Only Washington Remains Between U.S. C. And Grid Championship

33-0 WIN OVER OREGON FEATURE OF WEEKEND PLAY

Bruins, Also Undefeated in Conference, to Meet Montana Grizzlies in Next Football Contest

By Russell J. Newland
(Associated Press Sports Writer)

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 14 (AP)—Mid-November's gridiron battles brought about the unusual situation of Southern California's Trojans in the role of kingpins of far western football yet having to share the coast conference leadership with a team that has suffered one defeat.

The Trojans crushed an invading University of Oregon eleven 33-0 Saturday to chalk their fifth conference victory and become the only undefeated, untied major team west of the Rockies. Meanwhile the University of California at Los Angeles, undefeated in three conference starts, claimed co-leadership of the big circuit but their seasonal record listed one defeat, a 14-7 setback at the hands of St. Mary's Gaels in a non-conference game Armistice day.

U. S. C. Has Week of Rest

Safely over the next to the last conference hurdle, Southern California will remain inactive this Saturday but with preparations under way for the game with Washington a week later. While Washington played a scoreless tie with Oregon its showing against Southern California may be much better than Oregon's. The game will be played in Seattle, probably on a rain-soaked, muddy field which calls for a brand of football to which the Trojans are not accustomed. Coach Howard Jones probably will give his boys plenty of practice with a wet ball during the next two weeks.

Gridiron encounters this weekend will bring California's Bears and Stanford's Indians together at Berkeley in their traditional "big game" while the Bruins of U. C. L. A. hope to continue their conference club at the expense of Montana's Grizzlies.

The Stanford-California classic overshadows other engagements. It is the 38th renewal of a rivalry that began in 1892. In years past "big game" rooters have packed the stadiums for this contest but the teams face the prospect of playing before a smaller crowd this season, for the first time in nearly a decade, a block of tickets will be put on public sale.

Indians' Record Better

California has won two conference games and lost two while Stanford's records list three defeats and one victory. Last Saturday the Bears defeated Idaho, 22-6 and Stanford ran up a 59-0 score over the California aggies, in a non-conference affair.

Other contests last weekend saw Washington and Washington State struggle through four scoreless periods with the latter showing a more sustained attack but unable to push over a touchdown from either the two-yard line or the five-yard mark. It was the first scoreless tie in 26 meetings between the two teams.

Oregon State, battered around through a tough schedule, finally produced a winner by taking Montana into camp, 35-6. The latter receipted for its fourth conference defeat and probably will complete its season without a mark in the victory column as its followers hold out scant rope for a win over U. C. L. A. next Saturday.

With its conference schedule finished, Oregon State travels to New York for a clash with Fordham Saturday while Gonzaga, one of the strong independent teams, entertains University of South Dakota at Spokane.

Coact conference standings:

	W.	L.	T.	Pts.	Op. Pts.
Southern Cal.	5	0	0	103	7
U. C. L. A.	3	0	0	31	13
Washington St.	4	1	1	57	28
Washington	2	1	2	50	33
California	2	2	0	37	46
Oregon	2	2	1	51	51
Stanford	1	3	0	46	44
Oregon State	1	4	0	47	62
Idaho	1	4	0	25	77
Montana	0	5	0	25	111

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SANTA CLARA DOWNS FRISCO TEAM 7 TO 0

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 14 (AP) — The San Francisco university Dons ended their 1932 football schedule by putting up a stubborn defense as the Santa Clara university Broncos defeated them, 7 to 0 here yesterday.

Though the Dons failed to seriously threaten the Santa Clara goal line, they kept the play between the 30 yard lines for most of the contest.

Santa Clara's only touchdown resulted from two forward passes after the Broncos had secured the ball on the Dons' 37-yard line. The first pass, from Slavich to Denser, netted 23 yards. The second, from Judnich to Slavich, was over the line. Koepf kicked the extra point.

Puget Sound Is Sure Winner Of N. W. Conference

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 14 (AP)—The College of Puget Sound football squad was practically handed the 1932 Northwest conference championship without stepping on a gridiron last week, as Pacific upset the dope and downed Willamette's gridsters 6 to 3, here Saturday.

