

UW Challenges Bears' Top Spot In PCC Offense Ranks

California, paced by a quartet of hard charging runners, leads the Pacific Coast Conference in total offense but face a stiff challenge from the deadly passing attack of Washington, figures from the PCC Commissioner's office showed today.

The Bears have gained 390.5 yards a game total offense, 305.5 of this from running. Four of their backs, John Olszewski, Paul Larson, Don Johnson and Bill Powell, are among the first six runners in the Conference. Washington, second in total offense with 366.5 yard has done most of its work through the air, averaging 203.5 yards off the superb throwing of Don Heinrich.

Second in rushing behind California is Idaho with 199.5 yards, while Oregon is second to Washington in passing with 170.5 yards.

UCLA and Southern California, on the other hand, are undefeated atop the PCC standings by virtue of airtight defense. Southern Cal leads in total defense with 175.8 yards with UCLA second, 231.2, and California third, 233.8. UCLA has the best rushing defense of only 95.3 yards, followed by California, 102.5, and Southern Cal, 106.3, while the Trojans have allowed foes only 69.5 yards passing. Oregon is next with 94.7 yards.

UCLA has excelled in another pass defense department with 26 interceptions for 407 yards, two going for touchdowns. They are within sight of the PCC season record of 36 (Stanford, 1942) and 458 yards (Oregon, 1948). The national

records are 37 interceptions and 700 yards.

Idaho leads in kickoff returns with 24.6 yards per return, while Southern Cal has the best punt return mark of 15.7 yards. Oregon State leads in punting with 43.3 yards per kick.

Games Saturday: California - UCLA at Berkeley; Washington State-Idaho at Pullman; Oregon-College of Pacific at Eugene; Oregon State-Washington at Portland, and Stanford-San Jose at Stanford.

College Grid Fans Increase

NEW YORK (AP) — Major college football attendance is up 6.31 per cent over 1951 so far this year, and the increase apparently is due to better teams and more attractive schedules.

Although the total attendance in September and October was slightly below that of last year in a survey conducted by the Associated Press, the average attendance per game jumped from 23,247 to 24,713.

The mid-season survey covered 308 home games played by the members of major conferences and outstanding independent teams.

Last year the same teams played 329 games. Thus the total this year was 7,611,662 (more or less according to the accuracy of some crowd estimates), whereas the figure was 7,648,155 last year.

The Southern Conference showed the biggest increase, jumping 24.64 per cent. Next in line were the Big Seven (19.91), Pacific Coast (11.8) and Border Conference (11.52). In each instance, the increase was attributed to the impressive performances of the leading teams and also more attractive schedules.

Club Men Golfers Set 10 A.M. Sunday Play

Men golfers at the Roseburg Country Club are scheduled for best ball play each Sunday at 10 a.m. on the Club links, reports Club Professional Fred Hill.

The best ball activity will continue to the end of the year on the weekly basis.

Grinnell College is located in Iowa yet 18 members of the varsity football squad hail from the state of Illinois.



JOINS EXCLUSIVE 300—Anthony DeSpirito, 17-year-old apprentice jockey, gets hug from his mother, Mrs. Anthony DeSpirito Sr., at Salem, N.H., after he won his 300th race of the season. DeSpirito becomes the eighth jockey to win 300 races in a single season.

New Waiver Rule Put Up To Majors

NEW YORK (AP) — A new waiver rule—apparently aimed at the New York Yankees—is up for approval by baseball moguls.

It provides a club must obtain waivers from the 15 other major league teams before it can sell a player to a team in the other loop after July 31.

The major-minor executive council drew up the new rule Wednesday and experts expressed the opinion it was designed to stop the Yankees from acquiring players such as those who have helped them win pennants the past four years.

Johnny Mize, Johnny Sain, Ewell Blackwell and Johnny Hopp all joined the Yanks via the waiver route and helped them to pennants. The new rule has to be ratified by a majority of clubs in each league before it becomes official.

Newland Picks COP Over UO

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Russ Newland's football selections: FRIDAY

College of Idaho over Whitman by 7.

SATURDAY

UCLA over California by 1. Washington over Oregon State by 10.

Washington State over Idaho by 6. College of Pacific over Oregon by 1.

Stanford over San Jose State by 10. Willamette over Whitworth by 10. Pacific U over Linfield by 7.

Puget Sound over British Columbia by 30. Western Washington over Eastern Washington by 20.

Pacific Lutheran over Central Washington by 25. Southern Oregon over Portland State by 1.

Brigham Young over Wyoming by 6. Colorado over Utah by 15. Montana over Montana State by 10.

Cottage Grove, Drain JVs Tie

The Drain Junior Varsity closed out its 1952 football season at home Wednesday by battling Cottage Grove's Jayvees to a scoreless tie.

Thus the Drain second stringers completed the season with a record of two wins, a loss and a tie. In spite of an earlier win at Cottage Grove, the Drain crew only managed one threat in the first half. It marched down to the Cottage Grove 11-yard line with the ball on a first down.

The Grovers tightened up and held without allowing another yard. Both teams threatened in the second half. Drain came closest by punching down to the Cottage Grove eight. The visitors intercepted a short Drain pass to squelch that possible tie breaker.

Beavers Stress Pass Attack For UW Tilt

CORVALLIS, Ore. (AP) — Oregon State's passing attack came in for serious attention Wednesday as the Beavers drilled for Saturday's football game with the Washington Huskies at Portland.

