

**EXHIBITION: Green Bay Packers 21, Brooklyn Dodgers 13
Friday January 1st 1937 (at Denver)**

SAUER LEADS PACKERS TO VICTORY OVER BROOKLYN

GAME RECAP (GREEN BAY PRESS-GAZETTE)

(DENVER) - In weather fit only for a ski tournament, the champion Green Bay Packers and the scrappy Brooklyn Dodgers put on a sprightly New Year's day grid show today, the champions winning by 21 to 13. Snow powdered the frozen Denver university stadium sod and temperatures stood at far below the freezing point, yet the professionals gave a performance that for spirit and talent could not have not been bettered on a crisp October day. More than 6,000 hardy spectators, blanketed and braving pneumonia, saluted George Henry Sauer, carrot-haired Green Bay halfback from Nebraska, who scored all three Packer touchdowns, all of them in the last period. The throng roared approval of the pro champions' superior power, but it looked as though the green-garbed Brooklynites held the edge in thrills. Both of the Dodgers' scores were earned on tingling aerials thrown by Phil Sarboe, 168-pound quarterback from Washington State. Colorado's own Jimmy Hartman, now a brawny 210-pound halfback, caught one of Sarboe's smooth-clicking passes for the first score of the game. Jeff Barrett, Dodger end from Louisiana State, snagged another long, high fireball deep in the Green Bay end zone for the loser's second score. The count stood at a tight 14 to 13 until the final minute of play, when Sauer, who played a slashing, driving game all day, shuttled and pounded his way 65 yards along the sideline before Sarboe, deftly dodging blockers, nailed him on Brooklyn's 3-yard line.

GOES OFF TACKLE

On the second play the ex-Nebraska ace slanted off right tackle for the final score. Green Bay came to this city's mile high gridiron billed as the pro league's best passing outfit, but the Dodgers were the lads who made the onlookers forget their chilled feet with their passing exhibition. With Sarboe doing the throwing from a "spread" formation, the Flatbush outfit completed one long pass after another. Their second touchdown was scored with the third of three consecutive aerials that wiped out 80 yards. Green Bay, trailing 6 to 0, started the first of its touchdown sallies late in the third period, moving to Brooklyn's 20-yard line as the period ended. The Packers then fooled the Dodgers almost ludicrously with a play that started as an apparent end sweep and left Sauer all by himself for a 23-year sprint to the goal line. Arnold Herber, rated as the pro league's best passer, didn't connect with his receivers once in 14 heaves but he made the Packers' second touchdown opportunity with a beautiful 79-yard quick kick.

SAILS OVER HEAD

The ball sailed far over Joe Maniaci's head and rolled to a stop, as if charmed, one foot short of the Dodger goal. Brooklyn tried a strategem which boomeranged. Hartman faked a punt, then slung a pass which Clarke Hinkle, Green Bay fullback, intercepted eight yards out and returned to the 3-yard line, from where Sauer cracked across. Right back came the Dodgers with the chunky, irrepressible Sarboe scampering out of the reach of Green Bay tacklers to throw three consecutive strikes, one to Maniaci for 26 yards, the second to Kaska for 26 yards, the third to Barrett for 29 and a touchdown. Later Brooklyn

6,000 SEE CONTEST

**Denver Football Struggle Is
Played Before Chilled
Colorado Crowd.**

THE STARTING LINEUPS

GREEN BAY	BROOKLYN
Hutson, le	le, Ridlett
Seibold, lt	lt, Lee
Paulekas, lg	lg, Rukas
Svendsen, c	c, Jorgenson
Engebreetsen, rg	rg, Boyer
Gordon, rt	rt, Helot
Scherer, re	re, Barrett
Bruder, qb	qb, Sarboe
Sauer, lhb	lhb, Hartman
Herber, rhb	rhb, Kaska
Hinkle, fb	fb, Crayne

Score By Periods

Green Bay	0	0	0	21	—21
Brooklyn	0	0	6	7	—13

Scoring

Touchdowns—Sauer 3, Hartman, Barrett.
Points after touchdown—Engebreetsen 2, Hinkle, Hartman.

marched to Green Bay's 23 yard line, only to lose the ball when Kaska's attempted placekick from 31-yard line was blocked. This left the way for Sauer's pretty run through a swarm of foes and the third Packer score.

