

Wolverines Eye Deadlock For 1st Spot

BIG TEN STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct
Wisconsin	10	0	1.000
Michigan	9	1	.900
Ohio State	8	2	.800
Purdue	7	3	.700
Minnesota	6	4	.600
Iowa	5	5	.500
Northwestern	4	6	.400
Illinois	3	7	.300
Indiana	2	8	.200

By ED SAINSBURY
Chicago—(U.P.)—The Big Ten's early pace-setter, unbeaten Wisconsin, gets a major non-conference test against Southern California this week, while the pre-season title favorite, Michigan, will have a chance to move into a first place tie with the Badgers.

Michigan, also unbeaten after three games, entertains Northwestern at Ann Arbor in a battle expected to go to the Wolverines with ease. Northwestern has yet to win this season and has lost in order to Miami of Ohio, Tulane and finally Minnesota.

The Wolverines on the other hand tripped Missouri and Michigan State before trouncing Army decisively Saturday, 26-2.

The Michigan-Western scrap highlights a three game conference bill. Every other Big Ten team involved in conference play already has been beaten. Minnesota plays Illinois and Purdue at Iowa.

Non-league battles will feature Duke at defending champion Ohio State, Notre Dame at Michigan State and Villanova at Indiana.

Marshfield Unanimous Choice Again

Portland—(U.P.)—Marshfield high school's Golden Pirates, winners of five straight games, grabbed off all eight first place votes in the weekly Journal poll of coaches to again lead Oregon's prep football teams.

Gresham, also winner of five in a row, was in second place with 72 points.

Following behind them were Pendleton in third place and Jefferson of Portland and Corvallis tied for fourth.

The standings:

Team	Points
1. Marshfield	80
2. Gresham	72
3. Pendleton	57
4. Corvallis, Jefferson	49
5. South Salem	40
6. Cottage Grove	20
7. Hillsboro	19
8. Central Catholic	15
9. Vale	11

Others: McMinnville 9; Eugene and Albany 7 each; Milwaukie 4; Medford 3; Washington of Portland 1.

THREE WINNERS
Camden, N. J.—(U.P.)—Sam Baulmetis rode three winners Monday at Garden State Park, including Walter M. Jeffords' Tahiti in the feature race. Willie Hartack was second in three races and had one third-place finish.

Michigan Replaces Maryland As No. 1 Team On Press Poll

SPORTS

Tornado JV, Crater Comet Reserves Knot at 12 to 12

Medford high junior varsity and the Crater varsity reserve football squads scrapped to a 12 to 12 draw here last night.

There was no further scoring in the game after Medford's Bob Gee broke loose for a 58-yard touchdown run on the first scrimmage play of the second half. Gee also tallied the other Junior Tornado TD with a 31-yard jaunt on the first play of the second quarter. Fumbles and stout Crater line play squelched the Tornado attack the rest of the time.

Comet touchdowns came one each in the first and second periods forcing Medford to come from behind twice to tie up the score. Crater was stopped on the Medford seven yard line early in the fourth quarter.

The Central Point crew was set up for its first march when it recovered a Tornado muff on the Medford 41. It took the Comets 10 plays to make the distance against a slow yielding home team. Freshman Jerome McQuade went around end from eight yards out for the score. He had gone over from two on the previous thrust but an off-side infraction cancelled the try.

Pass Helps March
Medford took the kick-off and immediately headed for the Comet goal. Gordon Owsley had run the kick out to the 37. One play lost to the 36 but seven more took the ball the 64 yards to the end zone. A 17-yard pass play, Owsley to Mike Russell, was the big gain as Medford moved down to the Comet 31 by the end of the stanza. As the second period opened Gee chugged through the line and broke free for the TD runs after a key block by Russell.

It was then Crater's turn to take the kick-off and go to the pay zone. But again it was slow going as the Comets used 14 plays to cover 62 yards against the tough Medfordites. Medford had Crater all but halted on the Tornado 31 with a fourth down. George Juveland's pass to Jerry Kime was then complete to eat up 28 yards and put the Comets down on the three. McQuade crossed the TD stripe from there, barging through the middle of the line.

Ball Fumbled
Medford opportunity in the remaining moments of the half was damaged by a fumble which Juveland recovered for Crater on the first play after the Comet kick-off. Crater took over and got nowhere, itself. That gave Medford time for one more play

and an Owsley to Russell pass try was incomplete.

The Tornado got the ball on its 42 as the second half started and Gee had run the kick-off back 20 yards. Gee then found a gap on the right side of his line, fought through and free and scooted all the way.

After holding the Comets, the Tornado moved from its own 37 to the same Comet line. In two plays, however, Crater threw Medford back to the Tornado 44. Then John Germann snagged a Medford fumble on the 42.

The Comets got a first down on the 32 and a roughing the passer penalty got them another fresh start on about the Medford 17. The Tornado held Crater barely short of a first down near the seven, although the Comets somehow had five tries instead of the usual four, two in the third quarter and three in the fourth.

