

# SPORTS

By Bill Corum

**The Eyes of Texas** + **Amon Heads 300 Rooters**  
**Are On Jim Crowley,** **From Ft. Worth, Which,**  
**Also Mr. Carter's Eyes.** **Positively, Isn't Dallas.**

## AMON IS AIMIN' AT VICTOREE

Listen, Jimmy Crowley:

*The eyes of Texas are upon you,  
All the live-long day.  
The eyes of Texas are upon you,  
You cannot get away.  
Do not think you can escape them  
At night or early in the morn.  
The eyes of Texas are upon you  
Till the Timekeeper blows that horn.*

Mr. Amon G. Carter, a Texas Christian gentleman, not to say a Christian Texas gentleman, is in our town in a leather belt as broad as his smile. Mr. Carter, colorful publisher of the Fort Worth Star Telegram, goes about the country giving these belts to his friends, with a big silver buckle on 'em like a breast-plate. They're nice to have. They'd come in so handy in case of a hanging.

A man of great vitality and enthusiasm, as befits a citizen of the Lone Star State, Mr. Carter is busy at the moment chaperoning 300 rooters of the Texas Christian University football team, which takes on Fordham at the Polo Grounds tomorrow.

Mr. Carter is occupying the Presidential, gubernatorial, mayoral, congressional and head man suite at the Hotel New Yorker, plus band, and a supply of homemade, 18-year-old Texas mulberry juice that he brought along for the occasion.

A slight commotion was created last evening, when a door to Mr. Carter's suite blew open as an Irish maid was passing through the hall.

"My —," she screamed, "the American Legion's back," and fainted.

It took four doses of Mr. Carter's mulberry tonic to revive her, although she may have been holding out a little on the last two. Personally, I thought I saw her wink after the first one.

## The Big Horns of the Horned Frogs:

"Mr. Carter," I said, beginning the interview, "I haven't been down in your part of the country for several years, and, as I understand it, Texas Christian University is in Dallas."

"Dallas!" bellowed Amon, reaching helplessly for where he would have been carrying a six-shooter, if he'd been carrying a six-shooter.

"Let me tell you, young man, that there's no such place as Dallas. Dallas is a mirage on the Texas plain. When I ride past the wide place in the tracks called Dallas on the train, I get up in the cab with the engineer and ring the bell and blow the whistle, and refuse to let him stop even for water. Which is all you'd get in Dallas, anyway."

The rivalry between Dallas and Fort Worth is now almost a Texas legend, and nobody gets more fun out of keeping it alive than Amon Carter. So I assume that his hand was somewhere in the picture, when a tremendous banner was, briefly, floated over the Centennial Exposition at Dallas a season or so ago that read:

"Dallas for Education—Fort Worth for Fun."

It is unreligiously reported that Amon always takes his lunch with him in a box, when he has to go to Dallas on business. It might even be said that it is Fort Worth your life to mention Dallas in his presence, although it isn't that serious.

In any case, T. C. U. is not in Dallas. But in Fort Worth, where everything is done in a big way except Billy Rose. Billy got into Texas on a Russian passport and proceeded to give Fort Worth an extravaganza so big and so fine that it ran for two seasons. Nor did the citizens of the Lone Star State ever succeed in getting him to wear stilts while producing these spectacles.

The T. C. U. football team is known as the Horned Frogs, which may have been what caused Mr. Carter to buy the band new instruments on the eve of this New York invasion.

"We've got the biggest horns of any college band in the country and how we can blow 'em" says Amon.

## Can Little David Slay These Goliaths?

The T. C. U. team is also big, boasting, as it does, a whole slew of 200-pound linemen. A couple of 'em even get way up there in the paints around 250, I believe, so that the stoutest star of the outfit looks like their little boy that they've brought along to see the game.

He's Davey O'Brien, 145 pounds and 5 feet and a couple of handshakes, as Mr. Carter puts it, tall. O'Brien, a quarterback, generally plays sixty minutes and kicks, passes, carries the ball, backs up the line, and will you have lemon, or cream, Mrs. Cassidy?

Whether David will be able to slay such Fordham Goliaths as Wojcie, Franko and Babarsky, to say nothing of Jacunski, Gurske, Napiotki, Trojanowski, Granski and Woitkoski (Hey, somebody get me off these skis before I fall and break my typewriter!), is another matter.

But the boy's good. Everybody else has said so, and Mr. Carter says so, too, in a firm, stern tone.

"He'll knock your ten-gallon hat off," says Mr. Carter.

