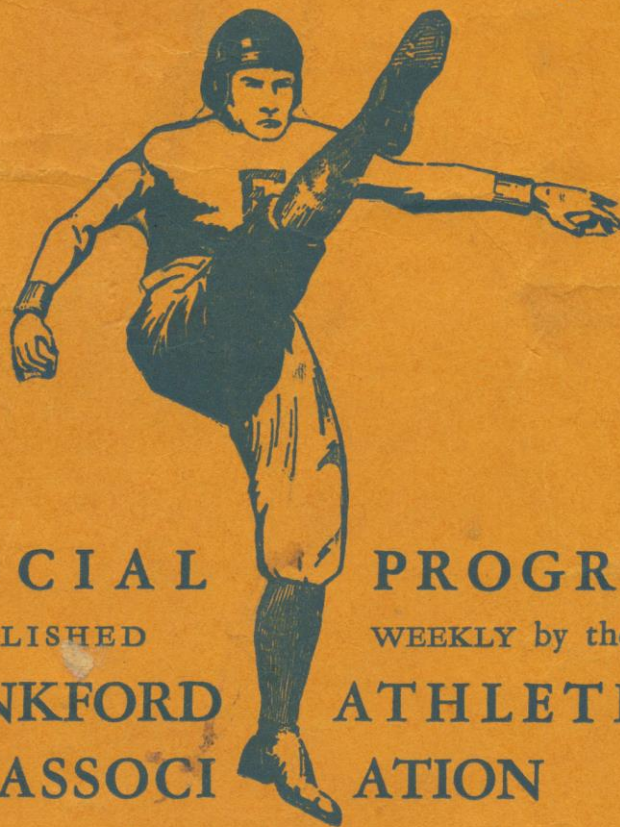


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Today the Chicago Bears, always the biggest drawing card on the Yellow Jackets' Schedule, invade the hive of the Jackets in the second games of the Post Season Series. The Bears on their first appearance in Frankford in 1924 drew the biggest crowd ever to attend a football game in the local stadium and that record still stands. Last Thanksgiving Day (1926) was the second largest crowd. That game not only smashed all records for attendance but is also termed by the dyed-in-the-wool fans as the greatest game ever played on the local field.

The Bears and Frankford have met five times on the chalk-lined gridiron, twice in 1924, twice in 1925 and once last season. The first four games were won by the Bears—scores 33-3, 13-10, 14-0, 14-7; the last Frankford won 7-6, the game in which the Jackets were crowned National Champions. The games the last two years were played at Shibe Park due to the limited seating capacity of the local stadium but this year the battle will be staged in Frankford.

The Bears have been traveling their usual dizzy pace this season, riding at the top of the league until three weeks ago when they suffered their first defeat at the hands of Red Grange and his New York Yankees. Last Sunday in one of the greatest games ever played in the Polo grounds, they were nosed out by the Giants 13-7, although they outplayed the Gothamites. This defeat toppled them to third place.

The team with several exceptions is practically the same as last year. Joe Sternaman, the deadly drop-kicker and clever field general is with them this season, after a year's absence due to the fact he had his own team, the Chicago Bulls in the American League last year. Joe has always been a jinx to Frankford, so be prepared for a great game. Senn, who scored the Bears' six points last year against Frankford will be in the line-up, to say nothing of "Paddy" Driscoll, Dutch Sternaman, Halas and all the others whose faces are so familiar to Frankford fans.

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Senn, Who Scored Against Frankford Last Year, Playing Great Game.



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Boasting no All-American selections on the squad, but no doubt having many who are of that calibre, the Chicago Bears, one of the top notchers in the National professional football league, are a winning ball club through the spirit of the men and their excellent team play.

However, it cannot be overlooked that Paddy Driscoll, former Northwestern luminary, is a big factor. Paddy's career in both amateur and professional sports probably is without a parallel in this decade.

Beginning football at the Evansville High School in 1913, Paddy is not young as athletes go, but is still recognized as one of the greatest in the game and easily the premier kicker, which covers a lot of territory but so do his kicks.

Driscoll played at Northwestern University on the Fresh and two on the Varsity, being captain in 1917.

From 1921 to 1925, inclusive, Paddy captained the Chicago Cardinals in the National League, and shifted his allegiance the next year to the Bears when tendered him one of the sweetest contracts in the game.

