

By LINES from the SIDELINES

by CLAYTON HANNON

JUST CLEARING away some of the odds and ends that flow in from the mailing room.

The Brooklyn Dodgers are going to make the season's attendance pay off, even if their chances for the National League title are small according to the big league experts.

A so-called Christmas special is being offered to fans including a booklet of 25 tickets and another book of 10 tickets for Dodge home games. Besides this, the buyer is entitled to a guarantee of a world series ticket "when the Dodgers recapture the national league pennant."

And to top it all off with a big splash for those that send their orders to the National League club office in Brooklyn, it brings to you an automatic membership in the 1955 Dodgers Fan Club.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO comes the word that the dates of the 1955 National Sports and Boat Show have been set for March 4 through 13 at the San Francisco Civic Auditorium.

According to the release, over 150,000 sportsmen from all of the eleven western states are expected to converge on the Bay Area city for the big show.

Included in this outdoor program will be exhibits of fishing tackle, guns, camping equipment, sports wear, boats, outboard motors, marine accessories, dude ranches and resorts will fill the block-long auditorium to overflowing with other outdoor features.

The big show will mark the 10th anniversary of the founding of the annual outdoorman's exposition and several extra events are planned for the big birthday showing.

GETTING closed to home come a release from the University of Washington athletic department on the outcome of the Washington-Oregon State Frosh game, played last week.

"Jimmy Dougherty, University of Washington's freshman back from Klamath Falls, Oregon, was one of the Pup's leading ground gainers in their 14-9 victory over the Oregon State Frosh last Friday in Seattle.

Dougherty averaged better than six yards per carry for the victory, netting 31 yards in five tries. "Jim ran especially well for us in spite of the heavy rain and muddy field," coach Bill Marx said, "and played even better on defense—or so it seemed to me, because he was all over the field making tackles."

The pups have one more game on their schedule, meeting the Washington State yealings Saturday November 13, in Seattle. With a 19-7 win over Idaho also behind them, they boast a season's mark of two wins and no losses."

OTHER EX-KLAMATH FALLS athletes are also gaining recognition for their work in varsity sports up and down the Pacific Coast, from all signs of news releases coming forth from their respective schools.

Up Oregon State way, Bill Toole, ex-Pelican football, basketball and track great is listed on the prospective first team of State's Gill's Beavers basketball team. Besides Toole, 6-3 Ralph Carroll is also seeing plenty of action.

With the loss of 7-3 Wade Halbrook and 6-9 Ed Romonoff from last year's club, Carroll is one of the big boys for the Beavers in their try for a second consecutive northern division championship.

Basketball is also being recognized to Klamath Falls from the University of Oregon Campus, where "Radar Ray" Bell, a returning letterman from last year's runner-up club to OSC, is back and is showing quite well.

The big forward is expected to be a big help to Oregon and coach Bill Borchert this season.

Three other KUHS graduates that seem to be doing quite well for themselves in football at the University of Colorado, are Jack Himmelwright, Bob Smith and Ken Martin, all 1954 graduates are playing quite a bit of freshman ball at the Rocky Mountain school.

A CLOSING note from Boise, Idaho and Jack "Moe" Smith, the manager of Jimmy Grow, Idaho's pride and joy.

Smith is interested and pleased to be coming back to Klamath Falls for a bout in the armory under the patronage of Mark Lillard, and says that his boy will put on another great show for ring fans come November 19.

As of yet, no opponent has been found for Grow, one of the hardest hitting lightweights in the nation, but Lillard is working the lighting areas of California still for a suitable opponent for the season's first armory boxing program.

Smith stated that an opponent like Bolo Montes of Southern California fight circles would be a worthy foe for his boy and would give the local fight fans an outstanding main event.

Albany Stewards Suspend Top Rider

ALBANY, Calif. (AP)—Willie Ehoemaker, leading jockey in the nation, has been suspended for five days by the stewards at Golden Gate Fields for careless riding. The suspension was ordered because Ehoemaker allowed his mount, Marsh's Turk, to drift out in the ninth race Saturday, thus interfering with En Busca, ridden by Ralph Neves.

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Pels Slate Extra Game

'55 Pels To Meet SOCE JVs

High school football fans will get a preview of the 1955 Pelican football season this Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock as the KUHS Pelicans, minus seniors, meet the Southern Oregon College of Education junior varsity on Modoc Field.

The regular Armistice Day football game, between Bend and Klamath had been cancelled for this year, and coach John McGinnis has been trying to get another game to add to the seven contest schedule that the local high school gridgers went through this year, so the SOCE Jayvees were obtained for the added game of the season.

