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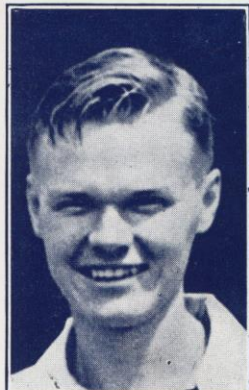
Giants Thank Patrons as They Close Their Seventeenth Year



JOHN V. MARA
President of Giants



TIM MARA
Founder of Giants



W. T. MARA
Sec. of N. Y. Club

WHEN dusk is settling over the Polo Grounds this afternoon, the Umpire will fire the gun denoting the end of the contest between the Giants and their Inter-City rivals, the Dodgers. Likewise, it will signify the end of the seventeenth consecutive season for the NEW YORK FOOTBALL GIANTS as a Member Club in the National Football League.

It was in 1925 that Tim Mara, believing that football fans hereabouts were eager to see football at its best, formulated plans to assemble a team, which right down to this time has been known as the "Giants." Undoubtedly there are many here today who still remember the stars of that year: "Hinky" Haines, Lynn Bomar, Arthur Carney, "Doc" Alexander, and that never to be forgotten athlete, Jim Thorpe. The year 1925 also marked the appearance of "Red" Grange in the Polo Grounds, with the Chicago Bears, when the record attendance for a pro game was established.

Then in 1926, other stars were added to the Giants roster, among whom were Wally Koppisch, who previously was three times captain of Columbia; Jack Hagerty, out of Georgetown, whose brilliant playing for Georgetown defeated Fordham in a memorable battle in 1925; Mike Palm from Penn State, now Assistant Coach of the Giants, and last, but not least, Steve Owen, who had already emblazoned his name on the football roll of honor. Steve has been with the Giants

from that time, and has been the head Coach since 1931.

Each succeeding year saw Tim Mara reaching out for the best in football talent, in an effort to accomplish his one aim to always provide a team of more than ordinary ability, and thus merit the support of the fans. All agree that he has been successful in this direction, having in mind the names of former Giants like Ray Flaherty, "Century" Milstead, Len Grant, Benny Friedman, Chris Cagle, Dale Burnett, Bo Molenda, Harry Newman, and others right down to Mel Hein, Tuffy Leemans, Ward Cuff, and the other stars that make up the present NEW YORK FOOTBALL GIANTS.

The Giants have won the Eastern Division Championship, and before the month is out shall have met the Western Division winners in the play-off game. Whatever the outcome of that game may be, one can be assured that the Giants will be in there fighting tooth and nail to annex the World's Championship of 1941 to their erstwhile list of accomplishments.

As this season draws to a close, the Management wishes to extend thanks to all the loyal followers of the Giants for their patronage down through the years, and trusts that their efforts to further supply the best in football will be rewarded by your continued support.

To all—best wishes for a Very Happy Holiday Season, and health and happiness in the New Year.

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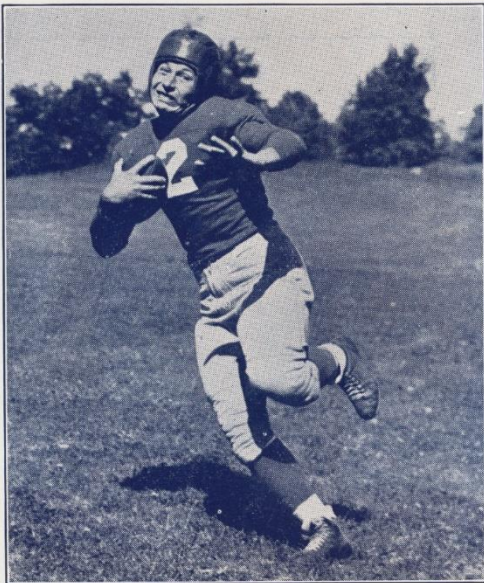
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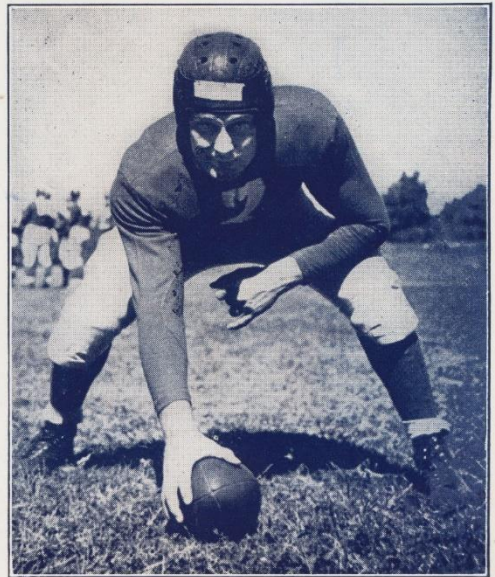
Steve Owen Sets Sail for Another Title



