

Oregon State To Use 'New Deal' Formation

EDITORS: This is the last of a series of the prospects of Pacific Coast Conference teams for the 1955 season.

CORVALLIS, Ore. (UP) — The single wing, under which Oregon State knew its greatest days of football, is being restored by Coach Tommy Prothro and the students are whooping it up over their "new deal."

They would just as soon forget about last year when the Beavers

wound up in a tie with Washington for last place in the Pacific Coast Conference cellar while compiling a 1-8 mark under LaVerne (Kip) Taylor and his well-dented T formation.

Taylor and the T were replaced last February by Prothro, who was Red Sanders' No. 1 assistant at UCLA and took part in masterminding the Bruins to a 61-0 romp over OSC last year for the worst defeat in Corvallis annals.

NO MIRACLES

Prothro is keeping mum on what he expects to accomplish since crossing to the other side of the field but a spokesman for the athletic department says, "We're optimistic. OSC should be a little stronger this fall and considerably stronger next year. Every year, Coach Tommy will do the job but nobody expects miracles of him in one year."

The general feeling is that the single wing fits the material better, even if it is brand new to the returning center in center which includes 20 lettermen.

One basic change will send Ray Westfall, last year's sophomore quarterback, into the tailback spot and Prothro thinks the team will be strong there. Dick Mason, who led OSC in ground gaining last year, is to be spotted at wing back.

The Beavers look strongest at the tackles, despite the departure of Ron Ashbacher. John Witte, a letterman, is rejoining the team after two years in the service. He will handle the job along with Howard Buehgenach, another regular. Bob Riggert, who played a lot of ball at guard, also will be back.

EASIER SCHEDULE

Prothro's biggest worry up front is at center. And at the ends. He has to find replacements on the wings for Laird Brattain and Wed Ediger who are gone.

Joe Francis, a tailback, heads a solid group of sophomores and is expected to give Westfall a tough argument for the job. Sam Wesley, another second year man, also could give the veteran Mason some trouble at wingback.

The schedule seems easier with such brutal intersectional foes as Minnesota and Nebraska not slated this season. The Beavers have an all conference calendar with the exception of Brigham Young where they open Sept. 17.

The schedule:

Sept. 17 — Brigham Young.
Sept. 24 — Stanford at Portland.
Oct. 7 — at UCLA.
Oct. 15 — at College of the Pacific.
Oct. 22 — Washington State.
Oct. 29 — at Washington.
Nov. 5 — Idaho.
Nov. 12 — at California.
Nov. 19 — at Oregon.

In Brief

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TENNIS

MANCHESTER, Mass. — Shirley Fry defeated Doris Hart 7-5, 3-6, 6-2, to win the singles crown of the Essex Women's Invitational.

RYE, N. Y. — Top seeded Americans Herbie Flam and Sam Giamalva advanced in the second round of the Westchester Invitation singles.

GOLF

UNDATED — Walker Cupper Don Cherry failed to qualify for the National Amateur.

RACING

NEW YORK — A. G. Vanderbilt's Sometime Thing (\$4.50) captured the Nostrand Purse at Aqueduct.

DEL MAR, Calif. — Myrtlewood (\$27.60) triumphed in the Del Mar feature.

Title Fight Briefs

GROSSINGER, N. Y. (UP) — Rocky Marciano, the heavyweight champion who defends his title against Archie Moore in New York, Sept. 20, rapidly is rounding into shape. The champ worked four rounds with spartan Tuesday, concentrating on body blows.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass. (UP) — Archie Moore, training here for his title bout with heavyweight champion Rocky Marciano, Sept. 20, tipped the scales at an even 190 pounds today, only five pounds over the weight he plans to carry into the ring. Moore worked four rounds Tuesday, two with Johnny Jenkins and two with Gorilla Brown.