Driscoll has won more games and aided in winning more by his ability to register goals from the field via the drop kick method, than any other pro player. His punting this year averaged close to sixty yards.

Exceptionally fast and an accurate forward passer while on the dead run, Driscoll, who

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Nevers' Rally via Air Route in Closing Minutes Fails When Pass Grounds Behind Goal Line.

Frankford had its first chance to score in the first of the Post Season tilts with Duluth last Saturday, when Britton recovered a fumble by Nevers on the Eskimo's 45-yard line. The former Illinois star, encircled with beautiful interference, dashed to Duluth's 7-yard line where Nevers brought him down. Four tries netted 2 yards, Duluth taking the ball on downs.

A series of forward passes from Britton to Rogers at the start of the second period carried the pigskin to Duluth's 7-yard line. This attack failed when a pass grounded over the goal line.

Shortly afterwards Rogers intercepted a pass and dashed 45 yards to the visitor's 30-yard marker. Duluth held and Britton's placement kick fell short.

Nevers punted and again Frankford took the offensive. A long pass, Rogers to Joe Weir, netted 22 yards. These plays carried the ball to the 13-yard line. Three more plunges and Rogers reached the 3-yard line; three more tries and Ford crashed over for a touchdown. Mercer replaced Ford but his try for point was wide.

The third period saw both teams battling hard, but neither one was able to do much with the rival defense. Then late in the final period came the spectacular Eskimo aerial attack which came near routing the Jacket warriors.

The first ten minutes had been a punting battle between Nevers and Britton, but the Eskimo leader suddenly switched his tactics and staked all on a desperate aerial drive. After Britton had kicked to Duluth's 20-yard line, Nevers plunged through for two first downs. He then hurled a pass to J. Blood which was good for 24 yards. Nevers then hurled a 15-yard pass to J. Blood, who held the ball, despite the efforts of three Frankford players.

The cracks at the Jacket line failed and Nevers hurled a pass to Blood over the goal. The Eskimo player failed to stop it when he was bowled over by three Jacket players and the ball was given to Frankford on its 20-yard line.

A moment later the game ended with the Jackets holding the ball on their own 45-yard line.

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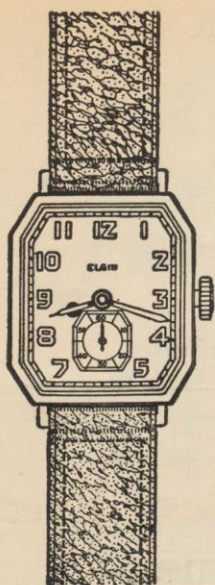
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will be at left halfback, will doubtless be closely watched by the Jackets.

One big reason for the strong showing of the Chicago Bears in the National professional football league last year and this, is the brilliant performance of Bill Senn, former Knox College 185-pound halfback. He captained Knox in 1926.

Frankford fans will never forget his great run for a touchdown in the game at Shibe Park last year.

Senn, who is capable of running 100 yards on the track under 10 seconds, is one of the fleetest men in football anywhere, and it has been his sensational dashes off tackle and around end that have materially aided the Bears in keeping at the top of the circuit.

No team has stopped him consistently and his style lends much to the versatility of the Bears' backfield, which includes Paddy Driscoll, halfback, the game's greatest kicker and himself one of the highest paid; Roy "Buck" White, fullback, who dynamites the line; Joe Sternaman and Milt Romney, pilots de luxe; Larry Walquist and Ed Sternaman, halfbacks, and Oscar Knop, fullback.

In front of these Big Berthas is a line that averages a trifle more than 200 pounds in weight, and that, generally, has hung together for three years, several of the boys being members of the Bears longer than that period.

The Bears' linesmen are: Frank Hanny, end (Indiana); Tille Voss, end, Detroit University; George Halas, end (Illinois); Ed Healey,

tackle (Dartmouth); Don Murry, end (Wisconsin); Roy Lyman, tackle (Nebraska); Buck Evans, tackle (Harvard); Bill Buckler, guard (Alabama); Bill Fleckenstein, guard (Iowa); George Trafton, center (Notre Dame); Ernie Vick, center (Michigan).