STEVE OWEN, Veteran Coach of the New York Giants



LEN ESHMONT, Fordham-to-Giants



MEL HEIN, Still Greatest Center

This Is Tuffy's Big Day

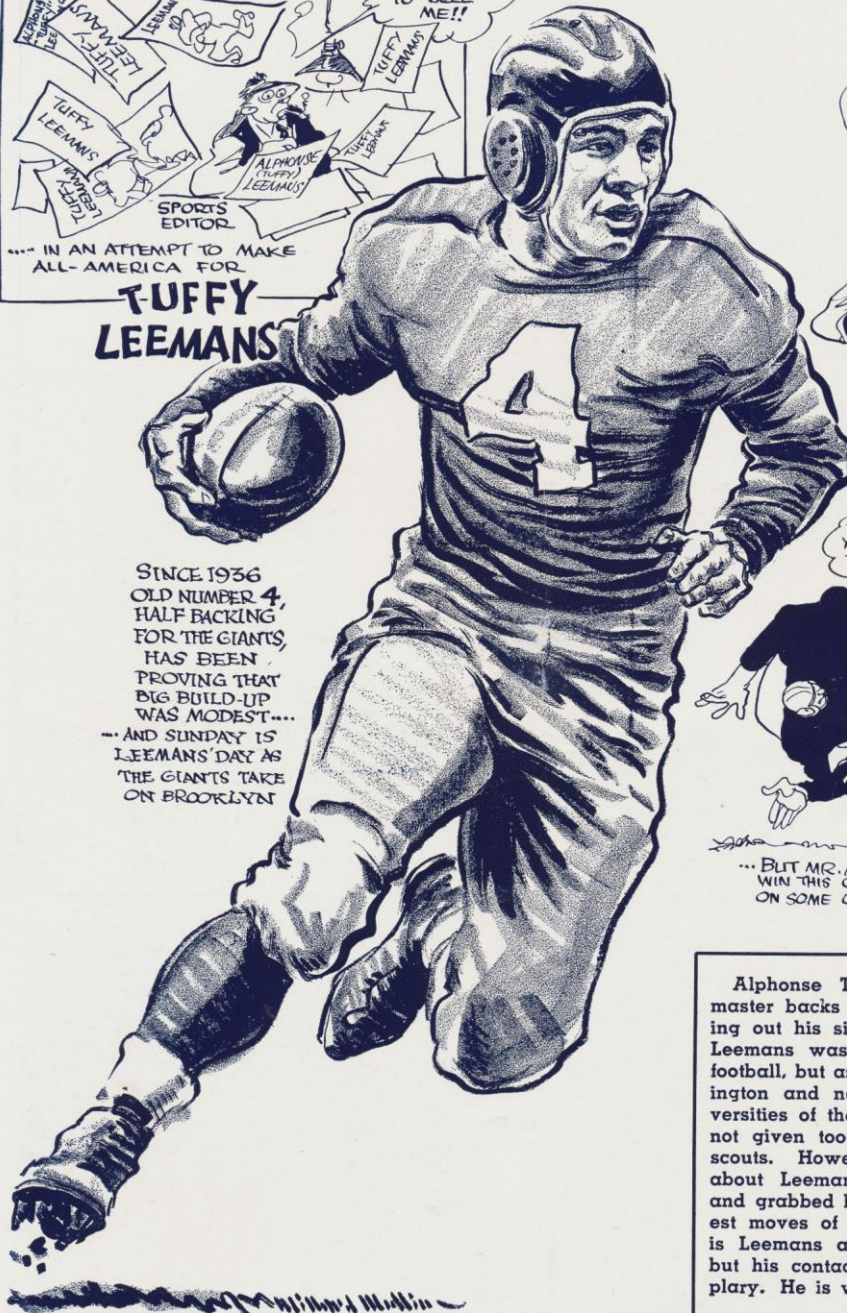
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TUFFY LEEMANS



SINCE 1936 OLD NUMBER 4, HALF BACKING FOR THE GIANTS, HAS BEEN PROVING THAT BIG BUILD-UP WAS MODEST....
... AND SUNDAY IS LEEMANS' DAY AS THE GIANTS TAKE ON BROOKLYN

LISTEN ALPHONSE... THERE'S NO ONE ON THIS TEAM NAMED GASTON!



THERE IS NOTHING THE BROOKLYN'S WOULD RATHER DO THAN SPIL TUFFY'S DAY FOR HIM WITH THEIR THIRD IN A ROW OVER THE GIANTS



... BUT MR. MARAS BOYS HAVE DECIDED TO WIN THIS ONE FOR LEEMANS TO PAY BACK ON SOME OF THE MANY HE HAS WON FOR THEM

Alphonse Tuffy Leemans, one of the master backs of football history, is rounding out his sixth season with the Giants. Leemans was a heroic figure in college football, but as he was with George Washington and not one of the stand-out universities of the gridiron company, he was not given too much attention by the pro scouts. However, the Giants knew all about Leemans and what he could do and grabbed him. It was one of the greatest moves of the Owen regime. Not only is Leemans a great player on the field, but his contacts with the fans are exemplary. He is valuable, he is popular.

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Owen, Hein and Football Fans Join In Acclaim of Alphonse "Tuffy" Leemans

Nobody knows Tuffy the football player better than do Steve Owen, his coach, and Mel Hein, veteran center. Here is what they say about the man who today is being honored:

By **STEVE OWEN**

Coach, New York Football Giants

Tuffy, this is your day and you justly deserve any gifts the fans bestow on you. You have given them many thrills, and much satisfaction to me.

As football players usually can be judged as men in the kind of a game they play, I know that you will always be the same, a hard player who plays the game to the hilt.

Tuffy, with me you are great, and I have enjoyed every minute of our association.

My hat is off to you and may you always be able to get those extra yards in the game of life.

By **MEL HEIN**

Captain, New York Football Giants

Well, ole No. 4, this game will complete your sixth season with the Giants. They have been very interesting years. Many successes; also disappointments. Winning or losing, you were always the same game guy, an inspiration to your team mates. We veterans do not forget how you always strived to go beyond your playing limit to give just a little more for the cause.

