

REESE INJURED AS PHILLIES DEFEAT BROOKLYN

PELICAN BILL

By Bill Cummings

FORMULA FOR OLIVER TWIST

Style of play for the University of Oregon Webfoots this fall depends of course upon the unpredictable material that finds its way to Eugene through the intricacies of the Atherton code, but Coach Tex Oliver is pretty certain to turn loose again a set of backs schooled along the lines of his "breakaway" brand of ball.

As "Honest John" Warren told Webfoots here Thursday night, the number and quality of ballplayers who stroll onto the practice turf to the accompaniment of school bells this September and say "pleased to meetcha" to the coaches will be as surprising as the contents of a Christmas package. So in their night before Christmas preparations, Oliver and his coaching staff are hampered by having a none-too-good idea of what they'll have to work with.

However, under Tex's system, popularly known as the "Oliver Twist," the emphasis will again be largely on broken field work and the element of chance in the long gain department rather than on straight power through the line.

PASSES FOR POWER

Operating with a good deal of the shrewdness with which he earned a Phi Beta Kappa key, Tex mapped out his strategy on a definite formula.

Line plays on an average, he figures, are good for a gain of about seven yards every two plays. That's with everything going the way it should.

On that basis a team starting on its own 20-yard line would have to make more than 22 consecutive plays to put the ball across the enemy's goal line. During those 22 plays the chance for either mental or physical errors is so great, Oliver figures, that a sustained drive for any great stretch down the field is more dangerous than frequent passing or deceptive plays designed to throw a runner into the open.

Webfoot footballers, consequently, will pass, chuck the ball to one another in trick reverses behind the line of scrimmage, and in general cut a lot of capers this fall, just the way they have since Oliver bought his special brand of ball to Oregon.

NO MORE JACKRABBITS

Toughest problem in the Oregon coaching department is developing a back to replace Jay Graybeal. None of the backfield players who are turning have exhibited anything like the qualifications necessary to fill the shoes of the Pendleton jackrabbit. Rob Dyer, 185-pound Bend back, may fill the bill, however, as may a newcomer, Harold Johnson.

Berry is the mainstay of returning backs who will take up where Emmons, Smith, Donovan and Graybeal left off. Other hopefuls are Isberg, Stenstrom, Haliski, Nelson and Robin.

THAT ACCENT

RICHMOND, Va. (AP)—"Take us to the (Edgar Allen) Poe house," visiting New Yorkers told the taxicab driver.

At the end of what seemed a long ride, the driver let them out—at the city's poorhouse.

CUBS BLANK REDS, 1-0; TRIBE WINS

THURSDAY'S RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Boston 12, New York 1
Philadelphia 4, Brooklyn 1
Chicago 1, Cincinnati 0
(Only games scheduled)

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Boston 11, New York 1
Washington 2-5, Philadelphia 4-6
Cleveland 5, Chicago 4
Detroit 5, St. Louis 2

NEW YORK, Aug. 16 (UP)—The Philadelphia Phillies apparently stand to gain little from the current National league race except permanent possession of Baker bowl through their third consecutive last-place finish but they dealt the Brooklyn Dodgers' pennant hopes a double blow Thursday.

Walter Higbee held the Dodgers to five hits for a 4-2 decision, Brooklyn miffing another chance to gain on the leading Cincinnati Reds who lost to the Chicago Cubs. At the same time Brooklyn lost the services of their star shortstop, rookie Peeewe Reese who fractured the heel bone of his left foot sliding into second base in the seventh inning. He will be out for the rest of the season.

Lippy Takes Over

Manager Leo Durocher will have to take over the shortstop berth, a circumstance which may prove costly because of the difference of batting averages. Almost the fielding equal of Durocher, Reese was batting .273 to Durocher's .242 and had batted in 28 runs to his manager's 11.

Claude Passeau of the Cubs and Paul Derringer of the Reds each allowed five hits but Hank Leiber drove over Billy Herman with the game's only run in the first inning as the Reds kept five games in front of the Dodgers.

Bees Wallop Giants

The Boston Bees walloped three New York pitchers for 18 hits and scored a 12-1 victory over the Giants to gain a three out of four edge in the series. Johnny Cooney led the attack with four hits and Chet Ross and Sibi Sisti connected for three apiece.

St. Louis and Pittsburgh were unscheduled.

