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# Old Rivals in 34th Meeting

The Giants and Bears meet today for the thirty-fourth time in one of the oldest and most colorful rivalries in professional football. The Chicago outfit shows a 20-to-12 advantage, with one tie. But the arithmetical story of this series hardly does justice to the drama, tensions and skills which have been embodied in it since the relationship was started in 1925.

Twenty-five years ago the Giants, in their debut season at the Polo Grounds, took a 19-7 beating in their inaugural encounter with the Bears. In the return engagement, the New York club turned on the Chicago outfit for a 9-to-0 victory, in the Windy City.

That first meeting of the Giants and the Bears set the pattern for a series which has been surrounded with all the fanfare, elan and terrific play characteristic of a traditional relationship in Ivy League football, or the now lamented Army-Notre Dame classic.

Survivors of the turnout of 73,000 which packed the Polo Grounds as it never had been jammed before, or has been crowded since, never will forget that first encounter of the New York and Chicago clubs.

The great, the one and only Red Grange, who had set amazing records at the University of Illinois, just had turned pro, and everybody interested in the gridiron in the New York area was eager to see the Galloping Ghost. Thousands had to be turned away.

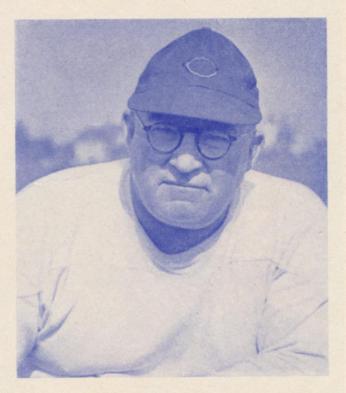
Grange that afternoon gained 53 yards by rushing, in 11 efforts. He pitched three passes for two completions, and 32 yards. Red also caught one pass, for 23 yards.

In the final quarter, the versatile Red put the game out of New York's reach with an interception, and a 35 yard dash. Another battle between the Giants and the Bears which left an indelible imprint on the memories of a capacity crowd at the Polo

## Giant Home Schedule

Oct. 23	Chicago Bears
Nov. 6New	York Bulldogs
Nov. 20	.Detroit Lions
Nov. 27	agton Redskins
Dec. 4Phila	delphia Eagles

All games start at 2:05 P.M.



STEVE OWEN

Grounds was the 1934 play-off for the professional championship.

During the regular season, Chicago had beaten the Polo Grounders twice—27 to 7, and 10 to 9. In the fight for the title, the Bears were strong favorites. But the Giants rose to the occasion with a 30-to-13 victory which stands out as one of the prize achievements of the Steve Owen regime.

It was a bitter cold December day when they met for the championship. The gridiron was frozen solid, like a concrete air strip. The crafty Owen put his players into rubber sneakers. The Bears skidded, the Giants dashed for touchdowns.

The Bears always have boasted a great passer. They had Sid Luckman, one of the marvels of all time, when he was in his glorious heyday. Sid still is with them, still a great football player.

Now Luckman yields precedence to Notre Dame's Johnny Lujack, who was on the field all through last Sunday's 38-21 triumph over the Philadelphia Eagles, except for one play, and enjoyed what the experts called the greatest day of his entire gridiron career.

In opposition the Giants offer their own sparkling young passer, Chucking Charley Conerly. The duel between Conerly and Lujack should write another glowing chapter to the history of the stirring rivalry between the Giants and the Bears.

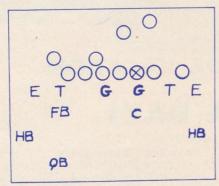
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# How to Watch a Football Game

The burden a spectator has to bear in following a football game today has grown geometrically, mostly because of the switch-over from the time-honored, steady and efficient, but slow-moving single wing attack to the spectacular Tformation.

The single wing formation generally uses an unbalanced line, that is, the two tackles, instead of being on either side of the center, are both on the same side of him. Otherwise, the forward line-up does not differ greatly from that of the T-formation line. The backfield set-up, though, is radically different. The left halfback, or tailback, is directly behind center, about



6-2-2-1 defense against single wing

five vards back. The fullback, or bucking back, is some three yards to his right and a half-step in front of him. The quarterback, or blocking back, is a yard behind the space between his own right tackle and guard. The right halfback, or wingback, is on the outside of the end, horizontally in line with the quarterback. The single wing formation also can be used to the left, merely by reassigning and reversing the roles. The ball is snapped directly to the tailback or fullback.

Unless you can understand the fundamental differences between these two formations, your appreciation of football is bound to

The single wing is based on a massing of power ahead of the ball-carrier. Deception is at best

secondary. Rather than risk hav- smash and similar power plays ing one offensive man miss blocking a potential tackler, the single wing calls for double blocking wherever possible. In other words, two men are assigned to take one opponent out of the play.

The T-formation, on the other hand, masks not only the direction of the play, but the identity of the ball-carrier, and, since this often baffles the defenders, it is bound to baffle the spectator, too. In the T, dependent as it is on speed, blocking is a forceful but fleeting operation designed to open quick holes in the line for the swift passage of the ball-carrier.