Tuffy, it is my privilege to express, for all your team mates, our best wishes for success on your testimonial today, and every other day in your life.

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This is Leemans Day at the Polo Grounds. This is the day which some time ago was set aside for honoring the grand back of the Giants. This is the day on which Alphonse Leemans receives the gifts, the plaudits and the acclaim of the fans, and the long-felt recognition of the experts.

This program already has told you about the professional history of Leemans, who went into the backfield of the Giants from George Washington University. It remains now to print a few tributes to this remarkable and enduring star.

"Here is the player for the years," said Steve Owen, when asked to contribute his bit. "He is the manager's player, because he fits into any scheme of football you devise, and works as hard as human effort makes it possible. He is the fans' player, because he always gives out to the limit and puts on a great show. He is the players' player, because those boys know what class and effort really are. I have been around a long time, and I know players when I see them. Give me Leemans for the long haul."

The Giants themselves merely echo the opinion of their manager and coach. The fans, who sent in their nickels and dimes for a gift for Leemans flooded the Leemans Committee headquarters with their tributes. Here's what two youngsters wrote:

"Here's to a football player who no finer could be; a true gentleman whose class no words can express; here's to Alphonse Tuffy Leemans, one of the greatest backs—maybe the greatest back—this country has ever seen. I am glad to send ten cents."

EUGENE MELTZ,
1163 President St., Brooklyn.

"I think it is fine to have a Leemans Day at the Polo Grounds and enclose four cents as my share to appreciate the player. He is my favorite, and good luck to him."

ANTHONY THOMAS PETER PALISE,
422 Central Ave., Rahway, N. J.

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Jim Farley, who was one of the honorary chairmen of the Leemans Day Committee, sent in this:

"It is a real pleasure to serve as an Honorary Chairman on your Committee, and I consider it a privilege to be permitted to participate in this tribute to Tuffy Leemans."

Sincerely yours,

JIM FARLEY.

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To Dick Fishell, WHN radio announcer, goes credit for organizing Leemans Day and doing most of the work. To the fans who helped make the day, he sends this card of thanks:

"In behalf of the Committee, I want to thank each and every one of you who has helped make this tribute to Tuffy Leemans possible.

"If we give him just one thrill in return for the many which he has given us in the past six years—our efforts will have been well worthwhile."

DICK FISHELL.

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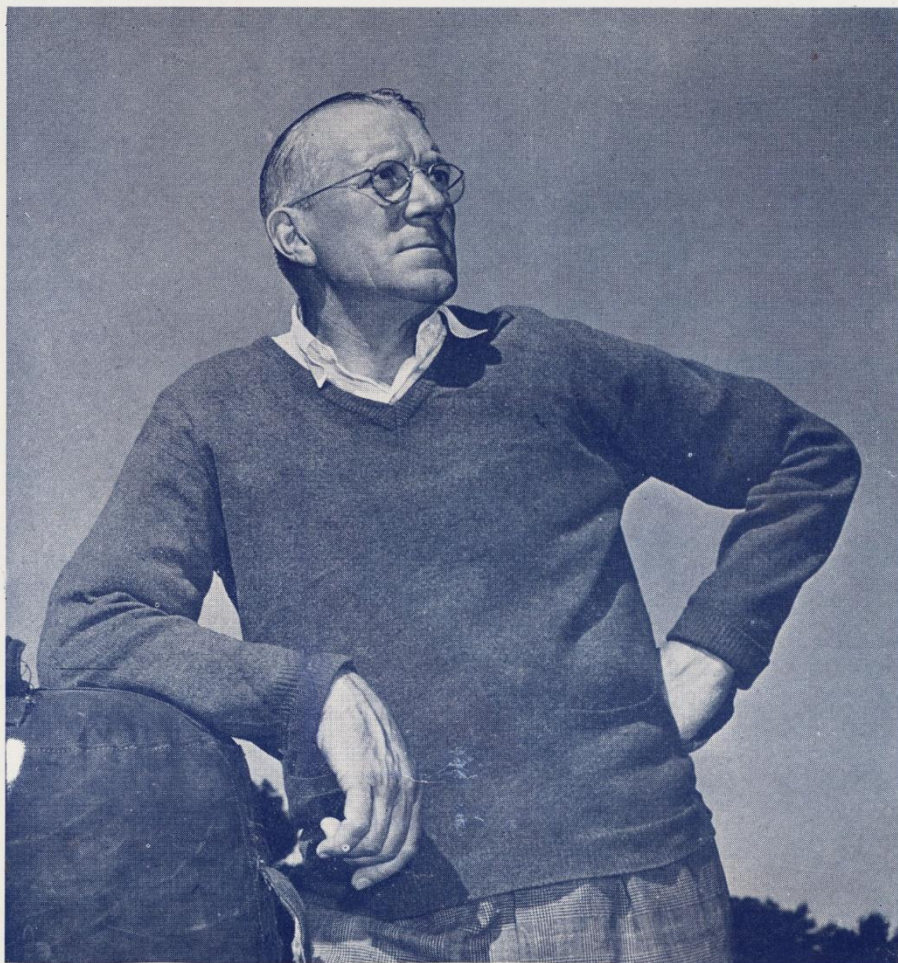


