

Browns, Colts Keep Pro Gridiron Leads

NFL STANDINGS
(United Press International)

Eastern Division		Western Division	
Team	W-L-T	Team	W-L-T
Cleveland	4-0-0	Baltimore	4-0-0
Chi. Card.	2-2-0	Chi. Bears	3-1-0
New York	2-2-0	Los Angeles	2-2-0
Wash.	2-2-0	San Fran.	2-2-0
Phila.	1-3-0	Green Bay	0-3-1
Pittsburgh	1-3-0	Detroit	0-3-1

halfway to Steve Van Buren's one-season record of 1,146 yards.

The Lions started their title drive last year when they scored twice in the final seconds in their fourth game for a 31-27 triumph over the Colts at Detroit. The Lions and 55,190 rooters had visions of a similar finish Sunday when Yale Lary raced 71 yards with a fourth quarter punt to cut Baltimore's margin to 20-14. But the "new" Colts reacted by scoring three more touchdowns. Lenny Moore ran 11 for one, John Units passed 37 to Jim Mutscheller for another and Leonard Lyles ran 27 to score on the game's final play.

By EARL WRIGHT
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The Cleveland Browns and Baltimore Colts may gallop to the National Football league's division titles because they are shattering jinxes the way sleet shooters bust clay pigeons.

Cleveland took a two-game lead in the Eastern race Sunday and boosted its record to 4-0 by whipping the Pittsburgh Steelers, 27-10. The Browns took a 59-14 wallop from the Detroit Lions in the 1957 championship game. Since 1953, all the title game losers have bowed by huge margins and folded completely the following season.

But the Browns, rolling behind Milt Plum's passing plus Jim Brown's running, act as though they really won that last title game and figure to shatter a jinx that has haunted championship game victims in recent years.

Baltimore clobbered the Lions, defending league and Western division titleholders, 40-14. The victory enabled the Colts to retain their one-game Western division lead and gave them a vital mental boost. It was the first victory the Colts ever scored at Detroit and marked the first time they have swept their first four games during a season.

Cards Upset Giants

While Detroit (0-3-1) lost virtually all hope of retaining its titles, the Chicago Cardinals gave the Browns a big assist by upsetting the New York Giants, 23-6. The Giants, who started the day a game behind Cleveland, now are tied for second at 2-2 with the Cardinals and Washington Redskins, who defeated the Green Bay Packers, 37-21.

The Chicago Bears remained right behind Baltimore and took undisputed second place in the Western race by defeating the visiting Los Angeles Rams, 31-10. Los Angeles enters the game tied with the Bears and slipped to a third-place deadlock with the San Francisco Forty-Niners at 2-2. The Bears have a 3-1 record.

San Francisco, with John Brodie throwing scoring passes to Hugh McElhenny and Clyde Conner, stopped a last-minute Philadelphia Eagle rally for a 30-24 victory in the other game. The six contests drew 279,390 fans with the top crowd of 66,852 registered at Cleveland.

Brown Runs Wild

The Steelers shocked this big crowd by taking a first-period lead on Tom Tracy's 64-yard touchdown pass to Ray Mathews but the Cleveland defense throttled them the rest of the way. Plum threw touchdown passes to Brown, Ray Renfro and Bobby Mitchell. Brown, who may prove to be the most versatile fullback in NFL history, also ran 48 yards for a touchdown and gained 153 yards in 19 tries to boost his league-leading rushing total to 635. Brown is more than

Billy Wade of the Rams completed his second pass to Del Shofner for 92 yards and a touchdown, the longest scoring pass of the NFL season, but the Bears and penalties shackled Los Angeles Galimore scored twice for the Bears and now has seven 1958 touchdowns.

McHan Leads Cardinals

Lamar McHan came off the bench in the second quarter and sparked the Cardinals to an upset triumph over the Giants before 52,684 largest crowd ever to attend a New York home opener. McHan threw two touchdowns passes to Gern Nagler and set up Ollie Matson's three-yard scoring plunge.

