

Huskies' State Title Hopes Finished By Redsidies

OCC Teams Miss Little All-Coast Berths Honorable Mention Berth Voted Oregon Tech Owls' Bob Battle

BY HAL WOOD
UPI Sports Writer
SAN FRANCISCO (UPI)—The greatest collection of gridders ever to perform for the West's small colleges—many of them headed for the pro ranks—was named to the 1963 United Press International Little All-Coast College Football Team Saturday.

Every man was a star for his club and some of the statistics of these lightly-publicized stars are fantastic.

Long Beach State, Lewis & Clark in Oregon and Central Washington each placed two men on the first team.

Heading the cast was fabulous Beau Carter, Fresno State's great signal caller.

"He's the best quarterback we've played against all season," said Coach Bob Titchener of San Jose State, "and that includes Craig Morton of California."

Runs too
Carter, in nine games so far this season, has completed 90 out of 187 passes for 1,296 yards, including eight touchdowns. He also carried the ball for 174 yards to bring his yardage total for the year to 1,470 yards.

But just as sensational was little Mickey Hergert, Lewis & Clark halfback. He packed the pigskin 159 times for 872 yards rushing, caught 19 passes for 237 yards. And he scored 17 (that's right, 17) touchdowns.

Or take the case of Charlie Reed of Whitworth, the 190-pound junior fullback. He scored nine touchdowns while averaging 135 yards per game rushing in the Evergreen Conference. The other halfback on the first team, Dee Andrews of Long Beach, was picked by all opponents as a standout.

Thompson Honored
Coach of the Year honors

went to young Mel Thompson of Central Washington. He piloted his club to a 9-0 record this year and it may draw a bid to represent the West in the NAIA Camelia Bowl in Sacramento.

Among the linemen, Neal Petties of San Diego State caught 39 passes for 1,233 yards and 13 touchdowns. Guard Wayne Swanson of Central Washington, who has only one hand, was a Bearcat on defense who averaged eight tackles per game.

And so it went on through the list.

Other names on the first team were tackle Ken Sagarman of Central Washington; guard Gary Boggs, Lewis & Clark; center Howard Kindig, Los Angeles State; and tackle Pete Denzenis, Linfield.

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI)—The 1963 United Press International Little All-Coast Football Teams:

FIRST TEAM

E—Petties, San Diego State
T—Sagarman, Central Wash.
G—Boggs, Lewis & Clark
C—Kindig, Los Angeles State
G—Swanson, Central Wash.
T—Denzenis, Linfield
E—Brosnan, Long Beach
Q—Carter, Fresno State
HB—Hergert, Lewis & Clark
HB—Andrews, Long Beach St.
FB—Reed, Whitworth
Coach—Mel Thompson, Cen. Wash.

SECOND TEAM

E—Greason, Cal Western
T—Overstreet, Humboldt St.
G—Johnson, L. A. State
C—Sapudling, Cal Western
G—Kostrba, Lewis & Clark
T—Freeman, S.F. State
E—Ellis, Central Washington
QB—Calcagno, Santa Clara
HB—Widel, Nevada
HB—Carriere, Cal Aggies
FB—Miranda, Santa Clara

THIRD TEAM

E—Cicchi, Santa Clara

T—Shannon, Central Wash
G—Lassard, Santa Clara
C—Straughan, Eastern Oregon
G—Stenson, San Diego State
T—Weishahn, Cal Aggies
E—Chiotti, S.F. State
QB—Marteen, L.A. State
HB—Manney, S.F. State
HB—Ellis, Claremont-Mudd
FB—Robinson, L.A. State
Players winning honorable mention included:
Backs: Mike Hood and Doug Olsen, Southern Oregon; Andy Berkis and Mike Schrank, Portland State; Bob Battle, Oregon Tech; Bill Henselman, Lewis and Clark.

Linemen: Bob Reichert and Gary Kmetz, Lewis and Clark; Norm Musser, Fred vonAppen and Jerry Grossen, Linfield; Jim Hollingsworth, Portland State; Glenn Moses, Southern Oregon; Dean Popp and Bruce Anderson, Willamette.