The Bearcats of Willamette had a chance to tie the northerners for the Northwest Gonfalon by winning the remainder of their games but the Forest Grove crew ruined the chance by their surprising victory.

Puget Sound has but one more contest to play and that with Albany college, which as yet has failed to register a conference win and followers of the loop concede another win and the title to the Sound eleven.

Two games are on the league schedule for the coming week, Willamette and Whitman clashing at Salem for the Runner-up position in what is an annual stirring conflict and the Albany-Puget Sound game completing the bill.

Union And Cove In Hard Struggle At Union Friday

By Mrs. L. Z. Terrall
(Observer Correspondent)

UNION (Special)—The Union and Cove football teams met on the gridiron at Union Friday forenoon to settle the football supremacy between them for the year 1932. The two teams hed met earlier in the year in a game that ended with each team scoring 20 points and the matter of which was the better team was left unsettled until Friday. Cove started off the game with a rush and before it was many minutes old by a wide end run Union found itself under the handicap of seven points. From then on neither team seemed to be able to gain consistently and until shortly before the end of the last quarter it appeared that Cove's seven points would be the margin of victory. Toward the end of the game the Union team driving hard and aided by a couple of forward passes took the ball from its own territory to the shadow of the goal line but there Cove rallied and held for downs. Cove was unable to gain and was forced to punt from near its goal line. The game being nearly over the Union team apparently realized that it must score then or give Cove a one touchdown supremacy for the season and broke through the line to block that punt. The ball rolled over the line where Ackley got the ball for a touchdown for Union. Union was unable to convert the extra point and the game ended very shortly thereafter with Cove the winner by a score of 7-6. The game was very satisfactorily handled by Bob Quinn, of La Grande, as referee and J. W. King, of Imbler, as umpire.

The lineup of the Union team was as follows: Center, Woll; guards, Miller and Robinson; tackles, Conklin and Roberts; ends, Lay and Miles; halfbacks, Tallman and Anderson; quarterback, Ackley; fullback, Hiatt; substitutes, Marlin and Halsey.

SIX GRID TEAMS IN TOP BRACKET

U. S. C., Michigan, Brown, Colgate, Auburn, Centenary in Running

By Maxwell Stiles
(By Universal Service)

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 14 — What's the national football situation?

Six major elevens remain undefeated and untied, and of these Southern California and Michigan appear to be slightly ahead, because of strength of schedule, in the race for a national crown. These unbeaten and untied teams, separated geographically, are as follows:

West—Southern California.
Mid-west—Michigan.
East—Brown and Colgate.
South—Auburn (Alamaba Poly) and Centenary.

One of these teams—two if they should tie—will be eliminated when Brown faces Colgate on Thanksgiving day at Providence. This is the only game left for each team. If Brown wins, Brown will rate equal consideration with any team in the land and undoubtedly will be given the first bid to the Rose bowl game at Pasadent on New Year's day.

Have to Consider Brown

Brown has met and defeated Yale, Tufts, Harvard, Holy Cross, Columbia, Springfield and Rhode Island. Not too hefty a schedule, yet one that stands up under scrutiny. Any team that can take Yale, Harvard, Holy Cross and Columbia and then gain a decision over Colgate would have to be given a further test before denied at least a tie for the mythical championship of the United States.

Colgate would not rate so high if victorious because Colgate has met mostly a string of set-ups and could hardly rate nationally on the strength of victories over a weak New York team, Syracuse and Brown. A victory over Brown would be indicative of Brown's weakness rather than proof positive of Colgate's right to a Rose bowl bid.

Michigan has only Minnesota to play, and Michigan on form figures to win and remain unbeaten and untied. That would give Michigan no worse than a tie with the Rose bowl winner for the national title, it being taken for granted that Michigan would not play at Pasadena because of Big Ten opposition. Should Minnesota defeat Michigan the situation would be clarified considerably, for otherwise any team that might be named as a national leader would have to carry "and Michigan" as a rider.

Ramblers Block Path

Southern California has Washington and Notre Dame to play. The Trojans should defeat Washington, but the Notre Dame game is a toss-up in which the Irish probably will take the field popular favorites to win.

Auburn still has Georgia and South Carolina to play and may be held to a tie or a defeat. Otherwise Auburn's claim to national recognition would be very sound inasmuch as Duke, Georgia Tech, Tulane, Mississippi and Florida are numbered among Auburn's victims.

