

SPORTSLIGHTNER

Although the NCAA basketball rules and interpretations clinic at St. Louis involved the ins and outs of the cage sport mostly, quite a bit of between-shifts discussion on football was woven into the two-day confab by the various attending commissioners. All 10 NCAA conferences were represented, and all 10 representatives forecast a rather bleak future for the touch-down game if legislation of a serious nature isn't forthcoming soon. The men feel that de-emphasis of the sport is necessary to some extent. But not unlike the fellow assigned to finding the needle in the haystack, they aren't in agreement as to just where to begin. All do agree that platoon system may be okeh for the big schools, but that it is amounting to the road to ruin for the smaller units. They point to the great number of schools that have already dropped football for all the profit they need.



JOHNNY O
Additional evils of the platoon system were pointed out as being (1) the necessity of hiring additional coaching help to handle the various specialized portions of offense and defense and (2) the necessity of having larger squads of (shh!) subsidized players. Time was when a head coach could one or possibly two assistants managed to do all the work. Nowadays some schools have a coach for just about every position, a couple of scouts, a staff of managers, a road secretary, a statistician and a few other various and sundries. That is, if the school is playing big time football. All were in accord with the belief that the platoon rule would be junked during the next session of the NCAA, a step toward the hope that the college sport will return to normalcy. There was additional talk concerning the abolishment of spring practice as a means of de-emphasis. But most agreed that it will be hard to get a majority vote aimed at curbing the April-May drills.

'Ward Plan' Still Hot Topic in Midwest
The Midwest is still chattering over the Arch Ward (Chicago Tribune) plan to deliver a kaye blow to proselytizing, the plan being to rotate coaches from one school to another each year. All seem to agree that the plan certainly has merit, but are quick to laugh it off when the seriousness of such a startling move is realized.

One can get the idea of how the Ward plan would work by visualizing Cal's Pappy Waldorf moving to Idaho next year, Idaho's Babe Curfman going to California, Washington's Howie Odell moving to W.S.C., and so on right down the line. Amazing, and also quite confusing. You'd be able to hear the Berkeley howl clear up here should its owners be forced to trade Waldorf for Curfman. But at the same time it should be reminded that Curfman might do just as good a job as Waldorf at Cal were he to have all those horses at his disposal...

Catchy 'Johnny O' Will Help Lure All-America
Speaking of the Cal Bears, the Bay area papers don't call the fullback demon Johnny Olszewski by that name any more. It's "Johnny O" and it's catching on like fire. A UC co-ed is given credit for inventing the catchy nickname, and if the burly 200-pounder lands an All-America berth he'll have the honor to thank her for her assist. The label, Johnny O, gives Olszewski a running start toward an All-Amek rating. People the country over who can't spell, pronounce or remember Olszewski—writers, coaches and scouts included—take readily to Johnny O. The nickname was born a year ago when the gal, a typist in the UC administration office, penned a note to Will Connolly of the SF Chronicle suggesting that the sportswriters adopt Johnny O as the answer to their search for a misnomer to replace the difficult and lengthy Olszewski (pronounced Ol-shev-ski, with accent on middle syllable). The suggestion caught on immediately and it's since been Johnny O. And in playing for the outfit that he does, 'tis a dead clinch that Johnny O will be one portion of just about everyone's All-America team when selection time arrives in December...

Big Ten Eyes Illini as Rose Bowl Visitors
Consensus of opinion around the Big Ten conference office in the LaSalle hotel, Chicago, the other day was that Illinois would be the league's Rose Bowl representative next Jan. 1. From Commissioner Tui Wilson on down to the typist at desk No. 4, all felt that the Illini could do it. Purdue's Bollermakers amount to the sleeper in the Big Ten, however, inasmuch as they don't play either Illinois or Ohio State, a couple of toughies, this season... Michigan State's one-sided conquest of Michigan didn't fit at all well around Ann Arbor, Mich. But when Stanford went back the next weekend and slapped down the Wolverines, the rumblings really began. Same rumblings included the name Oosterbaan, the gent who coaches the Michigan team...

Ever hear of one player leading three leagues in batting during the same season? Pitcher Bob Hogue of the New York Yankees might wind up with such distinction for 1951. While with the Boston Braves, before being purchased by the Yanks, Hogue was at bat twice and got one hit for a .500 mark. The Yankees sent him first to Kansas City where in one time at bat he got one hit for a 1.000 average. Then after being called up to the Bomber varsity later on, Hogue was at bat twice and got one bingle. Another .500 mark. Consequently when the final National, American and American Association averages for '51 come out, all may carry the name Hogue right on top...

