

Cards Upset Giants 24-17; Browns Trip Cowboys in NFL

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The St. Louis Cardinals should be grateful to their underrated defense for boosting them into a triple tie for the National Football League's Eastern Division lead, and the Chicago Bears can thank Roger LeClerc that things aren't all knotted up in the West, too.

The Cardinals upset the New York Giants, 24-17, Sunday and made it a new race in the Eastern Division. The Cleveland Browns, by defeating the Dallas Cowboys, 27-17, joined in the first-place tie with St. Louis and New York. All have 8-3 records.

The Pittsburgh Steelers nearly threw the Western Division into a deadlock, too, but LeClerc kicked an 18-yard field goal with 4:31 remaining to give the Bears a 17-17 tie.

The Green Bay Packers, who defeated the San Francisco Forty Niners, 28-10, would have tied for the lead if the Bears had lost. Chicago now has a 9-1-1 record; Green Bay is 9-2.

Sunday's other games, played on a Sunday of mourning for President Kennedy, the Los Angeles Rams edged the Baltimore Colts, 17-16; the Minnesota Vikings squeezed past the Detroit Lions, 34-31; and the Washington Redskins defeated the Philadelphia Eagles, 13-10.

Garland Boyette set up the score by recovering a fumbled punt by the Giants' Ed Dove on the New York 20.

At Pittsburgh, the Bears twice went ahead on short touchdown runs, by Willie Galimore and Ron Bull, only to have the Steelers come back to score on Dick Hoak's six-yard run and Ed Brown's 31-yard pass to rookie Roy Curry, tying the game at halftime, 14-14.

Lou Michaels put the Steelers ahead with an 11-yard field goal in the final quarter, four minutes before LeClerc tied the score permanently.

Jimmy Brown gained only 51 yards in 17 carries against Dallas, leaving him 30 yards short of his own NFL season rushing record of 1,527. But Frank Ryan threw three touchdowns passes of 11 and 16 yards to Gary Collins and Ross Fichtner ran back an interception 36 yards for another Cleveland TD. The Browns intercepted four passes by Don Meredith during the second half.

The Packers, with Bart Starr back at quarterback, scored all 28 points during the first half against the Forty Niners. Elijah Pitts, filling in for injured Tom Moore, threw a 21-yard touchdown pass to Ron Kramer and also ran 14 yards for another score.

Danny Villaneuva's 13-yard field goal in the third period produced the Rams' upset win over the Colts. Art Perkins scored two Los Angeles touchdowns of one-yard bucks and Jim Martin kicked Baltimore field goals of 39, 22 and 41 yards.

Fran Tarkenton's passes to Paul Flatley set up a two-yard touchdown plunge by Tommy Mason with less than two minutes to play and gave Minnesota its win over Detroit.

Bob Khatyat's field goals of 37 and 22 yards, followed by Dick James' spectacular catch of a 31-yard touchdown pass from Norm Snead, produced all of Washington's points during the first half against the Eagles.



WITH ROADKINGS — Hank Gunter, above, will be with the Harlem Roadkings who play at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 27, at the Crater High gym in Central Point.

Hess, Brinson Capture Titles In State HS Swimming Meet

Bruce Hess won two individual championships for Medford High School and Jim Brinson another Saturday in the Oregon high school championship swimming meet at Eugene.

Hess was victory in the 100 and 200-yard freestyle races and Brinson took the diving crown to give Medford a tie for third place with South Eugene in boys competition.

Medford's 200-yard freestyle relay team of Jill Crawford, Rhonda Hess, Carol Little and Kathy Stacy took fifth and Niki Marshall was sixth in 50 freestyle to give the Tornado girls 11th spot in their portion of the meet.

EUGENE (UPI) — Reedsport won the boys' division and Wilson captured the girls' division in the Oregon high school championship swimming meet here Saturday.

Reedsport rolled up 49 points in the boys' division. Wilson gained second place with 26 points, Medford and South Eugene tied for third with 21 apiece and Parkrose was fifth with 20.

Wilson scored 73½ points in the girls' division. Beaverton finished second with 64, Sunset and Parkrose tied for third with 25½ each and Grant was fifth with 20.

TOP TEAM SCORES
Boys' division—Reedsport 49, Wilson 26, South Eugene 21, Medford 21, Parkrose 20, Sweet Home 20, Beaverton 20, Lake Oswego 19, Lincoln 19.