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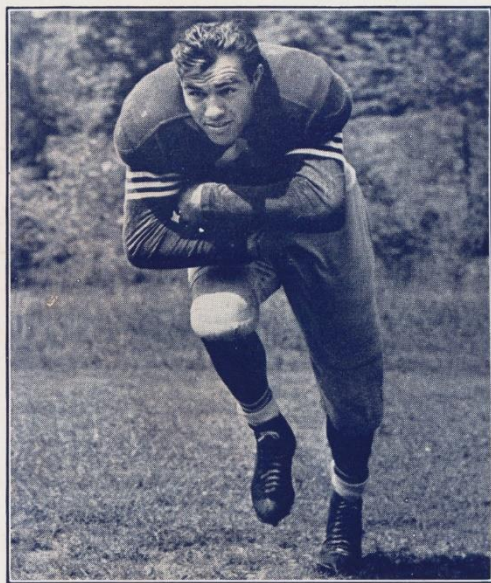
Dr. Sutherland Seeks No. 3 Over Steve



DR. JOHN BAIN SUTHERLAND, Coach of the Dodgers



BILL LECKONBY
Brooklyn halfback



PUG MANDERS
Dodgers' hard hitting fullback

PROBABLE BROOKLYN DODGERS LINE-UP

TIME OF C
2:00 P.M.

Left End SCHWARTZ 99	Left Tackle B. KINARD 25	Left Guard ALFSON 33	Center SVENDSEN 18	Right Guard SIVELL 28	Right Tackle KRISTUFEK 19	Right End RUCINSKI 26
Quarterback SHETLEY 30						
Left Halfback PARKER 7		Fullback MANDERS 9		Right Halfback CONDIT 35		

BROOKLYN DODGERS FOOTBALL ROSTER

No.	Name	Position	Weight	Height	College	Years Pro
1	Jones, Thurman	F.B.	197	5:10	Abilene Christian	0
2	Peace, Larry	H.B.	185	5:09	University of Pittsburgh	0
4	Leckonby, Bill	H.B.	185	6:00	St. Lawrence University	2
5	Frick, Ray	C.	205	6:01	University of Pennsylvania	0
6	McAdams, Dean	H.B.	190	6:00	University of Washington	2
7	Parker, Ace	H.B.	168	5:11	Duke University	3½
9	Manders, Pug	F.B.	205	6:00	Drake University	2
10	Kracum, George	F.B.	210	6:01	University of Pittsburgh	0
11	Stasica, Leo	H.B.	180	5:11	University of Colorado	0
13	Hodges, Herman	E.	206	6:02	Howard College	2
14	Robertson, Tom	C.	218	6:01	Louisiana State	0
15	Titus, Si	C.	195	6:00	Holy Cross College	1
17	Jurich, Mike	T.	233	6:01	University of Denver	0
18	Svensen, Bud	C.	195	6:01	University of Minnesota	3
19	Kristufek, Frank	T.	207	6:01	University of Pittsburgh	1
20	Kish, Ben	Q.B.	190	6:00	University of Pittsburgh	1
21	Fronczek, Andy	T.	201	6:00	University of Richmond	0
22	Bailey, Bill	E.	227	6:02	Duke University	1
23	Wemple, Don	E.	195	6:00	Colgate University	0
24	Koons, Joe	C.	190	6:01	Long Island University	0
25	Kinard, Bruiser	T.	220	6:01	University of Mississippi	3
26	Rucinski, Eddie	E.	190	6:00	Indiana University	0
27	Kinard, George	G.	195	6:00	University of Mississippi	0
28	Sivell, Happy	G.	215	5:08	Auburn	1
30	Shetley, Rhoten	Q.B.	205	5:11	Furman University	1
31	Petro, Steve	G.	200	5:11	University of Pittsburgh	1
32	Parker, Dave	E.	200	6:03	Hardin-Simmons	0
33	Alfson, Warren	G.	191	6:00	University of Nebraska	0
35	Condit, Merlyn	H.B.	185	6:00	Carnegie Tech	1
66	Butcher, Wendell	Q.B.	185	6:02	Gustavus-Adolphus	3
99	Schwartz, Perry	E.	195	6:01	University of California	3

Head Coach: Dr. John Bain (Jock) Sutherland

Backfield Coach: John Michelosen

Line Coach: Mike Getto

Trainer: Ray (Doc) Sweeney

Club Physician: Dr. Wm. Genthner



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PROBABLE NEW YORK GIANTS LINE-UP

Left End POOLE 23	Left Tackle MELLUS 33	Left Guard SOHN 44	Right Guard YOUNCE 32	Right Tackle EDWARDS 60	Right End HOWELL 21
Center HEIN 7					
Quarterback FALASCHI 28		Left Halfback FRANCK 37		Right Halfback CUFF 14	
Fullback LEEMANS 4					

