

Sports

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WRAPPED UP IN HIMSELF — Welterweight Peter Schmidt of New York looks like he's trying to knock himself out as he misses with a haymaker he threw at his unseen opponent, Danny Russo of Brooklyn. Russo decided Schmidt in their 10 rounder at St. Nicholas Arena in New York. Schmidt was a last minute substitute for the ailing Eddie Lynch.

Sixty-Five Wrestlers Vying For Roseburg Varsity Spots

A first night turnout of 65 wrestlers greeted head Coach Walt Wayne this week as the Roseburg wrestling team buckled down to some hard work in preparation for the 12-match schedule ahead of them.

Included in the turnout was a total of 16 lettermen from last year that finished second in the district to the Springfield Millers. Of the 16 lettermen, C. B. Simons is a transfer from Klamath Falls. The others lettered at Roseburg last season.

Last year's weights of the lettermen show that the team will be topheavy in the lighter events and weak in the middle weights and the heavyweight division.

Simons, who wrestled in the 175-pound division last year is the heaviest man out for the 1957-58 varsity squad. Frank Walters, Felix Raddatz and Joe Griffin all lettered last year in the 95-pound weight. Griffin is a sophomore this year and Raddatz and Walters are only juniors.

John Antonen wrestled last year in the 112-pound events. He is also a junior. Senior Gene Walters and junior Dick Harpe were 120 pounders last year and sophomore Bill White a 127 pounder.

Senior Larry Lane and juniors Barry Serafin and Stan Brown will also be out this year in the 133-pound weight. Tipping the scales at 138 pounds last year was senior Dennis Batsch and junior Kenny Jacobs.

Sophomore Stephen John and senior Russ Pinard were at 154 pounds last year. The final letterman, Gary Welch, lettered in his sophomore year two years ago and is over 200.

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Four of the six players the Athletics turned over were obtained from the New York Yankees. The A's got Martin in a deal last June whereby Harry Simpson went to the Yanks. McDermott and Morgan were part of a deal made last February and Skizas was bought during the 1956 season.

Billy Martin, key figure in the trade, said he will demand a cash settlement from the Athletics as his share of the swap.

The peppery little second baseman was boiling mad when he greeted newsmen in his hotel room a few moments after the big trade had been announced.

"I'm happy to go to Detroit," he said. "It's a great baseball town and a hell of a good team but they can't just throw us (baseball players) around from one club to another without having a say-so."

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AP All-America Backfield Picks Narrowed Down

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK (AP)—Tom Greene of Holy Cross and Lee Grosscup of Utah, statistically two of the leading ground-gainers in major college football, are among more than two dozen players under consideration for backfield positions on the 1957 All-America team.

The regional boards which have scrutinized the nation's leading teams throughout the season today listed the possibilities.

With two games still left on the schedule for many of the leading teams, the lists submitted this week may undergo radical changes.

Greene and Grosscup, both T-formation quarterbacks, have registered most of their gains by passing. Greene has accounted for a total of 1,323 yards in eight games, Grosscup, 1,231 in nine.

Some superior all-around performers may beat them out for the All-America team.

Francis in Running
Well-recommended backs in this category include John Crow, the Texas A&M bruiser who was listed on the All-America second team last season. Walt Kowalczyk of Michigan State, Joe Francis of Oregon State and Bobby Jordan of Virginia Military Institute.

Quartermen listed were Jimmy Taylor, Louisiana State; Ray Brown, Mississippi; Harvey White, Clemson; Dick Christy, North Carolina State; Wray Carlton, Duke; Bobby Schwarze, The Citadel; and Mike Sommer, George Washington.

Gerald Nesbitt, Arkansas fullback, listed with Crow and Hill in the Southwest. Others were Ohio State's Don Clarke, Michigan's Jim Pace, Oklahoma's Clendon Thomas, Jimmy Jones of Washington, Jack Douglas of Stanford and Tom Flores of College of the Pacific.

