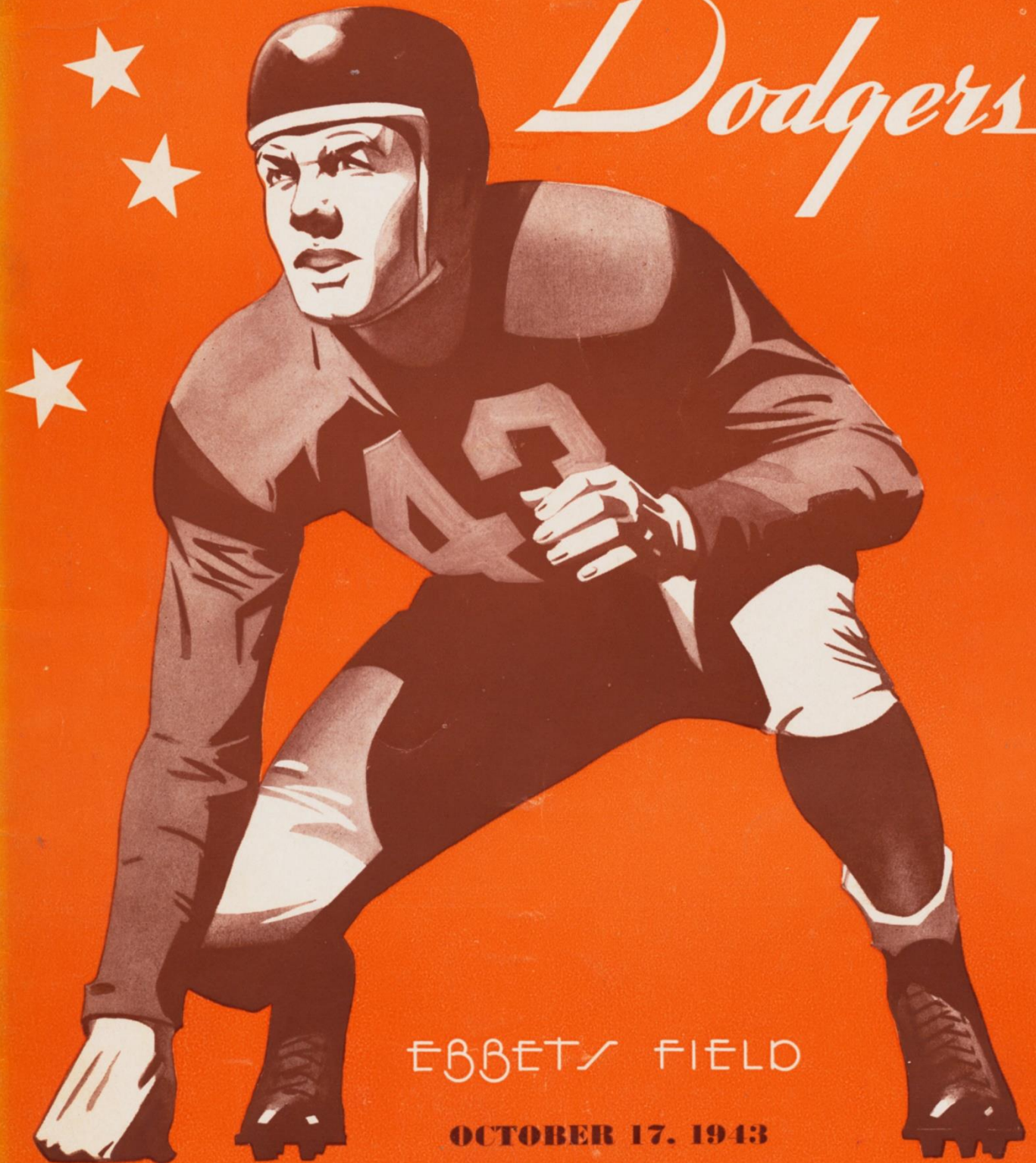


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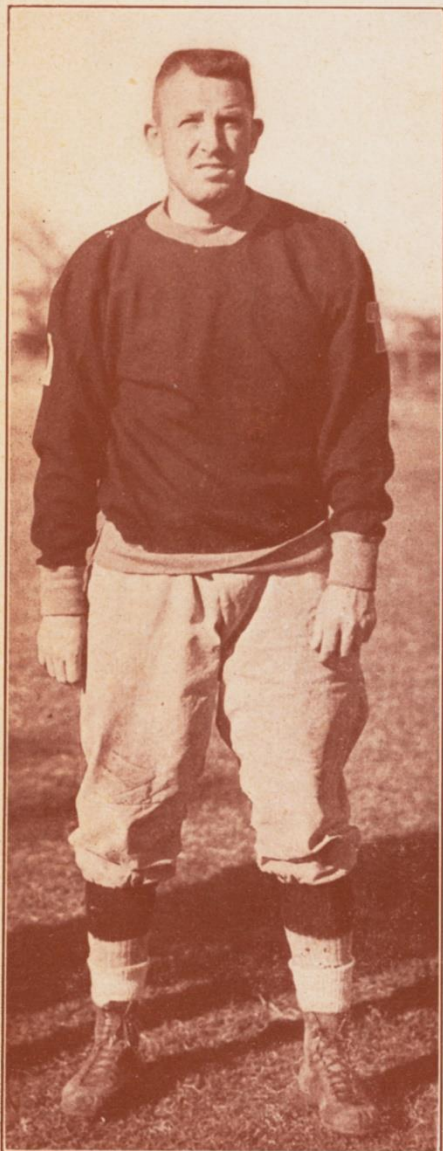
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A Texas Coach!



COACH PETE CAWTHON

A truly representative product of Texas is Pete Cawthon. The Lone Star stamp is as indelibly imprinted on the new coach of the Brooklyn Football Dodgers as that of New York is on Jimmy Walker. He was an all-around athlete—football, basketball, baseball and track—in high school in his native Houston and later at Southwestern (Tex.) University.

Pete played professional baseball in the Texas and West Texas Leagues and for twenty years after he quit the halls of Southwestern he coached, generally all sports but particularly football, at Texas institutions of learning. For eleven of these years, 1930 to 1940 inclusive, the drawling Cawthon spent in bringing Texas Tech to the fore on the gridiron.

But then he left Texas Tech and his dear Texas to join Commander Tom Hamilton as the latter's first associate in planning the Navy Pre-Flight Schools' athletic program. However, when the 1942 football season rolled around, Peter was back in the coaching ranks again, operating as line coach at Alabama under Frank Thomas, their team walloping Boston College in the Orange Bowl by a 37-21 score.

Now Peter Willis Cawthon, to give him the full count, is involved in the rugged competition provided by the National Football League, following in the footsteps of Jock Sutherland and Mike Getto as the third Brooklyn head mentor in as many years. He is no Johnny-Come-Lately to the professional circuit, as he made a survey of the league for the Navy in 1941 and through the years has always made it a point to see league games each season.

