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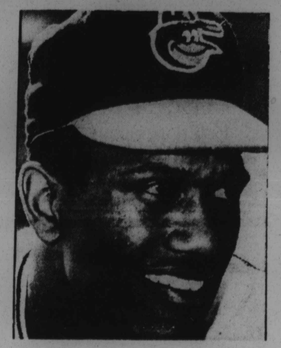

BEST WITHOUT ARGUMENT — Baltimore Oriole centerfielder Paul Blair on Wednesday was announced as the unanimous choice as the best outfielder in the American League. It marked the sixth time in the last seven years, the sure-handed 29-year-old speedster had been named to the All-Star defensive team polled by the Sporting News. Figures show that Blair in 429 games in the majors has made only 10 errors.

City-Poly game tossup in 85th year of series

Although it is generally conceded that past performances mean little when the football teams of City and Poly clash on Thanksgiving Day, the evidence says that this year's rendition should be a tight fit for both.

The two schools meet in scholastic football's oldest series for the 85th time Thursday at Memorial Stadium.

Tickets are currently available at the City and Poly athletic departments, and officials at the two schools are anticipating a huge alumni turnout.

On Thursday morning, as is customary, Loyola and Calvert Hall will renew their annual Catholee rivalry.

There have been so many form reversals in the yearly tussle between City and Poly that no one dares use the word "upset" in recounting the outcome. But, for what it is worth, the record stands as close to even-steven as Maryland Scholastic Association elevens can make it.

This time around is one of those rare occasions when neither is a contender for the MSA title. However, the rivalry is as intense as ever.

In competition with similar foes during the regular schedule, they show similar accomplishments.

Poly blanked Loyola, 26-0 while City beat the Greyhounds 35-8. Poly whitewashed Northern, 28-0, but City scored only an 8-7 victory over the same opponent.

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On the other hand, the Collegians downed Southwestern, 20-12, a team against which Poly managed only a 14-12 verdict. And City beat Edmondson, 22-6, whom Poly downed, 22-14.

Against champion Northwestern, Poly failed to score in losing, 14-0, but City tallied once in bowing, 33-6.

But Calvert Hall, which whomped the Collegians, 34-0, dropped a 13-13 decision to Poly.

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At 10 a.m., the stadium field will be the scene of the equally-traditional, if not as old battle between Calvert Hall and Loyola.

Judging from performances against common opponents, Calvert Hall appears to hold a slight edge.

She whipped Southwestern, 26-14, a team Loyola could manage only a 12-12 tie.

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Both defeated Bel Air, Edmondson, City and Northern. And both lost to Poly and Northwestern, although Calvert Hall made better showings against these two.

As stated earlier, the Engineers nipped Calvert Hall by only one point, 13-12 but rolled over Loyola, 26-0. Moreover Calvert's loss to unbeaten Northwestern was by narrow 6-0 margin, while Loyola was a 33-22 victim.

But, as in the case of the City-Poly affair, the parochial series is conducive to unpredictable results . . . .

SAM LACY

Unbeaten Northwestern awarded MSA grid title

The Maryland Scholastic Association confirmed Northwestern High School as the 1973 conference football champion at its meeting Tuesday night at Gilman School.

A relative newcomer to the MSA, Northwestern — like most city public high schools — is gradually becoming a predominately black institution with predominately black varsity athletic teams.

She ran through her "A" Conference schedule without defeat or tie, turning back such rivals as City, Southwestern, Loyola, Calvert Hall and Northern before disposing of two-time champion Poly, 14-0, in last Friday's finale.

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MSA president Charlie Gamper announced the crowning of Northwestern, although Curley and Gilman are to meet today (Friday) for "B" honors.

Winning the "A" title is considered tantamount to capturing the conference championship.

Northwestern coach Jim Welsch expressed elation at the beginning of the season in September when he discovered that his roster had 17 returnees from the team which went 9-1 in "E" play in 1972.

This nucleus, plus a strong contingent from an unbeaten junior varsity of the previous season, painted a bright future for Welsch and his youngsters.

However, he admitted that they might not be able "to put it altogether" for their biggest dream.