As an example, on an insidetackle play, the quarter takes the ball from center, darts a few steps to the right and fakes a hand-off to the right halfback, who continues charging wide with the fullback to lure the defending left tackle, left end and fullback outward. Meanwhile, the left halfback, who starts off trailing the fullback, suddenly cuts in to take the ball from the quarterback and continues sharply inside tackle.

Thus, you can see how the T, which taxes the best perceptive powers of a defending team, is likely to befuddle the average spectator far more than the single wing, which can be followed from the time the ball is snapped to the ball-carrier.

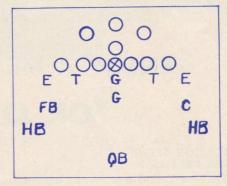
Before the T-formation regained its popularity, the experts used to have one sure-fire prescription for the spectator: Don't watch the ball; watch the blockers pull out of the line. They will tip the direction of the play. Unfortunately, though, the blockers rarely pull out of the line in the T. The only thing to do is to try and watch the ball.

The two classic defenses, from which, variations have come to meet the faster offenses, are the box and the diamond, so called because of the figure the backs describe in lining up behind a sevenman line. Against the old off-tackle

these were effective defenses.

The basic weakness of the sevenman line, however, was that both the diamond and box backfield setups gave inadequate protection against passes. So reinforcements were summoned for the secondary defense by dropping the center back to help the fullback. This socalled floating center also has the task of watching for short passes into the gap inside the diamond or box. This 6-2-2-1 defense is quite common today.

The return of the T and the great increase in passing put an ever greater premium on flexibility in defense. Hence, from the 6-2-2-1



5-3-2-1 defense against T-formation

there involved a 5-3-2-1 variation, mostly to cut down passing but also to enable three backers-up (a guard, a center and a fullback) to plug holes in the line. The three backers-up have to be diagnosticians who can instantly spot the true direction of the play. Then they have to be mobile enough, fast enough and hard-hitting enough to stop it.

If you know these four basic defensive formations and watch how teams constantly shift from one to another (often a split second before the ball is snapped) you will go far toward anticipating the next play, be it pass, line smash, end sweep or quick kick.

(From a recent article by Arthur Daley in the New York Times Sunday Magazine).



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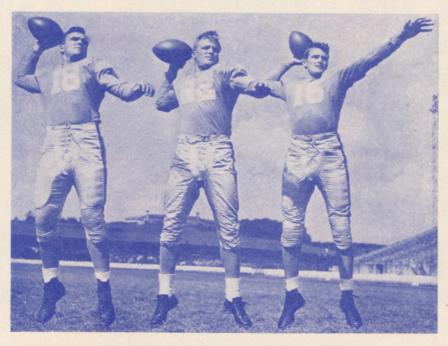
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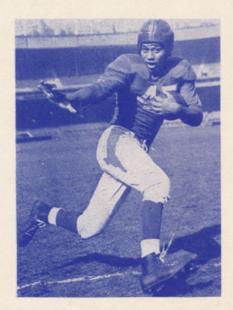
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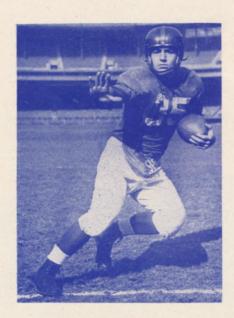


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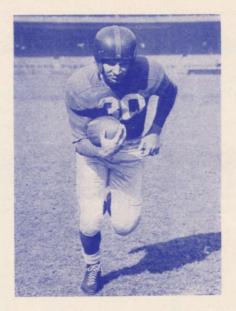


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JOE SCOTT



RAY MALLOUF



BOB GREENHALGH

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JACK SALSCHEIDER





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## CHICAGO BEARS-THREE DEEP

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L. E. KAVANAUGH (51) Milner (38) Dugger (13)

L. T. **DAVIS** (24) Connor (81) Bauman (41)

PRESTON (53) Drulis (21) Flanagan (9)

TURNER (66) Clarkson (31) Szymanski (44) SERINI (23) Bray (82)

