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Individual Records

Beattie Feathers, sensational All-America back at Tennessee last fall, is now setting the National League on fire with his great running for the Chicago Bears, who invade the Polo Grounds on November 18. Feathers has gained 625 yards in 61 attempts for an average of better than ten yards every time he has taken the ball.

Behind Feathers in the ground gaining race comes Warren Heller of Pittsburgh, Swede Hanson of Philadelphia, Gyp Battles of Boston and Harry Newman, the Giants great quarterback. Heller has gained 363 yards, Hanson 329, Battles 320 and Newman 298 yards.

Feathers, in addition to his great ground gaining efforts, is tied with his team-mate, Jack Manders, former Minnesota All-America, who is plunging for the Bears, for individual scoring lead. Feathers has scored six touchdowns, only one less than Kink Richards, Giant ace, tallied last season to lead the league. The Bears stars have each tallied 37 points.

Ken Strong, who led the league in scoring last year, has chalked up 30 points and is right in the thick of the scramble for point honors. Bob Monnett, Michigan State speeder who is now starring with Green Bay, has 29 points, only one less than Strong, and the two will face each other in the next game here at the Polo Grounds. The Packers are scheduled to come into New York, November 11.

Another Packer star, Arnold (Flash) Herber, is the leading forward passer of the circuit. He has completed 22 passes in 45 tosses for a gain of 431 yards—his longest being a 69-yard heave to Clark Hinkle for a touchdown. It also is the longest of the season in the league. Harry Newman, who topped Herber in passing last year, is close behind Herber now with 17 completed in 51 tosses. The two will fight it out here in the next home game of the Giants when the Packers come to the Polo Grounds on November 11. Next Sunday the Giants play the Bears in Chicago.

Red Badgro, all-league end of the Giants, is in the race for pass receiving honors. He has nabbed five for 59 yards, with Ben Smith and Muggsy Skladany of the Pirates, topping the league with nine and ten caught respectively.

LINE-UP AND NUMBERS OF BOTH TEAMS

Referee—TOM THORP

Head Linesman—JOHN HENNESSEY

Umpire—R. F. LYNCH Field Judge—JOHN MURRAY

NEW YORK FOOTBALL GIANTS—Eastern Champions Player Roster, 1934

| No. | Name | Position | Weight | Height | College |
|-----|------------------------|-------------|--------|---------|--------------|
| 0 | SMITH, WILLIS | Quarterback | 148 | 5:6 | Idaho |
| 1 | FLAHERTY, RAY | End | 190 | 6:0 | Gonzaga |
| 2 | | | 205 | 5:11 | Fordham |
| 3 | DEL ISOLA, JOHN | Tackle | 225 | 6:2 | N. Y. U. |
| 7 | GRANT, LEN | | 195 | 5:11 | Holy Cross |
| 4 | CLANCY, STUART | Conton | 218 | 6:2 | Wash. St. |
| 1 | HEIN, MEL | Center | | | |
| 8 | BELLINGER, BOB | Tackle | 212 | 5:101/2 | Gonzaga |
| 10 | JONES, TOM | Guard | 210 | 5:11 | Bucknell |
| 11 | GIBSON, BUTCH | Guard | 206 | 5:9 | Grove City |
| 12 | NEWMAN, HARRY | | 180 | 5:71/2 | Michigan |
| 13 | RICHARDS (KINK), ELVIN | Back | 195 | 5:11 | Simpson |
| 17 | BADGRO (RED), MORRIS | End | 190 | 6:0 | So. Cal. |
| 18 | BURNETT, DALE | Back | 186 | 6:1 | Emporia |
| 20 | STAFFORD, HARRISON | Back | 205 | 5:11 | Texas |
| 21 | FRANKIAN, IKE | End | 207 | 5:11 | St. Mary's |
| 22 | DANOWSKI, ED | Back | 205 | 6:1 | Fordham |
| 23 | MOLENDA, BO | Back | 213 | 6:0 | Michigan |
| 25 | KRAUSE, MAX | Back | 206 | 5:101/2 | Gonzaga |
| 27 | MORGAN, BILL | Tackle | 226 | 6:2 | Oregon |
| 29 | IRVIN (TEX), CECIL | | 230 | 6:0 | Davis-Elkins |
| 36 | OWEN, BILL | Tackle | 220 | 6:0 | Okla. A. M. |
| 50 | STRONG, KEN | | 201 | 6:0 | N. Y. U. |
| 55 | REESE, HANK | Guard | 210 | 5:11 | Temple |
| | REESE, HANK | Out of | | | |

Coach—Steve Owen, Phillips University.
Trainers—Charles Porter and Gus Mauch.

