

San Francisco Remains First In Press Basketball Ratings

New York—(U.P.)—The United Press college basketball ratings with first-place votes and won-lost records through Dec. 10 in parentheses:

Team	Points	Record
San Francisco	31	(2-0) 344
Utah	1	(3-0) 245
North Carolina	1	(2-0) 218
Iowa	1	(2-0) 215
Dayton	1	(3-0) 114
Kentucky	1	(1-1) 95
Alabama	1	(4-0) 86
Duquesne	1	(3-0) 83
Brigham Young	1	(4-0) 82
Holy Cross	1	(3-0) 69

New York—(U.P.)—San Francisco maintained its overwhelming lead as the nation's No. 1 college basketball team today, but unheralded Temple's weekend upset dropped the powerful Kentucky Wildcats to the lowest spot they have ever held in the United Press ratings.

While San Francisco received first-place ballots from 32 of the 35 leading coaches who make up the United Press rating board, Kentucky dropped to sixth place, giving Utah an opportunity to move into the runnerup spot.

Never since the United Press ratings were begun in 1950 have Coach Adolph Rupp's Wildcats been slotted so low in any weekly rankings. In winning the national championship in 1950-51

and 1951-52 and finishing runnerup in 1953-54 and last season, Kentucky never was picked lower than third during the course of a campaign. Kentucky did not compete in basketball during the 1952-53 season.

Temple Spoils Record

However, Temple's 73-61 victory on the Wildcats' home court at Lexington, Ky., marred this record. The triumph also advanced the Owls, who have a 3-0 record, to the No. 17 ranking.

Behind runnerup Utah in this week's ratings came North Carolina State, Iowa and Dayton. Alabama, the lone newcomer in the top ten, ranked No. 7 behind Kentucky, with Duquesne, Brigham Young and Holy Cross completing the select group in that order.

Utah, Iowa and St. Louis, which tied for 14th place, each received one first-place ballot. Of the three coaches who did not vote for San Francisco, two picked the West Coast Dons second and one voted them fifth. Coach Phil Woolpert's team thus received 344 of a possible total of 350 points.

Alabama, a new national power which may challenge Kentucky for Southeastern Conference honors this season, jumped all the way from 18th to seventh place after winning the

weekend Birmingham Classic. Illinois, upset by Missouri, fell from the No. 7 to the No. 11 spot.

Utah Moves Up

Utah advanced two notches to second place; Dayton moved up one place to No. 5, while Brigham Young and Holy Cross exchanged the rankings they had last week.

On a 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 point basis for votes from first to 10th places, Utah attracted a total of 245 points — 99 less than San Francisco.

North Carolina State had 238 points, Iowa 215, Dayton 114 and Kentucky 95. There was a close three-team race for seventh place, Alabama receiving 86 points to 83 for Duquesne and 82 for Brigham Young. Holy Cross had 60.

San Francisco may run into trouble this week at the DePaul tournament at Chicago. The Dons play 13th-ranked Marquette in the opener, Friday night, and if successful, meet the winner of the Duquesne-DePaul game.

Behind Illinois in the second 10 group came Kansas and Marquette. St. Louis was tied with Indiana for 14th place, followed in order by George Washington, Temple, Cincinnati, Louisville and UCLA.

Bokio Olson To Testify In Court

San Francisco—(U.P.)—Former middleweight champion Carl (Foxy) Olson was expected to testify in Federal Court today in regard to a \$500,000 damage suit brought the fighter and his manager by a Honolulu dairyman.

The dairyman, Herbert Vincent Campos, is seeking damages on grounds Olson ran out on two contracts to fight under his management, and that manager Sid Flaherty induced Olson to breach the contracts.

Campos, asked \$250,000 each from Flaherty and the Hawaiian-born boxer.

Campos claimed yesterday that he cabled Flaherty a request, to line up mainland fights for Olson, but Flaherty turned him down with the comment: "I don't say Carl couldn't be developed into a card attraction here, but it would take time."

To Mainland

In 1951, Campos said, Olson told an executive meeting of the Territorial Boxing commission in Honolulu that he wanted to go to the mainland because he could not get fights in Honolulu.

"I told him (Olson) he could go to the mainland provided I could get my contract rights and I would get him a manager," Campos said.

Olson departed for the mainland in 1951 to work under Flaherty, Campos said. The dairyman testified that during slack periods he advanced Olson as much as \$8,300 to meet various bills.

Attorneys for both sides agreed that the suit would revolve around the question of whether the Hawaii Boxing commission had the right to release Olson from his contract with Campos.

Olson's attorney, Howard C. Ellis, brought out the fact that the Olson-Campos contract of July 20, 1949, had never been filed with or approved by the Territorial Boxing commission.