Doubled Crowds Are Expected By SF Giants
SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—The transplanted Giants expect to double their attendance in their new California baseball quarters in 1958.

Ticket Manager Pete Hoffman predicted Thursday the attendance at the former Seals Stadium—25,000 capacity—would hit 1,250,000 by the time the ex-New Yorkers finish their first season here.

This year's final season at the Polo Grounds—twice as large—drew 653,000, Hoffman said.

Although ticket prices are higher than they were in New York, Hoffman said orders are pouring in for the April 15 opener with the Los Angeles Dodgers, a 10 transplanted this year. In fact, he said he could sell 100,000 tickets for that one.

Twenty-two of the season's first 25 games will be played at home for an extended San Francisco welcome. From the opener through May 11 the only break will be a three-game set at Los Angeles at the tag end of the season's first week.

The Giants, after returning here from Los Angeles, play St. Louis, Chicago, Philadelphia and Pittsburgh plus a second series with Los Angeles.

Night Games
There are 21 night games on the 77-game home schedule and two "doubleheaders," on May 4 against Pittsburgh and July 4 against Chicago.

The Labor Day, Sept. 1 holiday calls for separate morning and afternoon games. Hoffman said this arrangement was decided on because of anticipated "extra big" crowds.

Hoffman said season ticket sales—\$262 for a box and \$187.50 for reserved seats—would be limited to 6,000. There are 3,870 box seats and 12,200 reserved in the stadium. In the Polo Grounds, the price was \$225 for a box and \$145 for reserve.

Hoffman said he felt the long early home stand would help the box office because of the "big attraction of major league ball" on the West Coast.

And he predicted the longer periods out-of-town would help the gate by creating "more desire in the fans to come out when the team returns."

Pro Basketball
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
New York 105, Minneapolis 101
Cincinnati 99, Philadelphia 89



TOP THREE IN ICAA CROSS COUNTRY GRIND — Michigan State University's Crawford Kennedy, left, is congratulated by runners-up Ron Delany, center, of Villanova, and Peter Close of St. John's University of Brooklyn after winning 49th annual ICAA cross country championship at Van Cortlandt Park in the Bronx, N. Y., this week. Delany was second and Close was third. Kennedy, 22-year-old sophomore from Toronto, Ont., Canada, covered the five-mile course in 24 minutes, 14.8 seconds—not quite so fast as his brother Henry's recorded time of 24:01.8 in winning the event last year. (AP)

Strenuous Practice Sessions Mark PCC Midweek Grid Grinds

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Eight Pacific Coast Conference teams—preparing to pair off Saturday for traditional rivalries—drove through strenuous midweek practice sessions.

Coaches shifted lineups, announced new plays or worked in secret for the coming clashes in hopes of a victory in the "Big Game."

The major attention getter will be that of Oregon-Oregon State, with the Rose Bowl-bound Ducks battling to win the PCC championship rather than share it with next-ranked Oregon State.

The Ducks ran through a limited scrimmage, their first of the week, Wednesday in preparation for the clash that will be televised regionally.

Signs Show
Oregon State worked in secret as students decked the campus with "Beat Oregon" signs.

Coach Jim Sutherland ran the Washington State Cougars through a tough 2½-hour session to make them as ready as possible for Saturday's duel with Washington.

Sutherland stressed defense against Washington's potent running attack. He gave special attention to means to stop Husky back Jim Owens.

At Seattle, Coach Jim Owens did about the same thing—but aimed it at the Cougars' passing backs. Owens said he wasn't satisfied with offensive timing against Cougar-type defenses.

"Team spirit, he added, wasn't up to par.

"It was kind of flat," he explained. "They made too many mistakes. Against WSC they can't make any."

The Stanford Indians, riding for their battle with California, worked in secret.

