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THE Chicago Bears, currently tied for leadership in the western division and favored to dethrone Green Bay as champion of that section, invade the Polo Grounds next Sunday in the first of three intersectional games which will test the titular hopes of the local eleven to its limit.

The Bears headed by such outstanding back-field men as Sid Luckman from Columbia; Bill Os-manski from Holy Cross, who led the league in ground gaining last fall; Joe Maniaci of Fordham; George McAfee, sensa-tional rookie from Duke; and Gary Famiglietti of Boston U. have been run-ning roughshod over all opposition in the west. The Halas outfit also has a definite grudge with the Giants to settle from the bruising contest of last fall when the Giants won out 16 to 13 and thus deprived the Bears of a place in the titular final.

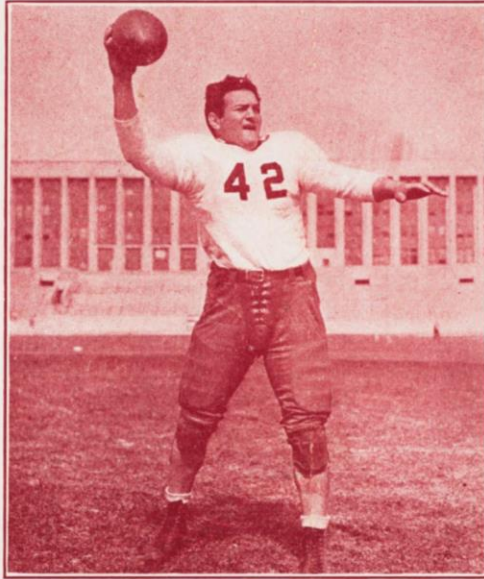
It has been many years since the Giants were able to score two successive victories over the Bears. As a matter of fact the power-ful Chicago eleven has won 14 times to 10 victories for the New York eleven and only once have the two played a tie.

The Bears have been greatly strengthened since last fall when it took a magnificent goal line stand by the Giants to win the game. Bob Nowaskey, George Washington end, who

starred against the Giants in the All-star clash; Ken Kavanaugh of L.S.U. sensa-tional pass snaring end; Ed Kolman, powerful tackle from Temple; and Cylda "Bulldog" Turner, stand-out All-American center from Hardin-Sim-mons, are just a few of the newcomers added to the stand-out team the Bears had last fall.

There is no question but that this will be one of the high spots of the Giants home schedule.

If you are not one of the many people who availed themselves of the



SID LUCKMAN

opportunity to purchase the same seat for all Giants home games you can secure your reserved seats for the Bears game today here in the Polo Grounds. The Exchange window located in the lower stand on the first base side will have Bears game tickets on sale between the halves. The Giants box office at 11 West 42nd Street, Room 1740, will be open daily at 9 A.M. starting tomorrow morning and you can secure reserved seats there at no extra cost.

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REDSKINS STILL ROLLING

At least three new National Football League offensive records will be established by the Washington Redskins if they continue their torrid pace throughout the remainder of the season. Team statistics for the fifth week of play, shows that Washington is 2 completions a game superior and 1% more efficient in forward passing, and 1 point a game better in scoring than all-time league records in these departments made a year ago.

Washington leads in scoring with 113 points and forward passing with 53 completions in 89 tosses for 59%. Even the Chicago Cardinals, boasting the best pass defense of only 32% completed against them, had 62% completed against them by the uncanny aerial wizardry of Sammy Baugh and Frank Filchock last Sunday.

The other three forward passing leaders—Philadelphia, Cleveland and Green Bay—are also in the running for possible shattering of the major league standard of 127 completions in an Eleven game schedule. Philadelphia and Green Bay are one completion a game above the average and Cleveland is even with its average which set the record last season. Philadelphia and Cleveland are tied in passing efficiency with 43%. A total of 371 completions out of 897 tosses by the ten teams in the circuit brings the league passing efficiency up to 41%.

Green Bay has taken second place in scoring with 99 points, while Brooklyn moved up to third place with 78 points. Green Bay continues to lead in ground gaining with a 332 yard average. It is the first time in league history that Brooklyn has been among the first three in scoring.