He also got an admission from Campos that the dairyman had not taken proper steps, such as filing for a license to enable Olson to fight in any state other than Pennsylvania.

Von Poppenheim, Savage to Tussle

Fans have been demanding to see a match between the Proud Prussian, Kurt von Poppenheim, and Wild Bull Savage and that



VON POPPENHEIM In GP Bout

is the main event on the grappling card to be presented at the Josephine County Fairgrounds arena this Wednesday night.

Kurt von Poppenheim was disqualified in his rugged match with John Paul Henning last week and he demanded a "no disqualification" clause before signing for the match against Savage. Wild Bull Savage was happy to sign for the match.

Since Ivan Kameroff took off for Canada, Savage has been the one man riot squad of the Northwest. He is an ex-Navy champion who has lots of ability to throw in with his naturally rough style of wrestling. Savage has been pressing Poppenheim for a match on Portland TV and so far he has been unable to get a match.

The one hour semi will match the flashy Mexican star, Alec Perez, against the popular Swede, Thor Hagen. Perez has defeated Buck Weaver and La Chapelle on the last two cards and seems to be a real comer. Hagen knows his wrestling and proved it when he held the great Luther Lindsey to a draw here a few weeks ago.

Winters Leads Pilots To 85-71 Victory

Portland—(U.P.)—Jimmy Winters set a sizzling pace last night to lead the Portland Pilots to an 85-77 basketball victory over Linfield here.

Winters scored 24 points although sitting out the last nine minutes. Bill Machamer led Linfield with 18.

Portland—(U.P.)—Daniel G. Shea, who caught for the Portland Beavers in 1904, died at his home here yesterday. Funeral services will be held Friday.

Southern Oregon College Faces Whittier Wednesday

Ashland—Southern Oregon college basketballers try for their second victory of the season Wednesday night when they tangle with the veteran Whittier college Poets here.

Coach Ted Schopf has indicated that Red Raider starters will be Bill Hollingsworth and Lloyd Hoffine, forwards; Hal Titus, center, and Ted Tenney and Dale Bates, guards. Guy Munsell and Punk Biddington are reserves most likely to see service.

The Raiders go back into action after a split last week with Linfield. Southern Oregon functioned well in its opener but not so effectively in the second scrap. Schopf since has been running the SOC players through heavy drills to get them ready for the experienced Poets.

The Ashland club hopes to up its shooting percentage which was only .270 from the field in the second mix with the Wildcats.

The Poets have four starters back from last season's Southern California Intercollegiate Athletic Conference co-champion team they are Joe Wohlmuth and Stan Hubert, forwards, and Chuck Hasley and George Pierson, guards. Hal Conley may be at the center spot with John Ogle possibly seeing much duty at the pivot.

Coach Bob (Tiger) Smith will send the SOC junior varsity against St. Mary's high of Medford. The Raider jayvees trounced the Crusaders last Friday.

Move To Change Transfer Rule Tabled By OCC

Portland—(U.P.)—A motion to change the present transfer rule in the Oregon Intercollegiate athletic conference was tabled yesterday until the spring meeting.

Presently athletes are eligible immediately at OCC schools if they have passed 12 hours in the last term or semester at their former schools. A motion was made to require transfers to stay out of competition for 18 weeks but no action was taken.

There was discussion of adopting a strict limit on financial aid to athletes but no action was taken.

Drawings were held for first-round opponents in the 1956 OCC baseball tournament at Eastern Oregon May 18-19. The first round will send Oregon Tech against Southern Oregon and Eastern Oregon against OCE. Portland State drew a bye.

Shaw Undecided On Beaver Offer

Portland—(U.P.)—George Shaw, Oregon's gift to professional football, was resting at his home today still undecided about whether he might try to play baseball with the Portland Beavers.

Shaw, who completed a successful season with the Baltimore Colts Sunday, said he hadn't given much thought to his plans for the winter months but that he definitely planned to return to pro football next season.

The former University of Oregon star faces induction into the Army in February, 1957, under the ROTC program.

The Portland Beavers expressed interest in Shaw last summer.

FIGHTS

By UNITED PRESS
New York—Paolo Rosti, 134½, 11½, outpointed Lulu Perez, 135, Brooklyn, N.Y. (10).
New Haven, Conn.—Jerry Luddee, 165, New Haven, outpointed Jimmy Skinner, 160, New York (8).
San Francisco—Sandy Sadder, 131½, New York, stopped Davey Gallardo, 132, Los Angeles (6).—Non-title.
Dead line for Sunday Classified is at noon Saturday.

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SPORTS

Heavy Prep Basketball Schedule This Week; Tornado Plays Twice

High school basketball contention turns from warm to hot and heavy this week for preps in Jackson county.

There will be 16 conflicts, starting with a pair tonight, and they will involve 10 Jackson county preps. All are non-conference brushes. A good number

will provide indications of how the league races may go.