Cawthon made his bow in Brooklyn under circumstances that cannot be called auspicious. To begin with he was not named coach until late in June, by which time his rivals in the league not only had their squads well lined up but also had arranged exhibition dates. Pete made a start that was virtually from scratch and it is to his credit that he did round up a squad of 50 players for the start of practice at Bear Mountain on Sept. 2, a feat indeed in these difficult times.

Naturally it was an array predominantly rookie in content, some of whom had been away from football for five and six years. The only 1942 Brooklyn holdovers present were Capt. Bruiser Kinard, Merlyn Condit, Pug Manders, Bud Svendson and Dean McAdams, and presently George Cafego came along when discharged by the Army. Another half-dozen—Tillie Manton, Bill Davis, Red Conkright, Jake Fawcett, Keith Ranspot and Ken Heineman—with league experience were acquired by deals. The others were all new to the league.

In addition to this glaring lack of experienced players, Cawthon's late appointment precluded the scheduling of an exhibition or two with rival elevens in the league. As a result, when the Dodgers went against the Detroit Lions in their N.F.L. opener with five rookies in the starting lineup, they had been in only two competitive tests, against a soldier eleven and a semi-pro outfit both unsatisfactory as a means of bringing a team to the proper pitch for its championship season.

Further troubles beset Cawthon and his coaching aides, Buff Donelli, former Duquesne mentor, and Frank Bridges, a veteran of the coaching fields, when the Dodgers came out of the Detroit and Philadelphia-Pittsburgh games riddled by injuries that struck Heineman, Condit, Manders, Ranspot, Cafego and Pete Owens.

