

Chicago Bears (2-0) 7, Green Bay Packers (2-1) 6 Sunday October 2nd 1927 (at Green Bay)

CHICAGO BEARS WHIP PACKERS, 7 TO 6

GAME RECAP (GREEN BAY PRESS-GAZETTE)

(GREEN BAY) - The Chicago Bears won the "battle royal" which was staged at the City stadium Sunday afternoon by the score of 7 to 6 but the army of husky Bruins had to show everything they had to push the Packers off the top of the heap in the National league race. It was a typical Bear-Packer game all the way. There was no love lost on either side and the players went after each other hammer and tongs. When the fracas reached the sizzling point in the final stanza several personal encounters enlivened the argument and the fans were yelling for blood. The opening stanza hadn't gone very far before the Packers has the Bruins doing some fancy stepping with reverse English. Dick O'Donnell made a pretty catch of a pass for the first big gain of the game. Several line plunges and an offside penalty helped the Packers' cause and the bugs began thinking of a touchdown. Dunn shot a pass to Lewellen and it looked very much as if were a victim of interference as he tried to grab the ball for a touchdown. The officials ruled it the other way, however, and the Bears scrimmaged on their 20-yard line. This was just one of the breaks that the Packers suffered during the game. Except in the second quarter when the Bruins launched a line smashing attack that resulted in their only touchdown, the visitors didn't have a thing on the Big Bay Blues. True enough the Halas-Sternaman hirelings looked mighty dangerous in the third quarter but the Packers sat tight and weathered the storm.

USED ABOUT 24 PLAYERS

The Bears used about twenty-four players in the game and they were sending fresh men in whenever any of the huskies showed signs of fading out. Just as the last quarter ended, the Chicagoans pulled out their shock troops and rushed Driscoll, Trafton, Senn and their other stars into the battle. And this turned the tide of the conflict. The Bruin regulars uncorked a savage line crashing attack that took them down the field in a series of first downs when soon had the crowd yelling, "Hold 'em, Packers!" But for the time being, the Bays didn't seem able to. However, when they had their backs to the goal line, the Packers braced. Two thrusts netted little yardage but on a third rush young Mr. Senn, who is quite some halfback sneaked his way across for the needed yard and a half. Paddy Driscoll kicked the goal. This one point didn't look half as big as it did in the closing minutes of play when Purdy enacted the role of "Casey At the Bat."

CAME BACK GAMELY

The Packers came back gamely after the Bears' score, and it wasn't long before the air was full of footballs and there was usually a blue jerseyed player around when the cowhide came within catching distance. Using a spread formation, mixed up with some line smashing, the Packers started a procession of their own that loomed so serious to the Bears that George Halas nearly worried himself off the bench. The Big Bay Blues fought their way towards the Bears' goal and the crowd went crazy with job. Down close in scoring territory, the Chicagoans called a halt and talked things over. The next three Packer plays were stopped with little gain. Then a pass was attempted and Dunn's peg seemed to be sailing straight into Capt. Lambeau's arm when one of the pesky Bears came in from nowhere and knocked the ball down. It wasn't long after when the halftime horn tooted.

BEARS SLASH FORWARD

When the third quarter got underway things looked as if the Bears were going to fatten their count a bit. They uncorked their bone crushing attack again and mixed in a couple of passes. But it was only a flash in the pan and, when the Packers regained the ball after a toss went bad on the last down, Lewellen got off a dandy punt and the danger was over with. Several exchanges of punts following with little advantage for either side. The Packers were playing desperately but fumbles and other breaks of the game always spoiled the picture. When the fourth quarter was underway awhile, Red Dunn intercepted a Bear pass and scampered back to midfield. This seemed to serve as a tonic to the Big Bay Blues and they uncorked a brilliant attack with the air game as their main weapon. It was not long before screams of "Touchdown, Packers, touchdown" rent the air and they were answered but not until the spectators saw about five minutes of as savage footballing as has ever been glimpsed on a Green Bay gridiron.

DON'T FALL EASY

With their back to the wall, the visitors were fighting for every inch. The Packers simply had to crack 'em down and everybody knows that the Bears don't fall very easily. Once the Chicagoans tried to steal the ball from Lewellen after he had tried to snag a pass. This nearly kicked up a fine little row and "Cupid" Perry was ready to fight for dear old Alabama and Green Bay in the bargain. Once it seemed as if the Packers had scored and the crowd went wild. However, the cheers turned to jeers when Referee Lawrie brought the ball back and ruled no play as the Bears were offside and Red Dunn had made an illegal pass to Lambeau, who snagged the cowhide over the goal line. Dunn then snapped a short pass to Dilweg, who was downed six feet from the Bears' goal. Lewellen got a yard on his first thrust and then got the necessary for a touchdown. He had a great opening to slash through.

PURDY MISSES GOAL

The extra point after touchdown would tie the score and Pid Purdy was called in from the bench to do the trick. The midget quarterback got set for the pass from Earpe and the spectators held their breath. Then there was a groan that could be heard a mile off. Purdy's attempted dropkick didn't go within a mile of the uprights and the gloom at the stadium was so thick that it could be cut with a knife. There was just a minute and 48 seconds left to play. The Bears chose to receive the kickoff and they gave a beautiful exhibition of killing time. Then the final whistle blew and it was all over but the groaning. But it was a real football game, full of thrills from start to finish and a hundred years from now, nobody will know the difference.

FIRST CLASS TURNOUT

Although weather conditions were bad nearly up to the time for the kickoff. Green Bay and vicinity once again showed it will take its football rain or shine. The paid gate ran over 5,500, which was exceptionally good considering the damp spell that had held sway all week. Hundreds of out of towners were present. Many cars from Upper Michigan were to be seen parked for blocks around the stadium and there was also a vast sprinkling of autos from all the cities down the Valley. The playing field was a surprise to everybody. Aside from about 30 yards at the east end of the gridiron, the going was fairly good. It was a bit sticky, however, and whenever a time out was called, the played busied themselves by cleaning the clay of their cleats.

DOG TAKES HAND

Early in the game, a stray dog wanted to take a hand in the fray and twice hostilities had to be stopped while one of the officials personally escorted the pup off the scene of combat. George Halas, one of the Bears' managers, in speaking of the game, said: "One thing is sure the crowd got a run for its money. We expected a tough battle and we got it all right. I suppose it is 'hard' to lose a game by one point but if the shoes was on the other foot, the Packer crowd would be just as tickled as we are. To me, the Green Bay team looks stronger than ever and I am sure that your Packers will be right up there close to the top when the football season is finished."