Matson Stars As Rams Lose

NEW YORK, Oct. 20 (AP)—Ollie Matson, San Francisco's highly-heralded all-America candidate, lived up to all his advance rave notices today as he led the undefeated Dons to a dramatic 32-26 football victory over the stubborn Fordham Rams at Randall's Island's Triboro stadium. The high-powered fullback, who had tallied 10 of his team's 20 touchdowns in four previous games, raced for three more touchdowns, two on runs of 94 and 90 yards, to spearhead the Pacific Coast eleven in its fifth straight triumph. The victory averaged a 21-14 loss to Fordham last year.

veterans who developed psychoses within two years after leaving service. Such mental illnesses would be presumed to be caused by military service and the veterans would have priority in entrance into government hospitals and in out-patient treatment.

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Kentucky Greats Caught As Hoop Scandal Widens

Groza, Beard Admit Bribes

Dale Barnstable Also Held by Authorities

CHICAGO, Oct. 20 (AP)—The spreading collegiate basketball fix scandal today engulfed the University of Kentucky's fabulous 1948-49 team—one of the greatest in the history of the sport. Investigators from the New York district attorney's office seized the two former All-America greats, Alex Groza and Ralph Beard, in Chicago, and ex-Kentucky team captain Dale Barnstable in Louisville. After questioning, the investigators said, the three early today admitted accepting \$500 bribes each to shave the point spread in a 1949 invitational tournament game March 14, 1949 in Madison Square Garden, New York.

Loyola of Chicago, underdog by around 10 points in that game, shipped Kentucky 67-56 in a stunning upset.

Conviction of accepting a bribe carries a maximum penalty of a five year jail sentence in New York.

34 Players Involved
The fix scandal now has implicated at least 34 players from seven teams. Other schools involved are Bradley, Toledo, C.C.N.Y., Manhattan, Long Island and New York U.

Groza, six foot, 7 inch center, and Beard, a guard, were arrested last night at the Chicago stadium where they watched the Rochester (N. Y.) Royals defeat the College All-Stars. Their old mentor, Adolph Rupp, Kentucky's basketball coach, directed the All-Stars.

Assistant District Attorney Vincent A. G. O'Connor of New York took them to the criminal courts building where they confronted Nick (The Greek) Englis and Nat Brown—gamblers under indictment in New York on charges of game fixing. O'Connor questioned the former players for seven hours and then announced that both had admitted receiving bribes in the Kentucky-Loyola game. He told newsmen: "The fixers insisted the payoff in the Kentucky-Loyola game was \$2,000 with Groza getting \$1,000 and the other two \$500 each. The gamblers said the only other point shaving was in a Kentucky-Tennessee (Cont. Page 14)

Last-Ditch Tackle Snags Vik



Salem high Halfback Don Davis is pictured in ballet-like pose as he was hauled down by Lebanon's Gordon Barnes after a nice gain deep in enemy territory Friday night at Waters park. Barnes was the last man between Davis and the goal line. The Vikings captured the district 4 battle 21-9 and this week prepare for their Big Six league scrap with Corvallis at Waters park next Friday night. (Statesman Sports photo by David Weeks).

Vandals Whip San Jose's

MOSCOW, Idaho, Oct. 20 (AP)—The Idaho Vandals, beaten three times in four previous games, took it out on hapless San Jose State to the tune of 40-7 today. Idaho scored 27 points in the last 15 minutes. It was a wet, cold and muddy struggle on fairly even terms for three quarters before the San Jose defenses collapsed and Idaho rushed over four touchdowns. Two were set up by blocked punts, another came on an intercepted pass. Fleet Glen Christian, Idaho's senior halfback from Talent, Ore., scored three times and generally sparked a Vandal attack that got rolling for the first time this year.

Table of Coastal Tides

Tides for Taft, Oregon, October, 1951. (Compiled by U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, Portland, Oregon.)