Nevertheless, in the face of such misfortune, players and coaches have stuck grimly to their task. They go about their Ebbets Field drills in business-like fashion, creating an atmosphere of confidence that, given time and a smile from the fates, they will come through with a brand of football that will do credit to Brooklyn.

Texas Tech in the Cawthon regime was known as a scoring team. Peter always has been an offensive-minded coach. His Red Raider teams of 1932 and 1938 topped the nation in scoring and only eight times in his eleven years at Lubbock, Tex., were his teams blanked. During that span, Texas Tech gridiron teams won 79, lost 28, tied 5, at the same time qualifying for games in the Sun Bowl in 1938 and Cotton Bowl in 1939. The latter team was unbeaten in ten games, but bowed to St. Mary's, 20-14, in the Cotton Bowl.

It had been Cawthon's plan to employ the two-team system in Brooklyn this season. However, the inexperience of his charges as a whole, followed by the string of injuries, put such ideas out of reach. Currently, it's a matter of stretching limited resources as far as they can go.

The Brooklyn eleven this year attacks from a basic Notre Dame formation that utilizes a flanker and also a man in motion. Cawthon likes his boys to pass, so it's up to Messrs. McAdams, Cafego, Condit and Heineman to provide aerial fireworks of a Brooklyn brand at Ebbets Field that will outdo the forwards that Emory Nix of the Giants today and Sammy Baugh of the Redskins two weeks hence put on display.





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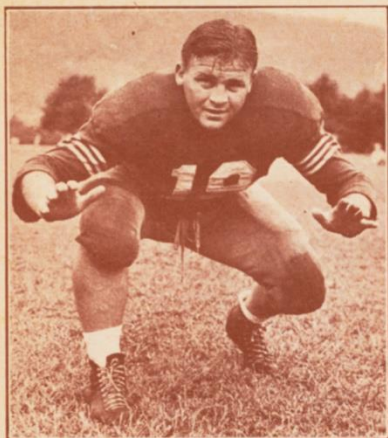
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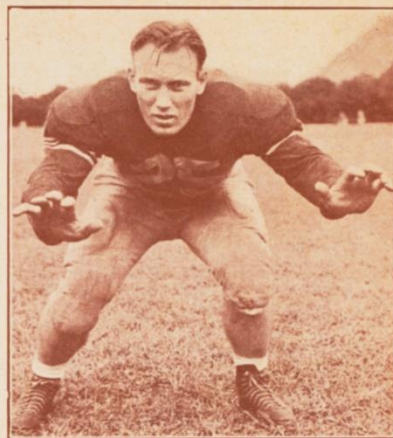
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JAKE FAWCETT

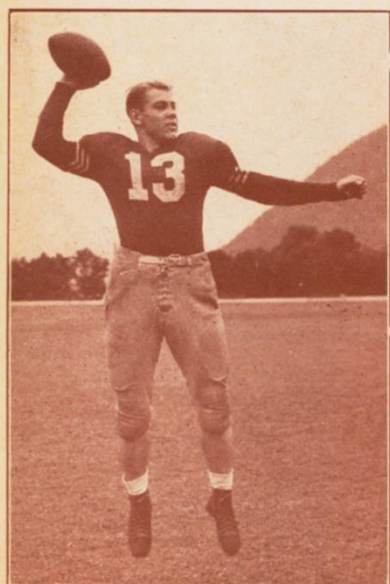


PUG MANDERS



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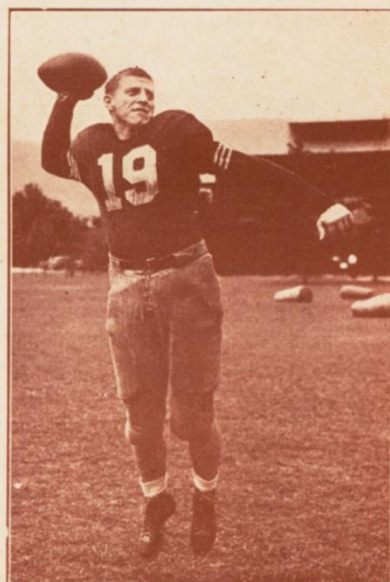
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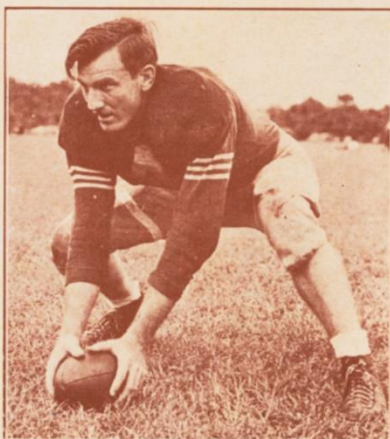
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This rivalry was started in 1926, and today finds them meeting for the twenty-ninth time. The Giants show a big lead in the series, with 20 victories against the Dodgers' five, and three battles deadlocked. The Giants have scored 426 points, and the Brooklyns 178.

