

By PHORD PAZZ

Swampscott and Marblehead will tear and rip away tomorrow morning at Evans park like a cage of starving wild cats let loose. When these towns send their representative schoolboy warriors into battle it always means much and the struggle tomorrow, which looks to be the closest match of recent years will be followed by a big crowd. Never in the history of football has Swampscott and Marblehead seen anything like the enthusiasm that is spreading like a contagion. And both are out to win at any cost.

Swampscott's great showing in the North Shore league for the past few weeks, gives the Sculpins the choice but that never die spirit of Marblehead may again upset the dope ere high noon.

CUDDY'S MACHINE HAS THE EDGE

But Cuddy and his sons of the grid expect to devour their turkey with thankful hearts while the youthful Headers sit down to a gloomy meal.

Should Swampscott win all will be well in Sculpinville, but a 0-0 score would be looked upon in the light of sting. Marblehead, however, would be satisfied with holding the Sculpins and would take a naught finish in the light of victory.

Cuddy's team is in fine physical shape, every man on the squad, while the Headers have also been groomed carefully by Ed Pidgeon the sagacious boy coach, who indeed has accomplished wonders this year on material that seemed too poor and light when football opened.

The big stars of the game are Captain Jimmy Wallis of Swampscott and Bill Curtis of Marblehead and both play fullback. Cuddy figures that if Curtis can be held in check it will be a triumphant march to the Headers' goal line, Marblehead on the other hand, feels that Wallis is the main obstacle who must be overcome.

Al Ingalls Referee

Marblehead will probably play a punting game and wait for the breaks but in Chaisson Cuddy has no mean kicker.

Marblehead also has a good young man inside the 35-yard line to drop one or two over the bar. His name is Tansey and for a paper weight end is said to be a bear.

NO DOUBT Theodore P. Day will lead the Marblehead band tomorrow. He is especially strong for schoolboy sport and particularly football. His son a number of years back was the best full back in Greater Lynn.

The coaches have been feeding their young war dogs on raw meat for several days.

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**Lynn English
Protests The
'Head Victory**

Faculty Manager Walker of English High school has filed a formal protest with Secretary Campbell of the North Shore High School league in connection with the English-Marblehead game, last Saturday at Evans park, Marblehead.

The English faculty manager writes that he has been instructed to make protest on the grounds of the length of periods and that on account of the Marblehead team not providing the head linesman with a stop watch that the periods were longer than agreed by the coaches. It is claimed that this fact enabled the Marblehead team to score a touchdown and win the game.

A meeting of the league will undoubtedly be called within a few days to act on the protest.

**MARBLEHEAD 6,
ENGLISH HIGH 0**

The sport followers of Marblehead deem the 6 to 0 victory which Marblehead High school football team won over Lynn English Saturday afternoon at Evans park the most impressive demonstration of Edwin F. Pidgeon's ability as a coach that has ever been witnessed.

With the material, the lightest that a coach has ever had in Marblehead and with many of the players without experience, it was generally believed that Mr. Pidgeon's team would make a sorry showing. The unexpected happened, however, and Marblehead High has a record of four victories and one defeat.

The winners speared their touchdown in the second period, with Bill Curtis carrying the ball over English's goal line after a 35-yard run.

The swiftness and "pep" of Pidgeon's crew seemed to bewilder Sexton's outfit. It was a hard fought and intensely exciting contest.

Curtis, Martin, H. Eustis, Tansey, Hamson, S. Eustis and Sweetland were the star performers for the winning team, and Whalen, Renew, Phaneuf and Johnson were the dazzling members of Sexton's eleven. The score:

- MARBLEHEAD.**
Phillips, le.....re, A. Phaneuf
S. Eustis, lt.....rt, Young
Doherty, lg.....rf, Allison
Ray
Martin, c.....c, Johnson
CJay, rg.....lg, L. Phaneuf
Hamson, rt.....it, Perusse
Mason, re.....le, Whalen
H. Eustis, qb.....qb, Renew
Tansey, lb.....rhh, Humphrey
Sweetland, rhh.....lhb, Hill
Curtis, fb.....fb, Kennedy
Stickles
Eldridge
Score—Marblehead 6, English 0.
Touchdown—Curtis. Umpire—Moore.
Referee—Sherlock. Head linesman—
Ackman. Time—10-minute halves.