Oct.	Time	HL	Time	HL
21	5:43 a.m.	4.5	10:10 a.m.	3.6
	5:49 p.m.	3.7	11:21 p.m.	0.5
22	6:51 a.m.	4.6	11:28 a.m.	3.7
	4:51 p.m.	3.4	12:23 a.m.	0.6
23	7:50 a.m.	4.8	12:23 a.m.	3.9
	6:30 p.m.	3.3	1:24 a.m.	0.7
24	8:34 a.m.	5.1	1:29 a.m.	4.1
	7:22 p.m.	3.1	2:10 p.m.	2.2
25	9:10 a.m.	5.4	2:18 a.m.	0.9
	8:31 p.m.	3.1	3:06 p.m.	2.8
26	9:40 a.m.	5.8	3:04 a.m.	0.9
	9:21 p.m.	3.2	3:25 p.m.	1.9
27	10:07 a.m.	6.1	3:43 a.m.	1.1
	10:28 p.m.	3.3	4:33 p.m.	1.2
28	10:33 a.m.	6.5	4:18 a.m.	1.4
	11:21 p.m.	3.3	5:12 p.m.	0.4

Promising Prelims Added to Tuesday Mat Card

A couple of hot prelims have been added by Matchmaker Elton Owen to Tuesday night's armory... a game between vengeance-seeking Gordy Hessel and Bill Melby on the one side and Irish Jack and O'Reilly and Jack Carter on the other. The semi-windup will be Gordy Hessel, being best popular Carl Engstrom, who missed his last week's main event date because of a knee injury. Engstrom, given the semi as a test for his

ailing knee, will face Danno McDonald, the fiery and capable little Scotchman—and Danno has the guns to give Engstrom a tough time of it. Engstrom will be favored off the sparkling record he has built in the Salem arena—a record which holds but one defeat and that to Buddy Knox. Engstrom later squared things with Knox by beating him in Roseburg. A special event Tuesday eve introduces a newcomer to the local arena in person of Gino Nicolini, an Italian lad of the classic category. Handsome enough to be a sure hit with the bobby sexers, Gino has come a long way in the short time he has been grappling. Tuesday night he meets a tough opponent

in Kurt Von Poppenheim, the Dutchman from Portland who has been a near sensation in recent weeks in the Seattle and Tacoma areas. Kurt is rated close to Soldat Gerky in drawing power in the Puget Sound section. As for Tuesday night's tag teamer, this stands as a natural. Carter, seconding for O'Reilly last week, got a \$25 fine from the local athletic commission for interfering with the Hff between Irish Jack and Hessel. The loss went to Gory as he was counted out while standing outside the ropes arguing with Carter. Carrying lots of grudge, Hessel picked a capable partner in Melby—and needless to say the pair will be out to make it rugged for the O'Reilly-Carter duo.

Tennessee, Spart Win Strings Intact as 'Bama, Lions Beaten

(Continued from page 12.) The Lions, up to today, were the only unscored on major team in the country.

Notre Dame ran up a 33-0 margin over Pitt, and Army reached the postwar depth in its football fortunes by bowing to Harvard, an Ivy league team that has been consigned to the bottom of the heap, 22-21.

Cornell, the heir-apparent to the Ivy team crown, took care of one of its threats, Yale, 27-0. Brown and Dartmouth both went outside the league for their action, the Bears going down before Colgate, 32-14, and Dartmouth recording a 14-0 victory over Syracuse.

In the Midwest, Oklahoma triumphed over Kansas, 32-21, and Colorado overcame Kansas State, 20-7, in Big Seven games, while Minnesota defeated Nebraska—Bobby Reynolds-less Nebraska—39-30. Northwestern, which has developed into one of the Big Ten favorites, sunk navy, 16-7, and Iowa State turned back Missouri, 21-14.

Mississippi topped Tulane, 25-6, in another southern headliner, and William and Mary outscored North Carolina State, 35-28. Virginia defeated VMI, 34-14, and Duke slaped down Virginia Tech, 55-6. San Francisco rammed Fordham, 32-26, and Holy Cross took care of New York U., 53-6, in the east.

Alban Sparkles In Wildcat Win

EVANSTON, Ill., Oct. 20 (AP)—Dick Alban, 180-pound thunderbolt halfback, twice rocketed through Navy like a 16-pound shell for the key blows in unbeaten Northwestern's 16-7 triumph over winless Navy today. Alban launched one 88-yard scoring play and raced 69 yards for the second Wildcat touchdown.

SULLIVAN LEADS FLORIDA
GAINESVILLE, Fla., Oct. 20 (AP)—Haywood Sullivan, master of the forward pass, turned into a runner to lead Florida to a convincing 33-13 win over Vanderbilt here today.

Sturdy One Wins Tanforan Feature

SAN BRUNO, Oct. 20 (AP)—Sturdy One upset the dopesters today to take the \$40,000 added Tanforan handicap. The four-year-old thoroughbred, ridden by Ralph Neves at 118 pounds, toured the mile and a furlong in 1:51, nosing out Blue Cloth and Akimbo.

