

Pelicans Fight Off Claims • To State Football Title

Newberg, Marshfield Challenge Pelicans

Untied Little Newberg Considered As Once-Tied Marshfield Makes Big Claim

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The annual claiming contest for the state high school football title warmed up today as Klamath Falls, Newberg and Marshfield tossed challenges at each other.

Klamath Falls, undefeated and untied in eight games, entered the first claim, and apparently had everyone convinced of its right to the title until Vancouver, Wash., bowled over the Pelicans, 20-0, last week.

Newberg won its seventh game without defeat or tie at the same time, and promptly challenged the Pelicans to a championship game.

Then emboldened Marshfield, unbeaten but once-tied, also challenged Klamath Falls.

Klamath Coach Frank Ramsey said he was ignoring Marshfield's claim because of the Pelicans' 7-7 tie with Grants Pass, a team that Klamath downed, 14-0. He offered, however, to meet Newberg.

To which Coach Orville Bailey of Marshfield replied, "I am giving up the run-around. Anyone knows he can beat Newberg, which is not in his class. We are, and we'll play the Pelicans on any neutral field." He suggested a December 4 or 5 game in Medford or Eugene.

Both Marshfield and Newberg, however, have additional hurdles before qualifying for a game with the Pelicans. On Thanksgiving day Marshfield plays arch-rival North Bend and Newberg meets Sherwood.

Meanwhile fans mustered staves to bolster their claims. Newberg, which has played teams in the smaller Tualatin-Yamhill valley and Big Nine leagues, claims seven wins, scoring 124 points to opponents' 18.

Marshfield, which has gone outside the Coos County league to play such teams as Astoria, Eugene and Medford, has scored 181 points to opponents' 38.

Klamath Falls, winner of the Southern Oregon conference title, has played such non-league teams as Grant of Portland, Eugene, and Eureka, Calif., scoring 237 points to opponents' 32.

Pelican fans also brought up these comparative scores: Klamath Falls 32, Medford 0; Klamath Falls 34, Eugene 6; Klamath Falls 31, Grants Pass 0; Marshfield 14, Medford 0; Marshfield 13, Eugene 0; Marshfield 7, Grants Pass 7.

Army Dimout Knocks Philadelphia Night Games for Duration

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 24 (AP)—An army-ordered dimout of the Philadelphia area may mean the end of night baseball and football here for the duration.

The army's regulations have not been announced in detail, but sports officials said they expected games to be affected.

"It will be a terrible financial blow," said Manager Connie Mack of the Philadelphia Athletics, "but whatever the army wants we'll follow."

The A's drew an unofficial attendance of 152,834 in 14 night games last season.

UNPAID OFFICIATING

NEW YORK, Nov. 24 (AP)—Even the officials will work for nothing when Brooklyn college and CCNY meet on the football field Thursday to play off a recent 7-7 tie. The four, who volunteered their services when the teams agreed to play a second game for the Red Cross, are Sam Giangreco of Manhattan, Bill Tewhill of Brown, Alton Mark of Tennessee and Cliff Montgomery, Columbia's Rose bowl star of 1934.

Three Squads Open Honker Hoop Season

TULELAKE, Nov. 23 — A swarm of basketball squads will pound the court of Tulelake high school during the next few months. The squads will be known as the A's, the B's and the C's, classified as to age, height and weight.

Two coaches, Harold Schilling and Vic Gorin will scratch their scalps over rounding out the schedule, means of transportation, tricky plays and green material. Schilling will put the A and C squads through their paces while Gorin handles the second string.

Veterans Crawford, Cross, Adams and Waldrup have already played the court for the Honkers while Baley, Fairchild, Mitchell and Meshke, with past experience on the lighter teams are expected to bolster the let-temers.

The second string also has four returning men who saw a lot of action last season. Lagan, Edwards, Urbach and Cushman are lined up with Schreiber, McGuire, Birtwhistle, Mauch and Beck.