R. T. STICKEL (45) KEANE (20) Stenn (35)

R. E. Sprinkle (7)

Q. B. LUJACK (32) Luckman (42) Blanda (22)

**GULYANICS (39)** Boone (57) Dreyer (3) Magnani (4)

R. H. McAFEE (5) Perina (33) Canady (8) Rykovich (11)

F. B. KINDT (6) Hoffman (29) Cody (16)

#### BEAR ROSTER

							Years in
No.	Player	Position	Weight	Height	Age	College	N.F.L.
3	Dreyer, Wally	. B	170	5:10	24	Wisconsin	1
4	Magnani, Dante		185	5:10	30	St. Mary's	7
5	McAfee, George	. В	177	6:00	30	Duke	6
6	Kindt, Don		210	6:01	23	Wisconsin	3
7	Sprinkle, Ed		207	6:01	25	Hardin-Simmons	6
8	Canady, Jim	. B	178	5:10	23	Texas	2
9	Flanagan, Dick		224	6:00	22	Ohio State	2
11	Rykovich, Jules		205	6:01	25	Illinois	1
13	Dugger, Jack		235	6:03	25	Ohio State	3
16	Cody, Ed		190	5:10	26	Purdue	3
20	Keane, Jim		215	6:04	25	Iowa	4
21	Drulis, Chuck		220	5:10	31	Temple	5
22	Blanda, George		195	6:01	21	Kentucky	1
23	Serini, Washington		235	6:02	25	Kentucky	2
24	Davis, Fred		245	6:03	29	Alabama	6
29	Hoffman, John	. B	214	6:02	23	Arkansas	1
31	Clarkson, Stuart		220	6:02	30	Texas A & I	5
32	Lujack, Johnny		185	6:00	24	Notre Dame	2
33	Perina, Bob	. B	195	6:01	26	Princeton	1
35	Stenn, Paul	T	240	6:02	29	Villanova	5
38	Milner, Bill	. E	215	6:01	27	Duke	3
39	Gulyanics, George	. B	195	5:11	27	Ellisville	3
41	Bauman, Alf	. T	235	6:02	29	Northwestern	3
42	Luckman, Sid	. B	195	6:00	32	Columbia	11
44	Szymanski, Frank	. C	225	6:00	25	Notre Dame	3
45	Stickel, Walt	. T	245	6:03	27	Pennsylvania	4
51	Kavanaugh, Ken		205	6:03	31	Louisiana State	7
53	Preston, Pat	G	217	6:01	27	Wake Forest	4
57	Boone, J. R.	В	162	5:08	23	Tulsa U.	2
66	Turner, Clyde	C	235	6:01	29	Hardin-Simmons	9
81	Connor, George	. T	240	6:03	24	Notre Dame	2
82	Bray, Ray	0	235	6:00	32	West. Michigan	8

Head Coach Assistant Coach .....

George Halas, Iillinois Luke Johnson, Northwestern

Line Coach.. Backfield Coach  Hunk Anderson, Notre Dame Paddy Driscoll, Northwestern

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#### 3 TIME P.M.

## NEW YORK GIANTS-THREE DEEP

SWIACKI (81) WHITE (77) Duden (87) Lo Vuolo (89) Sanchez (70)

Agajanian (8)

FFICIALS:

Crew ige 18)

L. T. Hutchinson (71) Ettinger (74)

BUTKUS (62) Colhouer (63)

Cannady (52)

**Baker** (76)

COULTER (79) ROYSTON (61) DE ROGATIS (78) POOLE (82) Austin (75) Kolman (72)

R. E. Kershaw (86) Hensley (85)

CONERLY (42) Mallouf (22) Coates (49)

L. H. B. ROBERTS (35) Tunnell (45) Salscheider (40)

R. H. B. **SCOTT (30)** Mullins (20) Fischer (37)

F. B. GREENHALGH (12) Mertes (34) Sulaitis (21)

#### GIANT ROSTER

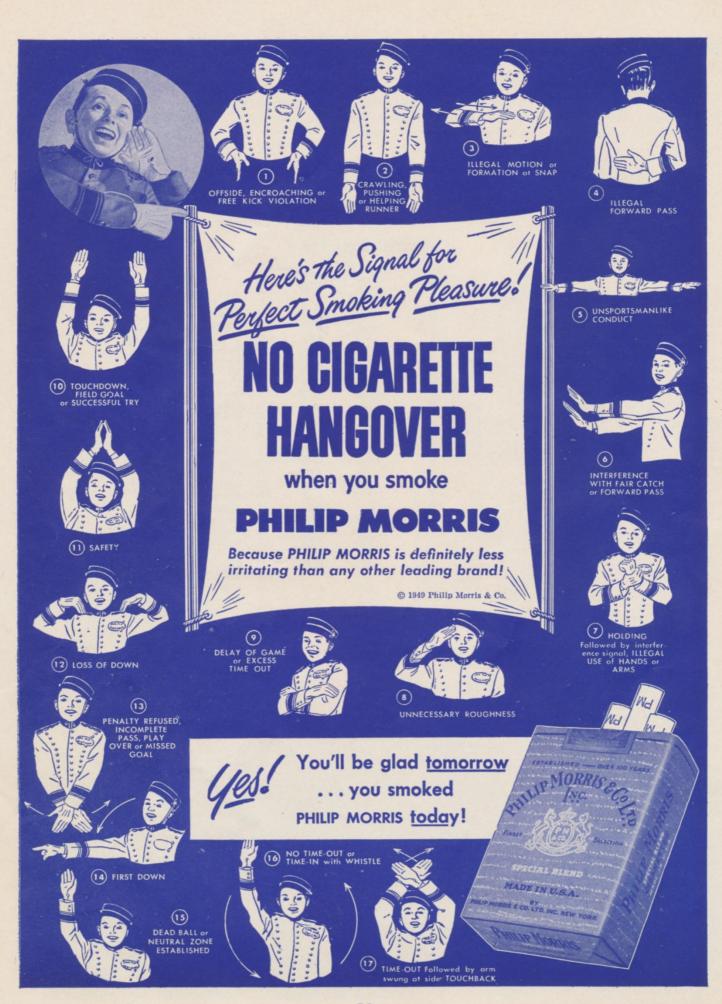
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	12	Greenhalgh, Bob	B	200	6:01	25	San Francisco	1
5	20	Mullins, Noah	B	177	5:11	30	Kentucky	3
. 1	21	Sulaitis, Joe	B	215	6:02	28	Dickinson H. S.	6
5	22	Mallouf, Ray		180	5:11	31	S. M. U.	5
	30	Scott, Joe		200	6:01	23	San Francisco	2
:	34	Mertes, Bernard	B	200	6:00	28	Iowa	ī
	35	Roberts, Gene	B	188	5:11	25	Chattanooga	3
	37	Fischer, Cletus	B	170	5:09	24	Nebraska	1
	40	Salscheider, Jack	B	185	5:10	24	St. Thomas	î
	12	Conerly, Charles	R	185	6:01	25	Mississippi	2
	45	Tunnell, Emlen	B	187	6:01	24	Iowa	2
	19	Coates, Ray	B	200	6:01	25	Louisiana State	2
	52			225	6:02	25	Indiana State	$\frac{1}{2}$
	51	Cannady, John		220	6:01	26	Wake Forest	2
	62	Royston, Ed	G	245				
	63	Butkus, Carl	T		6:01	27	George Washingto	n 1
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	70	Sanchez, John	1	241	6:03	28	San Francisco	3
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	72	Kolman, Ed	<u>T</u>	235	6:02	31	Temple	1
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8	35	Hensley, Richard	E	210	6:04	21	Kentucky	1
8	36	Kershaw, George	E	225	6:03	22	Colgate	1
8	37	Duden, Dick	E	212	6:03	24	Navy	1
8	39	Lo Vuolo, Frank	E	210	6:02	25	St. Bonaventure	1

