

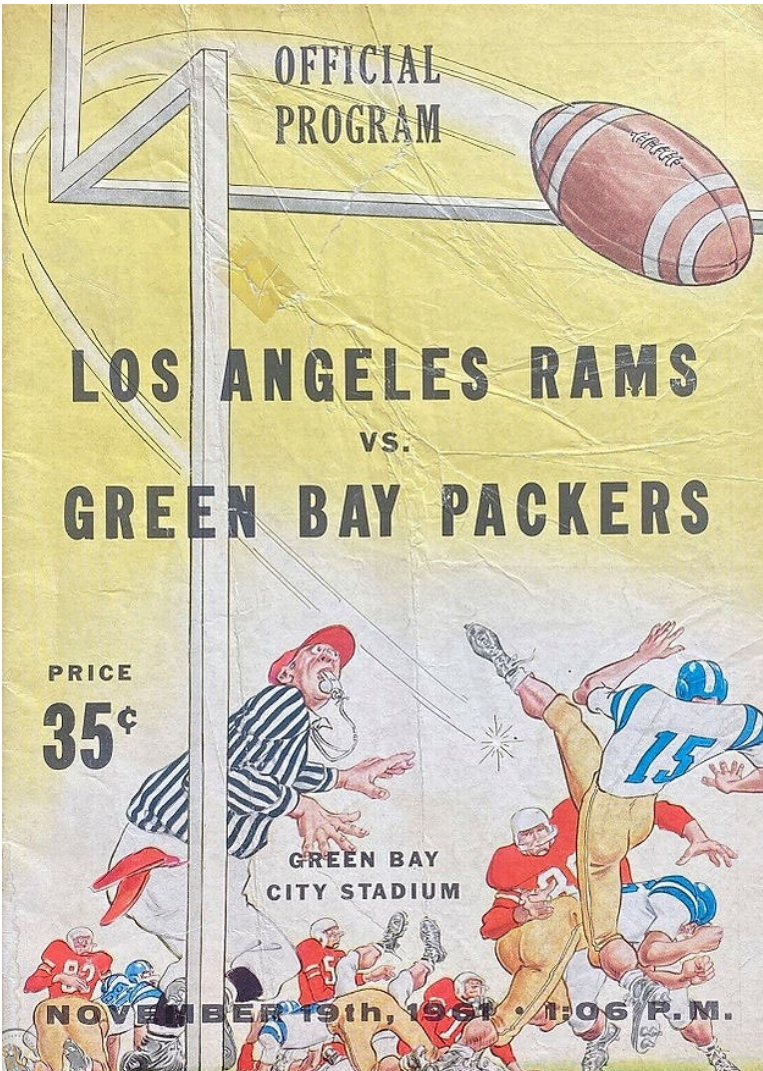


Green Bay Packers (8-2) 31, Los Angeles Rams (3-7) 17
 Sunday November 19th 1961 (at Green Bay)



Pack Air Force Rips Rams 35-17 for Home Sweep

GAME RECAP (GREEN BAY PRESS-GAZETTE)



(GREEN BAY) - The Packers' infantry was stalled. So Gen. Bart Starr called for the Air Force. He fired three aerial bombs - two to Max McGee and one to Boyd Dowler - in 7 minutes and 48 seconds of the second quarter to crack a 7-7 deadlock and catapult the Packers into a 35 to 17 victory over the stubborn Rams. This was rough-house all the way as Packers and Rams let tempers and fists throughout but when the fourth straight sellout of 38,669 fans departed the Packers possessed a gaudy 8-2 record. Green Bay thus maintained its game and half lead over the second place Lions who whipped the Vikings in Minneapolis. The victory completed a sweep of the Pack's stadium card. And the stage is set for the colossal Thanksgiving Day struggle between the Packers and Lions in Detroit Thursday. The Packers can take a two and a half game lead with three games to go by whipping the Lions (6-3-1). The Rams took a 7-0 lead in the first two minutes of the game and there were indications that the Packers were in for real trouble - until the Bays exploded for 28 points in the second period. It was 28-10 at the half and each team scored a TD in the final quarter. The Packers looked a little strange without Pvt. Paul Hornung of Fort Riley, Kan., who was missing his first game since late in the '57 season. But Hornung's replacements, who turned out to be three, performed well - judging by the Pack's 35-point total. Tom Moore was Paul's first replacement as a running back but he was injured after three trips for seven yards. Elijah Pitts took over for Moore and buzzed 21 yards in eight trips. Ben

Agajanian, the 42-year old phenom, stepped into Hornung's kicking shoes and hammered home five extra points. The California businessman, wearing red socks, tried a 35-yard field goal but it was blocked. The Pack's infantry, despite all the soldier boys around, was toned down to 76 yards, although the Rams apparently had set their defenses to stop the GB rush, many times putting seven or eight men on the line. But the Rams could be had in the air and that's where quarterback Starr struck for three touchdowns - two to McGee on flips of 20 and 13 yards and one of 17 to Dowler, all in the second quarter uprising. Jim Taylor scored the other two TDs on vicious one-yard chops, the first to start the second period spree and the last to frost the cake in the fourth period. Starr finished with 10 completions in 15 attempts and this was the second game in a row he has thrown three TD passes. He hurled three bombs at the Bears last Sunday. Two long passes set up both of Taylor's TDs. Starr pitched 38 yards to Ron Kramer to stage the first Taylor TD and Starr's 39-yard toss to McGee set up Taylor's second. As weakened as they've been in the platoons (special teams), these shock "troops" helped explode the Packers. Lew Carpenter, with fine blocks by Willie Wood and Pitts, returned a punt 46 yards to the Ram 20 in the second quarter. Starr passed to McGee on the next play for a 14-7 lead. Bill Forester forced Danny Villanueva to punt badly (only three yards) with a strong rush and Starr hurled 13 yards for a TD to McGee on the first play. This was the roughest game,

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NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Western Division

	W	L	T	Pct	Pts	OP
Green Bay	8	2	0	.800	309	158
Detroit	6	3	1	.667	208	192
San Francisco	5	4	1	.556	245	176
Chicago	5	5	0	.500	214	213
Baltimore	5	5	0	.500	211	226
Los Angeles	3	7	0	.300	167	222
Minnesota	2	8	0	.200	173	283

Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pct	Pts	OP
New York	8	2	0	.800	279	148
Philadelphia	7	3	0	.700	240	208
Cleveland	7	3	0	.700	239	192
Dallas	4	5	1	.444	169	242
Pittsburgh	4	6	0	.400	211	191
St. Louis	4	6	0	.400	163	200
Washington	0	9	1	.000	96	273

Sunday's Results

GREEN BAY 35, LOS ANGELES 17
 Baltimore 16, St. Louis 0
 Cleveland 45, Philadelphia 24
 New York 42, Pittsburgh 21
 Washington 28, Dallas 28 (tie)
 San Francisco 41, Chicago 31
 Detroit 37, Minnesota 10

Thursday's Game

GREEN BAY AT DETROIT

Next Sunday's Games

St. Louis at Pittsburgh
 New York at Cleveland
 Dallas at Philadelphia
 Minnesota at San Francisco
 Baltimore at Washington
 Los Angeles at Chicago

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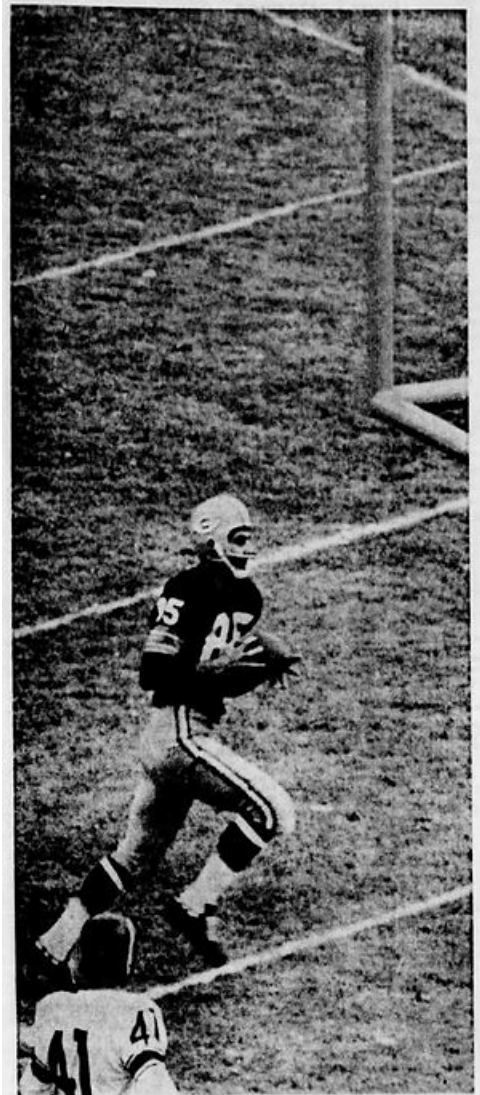
Green Bay	0	28	0	7-35
Los Angeles	7	3	0	7-17

Green Bay Scoring: TD—Taylor 2 (1 yard, 3:43 of second; 1 yard, 6:58 of fourth), McGee 2 (20-yard Starr pass, 7:05 of second; 13-yard Starr pass, 10:00 of second), Dowler (17-yard Starr pass, 14:53 of second), PAT—Agajanian 5.

