

# SC Trojans Beat Webfoots, 24-14

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PORTLAND-(Special)-A swift-block-busting sophomore half-back named Jon Arnett ran the heart out of the Oregon Ducks here Saturday afternoon as he led his Southern California Trojans to a 24-14 victory.

Arnett, who took a starting berth away from the much-heralded Aramis Dandoy after USC's first game this year, raced for 179 yards on the ground, and scored all three of his team's touchdowns. His average for the afternoon was 9.9 yards—almost a first down—every time he carried the ball.

Only 22,766 fans were on hand at Multnomah stadium for the nationally-televised game, but an additional 45,000,000 people watched on their television sets as the powerful Trojans became the No. 1 contender for a New Year's Rose Bowl bid.

### First Half Even

Oregon held the southerners even for the first half, but collapsed late in the third period when a combination of superior Trojan power and mad breaks led to two quick touchdowns and a field goal.

USC scored first in the ball game when it took over on its own 35 yard line after an exchange of fumbles. Arnett carried the ball four times, Halfback Lindon Crow once and Fullback Jim Decker once as the Trojans drove down to the Oregon 39.

At that point Quarterback Ellsworth Kissinger hit End Chuck Greenwood with a 15-yard pass to the 24. On the next play Arnett took a handoff from Kissinger and roared over left tackle, cut into the secondary, and outflanked Dick James to go into the end zone standing up.

### Conversion Good

Sam Tsagalakis, who does nothing but kick extra points and field goals, even in this day of one-platoon football, came in to add the extra point, and USC was ahead 7-0.

James almost got away on the kick-off return, moving the ball from his own 16 up to the 43, but Guard Dick Enright, the last man between James and the goal, pulled him down.

Oregon moved on downfield as the second period opened, moving to the USC 11 before the Trojan defense held and Oregon was forced to wield.

USC made a first down, but then was forced to punt, and the Webfoots came roaring back again. With Fullback Jasper McGee hitting like a ten-ton truck, as he did all afternoon, Oregon moved the ball as far as the SC 14. However, McGee lost three yards on a pitchout, and on fourth down Quarterback George Shaw lifted a pass to End Phil McHugh.

## Two Schools Tied for Lead

The University of Southern California Trojans and the UCLA Bruins moved into a tie for the commanding spot in the PCC title race this week by virtue of their impressive victories over Oregon and Stanford respectively. The leaders both have won two and lost none, while all other teams in the conference have suffered one or two defeats.

Oregon leads in scoring with 101 points, while USC has given up the fewest number of markers, limiting the opposition to 14 points.

### PCC STANDINGS

| Team       | W | L | T | PF  | PA |
|------------|---|---|---|-----|----|
| USC        | 2 | 0 | 0 | 63  | 14 |
| UCLA       | 2 | 0 | 0 | 93  | 20 |
| Oregon     | 2 | 2 | 0 | 101 | 69 |
| California | 1 | 1 | 0 | 44  | 40 |
| Stanford   | 1 | 1 | 0 | 18  | 85 |
| Washington | 1 | 1 | 0 | 37  | 28 |
| OSC        | 1 | 2 | 0 | 26  | 51 |
| WSC        | 1 | 2 | 0 | 41  | 62 |
| Idaho      | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0   | 54 |

Games last weekend:  
Southern Calif. 24, Oregon 14  
UCLA 72, Stanford 0  
Nebraska 27, Oregon State 7  
Baylor 34, Washington 7  
Arizona 35, Idaho 13.

McHugh, racing into the corner of the end zone, caught the ball, but the officials ruled that he was out of bounds when he came down, making the pass incomplete. The ruling set off a storm of protest from the crowd, most of whom were Oregon partisans.

### Ducks Drive

By this time Oregon was mad, and the next time they got their hands on the ball they were not to be denied. The Ducks took over on the USC 47 after returning a punt. Shaw hit Mc-



DICK JAMES  
Catches Three More

Hugh on passes of 24 and six yards, and then McGee went straight up the middle for five more to the 12.

With a first down at that point, Shaw went back to pass. Five Trojan defenders closed in on him, but Shaw waited until the last minute and then passed to James standing in the end zone five yards behind two SC backs.

Shaw added the extra point to tie the score at 7-7, where it remained until late in the third quarter.

