



MUSTANGS IN THE AIR, ON THE GROUND — The Malin Mustangs tangle with Condon on the Malin gridiron this Saturday at 1:30 p.m. in their first step toward a hoped-for State B football championship. The Mustangs earned the right to represent Klamath County (District 5B) by virtue of a victory (regular season) over the Sacred Heart Trojans, with whom they were tied at the

close of league action. Here a pair of their backfield mainstays, Larry Rick, at left, and Nick Johnson, at right, demonstrate their particular abilities for H&N photo Don Kettler. Rick, who handles the Mustang passing attack, also is no slouch along the ground. Johnson, who is playing his first game as a ball-carrier, is the big yard-gainer in the Malin side-saddle offense.

Unbeaten Longhorns, Crimson Tide Lead After Major Shakeup In Grid Poll Ranks

UPI Voting

1. Texas (21) (7-0) 230
2. Alabama (4) (7-0) 226
3. Ohio State (7) (5-0-1) 276
4. Louisiana State (6-1) 207
5. Minnesota (5-1) 199
6. Georgia Tech (6-1) 152
7. Michigan State (2) (5-1) 143
8. Mississippi (6-1) 139
9. Colorado (1) (6-0) 132
10. Missouri (5-1-1) 114

Second 10 teams — 11. Utah State 13; 12. Purdue, 9; 13. Maryland, 7; 14. (tie), UCLA and Arkansas, 6 each; 16. (tie), Iowa and Kansas, 4 each; 18. (tie) Michigan, Northwestern and Rice, 2 each.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Texas marched into first place in the weekly Associated Press poll of a 48-man committee of sports writers and sportscasters today after both Michigan State and Mississippi were upended. Michigan State had ruled the most for three weeks.

The unbeaten Texas Longhorns, 27-0 winners over Southern Methodist for their seventh straight, assumed the lead with only three games to play.

Alabama, also unbeaten in seven, took over second position by drubbing Mississippi State 24-0 Ohio State, 29-13 winner over Iowa, bolted into third place in the big shuffle.

Louisiana State, 10-7 conqueror of previously unbeaten Mississippi, advanced to the No. 4 slot and Minnesota, which knocked Michigan State out of the unbeaten class 13-0, took over fifth.

The points are figured on the basis of 10 for first, 9 for second and so on down to one for 10th place. On that basis, Texas has 473 points and Alabama 410.

There are no pairings involving teams from the top ten in this week's schedule.

The only unbeaten, untied clubs in the top ten are Texas, Alabama and Colorado. Ohio State has not lost but was tied by Texas Christian.

AP Voting

1. Texas (35) 473
2. Alabama (6) 410
3. Ohio State (7) 365
4. Louisiana State 317
5. Minnesota 247
6. Michigan State 202
7. Mississippi 191
8. Colorado 173
9. Georgia Tech 161
10. Missouri 119

Others receiving votes: Syracuse, Utah State, Iowa, Maryland, Purdue, UCLA, Kansas, Arkansas, Northwestern, North Carolina, Rutgers, Rice, Auburn, Michigan and Navy.

Owl Gridders Draw Praise; Defensive Struggle On Tap



ANDY COOK ... downfield ace

Techmen Set 1961 Finale On Weekend

A pair of Oregon Tech football players received high praise from their coaches at the Owl Hoot meeting Monday night and at the same time heard a warning they were definitely in for another "toughie" this weekend.

The Owls will wrap up for the 1961 season Saturday night on Modoc Field when they play host to the College of Idaho at 8 o'clock. For the Tech eleven, which completed Oregon Collegiate Conference play with a 1-won, 2-lost, 1-tied record when they shared a 7-7 draw with Oregon College last Saturday, the non-counting tussle with C of I is its last chance at a break-even season.



HANK WILLIAMS ... long on desire

Cleveland, Saints Win

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
A crowd of 3,107 welcomed the Kansas City Steers at their first home game in the American Basketball League Monday night and watched their team lose to Cleveland 10-06.

League-leader San Francisco also assumed the speller's role, defeating the Los Angeles Jets 116-113 in the opener at Los Angeles. The crowd there was 1,634.

Cleveland's 6-foot Roger Taylor, former Illinois star, proved the little msa still has a place. He scored 35 points with a soft, outside shot. Bill Bridges led Kansas City with 24.

In Los Angeles, George Yardley of the Jets and Whitey Bell of the Saints ignited a brief fight. None of the players involved was ejected.