Johnny Olzewski ran 45 yards for a touchdown and gained a total of 165 to help Eddie Lebaron keep the Redskins in charge all the way against the visiting Packers. Lebaron threw touchdown passes to Joe Walton and Bill Anderson. Babe Parilli of the Packers threw scoring passes to Max McGee and Jim Taylor.

The Eagles had a first down on the Forty-Niner eight in the final minutes at Philadelphia but couldn't score. On the key play in the series, the officials ruled Bob Walston was out-of-bounds at the limit of the end zone when he caught what would have been a touchdown pass from Norm Van Brocklin.

Hawthorn Nabs Auto Race Toga

Casablanca, Morocco—Mike Hawthorn, who quit in disgust after the 1955 LeMans disaster, is the world's new auto race driving champ.

The handsome, 6-foot, 2-inch Briton clinched the title Sunday when he finished second to countryman Stirling Moss in the Grand Prix of Morocco, the last race counting toward this year's title.

Moss, who needed a victory in the race as well as the race's fastest lap to have a chance at the title, averaged 117.3 miles an hour for the 250-mile grind to win with a clocking of two hours, nine minutes and 15.1 seconds.

The final point-totals toward the world championship gave Hawthorn 42 points and Moss 41. Hawthorn is the first Briton ever to win the title.

SL Cardinals Arrive in Japan

Tokyo—The St. Louis Cardinals, including newly-appointed manager Solly Hemus and Stan Musial, arrived in two different planes at Tokyo International airport today for a 16-game series in Japan at the invitation of the Mainichi newspapers.

The Cardinals were given an enthusiastic reception at the airport by Japanese fans who last saw a major league team when the Dodgers toured Japan in 1956.

The Cardinals are scheduled to play their first game in Japan on Friday.

McLoughlin 8th Tops GP Team

Keith Dalbec crossed for three touchdowns and Jim Lowery for two Saturday when the McLoughlin Junior high eight grader footballers defeated South Grants Pass 30 to 0.

Half-time score was 18 to 0. Dalbec returned a punt 60 yards for a TD and was on the receiving end from Lowery on a 40-yard scoring pass play.

LOGART GETS DRAW

Kinston, Jamaica—Welterweight contender Isaac Logart of Cuba and Gerald Gray, champion of the West Indies, fought to a 10-round draw Saturday night at Sabina Park. One ring official favored Logart but the other two called the bout a draw.



TROPHIES—Lt. Orlo Wendell McGee (left) holds the trophy he won for leading the "below 90" division. The trophies are awarded as part of the department's over-all training program. All Medford policemen fire regularly at the range they fixed up last winter in the Oregon National Guard's area, part of the old Camp White range.

Only Nine Big Time Aggregations Left Undefeated, Untied

By FRED DOWN
United Press International

A corporal's guard of nine major college football teams remain unbeaten and untied records today—and no less than three have what could be their toughest tests of the season coming up next Saturday.

The season's biggest wave of upsets kayoed six major perfect-record teams Saturday and claimed four of the nation's six top-rated teams. Army and Ohio State upheld their No. 1 and No. 4 rankings with ease but second-ranked Auburn's 17-game winning streak was ended by the 7-7 tie with Georgia Tech and third-ranked Wisconsin, fifth-ranked Michigan State and sixth-ranked Navy all were upset.

Army and Ohio State head the perfect-record list, of course, followed by Texas, Mississippi, Louisiana State, Clemson, Colorado, Northwestern and Rutgers. Those bounced off the list Saturday were Wisconsin, Houston, College of Pacific, Auburn, Dartmouth and Navy.

But there's no rest ahead for any of the still-unblemished nine—and that goes double for Army, Ohio State and Northwestern.

Army, easy 35-6 victor over Virginia, next faces a rugged Pittsburgh team that beat West Virginia, 15-8, Saturday and has a 4-1 season record; Ohio State takes on Wisconsin which will be sharply on the rebound, and Northwestern, a sensational 55-24 winner over Michigan, opposes Iowa. Iowa, ranked No. 13, blitzed Wisconsin 20-9 Saturday in one of the day's most significant upsets. Ohio State, of course, walloped Indiana, 49-8.