Head Coach......Steve Owen, Phillips U. Line Coach ...... Richard (Red) Smith, Notre Dame

End Coach ...... Jim Lee Howell, Arkansas

lty signals, see following page.





# PAST-PERFORMANCE CHART

#### **Team Statistics**

	GIANTS	BEARS
Games played	4	4
Won	2	3
Lost		1
Points scored	107	88
Points yielded	98	59
First downs		80
First downs yielded	74	50
Total yards gained	1,148	1,500
Total yards yielded	1,324	989
Yards gained, rushing	588	593
Yards yielded, rushing	588	441
Passes attempted	. 97	113
Passes completed	. 48	56
Yards gained, passing	552	893
Passes had intercepted	. 6	11
Passes attempted against	. 107	104
Passes completed against	. 49	48
Yards yielded, passing	. 721	546
Passes intercepted by	. 7	9
Fumbles	. 9	5
Ball lost, fumbles	. 3	1
Opp. fumbles recovered	. 7	4
Penalties	. 39	33
Yards lost, penalties	. 381	297

#### SERIES RECORD

All-time: Bears won 20; Giants won 12; one tie. (Total points: Bears 502, Giants 352).

Last score: Bears 35, Giants 14 (Oct. 31, 1948, at Chicago).

#### **Individual Statistics**

RUSHING							
	League			Yards			
	Ranking	Atter	npts	Gained	Avg.		
Roberts (35), Giants	3	42		274	6.5		
Scott (30), Giants	_	31		109	3.5		
Greenhalgh (12), Giants	_	29		102	3.5		
Fischer (37), Giants	_	15		48	3.2		
Gulyanics (39), Bears.	6	55		215	3.9		
McAfee (5), Bears	_	21		94	4.5		
Dreyer (3), Bears	_	15		88	5.9		
Rykovich (11), Bears.	_	21		83	4.0		
	ASSIN	G					
	League	At-	Com-	Yards			
Re	anking ter	mpts	plete	Gained	TDs		
Conerly (42), Giants.	2	84	45	533	4		
Mallouf (22), Giants.		13	3	19	0		
Lujack (32), Bears.	3	75	42	687	6		
Luckman (42), Bears.	_	21	8	78	0		
Blanda (22), Bears		16	6	130	0		
	-RECEI	VINC	-				
	League			Yards			
	Rankin		ht	Gained	TDs		
Poole (82), Giants	9	13		153	1		
Scott (30), Giants		9		54	0		
Swiacki (81), Giants		8	}	122	0		
Keane (20), Bears	8	13		200	1		
Kavanaugh (51), Bears		9	)	172	3		
Kindt (6), Bears		8	}	53	0		
	CORIN	G					
	League						
	Ranking	TDs	FG	PAT	Points		
Roberts (35), Giants	1	6	0	0	36		
Scott (30), Giants	8	4	0	0	24		
Agajanian (8), Giants.	9	0	3	14	23		
Lujack (32), Bears	10	1	1	11	20		
Kavanaugh (51), Bears	_	3	0	0	18		