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SWAMPSCOTT CRY HEADERS

High game Thanksgiving Day and with Peabody High in first game of season. "Lenny" Woodfin of Marblehead and Wyman of Swampscott are chosen for the tackles on the second team.

Arthur Anthony of Marblehead was easily the king of guards in Greater Lynn, and with "Dill" Broughton had considerable to do with placing the Marblehead schoolboys up in the championship berth of Essex County schoolboys. Phaneuf of English was a valuable lineman, and played in every minute of every game for English. He is the choice for right guard on the first team.

In the choosing of "Eddie" Johnson of English for centre on the first team, the writer weighed carefully work of "Joe" Reynolds of Marblehead and Manning of Classical. There is every temptation to give the first place to Reynolds, but the work of Johnson stands out as one of the big features of the English team this season. He was fast, a sure passer, and a great defensive man in addition to his offensive play, so Eddie Johnson is placed in centre. Reynolds is placed on the second team over Manning.

"Charlie" Snow of Marblehead proved his right to the quarterback position on the all-star team. He is a veteran and selected his plays to advantage. Hovey of Classical, Redmond of English and Way of Swampscott, were good field generals, but did not show the ability of the Marbleheader. Captain Charlie Newhall, who played quarterback for Classical early in the season, is given the place on the second team. Newhall is a natural end, but was shifted to quarterback for the good of the team on account of his experience, and later was placed at halfback. Hovey and Way will undoubtedly be

fighting it out next season for premier honors on the mythical teams.

Greater Lynn high schools had backfield men this season who equalled any of past seasons. Glover "Dill" Broughton of Marblehead easily proved the best backfield man in the district, and he is given the full back position on the first combination. Captain Harry Goldsmith of English is the left halfback and Curtis of Marblehead is placed in the other halfback position. Wallis of Swampscott was seriously considered for a position, but the work of Curtis, Goldsmith, Snell and Lewis, undoubtedly proved more valuable than Wallis. Wallis showed to advantage in the English game and was a good openfield runner, and probably with a stronger line would have shown to better advantage.

"Beanie" Kelly of English, who enlisted in the United States marines, leaving after the Swampscott game, was the equal and probably the superior of even Glover Broughton. Had he continued at school he would have undoubtedly been the unanimous choice for a half-back position. Last season, he played end and was the choice of the county as the best end of all mythical teams.

Oscar Johnson is placed at fullback for the second team, with Lewis of Marblehead and Snell of Classical, halfbacks. Bond of Swampscott, who has been playing the backfield, is shifted to end on the second team. He played a great defensive game and his natural position is on the line.

The selections are based on the work of the year, and if the reader's opinion differs from the opinion of the writer, the Item will be pleased to receive any criticisms and they will be published.

The C. G. Burgoyne

HEADERS SEND DEFY TO WEST

Citizens' Committee Pledges \$1500 to Bring on Toledo School

Marblehead has formally challenged Scott High of Toledo schoolboy champions of the Middle West. At a meeting of the citizens' committee held in the historic old town last night enthusiasm over bringing the western youths to Seaside Park, Dec. 7, was such that over \$1500 was pledged toward that end.

EXPECT REPLY TODAY

After a consultation with Coach Eddie Pidgeon the challenge was wired to Toledo asking the required guarantee and further details. The answer is expected some time today. So said Coach Pidgeon this morning to the Telegram-News.

Joel W. Reynolds, chairman of the school board presided at the meeting and many of the big men of the town were present.

In case the receipts from the game do not reach the required amount to pay the guarantee, these men will dig down and make up the deficit.

Two years ago Scott High came to Haverhill and played rings around the State champions of Coach Bill Broderick, showing a bewildering attack of forward passes that left the citizens of that town crestfallen and amazed.

Praises For Pidgeon

On all sides nothing but praises resound in old Marblehead for Coach Pidgeon, Capt. Nimrod Lewis and their stalwart warriors.

Newton High challenged for today but as Reynolds broke a collar bone, Caswell hurt his knee and Glover Broughton wrenched an ankle the game was out of question.

Marblehead is to stage the biggest athletic event ever pulled off in Greater Lynn next Saturday. It's indeed a great little town.



Rocks Thrown at 'Head High Players at Revere

Showers of rocks and other missiles followed the Marblehead high players after they quit the field in the Revere-Marblehead high game in the North Shore league, at Revere, Saturday. Coach Eddie Pidgeon had protested the failure of the Revere management to rope the field and after several poor decisions had been made against the Marblehead club, he ordered his team from the field. Only eight minutes of the first period had been played. The game was forfeited to Revere, 1 to 0. A formal protest will be made to the North Shore league today by Coach Pidgeon.