NEW YORK GIANTS FOOTBALL ROSTER

No.	Name	Position	Weight	Height	Age	College	Years Giant	Years Pro
2	Leonard Eshmont	Back	180	5:10½	23	Fordham	1	1
4	Tuffy Leemans	Back	200	6:00	28	Geo. Washington	6	6
5	Kayo Lunday	Center	225	6:03	28	Arkansas	5	5
6	Howie Yeager	Back	178	6:00	26	Santa Barbara	1	2
7	Mel Hein (Captain)	Center	235	6:04	32	Washington State	11	11
11	Chet Gladchuk	Center	245	6:04½	22	Boston College	1	1
12	Kay Eakin	Back	190	6:00	24	Arkansas	2	2
14	Ward Cuff	Back	195	6:01	27	Marquette	5	5
15	Hank Soar	Back	215	6:00	26	Providence	5	5
17	Clinton "Red" McClain	Back	190	5:09	23	SMU	1	1
20	Leland Shaffer	Back	202	6:02	29	Kansas State	7	7
21	Jim Lee Howell	End	215	6:06	26	Arkansas	5	5
22	Ed Danowski	Back	204	6:01	29	Fordham	7	8
23	Jim Poole	End	235	6:03	26	Mississippi	5	5
24	Will Walls	End	220	6:04	27	TCU	4	4
25	Dominic Principe	Back	205	6:00	24	Fordham	2	2
28	Nello Falaschi	Back	195	6:00	27	Santa Clara	4	4
29	Jack Lummus	End	200	6:03	23	Baylor	1	1
32	Leonard Younce	Guard	205	6:01	24	Oregon State	1	1
33	John Mellus	Tackle	223	6:00	26	Villanova	4	4
36	Frank Cope	Tackle	230	6:03	25	Santa Clara	4	4
37	George Franck	Back	180	6:01	23	Minnesota	1	1
39	Doug Oldershaw	Guard	195	6:01	26	Santa Barbara	3	3
42	Orville Tuttle	Guard	205	5:09	28	Oklahoma City	5	5
44	Ben Sohn	Guard	230	6:03	22	So. California	1	1
49	Dick Horne	End	210	6:02	23	Oregon University		
50	Ed Widseth	Tackle	225	6:01	28	Minnesota	5	5
52	Vincent Dennerly	End	200	6:00	24	Fordham	1	1
55	Louis P. DeFilippo	Center	225	6:02	24	Fordham	1	1
60	Bill Edwards	Tackle	205	6:03	22	Baylor	2	2
66	Win Pedersen	Tackle	220	6:03½	26	Minnesota	1	2
69	Tony Blazine	Tackle	240	6:00	29	Ill. Wesleyan	1	7
70	Andy Marefos	Back	225	6:00	24	St. Mary's (Calif.)	1	1

Head Coach—Steve Owen, Phillips U.

Assistant Coach—Mike Palm, Penn State

Assistant Coach—Bill Owen, Phillips U.

Choose Calvert

Giants Play Western Leader for Title in Chicago December 21st

Sad for the Dodgers, the game with the Giants today has no bearing on the leadership of the Eastern division of the National League. The Polo Grounders landed the Eastern title by beating the Redskins, and the Dodgers took second place when they won from the Steelers.

The Giants now will mark time a while, until the leadership of the Western section is determined. Then the Maramen will go to Chicago, where on Sunday, December 21, at 1:15 o'clock, at Wrigley Field, they will engage the Western leader for the championship of the National League and suzerainty of professional football.

While the Giants tackle the Dodgers today, the Chicago Bears play the Chicago Cardinals. If the Cards win, the Green Bay Packers will be left as the opponents of the Giants. But if the Bears win, they will tie with the Packers and will meet next Sunday in a playoff for the Western leadership and the right to tackle the disciples of Steve Owen. Here are the National League standings:

EASTERN DIVISION						WESTERN DIVISION							
	W.	L.	T.	PC.	Points		W.	L.	T.	PC.	Points		
					For	Agst.					For	Agst.	
New York	8	2	0	.800	231	93	Green Bay	10	1	0	.909	258	120
Brooklyn	6	4	0	.600	137	120	Chicago Bears	9	1	0	.900	362	123
Washington	5	5	0	.500	156	160	Detroit	4	6	1	.400	121	195
Philadelphia	2	7	1	.222	105	198	Chicago Cards	3	6	1	.333	103	163
Pittsburgh	1	9	1	.100	103	276	Cleveland	2	9	0	.182	116	244

Owen's Eastern Leaders Present Best-Balanced Record in Circuit

Records of the National League for the 1941 campaign show that the Giants are the best-balanced outfit among the 10 in the circuit. In yardage, with 2,182, the Maramen do not match most of the others. But in defense, with 2,111 for the opposition, the New York club is tops. Balancing attack against defense, the experts find that the Giants are good enough for them.

Don Hutson, of the Packers, has chalked up a remarkable personal record for himself this season. Last Sunday, when the Packers beat the Redskins, Hutson did these things:

Boosted own all-time record for passes received to 262. Tied record for passes caught in one season, 58 (set by Don Looney of Pittsburgh, 1940). Boosted own all-time record for touchdowns scored, 57 in seven seasons. Set record for touchdowns scored in one season, 12 (former record 11 by Andy Farkas, Washington, 1939). Set all-time record for points scored, 386 in seven seasons (former record 368 in eight seasons by Jack Manders of the Chicago Bears). Set record for points scored in one season, 95 (former record 79 by Manders in 1934). Increased own record for yards gained on pass receptions in lifetime to 4,163. Tied record for catching most touchdown passes in one game, three, and became first player ever to achieve this record four times.

The Packers set a team mark for passing efficiency.

Fifteen completions in twenty-five forward pass attempts gave the Packers a season record of 133 completions in 251 attempts and raised the league efficiency mark for more than 250 tries to 52.98 per cent.

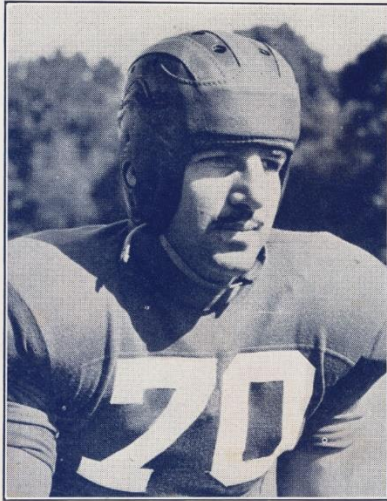
The old record was 50.1 per cent set by Cleveland in 1939 on 127 completions in 253 attempts.