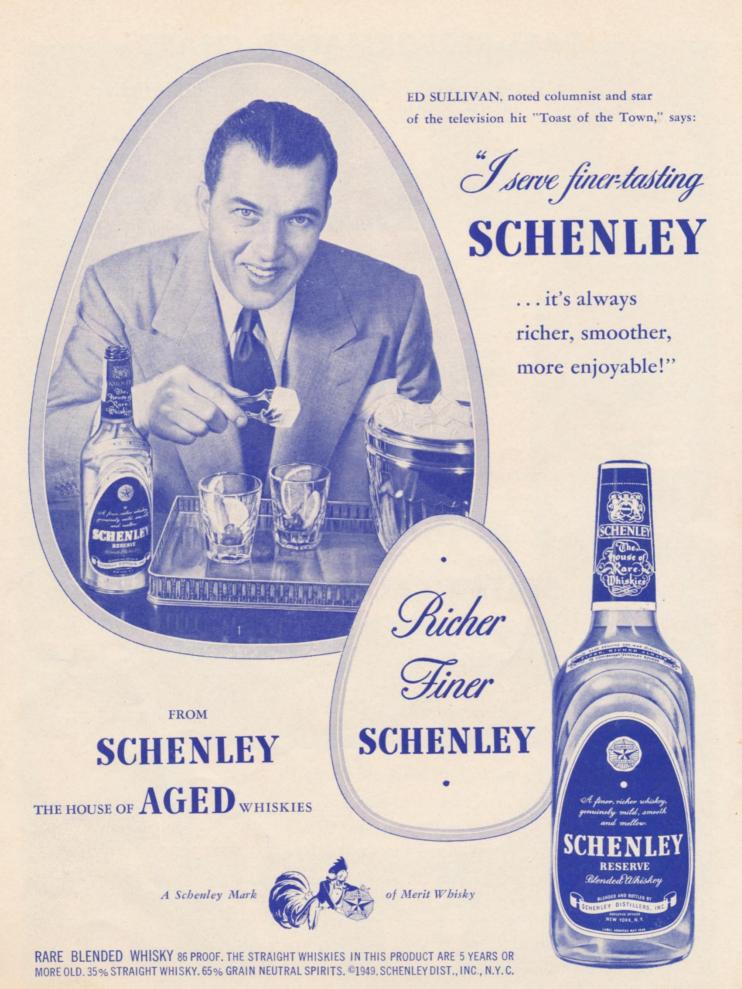
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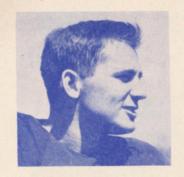
**NEW YORK GIANTS** 

#### CHICAGO BEARS

	FIRST HALF	SECOND HALF	TOTAL	FIRST HALF	SECOND HALF	TOTAL
*FIRST DOWNS						
RUSHING GAINS						
PASSES ATTEMPTED						
PASSES COMPLETED						
PASSING GAINS						
PASSES INTERCEPTED BY						
BALL LOST, FUMBLES						
YARDS LOST, PENALTIES						

<sup>\*</sup>Under National League scoring rules, a touchdown made on an offensive play counts as a first down.





# **MEET THE BEARS**



LUJACK

**LUCKMAN** 

#### **Coaching Staff**

The corps of coaches in control of the Chicago Bears always has been outstanding. It is credited with having done more than any other staff with the modern development of the T-formation, now in use by all National League clubs except the Pittsburgh Steelers. The commander-in-chief of the Bruins is George Halas, more familiarly known as the Papa Bear. Luke Johnsos is his assistant. Hunk Anderson, one-time head coach at Notre Dame, works with the line. Paddy Driscoll and Gene Ronzani are in charge of the backs.

#### Style of Play

Although the T is the basic formation of the Bears, their offense is far from stereotyped or stodgy. Halas and his aides keep adding to their bag of tricks. Last week's Bear victory over the Eagles, 38 to 21, revealed the nature of the Chicago mixture. It gained 193 yards by rushing, and 258 by passing. Halas has kept his playing as well as coaching personnel at a high pitch of effectiveness, right down the years. Bear history reveals an amazing total of 9721 points, and a total of 91,204 yards gained, which boils down to a mere 60 miles.

#### **Prominent Backs**

Johnny Lujack (32), one of the greatest athletes in Notre Dame history, joined the Bears in 1948. Johnny is not only a marvelous passer, but a splendid performer on defense.... Sid Luckman (42), one of the finest passers the game has seen, now is in his eleventh season with the Bears. Developed at Erasmus Hall High in Brooklyn, and

under Lou Little at Columbia, Sid has been on four National League championship teams. Halas calls him the greatest T quarterback football has seen. . . . George McAfee (5), third-leading scorer in Bear history, with 204 points, is playing on the Chicago club for the sixth year. . . . George Blanda (22) is a newcomer, who starred at the University of Kentucky last season, with a 53-percent record of pass completions. He is a splendid quarterback and placement kicker. . . . George Gulyanics (39) is the Bears' chief ground threat. He not only is a breakaway runner but one of the game's top punters. . . . Don Kindt (6) is one of those typical Bear fullbacks who runs with the speed of a half-back once he breaks into the open.

