

Viks Rip Pelicans, 13-12, In Closing Minutes

Red Flags Cost In Heartbreaker

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SALEM (Special)—The game of "drop the hankie" won't be too popular for the Klamath Falls Pelicans after visiting North Salem and dropping a 13-12 decision Friday night.

The Pelicans, after scoring the go-ahead touchdown with 5:10 left in the game, saw their extra-point go for naught because of a penalty, then gave the Vikings some 42 yards on the ensuing series with costly penalties.



DAVE STIPPICH
... razzle-dazzle

Quarterback Kent Hunsaker had given the Pels a 12-6 lead when he tallied from the 16-yard line. Center John Ruger toed the conversion straight and true but an off-side penalty nullified the kick.

With the added five yards Hunsaker attempted to pass for the conversion but his pass was far over-thrown in the end zone.

Still, the Pelicans wouldn't have been in too bad shape if it hadn't been for the red handkerchief drops that followed.

Ruger kicked to North Salem's Ken Evans on the North five and Evans returned to his own 35. At that point the Pelicans were cited for grabbing Evans' facemask and penalized 15 yards to midfield.

On the next play North Salem's Jim Kelly hit the Pelican line for three yards but one of the officials "flagged" Pelican halfback Ken Lewis for slugging at Viking end Don Causey. The penalty was stepped off from the point of infraction and moved NS to the KU 20. In all, the penalty cost the Pels 27 yards and the service of Lewis who was ejected from the game.

Coach Bob Williams protested vehemently to the officials that

Champ, Big Tom Matched

NEW YORK (UPI)—Champion Floyd Patterson and unbeaten Tom McNeely have been formally matched for a heavyweight title fight at the Boston Garden, Nov. 13, after four days of stormy New York conferences.

Promoter Tom Bolan admitted today that representatives of both boxers "have finally agreed to the contract," but he declined to reveal what were the causes of bickering during the conferences that ended Friday night.

Patterson attended two of the meetings and he was represented in the others by Julius November, his attorney and advisor. Challenger McNeely of Arlington, Mass., did not attend, but he was represented by Manager Peter Fuller and attorney Fred Hilton, both of Boston.

Bolan of New York, president of Championship Sports, Inc., presided at the conferences.

"I can only say this," attorney Bolan explained, "everybody thought the match was made until we sat down last Tuesday to draw up the contract. I have no further comment."

He said Patterson and McNeely's manager, Fuller, would sign the contracts today or Sunday, and that the ceremonial signing by Patterson and McNeely would be staged at headquarters of the Massachusetts Boxing Commission in Boston on Thursday or Friday if the commission approves the contract.

the penalty should be assessed from the line of scrimmage but the men in the striped shirts failed to reverse the call.

North drove to the Pelican seven for a first down but the Vikings also were hurt when the officials called an illegal-use-of-hands penalty moving them back to the Klamath 27. Hard-driving North Salem fullback Gary Collette carried three straight times to again move the ball to the KU seven. On fourth down quarterback Darrell Elfeldt hit Punk Wells with the game-tying touchdown pass. Kelly kicked the conversion to give the Vikings their 13th point.

North got a chance to pad its lead when it recovered a KU fumble on the next series but the drive was halted on the one just as the game ended.

North Salem hit paydirt first. The Vikings went 65 yards in seven plays. Kelly got 30 of the total on a quickie. Collette capped the drive with a 15-yard jaunt. Kelly's conversion try was off to the left.

Klamath came back with a bit of razzle-dazzle to tie the score. After taking the kickoff, the Pels had a first down on their own 30. Halfback Dave Stippich got one yard on a line smash.

On the next play the Pelicans completely fooled the Vikings. Sperm Allen, playing halfback, took the handoff from Hunsaker, and reversed to Lewis who in turn passed the pigskin to Stippich who raced 60 yards for the score.

Stippich simply outran the North Salem defenders. Ruger's attempted kick for the conversion was blocked by Causey.

Klamath got the game-leading score late in the fourth period on the brilliant run by Hunsaker. The Pels started their scoring march on their own 32. Allen, at the QB post, rolled out for an 18-yard gain, then Hunsaker came in to add 11 more on the same play to move the ball to the Viking 20.

Larry McClure, the work horse of the Pel squad, got six yards, then a five-yard penalty on the Vikings gave KU another first down on the 28. Stippich lost four yards, but McClure got them back and Allen passed to Lewis on a 10-yard play for another first down.