So it looks as though Davey O'Brien is T. C. U.'s Albie Booth. You haven't forgot little Albie, have you? Harvard hasn't.

The Horned Frogs' record for this Fall, if memory serves, is one win, two 7-7 ties, and one loss, the defeat coming at the hands of Ohio State in a rain and mud melee that opened the season.

Other well known citizens of Fort Worth to arrive on the Star-Telegram special were Dr. Webb Walker and Stanley Thompson, the latter the owner of the Fort Worth baseball team, Texas League and Dixie champions.

## To Call on the Mayor:

The entire party—again plus band—will call on Mayor LaGuardia at the City Hall this afternoon. His Honor hasn't had much time for sports since the world's series, being kept busy scouting the Tammany Tigers. Whether Fiorello's got their signals, we'll find out in the big Election Day game.

Welcome to our city, Mr. Carter, and fellow Texans!

"Shaughnessy to Coach Chicago by Telephone"—headline.

Old Folks says if he were coaching Chicago, he'd make it long distance.

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## 'The Bigger They Are — ?'

By Burris Jenkins, Jr.



## Post with Bees Turned Down By Bush

Veteran Pilot Prefers to Remain with Minneapolis

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 22 (By International News Service). Donnie Bush, manager of the Minneapolis Millers, today declined to accept the proffered managership of the Boston Bees.

Bush, veteran manager and player, made his decision known in a telegram to Robert Quinn, president of the Boston club.

Bush sent his rejection following a long conference with his present boss, President Mike Kelley of the Minneapolis club.

It was understood that no additional salary has been promised him to remain.

Bush pointed out that he had business interests in Minneapolis aside from his ball club connections. These, he intimated, took considerable time.

The veteran manager, who has previously headed clubs in the American League, also revealed he expects to retire from baseball within a few years.

## Rumor Hartnett May Get Hub Post

CHICAGO, Oct. 22. — While Donnie Bush, pilot of the Minneapolis Millers, declined an offer to manage the Boston Bees, Chicago sport fans today heard rumors that a similar bid has been tendered Gabby Hartnett, Cubs' catcher.

Cub officials, unaware of any "official" offers for their veteran star declined to comment.

## All Alone!

Stewart Only Holdout as Schirner Signs

CALGARY, Alta., Oct. 22.—Nels Stewart, center for the New York Americans, is the lone holdout remaining for Red Dutton, manager of the National Hockey League sextet.

Dave Schirner, top scorer for the past two seasons, affixed his signature to a contract yesterday. The left winger is expected to receive close to the top salary of \$7,000 allowed by the league. The figure, however, could not be learned.

Dutton, exasperated at the delay in getting Stewart to come to terms, has referred his case to Frank Calder, president of the circuit. Stewart is training daily with the squad.

## Alekhine Increases Chess Tourney Lead

LEYDEN, The Netherlands, Oct. 22.—Dr. Alexandre Alekhine, of Paris, increased his advantage to two points when he defeated Dr. Max Euwe, of Amsterdam, in the eighth game of the series for the world's chess championship.

## PRIEST GOLF VICTOR.

By defeating Vincent Celano, 5 and 4, in the 36-hole final, the Rev. Francis G. Makowski, assistant pastor of the Holy Cross R. C. Church in Maspeth, won the Bay Side Golf Club championship.

## Yale on Guard For Cornell On Rebound

Advance Sale Reaches 35,000 as Elis Taper Off for Clash

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 21.—One thing was evident here today as the advance sale of tickets for Yale's impending struggle with Cornell mounted to 35,000.

Wily Eli isn't going to be caught slumbering because of Big Red's salaaming in Syracuse a week ago. Ducky Pond, Yale coach, appears to be fully aware of Cornell's real strength.

## TAKE FOES SERIOUSLY.

Preparedness is the big word around the Bowl. There is a businesslike thoroughness with which the blue squad is tapering off its schooling.

Its last serious practice was a scrimmage against Cornell offensives, with Bill Renner's Gray Shirts doing the demonstrating. Yale admits Army was good and tough but it knows Cornell packs more power than the soldiers. It knows, or at least it is willing to believe, that Cornell lost to Syracuse because it let itself mentally down after its two arduous experiences with Colgate and Princeton.

Yale contemplates no changes in lineup. In both the contact and dummy scrimmages the eleven was the same as against Army. Pond said there was no reason to change it for tomorrow's game.