#### Leading Linemen

Bulldog Turner (66), has been with Halas for nine years. He made National League all-star center in his first season and has retained that honor ever since, except in 1945, when he was in the service.... George Connor (81) a great All-America tackle from Notre Dame, joined the Bears last season and has been growing in football stature with every game. . . . Ken Kavanaugh (51) is a remarkable pass receiver and one of the top offensive ends in football. On three occasions Ken has achieved the trick of catching three touchdown passes in one game. . . . Ray Bray (82) is known as the strong man of the gridiron. This is his eighth season with the Bruins. Twice he has been all-league guard. . . . Jim Keane (20) is another crack pass-catcher. He led the league in receiving in 1947. ... Ed Sprinkle (7) is rated as one of football's most rugged defensive players. Blockers trying to take him out more often wind up flat on the turf themselves.



BEAR BRAIN TRUST: Halas, Johnsos, Anderson, Ronzani, Driscoll



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GIANTS-BEARS FOOTBALL GAME



# INSIDE FOOTBALL.... WITH THE GIANTS

## Forward Passing

By CHARLEY CONERLY

It is difficult today to envision a time when the football rules forbade forward passing. However, old timers tell me that in the days of mass formations, before 1906, pitching was out, and what your grandfather likes to call "bone-crusher plays" were quite the thing.

For many years, the pass was used chiefly as a threat. Now it is an integral, highly vital part of gridiron offense. It has achieved that place because the spectators demanded it. Even the shape and size of the ball have been changed, to meet that demand.

Effective forward passing requires first of all, full control of the ball, at all times. The second essential for the pitcher is clear down-the-field

Whether the passer be favored with full protection and plenty of time for the throw, or he be offbalance, and forced to hurry, he must have that ball so gripped as to be able to get it away.

The body of the passer may be unfavorably located. He may find himself hemmed in, apparently trapped. But if he has the ball under control, he has the situation in his favor.

The passer who has both big hands and strong, supple wrists is indeed fortunate. I do not have large hands. But I do have the wrists, and therein lies whatever success I have achieved with the Giants since I joined them in 1948.

Deception is the major objective in modern football, be it rushing or passing. Faking is reprehensible in business but on the gridiron, it is absolutely

I keep working, all the time, to develop deceptiveness. The pitcher who not only can fake but do things apart from passing is a very useful citizen. These qualities will lift his percentage of comple-

When I speak of downfield vision, I mean the ability to spot all the eligible receivers while preparing to throw the ball.

The pitcher must get an eyeful not only of the receiver called for in the play, but the decoys. One of these may shake himself loose from the pack, and be wide open, in that case, of course, he should get the ball.

The passer has to study his team-mates. He must know his receivers, their characteristics, their foibles and quirks, and he must know precisely how fast they can run.

He must familiarize himself with their strong and their weak points, and he must know how much of a lead he should give them. He has got to know how they feint.

The passer should study the defense, too. He must note how the opposition is covering the eligible receivers. In that way he may find he can hit the deep man if the defenders concentrate on the shallow receiver or vice versa.

Piano, or football, practice makes perfect,—or almost perfect, anyway.

[NEXT PROGRAM—LINE PLAY, by Jim White]

# ALL-TIME GIANT RECORDS

#### SCORING

Most Points: 351, Ken Strong, 9 years ('33-'35, '39, '43-'47).

Most Points (1 year): 72, Ken Strong, 1934; 72, Bill Paschal, 1943.

Most Points (1 Game): 18, Frank Liebel, vs. Philadelphia Eagles, 12/2/45; 18, Joe Scott, vs. Los Angeles Rams, 11/14/48.

#### BALL CARRYING

Total Yards Gained: 3117, Tuffy Leemans, 1936-43. Most Yards Gained (1 year): 830, Tuffy Leemans, 1936; 737, Bill Paschal, 1944.

Most Yards Gained (1 game): 188, Bill Paschal, vs. Washington, 12/5/43.

Longest Run from Scrimmage: 91 Yards-Hap Moran, vs. Green Bay, 11/5/30.

Most Passes Completed: 315, Ed Danowski, 1934-41.

Most Passes Completed (1 year): 162, Charley Conerly, 1948; 71, Paul Governali, 1947.

Most Passes Completed (1 game): 36, Charley Conerly,

vs. Pittsburgh, 12/5/48.

Most Yards Gained Passing: 3818, Ed Danowski, 7 years. Most Yards Gained (1 year): 2175, Charley Conerly, 1948; 1380, Paul Governali, 1947.

Most Yards Gained (1 game): 363, Charley Conerly, vs. Pittsburgh, 12/5/48; 354, Paul Governali, vs. Philadelphia,

Most Touchdown Passes: 42, Ed Danowski, 7 years. Most Touchdown Passes (1 year): 22, Charley Conerly, 1948; 13, Paul Governali, 1947.

Most Touchdown Passes (1 game): 4, Ed Danowski, vs. Green Bay, 11/14/35; 4, Arnie Herber, vs. Philadelphia,

12/2/45; 4, Paul Governali, vs. Philadelphia, 11/9/47.

Best Passing Efficiency (1 year): 54.2%, Ed Danowski, 1938; 54.2%, Charley Conerly, 1948.

#### PASS-RECEIVING

Most Passes Caught: 101, Ward Cuff, 9 years.