For four years, this being his fifth, the playing of George Trafton, center, has been one of the features of the Chicago Bears.

New York Giants Lead the League

As a result of their 13-7 victory over the Chicago Bears on Sunday, the New York Giants are firmly entrenched in first place of the National loop. The Gothamites open their series with the Yankees this week-end.

The Bear-Giant combat was a bitter affair. Neither team was able to break into the scoring sheet during the first half, but the New Yorkers came home twice in the last quarters and the Chicagoans passed to a score.

Owen, the New York Giants' husky guard, takes his football as a steady diet. Since he started his pro career with the March-Mara combination, he has played in 23 contests without once having to seek the sidelines.

The Frankford Yellow Jackets got an even break in their gridiron activities during the past week. Thanksgiving Day, the Hornets bowed to the Green Bay Packers 17 to 9, but whipped Duluth on Saturday.

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"If he doesn't do his work like a machine he's a total loss as an entertainer because the crowd is not close enough to see and appreciate the stuff that really counts in football—the agony, the panting and the do or die look stamped all over a fellow's face.

"In order to please the multitudes and keep the big bowls overflowing the colleges have to ransack the country and resort to all sorts of dodges to get experts, many of whom are just tramp athletes who can't do simple arithmetic.

"The bona fide college boy who lacks the expert touch is out of luck as a varsity candidate because his unskilled efforts would never satisfy the public.

"In the old days a real college boy could play the game because the few hundred rooters were right at his elbow. They could see him suffer and take it, and it never appeared to anyone that the kid would look terrible from a seat in a two-story stadium.

"There's no help for it now. The mobs have come for keeps but in every mighty throng there are hundreds of old-timers who would like to get a little closer to their football.

"Do these old-timers realize that right here in the Yellow Jackets' Stadium, in any seat they would be close enough to see all the points which really are what count in football—the agony, the panting, the facial expressions, wise-cracks of the players and orders of the field generals—with some of the greatest grid stars in the country playing the leading roles?

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—Doyle, *Evening Bulletin*.

Dame Rumor has it that "Brute" Trafton is gunning for a certain sport writer in New York who panned him to the limit in the story of the Bear-Giant game. It probably was the worst setback in the history of the pro game.

The New York Yankees "borrowed" Lewellen, Green Bay backfield ace, for several contests. Charlie Pyle's set of carriers have been wrecked by injuries and he found it necessary to flash a gridiron S. O. S. in a hurry.

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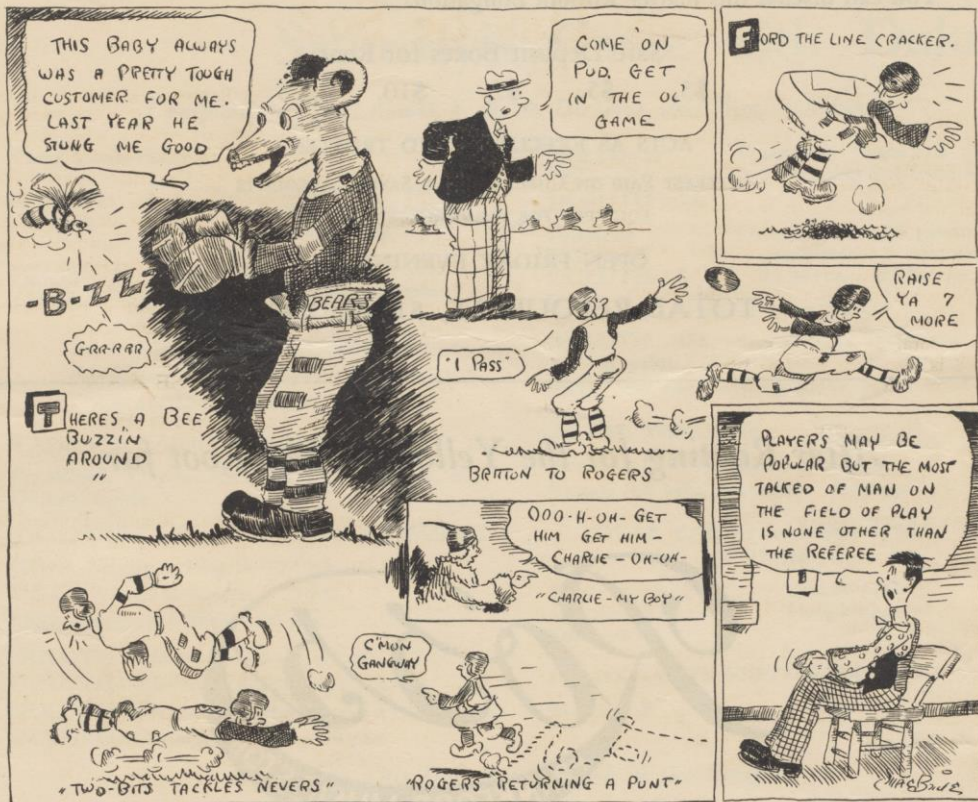
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Compiled by "Joe" Evans, F. A. A. Director, and Wm. Fahrbach.