Girls' division—Wilson 73½, Beaverton 64, Parkrose 25½, Sunset 25½, Grant 20, South Eugene 11, Castlin-Gable 11, Marshall 8, North Bend 8, Reedsport 7, Medford 6.

North Salem Whips Beaverton High 26-7

By United Press International

It'll be North Salem against Grant in the finals of the Oregon high school Class A-1 football playoffs at Portland's Multnomah Stadium next Friday night.

The powerful Vikings ground out a 26-7 victory over Beaverton in a semifinal game at Salem Saturday night.

Grant defeated Roseburg 19-14 in the other semifinal contest at Roseburg Friday night.

Rod Allison and Del Schaeffer ran for 217 yards — 117 by Allison on 26 carries and 100 by Schaeffer on 20 carries — to spark North Salem's victory.

Allison also scored touchdowns on runs of 9 and 3 yards. Quarterback Gib Gilmore of the Vikings tallied on runs of 27 and 11 yards.

North Salem rolled up a 20-8 edge in first downs and a 342-161 margin in total yards.

Phoenix Rolls

Phoenix rolled over Vale 26-0 at Vale and North Catholic edged Siuslaw 7-6 at Florence in Class A-2 semifinal games Saturday afternoon.

Jim Consruck scored on runs of 8, 62 and 9 yards for Phoenix.

North Catholic won a 43-yard touchdown pass from Ed Gorman to Mike Hryciw and an extra point run by Gorman in the final period.

In Class B-11 semifinal contests Saturday afternoon, Dick Brown scored four touchdowns to lead Jefferson to a 25-6 win over Yoncalla at Yoncalla and Dal Hammer tallied three touchdowns to spark Wasco County to a 33-12 triumph over Merrill at Maupin.

Camas Valley gained the Class B-8 finals with Eagle Valley by walloping Dufur 47-0 at Dufur in a semifinal game Saturday afternoon.

Jefferson will play Wasco County at Maupin Saturday at 1:30 for the class B 11-man title. Eagle Valley will meet Camas Valley at Myrtle Creek, also at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, for the B-8 man crown.

The A-2 finale between Phoenix and North Catholic will be played in the Medford area.

STANDINGS

(Pro Football)

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
By United Press International

Eastern Division	W	L	T	Pct.	PP	PA
New York	8	3	0	.727	237	224
Cleveland	8	3	0	.727	282	104
St. Louis	8	3	0	.727	269	217
Pittsburgh	4	7	0	.364	261	218
Dallas	3	8	0	.273	231	296
Washington	3	8	0	.273	225	291
Philadelphia	2	8	0	.182	137	322

Western Division	W	L	T	Pct.	PP	PA
Chicago	9	1	0	.909	233	106
Green Bay	9	2	0	.818	304	102
Baltimore	5	6	0	.455	220	239
Detroit	4	7	0	.364	261	218
Minnesota	4	7	0	.364	248	319
Los Angeles	4	7	0	.364	159	283
San Fran.	2	8	0	.182	137	322

Tatum Divides 100,000 Points Over 25 Years

CENTRAL POINT — Is it possible to score 100,000 points in basketball?

The answer is "yes" — especially when it has been divided over a 25 year span by the greatest player-showman in the history of professional basketball, Reece (Golden Goose) Tatum.

The fabulous Tatum, "Clown Prince of Basketball," and his 21-year-old son Reece Tatum Jr., better known as Goose Jr., one of the all-time great dribblers, bring their clowning, celebrated Harlem Roadkings to the Crater High gymnasium here on Wednesday, Nov. 27, for a cage attraction. They'll be playing the famous New York Rens in the 8 p.m. feature.

The "Golden Goose" admits to 36 years in age, 25 years of nomadic existence as a barnstorming cager, and has participated in more than 2,500 games.

Originates Tricks

For many years the star of the Harlem Globetrotters, Tatum is the originator of the comedy routines and sleight-of-hand basketball tricks which have stamped the Roadkings as a great show. Tatum has gained recognition as the top attraction in the game.

Former NBA star Reggie Harding, who stands 7 feet, 1 inch, will be in the starting lineup along with Reece Tatum Jr., better known as Goose Jr., 21-year-old son of Tatum.

The world-famed Ink Spots—music's great vocal group—stars of stage, screen, and radio, will put on a 30 minute concert at halftime.

Mel Renfro Definitely Won't Play Basketball Rescheduled

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By United Press International

Oregon State and Oregon's opening basketball games have been rescheduled.