Stippich moved the ball two yards to the 16 from which point Hunsaker blitzed in for the score. Actually, Hunsaker was trapped behind the line of scrimmage by a Vik defender, but ran his way out of the would-be tackler's arms.

Coach Williams said after the game, "I still think I'm right about the penalty call... that really hurt us, but they were hurt too when they got the penalty down by our goal line. We knew they were going to pass but made the mistake of not covering."

"I think the boys played a tremendous ball game... They have nothing to be ashamed of. North Salem is a good team and so are we," he added.

North Salem coach Spike Hillstrom had nothing but praise for the Pelicans. "They are a fine team. We were lucky to get a win in this one. I don't blame him (Williams) for being mad. That's a rough way to lose a ball game. I'd be mad, too, but the officials saw the penalties and called them."

Team Statistics
KUHNS N. Salem
First Downs Rushing 14 10
First Downs Passing 0 1
First Downs Penalty 1 1
Total First Downs 15 12
Yards Gained Rush 280 241
Yards Lost Rush 22 26
Net Yards Rush 258 215
Yards Gained Pass 17 17
Yards Lost Pass 8 13
Net Yards Pass 9 4
Total Net Yards 267 219
Passes Attempted 4 5
Passes Comp. 2 2
Yards Intercept. By 2 2
Punts (Avg.) 1-25 3-25.5
Yards Penalized 27 42
Fumbles Lost 2 0
Touchdowns 2 0
Conversions 1 0
Score by quarters:
Klamath Falls 0 4 0 4-12
North Salem 4 0 0 7-11

Scoring Summary:
Klamath Falls: TD: Stippich (68-run); Hunsaker (18-run);
Conv: None.
North Salem: TD: Collette (13-run); Wells (17-pass from Elfeldt);
Conv: Kelly (kick).

Individual Statistics
KUHNS
Player TC YG YL Net Avg.
Allen 3 42 0 42 14.0
Stippich 6 171 8 183 30.5
Collette 8 21 0 21 2.6
Hunsaker 5 39 19 20 4.0
McClure 10 50 20 30 3.0
Totals 32 380 22 358 11.2

Player TC YG YL Net Avg.
Hunsaker 2 1 3 3 1.5
Lewis 1 10 10 10 10.0
Macy 1 3 3 3 3.0

Individual Statistics
North Salem
Player TC YG YL Net Avg.
Kelly 13 84 2 84 6.5
Collette 28 128 2 130 4.6
McCandlish 6 22 0 22 3.7
Elfeldt 4 14 4 20 5.0
Totals 51 248 22 226 4.8

Player TC YG YL Net Avg.
Elfeldt 4 14 4 20 5.0
Collette 28 128 2 130 4.6

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GOLFERS BY THE PLANELOAD — The rain in Klamath Falls Saturday may have been tough on football players and fans but it didn't bother this plane load of golfers who were headed for Winnemucca for a big weekend. The plane was the first of two that picked up Southern Oregon Golfers Friday for a two-day tournament in the Northern Nevada city. In the picture Carl Woods is set to take a cut at a non-existent ball while Dick Marks holds the bag in the background. Among those who made the Winnemucca jaunt were Mr. and Mrs. George Brostehous, and Mrs. Ed Brostehous, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Harhai, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Newton, Mr. and Mrs. Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Marks and daughter, Rae Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kranenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Don Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Drew, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Drew, Duke Zamsky, Martin Swanson, Lt. Mike Lanford, Jerry Thomas, Fred Klink, Bob Alexander, Jim Slusser and Emil Berg.

Dodger Southpaw Smashes 50 Year Strikeout Record

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Swift southpaw Sandy Koufax has broken a 50-year-old strikeout record, continued Warren Spahn's 12-year-old jinx and maintained the Los Angeles Dodgers' chances of catching the front-running Cincinnati Reds in the National League pennant battle.

Koufax set the Milwaukee Braves out on five hits Friday night, striking out 10 enroute to an 11-2 victory that pushed the second-place Dodgers within 4½ games of the Reds, who were idle for the second night in succession.

The 10 strikeouts gave Koufax 243 for the year—the most ever achieved by a left-hander in modern NL history. Rube Marquard, who fanned 237 for the New York Giants in 1911, held the previous record.

