

Illinois, Mississippi, Navy Threaten Texas Longhorns' Poll Leadership

NEW YORK (UPI) — Illinois, Mississippi and Navy crept dangerously close to first-ranked Texas today in the United Press International's Board of Coaches ratings.

The Longhorns, a unanimous choice for No. 1 last week, dipped to their lowest level since capturing the top spot a month ago.

Texas lost three first-place ballots to second-ranked Illinois, five to third-rated Mississippi and one each to Navy, No. 4, and Auburn, No. 5.

Winners of seven straight games this season, the Longhorns were rated first by 25 coaches. They have won their last three games by margins of four, four, and five points, respectively, all provided by bare-footed place kicker Tony Crosby.

Illinois and Mississippi, both

with identical records of five wins and a tie, turned what were expected to be close games into routs, to improve their second and third place standings.

Navy Up A Notch

Roger Staubach led the Mid-dies to an impressive win over Notre Dame to boost Navy a notch to fourth; unbeaten-un-tied Auburn jumped from seventh to fifth after whipping

Florida and Oklahoma also advanced two places to sixth with a one-sided victory over Colorado.

Alabama slipped from fourth to seventh with an unimpressive one-point win over Mississippi State.

Michigan State, once-beaten and tied for the Big 10, lead with Illinois and Ohio State, entered the top 10 for the first time this season in eighth place

and Pittsburgh and Nebraska returned to the leading 10 after an absence. Pitt was ranked ninth and the Cornhuskers 10th.

Five coaches from each of the seven geographical sections of the country rate the teams from first to 10th with points awarded on a 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 basis.

Baylor Moves Up

Baylor, with the nation's leading passer Don Trull, jumped to 11th. The Bears tackled Texas Saturday for the leadership in the Southwest Conference and perhaps pose the biggest threat yet to the Longhorns' national title hopes.

Ohio State, Washington, Army and Missouri achieved the 13-14-15 slots in order and Wisconsin, sixth last week, plummeted to 16th.

Memphis State, which only gained major college status in

1960, entered the ratings for the first time in its history in a 17th-place tie with Georgia Tech. The Tigers own a tie with Ole Miss, a win over Mississippi State and last Saturday smothered Louisville.

Arkansas, North Carolina and Kansas deadlocked for 19th.

Other than the Baylor-Texas clash this weekend, other tussles between rated teams feature Alabama vs. Georgia Tech

at Birmingham and Nebraska plays host to Kansas.

NEW YORK (UPI) — The United Press International college football ratings with first-place votes and won-lost records in parentheses:

Team	Points
1. Texas (25) (7-0)	335
2. Illinois (13) (5-6-1)	281
3. Mississippi (5) (5-0-1)	228
4. Navy (1) (6-1)	223
5. Auburn (1) (6-0)	169
6. Oklahoma (5-1)	149
7. Alabama (6-1)	116
8. Michigan State (4-1-1)	94
9. Pittsburgh (5-1)	94
10. Nebraska (6-1)	62
Second 10: 11. Baylor 45; 12. Ohio State 42; 13. Washington 16; 14. Army 13; 15. Missouri 10; 16. Wisconsin 7; 17. (tie), Georgia Tech and Memphis State 6; 19. (tie), Arkansas, North Carolina and Kansas 3.	

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ATHLETIC HAZARD — At Toronto, Canada, the naked truth is revealed as Rugby player Lou Hilditch (left) loses his uniform pants in the final minutes of play during the Eastern Canada Rugby championship. In the right photo, teammates gather around as Hilditch restores his dignity with a pair of undershorts. Though he may have lost face, the team defeated the Montreal Barbarians, 9-6. — UPI Telephoto

OFF-SEASON PROBLEMS . . .

Wanted By Chisox: One Hard-Hitting Catcher

CHICAGO (UPI)—If there's a sadder lament than that about the one that got away, check with the Chicago White Sox. They're looking for two who got away.

Either one—John Romano of the Cleveland Indians or Earl Battey of the Minnesota Twins—would be just what the doctor ordered in Chicago's search for a good right-handed hitting catcher.

General Manager Ed Short said he is getting nowhere trying to find one.

"This is our No. 1 requirement. The only American League catcher who would fill the bill are Elston Howard, Battey or Romano. And there's no chance of getting them," Short said Monday.

The White Sox never had any claim to Howard, but Battey and Romano both served as substitutes behind Roy Lollar.

