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Okay! Okay! You're the best goalie in the league, Harris—we're convinced!

Dark Star Win Voted Top Upset

NEW YORK (AP) — It was late in the afternoon at rambling old Churchill Downs last May 2 and more than 100,000 persons had been milling around for hours waiting to see a "sure thing" become the first grey horse in history to win the Kentucky Derby.

At 4:32 p.m. that warm, sunny day, 11 of the nation's best 3-year-olds slammed out of the starting gate, with a tough mile and one-quarter run ahead of them, and a \$50,000 prize for the winner.

But a fleet little colt named Dark Star, almost 25 to 1 on the tote board, came out of there with a rush, jumped into the lead almost at once, and then stayed there to the end as he beat off the closing spurt of the touted Danzer to win by a head.

Harry F. Guggenheim's Cain Hoy Stable, trained by Eddie Hayward and with Henry Moreno in the saddle, had pulled off one of the greatest upsets in the history of racing.

This was voted the sports upset of 1953 Monday in the 23rd annual year-end Associated Press poll.

In a nationwide poll of sports writers and sportscasters, the grey of Alfred Vanderbilt's grey galloper received 41 first place votes of the 128 cast, in a close ballot battle with Purdue's 6-0 upset win over Michigan State's football team last fall.

The Iowa - Notre Dame football 14-14 tie got 14 firsts, and 85 points to rank third among the year's upsets.

Other major upsets during the year, in the order they were rated: Mississippi Southern's 25-19 football victory over Alabama; Danny Womber's 10-round decision over Kid Gavilan at Syracuse, first loss for the welterweight king in almost three years; Houston's 37-0 football victory over Baylor; Nino Valkies' 10-round victory over Edward Charles at Miami Beach; Tony Trabert's 6-3, 6-2, 6-3 victory over Wimbledon champion Vic Seixas in the finals of the U.S. Nationals at Forest Hills; The Boston Bruins eliminating the supposedly invincible Detroit Red Wings from the Stanley Cup hockey playoffs, and the Philadelphia Eagles 42-27 victory over Cleveland, ending the Browns' 11-game winning streak in the National Football League.

Malin led all the way Saturday night in his 59-27 win over the Klamath Wildcats on the winners' court.

The game started slowly with the Mustangs hanging up a 7-4 lead at the end of the first frame but putting it to 22-7 and 37-19 at the next two stops.

Northern Division Teams Bat .500

Beavers Bounce Back In Win Over Vandals

NORTHERN DIVISION Idaho W L Pct Oregon State 2 2 .500 Oregon 1 1 .500 Washington 1 1 .500 Washington State 1 1 .500

Halbrook scored 28 points Saturday night, 20 of them in the first half. Idaho center Dwight Morrison, who scored 22 points Friday, was held to 9 in Saturday's contest. Halbrook's 60 points was a new OSC conference series record.

Friday and Saturday — Oregon at Washington State; Oregon State at Seattle.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS The Northern Division is without a clearcut basketball leader after the first week of conference action but the picture is expected to change this week as Oregon's two teams cross the border into Washington.

All the teams broke even in the opening series last week. Idaho ended the week with a 2-2 record after games with Oregon and Oregon State and Washington and Washington State also split a pair.

TO SEATTLE This week OSC Coach Slats Gill and his tall Beavers, No. 10 team on The Associated Press poll, go to Seattle for meetings Friday and Saturday with Washington, while Oregon travels to Pullman for a pair of games with WSU.

Oregon State, beaten 70-65 by Idaho in the conference-opener Friday night, came back Saturday to whip the Vandals 65-60. At the same time, Washington posted its first win of the season, a 54-44 decision over Washington State. The Cougars won the first game Friday, 55-48.

OSC's 7-foot 3-inch center Swede Halbrook netted 60 points in the two games with Idaho, boosting his season shooting average from 23.7 to 24.75 points per game.

Free throws missed: Idaho—Flynn 2, Garrison 3, Falash, Sather, Totten, Bauscher, Oregon State—Romanoff 5, Halligan, Halbrook, Robbins, Jarboe 2, Toole 2, Fundingsland 2.

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in BRIEF

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TAMPA, Fla. — Gardner Mulloy of Miami, Fla., national ranked No. 4, defeated Tony Vincent 11-9, 8-6, 6-4 to win the Dixie Tournament.

