

**Green Bay Packers (4-1-1) 35, New York Giants (2-2) 21**  
**Sunday October 31st 1943 (at New York)**

**Hutson, Canadeo Lead Mates  
To Thrilling Win With Two  
Markers Each Before 46,208**

## **Packers Win Thriller Over New York Giants, 35-21**

**GAME RECAP (GREEN BAY PRESS-GAZETTE)**

(NEW YORK) - Green Bay's famed aerial barrage that is led by Don Hutson, receiver, and Tony Canadeo, hurler, clicked beautifully Sunday and enabled the Packers to beat the New York Giants, 35 to 21, before 46,208 thrill-seated fans at the Polo Grounds. But the Packers had to go all out to achieve their victory. Tied at 21-all 10 minutes from the end, Green Bay came back to score two touchdowns in the last four minutes and won going away. This was a ball game played to the hilt all the way. It was a completely wide-open affair with the victors scoring four of the five touchdowns directly via the air and the Giants tallying one of their three by means of passing. It was made even more thrilling by the performance of the redoubtable Hutson, who added to five of his National league offensive records, to-wit: He caught 7 passes and brought his total to 358. He caught two touchdown passes and made his total 77, which is also a record for touchdowns scored by any means. He added 17 points to his total and brought that to 578. He gained 118 yards on passes and brought the mark to 3,926 yards. He even passed to a touchdown himself. All in all, he had quite a day.

### **CANADEO SCORES TWO**

Canadeo's contributions, in addition to calling the plays, were passing to two touchdowns and scoring two of them himself. He, too, had quite a day. Not far behind was the performance of the Giants' rookie, Bill Paschal, who tallied all three of New York's markers and generally comported himself in the manner of a great football player. Green Bay scored touchdowns in three of the four periods, two in each of the second and fourth. The Giants came back to tie twice, once at 7-all, next, as mentioned above, 21-all. But the Packers never trailed and when the chips were down they had it. All of the game's eight touchdowns were produced after long marches, and six of them came on plays that originated outside the 10 yard line. The first half was a complete thriller, marked by long marches and long passes, with Hutson the center of attention of the crowd and the Giants, but, while the crowd watched him carefully, the Giants never were able to do that for long. The Packers scored their three first half touchdowns on marches of 73, 73 and 73 yards and all three came through the air. The Giants scores in the first also was achieved on a concerted drive, but this one carried only 58 yards to the end zone. Green Bay opened the scoring about midway in the first period. The advance started on its own 27-yard line and in seven plays, four of them passes. The Packers had achieved their objective. The scoring play was a beauty, because it caught the Giants completely by surprise. It started like an end around, with Hutson taking the ball after Canadeo and Falkenstein had handled it first. It started out as a spinner, continued to look like the end around when Hutson took the ball and then ended up as a pass from Hutson to Harry Jacunski in the end zone. They play covered 37 yards all together! Hutson kicked the point and the Packers were out in front by 7 to 0. But the Giants came back to tie the count with only 10 seconds left to go in the first period. They began to move when the Packers lost the ball on the Giant 42 after an ill-advised attempt at a fourth down plunge for a yard. Andy Uram was stopped, the Giants took possession and in nine plays, three of them passes, they had their touchdown. The payoff play also was a forward, from Tuffy Leemans to Paschal, and that play, an 18 yarder, also was a pip. Leemans seemingly was trapped behind the line, but he eluded his tacklers, spotted Paschal in the end zone and heaved the ball to him. Paschal caught the ball with no one near him. Ward Cuff tied up the score with his conversion.

### **PACKERS DOMINATE PLAY**

But during the second quarter, the Packers completely dominated the play. They scored their second touchdown in 10 plays, with passes also playing the major role in this drive. In fact, of the 73 yards covered, 55 came through the air and the scorer

was a 10-yarder from Uram to Canadeo. Hutson again kicked the point. The Packers tallied again the next time they had the ball. They ground out their 76 yards in nine plays, Hutson scoring his first touchdown of the game by taking a 22-yard pass from Canadeo to the 1-yard line and then crawling over on his hands and knees. He got up to kick his third extra point. However, the Giants staged a little march of their own in the closing minutes of the half, but time ran out on them 25 yards from home. The Giants came roaring back in the second half and made a ball game of it. Staging two fine drives, the first of 59 yards, the second of 28, after one of 65 had gone astray, they tied up the score at 21-all before the Packers rolled to their two last period touchdowns that meant the ball game. The touchdown that made the count 21 to 14 came halfway through the third quarter. The New Yorkers took the ball on their own 41-yard line and in four plays had pushed the ball over. The chief play in the sortie was a 41-yard pass from Emery Nix to Leland Shaffer. Then burly Paschal hit the line three times in a row and went over on the third attempt from the five-yard line. Cuff's placement was good. Thus enheartened, the New Yorkers kept pounding. Starting another drive, this one on their own 35, they moved 65 yards and came within a foot of the promised land before they were stopped. As a matter of fact, on the last play of the series, Cuff caught a pass from Nix, but the ball bounded out of

bounds. Although the pass was ruled complete the ball was placed down 12 inches from the end zone. No whit discouraged, however, the Giants came back again. Brock's punt out was carried by Paschal to the Packer 28-yard line after a 20 yard runback. It took them 10 plays and a penalty to achieve the end zone and the penalty was the most important break in the advance. On the 10-yard line, fourth down, Nix fumbled, but recovered the ball. Green Bay's Harry Jacunski objected the official ruling that the Giants had recovered. Jacunski protested so violently that he pushed Umpire Sam Weiss in his vehemence. That was the mistake. The Packers were penalized five yards and the Giants resumed again on a first down. Four plays later Paschal plunged over from the two-yard line and when Cuff placekicked the point the score was tied at 21-all. That merely made the Packer mad. They took the kickoff and moved to the Giants' 36, only to have Joe Laws' attempted placekick fall short. But they came back to score a touchdown four minutes from the end and then applied the crusher in the last two minutes with another score.

#### **PACKERS CLINCH CONTEST**

The six-pointer that clinched the contest came after a 53-yard drive that achieved the end zone in three plays. Most important play of the three was a 58-yard pass from Andy Uram to Jacunski, the receiver being tackled on the 10-yard line. After Hutson had made three on an end around, Canadeo tossed another aerial to the great end, who took the ball over his shoulder in the end zone. The final and superfluous score was made in two plays. Starting on the Giants' 40, Canadeo made the





necessary yardage on two great plays, the second on a beautiful 35-yard run. Each time, of course, Hutson scored the extra point. Coach Curly Lambeau sat in the press box and acted as the sending end of the telephone system during the first half. He gave vent to his emotions as only Lambeau can and his chief cause of worry was the fact that the Packers weren't using play 47-7. After constant pleading he finally managed to get word to his team that the Giants were wide open for play 47-7. It is a pass play and the first time they used it Hutson scored a touchdown, taking a 22-yard heave from Canadeo.

#### HUTSON SCORES 17

Hutson played 58 of the 60 minutes and turned in quite a job with his 17 points on two touchdowns and five extra points. More than \$75,000 in war bonds were purchased in the auction for the ball held between the halves. The ball drew a top bid of \$50,000. Although Hutson got most of the glory, the job done by Canadeo was not far behind. His passing and running were by far the best on the field this day.

**GREEN BAY - 7 14 0 14 - 35**

**NEW YORK - 7 0 7 7 - 21**

#### SCORING

1ST - GB - Harry Jacunski, 37-yard pass from Don Hutson (Hutson kick) GREEN BAY 7-0

1ST - NY - Bill Paschal, 18-yard pass from Tuffy Leemans (Ward Cuff kick) TIED 7-7

2ND - GB - Tony Canadeo, 10-yard pass from Andy Uram (Hutson kick) GREEN BAY 14-7

2ND - GB - Hutson, 22-yard pass from Canadeo (Hutson kick) GREEN BAY 21-7

3RD - NY - Paschal, 5-yard run (Cuff kick) GREEN BAY 21-14

4TH - NY - Paschal, 2-yard run (Cuff kick) TIED 21-21

4TH - GB - Hutson, 7-yard pass from Canadeo (Hutson kick) GREEN BAY 28-21

4TH - GB - Canadeo, 35-yard run (Hutson kick) GREEN BAY 35-21

## Hit 'em Hard!

### Western Division

	W	L	T	Pct	PS	OP
Chicago Bears	5	0	1	1.000	184	98
GREEN BAY	4	1	1	.800	153	102
Detroit	3	4	0	.429	124	141
Chicago Cards	0	6	0	.000	44	137

### Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pct	PS	OP
Washington	4	0	0	1.000	121	24
Phil-Pitt	3	2	0	.600	114	117
New York	2	2	0	.500	97	77
Brooklyn	0	6	0	.000	31	172

### Sunday's Results

GREEN BAY 35, NEW YORK 21.  
Chicago Bears 35, Detroit 14.  
Washington 48, Brooklyn 10.  
Phil-Pitt 34, Chicago Cardinals 13.

### Next Sunday's Games

GREEN BAY AT CHICAGO BEARS.  
Chicago Cardinals at Brooklyn.  
New York at Detroit.  
Washington at Philadelphia.

### The Starting Lineups:

#### GREEN BAY

Hutson, le  
Ray, lt  
Goldenberg, lg  
Flowers, c  
Tinsley, rg  
Berezney, rt  
Jacunski, re  
Craig, qb  
Canadeo, lhb  
L. Brock, rhb  
Falkenstein, fb

#### NEW YORK

le, Adams  
lt, Cope  
lg, Younce  
c, Hein  
rg, Avedisian  
rt, Blozis  
re, Walls  
qb, Shaffer  
lhb, Nix  
rhb, Cuff  
fb, Paschal

### Replacements

Green Bay: Ends — Mason, Evans.  
Tackle — Adams. Guard — Kuusisto.  
Backs — Uram, Laws, Starrett, Fritsch.  
New York: Ends — Pritko, Liebel.  
Tackles — Carroll, Roberts. Guards —  
Visnic, Marone. Center — Piccolo.  
Backs — Leemans, Brown, Kinschert,  
Sulaitis, Trocolor, Karcis.

