

Notre Dame Still Leads Poll But Maryland Gains C-Catholics Boast Big, Fast Foe for Vikings in Playoff Mix

Irish, Terps Face Toughies

Spats 3rd, Sooners 4th, Bruins Rate 5th

By HUGH FULLERTON JR.
NEW YORK (AP) — The race between Notre Dame and Maryland for the season's No. 1 rating in college football becomes closer as the other teams eliminate themselves from contention.

Those two teams, the only major powers still undefeated and untied this season, rounded up 135 of the 151 first place votes cast in the eighth weekly Associated Press ranking poll. And Maryland's position in the balloting continued to grow stronger as the Terrapins continued to win over increasingly strong opposition.

Notre Dame, an easy winner over North Carolina, remained on top of the list, where it has been all season, with 93 first place votes and a total of 1,404 points on the usual basis of 10 for first place, nine for second, etc.

But Maryland, which made well-regarded Mississippi look like another soft touch, moved within 60 points of the lead with 42 first and 1,344 points.

This struggle may be resolved next Saturday when Notre Dame plays Iowa and Maryland encounters Alabama. By whipping Minnesota, the surprising Iowa team earned 20th place in the ratings. Alabama, a 13-6 winner over the Georgia Tech team that was rated fifth a week ago, just missed a spot in the first ten teams.

Tech slips Georgia Tech was one of three teams which lost their high rankings of last week. Tech slipped from fifth to 12th. West Virginia its eighth to 19th and Baylor, ranked ninth before it took a 37-7 shellacking from Houston, didn't get placed in the first 20 this week.

Illinois, still a candidate for the Big Ten championship and he Rose Bowl bid, remained in the top ten despite a 34-7 whipping from Wisconsin. From third place, the Illini went down to seventh.

The old favorites which took their losses earlier then went back to winning, turned up in the higher places in the general reshuffling of the rankings. Michigan State, last year's national champion, moved back to third with an impressive 1,091 point total. Orange Bowl bound Oklahoma, clinching the Big Seven title, took over fourth with UCLA fifth.

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state are Timberline Lodge on Mt. Hood, the Multoppor Area at Mt. Hood, Santiam Lodge in Santiam Pass, Hoodoo Bowl at Santiam summit and the Willamette Pass area at Cascade Summit.

Ticket Sale Opens Today

Huge Rams Center Set For Saturday Battle

It will be a big, and fast foe for the Salem Vikings tangle with Saturday night in their state high school semifinals football battle at McCulloch Stadium.

The Central Catholic Rams defending state champs and undefeated and untied in nine games

Tickets for the Salem-Central Catholic game will go on sale today at 10 a.m. at Wicklund's Sporting Goods Store, on a first-come-first-served, while-they-last basis. No reserved seats are being sold for the game.

This season, will field a 190-pound line in front of a 168-pound backfield for the 8 p.m. fray. Needless to say, both units will be better than those possessed by the Vikings. The Viking forward wall scales around 175 pounds per pillar on average, and the backfield has to muscle up considerably to hit the 165-pound level.

Tickets for the playoff game, first in history for Salem here, go on sale today at Wicklund's Sporting Goods Store, 372 State St., and at the high school. There will be no reserved seat tickets and the ducks will go on a first-come-first-served basis. So will the seats in the stadium Saturday night.

There are 3,500 grandstand seats. Another 3,000 bleacher seats are being installed around the playing field. Chances are the biggest football crowd in the city's history will watch the game.

Coach Harry Scarff's Rams, who use both the T and double wing formations, got a big lift this week with the announcement that their huge center, 221-pound Hal Duffy, will be ready for action (cont. on next page.)

TRABERT WINS
SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — America's Tony Trabert whipped Australia's Mervyn Rose in a strenuous five-set match played in 100-plus heat Tuesday to set up a preview of Davis Cup strength in the semifinals of the New South Wales tennis championships.

Salem High's 1937 Team Had Great Season Also, Claimed State Championship



While Salem High's current football team is running up the most impressive record in school history, oldtimers are looking back a few years to other outstanding Viking clubs. Pictured above is one of these, the 1937 outfit which compiled an 8-won, 1-lost mark and claimed what was at that time the mythical state championship. Can you recognize any of the faces above? If not, they

belong as follows: On ground (l-r), Gosser, Barham, Stewart, Manager Bailey and Manager Jaskowski. Standing (l-r), Assistant Coach Cranor, Swingle, C. Jarris, Bahnsen, Henderson, Gottfried, R. King, Hill, Wadsworth, Hillman, Williams, Steiger, E. Jarvis, Miller, Heine and Coach Harold Hauk. Sitting (l-r), Manager McKay, Leedy, Hansell, Smith, Rollins, Chapman, Krueger,

Allport, Nelson, Yada, Maynard, Myers, Bentson, Wickert, King, McRae, Smith and Assistant Coach Gould. The 1937 team started the season with a 12-7 loss to Camas, Wash., but then defeated Chemawa 32-0, Albany 32-0, McMinnville 34-0, Astoria 26-14, The Dalles 21-0, Eugene 13-6, Silverton 13-6 and Corvallis 26-0 to claim the title.

