

# Wave of Upsets Hits Top-Ranked Fives in All-College Tourney; Utes Play Kentucky

## Adolph Rupp Seeks 500th Win Tonight

By JOHN GRIFFIN  
United Press Sports Writer  
If high-riding Kentucky needs any danger warning about its tournament clash with upset-happy Utah tonight, it need only look at the wave of disaster that struck down all four first-round favorites in the All-College Tournament at Kansas City.

Ousted in All-College surprises Monday night were Wyoming and Wichita, both nationally ranked powers, the always-strong Oklahoma and tall and rugged Houston.

### Meets Utah

Kentucky, playing host in its own Holiday Tournament at Lexington, Ky., collides in the first round there tonight with Utah, the same hot-shooting club that upset LaSalle on Saturday night and knocked it right out of the No. 1 National ranking. Kentucky will be risking two streaks, a 28-game winning skein and a 126-game home court winning streak, and Coach Adolph Rupp will be seeking the 500th win of his career.

Oddly enough, LaSalle will be rooting for Utah to register another big win. LaSalle is favored over Southern California in tonight's other first-round game and is hoping for a second shot at Utah in Wednesday night's final.

### GW Upsets Okies

George Washington, reigning champion of the Southern Conference, upset the Oklahoma Aggies, defending champs of the Missouri Valley Conference, 56-46 in the feature game of Monday's All-College opening program. The Aggies, defending and 11-time champions of this tournament, trailed all the way after the first two minutes as Walt Devlin and Joe Holup scored 20 points each for George Washington.

Wyoming, ranked 15th nationally, was beaten by Tulsa, 69-64, in a ding-dong battle that saw the score tied 35 times. Bob Patterson and Dick Courter were almost the whole Tulsa attack with 29 and 24 points respectively. Wichita, ranked 19th nationally, took a 94-75 drubbing from San Francisco, which raced to a 25-3 lead in the opening minutes and had the game's high scorer in Jerry Mullen with 29 points. Oklahoma City downed Houston, 72-65, although it couldn't stop Houston's 7-foot center, Don Boldebeck, who tallied 28 points and snared 24 rebounds. City went into the game with a 1-3 record, Houston with 5-1.

In second-round games tonight, San Francisco plays Oklahoma City and Tulsa meets George Washington.

### Other Ranked Teams Win

Four other nationally ranked teams—Duquesne No. 10, Cincinnati No. 13, Louisville No. 17, and Alabama No. 19—scored impressive wins in non-tournament games.

Duquesne ran its record to five victories in six starts by whipping St. Francis (Pa.), 71-58. Cincinnati made it 7-for-7 by trouncing College of Pacific, 97-59. Louisville won another inter-sectional clash just as easily, beating Oregon, 101-72. And Alabama followed up its title triumph in the Birmingham Classic tournament by beating Nebraska, 88-76, as Jerry Harper tallied 28 points.

In other games: Ronnie Mayer's 30 points led Duke to a 90-

Dayton, O.—(U.P.)—The University of Oregon's basketball team runs from the frying pan into the fire tonight.

The Ducks dropped a 101-72 decision last night to Louisville University at Louisville, Ky., a team ranked 17th in the nation in the United Press ratings. Tonight, Coach Bill Borchers' team clashes with Dayton here, a team ranked sixth in the country. Tomorrow night Oregon meets Detroit.

Louisville started slow but got hot and pulled ahead 42-34 at the half. The Kentucky club finished with a 53 per cent shooting average from the field. It was the most points ever scored against Oregon in a single game.

Jim Loscutoff led Oregon in scoring with 19 points. Center Max Anderson followed with 16, while Jerry Ross had 10, Ray Bell nine and Ed Bingham eight.

Charley Tyra led Louisville with 22 points.

# SPORTS

## Illinois Takes No. 1 Spot in Hoop Ratings Utah Moves to 2nd

By EARLY WRIGHT  
United Press Sports Writer  
New York—(U.P.)—Illinois, which managed to escape the early season upsets that struck some of the country's top college basketball teams, today took over the No. 1 spot in the United Press weekly ratings.

Illinois received 11 first-place votes and a total of 283 points

which topped the rankings during the first two weeks, Saturday night. That victory earned Utah seven first-place votes and 257 points and moved the Western team from eighth to second place.

Kentucky, which plays host to Utah tonight, slipped from second to third although it raised its record to 3-0 with an 18-point triumph over Temple Saturday night. The Wildcats drew eight first-place votes and 216 points.

LaSalle, defending NCAA champion and the coaches' No. 1 choice in the pre-season rankings, dropped to fourth. The Philadelphia team received three first-place votes and 210 points.

North Carolina State slipped from fourth to fifth despite its 8-0 record. The Atlantic Coast Conference team collected two first-place votes and 173 points.

Dayton joined Utah in making a big jump, advancing from 12th to sixth because of its 6-0 record. The Ohio team attracted one first place vote and 98 points. Ohio State was close behind, collecting one first place vote and 97 points on its 4-0 record.