COULDN'T FIND RANGE

Herber just couldn't seem to find the range in the rarified atmosphere. Usually his throws were yard ahead of the outstretched fingers of his targets. Twice Sarboe stole long distance throws off the arm of Herber, former Regis college player here. Don Hutson, the Packer all-league end, was outclassed completely by Barrett, who played as if the game counted for the championship. His tackling was savage. Hinkle, another all-league star, punted well and hammered the line for sizeable gains. Bernard Scherer of Nebraska played sparkling football at end for the champions

GREEN BAY - 0 0 0 21 - 21
BROOKLYN - 0 0 6 7 - 13

SCORING

3RD - BRK - Jimmy Hartman pass from Phil Sarboe (Kick failed) BROOKLYN 6-0

4TH - GB - George Sauer, 23-yard run (Kick good) GREEN BAY 7-6

4TH - GB - Sauer, 3-yard run (Kick good) GREEN BAY 14-6

4TH - BRK - Jeff Barrett, 29-yard pass from Sarboe (Hartman kick) GREEN BAY 14-13

4TH - GB - Sauer, 3-yard run (Kick good) GREEN BAY 21-13

Green Bay Packers Meet Salinas Squad On Sunday

TEAM LEAVES ZERO CLIMATE

JAN 2 (Denver) - The Green Bay Packer football squad, victor over the Brooklyn Dodgers in an exhibition contest here yesterday, left early this morning for the West, traveling by motor. They planned to spend tonight at Salt Lake City, Utah. The next contest on the Green Bay schedule will be against the Salinas Packers, coast professional champions, on Sunday, Jan. 10, at San Francisco. The squad now is en route to San Francisco, where it will make its headquarters at the William Taylor hotel...ACCOMPANIED BY WIVES: The following players are accompanied by their wives: George Svendsen, Frank Butler, Russ Letlow, Walter Kiesling, Lon Evans, Ade Schwammel, Don Hutson, Hank Bruder, Clarke Hinkle, Chester Johnston, Arnold Herber and Joe

Laws. Mrs. Richard Smith, wife of the Packers' assistant coach, also accompanied her husband. The Packers were glad to leave Denver and get out of the near zero climate. After staying at Salt Lake City tonight, the party will stop at Reno, Nevada, Sunday night and will arrive in San Francisco Monday. Before leaving Denver Coach E.L. Lambeau paid high tribute to the playing of the Brooklyn team...PLAYED GREAT BALL: "The Dodgers played great ball against the Packers," he said. "Sarboe in particular was a star. Our passing game failed to produce for us, as many tries failed by inches, and Brooklyn's alert defense stopped two sure touchdowns. However, Sauer and Hinkle played great football, while Scherer, Schneidman, Engebretsen and Goldenberg were outstanding. The team came out of the game in good shape, with no injuries." Bud Jorgensen, property man, completed the Packer party.

PACKERS GET NICE WEATHER

JAN 8 (San Francisco) - Taking advantage of bright, sunny California weather, the Green Bay Packers are making great progress in their preparations for Sunday's football contest with the Salinas Iceburg Packers at Kezar stadium here. Arnold Herber, Green Bay passing ace who has been laid up with a severe cold, incurred while battling the snowdrifts west of Denver, reported for practice yesterday despite the fact that Coach E.L. Lambeau had excused him. "I couldn't stay in bed," Herber explained. He wore a towel around his neck muffler style, and the players immediately labeled him "Clark Gable". This handicap didn't keep Herber from punting 70 yards and passing accurately to receivers...STAY IN HOLLYWOOD: The Packers will remain here until Monday morning, when they will leave Los Angeles. During the next two weeks they will headquarter at the Hollywood Plaza hotel in Hollywood. Green Bay will play the Los Angeles Bulldogs at Gilmore stadium, Hollywood, Jan. 17, and will meet the Chicago Bears at the Los Angeles coliseum at Jan. 24. The press is stressing a probable passing duel between Herber and Lobero of Salinas. Lobero is the fellow who gave the Packers fits for a time in a game here last January and is hailed as the greatest passer on the coast. Lobero was signed by the Chicago Cardinals last

THE STARTING LINEUPS	
GREEN BAY	SALINAS
Hutson, le	le, Jensbugge
Smith, lt	lt, Lutz
Letlow, lg	lg, Hugh Gerardni
Svendsen, c	c, Loren Grannis
Evans, rg	rg, Ollie Bardin
Schwammel, rt	rt, Dave Anderson
Scherer, re	re, John Pecheu
Bruder, qb	qb, Tharp
Sauer, lhb	lhb, Don Fowler
Herber, rhb	rhb, Tom Bushby
Hinkle, fb	fb, Al Thorell

year, but went into coaching. Ralph (Primo) Miller, who played with the Packers for a time at the start of the 1936 season, is with Salinas and is being used at end. He tells the Packers to watch their step, as the Iceberg squad is tough...WATCH CHINA CLIPPER: The Green Bay squad and wives are spending most of their free time sightseeing or playing golf. Every Wednesday at 4 o'clock the China Clipper takes off for Hawaii and most of the Packers are there to witness the spectacle. The great weather has aided the team materially in its daily workouts at the University of San Francisco field. Bud Jorgensen, property man, has been all over the country with the Packers but never before visited California, and he is getting a treat. When players call for supplies or assistance on the practice field, it is necessary to call several times to get him out of his trances, as he likes to look at the mountains, the Golden Gate or Inspiration point.

