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Game Records

TEAM

Most points:—(49) Michigan vs. Stanford (1902); (49) Michigan vs. USC (1948).

Most total net yards:— (491) Michigan vs. USC (1948).

Most net yards running:—(320) Illinois vs. UCLA (1947).

Most net yards passing: — (279) USC vs. Pittsburgh (1930).

Most total first downs:—(24) Georgia vs. UCLA (1943).

Most pass attempts: — (31) SMU vs. Stanford (1936); (31) USC vs. Duke (1939).

Most pass completions:—(16) Navy vs. Washington (1924).

Most punts:—(16) Wash. and Jeff. vs. Cal (1922); (16) Stanford vs. SMU (1936); (16) USC vs. Duke (1939).

Fewest net yards rushing:—(6) USC vs. Alabama (1946).

Fewest net yards passing: — (0) Oregon vs. Harvard (1920); (0) Cal. vs. Wash. and Jeff. (1922).

Fewest first downs:—(2) Cal. vs. Wash. and Jeff. (1922).

INDIVIDUAL

Most points scored:— (18) Elmer Layden, Notre Dame vs. Stanford (1925); (18) Jack Weisenberger, Michigan vs. USC (1948).

Most net yards running:—(151) Bobby Grayson, Stanford vs. Columbia (1934).

Most times carried ball:—(34) Carl Dietz, WSC vs. Brown (1916); (34) Ernie Nevers, Stanford vs. Notre Dame (1925).

Longest run from scrimmage:—(71) Frank Aschenbrenner, Northwestern vs. California (1949).

Longest run, interception:—(71) William Daddio, Pittsburgh vs. Washington (1937).

Longest run, punt return:— (86) Aramis Dandoy, USC vs. Ohio State (1955).

Longest complete pass flight:—(53) Harold Muller, California vs. Ohio State (1921) complete to Brodie Stephens for gain of 37 yards.

Longest gain on pass play:—(70) Robert Dethman to Gene Gray, OSC vs. Duke (1942).

Most conversions:—(7) Jim Brieske, Michigan vs. USC (1948).

Longest punt:—(72) Desmond Koch, USC vs. Wisconsin (1953).

Longest kickoff return:—(103) Al Hoisch, UCLA vs. Illinois (1947).

THE ROSE BOWL GAME

Forty-third Annual Tournament of Roses Football Game

UNIVERSITY OF IOWA

versus

OREGON STATE COLLEGE

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History of the Game

The Tournament of Roses in Pasadena on New Year's Day dates back to the 1880's. It was and is a day of parades and festivities.

At the end of the 1901 season Michigan was prevailed upon to play Stanford in an "East-West" game at Tournament Park. The contest took place on January 1, 1902, with Michigan winning by a score of 49 to 0. Following this the game was discontinued until the first day of 1916 when Washington State College defeated Brown University 14 to 0.

The contest continued to be known as the "East-West" game until the 1923 game was played in the newly constructed Rose Bowl. This was the first "Rose Bowl" game, and the University of Southern California defeated Pennsylvania State 14 to 3.

The original Tournament Park (in 1902) held about 10,000 fans, although only 8,000 attended the Stanford-Michigan contest. Prior to the 1917 game the seating capacity was increased to 30,000.

The new Rose Bowl originally was a horseshoe affair running north and south with the opening at the south end. It seated 53,000. The capacity was then progressively increased in 1929 to 70,000; in 1932 to 83,000 and in 1938 to 90,000. The final increase in capacity took place during the year 1949, the funds being raised by public subscription. The 1950 Rose Bowl game set a record of 100,963 admissions.

The present Rose Bowl was actually dedicated on October 28, 1922, with a football game between the University of California and the University of Southern California, before a crowd of 35,000. California won the game 12 to 0.

For this year's game the seating capacity is as follows:

Grandstand seats	94,310
Box seats	2,176
Press box seats	334
Radio booth seats	64
Temporary stands	3,335
Temporary staff bleachers	270
Band seats	320
Total seating capacity	100,809

Today, the field runs north and south. The end zones are marked in cross hatch. The press box is on the west rim of the stadium.

Prior to 1935 the western team in the game was invited by the Tournament of Roses Association. Since that time the Pacific Coast Conference has selected a member team to play in the game.

Prior to 1923 the Tournament also selected the eastern team.

From 1923 through 1946 the western team selected its eastern opponent. Since 1946 the Big Ten Conference has selected a member team to play in the game.

