

# OSC, Iowa Cautious About Heavy Contact Practice

## Snider Pockets Slugging Title

### Adcock, Aaron Next in Line in National

NEW YORK (AP)—Duke Snider of Brooklyn, the National League home run king, also led in slugging percentage with a .508 figure.

Joe Adcock of Milwaukee was next to Snider with a .507 mark in the averages based on total bases divided by total at bats.

Others near the top were Henry Aaron of Milwaukee and Frank Robinson of Cincinnati, .506 each, and Willie Mays of New York .557.

Snider also showed the way in total walks 99, including a new record of 26 intentional passes. The old record for intentionals was 25 set by Ted Kluszewski in 1955.

**Post Fanned Meat**

Wally Post, one of Cincinnati's leading home run hitters who often hits long "tape measure" drives, struck out more times than any other National Leaguer, a total of 124. In contrast, Don Mueller of the New York Giants, who specializes in place hitting, fanned only seven times. Post, incidentally, hit 36 homers, drove in 83 runs and batted .249. Mueller rapped only five homers, drove in 41 and hit .269.

## Reserve Strength Lacking

### Salisbury Among Three Beaver Injuries

PASADENA, Calif. (AP)—Rival Rose Bowl coaches Tommy Prothro of Oregon State and Forest Evashevski of Iowa pleaded lack of reserve strength Friday and played cautious about heavy contact work.

The businesslike but affable Hawkeye headman from Iowa City said he has four or possibly five first string men who are key players. He cannot risk injury to any of them.

Prothro, the man from Oregon, said his problem is not so much regulars as "players to practice against."

Oregon State's 40-man squad is now, at least temporarily, reduced to 27. Out with injuries are third stringers Carl Maxwell and Chuck Reich, ends, and tackle Terry Salisbury.

Evashevski said it would be hard to replace center Don Suchy, end Frank Gilliam, quarterback Ken Ploen and tackle Alex Karras. He also added Frank Bloomquist, guard, to this list.

Neither coach is exactly happy with the training outlook as matters stand. But as Prothro observed, no coach is satisfied a week or 10 days before a big game.

Oregon State, Prothro announced is moving its practice sessions from Santa Monica City College to Spaulding Field at UCLA next Monday, primarily because the UCLA field provides more privacy. Prothro called it "indoors."

UCLA's field is also something of an alma mater for the one-time Duke University star, since he was an assistant coach at UCLA from 1949 until he went to Oregon State as head coach in 1955.

Evashevski summed up one sentiment handsily with the comment: "We know what Oregon State probably will do, but not when they will do it."

The Hawkeye coach concluded with: "I'd be very happy right now to settle for another one point Iowa victory."

He referred to Iowa's 14-13 win over Oregon State Oct. 6, which now sets up the first Rose Bowl replay of a regular season game.

## Russell Learns Celtic Tricks



BOSTON—Bill Russell of San Francisco and the U.S. Olympic basketball team watches Coach Red Auerbach of the Boston Celtics maneuver the ball on his finger shortly after the 6-10 player signed a contract and donned a uniform for a workout here. Russell is expected to make his basketball debut as a Celtic Saturday in a nationally televised game against the St. Louis Hawks. (AP Wirephoto)

## High Ranking Teams Find Troubles in Basketball

### No. 10 Kansas St. Loses Game to Minnesota

By DON WEISS  
The Associated Press

It's beginning to look as if a place of honor in the national college basketball rankings is more a kiss of death than a pat on the back.

Continuing the trend of a week that began with San Francisco's first loss in two years, 10th-rated Kansas State was spilled last night by Minnesota, two members of the Associated Press poll's second 10 were beaten, and even North Carolina, No. 3, had the scare of its life before finally struggling to its sixth straight victory.

The North Carolina Tar Heels, playing at Madison Square Garden, wound up a 64-59 winner over so-so New York University, but only after Bob Cunningham and reserve Joe Quibb had rushed to the rescue of the Carolina ace, Len Rosenbluth, who was held without a field goal for the first 30 minutes and wound up with only nine points.

Minnesota also sprung a couple of unassuming players to hand K-State its first loss after four wins, 80-72. Buck Lindsay, with a five-point average, scored 21, and George Hanson added 18 to overbalance a 33-point show by State's Jack Parr.

Alabama, rated 17th, was handed a 73-50 shelling by unranked Wake Forest, and La Salle, also unranked, in the rankings, cost North Carolina State (19) its third loss 83-76.

