

Ohio State Buckeyes Nudge Inspired Oregon Ducks in Rose Bowl

Sutherin's Thump In Fourth Quarter Provides 10-7 Nod

Pasadena, Calif. —**U—**National Champion Ohio State, outplayed most of the game by an inspired Oregon team, called on sub halfback Don Sutherin for a fourth period goal to eke out a 10-7 victory over the Ducks in a thrilling Rose Bowl contest that had a capacity crowd on the edge of their seats.

Although the victory belonged to the Buckeyes, the honors went to Oregon quarterback Jack Crabtree, who played like a pro in leading the Ducks so close after they had been listed 21-point underdogs in pre-game dope.

Joining Crabtree in the Oregon backfield in the brilliant demonstration were halfbacks Jim Shanley and Charley Tourville and fullback Jack Morris who played their

Plays, the Buckeyes drove to the Oregon 17-yard line where on four down with four yards to go, Sutherin kicked his memorable field goal in the opening minutes of the final period.

The Ducks drove to the Ohio State 24, reaching that point on a 23-yard Crabtree to Stover pass but Stover fumbled when hit hard and Cannavino recovered to nip that attempt.

The lighter Oregon team outplayed its heavy Western foes in the defense department, despite the fact that the Ducks star lineman, Harry Mondale, went out of the game on the fifth play when he suffered a leg injury. Stover paced the defense unit aided by tackles Jim Linden and Jerry Kernsner.

The statistics bore out the Oregon moral victory. The final figures showed Oregon gained 351 yards, 191 passing and 160 rushing while Ohio State made 304 yards, 245 rushing and 59 passing. Oregon made 21 first downs, Ohio 19.

Score by periods:
Ohio State 7 0 0 3—10
Oregon 0 7 0 0—7
Ohio State scoring, touchdown, Kremblas, 1. plunge, Conversion, Kremblas. Field goal—Sutherin, 24.

Oregon scoring, touchdown, Shanley, 5. end run. Conversion, Morris.

Crabtree was voted player of the game by the Helms Athletic foundation as the final gun sounded, for his all-around brilliance as he passed, ran and pitched out to his speedy backs and was an outstanding field general.

Stover Catches 10 Passes
For the Buckeyes Don Clark on occasion showed his running elusiveness and fullback Bob White powered through the Oregon line on entire sequences of plays. But when the going got tough in the second half, Coach Woody Hayes put in Galin Cisco who proved just as able at carrying the ball.

Crabtree completed 10 out of 17 passes for 135 yards and end Ron Stover sensationally snagged 10 passes for 144 yards.

But in addition to the field goal kicked and missed, the difference between the two teams might be credited to halfback Joe Cannavino who intercepted two of Crabtree's passes and recovered a key fumble on the Ohio 24, to keep Oregon from possibly continuing on to a touchdown.

The Buckeyes' vaunted power was displayed for the capacity crowd of 100,000 from the opening kickoff as Ohio State drove 79 yards with quarterback Kremblas sneaking the final yard to score. The drive featured a 27-yard spurt by halfback Clark and a 37-yard pass from Kremblas to end Jim Houston which gave Ohio State a first down on the two.

Oregon's effort to get a march rolling in the opening period was nullified when the Buckeyes' Cannavino intercepted one of Crabtree's passes on the Buckeye 28.

SPORTS

Aerial Interceptions, Muff Recoveries Make Difference at Pasadena

By HENRY RIEGER
United Press Sports Writer
Pasadena, Calif. —**U—**"The difference between Ohio State and Oregon out there today was the two fumbles we recovered and our two pass interceptions."

This commented a relaxed Woody Hayes, unwinding after a heart constricting Ohio State 10 to 7 Rose Bowl victory over underrated, but inspired Oregon.

A direct contrast to the baseball cap wearing shirt-sleeved head coach who strode nervously up and down in front of the Ohio State bench, Big Woody managed a thin smile as he met with newsmen after the game in the Buckeyes' dressing room.

Hayes wasn't happy in victory, although he went from boy to boy with a quiet word that they should be glad with any kind of a victory over a team like Oregon.

He singled out two men as heroes, Don Sutherin who booted a perfect 24-yard field goal early in the fourth period to provide the margin of victory, and Joe Cannavino.

