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Football, the season's most popular game, should have a strong appeal to Elks. The Order is distinctively American. Football squares with American ideals of sportsmanship.

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Football calls people into the open air, and stimulates with its exhibition of skill and endurance. Elks heartily support all things that make for health and happiness.

Football is increasing in popularity each year, and the Elks hope that this ELKS DAY will bring to their people a closer understanding of the game, and a deeper appreciation of the rugged sportsmanship it develops.

Elks know that "a sound mind in a sound body" is essential to the future well being of America, and that the field of sports is building up those qualities of courage and endurance which the youth of today requires to become the leaders of tomorrow.

Again, the Elks of Greater New York greet you and thank you for your presence at the Polo Grounds on ELKS DAY. May you feel the real thrill of the Game, as you reap the benefits of this day under the open sky, and may all who have made this ELKS DAY possible realize the deep appreciation and gratitude of the Elk Lodges represented here.

May Football and the Order of Elks go forward, side by side, representing in the fields of sports and fraternalism, those sturdy American qualities of strength, intelligence and courage, which make for sounder bodies and stronger minds.

**NEW YORK GIANTS
NATIONAL LEAGUE CHAMPIONS
SCHEDULE FOR 1935**

REMAINING HOME GAMES

Nov. 28—Brooklyn at Ebbets Field
Dec. 8—Pittsburgh Pirates

OTHER GAMES

Sept. 22—New York 42, Pittsburgh 7
Sept. 29—Green Bay 16, New York 7
Oct. 6—New York 20, Boston 12
Oct. 13—New York 10, Brooklyn 7
Oct. 20—New York 17, Boston 6
Oct. 27—Cardinals 14, New York 13
Nov. 17—New York 3, Bears 0.
Dec. 1—Eagles at Philadelphia

GIANTS BEST PASSING TEAM

The New York Giants continue to lead as the best passing team with 38 out of 89 for a 42% average, but the Cardinals overtook the Packers for second place. The Cards have a 40% average and Green Bay 39%.

The Cardinals are undisputed leaders as the best defensive team. Their neighbors, the Chicago Bears, retained honors as the best offensive team with a total of 2447 yards gained and 150 points scored, although held to 100 yards gain by the Giants last Sunday.

Only 1092 yards have been gained and 56 points scored against the Cardinals to date. Offensively, the Green Bay Packers and Detroit Lions are second and third in ground gaining with 2040 and 1963 yards gained, respectively, and Detroit and Green Bay are second and third, respectively, in scoring with 129 and 127.

TEAM STATISTICS

WESTERN DIVISION

Team	Games	Y.G.	O.Y.G.	F.P.	P.C.	Pts.	O.P.
Green Bay.....	9	2040	1662	173	68	127	67
Chicago Cardinals.....	7	1165	1092	60	24	65	56
Chicago Bears.....	8	2447	1455	165	55	150	65
Detroit.....	9	1963	1439	114	45	129	89

EASTERN DIVISION

New York.....	8	1437	1471	89	38	115	82
Brooklyn.....	8	1460	1962	123	36	76	80
Pittsburgh.....	9	1274	2236	173	52	83	149
Philadelphia.....	8	1481	1927	123	33	40	135
Boston.....	8	1603	1735	132	37	52	114

Teams in order of League Standing. Y.G.—Yards Gained.
O.Y.G.—Opponent's Yards Gained. F.P.—Forward Passes.
P.C.—Forwarded Passes Completed. Pts.—Points. O.P.—Opponent's Points.

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Standing of Clubs

Eastern Division					Western Division				
Teams	W.	L.	T.	Pct.	Teams	W.	L.	T.	Pct.
New York...	5	3	0	.625	Green Bay...	6	3	0	.667
Brooklyn...	5	4	0	.555	Chi. Bears...	5	3	0	.625
Pittsburgh...	4	5	0	.444	Detroit.....	5	3	1	.625
Philadelphia..	2	6	0	.250	Chi. Cards...	4	3	1	.572
Boston.....	1	7	0	.125					

OTHER GAMES TODAY

Green Bay in Pittsburgh
Detroit at Chicago Bears
Cardinals at Boston

GAMES THANKSGIVING DAY

New York Giants at Ebbets Field
Green Bay at Chicago Cardinals
Chicago Bears at Detroit

GAMES NEXT SUNDAY

New York at Philadelphia
Brooklyn at Detroit
Chicago Bears at Chicago
Pittsburgh at Boston

DANOWSKI TOPS PASSERS

Ed Danowski, New York Giants and Fordham, is still in a class by himself as the best forward passer. He has completed 31 out of 66 for an average of 46%. Bill Shepherd has displaced Arnold Herber, Green Bay, as second best passer. His average is 39%, two per cent higher than Herber's. Ralph Kercheval and Armond Niccolai, Pittsburgh, are tied for field goal kicking honors, each having booted 5.