Team statistics, fifth week of play:

Team	EASTERN DIVISION					Opp. Pts.	
	Games	Y.G.	O.Y.G.	F.P.	P.C.		Pts.
Washington	(4)	1317	957	89	53	113	55
Brooklyn	(4)	1080	922	63	26	78	44
New York	(4)	977	681	61	26	54	52
Pittsburgh	(6)	1146	1506	112	33	40	95
Philadelphia	(5)	910	1237	141	62	71	115
WESTERN DIVISION							
Green Bay	(4)	1329	1061	117	50	99	81
Chicago Bears	(4)	1002	1003	57	18	76	45
Detroit	(5)	867	751	56	22	56	31
Cleveland	(4)	978	1114	105	46	49	71
Chicago Cardinals	(6)	1027	1401	96	35	69	116

Teams in order of league standing. (Green Bay and Bears tied for first in Western Division and Cleveland and Cardinals for fourth). Y.G.—Yards Gained. O.Y.G.—Opponents' Yards Gained. F.P.—Forward Passes. P.C.—Passes Completed. Pts.—Points. Opp. Pts.—Opponents' Points.

NEW YORK GIANTS 1940 LEAGUE SCHEDULE

GAMES REMAINING

Sunday, Oct. 27, Chicago Bears
 Sunday, Nov. 3, At Brooklyn
 Sunday, Nov. 10, Cleveland
 Sunday, Nov. 17, Green Bay
 Sunday, Nov. 24, Washington
 Sunday, Dec. 1, Brooklyn

GAMES PLAYED

Giants 10, Pittsburgh 10
 Giants 7, Washington 21
 Giants 20, Philadelphia 14
 Giants 17, Philadelphia 7

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	EASTERN DIVISION			T.	Pct.
	W.	L.			
Washington	4	0		0	1.000
Brooklyn	3	1		0	.750
New York	2	1		1	.667
Pittsburgh	1	3		2	.250
Philadelphia	0	5		0	.000
WESTERN DIVISION					
Green Bay	3	1		0	.750
Chicago Bears	3	1		0	.750
Detroit	2	2		1	.500
Cleveland	1	3		0	.250
Chicago Cards	1	3		2	.250

OTHER GAMES TODAY

Brooklyn at Chicago Bears
 Washington at Philadelphia
 Chicago Cards at Cleveland
 Detroit at Green Bay

GAMES NEXT SUNDAY

Chicago Bears at New York
 Washington at Detroit
 Cleveland at Cardinals
 Pittsburgh-Green Bay at Milwaukee
 Brooklyn at Philadelphia (Sat. nite)

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PLATUKIS 33 Left End	CAMPBELL 29 Left Tackle	NERY 40 Left Guard	GRABINSKI 53 Center	PERKO 39 Right Guard	NICCOLAI 17 Right Tackle	SORTET 20 Right End
BRUDER 5 Quarterback		CONDIT 1 Left Halfback		JOHNSTON 6 Fullback		BRUMBAUGH 10 Right Halfback

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2:30

PITTSBURGH STEELERS FOOTBALL ROSTER

No.	Name	Position	Weight	Height	College	Years Pro.
1	Condit, Merlyn	B.	195	5:11	Carnegie Tech	9
3	Thompson, Thomas	H.B.	190	6:2	Tulsa	1
5	Bruder, Henry	Q.B.	205	6:0	Northwestern	9
6	Johnston, Chester	F.B.	205	5:11	Marquette	7
8	Fisher, Everett	B.	205	5:11½	Santa Clara	2
9	Kiick, George	B.	205	6:0	Bucknell	0
10	Brumbaugh, Boyd	H.B.	195	5:11	Duquesne	2
11	Schmidt, John	C.	210	6:3	Carnegie Tech	0
12	Patterson, William	H.B.	156	5:10	Baylor	1
17	Niccolai, Armand	T.	230	6:3	Duquesne	6
18	Sullivan, Frank	C.	220	6:3	Loyola, South	5
20	Sortet, Wilbur	E.	184	6:1	West Virginia	7
21	Tomasetti, Louis	H.B.	202	5:11	Bucknell	1
22	Ivy, Frank	E.	200	6:2	Oklahoma	0
23	Pirro, Rocco	B.	210	6:0	Catholic U.	0
25	McDonough, Coley	H.B.	190	6:2	Dayton	1
28	Doyle, Theo	T.	220	6:2	Nebraska	1
29	Campbell, Don	T.	235	6:0	Carnegie Tech	1
30	Pavkov, Stan	G.	208	6 0	Idaho	2
33	Platukis, George	E.	200	6:1	Duquesne	2
36	Woudenberg, John	T.	225	6:3	Denver	0
39	Perko, John	G.	195	6:0	Duquesne	3
40	Nery, Carl	G.	210	6:1	Duquesne	0
41	Boyd, Samuel	E.	185	6:1	Baylor	1
45	Kichfski, Walter	E.	210	6:1	Miami	0
50	Noppenberg, John	F.B.	202	6:0	Miami	0
53	Grabinski, Theo	C.	204	6:2	Duquesne	1
55	Sanders, John	G.	225	6:0	So. Methodist	0
64	Goff, Clark	T.	241	6:3	Florida	0

