

FDR May Settle Question On Army-Navy Tilt Today



From MIDFIELD

By PAUL HAINES

GOLF SHOTS

Bill Selkirk, assistant pro at Reames, is planning on leaving this Saturday for Portland where he will match shots with the biggest names in golf in the Portland Open to be held, November 23-28, inclusive.

Other golfers who will participate in the battle for gold and glory from this vicinity are Eddie Simmons and Leland Clark, both amateurs from Medford.

Bill also says he'll feel satisfied if he finishes in the first 20 as that's where the old moola lies.

Anyways, here's all the luck in the world to Bill when he tees off in Portland next Thursday and we hope he slaps the old apple in the cup like a homing pigeon coming to roost.

ROOKIE OF YEAR

In a poll taken by Sports-Week of the newspaper sports editors of the country to determine the baseball rookie of the year, Bill Voiselle, hurler for the New York Giants, came in under the wire first.

A previous poll had given Voiselle the nod in the National circuit along with George Starnweiss of the Yanks in the American loop as rookies of the year and this other vote was for the outstanding beginner of both leagues combined.

Aside from Wilks, Voiselle had virtually no competition but the Card pitcher gave him a battle all the way down the stretch.

ONE BUCK, PLEASE

It cost Charlie Frank Williams one simoleon to introduce actress Bette Davis to the Monday Quarterback club of Columbus, Ga. At a club meeting there, it is against the rules to talk about anything but football.

Pacific College To Battle Bruins

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 17 (AP)—The College of the Pacific football team Amos Alonzo Stagg brings here tomorrow for a game against the University of California at Los Angeles will only faintly resemble that which lost to Southern California here early in the season.

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STEUBER'S LEG IN CAST

Bob Steuber, former Missouri All-American back, has his left leg in a cast to rest an injured knee while playing with the Otumwa, Ia., Naval Air Station Skyers.

THREE-CUSHION TOURNAY

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 17 (AP)—President Roosevelt said today he does not know yet where this year's Army and Navy football game will be played.

The president dismissed the subject of the football classic's location with that brief sentence at his news conference today, leaving up in the air speculation whether the December 2 game will be played at the naval academy in Annapolis or in some city able to accommodate a larger crowd.

By BUS HAM WASHINGTON, Nov. 17 (AP)—A deadline rolled round today in the shifting of the Army-Navy football game from Annapolis to a big city stadium.

On the presumption that President Roosevelt will hold his regular Friday news conference, reporters readied in advance some direct questions on the proposed move.

High-up government officials apparently had left the decision up to him.

Secretary of Treasury Morgenthau said yesterday that he hoped the service classic would be switched to a big city as a Sixth War Loan feature.

He estimated that \$50,000,000 in bonds could be sold in connection with the game and that publicity derived from the contest would have far-reaching values throughout the nation.

Senator Mead (D-N. Y.), a leader in advocating the staging of the game in a big city, expressed the hope that the contest will be played in "one of our eastern stadiums, preferably New York City."

"Staging of the Army-Navy game in New York City where the subway system could furnish the transportation would enable the treasury department to dispose of \$100,000,000 in war bonds," he said.

Naval academy officials have said that tickets to the game, if moved, cannot be printed in time for the game and distributed unless a decision is reached today.

Dobbs Lost To Air Force '11' Saturday

SPOKANE, Nov. 17 (AP)—Absence of the injured Glenn Dobbs from the left halfback position for the second air force theoretically heightened the University of Washington's chances for an upset this Saturday but a look at the record of Dobbs' replacement may halt the long-shot betters.

Injected into the lineup by Dobbs' absence will be Ray Evans, former Kansas university star, who boasts 10.7 yards average gain for every time he has handled the ball. It's the leading average of the squad.

Evans not only runs and passes but plays the safety position on the opposition's kicks and has shown up frequently on the receiving end of an airman aerial.

In Seattle, Coach Ralph (Pest) Welch prepared the Huskies for their departure tonight and reaffirmed his hope that the weather wouldn't be too cold.

Jim McCurdy, starting guard and outstanding lineman of the 1944 Huskies will captain the collegians in their final appearance of the year.

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Didya Know—?



Sports Herald and News

Pete Gets Second Crack At "Grey Mask" Tonight

For the second time in two weeks, Pete Belcastro, the Weed Assassin, will attempt to flop the savage "Grey Mask" in the top event on the rassing card at the armory tonight.

Belcastro gave the hooded heel a troublesome evening in their last bout, and may well force the masked mauler to remove his hood this time with a victory.