Total Yards Gained

Frankford 354 yds. { Through Scrimmage, 93 yds.
Running Back Punts, 68 yds.
Forward Passes, 79 yds.

Duluth 304 yds. { Through Scrimmage, 79 yds.
Running Back Punts, 33 yds.
Forward Passes, 153 yds.

Yards Gained on Intercepted Passes:
Frankford, 59 yds.; Duluth, 33 yds.
Wilcox, 15 yds; Rogers, 44 yds.

YARDAGE GAINED ON FUMBLES

Frankford, 55 yds.—Britton, 47; Comstock, 8
Duluth, 6 yds.

YARDAGE GAINED BY LONGEST PASSES

FKD.—Britton to Rogers—17 yds.

FKD.—Wilcox to Rogers—15 yds.

FKD.—Rogers to Weir—26 yds.

DULUTH—Nevers to Blood—37 yds.

DULUTH—Nevers to Belden—16 yds.

DULUTH—Nevers to C. Rooney—15 yds.

DULUTH—Nevers to Blood—14 yds.

First Downs

FKD.—7
DULUTH—13

Penalties

FKD.—10
DULUTH—5

Frankford threw 18 passes.
7 completed, 4 intercepted.

Duluth threw 24 passes. 13
completed, 3 intercepted.
23 thrown by Nevers.

TOTAL PUNTING YARDAGE

DULUTH, 451 yds.—Nevers kicks averaging
37½ yds.

FKD., 300 yds.—averaging 42 yards.

TOTAL YARDAGE

Running Back Punts

Rogers, 68 yds., 9 carries. Average 7½

TOTAL YARDS GAINED THROUGH SCRIMMAGE

Rogers—42

Wilcox—23

Ford—13

Britton—11

Fitzgibbons—4

FRANKFORD'S FIRST DOWNS

Rogers—5

J. Weir—1

Ford—1

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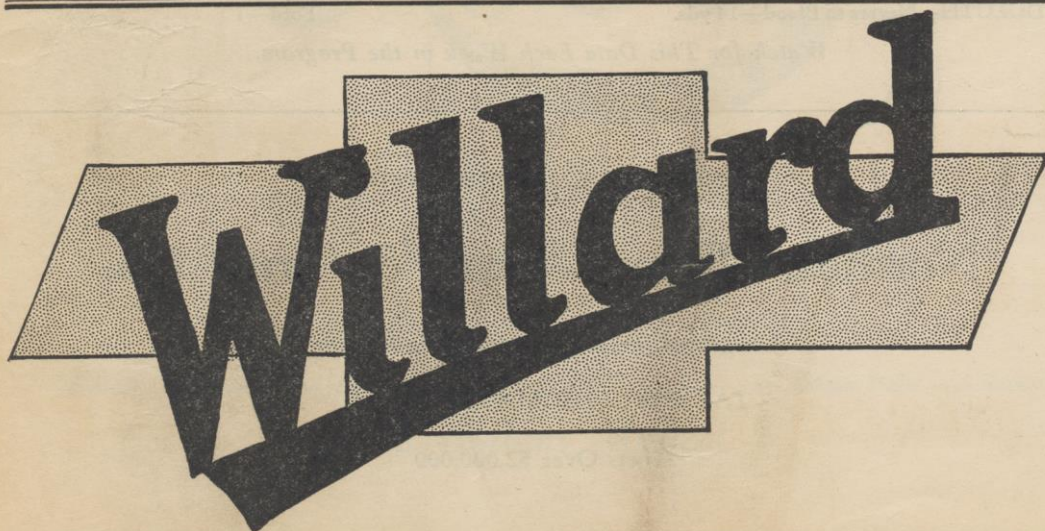
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Left End.....	KASSEL	7
Left Tackle.....	ED WEIR	16
Left Guard.....	COMSTOCK	15
Centre	REED	19
Right Guard.....	CONNAUGHTON	—
Right Tackle.....	BEHMAN	14
Right End	JOE WEIR	13
Quarterback	HOMAN	8
Left Halfback.....	MERCER	3
Right Halfback.....	ROGERS	4
Fullback	BRITTON	10