Coach—Walter Kiesling

Assistant Coach—Wilbur Sortet

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	Miller 9 Quarterback		Nielsen 8 Left Halfback		Falасhi 28 Fullback		Cuff 14 Right Halfback

NEW YORK GIANTS FOOTBALL ROSTER

No.	Name	Position	Weight	Height	Age	College	Yrs. Giants	Yrs. Pro
2	*John Dell Isola	Guard	199	5:11	28	Fordham	7	7
4	*Tuffy Leemans	Back	195	6:00	27	Geo. Washington	5	5
5	Kayo Lunday	Center	215	6:03	27	Arkansas	4	4
6	Al Owen	Back	188	6:01	25	Mercer	2	3
7**	Mel Hein (c)	Center	223	6:03	31	Washington State	10	10
8	Walt Nielsen	Back	219	6:03	23	Arizona	2	1
9	Eddie Miller	Back	165	5:10	23	New Mexico State	2	2
10	Len Barnum	Back	198	6:01	27	West Virginia Wes.	3	3
12	Kay Eakin	Back	183	6:00	23	Arkansas	1	1
14	Ward Cuff	Back	185	6:01	26	Marquette	4	4
15	Hank Soar	Back	207	6:02	25	Providence	4	4
17	John McLaughry	Back	205	6:01	23	Brown	1	1
20	Leland Shaffer	Back	202	6:02	28	Kansas State	6	6
21	Jim Lee Howell	End	201	6:05	25	Arkansas	4	4
22	Grenny Lansdell	Back	190	6:00	22	So. California	1	1
23	*Jim Poole	End	217	6:02	25	Mississippi	4	4
24	Bolo Perdue	End	207	5:11	23	Duke	1	1
25	Dominic Principe	Back	198	6:00	23	Fordham	1	1
27	Jiggs Kline	Back	195	6:00	26	Emporia	2	3
28	Nello Falасhi	Back	195	6:00	26	Santa Clara	3	3
29	Chuck Gelatka	End	182	6:00	27	Mississippi State	4	4
31	Max Harrison	End	208	6:01	24	Auburn	1	2
33	John Mellus	Tackle	223	6:00	25	Villanova	3	3
35	Ken Moore	Guard	212	5:11	22	W. Va. Wesleyan	1	2
36	Frank Cope	Tackle	218	6:02	24	Santa Clara	3	3
39	Doug Oldershaw	Guard	195	6:01	25	Santa Barbara	2	2
42	**Orville Tuttle	Guard	205	5:09	27	Oklahoma City	4	4
44	Ed McGee	Guard	210	6:02	24	Temple	1	1
50	**Ed Widseth	Tackle	220	6:01	27	Minnesota	4	4
55	Pete Cole	Guard	223	5:11	24	Trinity (Tex.)	4	4
60	Bill Edwards	Tackle	218	6:03	21	Baylor	1	1
66	Jerry Dennerlein	Tackle	245	6:02	25	St. Mary's	3	4
69	Cactus Face Duggan	Tackle	235	6:03	23	Oklahoma	1	1

*All-League 1939

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Coach—Steve Owen, Phillips U.

Asst. Coach—Bo Molenda, Michigan

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Average weight line—212

Average weight backs—196

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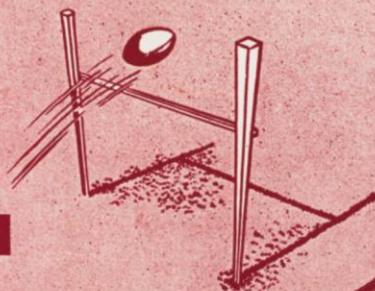


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Leemans Moves Up on Leaders

TUFFY LEEMANS, ace running back of the New York Giants, is now only a few yards behind Banks McFadden, Dodgers rookie ball carrier from Clemson, in the race for ground gaining honors in the National Football League. Leemans has gained 211 yards as against 239 yards for McFadden although Tuffy as you know only plays about half a game under the Giants two team system.

Whizzer White is not far behind either. In fact, only seven yards behind Leemans in third place but these three backs are the only ball carriers of the circuit who have piled up over 200 yards. Two other Giants backs, Eddie Miller and Walt Nielsen, are among the leaders however having gained over 100 yards apiece in four games.

Leemans in addition to his fine ground gaining record is setting a new standard in passing for himself. Tuffy has completed 11 in 20 for a 55% mark in efficiency, a mark surpassed only by Sammy Baugh who tops the league's passers. The Redskins ace is well on his way to a new aerial mark having completed 40 in four games out of 57 attempted to gain 556 yards. Baugh and Cecil Isbell of Green Bay have each completed five passes for touchdowns.