Los Angeles Scoring: TD—Arnett (14 yards, 1:58 of first), Matson (41-yard Ryan pass, 3:37 of fourth), FG—Villanueva (17 yards, 13.28 of second).

Officials: Referee—George Rennix, Umpire—James Biersdorfer, Head Linesman—Sam Cooperman, Back Judge—Armen Terzian; Field Judge—James Kane.

and sometimes just plain dirty, the Packers have been in for many a season. It seemed to be "open season" on quarterbacks and the officials repeatedly warned the big linemen, especially the Rams' Urban Henry and John Lovetere. Starr escaped without losing a yard trying to pass but Ram QBs were tossed back 34 yards trying to throw. Despite all the slugging, elbowing, piling-on and fore-arming, not a player was booted out. Ten penalties were handed out for a total of 122 yards, including six for 89 yards on the Rams. The Packers went through the first half without a penalty but drew four for 33 in the second half. The Rams made off with all statistical honors, but there are no complaints hereabouts - first downs 19 to 17, total yards 345 to 249, yards rushing 110 to 76, and yards passing 235 to 173. McGee was the individual leader with five catches for 90 yards and two TDs. The Packers didn't set the chilled fans (it was 31) afire at the beginning. They didn't chalk up a first down until the final series in the first quarter. And on the first play of the game, Starr's pass to McGee was short and Lindon Crow intercepted and returned 17 yards to the Packer 26. The Rams had a 7-0 lead in three running plays, with Jon Arnett ripping up the middle for 14 yards and a touchdown. Villanueva kicked the first of two extra points for a 7-0 lead with only 1:58 gone. Until the last two minutes of the first period, the two clubs fought fiercely, with Dowler punting twice and the Packers gaining but 17 yards in two series. With Arnett running beautifully (he finished with 64 yards in 16 trips), the Rams got into position for a field goal but Villanueva barely missed from the Packer 48, the ball bouncing off the crossbar and back onto the field. Near the end of the first period, the Bays went on a 63-yard, 11-play touchdown drive. Taylor started with a five-yard loss but on the next play Starr and Kramer worked their 38-yard advance to the Ram 30. After a first down on the 19, with Moore hurting his ribs on a seven-yard run, the Bays pounded it in. Pitts made six, Taylor three and one, Pitts six more to the 4, Pitts three and Taylor one for the TD. Pitts actually should



So Lonely—Max McGee grabbed Bart Starr's 13-yard touchdown pass early in the second quarter after faking the Ram backfield with a beautiful slant-in pattern. Watching is Ram Lindon Crow (41).

have had a TD but the officials ruled it dead. He broke out of Les Richter's grasp and leaped in but...? This brought forth Agajanian, wearing No. 3, and the 42-year old kicked the first of five extra points to tie the score. With Pvt. Ray Nitschke, who had just gone in for Tom Bettis, Willie Davis and Bill Quinlan making big tackles, the Rams were forced to punt. Carpenter took the ball on the 32, while Wood cleaned out a blocker directly up front, cut sharply to his left and upfield. Pitts mowed down a Ram around the 50 and Carpenter was off to the 20. On the first play, Starr faked a handoff to Moore, rolled to his left and lined a perfect shot to McGee who had stopped dead on the one and then tight-roped into the end zone. The score was 14-7. After a fumble lost 21 yards, with Jess Whittenton nailing Zeke Bratkowski, Villanueva got off a three-yard punt when Forester bore in to put the ball on the Ram 13. Starr, on the first play, hit McGee on the slant-in pass for the TD. The aroused Rams snapped back and reached the Packer 21 in nine plays but the Packers killed three straight passes

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RAMS

(Probable Starting Line-up)

No.	Name	Pos.	No.	Name	Pos.
11	Villanueva	K	56	Hunter	C
12	Bratkowski	QB	57	Johko	LB
15	Ryan	QB	61	Tarbox	G
17	Britt	HB	62	Hector	T
21	Meador	HB	64	Hord	G
22	Bass	HB	67	Henry	T
24	Wilson	FB	70	Varrichione	T
25	Allen	E	71	Scibelli	C
26	Arnett	HB	73	Cowan	G
27	Atkins	HB	74	Baker	E
32	Pardee	LB	75	Jones	E
33	Matson	HB	76	LoVetere	T
34	Marconi	FB	77	Strugar	T
35	Thomas	HB	78	Boeke	T
41	Crow	HB	81	Dale	E
43	Coyle	HB	82	Phillips	E
46	Hall	HB	84	Long	LB
48	Richter	LB	85	Lundy	E

BACK JUDGE—11 TERZIAN

FIELD JUDGE—38 KANE

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PACKERS

(Probable Starting Line-up)

No.	Name	Position	No.	Name	Pos.
5	Hornung	HB	64	Kramer, J.	G
10	Roach	QB	65	Bettis	LB
15	Starr	QB	66	Nitschke	LB
22	Fitts	HB	71	Forester	LB
24	Wood	HB	72	Davidson	E
25	Moore	HB	74	Jordan	T
26	Adderley	HB	75	Gregg	T
27	Sybank	HB	76	Skoronski	T
31	Taylor	FB	77	Kostelnik	T
33	Carpenter	HB	78	Masters	T
45	Tunnell	HB	79	Hanner	T
46	Gremminger	HB	81	Folkins	E
15	BART STARR	QB	83	Quinlan	E
51	Ringo	C	84	Knafele	E
53	Iman	C	85	McGee	E
58	Currie	LB	86	Dowler	HB
61	Toburen	LB	87	Davis	E
63	Thurston	G	88	Kramer, R.	E

REFEREE—52 RENNIX

UMPIRE—17 BEIERSDORFER

HEAD LINESMAN—45 COOPERMAN

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and Villanueva kicked a 27-yard field goal for a 21-10 score. With 1:42 left in the half, the Bays scored in six plays, including four straight first down shots. The Rams received three straight penalties, including two for roughing Starr, to the Ram 20. On third down, Dowler reached high to take Starr's pass in the end zone and a 28-7 edge. The Bays took the ball away on downs on the Bay 25 and the Packers drove in for the missed field goal try. The Rams threatened again but this time John Sybank recovered Bass' fumble and returned four yards. After a Dowler punt, the two clubs exchanged touchdowns. Los Angeles scored first in the fourth period, moving 68 yards in seven plays. Bass and Arnett grabbed 20 yards in two trips and four plays later Frank Ryan threw a short lob over the line to Ollie Matson and the big slot back rumbled 41 yards for the touchdown and a 28-17 score. The Packers then displayed their ability to snap back, going 67 yards in six plays. Taylor cracked the middle twice for 14 yards as the desperate Rams piled all over the big fullback. Starr passed to McGee for eight and then Taylor ran another five. Starr faked beautifully, forcing the defense to follow Taylor into the line, and then hit the weaving McGee on the 10. Max just missed a TD when Hall hauled him down a yard short of the goal line. Taylor then went in standing up and the Packers were in front 35-17 with 6:58 left. Oh? Bass took Agajanian's kickoff (Hank Gremminger had been kicking off until he was hurt) and returned 64 yards to the Packer 25. A roughing penalty on the Rams, especially on head-hunting Art Hunter, forced the Rams to lose the ball on downs on the Packer 16. A few minutes later, the Rams lost it again on downs when Hank Jordan caught Ryan for a 14-yard loss. On the final play of the game, the Packers lost - as they did on the first. This time Taylor lost nine trying right end. But the Bays didn't lost on the scoreboard.

LOS ANGELES - 7 3 0 7 - 17
GREEN BAY - 0 28 0 7 - 35

	LOS ANGELES	GREEN BAY
First Downs	19	17
Rushing-Yards-TD	33-111-1	31-76-2
Att-Comp-Yd-TD-Int	29-19-235-1-0	15-10-173-3-1
Sack Yards Lost	4-34	0-0
Total Yards	312	249
Fumbles-lost	2-1	1-0

Turnovers	1	1
Yards penalized	6-89	4-33

SCORING

1st - LA - Jon Arnett, 14-yard run (Danny Villanueva kick) LOS ANGELES 7-0
 2nd - GB - Jim Taylor, 1-yard run (Ben Agajanian kick) TIED 7-7
 2nd - GB - Max McGee, 20-yard pass from Bart Starr (Agajanian kick) GREEN BAY 14-7
 2nd - GB - McGee, 13-yard pass from Starr (Agajanian kick) GREEN BAY 21-7
 2nd - LA - Villanueva, 17-yard field goal GREEN BAY 21-10
 2nd - GB - Boyd Dowler, 17-yard pass from Starr (Agajanian kick) GREEN BAY 28-10
 4th - LA - Ollie Matson, 17-yard pass from Frank Ryan (Villaneuva kick) GREEN BAY 28-17
 4th - GB - Taylor, 1-yard run (Agajanian kick) GREEN BAY 35-17

RUSHING

GREEN BAY - Jim Taylor 19-47 2 TD, Elijah Pitts 8-21, Tom Moore 3-7, Bart Starr 1-1
LOS ANGELES - Jon Arnett 16-64 1 TD, Dick Bass 13-33, Frank Ryan 3-13, Ollie Matson 1-1

PASSING

GREEN BAY - Bart Starr 15-10-173 3 TD 1 INT
LOS ANGELES - Frank Ryan 16-11-167 1 TD, Zeke Bratkowski 12-8-68, Jon Arnett 1-0-0

RECEIVING

GREEN BAY - Max McGee 5-90 2 TD, Ron Kramer 3-63, Boyd Dowler 1-12 1 TD, Jim Taylor 1-8
LOS ANGELES - Red Phillips 6-71, Ollie Matson 5-69 1 TD, Dick Bass 5-50, Carroll Dale 3-45

Rams 'Not Dirty'

'Guys Were With Me,' Pitts Says



Remember Him?—The man with the upswept cigar appears to symbolize the Packers' lofty status in the National Football League. Viewing the proceedings from the Packer alumni bench with evident satisfaction is Arnold Herber, the immortal front end of the famed Herber-to-Hutson Packer combination.