### Score By Periods

Green Bay	7	14	0	14-35
New York	7	0	7	7-21

### The Scoring

Green Bay: Touchdowns—Hutson 2,  
Canadeo 2, Jacunski. Points after  
touchdowns—Hutson 5 (placements).  
New York: Touchdowns—Paschal 3.  
Points after touchdowns — Cuff 3  
(placements).

### The Officials

Referee—Sam Weiss.  
Umpire—Fay Vincent.  
Linesman—Larry Conover.  
Field Judge—Ed Tyron.

### The Statistics

First downs—Packers 15, Giants 16.  
Total yardage—Packers 429, Giants  
288.  
Yards rushing—Packers 158, Giants  
114.  
Yards passing—Packers 271, Giants  
174.  
Passes attempted—Packers 21, Giants  
36.  
Passes completed—Packers 15, Giants  
17.  
Passes intercepted by—Packers 0,  
Giants 1.  
Penalty yardage—Packers 10, Giants  
29.  
Fumbles—Packers 2, Giants 2.  
Opponents' fumbles recovered —  
Packers 0, Giants 0.  
Average distance punts—Packers 37,  
Giants 30.  
Yards punts returned—Packers 15,  
Giants 46.

# Packers Begin Drills For Chi-Bear Contest

Seven Players On Injured List As Secret  
Practice for Wrigley Field Clash Starts;  
Bays Need Victory to Tie for Division Top

## PACKER NOTES

NOV 1 (Milwaukee Journal) - Green Bay's two rapid touchdowns in the last five minutes against the Giants Sunday recalled an even more thrilling finish against the Bears in 1935. Sunday the Packers and Giants were tied 21-21 as the men of Lambeau set out to score two touchdowns. In the game eight years ago, though, the Packers trailed, 14-3, and only a little more than two minutes remained. Yet the Packers won, 17-14. It was one of the grandest finished in the history of the league. It was the Packers' ball on their own 35 yard line, and the odds about 1,000 to 1 that they could pull the game out of the fire, when they got their first touchdown. Herber flipped a short pass to Hutson, then in his first year in the league, and Alabama Don ran 55 yards, weaving out of tacklers' arms for touchdown No. 1. The Bears received the subsequent kickoff, of course, with only little more than a minute remaining. But they lost the ball on the first play when Masterson fumbled and Ernie Smith recovered on Chicago's 20, and in the closing seconds the Packers scored again. Old Hank Sauer failed to gain on first down, a pass interference play put the ball on the 11 yard line, Sauer smashed down to the three, and then with the Bears massed to stop another charge into the center of the line, Hutson dashed out into the flat and took another pass from Herber for the winning tally. The game ended on the first play after the subsequent kickoff. Those Packers!

### PACKERS BEGIN DRILLS FOR CHI-BEAR CONTEST

NOV 2 (Green Bay) - The Packers and Chicago Bears play the 50th game in their NFL warfare next Sunday at Wrigley field in Chicago and indications were today that the Green Bay team will be anything but top shape for the encounter, the outcome of which will go far toward deciding the Western division race. The Bays returned from their two-game eastern jaunt Monday afternoon. As they detrained at the Milwaukee road station, there was a worried look on the face of Coach Curly Lambeau although he brightened up somewhat when mention was made of the victories over the Detroit Lions and the New York Giants, in that order. While the Packers were winning both games to keep their second place spot in the Western half of the pro circuit, they took a bruising and bumping which left them decidedly under the weather. The Bears, on the other hand, hardly had to open up against Detroit last Sunday and the hapless Brooklyn Dodgers the Sunday before, winning by the respective counts of 33-21 and 35-14...SEVEN ARE HURT: Coach Lambeau, always secretive about the Packers' preparations for a tangle with the Bruins, opened up enough this morning to relay the information that seven of the Bays are crippled. By a simple matter of subtraction, this means that there are presently only 20 members of the squad who are in 100 percent shape for the Bear clash. The eighth man out is Charley Brock who is recuperating from an appendectomy in a Port Chester, N.Y., hospital. The Packer coach did not disclose who was injured, but his funeral demeanor plainly showed that he wasn't talking just to make himself heard. Just momentarily he smiled when the 35 to 21 victory over the Giants was mentioned. The smile faded rapidly when he thought of his manpower problem and the toughness which is the Bears. But the game must go on. The Packers took to the practice field this morning for a workout after a squad meeting. Each morning from today until Saturday, the team will go over theoretical means of stopping the Bears' bruising ground and air attack. After the meetings, their preparations will become more material with defensive and offensive drills behind closed doors...DOUBLE DRILLS SCHEDULED: Lambeau has scheduled double drills Wednesday and Thursday with singletons on the agenda Friday and Saturday. The Sunday tussle shapes up as one of the best in a series which stated in 1921, and in which the Bruins hold the edge, 25 victories to 19. Five games were tied including the 21-21 standoff in the season's opener at City stadium in September. The Bears, undefeated in five starts since the tie, have had an easier time of it than Green Bay up to this point. After their opener, they had little, if any, trouble pasting Detroit twice, the Chicago Cardinals, Phil-Pitt and Brooklyn. In the first Detroit game, the Bruins were extended somewhat but since that it's been a breeze for them. The Packers have had all tough games and have absorbed a pounding on four successive weekends since they defeated the Cards the Sunday after they deadlocked with the Bruins. First, there was Detroit, then Washington, again Detroit and finally the New Yorkers, who were in no mood to commit anything but mayhem even though they finally came out on the short end of the count. One game behind in the Western division standings, the Packers must win to go into a tie for first place. Another tie won't be good enough and a defeat will put them two full games behind with little chance to catch the Bears in the stretch run for the divisional flag. Thus, there is reason for Lambeau's misgivings as he ponders the physical condition of some of his key players.

## 100 More Tickets

One hundred additional tickets were received here today for the Packers-Chicago Bears game in Chicago next Sunday, Ralph C. Smith, ticket sales director, announced. Smith originally received 2,722 tickets, but was successful in obtaining two more blocks of 100 each. No tickets will be available here after 6 o'clock Thursday afternoon, and indications are that they will be sold out long before that time.

Smith also said that the sale is brisk for the game with the Chicago Cardinals in Milwaukee Nov. 14, with the center section about sold out.

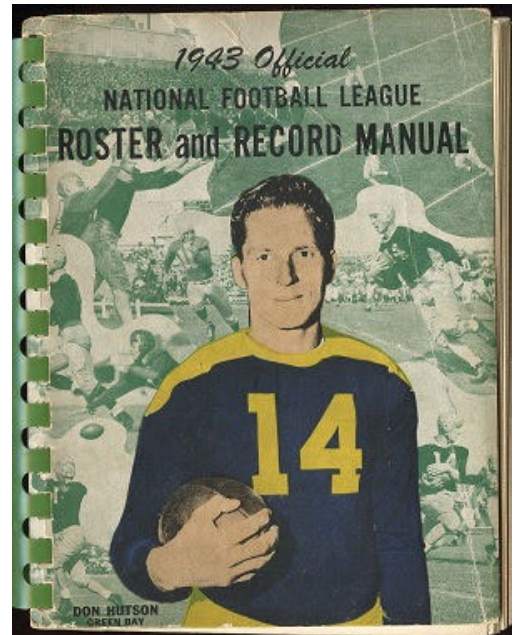
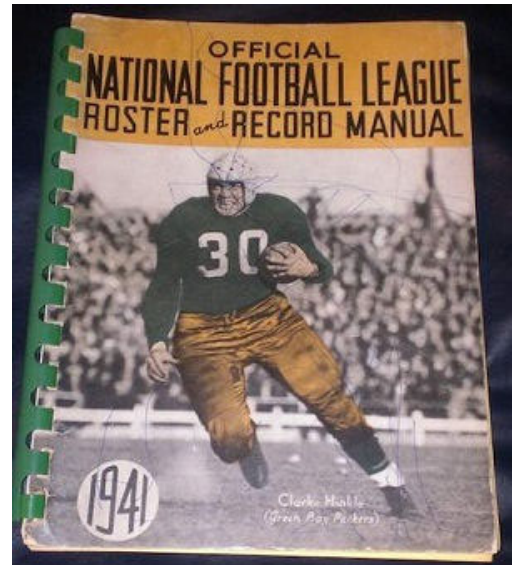


## PACKERS REGAIN LEAD IN INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

NOV 2 (Milwaukee Journal) - The Packers got more than victory - and bumps and bruises - out of their invasion of the east last week. They also came back home with new league leaders in several departments of play. Tony Canadeo, with 339 yards on 63 plays, regained the individual ground gaining lead. Irv Comp, even though idle, moved into first place in passing efficiency with his average of .619 on 26 completions in 42 tries. Don Hutson moved into first place among pass receivers with 23 catches good for 328 yards, vaulted into first place among scorers with 54 points on five touchdowns, 21 straight points after touchdown and one field, and took the league lead in pass interceptions with five. Augie Lio of Detroit continues to lead the league in field goals with two, Luckman in yards gained passing with 1,189, Sammy Baugh of Washington in punting with an average of 45 yards, Steele of Pittsburgh in punt returns with 103 yards and Clark of the Bears in kickoff returns with 258.

