

AROUND THE STATION

... news from here, there, and everywhere ...



Captain of the Cloubusters for today's game is Stanley Koslowski, pictured above. From Pawtucket, R. I., Koslowski started his football reputation at Holy Cross College. Last year he was recognized as one of the outstanding players in the nation. Among other things, he was the leading scorer in the East.

A triple threat, Koslowski can pass, run or punt. Against Duke and the Naval Academy his quick kicks kept the opposition in constant trouble.

Vital statistics: Age: 20. Height: 6' 1". Weight: 192. Previous experience: Holy Cross. Jersey Number: 42. Position: Left halfback.

An electrical wind direction and velocity recorder has been installed at the west end of Alexander Hall about sixty feet above the ground. The apparatus is connected to a dial in the JOOD's office and accurate readings are possible at any time. This worth while addition to the station's aerology equipment has created considerable interest.

Lieut. R. A. Halla, Lieut. (jg) E. H. Staehling, Lieut. (jg) David Hirsch, and Lieut. (jg) Jack Wicks are absent on temporary additional duty at Pensacola, Florida.

New officers in the Department of Aerology-Engines are Lieut. (jg) John W. Desel, Jr., and Lieut. N. L. Horner.

Dispensable men who have passed their 42nd birthday, are of enlisted status, and are in the reserves, now may apply for discharge, subject to their Commanding Officer's approval and the needs of the Navy, a BuPers letter has announced.

While the Navy's program is still one of expansion, a number of these meritorious cases, which must be initiated by the individual concerned, will be considered by the Bureau of Personnel.

Discharges, it must be remembered, will be for the convenience of the government.

These provisions are not applicable to men of the regular Navy who request transfer to the Fleet Reserve subsequent to receipt of this letter, dated back on Sept. 15.

And, in all cases, this applicant must have PASSED his 42nd birthday.

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While the Pre-Flight football team had to be content with a 13-13 tie at Virginia, the cross country lads came through with a first place in the cross country meet between Virginia, Cherry Point and the Cloubusters.

Pre-Flight had the low score of 28 points, Virginia had 39 and Cherry Point 63. Gibson of Cherry Point came in first over the four and one-quarter mile distance. His time was 23:58.0.

Cadets Knox and Wilson, Pre-Flight, were second and third. Cadet Trachel ended up in fifth place and Cadet Place finished sixth.

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Twelve cadets were named outstanding academically in the senior 57th Battalion.

Cadet S. Cashton, F-2, with a mark of 3.785, led the group closely followed by Cadet B. G. Calder, F-1, with 3.78.

Cadet J. King had 3.68, E. F. Seebald 3.65, T. D. Wosser 3.636, L. R. Yager 3.63, W. J. Marshall 3.606, W. D. Meador 3.60, J. R. Clark 3.59, R. B. McAdams 3.586, E. L. Gallagher 3.58, and E. L. Whitlock 3.579.

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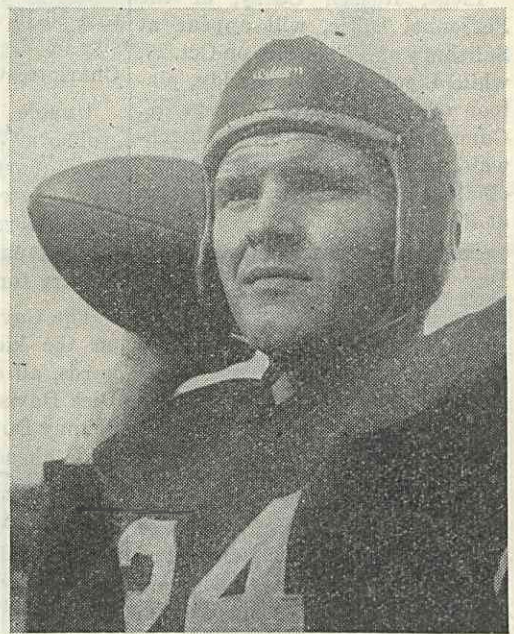
Ensign Henry Colton, a member of the 15th Battalion who just returned from England where he served as a navigator on a B-24, was aboard the station this week.

Ensign Colton participated in 15 missions during his five months overseas, and has over 150 hours of combat action to his credit. He returned to the States this past August.

Upon completing his training at Chapel Hill Ensign Colton went to navigation school at Hollywood, Florida, and received additional training at Banana River, Florida.

Ensign Colton returned to the states to win his Wings of Navy Gold. This week-end he reports to Ottumwa, Iowa, for his Primary Flight Training. His home is in Nashville, Tennessee.

While here this week, Ensign Colton saw many of his old friends. He spoke before a group of navigation officers relating his experiences in combat.



Expected to match Otto Graham, pass for pass, in the Skycracker-Cloubuster game this afternoon is Frank Stanczak, former Lafayette back, who will be at full-back in the visitor's backfield. From Philadelphia, Stanczak was one of the outstanding backs in collegiate circles last year. His number is 24, and he weighs 175. Watch him this afternoon.

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Two members of the varsity football squad, another who served two years at sea as an enlisted man in the Navy, and a fourth who spent two and one half years at the Naval Academy compose the Cadet Regimental Staff for the 58th Battalion.

Otto Graham, who graduated from Northwestern, is the Regimental Commander, and Buell St. John, a member of Carlson's Raiders in the Pacific, is the Regimental Sub Commander. Both are members of the varsity football team.

The Regimental Adjutant is W. V. Cunneen, Jr., who hails from York, Pa., and who attended the U. S. Naval Academy for two-and-one-half years. Cadet Cunneen, at one time, made a study of the Navy 40MM gun at York Safe and Lock Company and he received a special letter of commendation from Admiral Beardall for doing this work.

Cadet Beauford Willis, the Regimental Commissary Officer, hails from Norman Park, Georgia. He enlisted in the regular Navy in January, 1941, and from Oct. 12th, 1941, to December, 1944, he served at sea. His rate was that of Aviation Radioman.

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Cadet Wayne Stinson, 59-I-1, has a brother who is a lieutenant with the Army Air Forces in China, and another who is in the V-5 program at a primary base.