Most Passes Caught (1 year): 39, Bill Swiacki, 1948; 35, Ray Poole, 1948.

Most Passes Caught (1 game): 9, Ray Poole, vs. Pittsburgh, 12/5/48; 8, Bruce Gehrke, vs. Green Bay, 11/21/48.

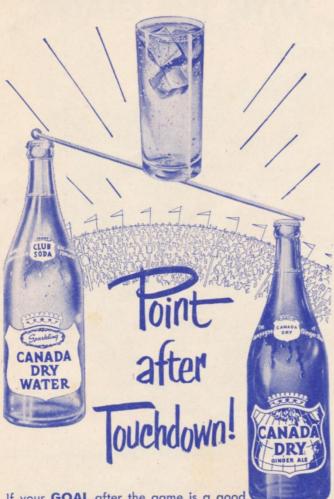
Most Touchdown Passes Caught: 20, Frank Liebel, 6

Most Touchdown Passes Caught (1 year): 10, Frank Liebel, 1945; 10, Bill Swiacki, 1948.

Most Touchdown Passes Caught (1 game): 3, Frank Liebel, vs. Philadelphia, 12/2/45.

Most Yards Catching Passes: 1755, Frank Liebel, 6 years. Most Yards Gained (1 year): 593, Frank Liebel, 1945; 550, Bill Swiacki, 1948.

Most Yards Gained (1 game): 150, Frank Liebel, vs. Detroit, 11/18/45.



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	GIBBS CREW	
Position	Name and College	No.
Referee	.Ronald Gibbs, St. Thomas	5
Umpire	.James Beiersdorfer	17
	.Sam Pecoraro, Dallas	
Back Judge	.Claude Grigsby, Georgetown	46
Field Judge	.William McHugh, De Paul	28
	DOWNES CREW	
Referee	.William Downes, Illinois Tech	3
Umpire	.Carl Brubaker, Ohio Wesleyan	14

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Head Linesman. Dan Tehan, Xavier
Back JudgeRobert Austin, St. Ambrose44
Field JudgeCharles Sweeney, Notre Dame22
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Referee Emil Heintz, Pennsylvania 9
UmpireSamuel Wilson, Lehigh19
Head LinesmanCharles Berry Lafayette31
Back JudgeHenry Haines, Penn State21
Field JudgeHol Slutz, De Paul32

#### WALLACE CREW

RefereeYans Wallace34
UmpireHarry Robb, Penn State15
Head LinesmanTom Dowd, Holy Cross 4
Back JudgeEugene Miller, Penn State26
Field JudgeCharles Gault, Muhlenberg39

#### GLASCOTT CREW

Referee	John Glascott, Pennsylvania 7
Umpire	Joseph Crowley, Muhlenberg11
Head Linesman	Joseph McKenney, Boston College35
	Carl Rebele, Penn State 8
Field Judge	William Grimberg, Villanova27

#### ALTERNATES

John Highberger, Carnegie Tech (48), James Hamer, California Teachers (49), Lawrence Houston, U.C.L.A. (50).

### **National League Standings**

#### EASTERN DIVISION

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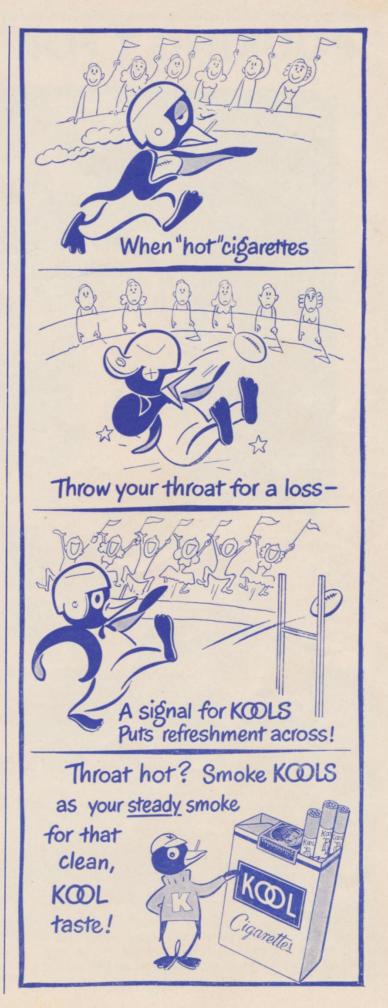
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Pittsburgh	3	1	0	.750	77	58
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Washington	2	2	0	.500	107	111
New York Bulldogs.	0	4	0	.000	28	120
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Los Angeles	4	0	0	1.000	127	57
Chicago Bears	3	1	0	.750	88	59
Chicago Cardinals	2	2	0	.500	87	69
Green Bay	1	3	0	.250	43	104
Detroit	0	4	0	.000	55	84