Centenary, a team which plays out of Shreveport, La., holds victories over Texas, Mississippi, Southern Methodist, Texas A. and M. and Louisiana. Only Arkansas is to be met and this means that Centenary schedule was none too heavy, and this must be considered in naming a national leader.

Six major teams are undefeated but tied. They are:

West—None.
Mid-west—Purdue.
East—Pittsburgh (tied twice) and Temple.
South—Tennessee, Texas Christian and Vanderbilt (tied twice).

Pittsburgh's hopes to play the Rose bowl game suffered somewhat on the general theory that two ties are about equal to one defeat and the same goes for Vanderbilt. Tennessee has still to play Kentucky and Florida and if both games are won Tennessee would rate very high. Vanderbilt has yet to meet Alabama. Texas Christian has to play Rice and Southern Methodist.

Purdue has a fine record, marred only by a 7-to-7 game with the Northwestern team that has lost four games. That tie hurts because it was not against another ranking team, as was Tennessee's tie with Vanderbilt. Purdue still has to play Indiana and may be upset.

JEFF HIGH TO MEET LINCOLN IN FINAL GAME

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 14 (AP)—The football warriors of Jefferson High are dusting off another niche in their trophy case as the final week of the 1932 Portland interscholastic football league opens today. But one game, that against the lowly Lincoln Cardinals to be played Friday, stands between the Jeffersonians and a clean sweep of the 1932 field.

Last week the blue and gold downed its strongest opponent, winning from Roosevelt 25 to 0, and after the Lincoln contest expects to start preparing for an onslaught on the mythical state championship for 1932. The only other league contest of the past week saw Benson downing Grant 12 to 7.

The Jefferson squad has topped the league in scoring with a total of 84 points for six games while Lincoln takes last position in this department with but six markers in the same number of frays. The leaders are tied with Washington High for the best defensive mark, each having been scored against twice. Benson Tech, though second in league scoring with 46 has had 48 counted by opponents.

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1. Sharp shrill sound
7. Hobs
13. Leap over
14. Small lever or projection in a machine
15. Hawaiian lava
16. Repent
18. Compass point
19. Disorderly conduct
21. Hole
22. Comfort
24. Purpose
25. Grants
27. Anarchistic
28. Stationary parts
30. Detests
32. Covers
33. Language of the Buddhist scriptures
34. Character in "Through the Looking Glass"
36. Stops
39. Spanish article
40. Long narrow piece
42. Dexterity
43. One of the Gospels
45. Flowed
46. Snarl or growl
47. European fish
48. Kind of athlete
51. Perform
52. Fishers (or lampreys
54. Rubbed out
56. Visions seen in sleep
57. Reduce

DOWN
1. Partakes
2. Having an old-fashioned attractiveness
3. Abraham's birthplace
4. Prepare for publication
5. High: musical
6. Wardens
7. Assert
8. Make lace
9. Fencing sword
10. News organization: abbr.
11. Holder of a lease
12. Horses
17. Trees
20. Slave in a harem
23. Skilled workman
25. Systems of signals
26. Above pitch
29. Twitching
31. Liquor
33. Stamped
34. United
35. Scotch comedian
36. Russian sea
37. Exchanges
38. Walked with long steps
41. Supporting member of a bridge
44. Ipecac plant
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49. Limb
50. Before
53. French article
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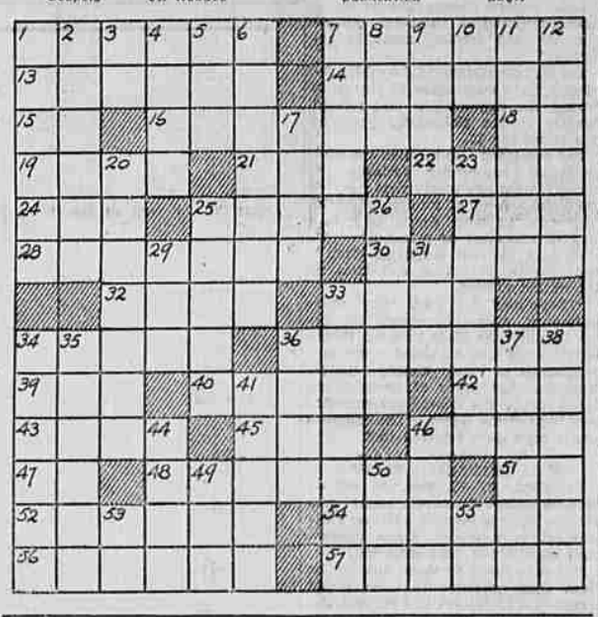