### HUTSON IS PRO LEAGUE'S 'COVER MAN'

NOV 2 (Green Bay) - This is too small a space to enumerate all of the distinctions that have been won by Don Hutson, but none of you should be surprised to hear that he has added one more to his impressive list. The 1943 NFL Roster and Record Manual, an imposing volume of some 230 pages, has blossomed out with a color photo of the pass catching marvel on the cover. Hutson is the second Green Bay Packer in three years to be honored as the cover man. Clarke Hinkle's picture appeared on the cover of the first edition two years ago. Last year's book presented a layout of former National league players who had gone into the armed services. The choice of Hutson for this year's cover was a natural one. He set 17 new league records last year, and at the close of play was chosen the circuit's most valuable player for the second consecutive season. Hinkle was honored in 1941 on the basis of having established a new all-time ball carrying record of 3,860 yards in 1,171 tries during his 10-year career. Compiled and edited by George Strickler, the National league's director of public relations, this year's book is more complete than either of its two predecessors. The title page carried this legend: "Dedicated to the preservation of football." In order to conserve paper, the book will not be sold to the public as last year but will be distributed only among sportswriters and radio men. The National league's "honor roll", listing former players and officials now in the military services, is the opening feature of the book. Last year's edition showed 208 former players, coaches, trainers and other representatives in the service; this year, 375 are listed, broken down as follows: Brooklyn 55, Chicago Bears 37, Chicago Cardinals 28, Cleveland 25, Detroit 49, Green Bay 31, New York 42, Pittsburgh 33, Philadelphia 43, Washington 32. Most valuable feature to sportswriters and announcers, though, is the compilation of individual and team records. This department occupies 33 pages, and list everything conceivable in the game of football. Naturally, the Green Bay Packers and individual Packers are in for a big share of the "bests". The season won and lost records of all of the teams ever since they joined the league are also given. Another large section gives the statistics for the 1942 season. Also of much interest is the chronology of professional football, listing events since the first game was played at Latrobe, Pa., against a team from Jeannette, Pa., and was sponsored by the YMCA. Latrobe won, 12-0.

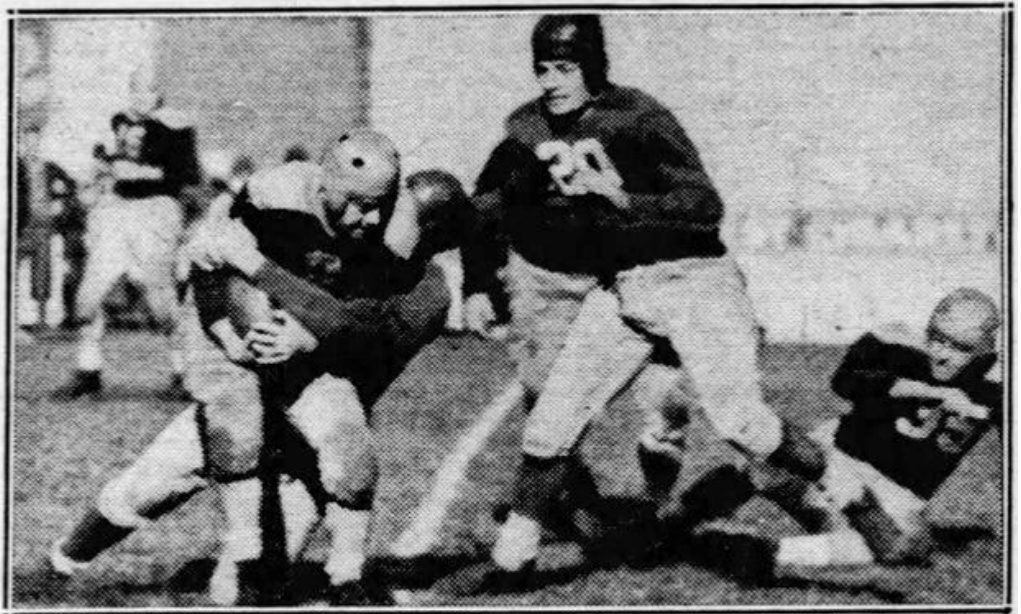


## Johnsos Seeks Rope to Hang Tackling Dummy, Packers

### JOHNSOS SEEKS ROPE TO HANG TACKLING DUMMY, PACKERS

NOV 2 (Chicago) - What does a professional football coach do on his theoretical day off - with Green Bay coming up as the next opponent? Yesterday afternoon Luke Johnsos, one of the Chicago Bear coaches, secluded himself in his Evanston

home and drew up a few new plays to spring on the Packers. Then he worried about whether New York - that's what every one calls him - of the Wrigley field maintenance staff, had located a vital piece of rope. And last night Luke talked to a group of Boy Scouts, telling them the advantages the American kids have over those of other nations. But you can bet he was thinking of Sunday's game, too, during the oration...**JOHNSOS SAYS OUTCOME WILL DEPEND ON FINAL FIVE MINUTES:** "Gosh," said Luke, who has met the Packers both as player and coach, "those guys always are rough for the Bears. I guess we'll be 8 to 5 favorites, but I tell you Sunday's game is a tossup. The outcome will depend on which team has the ball the last five minutes." The Bears will start preparations at 9 o'clock this morning for the game which will decide the western section championship of the National league. That's half an hour earlier than the regulation beginning and only emphasizes the importance attached to the battle. It's no joking matter - that frenzied hunt for rope. The hempen strands of the tackling dummy broke last week and the coaches blame this circumstance on the erratic tackling of the team in Sunday's victory over the Detroit Lions. Mr. New York has visited all the shops in the Wrigley field neighborhood without success, but Johnsos intimated groundskeeper Bobby Door's veteran employee had better not report today without the rope. The Bear coach likewise looks for a high scoring game. He pointed out Don Hutson has played 50 minutes in each of the last two Packer games. Asked why Don has been playing so much, the Packers' coach, Curly Lambeau, is reported to have replied, "To get him in shape for the Bears."...**CANADEO WRESTS LEAGUE GROUND GAINING LEAD FROM CLARK:** Tony Canadeo had a big day against the New York Giants Sunday, both as a passer and as a runner and actually wrested the league ground lead from the Bears' Harry Clark. Though the Bears have lost five players since they first met the Packers in the 21 to 21 draw last September, Johnsos figures the team perhaps is in better shape with game No. 2 coming up. This is his logic: At least four players - Bulldog Turner, Danny Fortmann, Hampton Pool and Johnny Siegal - were hobbling from injuries suffered in an exhibition game. Of course, Siegal since has joined the Navy, but the other three are in top condition...**MR. FAMIGLIETTI SERVES NOTICE HE'S STILL WITH BEARS:** "The Bears won't be so strong in reserves, but shucks," says Luke, "we used to play 50 and 60 minutes a few seasons ago." The newcomers, and these include Bronko Nagurski, are in better condition



## A Tight Squeeze

Tony Canadeo, Green Bay's passing and running ace, decided to run this time and slithered through for six yards before Mel Hein wrapped him in a bear hug to bring him down in the first period. Leland Shaffer (20), Giant quarterback, comes up to lend assistance.

and know the system of play better by having performed in five subsequent games. Most pleasing development of Sunday's game was the hard running of Gary Famiglietti. He looked like the Famiglietti of 1942 who was third in the league in scoring and gained 503 yards to lead all fullbacks. Against the Lions Sunday, Gary carried the ball 12 times for 73 yards.

### PACKERS IN BAD SHAPE FOR BEAR GAME SUNDAY

**NOV 2 (Milwaukee Journal)** - The Packers will probably be in their worst physical shape of the season when they step out against the Chicago Bears at Wrigley field Sunday in the make or break game of the campaign in the western division of the National pro league. The men of Lambeau remained close on the heels of the Bears with their 35-21 triumph over the New York Giants at the Polo Grounds last Sunday, but they paid a price which they have seldom been called upon to pay for any victory before. Actually, the whole trip east was jinxed in a way except for the result of the game itself. A couple of days before the game, they lost Charley Brock, ball hawk center, through an appendectomy. A little later they lost the Bay View Bazooka, Irv Comp, with what at first was diagnosed as appendicitis, but later was found to be a badly strained side. Comp did not play against the Giants, either. And in the game itself Ted Fritsch, fullback; Bill Kuusisto, guard; Chet Adams, tackle; Baby Ray, tackle; Harry Jacunski, end, and Larry Craig, blocking back, suffered bumps and bruises which will necessitate easy going this week if they are to take the field at all Sunday. "We won it because we had to in order to stay in the race," Curly Lambeau summed up between train stops here Monday afternoon, "but, oh boy, what awful shape we're in



for the Bears." The only man definitely out of the game will be Brock, but several others, especially Comp and Kuusisto will hardly be in shape even with rest this week to play at top speed. "All we can do is take it easy this week and hope for the best," Lambeau said as he got back on the train - and for once he was not the smiling Belgian. The loss of Brock and the possible loss of Comp and Fritsch will be especially tough to handle. Without Brock, Bob Flowers will have to handle most of the assignment at center. He



Ward Cnff sets up tying touchdown for New York Giants in the fourth quarter of Sunday's pro football game in New York. The former Marquette back is tackled on the one yard line by Don

Hutson of the Green Bay Packers, but Paschal went over on the next play and the kick made it 21-21. The Packers, however, put over two more touchdowns in short order to win, 35-21.

played a whale of a game against the Giants Sunday, but he is not the ball hawk Brock is. And against a pitcher like Luckman Sunday the Packers will need all the ball hawks they have. Without Comp, Tony Canadeo will have to carry most of the load at left half, and without Fritsch, Tony Falkenstein most of the load at fullback. In a game as bruising as this, second line strength can often mean as much as first line. The Bears have been installed slight favorites, ranging from three to six points.

#### **BROCK RECOVERING**

NOV 2 (Portchester, NY) - Charley Brock, center on the Green Bay Packers who was operated upon for appendicitis last Friday, is recovering favorably. He will be lost to the team for the remainder of the season.