It was reported that many Revere girls also participated in the missile throwing episode at the close of the game and several Marblehead boys just missed being struck by rocks which were thrown at their truck as the players were leaving the high school building.

According to the rules of the North Shore league, the playing field has to be properly roped off and the home team must furnish police protection. It was claimed by Coach Lawrence of Revere that the posts and ropes for the field had been stolen.

Before the game started, Coach Pidgeon protested on account of the field not complying with the rules and started the game under protest. When the spectators began to crowd on the field Coach Pidgeon ordered his players to leave the field. There were only three policemen at the game. It was estimated that 100 persons were present. The summary:

REVERE HIGH. MARELEHEAD H. Romano, le.....re., Mason Wells, lt.....rt., Hanson McCullough, lg.....rg., Clay Murray, c.....c., Martin Finklestein, rg.....lg., Robinson Clark, rt.....rt., Eustis Lesser, re.....le., Phillips Barrett, qb.....qb., H. Eustis Day, lhb.....rhb., Sweetland Frye, rhb.....lhb., Tansey Townsend, fb.....fb., Curtis
Score—Revere 1, Marblehead 0 (forfeit). Umpire—Staples, Boston university. Referee—Guild, Beverly. Linesmen—Webber, Tufts.

penalized a total of about one hundred yards during the game, three occasions being for illegal using of the hands.

Bradford, who was substituting for Bradbury, showed somewhat of the style of Saugus' speedy end. Several time he got through the interference and tackled the runners for a loss. Hilbourne, at the other wing, was against a heavy man, but he showed that his ability to block aerial attack is worth a lot to the Saugus aggregation. Capt. Betts, at tackle, and March, playing guard, were the stars of the Saugus team for many times they would be seen emerging from beneath a pile of players following the blast of the referee's whistle. Bannon and Lowell and Upham in the backfield were unable to shine on the offensive because of the several weak spots in the line. They would hardly receive the ball from the centre when a Woburn man had them on the ground.

Rice, Gonsalves and Doherty played a good game for the home team. The kicking of Rice aided them considerably and one the kickoff his boot would place the ball nearly on Saugus' goal line. The score:

WOBURN HIGH. SAUGUS HIGH
Doherty, le.....re., Bradford Parker.
Tanton, lt.....rt., Betts Lovering, lg.....rg., March Peterson, c.....c., Westendarp Mahoney, rg.....lg., Stacey Allen
Converse, rt.....lt., Symmes Caswell
Fox
Walsh, re.....le., Hilbourne Morrissey.
Rice, qb.....qb., Willis Kean, lhb.....rhb., Bannon Gonsalves, rhb.....lhb., Upham O'Donnell, fb.....fb., Lowell
Score—Woburn 51, Saugus 0. Touchdowns—Walsh 2, Rice 2, Kean 2, Hop, Kinton, Doherty. Goals from touchdowns—Rieve 3. Umpire—Kelliher. Referee—Bean. Head linesman—Seylo. Time—10 minute periods.

MARBLEHEAD -- WINS THROUGH FORWARD PASSES

The brilliant and dashing playing of Bill Curtis, Joe Tansey and Howard Eustis were the chief factors in the producing of the 19 to 18 victory which Marblehead High school football team achieved over Wakefield High at Evans park, Saturday afternoon.

Several swell forward passes, Curtis to Tansey, and remarkable generalship by Quarterback Eustis, together with refreshing aggressiveness and quick thinking by all the members of Pidgeon's 130-pound team, gave Marblehead High that which the Marblehead sport followers account its most notable win of the season.

It was the general opinion that Wakefield was the strongest aggregation that Pidgeon's performers have played against this season.

Both teams put forth a magnificent offensive game. The team which had the ball was almost always able to make large gains.

At the end of the first half Wakefield led 18 to 13. Neither team scored in the third period, but Marblehead outplayed their rivals in the concluding chapter and secured the one touchdown necessary.