The Brooklyn deficit in the records is not a true index to the fire of the series in recent years. In 1941, the Dodgers won both games from the Giants. In fact, the Giants today are confronted with the fact that they had dropped four in a row to their Flatbush rivals.

The Dodgers took the second game of 1940 from the Owen combination, 14 to 6, won both 1941 games, 16 to 13 and 21 to 7 and grabbed the first encounter of 1942, at Ebbets Field, 17 to 7, but lost the second 10 to 0.

1926—New York, 17; Brooklyn, 0.
New York, 27; Brooklyn, 0.

1930—Brooklyn, 7; New York, 6.
New York, 13; Brooklyn, 0.

1931—New York, 27; Brooklyn, 0.
New York, 19; Brooklyn, 6.

1932—New York, 20; Brooklyn, 12.
New York, 13; Brooklyn, 7.

1933—New York, 21; Brooklyn, 7.
New York, 10; Brooklyn, 0.

1934—New York, 14; Brooklyn, 0.
New York, 27; Brooklyn, 0.

1935—New York, 10; Brooklyn, 7.
New York, 21; Brooklyn, 0.

1936—Brooklyn, 10; New York, 10.
New York, 14; Brooklyn, 0.

1937—New York, 21; Brooklyn, 0.
New York, 13; Brooklyn, 13.

1938—New York, 28; Brooklyn, 14.
New York, 7; Brooklyn, 7.

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New York, 20 games; Brooklyn, 5
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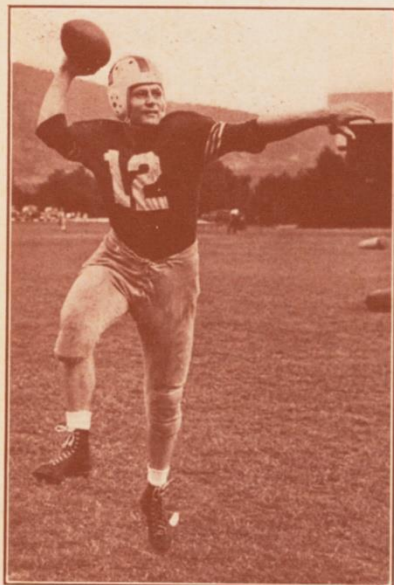
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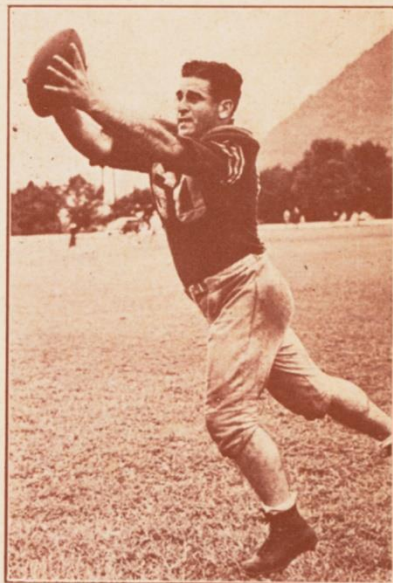
Brooklyn Dodgers



KENNETH HEINEMAN



GEORGE GRANDINETTE



RAY WEHBA

Looking Ahead!

The visit of the Washington Redskins is always a stirring annual event in Brooklyn football circles. The Redskins team this year has been very little affected by missing players who have gone into the service. When the Redskins appear in Ebbets Field two weeks from today, they will present a formidable array of veterans. The starting lineup of the Redskins is, in fact, an all-veteran "Eleven" with the invincible Sammy Baugh tossing passes with the skill that has won for him the fame of being the greatest passer that football ever has known. In fact, this is presumed to be a passing year in the National Football League with such remarkable air merchants as Sinkwich with Detroit, Luckman with the Bears, Emory Nix with the Giants, Leroy Zimmerman with the Philadelphia Team and Ronnie Cahill, who was the star of Holy Cross some years ago, but, singularly enough, has waited several years before coming to the National Pro Football League.

