

# Viks Drop 13-12 Heartbreaker to CHS; 2nd Half Rally Gives Bruins 12-0 Win

## Spartan Comeback Nets Victory; Ready Gallops 92 Yards for SHS

Salem high's Vikings came within a whisker and a quick whistle by the referee of pulling still another upset in this whacky football season on Sweetland field last night, but after practically panicking what was estimated as a record mob of 3500 customers with a 12-0 halftime lead, faltered and fell 13-12 to the highly favored Corvallis Spartans.

That Spartan victory, and it was earned the hard way all the way, in a thrill-dripping ball game, shoved the Al Coxies to the top of the No-Name league all by themselves and netted a wide open road to the 1945 championship. The Spartans have only to beat Albany next week for the title.

Although they weren't supposed to—not by any means, since they had four regulars out with injuries and two more playing while taped from stem to stern—Coach Tommy Drynan's still hustling lads roared to a 12-0 lead and kept it that way all during the

Yardstick, Salem-Corvallis game:		
Salem	Yds. gained, scrimmage	114
Corvallis	Yds. lost, scrimmage	18
Salem	Yds. gained, passes	28
Corvallis	Yds. lost, passes	28
Salem	Total Net yards	86
Corvallis	Total Net yards	10
Salem	First downs, scrimmage	10
Corvallis	First downs, passes	0
Salem	First downs, penalties	0
Corvallis	Total first downs	10
Salem	Passes attempted	13
Corvallis	Passes completed	2
Salem	Passes intercepted	0
Corvallis	Fumbles	2
Salem	Ball lost, fumbles	0
Corvallis	Ball lost on downs	2
Salem	Yds. lost, penalties	46
Corvallis	Ave. length, punts	32
Salem	Ave. length, punt return	3
Corvallis	Ave. length, kickoff	47
Salem	Ave. length, return	21

half. But the Spartans, a sound ball club, shook off their first-half cockiness in the third and fourth periods to come back with enough to win. Quarterback Mike Lacey's sneak over center for the conversion on the fourth 6-pointer of the night was the payoff play after the previous three tries for those ultra-important 1-pointers flopped miserably.

After holding the hard-charging visitors — they far surpassed the Salems in total yardage for the night — at midfield in their first series, the Viks electrified the mob with a sudden 92-yard stab for touchdown. It was Halfback Bill Ready who rambled the 92 after taking Mike Lacey's punt on his own 8. A beautiful run, with super blocking by his mates half the way, Ready cut to his right and outraced the dumb-founded Spartans down the south sidelines.

Fullback Winston Cobb tried to crash his right tackle for the point which would have meant so much later on, but was knocked down a yard short.

A pass interference break — a bad one for Corvallis — after Bill Hill had loped 53 yards on an end-around outback sparkler set up Salem's second counter at the outset of period two. In all it was a 75-yard drive in 10 plays for Drynans. Hill got to the 15 on his beautiful run and then after two plays gained two yards Roger Dasch flipped to Hill. The big end was blocked in the pass zone — interference and a first down for Salem on the seven. Hill ripped over from the four on another of the devastating end-arounds two plays later. Cobb tried to boot the conversion but it went far to the left.

Corvallis wasted little time at the start of the third period. Starting from their 46 after re-gaining Cobb's kickoff 25 yards, the Spartans scored in seven plays. A sudden and surprising spread formation play which caught the Viks flat-footed sent Sprick around left end for the final 12 yards. Fullback ramming by Joe Weatherbee, a whale of a ballplayer all night in the Corvallis offensive column, set up most of the preceding yardage. A pass for conversion was batted down by the alert Salems to make it 12-6.

Another break — this time a baffle for the Viks — started the Spartans off again late in the period. Dasch, who hadn't done much tossing at all up to now, tried a heave from his 16 yard line. The mistake backfired when Lacey intercepted on the 23 and returned to the 20. Dasch was injured on the play and had to leave the game, another heavy blow for the Drynans.

The Spartans couldn't get beyond the 15 on the next series, but after Cobb's kick was returned to the Spartan 36 the visitors got going. Weatherbee made 15 yards in three tries and then Sprick, on an optional play to the left, sucked in the Vik secondary to leave End Jack Stevens all alone down on the Salem 25. A long pass hit its mark and Stevens scampered the rest of the way. Then came Lacey's quarterback sneak for what was to be the big difference.