MARBLEHEAD WAKEFIELD
Tansey, le.....re, Burke S. Eustis, McHugh, lt.....rt, Lafave Mason, lg.....rg, Seabury Martin, c.....c, Seabury Lacus, Clay, rg.....lg, Callahan Hamson, rt.....rt, Dinan Arey, Phillips, Peach, re.....le, Burns H. Eustic, qb.....qb, Dagnino Gray, lhb.....rhb, Garniss Sweetland, lhb.....lhb, Frazzell Curtis, fb.....fb, Cummings

Score—Marblehead 19, Wakefield 18. Touchdowns—Curtis 2, Tansey, Garniss, Frazzell, Cummings. Goals from touchdown—S. Eustic. Umpire—Kelliher, Boston. Referee—Lewis, Beverly. Head linesmen—Butler, Malden. Time—Four 10-minute periods.

HERE'S SOMETHING of a task. Pick the three best backs from Curtis of Marblehead, Lawrence and O'Connor of Peabody, Thurston and Reed of Gloucester, Buck Burke and Humphries of English, Wallis and Warnock of Swampscott and Ailen, Jordan and Dean of Winthrop.

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SWAMPSCOTT READY TO BATTLE OLD FOE

Though Sculpins Have the Edge it Will be Some Wild Scramble at Seaside Park Tomorrow Morning. Both Towns Prepare to Turn Out Enmasse to Witness the Outcome. Wallis and Curtis Loom Up as the Prospective Big Men of the Fray.

MARBLEHEAD HIGH

	Pos.	Age	Wt.
PHILLIPS	le	17	117
HANSON	lt	17	140
MCHUGH	lg	17	140
DOHERTY	c	16	165
MASON	rg	16	125
S. EUSTIS	rt	15	160
TANSEY	re	16	117
H. EUSTIS	qb	14	117
GILBERT	lhb	17	130
SWEETLAND	rhb	15	128
CURTIS	fb	17	145

SWAMPSCOTT HIGH

	Pos.	Age	Wt.
CHAISSON	re	18	140
CARROLL	rt	18	140
SNOW	rg	15	138
ADAMS	c	17	142
CURRANT	lg	15	141
HOLMES	lt	17	160
MAITLAND	le	15	135
FORSYTH	qb	16	137
MCCARTY	qb	17	125
BAILEY	rhb	16	145
WARNOCK	lhb	17	145
WALLIS	fb	17	156

Place—Evans park, Marblehead.

Time—Tomorrow 10 a. m.

Officials—Charles D. C. Moore, University of Maine, umpire; Al Ingalls, Brown, referee; Percy Proctor, Tufts, head linesman.

SWAMPSCOTT HAS MOST VICTORIES

- 1909—Swampscott 0, Marblehead 0
- 1910—Swampscott 15, Marblehead 0
- 1911—Marblehead 5, Swampscott 0
- 1912—Swampscott 6, Marblehead 0
- 1913—Swampscott 13, Marblehead 0
- 1914—Swampscott 10, Marblehead 7
- 1915—Swampscott 20, Marblehead 0
- 1916—Swampscott 13, Marblehead 3
- 1917—Marblehead 20, Swampscott 6
- 1918—Marblehead 59, Swampscott 0

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Swampscott Out to Trim the Marbleheaders

TOMORROW'S GAME.

An unmistakable atmosphere of confidence pervades the town in relation to the big gridiron battle between Marblehead High and Swampscott at Evans park tomorrow morning. The contest is eagerly awaited and it is easily the chief topic of conversation in the town.

Upward of 1000 persons attended the mass meeting at Abbot hall last night when the cheers and cheering songs for the big game were rehearsed. It was the largest as well as the most enthusiastic meeting of the kind ever held in this town. The cheer leaders were Charles Steele,

Howard Noyes, Clarence Chapman and George Daniels.

Speeches were made by David J. Love, Joel W. Reynolds, chairman of the school committee, James Pomeroy, Joseph Martin, Capt. Walter Curtis and Coach Edwin F. Pidgeon.

Headed by Ralph D. Harris' Naval band the rooters will parade about the town previous to the game. The procession will form at the Y. M. C. A. building at 8 o'clock and the line of march will be taken up at 8.30 o'clock.

SWAMPSCOTT.