Acquire Roy Sievers

Battey's most active year with the White Sox was in 1958 when he appeared in 68 games. Romano was in 53 games with the White Sox in 1959, before he went to Cleveland in a deal that brought Minnie Mino to Chicago.

For Battey, another player and \$100,000 the White Sox got Roy Sievers from the Washington Senators.

Short said his club is also looking over National League catchers but he named none he

would prefer in the senior loop.

Barring a sudden turn for the better, the White Sox may have to settle for a powerful right-handed batter in any position, preferably in the outfield.

Rocky Colavito and Orlando Cepeda were both prospects in this regard, Short said, and of the two, he was "more interested in Cepeda."

Loss Skein Brings Look

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. (UPI)—A study of the Wake Forest College athletic program, "with special emphasis on football" is underway at the Baptist-supported institution which currently has the nation's longest string of consecutive football losses.

Wake Forest President Harold Tribble said Monday the study was started in response to "questions from various parts of the state." He said the study would be made of the entire athletic program.

The Demon Deacons under Coach Billy Hildebrand have lost 17 consecutive games—the nation's longest continuing string of defeats—and have not scored since the first game of the season when they got 10 points against East Carolina.

Hildebrand, whose contract with Wake Forest has two more years to run, has won only 6 while losing 31 games since he took over the job here four years ago.

There has been speculation that Hildebrand would be replaced but the coach answered all rumors by saying he was sure Wake Forest would honor his contract.

Tribble said the study was being conducted by presidents of organizations having to do with athletics at the school.

"An Encouraging Season"

Short reviewed what he called "an encouraging but not satisfactory season" for the second place White Sox.

"We were close enough this season to be cautious in our deals for '64," he said. "We're anxious for more power, but we won't weaken our club to get it."

The White Sox may again have to depend on Dave Nicholson for their right-hand power, but Short said this was not as bad as it might sound.

"I know that he set an all-time strikeout record of 175 strikeouts which will stand for a long time, but I will make a qualified prophecy that Nicholson has a chance to become the most exciting player in all baseball."

Short said the qualification was a question of Nicholson meeting the ball, "and that 'ould come any time."

Mantle Hit With Suit

DALLAS (UPI)—Mickey Mantle, New York Yankees slugger, was charged today with foul dealings with his endorsements and other off-season, money-making activities.

A \$200,000 damage suit was filed Monday in behalf of the bankrupt Mickey Mantle Enterprises, Inc., a corporation that originally was to handle all of Mantle's business—except hitting home runs.

The suit charges that the slugger sold his interest in the corporation, then started selling his endorsements of products, personal appearances and other non-baseball activities on his own.

Huskies Pacing Big Six

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI)—University of Washington's Big Six leaders top the conference in three departments, according to statistics released today and including Saturday's games.

The Huskies top the loop in total offense, with 315 yards per game; in rushing offense, averaging 213 yards; and in rushing defense, allowing 141 yards.

Southern California leads in total defense, allowing 247 yards per battle; and in pass defense, allowing only 71 yards per game.

California has the best passing offense, picking up 156 yards per game and scoring 11 touchdowns.

Pel Booster Meet Slated

The Pel Booster Club will hold its weekly meeting Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. at the Chuck Wagon, with all fans invited to attend.

A wrap-up of the recently completed football and cross-country seasons will be on the agenda in addition to a pre-season look at the basketball and wrestling teams at KU.

Columbia is the only South American country which fronts on both the Pacific and Atlantic oceans.

Liston-Clay Signing Due; Richest Ring Test Figured

Medford Climbs To Poll's Top Spot

PORTLAND (UPI)—Medford was back on top today in the Journal coaches' poll among the state's class A-1 high school football teams.

Medford, defending state champion, polled first place votes from all eight coaches taking part in the poll. Roseburg, beaten by Marshfield, dropped from first to fifth. Marshfield ranked sixth.

Others included Pendleton second, Grants Pass third, North Salem fourth, Grant of Portland seventh, Parkrose eight, Beaverton ninth and Cottage Grove 10th. Also getting votes were South Salem, Benson and West Linn.

In Class A-2, unbeaten Phoenix topped the list, followed in order by Brookings, Vale, North Catholic, Woodburn, Seaside, Newport, Siuslaw Yamhill-Carlton and Concordia and Douglas tied for 10th.

DENVER (UPI)—Champion Sonny Liston and challenger Cassius Clay were set to sign today for what was expected to be the richest heavyweight boxing match in history sometime early next year.

