

PELICANS MEET GENERALS TONIGHT

Sawyer, Davis and Walters Are Three Returning Regulars for Portland School

Sari Not To Play In Game

Regular Lineman Hurt In Scrimmage Tuesday Night

The Pelicans received some bad news yesterday when it was learned that Bill Sari, starting left guard, would not be able to play in tonight's game. Sari has a chipped kneecap and some torn ligaments after last Tuesday night's scrimmage and was advised to take it easy for a few days by the team physician. He will be capably replaced however, by Harold Wirth, who has shown plenty of promise in practice workouts.

The Generals came in this morning and are set for the fray. The main returning regulars are Bob Sawyer, 190 pound right tackle, and one of the bulwarks of the forward wall, Art Walters, speedy left half, and Evan Davis, 184 pound fullback.

The Klamath squad worked out for awhile last night under the lights by doing some passing and punting, and wound up by running through some signal drills.

The boys showed lots of scrap and intend to make it a real ball game from the opening whistle to the final gun. Coach Marble Cook is confident that the team will give all it has and that is all anyone can ask.

They'll Carry the Mail Tonight for Klamath Pelicans at Modoc Field



This will be the starting Pelican backfield when the boys take the field against the Grant Generals at 8 p. m. in the opening grid battle of the season. From left to right: Bill Abbey, right half; Bob Perkins, quarterback; Bud Blehn, fullback; and Rollie Berry, left half.

Brownies Still Fighting For Pennant

Sewellmen Slug Out Win Over Senators, 9-2 While Bengals Bow to Yanks, 5-4

AMERICAN LEAGUE RACE AT A GLANCE

Team	W	L	Pct.	Games To
Detroit	89	63	.589	11
St. Louis	80	64	.558	12
New York	77	69	.528	15
Boston	74	69	.517	16

Remaining Games
Detroit—Home, Boston (4), Philadelphia (3), Washington (4), Away, none.
St. Louis—Home, Philadelphia (2), Boston (3), New York (4), Away, none.
New York—Home, none, Away, Cleveland (3), Chicago (4), St. Louis (4).
Boston—Home, none, Away, Detroit (4), St. Louis (3), Chicago (4).

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Don't give up on the St. Louis Browns.

Luke Sewell's "hungry" cast-offs, stumbling since mid-August and berated by friend and foe for blowing a comfortable lead, were only a half game behind the leading Detroit Tigers today on another comeback surge.

Thanks to the Yanks, the Browns had a chance to make a new challenge for their first flag and the cash that goes with it. Although four windup games with the same Yanks next weekend can make or break St. Louis' hopes, Vern Stephens, Nels Polzer and Co. were letting the future take care of itself and concentrating on the opportunity at hand.

When the New Yorkers woke up to snap a five-game losing streak by dumping Detroit, 5-4, in a 10-inning series finale yesterday, their motive was strictly selfish. By taking their only game of the set from the Tigers, the defending champs stuck in the race three lengths back with hopes of shortening the gap in Cleveland while the hard-hitting Boston Red Sox visit Detroit.

Connie Mack was again in the spotlight as he led his A's into Sportsman's park for a weekend series. The Philadelphia club belted New York out of first place last week on three straight defeats and Mr. Baseball never did play favorites.

The Browns figured to be more troublesome now they have shown they can get up off the floor and come back. Many thought their heartbreaking loss to Washington Tuesday night when a bases-loaded single hit a runner and snuffed out a 10th inning rally was the death blow. The fierce inter-club feud between St. Louis and Washington reacted to the Browns advantage, raising them to a fighting pitch climaxed by the battle between Tom Turner of St. Louis and Roberto Ortiz of Washington before last night's game. Ortiz went to a hospital for hand x-rays but Turner was unhurt and the "inspired" Sewellmen slugged out 15 hits for a 9-4 edge.

Frank Crossett's 10th inning double gave Reliever Bill Zuber of the Yanks the nod over Hal Newhouser, doing a turn as a Tiger fireman. Cleveland trimmed Boston, 5-2, despite 11 Sox hits.

St. Louis clinched the National league flag by trimming Boston, 5-4 and 6-5 with both wins going to Ruler Harry Breechen. Pittsburgh lightened its grip on second place by walloping Brooklyn twice, 10-4 and 14-0. Cincinnati kept pace by downing the Phils, 5-3 and 8-4 and Chicago blasted New York's fourth place aspirations with a double dose of trouble, 11-8 and 6-4.