Salem fought back near the end after Lacey was rushed into punting badly and out of bounds on the Salem 30. But Dasch came back in at this point just in time to have his pass intended for Hill go into the arms of Ron Clark on the 19.

Another poor kick by Lacey gave the ball to Salem on the 43 soon after, but after working down to the 12 on a wild assortment of passes, roughness penalties and general berserkness, the game ended all Viking chances. A sure-touchdown Dasch pass to Al Chamberlain with four seconds

## Rossi Sparks UCLA Comeback Surge in Final Loop Contest

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 26 (AP)—After being held scoreless in the first half against the fighting Oregon team, the sharp-hitting UCLA Bruins bounced back to trim the Webfoots 12 to 0 tonight, in the Coliseum, and remain in the running for the Pacific coast conference grid title. The Bruins' second-half surge was led by Halfback Cal Rossi, who scored one touchdown and gained a total of 166 yards in 21 carries in his final game for UCLA before naval transfer to Harvard.

Stung by a 50-yard Oregon march which fizzled on the UCLA nine-yard line at the start of the third quarter, the Bruins marched 91 yards in seven plays, with Left Half Jack Boyd catapulting to a touchdown on an end sweep blocked by a crushing key block by Fullback Jack Porter.

After breaking the ice, UCLA dominated the play despite the yeoman resistance of triple threat Jack Leicht and his string mates. Rossi culminated a 40-yard drive early in the fourth quarter by circling left end for 12 yards and pay dirt.

Rossi's performance brought his total yardage gained to nearly 700 for the season, one of the nation's high.

Player	Team	Position	Yards
Oregon	L. E.	Hansen	100
Northway	L. T.	Boon	80
Gillis	L. T.	Boon	80
Kaufman	L. G.	Woolfe	70
W. Anderson	C. G.	Childers	60
Belton	R. T.	Spauls	50
Deskins	R. T.	Asher	40
R. Anderson	R. T.	Robotham	30
Reynolds	O. B.	Cole	20
Leicht	L. H.	Boyd	10
Donovan	P. B.	Rossi	10
Bond	P. B.	Porter	10

## 'Mad Russian's' Chance Nears

CHICAGO, Oct. 26 (AP)—Those major league clubs who claim the Chicago Cubs railroaded Lou (Mad Russian) Novikoff out of the big time will have a chance to put up or shut up at the baseball draft meeting here next Tuesday.

Novikoff is one of the more than 700 class AA players subject to selection by the big league ivory hunters at their annual bargain counter prowl.

The Chicago White Sox said they were anxious to get Novikoff — a minor league sensation, but a bust with the Cubs — and claimed to have offered Los Angeles twice the \$7500 waiver price which is the same as the draft tag for class AA players.

If some tail-end club — in the draft, the last come first — does grab off Novikoff, now stationed at Sheppard Field, Tex., it will throttle rumors that the Los Angeles outfielder is headed for the New York Yankees next year as partial payment in the mysterious deal which brought the Cubs Hank Borowy.

## Roodles Meet For SGC Clan

The popular 18-hole Roodles tournament — points garnered for shooting bogies, pars, birdies and eagles — has been designated for weekend play at Salem Golf course by the Men's clubbers. Usual rules will prevail for the Saturday-Sunday outing and prizes will go to the 1-2-3 finishers.

Clubbers are also reminded of the handicap tourney banquet set for next Thursday night at the course club house. Champ Walt Cline, Jr., and runnerup Ted Chambers will be presented trophies.

## Small Chatter Meadows First

SAN MATEO, Calif., Oct. 26 (AP)—Going into the lead at the eighth pole and withstanding all challenges, Small Chatter, owned by L. E. McGee of Encino, Calif., won today's feature race at Bay Meadows by three quarters of a length. The time for the six furlongs was 1:12 and 4/5ths. Ragged Rascal ran second, and Herest took third.

Small Chatter, with Charles Ralls up, paid off at the fancy price of \$36.80, \$13.90 and \$8.60.