Liston, who lives in Denver, and Clay, who drove in from Chicago in a "bus festooned with 'I'm the greatest' banners, were to sign at the Denver Hilton Hotel.

The signing was scheduled for 4 P.M. EST.

There were little advance specifics. But the fight was expected to be in February at any one of several possible sites.

At San Francisco, Sol Silverman, chairman of a California state committee on boxing safe-

guards, renewed his charges that the fight would be a "mismatch."

Silverman earlier said he thought Clay was a fine young boxer, but not yet in Liston's class.

Ben Bentley, Liston's Chicago public relations man, in charge of today's events, disagreed.

"When Silverman goes around the country making these surveys to see how boxing can be made safer, that's fine," Bentley said. "But now he's starting to make matches, and I say there are people with a lot more experience and ability in doing that."

Bentley said the fight would be "far from an overmatch." He conceded most people thought Liston would win, "but I think they will be surprised at the kind of fight that will take place."

Silverman and Bentley agreed on one point, however—the fight will make a staggering amount of money.

Silverman estimated it at "about \$10 million dollars." Bentley declined to name a figure.

"But it absolutely and beyond a doubt will shatter all records for a 11 heavyweight bouts," he said. "This is the fight that everyone wants to see. The public has demanded this bout."

Serafin, 6-1 and 175 pounds, is a three-sport letterman and has an all-B grade average at St. Helens, Egger, 6-5 and 190 pounds, has a 3.35 grade average and was a member of the Tigard basketball team that took second place in the state last year.

Gridders Nominated For Awards

PORTLAND (UPI)—St. Helens quarterback Milt Serafin and Tigard end Martin Egger have been chosen as the Tualatin-Yamhill Valley League Scholar-Athlete Award nominees by the Portland chapter of the National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame.

A back and a lineman are nominated from each of the metropolitan area's four high school leagues. The award will be presented at a banquet Dec. 2.

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THE COLD WAR ERUPTS — Heavyweight contender Cassius Clay (left) grins tauntingly at champion Sonny Liston (center) as Liston attempts to reach Clay with his gold-headed cane. The 1 a.m. incident occurred on the front lawn of Liston's home and was finally broken up by Denver police. — UPI Telephoto

Starr Return Sunday Expected By Packers

GREEN BAY, Wis. (UPI)—"Let me tell you, it felt real great just holding the ball."

Quarterback Bart Starr of the Green Bay Packers was talking about his return to "action" after suffering a broken bone in his throwing hand two weeks ago against the St. Louis Cardinals.

Starr has started to pass in practice, but most of his time has been spent on exercises along the sidelines and tutoring Roach and Zeke Bratkowski, obtained last week on waivers from the Los Angeles Rams. Bratkowski saw no action last Sunday.

Break Appears Healed

Starr's hand has been in a splint since the injury, and the break seems to have just about healed.

"It's just in getting the flexibility back," Lombardi said. "The break heals fast."

Starr's return, limited as it was, gave the entire Green Bay squad — and especially Kramer — a lift.

"Having Bart back there really helps," Kramer said. "You can really appreciate having a guy like him holding for you."

Kramer's kicking duty Sunday was the best of a two-year career.

may be ready to return as a passer when the Packers take on the Chicago Bears at Wrigley Field Nov. 17 in a National Football League Western Division showdown. Both teams are 7-1 this season, with Green Bay's only loss a 10-3 decision to the Bears on opening day.

Starr held the ball for Jerry Kramer as the place-kicking guard booted four field goals in four tries and three extra points to aid Green Bay to a 33-14 victory over Pittsburgh, their seventh win in a row this year and their second since Starr, the league's top passer last year, was sidelined.

Praises Roach

Replacing Starr at quarterback has been John Roach, who has drawn praise from both Starr and Coach Vince Lombardi.

"John is doing a fine job—just great," said Starr.

"Roach played real well. He called a heady game," said Lombardi after the latest win Sunday.

Lombardi has indicated Starr

BOWLING

HOLIDAY JUNIOR LEAGUE

W	L
Mystics	12
Bald Eagles	10
Knights	9
Team No. 3	8
Playboys	8
Gashouse Gang	7
Gurgling Gutterballs	5
Team No. 8	5

Results: Team No. 3, 3; Mystics, 1; Knights, 2; Gurgling Gutterballs, 1; Playboys, 1; Gashouse Gang, 2; Team No. 8, 2; Bald Eagles, 2.