CHI BEARS	-	0	7	0	0	-	7
GREEN BAY	-	0	0	0	6	-	6

SCORING

2ND - CHI - Bill Senn, 2-yard run (Paddy Driscoll kick) CHICAGO BEARS 7-0

4TH - GB - Verne Lewellen, 1-yard run (Pid Purdy kick failed) CHICAGO BEARS 7-6

NEVERS ESKIMOS PLAY HERE SUNDAY

OCT 4 (Duluth) - Ernie Nevers and his Eskimos start their nationwide football pilgrimage on Sunday at Green Bay where they tackled the Packers in a NFL game. The game in the Badger pro football "metropolis" will be the first stop of a football tour which will take the Duluthians to the Atlantic coast and then back across the continent to California where several contests have been booked during the Christmas holiday season...LATER THAN USUAL: The Eskimos are starting their league season later than usual this season but this was necessary on account of Ernie Nevers' baseball contact with the St. Louis Browns. Early in August, the big fullback underwent an operation for appendicitis and it was figured that the ball club would excuse him for the rest of the year. However, this was not the case as Ernie got the comeback call from the Browns and he was forced to don the diamond spangles again. This necessitated a change in the football program and the Eskimos management deemed it best to wait another two weeks and tangle with non-league competition rather than to hop into the pro league schedule without the main spring. That's what the Duluth fans call Nevers...TEAM IN HIMSELF: The big blonde surely is a whole team in himself. He likes his football every minute and is not one of those stars who play a few minutes and then pose on the bench for the remainder of the game. Last season the Eskimos played 25 games and Nevers only missed 27 minutes of the entire playing time. The former Superior high star, who later made football history at Stanford U, was the unanimous choice of sport writers for the fullback job on the All-American professional eleven in 1926. Nevers starred in every game that the Eskimos played last fall. There are big better line plungers than Ernie. He passes with bullet-like speed and, when it comes booting the old apple there are few players on the postgraduate who have anything on Nevers. While Nevers was finishing up the baseball season, his Eskimos took a fall out of the Duluth All Stars, 30 to 6, and then trampled on Virginia, Minn. 24 to 0. Nevers checked in at Duluth this morning and immediately got into moleskins. The Eskimos will work out twice a day for the remainder of the week so as to have the club going right when they mix with the Packers...REMEMBERS NEVERS WELL: Football fans in Green Bay probably still remember well what Nevers came near doing to the Packers last season. The big fullback intercepted a Packer pass down near his own goal line in the second quarter and dashed down the rain splashed gridiron. For a second or two, it looked as if Nevers was going to make good on his touchdown dash but Gardner, a Green Bay guard, cut loose from the chasing pack and caught Nevers from behind about 10 yards from the goal. This was the longest run Ernie made

BATTLE ROYAL IS WITNESSED BY BIG CROWD

Bruins Score In Second
Period; Bays Count In
Final Frame.

TOUGH TO LOSE

Bears 7	Packers 6
Hanny l. e.	l. e. Dilweg
Evens l. t.	l. t. Cahoon
Bueller l. g.	l. g. Mayer
Vick e.	e Earpe
Fleckenstein r. g.	r. g. Jones
Murry r. t.	r. t. Rosatti
Neacey r. e.	r. e. O'Donnell
Bryan q. b.	q. b. Dunn
Walquist r. h. b.	r. h. b. Lambeau
Romney l. h. b.	l. h. b. Lewellen
White f. b.	f. b. Enright

Substitutions: Green Bay—Smith for Mayer, Purdy for Dunn, Skeate for Enright, Bross for Lewellen, Dunn for Purdy, Hearden for Lambeau, Enright for Skeate, Mayer for Smith, Perry for Rosatti, Lewellen for Bross, Lambeau for Hearden, Purdy for Dunn, Skeate for Enright.

Chicago Bears: Voss for Neacey, Healy for Evans, Trafton for Vick, McVulfin for Fleckenstein, Lyman for Murry, Knop for White, Driscoll for Romney, Sternaman for Bryan, Senn for Walquist, White for Knop, Wilquist for Senn, Murry for Lyman, Evans for Healy, Neacey for Hanny.

Score by quarters:

Bears	0	7	0	0	7
Packers	0	0	0	6	6

Touchdowns: Senn, Lewellen. Point after touchdown, Driscoll. Referee, Lawrie, Umpire Hall, Headlinesman Harris.

CHICAGO CARDINALS

DEFEAT POTTSVILLE;
CLEVELAND-N. Y. TIE

Grange's Yankees Whip Dayton
7 to 3; Providence Downs
Buffalo, 5-0.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	T.	Pct.
Chicago Bears	2	0	0	1.000
N. Y. Yanks	1	0	0	1.000
N. Y. Giants	1	0	1	1.000
Green Bay	2	1	0	.666
Pottsville	1	1	0	.500
Chicago Cards	1	1	0	.500
Providence	1	1	0	.500
Dayton	1	2	0	.333
Cleveland	0	1	1	.000
Buffalo	0	2	0	.000
Philadelphia	0	1	0	.000
Duluth				

Saturday's Results

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Sunday's Results

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Providence 5, Buffalo 0.
Chicago Cardinals 19, Pottsville 7.
Cleveland 9, New York Giants 6.
Duluth 24, Virginia, Minn. 0.

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during the 1926 season. The Eskimo management has surrounded Nevers with an all star cast of gridders. The pick of the 1926 club, including the three Rooney brothers, Joe, Cobb and Bill; Stein and Doc Williams are again in the fold as are Manion and Kiesling, two veteran guard.