'GUYS WERE WITH ME,' PITTS SAYS

NOV 20 (Green Bay Press-Gazette) - "You're sitting there on a bench and all of a sudden it happens. You're kind of shook up." This is how it looked to one Elijah Pitts, a dusky, dedicated speedster from Little Rock, Ark., when opportunity knocked Sunday afternoon hard upon the heels of an injury to Tom Moore on the Packers' first offensive series. "It was okay, though," Elijah reflected with a happy grin, simultaneously

admitting, "I was a little nervous but it went away after a few plays." It must be remembered, of course, that Pitts, who won't come of voting age until next Feb. 3, was not merely stepping into Moore's shoes but also into the amble brogans vacated one week earlier by the man many consider the greatest all-around player in the game, Pvt. Paul Hornung, now a jeep pilot at Fort Riley, Kan. Elijah, who quickly became a key figure in the Packers' drive to their first touchdown with 15 yards in three thrusts, paid tribute to his colleagues for easing the way. "The guys were with me," he said with a warm smile overspreading his ebony features. "They were talking to me. And the blocking was tops." The man he replaced was, as might be expected, slightly downcast. Given the starting assignments, Moore had been primed for a "full go" - and it was all over before he'd fairly begun. Somewhat loath to discuss his injury, Tom explained in a low voice, "It's nothing serious. I don't know if I fell on the ball or just fell - I don't know what it was. But I don't think it was anything bad. I'm sure I'll be able to go at Detroit Thursday." Another Tom, Bettis, said there was nothing mysterious about his throwing the Rams' Bratkowski for a vital 7-yard loss in the first quarter that forced a 48-yard field goal fizzle by Danny Villanueva. "We were just playing our defensive the same way we were supposed to," Tom, a standout all afternoon, informed with a satisfied smile. "We had noticed in the films that they were having a lot of success on a reverse with Matson. On that particular play, we guessed it would be a reverse and, with the other two linebackers (Bill

Forester and Dan Currie) playing to the outside, I red dogged straight up the middle and dropped Bratkowski before he could get it started." Hank Gremminger, en route to the shower, revealed that kicking off, as might have been expected, was



Green Bay Packers quarterback Bart Starr huddles with coach Vince Lombardi during the Packers' 35-17 victory over the Los Angeles Rams (Credit: Green Bay Press-Gazette Media Archives)



Green Bay's Jim Taylor (31) catapults through an opening in the Los Angeles line for a fourth-quarter touchdown Sunday in

City Stadium. Quarterback Bart Starr (15) handed off to Taylor. The identifiable Rams are Thomas (35) and Jones (75).*

not a new experience for him. "I did a little in college," he confided with a shy smile. It turned out, following a second question, that "a little" had been a lot. "I guess I really did just about all the kickoff work when I was at Baylor," Hank admitted. His final efforts were not accidental, it should be added. "They told me to kick 'em into the ground to keep Arnett from getting 'em," he explained. Some Packer partisans, miffed no little over the Rams' conduct, were labeling the Californians "the dirtiest team to ever play here" but this sentiment was not generally shared by their "victims." "They were hitting late a lot of times," Forrest Gregg admitted, but tacitly declined to apply the "dirty" label. Offensive Capt. Jim Ringo was even more outspoken. "No, they weren't," he said flatly. "It was just a rough football game, that's all." Speaking for the defense, forthright Henry Jordan opined, "They were just fired up and wanted to get rough with us. You take for example that Roy Hord of theirs. He played on my side last year and now he's on the other side. Today, he was always coming after me. That sonofagun hit me so hard one time he broke my helmet strap. He missed Dave (Hanner) so he came over to hit me." "No," he summed up soberly, "they weren't dirty. They just wanted to beat us. Some of our boys were rocking, too, don't forget that." Boyd Dowler, dressing in front of his locker for perhaps the last time in some months, imparted, "I hope to come back whenever I can - but I don't have any idea now whether I will be able to or not." His sentiments about leaving?

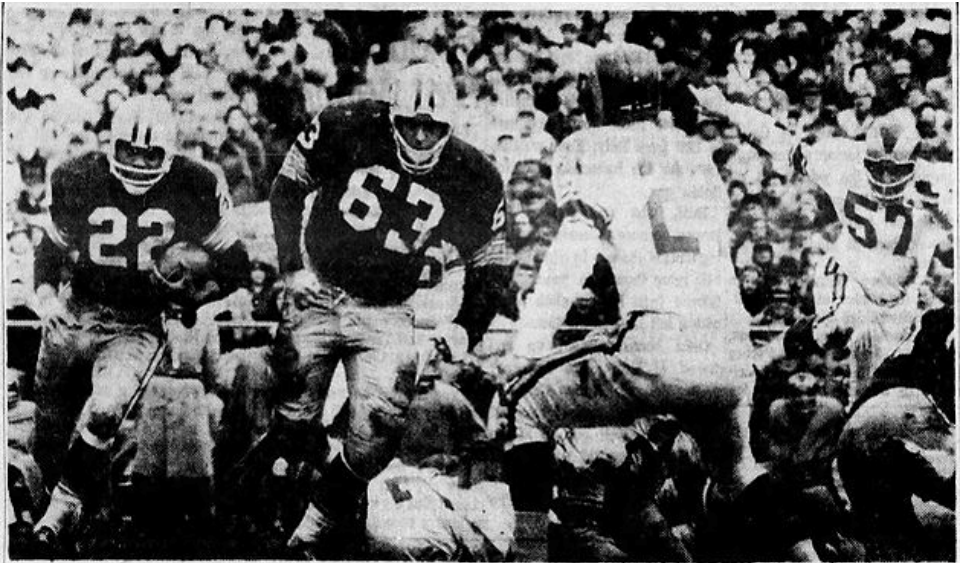
He shrugged and said, "When you gotta go, you gotta go."

MANPOWER WOES WORRY VINCE; 'TOO MUCH,' BOB

NOV 20 (Green Bay Press-Gazette) - "Are you in shape, Coach?" Vince Lombardi smiled wanly at this facetious query from a Los Angeles scribe and replied, "I guess we'll have to be." It was only minutes after the pleasantly methodical Packers had tranquilized a surprisingly surly herd of Rams but the Pack's resident genius was already pondering how injuries to Tom Moore and Hank Gremminger might affect his forces' already sadly depleted manpower supply - and their immediate future in the NFL's Western Division title scramble. Running a hand nervously through his hair, Vince declared, "I'm worried about the number of men - our special teams are going down hill. Thank God we're still in first place. We've got four out now (servicemen Paul Hornung, Ray Nitschke and the then departing Boyd Dowler and the injured Jerry Kramer) and Moore's a question mark," he pointed out. "Tom has a little cartilage in his ribs - I don't know whether he'll be ready for the Lions Thursday or not. And Gremminger has a sprained knee which we won't know about until tomorrow. This means the rest of them have got to go all the way - there can be no substitutions whatsoever." Any chance of adding personnel? "None at all," he said. Speaking of Gremminger, how did he evaluate the Packers' latest kickoff "specialist"? "Gremminger did fine

