

U.S. TAKES OLYMPIC LEAD

Yanks Win 4 Gold Medals; Russia Second

By LEO H. PETERSEN
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Melbourne—(U.P.)—The United States stormed into the lead over Russia in the Olympic Games Saturday by winning four more gold medals. The U.S. victories were in the 100-meter dash, broad jump and hammer throw and a clean sweep in the 400-meter hurdles led by Glenn Davis of Ohio State.

Amassing a total of 65 points in track and field events, the Yanks jumped from fourth to first in the unofficial team standings. Davis bagged the hurdles in record time, Harold Connolly of Boston nailed the hammer medal with a record toss, Bobby Morrow of San

SPORTS

Benito, Tex., won the 100 meters and Greg Bell of Bloomington, Ind., sailed to victory in the broad jump despite a pulled leg muscle.

Russians Upset

In addition, the favored American basketball team swamped little Thailand, 101-29, and Russia's European champions were upset by France, 76-67.

Igor Rybak and Raviel Khaboudinov of Russia finished 1-2 in the lightweight weight-lifting class as Rybak set a new Olympic snatch lift record of 264.56 pounds but Norman Reed of New Zealand scored an upset in the 50,000-kilometer walk by winning by nearly two minutes over Russia's favored Eugene Nil Minskov.

At the end of the afternoon

program, the United States had a total of 100 points to 78 for Russia, with Germany third at 44½. The only other event up for decision Saturday was middleweight weight-lifting in which the United States was favored.

The Star Spangled Banner echoed and re-echoed through the vast Melbourne Cricket Club Stadium as the fired-up Americans stepped to the victory stand for their medals amid the cheers of 110,000 spectators.

They grabbed all three places in the hurdles; first, second and fourth in the 100 meters; first and second in the broad jump and first and fourth in the hammer.

Davis, with Eddie Southern, of Dallas and Josh Culbreath of Norristown, Pa., flying at his heels, set a new Olympic record of 50.1 for the 400-meter hurdles, biting deeply into the Olympic mark of 50.8 set at Helsinki four years ago by Charles Moore of Cornell.

A's Explain Their Brand of Ball as Lack of Experience

Kansas City, Mo.—(U.P.)—The Kansas City Athletics used simple arithmetic Saturday to explain why it is the A's do not play the same brand of baseball as the New York Yankees. The answer is experience.

The average Yankee pitcher moves up after three and a half years in the minors. With the A's, the leap has been made in 2.6 years. In some cases, a pitcher has moved up after 1.8 years of minor league action in the A's farm system.

Hope to Trade

Since the A's lack experience, the front office said: "We must hope to trade and be hopeful for the youngsters."

Figures showed four years to be the average span for Yankee infielders, outfielders and catchers before they are called up by the parent club. It's about 2.5 years for the A's.

The Athletics said they were hopeful the minor and major league meetings in December would provide new strength for the club.

Manager Lou Boudreau said recently if he could make one deal and "one deal only," he would ask for an "established pitcher."

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Melbourne, Sunday—(U.P.)—America's eager Olympic athletes set their sights today on at least five more gold medals in Monday's events, hoping to pile up a commanding point-lead that would offset Russia's anticipated supremacy in later events.

With a 20-point lead in the unofficial team standings as they took Sunday off and relaxed, the Yanks were counting on Monday victories in the pole

vault, the 800-meter run, and three weightlifting divisions.

American Sweep Seen

There was a good chance of an American sweep of the first three places in the pole vault and the first two in the 800.

The United States strategy was simple: Pile up such an overwhelming lead in track and field, weightlifting and swimming that the Soviets will not be able to catch up when they start having their "innings" in gymnastics and wrestling at which they

USC Stops UCLA, 10-7

Los Angeles—(U.P.)—A pair of sophomore backs, Jon Conroy and Rex Johnston, led second-half uprisings Saturday and sparked Southern California to 10-7 victory over traditional foe UCLA in their annual "big game."

A crowd of 63,709 fans, in shirt-sleeve weather in Memorial Coliseum, saw the Southern Cal Trojans, aroused after being held to a scoreless first-half tie, charge back with a 67-yard third period drive culminating in a 14-yard touchdown pass from fullback C. R. Roberts to end Hillard Hill.

