

K-MEN BEGIN PRACTICE

Fifty Candidates Turn Out For First Session

Coach Angstead Will Use T-Formation; Four Regulars Return From '44 Squad

By PAUL HAINES
About 50 prospective Pelicans answered the call to the Red-and-White colors of Klamath Union high school Friday afternoon at Modoc field and were issued uniforms and given physical examinations in preparation for the coming grid season.

Sizing the boys up without the benefit of a scale, it appeared obvious that Coach Paul Angstead and Assistant Coach Ed Ryan would field another light eleven this season. The boys were carefree in the locker room, but underneath there seemed to lie a deadly earnestness that bodes ill for rivals of the Red-and-White in the ensuing months when King Football will once again reign supreme over the entire nation.

Perhaps they were remembering that humiliating 33 to 0 shelling they took last year at the hands of the Grant Generals who went on the march at the opening whistle and were never halted until they had amassed 33 points.

Chance For Revenge
On the evening of September 21 at Modoc field, some of last year's regulars will have a golden opportunity to erase that defeat and avenge themselves upon the strong Portland eleven.

Chuck Thurman, Harold Wirth, Roger Vanderhoff, Jim Pope and Scott Reed, to name a few, have bitter recollections of that night when the unleashed power of the Generals stormed and took the Klamath goal line five times.

After that debacle in the opening game, the Pelicans came back like champions to run wild over a favored Salem eleven, 18 to 0.

Roberts Fiasco
Coach John Roberts acting in the guise of referee, enabled an inferior Ashland team to gain a 12 to 12 tie with the K-men and in the fourth game of the season KUHIS trampled Grants Pass, 12 to 0.

The roaring Black Tornado of Medford overwhelmed the small but scrappy Pelicans, who put up a terrific battle against odds before going down, 21 to 0.

Eureka kicked the dope bucket higher than the Empire State building by giving the Klamathites a lesson in deception and winning the ball game, 19-6.

The Pelicans closed the season in a blaze of glory by thumping the Bend Lava Bears to the tune of 13 to 6, to wind up the 1944 season with three wins, three losses, and one deadlock.

T-Formation
Coach Angstead plans on using the model-T formation altogether this year and will be searching for a key-man to handle the oval when the Pelicans stream out onto Modoc field and settle into the full swing of practice.

The opening session was held this morning with the workout involving wind sprints, blocking and tackling practice, and conditioning exercises.

Sari Candidate
Bill Sari, who would have probably handled a line assignment last year if he had not suffered an injury early in the season, was in uniform along with four Pelican regulars from last year who were Thurman, Vanderhoff and Wirth in the forward wall and Bob Redkey in the backfield.

Pelican reserves who are seeking berths are Scott Reed, Jim Pope, Jim Palmer, Ben De Vore, Earl Hannan and Tommy Edwards.

Some of last year's Wildcat squad who have a definite chance to come through are Bob Mocabee, Ray Craig, Allen Eck, Fred Gerbino, Bob Eastman, Gene Yarnell and Leroy Coleman.

Coach Angstead doesn't have much to say. It's "too early to tell." The team will be light, but a football eleven isn't nec-

From the CORRAL

By 'TOP-WRANGLER'

Howdy folks!
Reckon yuh all member Earl Topping cause he wuz growed up here and an all 'round cow-man. Well sir, he come home fer a few days to howdy-do ol' friends. Earl got hisself married and hangs his hat at the Roy Rogers ranch in San Fernando Valley, which he jist up and bought. He keeps the well known 'Trigger' hoss that and others of them four-footed aristocrats of movie fame. Ida DeWitt tuk up ridin' and purchased Eliza McDonalds fine black hoss Mexico. Joe Lema of Montique kinda added a western touch to Main Street Tuesday when he rode his buckskin hoss into Klamath Billiards, Drew's Men Store and Balsigers. Joe didn't mean to bust any traffic regulations, but aimed to advertise the ride to Lakeview. There's sixteen of them vaquero's tuk off Wednesday morning and will bed-out fer three nites Makin' Lakeview Saturday noon. Lou Seruys, E. Emaick, Bill Hilton, Joe Nichol, Charlie Read, Early Arant, 'Doc' Hilton, H. L. Taylor of Cottonwood, Beverly Thomas, Bert Ferris, N. B. Drew, Lamar Townsend, Bert Rohu, Sam Brown, Joe Lema and the important feller the cook. Bert Ferris got bucked off the first day but wuz still able to take part in the goin's on at Jerry McCartie ranch where a big crowd from town went out fer a steak feed. Music wuz furnished from an organ loaded on a truck with everybody airin' their lungs with ol' time numbers. That truck wuz 'bout as handy as a pocket in yur underwear... when it wud git cold they'd back up to the fire when she'd git hot they'd pull up. A feller kin see some awful funny things if he a mind to sit and watch... I know I did and can't tell all of 'em either. I chinned with 'Pat' Hogue the day he got back from Gresham. The meet 'ain't over up thar and Seth Waters is shure dustin' that strip with his three bangtails to the tune of success. His mare galloped in to pay off a hat-full. I gotta be gittin' can't spare the whip this late as thers plenty of work to be done fore the Rodeo Max Barbour's puttin on here Labor Day.

