

Sports Briefs

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13 — Comparing this year's Oklahoma football squad with the 1942 outfit, Harold Keith comes up with the following sets of figures: 1942—Age, 20.8 years; height, 6 feet 1/2 inch; weight, 187 pounds; 1943—19.3 years; 5 feet 11 1/2 inches; and 174.6 pounds. . . . And his average 1943 player is a navy trainee, too. . . . Clemson's Joe Sherman puts the situation at an "army" school somewhat more simply—"We're planning to do the best we can with what we have, which is not quite some."

FUTURE BOOK
West coast golfers, including Lieut. Marvin (Bud) Ward, the national amateur champion, are high on the prospects of 14-year-old Buddy Moe of Spokane, who shot 72-69—141 in the Spokane city championship this summer. . . . And the fight folks out that way say to watch for Light Heavyweight Joe Kikut, who is "frozen" on his Oregon farm. . . . Alrick Man, Jr., who handles the Junior Davis cup team, rates the young tennis players in this order: Bobby Falkenburg, Jimmy Brink and Jack Tuero. Bobby gets the top spot because of his tennis brains, but man isn't so sure that Brink won't be the best player in the long run.

GIL HAD HIS FILL
Gil Bouley, a 230-pound tackle at Boston college last year, pared his weight down to 218 while he was training to become an army physical training instructor at Atlantic City, N. J. . . . Then Gil decided he'd like to be a flier in spite of the 200-pound limit, and the cadet selection board gave him two weeks to get rid of the extra poundage. . . . So midsummer afternoons, Bouley swathed himself in wool and galloped along the boardwalk. . . . Most of the bathers on the beach paid little attention, but one stopped Gil and asked: "Who are you fighting?" "The cadet board," replied Bouley.

QUOTE, UNQUOTE
Don Kolloway, on a visit from Camp Grant, Ill., to his old White Sox buddies: "Know what we did the other day? Well, after a four-hour hike with full pack we went through an hour of calisthenics. And then did we get to go to our barracks to rest? We did not. We went to the mess hall to scrub for two hours. . . . Wonder why I ever thought playing a doubleheader at second base was hard work?"

SERVICE DEPT.
Joey Archibald, former featherweight champ who was turned down as too short when he tried to enlist in the navy last year, was inducted last week and assigned to the navy.

APPROPRIATE ABBREVIATION
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Dick Wakefield's Tiger teammates disclose that Dick's secret ambition is to be another Frank Sinatra. . . . But those who have heard him sing say the only likeness is in the first syllable of Frank's name.

Yankees, Cards Talk Procedure In World Series

CHICAGO, Sept. 12 (P)—The procedure to be followed in staging the 1943 world's series was the principal business scheduled for discussion Saturday representatives of the New York Yankees and St. Louis Cardinals with Kenesaw Mountain Landis, commissioner of baseball. . . . The chief topic for consideration was the division of the seven-game series between the American and National league pennant winners. The league leading clubs, representatives and Landis also were expected to decide on the official opening date and the site of the first game.

James Brink Hands Segura His First Defeat In U. S.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 13 (P)—A young Seattle tennis star, James Brink, has handed Francisco (Pancho) Segura of Ecuador his first defeat since the popular South American's arrival on the west coast. . . . Brink won from Segura, 7-5, in a single set exhibition match held yesterday at the 17th annual Pacific Southwest Tennis tournament.

PORTLAND, Sept. 12 (P)—Vern Johnson, secretary of the greater Portland Baseball league for 14 years, will put on an army uniform September 16, L. T. Gregory, sports editor of the Oregonian, reported in his column today.

Angels Rule As Pacific Ball Champs

Shaughnessy Playoffs to Follow Windup of Coast League Play Last Sunday

By The Associated Press
Although it's no particular news to anybody, Los Angeles rules today as champion of the Pacific coast league, with San Francisco, Seattle and Portland following in that order. . . . The league wound up its regular business yesterday and will turn almost immediately to the Shaughnessy playoffs for the president's cup—and \$10,000 in bonus money, of which \$5000 goes to the winner. . . . The playoffs will open in Seattle and Portland Tuesday, with the champions staying on to meet the Rainiers on their home lot and San Francisco meeting the Beavers on their home field. The survivors of these series will tangle for cup and cash. . . . Los Angeles split two week-end doubleheaders with Seattle. The Rainiers, a cellar club for the first half of the year, bested the Angels 2-1 Saturday, but dropped the nightcap, 4-3. Los Angeles, after losing the first contest yesterday, 3-1, finished off the season with a 4-2 triumph.

Portland split with San Francisco Saturday, 6 to 5 and 2 to 4, but walked off with both ends of the final doubleheader, 5-3 and 4-3. . . . Hollywood took a double licking from San Diego yesterday, 11-4 and 3-2. The Oakland A's swept their fifth straight doubleheader from Sacramento, winning 12-7 and 5-2.