Missouri received 95 points and moved up from ninth to eighth. Niagara, tied with Iowa for 10th last week, was ninth with 79 points. Duquesne received one first place vote and rounded out the top 10 with 76 points. Duquesne was seventh last week.

### TV Viewers May Get Rose Bowl Programs

Pasadena, Calif.—(U.P.)—Programs will be made available for the second year to television viewers of the Rose Bowl football game between Ohio State and the University of Southern California.

The Rose Bowl Program Committee announced yesterday it would mail out to those sending \$1 to Rose Bowl game program, postoffice box 750, Pasadena, programs in time for the game.

Last year as an experiment the programs were prepared in time to be mailed to televiewers and thousands sent in for the books.

Dead line Sunday Classified in at noon Saturday; 10 a.m. Monday for Monday; other days 3:30 previous day

## Andy Kerr Still Favors Double Wing

By SCOTT BAILLIE  
San Francisco—(U.P.)—The storied double wing on which Colgate and coach Andy Kerr rode close to gridiron heights 25 years ago remained close to his heart today as he headed toward his 28th East-West Shrine game. "Mr. East" will be at his familiar spot on the 50-yard line Jan. 1 as he works his sixth year as advisory coach to that squad after 23 games as the top man.

The T and single wing may have pushed the Warner system into the background but Kerr maintains it is far from gone.

"Most of the pros use the double wing when they start a pass play only you hear it described by broadcasters as a 'spread formation,'" Kerr said. "It is the best passing formation in football."

But the canny Scot from Carlisle, Pa., would not be trapped into saying that the double wing is the best overall system.

"I'll put it this way," he grinned. "You can do a lot more things better from the double wing."

### Terrific Interference

Terrific interference helped make it crackle in Kerr's heyday with the Red Raiders, and so did fullbacks like Len Macaluso, who scored 145 points in the 1929 season.

Despite the array of fine backs who played for Colgate in Kerr's 18 seasons there, his all-time choice is lineman Danny Fortman.

"He was a Phi Beta Kappa, became a guard with the great Chicago Bears of 1940 and now is a successful physician in Los Angeles," Kerr said. "All my players have gone on to become successful business men, lawyers or doctors. That means a lot."

Kerr's top team was the Colgate eleven of 1932.

"Sure I'll repeat it," Andy laughed. "Undeclared, untied, unscored on and uninvited. That remark will outlive me."

But it was no laughing matter 22 years ago. For after the Red Raiders had turned in their greatest season in history, Southern California passed them up and invited Pitt to the Rose Bowl.

The final score was USC 35, Pitt 0.

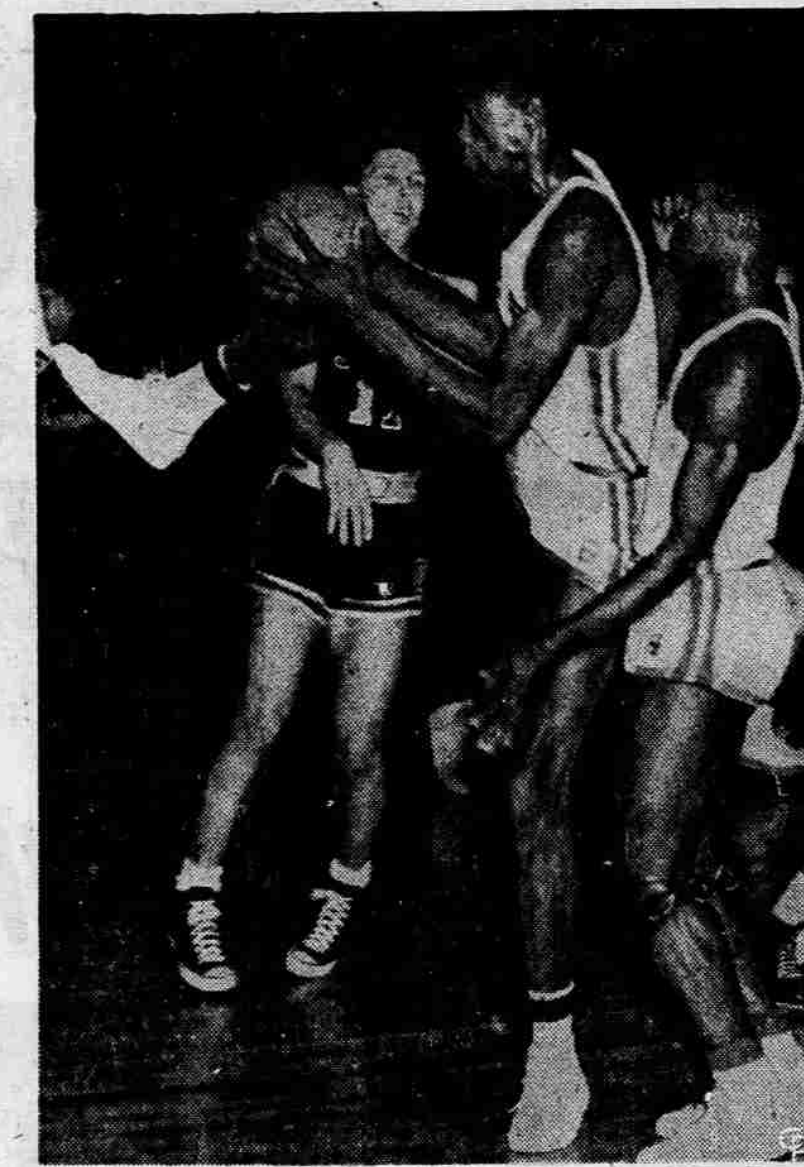
### Recreation Loop Games Contested

Eighty-four boys are participating in the Saturday recreation basketball league at Medford senior high school.

