

### TROJANS DEFEAT IDAHO, WIN TITLE

#### California in Second Place As Result of 13-13 Tie With Stanford

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(Associated Press Sports Writer)  
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 24 (AP)—Trojans of Southern California emphatically proved today a great football season has hereafter always bestride the horizon. After a thrilling game with Stanford, the Trojans defeated Idaho 13-13, winning the conference championship for the second year.

When they started off the California 1928 in Los Angeles Saturday, champions of Idaho, 22 to 0, the Trojans had completed their conference season undefeated. Winners of four games and tied in one, California headed

### EVERYBODY IS HAPPY AS HORNSBY SIGNS CONTRACT



The official one that signed for Chicago the services of Rogers Hornsby was shown recently at Chicago when Hornsby, left, signed the contract by a contract, William Winter, owner of the Cubs, is shown here with Hornsby. From the scene on Hornsby's desk, it is seen that the team finished first in baseball in 1927.

### Illinois Eleven Ends At Top Of Big Ten Circuit

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Nov. 25 (AP)—This was another big day in the life of the "Flying Scotsman," Robert Zuppke, and his Illinois football team.

Champions of the Big Ten for the second straight year, they were led by Champaign and Urbana, the faculty and student body.

A big student convention was held today to praise the 11-0 record. Tonight the annual football banquet, during which Zuppke was to be awarded a captain's cap for 1928 honors, and to be held.

In his 14 years of coaching, Zuppke has guided Illinois teams to seven championships. Five of which were last season's and two shared with another team.

### KEN STRONG BEST SCORER THIS SEASON

By the Associated Press  
Ken Strong and only he has finished the year's football scoring honors in National leadership as well. The high-scoring New York University halfback scored 11 points against Carnegie Tech on Saturday to boost his season's total to 114. Chuck Carroll, of the University of Washington, leader of the Pacific coast conference, scored 100 points with 144. This local hero, however, has been surpassed by another eastern scorer, Gabe, of Harvard, who is runner-up to Strong in the Atlantic seaboard with 128 points.

### He'll Hold Hat For Hoover



March 4 will be a big day for John W. Hoover, 51, of Tigona, Ia. Mr. Hoover, above, says he has an "engagement" on that day to hold President-elect Hoover's hat during the inauguration ceremony in Washington. Mr. Hoover has known Hoover since Hoover was a boy in West Branch, Ia.

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### Football Games At A Glance

By the Associated Press  
Year—Football college football's major team number season for the last few years, especially in the West. The Trojans, Stanford, and West Point, to mention a few, have been the main attraction.

Harvard ended season with four victories over Yale in six years while they upset Princeton, Northwestern.

**Western Conference Big Ten**—Line of battle and closer races with Illinois, 1927 champion, having lost this year. All members but Illinois, defeated only by Michigan and Wisconsin, which lost to Minnesota in final game after being tied by Purdue. Ohio State beaten by Illinois in deciding game.

**Missouri Valley Big Six**—Nebraska, defeated by Army for third straight season, made only to beat Kansas against this week to capture championship. Missouri through victory over old rival, Kansas, in conference play.

**Southern Conference**—Southern unchanged, with Florida, Tennessee and Georgia Tech, neither team nor tied, setting the pace for two other contenders, Virginia Poly and Louisiana State. Technical games this week and next.

**Southwestern Conference**—Texas still in lead for Jailing Texas Aggies in decisive game, Thanksgiving day.

**Rocky Mountain Conference**—Utah, still leading University of Colorado, in race to be decided when former plays Utah Aggies and latter meets Denver on Thanksgiving day.

**Pacific Coast Conference**—Southern California, by sweeping over Idaho while California was held to tie by Stanford, game technical fight in conference. U. S. C. unbeaten but tied twice, by California which now has record spotted by two ties.

### O-W. Railroad Soon to Finish New Weatherby Tunnel--South of Here

PORTLAND, Nov. 25—The Oregan Pacific will begin the new 2,000-foot tunnel to its north-south line at Weatherby, Ore., according to Chief Engineer Stanley Murray. The tunnel will be dug in service about Jan. 15.

The opening of this 2,000-foot tunnel will permit the Oregan Pacific to bypass the old route through the mountains and to be more directly accomplished without affecting the schedule of a single train although it will be cut over the track daily. It is a job of engineering.

Last August a crew of hard rock drillers tackled the tunnel, 15 feet north of the mainline tunnel. They were \$1.48 per foot from the kind of rock that would naturally be subjected to a construction superintendent, stand the Hudsons—when they account for the 10 feet in which the 144-foot "tunnel" tunnel was drilled. It was drilled and tested with great success in 1927. The "tunnel" tunnel was drilled and tested with great success in 1927. The "tunnel" tunnel was drilled and tested with great success in 1927.

### NEW YORK T. PLAYER HURT

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 25 (AP)—Improvement in the condition of Captain Al Lawrence, tackle of the New York University football team, was reported today at a hospital where he was taken Saturday after he was injured in the game with Carnegie Tech. It was said the injured player was "a little better."

Lawrence was unconscious, however, at 7 p. m., the time the report was made. He suffered from concussion of the brain.

### GERMAN ADMIRAL DIES

BREITENBURG, Nov. 24 (AP)—Admiral Reinhard Scheer, who directed the German fleet at the battle of Jutland, on May 31, 1916, against a superior English fleet, died tonight at the age of 61. His death occurred as he was traveling from Dresden to Mannheim.

### PENDLETON FIGHT TONIGHT

PENDLETON, Ore., Nov. 26 (AP)—Fidel Sanchez, 115 pounds, Philippine Islands, meets Tommy Gardner, Wada Wada, here tonight in 15 rounds. Joe Greco, 116, Philippine Islands, meets Al Flock of Portland, six rounds.

### STRONG MICHIGAN COMEBACK

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Nov. 25 (AP)—Not even Michigan's 10-0 victory over the University of Michigan in the Big Ten football game.

"We really had a hat club after all," Coach Tad Worman remarked of the Wolverines, who lost their first four games only to come back to beat Illinois and Iowa. "It was for life."

### HOT DOGS SAVE GIRL

HEIDELBERG, Ger., Nov. 25 (AP)—Hot dogs saved a girl's life today.

Miss Clara Wimmer, 18, at her dogs and then drank poison. Physicians who used a stomach pump to remove the poison said presence of the hot dogs in her stomach saved her life.

### REX ROLLER RINK!

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### IRISH ELEVEN EN ROUTE TO TROJAN FORT

CHICAGO, Nov. 25 (AP)—Katie Rockne and his sturdy band of Notre Dame football players left Chicago tonight for Los Angeles, where they will attempt to shove another eleven, the University of Southern California, out of the stadium throne of the undefeated.

The ramblers, who spotted Army's great record, will make their first stop at Tucson, Arizona, where they will drill two days to become acclimated to warmer weather before going to Los Angeles. The game is scheduled for Saturday.

While every member of his squad will be in condition to play, Rockne was pessimistic, as usual, about Notre Dame's chances for victory. He pointed out the law of averages almost demanded a western triumph. The team will arrive in Los Angeles Friday afternoon.

### Hanley Receives Birthday Present

CHICAGO, Nov. 24 (AP)—The tradition of Coach Dick Hunter's annual birthday present still holds.

Ever since Hanley started coaching football, he seems have come through a victory in the week of his birthday. Saturday, he asked his Northwestern team to supply the present with a triumph over Dartmouth and the Wildcats responded with a 27 to 0 victory.

As each man came off the field, Hanley patted him on the back, saying: "Fine work, old fellow, and many thanks."

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