WU's Travel Roster Picked

Coach Ted Ogdahl Tuesday announced the 27-man Willamette University traveling squad which leaves Thursday evening for the south and a Saturday night season-closing game with unbeaten Cal Poly.

Ogdahl reports no serious injuries among his men, so the Bearcats should be in top shape for what likely will be their toughest opponent of the campaign.

Ogdahl and Aide Jerry Frei will wind up drills today at McCulloch Stadium and the WU party will entrain at 5:55 Thursday eve for the south.

The traveling roster: Ends—Dean Benson, Phil McCallister, Bruce Harding and Mike Hovis. Tackles — Dave Anderson, Dorence Noteboom, Bob Dyer and Dale Greenlee. Guards — Andy George, Rube Menashe, Ray (Continued Next Page)

Engstrom, Kruskamp In Bicep Wins at Armory

Carl Engstrom and Hardy Kruskamp emerged with the wins last night in the dual main event at the Armory, Engstrom winning via disqualification over Eric (The Arrogant) Pederson, and Kruskamp doing likewise in his stormy brawl with Lindsey. Both matches were loaded with action, much of it against the rules.

In the Pederson-Engstrom mix, the Los Angeles blond got the first fall with a full nelson. Then the Chicago Cutie evened the count with a series of spectacular whip wrist locks, followed by his pet and punishing arm swivel.

Pederson had Engstrom on the run in No. 3 before the latter pitched Eric from the ring. When Pederson got back to the ring apron to apply another full nelson while still outside the ring, he was counted out by Referee George Drake, and Engstrom, although somewhat battered, was declared winner. Pederson got a good punch or two in on Ref Drake before he departed the premises.

Lindsey also used a full nelson to spill Kruskamp in the first fall of their squabble, after which the veteran and bald Kruskamp tied it up with a leg binder and half crab. When Kruskamp repeatedly got rough in the final fall, Lindsey grew more and more angry. Finally he knocked Kruskamp from the ring, stomped him good, manhandled Ref Drake and wound up disqualified.

It was a surprise loss for Lindsey, who next Tuesday night wrestles world heavy champ Lou Tetz here.

In last night's only prelim Danny McDonald got the only fall in a 30-minute sizzler with Red Vagnone. Don Kindred was supposed to show on the card also, but is under suspension, a disciplinary action, by Matchmaker Elton Owen.

Beshore Faced By Bucceroni

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Dan Bucceroni, who hopes to land a title match with heavyweight Champion Rocky Marciano, makes his Los Angeles debut Wednesday night and is heavily picked to use aging Freddie Beshore for a punching bag for the benefit of the local fans and a national television audience.

The match goes on the TV screens at 7 p.m. (PST), and at least \$12,000 worth of tickets have been sold. The television sponsor bought 'em to be certain some one is in the Olympic Auditorium.

NEW GRID OFFICERS

The Salem Football Officials Association has elected new officers for the next session. Harry Williams is the president, George Sirnio, vice president and Jim Wiles, secretary-treasurer. Outgoing officers are Allen Lee, president; Williams, vice president, and Frank Guerin, secretary.

BOWLING Scores

LADIES CLASSIC LEAGUE (U BOWL)
Robertus Bros. (2) — Alesthere 294; Jackson 425; Hanum 322; Posselt 529; Allbright 482; Hopfinger 422; (2) — Leinhard 489; Hoffinger 422; Murray 298; Lawlers 472; Carr 453.
Herold, Phillips (4) — Krejci 416; Garbarino 353; Curry 496; Laird 437; Muellerhaupt 483; Lee's Fine Cars (6) — Merril 469; Reinke 414; Aaron 464; Greenlee 331; Little 444.
Simmons Ins. Agcy. (4) — Johnson 382; Haley 363; Graffius 386; Arnold 413; Smith 409; Thriftway Cleaners (6) — Rounds 333; Hagen 366; Fallen 422; Loken 441; Kunkel 464.
Osko Ins. Agcy. (4) — Upston 401; Lutz 382; Gould 408; Bradley 439; Thompson 447; China City (8) — Thomas 401; Lemke 356; Hillerich 323; Ade 394; Grim 368.
High team series — Herold Phillips 2345.
High team game — Roberts Bros. 855.
High individual series — C. Posselt 529.
High individual game — V. Garbarino 219.

Tide Table

Tides for Taft, Oregon, November, 1953 (Compiled by U. S. Coast Geodetic Survey, Portland, Ore.)
HIGH WATERS LOW WATERS
Nov Time Ht. Time Ht.
18 9:29 a.m. 7.5 3:29 a.m. 1.7
19 10:27 p.m. 5.2 4:43 p.m. -0.5
19 10:19 a.m. 7.8 4:29 a.m. 2.1
20 11:37 p.m. 5.3 5:32 p.m. -1.2
20 11:02 a.m. 8.0 4:30 a.m. 2.4
21 6:29 a.m. -1.4

Stalwart.