The Chicago Bears added 523 yards against Philadelphia to boost their total for ten games to 3,894 yards. They now have only 95 to go, with one game left, to break their own mark of 3,988, set in 1939. Team yardage statistics:

EASTERN DIVISION						WESTERN DIVISION					
	G.	Y.	O.Y.	P.	P.C.		G.	Y.	O.Y.	P.	P.C.
New York	10	2,182	2,111	140	61	Green Bay	11	3,325	2,554	251	133
Brooklyn	10	2,478	2,183	198	89	Chicago Bears	10	3,894	2,191	181	87
Washington	10	2,407	2,168	226	117	Detroit	11	1,843	3,012	187	58
Philadelphia	10	2,034	2,629	222	104	Chicago Cards	10	2,400	2,268	231	106
Pittsburgh	11	1,871	2,717	168	42	Cleveland	11	2,286	2,978	285	122

G.—Games Y—Yards. O.Y.—Opponents' yards. P.—Passes. P.C.—Passes completed.

Ward Cuff All-Time Scoring Leader for New York Machine



ANDY MAREFOS
Scoring runnerup



WARD CUFF
Leads Giants

Ward Cuff today finishes the Polo Grounds football season of 1941 with a chance to add to his point total as the all-time scoring leader of the Giants. He has made 201 points, with 46 of them this year. Ken Strong was the scoring leader of the Giants until Cuff passed him a few weeks back. Here is what the Giants have done this season:

SCORING

	Td.	R.	Td.	P.	T.	E. P.	F. G.	T. Pts.
Cuff	0	2	2	19	5	46		
Marefos	1	1	2	6	4	30		
Leemans	4	0	4	0	0	24		
Franck	3	1	4	0	0	24		
Yeager	1	3	4	0	0	24		
Poole	1	2	3	0	0	18		
McClain	2	0	2	0	0	12		
Howell	0	1	1	0	0	6		
Oldershaw	1	0	1	0	0	6		
Cope	1	0	1	0	0	6		
Dennery	0	1	1	0	0	6		
Pedersen	0	0	0	0	1	3		
Soar	0	0	0	2	0	2		

BALL CARRYING

	Att.	Yards Gained	Longest Gain	Ave.
Leeman	85	314	26	3.6
Eshmont	46	153	24	3.4
Marefos	60	153	11	2.5
Cuff	25	120	30	4.8
Franck	47	100	17	2.1
Yeager	19	56	39	2.9
Soar	26	90	19	3.4
McClain	9	36	11	4.
Eakin	22	22	17	1.

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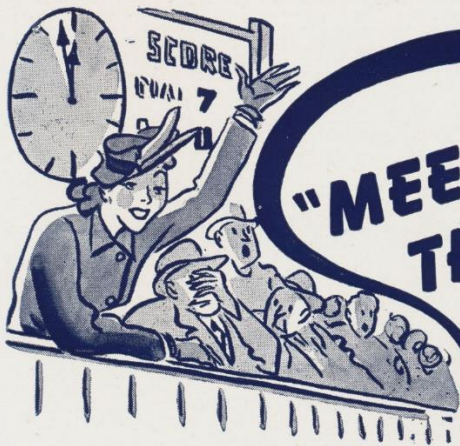
	Att.	Com.	Yards Gained	Td.	P.	Pct.	L. P.	Intra
Leemans	59	28	432	4	.474	44	3	
Danowski	20	11	174	2	.550	65	2	
Eakin	18	5	71	1	.277	41	3	
Marefos	8	2	79	1	.250	75	1	
Eshmont	3	2	32	1	.667	16	0	

PASS RECEIVING

	No.	Yards Gained	Longest Gain	Pts.
Cuff	17	298	41	2
Yeager	9	211	65	3
Howell	4	62	42	1
Poole	4	58	26	1
Principe	4	54	28	0
Walls	3	33	21	0
Eakin	3	4	4	0
Dennery	1	75	75	1
Marefos	1	5	5	0
Shaffer	1	5	5	0
Eshmont	1	4	4	0
Falaschi	1	3	3	0

PASS INTERCEPTIONS

	No.	Yards Returned	Pts.	Longest Return
Cuff	3	109	0	40
Leemans	3	85	0	45
Marefos	2	48	0	40
Eakin	2	33	0	33
Soar	2	31	0	31
Younce	2	25	0	18



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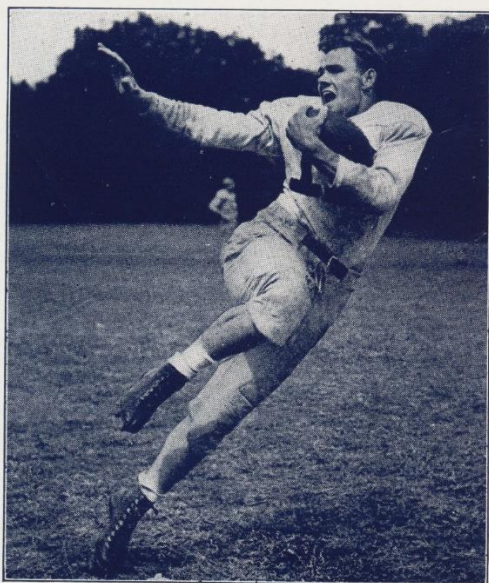
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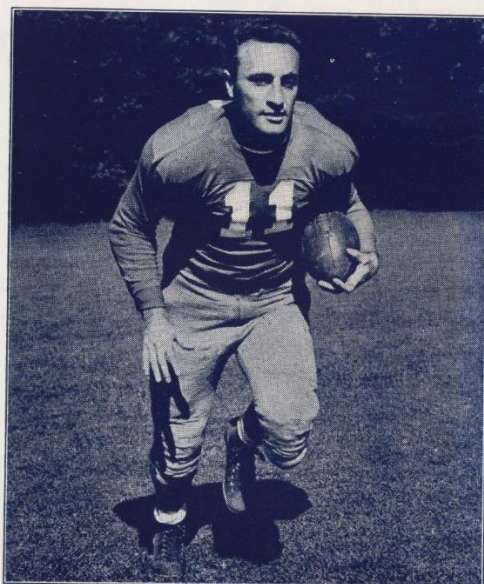
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What Giants Have Done In National League Races