Bye now.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 1 (P) Southern California's Trojans begin their football practice today with Head Coach Jeff Cravath back from Chicago and the All Stars-Bear game, directing them through their paces.

The Trojans open their season in Memorial coliseum September 21 against UCLA.

Sir Isaac Newton believed that light consisted of a stream of little particles.

Cards Whip Cubs, 4-1; Tigers Lose

St. Louis Moves To Within 3 Games Of Leading Bruins; Yankees Wallopp Nats Twice

By JACK HAND
Associated Press Sports Writer
When the Yankees sold Hank Borowy to Chicago they supposedly kissed off their 1945 flag hopes but here it is September 1 and the New Yorkers are only four games out of first place, steaming down the stretch like another squadron of the famous Bronx bombers.

Before the ticket scalpers starting trying to put up the Yankee stadium, it might be well to note that five teams are in the running for the big dough.

Ernie Bonham and Al Gettel teamed up on the Senators last night in a two-night doubleheader, Big Jumbo whipping them in the first tilt, 3-2 and Gettel following up with a 3-1 job in the finale. George Stinweiss enjoyed a happy evening with five hits and two stolen bases that sent him into a tie with the Nats' George Myatt for the base lifting lead.

Feller Goes Today
Bobby Feller hardly expected a world series slice when he came out of the navy to finish up the season with Cleveland but anything goes this year.

Rapid Robert goes again today against Half Newhouse after Allie Reynolds beat the Bengals yesterday, 7-2 with the help of Felix MacKiewicz' three-run homer.

Big news in the National league was the fourth successive decision the St. Louis Cards grabbed from their Chicago "cousins," 4-1, making it 11 out of 14 for the year with eight to go.

Harry (the cat) Breechen, just about the roughest lefthander in the league now that his arm is right, gave only two hits, one a homer by Ed Sauer who replaced the benched Bill Nicholson.

3 Games Apart
The distance from St. Louis to Chicago now is only three games with the Red Birds having a chance to go into a virtual tie for the lead by sweeping today's single and tomorrow's double at home.

Pittsburgh scored six times in the first two heats and held on to trim Cincinnati, 6-5, after Manager Frankie Frisch and Catcher Bill Skelid had been thumbed off the field by Umpire Jocko Conlan.

Classified Ads Bring Results.

Lipscomb Battles To Draw With Dusette; Keeps Crown

By PAUL HAINES
The crowd roared, stamped, whistled, boomed, and cheered last night, turning the armory arena into a madhouse with its pandemonium, as Jack Lipscomb successfully defended his junior heavyweight mat belt by battling to a draw with Georges Dusette, the challenger.

Not in many, many months have rassing fans seen a match to equal the titanic battle of the giants the two gladiators put on last night as Lipscomb staved off Dusette's fifth round bid for a fall and held him to a draw when he lost the final canto to the French-Canadian strongman.

Jack lived up to expectations from the start of the fracas to the conclusion, fighting a ripping, tearing, gouging fight that had Dusette in trouble a good share of the time. Each boy hurled his opponent from the ring at least twice and the huge crowd was in a frenzy when Jack took the first fall of the tiff in the third heat with a toe hold after working viciously on Dusette's leg.

This was merely the lull before the storm, however, as the fans virtually went insane in the fourth and fifth rounds when Georges gave back blow for blow. The tussle reached its wild climax in the final round with Dusette and Lipscomb savagely kneeing each other in the throat until Georges at last seized an opportunity and slapped a full-Nelson on his rival to take the fall that evened the count.

Jack still reigns as junior heavyweight king today, but he knew he had been to the wars after Dusette's gallant effort to regain the crown.

Rufus Jones, colored matman, showed the customers how they do it back Detroit way in the

opener and the fans didn't like it at all.

Rufus has a head butt that makes the past efforts of the "Grey Mask" look tame in comparison and he wasted no time in tucking Milt Olsen away for the night. He threw the hapless Olsen all over the armory, stalked his prey like a panther,

and took two straight falls despite Olsen's courageous attempts to halt his ferocious attack.

Gorilla Poggi, displaying large letters on the back of his jacket reading "Strength and Courage," ran his victory string here to two in a row by disposing of Ivan Jones with comparative ease in the semi-windup.

MAN MOUNTAIN MILLER
STATE COLLEGE, Pa.—Heaviest man on the Penn State football roster this year is a man-ager, not a player. Freshman Larry Miller weighs 250 pounds.

Hellcats Swamp Marines, 18-0

The Alameda Hellcats swamped the Leathernecks from the Marine Barracks in a ball game played at Alameda Thursday by the stunning score of 18 to 0.

Cy Johnson, Hellcat chucker who was formerly with the St. Louis Cards, hurled no-hit ball until the seventh frame when he was relieved by Pete Larkin. Larkin gave up only one hit, a single by Johnny Lynch, utility infielder.

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