San Francisco was behind 10 points midway through the third period but a 3-point basket by Bell put the Saints ahead as the quarter ended. San Francisco never again relinquished the lead. Dave Gunter scored 27 points for San Francisco. Bell had 26.

Minn. Style Now Popular With Alums

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. (AP)—Ability to make the big play when the chance comes.

That sums up the success story of the Minnesota football team, author of Saturday's 13-0 upset of top-ranked Michigan State.

"We play a methodical type of game which is not very interesting to the spectator," says Gopher Coach Murray Warmath.

"We concentrate on trying to take the mistakes out of football—and then let our opponents beat themselves by making a mistake or two."

Rival coaches, aghast over the Michigan State defeat, agree that Minnesota's game is sometimes methodical and unimaginative. Some add the word lucky, too. They admit their mistakes, point to some Gopher errors and cite injuries as factors. But seldom do they say it was because Minnesota has a better team.

An expert watching Minnesota for the first time Saturday compared the Gophers with boxer Tiger Jones, saying, "It doesn't look like he is winning until you start counting up the points in the sixth round."

"We like to kick on third down, kick off instead of receive and stick to a running attack as much as possible, mainly to place the pressure on the other team," Warmath explained. "We figure if the opposition has the ball deep in its own territory it is more likely to make a harmful error."

"We play the percentages a great deal and sometimes shock the fans with our conservatism, but it is all for a definite purpose. You might say we play a defensive ball game."

Alabama 'Qs' Key To Success Story

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Alabama's Crimson Tide, back among the elite of college football after a decade of mediocrity, have spilled success this year with a pair of Qs, and a couple of blokes named Pat and Mike.

The Qs stand for "quarterback" and "quickness," the hallmark of its rapid-fire offense and a rock-robbed defense. The Pat is also the quarterback, Pat Trammell.

Mike? He is a quick-driving fullback by the name of Mike Fracchia, who proves a perfect foil to the speed, deception and passing precision of his partner, Trammell.

This combination has led Coach Bear Bryant's team to a 7-0 record, and has helped it to be ranked No. 2 in The Associated Press' latest poll after whomping Mississippi State last Saturday, 24-0.

All elements have blended precisely. Trammell is ranked fifth nationally in total offense with 956

yards running and passing, and 11th in passing with 730 yards in completing 54 of 93 attempts.

Alabama is second nationally in total defense, allowing only 911 yards in seven games for a 130.1 average, and second in rushing defense with a miserly 55.1 per game average. It has allowed only 3.1 points per game, lowest in the nation.

Trammell has passed for five touchdowns, and scored eight. Fracchia has tallied four times and been the hatchet man on key yardage situations.

Both will be ready this Saturday when the Tide plays Richmond of the Southern Conference, causing the Spiders' coach Ed Merrick to crack, "I hope my boys won't be overconfident."

Richmond may be without halfback Earl Stoudt, its All Conference fullback and leading ground gainer, who injured a knee in last week's 11-0 victory over Virginia Tech.

Texas, the No. 1 team, will have to face Baylor without fullback Ray Ponce, out for the second straight week. Third-ranked Ohio State, playing Indiana, probably will be without quarterback

Bill Mrukowski, who suffered a gashed finger in the Buckeyes victory over Iowa.

Penn State lost guard Bob Hart for the year because of a recurring ankle injury that will require surgery. Jerry Gross, the University of Detroit's quarterback who led the nation in total offense part of this season, was operated on Monday for a fracture of the right leg he suffered last week against Army. He is finished for 1961.

Notre Dame is expected to have guard Nick Buonoconte and end Jim Kelly back for this week's game at Pitt, when the Irish try to break a three-game losing string. Notre Dame fullback Mike Lind may be out another week with a pulled back muscle.

Baylor quarterback Bobby Ply was listed as doubtful for the Texas game after suffering a knee injury against Texas Christian.

off on timing.

Liston, weighing 219 pounds was off in his timing against Terrell and lacked power in his punches. Terrell, a lanky 194-pound fighter, landed consistently with his jabs to the head. He also had better speed than Liston and his footwork was better.

But despite the boozing, Liston felt satisfied with his showing.

"I thought my timing was off and I wasn't sharp, but I thought I was close enough that I can get sharp in a hurry."

Liston staged two brief flurries in the bout, which was fought with headgear and 16-ounce gloves. At one time, he staggered Terrell with a right to the head.

Liston said he wasn't particularly concerned with the speed of his footwork. The only speed that concerned him, he said, was with his punching, and "I thought I had that."