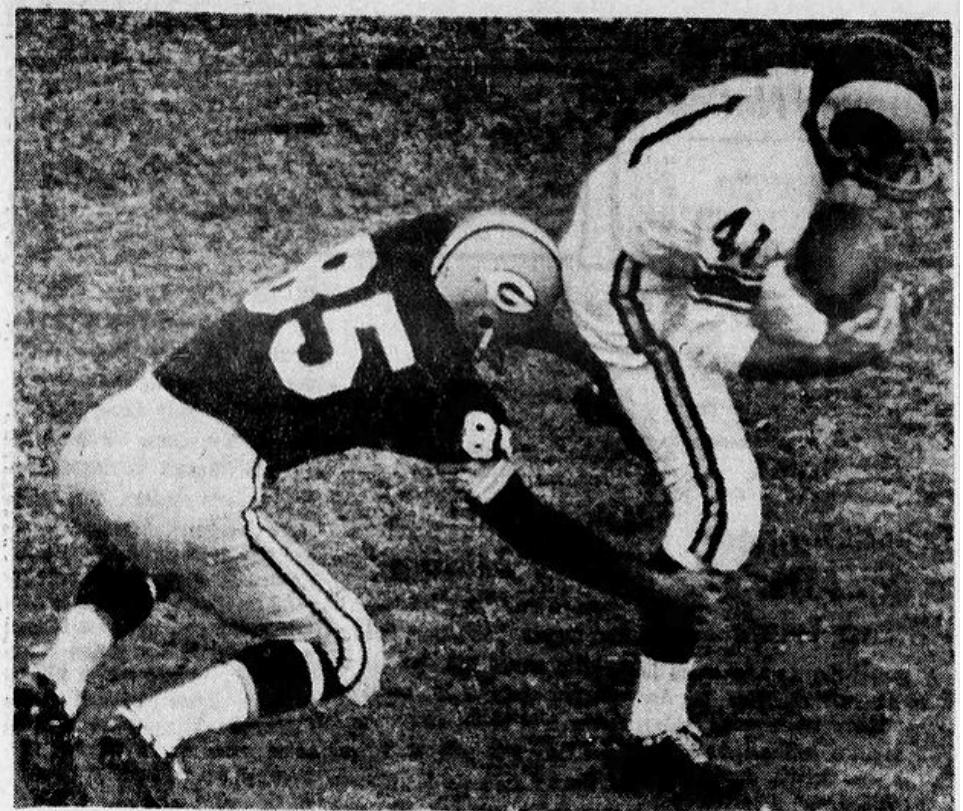
for what we used him for," Lombardi responded with an enigmatic smile. At this point, he leaped to his feet and barked, "Boyd! Boyd!" Excusing himself for the moment, Vince strode into the players' quarters for a "good luck" handshake with Dowler, then heading out the door for the airport - and Fort Lewis, Wash. Would Boyd - and Hornung and Nitschke - be available Thanksgiving Day, he was asked upon returning to his desk? "I don't know - I can't count on any one of them," he said. "As far as Hornung is concerned, how could he play anyway? He couldn't very well play because of his timing. He might be able to go in a spot," Vince added, "but that would be about all. He couldn't even kick for us - he hasn't had any practice." This, inevitably, brought up the newly-acquired Ben Agajanian's ill-fated field goal attempt. Any explanation? "It got blocked," Vince rapped. Did he feel Agajanian might be slower than Hornung at getting his kicks off? "No," was the firm reply. How about another pinch hitter, rookie Elijah Pitts? "Pitts did pretty well," Vince conceded. "I said," he added in the interests of accuracy, "pretty well." And, finally, what of the Rams? "They are a lot better football club than they were anytime last year, I'll tell you that," Lombardi proclaimed. "That's a hard-hitting ball club."...A thoughtful Bob Waterfield, who escorted the Rams to the world championship in 1945 as a rookie quarter and now is striving to pry the Angelenos from the NFL dungeon, put his analysis in seven words: "They were just too much for us." This, then, meant he had no quarrel with his athletes' performance? "No, I haven't. They played hard," Waterfield said quietly. What had prompted all

that post-whistle contact by the Californians? "Damned if I know," he said "I have no idea." Although pleased with the Rams' will to work, Waterfield admitted, "We fell asleep on defense a couple of times and it killed us." He had reference to matters involving the Pack's Max McGee. "Yeah, McGee's a tough man to cover." The field had appeared slippery, it was suggested. Did he feel this was more of a handicap to his forces than the enemy? "The Packers have a little heavier type backs than we have," he said, "so it may have handicapped us a little more than it did then." Before another question could be asked, Ollie Matson came in and shook hands with Waterfield. "Nice game, Ollie," Bob told him. "Sorry we couldn't get this one for you," Matson replied in a low voice. "But we'll get 'em next Sunday," he added over his shoulder as he left. Had Waterfield been optimistic when the Rams surged into that 7-0 first period lead and appeared headed for another touchdown? "I still thought we had a good chance if we could have stopped them when they got that last touchdown - when McGee got to the one-yard line. The boys played good ball." How did he evaluate the Packers' title chances, with four players in service



The Packers' Elijah Pitts (22) alertly follows the blocking of Fred Thurston (63) on a third-quarter

play of Sunday's game against Los Angeles. Rams include Ed Meador (21) and Bill Jobko (57).



Lindon Crowe (41) of the Los Angeles Rams, intercepts a first-period pass intended for the Packers' Max McGee (85) to set up a Ram touchdown in Green Bay Sunday. The Packers, however, won, 35-17.

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Give Him a Push—Frank Varrichione (70) appeared to give Johnny Sybank a push as Sybank scooped up a Dick Bass fumble on his own 19 and returned to the 23 in the third quarter. Willie Wood comes up to block.

and two others injured? "The Packers," he said, "are the only team in the league which could lose four players like that and still be a pretty solid ball club."...GRAD'S DAY: Many of the giants of yesteryear, the pioneers and the latter day stars who helped make the Packers six-time world champions, were on hand for the annual homecoming festivities, marked by a dinner party at the Beaumont Hotel Saturday night and introduction of the alumni between halves of Sunday's game. Among those returning for a trek down memory lane were Mike Michalske, now at Texas

University; Cub Buck, the Packers' first major college signee who came out to them from the University of Wisconsin and now lives at Rock Island, Ill.; Dick Wildung, now a resident of Redwood Falls, Minn.; Carlton (Stretch) Elliott, from Charlottesville, Va.; and Len Szafaryn, from Pittsburgh...VIEWPOINTS: "That wasn't bad defense, that was good running," former Packer coach Curly

Lambeau declared seconds after Jon Arnett's snaky first quarter touchdown jaunt. "Arnett is the best runner the Packers have faced all season," Curly said. "He has great deception and great balance. Arnett is a tumbler - when he got hit on that run, he bounced right back on balance."...THE CHAMPS: Regional "Punt, Pass and Kick" contest winners were introduced before the game. They include James Russler, 6, of Two Rivers; John B. Krale, 7, of Hortonville; Brandt Pfeiffer, 8, of Nekoosa; Gregg Schofield, 9, of Antigo; and Jim Olewine, 10, of Port Edwards. Their scores will be compared with those of champions in 13 other regional competitions to determine five national champions - one from each age group 6 through 10...TV 'SPECIAL': Miss Diane Anderson of Eau Claire, 1961's "Miss Wisconsin," was presented with a Packer football, autographed by all of the players and coaches, by Publicity Director Tom Miller in a brief, pregame ceremony beamed over the Packers' regional television network...PERSONAE NON GRATA: The Rams were slightly unpopular with the 38,669 Packer partisans during the second half, particularly at one point in the third quarter, shortly after Ron Kramer had been pummeled. The Rams took over the ball one play later, when Ben Agajanian's field goal attempt had been blocked, and the faithful became so vocal, the Rams couldn't hear quarterback Zeke Bratkowski's signals and called time. When play resumed, the boos persisted but not in sufficient volume to bring another timeout.

RAM OUTPLAY PACK BUT POINTS MEANS WINS

NOV 21 (Green Bay Press-Gazette) - So the Rams ran off 62 plays against the Packers' 46? So what? The Packers got the points 35 to 17 and that's what really counts. Coach Vince Lombardi explains it this way: "When you're scoring, the other team usually has the most plays. Every time you score, the other team gets three extra plays." So the Packers can count a field goal or touchdown! They then kick off to the other team and the Pack's defense and said foe then get at least three

plays before punting. There was a sterling example during the Bays' 28-point second quarter Sunday. The Packers used five plays to start the period to tie the score 7-7 on Jim Taylor's one-yard plunge. After that TD, the Packers used only eight plays while the Rams were running off 20. Yet, the half ended with the Packers in front 28-10. And for an oddity, six of the Pack's eight plays were first down maneuvers. Here's what happened: After the Taylor TD, the Rams ran off five

**Houston Socks
Titans 49-13;
Chargers Win**

**AMERICAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE
Eastern Division**

	W	L	T	Pct.	PS	OP
Houston	6	3	1	.650	340	178
Boston	6	4	1	.591	309	268
New York	5	5	0	.500	207	286
Buffalo	5	6	0	.455	244	272

Western Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	PS	OP
San Diego	11	0	0	1.000	355	135
Dallas	3	7	0	.300	200	259
Denver	3	8	0	.275	192	310
Oakland	2	8	0	.200	168	307

Friday Night's Results — Boston 20, Oakland 17.

Sunday's Results — San Diego 24, Dallas 14, Buffalo 23, Denver 10, Houston 49, New York 13.

Thursday's Schedule — Buffalo at New York.

Sunday's Schedule — Oakland at Dallas, Denver at Houston.

Sports Cocktails: 3 to 1

**Rams OutPLAY Pack
But Points Mean Wins**



Businessman — Len Szafaryn, former Packers tackle and guard, has a new nationwide business—Sportlite Albums, an off-shoot of his own desire to make up an album of his football career. He's shown above with one of his wood-bound albums, which will be marketed throughout the country. Len was in Green Bay for the Packers' Homecoming game Sunday. (Press-Gazette Photo)

plays. Lew Carpenter returned the fifth, a punt, 48 yards to the Ram 20. On Down 1, Bart Starr threw a 20-yard touchdown pass to Max McGee. Now it's the Rams' turn. The Pack defense does its job and on the fourth play Dan Villanueva gets off a three-yard punt, on the Rams 13. On Down 1, Starr throws a 13-yard TD pass to McGee (a nice habit). The Rams keep it longer next time - 10 plays and Villanueva kicks a 27-yard field goal. Now it's the Packers turn to receive. The Rams are generous and three straight penalties (including two for roughing Starr) give the Bays three straight first downs. Three plays later Starr throws to Dowler for a touch. With seven seconds left, the Rams don't get their normal three plays. Time runs out after Jon Arnett runs once for three yards. Anyhow, it occurs to us that the Packers can save wear and tear on their depleted forces by merely scoring a-plenty!...PS: The Packers (1) lost the ball and (2) nine yards on the first and last plays of the game. On the game's opening play, Starr's pass was intercepted by Lindon Crowe. On the game's last play, Taylor lost nine yards on a run that started at left end and ended behind the right side. Against

Pittsburgh in '57, the Packers had passes intercepted on the first and last plays of the game. The Bays won that one, too.

