

Arnett, Brodie Are Drafted by Pros, Dick Corrick Named OSC Inspiration

Dark Horses Are Drafted

By RUSS GREEN
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Philadelphia—(U.P.)—The 12 clubs of the National Football League set out today to sign the top college stars—and the usual number of dark horses—they selected in the early draft.

As expected, most of the All-America prospects were snapped up by the clubs in the four rounds of selections held early again in an effort to beat the Canadian teams to contract talks. But, as usual, a number of unheralded players were chosen in preference to the touted titans.

The unknowns among the most sought after players were chiefly linemen uncovered by the team scouts. They included Don Owens, Mississippi Southern tackle, the No. 3 choice of the Pittsburgh Steelers, and Luke Owens, Kent State tackle plucked by the Baltimore Colts.

The Washington Redskins selected Jim Podohly, Central Michigan halfback, in the fourth round and the Detroit Lions grabbed Steve Junker, Xavier end, as their fourth selection. Horning Standout Pick Notre Dame's Paul Horning, the halfback who did everything well despite playing on a spluttering team, was the pick of the crop. He was selected first by the Green Bay Packers, who won the annual bonus draw and had the right to choose any graduating college player in the nation.

Packer Coach Lisle Blackbourn, who pulled the luck slip from a hat in a draw with the Chicago Cardinals, explained that Horning would fit right into the Green Bay pattern.

"He has natural ability, is a tremendous competitor, has speed, can stand punishment, is a punter and kickoff man, kicks field goals and extra points, plays offense, can play halfback or fullback, and within a year could be the greatest passer in the league," Blackbourn said.

Numerically, Los Angeles was the chief beneficiary of the draw grabbing seven of the 49 players selected in the four rounds as a result of trades made previously with the Giants and the Forty Niners.

Giants Get Least Number
The Giants got the least number out of the early draft, coming up with only two players, tackle Sam Deluca of South Carolina and Dennis Mendyk, Michigan State halfback.

Jon Arnett of Southern California was selected by Los Angeles immediately after Horning was grabbed. San Francisco then took John Brodie, Stanford quarterback; Green Bay took Michigan end Ron Kramer; Pittsburgh took Len Dawson, Purdue quarterback; Cleveland went for Jim Brown, Syracuse fullback, and Philadelphia selected Clarence Peaks, the injured Michigan State halfback.

The Baltimore Colts' first choice was guard Jim Parker of Ohio State; Washington took Don Bossler, Miami fullback; the Chicago Cardinals picked center Jerry Tubbs of Oklahoma; New York had traded its first draft pick to Los Angeles, which chose Baylor halfback Del Shofner; the Detroit Lions chose guard Bill Glass of Baylor and the Chicago Bears took Earl Leggett of Louisiana State.

SPORTS

4 Tornado Players on H-N, KFLW All-Conference Team

Klamath Falls—League champion Medford high, with four players chosen, led selections in the 1956 Herald and News-KFLW Southern Oregon Conference all-star football team.

Black Tornado players named were Dick Coppel, tackles Neil Plumley and Larry Cranston, and quarterback Dick McLaughlin.

Second place Grants Pass and fourth place Klamath Falls each placed three men on the first team and third spot finisher Crater got one berth.

B Jamboree On Saturday At Talent

Talent—This year's Jackson County B league basketball jamboree will be on the Talent high school floor.

It is scheduled for 7 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 1.

In the debut of the six loop clubs, the combined scores of Talent, Rogue River and Prospect will be matched against the total by Butte Falls, Jacksonville and St. Mary's of Medford.

Each school will play two quarters. Teams will be matched in this order: Talent versus St. Mary's, Butte Falls versus Prospect, Jacksonville versus Rogue River, St. Mary's versus Prospect, Talent versus Jacksonville and Butte Falls versus Rogue River.

Officials Work Gratis
Talent, Prospect and Rogue River will wear colored jerseys and the other schools will wear their colored ones.

Some of the least experienced officials in the county will work the jamboree, getting a chance to demonstrate their capabilities along with the players who are getting their first tests in competition of the new season.

Officials are being assigned by Commissioner Virgil Swanson and will work without remuneration.

Talent coach George Bray has asked the other coaches to get their rosters to him by Wednesday or Thursday at the latest in order that programs can be made up.