The Cornell team left Ithaca this morning and will stay overnight in New York at the Hotel Pennsylvania. It will leave for New Haven tomorrow morning at 10:15.

## Fighters Flunk Love Film Test

Part of Kid Mulligan Not for Galento, Feldman, Schmeling or Others

By JAMES CANNON.

NEED YOUNG PRIZE FIGHTER FOR IMPORTANT ROLE OF KID MULLIGAN IN MY FORTH-COMING PRODUCTION BLUEBEARDS 8TH WIFE WITH CLAUDETTE COLBERT AND GARY COOPER STOP PRIZE FIGHTER MUST BE LOVER AS WELL AS COMEDIAN AM HOLDING UP PRODUCTION UNTIL FIND RIGHT MAN CAN YOU HELP ME FIND HIM STOP PICTURE CONTRACT AWAITS RIGHT MAN

ERNST LUBITSCH PARAMOUNT PICTURES INC I showed Hymie Caplin this

telegram. Mr. Caplin, who was shaving salami with a razor in his delicatessen under the L on Sixth ave., wheezed a sigh of contentment.

"The guy is Abie Feldman, my heavyweight," crowed Mr. Caplin, re-reading the telegram through a slice of bread for the salami sandwich. "Is he a lover?" I asked. "That guy loves money so much he wanted to marry a five dollar bill," boasted Mr. Caplin.

"Is he a comedian?" I asked.

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## MACK, AT 74, DENIES FORDHAM ELEVEN RETIREMENT RUMOR

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 22. — Connie Mack, the 74-year-old manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, squelched rumors yesterday that the club might sign Tony Lazzeri as an assistant manager or Babe Ruth as manager. The veteran asserted that he would "handle the club from the first day of practice until the final game."

## T.C.U. Here With 50-Piece Band, Confident

Coach Plans to 'Pop' Something New; Call on Mayor

By Lewis Burton.

Something new will be popped on Fordham tomorrow, you have it on no less an authority than Leo R. (Dutch) Meyer, coach of Texas Christian University. He promised the popping this morning when the 35-man T. C. U. football squad and 50-piece band—especially the band—arrived at Pennsylvania Station for tomorrow's game at the Polo Grounds.

"Any time we step on a football field we hope to win," Meyer said, with a smile that betrayed something more than confidence. "If we can stop Fordham power, we might do something. I don't think we have anything to fear from their forward passing game."

Meyer, a short, well-knit, sunburned Texan with a typical drawl, is in his fourth year as head coach. He has met with unusual success and thinks in terms of victory.

HOPES FOR DRY FIELD. "We'll do pretty well if the field is dry," he said. "We've had good conditions in only one game so far. It poured when we lost to Ohio State. It was muddy in the Tulsa game. It rained when we played A. and M. Against Arkansas, the conference favorite, we had dry weather and we tied that one. It wasn't A. and M. so much

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# Football Officials Favor End of Forward Fumble, Advocated by Ram Coach

Crowley at Touchdown Club Suggests Rule Be Changed

By Lewis Burton.

Always guarded about quotations that might be attributed to them in print, football officials were careful today about expressing views on Jimmy Crowley's suggestion for a change in rules. There was, however, a definite expression of sympathy for Mr. Crowley's opinion.

Crowley would like to eradicate the "forward fumble," a deft piece of football artistry worked effectively by St. Mary's and other institutions for valuable yardage. Crowley exhorted the Touchdown Club yesterday to do something about it.

There was a forward fumble, which gained a few valuable yards near the goal-line for Pittsburgh against Fordham. Such incidents, of course, are always inadvertent. It is hardly right for an opposing coach to imagine they were anything else. Crowley, as Fordham coach, expressed the belief that it was strictly accidental in last Saturday's game, but the consequences were such as to make him feel that it was time someone spoke up.

## WANTS PLAY CANCELED.

His recommendation is that plays in which the forward-fumble takes place be canceled. He does not even suggest that the ball go back to the point of the fumble. He recommends that it be put in play where it started—provided, of course, that the offensive team recovered it.

Northwestern's record would look less impressive than it is now if that rule had been in effect last Saturday. It was a forward-fumble that gave Northwestern its winning margin over Purdue. But it was a play that at once offers a problem to the rule-makers to revise the code to conform to Crowley's suggestion.

## INTERCEPTED PASS.

The ball was put in play by Purdue. A Northwestern back intercepted a forward pass and ran to within a few yards of the goal line. He was hit there and lost his grip on the ball. His team recovered. Under Crowley's plan, unless the Rules Committee took special note, Northwestern would never receive credit for the interception or the recovery.