Last year, recognition went to Calvert Hall, and the previous year to Poly. Poly had also taken the '70 title.

Loyola was recipient of No. 1 recognition following the '69 season, thereby breaking a 3-year string in which City had been either champion or co-champion.

The Collegians shared the title with Calvert Hall in '66, and with Edmondson in '67 before gaining sole recognition in 1968 . . . .

LACY.

By the way...

by Joe Black

Back in the twenties, there was a beautiful lady they called the Empress of the blues. Her name was Bessie Smith. And she was famous for a song called "Nobody Knows You When You're Down and Out."

That was a long time back. And yet, today, you can still hear it echoing in many Black communities, and from Black organizations.

You can hear the rip off against Blacks who have achieved some measure of success. Downing the achievers who, if you believe it, have turned their backs on their Black brothers and sisters.

Well, I wonder just how many of those wailers can dig into their pockets, and produce an NAACP card, an Urban League card, or a receipt for a contribution to PUSH, SCLC, or any reputable Black institution.

Of course, when you're not up there, it's easy —sometimes natural—to sit back and blame the achiever for a lot of things. Not the least of which is not being more involved.

However, lots of achievers are involved. But, what's more important is this. Rather than allow an attitude like this to keep Black communities divided, I suggest we all do a little more to help ease the problems that exist in our communities. Repeat, all of us.

Some can help more than others, of course.

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Following is the weekly AFRO log for use by football fans in identifying black players in weekend NFL games on television:

SUNDAY AFTERNOON
BALTIMORE AT WASHINGTON

Colts No.	Colts Player	Pos.	Redskins No.	Redskins Player	Pos.
26	Lydell Mitchell	RB	23	Brig Owens	S
27	Hubert Ginn	RB	27	Ken Houston	S
31	Nelson Munsey	CB	28	Herb Mul-Key	RB
35	Glenn Doughty	WR	29	Ted Vactor	CB
38	Bill Olds	RB	31	C. Harraway	RB
59	Stan Cherry	LB	41	Mike Bass	CB
61	Corny Johnson	G	42	Charley Taylor	WR
80	Ollie Smith	WR	43	Larry Brown	RB
85	Roy Hilton	DE	46	Bob Grant	WR
87	Raymond Chester	TE	47	Duane Thomas	RB
88	John Andrews	TE	53	Hal McLinton	LB
			64	Manny Sistrunk	DT
			80	Roy Jefferson	WR
			86	Verlon Biggs	DE
			89	Dave Robinson	LB

GREEN BAY AT NEW ENGLAND

Packers				Patriots	
5	Dick Gordon	WR	23	George Hoey	CB
21	Charlie Hall	CB	27	Ron Bolton	CB
22	Jon Staggers	WR	31	Josh Ashton	RB
27	Hise Austin	CB	33	Reggie Rucker	WR
28	W. Buchanan	CB	36	John Tarver	RB
29	Al Matthews	S	38	Don Martin	CB
31	P. Williams	RB	39	S. Cunningham	RB
32	Don Highsmith	RB	41	Bob McCall	RB
36	McArthur Lane	RB	49	R. Anderson	S
37	Ike Thomas	CB	55	Willie Foster	LB
39	Jim Hill	S	61	Sam Adams	G
42	J. Brockington	RB	63	Rich Cash	DT
48	Ken Ellis	CB	65	Don Smith	DE
53	Fred Carr	LB	66	Nate Dorsey	DE
73	Carlton Oats	DT	70	Leon Gray	T
74	Aaron Brown	DE	71	R. Hamilton	DE
75	Dave Purnefoy	DE	72	Mel Lunsford	DE
78	Bob Brown	DT	74	Bob Reynolds	T
83	C. Williams	DE	75	Art Moore	DT
87	Alden Roche	DT	78	Willie Banks	G
88	Len Garrett	TE	84	Darryl Stingley	WR
			85	Julius Adams	DT