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES

| No. | Name | Position | Weight | College |
|-----|-----------------------------|----------|--------|-----------------|
| 2 | PILCONIS, JOE | End | 198 | Temple |
| 3 | KIRKMAN, ROGER | Back | 195 | W. and J. |
| 5 | KRESKY, JOE | Guard | 220 | Wisconsin |
| 6 | MACMURDO, JIM | Tackle | 210 | Pitt |
| 8 | HAJEK, CHUCK | Center | 210 | Northwestern |
| 9 | ZYNTELL, JIM | Guard | 201 | Holy Cross |
| 10 | ELLSTROM, MARVIN | Back | 200 | Oklahoma Univ. |
| 12 | MATESIC, ÉD | Back | 195 | Pitt |
| 13 | KENNEALLY, GEORGE (Captain) | End | 192 | St. Bonaventure |
| 14 | HANSON, SWEDE | Back | 197 | Temple |
| 15 | WILLSON, DIDDIE | Guard | 195 | Penn |
| 17 | CARTER, JOE | End | 203 | So. Methodist |
| 18 | WEINER, AL | Back | 180 | Muhlenberg |
| 19 | LEONARD, JIM | Back | 204 | Notre Dame |
| 20 | LIPSKI, BILL | Center | 201 | Temple |
| 21 | CUBA, PAUL | Tackle | 212 | Pitt |
| 22 | STORM, ED | Back | 195 | Santa Clara |
| 23 | ZIZAK, VINCE | Tackle | 208 | Villanova |
| 24 | LACKMAN, DICK | Back | 186 | None |
| 27 | GONYA, BÓB | Tackle | 205 | Northwestern |
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The National Football League Revised Rules

Season 1934

In all instances other than in the exceptions noted herein the rules of the National Intercollegiate Athletic Association, including changes made for 1934, are to be followed:

KICK-OFF AND FREE KICK

1. The receiving team may line in any position beyond the ten yard restraining line.

2. It is permissible for the kicking team to use a natural tee made from the soil in the immediate vicinity of the point of kick-off.

OFF-SIDE PLAYS

On all off-side plays committed within the ten yard line by the defensive team, the penalty shall be one-half the distance to the goal instead of five yards.

PLAYER ENTERING THE GAME
A player entering the game shall be permitted to communicate with his teammates immediately, instead of waiting until one play has been completed.

FLYING BLOCK AND TACKLE The flying block and flying tackle are permitted.

FORWARD PASS

- 1. The passer may pass the ball from any point behind the line of scrimmage.
- A forward pass made hand-to-hand back of the line of scrimmage, which becomes incomplete, is to be ruled a fumble.

Officials must notify the COACH of each team when time has been out three (3) times—and no penalty is to be imposed for additional time out unless such notice has been given.

DEAD BALL

In Rule 7—Section 7—Article (1a) of the Intercollegiate rules **omit** the words "when any portion of his person except his hands or feet touches the ground."

Use of hands—In Rule 10—Section 2—Article 1—Item 2 of the Intercollegiate Rules, **omit** the words "players on defense may not strike the opponent on the head, neck, or face with the palms of their hands".

The penalty for clipping shall be 25 yards—officials shall enforce this rule to the letter.

GOAL POSTS

The goal posts shall be placed on the goal-line instead of ten yards beyond.

Because of the goal posts being placed on the goal-line the following rules become effective:

1. A ball kicked from the field of play, except one scoring a goal, which strikes the goal posts or cross-bar before being touched by a player of either side, shall become a dead ball and is to be ruled a touchback.

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2. A ball kicked from behind the goal-line which strikes the goal posts or cross-bar and is recovered by the opponents in the end zone shall be ruled a touchdown. In the event it is recovered by a player of the kicking team, or rolls outside the side line extended, or beyond the end line in the end zone, it shall be ruled a safety. Should the ball strike the goal posts or cross-bar and continue into the field of play it shall be played as if it did not bit the goal posts. not hit the goal posts.

3. A forward pass thrown from the field of play which strikes the goal posts or cross-bar before or after it has been touched by an eligible player and before it has touched the ground shall

be declared incomplete and ruled a touchback.

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4. A forward pass thrown from behind the goal-line which strikes the goal posts or cross-bar shall be subject to recovery by the opposing team or any eligible player of the passing team before it strikes the ground. (The passer is included among the eligible men.) Should the ball be recovered by an opposing player within the end zone before it strikes the ground it shall be ruled a touchdown. If it is recovered by a member of the passer's team and not advanced into the field of play, or bounds beyond the side line extended, or beyond the end line, it shall be ruled a safety. Should the ball strike the goal posts or cross-bar and continue into the field of play it shall remain in play as though it had not touched any obstruction. as though it had not touched any obstruction.