DULUTH HAS ALWAYS BEEN JINX TO PACKERS

OCT 5 (Green Bay Press-Gazette) - Ever since football relations between Green Bay and Duluth were inaugurated back in 1922, the pesky Northerners have always been a thorn in the side of the Green Bay Packers. The clubs have met six times. The Bays have taken three games, Duluth two and there has been one tie contest. The Packers never have succeeded in winning a game in the Eskimo country and Duluth has not ever bumped the Packers off here. The nearest the Eskimos came to it was last year when the clubs battled to a 0 and 0 count on a sloppy field...**BEATEN AT DULUTH:** In the opening game of the 1922 season, the Packers journeyed to Duluth expecting to have easy picking but they returned home a whole lot wiser and on the short end of a 6 to 0 score in the bargain. The Northerners invaded the Bay on Thanksgiving Day in '22 and took a 10 to 0 defeat, thanks to a timely touchdown and a field goal by Cub Buck. There was only one game played between the clubs in 1923 and it resulted in a 10 to 0 victory for the Packers. Joie Sternaman was with Duluth at that time and "Bunk" Harris, who was head linesman in the Bear game last Sunday, played fullback for the Northerners. Tommy Mills scampered across with a touchdown and Cub Buck once again kicked a field goal...**EVEN BREAK IN 1924:** The teams broke even in 1924. The Packers, after mopping up Ironwood and the Chicago Bears, went to Duluth and took a 6-3 beating. Underwood, who is with Pottsville now, playing an end, grabbed a pass and a touchdown resulted. Buck got another field goal. This was quite a habit of Cub's. Duluth played a return game later in the season and the Northerners headed to home on the short end of a 13 to 0 count. Charlie Mathys and Tillie Voss made the touchdowns for the Big Bay Blues. This year, according to Manager Dewey Scanlon of the Eskimos, his club is going to whip the Packers in their own backyard. In a letter to Packer officials, the Duluth helmsman has this to say: "Look out for us this year. We haven't ever beaten the Packers in Green Bay but we expect to do it Sunday. The Eskimos size up like the strongest eleven that ever represented Duluth in professional football. Nevers is feeling fit as a fiddle and he expects to play the whole game against the Packers. The veterans from last year seem to be faster than ever. Method, Stein and Doc Williams always gave the Bays plenty of trouble and they will do it again. These boys would rather knock off the Packers than any other club on the professional gridiron."...**BACKFIELD IS FAST:** "Our new men are showing gobs of class, particularly the collegians from California. Our backfield will be fast as lightning and I don't think there is a better line in the country. As I said before, watch your step Sunday, because we are going to give up a dose of sour medicine just like the Bears did."

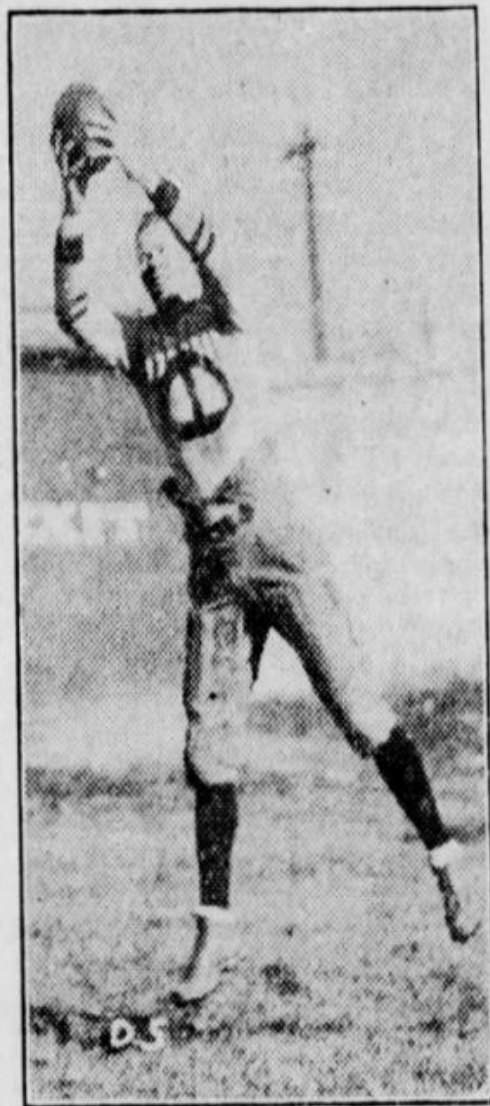
BULLETIN

OCT 6 (Columbus, OH) - President Joe F. Carr of the NFL has assigned the following officials to handle the Packer-Duluth game in Green Bay on Sunday: referee, Bobbie Cahn, Chicago; umpire, Meyer Morris, Chicago; head linesman, A.O. Iversen, Sheboygan.

FIVE CALIFORNIA STARS WITH DULUTH ESKIMOS

OCT 6 (Duluth) - When Ernie Nevers and his Eskimos stop out on the field at Green Bay Sunday to face the Packers, five husky gridders from California will make their debut in the NFL. They are: Patsy Clark, Bunny Belden, Jack McCarthy, Fritz Cronin

WITH DULUTH



JOE ROONEY

Joe Rooney, who plays at end for Duluth, is one of the best pass grabbers in the game. He reaches 'em far and wide. Last season, Rooney was on the receiving end of most of Nevers' passes and these bullet like tosses gained plenty of yardage for the Eskimos.

He will bear watching in Sunday's game at the City stadium.

and Ray Suess. When the Duluth aggregation finished its football season out on the coast last January, Ernie Nevers stuck around in the Golden West and hand picked some footballers for his 1927 team. And the above five were the "buds" that Nevers pulled off the gridiron bushes...**POTSY CLARK IS STAR:** The Duluth management is confident that Potsy Clark will be one of the year's sensations. He is a superb open field runner and a first class passer. The former St. Mary's star likes his football. He is a rugged customer and, during his three years on the coast, never lost a minute on account of injury. Bunny Belden comes from Santa Rosa, the hometown of Nevers, since the big blonde quit handing his hat in Superior, Wis. Belden got his football at Stanford where he developed into a star dropkicker. He is a triple threat gridder because aside from his ability to kick, he is a sure shot passer and smashing line plunger. In the two preliminary games that the Eskimos players, Belden did all the passing...**IS SAVAGE TACKLER:** McCarthy of California U has more than lived up to advance notices in the two practice games. He is lightning fast and has a nice change of pace when lugging the cowhide. McCarthy did some savage tackling in the fray against the Virginia (Minn.) All Stars last Sunday. Cronin, an end from St. Mary's, and Ray Suess, a 200-pound tackle from the Olympic club of San Francisco, should have little trouble climbing the pro football ladder of fame. Cronin is on the receiving end of many of the Duluthian passes and he sizes up like a first rate ball snapper. The work of Suess has been superb. He moves fast for a big fellow and is often down the field faster than either of the ends...**THREE BROTHERS IN TOWN:** The Eskimos are the only team in the National league with which three brothers perform. Cobb, Bill and Joe Rooney are all hometown products from Duluth. Joe is an aggressive end, his younger brother, Cobb, has developed into a great half while Bill, the oldest of the trio, is one of the veterans of pro football. Bill started with Duluth and after about five years of service went to New York in 1925. Last year, he was with Brooklyn. The oldest Rooney is a handy man as he first in at any position except quarterback.