St. Bonaventure, regularly among the best in the East, lost its first in four 64-63 to Iowa (N.Y.) on an over-the-head shot by Joe Bernardi with 10 seconds to play. Indiana, an easy winner over La Salle earlier in the week, was beaten by Villanova 79-69. Nebraska, which dumped strong Purdue from the unbeaten list a couple days ago, needed Don Smith's one-

### South Carolina, which carried North Carolina into overtime before losing last Saturday, defeated Georgia Tech 90-83 behind a 77-point job by Grady Wallace Bradley, trailing 18-6 at one point, overcame Wisconsin 74-62, and Oklahoma City, tied for 13th in the AP ratings, got a school record of 43 points from Hubert Reed in a 91-74 decision over San Jose State.

## Talk of Dirty Pro Football Doesn't Scare Collegians

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—There's talk of dirty football in professional football, but it's not scaring the East-West collegians, the play-for-pay stars of tomorrow.

To a man, those who intend to join the National Football League or Canadian pro ranks next fall pook-pooked the ruckus going on over charges of dirty play and player pools for "getting" key men.

"You get out there at your own risk," commented Paul Hatcher, a 6-foot-2, 215-pound Arizona end, who already has had two games against the pro Los Angeles Rams while a member of a service team.

Who was rougher? Some of the college teams, Hatcher, a Chicago Bear draft choice, said.

All Football Rough

Stanford's John Brodie, San Francisco 49er No. 1 draft pick, and the West quarterback, said he anticipated "quite a few cracks in the nose next year."

Southern California's quick-stepping Jon Arnett, headed for the Rams, and Abe Woodson of Illinois, a prospective 49er, all had the same thought: all football is rough and the pro game is just another step up the ladder — but no rougher than the jump from high school to college.

Don Owens, 6-6, 250 pounds of ex-Marine and Mississippi Southern tackle, shrugged off all the hubbaloop. Owens, who intends to play at Pittsburgh next season, likes his football so much he files out of here right after the Dec. 29 Shrine affair for Orlando, Fla. to join his teammates for a bowl game. The Mississippians play West Texas State in the Tangerine Bowl Jan. 1.



PALO ALTO, Calif.—Phil Mo-Hugh, University of Oregon end, will be a target for quarterback John Brodie's passes during the East-West Shrine game here Dec. 29. Brodie, Stanford, was the nation's leading passer this year. (AP Wirephoto)

## Berra Expects Several Will Adopt No-Windup Delivery

By JACK HAND

NEW YORK (AP)—Yogi Berra expects to see several pitchers following the lead of Don Larsen and Bob Turley, his New York Yankee teammates, by trying to pitch without a windup next season.

Berra was at Yankee Stadium yesterday with Whitey Ford, leading American League pitcher, to sign their 1957 contracts.

It was reported — or maybe guessed is the better word — that Berra will be paid \$58,000 and Ford about \$25,000.

"A pitcher has got to be a big fellow to get away with no windup," said Berra. "He's got to have good natural stuff like Larsen or Turley."

"And a sinker ball pitcher couldn't get by without his wind-

## Ortega Faces DeMarco Foe

NEW YORK (AP)—If Gaspar Ortega repeats his upset victory over Tony DeMarco in tonight's rematch at Madison Square Garden, it will be time to take seriously the challenger of the lanky Mexican welterweight.

Ortega's split decision over the former champion in his Nov. 23 bout resulted in a revision of the 147-pound ratings. Both Ring and the National Boxing Assn. promptly awarded Ortega the No. 4 post among Carmen Basilio's challengers. DeMarco remained No. 1 with the NBA but slipped to second in the Ring.

Despite his recent defeat, DeMarco is a 2-1 favorite.

Ortega has won his last four and 36 of 43 pro starts. DeMarco's record is 45-7-1 for 53 fights.

"I don't think he beat me last time," Ortega said. "I thought I won, looking lousy. The trouble was that I was a big favorite and everybody expected more. He's an awkward fighter, a hard guy to figure out."

NBC will broadcast and telecast at 10 p.m. EST.

## Lions Coach Parker Keeps 'Em Guessing

Contract Expires Dec. 31; Boss 6 Years

By DAVE DILES

DETROIT (AP)—Raymond K. (Buddy) Parker, a likable 43-year-old Texan who once made less money coaching the Detroit Lions than Bo McMillin did for not coaching them, has everyone guessing whether he'll return as the football team's head coach in 1957.

After a whirlwind of activities yesterday, including a closed-door meeting of the Lions' board of directors, a huddle among the club's president, its general manager and Parker, and a confusing news conference — in that order — these questions remain unanswered:

1. How badly, if at all, does Parker want to stay on as head coach?

2. How much are the Lions willing to pay to keep the man who has guided them to three division titles in six years in the National Football League?