PACKER PRIDE, 'CHAMPIONSHIP' AT STAKE AGAINST DETROIT

NOV 21 (Green Bay Press-Gazette) - Methinks the Packers have been waiting for this one since last Thanksgiving Day. The Packers ate crow and/or cold turkey on the evening of Thursday, Nov. 24, 1960, after losing an embarrassing 23 to 10 decision to the Lions in Tiger Stadium. And the Packers stumbled again in front of these Lions - in the 1961 league opener in Milwaukee Sept. 17. Score: 17 to 13. There will be a lot of Packer pride at stake when the Packers face the Lions in Detroit this Thanksgiving Day - plus the little matter of "winning" the championship. The Packers can creep within a half-game of the 1961 Western Division title by beating Detroit. The Lions can move within a half-game of the top if they win. Here's how the meat of the standings will be displayed in your Press-Gazette if the Packers win:

	W	L	T	.PCT
Green Bay	9	2	0	.818
Detroit	6	4	1	.600

This situation would enable the Packers to clinch their second straight Western title by winning one of their three remaining games - the Giants in Milwaukee Dec. 3, the 49ers in San Francisco Dec. 10 or the Rams in Los Angeles Dec. 17. If the Packers lose to Detroit, we will regret to display the standings as follows:

	W	L	T	.PCT
Green Bay	8	3	0	.727
Detroit	7	3	1	.700

This would make it virtually a must for Green Bay to win its remaining three games. And the Lions would have to do likewise. Detroit visits Chicago (Wrigley Field) Dec. 3, hosts Minnesota Dec. 10 and then hosts Philadelphia Dec. 17. This situation also would put the 49ers in the thick of the race since they have 5-4-1 at the moment. If the Packers and Detroit should play a tie, the standings would look like this:

	W	L	T	.PCT
Green Bay	8	2	1	.800

Feast?

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Western Division				
	W	L	T	Pct. Pts
Green Bay	9	2	0	.800 309 158
Detroit	6	3	1	.667 208 192
San Francisco	5	4	1	.556 245 176
Chicago	5	5	0	.500 214 213
Baltimore	5	5	0	.500 211 226
Los Angeles	3	7	0	.300 167 222
Minnesota	2	8	0	.200 173 283

Eastern Division				
	W	L	T	Pct. Pts
New York	8	2	0	.800 279 148
Philadelphia	7	3	0	.700 240 208
Cleveland	7	3	0	.700 239 192
Dallas	4	5	1	.444 169 242
Pittsburgh	4	6	0	.400 211 191
St. Louis	4	6	0	.400 163 200
Washington	0	9	1	.000 96 273

Thursday's Game
GREEN BAY AT DETROIT.
(WBAY-TV, WJPG, 11:06.)

Next Sunday's Games

St. Louis at Pittsburgh.
New York at Cleveland.
Dallas at Philadelphia.
Minnesota at San Francisco.
Baltimore at Washington.
Los Angeles at Chicago.

Probable Offensive Starters

GREEN BAY	DETROIT	
McGee	L E	Cogdill
Skoronski	L T	Gonzaga
Thurston	L G	Sewell
Ringo	C	Scholtz
Gregg	R G	Gordy
Masters	R E	LaRose
Kramer	R E	Gibbons
Starr	Q B	Ninowski
Pitts	L H	Barr
Dowler	R H	Lewis
Taylor	F B	Pietrosante

Detroit-Green Bay Series:
Green Bay won 31, Detroit won 24,
1 tied. Points: Green Bay 1096, Detroit
930.

Thanksgiving Day Series:

1945—Cleveland (Rams) 28, Detroit 21.
Attendance 40,017.
1946—Boston 34, Detroit 10. Attendance
13,010.
1947—Chicago Bears 34, Detroit 14.
Attendance 27,214.
1948—Chicago Cardinals 28, Detroit 14.
Attendance 22,099.
1949—Chicago Bears 28, Detroit 0.
Attendance 22,912.
1950—Detroit 49, New York (Yanks)
14. Attendance 28,000.
1951—Detroit 52, Green Bay 45. At-
tendance 32,247.
1952—Detroit 48, Green Bay 24. At-
tendance 39,101.
1953—Detroit 34, Green Bay 15. At-
tendance 52,547.
1954—Detroit 28, Green Bay 24. At-
tendance 55,532.
1955—Detroit 24, Green Bay 10. At-
tendance 51,685.
1956—Green Bay 24, Detroit 20. At-
tendance 54,087.
1957—Detroit 18, Green Bay 6. At-
tendance 54,301.
1958—Detroit 24, Green Bay 14. At-
tendance 50,971.
1959—Green Bay 24, Detroit 17. At-
tendance 49,421.
1960—Detroit 23, Green Bay 10. At-
tendance 54,123.

PLAYER NUMBERS

GREEN BAY	DETROIT
3—Agejian, k	0—Oiszewski, fb
5—Hornung, hb	14—Morrell, qb
15—Starr, qb	15—Ninowski, qb
18—Roach, qb	20—Steffen, ohb
22—Pitts, hb	21—Maher, dnb
24—Wood, hb	25—Studstill, dnb
25—Moore, hb	28—Lary, dnb
25—Aderley, hb	33—Pietrosante, fb
27—Symank, hb	34—Webb, f
31—Taylor, fb	40—Cassady, ohb
33—Carpenter, hb	41—Barr, ohb
45—Tunnell, hb	43—Lowe, dnb
46—Gremminger, hb	44—LeBeau, dnb
47—Whittenfon, hb	45—Lewis, ohb
51—Ringo, c	47—Martin, k-lb
53—Iman, c	50—Scholtz, c
58—Currie, lb	53—Glass, de
61—Toburen, lb	54—Messner, lb
63—Thurston, g	55—Walker, k-lb
65—Beflis, lb	56—Schmidt, lb
66—Nitschke	57—Brett's, der, lb
71—Forester, lb	66—Sewell, g
72—Davidson, e	67—Mills, of
74—Jordan, f	71—Karras, dt
75—Gregg, f	72—Ward, dt
76—Skoronski, f	73—Spencer, of
77—Kostelnik, f	75—Gordy, g-of
78—Masters, g	76—Brown, dt
79—Hanner, f	77—LaRose, of
81—Folkins, e	78—McCord, de
83—Quinlan, e	79—Gonzaga, dt
84—Knafelec, e	80—Gibbons, oe
85—McGee, e	81—Lane, dnb
86—Dowler, e	85—Williams, de
87—Davis, e	87—Davis, oe
88—R. Kramer, e	89—Cogdill, oe

Neither team would gain in this case since the percentages after last Sunday's games would merely carry over. The winner is the team with the highest percentages and ties don't count. Incidentally, the Packers and Lions have played only one tie in their 56-game series, which started in 1934. The two clubs tied 13-up here in 1958. While all the possibilities are particularly engrossing today, the cold facts of Packer life are just that - cold. Coach Vince Lombardi can count on only 31 able-bodied men out of a possible 36, not counting kicker Ben Agajanian who, by the way, has a bad cold. The three Army men (Paul Hornung, Ray Nitschke and Boyd Dowler) can't be figured on since it's never known until the last minute whether they'll be available. The Bays came out of Sunday's win over the Rams with two injured - Tom Moore, ribs, and Hank Gremminger, knee. Lombardi listed Moore as "doubtful" today, and his status probably won't be known until game time. Moore, of course, is the No. 1 replacement for Hornung. Elijah Pitts filled in nobly for Moore Sunday while Tom was hurt early in the game. Vince said that "Gremminger is okay," which means that the Pack's defense is intact, other than Nitschke. However, Tom Bettis has been coming back strong in Nitschke's spot. What's more, this will be a special "mission" for Bettis. The Lion game in Detroit was his last action in '60. While the Packers are dangerously low in manpower, they are exceptionally high in spirit. Lombardi is happy to note that the morale of the team is good - as it has been through the trying experiences of the last few weeks. The Packers plunged into preparations for Detroit bright and early Monday morning and then loosened up lightly in the afternoon. Scout Wally Cruice spoke on the Lions' victory over the Vikings Monday noon, a day earlier than usual. Little time was spent reviewing the Ram game. Today was the Pack's one big day of practice. The

team will leave via United Airlines charter from Austin Straubel Field at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

HORNUNG, NITSCHKE, DOWLER JOIN PACKERS FOR 'TITLE' CONTEST

NOV 22 (Detroit-Green Bay Press-Gazette) - Paul Hornung, Boyd Dowler and Ray Nitschke will join the Packers for their critical "championship" game against the Lions in Tiger Stadium Thanksgiving Day. All three privates are away from their Army bases on holiday passes. Hornung is flying in tonight from Fort Riley, Kan., in Green Bayite Pat Martin's plane. He must report back to duty early Friday morning. Dowler and Nitschke