ADELAIDE — Tony Trabert, Cincinnati, defeated Lewis Hood, Australia, to win the Australian championship 6-4, 6-2, 6-2.

LOS ANGELES — Fred Wampler of Indianapolis shot a five under par 66 to take a five-stroke lead at the end of the third round of the \$20,000 Los Angeles Open Tournament.

MOBILE, Ala. — The North defeated the South 20-14 in the Senior Bowl for the third straight year.

MELBOURNE — John Landy of Australia ran two miles in 8:58.2 to set a new Australian record, bettering the previous mark by three seconds.

ARCADIA, Calif. — James Session (\$14.80) captured the \$20,000 San Vicente stakes at Santa Anita.

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Pancho May Keep Pro Tour Alive

By MERCER BEASLEY Famous Coach and President of the Professional Lawn Tennis Association NEW YORK (NEA) — Before the current professional tennis tour started, people were saying that Jack Kramer would have to go back to work to assure the success of his own production.

Critics contended that no one else could beat Frank Sedgman often enough to maintain interest. But that was before Pancho Gonzales kicked off the more-than-80-city junket at Madison Square Garden by coming from behind after a shaky start to blast Sedgman with big serves in one of the more spectacular indoor matches ever seen, 3-6, 11-9, 13-11.

The last time they met, Sedgman in November trimmed the happy-to-lucky Mexican, 6-1, 6-2, 6-2, at Wembley, hard by London.

It was then that Don Budge pronounced Australia's former unbeatable Davis Cup star as being as close to perfection as a shotmaker could be.

Opening the current trip, Sedgman was fresh from Melbourne, where he worked with and coached Australia's Davis Cup team. He was declared to be in the best condition of anyone on the floor, and the combatants included — in addition to himself and Gonzales — Pancho Segura, Budge and Kramer.

What they didn't know was that Big Pancho Gonzales had been working on his game with Little Pancho Segura in Los Angeles. He spent a week before his match with Sedgman practicing indoors on canvas at the Brooklyn Heights Casino. It was there that I first realized how greatly he had improved.

In fairness to Sedgman, he had only two hours of practice indoors on canvas due to his late return from the Davis Cup Matches. It must also be remembered that Gonzales, the United States singles champion of 1948-49 at 20 and 21 years of age, defeated Sedgman the latter year in a Davis Cup match.

The Los Angeles kid then joined the money ranks too quickly, taking, as a result, a consistent thumping from Kramer, then at the peak of his game.

Because his box office value had diminished, he did not make the long money trip last year, when Promoter Kramer picked up Sedgman and his Australian Davis Cup partner, Ken McGregor.

In the opening set, Gonzales' first serve was not going in. The second serve was weak, allowing Sedgman to counter-attack and keep the big Mexican led in backcourt.

In the second set, Gonzales began booming his big serve into court with such devastating speed that Sedgman was thrown on the defensive and could hardly get the ball in play.

It was then that Gonzales' straight backhand cleared the net and dropped.

They couldn't break each other's serve in the third set until Sedgman weakened and he, in turn, was unable to get his first serve in.

In the match, Gonzales scored 14 service aces, which must crowd

the record for any kind of tennis. Don Budge delighted the spectators with the fluency of his ground strokes, especially his famous backhand, but at 28 it quickly became apparent that the celebrated redhead no longer has the legs nor inclination to force the play at the net.



PANCHO GONZALES ... pros' money man

Crisler Champions One-Platoon Football

SARASOTA, Fla. (AP) — H. O. (Fritz) Crisler, often called the father of modern two-platoon football, said Monday the game is just as good under one-platoon, with the exception of kicking.

"Mechanics of the game last season with limited substitution were just as good, except for kicking," said Crisler, chairman of the NCAA Football Rules Committee which opened sessions here Monday.

"Coaches will see that kicking comes back up, given a little time. Trouble was that so many schools depended on their kicking from a fellow who usually couldn't—or didn't—do anything else."

Amid signs that one-platoon football is here to stay, although there may be some liberalization of the limited substitution rule, Crisler said he believes college football is a better game with double-duty players in action.

"Statistics show that pass defense improved considerably last year," the Michigan athletic director and former coach declared. "I think that is because coaches are keeping their 'blue chip' players in on defense as well as offense."

"Under the two-platoon system, in many instances, coaches would let their top-notch boys—especially backfield men—play offense and their second stringers play defense. Now we get the best boys both ways."