Bill Shepherd, one of the country's leading collegiate scorers last year with Western Maryland and now with the Detroit Lions, went into the lead as the best ball carrier of the National Football League and became the first player to overtake Ernie Caddel, Detroit and Stanford, for individual ground gaining honors according to statistics compiled today. Earl "Dutch" Clark, also of Detroit, jumped from fourth to third to give the Lions a clean sweep of the first three places in this department. Shepherd has gained 360 yards in 111 attempts, Caddel 344 in 57, and Clark 320 in 98.

Don Hutson, Green Bay Packers and Alabama end, still tops the scorers with 43 points. Caddel is second with 36 and Ralph Kercheval, Brooklyn Dodgers, third with 34. Dale Burnett of the Giants is fourth.

LEADING GROUND GAINERS

Player and Team	Yds. Gained	Attempts	Average
Shepherd, Detroit.....	360	111	3.2
Caddel, Detroit.....	344	57	6.0
Clark, Detroit.....	320	98	3.2
Russell, Chicago Cards.....	288	76	3.7
Ronzani, Chicago Bears.....	282	60	4.6
Richards, New York.....	265	91	2.9
Danowski, New York.....	252	95	2.6
Kostka, Brooklyn.....	251	62	4.0
Franklin, Brooklyn.....	246	75	3.2
Sauer, Green Bay.....	243	72	3.3
Battles, Boston.....	229	63	3.5
Sisk, Chicago Bears.....	226	33	6.8

LEADING POINT SCORERS

Player and Team	Touch.	Pts.	Touch	F.G.	Pts.
Hutson, Green Bay.....	7	1	0	0	43
Caddel, Detroit.....	6	0	0	0	36
Kercheval, Brooklyn.....	2	7	5	0	34
Burnett, New York.....	5	0	0	0	30
Clark, Detroit.....	2	11	1	0	26
Strong, New York.....	2	9	3	0	24
Johnsos, Chicago Bears.....	4	0	0	0	24
Pollock, Chicago Bears.....	4	0	0	0	24
Niccolai, Pittsburgh.....	0	8	5	0	23
Richards, New York.....	3	0	1	0	21

(Note—These figures do not include Tuesday's night Cardinal-Dodger game).



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LINE-UP AND NUMBERS OF BOTH TEAMS

Referee—TOM THORP, New York
 Umpire—WILLIAM HALLORAN, Boston

Head Linesman—JOHN REARDON, New York
 Field Judge—JOHN MURRAY, New York

NEW YORK FOOTBALL GIANTS—Player Roster, 1935

No.	Name	Position	Weight	Height	College
2	DELL ISOLA, JOHN	Center	198	5:11	Fordham
3	GRANT, LEN	Tackle	225	6:3	N. Y. U.
5	MITCHELL, BUSTER	End	205	6:0	Davis-Elkins
7	*HEIN, MEL	Center	225	6:2	Wash. State
8	BELLINGER, BOB	Guard	220	5:10 ³ / ₄	Gonzaga
9	QUATSE, JESS	Tackle	229	5:11	Pitt
10	JONES, TOM	Guard	224	5:11	Bucknell
11	SARAUSKY, TONY	Back	198	5:11	Fordham
12	NEWMAN, HARRY	Quarter	182	5:10	Michigan
13	RICHARDS, ELVIN (KINK)	Back	196	5:11	Simpson
14	GOODWIN, TOD	End	184	6:0	West Virginia
15	SINGER, WALTER	End	198	6:0	Syracuse
17	*BADGRO, MORRIS (RED)	End	195	6:0	Southern Calif.
18	BURNETT, DALE	Back	188	6:1	Emporia Tech.
20	SHAFFER, LELAND	Back	200	6:2	Kansas State
21	FRANKIAN, IKE	End	207	5:11	St. Mary's
22	DANOWSKI, ED	Back	198	6:1	Fordham
23	MOLENDIA, BO	Back	215	6:0	Michigan
25	MACKORELL, JOHN	Back	178	5:10	Davidson
27	*MORGAN, BILL	Tackle	235	6:2	Oregon
29	IRVIN, CECIL (TEX)	Tackle	230	6:0	Davis-Elkins
33	CORZINE, LES	Back	210	6:1	Davis-Elkins
36	OWEN, BILL	Tackle	225	6:0	Okla. A. M.
50	*STRONG, KEN	Back	205	5:11	N. Y. U.
55	KAPLAN, BERNIE	Guard	210	6:0	W. Maryland

Coch—Steve Owen, Phillips University.