REEN BAY PACKERS MEET SALINAS SQUAD ON SUNDAY

JAN 9 (San Francisco) - Professional football's greatest team, the National championship Green Bay Packers, meets one of the best elevens ever assembled on the Pacific coast - the Salinas Iceberg Packers - here tomorrow. The game, marking the first Far Western appearance this season of the great Green Bay aggregation, is sponsored by the Disabled American Veterans of the World War. Part of the proceeds will be turned over to the organization for charitable purposes. Green Bay won the National league title, defeating the Boston Redskins in the playoff. Its record lists ten wins and one defeat for the past season. Coached by Earl (Curly) Lambeau of Notre Dame fame, its personnel includes such stars as Don Hutson, former all-America end from Alabama; Arnold Herber, acclaimed as the greatest forward passer in the game; Ernie Smith, who earned his all-America laurels as University of Southern California tackle and a host of other luminaries. With all this array of talent opposing the pigskin stalwarts who gave Pacific Coast fans their biggest surprise of the season would appear to be stepping out of their class. On their record, however, the West Coast boys need no sympathy...ROLLS OVER OPPONENTS: Under the coaching and behind the playing of Ed Storm, former Santa Clara ace, the Salinas squad rolled over teams of greater experience to claim the Pacific coast championship. The Storm-tutored team is the infant of coast football. It was organized last fall to become a cog in the newly organized and now defunct California Professional league. The California league blew up before a game had been played but Salinas went right along, playing independent ball. When the season ended, the boys from the lettuce packing district were on the top of the heap, with convincing if surprising victories over the Los Angeles Bulldogs coached by Gloomy Gus Henderson of collegiate renown, the Southern California All-Stars, led by the former U.S.C. center, Nate Barrager, and many other elevens of sectional might. Joe Kurth's Wisconsin Lagers came, saw and were conquered by Storm's red hot Icebergers. The season's record shows six wins and one loss, the latter to the Brooklyn NFL team..AIDED BY STARS: In compiling such an amazing record, as a player-coach, Storm had the assistance of some of the brightest former collegiate gridironers in this area. Storm himself had the benefit of playing with the Philadelphia Eagles of the National league but his teammates mainly were recruited from among those who had made marks only as college players. They include Larry Lutz, all-America tackle from the University of California, Bacciarini, flash halfback who graduated from the University of San Francisco, and others whose names meant but little on the outside during undergraduate days. Those who have watched the Salinas players in action claim they come closer to having retained the old college try and spirit than any other group of professional gridders now gathered together. To strengthen the coast team tomorrow, Al Nichelini, former St. Mary halfback, and Frank Sobrero, ex-Santa Clara ball totter and passer, have been added to the lineup. Since leaving college, Nichelini has had much experience with the Chicago Cardinals...SHARES FULLBACK DUTIES: Storm, who shares fullback duties in addition to his coaching job, refused today to even concede his team should be considered the underdog. "If the field is dry, we will be difficult to stop," he said. "I might even say we will win. The folks around here won't believe we are so good. We had to wallop the Bulldogs before Southern California would take us seriously. What happens if we beat the Green Bay's? Can we claim the National title?" Coach Lambeau may have private opinions on the outcome but old in the way of football, both pro and amateur, declined to go on record as to the outcome: "Salinas is a clever outfit. It is not ready for the big leagues by it has enough on the ball to cause a big league team plenty of trouble. Storm has a balanced team and he has the plays. He has the type of organization that will give us trouble. You know what a big league team will do but you never can tell what a new team like Salinas will come up with." Clear, cold weather is forecast. The game will be played at Kezar stadium. The size of the crowd will depend on the weather - it may go 2,500 or three times that much...FANS FOLLOW TEAM: The special trains will bring Salinas fans, possibly 1,000 or more, to the contest. Coach Buck Shaw and his Santa Clara squad will attend as guests of the promoters. Shaw is tops on the coast at present following his fine season, being liked by everyone, and being given a testimonial dinner last Thursday night. The Packer management has invited all its future professional prospects in the vicinity to attend, and all have accepted with delight. Ty Cobb, former baseball great who has a ranch south of here, has attended the practices and has requested all the Green Bay players to autograph his program. Coach Lambeau has had the

**Ty Cobb Will Sit On Bench
With Lambeau's Team as
Wisconsin Pros Tackle Sa-
linas Stars.**

ARE YOU LISTENING?