Year	Won	Lost	Tied	Pts.	Opp. Pts.
1925	8	4	0	119	65
1926	8	4	0	133	38
1927	11	1	1	172	20
1928	4	6	2	73	129
1929	12	1	1	298	77
1930	13	4	0	308	98
1931	6	6	1	133	90
1932	4	6	2	93	113
1933	11	3	0	244	101
1934	8	5	0	147	107
1935	9	4	0	179	96
1936	5	6	1	115	163
1937	6	3	2	128	109
1938	9	2	1	194	79
1939	9	1	1	168	85
1940	6	4	1	131	133
Totals	129	60	13	2635	1503

Winning Percentage .683.

1927—National League Champions.

1933—Eastern Champions, beaten 23-21 by Bears in Chicago playoff.

1934—National League Champions, victors 30-13 over Bears in playoff.

1935—Eastern Champions, beaten 26-7 by Lions in Detroit playoff.

1938—National League Champions, victors over Green Bay 23-16, in playoff.

1939—Eastern Champions, beaten by Green Bay, 27-0, in Milwaukee playoff.

Note—The 308 points scored in 1930 constitutes a league record for high scoring in one season and the defensive mark of only 20 points scored against the Giants in 1927 is a league mark also.

Note—In games at the Polo Grounds the Giants went into 1941 with a winning percentage of .750. They had lost only 26 of 106 games in fifteen years. Seven of these home defeats were inflicted by the Chicago Bears.

GIANTS' ALL-TIME SCORING LEADERS

(Including 1933, 1934, 1935, 1938 and 1939 Playoff Games)

Player	College	Yrs.	Touch.	Pts.	Touch.	F.G.	Total Pts.
Ward Cuff, Marquette		'37, '39, '40, '41	12	54	25		201
Ken Strong, New York U.		'33-'35, '39	16	44	18		194
Dale Burnett, Emporia Teachers		'30-'39	25	4	0		154
Jack McBride, Syracuse		'25-'28, '32	12	37	6		127
Kink Richards, Simpson		'33-'39	19	5	1		122
Hinkey Haines, Penn State		'25-'28	19	3	0		117
Len Sedbrook, Oklahoma City		'29-'31	18	0	0		108
Hap Moran, Carnegie Tech.		'29-'32	14	11	1		98
Ray Flaherty, Gonzaga		'29, '31-'34	15	1	0		91
Harry Newman, Michigan		'33-'35	9	13	2		85
Tuffy Leemans, Geo. Washington		'36-'39, '40	13	0	0		78
Tony Plansky, Georgetown		'26-'30	9	2	2		62
Jack Hagerty, Georgetown		'26-'30	10	0	0		60

Dodgers win five games in taking second place

COMING into today's game with the Giants, which closes the Brooklyn season, the Dodgers had won five and lost four games. They had scored 138 points, and allowed 121. Here is the 1941 record of the second place pupils of Dr. John Sutherland:

Brooklyn	14	Detroit	7
Brooklyn	24	Philadelphia	13
Brooklyn	0	Washington	3
Brooklyn	7	Green Bay.....	30
Brooklyn	7	Chicago Cardinals....	21
Brooklyn	16	New York.....	13
Brooklyn	15	Philadelphia	6
Brooklyn	13	Washington	7
Brooklyn	7	Pittsburgh	14
Brooklyn	35	Pittsburgh	7

Brooklyn, 138 Points; Opponents, 121 Points.

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Difference in Rules Between Professional and Collegiate Football



The National Football League Rules Committee has made several changes in the rules for 1941, the most important of which reduces the penalty for clipping from 25 yards to 15 yards. Another important change prevents a team, incurring a penalty, from being penalized more than half the distance to the goal when the penalty is enforced in the field of play.

In professional football, the goal posts are on the goal lines; in collegiate, ten yards back of the goals on the end lines.

In professional football, passes may be thrown from any point behind the line of scrimmage. In collegiate football, they must be thrown from any point at least five yards behind the line of scrimmage.

Professional football does not recognize the "dead ball" rule. In collegiate football if any portion of the ball-carrier's body, excepting his hands or feet, touches the ground the ball is dead at that point. This is not so in professional football.

In professional football the defensive team may recover and advance the ball on fumbles, except where a backward pass has been attempted, or a punt is being received.

Flying blocks and flying tackles are permitted in the professional game.

Professional substitute players may communicate with their teammates immediately upon entering the game. College players must wait one play before communicating.

In professional football the offside penalty on the defense within the ten-yard limit is loss of half the distance to the goal, instead of five yards as in the college game.

In professional football defensive players are permitted wider latitude in the use of open hands on opposing players' necks and head without penalty. This rule prohibits striking but does allow the use of hands to force offensive blockers off balance.