NEW YORK JETS AT CINCINNATI

Jets				Bengals	
7	Ed Bell	WR	13	Ken Riley	CB
20	Delles Howell	CB	15	Dave Lewis	QB
22	Burgess Owens	S	18	C. Joiner	WR
26	Margene Adkins	WR	19	Essex Johnson	RB
32	Emerson Boozer	RB	20	Lamar Parrish	CB
35	Jim Nance	RB	23	Bernard Jackson	CB
42	Cliff McLain	RB	34	Neal Craig	S
45	Earlie Thomas	CB	35	Clark Charles	RB
46	Rich Sowells	CB	46	Joe Wilson	RB
50	Mike Taylor	LB	54	Bob Johnson	C
72	Bob Woods	T	55	Jim LeClair	LB
75	Winston Hill	T	56	Tim Kearney	LB
81	Rich Neal	DT	58	Al Beauchamp	LB
83	Jerome Barkum	WR	71	Rufus Mayes	T
86	Joe Jackson	DE	76	Yern Holland	T
88	Rich Caster	TE	83	Sherman White	DE
			85	Isaac Curtis	WR

SAN FRANCISCO AT LOS ANGELES

Forty-niners				Rams	
18	Gene Washington	WR	11	James Harris	QB
22	Vic Washington	RB	29	Hal Jackson	WR
24	James Thomas	RB	30	L. McCutcheon	RB
32	Mel Phillips	S	32	Cullen Bryant	S
37	Jim Johnson	CB	44	Al Clark	CB
43	Windlon Hall	CB	47	Charlie Stukes	CB
44	Bruce Taylor	CB	58	I. Robertson	LB
53	Tommy Hart	DE	73	Charlie Cowan	T
58	Willie Harper	LB	75	John Williams	G
69	Woody Peoples	G	76	Cody Jones	DE
72	Bill Belk	DE	82	Joe Sweet	WR
86	Cedrick Hardman	DE	90	Larry Brooks	DT

MONDAY NIGHT
MINNESOTA AT ATLANTA

Vikings				Falcons	
20	Bob Bryant	CB	22	Bob Lawrence	CB
23	Jeff Wright	S	25	Art Malone	RB
32	Horace Reed	RB	27	Tom Hayes	CB
34	Al Randolph	S	29	Clarence Ellis	S
40	Charlie West	S	34	Ray Brown	S
42	John Gilliam	WR	36	Ken Reaves	CB
43	Nate Wright	CB	41	Al Dodd	WR
44	Chuck Foreman	RB	43	Dave Hampton	RB
55	Amos Martin	LB	69	Mike Lewis	DT
68	Chas. Goodrum	T	86	Jim Mitchell	TE
70	Jim Marshall	DE	87	Claude Humphrey	DE
81	Carl Eller	DE			
88	Alan Page	DT			

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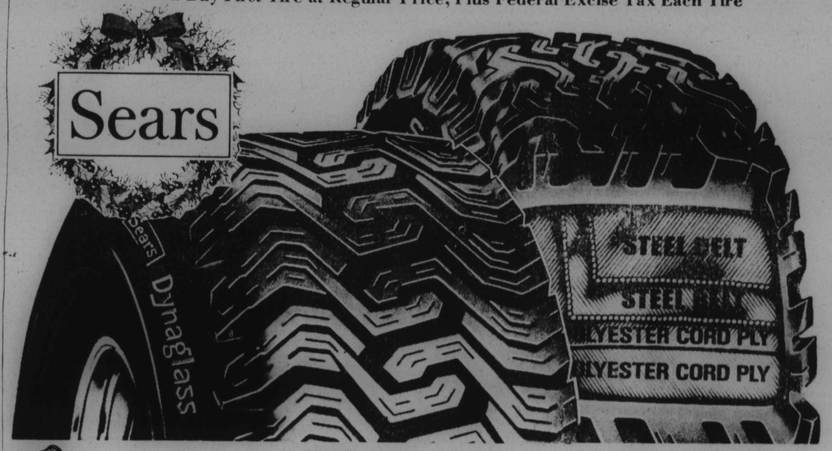

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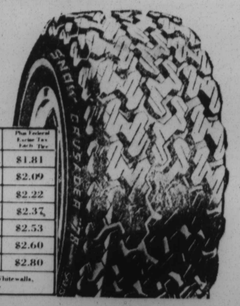

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