## BOWLING SCORES

Player	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
KEITH BROWN (1)	147	210	148	203	190	125	135	126	126	1261
Powell	130	125	135	126	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Jewellen	124	144	143	141	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Morrison	124	144	143	141	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Wheeler	124	144	143	141	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Alderman	124	144	143	141	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Totals	748	776	690	8118						
FIRST NATIONAL BANK (2)										
Harrison	152	169	122	204	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Among	148	134	97	349	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Grieg	126	140	181	446	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Kotke	126	147	126	313	126	126	126	126	126	1261
McKinney	126	147	126	313	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Totals	726	723	605	2315						
BOSLER ELECTRIC (3)										
Riches	126	142	179	530	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Savin	111	128	126	365	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Riffop	126	147	126	313	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Singer	119	133	126	468	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Totals	726	715	605	2253						
LA ROCHE TAVERN (1)										
Viesko	126	142	126	494	126	126	126	126	126	1261
La Roche	126	142	126	494	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Herring	126	142	126	494	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Shaw	126	142	126	494	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Curtis	126	142	126	494	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Totals	726	704	706	2215						
MILLMEN (1)										
Donovan	126	151	179	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Fuhrer	119	117	127	463	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Larson	126	119	126	471	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Wagner	126	119	126	471	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Huff	126	119	126	471	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Totals	715	711	763	2304						
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (3)										
Albrich	126	124	126	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Bickler	126	124	126	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Wickham	126	124	126	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Rupp	126	124	126	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Bigler	126	124	126	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Totals	726	715	605	2282						
SAVING CENTER FOUNTAIN LUNCH (1)										
Satcher	126	124	126	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Stetler	126	124	126	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Larson	126	124	126	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Farrar	126	124	126	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Bradley	126	124	126	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Wilke	126	124	126	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Totals	677	704	726	2386						
VINCE'S ELECTRIC (1)										
J. Albrich	126	124	126	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Ruhle	126	124	126	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Anderson	126	124	126	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Vince	126	124	126	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Gallagher	126	124	126	476	126	126	126	126	126	1261
Totals	625	706	605	2115						

# Battles Between Unbeatens Top National Grid Menu Today

By Austin Bealmer  
NEW YORK, Oct. 26 (AP)—The steadily diminishing circle of unbeaten football teams is due for a further reduction tomorrow when the season reaches that point where the customers begin thinking about conference titles, all-America selections and New Year's day bowl bids.

Every section of the country will be blessed with headline attractions and, weather permitting, the folks who shell out \$2.50 or so for a seat in the stands will add to the mounting attendance figures, already some 15 per cent ahead of last year's aggregate rate.

At least 75,000 are expected at Philadelphia to see Navy and Pennsylvania, two of the nation's undefeated powers, collide in a game that will produce an outstanding challenger to army's position as number one team of the land. In smashing through Brown, Dartmouth and North

Carolina, the Quakers piled up 111 points while keeping their goal-line uncrossed. Navy has been scored on only once in beating Villanova, Duke, Penn State and Georgia Tech with a total of 118 points.

Army, meanwhile, faces its toughest test since the Michigan game in going after its 14th straight victory and its fifth of the season against the Blue Devils of Duke, who have lost only to Navy in four times out. This game is set in New York's Polo Grounds and a capacity house of 50,000 is scheduled to be on hand.

Other perfect records will be slapped on the block in the east when Temple's Owls move in against Pittsburgh in search of victory number five, Holy Cross defends a similar mark against invading Colgate and Columbia remains at home to try for its fifth win against an underdog Brown team. Still other eastern

pairings for the day send Rutgers to Princeton, Bucknell to Lafayette, Cornell to Yale, Coast Guard academy to Harvard, Dartmouth to Syracuse and Boston college to Kings Point.

Three of the nation's top five teams will be involved in top-notch games in the midwest—two of them in important struggles in the dynamic-laden Big Ten conference. In these, powerful Purdue, surprise victory over Ohio State, tries for its sixth win at Evanston, Ill., against a Northwestern team that is overdue and Minnesota, which has one Big Ten victory to go with its three non-conference wins, catches rebounding Ohio State at Minneapolis.