The STANDINGS

TUESDAY'S BASEBALL

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	78	51	.605	
Cleveland	78	52	.600	1/2
New York	78	52	.600	1/2
Boston	74	55	.569	4
Detroit	65	65	.504	13
Kansas City	54	75	.419	24
Washington	46	80	.365	30 1/2
Baltimore	41	85	.325	35 1/2

Tuesday's Results

Cleveland 7, Baltimore 4
Chicago 7, Boston 9
Detroit 4, Washington 4
Kansas City 4, New York 3

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Brooklyn	84	45	.651	
Milwaukee	72	59	.549	13
Philadelphia	69	59	.538	17
New York	67	63	.515	17 1/2
Cincinnati	65	70	.481	22
Chicago	64	71	.474	23
St. Louis	55	75	.423	29 1/2
Pittsburgh	51	80	.389	34

Tuesday's Results

New York 5-3, Cincinnati 6-7
St. Louis 1-1, Pittsburgh 6-3 (suspended game of July 17 and regular game)
Brooklyn 8, Milwaukee 6
Chicago 3, Philadelphia 1

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Seattle	85	70	.548	
Hollywood	86	71	.548	
San Diego	81	75	.519	4 1/2
Portland	80	74	.519	4 1/2
Los Angeles	80	77	.510	6
Sacramento	72	84	.462	13 1/2
Oakland	70	82	.449	15 1/2
San Francisco	70	87	.446	16

Tuesday's Results

Portland 5, Seattle 2
Los Angeles 2, Hollywood 1
Oakland 10, San Francisco 3

NORTHWEST LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Eugene	35	20	.636	
Wenatchee	28	25	.525	6
Tri-City	29	27	.518	6 1/2
Salem	28	28	.500	7 1/2
Yakima	27	33	.450	10 1/2
Lewiston	25	31	.446	10 1/2
Spokane	24	32	.429	11 1/2

Tuesday's Results

Tri-City 7, Eugene 6 (11 innings)
Salem 5, Wenatchee 4
Lewiston 13, Yakima 4

Tom Jackson, Ezz Charles Meet Tonight

CLEVELAND (UP) — Heavyweight Tommy (Hurricane) Jackson risks his number three ranking against ex-champion Ezzard Charles tonight for a \$10,000 guarantee in their return TV-radio 10-rounder at the arena.

A defeat would be a serious setback for the fanatically unorthodox young fighter from Par Rockway, N. Y., who is gunning for a title shot next year.

However, 23-year-old Jackson is favored at 8-5 to beat 34-year-old Charles again. In their previous bout at Syracuse, N. Y., on Aug. 3, Tommy swarmed all over ancient Ezzard and won an upset unanimous decision.

Should fifth-ranking Charles suffer his third defeat of 1955 tonight, he'll probably give up hopes of recapturing the crown and hang up his gloves. He's already had three chances to regain it — one against Jersey Joe Walcott and two against Rocky Marciano.

Ezzard was so desperately confident of turning the tables on lanky Jackson tonight that he guaranteed him \$10,000 for the rematch. Cincinnati Ezz will take the total purse for both fighters — \$3,000 from TV-radio and 55 per cent of the net gate. Then he will pay ten grand to Jackson. It will be Tommy's largest remuneration.

Anything that's left after the guarantee will be Charles' pay for the night.

BATTING — Ted Kluszewski, Redlegs, boosted his Major League home run lead to 43 with a pair among his three hits in second game of doubleheader swept by Giants 5-0 and 9-7.

Governor Removes Fight Ban

HARRISBURG, Pa. (UP) — A 114-day ban on boxing in Pennsylvania was lifted today when Gov. George M. Leader signed a new boxing code into law.

Leader's signature was the signal for the Rooney-McGinley Boxing Club in Pittsburgh to dust off plans for a Bob Baker-Bob Satterfield heavyweight bout late next month.

The bout apparently would mark the first test of a provision of the new code that a co-promoter (International Boxing Club) must take out a permit to participate in a bout. A permit now is needed for every bout.

CONFABS

The IBC was said to have given the provision full approval after confabs in Scranton and Philadelphia with members of the three-man State Athletic Commission.

Commission Chairman James G. (Sleepy Jim) Crowley and Commissioners Alford M. Klein and Paul G. Sullivan were among boxing figures who witnessed Leader's signing of the "clean boxing" code.

The code, planned for sometime by the new commission, was speeded to completion after the governor imposed the boxing ban in the wake of the Harold Johnson-Julio Mederos fiasco in Philadelphia last May. Johnson, allegedly drugged before the bout, collapsed at the end of the second round.

CLEAN BOXING

A spokesman for the governor said the code will arm the commission with the "necessary tools" to make boxing a clean sport "rather than a crooked business."