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 Backfield: Wilcox—6, Ford—2, Fitzgibbons—17.

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3	DUTCH STERNAMAN	Halfback	194	Illinois
4	JOE STERNAMAN	Quarterback	158	Illinois
6	BILL SENN	Halfback	185	Knox
7	GEORGE HALAS	End	178	Illinois
8	ROY WHITE	Fullback	196	Valparaiso
10	MILTON ROMNEY	Quarterback	160	Chicago
11	OSCAR KNOP	Fullback	196	Illinois
12	ROY LYMAN	Tackle	224	Nebraska
13	GEORGE TRAFTON	Center	229	Notre Dame
15	BILL FLECKENSTEIN	Guard	198	Iowa
16	ED HEALEY	Tackle	200	Dartmouth
17	BILL BUCKLER	Guard	215	Alabama
18	DON MURRY	End	192	Wisconsin
19	FRANK HANNY	End	196	Indiana
22	JIM McMILLEN	Guard	215	Illinois
25	LAURIE WALQUIST	Halfback	170	Illinois
26	ERNIE VICK	Center	180	Michigan
27	TILLE VOSS	End	204	Detroit
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Name	Touch- downs	Field Goals	Extra Point Kick	Total
MERCER	3	5	7	40
WILCOX	3	—	—	18
ROGERS	3	—	—	18
KASSEL	1	—	—	12
HOMAN	1	—	—	6
FORD	1	—	—	6
				100

Points scored by "Hap" Moran (*Recently Released*)..21

Points scored by Donohoe (*Recently Released*).....12

Points scored by Moynihan (*Recently Released*)..... 3

Points scored by Molinet (*Recently Released*)..... 6

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0—Cleveland	0	19—Pottsville	7	0—New York Giants	0
19—Pottsville	0	7—Dayton	0	7—New York Yankees	13
0—Cleveland	6	0—Green Bay	13	6—New York Giants	0
16—Pottsville	0	6—New York Yankees	7	12—Chicago Bears	14
25—Providence	0	6—Green Bay	6	21—Duluth	20
21—Duluth	0	8—Frankford	12	15—New York Yankees	0
28—Cardinals	7	7—N. Y. Giants	28	22—Providence	0
13—Chicago Bears	7	3—Chicago Bears	0	30—N. Y. Yankees	19
		7—Cleveland	32	32—Chicago Cards	7
NEW YORK YANKEES		POTTSVILLE		PROVIDENCE	
7—Dayton	3	22—Buffalo	0	0—New York Giants	8
13—Cleveland	7	7—Chicago Cardinals	19	5—Buffalo	0
0—Chicago Bears	12	0—New York Giants	19	3—Pottsville	6
0—Green Bay	13	6—Providence	3	7—Dayton	0
7—Chicago Cardinals	6	0—Duluth	27	0—New York Giants	25
26—Chicago Bears	6	0—New York Giants	16	0—Chicago Bears	0
0—Cleveland	15	6—Duluth	0	0—Cleveland	22
19—Cleveland	30	6—Providence	0	0—Pottsville	6
7—Providence	14			14—New York Yankees	7
CHICAGO BEARS		DAYTON		GREEN BAY	
9—Chicago Cardinals	0	3—New York Yankees	7	14—Dayton	0
7—Green Bay	6	0—Chicago Cardinals	7	12—Cleveland	7
12—New York Yankees	0	0—Providence	7	6—Chicago Bears	7
14—Cleveland	12	6—Chicago Bears	14	20—Duluth	0
14—Dayton	6			13—Cardinals	0
6—New York Yankees	26	DULUTH		13—New York Yanks	0
0—Providence	0	0—Green Bay	20	6—Chicago Cardinals	6
14—Green Bay	6	27—Pottsville	0	6—Chicago Bears	14
0—Chicago Cardinals	3	20—Cleveland	21	17—Yellow Jackets	9
7—New York Giants	13	0—New York Giants	21		
		0—Pottsville	6		
		0—Frankford	6		