GIANTS' REMAINING HOME GAMES

Nov. 11-Green Bay Packers

Nov. 18—Chicago Bears

Nov. 25—Boston Redskins

Nov. 29—Brooklyn at Ebbets Field

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE Standing of the Clubs

| Eastern I | n | Western Division | | | | | |
|---------------|----|------------------|-------|-------------|-----|----|-------|
| Teams | W. | L. | Pct. | Teams | W. | L. | Pct. |
| New York | 4 | 2 | .666 | Chi. Bears. | . 6 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Boston | 3 | 3 | .500 | Detroit | . 6 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Brooklyn | 1 | 3 | .250 | Green Bay. | . 4 | 2 | .666 |
| Pittsburgh | 2 | 6 | .250 | Chi. Cards. | . 2 | 3 | .400 |
| Philadelphia. | 1 | 4 | . 200 | Cincinnati. | . 0 | 6 | .000 |

OTHER GAMES TODAY

Pittsburgh at Brooklyn Green Bay at Chicago Bears Detroit at Cincinnati Chicago Cardinals at Boston

GAMES NEXT SUNDAY

New York at Chicago Bears Chicago Cardinals at Brooklyn Cincinnati at Philadelphia Pittsburgh at Detroit Green Bay at Boston

TEAM STATISTICS

National Football League rules which permit forward passing from any point up to the line of scrimmage have aided the offense considerably in the circuit, which shows 243 passes completed in 784 tosses, or one in every three successful. The Green Bay Packers, who play the Giants here in the next home game, are even more proficient than that mark, however, for they have completed 33 in 75 tosses for a 43% average, in other words almost one of every two passes the Packers throw is completed. It looks like a busy time for the Giant secondary defense on November 11.

The Chicago Bears, who oppose the Giants next Sunday in Chicago, have piled up the amazing total of 2,063 yards in six games. The Bears follow the Packers

into the Polo Grounds.

Teams

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| Boston | . 6 | 1388 | 1354 | 76 | 19 | 71 | 50 |
| Brooklyn | . 3 | 316 | 658 | 41 | 11 | 17 | 41 |
| Pittsburgh | . 8 | 1775 | 2191 | 130 | 45 | 41 | 129 |
| Philadelphia | . 5 | 980 | 1290 | 75 | 20 | 30 | 44 |
| | | | | | | | |
| | WES | TERN | DIVI | SION | | | |
| Chicago Bears | . 6 | 2063 | 938 | 99 | 30 | 155 | 27 |
| Detroit | . 5 | 1195 | 662 | 61 | 18 | 52 | 0 |
| Green Bay | . 6 | 1296 | 994 | 75 | 33 | 105 | 39 |
| Chicago Cardinals. | . 5 | 728 | 815 | 69 | 18 | 25 | 48 |
| Cincinnati | . 6 | 741 | 1721 | 96 | 27 | 10 | 131 |
| | | | | | | | |

Teams in order of league standing.
Y.G.—Yards gained. O.Y.—Opponents' yardage. F.P.—
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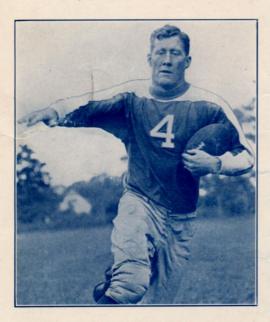


DALE BURNETT



HENRY (HANK) REESE

Next Sunday the New York Giants invade Chicago to play the Bears. They return home two weeks from today to meet the Green Bay Packers, who scored an early season victory over the Giants. Tickets for this game will be on sale starting tomorrow at the office of the New York Giants, Rm. 1740, 11 W. 42nd St.



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SCHOLASTIC KICKING CONTEST

Schoolboy kickers from New York and the vicinity are competing in the second annual contest for the New York Giants Trophy. Today in the third series of elimination contests representatives of Bergen County schools are competing for the right to enter the final which will be conducted on the day of the Boston game, November 25.

Guy Segatti of DeWitt Clinton, winner of the upper Manhattan and Bronx P. S. A. L. schools, and Bob Connolly of New Rochelle, victor in the Westchester division, have already qualified for the finals.

Each kicker receives five tries from the 20-yard line and in the event of a tie the ball is moved five yards further back.

The kickers in order of their appearance today:

- 1. Fritz Severud of Bogota High School.
- 2. Ken Nordes of Dumont High School.
- 3. Joe Coty of Garfield High School
- 4. Joe Kelly of Rutherford High School.
- 5. Dick Di Losa of St. Cecilia's Prep.
- 6. John Dudas of Englewood High School.

NEXT HOME GAME

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