It is going to be a merry race this year and Brooklyn is not going to be in the rear because in its ranks is such a stirring performer as Ken Heineman who, as a collegian, was rated even better in Texas football circles than Davey O'Brien and Sammy Baugh. You are bidden to keep watch of this young man on the field today and note what a splendid addition to the Brooklyn backfield he is.

The Redskins have been fortunate in retaining their backfield stars and again such luminaries as Cecil Hare, Wilbur Moore and Andy Farkas will join with Baugh in making a quartet which is supreme in the Eastern Division at least. Washington's new coach, Dutch Bergman, has already given evidence that he knows his way about in the Pro League and it will be interesting to Brooklyn Football fans to see how he handles his charges in their first Brooklyn appearance. Tickets have been selling for quite a while now for this game, although there are many splendid locations left for those who desire to attend.

PROBABLE NEW YORK GIANT LINE-UP

TIME O

2:30

ADAMS 30 Left End	COPE 36 Left Tackle	YOUNCE 60 Left Guard	PICCOLO 29 Center	AVEDISIAN 55 Right Guard	BLOZIS 32 Right Tackle	WALLS 24 Right End
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SHAFFER
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Quarterback

CUFF
14
Left Halfback

PASCHAL
8
Fullback

NIX
44
Right Halfback

NEW YORK GIANTS FOOTBALL ROSTER

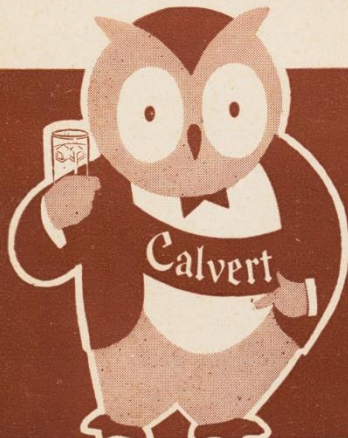
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4	Leemans, Tuffy	H.B.	202	6:00	30	G. Washington	8th
5	Brown, Dave	H.B.	190	5:11	24	Alabama	1st
7	Hein, Mel	C.	234	6:04	34	Wash. State	13th
8	Paschal, Bill	F.B.	195	6:00	21	Georgia Tech	1st
11	Pritko, Steve	E.	205	6:01	22	Villanova	1st
12	Dubzinski, Walter	C.	205	5:10	24	Boston College	1st
14	Cuff, Ward	H.B.	192	6:01	29	Marquette	7th
17	Trocolor, Bob	H.B.	205	6:02	24	Alabama	2nd
20	Shaffer, Leland	Q.B.	200	6:00	31	Kansas State	9th
22	Liebel, Frank	E.	203	6:01	24	Norwich U.	2nd
24	Walls, Will	E.	220	6:04	29	T. C. U.	6th
25	Kinscherf, Carl	F.B.	185	6:00	23	Colgate	1st
26	Carrroll, Vic	T.	230	6:04	29	Nevada	8th
28	Adams, Verlin	E.	205	6:01	25	Morris Harvey	1st
29	Piccolo, Bill	C.	185	5:11	22	Canisius	1st
30	Adams, O'Neale	E.	195	6:03	24	Arkansas	2nd
31	Visnic, Larry	G.	195	5:10	23	St. Benedict's	1st
32	Blozis, Al	T.	250	6:07	24	Georgetown	2nd
34	Marone, Sol	G.	195	5:10	25	Manhattan	2nd
36	Cope, Frank	T.	232	6:03	27	Santa Clara	6th
37	Sulaitis, Joe	H.B.	210	6:02	22	1st
39	Roberts, Tom	G.	215	6:01	25	DePaul	1st
42	Barker, Hubeth	Q.B.	195	5:11	23	Arkansas	2nd
44	Nix, Emery	H.B.	180	5:11	23	T. C. U.	1st
50	Karcis, John	F.B.	225	5:09	33	Carnegie Tech	5th
55	Avedisian, Charley	G.	200	5:09	25	Providence	2nd
60	Younce, Len	G.	205	6:01	25	Oregon	2nd
69	Umont, Frank	T.	220	5:11	25	1st

