

Red Raider Pass Combo Top-Ranked

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curry by 220-pound froth tackle Ken Bastian from Grants Pass. Bastian will be out an undetermined length of time, it was reported.

A wet field, while it could hurt the host eleven, could also put a damper on the Technen. Counting strongly on a ground game featuring Stan Glass, Harvey Graham, Lanny Myers, Andy Cook, Jack McCreary and Max Hill, the Owls could be in trouble on slippery sod.

Going into tomorrow afternoon's classic struggle the Owls hold a one game margin over the years. They have won six games to five for the Raiders since they began competition back in 1948. In 48-49-50 the Raiders won by counts of 26-0, 55-14 and 19-12. The two teams didn't meet in 1951, or '53 but the Technen grabbed victories in 1952, 49-0, and in '54 when they won 44-14.

SOC came back in 1955 to earn a 33-0 triumph but the Owls bounced back with a 27-20 win in '56. In '57 it was the Raiders again, 33-13, but that was the last they have won to date.

The Mile Highers have chalked up 40-0, 14-6 and 21-19 counts since then.

For overall season action this far the Owls own a 3-2 mark while the Raiders claim a 1-4 record. In OCC play the Owls are 1-1 while the host team is 1-0.

The Raider backfield will include Olsen, 170, halfbacks Kern Bennett, 175, and Doyle Bransom, 172, and fullback Al (The Horse) Barnes, 210.

The SOC line will feature ends Hactman, 6-0, 170, and Dave Hughes, 6-1, 165; tackles Glen Moses, 180, and Greg Stevens, 200; guards Tony Brauner, 185, and Larry Ryerson, also 185; and center George Moses, 187.

The Owls have the edge in beef across the forward wall, going with ends Jack Fox and Mel Smith, tackles Jim Madden and Claire Hawkins, both in the 240's, guards Tom Broce and Ed Anderson, around 220, and center Frank Rencovsky. The Tech defensive structure will include Wayne Dennis, Myers, Cook, Jack Williams, Hank Williams, Ted Morris, Rog Hooper, W. L. D. Winterbottom, Madden, Hawkins and Leland Koepke, to name a few that will see action.

Junior Rose Bowl Facing Stern Test

PASADENA (Special)—The 16th annual Junior Rose Bowl Game, matching the top Junior College football teams from the east and west, will be played in Pasadena's famed Rose Bowl on Saturday, December 9, it was announced today by John Lamb, chairman of the benefit game, which is sponsored by the Pasadena Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The Junior Rose Bowl Game will be played on the afternoon of Dec. 9 in direct opposition to the Los Angeles Rams-Baltimore Colts game, which is scheduled for the coliseum.

"It is unfortunate that our benefit game, a great portion of the proceeds from which go to the Elks Cerebral Palsy Fund, must be played in direct opposition to a professional game in the coliseum," Lamb stated.

"We have traditionally played our game on the second Saturday in December for 15 years now, but for the past two seasons we have been forced to compete head-on with professional football in the coliseum," he added.

Lamb revealed that letters had been written to the Rams and to members of the Coliseum Commission requesting that no conflicting games be scheduled in the coliseum on the traditional JRB date. He said the Junior Rose Bowl committee had received several replies from members of the commission saying they would take the request under consideration.

"We realize the Rams are in business strictly for the purpose of making a profit," Lamb said, "and that the reason they moved the Colt game from Sunday, Dec. 10, to Saturday, Dec. 9, was to take advantage of the revenue from a national television offer."

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Sugar Ray Can't Quit Minus Crown

NEW YORK (AP)—Sugar Ray Robinson, who says his ego won't let him quit without a title, will try to stretch his winning streak to two Saturday night when he faces young Denny Meyer in a television fight at Madison Square Garden.

For a boy who used to win 40 and 50 at a clip, two in a row shouldn't seem important. For Sugar Ray, at 41, it is vital. If he can't beat the 22-year-old speedster from Portland, Ore., then he most likely won't even get close to another shot at the middleweight crown. That's what Robinson wants more than anything.

Robinson has held the 160-pound division crown, or a piece of it, five times.

"I'd hate to quit again without the title," the fading veteran said. "I know I'm not what I used to be but I think I've got enough to beat either Downes or Fullmer."

Terry Downes, of London, is recognized as champion in New York, Massachusetts and England. Gene Fullmer of West Jordan, Utah, is the NBA's champion.

Robinson, now ranked as the No. 5 contender, has a 144-9-3 record, including 93 knockouts. Meyer, ranked ninth, has a 30-5 record, including only eight knockouts.

The 10-rounder will be telecast (ABC-TV, 9 p.m. EST) nationally.

Yuba Citian Leads Open

COSTA MESA, Calif. (AP)—A 7-under-par 34-30-64 put Buddy Sullivan of Yuba City, Calif., into the lead for the \$20,000 Orange County Open golf tournament.

Sullivan had 12 birdies Thursday over the 6,650-yard par 36-37-71 Mesa Verde Country Club course, but he had two bogeys.