Trainers—Charles Porter and Gus Mauch.

* Signifies all-league player 1934.

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES—Player Roster, 1935

No.	Name	Position	Weight	Height	College
10	WEINSTOCK, IZZY	Fullback	205	6:0	Pitt
11	KRESKY, JOE	Guard	220	6:0	Wisconsin
12	MATESIC, ED	Halfback	195	6:1	Pitt
13	KENNEALLY, GEORGE (Capt.)	End	192	6:0	St. Bonaventure's
14	HANSON, SWEDE	Halfback	197	6:1	Temple
15	WILLSON, DIDDIE	Guard	195	5:10	Penn
17	CARTER, JOE	End	203	6:1	Southern Methodist
19	LEONARD, JIM	Fullback	204	6:0	Notre Dame
20	McMURDO, JIM	Tackle	220	6:1	Pitt
21	CUBA, PAUL	Tackle	212	6:0	Pitt
22	STORM, ED	Halfback	195	6:1	Santa Clara
24	LACKMAN, DICK	Halfback	186	5:11	No College
25	REESE, HANK	Center	210	5:11 ¹ / ₂	Temple
26	McPHERSON, FORREST	Center	215	5:10 ¹ / ₂	Nebraska
27	ROBISON, BUKE	End	197	6:4	Brigham Young
29	THOMASON, "STUMPY"	Halfback	190	5:7	Georgia Tech.
31	BRIAN, BILL	Center	200	6:1	Kansas State
36	MANSKE, ED	End	185	6:0	Northwestern
39	BENSON, HARRY	Guard	218	5:10	Western Maryland
42	JORGENSEN, CARL	Tackle	210	6:0	St. Mary's
45	BUSHBY, TOM	Back	205	5:10 ¹ / ₂	Kansas State

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FINAL SCHOOL ELIMINATIONS

The final of a series of elimination contests for schoolboy athletes of the metropolitan area will be held today. Victors in the running and passing contests for Manhattan and Bronx private schools qualify for the final for the New York Giants trophy to be contested Sunday, December 8. Victors in four previous competitions will meet today's winners.

In running the distance of the field, Royce Jennings of Mamaroneck with a mark of 11.3 seconds has turned in the fastest time so far. There is also a passing competition, each passer getting five tries at a target from ten yards.

Competitors from Manhattan and Bronx private and Catholic schools are:

Running Length of Field

Bernard Lavin, Mt. St. Michael's
Alston Horton, Horace Mann
Don Mallet, Barnard
Oscar Israel, Fieldston
Ray Forziat, Fordham Prep
George Mountenet, All Hallows
John Reilly, Riverdale
Patsy Danza, Curtis
Frank Polygnam, McBurney
Xavier entry

Passing at Target

Stanley Kowal, Mt. St. Michael's
Ronnie Cahill, Horace Mann
Ed Beckman, Barnard
Jack Troster, Fieldston
George Stirnweiss, Fordham Prep
Bob Ferguson, McBurney
Fred Thomas, Riverdale
Jay Nollman, All Hallows

READ AND KNOW

History of Pro Football and Its Players

Pro Football, Its Ups and Downs, by Dr. Harry A. March.

Who's Who in Major League Football, by Speed Johnson and Wilfrid Smith.

Spalding's National Football League Guide, edited by John T. Doyle.

Football, by Potsy Clark.

How to Watch Football—The Spectator's Guide, by Lou Little.

The National Football League

RULES OF MAJOR LEAGUE FOOTBALL SUMMARIZED BY WILFRID SMITH

Professional football, in the past three seasons, has altered the code of rules under which colleges and universities play the game. The changes have not been numerous but they have been important.

The most important change permits forward passes to be thrown from any point behind the scrimmage line. The college rule permits forward passes from any point FIVE yards behind the scrimmage line.

In professional football the goal posts are on the goal lines.

Professional football declined to adopt the "dead ball" rule of the collegiate code.

Flying blocks and flying tackles are permitted in the professional game. The professional rule against clipping, that is, knocking down an opponent from the rear, is strictly enforced. The penalty is loss of 25 yards, as compared with the collegiate rule which penalizes infractions with the loss of 15 yards.

Professional players may be stationed any place on the field so long as they do not advance within 10 yards of the ball before it is kicked.