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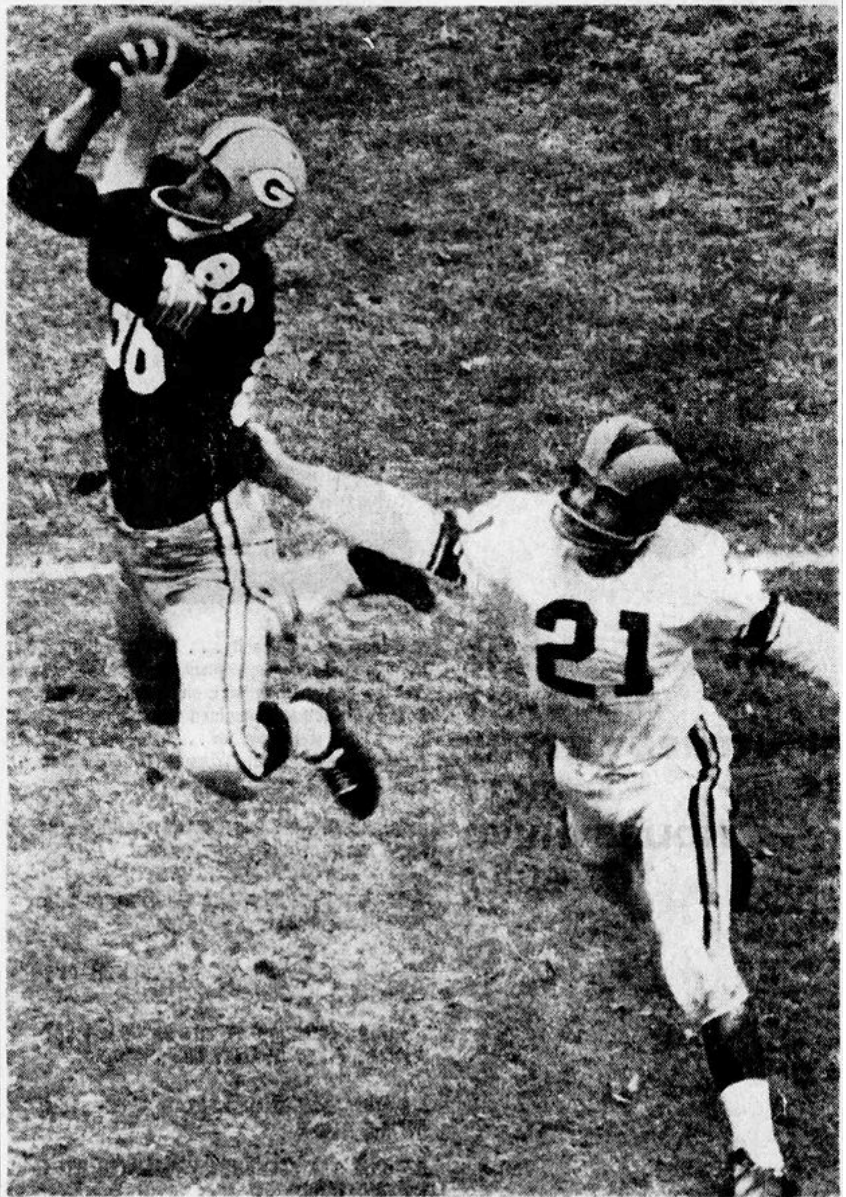
are flying from Fort Lewis, Wash., along with John Gordy, the Lions' starting offensive guard, who is also getting off for the game. With weather conditions not good, Coach Vince Lombardi is keeping his fingers crossed. The Packers flew out of Green Bay this afternoon. Rain and snow are scheduled for tonight and Thursday. "I don't know how much Hornung will help us on the field. He has been away for nearly two weeks but just having him will give us an added lift." Lombardi said today. Lombardi said that Elijah Pitts, the rookie who did so well against the Rams, will start at the left halfback spot and that Hornung will be used "for only spot duty." The coach said that Hank Gremminger, who was also hurt in the Ram game, is doubtful. Hornung missed last Sunday's game against the Rams in Green Bay, but starred in the exciting victory over the Bears the previous Sunday. The league's highest scorer in history could play a key role as a blocker for Jim Taylor and as a spot runner, receiver and passer. What a player! Paul couldn't have come at a better time because Tom Moore has a rib injury and isn't expected to play at all. Gremminger is dying to play but his knee might slow him down too much. This opens the way for Em Tunnell, who would go to a safety spot while Willie Wood moved over to Gremminger's position. It's possible Herb Adderley will play at Gremminger's cornerback spot. The swift offensive back has been shifted to defense in this emergency. He played considerable defense in school - not to mention the All Star game. Mixed in with the rash of injuries and last-minute military maneuvers is this curious twist: The Packers will wear this green and gold home uniforms and the Lions will wear their traveling white uniforms. There seems to be no good reason except George Wilson, coach of the Lions, is highly superstitious. Wilson said, however: "No, I'm not superstitious. Our blue shirts shrank." Lombardi has consented to let the Detroit wear the conventional whites. "It doesn't make a bit of difference what color uniforms you wear," Vince laughed. Apparently it does to Wilson, who noted that Detroit has a 5-0-1 record on the road, with their white uniforms, and 1-3-0 at home. The Packers are 5-1 in their dark uniforms, losing only to the Lions. Anyhow, the Packers likely will look at white-clad Jim Ninowski as the Lions' starting quarterback, although Wilson isn't saying. Jim has been starting lately but Earl Morrall went in and broke open the Viking game last week. Morrall has been considered a success as a "relief pitcher." Green Bay also will get its first look at Detroit's new four-end offense, in which one back (fullback Nick Pietrosante) stands behind the quarterback and the other backs and ends spread out to the left or right. The Rams tried it for a few plays last Sunday. Pietrosante will be the Pack's big problem in addition to the Lions' fine pass catchers, Gal Cogdill, Jim Gibbons and Terry Barr. The Packer offense's biggest job will be protecting Bart Starr. A year ago here, Bart hardly had a chance to set himself for a pass. The Packers are staying at Sheraton-Cadillac hotel here. They'll leave right after the game on a United Airlines charter and are due to arrive at Austin Straubel Field about 5:05.

HORNUNG FINDS ARMY KEEPS HIM IN SHAPE

NOV 22 (Kansas City) - Paul Hornung, the highest single-season scorer in NFL history, gets another crack with the Green Bay Packers this season, after all. The former Notre Dame All-American, who began a one-year hitch in the Army last week, has been granted a 24-hour pass from Thanksgiving Day. He's flying from Ft. Riley, Kan., to Detroit for the Turkey Day tussle between the Western Division-leading Packers and the runnerup Lions...FLYING TO DETROIT: Hornung will play despite an Army spokesman's comment when he reported that "he won't play any more football this year." "A friend from Green Bay (Pat Martin) will pick me up at Ft. Riley in his private plane and we'll fly directly to Detroit," Hornung said. "I will return to camp after the game, as my pass expires at midnight tomorrow." The curly-haired former Notre Dame All-American anticipates there may be at least one more game under his belt after Thursday's contest. "Ten percent of my outfit was granted three-day leaves, and with a little luck I may get one in a couple of weeks," he said...ARMY TRUCK DRIVER: Hornung, a private, is a truck driver for the 896th Engineer Co., a reserve unit from South Dakota, which was recently recalled to active duty. How did Hornung, a native of Louisville, Ky., who played his college football in Indiana and his professional ball in Wisconsin, wind up in a South Dakota unit? He grinned and replied, "That's just one of those things that happens in the Army." When the husky all-pro back reported to Fort Riley a week ago, he said, "I'm happy to be here." Today he admitted, "It feels pretty good to get away from here - even if for only a little while." He's not worrying about keeping in shape for football. "The Army has a way of keeping you in shape," he said. "Our days last from about 5 o'clock in the morning until 10 o'clock at night, and you can't get fat and sloppy with that kind of a schedule."...TALKED TO LOMBARDI: Hornung said he talked to Green Bay Coach Vince Lombardi by telephone Tuesday, notifying him of the 24 hour pass. "He seemed pleased," Hornung said. Lombardi has reason to be pleased, for his 26-year old backfield star scored 130 points in the team's first nine games this season. However, Lombardi moaned that lack of practice probably has thrown Hornung's timing off, and that he hasn't kicked a ball in over a week. Hornung, in addition to being one of the club's leading ground gainers and a good passer, is Green Bay's placekicking specialist. "It will be kind of a hurried-up affair, but at least I'll get to play and I hope I can help the team some," Hornung said.

AFL DRAFT DISCREDIT TO PRO FOOTBALL: ROZELLE

NOV 22 (New York) - Pete Rozelle, NFL commissioner, Tuesday blasted the American League's sneak draft as a "discredit to pro football" and warned that continuation of such acts might force the NFL to change its policy in the future. "This act indicated that the AFL's next step may be pulling juniors and sophomores out of school to play professional football. I hope it is possible to continue our present policy, but it may be necessary to make a change. This is the third consecutive year they have drafted during the college season. We always hold our draft at the end of the college season or several weeks later. Apparently, they are so desperate that a 48-hour jump is not enough and they have reneged on their written word and public declaration." Rozelle said the NFL would stand by its announced schedule to draft in Chicago Dec. 4. He said the AFL had notified both the NCAA and the College Coaches Assn. on Aug. 30 and made a public announcement two weeks ago that it would hold its draft Dec. 2. "The AFL admitted last night it made a sneak draft last week," said Rozelle. "I was



Post-Crescent News Service Photos
Boyd Dowler (86) grabs a pass for the fourth Packer touchdown of the second quarter. Ed Meador (21) is the defender.