EXPECT DULUTH TO DRAW LARGE CROWD SUNDAY

OCT 7 (Green Bay Press-Gazette) - Another big crowd is expected at the City stadium on Sunday to witness the National league football game between the Packers and Ernie Nevers' Duluth Eskimos, who are ranked as one of the best spokes in President Joe Carr's postgraduate gridiron wheel. The kickoff is scheduled for 2:15 and, as usual, the teams will go at it rain or shine. Nevers is a great drawing card around the circuit and he is expected to pack 'em in here also. Last season when the Duluthians mixed with the Bays nearly 3,000 fans sat in a driving rain and watched the teams battle to a scoreless tie...**ESKIMOS LOTS STRONGER:** The Eskimos of 1927 are said to be considerably stronger than last year's club. A number of Pacific coast stars have been added to the machine and these stellar backfielders take some of the carrying load off Nevers' shoulders. In 1926, Nevers used to lug the ball six out of ten times but, at that, he was only out of action 25 minutes and the Duluth club played 25 games. Nevers is one of those gridiron stars who doesn't care about "bench duty". He would rather be in there when the going is rough. According to reports from around town, the advance ticket sale is unusually brisk. Many reservations have been put aside and the prospective customers have promised to call for them before Saturday evening. Nevers is going to draw a lot of out-of-town fans here Sunday as the Packer management has received a flock of requests for seats from Upper Michigan gridiron followers and those in Northeastern Wisconsin.

PRO FOOTBALL GOSSIP

OCT 7 (Green Bay Press-Gazette) - The Frankford Yellowjackets have initiated a broadcasting period known as the "Yellowjacket hustle" through station WFL, Strawbridge and Clothier, Philadelphia. The Jackets go on the air every Friday night, 7:15...The Duluth Eskimos had little trouble beating the Virginia, Minn. Miners, 24 to 0, in a non-league game. The Northerners played without Nevers, who was finishing his baseball season. The Rooney brothers starred for Duluth...Pottsville bumped into a rude surprise when the Chicago Cardinals trimmed them, 19 to 7. The Maroons scored in the opening minute of play but after that they only made three first downs during the argument...A field goal and safety was the margin by which the Providence Steamrollers took Buffalo into camp. The Bisons looked much better than at Pottsville the week before but at that the Rhode Islanders held a slight edge...A large crowd was on hand in Cleveland to see Benny Friedman's Bulldogs and the New York Giants battle to a 0-0 tie game. Despite the lack of scoring, the gridgers uncorked plenty of thrills for the spectators...Red Grange and his N.Y. Yankees got off on the right foot in the National league pennant chase by defeating the fast going Dayton Triangles, 7 to 3. It was a battle all the way with both teams showing good football...Failure to kick the goal after touchdown forced the Green Bay Packers to stub their toe before the Chicago Bears, 7 to 6. This was a grudge battle and the officials earned little money to keep peace in the family...Displaying a much improved attack, the Philadelphia Yellowjackets did not have

ESKIMOS HAVE WRECKED BAYS SEVERAL TIMES

Northerners Have Long
Been Known As
Scrappy Gridders.

Packer-Duluth Record

1922			
Packers	0	Duluth	6
Packers	10	Duluth	0
1923			
Packers	10	Duluth	0
1924			
Packers	3	Duluth	6
Packers	13	Duluth	0
1926			
Packers	0	Duluth	0
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home in the Frankford backfield. Moynihan is blessed with an educated toe and it was his timely boot that gave Moran's crew 3 points in the Dayton game...Joseph, the red headed wingman of the Dayton club, looks like one of the finds of the season. This is his first year in postgraduate ball but as yet he hasn't been outplayed. Joseph is of the long rangy type of end...Duke Slater, giant negro tackle, has plugged a big gap in the Chicago Cardinals' forward wall. Father Time hasn't slowed up the Duke as yet and his game this year has been a series of feature performances...In Dilweg and O'Donnell, the Green Bay Packers have a pair of sturdy ends. Both of these wingmen are first class pass receivers while their defensive play has been praised highly to teams who have faced them this year...This has been a "pruning" week for the National league clubs. The teams were forced to get down to the players' limit and, as a result, there are quite a number of footballers looking around for some jobs.

FACE 'EM AGAIN

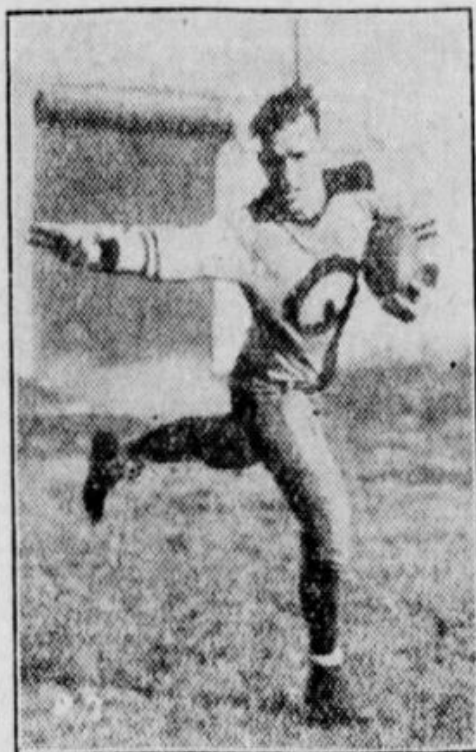
OCT 8 (Green Bay Press-Gazette) - For the third time this season, the Packers will have to tangle with Clem Neacy and Ashmore. These two gridders faced the Bays with the Milwaukee club; then they came back here last Sunday with the Chicago Bears and now they have joined the Eskimos. Maybe when the Big Bay Blues play Providence in the Rhode Island city on Dec. 11., they will bump into the husky tackle and end again. Who knows?