Notre Dame, now resting in the second slot in the Associated Press national rankings, will be invaded by Iowa, Indiana, unbeaten but once-tied, faces an invading non-conference foe in undefeated Tulsa while Michi-

gan and Illinois clash in a Big Ten struggle at Champaign. In the Big Six, Oklahoma will be at Kansas State and Nebraska at Missouri. Kansas steps out of the conference to invade Wichita, Marquette goes to Michigan State for a game between mid-west independents.

Alabama, winner of four in a row, stakes its perfect record and its chances for a bowl bid against Georgia, which moves into Birmingham after being knocked out of the unbeaten ranks by Louisiana State. Louisiana State takes on invading Vanderbilt and Auburn moves in against Georgia Tech in other Southeastern conference contests.

Two Southwest conference games send Rice to Texas and Baylor to Texas A and M, while unbeaten Oklahoma Aggies invade Texas Christian for a meeting between the Cotton Bowl foes of last January 1.

## STATESMAN SPORTS

# FOOTBALL Results

Team	Score	Opponent	Score
Corvallis 13	12	Salem	13
Woodburn 46	0	Sweet Home 6	0
Molalla 24	0	Stayton 6	0
Jefferson 36	0	Gervais 6	0
Sacred Heart 20	0	Hubbard 6	0
Albany 20	0	Springfield 14	0
Eugene 20	0	Bend 6	0
Chemawa 14	0	Canby 25	0
Silverton 33	0	Dallas 6	0
Parrish Bees 12	0	Leslie Bees 7	0
McMinnville 12	0	Seavert 7	0
Hood River 41	0	Milwaukie 6	0
The Dalles 34	0	Parkrose 7	0
Columbia Prep. 6	0	Cent. Cath. 6	0
St. Helena 25	0	Estacada 6	0
Verona 18	0	Hill Military 7	0
Forest Grove 6	0	Newberg 6	0
Grant Union 27	0	Burns 6	0
Baker 47	0	Mac Hill 6	0
LaGrande 7	0	Pendleton 6	0
Lebanon 23	0	Junction City 6	0
Taft 12	0	Newport 6	0
Coos Bay 7	0	Asland 6	0

## Grid Broadcasts:

By the Associated Press (Time in Pacific Standard, A. M.): 11:00 Army vs. Duke—CBS from New York. 11:00 Purdue vs. Northwestern—MBS from Evanston, Ill. 11:45 Minnesota vs. Ohio State—NBC from Minneapolis. 11:45 Alabama vs. Georgia—ABC from Birmingham. (Note: Between halves all nets are to switch to Hudson River, New York, for presidential review of fleet.)

## Quakers Face Middle Eleven

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 26 (AP)—Gloom in the Quaker City over the University of Pennsylvania's prospects to upset the Navy griders deepened today with every raindrop that fell on Franklin field.

Rae Crowthers and Paul Riblett, filling in at coach for the ailing George Munger, were hoping for a fast turn to help shake the Quakers' speedy backs off to long touchdown races.

The weatherman says tomorrow will be cool and brisk and that the rain will stop tonight, but indications are the field will be muddy, which would be a great advantage to the rumbling Navy attack.

## Molalla Drops Stayton, 24-6

MOLALLA — Scoring once in each quarter and dominating play practically throughout, Coach Don Wilson's Molalla Bucks yesterday downed the Stayton Packers 24-6 at Stayton. A 40-yard pass play Howard Smith to Bill Charles, was good for the first score. Ken Nearson bucked the second over from the three. Then Smith rambled another over from 15 yards but and Duane Owens, a sub, galloped No. 4 with a five yarder off tackle.

Stayton scored in the final seconds of the game when M. Mack barged over on a line play. The win kept Molalla in a tie with Canby for second place in the Duration league.

## Foxes Swamp Dragons, 53-0

Team	W	L	PF	PA
Woodburn	3	0	81	67
Canby	3	1	65	47
Molalla	3	1	65	19
Silverton	1	3	26	26
Stayton	1	3	22	26
Dallas	0	4	0	170

Friday results: At Canby 25, Chemawa 14, At Stayton 6, Molalla 24, At Dallas 0, Silverton 53.

## Even Grizzly Coaches Play

FARRAGUT, Idaho, Oct. 26 (AP)—Montana university was prepared today to throw not only its full football team, but some