It's "Ben" Blocked—The Rams' Ed Meador (21) cooled Ben Agaganian's Packer kicking debut Sunday when he roared in from his left end post to block Ben's first field goal attempt in Packer silks.

Agaganian, who toed five perfect extra points, tried the FG from the Ram 34 with Bart Starr holding in the third quarter. (Press-Gazette, Photo)



FEARSOME FOURSOME—In their return to contention in the NFL, the Lions have relied heavily on the smothering power of their defensive line. The quartet includes (from left) Bill Glass, Roger Brown, Alex Karras, Darris McCord, and assistant coach Les Bingaman.

shocked at the duplicity and audacity of the AFL in this action. We feel this hurts all pro football because it hurts our relationship with the colleges. For many years we have abided by the four-year rule, under which any college player cannot compete in our league until four years after he first enrolls in college." Rozelle said he knew several contracts already were in the hands of players. "One of the top linemen in the country has had AFL representatives with him for two days trying to get him to sign," said Rozelle. "We know we will lose some players. We did last year when the AFL started drafting by telephone about Nov. 19. In five weeks before we drafted they signed eight or 10 very fine players our clubs would like to have had. However, we are not overly concerned because we feel this will follow the same overall trend when 78 percent of the drafted players, able and willing to play pro football, signed with the NFL." Rozelle said he preferred not to disclose the names of players involved "to protect the players." However, he said he had a list of 48 players, drafted in six rounds by the AFL.

PACKERS' STARR TOP NFL PASSER, TOSSES 58 PERCENT COMPLETIONS

NOV 23 (Detroit-Green Bay Press-Gazette) - Bart Starr is leading National League passers for the second straight week. And it's about time for some cheering. The Packers' smart signalist was Coach Vince Lombardi's automatic selection as the No. 1

quarterback when Lamar McHan was traded to the Colts last winter. That the naming of Starr as "our man at quarterback" was a wise and wonderful move shows up all over the league today. The biggest convincer is merely that the Packers are leading the Western Division (8-2). In addition, the Packers have scored more points than any other team, 304 - an average of 30 per start. Starr brought the Packers into the championship last season by winning the last three games, thus finishing with 8-4. Not counting today's game in Tiger Stadium, Starr has already matched that eight-win total at the 10-game mark. The Bays' QB, in the words of NFL publicist Jim Kensil, has "overall ability and balance because he leads in none of the six categories on which the league's passers are rated." Starr is second in completion percentage and percent of interceptions, third in total yards and average gain, fourth in TD passes, and fifth in total completions. You get a good slant on how Starr has improved over a year ago by comparing the current figures with his record at the 10-game mark a year ago. Starr, in '60, ranked in sixth place behind (in order) Milt Plum, John Unitas, Norm Van Brocklin, Bobby Layne and Ralph Guglielmi. Plum presently ranks third and Unitas seventh. Van Brocklin is not playing and Layne, who has been hurt, and Guglielmi are unranked. The present Starr has completed 120 passes in 205 attempts for 1,788 yards, 14 touchdowns and a completion percentage of 58.5. The 1960 Starr, at this point, completed 84 passes in 146 attempts for 1,116 yards, two touchdowns and a completion percentage of 57.5. The biggest change is in TD passes, with an increase of one dozen. He has thrown six in the last two games - three vs. the Rams and three vs. the Bears. Though Uncle Sam has taken two of his big weapons (Paul Hornung and Boyd Dowler), Green Bay Taxpayer Starr has high hopes of playing in the championship game virtually in

his own back yard. City Stadium, where the game will be played if the Packers can win the West, is just about four blocks from Starr's new home (Chateau Drive). Jim Taylor has dropped 268 yards behind Jim Brown's record rushing pace. Brown tied his own record with 237 yards last Sunday. Taylor has gained 827 in 157 carries for an average of 5.3; Brown is averaging 4.9 on 1,095 yards in 225 attempts. Taylor is working less than a year ago to keep him fresh for the longer schedule. At the 10-game mark last year, Taylor had 186 carries for 898 yards. Brown had carried 179 times for 1,047 yards in 10 games last year. Hornung was flying along with 152 points after 10 games last year. He has scored 130 points in nine games this year.



Krammed — Ron Kramer, almost crammed between Rams' Lamar Lundy (85) and Bill Jobko (57) grabbed this 38-yard pass from Bart Starr to move the Packers to the Los Angeles

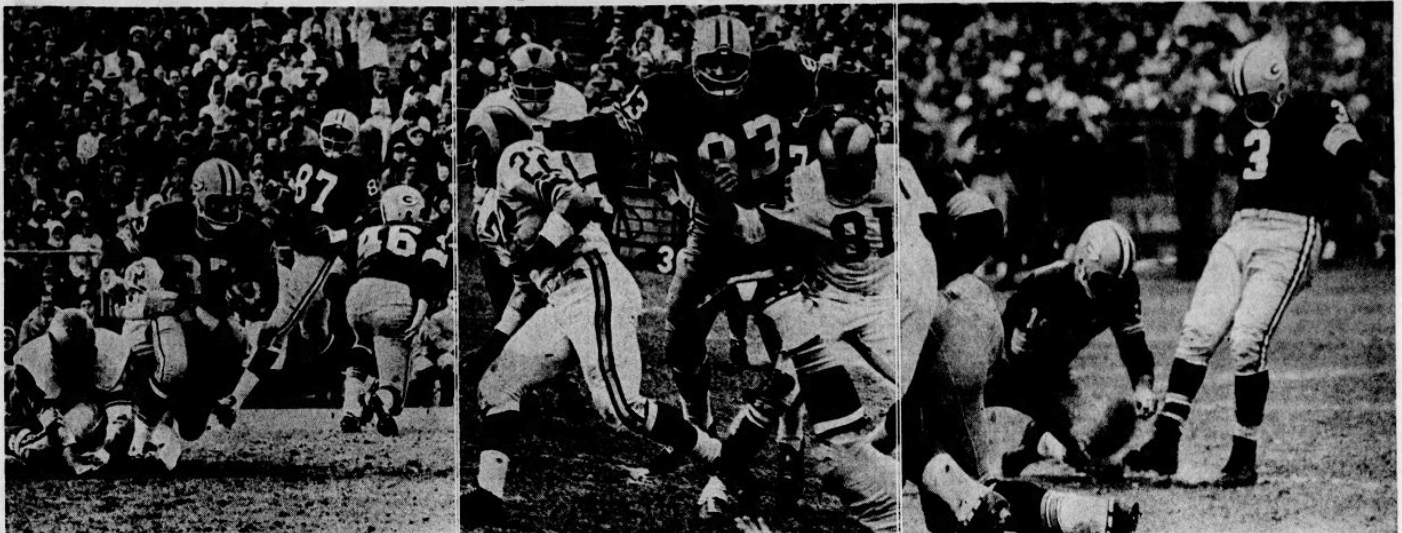
30 late the in the first quarter. The play set up the Packers' first touchdown, which tied the score at 7-7 early in the second period.



Starr-eyed—Three Cub Scouts in the Jackson School pack met with their favorite football player during Tuesday night's meeting. Shown with

Bart Starr, Packer quarterback, are Jeff Schmidt, Bruce Johnston and Danny Stievo. (Press-Gazette Photo)

Packer Pride, 'Championship' at Stake Against Detroit



The 3's Have It—Lew Carpenter, Bill Quinlan and Ben Agajanian, prominently displayed the "number 3" in Sunday's Packer-Ram game at City

Stadium. Carpenter, left, strained to escape the clutches of Ram Jim Phillips on a punt return with Willie Davis (87) and Hank Gremminger (46) in the

background. Quinlan, center, made like some sort of giant in apparently reaching for both Dick Bass (22) and Carroll Dale (81). And Agajanian, right,

booted one of his five extra points with Bart Starr holding. The Pack tries to avoid loss No. 3 in Detroit Thursday. (Press-Gazette Photos)



Pitts Pops — Elijah Pitts, the Packers' third string left halfback, was called to duty Sunday after Tom Moore, replacement for Paul Hornung, was hurt early in the game. The rookie speedster did "pretty

well," according to Coach Vince Lombardi. With Forrest Gregg (75) blocking Ram Clendon Thomas, Pitts picked up three yards on the last play of the first half. (Press-Gazette Photo)



Rockin' Ryan—Henry Jordan stormed through the Ram defense late in the game to nail quarterback

Frank Ryan for a loss deep in Los Angeles territory. Rams' Roy Horde (64) and Art Hunter (56) watch.

