Nine-Question Football Poll; (You Answer 'Em)

By Al Lightner Statesman Sports Editor The Associated Press' annual year-end poll on the biggests, bests and mosts for 1950 football is under way. Soon the anball is under way. Soon the answers to the nine questions submitted by the AP will be forthcoming from the nation's sports editors, that undaunted fraternity of filberts oft referred to be "experts," but which in reality is nothing more than a group of assorted long, short, fat and thin characters who are necessarily characters who are accused (erreneously, of course) of making all the mools in the land and who would starve to death in a

week if they were to subsist on their brainy selections.

Were you to submit answers to the questions here's what confronts you: 1 - What was responsible for the 2 per cent decrease in attendance in midseason as compared to the same period for 1949? 2 - Do you think television is jeopardizing the feetball programs at the smaller colleges? At the larger ones? 3 — The 1950 season produced more upsets probably than any in recent years. What's the reason? 4 — Do you think the two-platoon system is dividing

the teams in "haves" and "have-

5 - What do you think was most significant trend of 1950 season? 6 - What was biggest flop (team) of the year? The biggest surprise? 7 -Who did the best coaching job of the year? 8 — What was the biggest upset of the year? 9 — What was the outstanding oddity or amusing incident of the sea-

Would your answers be some-thing like these? 1 — Less fans went to the games. 2 — Definitely, in both cases. It's easier and cheaper to sit at home with a tall one than

trying to sneak one with half-frozen hands in a stadium. 3 — Lousy prognostication by we "experts." 4 — All depends upon who "has" and who "has not." - It eventually came to an end. 6 - Notre Dame by 171/2 miles. 7 - Certainly wasn't Jeff miles. 7 — Certainly wasn't Jeff Cravath or Bernie Bierman. 8— Excard Charles' smashing nod over Joe Louis. 9 — Picking Notre Dame as the nation's No. 1 team before the season started. Or, the Waybeloe Normal place-kicker who missed the ball and punted his quarterback over the cross-bar to beat Yippahoopy U, 7-8.

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Cage 'Jam' Due Tonight

10 Teams Play At Willamette

The Marion County B league basketball jamborse and the scads of action and color that goes with this annual cage spree blossoms tonight in the Willamette university gym starting at 7:30 o'clock. teams, nine of them league members and the other, Salem Academy, invited so as to fill out the bracket to proper size, will participate in five 10 - minute games while respective cheering sections are vieing for their own prizes, a pair of coveted trophies.
Divided into "North" and "South" units, the games will be played thusly, with "North" teams named first in each instance: St. Paul vs. Jefferson, Salem Academy vs. Gates, Oregon School for the Deaf vs. Mill City, Chemawa vs. Sublimity and Gervals vs. Detroit. The aggregate score at the close of the jamboree will determine which side wins. Game officials are Ollie Williams and Eddie

The rooting sections, sure to be equipped with special dress and yells, will be judged for amount and caliber of support given respective cage teams. Trophies are to go to the first and second place winners. Band music will be sup-plied by the Jefferson and Chemawa schools.

will be selected from the following rosters, with coaches of respec

Wilmer Crites, Jim Carey, Bob Lee, Albert Zeibert, Earle Henness, Athol Cline, Mervin Haun, Jack Oliver, Les tention of the nation into their

Cline, Mervin Haun, Jack Oliver, Les Beamish.

OSD (Coach Allen Hayek): Darwin Wallstrum, Ken Colley, Wallace Colley, Duane Lisac, Henry Nelson, Ervin Martin, Ray Luncheford, Teeman Heath, Bob Hyatt, Bill Walker. Mill City (Coach Burton Burroughs): Dennis Martiala, Bob Baltimore, Thad Roberts, Very Moberg, Roy Podrabsky, Roy Chase, Dick Kanoff, Dick Downer, Delmar Skillings, Bob Shelton, Alfred Ward.

Chemawa (Coach Francis Kettleson): Louis Belgard, Cliff Matt, Bill Shillal, Reg Wells, Tom Grant, Earl Ironpipe, Ken Markussen, Charles Reed, Sublimity (Coach Tom Pendergast): Duane Bradley, Ray Christensen, Jim Gries, Ted Highberger, Olem Lulay, Ron Meier, Ron Bentz, Very Boedigheimer, Dwight Bradley, Jack Gries, Duane Henberger, Norm Rancher, Ron Ruef, Darrel Schumacher, Joe Steinkamp, Tom Tate.