## New York Bulldogs At Polo Grounds

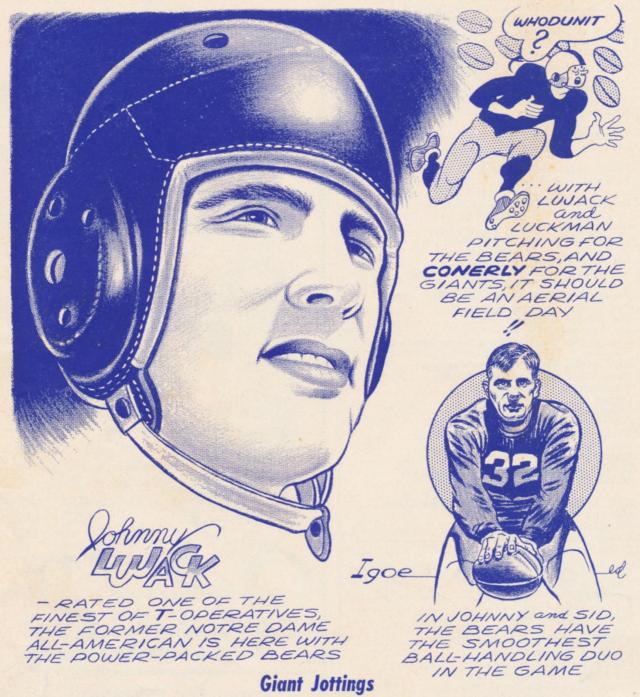
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Nov. 13	Chicago Cardinals
Dec. 11	Pittsburgh Steelers

## 1949 NATIONAL LEAGUE SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

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SEPTEMBER 22 7—Philadelphia at NEW YORK BULLDOGS 0
SEPTEMBER 23
SEPTEMBER 23 24—Detroit at Los Angeles
SEPTEMBER 25 17—Chicago Bears at Green Bay 0
7—New York Giants at Pittsburgh28
SEPTEMBER 26
7—Washington at Chicago Cardinals38
SEPTEMBER 30 38—New York Giants at NEW YORK BULLDOGS14
OCTOBER 2
17—Chicago Bears at Chicago Cardinals
48—Los Angeles at Green Bay
22—Philadelphia at Detroit
27—Washington at Pittsburgh
Green Bay at NEW YORK BULLDOGS
OCTOBER 8
Detroit at Pittsburgh
OCTOBER 9
Los Angeles at Chicago Bears
New York Giants at WashingtonOCTOBER 16
21—Pittsburgh at NEW YORK GIANTS
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Green Bay at Chicago Bears
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NOVEMBER 24
Chicago Bears at Detroit
NEW YORK BULLDOGS at Los Angeles
Washington at New York Giants
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia
Green Bay at Chicago Cardinals DECEMBER 4
NEW YORK BULLDOGS at Detroit
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Chicago Cardinals at Chicago Bears

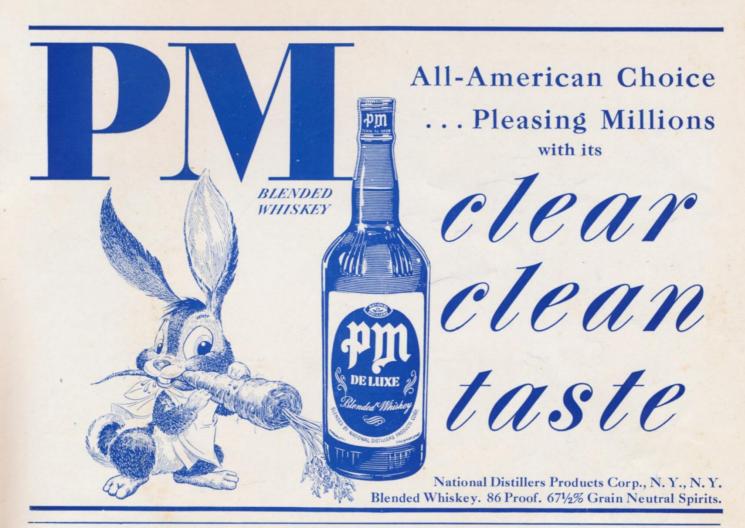


# POURING T FOR THE BEARS



The Giants probably are the only team in professional football that has both service academies represented on its roster. West Point's contribution to the Men of Mara is Tex Coulter. Annapolis provided Dick Duden. . . . Toeless Ben Agajanian rapidly is establishing himself with Giant fans as a place-kicker of the Ken Strong-Ward Cuff caliber. . . Oldest Giant in point of service is Joe Sulaitis, who has been with the club six years. One of those rare birds who made the pro grade without college experience, Joe is Steve Owen's No. 1 handyman. He's played practically every position on the team at one time or another. . . Jim Lee Howell, the

Giants' end coach and himself one of their greatest wingmen a few years back, doubles in brass as head coach of Wagner College. The Staten Island school is having a great season under his direction. . . . Jake Colhouer's first name is purely fictional. The rugged Giant guard is one of those initials-only boys, his legal front handle(s) being simply J.C. . . . The fine showing of Giant backs like Gene Roberts (Chattanooga), Joe Scott and Bob Greenhalgh (San Francisco) and Jack Salscheider (St. Thomas, Minn.) underlines the fact, earlier demonstrated at the Polo Grounds by such as Tuffy Leemans (George Washington) that a Little America can be a big gun.





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