But that's the rules committee's worry. The forward-fumble legislation is the second change suggested by a Metropolitan coach this season. Chick Meehan advocated delegating of touchdown-calling authority to the head-linesman. It is Meehan's opinion that the linesman is the only man on the field who sees the ball at the instant it goes over the line—or barely fails to make it. He wants the linesman to throw up his hands when the score is made—not the referee.

## C. C. N. Y. ACES BACK FOR HOBART CLASH

The City College varsity engaged in a scrimmage with the junior varsity yesterday in its final contact work before the clash with Hobart tomorrow.

The session was marked by the return to action of Art Jacobs, end, and Walter Schimtz, co-captain and fullback. Both will start against the up-Staters.

## Sullivan Shines in Army Kicking Drill

WEST POINT, N. Y., Oct. 22.—Army found the solution to its kicking problem yesterday in Riggs Sullivan, regular right end, who was booting the ball 60 yards and more in scrimmage.

The workout indicated that the Cadets would use aerials as well as running plays in tomorrow's meeting with Washington University of St. Louis.

## Brooklyn College Back Returns to Lineup

Julie Zenowitz, halfback, returned to practice yesterday after an absence of two weeks, as the Brooklyn College football squad went through an intensive two-hour workout for tomorrow's meeting with Lowell Textile.

Blocking was stressed during the session which also included a rehearsal of passing plays and blocking assignments.

## YOUNG ELECTED.

HANO/ER, N. H., Oct. 22.—Lou Young Jr. was elected captain of the Dartmouth freshman football team yesterday.

## Welcome!

Texas Christian Squad Greeted By LaGuardia



CITY HALL—Gaily bedecked, the Texas University band, 50 strong, were greeted this afternoon at City Hall by Mayor LaGuardia upon their arrival here for the gridiron battle with Fordham at the Polo Grounds tomorrow afternoon. Left to right are Dr. E. M. Wailes, T. C. U. president; Amon G. Carter, Fort Worth publisher, Mayor LaGuardia and W. F. Carey, Sanitation Commissioner. Journal-American photo.

# Migdal, Sophomore Back, Jaspers' Chief Offensive Weapon in Kentucky Tilt

Sophomore to Carry Brunt of Attack in Kentucky Clash

By Garry Schumacher.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 22.—If "Chick" Meehan has called the turn correctly, the blue grass country, not to mention the folks back home, will hail, come tomorrow night, the ascendancy of a new football star.

He is the darkly handsome Joe Migdal, sophomore ball totter from Wilkes Barre, Pa., who has been under wraps thus far, but is ready now to assume responsibility for Manhattan's attack upon the Kentucky gridiron Colonels.

It'll be Migdal's first starting assignment—he'll be the tailback replacement for Vic Fusia—but Meehan has been waiting for just this spot.

## TOUGH GAMES FIRST.

"Through force of circumstances our schedule," "Chick" explained, "is a sort of back-ended arrangement. The toughest games are the early ones instead of the climax tests they would be in a well-ordered schedule."

"That has asked us to stress defense, to strive for victory in a low scoring game. Texas A. & M., one of the best teams in the country, was too strong for us; we beat Michigan State; and, last week against Villanova, all the luck was bad. Not a good record, but possibly as much as we had reason to expect."

"But the time has come now to move forward. If the season is to be a success, we've got to win from now on. And the way to win is to score; strike out boldly in an effort to overpower the opposition."

And that's where Migdal figures. He is the strongest and shiftest of the Manhattan ball totters. Fusia is the better defensive man, particularly against an aerial attack, but, as Meehan explains, that phase of the season is over.

The tail-back, of course, is the keyman in the Manhattan attack. Stressing power as he does, Meehan prefers to exploit the talents and abilities of one back, with the others co-operating as blockers and decoys. Ken Strong is the most apt example. For "Chick's" best team at N. Y. U., Strong carried, passed or kicked the ball three times in every four plays.

Straight power, with Pat Byrne carrying the ball, accounted for last year's 13 to 7 victory over the Colonels.

For most of this squad the trip to Lexington is an adventure. In fact, for one among the Jaspers, Tony Shamis, a starting tackle to morrow, it was the first train ride of his life. Through the afternoon hours yesterday he wondered where he would sleep, and it wasn't until after the porter began to make the beds that he was persuaded he wouldn't have to park his 210 pounds in a hammock.