Tomorrow's game between the two Packer teams at San Francisco will be broadcast over radio station WTAQ, starting at 4 o'clock Green Bay time, as a Walker's Cleaners and Tailors feature. It will be a telegraphic account.

pleasure of visiting Cobb for the last four years, and has found him a great Packer fan. "I remember Green Bay back in the days of the Wisconsin-Illinois league, and it was a great sports town," said Ty, who unlike most athletes in fine condition. He will sit on the Green Bay bench during the game. Monday morning that Bays will leave for Los Angeles, and will be quartered at the Hollywood Plaza hotel for two weeks.

Professional
Football *Game*

Champion Green Bay Packers

vs.

Brooklyn Dodgers

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LINEUP

No.	PACKERS	Position	DODGERS	No.
14	HUTSON (180)	Left End	RIBLETT (185)	11
58	SEIBOLD (235)	Left Tackle	LEE (240)	21
52	ENGBRETSSEN (240)	Left Guard	BOYER (195)	28
43	SVENDSEN (215)	Center	JORGENSEN (225)	18
51	EVANS (240)	Right Guard	STOJACK (195)	19
53	GORDON (235)	Right Tackle	YESERSKI (240)	12
22	GANTENBEIN (205)	Right End	BARRETT (185)	33
18	BRUDER (200)	Quarterback	SARBOE (185)	25
25	SAUER (210)	Left Half	HARTMAN (205)	17
38	HERBER (195)	Right Half	MANIACI (210)	34
41	HINKLE (205)	Fullback	GRAYNE (200)	15
Team Average 214½ Lbs.			Team Average 206 Lbs.	

OFFICIALS: Hubbard, Referee; Greim, Umpire; Whipple, Field Judge;
MacDougall, Head Linesman

Differences in Rules Between Professional and Collegiate Football

In professional football, the goal posts are on the goal lines; in collegiate, ten yards back of the goals on the end lines.

At the kickoff, professionals may kick from a dirt tee. Players may be stationed any place on the field so long as they do not advance within ten yards of the ball before it is kicked. The college rule calls for five players to be stationed in the zone from ten to fifteen yards in front of the ball.

In professional football, passes may be thrown from any point behind the line of scrimmage. In collegiate football, they must be thrown from any point at least five yards behind the line of scrimmage.

Professional football does not recognize the "dead ball" rule. In college football, if any portion of the ball-carrier's body excepting his hands or feet touches the ground, the ball is dead at that point. This is not so in professional football.

Flying blocks and flying tackles are permitted in the professional game. However, the penalty against clipping, blocking an opponent from the rear, is strictly enforced. The penalty is loss of twenty-five yards instead of fifteen as in collegiate football.

Professional substitute players may communicate with their teammates immediately upon entering the game. College players must wait one play before communicating.

In professional football the offside penalty on the defense within the ten-yard limit is loss of half the distance to the goal, instead of five yards as in the college game.

When the ball is dead within fifteen yards of the sidelines, the ball is brought out to a point fifteen yards from the sidelines in the professional game, as compared with ten in the college game.

ROSTER

GREEN BAY PACKERS

No.	Name	School	Height	Weight	Pos.
3	PAUL MILLER	South Dakota	6'	178	H
4	HERMAN SCHNEIDMAN	Iowa	5'11"	200	E
5	BOB MONNETT	Michigan State	5'8"	178	H
14	DON HUTSON	Alabama	6'1"	180	E
18	HENRY BRUDER	Northwestern	6'	200	Q
22	MILT GANTENBEIN, Captain	Wisconsin	6'	205	E
25	GEORGE SAUER	Nebraska	6'1"	210	H
29	JOE LAWS	Iowa	5'9"	185	H
32	WAYLAND BECKER	Marquette	6'	185	E
33	CAL CLEMONS	Southern California	5'11"	205	Q
38	ARNOLD HERBER	Regis	5'10"	195	H
39	ANTHONY PAULEKAS	Washington & Jefferson	5'9"	205	C
40	BERNIE SCHERER	Nebraska	6'1"	190	E
41	CLARK HINKLE	Bucknell	6'	205	F
43	GEORGE SVENDSEN	Minnesota	6'2"	215	C
44	CHARLES GOLDENBERG	Wisconsin	5'8"	220	G
51	LON EVANS	Texas Christian	6'1"	240	G
52	PAUL ENGBRETSSEN	Northwestern	5'10"	240	G
53	LOU GORDON	Illinois	6'4"	235	T
54	CHESTER JOHNSTON	Elmhurst	5'9"	200	F
57	ADOLPH SCHWAMMEL	Oregon	6'3"	245	T
52	FRANK BUTLER	Wisconsin	6'4"	235	T
59	WALTER KIESLING	Michigan State	6'4"	245	C
60	WALTER KIESLING	St. Thomas	6'3"	260	G
61	ERNIE SMITH	Southern California	6'3"	230	T
62	RUSS LETLOW	San Francisco U.	6'	205	G

Earl Lambeau, Notre Dame—Coach. Dave Woodward—Trainer.
Red Smith, Notre Dame—Assistant Coach. Bud Jorgensen—Property Man.