Southern California led the game in the middle of the fourth period with a 22-yard field goal by Ellsworth Kissingner.

UCLA scored with only 50 seconds remaining in the final period on Stu Farber's one-yard plunge.

It was the running of Conroy at quarterback and Johnston at left half that paved the way for both the touchdown and the field goal that gave Southern California its first win in four years over their crosstown rivals.

Iowa Overpowers Notre Dame 48-8

Iowa City, Iowa—(U.P.)—Iowa backs ripped up long yardage at will Saturday to overpower Notre Dame, 48-8, for the biggest number of Iowa football victories in 51 years.

Quarterback Kenny Ploen, who scored two touchdowns, passed for another and set up a fourth with a 32-yard run, made a strong bid for all-America honors before a crowd of 56,632 in chilly Iowa stadium.

The Big Ten champions sent Notre Dame down to its seventh defeat in nine games. The Rose Bowl-bound Hawkeyes ended their regular season with eight wins and only a three-point loss to Michigan.

Michigan defeated Ohio State today, 19-0, giving Iowa undisputed possession of the Big Ten title.

ALUMINUM BOWL

Rensselaer, Ind.—(U.P.)—St. Joseph's College has accepted a bid to play Montana State College in the Aluminum Bowl game at Little Rock, Ark., on Dec. 22. St. Joseph's had an 8-1 record.

TCU TRIUMPHS

Houston, Tex.—(U.P.)—Texas Christian University came from behind Saturday with three quick scoring drives to beat Rice Institute, 20-17, and clinch a second straight post-season Cotton Bowl date.

DOUBLEHEADER SET

New York—(U.P.)—Manhattan meets St. Joseph's and New York University takes on Lafayette on Dec. 8 in the opening doubleheader of the Madison Square Garden college basketball season.

BOUT NOT FRAMED

Berlin—(U.P.)—The German Boxing Federation said Friday its investigation of a Sept. 16, 1953, bout between Germany's Gerhard Hecht and Henry Hall of Milwaukee, Wis., "had not been framed." U.S. Manager Fred Kirsch charged recently that Hall should have received the decision.

Russ Cakes Go to Yanks

Melbourne—(U.P.)—The Russians Saturday were found guilty of counting their cakes before they were baked.

They anticipated victories in the broad jump, hammer throw and the 50-kilometer run at the Olympics and ordered three cakes to celebrate each event.

However, when Hal Connolly of the U.S. team won the hammer throw, teammate Greg Bell captured the broad jump and Norman Reed of New Zealand won the 50-kilometer run, the Russians refused to accept the cakes.

The caterers gave the cakes, each bearing the five symbolic Olympic rings, to the Americans.

Tennessee Gets Uphill 20-7 Win

Knoxville, Tenn.—(U.P.)—Brilliant Johnny Majors delivered one mighty punt, one key pass and two tingling touchdowns runs Saturday to give Tennessee an uphill 20-7 victory over fighting Kentucky and an almost certain perfect season.

The Volunteers, second ranked nationally, already were assured a Bowl—the Sugar if they want it—as they took their Hill-billy rivals from Kentucky into camp in a hair-raising fourth period that had all Majors. Tennessee needs only to get by faded Vanderbilt next week for a 10-0 record and its first undisputed Southeastern conference title in 16 years.

Rogue Snowmen Convene Monday

First meeting of the Rogue Snowmen ski club for the 1956-1957 season is scheduled for 8 p.m. Monday, Nov. 26 at the Medford YMCA.

Election of officers is slated and plans for the season will be discussed. There has been talk of members utilizing new lifts at Rocky Point and Mt. Shasta, Calif.

All persons interested in skiing, those who ski and those who wish to learn how, are invited to the meeting.

Art Larsen Progressing After Major Operation

San Leandro, Calif.—(U.P.)—Art Larsen, former national singles tennis champion, was progressing satisfactorily Saturday at Eden Township Hospital, but attendants said he was still unable to talk.

The 31-year old southpaw was operated on for a brain hemorrhage shortly after he was thrown from his motor bike two weeks ago.

WISCONSIN COMES BACK

Madison, Wis.—(U.P.)—Wisconsin came back in the fourth period Saturday to tie Minnesota 13-13 in the last Big Ten game of the season for both teams before more than 50,000 fans in Camp Randall Stadium.

