

Bums Place Three On NL Star Team

New York—(U.P.)—Those dominating Dodgers, the "champs" of the world, placed three of their heroes, Roy Campanella, Duke Snider and Don Newcombe, on the United Press National League All-Star team selected today by 54 baseball writers from all the league cities.

Campanella and pitcher Robin Roberts of the Phillies were the only unanimous selections among the 10 players chosen, one for each position, with two pitchers. Each drew 54 votes.

Snider led the voting in the outfield with 51 while Willie Mays of the Giants with 48 votes and Stan Musial of the Cardinals with 38 filled the other two outfield berths. Musial additionally drew two votes for first base, giving him a total of 40.

First Base
Cincinnati slugger Ted Kluszewski was selected as the first baseman with 47 votes while Red Schoendienst of the Cardinals was at second with 37. Ed Mathews, Milwaukee's home run star, drew 53 votes, all but one, at third base, and Chicago's bright young star, Ernie Banks, was picked at shortstop with 44.

The mythical lineup is one of the most formidable long-ball hitting arrays ever put together. The eight players aside from pitchers accounted for 301 homers last season. They also had a composite batting average of .306 with six of the players batting .314 or better.

The All-Stars boast, in addition, the only two 20-game winners in the majors this season. Roberts, going 20 or better for the sixth straight season, had a 23-14 mark and Big Newk finished at 20-5 and might have done much better except for arm trouble.

Information Can Be Obtained Now On Farm Ponds

Portland—A four-page leaflet titled "Farm Ponds in Oregon" has been prepared by the Oregon Game Commission to assist persons interested in the construction and fish production of small impoundments.

Compiled by Fred Locke, chief of lake and stream, the leaflet briefly discusses pond sites, size, depth, and water supply; water rights and reservoir application; and soil types and the use of Bentonite clay for ponds located in porous soils.

The leaflet also discusses the game commission's stocking policy for small private impoundments and gives detailed information on the various species of fish suitable for small pond production. Procedures for obtaining permits for pond construction, water impoundment, stocking and transportation of live fish is also contained in the leaflet.

The leaflet may be obtained free of charge from the Commission, 1634 S.W. Alder, Portland.

Grouse Hunting Better Than 1954

Portland—Hunter success during the blue and ruffed grouse season was somewhat better than in 1954 on a statewide basis according to information compiled by the Oregon Game Commission.

The average number of birds per hunter was 0.97 as compared to 0.88 birds in 1954. Highest success was recorded in Walla Walla, Morrow, and Grant counties and the north coast area. Baker county experienced the poorest grouse season in several years. Success was good in Umatilla county but hunting pressure was very light.

In western Oregon, hunters were few in number and hunting territory limited by both locked gates and muddy roads. Those who had access to the higher areas in the Willamette valley had generally good success, while hunting at the lower elevations was poor.

A check on age ratios of blue grouse showed an average of 61 per cent juvenile birds. Highest kill of juvenile birds was recorded in Umatilla and Grant counties where 77 per cent of the grouse taken were birds of the year. Only 50 per cent of the birds killed in Baker county and 44 per cent in Malheur county were young birds indicating a poor nesting season in these areas.

Maureen Connolly Wins \$95,000 In Court Suit

San Diego, Calif.—(U.P.)—Mrs. Maureen Connolly Brinker, former world's woman tennis champion, today held an award of \$95,000 in general damages from a cement company for accident injuries she claimed forced her to give up professional tennis plans.

A Superior court jury made the award Tuesday. Mrs. Brinker had asked \$265,000 damages. She charged injuries suffered when a horse she was riding collided with a truck of the Pre-Mixed Concrete Co.

SPORTS

West Virginia, Oklahoma Are Top Offensive Teams

New York—(U.P.)—West Virginia, the nation's top passing team, and Oklahoma, the leading rushing team, grabbed most of the offense honors today in the weekly college football statistics issued by the NCAA.

The two rugged football machines, each unbeaten in five games so far this season, stand one-two in ground-gaining totals—West Virginia on top with 426.8 yards gained per game and Oklahoma second with 396.0.