Not to be left out in the cold, the C's rounded up four men who saw plenty of workouts on the floor last season including Ott, Rose, Woodman and Scott. Schilling has some mighty promising material for both his strings, the third string to be augmented by Maxwell, Heiney, Powell, Birtwhistle, McLain and Stonecypher, all of whom have plenty of speed if less weight than the older squads.

The schedule, still in the making, will include games with all teams in and around the Klamath basin. Season opens December 11 with Bonanza on Oregon soil.

Cubs Spurn Island Home for Arizona Spring Practice

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 24 (AP)—Early spring training of the Chicago Cubs next season probably will be at Mesa, Ariz., instead of the Catalina Island where they have drilled for 21 years.

President Clarence Rowland of the Los Angeles Coast league club said satisfactory arrangements have been made at Mesa. The offshore site was unavailable, he said, because of war conditions.

After early training, the Cubs will complete their conditioning at Los Angeles.

By The Associated Press
HOLYOKE, Mass.—Ed Hartola, 124, Boston, outpointed Dave Crawford, 124, New York, (10).
CHICAGO—Sammy Parrillo, 135, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Al Gomez, 134, Chicago, drew, (5).
NEW YORK—Roman Alvarez, 137, New York, outpointed Bobby Buffin, 134, New York, (3).
PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Jackie Calura, 124, Hamilton, Ont., knocked out Tommy St. Angelo, 129, New York, (2).

Snelling Gains for the Bruins



Ken Snelling (49), University of California at Los Angeles fullback, drives through the University of Washington line for a three-yard gain, carrying the ball to the Huskies' 39-yard line. The first quarter drive that ended in a touchdown. He is being tackled by Friedman (66). Other Washington players are Olson (10) and Harrison (22). No. 80 for UCLA is Armstrong. UCLA won the game, 14-10.

Jurkovitch Stopped as Stanford Beats Bears



Jim Jurkovitch (44), California left halfback, is brought down by Roger Laverty, Stanford left end, in the first quarter of the game at Berkeley. Jurkovitch was hurt on the play and Stanford went on to win the classic battle, 26 to 7.

Momentary Halt in Stanford Victory March



Fullback Randall Fawcett (31) of Stanford is brought down in a plunge at the California line in the Berkeley stadium. Tacklers are Center Ernie Gentner (42) and Left Guard Jack Herrero (32) of California. Others shown are California Quarterback Dan McCarthy (78), and Stanford Center Milt Vucinich (32), shown on the ground. Stanford walloped the Bears, 26 to 7.

Coast Baseball Will Play Next Year Say Owners

SALEM, Nov. 24 (AP)—Owners of the four clubs of the Western International Baseball league decided at a secret meeting in Tacoma Sunday to operate during 1943, unless unforeseen circumstances arise, Mrs. George E. Waters, owner of the Salem club, said today.

The action was a surprise. It had been expected that the league would fold up for the duration because of gasoline rationing, dim-out regulations which would prohibit night games in Tacoma and Salem, and the unprofitable 1942 season.

Teams in the league are Salem, Tacoma, Vancouver and Spokane.

Anderson Will Wear "Birdcage" for Nose in Huskie Struggle

PULLMAN, Nov. 24 (AP)—Hjalmer "Jelly" Anderson, sophomore end, may wear a "birdcage" to protect his nose when Washington State's football team meets Washington in Seattle Saturday.

Coach Babe Hollingbery said Anderson may have broken his nose when he was knocked out on a pass play in the Second Air Force game last week. Otherwise, the coach said, his team was in good condition, including Bill Remington, who was a standout at center and scored the only WSC touchdown of the game—his first as a state player.

VALUABLE ROOKIE

CHICAGO, Nov. 24 (AP)—Johnny Beazley, St. Louis Cardinals pitcher, has been chosen the most valuable rookie of 1942 and two of his mates, Stan Musial and George Kuroski, placed fourth and sixth, respectively, in the selections. Beazley received 192 votes, 56 more than Runerup Johnny Pesky of the Boston Red Sox. In a poll of the Chicago chapter of the Baseball Writers association of America, Vernon Stephens of the St. Louis Browns was third and Tex Hughson of the Red Sox fifth.