Player	Pos.	Age	Weight	Player	Pos.	Age	Weight
Maitland	le	15	135	re	Tansey	16	115
Holmes	lt	17	160	rt	S. Eustis	17	160
Currant	lg	15	141	rg	Mason	16	125
Adams	c	17	142	c	Doherty	17	165
Snow	rg	15	138	lg	McHugh	17	140
Carroll	rt	18	140	lt	Hanson	18	140
Chaisson	re	18	140	le	Phillips	16	115
Forsyth	qb	16	135	qb	H. Eustis	16	115
Warnock	lhb	17	145	rhb	Gilbert	17	130
Bailey	rhb	16	125	lhb	Sweetland	16	125
Wallis	fb	17	156	fb	Curtis	19	145

Game at Evans Park, Marblehead, Thursday at 10 A.M. Referee, Charles D. C. Moore, U. of M.; umpire, Fred Ingalls, Brown University; head linesman, Proctor, Country Day. Time of periods, 12 minutes.

SWAMPSCOTT OUT TO TRIM THE MARBLEHEADERS.

Swampscott and Marblehead will meet in their annual football classic at Evans park Marblehead, tomorrow at 10 o'clock. For two years Marblehead has won, but before, Swampscott had the edge. The latter team is the favorite this year. Hundreds of Swampscott fans will leave on the special train at 9.15. A band will lead them from the Swampscott club at 8.30. Train tickets are available at Bickford's drug store, and the drug stores of C. P. Jeffers, N. G. Burier, Kenney, and at the Swampscott club.

MARBLEHEAD ELEVEN IS FULL OF FIGHT.

With only veterans from last year's team in the 1919 lineup, Marblehead enters the annual game with Swampscott tomorrow on the short end. Bill Curtis and S. Eustis are the only Marbleheaders who played in the game against Swampscott last Turkey Day. Curtis, Gilbert, Tansey and S. Eustis are the stars of the 'Head team.

The Marblehead team has victories over Winchester, Saugus, Gloucester, Lynn English, Essex Aggies and Wakefield, and were defeated by Winthrop and Lynn Classical, playing a tie with Peabody.

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MARBLEHEAD AND SWAMPSCOTT GO 0-0

Neither Has Much Chance to Score in Annual Battle and Punting Duel Results Between Curtis and Chaisson. Sculpins Stop Curtis but Marblehead Retaliates by Holding Wallis in Check. Clean, Hard Fought Game Witnessed by 8000 Pop-eyed Fans.

MARBLEHEAD	SWAMPSCOTT
Phillips, lc	re, Chaisson
Hamson, lt	rt, Carroll
McHugh, lg	rg, Snow
Doherty, c	c, Adams
S. Eustis, rt	lg, Groom
Tansey, re	lt, Holmes
H. Eustis, qb	lc, Maitland
	qb, Forsyth
	qb, McCarthy
Gilbert, lhb	rhb, Balley
Sweetland, rhb	lhb, Warnock
Curtis, fb	fb, Wallis

Score—0-0. Umpire—Alfred Ingalls, Brown. Referee—Charles D. C. Moore, U. of M. Head linesman—Percy Proctor, Tufts. Time—12-minute quarters.

By PHORD PAZZ

Bill Curtis' right foot and Bill Curtis' tackling stopped Swampscott High yesterday afternoon at Marblehead and allowed the residents of the Head to eat their evening meal in peace but with some jubilation over the fact that they had had an even break with the folks from further down the coast in a great battle. Eddie Pidgeon played the game as it should have been played, that was to have Curtis use his right foot and send the ball back again to the Cuddy Kids, who failed to show up to their standard of line plunging and end running that was anticipated as the North Shore League drew to a close.

And thus it was that the Sculpinville rooters wound their way to the Devereaux station behind their band somewhat down hearted over the showing that their heroes had served up to them. Wallis's best work could only come in his ability to dive over the opposing line and

ball on Swampscott's 0 yard line where Curtis had sent it with his trusty right foot.

Both Teams Penalized

For the opening shot of the second half Chaisson recovered the kickoff on his 15 yard line and made the 45 yard line before he was pulled down. Warnock circled Marblehead's right end and brought the ball to midfield. Here Marblehead drew a five yard penalty for offside. Swampscott immediately evened it up when Referee Moore penalized the Cuddy Kids five yards for starting before the ball was snapped. Hamson got in some good work when he nosed Warnock's fumble on Swampscott's 40 yard line. Curtis lost four trying Swampscott's right end and in the next play a Swampscott man went out, he being caught at the bottom of a big pileup.

