

Oregon Tech Wallops Southern Oregon 44 - 14

Owls Garner Share In OCC Championship

Oregon Collegiate Conference
Final Standings
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W L T	Pct.	PP	PA
Oregon Tech	3 1	.750	55
O.C.C.	3 1	.750	54
Portland State	2 2	.500	77
Southern Oregon	2 2	.500	99
Eastern Oregon	0 4	.000	38

Saturday result:
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ASHLAND — Coach Rex Hunter's Oregon Tech Owls closed out the 1954 Oregon Collegiate Conference with a big splash here Saturday afternoon on the high school football field as they trounced Southern Oregon College by a 44-14 score giving the mile high school a share of the OCC championship with Oregon College.

Played in warm sunshine, the final conference battle was a renewal of the relations between the two schools, who in 1952 met on Modoc Field and the Owls ran away with a 39-0 victory to add insult to injury to the broken SOG team.

Saturday it was just about the same story, but not to the exaggerated score, as the gridders from the Mile High Campus in Klamath Falls scored in every quarter against the fired-up Red Raiders from SOG.

A break late in the first period of play set up the first OTI touchdown as a Red Raider punt fell dead on the SOG eight yard line, giving the Owls a first and goal to go with better than two minutes remaining in the quarter.

On the first play, fullback Doug Crippen backed his way to the seven and then Ray Rosa the quarterback from Daly City, Calif., swept to the two yard line on a keep-it play, but an offside penalty against the Owls on the next play moved the piskin back to the seven yard stripe once more.

A play into the line for no gain made it fourth and still goal to go for the invading Owls. Rosa dropped back to pass and spotted Willie Simpson in the end zone and hit him with a strike for the score. Cal "Sugar Jet" Smith failed in his conversion attempt and the Owls led 6-0.

Just four plays later, the Owls had another tally as Smith gathered in a SOG punt on his 29 yard line and behind OTI interference rammed some 71 yards for a touchdown. Again Smith's kick was no good, this time the scoreboard registered a 12-0 verdict in favor of the OTI eleven.

In the final seconds of the first period the Red Raiders fumbled and Crippen fell on the lost ball giving the Owls possession again on the OTI 47.

Two plays later and into the second quarter, Rosa hit Odie Canada, a returning letterman who played one of his best games in Owl spangles on defense and offense, with a pass to the SOG 29 yard line good for nine yards and set

Montreal Favored In Playoff

TORONTO (U.P.) — The Montreal Alouettes and Edmonton Eskimos tangle Saturday for the Grey Cup for the first time in the 45-year history of Canada's football classic. Already, the experts are picking the Alouettes, Eastern champions, to win the cup donated by Gov. General Earl Grey in 1909.

The power-laden Alouettes, with Denver's Sam Elcheverry pulling the trigger for two touchdown passes, whipped the Hamilton Tiger-Cats, defending cup champions, 24-19 Saturday to take the Eastern Big Four Union total point series 38-28.

The Eskimos' entry into the final was Western Canada's standard-bearers in the annual East-West clash, came much easier. They polished off the Kitchener-Waterloo Dutchmen 38-6 Saturday night in the cup semi-final.

Edmonton led Kitchener 7-6 at the end of the first quarter and came up with a four-touchdown final quarter to wrap up the game.



THAT WAY—Bob Brannum seems to be pointing with his thumb to show which way the ball went as Charley Share of the Milwaukee Hawks appears to have twisted the Boston Celtics' elbow at Madison Square Garden. (NEA)

DELIGHT TO SEA... Who wouldn't be pleased to have Kathy Darlyn Smith as a crew member? What poor fish would mind getting hooked by her — off St. Petersburg, Fla., where she fishes?

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Cougars Bounce Huskies

PULLMAN, Wash. (U.P.) — Basketballer Ron Bennink, a student trainer in the off season, picked up a dirty tape and helped put away the helmets Saturday, then took the sports spotlight at Washington State College.

The football team had just bowed out as a 26-7 winner over Washington's inept Huskies. Bennink, the top billed star of a potentially fine five at WSC, takes over from Frank Sarno, Jim Hagerty and Duke Washington whose performances brought down the house in the football finale.

STANDINGS The Huskies, loaded with stand-ins for injured and ineligible regulars, got a mild panning from their own cheer leaders and a pounding from the big Cougar line in the winnow before some 17,500 people.