PACKERS AND DULUTH SET FOR FRAY

OCT 8 (Green Bay Press-Gazette) - The Duluth Eskimos, headed by the famous Ernie Nevers, who is ranked with the greatest footballers of all time, will have it out with the Green Bay Packers at the City stadium Sunday afternoon in a National

much trouble brushing aside the New Britain, Conn. club, 22 to 9. It looked as if Coach Moran now has Frankford headed along victory row...Detroit will be the scene of a National league game on Sunday as the New York Yankees and Cleveland Bulldogs will clash at Navin field. Benny Friedman, ex-Michigan star, should be a bang up attraction in the Motor City...The Chicago Bears are not using a single collegiate recruit this season. Every player on the Halas-Sternaman payroll is an experienced pro footballer and these veterans generally come through in the pinch moments...Guy Chamberlain, the Chicago Cardinal coach, is making an end out of Weller, who was an all-American tackle when at Nebraska. Weller tips the beam at 200 pounds but he is fast afoot and goes well in the open field...Potsy Clark, a product of the western coast, is holding down a halfback job with Nevers' Eskimos. He is said to be a second Tut Imlay. Clark is a clever ball carrier and is tough enough to stand plenty of punishment...Hubbard, who led Geneva college to a victory over Harvard in 1926, is displaying gobs of class at end for the New York Giants. Hubbard is a giant in size and the New Yorkers are piling up yardage over his side of the line...Thomas is doing everything that is wanted of him at half for the Cleveland Bulldogs. He played with Brooklyn last year and looked so good to Manager Andrews that the Cleveland helmsman worked fast to get his name on a contract...Frank Racis, one of the veterans on the Pottsville club, seems to be going better than ever. In the game against the Chicago Cards, Racis blocked a punt by Erickson and covered the ball behind the goal line for a score...Chef Pierotti has donned the moleskins again and is chasing around with the Providence club. Pierotti always was ranked as a first class center. He is a nifty ball hawk and covering fumbles is one of his best habits...Dim Batterson, coach of the Buffalo club, is more than satisfied with the way MacArthur, his snapper back from California, is doing business. The Bisons have lost two straight but MacArthur has starred in both contests...Dick Moynihan, former Villanova quarterback, seems to have won a

FACES PACKERS



RUSS METHOD

Here is an old enemy of the Packers. He has seen service in every game that Duluth has played the Bays. Method is a handy griddier behind the line as he fits in at any position. He is of the crashing type of back and his 'method' of running generally produces yardage.

league game. Hostilities will start promptly at 2:15 and the game will be played rain or shine. If there is a World Series game played in New York on Sunday, score by innings, results and batters will be announced at the City stadium. The Packer management will set up a baseball scoreboard to let the football fans know what is going on in a baseball way. The Northerners are coming here with a classy aggregation of footballers. This year's club is said to have a decided edge on the 1926 machine with which the Duluthians toured the country from coast to coast and finished well up in the pro loop pennant chase...EIGHT NEW PLAYERS: Eight new players are sporting the Eskimos' colors this season and there are enough regulars from '26 back in togs to give perfect balance to the gridiron machine. The Northerners started off with a pair of victories in non-league games. The Duluth All Stars were sat on 30 to 6 while the Virginia Miners took the count, 24 to 0. These are both creditable scores as Nevers, who is the sparkplug of the club, did not participate in either fracas. Nevers was pitching ball for the St. Louis Browns until last Saturday. He joined the team on Monday and the Packer fray will be his first gridiron start of the season. Dewey Scanlon, who is one of the veteran managers in professional football, has gone the limit this season to support Nevers with an all-star cast of gridders. The Eskimos' helmsman rounded up a flock of stars from the Pacific coast, all of whom were first given the official O.K. by Nevers. Patsy Clark, McNellis and Belden are said to be nifty ball carriers and passers. Each of these players earned his football spurs in California...THREE NEW TACKLES: The Eskimos have three new tackles in McCarthy, Suess and Shanley. McCarthy and Suess are products of California while Shanley got his sheepskin at Oklahoma. Blood, of Minnesota, who played with Milwaukee a few years back, has been added to the backfield. Cobb Rooney and Method, two experienced pro footballers, and Nevers, himself, round out the set of carriers. Joe Rooney, one of the best wingmen in pro football, and Fritz Cronin, from St. Mary's college, are playing the ends for Duluth. Five veterans are available for the center trio. Kiesling, Manion and Bill Rooney are the guards while Stein and Doc Williams fill in at the snapper-back's job. The Eskimos are certainly well fortified in the middle of the line. This will be Duluth's first game in the 1927 championship race. Following the battle here, the Eskimos perform in Madison on Oct. 16 and then make a "detour" to the Atlantic coast before hitting the trail for California where they will chase the cowhide during the Christmas holiday. The Eskimos are not expected to get back home up north until about the middle of January...PLENTY OF TROUBLE: Duluth has always given the Packers plenty of trouble on the gridiron and, from the looks of things, Sunday's game will be no exception to the rule because, on paper, the visitors look like one of the best clubs in the National league. The Big Bay Blues are reported fit for the fray. All of the players came out of the grueling struggle with the Bears in pretty good shape and Capt. Lambeau will be able to call every one of his gridders into action when it is necessary. The team has put in a good week of practice and special attention has been given to the forward wall so that it will be able to withstand the bruising attacks of Nevers, who with the possible exception of Tony La Tone, the Pottsville Miner, is the hardest hitting back on the postgraduate gridiron...POLISH UP PAS DEFENSE: The pass defense has also been polished up as the Eskimos are known to be pretty near as much at home in the air as the Bays, themselves. This year, the Duluthians' tosses are expected to be more deceptive because there are other players behind the line besides Nevers who can hurl the cowhide like a bullet. It will be a fighting Packer squad that steps on the field to mix with the Eskimos. The one point margin upset at the hands of the pesky Bears did not set well on the Big Bay Blues squad and the players are determined to start a new winning streak at the expense of Nevers, the Rooney brothers & Co. On account of the death of Bobbie Cahn's father, the Chicago official who has been assigned to referee Sunday's game, will not be here. Halsey Hall of Minneapolis will fill in for Cahn, according to a wire received from President Joe F. Carr of the National league this morning...EXPECT BIG CROWD: If the weatherman uncorks a bit of Sabbath day sunshine, it is expected that a big crowd will be on hand to see the Packers attempt to shake off the Duluth jinx. Advance seat sales have been exceptionally good and