The 10-team loop opened last weekend with four games contested. Gold Ray Salmon Backs beat Screwballs 24 to 20. Cottonpickers won from Mountain Boys 41 to 23. Senior Wieners downed Beany Boys 59 to 17 and Tweekers bounced the Flubbin' Five 23 to 18.

Other entries in the circuit are Thunderbirds and Nico-Quint.

Next games are set for January 8 with Salmon Backs against Thunderbirds at 10 a.m., Senior Wieners against Nico-Quint at 11 a.m., Flubbin' Five against Beany Boys at 1 p.m. and Cottonpickers against Screwballs at 2 p.m.



TAKING REBOUND with feet flying University of San Francisco's 6-9 1/2 center Bill Russell dwarfs teammate K. C. Jones and Oregon State defender Bill Toole as USF beats Beavers 60-34 in San Francisco Cow Palace double header. (International)

## Southern Cal Primed To Upset Ohio State

By ALEX KAHN  
Los Angeles—(U.P.)—University of Southern California, its football players, coaches and student body, are primed for an upset win over Ohio State in the Rose Bowl Jan. 1.

There's a do-or-die air about Bovard Field every day as the Trojans buckle down for the New Year's Day engagement in Pasadena. Playing in the Rose Bowl is no novelty to Southern California which has represented the West there 11 times and holds the best record of any coast team, nine wins and two losses.

"Ohio State isn't going to chase us out of the Rose Bowl," says coach Jess Hill. "They'll know they've been in a football game. We went into the Notre Dame expecting to win and we feel the same way about Ohio State. We'll be ready."

Notre Dame will attest to the rugged play of the Trojan line men. The big question is whether they can play as well against Ohio State's admittedly fine line.

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## Watkins Takes Place Of Injured Bobo for Buckeye Rose Bowlers

Pasadena, Calif.—(U.P.)—Right halfback Bobby Watkins today replaced injured Hubert Bobo in the fullback spot on the Ohio State football team, while Jerry Harkrader moved up into Watkins' spot at right half.

Coach Woody Hayes pulled the surprise switch yesterday as he started the Buckeyes off on three days of intensive twice a day drills for the New Year's

Rose Bowl game against Southern California.

The backfield composed of Watkins, Harkrader, quarterback Dave Leggett and left halfback Howard Cassidy ran through Buckeye offensive formations yesterday.

Bobo suited up, but merely ran around the playing field testing his injured leg and said he thought he could start drilling with the team soon.

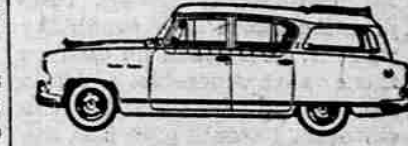
The Ohio State coach was worried about the warm weather which climbed up to 80 degrees. He said he would have to anticipate such heat on New Year's day.

Los Angeles—(U.P.)—Guard Orlando Ferrante and fullback Wayne Kurlak have joined Southern California workouts in preparation for the Rose Bowl clash against Ohio State. Defensive Scrimmage

Ferrante and Kurlak took part in yesterday's drill in which the Trojan varsity held a defensive scrimmage against Ohio State plays. It was their first contact workout since Rose Bowl practice started.

Wingback Lindon Crow, although in full uniform with pads was kept out of contact work but did run through plays with the team. The only other injured player, reserve end Chuck Leimbach, was expected to recover in a day or two from a sprained ankle.

Last night the players moved into a hotel where they will stay until New Year's day. Of the 43 men on the Rose Bowl squad, 14 who are married were permitted to live at home.



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### Cleveland Baron's Scoring Trio Take Top Three Places

New York—(U.P.)—The Cleveland Baron's scoring trio of Fred Glover, Eddie Olson and Jackie Gordon today regained possession of the first, second and third positions in the American Hockey League scoring race.

Glover, the right wing, led the league in total points. He scored 17 goals and 26 assists for a total of 43 points. Olson, the left wing, was second with 40 points on 22 goals and 18 assists while Gordon, the center, regained third with 34 points on six goals and 29 points. In the other departments, Gordon's 29 assists led the league as did Olson's 22 goals.

The forward line of the Springfield Indians took the next three places in fourth place was Ross Lowe with 34 points on 14 goals and 20 assists while teammates Walt Atanas and Graham Hastings are tied for fifth with 33 points each.

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