BROOKLYN DODGERS

No.	Name	School	Height	Weight	Pos.
11	PAUL RIBLETT	Pennsylvania University	5'11"	185	E
12	JOHN YESERSKI	St. Mary's	6'4"	240	T
14	CARL HELDT	Purdue	6'2"	205	T
15	DICK CRAYNE	Iowa	6'	200	B
17	JAMES HARTMAN	Colorado State	6'4"	205	B
18	WAGNER JORGENSEN	St. Mary's	6'3"	225	C
19	FRANK STOJACK	Washington State	5'11"	195	G
20	BEO KIRKLAND	Alabama	6'	215	G
21	BILL LEE	Alabama	6'2"	240	T
24	HENRY KRAUSE	St. Louis University	6'1"	205	C
25	PHIL SARBOE	Washington State	5'9"	185	Q
27	FATHER LUMPKIN	Georgia Tech.	6'2"	205	Q
28	VERDI BOYER	U. C. L. A.	5'10"	195	G
29	TONY KASKA	Illinois Wesleyan	6'	200	B
30	JAMES WHATLEY	Alabama	6'6"	215	T
33	JEFF BARRETT	Louisiana State U.	6'	185	E
34	JOE MANIACI	Fordham	6'1"	210	B
35	JUSTIN RUKAS	Louisiana State U.	6'	205	G

Coach—John "Shipwreck" Kelly.

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CHAMPIONSHIP FOR PACKERS FEATURED 1936 SPORTS YEAR

Green Bay Pro Eleven, Beaten by Bears, Won League Title.

RETURNED TO THRONE

Team Brought Wisconsin Grid-iron Capital Publicity for 12 Months.

(SPORTS EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the sixteenth of a series of ten articles dealing Green Bay major sports trends in 1936. Tomorrow: Miscellaneous sports events.)

BY JOHN WALTER

The national professional gridiron monarchy which slipped from the fingers of Green Bay's Packers in 1932, after three consecutive championship years, was brought back to the pro league's smallest city in 1936 by a scrapping, fighting, inspired band of football players who hadn't played the game long enough to know when they were licked.

Picked off the Western division's leading rung as early as their second game of the season, the Packers fought back slowly, steadily, and using a brilliant mixture of a superlative ground attack with the greatest aerial campaign professional football ever has seen, wrestled title honors from the best the National league had to offer.

In brief, they won the Western division crown and then carried on to defeat the Boston Redskins at New York in the playoff game, earning the Ed Thorp Memorial trophy, the national title and the honors which go with both.

Green Bay's fans, the wildest in the nation, watched breathlessly through the long campaign until the day when their team, nearly a thousand miles away, smashed to the national title. Then they gave the Packers a thunderous homecoming, followed by a banquet of giant proportions which none will ever forget.

Loaded With Publicity

All through the year 1936 sport pages of the nation's newspapers carried publicity about the Packers. When the year opened the team, which barely missed winning the Western title in 1935, was on the Pacific coast, as the Packers assembled Jan. 6 at Hollywood preparatory to engaging in a series of post-season games. The only missing members of the squad were Johnny Blood, Claude Perry and Bob Tenner.

The same day Center Frank Butler injured his shoulder, and didn't participate in the coast games, which opened Jan. 12 at San Diego. Some 4,600 fans saw Green Bay crush the San Diego eleven, 61 to 7, with George Sauer and Don Hutson each scoring two touchdowns.

The barnstorming Bays defeated the Coast All Stars at San Francisco Jan. 24 to 14, touchdowns going to Hutson, Hank Bruder and Sauer. They battled the world champion Detroit Lions at Los Angeles Jan. 26, Detroit winning 10 to 3 by rallying after Ade Schwammel's field goal had given the Packers a three-point lead. The game was witnessed by 22,000.

Attend League Meeting

Coach E. H. Lambeau and President L. H. Joannes attended a National league meeting at Philadelphia Feb. 9, at which the 1936 schedule—the best a Green Bay team ever had—was adopted. Lambeau returned from the meeting Feb. 13, predicting a great 1936 season and saying that the coast tour did the Packers a world of good.