In professional football a team is allowed to substitute in the fourth quarter only at the most three players who have previously played in the same quarter. This is not allowed under college players.

GIANTS HAVE BEATEN DODGERS 19 TIMES

The Giants have managed to do right well against the Dodgers since 1926, taking 19, while the Brooklyns have won only three. However, Jock Sutherland's lads came into Harlem today with two in a row over the Maramen. In Brooklyn's second meeting with the Giants last year it won by 14 to 6 and this season, the Dodgers beat the Polo Grounders in Flatbush by 16 to 13. Here is the record of the series:

- 1926—Giants 17, Brooklyn 0.
Giants 27, Brooklyn 0.
- 1930—Brooklyn 7, Giants 6.
Giants 13, Brooklyn 0.
- 1931—Giants 27, Brooklyn 0.
Giants 19, Brooklyn 6.
- 1932—Giants 20, Brooklyn 12.
Giants 13, Brooklyn 7.
- 1933—Giants 21, Brooklyn 7.
Giants 10, Brooklyn 0.
- 1934—Giants 14, Brooklyn 0.
Giants 27, Brooklyn 0.
- 1935—Giants 10, Brooklyn 7.
Giants 21, Brooklyn 0.
- 1936—Giants 10, Brooklyn 10.
Giants 14, Brooklyn 0.
- 1937—Giants 21, Brooklyn 0.
Giants 13, Brooklyn 13.
- 1938—Giants 28, Brooklyn 14.
Giants 7, Brooklyn 7.
- 1939—Giants 7, Brooklyn 6.
Giants 28, Brooklyn 7.
- 1940—Giants 10, Brooklyn 7.
Brooklyn 14, Giants 6.
- 1941—Giants 13, Brooklyn 16.

Giants, 380 Points; Dodgers, 132 Points.

GIANTS WIN 8 AND LOSE 2 FOR THEIR 1941 CAMPAIGN

The Giants face the Dodgers today with a fine record. Owen's players have won 8 and lost only 2 and have piled up 231 points against 93. Here is the record of the club which already has won the title in the Eastern division:

- Giants 24, Philadelphia 0.
- Giants 17, Washington 10.
- Giants 37, Pittsburgh 10.
- Giants 16, Philadelphia 0.
- Giants 28, Pittsburgh 7.
- Giants 13, Brooklyn 16.
- Giants 7, Cardinals 10.
- Giants 20, Detroit 13.
- Giants 49, Cleveland 14.
- Giants 20, Washington 13.
- Giants, 231; Opponents, 93.

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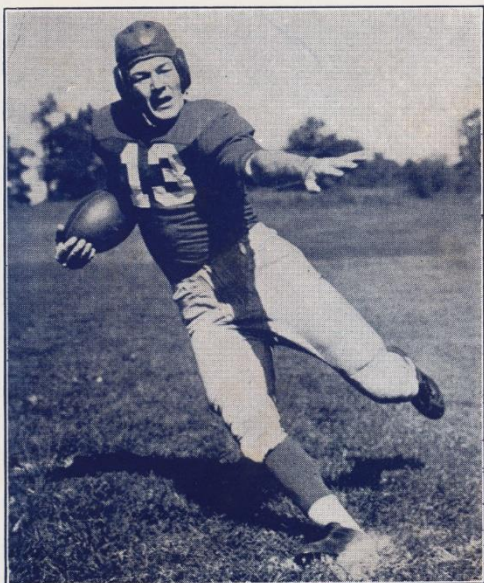
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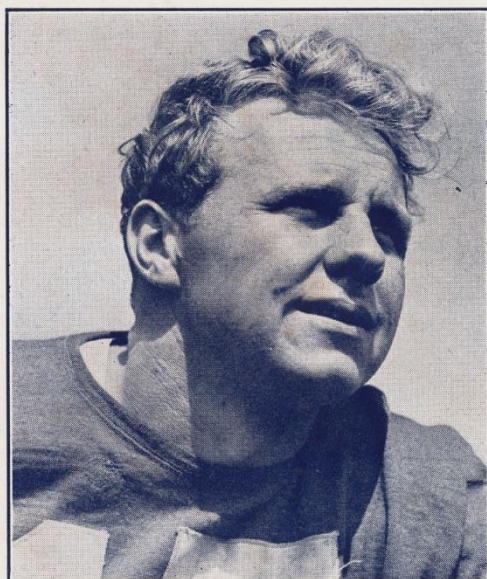


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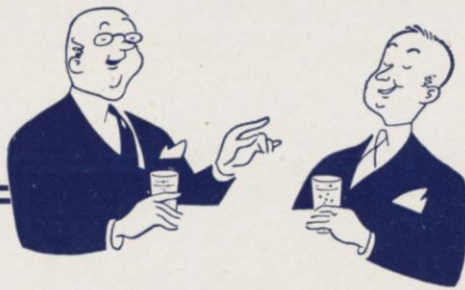
Franck came to the Giants this year from Minnesota, where he was All-America back on an unbeaten eleven in 1940. Franck has got the feel of the pro game and in 1942 should be one of the real standouts. Falaschi is well known to New York fans as he is finishing his fourth year in the Mara backfield. No story about pro football possibly could leave out Ace Parker. This man was a marvel at Duke University, he has been a wonder every season of the four he has spent in professional competition. As for Schwartz, Brooklyn calls him the best end in the League. New York will counter with Poole and Howell, but when Brooklyn insists—well, it just insists.



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