Bad Breaks Overtake Marines

Fiore Lost to Leatherneck Team for Football Season With Broken Collar Bone

Bad breaks overtook Klamath's Marine grid squad this week as the team swung into high gear in practice scrimmage. The services of PFC Joe Fiore, who had been considered definitely first-string tackle, were lost for the season when Fiore broke his collar bone in practice. Weighing 205, the ex-New Jersey semi-pro was one of the fastest men in the leatherneck line.

Cpl. William Salvadori, fullback, cracked two ribs in scrimmage, but medical officials believe that he will be sufficiently patched up to play in the opener against Willamette university, September 30.

In an effort to bolster the weakened tackle situation, Maj. Clyde C. Roberts, coaching the Marines, has shifted Capt. James Higgins and Corporal Norman Fuller and Willie Crumpler to that spot. Higgins was all-southern tackle at Trinity university for two years, but has been working at guard and as line coach for the Marines.

Both Fuller and Crumpler were end candidates. Coming into the spotlight as an outstanding performer at end is PFC C. J. Zablosky, of Albany, Calif. Zablosky is a rangy 6 foot 2 inch, 195-pound wingman, and is especially good on defense.

Another fullback prospect who has been demonstrating ball-carrying and line-smashing abilities in scrimmage is Pvt. Vincent LaPaglia, a 200-pounder. Coach Roberts has whittled the squad down to approximately 50 men, and a further cut is expected before the opening day.

Ochoco Forest Completely Open To Deer Hunters

PRINEVILLE, Sept. 21 (P)—Officials of the Ochoco forest—completely open to deer hunters this season for the first time since 1942—said today that bucks were "big, gentle and numerous."

Part of the Ochoco country was closed last year because of army maneuvers, cutting down the season's take to 1000 mule deer. In 1942 nimrods bagged over 3000.

National League Pennant Flies Over Card's Dugout

NEW YORK, Sept. 22 (P)—The 1944 National league pennant flew over the St. Louis Cardinal dugout today—the first time in 20 years it adorned the same National league flagpole three straight seasons.

After losing 11 of their last 14 games, Bill Southworth's lads clinched the NL title yesterday by taking a twin bill from the Boston Braves. Despite the late-season wobbling, the Cards boast a 13-game edge, with 11 games to play.

They won the pennant by 18 games last year. At one stage of the current race, however, they led by 20, a bigger margin than the first place team in the American league ever boasted over the last.

The last club to win three or more pennants in a row was John McGraw's Giants who copped four from 1921 to 1924. Only three other clubs, the Pirates of 1901-1903, The Cubs of 1906-1908, and the Giants of 1911-1913 won three straight since 1900.

Blackmarket on Shotgun Shells Reported to OPA

Definite attempts to "gouge" the public by exorbitant charges for shotgun shells have been reported to the district OPA price division for investigation, Ralph Westering, price specialist, revealed today.

Westering said that some purchasers have paid as high as \$5 for a box of 25 twelve-gauge shotgun shells which should have cost no more than the ceiling price of \$1.38 a box, or 7c per shell. The 30-06 caliber sells for \$2.15 a box of 25, or 11c a shell and the 30-30 caliber sells for \$1.50 a box, or 9c a shell. Some persons have been getting as high as \$1 a shell for these two calibers, Westering indicated.

Sales of ammunition are under price control by individuals as well as dealers, Westering emphasized. Price violators are subject to treble damage action for \$50 or three times the overcharge, whichever is greater.

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Cleveland	69	75	.479	21
Philadelphia	67	77	.465	23
Chicago	66	77	.462	23
Washington	61	83	.424	29

NATIONAL LEAGUE				
Team	W	L	Pct.	Games To
St. Louis	88	45	.685	5
Pittsburgh	85	50	.629	8
Cincinnati	82	61	.573	13
Chicago	69	73	.486	20
New York	63	79	.443	26
Philadelphia	58	84	.409	31
Boston	58	84	.409	31
Brooklyn	58	86	.403	32

"Grey Mask" Will Appear Here Tonight

Wrestling addicts may have their craving satisfied by just being at the armory tonight at 8:30. A red hot card has been arranged by Promoter Mack Lillard and all the matches should be slam-bang affairs.

The main event of the evening will be a one hour time limit or two out of three falls bout between Paavo Katonen and Belholder Jack Kizer. If Paavo takes the joust, Jack has promised he will give the Foxy Finn a chance to regain the title in a belt battle. So Paavo will naturally be going all out to win with Kizer trying equally hard to see that he doesn't.

The match just before the headline go brings together "The Grey Mask" and meanie Rowdy O'Dowdy. This will be the "mask" and will be something a little different for the fans.

Opening the show will be "Blood and Guts" Davidson and

"Silent" Rattan in three 10 minute rounds or two out of three falls.

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