In the American league, the Cleveland Indians held on to their two-game lead by coming from behind three times to defeat the Chicago White Sox, 5-4 for their fourth straight. After Roy Weatherly's single in the eighth with the score tied 4-4, Taft Wright attempted a shoestring catch of Lou Boudreau's fly and it went for a double scoring Weatherly.

Newsom Wins 15th

Buck Newsom won his 15th victory as the Detroit Tigers won over the St. Louis Browns, 5-2. Newsom, loser of only two games this year, limited the Browns to six hits. Birdie Tobbetts and Hank Greenberg hit homers for the Tigers.

Joe Heving held the New York Yankees to three hits while the Boston Red Sox solved three pitchers for 14 hits and a 11-1 victory. Jimmy Foy hit his 28th homer in the first with two on while Ted Williams climaxed a five-run flurry in the fifth with his 17th homer with the bases loaded.

Washington and Philadelphia split a doubleheader, the Senators winning the first game, 4-4 and the A's taking the nightcap, 6-5. Sid Hudson won his 12th decision in the opener.

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Webfoot Prospects Viewed By Coaches

Football and basketball prospects for the University of Oregon for the 1940-41 seasons were outlined before a crowd of nearly 100 persons at the Willard hotel Thursday night by Head Webfoot Coach Tex Oliver and Basketball Mentor Hobby Hobson.

In his first official appearance in Klamath Falls, the genial originator of the "Oliver Twist" strategy told the gathering of prospective and active Webfoots that the university ballplayers will open a hard nine-game schedule September 27 with a game at Eugene against the U. S. Marines from San Diego.

By opening the new Willamette highway, the state highway department has done a favor to Klamath gridiron and basketball fans, Oliver said, bringing the University's Hayward field and McArthur court much closer to Klamath. He encouraged local fans to take advantage of the new route for games at Eugene and Portland.

Oliver supplemented his talk with movies of last year's Cal-Oregon game, furnishing a play-by-play description of Oregon's victory over the large Berkeley school.

Championship basketball teams have consistently been composed of home-grown players, rather than long distance enrollees or transfers, Coach Hobson told the audience. He said that a study of conference quintets for several years, with last year's winners an exception, bears out the theory that the best brand of basketball is produced by local players.

Hobby showed movies of Long Island university's thrilling overtime victory over Oregon last winter at Madison Square Garden.

Due to restrictions of the Atherton code, quantity and quality of frosh football material at the University this fall will be as big a surprise as the contents of a Christmas package, "Honest John" Warren, freshman coach, told his listeners.

In charge of the meeting was Roy Vernstrom, director of the University of Oregon Federation, who explained the purpose of the good will tour and introduced the speakers.

Lowell Downed By Pelican Bay 6-3

Although they were able to collect only three hits off Wheeler, Lowell pitcher, the Pelican Bay softball nine capitalized on four Tiger errors and seven free passes to first base to take a 6-3 decision from the Lowell aggregation last night at Recreation park. Conwhit ran roughshod over Copco, 16-8, in the first game.

The Tigers blasted out 10 safe blows in their American league fracas with Pelican Bay, but were able to score in only two innings. One tally came home in the first frame when Lloyd walked and Carlstrom and Eystone bagged singles between outs. Hits by Brooks, Lloyd and Bernadino and a free ticket to first for Fryer enabled the losers to post two markers in the fourth.

Build Run Total
Meanwhile Pelican Bay players were building up a run total in the first two innings that gave them the lead that they never relinquished. Anacker's sizzling single to center with two away brought Jim Harper in from third for a run in the opening stanza. Three more runs came home in the second inning on Zirkle's single, three Tiger errors and two walks.

Pelican Bay's crew made their margin safe by manufacturing two more tallies in the sixth on walks to J. Weber, Zirkle and Harper and Fern Bellotti's hit plus another Lowell miscue. Ralph Ramos, hurler for the victors, retired the Tigers in order in the seventh.

Lowell Paced
Lloyd, Carlstrom and Eystone paced the Lowell 10-hit attack with two hits each, but their work went for naught as their team mates failed to hit when it counted. Nine Tigers were left stranded on the base paths. Nice fielding by the Pelican infield nipped several prospective rallies in the bud. Lee, shortstop for the winners, cleared the bases with a well-executed double play in the first of the fourth inning.