PRO LEAGUERS TO BATTLE AT CITY STADIUM

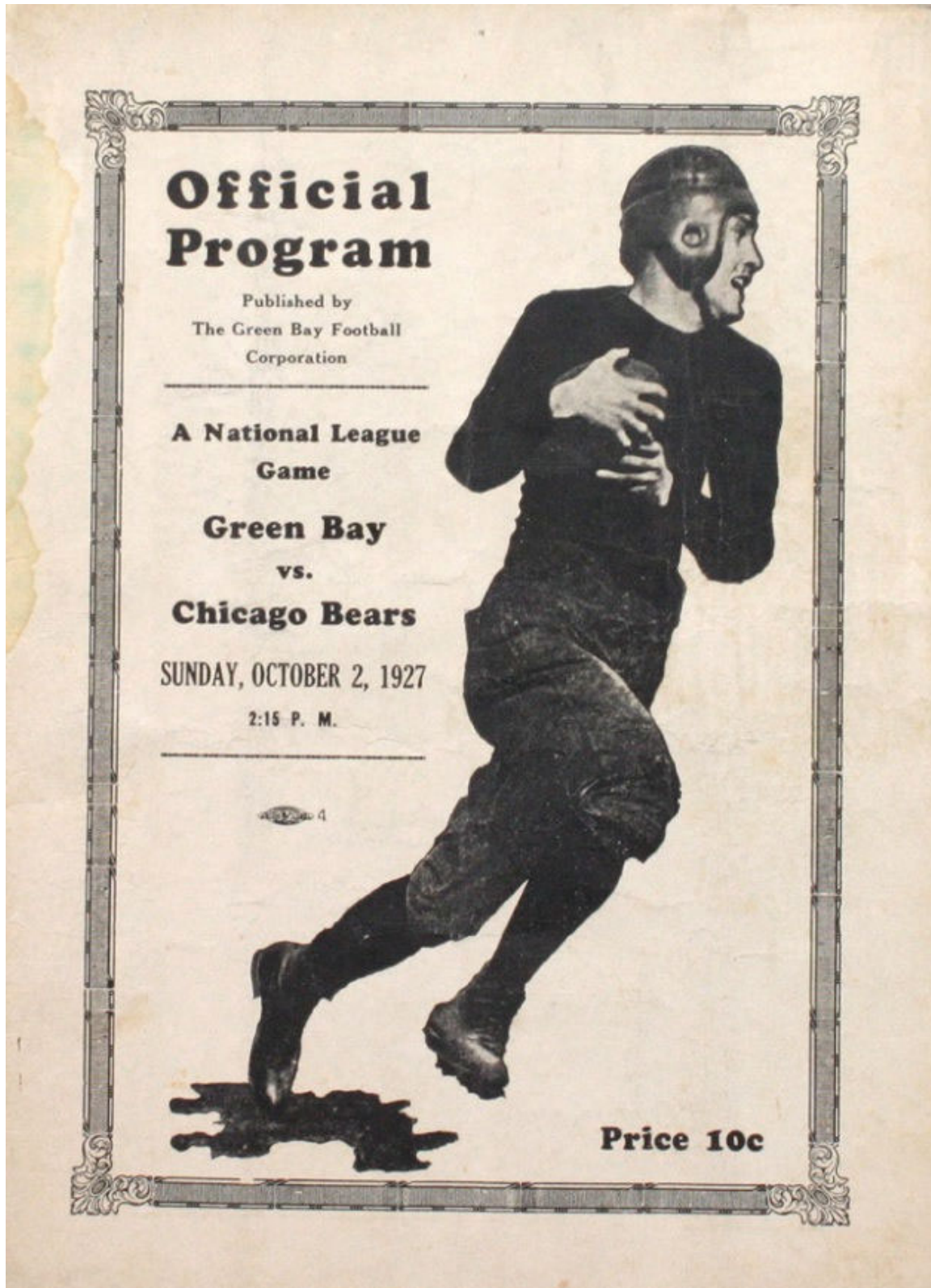
Ernie Nevers Headliner
for Visitors; Game
Starts at 2:15.

THE LINE-UPS

GREEN BAY	DULUTH
Left End	
Dillweg	J. Rooney
Left Tackle	
Cahoon	McCarthy, Suess
Left Guard	
Mayer, Woodin	Kiesling
Center	
Earpe, Darling	Stein, Williams
Right Guard	
Jones, Smith	Manion, B. Rooney
Right Tackle	
Perry, Rosatti	Shanley
Right End	
O'Donnell	Cronin
Quarter Back	
Dunn, Purdy	Clark, C. Rooney
Left Half Back	
Lewellen, Bross	McNellis, Method
Right Half Back	
Lambeau, Kotal, Hearden	Belden, Blood
Full Back	
Enright, Skeate, Basing	Nevers
Referee, Halsey Hall, Minneapolis;	
Umpire, Meyer Morris, Chicago; Head	
Linesman, A. O. Iversen, Sheboygan	
Time of periods, 15 minutes. Kick off	
2:15.	

from all indications the stands will be well filled when the whistle blows. The gates at the park will be opened promptly at 12:30. The Legion band will arrive early so as to rattle off some tunes before the team steps out for their warming up practice stunts. Packer ticket men will make the rounds early Saturday evening picking up all uncalled for ducats. Those having made reservations at any of the numerous places about town are urged to get their tickets before 7 p.m. The ticket office in The Press-Gazette building will be open Saturday evening from 7:30 until 10 and Sunday morning from 9:30 until noon.