Amateur Barred From Portland Golf Tournament

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 17 (AP)—Vic Ripley, low scoring amateur in the recent Portland qualifying round, was barred today from the Portland open golf tournament later this month as an amateur.

Ripley, who shot a 72, formerly was a golf pro and a professional hockey player, but had sought reinstatement as an amateur from the United States Golf association. The association advised him that he cannot qualify until December 9.

The tournament opens November 23. He said he would not compete in the tournament, which has attracted most of the biggest names in golf, as a pro.

"I've started on the road toward regaining my amateur status, and I intend to finish," he said.

Nine amateurs qualified for entry in the \$15,500 tournament. Ripley's place will be taken by one of four alternates who tied for 10th place.

Scribe Chooses Irish, Buckeyes

By ORLO ROBERTSON NEW YORK, Nov. 17 (AP)—Pardon us please if, before plunging into this week's football selections, we point out that we had only three defeats last week as compared to 35 victories and two ties. Rice, Indiana and Muhlenberg failed to cooperate.

Here's how the crystal ball says they should finish this week: Army-Penn—Penn, with two good tackles in Savitsky and Stikel, may put up an argument for the first half but Army's power will wear the Quakers down for another one-sided score for the cadets.

Purdue-Navy—The Middies definitely aren't fooling these days but they may find a tough nut to crack in the Boilermakers before winning by two or three touchdowns.

Illinois-Ohio State—A battle of speed between Buddy Young and Co. and Les Horvath and his legion of freshmen backs.

Wisconsin-Michigan—The once-beaten Wolverines aren't going to let Badgers stand in their way of a chance to win the Big Ten title. Michigan.

California-Southern California—The Trojans need this one to get into the Rose Bowl and they'll be there January 1. Southern California.

And now here we go over the nation's chalked lines: Fourth Air Force over San Diego naval base, Minnesota over Iowa, UCLA over Pacific.

Sunday, it'll be Fleet City Bluejackets over St. Mary's Pre-flight, Third Air Force over Maxwell field.

Rumors Rife That Landis May Retire

CHICAGO, Nov. 17 (AP)—Rumors that Baseball Commissioner Kenesaw Landis was ready to retire were rife today as a group of major league officials met to consider the big league agreement which, among other things, provides for procedure to be taken in event of vacancy in the office.

For the past several months there have been unconfirmed reports in baseball circles that Landis, who assumed baseball's highest office when the present major league pact was signed on January 12, 1921, was to be a candidate for reelection when the agreement expires on January 12, 1946.

The rumors have increased in hot stove talks since Landis' recent illness, which has confined him to St. Luke's hospital for the last six weeks.

William Harridge, American league president, in announcing today's meeting, said only the officials will "give consideration to the major league agreement which perpetuates the office of baseball commissioner." He added that the recommendations of the joint committee will be submitted for consideration at the annual major league meeting here next month.

The major league pact, as now in force, provides for the procedure to be followed in event of the resignation or death of Landis during his term, or the expiration of his term.

Other parts of the agreement cover the respective playing territories of the majors, player limits, uniform contracts, waiver prices, and other phases of the game.

The condition of Landis, who will be 78 years old on November 20, was reported last night as "not as satisfactory as it was a day or so ago."

Whitman College Retains Coach For School Year WALLA WALLA, Nov. 17 (AP)—Ben Dobbs, who coached the Whitman college football team during the recent gridiron season, will return to the campus for the remainder of the school year as basketball and baseball coach, it was announced today by President Winslow S. Anderson.

Dobbs is being given a one-year contract to handle Missionary athletic teams during the absence of R. V. (Nig) Borleske, who was recently granted a one-year leave of absence to carry on extension work for Rotary International.

The other part of Borleske's duties, that of graduate manager of Whitman athletics, will be carried on by Dr. Ivar Highberg, associate professor of physics.

Highberg is a Whitman graduate of the class of 1932 and has been a member of the faculty since 1936.

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5:10 PM	5:20 PM

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10:10 AM	10:17 AM
2:10 PM	2:17 PM
4:10 PM	4:17 PM
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Michigan Flash



Ralph Chubb's speed amazed Pennsylvania.

Cage Season Looms Ahead For Pelicans

Basketball season got underway Thursday at Klamath Union high school with the start of an intramural tournament that will extend through next Wednesday.

Six teams are participating in the round-robin in which each team plays the other and the winner is decided on a percentage basis.