Except for 29 scoreless minutes at the start and an early 71-yard drive that carried to the WSC 23, the Huskies were never in it and WSC came close to making it embarrassingly one-sided.

With 43 seconds left in the first half, Sarno found Hagerty free in the Washington secondary for a 46-yard touchdown pass play. The stocky, 205-pound Sarno kicked the point and the trend was set.

"It was a close first half anyway," said weary John Cherberg whose Huskies had ended their worst season in 24 years with a 2-6 record. "This was WSC's best game. We were thin, but there's always next year."

And Cherberg and staff will be back.

RECOGNIZED "Definitely yes," said Harvey Caswell, the UW athletic director. "Recognizing all the problems they've had, I am completely satisfied with the job they have done."

The job was too big Saturday, however, as the Cougars scored three times in the third quarter. Halfback Hagerty, who will also be back next year, gained 33 of the 67 yards in a scoring march for the first of them.

Hagerty, who made 18 points, went 23 yards on one play and then went over from the one to end a 74-yard drive five minutes later. Without Hagerty, the Cougars rolled 49 yards after a Bob Cox fumble, the payoff coming on an 8-yard pitch from Bob Iverson to Merv Purnell.

WSC almost had two more in the fourth quarter, getting to the six and 20 before stalling with a 26-0 lead.

"It was a team victory for us," grinned Al Kircher, the Cougar coach who soothed a lot of alumni "wolves" with the thumping decision. "The Huskies weren't as strong as I thought."

GLOOMY Things got so gloomy for the Huskies, one of their cheer leaders took to the loudspeaker in the fourth quarter to tell his crew: "Thank goodness we didn't play the Vandals." The Washington rooters then gave 15 organized "rahs" for Idaho, 10-0 winner over WSC this season and first foe for the Huskies next fall.

Sophomore Cox, who may have been listening, kept his team on an 80-yard march for a touchdown, completing six of eight passes.

The biggest was a fourth down, 23-yard throw to Dean Derby ruled complete on the six on Hagerty's interference.

With 70 seconds remaining, Cox tossed to end Corky Lewis for the score and the unanimous token applause that usually goes to a fighting underdog at that stage.

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TIME OUT



"Ain't easy to get a howling team together up here in the far north!"

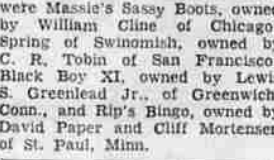
Nationals Topped By Black Lab

WELDON SPRING, Mo. (U.P.) — Major VI, black Labrador, that spent much of his puppyhood in a long island bar and sometimes retrieved empty beer cans, reigns as the national retriever champion.

The six-year old male dog, owned by Mrs. Fraser M. Born of Southampton, L.I., N.Y., turned in a flawless performance to outclass five other finalists, including the defending champion, in land and water tests Saturday.

Kang Buck, owned by the Miss Kennels of Brighton, Ill., had won the title the past two years and was bidding for a record third consecutive championship.

Other dogs reaching the finals were Massie's Sassy Boots, owned by William Cline of Chicago; Spring of Swinmish, owned by C. R. Tobin of San Francisco; Black Boy XI, owned by Lewis S. Greenleaf Jr. of Greenwich, Conn.; and Rip's Bingo, owned by David Paper and Cliff Mortensen of St. Paul, Minn.



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Jack Heppinstall, Michigan State trainer, was an outstanding soccer player in his native England before coming to this country in 1913.

In 17 racing seasons Delaware Park, the state's only thoroughbred track, has returned \$14,477,242.82 to the state via taxes.

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Oregon Whips Beavers

CORVALLIS, Ore. (U.P.) — Oregon's George Shaw, who has already agreed to play in the year-end East-West Shrine game at San Francisco, claimed national total offense honors Monday following his team's rout of Oregon State Saturday 33-14.

The season's football windup for both clubs, Oregon's first win in the series in six years, saw the versatile Shaw stage another great performance.

Through the victory, Oregon took third place in the final Coast Conference standings, with five wins and three losses, and a season record of six won, four lost, OSC finished with one win and six beatings in conference play and a single victory and eight losses over the season.

PASSED Shaw passed to three of Oregon's five touchdowns Saturday and gained 121 yards, to bring his season's unofficial total to 1,536 yards. He went into the game with a 40-yard bulge over Paul Larson of California and Larson was held to only 110 yards in Cal's victory over Stanford Saturday.