Bevos Are Officially Named to Rose Bowl

Los Angeles—(U.P.)—Oregon State college was officially named Monday as the Pacific Coast Conference representative to play Big Ten champion Iowa in the 1957 New Year's day Rose Bowl game.

The announcement came from the PCC commissioner's office following tabulation of votes from conference schools. However, the bid was anticlimactic to the Beavers, who clinched the berth two weeks ago.

Both Oregon State and Iowa were sleeper teams at the outset of the 1956 season, not expected to finish on top of their conferences.

But Oregon State won the PCC championship and thus clinched the bid to the Rose Bowl game by battling rival Oregon to a 14-14 tie.

Bevo Senior Small Center

By HOWARD APPLEGATE
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Corvallis, Ore.—(U.P.)—Oregon State surprised football fans throughout the nation this season and one of the reasons the Beavers are going to the Rose Bowl is their inspired play.

And what's a big factor behind this inspired play? A little man named Dick Corrick, one of the smallest regular centers in college football.

Corrick is a 21-year-old senior from La Jolla, Calif. He was listed at 167 pounds at the start of the season and now weighs 161. He stands just five feet, seven inches tall.

But take it from his coach, Tommy Prothro, and from his teammates who elected him co-captain, he's every inch and every pound a top grade football player.

Inspired Player
"He's one of the toughest boys I've ever seen," says Prothro. "If he were 20 pounds heavier he'd be an All America."

Corrick's rise to his cherished spot on the Oregon State first team is a story in itself. As a sophomore he was just another little guy trying out for the team. He failed to earn a letter.

Last season, Prothro's first at Oregon State, Corrick was back out on the practice field, knocking heads with his heavier teammates and giving his all.

Prothro liked his courage and his ability. When the season ended, Corrick had played 186 minutes and was rated top center on the team.

But there was a question this year whether Corrick would be able to hold down the regular spot. Prothro's other center candidate was Buzz Randall, a 200-pound sophomore with a world of ability but lacking in experience.

So Prothro went along with Corrick and he hasn't been sorry. Randall has come along fine but Corrick has started every game and played more than half the time.

North Bend Site For A-2 Title Game

Portland—(U.P.)—The class A-2 and class B state high school championship football games will be played at North Bend and Corvallis, respectively, the Oregon School Activities Association said Monday today.

Silverton and Reedsport will play Saturday night at North Bend for the A-2 crown. Stanfield meets Monroe for the 11-man B title at Corvallis, also on Saturday night.

The A-1 final will be Friday night in Multnomah stadium in Portland between Medford and Marshfield.

McHugh Will Get Hoffman Award

Eugene—(U.P.)—Phil McHugh, captain of the University of Oregon football team this year and a veteran end for the club, last night was named to receive the Hoffman award, presented annually to the player chosen by his team mates as the most valuable to the club.

CENTER LOST
New York—(U.P.)—New York Ranger center George (Red) Sullivan, who is suffering from contusions of the spleen, will be lost to the team for about a month. Sullivan, the team's leading scorer, was injured in Sunday night's game with the Montreal Canadiens.

Iowa charged back in the fourth period with two touchdowns and the all important second conversion to edge the Beavers 14-13.

Oregon State ended its season with a 6-1-1 conference record and Iowa had a 5-1 record in the Big Ten.

OSC Accepts Bowl Ticket Orders Now

Corvallis—(U.P.)—Oregon State today began accepting ticket orders for the Rose Bowl game against Iowa on New Year's day but it appeared the general public might get little chance at the ducats.

Oregon State has a ticket allotment of 46,000 for the game. College officials said there are 28,000 members of the OSC "official family" in the preferred group of which some 22,000 are entitled to four tickets each.

Meanwhile, it was announced the 100-piece Oregon State band would be flown to the game.

Coach Tommy Prothro was in Hawaii for a short vacation. He plans to return Dec. 9 and hold five days of conditioning drills starting Dec. 14 before the Beavers go south to train at Santa Monica.

Oregon State got the official word yesterday that it had been picked to play Iowa in the Rose Bowl.

Boxer Trims Moustache To Meet Weight Limit

London—(U.P.)—Boxer Alex Buxton weighed in at nearly an ounce over the limit for his British lightweight title bout Monday night with Randolph Turpin.

He made the grade after shaving off his moustache.

Turpin won with a TKO in the fifth round.