He noted that coaches last year voted 4-1 in favor of two-platoons. But this year they are 3-1 on the side of limited substitution.

Many coaches, however, are clamoring for some modification of the rule, which divides the game into six segments and prohibits a player from returning to action if he already has played in that segment.

Lou Little of Columbia, chairman of the rules committee of the American Football Coaches Assn., said the coaches would like to see the rule changed so a player could see action twice in each period, with no time limits.

Bly's chances were hit when Danny Cavan was flagged out on five fouls in the first four minutes of play. Chiloquin led all the way, 24-14 at the half and 35-21 at the end of three quarters.

Jo Jo George dumped 15 for Chiloquin, Sherm Seastrong and Rod Hadley 10 each for Bly. Chiloquin also won the junior varsity curtain-raiser, 51-21 over Bly.

Pro Cager Nabbed In Hoop Betting Scandal

FORT WAYNE, Ind. (AP) — Jack Molinas, who had a good chance of being named the National Basketball Assn. Rookie of the Year, instead appeared likely to be the first player expelled from the league for betting on NBA games.

The Fort Wayne Pistol forward and former Columbia University star, was in the position of trading his career and a salary of \$9,600 a season for about \$400 in gambling profits.

The NBA, which escaped being involved directly in the college basketball bribery scandals of the last three seasons, yesterday suspended him indefinitely.

President Maurice Podoloff left little doubt that the 6-foot-4 Molinas is finished in pro basketball. The 21-year-old player is entitled to a hearing before being expelled automatically at the end of the season. But Podoloff said he doubted that Molinas will ask for one.

The tall youth told The Associated Press he had bet only on his team to win.

"I've never done anything dishonest in my life," he exclaimed, almost in tears.

Podoloff said in New York that Molinas offered to play without pay if the league would give him a chance to redeem himself. The NBA president turned him down.

Several hours after Molinas' suspension, Deputy Chief Inspector Edward W. Byrnes in New York said that a Bronx candy store operator had been questioned in connection with the incident.

Byrnes, in charge of Bronx detectives, identified the man as Isidore Ratenski, about 54. Byrnes said the man had been released after being questioned for 1½ hours but he was told to report for further questioning today.

New York newspapers last night reported that bookmakers had stopped taking bets on Fort Wayne games after the Pistons' game with Boston Dec. 15. Odds favoring Boston jumped sharply just before the game, it was reported. Boston won 82-75, with Molinas scoring 20 points, 18 of them in the first half.

Podoloff also said Molinas reported he gained about \$400, including refunds of telephone calls.

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Joynor, Monroe. Quarterbacks—Frank Littlejohn, Coburg; Rudy Herr, Brownsville.

East — Ends—Edward Newton, Joseph; Herb Peterson, Ione; Tackles—George Fox, Rufus; Norm Mentzer, Pilot Rock; Sherry Spray, Union; Guards—George Evans, Malin; Geary Patterson, Enterprise; Russ Taylor, Heppner; Center—Bob Cooney, Condon; Jack Groves, Wallula; Halfbacks—Bob Clemens, Union; Arlen Franklin, Weston; Dallas Johnson, Wallowa; Phil Kriestbaum, Halfway; Larry Sayrs, Moro; Fullbacks—Dunne Baker, Ione; Richard Cason, Elgin; J. D. Johnson, Union; Quarterbacks—Elroy Sutton, Stanfield; Mickey Tovey, Spray.

PRO BASKETBALL THE ASSOCIATED PRESS Sunday's Results

York 81, Rochester 69; New York 77, Baltimore 73; Wayne 81, Milwaukee 73;neapolis 89, Boston 65.

Saturday's Resultsneapolis 78, Milwaukee 67;imore 95, Philadelphia 90; York 88, Rochester 87.

HIGH SCHOOL THE ASSOCIATED PRESS Saturday Scores

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Hadwick Eyes Another Swim

TORIA, B. C. (AP) — Florence Wick, distance swimmer who conquered the English Channel, the Straits of Gibraltar and the Bosphorus, now is eyeing the Strait of Juan de Fuca.

Victoria Times said Saturday the San Diego, Calif., merchant has been offered \$10,000 to try to swim the 2-mile stretch between Port Angeles in Washington and Victoria and will fly Jan. 21 to inspect the course.

An attempt would be made July 1, the Times said. The Times and the British American Paint Co. has guaranteed Chadwick \$7,500 if she makes the attempt and an additional \$2,000 if successful.

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