

USC, UCLA Sweep Coast Grid Honors

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Honors broke the midweek calm in the Pacific Coast Conference, with most of the mention going to USC and UCLA.

Trojan halfback Jon Arnett was named Back of the Week in The Associated Press poll.

Pitt End Named Lineman

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Fred Glatz, a 150-pound end at Pitt, was named The Associated Press Lineman of the Week Wednesday for his exploits that helped the Panthers knock Navy from the list of unbeaten college football teams.

Glatz was named by sportswriters and broadcasters in the weekly balloting for the honor. Hugh Pitts, Texas Christian center, and Bruce Bosley, West Virginia tackle, also received high praise for their play against Texas A&M and Penn State, respectively.

Glatz, a junior who prepped at Pittsburgh Central High, caught a 34-yard forward pass that set up Pitt's first touchdown in the Panthers' 21-19 victory and followed through by recovering two Navy fumbles to choke off threats by the Middies. He was strong defensively at other times, too.

It was Pitts who saved TCU's 21-20 victory over the Texas Aggies by blocking the try for extra point that would have tied the score.

Forrest Gregg, Southern Methodist tackle, was pointed out for his outstanding play against Rice. Other linemen nominated: Centers—Kurt Burris, Oklahoma, Larry White, New Mexico, John Irvine, Maryland.

Guards—Lou Lovely, Boston Univ. Jim Buonopane, Holy Cross, Neil Opyke, Columbia, Bob Salisbury, UCLA.

Ends—Carl Allison, Oklahoma.

Pro Grid Departments Led By Ram

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Norm Van Brocklin, the man behind the center for the Los Angeles Rams, held down top spot in both the punting and passing departments in the National Football League's latest statistics, released Wednesday.

Van Brocklin, veteran quarterback out of the University of Oregon, thus far in the 1954 season has completed 53 of 100 passes attempted for a total of 1081 yards and five touchdowns. His completion mark is 53 per cent and his average gain 10.81 yards.

The Cleveland Browns' Otto Graham, defending champ in the NFL's passing category, rated second position with an average gain of 10.06 yards on 45 completions out of 69 attempts. He has tossed for 694 yards and seven touchdowns.

Van Brocklin's 14 punts this season have averaged 47.2 yards. Earl Girard, Detroit, is second with an average of 45.5.

A pair of San Francisco 49ers lead the loop's ball carriers. Joe Perry has picked up 356 yards overland for an average of 7.1, while Hugh McElhenny, ex-University of Washington back, has traveled 231 yards for an average of 7.4.

MARINES TO RESCUE

CHAPEL HILL, N.C. (AP) — When the University of North Carolina grid squad started training, Coach George Barclay found that only three of the Tar Heel lettermen tackled were reporting. He got good news at the last moment when Jack Maulsby, 220 pound tackle, returned from the U.S. Marines where he has been training and playing tackle for the last two seasons.

College Grid Briefs

PULLMAN, Wash. (AP) — Doug Leffesse worked out with the Washington State Cougars Thursday and Coach Al Kircher said the Sunnyside Wash. guard may be in action Saturday against Idaho.

Leffesse injured both knees in WSC's opener at Southern California.

Kircher moved sophomore John Clark of Wallawa, Ore., to reserve end and indicated he, too, may play against the Vandals. Arnie Pelluer is expected to start, replacing Bob Ferringer who broke a finger in the game with California last Saturday.

MOSCOW, Idaho (AP) — Coach Idaho Vandals films of last week's game with Arizona, then ran them through a stiff drill on pass offense and defense blocking in preparation for the Saturday contest with Washington State College.

Stanley said those were the two main weaknesses in the Idaho showing at Tucson.

Idaho is expected to be at full strength for the traditional game with WSC. Only guard Elwood Rees will miss the game. Rees suffered a concussion in the Arizona game and doctors say he will not be well enough to play Saturday.

SEATTLE (AP) — Washington Coach John Cherbeg used even his fourth stringers Tuesday in a rugged double scrimmage against known Stanford players.