Feb. 15, Halbaek Roger Grove was traded to the Brooklyn Dodgers for End Wayland Becker and Guard Bill Croft. The National league draft list was announced March 2. The Packers selected nine prospects, of which two, Bernard Scherer and Russ Letlow, eventually were signed. The latter turned in his contract as early as March 12.

The Packers lost their Guard of the Century March 18, when August (Mike) Michalske signed as assistant coach at Lafayette college, under Ernie Nevers. There followed a steady series of contract announcements by Coach Lambeau: Tony Paulekas of Washington-Jefferson March 20; Becker March 27; Scherer of Nebraska-April 1; Fred McKensie of Utah April 16; Paul Miller of South Dakota State May 2; Jack Farris of Santa Clara May 8; Croft June 4; Frank Butler of Michigan State and George Svendsen of Minnesota June 9; Red Oliver of Texas Christian June 24; Lon Evans of T. C. U. and Paul Engebretsen of Northwestern June 30.

Also June 30 came the announcement that Butler, veteran center, had married Miss Rita May Fallon at Chicago.

Turns In Contract

Herman Schneidman, Iowa blocking quarterback and a veteran, turned in his contract July 14. The annual meeting of Green Bay Packers, Inc., was held at the Brown county courthouse July 16, amid the most optimistic feeling. Officers re-elected were: Joannes, president; Fred C. Leitch, vice-president; Frank J. Jonet, treasurer; and George W. Calhoun, secretary. Coach Lambeau announced that training would start Aug. 17, and that Richard (Red) Smith, former Notre Dame and Packer star, had been added to the staff as assistant coach.

In came the contracts of four veteran Packers: Hank Bruder July 23, George Henry Sauer July 25, Joe Laws July 27, and Bob Monnett July 28. Ralph (Primo) Miller, giant Rice lineman, was signed July 29. There followed a procession of contracts into Lambeau's office: Walt Kiesling of St. Thomas July 30, Al Rose of Texas A. & M. Aug. 1, Hinkle of Bucknell Aug. 4, Cal Clemens of U. S. C. and Harry Mattos of St. Mary's Aug. 5, Milt Gantenben of Wisconsin Aug. 6, Arnold Herber of Regis Aug. 7, Don Hutson of Alabama Aug. 8, Buckets Goldenberg of Wisconsin Aug. 10, Ade Schwammel of Oregon State Aug. 11, and Ernie Smith of U. S. C. Aug. 12.

The annual ticket sale campaign was launched under auspicious circumstances Aug. 14, the day after Chester (Swede) Johnston's signed contract was received. Nebb Elduayan, St. Mary's guard, and Ray Tramme, Minnesota tackle, a couple of rookies who didn't stick, were signed Aug. 14. The same day came the announcement that Tackle McKenzie, upon whom Coach Lambeau had placed high hopes, had been injured accidentally at his home in Salt Lake City and would be unavailable for duty. Champ Seibold signed his 1936 contract Aug. 15.

Hold Opening Drill

The first Green Bay practice was held Aug. 17 before a large crowd, with 16 men reporting. By Aug. 18 the only missing Packers were Schwammel, Scherer and Hutson. Aug. 20 the squad entered its new quarters, constructed under the south stands of City stadium.

With several thousand fans as witnesses, the squad held its first scrimmage season in front of weather Aug. 23. A scheduled intra-squad practice game, planned Aug. 28, was postponed because of weather conditions until Aug. 30, when the Packers "Army" and "Navy" teams battled to a 6-6 deadlock before 2,000 at City stadium. Al Rose, soon to be released to Brooklyn, and Hutson scored the touchdowns, both in the second period.

Sept. 1 most of the Packers were in Chicago to witness the All Star game; they returned Sept. 3 after witnessing the 7-7 tie. The season ticket sale set an all-time record Sept. 5, with 1,127 sold.

The Packers crushed the Madigan Cardinals in a night practice game Sept. 6, 62 to 0. Becker and Miller each scored two touchdowns, others going to Johnston Sauer, Laws, Bruder and Monnett. Monnett kicked two extra points, while Hinkle, Smith, Clemens, Laws, Miller and Bruder got one each. A feature of the game was Clarke Hinkle's fist fight with Jim Neilson of Madison.

Bears are Trimmed

It was significant that on the night of Sept. 7, at Dallas, Tex., the Chicago Bears were defeated 7-0 by the Centennial All Stars, putting the Bears in a frame of mind which was to cause a Packer defeat several weeks later.

The Chicago Cardinals arrived in town Sept. 10, bringing the news that they had signed Gomer Jones, former Ohio State center, Jones arrived Sept. 11.

