

SURPRISE

Forty-niners Grab Babcock, Georgia End

SAN FRANCISCO (P) — The San Francisco 49ers disregarded the retirement of Quarterback Frankie Albert and picked a Georgia end, Harry Babcock, as the fair-haired lad of college football.

General Manager Louis Spadia of San Francisco drew the lucky slip out of a cardboard box, and he promptly named Babcock as his choice.

To get Babcock, San Francisco passed over such highly regarded stars as Oklahoma's All-American Billy Vessels and California's Johnny Olszewski.

Other Western players picked in the first round included Al Carmichael, the Southern California back; UCLA line backer Donn Moomaw; and Washington State End Ed Barker.

USF Hilltoppers Invade Igloo; Webfoots Rated Slight Choice

Stepping out of the conference for a crack at the independents, the University of Oregon Webfoots rate a slight edge over the fast-traveling University of San Francisco Dons.

Both Webfoot teams invade

Portland's Ice arena Saturday night for a brace of games with the Portland university Pilots and Jayvees.

After being bounced from pillar to post during the early going, the Hilltoppers have found the California Basketball association quints to their liking and have won three consecutive games from San Jose, St. Mary's and Santa Clara, plus

an additional pair from the San Francisco Olympic club and Fresno State.

Sensing a possible Western NCAA regional invitation, the Dons will be making a "do or die" road trip against the Ducks tonight, Seattle university Saturday and Portland next week.

Junior Center Frank Evangelho, six-foot, five inch San Franciscan leads the Dons' scorers; in one game Evangelho, subbing for the other post man, Dick Jensen, broke loose for 27 points and since then Woolpert has been reluctant to remove him from the starting lineup.

Captain and sparkplug for the San Franciscans is Guard Phil Vukicevich, senior, who has been a regular starter for three seasons on the hill-top.

Rebounder Casey

K. C. Jones, a six-foot, one-inch Negro forward, despite his lack of great height, is touted as a comer and a good rebound man.

Another sophomore, Jerry Mullin, six-foot four-inch 195-pounder from Berkeley, is the other starting forward.

Lavin, as a sophomore, starred on USF's National Invitational tourney championship team in 1949. The Dons, under Newell, defeated Loyola of Chicago for the title, after beating City College of New York earlier in the tournament.

Northern Division

Oregon will have one eye peeled on the action over in the Palouse where Idaho and Oregon State and Washington and Washington State will be at it.

Webfoot Coach Bill Borchert will stand pat with his starting lineup of Farnam, Halberg, Noe, Wegner and Holland.

Swede Halbrook and the Oregon State Rooks make their first appearance at the Igloo tonight against the Ducklings.

USF Roster table with columns for player name, position, and statistics.

OREGON Roster table with columns for player name, position, and statistics.

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HOOKS TOPS

Huskies Control ND Statistics; Ducks Second

LOS ANGELES — While Bob Houbregs, center for the University of Washington Huskies continues to increase his individual scoring lead over the pack in the Northern division, two other post men are crowding into the picture.

In six games Houbregs has slapped in 176 points with 65 field goals and 46 free throws for 29.3 points per game.

PCC Standings

NORTHERN DIVISION Standings table with columns for team, wins, losses, and points.

GAMES FRIDAY AND SATURDAY Oregon State vs. Idaho at Moscow, Ida. Washington vs. Washington State at Pullman, Wash.

SOUTHERN DIVISION Standings table with columns for team, wins, losses, and points.

er the others, yet the next two high scorers are centers, too, Chet Noe of the University of Oregon and Hartley Kruger of the University of Idaho.

Halberg Second

Houbregs is also the top marksman in the division with a flossy 60.2 percentage on his floor shots. In 108 tries, he has found the mark 65 times.

Morrison is the number one rebounder with 12.8 average per game, followed by Doug McClary, Washington, 12.0, Houbregs, 11.8, Kruger, 11.0, and Noe, 10.3.

Best shots in the league are the Washington Huskies with a team average of 39.7 from the floor and 72.7 from the free throw line.

Games in Palouse

Two top series are slated for the Inland Empire this weekend. Oregon State is at Idaho while Washington State hosts Washington.

Total Scoring table with columns for player, FG, FT, PF, TP.

PCL Slashes Limit

SAN FRANCISCO (P)—Pacific Coast Baseball league owners voted today to reduce the player list from 23 to 21 men.

There may be one of them to every five regular players. The defense men thus will not be listed in the player limit.



FRANK EVANGELHO A Don on a Mission

ANOTHER HUTSON?

'Bama Coach Praises Bonus Draft Choice

ATHENS, Ga. (AP)—End Harry Babcock of Georgia was surprised to learn he had been the top pick in the annual pro football draft of college players Thursday.

Babcock, chosen as bonus pick by the San Francisco 49ers, told newsmen: "I'm looking forward to playing with the 49ers very much. But it sure floored me to be picked over such fellows as Billy Vessels and Jack Scarbath.

Babcock was named to the Associated press second-team All-America squad after last season—a ranking that didn't please his coaches. Head Coach Wally Butts says Babcock is the best blocker he's ever seen but adds that his blocking skill is often overlooked because he is such a fine pass receiver.

Coach Red Drew of Alabama calls the 22-year-old native of Pearl River, New York, the finest end to come out of the Southeastern conference since Don Hutson.

Babcock is single and a member of the air force reserve. He expects to play at least one season of pro football before entering service.

Empire Hails McGregor

SPOKANE (P)—Jim McGregor was named Inland Empire Coach of the Year last night at Spokane. The award was made a few hours after he announced he was resigning as head coach and athletic director of Whitworth college.

Seton Hall Cager Top NCAA Scorer; O'Brien Third

NEW YORK (P)—Big Walt Dukes, almost basket high at six-eleven, is the individual basketball leader for major college basketball teams.

The ambling ace from Seton Hall is credited with 501 points in 18 games, an average of 27.8 per game, according to the latest statistics from the National Collegiate Athletic bureau.

The former scoring pacemaker, Ernie Beck of the University of Pennsylvania, is a close second with 304 points in eleven games.

Third is little Johnny O'Brien of Seattle who has rolled up 402 points in 15 games for an average of 26.8.

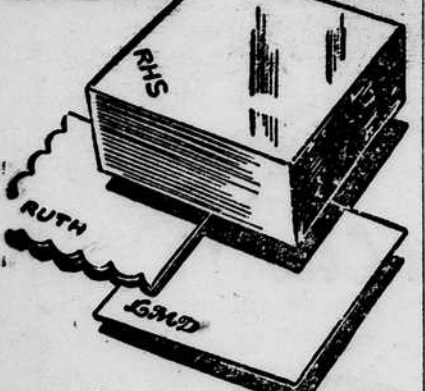
The towering Clarence (Bevo) Francis of Rio Grande college of Ohio is not eligible for this list. Rio Grande is not ranked as a major school.

Former New York Yankee star, George "Twinkletoes" Selkirk hit five homers, in four straight games in 1938.

SPORTS FARE

- 3:50 Court 40 Hale Katie A vs. Sigma Hall A
3:50 Court 43 Barrister Inn A vs. Gamma Hall A
4:35 Court 40 Alpha Hall A vs. Susan Campbell A
4:35 Court 43 Lambda Chi Alpha A vs. Phi Kappa Alpha A
5:15 Court 40 Chi Psi A vs. Sigma Phi Epsilon A
5:15 Court 43 Sigma Chi A vs. Phi Kappa Psi A

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