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			MANTON 19 Quarterback			
CAFEGO 23 Left Halfback		MANDERS 9 Fullback		JOHNSON 27 Right Halfback		

BROOKLYN DODGERS FOOTBALL ROSTER

No.	Name	Position	Weight	Height	Age	College	Season in NFL
9	Manders, Pug	F.B.	200	6:00	30	Drake	5th
10	Geineman, Kenneth	H.B.	165	5:09½	25	Texas Mines	2nd
12	Martin, Frank	H.B.	165	5:09½	24	Alabama	1st
14	Ransport, Keith	E.	190	6:03	29	Southern Methodist	5th
15	Gutknecht, Albert	G.	210	6:00	26	Niagara	2nd
16	Setcavage, Joseph	Q.B.	190	5:11	25	Duquesne	1st
17	Kowalski, Andy	E.	197	6:01	22	Miss. State	1st
18	Svendsen, Bud	C.	180	6:00	28	Minnesota	7th
19	Manton, Taldon	H.B.	190	5:11	30	Texas Christian	6th
23	Cafego, George	H.B.	180	6:03	24	Tennessee	2nd
25	Kinard, Bruiser	T.	218	6:00½	29	Mississippi	6th
26	Brown, Bill	Q.B.	190	6:00	24	Marshall (Tex.)	1st
27	Johnson, Cecil	H.B.	204	5:11	23	E. Texas St. Tchrs.	1st
28	Bandura, John	E.	206	6:00	24	Southwestern	1st
29	Webb, George	E.	180	6:01	27	Texas Tech.	1st
33	Owens, Pete	G.	205	5:11½	26	Texas Tech.	1st
34	Grandinette, George	G.	215	5:09	26	Fordham	1st
35	Condit, Merlyn	H.B.	185	5:10½	26	Carnegie Tech	4th
37	Conkright, William	C.	205	6:01½	29	Oklahoma U.	7th
38	Wehba, Ray	E-B.	215	6:00	27	Southern Calif.	1st
39	Sergienko, George	T.	175	5:11	25	American Int.	1st
41	Jones, Lewis	G.	215	6:00	31	Weatherford	1st
42	Schmarr, Herman	E.	210	6:02	28	Catholic U.	1st
43	Marek, Joe	F.B.	182	5:11	27	Texas A. & M.	1st
44	Fawcett, Jake	G-T.	225	6:00	24	Southern Methodist	2nd
45	Mooney, Tex	T.	290	6:05	26	Southern California	2nd
57	Davis, Bill	T.	235	6:01	27	Texas Tech.	4th
60	McAdams, Dean	H.B.	195	6:01	26	U. of Washington	3rd

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Samuel Weiss	2
Tom Dowd	4
Ronald Gibbs	6
E. F. Tommy Hughitt	7
Carl K. Rebele	8

Umpires

John J. Schommer	12
Carl Brubaker	14
Harry D. Robb	15
Fay Vincent	17
John B. Kelly	18

Field Judges

Charles Sweeney	22
Lloyd Brazil	23
William Downes	25
Eugene Miller	26
J. Edward Tryon	29

Headlinesmen

Earl Cavanaugh	30
Charlie F. Berry	31
Irving Kupcinet	32
Larry Conover	34
Louis J. Gordon	35



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1 Offside, both sides	No penalty
2 Offside	5 yards
3 Holding, etc., by defensive side	5 yards
4 Man in motion—no shift	5 yards
5 Crawling	5 yards
6 Taking out time more than three times during half	5 yards
7 Running into kicker	5 yards
8 Substitute failing to report	5 yards
9 Unreasonable delay in putting ball into play	5 yards
10 Starting forward before ball	5 yards
11 Illegal use of hands and arms by offense	15 yards
12 Roughing kicker	15 yards
13 Unnecessary roughness	15 yards
14 Intentional throwing forward pass to ground	15 yards
15 Unsportsmanlike conduct	15 yards
16 Man in motion on shift	15 yards
17 Interference on forward by passing team	15 yards
18 Clipping from behind	15 yards
19 Interference on forward by defense	1st down at point of foul
20 Penalty declined	

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Washington	1	0	0	1.000	27	0
New York	0	1	0	.000	14	28
Brooklyn	0	3	0	.000	0	71

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Washington, 27; Brooklyn, 0.
Chicago Bears, 20; Chicago Cardinals, 0.
Green Bay, 35; Detroit, 14.
Steagles, 28; New York, 14.