The original PCC-Big Ten agreement ran for five years

from the 1947 game through the 1951 game and was followed by a three-year pact which expired with the 1954 game. This will be the third game of another three-year agreement. The two Conferences are currently completing another agreement which will continue their Rose Bowl pact for an indefinite period.

The National Broadcasting Company has exclusive radio and TV rights.

Rose Bowl Press Room

A Press Room is open at the Huntington-Sheraton Hotel in Pasadena from December 16 through January 4 for use by the writers and broadcasters covering the game.

The room is located on the mezzanine of the hotel and is equipped with typewriters, wire facilities and refreshments. It is expected that Coach Forest Evashevski of Iowa will make at least one appearance daily in the press room for a press conference. The time for Evashevski's daily conference will be announced a day in advance. It is expected that Coach Tommy Prothro of Oregon State will be interviewed daily on a telephone connected to a loudspeaker.

The Press Room is provided by the competing teams and is staffed by the Press Reception Committee of the Tournament of Roses Association.

Tournament of Roses Association

The Tournament of Roses Association is a civic organization in Pasadena, Calif., whose primary aim and function is the staging of the world famous New Year's Day floral parade in Pasadena, known as the "Tournament of Roses," and attended annually by over a million people. The Rose Bowl football game has been an attendant activity of this great festival since 1916.

President of the Tournament this year is Mr. John Davidson. Chairman of the Football Committee of the Tournament is Lathrop Leishman. William Nicholas, manager of the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum, and John Biggar are the other members of the committee. Executive officer of the Association is manager Max Colwell, whose offices are located at 181 S. Los Robles in Pasadena, SYcamore 5-4311.

Oregon State College

Oregon State College, the largest institution of higher learning in the state of Oregon, was established as a land-grant school on October 27, 1868, under the provisions of the Morrill Land Grant Act. It was the state's first venture in the field of higher learning, and was originally named Corvallis College.

The state wanted to establish a college as early as 1851, and had selected Corvallis, then known as Marysville, as the site. The legislature then reversed itself and decided to construct the college in Jacksonville in southern Oregon.

However, the people of Corvallis went ahead and erected an academy in 1858, operated by the Methodist church. With the adoption of the Morrill act the state took over partial control, and assumed full control in 1885. In 1868 the name was changed to the State Agricultural College of Oregon, later to Oregon Agricultural College, and in 1953 was changed to the present Oregon State College, although popular acclaim had brought about the present name as early as 1927.

The college campus proper, as well as adjoining agricultural lands, consists of about 4,000 acres, with increases being made yearly as the institution grows in population and need. In addition to the campus area, the Agricultural Experiment station at the college administers and utilizes approximately 24,000 acres, mostly county and federal-owned.

The school of forestry owns and administers another 13,300 acres in the Peavy arboretum and the McDonald and other forested areas near Corvallis. These lands are used to teach forestry students actual forest practices through on-the-job training, as well as for research projects for the state and national forest services and the many timber companies located throughout the Northwest.

In addition to the schools of agriculture and forestry the college also offers degrees in Business and Technology, Education, Engineering and Industrial Arts, Home Economics, Pharmacy and Science, and the Graduate school. In addition many liberal arts courses such as journalism, art, English, music, speech, history, political science, philosophy, sociology, psychology and modern languages under a lower division program.

Also on the campus may be found several units devoted to research such as the cyclotron for nuclear physics and the Oregon Forest Products laboratory devoted to finding new ways to use the vast timber resources of the Oregon forests.

Oregon State College is located in the quiet city of Corvallis, named for its location in the heart of the Willamette valley of western Oregon. Corvallis has a population of 17,000 and is 100 miles south of Portland and 60 miles east of the Pacific ocean. It lies midway between the Cascade and Coast ranges, and its main industries are agriculture and timber.

The peak enrollment of the college was in 1947-48 when 8,300 students were registered. Almost 7,000 students are enrolled for the 1956-57 college year, and indications are, that with the continued increase in population in the Pacific Northwest, along with the general population growth of the nation, the enrollment will top 10,000 within a few years.

To prepare for this the college is in the midst of a vast building program, with emphasis on student housing, a factor which is already resulting in limitations on enrollment.

The most notable structures on the campus include the Memorial Union, built from public subscription in 1928 as the center of student activity; Benton hall, built in 1889 and the oldest structure still standing and in use on the campus; Gill coliseum, OSC's 11,000-seat basketball pavilion which contains no obstructing posts; 27,000-seat Parker stadium for football; and Sackett hall, erected in 1948 to house women students.