The schedule changes came as a result of the postponement of the schools' football game because of the death of President Kennedy.

Oregon State will open against Washington State at Pullman and Oregon will open against Stanford at Palo Alto next Monday.

The openers were scheduled for Saturday.

STUDY OF PROS

NEW YORK (UPI) — "The Professionals," a close-up study of pro football quarterbacks, featuring Johnny Unitas of the Baltimore Colts, will be presented on CBS Sports Spectacular, Dec. 15, with New York Giant halfback Frank Gifford narrating.

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Sport Parade

By JACK CUDDY
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NEW YORK (UPI)—The year is not important. Only the spirit is.

Maybe you'll remember that in the era flowing World War I they had at Notre Dame a football player named George Gipp who promised to become one of the greatest of them all. Except that he was taken ill and died.

And there came a day thereafter when Knute Rockne gathered around him at halftime a Notre Dame team which was being beaten by Army and told them of the "Gipper's" last request.

"He told me that, someday when things were going bad, to have the team win for the Gipper," Rockne said to them.

Trounced the Army

Notre Dame went out and ground Army into the ground. And, as a guy named Jack Chevigny, later to die with the Marines at Iwo Jima, burst into the end zone with the winning score, he looked up into the heavens and yelled:

"There's the one for you, Gipper."

Corny, maybe. And it is possible that the "Rock," a master strategist, also was guilty of a bit of "corn."

But he taught them, as Chevigny proved later on the field of battle, the value of the indefinable something called "heart."

Which makes me feel a slight bit ill when I read some of the things they blamed on the tragic happenings in the city of Dallas.

Such as the story out of Australia when Dennis Ralston was beaten in the South Australian tennis finals.

It alighted that a "listless" Ralston bowed because he was "saddened" by the death of our President. He had gone on the court, it related, only after being "urged" by U.S. Ambassador William Battle.

Needed A Rockne

He should have had a Rockne urging him on.

Then, like Chevigny, he might have gone out and won one for the man and the legend.

Cry in your beer if you want to do so. But always I keep thinking of the Rock and Chevigny and winning one for the "Gipper." You don't surrender. You fight all the harder. The more lead in your heart the more lightning in your hand. It's the way any skipper would want it.

I have to hope they play the Army-Navy football game this weekend. Not because it's a spectacle or because I hope to see the Cadets spring an upset. But because these kids deserve to play the game they've been looking toward all season.

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Light Heavyweights Featured On Boxing Programs This Week

NEW YORK (UPI) — Light heavyweights will feature this week's boxing.

Allen Thomas, 175-pound contender of Chicago, faces unbeaten Johnny Persol of Brooklyn Friday night at Madison Square Garden in a nationally televised 10-rounder that was postponed a week because of President Kennedy's death.

Thomas is a prohibitive favorite at 5-1 because he is the ninth-ranking contender against unrated Persol, who was substituted last week for third-ranking Mauro Mina of Peru. Mina had a questionable eye condition.

Tonight at Manchester, Eng., Terry Downes of London, former world middleweight champion (160 pounds), makes his second appearance as a light heavyweight in a 10-rounder with Mike Pusateri of Brockton, Mass. Pusateri, a knockout specialist, is a protégé of former heavyweight champion Rocky Marciano of Brockton. Rocky is expected to be in Pusateri's corner.

Although 26-year-old Downes is a wealthy betting-shop tycoon, he still craves a shot at the light-heavy crown.

At Frankfurt, Germany on Friday, heavyweight contender Billy Daniels of New York, engages Karl Mildenberger. Daniels is ranked seventh among contenders by the World Boxing Association.

Mildenberger of Germany is rated eighth by the Ring magazine.

The week's boxing schedule includes:

Monday: Manchester, Eng.—Terry Downes vs. Mike Pusateri and Dave Charney vs. Tito Marshall.

Tuesday: New York (Sunnyside)—Vince Shomo vs. Tommy Williams.

Wednesday: Stockton, Calif.—Danny Kid vs. Juan Perales and Benny Casing vs. Ronnie Perez.

Thursday: Paisley, Scotland—Walt McGowan vs. Ric Magramo.

Friday: New York (Garden)—Allen Thomas vs. Johnny Persol (TV).

Frankfurt, Germany — Billy Daniels vs. Karl Mildenberger.

Saturday: Grenoble, France—Sugar Ray Robins vs. Andre Davier.

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