Football Contest Concluded

The weekly football contest selections made this weekend will be disallowed because of the postponement of the majority of the nation's collegiate games.

Tennessee Wins, 19-0

LEXINGTON, Ky. (UPI)—Tennessee's single-wing power sent tailback Mallon Faircloth and fullback Stan Mitchell crashing through gaping holes in Kentucky's line Saturday, but Tennessee scored all three of its touchdowns by passes in a 19-0 Southeastern Conference football victory.

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Nebraska Upsets Sooners For Title

LINCOLN, Neb. (UPI)—Nebraska stormed past the Oklahoma Sooners 29-20 Saturday to nail down their first Big Eight title since 1940 and a trip to Miami's Orange Bowl on New Year's day.

The Cornhuskers, playing before a crowd of 33,485 mostly partisan fans led late in the game 29-7 before giving up two quick touchdowns to the never-giving Sooners.

For Nebraska it was the ninth victory in 10 games and the seventh without defeat in the Big Eight. The defeat in addition to dethroning Oklahoma, snapped a 16-game Souther winning streak in the league.

Nebraska took a 3-0 lead in the opening period on a 27-yard field goal by halfback Dave Theisen, stretched the margin to 10-0 heading in the final quarter and then got seven more points when senior quarterback Dennis Claridge blasted over from inches away.

Nebraska went ahead by another touchdown after halfback Kent McCloughan smashed over from the two yard line to cap a 15-yard drive. It was set up when Theisen picked off a Sooner pass on the 47 and returned it to the 15 with a little more than seven minutes left.

At one point the fans flung hundreds of oranges forcing a short delay. Before the clock

had completely run out, hundreds of fans pulled down the posts.

There was a minute of silence observed before the opening kickoff in respect to President Kennedy's death.

Nebraska 3 0 7 19-29
Oklahoma 0 0 0 20-20

Scoring:
Neb.—FG Theisen 27
Neb.—Johnson 1 run (Theisen kick)

Neb.—Claridge 1 run (Theisen kick)

Okl.—Flinn 22 pass from Fletcher (Jarman kick)

Neb.—McCoughan 2 run (kick failed)

Neb.—Duda 1 run (kick failed)

Okl.—Skidgel 27 run (Jarman kick)

Okl.—Skidgel 25-pass from Pannell (pass failed)

Long Romp Gives BYU Triumph

PROVO, Utah (UPI)—The Brigham Young University Cougars, depending heavily on the talents of fleet-footed junior halfback Alan Robinson, easily managed a decisive 24-20 victory Saturday over Colorado State University.

The win was the second of the season for the hard-luck Cougars. They beat Montana 27-0 in their third game of the season.

Robinson sparked the Cougars with two touchdowns in the first quarter and a 74-yard touchdown sprint in the final period. The game was played in chilly 46 degree temperatures before a sparse crowd of 4,000 fans.

Robinson, in what was probably the best game of his college career, accounted for 136 yards of the BYU rushing. CSU was led by Ken Hines who picked up 103 yards—40 of them on a touchdown run in the first period.

LEAGUE RECORD
HOUSTON (UPI)—Bob Aspromonte of the Houston Colts set a National League record by playing 57 consecutive errorless games at third base from July 17 through Sept. 19, 1962.

Grant Generals Take First Finals Spot By Downing Indians

By United Press International
Grant of Portland ground its way into the finals of the Oregon Class A-1 high school football playoffs Friday night with a 19-14 victory over Roseburg.

The Generals' victory at Roseburg sent them into next weekend's championships against the winner of Saturday night's Beaverton-North Salem game at Salem.

The latter contest was postponed from Friday night as a result of the assassination of President Kennedy. The Grant-Roseburg game went on as scheduled because the Portland team already had started for the Douglas County city, the Oregon School Activities Association said.

Grant drove 71 yards for the winning touchdown in the fourth quarter, with Karl McDade getting the touchdown on a 2-yard run.

Roseburg jumped into a 7-0 lead on Jim Beamer's 63-yard run in the opening minutes, but the Generals tied the score on 27-yard scoring pass from McDade to Craig Pienett. A 25-yard run by Jeff Kempe gave Grant a 13-7 lead at the end of the first quarter.