Conwhit's softball club enjoyed three big innings to trounce Copco, 16-8, in last night's initial contest. Six runs in the second, three in the fourth and seven more in the sixth came as the result of but seven hits. Six Copco errors plus four walks issued by Pitcher Rogge in those same sessions helped to account for the large total.

Within One Run
Twice the power company team was within one run of the Conwhit total, but was never able to catch or pass the rival squad. One run in the second, four in the third and a final three-run splurge in the fifth brought about the Copco aggregate.

Tonight at Recreation park diamond the Dorris-Klamath Lumberjacks will write fins to 1940 baseball activity in Klamath Falls when they tangle with the Weed Sons of Italy nine. Both contestants are member teams in the Northern California Baseball league.

SUDS BATTER SOLONS FOR 5-1 VICTORY

THURSDAY'S RESULTS

Seattle 3, Sacramento 1
Hollywood 2, San Francisco 1
Los Angeles 10, Portland 2
Oakland 6, San Diego 2

By United Press

The league-leading Rainiers blasted Tony Freitas for 13 hits Thursday night as they defeated the Sacs 5-1.

Dick Barrett, pitching for Seattle, limited Sacramento to seven hits, and shut them out except in the fourth inning.

Kelleher homered for the Suds with one aboard in the third. Hollywood rallied in the late innings to beat San Francisco, 7-5. Trailing 5-3 going into the eighth, the Stars finished with two runs in each of the last two innings. Wayne Osborne gave the Seals 10 hits in winning while Ed Stutz and Win Ballou yielded 12.

Los Angeles walloped Portland 10-2, getting a six-run lead in the first two innings and never letting up. The Angels pounded Ad Liska and Lee Fallin 18 times while Lee Stine gave the Ducks eight.

Oakland trimmed San Diego, 6-2, largely on the strength of a three-run burst in the fifth. Stan Corbett was on the hill for the winners while Wally Hebert and Howard Craghead were on the losing end, each side getting six hits.

Last Half Ball Roster Posted

Schedule for the second-half of the season in the Klamath Softball association program at Recreation park was announced Friday as follows:

NATIONAL LEAGUE SCHEDULE
Aug. 12—Veterans vs. Lamina
Aug. 13—Elks vs. Long-Bell
Aug. 14—Copco vs. Conwhit
Aug. 15—Klamath Jesters vs. Lumber
Aug. 16—Klamath Jesters vs. Weeds Sons of Italy

Aug. 17—Great Northern vs. Big Lakes
Aug. 18—Veterans vs. Elks
Aug. 19—Lamina vs. Long-Bell
Aug. 20—Copco vs. Great Northern
Aug. 21—Conwhit vs. Big Lakes
Aug. 22—Veterans vs. Copco
Aug. 23—Elks vs. Great Northern
Aug. 24—Long-Bell vs. Big Lakes
Aug. 25—Veterans vs. Conwhit
Aug. 26—Lamina vs. Great Northern
Aug. 27—Elks vs. Big Lakes
Aug. 28—Copco vs. Copco
Aug. 29—Conwhit vs. Great Northern
Aug. 30—Veterans vs. Big Lakes
Aug. 31—Elks vs. Copco
Sept. 1—Long-Bell vs. Conwhit
Sept. 2—Klamath Jesters vs. Weyerhaeuser
Sept. 3—Klamath Jesters vs. Pelican Bay
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AMERICAN LEAGUE SCHEDULE
Aug. 12—Weyerhaeuser vs. Post-office
Aug. 13—Kesterson vs. KC
Aug. 14—Pelican Bay vs. Lowell's
Aug. 15—Klamath Jesters vs. Lumber
Aug. 16—Klamath Jesters vs. Weeds Sons of Italy
Aug. 17—Klamath Jesters vs. Kennett's
Aug. 18—Klamath Jesters vs. Weyerhaeuser
Aug. 19—Klamath Jesters vs. KC
Aug. 20—Pelican Bay vs. Kalpine
Aug. 21—Lowell's vs. Kennett's
Aug. 22—Weyerhaeuser vs. KC
Aug. 23—Postoffice vs. Kesterson
Aug. 24—Pelican Bay vs. Kennett's
Aug. 25—Lowell's vs. Kalpine
Aug. 26—Weyerhaeuser vs. Pelican Bay
Aug. 27—Postoffice vs. Lowell's
Aug. 28—Kesterson vs. Kalpine
Aug. 29—KC vs. Kennett's
Aug. 30—Weyerhaeuser vs. Low-ell's
Aug. 31—Postoffice vs. Kalpine
Sept. 1—Kesterson vs. Kennett's
Sept. 2—KC vs. Pelican Bay
Sept. 3—Weyerhaeuser vs. Kalpine
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Sept. 9—Weyerhaeuser vs. Pelican Bay
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STANLEY HORNE, tiny Montreal pro, was second with a 68, while at 69 Bobby Alston of Ottawa and Ray Mangrum of Oak Park, Ill., were deadlocked with the defending champion, Harold (Jug) McSpaden, who won the \$1000 top money and the Seagram gold cup last year at St. John, N. B.