USC couldn't get going in this second period, as the Oregon team consistently outplayed the visitors. Arnett was out of the

## SAE's, Phi Delt To Decide Crown

Phi Delta Theta collides with Sigma Alpha Epsilon at 4 p.m. today on the intramural field to decide the intramural football championship.

Both teams are undefeated going into the game. SAE has won six straight games, while the Phi Delt has garnered five victories. SAE is the defending champion, winning the intramural football title last year.

game most of the period, and none of the other Trojan backs were going anywhere.

### Oregon Threatens

Oregon did threaten once more before the half ended, moving from the SC 39 down to the 19 as Coach Len Casanova desperately sent in plays from the sidelines in attempt to keep the drive going. Dandoy intercepted a Shaw pass, however, with only 35 seconds remaining, and the threat was over.

That was the last time until after the game was gone beyond hope that the Ducks threatened seriously. Oregon looked like it might be going somewhere early in the third period after End Hal Reeve blocked an Arnett punt, but Reeve fumbled after taking a pass from Shaw two plays later, and Oregon never got out of its own territory again until the game was almost over.

With about six minutes remaining in the period, Crow intercepted a Shaw pass on the USC 42 and returned it 37 yards to the Oregon 11. Three plays later Arnett went over from the eight yard line as Oregon tackling, which had been sloppy all afternoon, again went bad.

Tsagalakis again converted, and USC was ahead 14-7. But the Trojans weren't through yet.

### USC Gets Points

Early in the final period Tsagalakis booted a 22-yard field goal to move USC ahead 17-7 after a Trojan drive had stalled on the Oregon 12.

Then less than two minutes later, as Oregon fought to get back into the game, Arnett intercepted another pass by Shaw on the Oregon 39 and sped to the four. Crow made two, and Arnett scored his third touchdown on a reverse over right tackle.

Gigantic Ed Fouch kicked the extra point and the Trojans soared ahead to 24-7.

That was it until late in the game when Oregon made the longest drive of the generally dismal afternoon for Oregon rooters. The Ducks took over on their own four and proceeded to drive 96 yards in 14 plays for a touchdown.

### Drive Begins

Shaw's passing, which was not nearly as effective in the last half as it was in the first, and runs by McGee and James moved the ball to the USC 35. Shaw then hit James with a pass on the 20, and James took off on a spinning leaping run that carried him to the five before he was finally brought down.

McGee carried twice over the right side of the line, finally going over on the second play. Shaw again kicked the extra point, running the score to 24-14, but with only 1:33 left, the game was far beyond hope.

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Oregon, still numbed by the hunting accident that took the life of former team member Ken Sweitzer, never got up to the heights it attained last week against California.

The Trojans, boasting the fastest and hardest-hitting backs in the conference, time and time again ripped holes in the Oregon defense as the USC multiple offense kept Oregon off balance.

### Contratto Absent

USC played most of the game without the services of Quarterback Jimmy Contratto, who was

### STATISTICS

|                        | Ore. | USC |
|------------------------|------|-----|
| Net Yards Rushing      | 158  | 263 |
| Passes Attempted       | 23   | 6   |
| Passes Completed       | 12   | 5   |
| Passes Had Intercepted | 3    | 0   |
| Yards Gained Punting   | 168  | 54  |
| Total Offense          | 326  | 317 |
| Total First Downs      | 17   | 12  |
| Fumbles                | 4    | 2   |
| Fumbles Lost           | 2    | 1   |

out with a back injury. Contratto was used on only a few plays for punting chores. Kissinger did a fine job in filling the gap, but Coach Jess Hill was taking no chances and even had Dandoy in at quarterback for a while. Orlando Ferrante, a regular guard last year, saw action for the first time this season after injuring his leg before the season started.

For Oregon, only End Fred

Jacobs was not in uniform for the game. Jacobs was out part of the week with a leg injury. Neither team sustained any serious injuries in the contest.

As usual, the Ducks finished the game ahead on statistics, racking up more total yardage, passing yardage and first downs than the Trojans. Shaw, the national leader in the first two departments going into the game, picked up a total of 184 yards and completed 12 out of 23 passes for 168 yards.

James, the national leader in pass receiving, caught three more passes for 69 yards and one touchdown.

The victory gave the Trojans revenge for the 13-7 upset decision they lost to Oregon last year at Multnomah stadium, and was the Southerners' 14th victory in the 19 game series dating back to 1915.

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