Roseburg regained the lead at 14-13 in the third quarter with Beamer scoring again on a 4-yard run. That set the stage for Grant's winning drive.

All action in the state class A-2, B, and eight-man playoffs was scheduled this afternoon. In A-2 action, North Catholic of Portland played Siuslaw at Florence and Phoenix was at Vale. Class B games matched Yoncalla and Jefferson at Sutherlin and Merrill against Wasco County at Maupin. Camas Valley was at Dufur in an eight-man contest.

North Catholic, Pirates Advance

Phoenix and North Catholic gained the finals of the Oregon Class A-2 football playoffs Saturday.

The Portland school marched 64 yards in five plays for its touchdown.

Siuslaw collected its touchdown in the second period on a two-yard run by quarterback Jim Weber.

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Merrill's attempt to return to state Class B finals was stopped Saturday afternoon.

It was a set of talented backs at Maupin wearing the colors of the Wasco Redsidies ending the Huskies' bid for another shot at the state title in the semifinal contest played there.

Long gainers were the key for the winning Redsidies as they overran the Huskies 33-12 to advance into the state finals next weekend against the Jefferson Lions, winners over Yoncalla, 25-6.

The Redsidies swept into a 13-0 lead before the Huskies put together their first scoring drive to narrow the margin.

The host club went on the initial successful drives as Dal Hammer took a 46-yard pass from halfback Joe Miller to score in the first period and in the second chapter went 24 yards for the second score. Jud Buswell added the PAT on a kick following the first score and the Redsidies had a comfortable 13-0 lead.

The Huskies came back to narrow the gap following the ensuing kickoff and drove into Redside territory. From the five-yard line Dale Kurta hit Ted Roller in the end zone for a 13-6 score.

Still the speed of the Redside backfield was to exact its toll further as Miller took the following kickoff and returned it 80 yards to paydirt. Buswell again added the PAT on a kick and it was a 20-6 margin at the intermission.

The Huskies bounced back as the second half opened and forced the Redsidies to punt, however, the host club received the good bounce and the ball rolled dead on the Merrill two.

On the first play the Huskies gain three to the five-yard line and on the second play Ken Smith broke off tackle behind good blocking and raced down the sidelines 95 yards to score for a 20-13 game.

Again the Redsidies came back with a thoroughly demoralizing drive for the Huskies.

Two long gains by Miller and Buswell took the Redsidies from their 35 to the Merrill five, from where Buswell tallied. He added his third PAT for a 27-13 lead.

The Huskies again drove down into Redside country before being stopped on the eight and later inside the 30 in the fourth period, with pass interception stopping the drive.

PREP PLAYOFF RESULTS

CLASS A-1
Grant 19, Roseburg 14
CLASS A-2
Phoenix 26, Vale 0
North Catholic 7, Siuslaw 6
CLASS B
Wasco 33, Merrill 12
Jefferson 26, Yoncalla 6

Scores

Tennessee 19 Kentucky 0
Arkansas 27 Texas Tech 20
Bowl, Green 26 Xavier (O.) 15
Vanderbilt 31 Go, Wash. 0
Eastern Kentucky 24 Youngs 14
J. C. Smith 66 Fayetteville St. 0
Louisiana State 20 Tulane 0
Nebraska 29 Oklahoma 20

It was following this pass interception that the Redsidies took the victory as Hammer took the ball on the first play from the 30 and raced the 70-yard distance to the final tally.

Three key pass interceptions were recorded by the Redsidies, each one with the Huskies driving into Wasco territory.

The Huskies held an edge in total yardage, with 280 yards gained to 260 for the Redsidies.

Merrill head man Gene Christensen felt the Huskies had done well and "... stopped them (Wasco) each time they got the ball except for letting them get loose for that long yardage."

He added, "We feel we lost to the champion. There's no question in my mind that they'll win the title."

Scoring (by quarters):
Merrill 0 6 6 0-12
Wasco 7 13 7 6-33
Merrill TDs: Roller (5-yard pass Kurta); Smith (95-yard run).
Wasco TDs: Hammer 3 (46-yard pass from Miller; 24 and 70-yard runs); Miller (80-yard kickoff return); Buswell (5-yard run); PATs: Buswell 3 (kicks).