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'KID', WHITLOCK FOES
PORTLAND, Oct. 20 (AP)—Harry "Kid" Matthews will fight Dave Whitlock of San Francisco in a National Boxing club main event here Nov. 6. Matchmaker Tex Salkeld arranged the bout. Whitlock fought Matthews in Boise in August. Matthews won on a knockout in the sixth round.

LAURICELLA HOT
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 20 (AP)—Little Hank Lauricella, triple threat star for unbeaten Tennessee, cracked Alabama resistance with a 76-yard quick kick, passed for one touchdown and ran through Alabama for another score today as Tennessee won 27-13.

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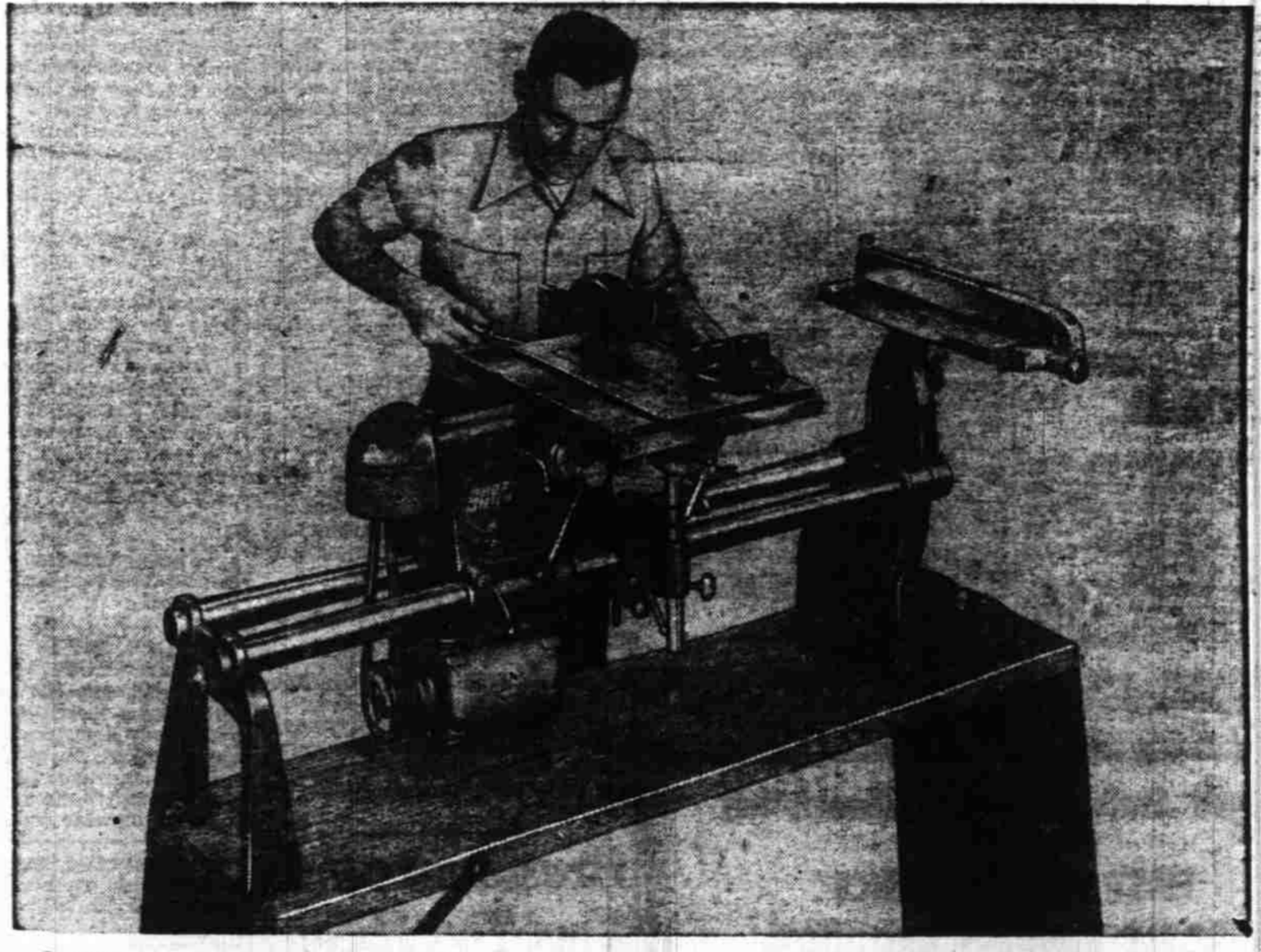
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