Upon his return to play Curtis made four yards at center and then skirted Swampscott's left end for 20 yards bringing the ball to the Sculpinville's 30-yard line. Curtis and Sweetland made it first down. A try by Curtis and one by Sweetland failed and Tansey was called back for a field goal. The pass back was good but his attempt went low and one of the Cuddy Kids fell on the ball behind his goal line for a touchback. Play was resumed on the 20-yard line. A try at center failed and Chaisson sent one to Eustis on his 40-yard line but as he was about to grab the ball from the air, slipped and the ball rolled to the 30-yard line. Curtis made three around Swampscott's right end and a penalty against Swampscott gave the ball to Pidgeon and Co. on their 38-yard line.

Curtis Stars in Marblehead Victory Over Proviso

Bill Curtis to Gene Tansley, by the aerial route, resulted in a touchdown for Marblehead High and victory over Proviso High of Maywood, Ill., in the East-West lightweight interscholastic football championship of America. The only touchdown of the game came in the second period and caught the westerners flatfooted at a style of play in which the visitors were supposed to excel. Evans scored the only points for the Proviso squad by dropping the pigskin over the bar from the 35-yard line. The final score was Marblehead 6, Proviso 3.

Four thousand spectators watched the youngsters battle on a gridiron that was wet and soggy. Sawdust covered the more treacherous spots. Both teams suffered on account of the slippery conditions and it was almost impossible for the backfield men to get away fast.

The game was a kicking duel between Captain Curtis and Weidbusch of Maywood, and there was little to choose between the pair. In running back punts, Marblehead had a slight advantage.

Coach Eddie Pidgeon presented a well-trained machine, and the condition of his boys was demonstrated in the fact that not a substitution was made by Marblehead during the game. Proviso had several substitutions during the battle and their boys did not seem to be as strong physically as the easterners.

Never in the history of interscholastic competition have two elevens been so evenly matched as the Marblehead-Proviso squads. Both squads shaped up almost even as to weight and height, and from the sidelines it seemed as though every condition of the game had been carried through by the two schools.

Penalties had a great bearing on the final result. Twice during the game, with the ball in their 20-yard zone, Proviso was penalized, and it was a penalty that gave Marblehead the ball on the Proviso 20-yard line following a blocked attempt at a field goal, and indirectly resulted in the Marblehead touchdown.

To Bill Curtis goes the greatest

honors of the game. In addition to punting well, throwing forward passes and directing the Marblehead attack, his broken-field punting and defensive work was easily the best shown by any schoolboy in this section for years.

Weidbusch at fullback, Dunk at quarterback and Burgoyne at centre were the western stars. The westerners' best play was a tackle-around play on a punt formation, with the tackle acting as interference and the back shooting around the end. It gave the team five men on the interference and resulted in long gains for Proviso.

While the Proviso team is credited with three points on Evans' pretty field goal, the play was a poor one. Only a few minutes were left to play, and the field goal meant nothing toward the game. A forward pass instead of the field goal, if successful, would have meant a tie score, with an opportunity for victory.

The two longest runs of the game were made by Curtis. He gained 25 yards in the second period on an end run and on the kick-off, after the Proviso field goal, he ran the ball back 33 yards and only a pretty tackle by Quarterback Dunk, the only man between him and the Proviso goal line, prevented a touchdown. The game ended with the ball in Proviso's possession in midfield. The summary:

MARBLEHEAD.	PROVISO.
Phillips, L. e. r. c.	Dunlap
Hanson, L. t. r. t.	Coolidge
McHugh, L. g. r. g.	Rago
Doherty, c. c.	Burgoyne, Rasmussen
Mason, r. s. l. g.	Follett, Lewis
S. Eastis, r. t. t.	Duncan, Kirke
Tansley, r. e. l. e.	Evans
H. Eustie, q. b. q. b.	Dunk
Sweetland, l. h. b. r. h. b.	Chiara, Warren
Gilbert, r. l. b. l. h. b.	Sheldon
Curtis, l. b. f. b.	Weidbusch

Score—Marblehead High 6, Proviso 3. Touchdown—Tansley. Field goal—Evans. Referee—Hugh C. McGrath, Boston college. Umpire—Charles D. C. Moore, University of Maine. Head linesman—Albert J. Woodlock, Allston. Field judge—Jack Kelleher, Boston. Time—12-minute quarters.

SIDELIGHTS OF GAME

By PHORD PAZZ

Here's To You, Curtis
Mr. Bill Curtis, here's to you;
Your twisting and tackling,
Your plunging and punting,
Sure must make that old town proud
of you.

And Marblehead is now the town that boasts of the lightweight school championship of these United States.