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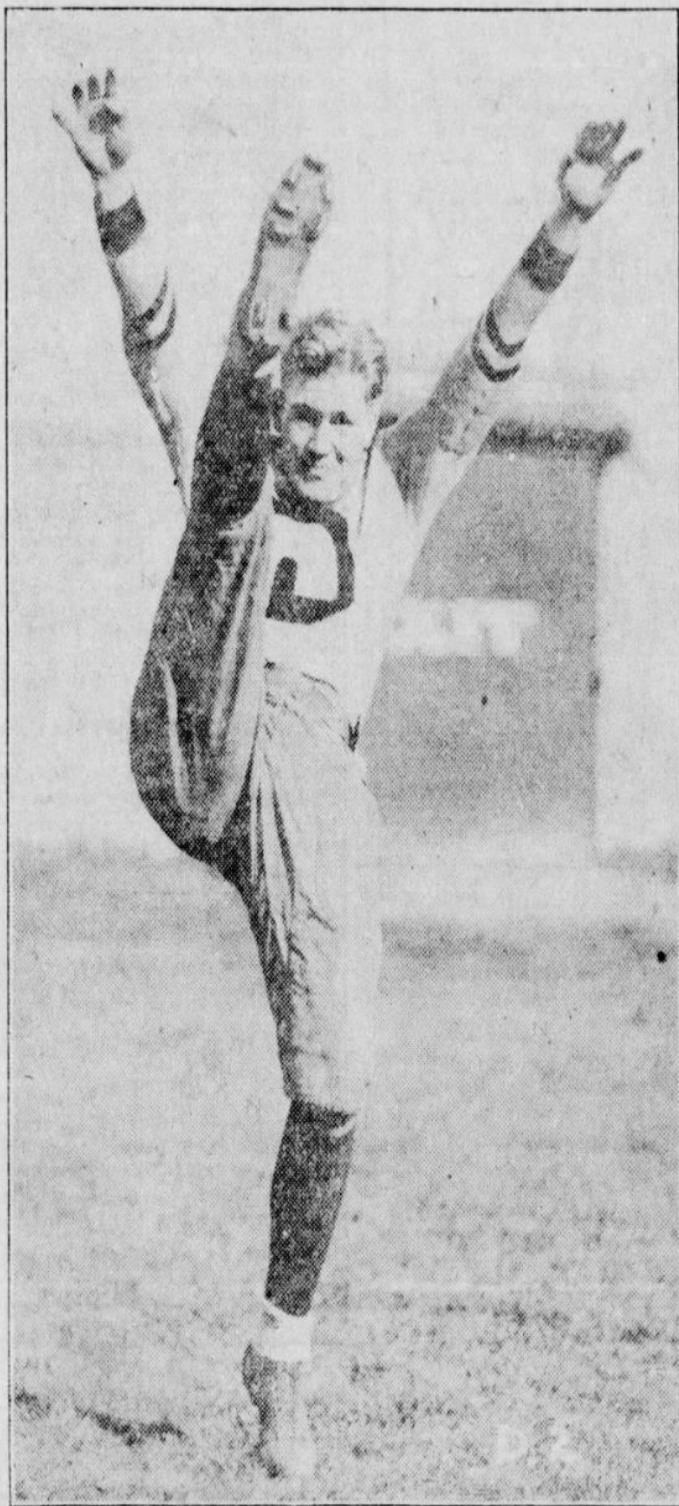
CAPTAIN LAMBEAU

Captain and Halfback

"Curly" has been one of the outstanding figures in professional football for several seasons. He first gained prominence as an expert on the gridiron at East Green Bay High and then added further to his laurels

under the tutelage of Knute Rockne at Notre Dame. He has been associated with the Packer team since its organization and the success of the team during that time has been due largely to "Curly's" efforts.

DON'T MAKE 'EM ANY BETTER



ERNIE NEVERS

Ernie Nevers, fullback and captain of the Duluth Eskimos, who face the Packers Sunday afternoon at the City stadium, is rated as one of the greatest fullbacks of all time.

Nevers played his prep football at Superior High where the 'big blonde' lit up quite a gridiron 'rep'. He entered Leland Stanford out in Cali-

fornia and it wasn't long before he began to be the talk of the collegiate football world. He was a unanimous choice for the All-American.

Last season, Nevers entered professional football and continued his brilliant performances as a knight of the moleskin. Every critic in the country picked him as the best fullback on the postgraduate gridiron.

PLAY BY PLAY

FIRST QUARTER

Buckler kicked off to Lambeau who ran the ball back to the 32 yard line. On the first play Enright hit the center of the line with no results and then Lambeau failed to gain on an off tackle smash. Lewellen punted 30 yards and the ball went over Bryan's head and was dead on the 12 yard line. Walquist made 4 over Packers' right guard and then White tried the same play without any gain. Hanny punted and the kick was short, the ball going dead on the Bear 5 yard line. Lambeau went off tackle for a yard and Enright hit guard for 2. Lambeau passed to Red Dunn and the play patted the Packers 19 yards and a first down. Lambeau went off left tackle for 3 yards. Lewellen tried a pass and White intercepted it on the Bears' 44 yard line. Walquist tried tackle for no gain. Rosatti broke through and spilled Walquist for no gain. Hanny punted and the ball went dead on the Packer 44 yard line. Dunn passed to O'Donnell and Dick made a great catch for a gain of 13 yards and another first down for the Packers. Lewellen went between tackle and end for 4 yards and then followed it up with 8 yards off the Bear right tackle. Enright made a yard at center and then Dunn passed to Lambeau who was downed on the 19 yard line just two feet short of a first down. Enright made 2 yards on a line plunge but the play was recalled and the Bears set back 5 yards for off side. Lambeau hit tackle for 1-2 yards and then Dunn tried to go over Buckler with no gain as the result. Dunn then tried a pass over the goal line and Lewellen made a great try for the ball but just missed it. It looked as if this was a case of interference on the part of the Bears. Ball given to Bears on the 26 yard line. J. Sternaman was held for no gain. However on the play the Bears were off side and were penalized 5 yards as a result. Hanny punted out of bounds on the 59 yard line. Lambeau tried a pass to Dilweg which Lavie dropped after a great try. Lambeau hit the center of the line for 1-2 yards. Dunn tried a pass to Lewellen which Lew couldn't quite reach and as a result the Packers were penalized 5 for the second incomplete. Lewellen then got back to punt but Fleckenstein broke through and blocked it, the Bears recovering the ball on the Packer 45 yard line. White made a yard over Choom and then Walquist tried to go around O'Donnell but Enright spilled him for a one yard loss. Walquist tried a forward pass and O'Donnell locked up and intercepted it on the Packer 39 yard line. The ball was about one yard from the side line. Lewellen punted and the ball went out of bounds on the 36 yard line. This was a bad break for the Packers and gave the Bears an advantage which lead to their touchdown. Senn made 5 yards as the quarter ended.

Second Quarter

On the first play of the second period Driscoll tried an x-2 -in but fumbled the ball which rolled out in front of him and Knop recovered for a gain of 5 yards for the Bears. Senn made one on an end run and Knop made 2 on a line back. Senn made it a first down for the Bears on an off tackle smash. Driscoll split the Packer line for a 3 yard gain and then added 4 more in the same place. The fans were calling for the Packer team to fight at this stage of the game. Knop hit Mayer for one yard which was enough to give him a first down. J. Sternaman made a yard off Rosatti. Senn squirmed his way through the Packer line for 10-12 yards, putting the ball on the Packer one yard line. Knop failed to gain on a line plunge but on the next play Senn went for one yard and a touchdown. Driscoll made the extra point for what proved to be the winning margin.