He had the first string players opposing the third and the second going against the fourth string as he drilled for the Saturday game at Palo Alto.

More of the same was on tap for Wednesday.

CORVALLIS, Ore. (AP) — Mindful of UCLA's 72-point job against Stanford, Coach Kip Taylor stressed defense in Oregon State's drills Tuesday for the Saturday game with the Uclans.

Bob Clark and Dick Mason alternated as quarterbacks in place of Ray Westfall and Jim Withrow who still are nursing injuries.

EUGENE, Ore. (AP) — Two of the nation's leading college football passers will be in opposite camps when San Jose State plays Oregon in a non-conference game here Saturday.

Oregon quarterback George Shaw is the nation's No. 2 man, with 53 completions in five games. 20 title bout with world champion San Jose State has Ben Pierce, 10th ranked nationally with 33 completions in four contests. Shaw has attempted 106 passes and Pierce 59.

TUESDAY'S FIGHTS

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. — Miguel Diaz, 148, Havana, outpointed Rocky Casillo, 146, Blue Island, Ill., 10.

BOSTON — Tommy Collins, 129 1/2, Boston, stopped Bobby Why, 123 1/2, Los Angeles, 6.

SACRAMENTO, Calif. — Art Hampton, 133, Richmond, Calif., knocked out Lauro Salas, 129 1/2, Mexico City, 4.

WASHINGTON — Holly Mims, 161, Washington, outpointed Bobby Lee, 154, Baltimore, 10.

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Champ Favored In Title Fight

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Welterweight champion Kid Gavilan predicts he'll knock out Johnny Saxton tonight "if I hit him solid" and Saxton says, "I'm going to be the new champion."

A crowd of around 11,000 may pay around \$80,000 for the twice-postponed 15-round title bout in Convention Hall.

It will be telecast coast to coast by CBS, Philadelphia and a 100-mile radius around the city, with the exception of New York, will be blacked out of the TV. Local stations will get a radio broadcast.

Starting time is 10 p.m. EST.

EIGHTH DEFENSE
The 35-year-old Cuban, making his eighth title defense, radiated extreme confidence, as usual, as he moved into town from his Summit, N.J., training camp.

"Saxton is a pretty good fighter," said the Kid from Camaguey. "He's strong and likes to crowd. I throw plenty of punches at him and we see what happens. If I hit him solid, he goes."

"Gavilan is a great fighter," said the 24-year-old challenger from New York. "I'm not underestimating him. But I'm confident I've got the strength and style to beat him."

The odds, however, favor the champion at 19-10.

Saxton said he wasn't worried over going 15 rounds for the first time.

TRAINED HARD
"I've trained hard and long for this one," the muscular Negro youngster said. "I've always had plenty left after 10 rounds and I'm sure I'll be better over 15."

Johnny has the style which has bothered Gavilan most in the past. He is pantherish in his movements, punches very fast and presses his opponents persistently.

"Maybe that style doesn't always

TOKYO (AP) — Argentine flyweight champion Pascual Perez disappointed boxing observers in drills Wednesday. Betting odds immediately switched to make him a slight underdog in his Oct. 20 title bout with world champion Yoshio Shirai.

Observers who watched the bull-necked little Argentine train for the outdoor, 15-round fight came away with the impression that his style is "made to order" for the champion.

please the fans," said Saxton. "But that's the way I win. I'm not going to give him any punching room if I can help it."

The crowding, bullying style has enabled Saxton to post a 43-2-2 record. His two defeats were by

split decisions to Gil Turner and Del Flanagan. He has 19 kayos to his credit. Gavilan's record is 28-14-4 with 27 knockouts. Neither ever has been stopped.

DRUBBED
This is Gavilan's first fight in

six months and his first title defense since he drubbed Johnny Bratton in Chicago 11 months ago.

A half year ago he dropped a 15-round decision to middleweight champion Carl (Bobo) Olson. He claimed he fought that one with

an injured right hand. It was that injury which forced the first postponement of his title tilt with Saxton. The second time he came down with a virus infection and the mumps the night before the scheduled Sept. 1 contest.

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