INTERNATIONAL LINE
CHAMPAIGN — Of Serbian descent, Mike Kasap takes his place in the Illinois line alongside Mac Wenskunas and John Genis of Lithuanian descent, Joe Pawlowski of Polish ancestry and Alex Agase, an Assyrian.

Buy it through the want-ads.

MANPOWER CHECKUP

WICHITA, Kas., Nov. 24 (AP)—The National Semi-Pro Baseball congress will have its own checkup on manpower.

March 29 has been set as a nationwide registration day. Each sponsor and each prospective player will sign at one of 8000 sporting goods stores. Ray Dumont, president of the congress, hopes in this way to locate many a player who might otherwise be missed. He expects 250,000 to register.

The sandlot season will open officially May 2.

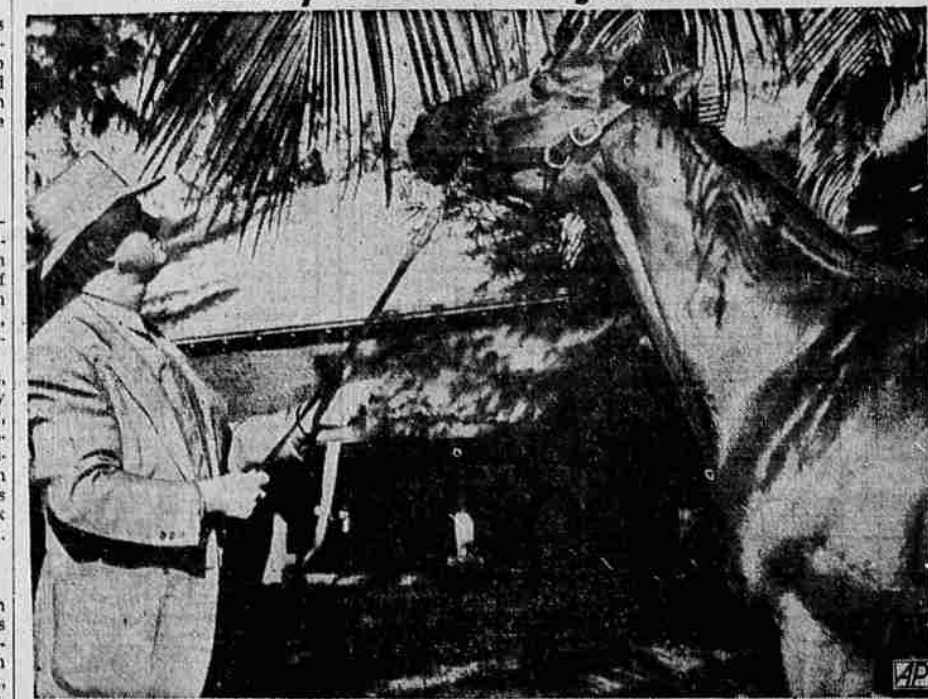
Chicago Bears Claim Four of Top Score Men

CHICAGO, Nov. 24 (AP)—Four of the top six scorers in the National Football league are members of the Chicago Bears.

Don Hutson, the Green Bay touchdown machine, increased his output to 125 points, while the Bears' Ray McLean hung on to second place with 48. Frank Maznicki, Harry Clark and Gary Famiglietti are other bears in the first six.

Totals: T.D. T.P. X.P. P.G. Total
Hutson, Green Bay 14 22 0 125
McLean, Bears 17 7 0 48
Maznicki, Bears 1 18 4 39
Clark, Brooklyn 3 0 10 37
Condit, Bears 1 0 0 34
Famiglietti, Bears 6 0 0 36

Whirlaway Will Be Racing All Next Year



Trainer Ben Jones announced at Miami, Fla., that Whirlaway, now at Hialeah Park, winner of more money than any horse in racing history, will be running all next year. Whirlaway's only reaction to the news was to reach up for a nip of palm leaf. Here Jones seems to be explaining the announcement to the famed race horse.