It was Cannavino who picked off the two interceptions and grabbed the key fumble recovery on the OSU 24-yard line midway in the final quarter to saw off a determined Oregon drive.

Next to Hayes, Sutherin drew the dressing room crowd, Full of Confidence.

"I felt as soon as I got on the field that the kick would be good," he said with a wide grin playing his face. "I've kicked longer ones and this wasn't too tough. I booted against Michigan for 43 yards."

Hayes had a special word of praise for the senior halfback, noting that Sutherin had been out of action for a month with an injured back.

"He didn't start practicing again until four days ago," said Woody. Asked about the missed Oregon field goal from the same spot and angle, quipped Hayes in answer:

"Thank gosh I wasn't the official. I thought it was good."

The Webfoot squad gathered rather proudly around the coach but there were few comments, only the sadly disappointed faces.

Senior fullback Jack Morris was near tears. He, too, said he thought the Oregon squad could have scored again, but "we just didn't seem to have the final luck."

Casanova said he wasn't sure whether it was Oregon's best game of the year and wouldn't know until he sees the game motion pictures.

"Maybe we played better against UCLA in a 21-0 victory earlier this year."

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Football

WEDNESDAY BOWL RESULTS
By United Press
Rose
Ohio State 10, Oregon 7
Orange
Oklahoma 48, Duke 21
Sugar
Mississippi 39, Texas 7
Cotton
Navy 20, Rice 7
Sun
Louisville 24, Drake 20
Prairie View
Prairie View 6, Texas Southern 6
Tangerine
E. Texas St. 10, Miss. Southern 9

Mondale May Need Surgery

Pasadena, Calif. —**U—**Dr. George Guidager, Oregon team physician, said guard Harry Mondale suffered a popped cartilage in the Rose Bowl game Wednesday.

Mondale was hurt on the fifth play of the game and did not return to action.

Dr. Guidager said Mondale probably will have to undergo surgery when he returns to Eugene.

Carl Schaffeld, of Vale, who filled in for Mondale despite a recent ankle injury, drew praise from Coach Len Casanova. "He was hurt a few days ago and we had planned to use him on defense only," he said.

Grizzlies To Battle Comet Five

Central Point — Both the Ashland high Grizzlies and the Crater Comets have been hard at drill through the holidays preparing for their Southern Oregon conference opener series. They have games at Central Point on Friday and at Ashland on Saturday.

Coach Earl Iba said yesterday that his Ashland charges had missed only Christmas day and last Sunday in work-outs during the holidays. The Crater club, which had tussled last week end, did not workout last Sunday, but Mentor Don Anielak's Comets have been on the court every day since, including yesterday.

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Cal Clubs Vie In Northwest
Los Angeles —**U—**UCLA and USC's basketball teams leave for the Northwest today to open competition in the Pacific Coast conference this weekend.

The schedule calls for Coach Johnny Wooden's Bruins to play Oregon at Eugene Friday night and Oregon State at Corvallis Saturday. UCLA has a 5-4 record so far this season.

Coach Forrest Twogood's Trojans meet Washington State at Pullman Friday. Idaho at Moscow on Saturday and Washington at Seattle on Monday. SC has a 4-5 record.

Rose Bowl Steals Holiday Spotlight on Gridiron Turf

The form chart stood up pretty well in the bowl game drama on New Year's Day but the name of Don Sutherin went into the books today as the man who prevented what could have been the biggest upset in the history of the Rose Bowl.

Sutherin, just back from a month's idleness with a back injury, booted a "not so tough" field goal from the 24-yard line in the fourth period to give Ohio State a 10-7 victory over Oregon.

The close call suffered by the national champion Buckeyes stole the holiday spotlight from Navy's 20-7 triumph over Rice in the Cotton Bowl, Mississippi's surprising 39-7 rout of Texas in the Sugar Bowl, and Oklahoma's 48-21 trouncing of Duke in the Orange Bowl.

Oregon went into the Rose Bowl clash before 100,000 as a 21-point underdog, the biggest odds ever quoted on the classic at Pasadena, Calif. But the Webfoots won everything—first downs, yards gained, most valuable awards to quarterback Jack Crabtree—everything that is, except the game.