NFL Stix — 10th Week

LEADING SCORERS

	Td.	R.	Td.	P.	Tot.	EX.P.	EXP.M.	FG	FGA	Tot.	
					Td.					Pts.	
Hornung, Green Bay	8	2			10	34		0	12	17	130
Moore, Baltimore	6	8			14	0	0	0	0	84	
Groza, Cleveland	0	0			0	26	1	15	19	71	
Dial, Pittsburgh	0	11			11	0	0	0	0	66	
Taylor, Green Bay	10	1			11	0	0	0	0	66	
Walston, Philadelphia	0	1			1	37	2	11	19	66	
Myhra, Baltimore	0	0			0	23	1	14	27	65	
Summerall, New York	0	0			0	35	0	10	25	65	
Ditka, Chicago	0	10			10	0	0	0	0	60	
Kilmer, San Francisco	10	0			10	0	0	0	0	60	
Mitchell, Cleveland	7	3			10	0	0	0	0	60	

BEST PERFORMANCE ONE GAME: 33 points—Paul Hornung, Green Bay vs. Baltimore — 10-8-61

*LEADING PASSERS (Minimum 100 attempts)

	Att.	Comp.	YG	TdP	PC	LP	Int.	AGY	Int.
1. Starr, Green Bay	205	120	1788	14	58.5	78	9	8.72	4.4
2. Jurgenson, Philadelphia	289	162	2391	19	56.1	68	18	8.27	6.2
3. Plum, Cleveland	203	124	1617	12	61.1	60	7	7.97	3.4
4. Wade, Chicago	174	93	1620	17	53.4	98	9	9.31	5.2
5. Tittle, New York	206	116	1629	15	56.3	62	11	7.91	5.3
6. Brodie, San Francisco	165	92	1546	8	56.4	70	9	9.37	5.5
7. Unifas, Baltimore	299	162	2088	11	54.2	72	19	6.98	6.4
8. Bukich, Pittsburgh	153	88	1229	11	57.5	88	14	8.03	9.2
9. Ryan, Los Angeles	134	70	1093	5	52.2	96	6	8.16	4.5
10. Meredith, Dallas	182	94	1161	9	51.6	56	11	6.38	6.0
11. Snead, Washington	263	122	1639	7	46.4	80	17	6.23	6.5
12. Tarkenton, Minnesota	170	93	1166	7	54.7	57	11	6.86	6.5
13. LeBaron, Dallas	123	66	979	8	53.7	49	10	7.96	8.1
14. Ninowski, Detroit	152	69	1214	5	45.4	76	11	7.99	7.2
15. Braikowski, Los Angeles	118	63	699	2	53.4	62	6	5.92	5.1
16. Etcheverry, St. Louis	131	63	698	7	48.1	47	8	5.33	6.1
17. Morral, Detroit	121	57	743	6	47.1	61	8	6.14	6.6

LONGEST COMPLETION: 98 Yds., Billy Wade, Chicago vs. Detroit — 10-8-61 — TD.

*Standings based on Completions, Yards Gained, Touchdown Passes, Per Cent Completions, Per cent Interceptions, Average Gain Yards.

*LEADING PUNTERS

	No.	AD	L	Att.	YG	LG	Ave.
1. Larry, Detroit	43	47.9	67	225	1095	38	4.9
2. Green, Pittsburgh	55	47.4	71	157	827	53	5.3
3. Davis, San Francisco	40	46.3	67	146	679	42	4.6
4. Baker, Cleveland	32	45.4	62	132	672	59	5.1
5. Chandler, New York	45	44.8	66	143	574	27	4.0
6. Norton, St. Louis	66	43.7	78	140	567	47	4.1
7. Dowler, Green Bay	31	43.6	75	132	534	44	4.0
8. Hill, Philadelphia	37	43.5	64	95	503	33	5.3
9. Gilburg, Baltimore	30	43.5	61	93	500	31	5.4
10. E. Brown, Chicago	44	42.9	69	94	495	54	5.3

LONGEST PUNT: 78 yards, Jerry Norton, St. Louis vs. Dallas — 11-5-61.

*Standings based on average distance.

*PUNT RETURN LEADERS

	No.	YR	AD	L	Tds	4 Tds.
1. Wood, Green Bay	10	200	20.0	72	2	
2. Woodson, San F.	14	172	12.3	80	1	
3. Mitchell, Cleve.	11	132	12.0	64	1	
4. Cassidy, Detroit	12	135	11.3	21	0	
5. Sample, Pitts.	16	168	10.5	47	0	
6. Shofner, Cleve.	12	117	9.8	21	0	
7. Steffen, Detroit	13	120	9.2	45	0	
8. Boyd, Baltimore	15	125	8.3	46	0	
9. Stits, New York	17	132	7.8	20	0	
10. J. Morris, Chicago	16	118	7.4	16	0	

LONGEST RETURN: 80 yards, Abe Woodson, San Francisco vs. Detroit 11-5-61—TD.

*Standings computed on basis of average return.

*KICKOFF RETURN LEADERS

	No.	YR	AD	L	Tds
1. Studstill, Detroit	11	354	32.2	100	1
2. Brown, Phila.	22	686	32.2	105	1
3. Bass, L. Angeles	14	418	29.9	64	0
4. Woodson, San F.	19	567	29.8	98	1
5. Moore, G. Bay	12	355	29.8	60	0
6. Bivins, Chicago	17	471	27.7	78	0
7. Kerr, Wash.	14	385	27.5	42	0
8. Marsh, Dallas	15	397	26.5	79	0
9. Arnett, L. An.	18	471	26.2	105	1
10. James, Wash.	14	363	25.9	38	0

LONGEST RETURN: 105 yards, Tim Brown, Philadelphia vs. Cleveland — 9-17-61—TD. Jon Arnett, Los Angeles vs. Detroit — 10-29-61—TD.

*Standings computed on basis of average return.

LEADING RUSHERS

	Att.	YG	LG	Ave.
Brown, Cleveland	225	1095	38	4.9
Taylor, Green Bay	157	827	53	5.3
Pietrosante, Detroit	146	679	42	4.6
Webster, New York	132	672	59	5.1
Perry, Baltimore	143	574	27	4.0
Perkins, Dallas	140	567	47	4.1
Johnson, Pitts.	132	534	44	4.0
Smith, San Fran.	95	503	33	5.3
Kilmer, San Fran.	93	500	31	5.4
Hornung, Green Bay	94	495	54	5.3

LONGEST RUN: 71 Yds., Amos Marsh, Dallas vs. New York — 10-15-61.

*Standings based on average distance.

*PUNT RETURN LEADERS

	Recd.	YG	LG	Tds
Phillips, Los A.	51	815	69	3
Shofner, New York	51	812	44	8
Berry, Baltimore	50	597	44	0
McDonald, Phila.	45	679	58	7
Moore, Baltimore	44	652	72	8
Dial, Pittsburgh	43	902	88	11
Dugan, Wash.	40	658	80	2
Rote, New York	39	615	57	7
Ditka, Chicago	38	869	76	10
McGee, Green Bay	38	674	48	5

LONGEST RECEPTION: 98 Yds., John Farrington, Chicago vs. Detroit — 10-8-61—TD.

*Standings computed on basis of average return.

*KICKOFF RETURN LEADERS

	No.	YR	AD	L	Tds
Tommy McDonald, Philadelphia vs. St. Louis, 10-1-61, 11 received, 187 yards.					

LONGEST RETURN: 102 Yds., Erich Barnes, New York vs. Dallas — 10-22-61—TD.

*Standings computed on basis of average return.

INTERCEPTION LEADERS

	No.	YR	TD	L
Lynch, New York	9	60	1	36
Bishop, Dallas	8	172	0	57
Sample, Pitts.	8	141	1	42
Barnes, New York	6	160	1	102
Patton, New York	6	125	1	51
Whitsell, Chicago	6	123	0	52
Crow, Los Angeles	6	117	0	31
Baker, San Fran.	5	123	0	40
Sybank, Green Bay	5	99	0	41

LONGEST RETURN: 102 Yds., Erich Barnes, New York vs. Dallas — 10-22-61—TD.

The Packer Players

Editor, Press-Gazette: I would like to get one thing clear in this little note. I am a solid Packer Backer all the way, have always been.

This is not a note of criticism but one of confidence in our Packers. I believe the Detroit game coming up is the "key" game in the games remaining. If each player were to give it that extra effort and be alert I, and a lot of Packer fans, have all the confidence in the world that they can come through Thanksgiving Day.

Incidentally, wouldn't it be good to show Mr. Lombardi that we are grateful and thankful for his efforts by giving him a "winner" on this Thanksgiving Day? The Fans in Packerland are with you all the way. As a passing thought, I would like to see Mr. Otto Graham whom I have a lot of respect for, eat "crow" instead of turkey on Thanksgiving Day.

Good luck, Packers, and may the Good Lord be with you.

W. W.

Green Bay, Wis.

Packers in Service

Editor, Press - Gazette: The W.J. McCarthy, New Franken, forum article disturbed me to the extent I must ask him, are our boys or men who are not football players, college or university graduates, less human than those of your chosen caliber? First of all I must say I respect them all very highly but, however, I am afraid they are too intelligent and too manly to approve any such action you speak of to be given any such consideration above their buddies because of their ability to play ball or any of their school ambitions. We are all created equal by God. I am sorry you, above all, have considered they would accept any assignment above those of their buddies. And it does not require any stupidity to understand the Army Brass you speak of, know that Hornung or Nitschke are men of quality and want no part of what you are suggesting. You should know by now that we need to protect our country, our nation, our America and our service men know it is not power madness, it is not common labor, it is a service they respect and hope you can force yourself to respect all our service men as they so greatly deserve.

I am confused.

Green Bay, Wis.