The Packers opened their season Sept. 13, with five veterans of other years—Cal Hubbard, Mike Michalske, Johnny Blood, Nate Barrag and Claude Perry—not in the lineup. They defeated the Cardinals in a bitter, rough game, crippling several of the visitors as they won the 10 to 7 contest. The Cardinals led at the half, 7 to 0, but in the third period Sauer scored a touchdown and Schwammel kicked goal. Then in the final period Ernie Smith's accurate placekick sent the Packers into the lead. The fans totaled 9,000.

Gomer Jones quit the Cardinals the next day, returning to Cleveland with the words, "That's not football—it's legalized murder." Sept. 20 came the crushing blow, which dampened Green Bay's title hopes but which, perhaps, provided the spur which carried the Packers to their world title. The Chicago Bears, nursing the resentment of their defeat in Texas, ran wild over Green Bay in 2 touchdowns being scored by Bonanzoni, Hewitt, Brumbaugh and Karr. Manders kicked three extra points and a field goal, while Green Bay's snail three points came from the toe of Ade Schwammel. The game was a wierd affair, a feature being a fistic clash between Emmett Platten, sports commentator, and Ted Rosequist of the Bears.

Blood is Signed

Johnny Blood, holdout Vagabond fullback, signed contract Sept. 24, to the delight of the fans, whose feelings were severely bruised by the Bears' victory. Back in a fighting mood at Milwaukee Oct. 11, after a week's layoff, the Packers rolled over the Cardinals, 24 to 0. Swede Jonnstun, Hinkle and Laws scored touchdowns; Ernie Smith kicked two extra points and Schwammel one; and Tiny Engebretsen booted a field goal.

Then at City stadium Oct. 11, the Packers threw their offensive machinery into high gear. They passed over and drove through a demoralized team of Boston Redskins, 31 to 2, in a great display of scoring football. Hutson, Blood, Miller and Scherer scored touchdowns; Ernie Smith kicked a field goal and two extra points; other conversions were made by Engebretsen and Clemens.

The biggest sellout of the season occurred Oct. 18, when the world champion Detroit Lions invaded the Packer stronghold. The result was one of the season's most thrilling games, played before a crowd of 13,500. Engebretsen gave the Bays a start with a first period field goal, and in the second quarter Green Bay scored a touchdown, Gantenben snaring a pass, and Ernie Smith kicked goal, giving the Packers a half time lead of 10 to 0.

It wasn't enough. Detroit pounded back from the intermission with the most terrific ground attack ever seen at City stadium, tossing Packers right and left to the point. When the flurry subsided the fourth period was under way. Caddel had scored two touchdowns, Herber had been thrown for a safety, and Clark had kicked an extra point, all of which gave the Lions a lead of 15 to 10.

Makes Great Catch

Into the game went Johnny Blood, the Packer machinery was thrown into high gear, and a few moments later Blood made a spectacular catch of Herber's long pass over the goal line for a touchdown. Ernie Smith kicked the extra point and the Packers led, but Detroit rolled right back and got close enough for Clark to boot a field goal. The Lions were on top, 18 to 17.

Blood again quarterbacked the Packers down the field, deep into Detroit territory, and as the clock's second ticked into oblivion, Paul Engebretsen carefully placed and kicked a field goal from the 16 yard line, giving Green Bay a 20 to 18 victory as the game ended. This stamped the Packers again as a title threat, and the squad began pointing for the crucial return game with the Bears at Chicago. First, however, they played Pittsburgh at Milwaukee, swamping the Pirates 42 to 10 in touchdowns by Miller and Hutson, who made two apiece, Laws and Blood; extra points by Schwammel, with two, Smith, Engebretsen, Blood and Hinkle.

On a chilly, wet Nov. 1, with 21,364 people in the Wrigley field stands, the Packers came again against their old rivals, the Chicago Bears. They started in Milwaukee, but giving the Bears a field goal and touchdown for a 10-point lead before firing back to pound the Chicago team into the mud and muck with a magnificent display of bring football which swept Green Bay to victory, 21 to 10.

The old Herber to Hutson combination started it off, clicking for a touchdown in the second period and a few minutes later Clarke Hinkle bounced off Bronko Nagurski and sped 59 yards for another touchdown. Engebretsen and Ernie Smith added the two extra points. In the fourth period Gantenben recovered a fumble and returned it 38 yards into Bear territory, from which point Sauer dashed around and for the final touchdown. Ernie Smith kicked the point, and the victory enabled Green Bay to tie the Bears for first place.

Suspense is Terrific

From the point on, the suspense grew so thick you could slice it with a hatchet. The Packers traveled eastward for the first time, met the Redskins at Boston Nov. 8, and were lucky to get away with a 7 to 3 victory. Herber and Hutson did it again, clicking on a pass which wasn't intended to be a pass for the only Green Bay touchdown, to which Ernie Smith added the extra point. The late attack erased Riley Smith's first period field goal.