Coach Kip Taylor gave quarterback Jim Withrow the throwing assignment. Ends Jack Gotta and Claret Taylor were his principal targets.

SEATTLE (AP) — The Washington Huskies ran through their final home practice session here Thursday and prepared to leave for Portland and Saturday's gridiron clash with Oregon State.

Coach Howie Odell and the 37-man traveling squad will leave here Friday via bus for Longview where they will spend the night. They will drive to Portland early Saturday and work out in Multnomah Stadium before gametime.

Odell indicated Wednesday Phil Gillis, defensive right end from Bend, Ore., is the only regular likely to miss the OSC game Saturday. Gillis, still nursing a leg injury, probably will see action in the California game a week later, the coach said.

Iowa's Fenton 'Week's' Lineman

IOWA CITY, Ia. (AP) — Dr. Ralph Fenton, who has watched Iowa's fluctuating football fortunes since early in the century, is the proudest father in Iowa City.

The 71-year-old member of the University of Iowa dental college staff had good reason to be, too. His son, Bill, is the newest holder of the linemen of the week award made in the Associated Press poll of sportswriters and broadcasters.

Bill, a rugged end, was chosen for his inspirational play in Iowa's 8-0 upset of Ohio State.

Dr. Fenton has been closely identified with Iowa athletics since he became a member of the athletic board in 1917. He retired from the board in 1950, the year son Bill became an Iowa regular as a freshman.

Bill, like his father, is modest. He was quick to give credit to the entire defensive unit which stacked up the Ohio State running attack and held the Buckeyes to only 42 yards.

Coach Forest Evashevski pointed out that Bill only missed two plays in the game. "Evy," too, was proud of his captain — and every man on the line.

"The whole line played a terrific ball game," he said.

Braves' Conley To Try Professional Basketball

BOSTON (AP) — With General Manager John Quinn's lukewarm blessing, Gene Conley, the Boston Braves' six-foot-eight right-handed pitching prospect, is going to try his huge hands with professional basketball.

When Conley, who won 11 and lost 4 games for the Milwaukee American Association farm club last season, told Quinn he would play semi-pro basketball in Richmond, Wash., if refused permission to play in Boston, the former consented reluctantly.

Although Conley never has seen a professional basketball team in action, he is confident he can make the Celtics, despite the fact his playing experience was limited to two seasons with Washington State.

Huskies' Black Cops Lead In PCC Pass Receiving

George Black, 6 foot, 5 inch Washington end, has taken over the lead in the wide-open pass receiving derby of the Pacific Coast Conference.

Statistics released by the PCC Commissioner's office today showed Black with 25 receptions for 426 yards and six touchdowns. He picked off seven for 164 yards last weekend, to take the lead away from Oregon's ailing Monte Brethauer, who has caught 22. Bill Earley, Washington, has 21 and Sam Morley, Stanford, 20.

Don Heinrich, Washington quarterback, is continuing at a record-breaking pace and has 1178 yards total offense, all but six yards being from passing. Second is Bob Garrett of Stanford. Heinrich also boasts a huge margin in passing with 87 completions for 1172 yards to Garrett's 52 completions and 48 for George Shaw, Oregon.

John Olszewski of California has smashed 592 yards in six contests for 592 yards and a 6.0 yard per play average for a big lead in rushing. Teammate Bill Powell is second, 436 yards, and Bob Mathias, Stanford, third, 411. Olszewski also is the leading scorer with 42 points on seven touchdowns. Black and Powell have six TDs apiece.

Two Southern California players, Des Koch and Jim Sears, threaten Conference records in punting and

punt returns. Koch, who holds the season record of 43.9 yards per punt, is averaging 44.8. Sears has raced 431 yards on runbacks, three going for touchdowns, and has four games remaining to top the mark of 478 yards set by Jack Leicht, Oregon, 1947.

Jay Buhler of Idaho leads in kickoff returns with 312 yards on 11 runbacks and a 28.2 average, followed by Don Sloan, Oregon, 242 yards. Milt Davis, UCLA, has the most pass interceptions, 6, while teammate Bill Stits and Southern Cal's Lindon Crow and Jim Psaltis have five each.

Mathias Decides To Quit Football

PALO ALTO, Calif. (AP) — Although he has a year of college eligibility left, Stanford, fullback and Olympic decathlon champ Bob Mathias says he is quitting football at the end of this season.

The Tulare, Calif., athlete did not amplify his decision, but acquaintances said he feels he should spend more time studying. A senior in physical education, Mathias has indicated interest in public relations and radio-television work.

He says he does not intend to play professional football.

Durocher Silent On Ball vs. Film Ultimatum

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) — Leo Durocher was keeping his lip buttoned Thursday after an ultimatum by President Horace Stoneham of the New York Giants to make up his mind between baseball and movies.

The Giant manager who didn't get his "Lippy Leo" tag because of excessive silence said only, "I haven't made a definite decision."

He confirmed Stoneham's statement in New York that they'd get together Nov. 28 in Phoenix prior to the start of the baseball meetings.

Said Stoneham: "If he is not going to be back with us after next season, we have a right to know so we'll have time to prepare. I have asked him to let me know of his decision before the winter meetings conclude."

Durocher previously announced he has had three offers in the motion picture production field and was seriously considering them. Currently he's acting in a picture with Tallulah Bankhead and other stars.

The Brooklyn Dodgers' widest margin in the 52 race was 10½ games. The Brooks were never further than 2½ games off the pace. They trailed the Giants by that margin on May 28.

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