Red Raiders Outgain Opponents In Total Net Scrimmage Yardage

Ashland—Southern Oregon college, winning three tussles, in a nine-game season, piled up a higher offensive yardage aggregate than its foes and the edge was provided by the aerial attack, mainly the throwing of quarterback Bill Seymour.

The Red Raiders trailed their opponents 1598 to 1880 in rushing totals but had a margin of 1150 to 761 in passing yardage for a total of 2748 gained to rivals' 2641.

Averages per game for SOC were 177.4 yards a game rushing and 127.7 passing. Adversaries had 209 on the ground and 84.5 yards in the air.

Don Korns was the Raiders' leading rusher and workhorse with 842 yards netted on 162 carries. Ted Tenney was next with 328 yards in 60 trips with the ball.

Seymour Passes for 841
Seymour topped the passing with 66 completions in 153 throws and a net of 841 yards. Larry Schweinfurt led the club in touchdowns with 6 and Korns collected five. John Garrett kicked 10 extra point placements.

Southern Oregon was penalized a total of 507 yards and opponents 475.

During the 1956 campaign the Raiders defeated Chico State 27 to 25, Portland State 13 to 6 and Oregon college 12 to 7. They lost 33 to 6 to Humboldt State, 27 to 12 to Sacramento State, 27 to 20 to Oregon Tech, 36 to 27 to East-

ORTEGO SIGNED
New York—(U.P.)—Caspar Ortego of Mexico, who defeated Tony DeMarco at Madison Square garden last Friday in an upset, has signed to meet the Boston boxer in a return 10 round nationally televised bout at the Garden, Dec. 31. Ortego was a 5 to 1 underdog when he best DeMarco.

Norman Hedgcock	14	102
Chuck Crandall	18	239
Ted Tenney	8	94
Norman Oliva	7	90
Dick Smith	2	20
Willie Jones	2	24
Ralph Clarno	2	17
Andy Travis	1	11
Jerry Darland	1	9
Larry Maurer	1	9

PASSING:	TC	Net
Don Korns	162	842
Ted Tenney	66	841
Bill Seymour	27	97
Ralph Clarno	29	128
Larry Maurer	25	82
Andy Travis	22	31
Chuck Crandall	6	36
Bill Rush	4	21
Willie Jones	4	21
Arlen Smith	12	12
John Garrett	6	-25
Norman Hedgcock	17	-29
Lance Locke	8	-58
Larry Schweinfurt	3	163

SCORING:	Touch.	Conv.
Schweinfurt	6	0
Korns	5	0
Tenney	3	0
Seymour	1	0
Smith	1	0
Crandall	1	0
Maurer	1	0
Garrett	0	10

PUNTING:	No	Ave
Schweinfurt	36	31.6
A. Smith	1	44
Seymour	2	39.5
D. Smith	1	37

Pass Receiving:	Caught	Yds.
Larry Schweinfurt	36	523

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Skeet Shoot Next Sunday

There will be three division of competition Sunday Dec. 2 in the annual club championship skeet shoot at Medford gun club.

Entries will compete in a 100-bird open, 50-bird 20-gauge shoot and a 110-gauge contest.

There will be trophies and merchandise prizes. The shoot will start at 10 a.m.

A practice shoot was held last Sunday. Jerry Lausmann led in 16-yard target busting with 45 out of 50 and in the handicap firing William Jantzer and Floyd Young each cracked 44 out of 50. Bert Peck sheltered 45 at skeet.

American 18-Year-Olds Top Aussies in Ring

Melbourne—(U.P.)—Lightweight Louis Molina, San Jose, Calif., and light welterweight Joseph Shaw, St. Louis, won their bouts today in the second round of Olympic competition in their classes. Each 18-year-old scrapper entered the quarter finals.

Scortichini Wins Sixth

New York—(U.P.)—Middleweight Italo Scortichini of Italy, who registered his sixth straight victory Monday night over Hardy Bazooka Smallwood at St. Nicholas Arena, said today, "I hope to stay in the United States until I get a shot at the title."

In his first U.S. fight after returning from a successful European campaign, stocky Scortichini won a split 10-round decision over lanky Smallwood of Brooklyn in their televised bout before 1,063.

Referee Petey Scalzo favored Smallwood on a rounds basis, 6-4. But Judges Charley Rosen and Mike Davidowitch voted for Scortichini, 7-3 and 6-4, respectively. The United Press also favored Italo, 5-4-1.

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