THE STANDINGS
By The Associated Press
COAST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Los Angeles	110	45	.710
San Francisco	89	66	.574
Seattle	85	70	.548
Portland	79	76	.510
Hollywood	73	82	.471
Oakland	73	82	.471
San Diego	70	85	.452
Sacramento	41	114	.265

Yesterday's Results
Portland 5-4, San Francisco 3-3.
Seattle 3-2, Los Angeles 1-4.
Oakland 12-5, Sacramento 7-2.
San Diego 11-3, Hollywood 4-2.

Results Saturday
Oakland 3-4, Sacramento 2-3.
Portland 6-2, San Francisco 5-4.
Hollywood 3, San Diego 2.
Seattle 2-3, Los Angeles 1-4.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	85	49	.634
Cleveland	73	60	.549
Washington	75	62	.547
Detroit	69	65	.515
Chicago	66	67	.498
St. Louis	62	71	.466
Boston	62	74	.456
Philadelphia	44	88	.333

Results Yesterday
New York 1-9, Boston 0-6.
Washington 4-9, Philadelphia 3-5.
St. Louis 2-6, Chicago 0-2.
Cleveland 2, Detroit 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	90	44	.672
Brooklyn	74	59	.556
Cincinnati	74	61	.548
Pittsburgh	73	68	.518
Chicago	61	71	.462
Philadelphia	58	75	.436
Boston	56	73	.434
New York	49	84	.368

Results Yesterday
Brooklyn 8, Philadelphia 4.
Cincinnati 1-0, Pittsburgh 0-7.
New York 3-7, Boston 0-2.
St. Louis at Chicago, postponed.

SAN DIEGO FIGHTS
SAN DIEGO, Calif., Sept. 12 (P)—Odell Polee, Los Angeles, was outwitted 17 pounds but he stopped Harold Blackshear, 204, Oakland and Monterey heavyweight, on a technical knockout Friday night in the eighth round of a scheduled 10-fight.

Gal Football Coach Loses First Game -- But She's Not Crying

By Arden Skidmore
SALINA, Pa., Sept. 13 (P)—Comely Pauline Rugh, the girl football coach, lost her first game 47-0—but she's not asking anyone for a spare shoulder to weep on. . . . "Don't worry too much about it," she told her Bell Township lads, patting them on the back as they trooped to their dressing room Saturday. "It was my first game and yours, too. We were too inexperienced. . . . The Derry players — they weren't going to let any girl-coached team beat them — won about as expected. Bell, it should be explained is a "B" class school in this western Pennsylvania hamlet, Derry an

Move Over, Pop



Chester Joseph Laabs Jr., 5 1/2, tells daddy to get out of there and let someone really hit one in batting practice with St. Louis Browns.

Klamath-Grant Grid Game Gets State-Wide Publicity

The Klamath-Grant football game September 24 came in for prominent publicity in the Sunday Oregonian. . . . In an article at the top of the first sports page, it was pointed out that the game is a highlight of the Third War Loan drive in Klamath county. . . . "This game should be the season's biggest prep affair in the state—so far as box office appeal is concerned," said the Oregonian. . . . All of which reminds Klamath sports fans that only by the purchase of a \$25 war bond can they obtain reserved seats for the Grant battle on Modoc field. The bond must be purchased at the chamber of commerce at the time the reservation is made. . . . Grant is listed by the Oregonian as a possible champion of the Portland prep league this year, along with Franklin and Jefferson. . . . Here is the Oregonian's brief report on the Grant situation: . . . Grant—Coached by Jerry Lillie, won five, lost one, tied one last year. Squad of 40 working headed by Art Milne, end, league's leading scorer last year. Five other lettermen back are Sheldon Jones and Fulton Olson, ends; Evan Davis and Richard McGregor, halfbacks, and Glen Carnine.

Seahawks, Michigan Open Grid Campaigns This Week

By HAROLD CLAASSEN
NEW YORK, Sept. 13 (P)—The Iowa pre-flight eleven, glamor team of early 1942, and Michigan, expected to replace the Seahawks in that role this fall, open their campaigns this weekend as the gridiron sport takes another step nearer the center of the stage. . . . Michigan, its own great collection of manpower increased by navy contributions from Wisconsin and Minnesota, tangles with Camp Grant, 23 to 0 victors over Illinois last Saturday. Iowa's Seahawks, coached this year by Lt. Don Faurot, oppose the Illini. . . . On the same day Duke, which got plenty of navy help from Lake Forest, Auburn, Georgia, Tennessee and Mississippi State, tangles with the Camp Lejeune marines. . . . This trio of college eleven may pile up some of the high scores which officials predicted for the coming campaign but which were lacking in last weekend's frays. . . . Yale had to go all out to defeat Muhlenberg, 13 to 6, after Wayne Johnson, one of Harvard's better backs in 1942 but now an ell by grace of the naval training program, suffered a severe injury on his first play. Rochester, nipped Baldwin-Wallace, 14 to 6; Swarthmore blanked Ursinus, 12 to 0, and Presbyterian trounced Fort Jackson, 41 to 0. . . . In Friday night encounters, central Michigan worked out at the expense of Alma, 13 to 6, and Peru, Neb., Teachers downed Rosecrans field of St. Joseph, Mo., 7 to 0.