West Virginia leads the passing parade with 178.4 gained per game through the air and also ranks 10th in rushing with 248.4 yards gained with running plays per game. The Mountaineers are the only team in the nation to rank among the top ten in both departments.

Sooners Best Rushers
Oklahoma leads the rushing averages with 316.4 yards gained per game. To that, the Sooners have been able to add only 80 yards per game passing. Army's twice beaten Cadets provide the odd note in this week's standings. The future generals have gained 292.0 yards per game on the ground, an average topped only by Oklahoma. But they rank absolutely last in the country in passing.

Junior High Teams Play

SEVENTH GRADE STANDINGS:

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
McLoughlin Whites	2	0	0	1.000
McLoughlin Blacks	2	0	0	1.000
Hedrick Blues	0	2	0	.000
Hedrick Reds	0	2	0	.000

Hedrick eighth graders begin the week end of football activity for Medford junior high teams.

The Hornets go to Central Point for a 7 p.m. outing on Thursday. It will be the third ruckus of the season for the Hedrick club which has been tied once and has won one game.

Second junior high team of the year city to see interschool rivalry will be the McLoughlin ninth which travels to Ashland on Friday afternoon. Hedrick ninth graders play Saturday afternoon at Klamath Falls, while McLoughlin eighth goes to Grants Pass.

The scheduling puts all the interschool tussles on the home grounds of rivals of the Medford teams. That leaves seventh grade intramural clubs to provide the junior high football on Medford turf. Hedrick Reds and Blues are Friday opponents with McLoughlin Whites and Blacks in the other game. Frays will be contested simultaneously on the senior high practice field.

Don Hollender, an All-America end last year, was switched by Army to the quarterback slot this year. But no matter how you look at the results on Army's passing game, the Cadets are last in the nation. They've tried the fewest passes (37), completed the fewest (7), gained the least total number of yards (100) in five games, and compiled the lowest average completions (18.9 per cent).

Two Big Ten teams, Wisconsin and Illinois, are pressing West Virginia and Oklahoma for total offense honors. Wisconsin is third with 377.8 yards gained per game and Illinois fourth with 375.4. Southern California is fifth with 346.2.

In rushing, Oklahoma and Army are followed by Texas Christian with 286.3 yards per game, Texas A&M with 264.2, and Notre Dame with 260.6.

In passing, West Virginia is followed by Wisconsin with 160.8 yards per game, Navy with 152.4, Dartmouth with 152.0, and Wake Forest with 149.2.

West Virginia also ranks as the leading scoring team in the nation with 37.2 points per game. Army is second with 32.6 and Oklahoma third with 31.8. They are followed by Southern California 29.5, Denver 28.7, UCLA 28.0, Texas Christian 27.2, Duke 25.6, Wyoming 25.5, and Harvard 24.3.

HOCKEY

By UNITED PRESS

Al Rollins, the nimble young net-minder of the Chicago Black Hawks, was the man chiefly responsible today for the big bottleneck around second place in the National Hockey League.

Rollins made 33 saves in leading the Hawks to a 2-0 victory over the Boston Bruins at St. Louis on Tuesday night in the first place of four which Chicago will play at a "foreign" home this season.

Rollins' brilliant performance in the nets moved Chicago into a second place tie with Boston and the New York Rangers.

A crowd of 5,668, who witnessed the only NHL game scheduled, as Hank Ciesla put the Hawks in front at 9:28 of the second period after he teamed up with Hec Leland in a two-man foray. The rookie pair moved the puck down ice and Ciesla beat goalie Terry Sawchuk for the only goal the Hawks really needed. Ben Woit also collected an assist on the play.

Johnny Wilson added an insurance marker at 16:47 of the final session.

Elk Season Will Start On Saturday

Portland—Elk hunters will take to the woods next Saturday, October 29, with the opening of the general elk season in Oregon. In the coastal area the season will extend through November 13, and in the remainder of the state the season lasts through November 23.