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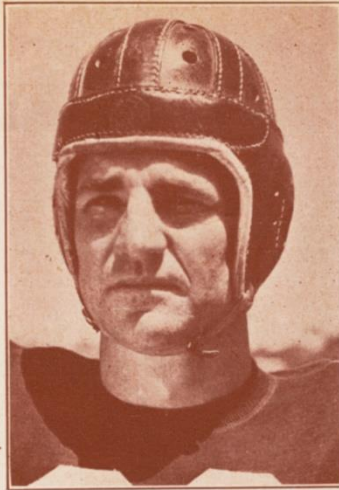
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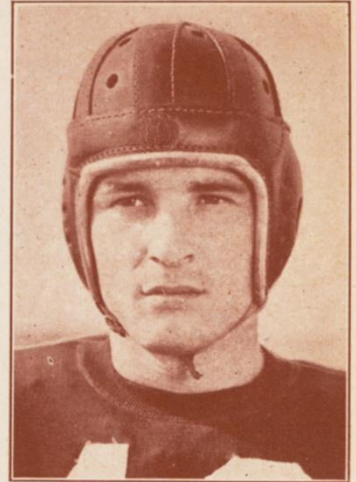
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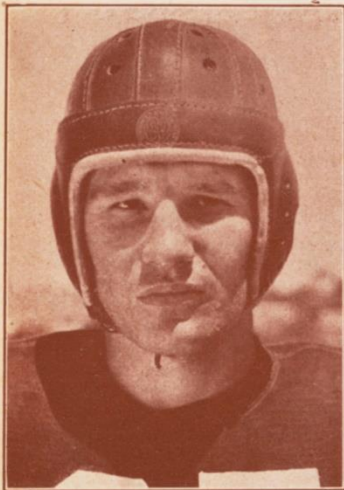
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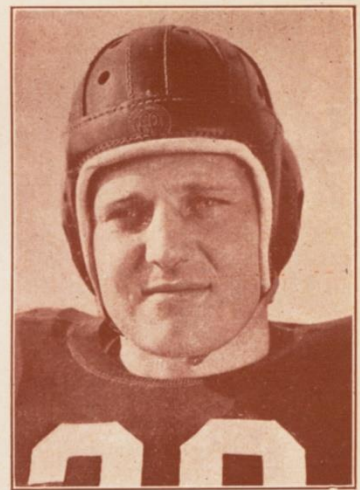
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Even though Perry Schwartz, the "Blond Bomber" of the Brooklyn Football Club for the past 4 years, has gone into the Navy and would naturally sink into obscurity insofar as public notice is concerned, he cannot be denied mention

in the Sports Pages. He is at the Iowa Pre-Flight School and he has been playing left end for the powerful team representing this Naval Station. Brooklyn most certainly misses this most efficient of ends.



Team mates call George Sergienko the "Mad Russian" simply because that is the most common term to apply to a Russian player—for what reason cannot readily be determined, but there are very few people in the world less mad than solid George from Catholic University. He is one of the prize freshmen of the current season in the National Football League. His playing in

Washington marked him as one of the best young tackles to have come up this year. He comes from Russian parentage but he gives no evidence of the sadness generally attributed to the Russian character, for he is one of the jolliest members of the team and is the readiest to join in the "Barber shop" harmonies when the boys get together for a little "sing."



Bill Conkright, Brooklyn's center of the current year, is one of the real veterans of the game. This is his seventh year in the National Football League and he proves his right to the veteran

ranks by the vigor of his play. Underneath his helmet he has a thatch of fiery red hair and that is why he is generally called "Red" Conkright.



When Coach Pete Cawthon went journeying in the far Southland to enlist some football players, he pulled out of Mississippi State College a New Jersey boy who is proving to be a real find as an end in pro football, Andy Kowalski, whose home is in Gloucester. He also drew from Marshall College, an obscure educational institution deep in the heart of Texas, Bill Brown, a halfback whose home is in the coal region of Pennsylvania.

The reason for the prevalence for the Northern boys in the Southern colleges is plain to those who know their college football. The coaches of many Southern colleges do not bother to seek Southern boys, but make annual journeys up in the Northern states to select their football candidates. Bill Brown was quite a sensation as a high school player in his home town of McKeesport.