Seemed Pleased
A team observer said Coach

Trapshoot At Glide Scheduled Saturday
The Glide High School Rifle Club and the Glide Kiwanis Club will jointly sponsor a trap and target shoot Saturday, starting at 2 p. m. at the Glide Kiwanis building.

Rifle targets will be provided indoors for 22 rifles. The trap shoot will be held outside the building for all shot-gun shooters. Each person will have to furnish his own gun. Ammunition for both types of guns will be on sale at the site of the shoot.

Jack Forsythe, athletic director at Glide High School and Forrest Kennaday, Kiwanis president, who are in charge of the arrangements, have announced that rifle prizes will be awarded to the winners of each round of six contestants and trap shoot prizes to each winner in a round of five contestants. Grand prizes will be given to each winner of the winners round.

The shoot is open to all other communities other than Glide. Refreshments will be sold during the shoot.

Playoff Game Officials Named Wed. By OSAA
PORTLAND (AP)—Officials for Friday night's Oregon A-1 high school football semi-final playoff games were named Wednesday by Oregon School Activities Assn.

In the Springfield game at South Salem it will be Al Lightner, Johnny Kolb, Garth Rouse and Joe Gray.

The contest between Beaverton and Jefferson of Portland at Beaverton will be handled by Dan Jones, Len Younce, Lloyd Zimmerman and Bill Love.

Auburn Defense Stands Out In Unbeaten Year

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

When you talk defense in major college football this season you pronounce it Auburn.

The Tigers, one of two remaining unbeaten, untied clubs among the major schools, simply are the best in the best year for defense the college game has had in quite a spell.

Auburn is tops in total defense, permitting just 131.8 yards a game, and No. 1 in rushing defense, giving up only 38.4 yards a game, statistics released Thursday by the National Collegiate Athletic Bureau.

And if figures leave you cold, try this for size:
Only one major college team failed to gain at least 100 yards in total offense last weekend. The team that didn't make it was Georgia, which held to 97 yards (74 rushing, 23 passing) as Auburn defeated the Bulldogs 6-0.

ND Upset
Notre Dame's upset of Oklahoma also was a highlight of the return to defense by the college game this season. The Irish held Oklahoma to 145 yards in total offense, the lowest any Bud Wilkinson-coached squad has managed, and the lowest for the Sooners since Texas Christian shut them off with 100 in 1946.

Auburn also is tops in scoring defense, allowing 21 points in eight games for a 2.6 average. None of the opponents have cracked the Tiger line for a TD. If Auburn can keep that record going against Florida State and Alabama, it will be the first club to do it in the current decade.

Texas A & M, knocked out of the unbeaten ranks last week by a Rice team that stayed on the ground, is the only major school unscathed on passing. Georgia Tech is the leading pass defense club, however, leading with a 37.1-yard-a-game average.

Punting is the only weak sister in the defensive statistics, with no team averaging 40 yards the first time that has happened in 12 years.

Hockey Scores
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Detroit 1, New York 1 (tie)
Toronto 2, Chicago 1
AMERICAN LEAGUE
Buffalo 5, Providence 1
Hershey 6, Springfield 2

Notre Dame Center Tabbed 'Lineman Of Week' For Play
SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP)—A bench warmer, constantly plagued by recurring injuries, was the role that senior center Frank Kuchta emerged from to spearhead a stunning 7-0 Notre Dame upset of Oklahoma and win Associated Press Lineman of the Week honors.

"Sure it was the best game I've ever played at Notre Dame," said the 6-3, 205-pound Kuchta after he was told of his selection.

"But there were six other guys in that forward wall. And as far as I'm concerned they could have picked all seven Notre Dame starting linemen for the honor."

For his terrific offensive and defensive play that shattered Oklahoma's 47-game winning streak, Kuchta gained the nod from the weekly AP poll of sports writers and broadcasters.

A pair of hard-hitting Notre Dame guards, James Schaaf and Al Ecuver, also drew praise for their work against the Sooners.