Merton Intercepts
Rest of the game was played out mostly in Medford territory. The roughing the passer penalty spoiled a Medford bid to score. Tom Merton had intercepted Juveland's throw on the play and had run from the Medford 20 to the Comet 25. The infraction ruled out the effort. Crater topped Medford in first downs 12 to four and in net yardage 179 to 136.

Medford's team was made up of juniors and sophomores and Crater's of juniors, sophomores and some freshmen. The Comets had the service of three players who see considerable varsity duty.

There Is Boxer To Beat Rocky, Russian Says
London—(U.P.)—Russia's top boxing coach said today "somewhere there's a fighter who can defeat Rocky Marciano."

Is he in Russia.

"Who knows?" smiled chunky Nixiforov Denisov, who is here coaching a visiting Russian team that will meet Britain in an amateur boxing tournament Wednesday. "He may be anywhere."

Denisov admitted he'd never seen the American champion in action, in the flesh or even in the movies.

"But from what I hear Marciano's a fighter, pure and simple," he said. "And somewhere there is a boxer who can beat him."

"Boxers always beat fighters in the long run."

New York—(U.P.)—Michigan, which soothed 10 long years of frustration by beating Army for the first time last week end, supplanted Maryland as the No. 1 college football team today in the ratings of the United Press Board of Coaches.

Coach Bennie Oosterbaan's Wolverines were the top choice this week of 20 of the 35 leading coaches who comprise the United Press rating board. Their 326-point total was 66 more than Maryland, which slipped to second after leading the first two weeks of the season.

Oklahoma and Notre Dame each moved up one notch to occupy the third and fourth rankings ahead of Georgia Tech, Navy and Duke were this week's newcomers among the top 10 teams, moving up to No. 9 and No. 10, respectively. Texas Christian, UCLA and Wisconsin filled the ranking from sixth to eighth, each advancing one place over the previous week.

Army Only Blot
In all its long and impressive football history dating back to 1879 Michigan had one blot on its record. The Wolverines had not beaten Army in five previous meetings dating back to the Blanchard-Davis team of 1945. Michigan avenged that with a 26-2 romp at Ann Arbor last Saturday. The Wolverines, who earlier had defeated Missouri and Michigan State now return to a Big Ten schedule that pits them against Northwestern, Minnesota, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana and Ohio State.

Maryland, which breezed to its fourth straight victory by whipping Wake Forest, 28-7, attracted seven first-place votes and a total of 260 points. Notre Dame was the No. 1 choice of three coaches, Navy had two first-place votes, and Oklahoma, Georgia Tech and Wisconsin one each.

Oklahoma Rates Third
With points awarded on a 10-9-8... down to 1 for votes from first to 10th place, here is how the teams were aligned in the top 10 after Maryland: Oklahoma 236, Notre Dame 227, Georgia Tech 184, TCU 150, UCLA 140, Wisconsin 133, Navy 105, and Duke 51.

Every team in the top 10 is undefeated and untied except UCLA, Navy and Duke moved into the select group this week at the expense of Army and Southern California.

Michigan State headed the second 10 group with 34 points, one more than the Washington Huskies. Army and Rice came next in that order followed by a tie for 15th between West Virginia and Purdue and another tie for 17th place between Ohio State and Auburn, Mississippi, Miami (Fla.) Southern California and Colorado were tied for 19th.

Portland—(U.P.)—Reports that several high school football players in Oregon have suffered lime burns this fall prompted the Portland Football Officials association today to warn against its possible effects.

The group plans to send letters to schools where its officials work and also to other officials groups recommending similar action.

The Wy east football team was reported to have had 11 players treated as of yesterday and burns also were reported at the Taft-Nestucca game in Cloverdale and by Astoria players after the Gresham game. Bud Monnes, athletic director at Gresham, said lime no longer would be used to mark fields there. The Taft-Nestucca game was halted at halftime.

Officials Warn Of Lime Burns On Ball Fields

Leo May Return To Baseball Job
Knoxville, Tenn.—(U.P.)—Leo Durocher's eventual return to baseball was predicted today by Eddie Stanky, new manager of the New York Giants' Minneapolis farm team of the American Association.

"I played for Leo for six years and I think he is a great individual," said Stanky. "He has contributed a lot to baseball and I think he'll be back in some capacity after a good vacation and an opportunity to be with his family."

Durocher recently retired from baseball after 7½ years as manager of the Giants. Bill Rigney, who managed Minneapolis last season, has replaced Durocher as Giant manager. Stanky, released in mid-season this year as manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, will succeed Rigney in Minneapolis.

21 GARDEN GAMES
New York—(U.P.)—The New York Knickerbockers will play 21 of their home games at Madison Square Garden during the 1955-56 National Basketball association season, it was announced today.



SCOTTY WILLIAMS In Grants Pass Bout

Macera, Savage On GP Ring Card

Grants Pass—Two matches slated for two out of three falls or a one-hour time limit are the attraction this Wednesday night in the second wrestling card of the season at the Grants Pass arena at the Josephine county fairgrounds.