EUGENE — Hal Reeve, above, 222-pound junior tackle from North Bend, a member of the Oregon line which has gained widespread recognition for its ability, will be a starter here Saturday afternoon when the Webfoots play Oregon State in their annual big game. Kickoff is at 1:30 p.m.

Linksters Slate Dinner at SGC

The final Men's Club dinner of the season is to be held at Salem Golf Course at 6 o'clock Thursday, with the "Dubbers" paying the check as a result of their loss to the "Flubbers" in the annual match last Sunday. The election of officers for the coming year is to be held Thursday night also. A full turnout of the membership is urged.

Rock Returns To OSC Squad

CORVALLIS (AP) — Reports from the Oregon State football squad, which drilled behind locked gates Tuesday, indicated that John Hall, a junior reserve, may start as left tackle in next weekend's game with Oregon.

Also slated for more action are tackle Jim Luster and guard Art Keith, both of whom were handicapped in last week's game by injuries. Fullback Jim Rock also returned to practice Tuesday after a three-week layoff.

Rollin' Along

With Jerry Stone

Jimmy Grogan, the former Silverton boy who rose to the heights in amateur ice skating, has around a year to serve in the Army... His brothers say Jimmy still is up in the air about what to do with his prowess on the thin blades when he gets the discharge—whether to take another crack at the Olympic title in '56 or turn pro with some such troupe as Sonja Henie's. Meanwhile Jimmy is entertaining troops as a member of a special service unit.

Remember Millard Grove, the one-time local links phenom whose brilliant prospects were apparently dashed by an accident with a live wire on the old Ilwaco course? At a very tender age, Millard was absolutely the toughest linkster in this area. And then came the accident which rendered two fingers useless...

Has that misfortune stopped the guy's golfing? Well, figure it out... His brother, Red Grove, reports that Millard recently fashioned a 63 on the tough Wilshire course in Los Angeles, where he now resides... A few years ago he rang up a Wilshire mark with a 62... And that mark continues to stand even though some fairly capable dubbers like Ben Hogan and Lloyd Mangrum have taken cracks at it... Millard considers himself merely another Sunday golfer—but what a Sunday golfer...

Two yards gained and two touchdowns; how is that for capitalizing on opportunity? That's what Linfield's Wildcats did in wham-bowling Willamette the other night—top production with an absolute minimum of effort... The Wildcats won though murdered in the statistics department; they won despite a very sub-normal offensive performance by the great Ad Rutschman...

The Wildcat star had many a great yardage-gaining game during his four-year Linfield career—but it's interesting to note that he never has been a ball-carrying terror against the Bearcats... However, Ad made his presence known last Saturday night with an inspired brand of defensive ball—such as three key interceptions and some effective kicking...

The Johnny Ray of the Willamette basketball squad is not the crooner nor any relation to the crooner—and also the Bearcats' Johnny isn't the crying type... In fact Coach John Lewis has hopes that Ray will be one of the guys that'll keep himself from crying... Slats Gill of OSC says that 6-8 Red Rocha, his center just after the second World War, is the most alert big man he ever saw...

Bruins Better All-Round Club Than Indians

Stanford's Bobby Garrett is truly a great passer but there's strong opinion that UCLA's Bruins would be the Coast Conference's best bet in the Rose Bowl (yes, despite the one-point loss to the Indians)... The Bruins, led by Paul Cameron, have a more potent all-round game, so goes the opinion... BUT here's a hunch that Southern Cal will knock off UCLA Saturday and thereby give Stanford automatic entry into the Pasadena classic. Garrett should be able to take care of Cal...

Oregon State's Kip Taylor has shaken off his robe of gloom and bravely started predicting OSC wins. Kip did it last week and the prediction came through against WSC; now he's trying the same formula for the approaching mix with Oregon... Stanford's Chuck Taylor carried on in a similarly optimistic fashion a couple of years ago. Chuck's predictions looked awfully good—when he was winning. When fortune nose-dived, Chuck's eye lost that confident gleam and he fell back into the pattern of being a normal and pessimistic football coach...

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Skiing Prospects Bright

New facilities and organizational interest in winter sports in Oregon make prospects for the 1953-54 season even brighter than last year's when a record number of enthusiasts visited major areas in the state.

The Pacific Northwestern Ski Association, (101 West Burnside Street, Portland 9, Oregon), reports 16 sanctioned ski events at Oregon ski areas during the winter season. First event is the Arnold Lunn Downhill, Class A, B, Junior and Open, Men and Women, sponsored by the Schne Vogell Ski Club at Mt. Hood on December 20. Last event, though not within the normal winter season, the Golden Rose Class A Ski Meet, at Mt. Hood on June 12, indicates the long skiing season which may be enjoyed in Oregon. Included in the ski areas in the

Tangerine Bowl For Arkie State

JONESBORO, Ark. (AP) — Arkansas State College Tuesday announced acceptance of an invitation to play East Texas State of Commerce in the Tangerine Bowl football game at Orlando, Fla., New Year's Day.

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Everyone working at Radio and Television service or installations is invited to attend this meeting.

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