Bob Harrison of Pacific Palisades, Calif., was second with 38-30-66 and Phil Rodgers of La Jolla third with 34-33-67.

Five players were tied with 68 — Al Geiberger of Santa Barbara, Jack Ellis of Wilmette, Ill., Larry Mowry of Oneida, Calif., Tom Nieporte, Bronxville, N.Y., and Jon Gustine, Gladwyne, Pa.

Paul Derringer, former Cincinnati pitcher, now works for a national plastics firm.

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Daytime-Night Games Pair County 'B' League Elevens

There are a pair of definite favorites slated for action tomorrow in the doubleheader football schedules as a feature of the Merrill Potato Festival but any complacency on their parts could very well lead to startling upsets.

The County B League action starts at 2 p.m. on the Merrill High gridiron, immediately following a parachute jump planned by Jerry Crutchfield.

The opener pairs the Malin Mustangs and the Merrill Huskies while the evening game pits the league-leading Sacred Heart Trojans against the cellar-dwelling Bonanza Antlers.

The Trojan-Antler tilt will be the first meeting of the two schools and the final game of the season for the Bonanza eleven.

For the Mustangs and the Huskies this will be their second go-round, the Malin squad having won the first test, a noncount, 21-6.

The complacency problem is bothering Malin coach Bob Graham a bit more than it seems to be troubling Trojan coach Marv Delplanche. Their previous win over Merrill came rather easily and the Mustangs have a tendency to be looking past the Huskies to their next week's assignment, the Sacred Heart squad.

"You can just smell 'upset,'" noted Graham. "We should be able to handle Merrill, it's true, but you know enough about this annual rivalry to realize anything can happen—especially to a club that lets down. If we don't beat Merrill it won't make much difference how we fare against the Trojans next week," he added.

Graham has a definite edge weight-wise over the host Huskies, giving the nod to linemen: ends Dick Clark, 6-4, 200 pounds, and speedy little Chuck Henderson, 140; tackles Jerry Morris, 225, and Neil Halousek 200; guards Vern Cox, 180, and Sherm Kalkow, 190; and center Jim Kalkow, 180.

Graham's "dies-saddle" single-wing will be guided by quarter-

back Bob Steyskal, 190, and will include fullback Nick Johnson, 175, wingback Bob Hall, 140, and tailback Larry Rick, 200.

Coach Gene Christensen's Merrill team, said "in top shape," will be steered by q-back Bob Moore, and will include halfbacks Ken Smith, Dave Alter and fullback Larry Chance. His line features ends Duane Mattson, 165, and Dave Hill, 170; tackles Jim Reed, 190, and Lynn Long, 185; guards Dale Hill, 160, and John Thompson, 205, and center Earl Danowsky, 205.

His defense will add big Bill Poe, 300, Dave West at 140, and Dwight Winter, 175.

SHA boss Delplanche, who has watched his thin-ranked Trojan squad handle bigger and deeper clubs through the first five games, credits its success to a good attitude and a healthy effort during practice sessions.

He had special praise for his line's work on both offense and defense. "We've got a couple of unsung heroes—guards Dick Wiles and Mike Arne who've done a great job. They 'pull' on our double-x offense and are real key players. Another pair of linemen who can always be counted upon are big Bud Bruner (200) and Mike Dedrick (185)."

"The boys' attitude has been excellent and I fully expect it to continue to be good for the rest of the season," he added. They must also face Malin and Tulelake.

Delplanche's closed double-wing offense is led by q-back Jerry DeNault assisted by fullback Mike Holland, and halfbacks Doug Murray and Bob Neely.

His line includes ends Keith Murray, 175, and Shan Britton, 175; tackles Bruner and Dedrick; guard Arne and Wiles and center Joe Durrell, a 155-pound freshman.

Still missing from the SHA lineup is big Chuck McNoise, a 220-pound soph, but he is expected to be ready for the Malin battle.

Coach John Lundberg's Bonanza Antler lineup was not available.



MIKE DEDRICK
... showing well

Writers Pick Tiger Star For Honors

DETROIT (AP)—"I'm surprised I got it. I didn't think I had that bad a year in 1960."

Al Kaline's reaction of the year was barely short of astonishment.

"It's good to win it," said the right fielder, who boosted his batting average 46 points to .324 and helped the Tigers to a second-place finish. "I'm happy to be picked for anything that's good. But I don't know how I got it. I didn't think I was even being considered."

Kaline received 23 votes from the 156 members of the Baseball Writers' Association of America who participated in The Associated Press' annual comeback-of-the-year poll. The writers named 27 players in their ballots.

Second with 18 votes was Dick Donovan, who had a 10-10 pitching record for the Washington Senators and since has been traded to Cleveland. Norm Cash of the Tigers, who won the league batting title with a .361 average, was third with 16. Then came New York's Elston Howard and Detroit's Rocky Colavito with 13 points, Detroit's Don Mossi with 12, New York's Luis Arroyo with 10, New York's Whitey Ford with 8, and Cleveland's Jim Piersall with 7.