Reduce Travel Next Season Say Coaches

Coast Grid Mentors Cross Fingers to Hope Game Will Be Played Next Year

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 24 (AP)—Crossing their fingers in the hope that football will be played on the coast next year, coaches of the Pacific Coast conference agree unanimously that all future wartime grid schedules should be drawn up with the idea of sharply reducing team travel.

"There is too much need for train space in more important matters," Coach Jimmy Phelan of St. Mary's told the Northern California Football Writers' association yesterday, as other coaches nodded assent.

"The Pacific Coast conference as well as independent schools should take this step before those with wartime authority make up our minds for us."

Phelan, who coached at the University of Washington for 12 years before taking over the Gaels, pointed out that this area could draw up an excellent schedule involving teams within a 50-mile radius—California, Stanford, Santa Clara, St. Mary's and the University of San Francisco. Other sections of the

coast could do likewise, he indicated.

Leonard (Stub) Allison of California expressed the belief that a definite move to discontinue intercollegiate football would be made next year. He added he thought the game should be played as long as possible because of its physical and mental value to future military men.



Sports Briefs

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24 (AP)—Heard at the listening post: A William and Mary supporter can blame himself for what those North Carolina Pre-Flight footballers did to the previously unbeaten Indians last Saturday...

He went around to the Cloud-busters' hotel that morning with a wad of dough to bet and by the time Jimmy Crowley got around to giving his athletes a pep talk, they told him, "Coach, we have to win." ... The man responsible for the return bout between Lou Salica and Manuel Ortiz for the bantamweight championship in the Mexico City bull ring, January 1, is none other than Brig. Gen. J. J. Phelan, head of the New York boxing commission...

Michigan may raise the "take" from the fairgrounds horse-race bettors from 71 per cent to 10 per cent, giving the racing association an extra half per cent, or about \$80,000 in an ordinary season.

QUOTE, UNQUOTE

Lon Stiner, Oregon State grid coach: "Monday morning quarterbacking isn't nearly as tough on losing coaches this year; they're too busy second-guessing the generals and admirals."

Clair Bee, Long Island U. basketball pilot: "Frankly, I can't tell my freshmen apart. They all look alike—discouraging."

Steve Owen, master-mind of the New York football Giants: "The best way to stop Don Hutson is to let him catch a pass in the end zone. Then he can't catch another until they get the ball again."

TODAY'S GUEST STAR

Tommy Fitzgerald, Louisville Courier-Journal: "For pronunciation's sake, we hope Football Coach Frank of Tulsa U. makes his letter this year. Frnka looks like a name that has shifted from a six-man to a five-man line."

CRACK OF THE WEEK

Discussing his favorite sports figure, Lieut.-Comm. George Halas, Jimmy Conzelmann, the Chicago Cardinals' coach, moans: "You'd think a guy would be satisfied either to be rich or own the Bears. That Halas has everything."

Schwartz Attends Funeral; Shipkey Readies Stanford

PALO ALTO, Calif., Nov. 24 (AP)—Stanford's football team will be prepared by Assistant Coach Harry Shipkey for the St. Mary's Navy Pre-Flight game here next Saturday.

The reason is that Head Coach Marchmont Schwartz is on his way to the family home at Bay St. Louis, Miss., where his father, Edward Schwartz, 68, died yesterday of a heart attack.

COSTS GIANTS \$7500

NEW YORK—It cost the New York Giants \$7500 for the privilege of adding Bud Blattner's name to their list of players in military service. The infielder was obtained from the Cardinals on waivers late last season.

PRATT OUT TWO WEEKS

NEW YORK — Babe Pratt, badly needed defense man, expects to be back in the New York Rangers' lineup in two weeks. He is out with a shoulder separation.