Gets No Purse

Liston received no purse for the match. His share, after expenses, went to a crippled children's fund.

Liston's next match is Dec. 4 at Philadelphia against Germany's Albert Westphal. It will be televised on closed-circuit television as an added attraction to the Floyd Patterson-Tom McCreely match in Toronto the same night.

Giardello's win over Smith, his second, was unanimous. The eighth ranked Philadelphia middleweight, who weighed 163, was sharp with his jabs and counter-punches. But Smith, a 158½-pounder out of Chicago, had Giardello in trouble occasionally.

The victory was Giardello's 97th in 117 fights.

Johnny Murphy, now chief scout for the New York Mets, won 93 games and lost 53 as a pitcher with the New York Yankees.

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★ Coast College Grids In Review ★

Oregon State
CORVALLIS, Ore. (UPI)—The Oregon State Beavers journey to Seattle this Saturday to take on the Washington Huskies.

Coach Tom Prothro briefed his men on the Washington team before Monday's practice session. The Beavers defeated Washington State, 14-6, last weekend. Don Kasso, playing in the split end slot, tied an all-time OSU record in that contest, catching eight passes for a total of 93 yards.

Oregon
EUGENE, Ore. (UPI)—The Oregon Ducks stepped up their workouts today in preparation for their meeting with Washington State at Pullman, Wash., this weekend.

Coach Len Casanova said two of his backs may be out of action for the WSU contest. Senior halfback Mickey Bruce suffered a shoulder separation in Oregon's 19-7 victory over Stanford last Saturday, and fullback Duane Cargill is also nursing a shoulder injury.

out of the year—a 30-minute practice session.

But the short drill was a real pepper-upper for the injured Trojans who received the news that center Dave Morgan, feared to have suffered a broken ankle, had only a bad bruise. Center Skip Johnson, also with a bad ankle and third-string center Stu Busy, with a cut chin, should be able to play against Stanford Saturday.

Stanford
STANFORD, Calif. (UPI)—Stanford coach Jack Curtice put his Indians through a practice session today that was partially geared to the explosive offensive running of USC's Willie Brown.

Boosters To Hear Hoop Official

"So You Know Basketball" will be the theme of the Klamath Booster Club's regular weekly meeting which will be held in the Pelican Restaurant Wednesday night at 8:30.

Ford Klinton, president of the Klamath Officials Association, will lead the meeting, according to president Dick Gallagher.

Also scheduled for finalization are the arrangements for the Booster-sponsored KUHS football banquet.

The Pelican basketball coaching staff, headed by coach Al Keck, and KUHS wrestling coach DeLance Duncan will also be on hand to give preliminary rundowns on their respective sports.

UCLA
LOS ANGELES (UPI)—UCLA's Bruins, readying for their inter-sectional battle against Texas Christian this weekend, were expected to go through a light scrimmage session today.

Coach Bill Barnes led the team take it easy Monday, drilling only for a little more than an hour. Then the Bruins retired to the film room to watch movies of the win over California and their upcoming opponent, TCU.

KF Little League Meeting Scheduled

The Klamath Falls Little League will hold a special business meeting tonight at 7:30 in the Klamath Auditorium.

All league officers, board members, coaches and interested parties are urged to attend.

The group will conclude the election of officers to serve through the coming year.

The meeting will be held under the guidance of the newly elected president, John Lynch, who served as vice president in 1961.

Southern Cal.
LOS ANGELES (UPI)—Southern California coach John McKay, evidently attempting to keep the Trojans in as good physical condition as possible, Monday ran them through their shortest workout of the year.

GOOD FOOD IS MY LINE

By Bing

Today, let's talk about one of the ingredients that make oriental food so intriguingly tasty. These we usually forget, except when we eat Chinese or Japanese food and wonder: "What makes this dish taste so different from the food we're used to?" One of these interesting additions to the water chestnut added to green peas, or string beans. It will almost certainly make you wish you'd learned the trick sooner. The current popularity of oriental cuisine makes water chestnuts available to you at many supermarkets, but you should always buy them fresh, and the water chestnut is delicate, either raw or cooked. You'll find it well worth your effort to do a little experimenting with this versatile vegetable.

We'll see there are many of you who do not know about the lovely dining room at Bing's. There, big tables — room for all the family — even room for a party of family. Quiet, and a menu that's out of this world. If you can't find it, ask BING where the dining room is. He's always handy to help you. So, usually, BING'S... AT THE TOWN AND COUNTRY SHOPPING CENTER, 3000 So. 4th.

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