# Bears Are Favorites To Beat Bays Sunday

## Winner Will Have Inside Track for Western Division Crown; Crippled Packers Rated As Underdogs In 50th Clash at Wrigley Field

#### **BAYS ARE FAVORITES TO BEAT BAYS SUNDAY**

NOV 3 (Green Bay) - The Packers will need more than secret practice to whip the Chicago Bears at Wrigley field next Sunday afternoon in a clash that will go a long way toward deciding which team is going to have the NFL's Western division bunting hanging in its trophy room come mid-December. While it may a little early to talk about the division championship, there isn't much chance that it will go to either the Detroit Lions, who have been beaten twice both by the Packers and Bears,

or to the Chicago Cardinals, defeated once by each eleven. The elimination from title considerations of the Lions and Cardinals leaves the two perennial contenders alone in the race. It throws the spotlight on the Wrigley field clash, the 50th between the teams since they started alternating at chewing each other's ears off back in 1921...**BEARS HAVE LEAD:** The Bears are on top of the division heap now with five straight victories. Coach Curly Lambeau's eleven is one game behind in the 2nd spot with a chance to tie for the pole position if injuries to key players clear up by Sunday (doubtful possibility) and the Chicago Bears crack at the seams. With the background cleared away, it is well to turn to the preparations which the Packers are undertaking this week to clinch that tie for the lead. Although the squad will not be at full strength because of the battering they suffered at the hands of the New York Giants last Sunday and the ill-fated attack of appendicitis which struck center Charley Brock, there is no letup in their practice. The Bays will take a triple dose of football on Thursday, the second day in a row with a full schedule. Today there were the usual practice meetings and a full morning drill with an afternoon of work scheduled after the lunch hour. Physical handicaps made no difference as the boys began to sharpen up for their biggest job this season...**LAMENTS INJURIES:** Lamenting the injury factor, Lambeau at the same time indicated he was pleased with the team's spirit. He feels that little prodding is necessary to make the Packers know the importance of whipping the Bears, who have already been installed as 8 to 5 favorites to take the clash by a comfortable margin. The odds definitely put the Green Bay pros in the underdog role. Though the team battled to a 21-21 deadlock in their opener here, Coach Luke Johnsos pointed out in Chicago that the Bears are in better shape now than they were then despite the loss of five men to the armed forces. Thus the tables have been turned. The Packers were in good shape for that game. At least four Bears - Bulldog Turner, the rough, tough center; Danny Fortmann, Hampton Pool and Johnny Siegal - were hobbling from injuries suffered in an exhibition just previous to the Green Bay standoff. Siegal has since joined the Navy but the other three are in top condition. Newcomers are in better condition and know the Bear T-formation better by having performed in five subsequent games...**FAMIGLIETTI IN SHAPE:** In addition, certain of the Bruins veterans have begun to show power which they lacked in the first games. For instance, Gary Famiglietti has begun to look like the player he was in 1942, when he was third in the league in scoring and gained 503 yards to lead all the fullbacks. Against the Lions last Sunday, he carried the ball 12 times for 73 yards. It is interesting to note, however, that the Packers have been given the underdog role before and have boomed back to beat the Bears. With 12 sound men available they turned the trick in 1931, 6 to 2; in 1935, under similar circumstances, they won, 17 to 14. The most recent Merriwell finish was in 1941, when they pulled their unforgettable 16



**SURPRISE!** The above photo is the happy ending to a Packer play that caught the New York Giants off guard Sunday in their pro battle at the Polo Grounds. It shows Harry Jacumski trotting over the goal

line after catching a pass tossed by the man who ordinarily is catching them—Don Hutson! The pass play occurred in the first quarter. Standing by helpless to do anything about it is Emery Nix, Giants' halfback.

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to 14 triumph in the dying minutes. Previous victories mean nothing, when a team has to contend with the Bears. With everything else equal, the Packers still rate the role of underdog. It will take some superhuman, rip snorting football on their part to take the golden anniversary contest and their 20th victory in the mauling which has become the annual feature of pro football.

# **DON HUTSON REGAINS STRIDE, TOPS PRO LEAGUE IN SCORING, RECEIVING**

**NOV 3 (Chicago) -** War or no war, things apparently are returning to normalcy in the NFL. Don Hutson of Green Bay again leads the loop in scoring and pass receiving. The great Packer end, who holds 17 individual records - more than any other player in the league's history - had a slow start this fall. Beset with grief, first at the loss of a younger brother in the Pacific war theater, and then with the death of his father, the 30-year old veteran was not the Hutson of other years. Contributing factors to his slackened pace, no doubt, were his preoccupation with civic and personal affairs. He's had difficulty in securing adequate help to operate his thriving Green Bay bowling alleys. And as chairman of the Brown county Red Cross drive he worked like a beaver. Then, too, he's on a civic committee to study possibilities of obtaining a community airport. So it wasn't until this week that he finally got around to his customary business of dominating the pro league in scoring and pass receiving. Against New York last Sunday he had one of his greatest days, breaking five of his own NFL records, snagging two touchdown passes and kicking five extra points. His 17 points gave him a season total of 54, ahead of Bill Paschal of New York, who is second with 48, and Harry Hopp of Detroit, third with 42...**OVERTAKES WILBUR MOORE:** In nabbing seven passes, he boosted his season figure to 23, overtaking Wilbur Moore of Washington, who dropped to second place with a total of 20. Moore's catches, however, have netted six scores, Hutson's five. Don will be out to better that mark Sunday against the Chicago Bears and keep his team in the championship race. So goes the man who wanted to quit

football this year. He has announced intentions of retiring. But one day in last August, he told Coach Curly Lambeau he'd give it another try. Not because he wanted to play especially, but because the manpower shortage had left Curly on the spot. "Football in general and Curly in particular have been good to me. I owe them a debt of gratitude," he said. In paying it off, he's well on his way toward leading the league in scoring for the fourth consecutive years and in pass receptions for the fifth. Hutson's teammate, Tony Canadeo, has regained ground gaining honors from Harry Clark of the Bears. He has 339 yards in 63 attempts, while Clark shows 327 yards in 68 ball carrying efforts. Sid Luckman of the Bears continues to lead all passers in completions as well as yards gained - 62 tosses good for 1,189 yards and 14 touchdowns. Also hurling 14 scores, Washington's Sammy Baugh is second with 52 completions for 811 yards.



By RAY PAGEL

Press-Gazette Sports Editor

This department doesn't want to become involved in any war of poets, but gladly published the following verses which are in rebuttal to a poem by another contributor which was published following the Packers' humiliating defeat by the Washington Redskins. The author of that poem conceded that Tony Canadeo is a star on rushing plays, but begged for "a man who can pass."

## **The Team With a Man Who Can Pass**

"Just get us a man who knows how to pass,"  
Was the desperate wail from the sob-sister lass  
Who, writing in bed with a throb in her head,  
Would have you believe she'd rather be dead.

But it ever was thus in the old home town;  
When things went bad and the team was down  
Those who had shouted and stood up to gloat  
Had to find some one to be the goat.

So after the Packer-Redskin game  
They searched the list for a hard luck name  
On whom they could vent their verbal baloney,  
And, believe it or not, they settled on Tony.

"Just get us a man who knows how to pass,"  
Quick, doctor, out with the laughing gas  
While I tell of a lad who is not a phony,  
His name, did you ask? Just call him Tony.

Yes, the very same fellow who, two weeks ago,  
None of the sob-sisters wanted to know,  
Made some fifty thousand New Yorkers yell  
When he passed, and he kicked, and he ran like—well,

Of course, about that I need write no more  
For you either listened, or at least know the score.  
And you know that, in spite of the wails and the blues  
And the breaks and the coach, the boys wouldn't lose.

So the fans are happy and smiling today,  
And, all over town, you can hear them say,  
"Gosh, what a team! They've really got class,  
And we sure have a man who knows how to pass."

—G. B. McCORMICK,  
Hotel Astor.

## PACKERS WEAVE A TALE OF WOE

NOV 3 (Chicago) - By long distance telephone, Coach Curly Lambeau of the Green Bay Packers last night gave a clinical report on his team which Sunday will meet the Bears for the National league's western division title. Charley Brock, veteran center, flat on his back in a Port Chester, N.Y., hospital after an operation for appendicitis. Irv Comp, spectacular rookie halfback and the team's No. 1 passer, taking a blood count examination to determine if he has appendicitis. Ted Fritsch still so wobbly from a three week old injury he may play little, if any, at fullback. Yet Coach Lambeau's voice sounded cheery. Curly always seems the same, in victory or defeat, a jaunty fellow who philosophically accepts the scoreboard readings

after a game. Or seems to...**CURLY HAS TROUBLES:** "We're worse off than you think," declared Curly, citing the above evidence and adding, in all, the Packers have seven or eight cripples of whom, he admitted, probably will be all right Sunday. Bears and Packers alike miraculously recover in the nick of time to participate in these battles between the western giants, of which Sunday's, before 42,500, will be the 51st. "We'll have at least 11 men ready for the game," said Curly. Despite this illness-injury report, the Packers Sunday played their best game of the season in whipping the New York Giants before 46,208 in the Polo Grounds, reported Lambeau. The Wisconsin northmen have made only one serious slip this season. That was three Sundays ago when the Washington Redskins came to Milwaukee and gave the Packers a 33 to 7 thrashing. "We were a way off that day and the Redskins were hot," is the way Curly explained it yesterday...**BROCK WILL BE SHIFTED:** With Fritsch a doubtful participant Sunday, Lou Brock will be shifted to fullback, Lambeau said. Fritsch suffered a leg injury in the Washington game. The absence of center Charley Brock will put the pressure of Bob Flowers, a second year pro performer, and Forrest McPherson, 248 pound rookie center from Nebraska. The Bears, including the front office, went on a double shift yesterday. After a three-hour workout in Wrigley field, the squad members and

coaches returned last night for a session of mental acrobatics having to do with Sunday's strategy. In the Bears' counting room on Wabash avenue, General Manager Ralph Brizzolara and his corps of workers continued to sort out ticket orders...**LOOKS LIKE SELLOUT:** "It looks like we have more orders than tickets," said Brizzolara, "and the prospect now is for a definite sellout." Brizzolara said the 5,000 bleacher seats will be placed on sale at the park Sunday morning at an hour to be specified later. He estimated 33,000 tickets have been sold, leaving some 9,500, including the 5,000 bleacher



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Mr. Ray Pagel  
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Dear Sir:

McCormick and Abrams can rave and rant  
About the players who can or can't,  
But if you wish to be square and fair  
There's but One team—Chicago Bear.

The BEARS are the team  
The "Packs" can't beat  
Although they've always tried;  
And victory again this year  
To them will be denied.