Hunters in the coastal and Cascade areas will be limited to one bull elk with three points or more, including the brow line, on one antler. Those hunting in the northeastern area may take one bull elk with antlers, whereas those hunting in the southeastern area may take an elk of either sex.

The game commission warns all elk hunters to check the hunting synopsis carefully to determine the boundaries of the open areas. Area descriptions may be found on pages 12 through 14 of the synopsis.

Accompanying the opening of the general elk season on October 29 will be the controlled elk hunt in the Elgin area of Union county. Permits were issued to 200 applicants to take one elk of either sex in this area from October 29 through November 2.

Elk hunters not holding a special permit may hunt in the same area but will be limited to a bull elk with antlers.

The Elgin hunt is one of several controlled elk hunts scheduled for this fall, designed to keep the elk herds in balance with the available winter food supply.

Billy Smith To Return To Ring

Miami Beach—(U.P.)—Boardwalk Billy Smith of Atlantic City, N.J., former top light-heavyweight contender, returns to the ring tonight after nearly 10 months absence and starts a comeback as a heavyweight against Johnny Holman of Chicago in a TV-radio 10-round.

Although he hasn't fought this year, 34-year-old Smith is favored at 7-5 to beat bigger Holman in their fight at the Miami Beach Auditorium. Smith is considered the more dangerous puncher. He knocked out 33 of his 83 opponents. Holman kayoed 16 of his 39.

Billy's last fight was last Dec. 29. He was unexpectedly stopped in the sixth round by Paul Andrews who had him on the floor four times.

Vikings Prepare For Eastern Oregon Game

Portland—(U.P.)—Portland State's Vikings, 18-14 winners over Oregon Tech here last week, went through heavy drills in wet weather yesterday in preparation for Saturday's game in La Grande against Eastern Oregon.

The Vikings have one conference win against two defeats, while EOCE has won two OCC games and lost one.

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Navy Is Only Top 10 Team Rated Underdog Saturday

By JOHN GRIFFIN
United Press Sports Writer
Navy's "Team Named Desire" is burning to beat Notre Dame for the first time since 1944, but the cold calculating oddsmakers don't think they will do it.

The men who make the odds along Broadway ignored Navy's passion for revenge, its better record, and its higher national ranking and announced that Notre Dame is favored by six points for this Saturday's big gridiron clash on the Irish home field at South Bend, Ind.

Navy will go into this long-awaited fray with a perfect record in five games; Notre Dame has four victories and one loss, to Michigan State. What's more, the Midshipmen currently are rated the No. 4 team nationally, while Notre Dame is ranked No. 7.

Navy is the only team ranked among the nation's "top ten" that will be an underdog this Saturday.

Michigan Needs Victory

Michigan, the nation's No. 1 team, finds itself only an eight-point favorite against Big Ten rival Iowa in the nationally-televised game of the week. Michigan, finding its lead in the national rankings reduced near the vanishing point, badly needs an impressive victory to hang onto the No. 1 ranking.

Michigan's chief rivals, Maryland and Oklahoma, are expected to win easily to keep the pressure on Michigan. Maryland is a 27-point pick to score its 12th straight victory at the expense of South Carolina. Oklahoma is favored by the same margin to gain its 25th straight victory, longest streak in the nation, against Kansas State.

Here's how the oddsmakers figure the other top-ranked teams:

UCLA (No. 5) the week's most lopsided favorite, 35 points over California; Michigan State (No. 6) by only three over Wisconsin; Auburn (No. 8) 13 points over Tulane; Southern California (also No. 8) 13 points over Minnesota in a top intercollegiate game; and Texas A&M (No. 10) seven points over Arkansas in its important Southwest Conference struggle at Fayetteville, Ark.

Even Money Games

If you're looking for "even money" games, the odds-men put Illinois-Purdue, Syracuse-

Holy Cross, and Miami, Fla.-Pittsburgh in that category.

Here are the odds in some of the other leading games:

Intercollegiate: Kentucky seven over Rice; West Virginia 14 over Marquette.