Navy, a one-point Cotton Bowl favorite, beat Rice on the rock "em sock 'em line play of Tony Stremic a supposed cripple with an ankle injury. Bob Reifsnnyder, and Pete Jokanovic. The Middle maulers jolted Rice ball-toters loose from the pigskin five times and two of these recovered fumbles led to Navy scores. Joe Tranchini, Harry

Hunting & Fishing Southern Oregon

By MEL REES
In the days when nets were allowed on the Rogue they had a fine opportunity to find out when the fish did run.

I learned that when the river was high and dirty the fish did not run upstream but on the contrary seemed to fall back downstream sometimes as much as 4 or 5 miles. In one instance when there was a net across the river downstream and it was known that there were many fish below the Savage Rapids dam, these fish actually drifted downstream and were taken in the upstream side of the net!

The old timers however agreed that just as soon as the river started to clear well and to lower—the fish came up in a rush.

GAUGE FOR FISHERMEN
This would give the rod and reel fisherman a sort of gauge to go by. Pick the time just following the high water for the best fishing. Also remember that these fish are on the move and you are liable to pick them up all over the river and not just in your favorite holes.

During this time of water condition many fish can be taken in the fairly fast riffles where the river is deep enough for good drifting.

I believe that the foregoing information does not hold true in a gradually rising stream when the color is not too bad. I think that it holds true for fast rising and dirty water. We have had some excellent fishing when the river was two or three feet above average and the color was just on the murky side.

NEW LICENSE NEEDED
Don't forget—Jan. 1 calls for a new license and a new set of fish tags. If you plan on hunting in the January duck and goose season you will need a new hunting license but your duck stamp is still good to the end of the season.

Pro-Celebrity Tourney Today
Los Angeles —**U—**Some of the entertainment world's brightest stars team today with a number of goldfom's biggest names in the annual Pro-Celebrity Golf tournament which is prelude to the \$40,000 Los Angeles Open Golf tournament.

The roster of entertainers in action today includes Dean Martin, Mickey Rooney, Bing Crosby, Phil Harris, Howard Keel, Fred MacMurray, Eddie Fisher, Bob Hope, Ray Bolger, Dick Powell and Hoagy Carmichael.

Golfers include Doug Ford, George Bayer, Jackie Burke, Mike Souhak, Ken Venturi, Billy Maxwell.

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BASKETBALL

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N. Carolina 84, Virginia 70
Ohio State 68, Yale 67
Miami (Ohio) 63, Toledo 50
Murray State 75, Louisville 6

Crusaders Bill Three Hoop Tilts

St. Mary's high cagers begin a rugged slate of three games in three nights this evening to unbeaten Talent in the Jackson County B league.

The Crusaders play another B loop fray on Friday, going to Jacksonville. On Saturday they entertain A-2 Illinois Valley for a return fracas.

St. Mary's will enter the tilt tonight after having had only several conditioning workouts during the holidays. Coach Bill McKibbin has been out of town and Laval Meunier has had charge of the club.

Talent has played three loop games so far to head the circuit. The Crusaders dropped their only league appearance, Jacksonville has a 1-2 Jackson record.

Varsity games will be at 8 p.m. A pair of alumni teams will play the prelim this evening while alumni clubs will go into action in the Friday and Saturday openers.

St. Mary's jayvees are meeting the Crater freshmen this evening at Central Point.

Folley Victor Over Sawyer

Washington —**U—**Heavyweight contender Zora Folley started the new year right by registering his 17th straight victory Wednesday night and by challenging Floyd Patterson to a spring time fight to-day.

Folley of Chandler, Ariz., outpointed Garvin Sawyer in their nationally televised 10-rounder Wednesday night by the perfect score: 100-77, 100-76, 100-82. Sawyer of Cincinnati was on the floor twice, and he was lucky to last the distance.

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By UNITED PRESS
The Syracuse Nationals have a long way to go to catch the Eastern division leading Boston Celtics. But if they played all their National Basketball association games at home, it would be a cinch.

With high-scoring Adolph Schayes setting another team record, the Nats rolled to their eighth straight home victory Wednesday night, beating the hapless Minneapolis Lakers, 120-109.

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