GAME STATISTICS

	Merrill	Wasco
Net Yards Rushing	219	190
Passes Attempted	15	4
Passes Completed	7	2
Passes Intercepted By	0	3
Yards Gained Passing	74	70
Total Yards Gained	293	260
Penalties - Average	4:14.5	5:36.8
Fumbles - Lost	1-0	1-0
Penalties - Yards	2-35	1-5

Rally Gives Razorbacks Victory

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. (UPI)—Arkansas quarterback Bill Gray slipped around right end for a 24-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter Saturday to defeat scrappy Texas Tech 27-20.

Arkansas jumped to a 20-0 lead over their Southwest Conference rival in the first half but Tech's sophomore quarterback Ben Elledge drew two touchdowns passes and ran for a third to tie the score at 20-20 going into the final period.

Gray, listed as a third-stringer, came off the bench to guide the Razorbacks 85 yards in eight plays with 10 minutes left. Besides the scoring run, the big play of the series was a 31-yard pass from Gray to wingback Stan Sparks.

Arkansas 7 13 0 7-27
Texas Tech 0 13 7 0-20
Scoring:
Ark—Nix 1 run (McKinley kick)
Ark—Brasuel 34 run (kick failed)
Ark—Hatfield 30 punt return (McKinley kick)
Tech—Doyle 17 pass from Elledge (Daniels kick)
Tech—Parks 40 pass from Elledge (kick failed)
Tech—Elledge 1 run (Daniels kick)
Ark—Gray 24 run (McKinley kick)

President's Alma Mater Paces Cancellation Of Weekend Sports

By United Press International
President Kennedy's Alma Mater, Harvard, led the way Friday in the postponement and cancellation of sports events scheduled for this weekend.

The traditional Harvard-Yale game, a sports spectacle dear to the heart of the sports loving late President, was called off a few minutes after the President's assassination.

Football games, boxing bouts, horse racing, and harness racing all had events either postponed or cancelled.

The Yale-Harvard classic, which Mr. Kennedy himself saw many times, was scheduled for its 80th renewal at the Yale Bowl in New Haven, Conn. Delaney Kiphuth, Yale's director of athletics, said, "The only thing definite now is that the game will not be played tomorrow. University officials are considering whether it will be rescheduled."

The Air Force Academy, which lost in Mr. Kennedy's Commander-in-Chief, announced the cancellation of its football game against Colorado, Duke vs. North Carolina was postponed indefinitely, and so was the Princeton vs. Dartmouth game in which Princeton could clinch the Ivy League championship.

In other academies, West Point and Annapolis, cancelled all sports scheduled for Saturday and there was no indication whether their varsity football teams—scheduled to meet at Philadelphia next Saturday in a game which the President attended annually—would go through.

"We will have to wait and see whether there is a reasonable time after the funeral," said a West Point spokesman.

William Reed, commissioner of the Big Ten, said all games in that conference might be cancelled if the nation is in an official period of mourning. Earlier, Gov. George Romney of Michigan asked that the Michigan State-Illinois game, on which the Big Ten championship depends, be postponed but Michigan State U. officials turned down the request.

Boston College vs. Boston University was cancelled, possibly to be rescheduled, and Columbia vs. Rutgers was postponed.

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All telecasting of college football on Saturday was cancelled by the Columbia Broadcasting System (CBS) as part of its move in clearing its network of all scheduled programs in order to make room for news telecasts.

CBS also cancelled its regional telecasting of National Football League games on Sunday.

One of three games scheduled for regional telecasting was the Yale-Harvard game. The others were Clemson vs. South Carolina and Wisconsin vs. Minnesota.

The only sport with events in progress at the time of Mr. Kennedy's death was horse racing. Many tracks—including Aqueduct, Pimlico, Narragansett—cancelled what remained of their racing programs for the day. They were followed by cancellations of some night racing, including the flat racing at Suffolk Downs and harness racing at Roosevelt Raceway.

Also cancelled was Friday night's scheduled nationally-televised boxing bout at Madison Square Garden between Allen Thomas of Chicago and Johnny Persol of Brooklyn.