East: Yale 13 over Dartmouth; Cornell 13 over Columbia; Army 14 over Colgate; Princeton 13 over Brown; Penn State 25 over Pennsylvania.

Midwest: Cincinnati six over Detroit; Nebraska 13 over Kansas; Colorado 13 over Missouri; Ohio State 14 over Northwestern.

South: Georgia Tech six over Duke; Mississippi seven over Louisiana State; Tennessee seven over North Carolina; Georgia seven over Alabama; Clemson eight over Wake Forest; Vanderbilt 14 over Virginia.

Southwest: SMU six over Texas; Texas Christian six over Baylor; Oklahoma A&M six over Tulsa; Houston 14 over Wichita.

Far West: Washington eight over Oregon State.

Michigan, Iowa Game Will Be On National Circuit

Ann Arbor, Mich.—(U.P.)—A nationwide television audience will get a look at Michigan, the nation's top-ranked college football team, when the Wolverines go after their sixth straight victory against upset-minded Iowa Saturday at Michigan Stadium.

But it's likely that the most publicized player on each team—end Ron Kramer of Michigan and guard Calvin Jones of Iowa—will be watching from the sidelines.

Kramer, a towering junior who was named on the United Press All-America third team last season, has missed Michigan's last two starts with a bruised chest while Jones, captain of the Hawkeyes and an All-American guard last fall, has been hampered by a knee injury.

SUNDAY SERVICES

Madison, Wis.—(U.P.)—Funeral services will be held Thursday for Guy M. Sundt, 57, athletic director of the University of Wisconsin. Sundt, who played football, basketball and was on the track team during his student days at Wisconsin, died of a heart attack Monday night.

Joe Brown Named Head Of Pirates

Pittsburgh—(U.P.)—The youth movement of the Pittsburgh Pirates spread to the front office today following the appointment of 37-year-old Joe L. Brown as the youngest general manager in the National League.

Brown, young in age but an 18-year veteran of executive experience, takes over officially Nov. 1, replacing Branch Rickey Sr., who will remain as advisor and chairman of the club's board of directors.

Although retaining a strong hand in the operation, Rickey agreed with Pirate President John Galbreath that Brown will be in complete charge of running the team.

Maps Plans
Brown, freely admitting that he's a "Rickey man," immediately mapped plans for the Pirates' future. He said he would welcome trades with other clubs "just as long as such trades will help us."

The son of famed comedian Joe E. Brown indicated the naming of a new field manager to replace ousted Fred Haney may come next week, although he said there was no hurry or pressure in the matter.

However, Galbreath said he and co-owner Tom Johnson will help in the selection of a field manager for the first time since they bought the club.

BACK ON LIST

Philadelphia—(U.P.)—Rookie halfback Ted Weger of the Philadelphia Eagles returned to the active list today after missing four games because of a fractured foot. Coach Jim Trimble said he expects to use Weger against the Pittsburgh Steelers.

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3 Schools Penalized

Chicago—(U.P.)—The National Collegiate Athletic association has penalized three schools—St. Louis university, Baylor and Wichita—for violation of regulations on athletic practices.

St. Louis was placed on probation for one year on charges that it gave a prospective athlete more financial aid than is permitted by the Missouri Valley conference and the NCAA.

Baylor and Wichita were reprimanded for providing transportation for several athletes to visit their institutions.

Light Penalties

The penalty against Baylor and Wichita was the lightest on the scale used by the NCAA. President Clarence P. Houston announced recently that penalties would become more severe on cases arising after June 15 of this year. None of these cases began after this date.

The action against St. Louis Baylor and Wichita increased to 25 the number of institutions which have been punished by the association since the current enforcement program began in January, 1952. Sixteen other cases are pending.

Grade Gridders Conclude Slates

Regular football season for Medford elementary schools concludes Thursday with 4 p.m. play-off games at the senior high practice grounds.

Roosevelt will oppose Jackson and Lincoln will play Washington in the simultaneous tussles.

Jackson ended at the top of regular once-around play. Roosevelt and Lincoln were tied for second and Roosevelt won the toss to determine play-off foes.

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