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Total Yards Gained

Green Bay 399 yds. { Through Scrimmage, 69 yds.
Running Back Punts, 99 yds.
Forward Passes, 197 yds.

Yards Gained on Intercepted Passes:
Dunn, 9; Lewellen, 25

Frankford 402 yds. { Through Scrimmage, 56 yds.
Running Back Punts, 182 yds.
Forward Passes, 106 yds.

Yards Gained on Intercepted Passes:
J. Weir, 12; Britton, 46

YARDAGE GAINED BY LONGEST PASSES

FKD.—Mercer to Kassel—34 yds.

FKD.—Mercer to Rogers—24 yds.

FKD.—Mercer to Rogers—13 yds.

FKD.—Wilcox to Rogers—9 yds.

G. B.—Dunn to Dilweg—29 yds.

G. B.—Dunn to Dilweg—26 yds.

G. B.—Lambeau to Lewellen—25 yds.

G. B.—Dunn to Enright—20 yds.

First Downs

FKD.—7

G. B.—11

Penalties

G. B.—25

FKD.—30

Green Bay threw 26 passes.
12 completed, 3 intercepted.

Frankford threw 27—9 completed, 4 intercepted.

TOTAL PUNTING YARDAGE

FKD.—381 yds. Britton averaged 38 yds.

G. B.—382 yds. Average 42 $\frac{1}{8}$ yds.

TOTAL YARDAGE

Running Back Punts

Rogers, 129 yds., 33, 9, 20, 23, 13, 11, 20.

Average 14 $\frac{3}{4}$.

Homan, 27 yds.—1 run.

Ed. Weir, 26 yds.—1 run.

TOTAL YARDS GAINED THROUGH SCRIMMAGE

Rogers—34

Britton—5

Mercer—8

Wilcox—2

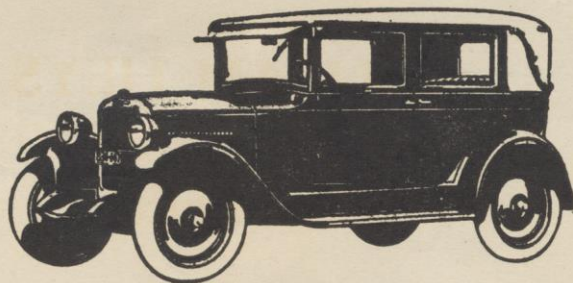
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Frankford First Downs