Clemson will be the first of the unblemished teams to put its record on the line this week, the Tigers playing South Carolina 2-2 in their traditional "Big Thursday" game. Texas faces Rice 4-2, Mississippi appears to have an easy one in Arkansas (0-5), Louisiana State takes on Florida (2-1-1), Colorado plays Idaho State (3-1) and Rut-

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Schayes Paces Nats' Victory

Syracuse—The Syracuse Nationals are satisfied today that Dolph Schayes is set for another fine season.

The Nationals opened the National Basketball Association campaign with a 103-94 victory over the Detroit Pistons Sunday and it was Schayes, second top scorer in the league last season, who showed the way.

Schayes flipped 18 points through the hoop to take Syracuse's scoring honors and win his personal battle with Detroit's George Yardley, the 1957-58 scoring champion who tallied only 11 points.

The Nationals piled up a 68-42 lead during the third period and then beat off a Pistons rally that cut the margin to 73-68 early in the fourth. The Nationals led at the half, 54-32.

Gene Shue's 18 points were tops for the Pistons in the nationally-televised game.

BURKE VICTOR

Sagamihara, Japan—Jackie Burke Jr., of Texas, defeated Ken Venturi of California Saturday on the second hole of a "sudden death" playoff to win the Yomiuri Shimbun's professional golf tournament.

No Unbeaten Major Grid Eleven Remains in West

By HAL WOOD
United Press International

There isn't an undefeated major football team in all the west today.

In fact, there are very few of the big-league clubs along the Pacific slope with less than two whippings already on their 1958 record.

The last "big" school to bite the dust was College of Pacific, and it took its medicine Saturday night from Cincinnati, 12-6.

Among the clubs gunning for the Pacific Coast conference championship, California won its third in a row, over Southern California, 14-12—but started the season with two losses; Oregon lost its second game of the year to Washington State, 6-0; the Cougars already have two losses on their record.

UCLA, which knocked over Washington, 20-0, has been whipped three times already; Stanford, beaten by the Air Force, 16-0, has lost four times; Oregon State, a come-from-behind 20-6 winner over Idaho, has lost to USC and Wyoming, and so it goes.

Portland, Ind.—Portland High School football Coach Glen Bryant walked 21 of the 22 miles from Hartford City home Sunday and rode the last mile on a burro to fulfill a promise to his players when they finished their schedule undefeated Saturday. Bryant said he'd been pined by sandwiches by local farmers and "had a ball. But I'm sore and stiff all over."

Chamberlain Scores
New York—Wilt Chamberlain, ex-Kansas University great, scored 16 points before a crowd of 18,398 at Madison Square Garden as the Harlem Globetrotters beat the Philadelphia Sphas, 70-46. It was Chamberlain's first appearance on the garden court.

Wildcats Bill Iowa On Saturday

By GENE BLUDEAU
Chicago—Northwestern, beginning to look like the rags-to-riches Rose Bowl outfit of 1948, clashes with Iowa Saturday in what may prove to be the Big Ten's key game of the campaign.

Both are undefeated this season with 2-0 records in the conference, a distinction they share with Ohio State in a three-way tie for the lead.

To take over the lead the Wildcats need a victory over the Hawkeyes in their game at Iowa City and a helping hand from Wisconsin which meets Ohio State on the Buckeye field.

Odds May Favor Iowa

The Wildcats, who went to the Rose Bowl in 1948 after finishing next to last the season before, are likely to be underdogs against Iowa, but they have been pegged as the losers in three of their four victories this season, climaxed by Saturday's 55-24 romp over Wisconsin.

Ohio State stayed in the race by overpowering Indiana 49-8, Purdue put itself into the picture by upsetting Michigan State, 14-6, and Illinois defeated Minnesota, 20-8.

The outcome threw Wisconsin, Illinois and Purdue into a tie for fourth place, each with one victory and one defeat. Michigan State and Michigan were still winless with a tie and a loss to mar their conference record.

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by Tip Brady

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