"Pack" fans now think they have a team  
That runs and forward passes,  
But when lined up against Luck-man  
He'll make 'em look like asses.

So cheer for Old Chicago  
And the team that gives it fame,  
We'll make the Packers sorry  
They came here for the game.

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section, still available. Five hundred field seats will be spotted on the west side of the gridiron. The Bears' quest for rope to repair the tackling dummy met with success yesterday, and part of the time was used in tackling practice.

## PACKERS MEET BEARS; WRITE YOUR TICKET!

NOV 3 (Milwaukee Journal) - Packers vs. Bears - Sunday's the day. A big day. They'll be hanging from the rafters at Wrigley field when the two bitter old rivals step out on the field. A good 45,000 will be there. As usual, Wisconsin fans will have drawn the short end on ticket. A few along the field of play. Most of them behind the goal posts. "Our season ticket holders come first and then our own Chicago fans," say the Bear officials in explanation. "We'd like to do more for you folks up in Wisconsin, but we simply can't." It's an honest explanation. It's the same thing when the Bears play in Green Bay. Wisconsin fans come first and Chicago fans draw the short end...BEARS FAVORITES: The Bears rule slight favorites...three points...and that's the kind of game it looks to be...about even. Anything can happen. The season's statistics bear this out. The Bears have a little edge in just about everything on which the league keeps records. Statistics can sometimes be misleading, though, and they may be in this case because they include the sorry performance the Packers put up against Washington here. "Well, the Bears had one of their bad days, too," explains Johnny Sisk, an alumnus of Halas U., "when they played Brooklyn." Maybe so. They are interesting statistics, though. Each team has played six games. The Bears have rolled up 93 first downs, the Packers 87. But who has ever won games on first downs? Well, keep on. The Bears, with their devastating T, have rolled up 45 rushing and the Packers 44. The Bears have picked up 40 by passing, the Packers 45. The Bears have added eight on penalties, the Packers two. In yard gained, the story is the same; Chicago, 2,313 yards, Green Bay 2,114. By rushing: Chicago 1,014, Green Bay 986; by passing, Chicago 1,250, Green Bay 1,128; by laterals (the Bears flip the ball out to the man in motion occasionally) Chicago 49, Green Bay 0...SAME NUMBER OF PLAYS: Here's a coincidence. Each team has carried the ball 251 times this season. An average of 42 plays a game rushing. The Bears have averaged four yards a play, the Packers 3.9 yards. As a group, the Bear passers, and that means Sid Luckman mostly, have a bulge on Packer passers. The Bears have a passing efficiency of 52% with 68 completions with 130 attempts. The Packers have an average of 48% with 72 completions out of 150 attempts. The Bears have had fewer go astray, too. They've had only eight intercepted. The Packers have had 12 taken by the other team. There is better kicking on the Bear team, too. The Bears have averaged 37 yards a kick, the Packers 35. The Bears have done a better job returning kickoffs. They have averaged 28 yards a return, the Packers only 24. There is an antidote for this, though. Kick the ball out of the end zone...BEARS DRAW PENALTIES: The aggressive team draws the penalties, they say. If this is true, the nod goes to the Bears again. They have been penalized 49 times for 415 yards, the Packers 27 times for 202 yards. Fumbles? The Packers handle the ball more cleanly. They've mishandled the ball only 13 times, the Bears 19 times. With the T, though, the Bears handle the ball behind the line more than the Packers and increased the possibility of fumbling. The Packers have hovered over a loose ball a little more alertly than the Bears. They have recovered seven of their own fumbles, the Bears only six. The Packers have also recovered 6 out of 15 of their opponents' fumbles, the Bears only 5 out of 16. In scoring, the Bears take over again - 26 touchdowns against 21, 22 extra points against 21, two field goals in six attempts against two in nine attempts. Notice that the Packers have not missed an extra point this season. That's Don Hutson's good old toe...EDGE ON DEFENSE: Defensively the Bears have an edge, too. The defensive statistics probably tell more than the offensive. The Bears have allowed 98 points, the Packers 102. (But don't forget that sad performance the Packers put up against Washington.) The Bears have allowed 69 first downs rushing, the Packers 75, the Bears 34 by passing, the Packers 39. The Bears have defended against passes better, too. Their opponents have completed only 42 out of 128 for an efficiency average of 32%. Green Bay's opponents have completed 74 out of 159 for an efficiency of 46%. In yards gained on interceptions, however, the Packers again have an edge - 294 yards against 147. And the Packers are crippled physically. Charley Brock in a hospital in New York. Ted Fritsch, Irv Comp, Bill Kuusisto, Baby Ray, Larry Craig are not in the best of shape. Or is this only a bear story, except for Brock? It adds up to a Bear victory except for one thing: Statistics don't always mean much. They are kicked overboard every week. How else can upsets be accounted for? So here is a timid vote: The Packers will win Sunday. And more, the

(Including Games of Oct. 31)				
Leading Ball Carriers				
	*Att	YG	LG	A
Canadeo, G. Bay	63	339	25	5.3
Clark, Chi. Bears	56	327	29	4.8
Grigas, Chi. Cards	71	250	23	3.5
Butler, Phil-Pitt	44	237	69	5.4
Paschal, New York	73	208	18	2.8
Magnani, Chi. Bears	28	200	79	7.1
Farkas, Washington	32	194	25	5.7
Sinkwich, Detroit	65	192	17	3.
Laws, Green Bay	27	189	31	7.
Famiglietti, Bears	41	179	31	4.1
Steele, Phil-Pitt	40	165	24	4.1
Comp, Green Bay	41	158	27	3.9
LONGEST GAIN—79 yards, D. Magnani, Chicago Bears, vs. Brooklyn, Oct. 24. (Touchdown.)				
*Key: Att—Attempts. YG—Yards gained. LG—Longest gain. A—Average.				
Leading Passers				
	*Att	Com	YG	Pct
Luckman, Bears	110	62	1189	564
Baugh, Washington	94	52	811	553
Comp, Green Bay	42	26	331	619
Candi, G. Cards	62	32	439	493
Nix, New York	32	18	243	563
Canadeo, G. Bay	90	36	565	406
McAdams, Brooklyn	47	22	180	468
Sinkwich, Detroit	57	29	386	386
Cafego, Brooklyn	36	17	209	472
Leemans, New York	37	16	148	432
LONGEST COMPLETION—72 yards, S. Baugh, Washington, vs. Brooklyn, Oct. 31. (Touchdown.)				
*Key: Att—Attempts. Com—Completed. YG—Yards gained. Pct—Percentage.				
Standings computed by adding position by number of completions to position by percentage of completions and grading the sums inversely.				
Leading Pass Receivers				
	*R	YG	LG	T
Hutson, Green Bay	33	328	26	5
Moore, Washington	20	424	72	6
Jacurksi, Green Bay	17	350	48	2
Clark, Chi. Bears	15	328	32	3
Rucinski, Chi. Cards	15	255	35	2
Aguirre, Washington	15	209	44	3
G. Wilson, Chi. Bears	13	194	28	3
Hopp, Detroit	12	205	67	3
Grigas, Chi. Cards	12	146	39	0
Bova, Phil-Pitt	10	240	51	3
LONGEST COMPLETION—72 yards, W. Moore, Washington, vs. Brooklyn, Oct. 31. (Touchdown.)				
*Key: R—Received. YG—Yards gained. LG—Longest gain. T—Touchdowns.				
Leading Scorers				
	*TT	XP	FG	TP
Hutson, Green Bay	5	21	1	54
Paschal, New York	8	0	0	48
Hopp, Detroit	7	0	0	42
Moore, Washington	7	0	0	42
Farkas, Washington	6	0	0	26
Clark, Chi. Bears	5	0	0	39
Snyder, Chi. Bears	0	22	2	28
Aguirre, Washington	4	3	0	27
Geyer, Chi. Bears	4	0	0	24
Magnani, Chi. Bears	4	0	0	24
*Key: TT—Total touchdowns. XP—Points after touchdowns. FG—Field goals. TP—Total points.				
Field Goal Leaders				
	*NM	NA	L	
Lio, Detroit	2	6	37	
Snyder, Chi. Bears	2	6	37	
Kinard, Brooklyn	1	1	22	
Hutson, Green Bay	1	2	21	
C. Adams, Green Bay	1	3	32	
Zimmerman, Phil-Pitt	1	3	23	
Stokes, Chi. Cards	1	3	29	
LONGEST—43 yards, A. Lio, Detroit, vs. Brooklyn, Sept. 26.				
*Key: NM—Number made. NA—Number attempted. L—Longest.				
Leading Punters				
	*No	AD	L	
Baugh, Washington	19	45.4	74	
Hopp, Detroit	28	38.1	60	
McAdams, Brooklyn	20	39.4	69	
J. Martin, Chi. Cards	14	42.1	59	
Zimmerman, Phil-Pitt	21	36.3	52	
Kinscherf, New York	13	41.3	72	
L. Brock, Green Bay	19	35.9	72	
LONGEST—78 yards, S. Luckman, Chicago Bears, vs. Detroit, Oct. 31.				
*Key: No—Number. AD—Average distance. L—Longest.				
Punt Returns Leaders				
	*No	YR	AD	
Steele, Phil-Pitt	7	103	14.7	
Farkas, Washington	7	98	14.	
J. Butler, Phil-Pitt	7	59	8.4	
Clark, Chi. Bears	6	98	16.3	
Paschal, New York	5	55	11.	
Fenwick, Detroit	5	50	10.	
Laws, Green Bay	5	44	8.1	
LONGEST RETURN—40 yards, E. Hackney, Detroit, vs. Brooklyn, Sept. 26. (Touchdown.)				
*Key: No—Number. YR—Yards returned. AD—Average distance.				
Kickoff Returns Leaders				
	*No	YR	AD	
Clark, Chi. Bears	9	238	26.7	
Fenwick, Det.	8	167	20.1	
Canadeo, Green Bay	7	183	26.1	
Heineman, Brooklyn	6	182	30.3	
LONGEST RETURN—96 yards, D. Magnani, Chicago Bears, vs. Phil-Pitt, Oct. 17. (Touchdown.)				
*Key: No—Number. YR—Yards returned. AD—Average distance.				
Interceptions Leaders				
	*No	YR	L	
Hutson, Green Bay	5	88	16	
Baugh, Washington	4	57	23	
Clark, Chi. Bears	4	29	22	
Laws, Green Bay	4	24	12	
LONGEST RETURN—91 yards, J. Hinkle, Phil-Pitt, vs. New York, Oct. 9.				
*Key: No—Number. YR—Yards returned. L—Longest.				