## New Name

Navin Field Changed to Briggs Stadium

DETROIT, Oct. 22 (By International News Service).—A new name was planned today for the home of the Detroit Tigers American League baseball club. President Walter O. Briggs announced yesterday that Navin Field will become Briggs Stadium, with seating capacity boosted from the present 38,000 to 60,000.



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## DOTS AND DASHES

By Lewis Burton.

Louisiana State, which is practically sure-pop to perform in New Orleans' Sugar Bowl, has designs on Nebraska as its opponent... That is practically a five-star jinx assuring Nebraska of a couple of beatings before this season is done... Eddie Brannick, business manager of the Giants and ardent



JOE BERNARD

Tammany man, has booked passage for Paris immediately after the election... The Skating Club makes its annual opening with tea—noticed today. A slight shift in odds has reduced Yale to a 9-to-5 favorite over Cornell, instead of the previous 2 to 1... Note to local sports entrepreneurs: Luna Park Stadium, a covered arena with 30,000 capacity in Buenos Aires, Argentina, is looking for basketball, boxing and such promotions... Duncan Curry, famous yachting and automobile writer for this newspaper, now 73, will be tendered a testimonial dinner by former associates at the New York A. C. on Nov. 16.

With Bernie Bloom, Sid Luckman and Eddie Boell as a nucleus, the New York area presents a greater concentration of fine forward passers than ever came out of an entire section in other years... Ching Johnson could have had the Dartmouth hockey coaching job for \$4,500 this year, but wants one more fling at pro play—and probably won't get it until the Americans hang out a distress signal, as well as raise their ante... Joe Bernard, the new regular Fordham right guard, is the all-star Latin student of the senior class.

## Clemson Eleven Routs South Carolina, 34-6

COLUMBIA, S. C., Oct. 22 (By International News Service).—University of South Carolina fans today were wondering just what happened to their much-touted grid squad. Yesterday Clemson's football machine ran wild, the Tigers chalking up a 34-6 victory.

## LOPEZ ON HIPP MAT.

Vincent Lopez, colorful Mexican wrestler, will return to the N. Y. Hippodrome next Wednesday night when he grapples Cliff Olson, of Sweden, in the measure match to a finish. The youthful Mexican earned the match by waging a gruelling draw with Dean Detton in the 'Drome the other night.

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Yankee Stadium Tomorrow, 2:30 P. M. General Admission 1.10 Reserved Seats 2.20

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Tomorrow (Sat.) 2 P. M. Polo Grounds General Admission \$1.10 Reserved Seats \$2.75 (including tax)

## Louisiana Race Meet to Start Tomorrow

SHREVEPORT, La., Oct. 22 (International News Service).—Plans were complete today for the 18-day racing meet to be held here by the Louisiana State Fair Jockey Club. The program gets under way Saturday, more than 200 horses have been registered by Owen E. Pons, paddock judge, who expects an additional 100 registrations before the starting race.

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## Violet Scouts Stress Defense Of Lafayette

More than a casual smattering of players from the metropolitan and adjacent areas are included in the unbeaten, untied, unscored on Lafayette team which meets N. Y. U. at the Stadium tomorrow.

Two are Brooklyn boys. One is Ernie Kanzler an end who is one of the seniors on a squad composed almost entirely of juniors and sophomores. The other is Donald Graff, a tackle who has been used only sparingly. Kanzler is a former Boys' High School player who has been out all season, except for a few minutes of the Georgetown game, with a leg injury. He will see action against the Violets.

Others from nearby sections are Charley Povolny, center, of Long Island City; Bob Westby, tackle, of Bethpage; Max Greulich, 139 pound backfield star, of Newark; Frank Stellatella and Ernest Kerekes, guards, of Belleville and Passaic; Norb Weldon, end, of Westfield, N. J.; and Harold Bellis, quarterback, of Phillipsburg, N. J.

University Heights spies who have seen the Maroon in action stressed their defensive qualities. Lafayette is just beginning to realize on its great freshman team of two years ago. This season Coach "Hooks" Mylin has performed his wonders with a line needing constant revision because of injuries.

## Henrich Ordered Under Knife for Knee Injury

Tom Henrich, Yankee outfielder, will have a loose cartilage removed from his left knee next Monday at the Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore, the local office announced today. The operation will be performed by Dr. George E. Bennett.

Henrich has been at the hospital for several days, and a series of examinations revealed the advisability of the operation. Dr. Bennett performed the same operation on Frankie Crosetti two years ago.



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