At the kickoff, the pros may kick from a dirt tee.

Substitute players may communicate with their teammates immediately on entering the game. Coaches must be notified when the limit of three times out have been taken in a half.

When the ball carrier is run out of bounds or is tackled at any point within 15 yards of the side line, the ball will be placed in play at a corresponding point 15 yards from the side of the field.

Offside penalties on the defense within its own 10 yard line have been minimized. Instead of loss of five yards, customary rule, the penalty in this area now is half the distance to the goal.

Here are the two most important changes in the pro rules for this fall:

1. A fumbled ball, except fumbles resulting from lateral passes, may be advanced by either team, no matter whether the ball strikes the ground or not. On fumbled laterals, the rule remains the same. The offense may recover and advance; the defense only may recover unless the ball is caught in the air. Then it may be advanced. Fumbled kicks may be recovered by the kicking team. They can not be advanced unless the receiver of the kick gains possession and then fumbles when tackled.

2. The penalty for two forward passes on the same down has been changed. In the past there have been several instances where a forward pass was completed successfully and after the ball had been advanced for a long gain, an attempted lateral pass actually became a second forward pass. Under the collegiate rule the ball is brought back to the point at which it originally was put into play. The new professional rule provides for a loss of FIVE yards from the point at the second and illegal forward pass.

A second incomplete forward pass in the end zone constitutes a touchback and loss of the ball to opponents on their 20 yard line. This is the rule in the collegiate code. It also is the professional rule unless the second incomplete pass into the end zone is thrown when the ball was put into play from a point back of the opponents' 20 yard line. In this case the ball passes over to the opponents at that point rather than the 20 yard line.

PIRATES CLOSE THE SEASON

The Pittsburgh Pirates, under the tutelage of Joe Bach, former Notre Dame star and later coach of Duquesne University, will invade the Polo Grounds on Sunday, December 8, to wind up the regular National Football League season for 1935.

The Pirates have been one of the most improved teams in the pro grid circuit and all signs point to a busy and rough afternoon for the Giants. It was the Pirate squad that handed the Chicago Cardinals one of their two defeats, and it was the same Pittsburgh crew which put such a crimp in the Brooklyn Dodgers on their appearance at Ebbets Field several weeks ago.

Before tackling the Pirates here, however, the Giants will have to play Thanksgiving Day at Ebbets Field and from the battle Paul Schissler's charges put up in the opening game at the Polo

Grounds, this will also be a tough struggle. In order to accommodate those Giant followers who expect to witness the Interborough scrap next Thursday the Giants office, Room 1740, 11 West 42nd St., will have seats available starting tomorrow morning. Tickets for the final home game with the Pirates will be available at the same address during the week of December 2.

The Pirates bring a notable collection of ball carriers here headed by Warren Heller, former Pitt ace, Art Strutt, who topped the nation's leading scorers at Duquesne last year, Hal Levey, former Browns' shortstop and grid star of the Quantico Marines, and not the least, Buzz Wetzel, plunging full back of the Ohio State eleven a year ago and the outstanding buckler of the All-star-Chicago Bears game this fall.

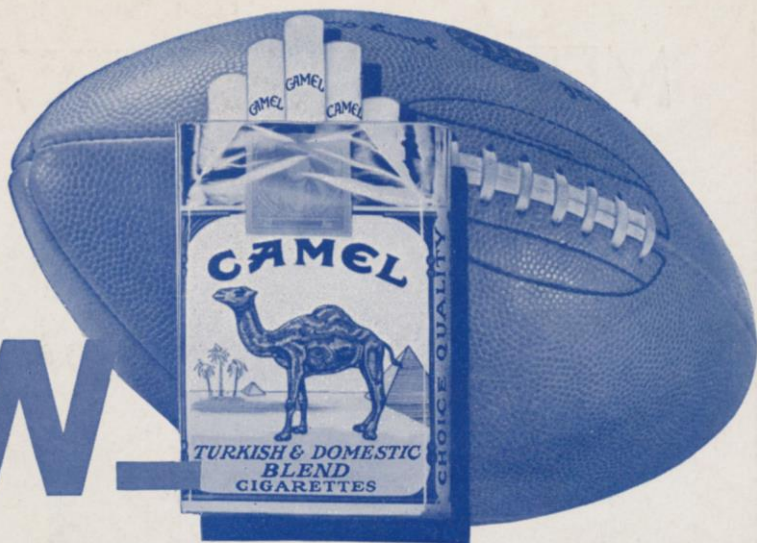


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