Ward Cuff is in the thick of the race for high scoring honors and is also among the leaders in his specialty of field goal kicking. The Giants back, who has led the league in place kicking the past two seasons, has kicked three field goals. Armand Niccolai of the Pittsburgh Steelers and Clarke Hinkle, Green Bay veteran, have each kicked four to top Cuff by one however. Niccolai's boot from the 48 yard line against the Giants in Pittsburgh is the longest of the season.

Cuff in addition to his field goal kicking has scored 20 points which gives him fifth place in point getting behind Jimmy Johnston of the Redskins, Don Looney of Philadelphia and Carl Mulleneaux, Green Bay end, all of them tied at 24 points from four touchdowns.

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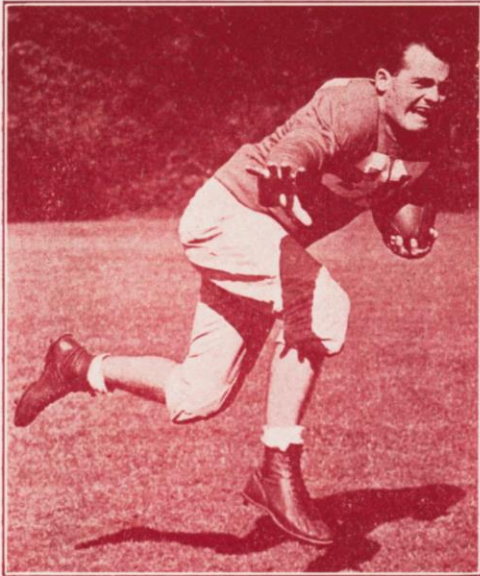
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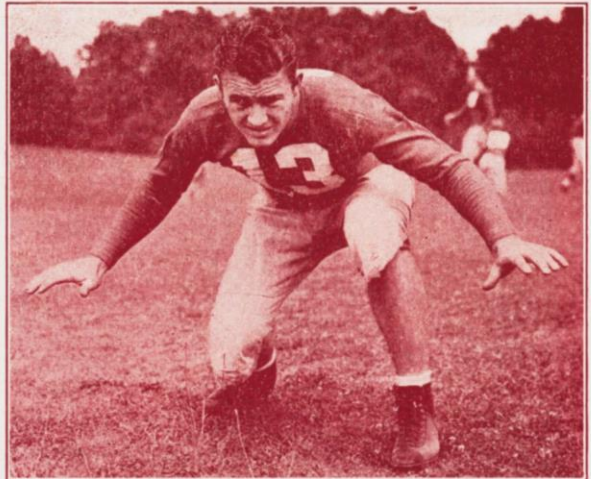
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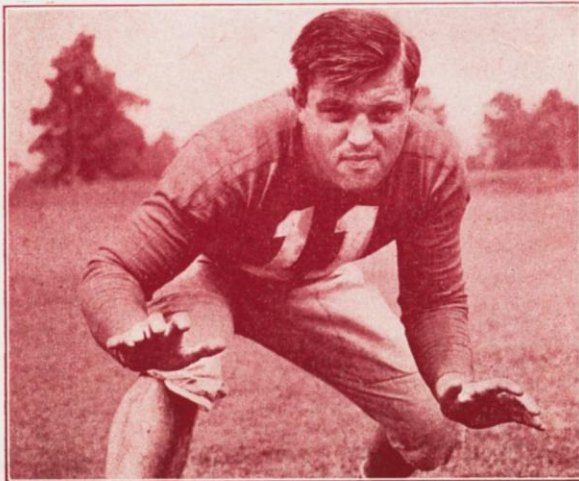


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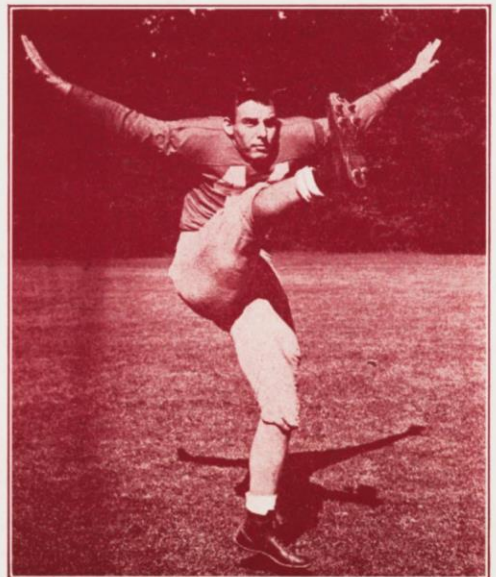
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