The Packers moved down to Blue Hills country club at Orangeburg, N. Y., didn't like it, and moved again, this time into Manhattan. At Brooklyn Nov. 15 they made one of their most impressive appearances of the season, smothering the Dodgers under a barrage of passes which led to a 38 to 7 decision. Hutson was good for a pair of touchdowns, others being made by Hinkle, Laws and Becker. Monnett kicked three extra points and Ernie Smith two, while Engebretsen got a field goal. By winning the Bays

remained in a first place tie with the Chicago Bears.

The Packers crippled New York's chances of winning the Eastern division crown, by taking the Giants, after a struggle, Nov. 22. The score was 26 to 14, touchdowns being scored by Hinkle, Schneidman, and Sauer. Ernie Smith kicked three extra points and a field goal.

This game out of the way, the Green Bay squad moved westward again, and they sat in the stands at University of Detroit stadium Thanksgiving day, Nov. 26, when the Lions defeated the Bears, 13 to 7, sending the Packers into undisturbed first place.

Lions Are Crushed

Three days later the Packers stepped onto the turf of the same field and walloped Detroit, 28 to 17, before 22,000. Hutson scored two touchdowns, Hinkle got another, Smith booted a pair of extra points, and field goals were kicked by Ernie and Engebretsen. As the Bears were upset by the Cardinals at Chicago the same afternoon, the day's work handed the Western division championship to Green Bay, and the town cut loose.

The squad returned home, was welcomed warmly, and was greeted with much talk of national championships. This worried Coach Lambeau, who Dec. 3 issued a plea to "cut out the congratulations until the title is won."

The Packers played a listless scoreless tie with the Cardinals at Chicago Dec. 6, Lambeau keeping his regulars under wraps. It was a terribly cold day, with 4,800 in the stands, who saw Engebretsen of the Packers and Bill Smith of the Cards miss field goal tries.

The Packers left for the East Dec. 8. Statistics of the season, released by the National league Dec. 9, revealed that Green Bay took the team scoring title, with 246 points, and the chief forward passing laurels, with 108 complete in 255 tries for 42 per cent. Arnold Herber alone completed 77 of 173 tosses for 1,239 yards, more than any other entire team gained through the air. In addition Hutson set a new league record for pass reception, with 34.

Return to Throne

The Packers returned to the championship throne Dec. 13 at the Polo Grounds, New York, defeating a stubborn Boston eleven, 21 to 6, after leading by only 7-6 at half time. Hutson, Gantenben and Monnett scored the Bay touchdowns; Ernie Smith got two extra points, and Engebretsen a third. Johnny Blood made another of his impossible catches. The attendance was 29,443.

After the game Fullback Hinkle married Miss Emilie Cobden, Larchmont, N. Y. The Packer draft list, drawn the previous day, gave Green Bay rights to the following men: Edward Jankowski, Wisconsin fullback; Averell Danzell, Pittsburgh tackle; Bud Wilkinson, Minnesota quarterback; Earl Svendsen, Minnesota center; Irish Gavan, Holy Cross tackle; Merle Wendt, Ohio State end; Dick Dahlgren, Michigan State guard; Dick Chapman, Tulsa tackle; Baldy Baldwin, Louisiana State guard; and De Witt Gibson, Northwestern tackle.

On the night of Dec. 14 Green Bay welcomed the Packers home, 10,000 fans jamming Washington, Adams and Mason streets in the vicinity of the Milwaukee Road station as the team returned. The celebration was sponsored by the Association of Commerce. A night of merry-making followed, and Dec. 16 1,500 fans gathered at the Columbus Community club auditorium for one of the biggest events of the year—the Victory banquet. Arch Ward, Chicago Tribune sports editor, issued an invitation for the Packers to appear in the 1937 All Star game at Soldier field, and the players were given handsome gold wrist-watches.

Make Pro Eleven

The United Press All-America pro team, released Dec. 18, included Lon Evans at guard, Milt Gantenben at end, tackle Hinkle at fullback and Ernie Smith at tackle. The National league all-pro team, released the following day, included Evans, Hinkle and Smith, but substituted Hutson for Gantenben at end. Coach Lambeau left for the Pacific coast Dec. 10 to witness drills of the East and West grid squads.

The all-time Packer scoring list, released Dec. 22, revealed that Hinkle and Hutson passed the 100 mark during the season, joining Verne Lewellen, Johnny Blood and Curly Lambeau, who did so previously.

The Packers reassembled in Denver Dec. 28, starting drill for a post season series of games, which at home the Green Bay council approved motions to add 5,000 more seats to City stadium, in anticipation of a banner attendance in 1937.