There are approximately 45 boys playing and from this group Coach Marole Cook will select the Pelican cage squad for this year.

The teams with their respective captains are: Modocs, Bob Perkins; Jay-Vees, Jim Palmer; Wildcats, Bud Biehn; Pelicans, Jim Pope; Hellicats, Dean Mason; and Spartans, Arnold Ellis.

In the first round played Thursday, the Modocs walloped the Jay-Vees, 36-19, and the Wildcats nosed out the Pelicans, 19-16, in two cross court tilts.

The last encounter between the Hellicats and the Spartans was played on the regulation floor with the Hellicats coming out on top, 28-13.

Cook has some fine basketball material this season and expects to have an exceptionally good year. These intramural contests will continue through this week into next when the winner will be decided.

Student Placement Problem Discussed

MERRILL — Klamath county school principals and coaches went on record at the November meeting of the County Schoolmen's association as favoring a permanent record card system to facilitate placement of students in transferring from one school to another.

The next meeting of the association will be held at Altamont Junior high school, January 9. Stanley Woodruff of KUHS was in charge of the dinner.

ASSOCIATED FOOTBALL SPORTCAST

Saturday Washington vs. 2nd Air Force

1:45 P. M. KFJI (1240 kc) and Mutual Network

TIDE WATER ASSOCIATED OIL COMPANY

'C' Company Paces Marine Cage League

In the Marine Barracks Inter-Company Basketball League on the post gymnasium courts, "C" company has the inside edge as the team that will receive the championship trophy, which will be presented upon the completion of the schedule, November 24.

Sparked by PFC Dick Biggers 6-foot 1-inch center, "C" company has one more game to win to be assured a tie in the race for first place. Biggers and company have won 9 out of 10 starts. The only outfit that is given any chance to beat them is H&S, a team that has lost only once, but has three tilts left on its schedule.

The big "C" company center is amoung the top five in scoring. He has scored the most points in any one game, 27, and has the distinction of being fouled more than any other player. In 10 games he has had 47 free throw attempts. However, in making only 18 of these 47, he sports one of the worst records on charity shots.

Cpl. Harold Money, "E" company center, has hit the bucket for 133 points in seven games, and leads the pointmakers. PFCs Ernes Semsky and Oliver Posey of H&S rank second and third with 120 and 112, respectively. Sharing fourth place honors are Burkland and Biggers. Both men have scored 104 points, but Biggers has played in 10 games, while Burkland has been in only seven.

An all-star team, that will meet the post squad after the league schedule is completed, is being formed from the outstanding performers.

League Standings

C. Co.	W.	L.	Per.
H&S	7	1	.875
A. Co.	7	2	.778
I. Co.	5	2	.714
H. Co.	5	2	.714
E. Co.	3	4	.429
D. Co.	2	5	.286
K. Co.	2	5	.286
F. Co.	2	6	.250
G. Co.	1	4	.200
B. Co.	1	5	.167
Officers	1	5	.167
M. Co.	0	3	.000

*Does not include Wednesday's games.

PGA Champ Says Portland Golf Course Tough

PORTLAND, Nov. 17 (AP)—Bob Hamilton, national PGA champion, tuned up for the \$15,500 Portland open today and predicted that nippy weather and course complications would checkrein par-breaking attempts.

"It certainly isn't the easiest course in the world," he said of the Portland Golf club where the November 23-26 tourney will be played. "I'd guess that the winning score will be in the neighborhood of 285—possibly a stroke or two less—for the 72 holes."

The Evansville, Ind., pro predicted a top game from Sammy Sneed, back in the tournament swing after two years in the navy.

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Sports Briefs

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17 (AP)—From a bomber equipped with a "rocket" that will pull the "world series" to the camp when they stayed up to listen to the "world series" (they started at our time)...

Southwestern vs. Handshill... The back from Handshill... I won't put the winners... On old Alabamians... Illinois vs. Ohio State... If Buddy Young outruns... He'll be not only fast but eye.

PIGSKIN PICKING... Army vs. Pennsylvania... But they won't up Army... Penn... They'll keep their hands... Mississippi State vs. Alabama... I won't put the winners... On old Alabamians... Illinois vs. Ohio State... If Buddy Young outruns... He'll be not only fast but eye.

SHORTS AND SHELL... The Honolulu pro club, which wants to get out of the U. S. leagues, will use as many Hawaiian players as possible and prey Ralph... promises a troupe of ball and Hawaiian entertainers accompany the team on travels.

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