Brooklyn Pitcher Tries Out at Salem Dodgers' Camp

SALEM, Sept. 12 (P)—Just leave it to the Dodgers—they'll do it every time! . . . Among some 58 candidates at the Brooklyn baseball tryout camp which opened here yesterday under George Sisler was Cpl. McNinny, a pitcher from—of all places—Brooklyn, N. Y., said to be a rabid Dodger fan. McNinny is stationed with an army unit here. . . . **WARNER BEATS CAMP**
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Pro-Gridiron Champs Lose Three Tilts

Washington Redskins Make Three Appearances This Fall, Get Setback In All

CHICAGO, Sept. 13 (P) — What could be more embarrassing than to be the defending champions and lose your first three games? . . . The National Football league pro champs of 1942, the Washington Redskins, have made three formal appearances this season, lost all three and are happy the games don't count in the standings. The first was to the college All-Stars, 27 to 7; the second to Green Bay in an exhibition a week ago, 23 to 21. . . . The third defeat came yesterday at the hands of the Redskins' old nemesis, the Chicago Bears, whom the Washington's upset for the pro title last December. The Bears stepped out before 56,000 fans at Baltimore and spilled the champs, 21 to 14. This, too, was just an exhibition tilt. . . . The New York Giants, a 42-28 victim of the Bears last week, took it out on the Detroit Lions yesterday at Akron, O., also by a 21 to 14 score but before only 11,000 spectators. An intercepted Lion pass set up the Giants' winning touchdown in the last period. . . . The Brooklyn Dodgers started their new coach, Pete Cawthon, off on a winning note by plastering the Camp Lee (Va.) Soldiers, 28 to 6. . . . Saturday night the Green Bay boys won their second exhibition test of the season by beating the Phil-Pitt Eagles, 28 to 10.

Huskies Field Seven Regulars From Last Year

SEATTLE, Sept. 12 (P) — Seven regulars from last year's University of Washington lineup bulwarked the No. 1 Husky football team fielded Thursday. Coach Ralph (Pest) Welch lost no time in putting his big and talented squad to work. . . . Two former Washington State college varsity performers and two freshmen completed the first eleven. The probable starting lineup for Washington's opening game September 25 against Whitman. . . . Welch had Bob Erickson, U. of W. triple threat ace, and Jay Stoves of WSC, alternating at left halfback, but sideline observers were of the opinion Stoves might end up at quarterback as both backs are too valuable for part-time duty. . . . Pete Susick, holdover quarterback who will be leaving for officers' training school in October, filled in at full, with Gerry Austin, letterman from Kelso, calling signals. Neil Brooks, veteran Washington fullback whose eligibility under navy training standards is in doubt, was in uniform yesterday. . . . In the line were Gail Bruce, freshman, and Jack Tracy, holdover, ends; Don Deeks and Leonard Larson, holdovers, tackles; Bill Ward from WSC and Frank Saksa, holdover, guards; Gordon Berlin, freshman, center.

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Make Reservations For Quarterback Dinner Tuesday

The chamber of commerce will take reservations for the Quarterback club dinner scheduled for Tuesday night at the Willard hotel any time up until Tuesday noon, according to Lee Smith, president of the Quarterback club Monday. . . . Those planning to attend this meeting are asked to be sure to get those reservations made speedily.

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Cinci Pitcher Heaves One-Hitter at Pirates

Elmer Riddle Makes Best Record On Mound Sunday; Pitts Gain Split

By TED MEIER
Associated Press Sports Writer
It isn't very often that a one-hitter is pitched in the major leagues after Labor Day, but Elmer Riddle, of the Cincinnati Reds, accomplished the feat against the Pittsburgh Pirates yesterday. . . . In a day marked by superlative mound performances, Riddle's effort was easily the best. Pitted against the 20-game winner, Rip Sewell, in the first game of a doubleheader, Riddle retired the first 22 men to face him. Then, with one out in the eighth, Bob Elliott doubled for the Pirates' lone bingle. . . . Riddle went on to gain his 10th victory of the year with a 1 to 0 shutout. Only one other Pittsburgh batter got on base, Pinch Hitter Tommy O'Brien walked with one out in the ninth, but was erased in a double play.

Cincinnati's one run came in the fourth when Bert Haas walked and crossed home plate on singles by Steve Mesner and Eddie Miller. . . . Pittsburgh gained a split by taking the nightcap, 7 to 0, behind Xavier Rescigno's four-hit twirling, coupled with Jim Russell's three-run homer in the sixth.

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HORSESHOE PITCHER

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