Evans' drop kick for the Chicago boys was fine and could not have gone through the uprights better, considering the condition of the field upon which he depended for the rebound.

Present on the side lines as the guests of the Marblehead coach were Skip Sherlock Coach at Boston High school of Commerce, Tom McCabe, former Holy Cross end and coach of the Boston College High school football team and Dave Morey former Dartmouth star.

Curtis' ability to shake tacklers that Eddie Pidgeon has shown him is something that college coaches should not overlook. No doubt Bill will be up there higher and with the best wishes of all the sport followers of Greater Lynn.

Eddie Pidgeon's system of training showed its merit in the last half when so many of the battered Proviso lads were taking time out for bruises and to fix up the bellows.

Pidgeon substituted not at all, while Coach Berry sent in four players.

The Headers changed the style that they have been following all year, that of punting, and opened up with rushing tactics.

If anyone managed to get by the ticket sellers that person is in line for a D.S.C. and a Croix De Guerre.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS (Up to Santa Claus):

- For Lynn schoolboys—An athletic stadium.
- For Jack Way—A return trip ticket from the Dakota wheat fields.
- For the Cornet Stars—Chick Davies, pitching phenom.
- For Peabody High football—Another Hubby Lawrence.
- For Marblehead football—Another Bill Curtis.
- For Ollie Moore—A billuated cue that never has to be chalked.
- For the Casino A. C.—A steam heated hall.
- For Bernie Friberg—The return of Gentle Spring as soon as possible.
- For American league pitchers—A curve that can hypnotize Babe Ruth to swing where the bill is not.
- For Harvard—Oregon's football scalp.
- For the Giants—Walter Johnson, Alexander, Killifer, Eddie Collins, Rogers Horsby, Ty Cobb, Babe Ruth, Eddie Rousch, Tris Speaker and another Christy Mathewson.
- For Sambo Mason—Free gasoline and plenty of jack for social purposes.
- For Coach Joyce—A perpetual winner at Classical.
- For Coach Sexton—Another schoolboy championship or two.
- For Coach Pidgeon—A few husky Marbleheaders to enter school.
- For Coach Cuddy—One or two more just like Jimmy Wallis.
- For John Morrissey—A coupon entitling him to have his pictures taken in different poses.
- For Dennis J. Dineen—A winning Bennett cup crew.
- For Jere Hick—Ditto.

CUBS KEEP FRIBERG

President Veek of the Chicago Cubs notified Bernie Friberg last week that his team will exercise their option on Lynn's big leaguer and that he will soon be a recipient of a contract from the Windy City.

This means that Bernie will go West to California in February with the Cubs to training quarters.

Curtis' two forward passes to Tansley that the diminutive end managed to garner in were true to the mark.

It was one of these that Tansley caught five yards over the goal line for the touchdown.

Some sunshine yesterday afternoon and the crowd that witnessed the game would have been trebled.

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Victory Over Proviso High 6 to 3

Great Playing of Captain Curtis of Home Team Helps Marblehead to Win; the Winners Score on Forward Pass

On a field of mud and sawdust the Marblehead High school football team Saturday afternoon won from Proviso High of Maywood, Ill., at Evans park. The final score was 6 to 3.

There was a big crowd at the game, estimated all the way from 2000 to 7000. The teams were quite evenly matched. Early in the game there were several fumbles and Marblehead forwards managed to block a number of punts. Later the teams tightened up in their play and the battle was quite even.

Curtis the Whole Show

Walter Curtis, captain of the winners, was about the main attraction. On the defence he rambled about behind Centre Doherty, speared Maywood men on line and end plays, frequently sifting through the interference. On the offensive he skirted the ends and broke the centre. He did the punting and forward passing for his team. He threw the forward pass that Tansey caught for a score. On one run around his right end Curtis straight armed four tacklers before he was thrown out of bounds after a 25-yard gain. On another occasion he fumbled a kickoff. He recovered the ball and ran 55 yards up the field after shaking off five tacklers. Saturday afternoon Curtis played the best game of football ever played by any Marblehead man on any Marblehead team.

A fine exhibition of forward pass receiving, which completely fooled the visiting secondary defence, gave Marblehead its only point. The touchdown came in the second period and Right End Tansey of the home team was the hero. A blocked kick by Marblehead was recovered by McHugh in mid-field as the first quarter closed.