Packers will go on to win the western division championship - without the necessity of a playoff with the Bears later. The Bears still have Washington to meet in Washington and the Giants in New York.

# 'Who Is Going to Win Sunday?' Is This Week's Football Poser

## **'WHO IS GOING TO WIN SUNDAY?' IS THIS WEEK'S FOOTBALL POSER**

NOV 4 (Green Bay) - Each football season about this time anyone looking for an argument about the merits of the Packers and the Chicago Bears can find one by stepping out of his house, picking out a casual passerby, and putting this question, "Who is going to win the ball game Sunday?" It won't be necessary to say which ball game because the passerby will immediately know there is only "one game" on the NFL menu next Sunday and that will bring together the Packers and Bear at Wrigley field in Chicago in what well may be termed the clincher for the Western division title. The argument can't be settled definitely now but it revolves around three question:...THREE IMPORTANT QUESTIONS: 1. What have the teams done this year? 2. What is the physical and mental condition of both squads likely to be? 3. What loss or gain would come to the Packers by defeat or victory? Armed with the ammunition of pro league official statistics, released today in Chicago, the Packer backer in the argument (assuming there is a Bear fan in the city and he would be willing to argue the point) could show that the Bruins are not any tougher than Coach Curly Lambeau's team. The records are for six games. The Bears have the edge in some divisions of play while the Packers are top in others - despite the poor showing they made against Washington. It might also be pointed out that the Bears have had somewhat weaker opposition than the home team since they battled to a 21-21 deadlock here in September. The Bears since have won five straight while the Bays have won four and lost one...BOTH ALMOST EVEN: The important statistics show the following: First downs - Bears 93, Packers 87; yards gained - Bears 2,313, Packers 2,114; ball carrying attempts, 251 each; average per attempt - Bears 4, Packers 3.9; passes attempted - Bears 130, Packers 150; passes completed - Bears 68, Packers 72, for respective percentages of .523 and .480; opponents' points - Bears 98, Packers 102. Not getting very far in reaching a conclusion on statistics the argument turns to the second point, where the Packer fans must do some mental gymnastics to make his team the favorite, which it isn't in the Chicago books. The Bears are conceded an 8 to 5 edge. There are no statistics to show physical or mental condition of a team before a game but Coach Curly Lambeau is willing to outlike the situation. At least seven Packers, Curly moans, are on the injured list and center Charley Brock, always a titan against the Bears, is in the hospital. Even though some of the injuries may be somewhat healed by Sunday afternoon, there is good reason to believe that none of the cripples will be at top efficiency. On the other hand, Coach Luke Johnsos of the Bears specifically says all of the Bruins are in good shape...PACKERS ARE UNDERDOGS: Physically, then, the Packers are underdogs. Mentally they are getting sharpened up as they indicated in Wednesday's double drill. There was plenty of chatter and pep by the "whole" members of the squad, of whom there are 20 or two-thirds of a full strength outfit of 28. Lambeau feels his team will have the proper mental attitude and he has repeatedly praised the spirit they've shown. The Packers will need to be just right psychologically to offset the manpower advantage the Bears have. Unless they can rise to superlative heights, their chances for a tie in the Western half of the pro circuit are practically non-existent. A victory means everything, another tie means nothing, and a loss would be fatal. The argument can go on indefinitely, that is, until some time after 4 p.m. Sunday. The Packers are sparing no effort to get in A-1 shape for the clash, which will be played before an estimated 40,000 fans. Double drills were on tap again today with a skull session before the morning practice. A single practice Friday and another Saturday will wind up the preparations. Reports from Chicago indicate the Bears are taking the game just as seriously since Co-Coaches Hunk Anderson and Johnsos have enough esteem for the Packers to realize the game is going to be no pushover no matter which team wins. They naturally favor the Bruins. Both teams are preparing in secret, which speaks volumes for what is likely to happen when they come out in the open at the home of the Cubs.

## **PACKERS ARE TOP ROAD CLUB IN NFL**

NOV 4 (Chicago) - Short punts and passes from pro football circles...Pro football's greatest attraction - the Chicago Bear-Green Bay Packer game - figures to be a sellout Sunday for the fourth straight time in Chicago. The crowd should approach 40,000, should pay upwards of \$100,000. The Bears are second in the league in attendance this season, with 254,681 fans watching their home and road games, while Green Bay is the top road team, with 147,200 attendance. Washington's Redskins hold first place in overall attendance with 314,476 for home and road games. Detroit's Lions have played to 37.6 percent of the fans who have witnessed the 22 National league games this season...A New York sports columnist said publicly that he wondered what the rest of the pro league was like if Frankie Sinkwich and George Cafego, both discharged from military service, could be its outstanding stars. League publicitor George Strickler sent the columnist an ultra-formal



engraved invitation to participate in any of the league's four games Sunday and to "bring along the guy who told you Sinkwich and Cafego are the outstanding men in our league."...For the future book: A move is under way to hold the professional league playoff on the west coast for Army Air corps relief. If plans jell, the pro winner in each division would battle for the title in Los Angeles on Dec. 26, with the charity group paying a flat sum for control of the event and doing its own promoting...The coach can be wrong. When "Lone Star" Dietz was coaching a Boston pro eleven, he toyed briefly with a pet theory that the only way to whip a high scoring team was to kick off repeatedly. Before his team took the field against the New York Giants one Sunday, Dietz told them firmly to "kick off", then climbed to the press box to watch the results. When he got there, Boston was receiving. Angered, he phoned the bench: "I thought I told those mugs to kick off!" "We did, chief," a voice answered, "but Harry Newman ran 95 yards for a touchdown while you were going up to the press box. The score is 7 to 0."...SUTHERLAND STILL COACH: Lt. Cmdr. Jock Sutherland, on leave-of-absence as Brooklyn Dodger mentor, is retaining his coaching touch by piloting the sailor team at Camp May, Va. Nine members of the New York Giants spend their spare time coaching high school teams in the New York area. There have been 111 fumbles in 22 pro games this year, an average of more than five per game. Phil-Pitt leads the bobble division with 24 and the Bears are second with 19. Detroit has muffed only seven times.

### PACKERS IN HIGH SPIRITS FOR BEAR GAME SUNDAY

NOV 5 (Milwaukee Journal) - The will to win can be a tremendous thing in football. It can compensate for many shortcomings or handicaps. Sunday, if the signs of the week in Green Bay are correctly read, it will be one of the Packers' chief assets in the game with the Bears at Wrigley field. The Packers want this one as badly as they have wanted any game this fall. Their approach to the game could not be better. "We've put in as good a week as we have all fall," Coach Curly Lambeau said Friday. "Maybe even a better one. It almost has been necessary to hold these fellows back. They've been going at things too hard and too eagerly." Whether the desire to get at the Bears, and the will to win, can overcome some of the handicaps the Packers will carry into the game because of injuries, remains to be seen, but Lambeau suddenly has developed confidence in it. He was glum Monday upon his return from New York with a

flock of cripples on his hands. He was confident again Friday. The improvement in some of the cripples has also brightened the whole picture. It now develops that only Charley Brock, veteran center who had an appendectomy in New York last week, will be out for the season. The others, while not in the best of shape, will be ready to take their places - Larry Craig, Bill Kuusisto, Baby Ray, Ted Fritsch and Irv Comp. Fritsch and Comp, the most seriously injured of the bunch, have shown the most improvement. The Bears continue to rule favorites by anything from three to six points despite the 21-21 tie the teams played in Green Bay. The game would probably be a tossup except for Green Bay's inexplicable collapse before Washington and Charley Brock's loss. Brock, a ball hawk against passes, has always been one of the Bears' tormentors. While Brock will be the only man missing from the Packers' cast, the Bears will be without six of the men who played in the game in Green Bay. All of them have been called to service - Bill Osmanski, Bob Steuber and Bill Geyer, backs; John

## FIGURES IN OLDEST PRO FEUD



Harry Clark, hard running Chicago Bears' back, who will try to regain the National Football league ground gaining lead from Tony Canadeo (below) of the Packers when the two teams meet Sunday in Wrigley field for the western division title.



Sid Luckman, "the Bears' field general, who has tossed 14 touchdown passes in six league games. He threw 10 in 11 games last season and nine in 1941. The Packers and Bears have been playing each other since 1921. Sunday's meeting is their 51st.



The pressure will be on Canadeo Sunday as a runner and passer, Irv Comp, sensational rookie left half back, who alternates with Tony, has been ill.

Siegel, end; Bill Steinkemper, tackle, and Monte Merkel, guard. The Packers will leave Green Bay late Saturday afternoon and pitch camp at the Knickerbocker hotel Saturday night. Sunday's game will start at 2 o'clock.

