dick Stigman of San Diego is strikeout king with 152. Earl Francis of Salt Lake has the dubious distinction of issuing the most walks, 93.

Leads Batters  
Spokane outfielder Tom Davis led PCL batsmen with a .342 average.

Rotund Steve Bilko of Spokane moved into the home run lead with 25 and his 87 run-batted-in led in that department.

Bilko won both titles in 1956 and 1957. He played last year in the major leagues. Davis' 182 hits put him far ahead in that department. Behind Davis in the batting averages came Seattle's Hal Bevan and Salt Lake's Sam Miley at .333.

Centennial Show Has Loyal Visitor  
Portland—(UPI)—Centennial officials today nominated Mrs. Manzanita Fendall as perhaps the event's most loyal visitor.

"old pro" Norm Van Brocklin directing the offense.

The Packers, under new coach Vince Lombardi, will unveil their new offense built on a combination running and passing game. Former Oregon State star Joe Francis will operate their T-formation.

Other stars to be utilized by the Eagles include Tommy McDonald of Oklahoma, Pete Retzlaff of South Dakota, Clarence Peaks and Walt Kowalczyk of Michigan State, Chuck Bednarik of Penn and Bob Pellegrini of Maryland.

Among the notables the Packers will send into action are Paul Hornung of Notre Dame, Max McGee of Tulane, Jerry Kramer of Idaho, Bart Starr of Alabama, Al Carmichael of USC and Bobby Dillon of Texas.

Two local rookies will start the game. Darrell Aschbacher of Oregon, the surprise find of the Eagles training camp, will open at offensive guard, while Gary Reid of Willamette, who saw action in the College All-Star game, will open at tackle for the Packers.

Reserved seats may be obtained this week at the box office at J. K. Gill's, SW 5th and Stark. Both reserved and general admission tickets go on sale at the stadium at 9:30 a.m. Saturday.

### Richmond Takes Two

United Press International—The streaking Richmond Virginians probably won't have time to catch the front-running Buffalo Bisons, but a doubleheader sweep Monday night just about insured them of a playoff spot in the International league.

The Virginians defeated the Columbus Jets twice, 3-2 and 9-7, to run their latest victory streak to eight and cut Buffalo's lead over them to 6½ games. With 14 games left to play, Richmond's chances of catching the Bisons appear remote. However, they now lead third-place Havana by a half-game and fourth-place Columbus by 1½ games.

Miami defeated Havana, 2-1, on Jimmy Archer's sixth-inning, while Montreal defeated Buffalo twice, 9-3 and 2-1, and Rochester beat Toronto, 6-4.

Chances Alive  
Montreal's double victory kept alive the fifth-place Royals' chances for a playoff berth. They trail fourth-place Columbus by 3½ games. Tommy LaSorda was the winner for Montreal in the first game and Babe Birrer won the nightcap.

Glenn Cox was the winner for Richmond in the first game after taking over for Bill Stafford in the third. He helped settle the second game when he belted a three-run homer in a wild fifth inning in which the Virginians scored five times to tie the score at 5-5.

KNICKS SIGN GUERIN  
New York—(UPI)—Former Iowa Star Richie Guerin has signed for his fourth professional season with the New York Knickerbockers of the National Basketball Assn.

Hill To Sit in On Roseburg Hearings  
Salem—(UPI)—Public Utility Commissioner Jonel C. Hill today said he personally would "sit in" Sept. 1 at Roseburg when the Interstate Commerce Commission conducts its investigation into the disastrous explosion and fire there Aug. 7.

Hill said he had been advised by Commissioner Rupert L. Murphy of the ICC that the state regulatory body had been invited to participate in the proceeding.

EX-GM OFFICIAL DIES  
Chicago—(UPI)—Paul R. Turner, former sales director of the electro-motive division of General Motors Corp., died Monday in Billings hospital after several months illness. Turner was born in Milan, Ohio, in 1894.

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TD FOR WEST—Doyle Bransom, above, ex-Jacksonville High school, scored the only touchdown of the game Saturday night in the West's 8 to 0 victory over East in the Shrine B prep all-star football game at Pendleton. The TD was on an electrifying 90-yard run on opening kickoff of the game.

### Ho Hum—Now the Fight Is Next Year—Somewhere

Goteborg, Sweden—(UPI)—Contracts for the 1960 rematch of Ingemar Johansson and Floyd Patterson will be signed today.

"Los Angeles in early March" was the information given reporters by Edwin Ahlqvist and Olof Ahlstedt, advisor and attorney, respectively, for heavyweight champion Johansson.

Jack Dempsey, who had scored a notable victory in securing the Goteborg agreement, declined to confirm the site, date or the old Manassa Mauler stated merely: "The return match will be held next year."

Neither the site nor date would be mentioned in the contracts, he said.

Confusion  
Dempsey, who stepped into Rosensohn Enterprises, Inc., as promotion director last week, brought about the agreement in only two days of conferences here, and thereby ended two months of confusion.

The contracts would have been signed Monday night, but champion Ingemar had to go to the textile town of Borås, 40 miles east of Goteborg, and appear as a model for pajamas and shirts at a fashion show. It was a commitment he couldn't break.

Attorney Ahlstedt said Ingemar didn't want to fight again this year for tax reasons, and he preferred to wait for March so he needn't start heavy training until after he enjoys the Christmas holidays with his family.

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## MEDFORD TRIBUNE SPORTS

### Wilson Predicts U.S. PanAm Game Win

By LEO H. PETERSON  
UPI Sports Editor  
Chicago—(UPI)—The man who will direct the destiny of the United States in the 1960 summer Olympic games in Rome predicted today the U.S. will win a minimum of 11 of the 27 team titles in the Pan American games opening Thursday.

"That should give us tremendous impetus toward the games at Rome," said Kenneth L. (Tug) Wilson, president of the U. S. Olympic committee. He added that he wasn't counting the U. S. completely out of the other 15 team titles to be decided here.

"All of the competing countries figure their teams are vastly improved over what they had at Mexico City in the last Pan American games," Wilson continued.

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### Dogs From Seven States Entered in Kennel Club Show Here September 6

Entries have been received from seven states for the 11th annual All-Breed Dog show and Obedience trial of Southern Oregon Kennel club.

The event is scheduled for Sunday, Sept. 6, at the Medford Senior High school football field.

The entry list at present shows dogs from California, Washington, Oregon, Nevada, Idaho and Texas. One is entered from Anchorage, Alaska. A total of about 450 dogs is expected.

Judging will begin at 9:30 a.m. Breed judges will be Chris Shuttleworth, Sun Valley, Calif.; Mrs. L. Zinglar, Everett, Wash.; Dr. J. B. Harrison, Milwaukie, Ore., and Roy Cowan, Fresno, Calif.

Miss Margaret Downing, San Francisco, will judge the obedience trial.

Many Pacific coast champions will be here. They include Jean Blank's Samoyed which won best of show at Long Beach, Calif., over 2,500 entries and Mrs. Cowie's Impressario, top winning boxer for last year in the United States. Some of the West's finest professional handlers will be on hand.

The public is invited to the show. A food concession will operate all day at the grounds.

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