Gilbert got six yards off Proviso's right tackle on the opening play in the second quarter and Curtis made first down through centre, the ball resting on the visitor's 40-yard line. The next try at Proviso's line was repulsed, then Curtis hurled a fine for-

ward pass to Tansey, right over centre, the receiver getting to the 20-yard line before being stopped.

Tansey Scores Touchdown

A five-yard penalty for off side gave Marblehead a first down 15 yards from a score. This was nullified a moment later when the Marblehead backs started before the ball, the leather going back five yards. Being unable to gain, Tansey tried a drop kick from the 27-yard line, which was blocked, but as a visiting tackle was off side on the play, the ball was given to Marblehead for first down on the 12-yard line.

Marblehead lost five yards on the next play, its backs being too anxious, and a forward pass failed. Curtis made four yards at left end, and it was fourth down with about 10 yards to go. The next play drew the whole Proviso backfield over, and Curtis, taking plenty of time, made a nice pass to Tansey, standing all alone in the goal line, and Marblehead had its touchdown. After a punt-out, S. Eustis missed the goal.

Proviso kept fighting, but until the last period could not get within scoring distance. Two fine punts by Weidbusch put Marblehead on the defence well down into its own territory. Curtis, punting poorly from his goal line, sent the ball outside on the 27-yard line. Warren got around Marblehead's right end for seven yards, but a penalty set the westerners back to the 25-yard line.

With time almost gone, Evans, standing on the 33-yard line, kicked a goal from the field. The following kickoff gave Curtis a chance to make the longest run of the game, gathering the kick on the 18-yard line, he zigzagged down the field to the Proviso 35-yard mark, where Dunk tackled him. Proviso checked the advance on the 28-yard line and by means of a forward pass reached mid-field, when the game ended.

MARBLEHEAD

Tansey, le..... re, Dunlap
S. Eustis, lt.... rt, Coolidge (Lewis)
Mason, lg..... rg, Rago
Doherty, c. c, Burgoyne (Rasmusson)
McHugh rg..... lg, Follett
Hanson, rt..... lt, Duncan (Kirk)
Phillips, re..... le, Evans
H. Eustis qb..... qb, Dunk
Sweetland, lhb. rhb, Chiaro (Warren)
Gilbert, rhb..... lhb, Sheldon (capt.)
Curtis (capt.) fb..... fb, Weidbusch
Score—Marblehead 6. Proviso 3.
Touchdown—Tansey. Goal from field—Evans. Umpire—Charles Moore. Referee—H. C. McGrath. Head linesman—A. J. Woodlock. Field judge—J. Kellher. Time—12-inute periods.

MARBLEHEAD HIGH BEATS PROVISO, 6 TO 3

Forward to Tansey Paves Way for a Touchdown

Field Goal Gives Visitors Their Only Points—7000 See Game

By ALBERT J. WOODLOCK

MARBLEHEAD, Dec 13—Eastern football again proved superior to the Western brand when Marblehead High and Proviso High of Maywood, Ill, met here this afternoon in the final schoolboy football game of the 1919 season. Marblehead won, 6 to 3. It was one of the most spectacular school games of the Fall in Massachusetts, with the playing hard, but very clean.

Marblehead did not outplay Proviso at all stages, but did have slightly the better of the argument. What the Maywood, Ill, eleven would have done on a dry field, of course, is unsolved. It is well coached, fast and shifty eleven, with a good repertory of tricks, mostly unavailable owing to the uncertainty of the footing.

The teams battled for 45 minutes and the crowd of 7000 who applied vantage points went away not satisfied.

Marblehead won because it took a chance with the forward game when it could have played a field goal. In the second period, a beautiful forward pass was thrown from Capt Curtis to Tansey, which the latter got in the end zone for a touchdown.

The only other points were scored in the last of the fourth period when Evans, substituting right halfback for Proviso, kicked a field goal.

One of the neatest exhibitions of backfield work given by any member of the North Shore League this season was that of Curtis of Marblehead High, easily the best player of the day. He proved a terror to the visitors to check once under headway. His cross bucks, off-tackle plunges and runs and ability to buck the line fairly astonished the crowd.

Practically all the feature runs for Marblehead were made by Curtis. Once he broke away for one of 46 yards on the kickoff that followed Proviso's successful field goal. A great tackle by the quarterback brought him down.

The work of both quarterbacks was high grade. Tansey and Phillips, ends covered their assignments well.

Marblehead used more double and lateral passes than it has in any game this Fall and certainly had been well drilled by Coach Eddie Pidgeon.

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