High team game, Gashouse Gang 84; high team series, Gashouse Gang 264; high ind. game, Tim Reed 232; high ind. series, David Macklesell 543.

MOOSE MA'S LEAGUE

W	L
Ambassadors	26
Don Bazar	21
WOFAX	20
Eternal Hills	19 1/2
Klamath Basin Farms	18
Cox Grocery	18 1/2
So. Ore. Music	18 1/2
19	17
Russell Glass	17
Vanity Cleaners	16 1/2
Klamath Basin Farms	16
Lauras Beauty Fair	16 1/2
Sparkle Car Wash	16 1/2
Nov. 4 results: Vanity Cleaners, 4; Lauras Beauty Fair, 0; Eternal Hills, 4; Cox Grocery, 0; WOFAX, 4; Don Bazar, 4; Ambassadors, 3; Nyckars, 1; Russell Glass, 3; Sparkle Car Wash, 1; Klamath Basin Farms, 3; So. Ore. Music, 1. <p>Nov. 4 results: Vanity Cleaners, 4; Lauras Beauty Fair, 0; Eternal Hills, 4; Cox Grocery, 0; WOFAX, 4; Don Bazar, 4; Ambassadors, 3; Nyckars, 1; Russell Glass, 3; Sparkle Car Wash, 1; Klamath Basin Farms, 3; So. Ore. Music, 1.</p>	

HOLIDAY LANES LEAGUE

W	L
Mouldingcraft	23
Peace Ambulance	22
Oregon Title Company	21
Klamath Plywood B	21
CC	20
Klamath Plywood A	19
Crater Lake Milk	18
Davis Flying A	17
Aralum Window	16
Thomas Lumber Company	15
Snack Coffee Shop	13
Crater Lake Ice Cream	13
Results: Peace Ambulance 2 Oregon Title Co. 2; Klamath Plywood B 1; Aralum Window 1; Davis Flying A 4; Thomas Lbr. Co. 0; Crater Lake Ice Cream 1; Snack Coffee Shop 3; Crater Lake Milk 4; Klamath Plywood A 5; Mouldingcraft 3; CC 1. <p>High ind. game, Walt Cool 242; high ind. series, Norm Guver 422; high team game, Oregon Title Co. 989; high team series, Davis Flying A 2913.</p>	

JR. & SR. BOYS LEAGUE

W	L
Play Boys	9
Lucky Strikes	9
Wildcats	8
Team No. 10	7
Ho-Daddies	6
Wide Out	5
The Big Four	5
Team No. 5	5
Team No. 12	4
Team No. 9	4
Outfit Giants	4
Nov. 2 results: Gutter Giants 1; Fireballs 3; Ho-Daddies 0; Team No. 10 4; Lucky Strikes 3; Team No. 9 3; Undertakers 0; Play Boys 4; Wide Out 0; The Big Four 4; Team No. 5 0; Team No. 12 4. <p>High team game, Play Boys 799; high team series, Team No. 12 2220; high ind. game (men), Bill Gumpenberger 243; high ind. series (men), Dennis Graham 410.</p>	

SATELLITE LEAGUE

W	L
Lucca Cafe	28
So. Ore. Insurance	22
Bank of Klamath Falls	21 1/2
Skatland Wheels	19 1/2
Sunshine Center	19
Haley Heretards	18
U.S. National Bank	17
Merits Service Supply	16 1/2
Klamath Fast Freight	16
Hortons Heretards	15 1/2
Clean Lines and Sundry	15
Crater Lake Machinery	10

BANTAM BOY'S "BIG MONSTERS"

W	L
Pin Busters	10
Tigres	7
Torpedos	6
Wildcats	6
Strike Out	5
Falcons	5
Results: Tigres 3; Torpedos 2; Wildcats 1; Falcons 2; Pin Busters 3; Strike Out 0. <p>High team game, Tigres, 415; high team series, Tigres 1143; high ind. game, Gary Smelcer 116; high ind. series, Gary Smelcer 295.</p>	

BANTAM BOY'S "LITTLE MONSTERS"

W	L
Jetsons	8
Lucky Strikes	4
Lucky Cats	4
Lucky Lane Bowlers	4
Results: Jetsons 3; Lucky Strikes 1; Lucky Lane Bowlers 0; Lucky Cats 3; high team game, Jetsons 541; high team series, Jetsons 1081; high ind. game, Derral Knospauer 147; high ind. series, Derral Knospauer 238.	

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