#### **FIGURES SAY PACKERS AND BEARS WILL TIE**

NOV 4 (Chicago) - Figures show that the Chicago Bears and Green Bay Packers, who have a rendezvous in Wrigley field Sunday, are really in the dead heat class their 21 to 21 draw in Green Bay last September indicated. In six games, each team has had 251 ball carrying attempts. The Packers' average is 3.9 yards per drive and the Bears an even four. The Packers have made 44 first downs by rushing to their rivals' 45 and 41 to 40 first downs in passing. The Green Bay horde has pitched 150 passes to the Bears' 130 and completed 72 to 68, 13 for touchdowns to 14 for the Bears. The defensive statistics help carry out the dead heat idea. The Bears have yielded 98 points, the Packers 102. Opponents have averaged 3.8 yards butting into the Bears' line and only 3.2 against the Packers...**FIRST DIFFERENCE IN PASSES:** The first big discrepancy in the comparisons shows up in defense against passes. Only 42 pitches have been completed against the Bears, while 74 have succeeded against the Packers. The Bears are sacrificing yardage on enemy line plays just to be sure the other team doesn't go places on passing. Yet a mistake on a Green Bay pass caused that 21 to 21 tie. The Bears were leading, 21 to 14, midway in the fourth quarter. Don Hutson hadn't caught a pass. Then Tony Canadeo finally established contact with the stringy end. The pass was good for 14 yards to the Bears' 26. Tony tried again, but two Bears had Don covered. But here is where the mistake was made. Both Bears tried to intercept or bat down the ball, instead of one being prepared to down Don in his tracks if he was successful in reaching the ball first, which he usually is, and which happened in this case. After the catch, with the two defenders off balance, Hutson trotted the remaining 20 yards for a touchdown, then calmly kicked the tying point...**MISTAKE WILL BE TOO BAD:** This big touchdown has been used as example No. 1 this week by Bear coaches in emphasizing that it's costly to make a mistake against the Packers and particularly Hutson. Over and over the Bears, as they prepare for this big game, are hearing, "Make a mistake against the Packers and it'll be just too bad!" The Bears can't afford to make that mistake. A loss to the Packers will create a tie between the two teams in the Western division - five victories, one defeat and one tie. Worse still, the Bears still have to face the Washington Redskins two weeks hence - in Washington - and that disagreeable business is over for the Packers. Their one defeat was a 33 to 7 pasting by the Redskins in Milwaukee three Sundays ago. After the Bears, the Packers wind up with three easy ones - the Chicago Cardinals, the Brooklyn Dodgers and the Phil-Pitt Eagles. After the Packers, the Bears will meet New York in New York, Washington in Washington, and the Cardinals in Comiskey park...**GROUND GAINING DUEL:** A side issue of Sunday's game will be the ground gaining duel between the Bears' Harry Clark and Canadeo. The Packers' hard running back last week wrested the lead from Clark and now has 339 yards to Harry's 327. Sid Luckman will be defending his league forward passing percentage lead of .564 to Sam Baugh's .533. Hutson has taken the scoring lead with 54 points and first in pass catching with 23 for 328 yards and five touchdowns. Clark is tops in kickoff returns, having averaged 28.7 yards in bringing back the ball from the shadows of the goal posts.

## Packers' Coach, Fans Look For Win Over Bear Team

#### **PACKERS' COACH, FANS LOOK FOR WIN OVER BEAR TEAM**

NOV 5 (Green Bay) - A feeling of optimism crept into the city today as Packer fans began to feel that their team can defeat the Chicago Bears in the 50th renewal of their historic football series at Wrigley field in Chicago Sunday and Coach Curly Lambeau added his belief that a win over the Bears is not outside the realms of possibility. There is no question that fans would like nothing better than to see the Green Bay eleven put the Bruins to rout and clinch a tie for the Western division lead. Fans hereabouts never had any love for the cantankerous Chicago eleven, which is ruling the divisional roost with five straight victories. And if anybody ever wanted a victory it is Lambeau, who as both player and coach has bumped into the Bruins since 1921, when the series started. The Packer coach is a respecter of all teams in the pro league but when it comes to the Bears, he is unable to express his feelings. The players share the same viewpoint...**PRACTICE IN SECRET:** While he keeps the team practicing behind a fog of secrecy, Lambeau is definitely known to feel his players have the stuff to knock off the Bears the first time this season. And while he appreciates the Bruins' power, he is not unmindful of his eleven's potency. No more concrete evidence of the latter could be given than by repeating what Lambeau emphasized this morning in talking about the team's preparations for the clash. It's a terse statement but it expresses the sentiments not only of Lambeau, but of thousands of Packer followers. Lambeau said, "We are going to win that ball game Sunday!"...**PACKERS ARE CRIPPLED:** The statement becomes all the more important when consideration is given to the fact that Curly is not



one to put himself out on a limb. Sure, he qualifies his belief by adding that the Packers are crippled - crippled much more than he likes. He points out also that the Bears are in top condition. The Bruins are being given the edge in Chicago by three to seven points. The advantage is based principally on the previous records of the Sunday opponents in previous games in the pro circuit this year. It is also based on a slight statistical edge, which doesn't mean a thing because the Packers have played a much tougher quintet of opponents than the Bears. Did the Bears have any trouble after their first game here against the Packers? Not much. Detroit proved to be the only tough opponents and lost 27 to 21. Since then the Bears have squashed the Chicago Cardinals, 20 to 0; Phil-Pitt, 48-21; Brooklyn, 33-21, and Detroit, 35-14. The Cards and Dodgers haven't won a game yet and Detroit has been soundly trounced by Green Bay twice...**INSIDE TRACK TO CROWN:** The Packers also beat the Cards, 28-7, nicked the Lions, 35-14 and 27-6, and showed the New York Giants by 35-21. They lost to the Washington Redskins, 33-7, when they had one of those corporate off days which happens to any team. A victory Sunday would give Green Bay an inside track to the Western crown because the Bears still must play both Washington and New York. The Bays have left the Cards, Phil-Pitt and Brooklyn left after Sunday. In drills this week the Packers have shown fight and determination to a greater extent than ever before this season. They know they have a good chance to knock off the Bruins but they also are willing to concede that a victory will come only through an all-out smashing and driving game where no mistakes can be made. Their tackling and blocking must be at its sharpest, their offense must click as never before, and their defense must be a cement wall. There were some mistakes in the 21-21 September deadlock which can't be repeated and the Packers know it. That day the T-formation was stopped from "teeing" off while the Bays were gaining 224 yards to the Bears' 14 on the ground. Since then, the local running attack has become more polished and the passing game is considerably tougher...**BEARS BETTER ALSO:** The Bears also can be said to have more precision now than previously. Their attack is sparked by Sid Luckman, the league's leading passer and the "T-threat" in the T-formation. Harry Clark, a hard running back, Gary Famiglietti and Dante Magnani are others the Green Bay defense will have to contend with. The line is paced by such veterans as Bulldog Turner, center, Danny Fortmann, guard, George Musso and Al Hoptowit, tackles, and George Wilson, end.

#### **DON HUTSON HAS MUSCLE MAN IN LARRY CRAIG**

NOV 5 (Chicago) - Don Hutson and his muscle man, or slugger, perhaps the most unique combination in the National league, will show up in Wrigley field Sunday for Chicago's own version of professional football's World Series. Huston's muscle is a powerful South Carolinian, Larry Craig. In Green Bay's lineup he is listed as a quarterback. Unlike the Bears'

## **TARGET FOR TODAY**



George Wilson, the Bears' veteran end, who is likely to play a leading role in the game with the Green Bay Packers in Wrigley field this afternoon. He is one of the chief targets for the accurate passes of Sid Luckman, the Bears' quarter back.

Sid Luckman, Craig never handles the ball, either as a runner, passer or pass catcher. The quarterback, under the old Notre Dame system, is strictly a blocker. That's Larry's chore when the Packers are searching for touchdowns. But when the Packers give up the ball, Craig becomes a left end, while Hutson moves into the backfield. The pummeling that Hutson would normally take as a defensive end is absorbed by Craig, because Hutson is too valuable to risk injury. As soon as the Packers get possession of the ball, Don returns to end and Larry to the backfield...IT

**PAYS DIVIDENDS:** This almost amounts to putting Hutson under a glass case, and, of course, it has paid dividends. The lanky 180 pound Arkansan's pro career has been immeasurably lengthened because someone else took the knocks which would have come his way, leaving Don with little to worry about except to catch footballs. Don is grateful to Craig. Without a fellow like Larry, Hutson admits, he wouldn't last long bumping up against the plus-200 pounders. For a fellow who plays such an important part in the Packers' success, Craig has received little recognition. Yet he's tops as a blocker and one of the fastest men in the league. Twice in 1941 games with the Bears, he outstepped George McAfee, who ran like he was shot out of a cannon. The first time was at Green Bay when he intercepted a pass and actually gained ground as McAfee chased him to the goal. Later, in Wrigley field, McAfee snatched a Green Bay pass and Craig caught George from behind on the 10 yard line...**CRAIG LIVES ON FARM:** Craig wears snappy getups off the football field - until the season ends. Then he goes back to his South Carolina farm home and just dares anyone to get in touch with him. Last year, league officials were unable to get a message through telling him to report to play with the league All-Stars against the Redskins in Philadelphia. Finally, someone had a bright idea. Craig was paged by radio stations in Greensboro and Asheville and finally showed up in Philadelphia. He weighs 210 pounds, is raw-bones, and has long arms and big hands. He takes care of his father's farm in addition to his own. The Craig family is as famous in South Carolina football lore as is Notre Dame's Miller clan, and Larry is the last of the Craigs.