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The scramble of lucrative bowl bettha was not over by any means

Andrews, Smith In Spotlight

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Boardwalk Billy Smith and Punching Paul Andrews, the two leading light heavyweight contenders, share the boxing limelight this week.

Smith, a dynamic climber from Atlantic City, N. J., takes on heavyweight Archie McBride at New York's St. Nicholas Arena tonight. The 33-year-old Smith kayoed Gene (Tiger) Jones, Willie Bean and Harold Johnson in quick order in his three fights this year.

Du Mont will telecast at 10 p.m., EST.

Andrews, a tall, 24-year-old ex-paratrooper from Buffalo, N. Y., gets his big test Wednesday night against Joey Maxin, the ex-light heavyweight champion, at the Chicago Stadium.

Handled by Marshall Miles, who managed Joe Louis, Andrews is being groomed for shots at both the light heavy and heavyweight titles. He has a 28-3 record.

Wildcat Billy McNece, of Islip, N. Y., and Ted Olla, of Milwaukee, two free-swinging middleweights, mix it up tonight at Brooklyn's Eastern Parkway Arena.

ABC will telecast at 10 p.m., EST.

Reno Makes Strong Bid For Olympics

RENO, Nev. (U.P.) — Reno is planning to make a strong bid for the 1960 Olympic Winter Games.

William Brunsard, manager of the Reno Chamber of Commerce, said Sunday Reno representatives will present the bid to J. Lyman Ringham, executive secretary for the final minute, a Ron Bear-

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today, but no matter how the final pairings line up the "natural" of the year won't take place.

The Rose Bowl is the only one of the four big postseason extravaganzas filled. It will pit twicetwice Southern California against mighty Ohio State. UCLA, possibly the only team in the country capable of giving the Buckeyes an argument, played in the Rose Bowl last Jan. 1, and by Pacific Coast Conference edict, can't appear again.

TRAGEDY As far as college football goes, that's a genuine tragedy. Both Ohio State and UCLA boast proud 9-0 records. Both are undisputed masters of their conferences — UCLA the PCC and Ohio State the Big Ten — and they rate the Nos. 1 and 2 teams in the nation.

If there was any doubt as to who was best in the PCC, it was dispelled last Saturday when UCLA

clubbed the Trojans 34-0. Ohio State meanwhile, was winning its seventh Big Ten game, a 21-7 decision over Michigan.

Two other teams emerged with bowl assignments. They were Arkansas for the Cotton Bowl host and Nebraska as the visitor for the Orange Bowl. Both sneaked in the back door.

Arkansas was beaten by Louisiana State 7-6, and Nebraska suffered a 55-7 pasting at the hands of Oklahoma. But... Baylor beat Southern Methodist 33-21 in a Southwestern Conference game. Since SMU was Arkansas' only competitor for the Cotton Bowl assignment, the defeat spelled doom for the Mustangs.

Baylor still can the Arkansas for the league title, but the Razorbacks had the forethought to whip Baylor earlier in the season to clinch it.

APPEARING Oklahoma, like UCLA is barred from appearing in the Orange Bowl two years in a row, the runner-up gets it this year. Oklahoma's victory over Nebraska gave the Sooners their seventh straight Big Seven title.

Kansas State was the only team that had a chance of overtaking Nebraska in the race for second place. Colorado beat State 38-14 and that settled things.

If Duke can get past North Carolina Saturday, the Blue Devils no doubt will get the Atlantic Coast Conference spot in the Orange Bowl. A vote is taken, but Duke will have a spotless record compared to one the against Maryland. Conversely, if the Blue Devils lose, Maryland probably will get the nod for the second straight year.

Should Mississippi win the Southwestern Conference championship by getting past Mississippi State Saturday, Of Miss will act as host team in the Sugar Bowl. Baylor has a good chance of being named the visitor.

SELECTORS The settling of the Southeastern race also will enable the Cotton Bowl selectors some width in deciding the team to oppose Arkansas. Auburn and Kentucky, winners of their last five in a row, appear to have the inside track.

Wichita finally won a Missouri Valley crown with a 20-0 victory over Detroit and probably will get a bid to the Gator Bowl. Any of the teams passed over for the Cotton or Sugar bowls can get the other spot.

The mythical Ivy League title still is unsettled because Harvard upended Yale, the leader, 13-9. As a result, Harvard won the Big Three championship (Harvard-Yale-Princeton) and this one is more important to the three teams involved than the league crown.

Notre Dame beat Iowa 34-18.

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