Trafan kicked off to Lewellen who fumbled but recovered and ran the ball back 11 yards to the 21 yard line. Dunn tried an end run but Voss dumped him for no gain. Lambeau fought his way through the Bear line for 3 yards and then Lewellen punted and Choom downed Sternaman on the 45 yard line. Driscoll tried to gain over Rosatti without result. Driscoll punted and Dunn was nailed on the 16 yard line. Lewellen went off tackle for 2 yards and then Curly passed to O'Donnell who ran with it for several yards making a net gain for the Packers of 17 yards. Lambeau failed to make any ground off tackle and then Dunn passed to Dilweg for a gain of 22 yards putting the ball on the Bears' 36 yard line. Dunn called for a pass but no receiver was free and Red had to run with the ball and lost 5 yards. Dunn then tried a lateral pass to Lewellen which netted only 2 yards for the Packers. Dunn then passed to Enright who made a nice catch and a run which gave the Packers a gain of 25 yards and putting the ball on the 13 yard line. Lewellen went off Holey for a gain of 5 yards and Curly dove over the middle of the line for a gain of a yard. Enright tried to gain over Buckler but failed. The old touchdown play was pulled out of the bag but failed and the Bears got the ball on the 29 yard line. The Packers made several substitutions at this stage of the game, Skate replacing Enright, Purdy going in for Dunn and Broses replacing Lewellen. Knop tried center for no gain and Senn suffered the same fate. Driscoll punted to Purdy who returned about 4 yards to the 49 yard line. Purdy made one yard on a run off punt formation as the half ended.

Third Quarter

Smith kicked off to Driscoll who fumbled the ball but recovered and carried back to the 29 yard line. Senn tried to gain around Dilweg but lost a yard as a result. Senn made 12 yards on a split back. Driscoll passed to Tilly Voss for a gain of 20 yards. Knop cracked the Packer line for 3 yards and then Driscoll lost one yard over the middle of the line. Sternamen got back for a pass but Choom rushed him and he ran with the ball going out of bounds on the 59 yard line for a gain of about 2 yards. Senn made a first down over the middle of the Packer line. Broses spilled Sternamen for a 19 yard loss making a great diving tackle. Driscoll passed to Senn who made a great catch for a gain of 15 yards. It looked as if the Bears were going over for another score but the Packers soon got back on their feet. Senn was spilled for a loss of 5 yards by Jones who broke through. Senn hit the middle of the line for 5 yards and then tried the same play for no gain. The ball was on the Packer 15 yard line. Driscoll got back as if to try a field goal but instead tried to pass and Hanny missed the goal line giving the ball to the Packers on the 29 yard line. Broses made 2 yards running from punt formation. Dunn punted and Sternamen was downed by O'Donnell on the 45 yard line. Driscoll tried an end run but Broses made another great tackle and spilled Paddy for a loss of 5 yards. However on this play the Bears were penalized 15 yards for holding. Driscoll tried a run around left end but Jones followed him around and tackled him after a gain of 2 yards. Senn then tried another end run and Jones broke through and dumped him for a loss of 2 yards. Driscoll punted and Dunn was downed in his tracks on the 29 yard line. Broses fumbled and Buckler recovered for the Bears on the Packer 29 yard line. Driscoll tried a pass to Voss which was incomplete. Driscoll passed again and this time Knop dropped the ball which gave the Bears a 5-yard penalty for two incomplete passes. Lewellen went into the game for Broses. Driscoll tried another pass to Hanny which was incomplete and cost the Bears another 5 yards. Driscoll punted and the ball went out of bounds on the 19 yard line. Lewellen got off a nice punt which went out of bounds on the 59 yard line. Driscoll made 8 yards on an end run. Mayer went in for Smith. Sternamen made 1-2 yards on a quarter back smash. Sternamen made a short gain which gave the Bears a first down. Driscoll made 3 yards on an end run. Senn tried another end run and Jones spilled him for a loss of a yard, as the quarter ended.

Fourth Quarter

Driscoll punted over the goal line and the Packers got the ball on the 29 yard line. Enright hit tackle for no gain. Lewellen locked the line for 4 yards and then punted over Sternamen's head the ball being dead on the 31 yard line. Mayer missed Sternamen on an attempted flying tackle. Perry went in for Rosatti. Driscoll made a yard off Perry. White replaced Knop. Driscoll punted to Dunn who returned 19 yards to the 39 yard line. Dunn passed to Harden who dropped the ball. This also looked like a case of interference on the part of the Bears. Walquist replaced Senn. Packers lost 15 yards on the play for holding. A forward pass was incomplete. Dunn made 3 yards around end. Murry went in for Lyman. Lewellen punted and Sternamen was down on 46 yard line. Walquist went around O'Donnell for 15 yards. Lambeau went in for Harden. Choom spilled Driscoll for a 2 yard loss. Driscoll tried a lone pass which Dunn intercepted and brought back 30 yards to Packer 44 yard line. Lambeau made a yard off spread formation. Lambeau went around end for 10 yards and a first down. Lewellen hit center for a yard. Dunn tried a pass to Lewellen which was incomplete. Evans went in for Holey. Dunn passed and Hanny intercepted it. Walquist held for no gain. White made 3 through center. Driscoll punted and Dunn ran it back 10 yards to the 44 yard line. Lambeau made 1-2 around end. Lambeau passed to Dilweg and Lavie made a great catch and ran for a gain of 20 yards putting the ball on the Bears' 39 yard line. Lambeau passed to Lewellen for 15 yards and another first down. The Bears tried to take the ball away from Lewellen and a near riot was averted. Enright went over guard for a yard. Dunn passed to Lambeau who caught the ball over the goal line and caused untold joy in the Packer stands. However the officials ruled that Dunn was not 5 yards behind the line of scrimmage on the play and also that the Bears were off side causing it to be called no play. Dunn passed to Dilweg who made a great catch putting the ball on the Bears' 2 yard line. Lewellen made a yard over center and then repeated for another over tackle and a touchdown. Joy reigned supreme in the Packer camp but not for long however as Purdy who substituted for Dunn failed to come even close to making the extra point which would have given the Packers a tie game. Jones tried a short kickoff which did not travel 10 yards and then kicked one to Driscoll who was downed on the 32 yard line. Driscoll made 4 yards around end and Walquist made 6 for a first down. White hit center for 2 yards and then Driscoll was held for no gain on two plays. Paddy punted and the ball was dead on the 49 yard line as the game ended.