The code calls for the fingerprinting of all applicants for licenses and strict standards for the "safety, health and welfare" of fighters and permits the boxing commission to suspend any fighter, manager, promoter or handler without a hearing.

The governor said an amendment prohibiting a matchmaker from having a financial interest in a boxer would be added later.

Eastside '9', Fluhrers Win Cub Jam Tilts

Eastside Electric and Fluhrer's registered opening night victories in the post-season Cub Baseball Jambores which started last night at Gem Stadium.

Two more games are scheduled for Thursday night Saturday and Sunday afternoon and again next Tuesday evening. There is no admission charge and the public is invited to watch the annual try of the Basin display their diamond talent.

Eastside ripped Motor Investment 4-3 behind the pitching of Blake Griggs. Motor Investment outlasted the winners 3-2, but couldn't capitalize on their base hits.

A grand slam home run by John Devine and the two hit pitching of Jaydee Perkins gave Fluhrer's a 17-5 triumph over Superior Troy in the second game played under the stadium lights.

PCC Football Year Opens Thursday; Scribe Sees UCLA Repeating Win

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The 1955 college football boom starts Thursday with the opening of fall practice at the nine Pacific Coast Conference schools.

Equipment will be issued officially Wednesday, designated as press day at most schools, and there'll certainly be close to 600 hopefuls out on practice fields from Los Angeles to Seattle.

The preseason word is that Coach Henry (Red) Sanders is set to repeat as conference champion at UCLA and take the Rose Bowl ride which he was unable to enjoy last year because the PCC-Big Ten pact bars successive appearances there.

Sanders, despite 21 lettermen returning from last year's unbeaten squad and two more experienced hands from previous years, has said he thinks differently. He has labeled Stanford and Southern California as tougher than his boys said points to a tough schedule.

Top notchers at UCLA include fullback Bob Davenport, guard Hardiman Cureton and end Rommie Loudd, to say nothing of the celebrated quarterback candidate Ronnie Sanders could field a completely veteran first string with another experienced team in reserve.

Jess Hill is pretty well equipped with veterans at USC, too, with 25 slated to report Thursday and some of them listed as big enough for two. Hill could, for example, start a line averaging over 230 pounds. Rated best of the veteran backs is Jon Arnett, talented 183-pound tailback.

The Stanfords boast 22 lettermen and Coach Chuck Taylor hopes the depth will provide him with one of the best Indian squads he's had in years. Two veterans, Johnny Brodie and Jerry Gustafson, will battle for the quarterback spot they shared a year ago, with conference rushing champion Bill Tarr counted on to pick up where he left off. A sophomore, 181-pound Lou Valli from San Jose, brings a gleam into Taylor's eyes.

A new coach and 26 lettermen, most of any school in the conference, are stirring optimism at Oregon State. Tommy Prothro has taken over the Beaver helm from Kip Taylor. Prothro has indicated he puts scant weight on whether a candidate has won a letter and has proven he means that by not even listing six of his veterans on his preliminary three-deep roster. John Witte, a 240-pound tackle, and Ray Westfall, 195-pound halfback, are listed as outstanding prospects.

Twenty-five lettermen are included on a list of 65 candidates invited back at Washington by Coach Johnny Cherberg. The squad is bigger than the one which wound up at 2-8 last fall—and faster. A brisk fight for the quarterback role is expected between Steve Roake, a transplanted end; veteran Sandy Lederman, and Jerry Redmond, a 1953 emblem man.

The word out of Washington State is that the Cougars are prime darkhorse candidates. Coach Al Kircher, starting his fourth season, has 21 lettermen. The Cougars, though, have a transcontinental schedule which could be

ruinous. The durability of fullback Bob Miller is another worry. A pair of good guards, Tom Gunnari and Vaughan Hitchcock, are expected to provide plenty of strength in the middle of a veteran line.

The outlook is dark at the

three remaining schools—California Oregon and Idaho.

Lynn (Pappy) Waldorf has a scant 11 lettermen at Cal and will have to find a quarterback to replace Paul Larson.

A dozen "O" men are back in Coach Len Casanova's Oregon camp. But quarterback George Shaw is gone, which is not conducive to gridiron prosperity.

At Idaho, the PCC orphans still are in the building process although Coach Skip Stahley, who wound up 1954 with four victories, is hopeful.



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