Spahn, meanwhile, met his usual fate against the Dodgers on the road, losing for the 12th consecutive time since he last beat the then Brooklynites in their home park in 1948. The 40-year-old Milwaukee ace was seeking victory No. 20 for the sixth year in a row and the 12th time in his career.

Instead, he lasted less than two innings, his string of 10 straight complete game victories came to

an end and the Braves dropped into fourth place behind San Francisco. The Giants whipped the Chicago Cubs 5-1 in the only other NL game scheduled.

Bums 11, Braves 2

Spahn (19-13) got past the first 1-2-3, but Frank Howard opened the second inning with a liner over the left field screen for homer No. 15. Warren then lost his control, walking the next three men on 13 pitches before Norm Sherry hastened his exit with a two-run single. The Dodgers wound up with six runs in the inning.

The Dodgers continued their assault on replacements Ron Piche and Tony Cloninger in the fourth by scoring five runs—three on a homer by Daryl Spencer, who shared hitting honors with Wally Moon. Moon had a double and three singles in five at-bats and drove in three runs.

Milwaukee 200 000 000—2 5 1
Los Angeles 050 500 000—11 11 1
Spahn, Piche (2), Cloninger (4), Morehead (5), Nottebart (7) and Torre. Koufax (16-11) and N. Sherry. Loser — Spahn (19-13). HR—Demerit, Howard, Spencer.

Giants 5, Cubs 1
The Giants scored in the first

against loser Dick Drott (1-4) when Charlie Hiller walked, stole second, moved to third on a wild pitch and tallied on Willie Mays' sacrifice fly. Jose Pagan then put it away for San Francisco with a homer in the fourth after Jim Davenport had singled for the first Giant hit. Jack Sanford (12-8) was the winner with relief help from Stu Miller.

Chicago 000 000 010—1 5 1
San Fran 100 200 11x—5 4 0
Drott, Brewer (8) and Taylor. Sanford, Miller (8) and Bailey. Winner — Sanford (12-8). Loser—Drott (1-4). HR—Pagan.

(Only games scheduled)

Yanks Set New Home Run Mark, But Big M's Innocent Bystanders

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Homerless in seven games, Roger Maris faces the imposing task of hitting four home runs in five games in order to tie Babe Ruth's 1927 home run record of 60.

Maris, who spurred 24 games ahead of Ruth's pace on July 25, was caught up Friday night as he came up with only one single in nine at-bats while the American League leading New York Yankees were splitting a twi-nighter with second-place Detroit.

Maris, with 56 home runs, now is even with Ruth, and must hit four homers in the next five decisions—two against Detroit and three at Baltimore—to match Ruth under the 154-decision allotment specified by Commissioner Ford Frick.

Teammate Mickey Mantle fell further behind Ruth with a single, double, three walks and a sacrifice fly in nine trips against the Tigers. Mantle, with 53 homers, needs seven home runs in the five games to get a draw with the Babe.

The Yankees, however, set a major league team home run record as Yogi Berra and Bill Skowron connected in the 11-1 opening game victory and boosted the New Yorkers' total to 222 for the season, one more than the New York Giants in 1947 and Cincinnati Reds in 1956.

In the nightcap, the Tigers used a two-run homer by Norm Casar and a solo shot by Steve Bovee for a three-run third that proved enough to subdue the Yankees 4-2. That left the Yanks magic pennant-clinching number at four.

Any combination of four New York victories and/or Detroit defeats will give the Yankees their 11th pennant in the last 13 years and the first under rookie manager Ralph Houk.

Boston edged Baltimore 3-2 in 10 innings. Minnesota nipped Cleveland 3-2. Los Angeles beat Chicago 9-5 and Washington de-

feated Kansas City 3-1.

NY 11-2, Tigers 1-4

The Yanks won the first game easily behind Whitey Ford, who scattered eight hits for a routine performance for his 24th victory against three defeats. Berra's 20th homer, off loser Don Mossi (14-7) with one on in the fourth, put the Yankees ahead to stay.

Ron Kline (7-8) spaced seven Yankee hits in the nightcap, giving up a homer to Clete Boyer—the New Yorkers 223rd—in the fifth and an unearned tally in the eighth. Cash and Boros smacked their homers in the third.

(First game)
New York 000 200 432—11 9 1
Detroit 010 000 000—1 8 1
Ford (24-3) and Howard Mossi, Aguirre (7), Mantejo (8), Nischwitz (9) and Brown. Loser—Mossi (14-7). HR—Berra, Skowron.