#### PACKERS CLASH WITH BEARS FOR 50TH TIME SUNDAY

**NOV 6 (Green Bay)** - The Packers wound up a week of successful drills today and entrained this afternoon for Chicago where they meet the Chicago Bears at Wrigley field Sunday afternoon in a clash that has all the earmarks of the classic of the NFL's second wartime season. Approximately 40,000 fans will be on hand for the game which begins at 2 o'clock. The tussle is in the nature of a "must" for Coach Curly Lambeau's squad. The Bays must win to tie for first in the pro loop's Western division and to retain their chances for a crack at the bunting which hasn't waned from the City stadium staff since 1939. A tie or loss to the Bruins, currently on top with five straight wins, won't be good enough. It is victory or nothing. Annually since 1921, the Packer-Bear series has been drawing principal attention not only from the cash customers but from the pseudo-alumni as well. Sunday's clash will be the 50th in the series and the Packers have a good chance to collect their 20th victory over the Bears, who have won 25. Five contests have been ties. The fans, the team's coaching staff, and the players themselves are expected another one of those bruising, slashing games which become a commonplace when these two teams get together. The records show that they are evenly matched statistically and physically. Evidence for this was given in the 21-21 standoff they played in September...**BEARS THINK BAYS LUCKY:** The Bears have been given the edge around Chicago by three to seven points. Where the figure comes from is one of those "good questions that can't be

## National Football League Statistics

	[Including games of last Sunday.]							
	G. Bay.	Bears.	N. Y.	Det.	Cards.	Bklyn.	Wash.	Eagles.
Games .....	6	6	4	7	6	6	4	5
First downs.....	87	93	44	78	67	43	48	64
Rushing .....	44	45	28	36	33	18	25	46
Passing .....	41	40	12	33	24	21	21	13
By penalty.....	2	8	4	9	10	4	2	5
Yards gained.....	2,114	2,313	835	1,645	1,095	803	1,371	1,384
Rushing .....	986	1,014	443	561	365	176	526	741
Passing .....	1,128	1,250	392	898	722	625	845	643
Laterals .....	0	49	0	186	8	2	0	0
Ball carrying attempts...	251	251	151	203	197	190	134	215
Av. dist. per attempt..	3.9	4	2.9	2.8	1.8	.9	3.9	3.4
Forward passes attempted	150	130	73	180	133	137	100	94
Passes completed.....	72	68	35	65	58	57	53	34
Per cent completed....	.480	.523	.480	.361	.436	.416	.530	.363
Number had intercepted	12	8	3	27	25	11	8	7
Yds. interc. ret. by opp.	127	147	101	323	332	63	101	85
Opp. tchds. on interc.	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1
Laterals attempted....	2	5	0	13	2	5	0	1
Laterals completed....	1	4	0	13	2	4	0	1
Punts .....	26	28	28	41	31	56	23	31
Average distance.....	35	37.1	36.7	39.7	40.8	36.3	41.5	34
Returned by.....	17	14	11	21	8	14	14	19
Yards returned by....	172	224	147	289	86	125	159	218
Returned for touchdns.	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Kick-off's returned.....	17	18	8	24	16	29	6	20
Av. dist. of returns...	24.1	28	20.2	20.7	20	22.8	34.7	20
Returned for touchdns.	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number of penalties.....	27	49	13	42	24	22	21	28
Yards penalized.....	202	415	84	322	199	156	151	259.5
Fumbles .....	13	19	9	7	11	16	12	24
Own fumbles recovered	7	6	7	4	8	9	6	14
Opponents' fumbles....	15	16	18	18	12	19	3	10
Opp. fumbles recovered	6	5	7	11	8	7	2	4
Touchdowns [total].....	21	26	14	17	6	4	18	16
Touchdowns running..	8	12	11	9	1	1	4	9
Touchdowns passing...	13	14	3	8	5	3	14	7
Extra points.....	21	22	13	16	5	4	13	15
Field goals.....	2	2	0	2	1	1	0	1
Field goals attempted..	9	6	3	8	4	4	1	2
Total points.....	153	184	97	124	44	31	121	114



NOV 6 (Chicago) - The unfinished symphony of flying footballs and touchdowns, interrupted by the clock last September, will be completed on Wrigley field this afternoon by a cast of Chicago Bears and Green Bay Packers. Looking on will be

**Packers won 19, Bears 25; five tied.**

42,500 fans, all that the place will hold. If Maestro Curly Lambeau fails to get the upper hand in the symphony of points, he might as well hole up in northern Wisconsin for the winter. This is the Packers' last stand for western honors - just as it had been in 1941 and 1942. In 1941, in Wrigley field, the Packers came through with a 16 to 14 victory, which necessitated a playoff. This was won by the Bears. Since that 16 to 14 loss, the Bears have been unbeaten in Wrigley field...EARLIER GAME IS TIE: It is an unfinished symphony today because when the noise makers of pro football met for the first time this season - in Green Bay - the score was a 21 to 21 tie. Later the Packers curled up under the running and passing fire of the champion Washington Redskins, a team which the Bears have yet to meet in the east. Since the Green Bay tie, the Bears have rolled along to five straight wins. The Packers have won four and dropped one, which makes it so imperative that they win today. A Green Bay victory would put the pressure on the Bears, who would have to whip the Redskins two weeks from today or watch the Packers take the lead in the west...HUTSON IS AGAIN PROBLEM: The Bears, because of a better coordinated attack in the air and on the ground, will get a speedy pattern for the Packers, who appear to have finally straightened out their offensive. As always, Don Hutson will be a problem for the Bears. When last they met in Green Bay, Hutson was in a daze until midway in the fourth quarter. The Bears were leading, 21 to 14, and the superb end had contributed little to the Packers' cause. Then he caught two passes, the last one for a touchdown. He kicked the point for the 21 to 21 tie. Then Don went to Arkansas for the funeral of his father. In subsequent games, Hutson wasn't the terror of old. He caught only one pass in Milwaukee the day the Packers were crushed by the Redskins. In late games, though, Don has been more like the old Hutson and much of the credit must go to Tony Canadeo and Irv Comp. For five seasons Don caught passes from Cecil Isbell, a sharpshooter. This year, with Isbell gone, Hutson's play was disappointing until Comp and Canadeo improved...FIRST MEETING DETAILS: In their September game, the Bears took a 7 to 0 lead after a 60 yard march, Sid Luckman tossing a lateral to Bill Geyer from the 6 yard line. The Packers tied it in the second quarter when they smashed the Bears' forwards after Ted Fritsch had recovered a fumble on the Chicago 33. Canadeo lead a running attack and Fritsch went over. The Packers went ahead, 14 to 7, in the third quarter on a 60 yard drive, 49 of the yards being made on running plays. Then Harry Clark took the kickoff and ran 45 yards to Green Bay's 46. Luckman's passes quickly brought a tie, Clark taking one for 21 yards and a score. Early in the fourth period, Al Matuza fell on the ball on the Packers' 29 after Lou Brock had fumbled. Three plays later the Bears had their third touchdown, Bill Osmanski whirling in for 6 yards. And then came Hutson's heroics. The Bears have won 26, lost 19 and tied 5 in the series, which dates back to 1921. Scores have ranged from 0 to 0, 2 and 3 to 0, to the 44 to 28 Bear victory in September of last year. In the 50 games the Chicagoans have scored 644 points to Green Bay's 506.

#### **45,000 WILL WATCH BEARS AND PACKERS**

NOV 7 (Chicago) - The Packers and Bears, oldest and grandest rivals in the NFL, will just about settle the western division championship at Wrigley field here Sunday afternoon when they get together for the second time this season. They played a 21-21 tie in the first game at Green Bay six weeks ago. If the Bears win, they will assume a two game lead in this division and, with only three more games to play, will be as good as in to take part in the annual championship playoffs against the winners in the eastern end of the league. If the Packers win, they will go into a tie with the Bears in this division, but will have the advantage of a much softer schedule the rest of the way. While they wind up against the Cardinals, Brooklyn and Philadelphia, the Bears will wind up against the Giants, Redskins and Cardinals. The Bears will go into the game without a defeat against them. The tie with Green Bay in the first game of the season was followed by successive victories over Detroit (2), the Cardinals, Philadelphia and Brooklyn. The Packers, playing a much tougher schedule since the tie with the Bears, whipped Detroit twice, the Cardinals and the Giants, but collapsed completely and lost to Washington. A capacity crowd of 45,000 will see the game. Except for 5,000 bleacher seats which will not be placed on sale until Sunday morning and which always go like hot cakes, the park was sold out Saturday noon. The Bears ruled slight favorites. It was true largely because of Green Bay's sad showing against Washington, however, rather than Chicago's superiority in any close analysis of the teams. Injuries have struck the Packers and they will step out on the field without Charley Brock, their ball hawk center, who underwent an appendectomy in New York last week, and with several other key men, including fullback Ted Fritsch and halfback Irv Comp, not in the best of shape. Against this, though, the Bears have lost six of their men to the service since the tie in Green Bay - Bill Osmanski, Bob Steuber, Bill Geyer, John Siegel, Bill Steinkemper and Monte Merkel - and they will field a team a little weaker in personnel themselves. A wide open offensive show, if the weather is clear, appears certain. Each side has sharp passers, the Bears with Sid Luckman, the best of the bunch, and the Packers with Tony Canadeo and Irv Comp. Comp at the moment leads the league in passing efficiency, Luckman in total yards gained. Each team has a tough defensive line, the Packers perhaps the tougher, and each has a powerful backfield, the Bears perhaps the stronger. And the Packers have Don Hutson. Hutson was not himself in the first game at Green Bay. His father had just died. Since then, though, except for the Washington game, in which he suffered a letdown along with all the others, he has regained his form and again leads the league in pass catching, in which he has dominated it for so long. While the Packers attempt to halt the Bears, Phil-Pitt will get a chance to tighten up the eastern race by treating Sammy Baugh and associated Redskins to their first defeat. Loaded with a potential scoring punch, Phil-Pitt's chances seemingly depend on how well the Steagles can hobble Baugh, the taciturn Texan who is enjoying his greatest season. New York will provide Detroit with its last chance



this season to watch Gus Dorais' small but highly efficient Lion eleven and rookie Frankie Sinkwich. The Lions will go on the road next week to close out their season. The game will bring about a showdown between two of the season's outstanding rookies - Sinkwich and Bill Paschal of the Giants. Someone will have occasion for great celebration in Brooklyn unless the Cardinals and Dodgers wind up in a tie. Neither team has won in six starts. The Cardinals have displayed the greater possibilities, despite the loss of their star, Marshall Goldberg. But whether their rookie backs will have the experience to cope with such seasoned performers as Pug Manders, Dan McAdams and Merle Condit remains a question. The game will tell.

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Ward Cuff, New York Giants back, is tackled feet short of a touchdown by Don Hutson, Green Bay Packers end, in the fourth period of the Giants-Packers professional football game at New York. The Packers scored twice in the last four minutes, winning 35 to 21. Next Sunday the Green Bay Packers continue their campaign by playing the Bears in Chicago.