"I thought Mossi or Howard were the leading candidates for it," said Kaline. "I was happy with my season, though, and after having that bad year when I hit .278, it was nice to get back above .300."

RECORDS OF THE GREATS

ST. LOUIS (AP)—Daguerreotypes, a paper back record book containing the background on Hall of Fame members and other baseball immortals, is one of the most useful publications on the game. It was compiled by J. G. Taylor Spink of The Sporting News.

Sparts Eye Upset Chance At Eugene

EUGENE, Ore. (AP)—San Jose State was to fly into Eugene today, ready to try for an upset over the University of Oregon in Saturday's football clash.

And coach Bob Tichenel's air attack, featuring Chan Gallegos, the nation's leading collegiate passer, is capable of pulling out a victory against Oregon's injury-riddled backfield.

Oregon coach Len Casanova still was hopeful yesterday that two of his injured halfbacks, Mike Gaechter and Larry Hill, might be ready for some action Saturday.

Three other halfbacks — Mel Renfro, Ben Brown and Denny Jackson — are out, and sophomore Lu Bain probably will open at the left half spot. Jim Josephson, fullback who started the last two games, also was on the injured list.

San Jose State is winless in the five games played to date between the two teams. This year might well be its best chance to beat Oregon.

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Brave Front Office Slates Big Revamp

MILWAUKEE (UPI)—A sweeping reorganization of the Milwaukee Braves front office was announced Thursday by President John McHale, who said the change would provide "a more successful and stronger operation."

Under the new setup McHale will retain the job of general manager, delegating some of the general manager's non-baseball functions to others.

"This way I can circulate on all sides of the Braves' operations," he said.

McHale first announced the reorganization of traveling secretary George (Duffy) Lewis, 73, who has been connected with baseball for more than half a century as a star player, minor league manager and front office executive.

Played With Speaker

Lewis, who starred alongside Tris Speaker in the Boston Red Sox outfield, has been traveling secretary since 1936. McHale said his successor would be named soon.

As an active player, Lewis compiled the highest batting average of players on either side in the 1915 and 1916 World Series.

Assuming some of McHale's general manager's tasks will be Ray Hayworth, 57, and Bill Eberly, 40.

Hayworth was promoted from director of scouts to director of player personnel. He played 15 years in the majors and has been a minor league manager and a scout for the past several years.

Eberly was moved up from ticket director to business manager and Austin Brown, 37, named to the broadened post of director of tickets and customer relations as his replacement. McHale said the new title broadens the field of ticket selling by providing better promotion and better service to customers.

Perial Corp. Officer

Ralph Del Forge, comptroller, was given the added title of assistant secretary and made an officer of the Perini Corp., which owns the Braves.

McHale, who had been general manager and vice president since moving here from the Detroit Tigers more than two years ago, was moved up to the presidency last month by owner Lou Perini, who said the change was made to give the club "on site" management and to put a baseball man in charge of the club's future.

California Waterfowl Season Gets Good Start, Then Fades

ALTURAS (Special)—The 1961 California duck season opened Saturday with great reports of success as hunters came in from the afternoon hunt with their limits of ducks but action slowed to a dull thud by Sunday. Few limits were brought in Sunday and the general report throughout the county indicated poor hunting. Much of this is attributed to the unseasonably hot weather in Modoc County this past week.

Paul Steele, manager of the Modoc Wildlife Refuge, reported today that about 60 duck hunters made use of the public hunting ground on the refuge Saturday afternoon. These hunters averaged three ducks apiece of which

two-thirds were mallards. Eighteen honkers were shot. Sunday, however, the hunting was poor with very few ducks or geese shot. Only 25 birds were reported killed on the refuge.

Steele said that because of the fine weather the bird migration hasn't started. "Most of the ducks and geese killed here are local," he said. "When the migration of birds starts and the weather turns

colder we should see a lot better hunting here."

Steele also said that he was particularly pleased with the lack of hunting violations on the refuge the first two days of hunting. "It is obvious," he said, "that the local hunters and outside hunters are trying to cooperate with us by hunting legally in the marked open hunting area."

The California law allows five ducks a day limit and only five in possession. It also provides six geese a day may be shot and six in possession.

The Pit River Ranch, south of Alturas, reports that hunters may hunt on the property but only after reporting at the ranch headquarters. No hunting is allowed on the ranch in any fields with cattle in them.

Beaver Boss Moves Kasso

CORVALLIS (AP)—Oregon State, still looking for its second football win, was scheduled to leave today at noon for Tempe, and Saturday's game with Arizona State.

Coach Tommy Prothro sent his team through final preparations Thursday. In a major switch of positions, Prothro moved Don Kasso, a halfback in his three seasons at Oregon State, to the split end spot.

The move was to fill the vacancy created when Roger Johnson was injured.

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