Introducing "Dutch" Bergman, Redskins New Head Coach

THE short, stocky grey-haired man who will be nervously chewing on a cigar in his chair in front of the Redskin bench will be one of four new head coaches in the National Football League, but Arthur J. "Dutch" Bergman is no stranger to football fans.

Several years ago, while head coach at Catholic University, "Dutch" manned the mike on Redskin broadcasts. He gave the coaches' viewpoint and his technical side of the ball game was well received.

Two years ago, out of football for the first time since his playing days at Notre Dame, "Dutch" joined the staff of officials in National League games and called several games in Washington as a competent field judge.

Last year "Dutch" resigned from the board of officials to accept George Marshall's offer as Redskin scout, a newly created position in the Redskin setup. Week after week Bergman flew to the various pro league cities and brought back all-revealing scout reports to Coach Ray Flaherty.

When it was fairly obvious the Redskins and Bears were to meet for the championship in the playoff game, Bergman stuck to the Bears for three consecutive Sundays and after the Redskins won the championship, 14-6, Flaherty went overboard in giving Bergman credit for a marvelous scouting job which helped make the victory possible.

When Flaherty was called into the Navy, Bergman was selected as head coach of the champion Redskins. "Dutch" was succeeding a coach who from 1936 through

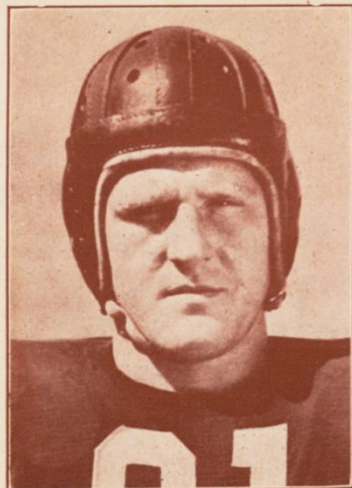
1942 had won two national championships and two eastern titles.

"Dutch" has found the sledding a little tough to date. The turnover in players has been terrific as 20 players have left the squad. To a combination of veterans, rookies and players from other clubs, "Dutch" has been teaching a system unlike the ones they worked with in the past. Too, his first three games were against as powerful clubs as there are in football today—the College All-Stars, Green Bay Packers and Chicago Bears—and before he knew it people were asking, "What's the matter with the Redskins?" not stopping to apply a little reasoning for the three exhibition game losses.

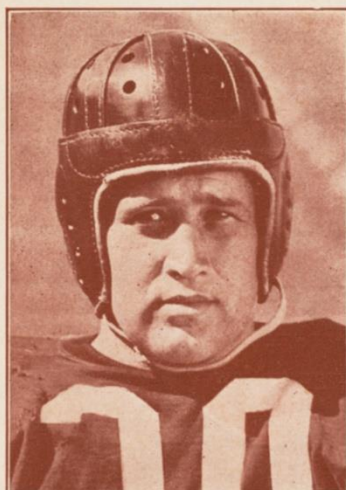
But "Dutch" is the type fellow who quickly gains the confidence of his players and soon, most likely starting today, his charm will spread to the fans, too.

One of Notre Dame's gifts to football, "Dutch" left South Bend in 1919 after a career interrupted by the first World War. He was a captain in the Air Corps and saw action over France in a rickety plane which would be laughed at today. With the highest of references from Knute Rockne, "Dutch" went to New Mexico as football coach and director of athletics in 1920. He held the same position at the U. of Dayton from 1924 through '26 and moved to Minnesota as backfield coach and baseball mentor until 1930. Then for a decade he moved Catholic University from the lowest class of collegiate football to a school represented by two bowl teams.

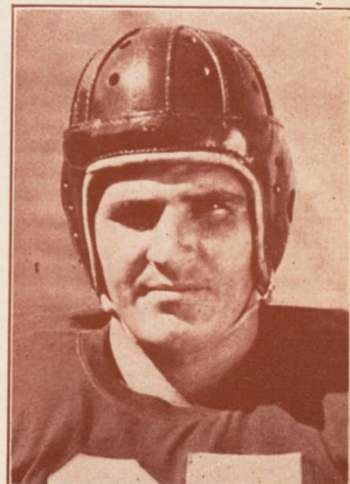
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