Three U. S. entries occupied the 70 bracket, Vic Ghezzi, of Deal, N. J.; Paul Runyan of White Plains, N. Y., and Dick Metz of Chicago. At par 71, Ky Laffoon and Ralph Guldahl, both of Chicago, were berthed with four Canadians.

Coast Golfers In Semi-Finals
ASTORIA, Aug. 16 (AP)—The Oregon coast golf tournament went into the semi-finals Friday with one new course record—for women—already established.

Jessie Miller, 19, Astoria, scored a 77, one stroke below the former women's record for the wind-whipped course, in beating Mrs. Dave Lawson, Astoria, 6 and 5.

Other feminine semi-finalists are Sissy Green, Portland, matched with Mrs. A. D. Hansen, Astoria, and Mrs. June Bryant, Portland, who meets Miss Miller.

M. M. Carson, Portland, teed off against Captain A. D. Hansen, Astoria bar pilot who upset the experts by defeating Luke Sannett, Astoria's 1937 and 1938 senior champion, 4 and 3.

It is estimated that automotive products pay 74 per cent of all federal excise taxes.

Queen Helen As Pretty As Her Dives



Helen Crenkovich of San Francisco rests between practice sessions in preparation for the defense of the three-meter diving title in national AAU outdoor women's swimming championships in Portland, Ore., starting on August 18.

PILUSO AND WAGNER GAIN ARMORY SPOTS

Balancing up one of the best prospective main events in months, two of the ring's top scientists—Ernie Piluso of Klamath Falls and George Wagner of Texas—have been bracketed for the semi-windup berth on next Tuesday night's armory mat program.

And to further offset the inevitable mayhem that will take place during the headline bout, Promoter Mack Lillard has lined up a second scientific match for the opener—Jack Hagen of Louisiana versus Jackie Nichols, newcomer from Kansas City.

That starts the card off with two potentially great scientific combinations, both of which should pack plenty of action.

In the main event, fans will watch that elusive Armenian, Mike Nazarian, climb into the ring again against the terrible Italian, Pete Belcastro, who dropped an initial struggle between the two last week on a protested two-out-of-three-fall decision.

Nazarian has requested a special dressing room, not willing to risk his neck in the same enclosure with Belcastro prior to their regular match. The difficulty originated last week when Belcastro made Hitler's bombing attack on Britain look feeble with a barrage of haymakers that sent the powerful European out of the armory sans his street clothes and down the moonlit streets.

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Cincinnati 67 28 .703
Brooklyn 64 31 .673
New York 54 40 .574
Pittsburgh 53 41 .563
Chicago 55 35 .611
St. Louis 52 32 .615
Houston 42 44 .488
Philadelphia 35 67 .343

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Cleveland 68 24 .741
Detroit 66 26 .717
Boston 59 33 .641
New York 56 36 .608
Chicago 54 38 .589
Washington 49 43 .527
St. Louis 48 48 .500
Philadelphia 42 50 .457

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE
Seattle 74 17 .811
Oakland 70 21 .769
Los Angeles 76 25 .750
San Diego 70 30 .700
Sacramento 71 29 .709
Hollywood 69 32 .684
San Francisco 62 39 .612
Portland 65 39 .621

ASTORIA, Ore., Aug. 16 (Special)—Word was received here that Don Stansel of Klamath Falls, experienced inboard racer, has entered the inboard races of the 29th Annual Astoria Regatta August 28 through August 31.

Seven boats from Washington and four boats from San Francisco will race on the Thursday and Friday morning programs.

The most comprehensive program of boat races ever presented has been lined up. As well as inboards and outboards, there will be sail boats, fish boats, purse seine boats, tug boats, and water aerobics by the Sons of Neptune.

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