Main event matches Luigi Macera, Montreal, 205 pounds, against Big Bull Savage, Chicago, 215. In the semi-final, Buck Weaver, 204, from Indiana, opposes Scotty Williams, 198, Springfield, Mo.

The Macera-Savage affair is a challenge match. Savage is a rough, aggressive battler and exponent of the suplex slam. Macera is a dynamo with fire and punch in the clutch. It will be a battle matching men of both speed and experience when Weaver and Williams go at it. Weaver is known for a tricky and mean style of grappling. First bout is set for 8:30 p.m.

Opponent No. 1 Team of Michigan

Ann Arbor, Mich.—(U.P.)—Coach Bennie Oosterbaan expressed unconcern over the University of Michigan's No. 1 rating among college football teams today, stating that he has "too many other No. 1 worries to think about it."

Michigan, 26-2 victor over Army last week, headed the list of the United Press Board of Coaches today.

"We have always considered our next opponent as the No. 1 team," Oosterbaan said. "And we have too much of a problem right now to be concerned over our national standing."

He referred to star end Ron Kramer, who was confined to a university hospital bed for treatment of chest injuries.

"We have to play Northwestern without Kramer's help next Saturday, and so right now, Northwestern is the No. 1 team with us," the coach said.

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District 6 A-1 Prep Grid Schedule Opens on Friday

First contests of the year in District 6 A-1 top off the high school football bill-of-fare this week end in southern Oregon.

Nine preps of Jackson county will be involved in six games Thursday and Friday. Two of the skirmishes will be in District 6 A-1 which is also the Southern

Nationwide Olympic Day October 22

New York—Nationalwide plans for 1955's National Olympic Day, Oct. 22, are now virtually complete, it has been announced by Kenneth L. ("Tug") Wilson, President of the United States Olympic committee.

"With only three months remaining before the U. S. team goes to Cortina, Italy for the Winter Olympic Games, there is unusual interest in Olympic Day this year and in our plans for the fall Olympic fund drive which will start on that date," Mr. Wilson said.

On Saturday, October 22nd, college football games all over the country will highlight the Olympic drive, permitting collections in grandstands and through band formations and other student events. Wilson said that the 800 colleges of the NCAA and NAIA are cooperating through their Olympic committees, headed by Willis O. Hunter, director of athletics, University of Southern California (NCAA) and Al Duer, athletic director of George Pepper college (NAIA).

Collection efforts at the college games are being coordinated with local junior chamber of commerce chapters throughout the country. Olympic day will also be featured over television through the NCAA "Game of the Week" telecasts.

Olympic Sports Carnival
Highlighting Olympic Day efforts in the New York area will be an Olympic sports carnival at Madison Square Garden on Thursday evening, Oct. 20, Wilson said. Proceeds will go to the U.S. Olympic committee. The event will feature exhibitions by scores of national and potential 1956 Olympic champions in track, figure skating, fencing, weightlifting, wrestling and gymnastics.

Another Olympic Day highlight event is scheduled for Tuesday evening, October 18th, in Southern California. A 1000-plate, \$100 per plate dinner at the Moulin Rouge Club in Hollywood will fetter many 1952 Olympic stars as well as future champions. The proceeds will go towards financing our Olympic effort in 1956, Wilson said.

Other cities in various areas of the country have also scheduled Olympic activities on or near National Olympic Day, Wilson indicated. Most committees will use Olympic Day to launch local Olympic fund-raising drives lasting throughout the fall.

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New Cardinal Manager Eyes Player Trade

By JOHN GRIFFIN
United Press Sports Writer
Fast-dealing Frank Lane, whose mammoth player trades built the Chicago White Sox into a pennant contender, is shooting for his first swap as the new general manager of the St. Louis Cardinals.

Lane, hired by the Cardinals last Thursday, was scheduled to confer about a possible player deal today with Gabe Paul, general manager of the Cincinnati Redlegs. The Cards' new front office boss has tabbed "pitching, adequate catching, and a regular first baseman" as his team's most pressing needs.

Cincinnati could be in a position to supply some of these needs. In particular, the Redlegs have a solid three-man catching staff in Smokey Burgess, Hobie Landrith, and Matt Batts and might be persuaded to part with any of the three.

Lane is expected to announce the Cardinals' 1956 manager Wednesday, and it's reliably reported that "the man" will be Freddie Hutchinson, former manager of the Detroit Tigers. Hutchinson, present manager Harry Walker, and a third unidentified man are the candidates under consideration, but Hutchinson reportedly has the inside track.

BEARKITTENS WIN
Salem—(U.P.)—Touchdowns by Warren Walker and Rex Domaschofsky gave the Willamette Bearkittens a 13-0 victory over the Linfield Junior Varsity Football team yesterday.

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- Oklahoma vs. Kansas
- Oregon vs. California
- Col. of Pacific vs. Oregon St.
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