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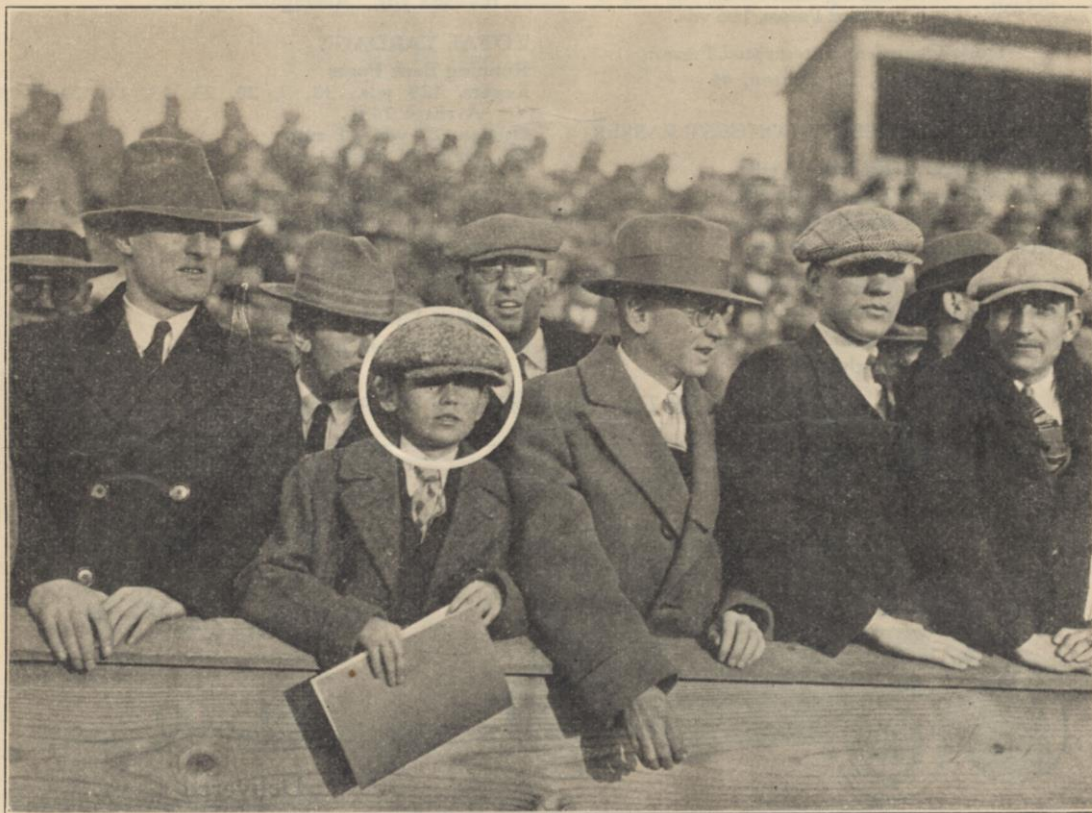
The Lucky Rooter Contest, run by the official program last year, proved so popular that it again will be a feature of the program.

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- 2 Frankford, 13; Hartford, 0.
- *3 Frankford, 10; Hartford, 0.
- 4 Frankford, 30; Buffalo, 0.
- *5 Frankford at Buffalo—wet grounds.
- 6 Frankford, 6; New York, 0.
- *7 Frankford, 6; New York, 0.
- 8 Frankford, 17; Canton, 0.
- *9 Frankford at Canton—rain.
- 10 Frankford, 6; Providence, 7.
- *11 Frankford, 6; Providence, 3.
- 12 Frankford, 33; Chicago Cards, 7.
- 13 Frankford, 10; Duluth, 0.
- 14 Frankford, 35; Dayton, 0.
- 15 Frankford, 20; Green Bay, 14.
- 16 Frankford, 7; Detroit, 6.
- 17 Frankford, 7; Chicago Bears, 6.
- 18 Frankford, 0; Pottsville, 0.

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1927 SCORING RECORD

- 1 Frankford, 3; Dayton, 6.
- † 2 Frankford, 21; New Britain, 0.
- *† 3 Frankford, 22; New Britain, 0.
- 4 Frankford, 0; Dayton, 0.
- 5 Frankford, 54; Buffalo, 0.
- * 6 Frankford, 23; Buffalo, 0.
- 7 Frankford, 0; N. Y. Giants, 13.
- * 8 Frankford, 0; N. Y. Giants, 27.
- 9 Frankford, 7; Providence, 20.
- * 10 Frankford, 0; Providence, 14.
- 11 Frankford, 10; Pottsville, 0.
- * 12 Frankford, 0; Pottsville, 9.
- 13 Frankford, 22; Cleveland, 0.
- * 14 Frankford, 0; Cleveland, 37.
- 15 Frankford, 12; Chicago Cards, 8.
- 16 Frankford, 9; Green Bay, 17.
- 17 Frankford, 6; Duluth, 0.

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Pottsville	6	1	7	.462
Frankford	6	1	8	.429
Chicago Cards	3	1	7	.300
Duluth	1	0	6	.143
Dayton	1	1	7	.125
Buffalo	0	0	5	.000

Last Saturday's Results

Frankford 6, Duluth 0.

Last Sunday's Results

Cleveland 32, Chicago Cards 7.
New York Giants 13, Chicago Bears 7.
Providence 14, New York Yanks 7.
Pottsville 58, Dayton 0.

Saturday's Game

Chicago Bears at Frankford.

Sunday's Games

New York Yanks at New York Giants.
Pottsville at Providence.
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