McGinnis will field a team of sophomore and junior ballplayers, six of which were starters on the Pels throughout the season, as the KU coaching staff previews next year's team for football followers. Included in the starting lineup for the '55 Pels will be quarterback Don Taucher, fullback Dave Leeling and halfbacks Dave Peppie and Lee McGill. Other backs who will undoubtedly see plenty of action will be Butch Kimpton, a sophomore quarterback with an accurate passing arm, and two halfbacks up from the junior varsity, Ken Kuhlman and Tommy Perrell.

LETTERMEN
In the forward wall for line coach Harry Russell will be eight lettermen from this year's club, and all eight have been starters one time or another during the regular season for the local high school eleven.

The two end positions will probably be shared by Leon Brown, Bill Badorek and Larry Heaton. Another end, Earl Tichenor, is on the doubtful list as he is suffering from a knee injury.

Modesto "Mighty Mo" Jimenez, who played guard all season has been switched to the center position leaving room at the two guard spots for Ron Morris and Roy Ropp, both of whom saw a great deal of action this past season.

FREQUENT
The two tackle positions will be taken care of by Bob Harshbarger and Jim McGee, two juniors, who also were frequent starters during the '54 season. Another gridiron prospect who will see some action is Cal Tichenor, another ball player up from the junior varsity team that won the Southern Oregon Jayvee championship.

Admission prices will be announced later for this special game of the season, and all of the high school football supporters will have another chance to see what they have in store for them come next football season.

Gene Fullmer Drubs LaBua

NEW YORK (AP)—Undeclared Gene (Cyclone) Fullmer, a good, tough and aggressive middleweight has an invitation to come back to New York any time as a result of his routing Eastern and television debut against Jackie LaBua.

The strong-legged, 23-year-old middleweight from West Jordan, Utah, made his perfect record 25-5 last night by drubbing the New York prospect at Eastern Parkway Arena for a lopsided 10-round decision.

As a result, matchmaker Teddy Brenner signed the Rocky Mountain copper miner for a Dec. 20 tilt with Rocky Castellani, fourth-ranked 160-pound contender.

"If Castellani doesn't want to take on the kid—but I think he will—we'll get Paddy Young or some other top middleweight," said Brenner. "This kid is the best Westerner to come here since we brought Bobo Olson in from the Coast for his Eastern debut."

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SPORTS

CLAYTON HANNON, Sports Editor

Marshfield Tops Final Prep Polls

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Undeclared and untied Marshfield nosed out once-tied South Salem for the top spot in the final Associated Press poll of the Oregon high school football season.

The state's sports writers were almost equally divided in trying to name a favorite for the state title playoffs opening this week.

Marshfield got six votes for first place, South Salem five, Marshfield totaled 106 points in the balloting; South Salem 104.

SUPPORT
Not another team got a first-place vote, and no other team was near the top two in ballot support. Jefferson of Portland came the closest, getting 80 points to move up from fourth to third place. Next in order came Medford, Pendleton, Milwaukie, Beaverton, Grants Pass, Lincoln of Portland and Prineville.

Of these teams only Grants Pass will not be in the state playoffs. Medford, downed Grants Pass earlier to become the Southern Oregon entrant. Prineville, defending champion in class 2-A, is the only team not in class 1-A.

Prineville thus becomes the favorite to win a third straight title in its class.

DROP
The only major change in the standings was Grants Pass' drop from third to eighth place, following a 12-0 loss at the hands of Roseburg.

Marshfield and South Salem held the positions they had last week, although it was much closer this time. Marshfield was the unanimous choice last week, but sports writers revised their opinion as the playoffs neared. Marshfield had a narrow squeak in its final district game, edging North Bend, 14-13, while South Salem was winning easily from North Salem, 31-7.

NOTCH
With Grants Pass dropping, Jefferson, Medford, Pendleton and Milwaukie each moved up a notch. Beaverton, after noosing out strong Gresham, 3-0, advanced from ninth to seventh place. Lincoln also went up a notch, while Prineville, held to a 6-6 tie by Bend, went down from eighth to tenth place.

Based on this ranking, the sports writers will expect to see South Salem defeat Jefferson, Milwaukie nose out Beaverton, Marshfield down Medford and undefeated Pendleton beat Lincoln in the first playoff round next weekend.

The poll, with the season record for each team:

Team	Points
1. Marshfield, 9-0	106
2. South Salem, 8-0-1	104
3. Jefferson, 7-1	80
4. Medford, 7-2	75
5. Pendleton, 9-0	57
6. Milwaukie, 7-1	53
7. Beaverton, 8-1	43
8. Grants Pass, 5-9-1	29
9. Lincoln, 5-2-1	24
10. Prineville, 7-0-2	12

Others: La Grande and St. Helens 5, Roseburg and Corvallis 4, North Bend 3, Eugene 2, Vale 1.

Selvy, who rewrote the college record books while at Furman University, held a 36-point edge over Bob Cousy of Boston, who has played one less game. Selvy also is the single game scoring leader at this early stage in the campaign, having dropped in 33 points against Philadelphia.