BOSTON RUNS AWAY

Boston—(U.P.)—Sophomore quarterback Don Allard scampered 102 yards to score on a pass interception in the feature of a 52-0 Boston College runaway victory over Brandeis Saturday.

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MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—ELEVEN

Smallbore Shoot Set At Ashland

Ashland—Ashland Gun club will hold its fifth annual smallbore rifle tournament on Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 1 and 2, in the basement of the Ashland armory.

The competition will be open to all .22 caliber rifle contenders for rim fire and any sights rivalry. National Rifle association rules will apply.

Firing on Saturday will open at 6 p.m. and Sunday's activities begin at 8 a.m. W. J. Van Buskirk is supervisor.

There will be matches of 20 shots each prone, sitting, kneeling and standing. One individual match will be the aggregate of these four tests and team totals will depend on the scores from the individual firing in the four categories.

There will be numerous trophies and medals.

Committees of the club have requested that entries be mailed not later than today. However, post entries will be accepted up to 8 a.m. on Dec. 2 to a maximum of 50 competitors. There will be a limit of 20 on the number firing Saturday. Entries should be mailed to Elmo J. Brown, 970 Bellview ave., Ashland.

Lunch will be served by the junior club through the day, Sunday.

Ragsdale to Help Give Review on Pilot Program

Lee V. Ragsdale, supervisor of physical education for the Medford schools, will be participant on the program of the annual convention of the Oregon Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation. The sessions will be on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Nov. 29 and 30 and Dec. 1, at the Dalles.

In the supervisors' section Ragsdale will review the first year of the Oregon Physical Fitness Pilot program along with Dean Sheldon of Marshfield high, Dick Geser of Bend high and Cece Sherwood of the Roseburg schools. Sheldon is an ex-Medford high athlete. That review will be on Thursday.

Friday's meeting will include a report on the Medford Child Growth study by Dr. H. Harrison Clark, research professor of the University of Oregon school of physical education.

On Saturday Carl R. Bengtson, Grants Pass High school supervisor of physical education, will appear on a panel discussion on relation of recreation to physical education.

Commercial production of celery in America began near Kalama, Mich. more than a century ago, and today production of a \$2 million annual crop is centered in Michigan's Ottawa, Muskegon, Allegan and Newaygo counties.

Basketball

By UNITED PRESS

Boston's "little men" and Fort Wayne's "big men" are deservingly of "men-shun" as the cogs that make their teams look like big wheels in the National Basketball Association, with another weekend of hardwood action looming.

The Celtics, led by star guards Bob Cousy and Bill Sharman, twice bested the Philadelphia Warriors during the Thanksgiving holiday, while Fort Wayne with center Larry Foust and Mel Hutchins showing the way—eked out two "overtime" wins.

Boston, leading the Eastern Division with a 7-3 record is the only club which has won more games than it has lost.

Fort Wayne has reeled off three straight wins and moved into second place in the West—just one game behind first place St. Louis in the "loss" column.

This weekend should show if the Celts can be overtaken and their inspired surge to the top and if the Pistons can continue. The Pistons meet the Warriors in a home-and-home series, as does New York and Rochester, and Minneapolis and St. Louis. Boston plays Syracuse tonight.

MICHIGAN STATE VICTOR

East Lansing, Mich.—(U.P.)—Michigan State broke loose with five touchdowns in the second half Saturday to swamp a scrappy Kansas State team, 33-17, in a game marked by fumbles before 34,115 fans.

Canada's Grid Festival Starts

Toronto—(U.P.)—Canada's football Mardi Gras reaches its peak Saturday when the nation's two greatest football powers—the Montreal Alouettes and the Edmonton Eskimos—meet for the third straight year in the Grey Cup.

The explosive Alouettes remained a touchdown favorite at the 1 p.m. EST game time as they sought to end the Eskimos' two-year domination of this noisiest and wackiest of sports carnivals. The air-minded Alouettes were also favored to win the past two years but failed both times.

ARMY-NAVY GAME

Philadelphia—(U.P.)—The Army-Navy game—what else?—will be the nationally-televised "game of the week" on Saturday Dec. 1. The telecasts are done by the National Broadcasting Co.

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