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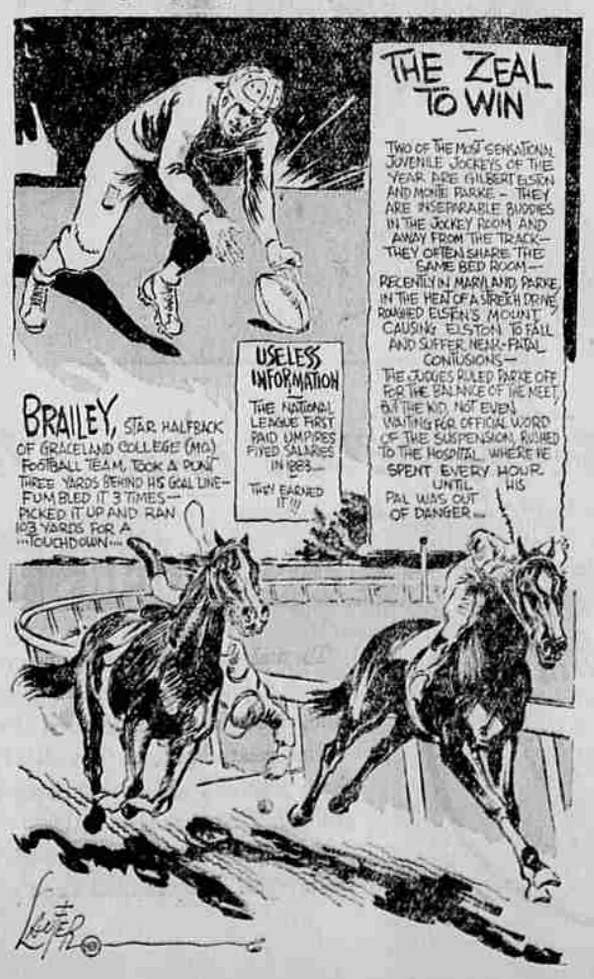

The TINYMITES

STORY by HAL COCHRAN PICTURES by JOE KING

(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

THE Tinymites had played around so much they flopped down on the ground to take a little rest and Scouty said, "Let's sleep a bit."

The farmer heard him and he said, "Why don't you use my barn, instead? Flop in the hay and when you wake up you'll feel fit."

All of the bunch agreed that this was something that they wouldn't miss. They ran into the barn and soon were deep in slumberland.

When the old farmer heard them snore, into a nearby field he tore. He smiled and to himself said, "Gee, I have a plan that's grand.

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"I'LL pour oil on my old scarecrow. He'll come to life and then I know that I can put him up to pranks to tease the Tinymites."

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The farmer answered, "Fine! Now you can help with what I plan to do. The Tinies are up in my barn and they are sleeping round.

"While you are hiding in the hay, I'll wake them and take them away. I'll call them to the barn door and they all will gather 'round.

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"THEN I want you to play some tricks on one of them. Make it real slick." "All right," replied the scarecrow. "This will be a lot of fun."

The Tinies soon were out in front. The scarecrow then thought up a stunt. Said he, "I'll use this hay rope." 'Twas no sooner said than done.

He let the rope down toward the ground and suddenly it dropped around wee Duncy's little shoulders. Up went Duncy, in the air.

"Hey, let me down!" he loudly cried. And then the other Tinies spied the scarecrow and they laughed to see poor Duncy get a scare.

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(Duncy and the scarecrow become friends in the next story.)

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"PUG" RENTNER THROUGH

CHICAGO, Nov. 14 (AP)—The collegiate football career of Ernest "Pug" Rentner, Northwestern's all-American halfback, was at an end today due to two broken ribs. He was injured in the first half in the game with Notre Dame Saturday. He will not be able to participate in the final game of the season Saturday against Iowa.

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