Phoenix will be host to Glendale and Rogue River will travel to Illinois Calley this evening. On Wednesday night St. Mary's is at Ashland for a return mix with Southern Oregon college junior varsity.

Six skirmishes are set for Friday and seven for Saturday. Medford will be host to North Bend on Friday and to Marshfield on Saturday. There's high interest in the encounters themselves but keen attention also stems from the fact that the Tornado foes play Medford's Southern Oregon Conference foe, on the opposite nights.

Ashland at Home

Ashland will also be at home for two games, playing Bend on Friday and Saturday. Eagle Point will entertain Oakridge similarly. The Eagles are members of the Rogue league along with Crater which lost twice to Oakridge over the past week end.

Mt. Shasta, Calif., invades Oregon for a tilt at Talent on Friday and one against St. Mary's of Medford on Saturday. Talent is host to Chiloquin Saturday. Prospect will play two games going to Jacksonville on Friday and to Canyonville on the following night.

Phoenix has a Friday date at Rogue River and Crater goes to Crescent City, Calif., to return a scrape with Del Norte high.

Saddler Beats Gallardo In 7

San Francisco—(U.P.)—A jocular Sandy Saddler, sporting a gory sixth-round technical knockout over Dave Gallardo under his belt, said today he will defend his featherweight title against anybody "if the price is right."

Saddler said this also went for Fred Galliana of Spain who won the European featherweight championship two nights ago.

"Galliana? Oh, yes, I've heard of him, and I'll go all the way to Spain to fight him if they can make the right deal," Saddler declared.

In the meantime, Saddler presumably was scheduled to meet Manila's Flash Florde in a championship bout here next month, but nothing official has been announced yet.

Saddler, at 131½ to Gallardo's 132, chopped down the former Los Angeles busboy in a bloody, non-title fight last night which had been scheduled for 10 rounds. Referee Jack Downey called the bout off when Gallardo obviously was too beaten to come out for round seven.

BOWLING

CLASSIC BOWLING

Ray Speer came through with 620 Series in games of 225, 213 and 182 to lead Valley Music to high series for the evening of 2765 in the Classic league, and a 3 point win over Hammers Sporting store. Hammers had high game of 992. Norm Hillier of Medford Furniture had a 220 game. Doc Pruess of Hammers had a 223 game. Jerry Burroughs of Mogan Lumber had a triple score of 179.

Standings:	W.	L.
Sams Sporting Goods	12	4
Valley Music	11	5
Walker's Real Estate	9	7
Pfaff Sewing Machine	9	7
Medford Furniture	9	7
Hight Real Estate	8	8
Hammers Sporting Store	7	9
E. H. Mann Co.	7	9
Top Notch Cafe	6	10
Mogan Lumber	6	10
Wonder Bar	5	11

Results:	W.	L.
Med. Furn.	3	Walkers Rl. Est. 1
H. Vessey	541	F. Knox 484
S. Kurth	522	E. Lenz 514
S. Van Dyke	462	G. Burroughs 423
N. Hillier	556	R. Wise 502
R. Rector	494	C. Sullivan 526
	2575	2449

Hammers Store 1	Valley Music
D. Pruess 542	L. Schneider 517
C. Hammer 510	R. Ryell 561
V. Sprink 519	G. Clark 554
C. Dawson 583	R. Speer 629
K. Preston 566	F. Driscoll 513
	2720

Hights Rl. Est. 2	E. H. Mann Co. 2
B. Greene 536	G. Spauhorst 568
R. DeVore 477	H. Goode 533
F. Beck 469	B. Stevens 521
D. Wilson 523	G. Schultz 475
J. Knapp 551	F. Anderson 545
	2586

Pfaff Sewing	1 Henry's
A. Klatt 552	G. Barr 580
B. St. Hilaire 535	E. Learning 536
L. Webster 476	P. Moran 448
Absentee 531	B. Blunt 549
H. Free 533	A. Sacchi 523
	2627

Top Notch Cafe 1	Sam Spt. Goods 3
H. Shaw 489	D. Lubbers 547
G. Piazza 531	J. Gardner 538
B. Forney 507	W. White 515
D. Hartman 429	S. Straus 512
T. Jantzer 428	H. Schroeder 512
	2384

Wonder Bar	2 Mogan Lumber 2
Singer 501	J. Morgan 503
H. Martin 514	F. Chapman 427
Absentee 507	B. Dyer 535
M. Farland 495	J. Clark 535
O. Endicott 505	J. Burroughs 537
	2567

TEAM CAPTAIN

New York—(U.P.)—Art Wilson, a 175-pound defensive back from Youngwood, Pa., has been elected captain of the 1956 Columbia University football team. Wilson, a blocking back, averaged 42 minutes a game this past season.

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