

Pels, Reno Clash Tomorrow

Guptill, Mitchell Set To Go

The Reno High School Huskies are the next hurdle for the Klamath Union High School Pelicans as they fly southeast to do battle with their bordering state rivals in Reno tomorrow afternoon with kickoff time slated for 2:00.

Coach John McGinnis and the Pelican coaching staff have had their work cut out for them this week as they prepared their riders for what could be another topflight battle, just like last Friday night's game with Medford.

One big difference in this week's game is that all of the Pels are up and ready to go with no one setting on the sidelines due to injuries, since both the KU question marks, Elvin Mitchell and Chuck Guptill are back into active practice following foot injuries.

LIGHT TEAM
In Reno, the Pels will find a light team, but one that has a host of backs that can get hot and move when they have the ball, and when Reno needs yardage. Word from the "Biggest Little City in the World" is the Huskies, under the coaching of Richard Trachok, field a very fast line that makes up for its size.

Giving the Huskie squad tremendous threat to stop the Pels for the second straight week is the passing and running of quarterback Len Mardian, one of the finest high school split-T quarterbacks that the local high school gridirers will meet this season.

Blending in support with Mardian in the Reno backfield will be halfbacks Dale Provost and Hugg Barshill, two very speedy ball carriers that are very dangerous break-away runners. The fourth position in the Reno backfield will be taken by either Buddy Garcia or Tom Clark, two 165 pounders with plenty of drive when it comes to line smashing.

In the forward wall for the Huskies will be ends Larry Beebe and Jim Murphy or Bob Gordon, while Howdy Wells and Jerry Brown will take care of the Huskie tackle spots. The two guard positions will be handled by Noel Manoukian and Larry Depauli, with Jeff Morby, the sound's toughest defensive man, filling the center spot. The weights of the starting Reno line range between 155 to 190 pounds.

NON-LETTERMEN
For the Pelicans, line coach Harry Russell will probably use just about the same starting line-up that opened against Medford last week, and before the game is over, just about everyone along will see action, as the two starting end spots will be selected from two lettermen and three junior non-lettermen, as Elvin Mitchell, Larry Heaton, Leon Brown, Bill Badorek and Earl Tichenor are all capable of gaining the starting call from Russell.

At the tackle spots, Jim McGee and Bob Harshbarger will probably go the starting nodes, but Erwin Mullen, Martin Causey and Vince "Pee Wee" Reece will be handy to see plenty of tackle action also, while Denny "Little Moose" Todd will hold down the center position for the major share of the game, with Wayne Rodgers also slated to see duty in the center of the Big Pelican line.

Modesto "Mighty Mo" Jiminez and Roy Ropp lead the candidates for the guard slots, while opening ends against the Huskies could also go to the Dick Clark or Ron Morris, another pair of linemen who showed up well last week at Medford.

FILLED
In the backfield for coach Gerald Bevans, Larry Yarnell is the choice for the starting quarterback spot, while the two halfback posts will probably be filled by Dave Pepple and Chuck Guptill, two powerful and fairly speedy lettermen, while the fullback assignment will be taken care of by Gerald Del Fatti, who adds punch to the Pel ground attack with his line busting ability.

Besides the probable starters, Bevans will undoubtedly use Donn Taucher at quarterback and Scott Hancock, Jack Smith, Larry Dearing and Jim Borden at the halfback positions. Behind Del Fatti at the fullback position will be hard driving Dave Leeling, another busting specialist.

The Pels will have the edge



PELICAN BOARD OF STRATEGY gets together for a confab before taking off for Reno this morning and go over plans they have in store for tomorrow afternoon's high school football game between KUHS and the Reno Huskies. Head Coach John McGinnis, center, is talking over offensive plays with line coach Harry Russell, left, while Gerald Bevans, right, Pel backfield boss listens in. Game time is 2:00 at Foster Field in Reno.

Badgers, Buckeyes Collide

The time has come for Wisconsin to start thinking seriously in terms of winning the Big Ten championship and making the jump to the Rose Bowl next Jan. 1.

The Badgers, who weren't considered any great shakes in preseason estimates of the Western Conference, meet rough, tough Ohio State tomorrow in a game that could make or break their hopes. The Buckeyes, too, are very much in the race for league honors.

Ivy Williamson's lads still would have to get past Iowa, Northwestern, Illinois and Minnesota even if they do beat Ohio State. But there's no denying that this is the big one.

TITLE BID
For Ohio State, the game represents another big stumbling block in its bid for the title. Even if the Buckeyes do win, they'll still have to whip Purdue and Michigan.

In the South, the big interest will be the battle between Mississippi and Arkansas. Ole Miss is co-leader of the Southwest Conference and Arkansas is the surprise of the Southwest Conference. Both teams are looking ahead to New Year's Day and a Bowl game. But even more important at this stage, the game should provide a good insight on Mississippi's strength. The school has been tabbed as one with a weak schedule and this accusation has hurt its national standing.

Meanwhile, there's a game with national implications on tap for tonight when the undefeated University of Miami entertains Maryland. The Terps, mythical national champions last year, took a positive at the start of the current campaign but looked good beating North Carolina 33-0 last week.

William and Mary tangles with George Washington. Detroit engages Tulsa and Houston plays games tonight.

Oklahoma, the No. 1 team in the country in the weekly Associated Press poll, takes on Kansas State. UCLA, No. 2, also has an easy one against Oregon State, beaten three times.