Kuchta, whose home is in Cleveland, said he was "tremendously excited" over his selection.

"Why, I haven't played a whole game or a major part of it for some time. I understand I played about 45 minutes in my first starting assignment all year last Saturday," he asserted.

"I've had knee trouble throughout my football days at Notre Dame. As a sophomore two years ago, I was out all year with a knee injury. Last year, I won a letter and even started a few games. But I was quickly pulled, playing a few minutes in each game."

"This September, I had knee trouble, missed the Purdue game, and sat on the bench until the Oklahoma game. I finally got my starting shot and made the most of it. It was a great one to win."

Bowling

SPORTSMAN LEAGUE
W L Pts.
State Police 30 18 30
Spot Tavern 29 19 29
Plywood Service 29 19 29
Vets All Stars 28 20 28
Ruebush T.C. 25 22 25
Dales Cafe 23 25 23
McDonald 20 28 20
Stock 8 38 8
Team results: State Police 3, Dales Cafe 1, Stock Motors 1, Vets All Stars 3, Spot Tavern 3, McDonald Candy 1, Ruebush T.C. 3, Plywood Service 1.
High series: Mauna (178-185-161) 521.
High game: Hill, 227, Dales Cafe.
Other high scores: Stock 186, Loper 183, Bates 180, J. Loomis 180.

CASCADE LEAGUE
W L Pts.
Idle Hour Tavern 23 13 23
State High Dept. 23 13 29

KANSAS CITY — The Kansas City Athletics and the Detroit Tigers swapped 13 players, with infielder Billy Martin, the key figure, going to the Tigers.

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Paulson High Gunner In Rifle Club Shoot
Deane Paulson, with a 357, was top shooter in Wednesday night's Roseburg Senior Rifle Club shoot. Paulson won the top place by shooting from prone, standing, sitting and kneeling positions.

Team results: Myrtle Dairy 2, Roseburg Cab Co. 2, Pacific Plywood 1, Joe Richards Mens Store 2, Sutherland City Dr. 0.
High series: Ted Buettner (199-209-168) 576, Roseburg Cab Co.
High game: Chick Monnier, 210, Roseburg Cab Co.

Other high scores: Elton Lee 204, Cal Curtis 201, Bill Cooke 201, Jake Neal 200.

TELCO BELLES
W L Pts.
Telco One 28 12
Telco Two 21 15 15 1/2
Telco Eight 23 17
Telco Three 22 18
Telco Four 21 19
Telco Six 20 20
Telco Ten 19 21 20 1/2
Telco Seven 19 21
Telco Nine 12 28
Telco Five 11 29

Team results: Telco One 2, Telco Two 1, Telco Three 3, Telco Four 0, Telco Five 1, Telco Six 2, Telco Seven 1, Telco Eight 2, Telco Nine 1, Telco Ten 3.
High series: Eleanor Anderson (141-143-111) 395, Telco No. 5.
High game: Mary Anne Wilhelm, 160, Telco No. 1.

WHO'S AFRAID? — Uncle Marseaus age four, admires a catch in Puerto Rico's International Game Fish Tournament. The 14-pound marlin was taken by Ralph Danisik of Dallas.

Limited TV Broadcasts Planned By Portland

PORTLAND (AP)—The Portland Beavers baseball club is planning limited television broadcasting of its games in the 1958 season. Arch Kinistons, newly elected president of the board of directors reported Tuesday.

Kinistons said the club is looking for a sponsor for the radio and TV rights, and will call for bids within a few days.

Other officers named by directors include: Clyde Perkins, Vancouver, executive vice president; Graham Grassold, treasurer; and Don Walker, secretary, both of Portland.

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Archie Moore Is Signed For Portland Fight Date

PORTLAND (AP)—A non-title fight here has been scheduled by promoter Tommy Moyer between Archie Moore and Roger Rischer of Oakland, Calif.

The fight is to be held Nov. 29.



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