(Second game)
New York 000 010 010—2 7 0
Detroit 013 000 00x—4 9 1
Daley, Sheldon (5), Clevenger (7) and Howard Kline (7-8) and Brown. Loser — Daley (11-17). HR—Cash, Boros, Boyer.

Boston 3, Birds 2

A home run by rookie Carl Yastrzemski off Orioles' starter Milt Pappas (12-8) in the 10th won it for the Red Sox and Gene Conley (11-12). Conley allowed only five hits, Pappas seven.

(10 innings)
Baltimore 100 010 000—2 5 3
Boston 100 010 001—3 7 0
Pappas (12-8) and Triandos. Conley (11-12) and Pagliaroni. HR—Brandt, Geiger, Yastrzemski.

Twins 3, Indians 2

Blanked through eight innings, the Twins came up with three runs in the ninth on four singles and Jim Lemon's tie-breaking homer behind when he, too, failed to hit a home run in the twin bill. Mickey, with 53, needs in his

from Salt Lake City for his debut, pulled a muscle. Lee Stange (1-0) was the winner.

Minnesota 000 000 000—3 8 0
Cleveland 001 001 000—2 8 1
Kralick, Stange (7), Moore (9) and Batteny. McDowell, Funk (7), Dailey (9) and Thomas. Winner—Stange (1-0). Loser—Funk (11-11). HR—Essegian.

Angels 9, Sox 5

Eli Grba (10-11) and Tom Morgan held the White Sox to five hits while the Angels pounded Joe Horlen (1-2) and his successors for 17 hits.

Los Angeles 010 030 040—9 17 2
Chicago 000 000 140—5 8 0

Grba, Morgan (8) and Rodgers. Horlen, Larsen (5), Kemmerer (7), Baumann (8), Lown (9) and Carreon. Winner — Grba (10-11). Loser—Horlen (1-2).

Solons 3, KC 1

The Senators scored two in the first against Norm Bass (8-11) on two infield singles, a walk, and a pair of sacrifices to give Bennie Daniels (10-10) all the runs he needed.

Kansas City 100 000 000—1 5 0
Washington 200 000 01x—3 7 1
Bass, Nuxhall (7), Wyatt (8) and Sullivan, Pignatano (7). Daniels (10-10) and Retzer. Loser—Bass (8-11).

'Sultan Of Swat' Nails Rog Friday

DETROIT (AP)—The ghost of Babe Ruth has finally caught up with Roger Maris.

The Sultan of Swat, as the Babe was called in 1927 when he smashed his record 60 home runs, and Maris were exactly even today. Each had 56 home runs after their team's 150 games.

It marked the first time since Maris and Mickey Mantle began their assault in earnest on Ruth's record that Maris was not in front.

Maris missed a golden opportunity to move ahead of Ruth's pace Friday night when he was held to a mere single in nine times at bat as the New York Yankees divided a doubleheader with Detroit.

The Yankees won the opener 11-1 but lost the second game 4-2.

Mantle, who just about conceded after going homerless in three games in Chicago, fell even further behind when he, too, failed to hit a home run in the twin bill. Mickey, with 53, needs in his

own words, "a miracle," to overtake Ruth in the 154-game limit imposed by Commissioner Ford Frick. The blond center fielder must hit eight in the remaining five games.

"The next two games here will tell the story," Mantle said. "Roger has got to hit a couple before we move on to Baltimore. It will be a little tougher for him there. He hasn't hit any in Baltimore this year and I'm sure those Orioles will save Barber (southpaw Steve Barber) for one of those games. He's been rough on Roger ever since he came up."

Maris hasn't hit a home run in the last seven games but he hasn't given up Frick's ruling, Maris is aiming his sights at the regulation 162-game season.

"I'm not even thinking of 134 games," he said. "As far as I'm concerned, Ruth hit his 60 home runs in a season. I'll not consider myself out of it until we have played the final game."

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By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Beaverton and Milwaukie served notice Friday night they would be battling for the Metro League football title with impressive wins over David Douglas and Central Catholic.

Beaverton smashed David Douglas, last year's A-1 champs, 27-0, and Milwaukie took a 25-6 win from Central Catholic as most of the Metro League teams took part in their second week-end of league competition.

Klamath Falls of the Southern League was upset in a non-league contest, bowing to North Salem, 13-12.

In an Midwest League game, Roseburg took a narrow 7-6 victory from Springfield.

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