Carrels (Coach Ordie Hove): Fari

Tom Tate.
Gervais (Coach Ordie Hoye): Earl
Belleque, Doug Hall, Henry Howe,
Earl McCollum, Terry Mahony, John
McCall, Bob Banick, Rolan Schott,
Charles Fitzgerald, Walt Tolmsoff,
Detroit (Coach Stan Whipple): Dave
Bray, Len Overholser, Bob Layman,
Bill Palmer, Jim White, Chuck Timms,
Stan, Timms, Dick Woodward, Ray
Wallace, Bill Peterson, Elvin Blan,
Ron Glasgow.

\$1,757 Paid Off In Daily Double

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 1 -(P)- Two long shots collaborated today to give Tropical park the second largest daily double in its history - a whopping \$1,757.80 for a \$2 and H. Barnett's Golden Mean provided the lucky combination for eight ticket holders.

Over Power paid \$14.30, \$6.80 and \$7.70 in the first-race. Golden Jack Davis, Princeton fullback, Mean took the second at luscious Holland Donan, Princeton tackle, across-the-board figures of \$147.-

50, \$86.80 and \$19.30. established at Tropical park March 18, 1935 when Wanoah and Arakey paid a tremendous \$7,205,-40 on a \$2 bet.

EAST NAMES 3 MORE SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1 -(AP) The signing of three more eastern football stars to play in the East-West classic at Kezar stadium Dec. 30 was announced today.



They'll Do It Every Time By Jimmy Hatlo UNTIL THE VERY IT'S NOT HAVEN'T YOU GOT A DATE WITH WILTON TONIGHT? AREN'T THAT MAGENTA IT'S HIM! LAST MINUTE, THAT IS ... THEN GANGWAY! FULL SPEED AHEAD! WAIT TILL I GET DOESN'T CARE YOU GOING TO UPSTAIRS BEFORE IT'S JUST THAT GET READY? YOU LET HIM IN ... TELL HIM I'LL SHE'S CALM, COOL AND BE RIGHT DOWN! COLLECTED ... YUP .. LOTS OF TIME ... AS SOON AS I FINISH THIS STORY ...

Starting players for each team Clubs to End Hapless Seasons

Jefferson (Coach Fred Graham): Jim Blackwell, Lee Cameron, Bill Marlatt, Dale Wattenbarger, Neil Brown, Darvi Ricks, John Wright, Rod Hart. St. Paul (Coach Buck Weatherill): Tom Kirk, Pat Kirk, Sam Smith, Bill Stout, Cecil Hartel, Bob Powell, Terry Gounce, Larry Rasmussen, Cliff Blanchett, Ed Brentano, Ray Marten, John Kirch, Bob Frith. Salem Academy (Coach Dale Parnell): Don Friesen, Dave Doerksen, Ed Pfau, Wayne Goode, Jerry Roth, Bob Johnson, Chester Schmidt, Jim Doerksen, Dave Knaupp, Bill Jensen, Vern Eggebraten, Harvey Wall. Gates (Coach Howard Means): Marlin Cole, Wilman, Chester Schmidt, Jim Doerksen, Dave Knaupp, Bill Jensen, Vern Eggebraten, Harvey Wall. Gates (Coach Howard Means): Marlin Cole, Wilman, Chester Steman, Barlin Cole, In Annual Scrap Today WOODBURN, Dec. 1—(Special) With six lettermen on hand and five other aspirants pressing for

By Bob Myers

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 1-(P)-Notre Dame and Southern California kiss the 1950 football season goodby tomorrow, and a fond and tearless farewell it will be. The 1950 season has been anything burn plays the Willamette Frosh but wonderful to the two teams, and compared to the big years

Cascade Plays

Coached by John Seim and Bob

Stewart, starters for the Cougars

center, Orv Spear and Glenn Ling at guards and Joe Metcalfe and

Jerry Wipper or Lavell Netetoe at

For Silverton the starters may be Gary Gustafson and George

Bob Burr, Gaylen Steltenberg,

Pilot Shriners

ies failed to make the grade.

Orin (Babe) Hollingbery, chair-

man of the West's selection com-

mittee, announced today that

coaching staff for the annual

He will work with Marchie

Schwartz of Stanford and Jess Neely of Rice in directing the

West team. One Washington play-

er - Roland Kirkby - has been

MANGIS, GAMBOLD PICKED

PULLMAN, Wash., Dec. 1 -(AP) Leon Mangis and Bob Gambold,

in San Francisco.

named to the team.

had been named to the

gram at 7 p.m.

lock they staged in Memorial Col- are likely to be Fred Worley at iseum just two years ago.

The Irish will be without the guidance of head coach Frank Jerry Win Leahy, ill with flu in South forwards. Bend. Leahy had hoped to be well enough to fly out tonight. But his physician said no. Instead, Johnson or Bob Brotherton at forassistant coach Bernie Crimmins wards, Jim Cooper at center and will run the team.