ASSIGNMENT
Colorado, which very well could get the Orange Bowl assignment, meet Nebraska, and Southern California, which could be the Rose Bowl host, takes on California.

Among the other top-ranked teams in the nation, Minnesota over their hosts in the respective win-loss columns as Reno has two wins, over Boise and Sparks, a rival in their Nevada high school competition, while they have been beaten four times by Elko, Chico, Redding and Christian Brothers of Sacramento.

With three wins, one over Eugene, Redding and Ashland, and two losses one each to Grant of Portland and last week's defeat at the hands of Medford, gives the Pels a slight percentage edge over their weekend opponents.

goes against Michigan; Army plays Columbia, and West Virginia figures to toy with Virginia Military Institute. Notre Dame isn't scheduled.

There will be three television games of the week under the NCAA program tomorrow. The one that will be seen in most sections will pair Pitt against Northwestern. The

Boston University-Holy Cross game will be beamed to the New England states and the Brigham Young-Montana contest will be seen in the Far West.

There was one game yesterday and it came out as expected. South Carolina, the team that upset Army at the start of the season, defeated Clemson 13-8.

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RACING
NEW YORK — Ancestor (\$7.30) won \$11,400 New York Turf Writers' Cup at Belmont Park. SAN BRUNO, Calif. — Bugle (\$8.60) won Tanforan feature.

Klamath Falls Creamery and Underwood's Camera shop swept both the team honors for high game and series in last night's City League bowling play.

The Creamery team had a 1013 game and Underwood's rolled a 2911 series. Rummurup spots went to KC Paints with a 1003 game and to Lucca Cafe with a 2850 pin series.

Walt Risse had high individual game with his 224, while Pete Armen had a 214 second high game. Risse led the series scoring with his three line total of 582, while Herb Riggs was second with a 564.

BOSTON — Gil Newkirk, 203½, Philadelphia, stopped Bob Woodall, 215½, Cincinnati, 6.
SYDNEY — Barry Brown, 143, Sydney, stopped Ray Ricco, 145, Manila, 8.

THURSDAY'S FIGHTS
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
LOS ANGELES — Ramon Fuentes, 150, Los Angeles, outpointed Billy Graham, 160, New York, 10.
BIRMINGHAM, Ala. — Tommy (Edridge) Thompson, Quantico, Va., knocked out Bill Godfrey, Asheville, N.C., 3, (lightweights).

Champion To Win, Not Please

By GAYLE TALBOT

NEW YORK — Johnny Saxton, the new welterweight champion of the world and a very boring customer, indeed, is quoted as having said this about the fighting style which caused untold millions to pass out quietly in their arm chairs on Wednesday evening:

"I don't aim to please the crowd. I just want to win fights the best way I can. I fought the fight like I planned—to win. I had him puzzled."

REMARKS
Johnny's remarks probably will not endure among the great orations, but we submit that he really laid it on the line right down to the final syllable. The only thing we might have added was that he had a lot of folks puzzled besides King Gavilan, who was his opponent, speaking loosely.

So far as there is any evidence, about the only ones who were attracted by the new champ's novel method of winning fights were the three ring officials, and he couldn't have chosen a finer following. The fact that they voted unanimously for the tigger and hauler from Brooklyn can only be put down as a rare case of mass hypnosis.

When Saxton's manager, Binky Palermo, was asked what his plans were for his tiger, he replied forthrightly, "To make money," and that brings up an interesting question. Where's the money going to come from?

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College Grid Briefs

MOSCOW, Idaho — The University of Idaho Thursday appointed Joseph H. Glander, the school's athletic trainer since 1952, track coach succeeding Stan Hissman.

Glander was a trainer for the United States team in the 1952 Olympic Games at Helsinki. Before that he was track coach at Bowling Green and trainer at the University of Oklahoma.

Hissman resigned to become track coach at the University of Washington.

CORVALLIS, Ore. — With the two regulars still nursing injuries, sophomore Bob Clark and Dick Mason, who usually plays halfback, alternated at quarterback Thursday as the Oregon State Beavers drilled for the Saturday game with UCLA.

The regulars are Jim Withrow and sophomore Ray Westfall. Westfall has a pulled thigh muscle and may miss the UCLA game.

Coach Kip Taylor stressed pass defense in the practice session.

EUGENE, Ore. — Driven indoors by heavy rains, the Oregon football team ran through dummy drills in their stocking feet in Thursday's practice for Saturday's game here with San Jose State.

Halfback Dick James missed the practice. James injured a wrist in last week's game with Southern California, then received a leg injury in Wednesday's drills. It was doubtful whether he would start against the Spartans.

SEATTLE — Several starting assignments were still up for grabs Friday as Coach Johnny Cherberg and the 37-man Washington traveling squad flew to

Byrne KO's Seals

PORTLAND — Jimmy Byrne of Portland floored Kirby Seals of San Diego in the sixth round of their scheduled 10-round heavyweight boxing match Thursday night and dropped him for the 10-count in the seventh.

It was the 10th straight knockout for the Portland slugger. Byrne weighed 228; Seals, 196. In preliminaries:

Little Papa Brown, 160, Seattle, outpointed Gene Meeker, 170, Es-

tacada, Ore. (4); Teddy Hall, 124, Seattle, knocked out Larry Wright 136, Bremerton (1); Amos Lincoln, 182, Portland, knocked out Bobby Jackson, 174, Tacoma (1); Richie Reed, 164, Tacoma, knocked out Red McNally, 155, Estacada, (4).

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