In Montreal, Clarence Campbell, president of the National Hockey League, said that league would postpone some of its weekend games if a national period of mourning is declared. Affected would be three games scheduled in American cities on Sunday, at Boston, New York, and Chicago, but one game scheduled in Canada would be played.

Telecasting of American Football League games on Sunday was cancelled by the American Broadcasting Company (ABC).

An AFL spokesman said the league was considering the possibility of not playing its Sunday games.

The National Basketball Association, the big league of professional basketball, postponed all four of its games scheduled Friday night—New York at Baltimore, Boston at Philadelphia, Los Angeles at San Francisco, and Detroit at Cincinnati.

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However, horse racing continued at Golden Gate Fields where a track spokesman said that "technical difficulties" had made it impossible to halt the program.

The track will be closed on the day of the President's funeral, the spokesman added.

The Denver-Los Angeles and Portland-Vancouver Western Hockey League games slated for Friday night were postponed as was Saturday's WHL contests between Denver and San Francisco.

President Kennedy.

Cancelled were the Ohio State at Michigan and Notre Dame at Iowa games.

Games rescheduled for Thanksgiving Day are Illinois at Michigan State and Wisconsin at Minnesota. The Purdue at Indiana clash was postponed until Nov. 30.

Norman Topping, president of the University of Southern California and chairman of the Big Six's chancellors' and presidents' committee said in a prepared statement:

"Because of the national tragedy, we have unanimously agreed to postpone all games for one week, until Nov. 30."

The three West Coast classics to be set back were the Washington-Washington State game at Seattle, Southern California-UCLA game at Los Angeles and California-Stanford game at Palo Alto.

Including the Oregon-Oregon State clash, the four games were expected to bring out a total attendance of about 300,000 during the weekend.

Among other postponements or cancellations were San Francisco State's game with San Diego State and the Claremont-Mudd-Cal Tech contest.

The Big Six postponement meant that Washington would have to wait another week until it knew if it had clinched a trip to the Rose Bowl.

An expected victory over the Washington State Cougars would nail down the invitation. But if Washington State upset the Huskies while Southern California was downing UCLA, the Trojans would have a shot at their second straight appearance at Pasadena.

San Jose State authorities said that they would play UOP on Saturday afternoon instead of at night as had been scheduled.

"Our basketball season opens on the night of Nov. 30 and we feel that it would be better to have the football game in the afternoon," a school spokesman said.

A RIFLE BARKED IN DALLAS...

And A Man Who Participated, Supported, Advocated Sports Activities — Is Gone

By OSCAR FRALEY
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NEW YORK (UPI)—What do you say? What can you say? You're a sports guy and the fate of the whole world has been changed by a guy with a rifle.

You think back to the Olympic Games in Melbourne, down under in Australia.

The Russians won even the running deer shoot. That's where the cardboard body of a deer, mounted on a railroad hand car, is pushed down into a valley by some guys protected by sandbags. It coasts up on its own momentum while the rifles bark.

The Russians won it, and you wondered bitterly what ever happened to the Yankee sons of

Danjel Boone and Davey Crockett.

Wonders About World

Then a rifle barked in Dallas, down in Texas, a town well known by Crockett, and you wondered again what goes on in this world of ours.

Nobody knows the answer.

Who, at the moment, Or why, ever.

You saw him many times, the man named John Fitzgerald Kennedy.

At an Army-Navy game in Philadelphia's vast Municipal Stadium he stood undismayed

sans topcoat while the rest of the 102,000 shivered in the cold. "He's nuts," a guy commented.

But, when he started his physical fitness program headed by Oklahoma football Coach Bud Wilkinson, you knew why. Here was a man dedicated to the American way of life—a winning way of life.

Reaches For Foul

There was the All-Star game at Washington last summer.

JFK was there in shirtsleeves, reaching awkwardly for a foul ball, hotdog in hand.

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Big Ten Championship Set Thanksgiving Day

By United Press International
Illinois and Michigan State will play the Big Ten Conference football title game Thursday. Athletic officials from the universities announced Saturday.

The entire Big Ten slate for Saturday was postponed or cancelled because of the death of

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