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One Berth Remains In Playoff

Only one position remained to be filled in the state high school football playoffs after Saturday games.

The last entries in 1-A competition qualified Friday night. The lineup for the A-2 competition was completed when Junction City defeated Pleasant Hill 7-3 for the district 5 title and Coquille beat Ashland 39-19 for the district 6 championship.

Next week's 2-A playoff with St. Helens against Reedsport; Central of Monmouth-Independence against Dallas; Junction City against Coquille and Vale against Prineville.

The 1-A schedule will send Jefferson of Portland to South Salem; Milwaukie to Beaverton; Marshfield to Medford, and Pendleton to Portland to meet Lincoln.

Four district titles were decided in class B competition Saturday. Siletz defeated Chemawa 13-6 in district 2; Monroe beat Lowell 18-13 in district 3; St. Mary's of Medford beat Chiloquin 27-19 in district 5 and Moro downed Mapleton 26-7 in district 6.

The district 8 champion will be determined later this week. It will be either Union or Wallawa.

The first round of the class B playoff will send Knappa against Siletz; Monroe against Oakland; St. Mary's against Moro, and Echo against the district 8 winner.

Harrisburg will meet Culver and Eagle Valley of Richland faces Glide in next week-end's six-man playoffs. The field was narrowed to four teams when Harrisburg edged St. Paul, 53-52. Culver eliminated Mitchell 46-34. Eagle Valley beat Umpine 32-6, and Gide whipped Mapleton 51-20.

Jefferson is the only 1-A team that was in the playoffs last year. Prineville, the defending champion, St. Helens, Reedsport, Vale and Coquille had berths in last year's 2-A tournament.

In the B division, Monroe, Oakland and Moro will be competing for the second straight year.

Notre Dame Official Blasts NCAA TV Control

CHICAGO (AP)—Notre Dame athletic director Ed Krause had some words of praise for Irish Coach Brennan Monday, but sharply criticized the NCAA's TV control system.

Krause told the Quarterback Club that Notre Dame doesn't have the slightest worry that the 36-year-old Brennan will be successful as a head football coach.

Krause, long a leader for uncontrolled national television, called the present plan "an artificial and reactionary system."

Krause said the plan is "no good x x x" and regional television is a step in the right direction."

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Football Notes

NEW YORK (AP)—Monday's football wash:

It was not a happy day for Army and Notre Dame despite their overwhelming victories over Yale and Penn., respectively, Saturday. Army halfback Pat Uebel suffered a head injury in the first period of the Cadets' 48-7 romp over the Bulldogs and was taken to a hospital for observation. Notre Dame's first string center, Dick Seyman, suffered a ruptured spleen in the Irish 42-7 romp over Penn. and had to be rushed to the U. of Penn. Hospital where an emergency operation was performed. Both were reported doing nicely.

Central State quarterback Don Carter opened Saturday's game against Kentucky State with a slashing, 100-yard kickoff return, goal to goal. Then the referee called him back and said he hadn't started the game. . . . In the Northern Illinois-Central Michigan game, a ball was punted that went no yards, was returned no yards but was a touchdown. Northern's Bill Olson took a snap from center in his end zone and sent the punt straight up into the air. When the ball came down, a Central lineman pounced on it for the touchdown.

Johnny Vaughn is the 20th football coach at the University of Mississippi. The game was first played by the school in 1893.

American Loop Approves Move

By JOE REICHLER

NEW YORK (AP)—Having won his four-month fight to purchase the Philadelphia Athletics and transfer the franchise to Kansas City, industrialist Arnold Johnson today tackled the problem of hiring a field and general manager.

Elated by the 6-2 vote of approval given him by the American League, Johnson yesterday said he had an open mind on the managerial situation. He said he had talked to no one about the jobs but had many applications.

It was learned that Lou Boudreau

City Leaguers Start Practice

City League basketball players will begin practice sessions tonight at the Mills Grade School gym starting at 7:00 according to Bob Bonney, city recreation director.

Any one interested in joining a team and playing winter basketball in the men's city league is invited to turnout and start practice tonight and Thursday evening.

Other practice sessions that have been planned are slated for a week from this Tuesday, November 16 and 18, the following Thursday night.

deposed manager of the Boston Red Sox, has the inside track to the field managing job and Parke Carroll, who was business manager of the New York Yankees Kansas City farm club in the American Assn., is a top candidate for general manager.

ESTIMATED
Under terms of the deal, Johnson will pay \$450,000 each to Roy and Earle Mack for the 163 shares each owns. He already has paid Connie Mack \$604,000 for his 302 shares. He must pick up a \$1,300,000 mortgage held by the Connecticut General Life Insurance Co. and must also pay off debts estimated by him at \$80,000. He will bet back however, \$1,675,000 by the sale of Connie Mack Stadium to President Bob Carpenter of the Philadelphia Phillies.

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