3. What prompted Parker to an announcement that he would not ask the board for a contract renewal?

Parker's one-year contract expires Dec. 31. After six seasons as head coach of the club, he said he did not ask the directors to renew his contract. He gave no reason.

It appeared unlikely, however, that Parker would let his Lions contract lapse unless he had something definite in mind. Several attractive college jobs, such as Southern Methodist, are open and several pro vacancies are in prospect, such as Baltimore and Pittsburgh.

"Fed Up"

Parker said Sunday after the Lions lost the Western Division ti-

## Aragon Given Suspension for Fight Fix Try

Banned for Indefinite Period; Goldstein Out 30 Days

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)—Art Aragon, third ranked welterweight, was suspended indefinitely by Texas Boxing Commissioner H. B. Morgan Thursday for trying to fix a fight in San Antonio with Dick Goldstein.

A 30-day suspension was given Goldstein, a boxing buddy of Aragon. Both men are from Los Angeles, Calif. Goldstein fought in Washington State several years back under the name of Dick Szibette.

Under rules of the National Boxing Assn. both men are automatically suspended in all states except New York.

The suspension came after both men had taken the defecation tests. Morgan said, "I concluded that there had been conversation between the two about the fight. It was understood that Goldstein was to go down and Aragon was to win."

Morgan said the conversations concerning Goldstein taking a "dive" in the third round were first held in Los Angeles.

"It's another case of a big-time fighter not wanting to take a chance of being whipped by a little-time fighter," Morgan said.

Goldstein testified in a hearing Wednesday that he was offered \$500 and threatened with death if he didn't take a "dive"—fake losing the fight—in the third round.

The scheduled bout Tuesday was called off when a State Boxing Commission doctor said Aragon had a reddened throat and a slight fever.

Morgan said both fighters took lie detector tests arranged by San Antonio police.

"The tests revealed the Goldstein story was substantially truthful and Aragon's—well, there were variations, at least," said Morgan.

## 'Evy' Doesn't Fool Prothro In Interview

PASADENA, Calif. (AP)—All is not war and grimness on the Rose Bowl front this year.

Oregon State's coach, Tommy Prothro, was calling into the press room from Santa Monica with a loud speaker telephone report of the day's activities as sports writers asked the questions.

Without benefit of identification, Iowa's coach, Forest Evashevski, took over the phone and in mock seriousness inquired:

"Tommy, what type of defense are you going to use?"

Obviously recognizing Evy's voice, and without a pause, Prothro just as seriously replied:

"We will use an 11-6-3 defense."

## Wichita Signs S.M.U. Coach

WOODWARD, Kan. (AP)—Chalmers E. (Woody) Woodward, who resigned his \$12,500 a year job before the last game of a losing season at Southern Methodist, came back to his hometown today to sign a three-year contract as head football coach of the University of Wichita.

Woodward, handsome "nice guy" coach of the SMU Mustangs for four years, was hired Thursday night to replace resigned Wichita mentor Pete Williamson for \$10,000 a year. Woodward, 39, will receive \$500 raises each of the last two years of his contract.

Woodward, named Coach of the Week by United Press after the Mustangs beat Notre Dame in the first week of the season, won four games and lost six in his last year at SMU. His overall record with the Ponies was 19-20-1. His lifetime record is 120-37-4.

## Brodie Escapes Injury in Wreck

SAN CARLOS, Calif. (AP)—Stanford's star quarterback, John Brodie, the nation's leading passer in 1956, escaped injury in a spectacular automobile accident early Friday.

Brodie's car ran off the Bayshore Freeway at the San Carlos intersection, bowled over a big highway marker sign, skidded 150 feet and landed in a shallow ditch.

The windshield was smashed and Brodie was showered with glass but unharmed.

Football fans are looking forward to a duel Dec. 29 between Brodie, quarterback for the West team, and Paul Hornung of Notre Dame, quarterback for the East, in the annual Shrine Game.

## Packers Ready to Quit Pro Grid Rank

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP)—Quarterback Tobin Rote is ready to quit calling signals for the Green Bay Packers but he hinted that money could change his mind.

Rote, who completed his seventh season with the Packers last week, announced his retirement from pro football but qualified it by adding "unless my wife changes her mind."

"I'm all up to Rotey," he said. "We have three children and an offer on the way and she says she doesn't want to go back to Green Bay next year. She just doesn't want to move every year."

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