USC? Well, you can't tell. The Rick Johnson, Dave Finlay, Larry USC? Well, you can't tell. The well polished Trojans — polished by UCLA 39-0 a week ago — might just up and pull another one for their harrassed coach, Jeff Cravath. They did it for him in '48, when least expected.

Notre Dame, in a last check, was favored by 121/2 points to subdue USC for the 14th time in their series. USC hasn't beaten bet. Medway stable's Overpower the Irish since 1939, and the wise ones say the current Irish, good or indifferent, should lower the boom once more.

and Bernie Lemonik, Pennsylvania guard, were the latest ad-The daily double record was ditions to the eastern roster, which now totals 13.

Look and Learn By A. C. Gordon

1. What great early American invented bifocal lenses for eye-

glasses? 2. What are the winning hands in the game of poker, in order of

3. What is the present value of the British pound in American today as co-captains of the 1950-4. Where does the Earth rank ketball team.

among planets in distance from the sun' 5. What has the greatest shortening power of any of the plastic

ANSWERS 1. Benjamin Franklin (1706-90) 2. Straight flush, four of a kind, full house, flush, straight, three of a kind, two pair, and one pair.

3. \$2.80. 4. Third. 5. Lard.



Bulldogs Wait Cage Starter

five other aspirants pressing for starting berths, the Woodburn Bulldogs are fast nearing the start of burn plays the Willamette Frosh shows in the Willamette Valley league jamboree at Molalla December 15.

Lettermen on the squad, with respective heights, include Jim Silverton High Vendehey 6-2, Lyle Henderson 5-11, Tom Belleque 6-2, Clayton Sea-SILVERTON, Dec. 1-(Special) ton 6-1, Len Pavlicek 6-1 and Terry Fitch 5-10. Others include The Cascade Cougars come to Sil-Bob Fisher 5-10, Dick Corbett 5verten Saturday night to open 11, Oscar Larson 5-11, Jim Ball-1950-51 basketball season play weber 5-9 and Rich McCormick with Coach Milt Baum's Silver Foxes. Bee teams open the pro-

Twenty-two games, including the jamboree, are on the Woodburn schedule arranged by Coach Marshall Barbour and Assistant Chuck Sheron. The finale is with St. Helens February 24, after which the Bulldogs will play in the district 11 tournament in Salem.

Army Battles Middies Today

(Continued from preceding page) over Mississippi; Fordham by 6½ over Syracuse; Southern Methodist by seven over Texas Christian; Baylor by seven over Rice; Holy Cross by seven over Boston college: Tulane by 13 over Louis-YAKIMA, Dec. 1 -(P)- Coach Howie Odell will coach a "bowl" iana State; Alabama by 271/2 over Auburn; and Notre Dame by team this year, even though his 11 over Southern California. University of Washington Husk-

The Notre Dame - Southern California tilt winds up one of the sorriest seasons for both teams, once the kingpins of their sectors. Notre Dame is 4-3-1 and Southern Cal 1-2-5. The mighty, really have fallen. Shrine East-West game Dec. 30 Other games on the schedule include Maryland-Virginia Tech,

Kansas State-Wichita, Tulsa-Houston, Richmond-William and Mary, Quantico Marines-College of Pacific and four minor bowls. The Orange Blossom at Miami matches Florida A&M and Wilberforce State; the Refrigerator at Evansville, Ind., pits Gustavus Adolphus against Abilene Christian; the Potato at Bakersfield. Calif., sends Olympic JC against Bakersfield JC; and the Paper today as co-captains of the 1950-Bowl at Pensacola, Fla., pairs 51 Washington State college bas- Jacksonville (Ala) Teachers and the Pensacola Cardinals.

Bad Dodger Deal Sours Shotton

BARTOW, Fla., Dec. 1-(AP)-Burt Shotton, deposed this week as Brooklyn manager in favor of Chuck Dressen, said today he was through with big time base-

"The deal I got this time made me a little sour," Shotton told

Arnold Lunn Ski Event Dec. 10th

PQRTLAND, Dec. 1-(/P)-The season's first major northwest ski meet, the Arnold Lunn Downhill race, is scheduled for Sunday, Dec. 10 at Mt. Hood. Class A and B events for men and women start

Loyal Frisbie of the Pol County Democrat.

A veteran of 42 years in baseball, Shotton said he might do "a few odd jobs" in the sport from time to time, but he has

no immediate plans. Earlier Shotton told the Associated Press he would reserve comment on his ouster for the annual minor and major league meeting which gets under way in St. Petersburg Monday. He indicated he would tell all of his side of the story when the game's leaders are gathered

there for the big confab. -He said Walter O'Mally, Dodger president, notified him a few hours before Dressen's appointment was announced.









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