Dr. August L. Strand is the present president of the college, having served in that capacity since 1942. Roy S. (Spec) Keene has served as director of athletics since 1947. Oregon State is a charter member of the Pacific Coast Intercollegiate Athletic conference which was founded in 1916.

All-American Selections

The following players from Oregon State were named to first team all-Americas on one or more teams having national recognition.

Ade Schwammel, tackle	1933
Red Franklin, halfback	1933
Vic Sears, tackle	1940
Bill Gray, center	1946
John Witte, tackle	1955, 1956

OSC's All-Time Record against Big Ten Teams

1915	Oregon State 20	Michigan State	0
1942	Oregon State 7	Michigan State	7
1948	Michigan State 46	Oregon State	21
1949	Oregon State 25	Michigan State	20
1950	Michigan State 38	Oregon State	13
1951	Michigan State 6	Oregon State	0
1952	Michigan State 17	Oregon State	14
1953	Michigan State 34	Oregon State	6
1954	Minnesota 44	Oregon State	6
1956	Iowa 14	Oregon State	13

Wins—Big Ten 7, Oregon State 2, one tie

1956 BEAVERS ALPHABETICAL SQUAD LIST

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Class	Exp.	Home Town
50	Spiro Anagnos	C	5-9	176	19	Soph.	1JC	Lodi, Cal.
46	Tony Arana	TB	5-11	168	19	Soph.	Fr.	Vale, Ore.
79	Ted Bates	RT	6-3	206	20	Soph.	Fr.	Los Angeles, Cal.
34	Nub Beamer	FB	5-11	189	20	Soph.	Fr.	Roseburg, Ore.
33	**Tom Berry	FB	5-9	183	22	Sr.	2V	Los Angeles, Cal.
36	Bill Blackburn	FB	5-7	170	19	Soph.	None	Monmouth, Ore.
60	Jim Brackins	RG	6-0	195	19	Soph.	Fr.	Redlands, Cal.
64	Dennis Brundage	LG	5-10	181	19	Soph.	Fr.	Roseburg, Ore.
28	Larry Chamberlain	QB	5-6	163	19	Soph.	Fr.	Sheridan, Ore.
84	John Clarke	RE	5-9	188	19	Soph.	Fr.	Independence, Ore.
55	*Dick Corrick	C	5-7	161	21	Sr.	2V	La Jolla, Cal.
88	*Bob DeGrant	RE	6-1	196	20	Jr.	1V	Burlingame, Cal.
14	Earnel Durden	WB	5-10	160	19	Soph.	Fr.	Los Angeles, Cal.
65	**Vern Ellison	RG	6-1	221	21	Sr.	2V	Corvallis, Ore.
87	*Dwayne Fournier	LE	6-2	178	21	Jr.	1V	McMinnville, Ore.
42	*Joe Francis	TB	6-1	186	20	Jr.	1V	Honolulu, T. H.
11	Sterling Hammack	WB	5-11	170	20	Jr.	1V	San Bruno, Cal.
66	Jack Hogan	RG	6-0	192	20	Soph.	Fr.	Portland, Ore.

77	*Dave Jesmer	RT	6-2	226	20	Jr.	1V	OmoRanch, Cal.
22	*Gerry Laird	QB	5-11	194	20	Sr.	1V	Tulare, Cal.
47	Paul Lowe	TB	6-0	168	20	Soph.	Fr.	Los Angeles, Cal.
27	Gary Lukehart	QB	6-0	173	20	Soph.	Fr.	Campbell, Cal.
81	*Chuck Marsh	WB	6-1	174	21	Sr.	2V	Longview, Wash.
82	Carl Maxwell	LE	6-1	174	19	Soph.	Fr.	Antioch, Cal.
23	Bob Milum	FB	5-10	175	19	Soph.	Fr.	Newport Harbor, Cal.
67	Bob McKittrick	LG	6-0	185	20	Jr.	1V	Baker, Ore.
70	Phil Naylor	LT	5-9	213	19	Soph.	Fr.	Riverside, Cal.
85	*Frank Negri	RE	5-9	173	21	Sr.	1V	Los Angeles, Cal.
15	John Owings	WB	5-4	140	19	Soph.	None	Canby, Ore.
78	Jim Peoples	LT	6-2	205	19	Soph.	Fr.	Butte, Mont.
52	Buzz Randall	C	6-1	198	20	Soph.	Fr.	Estacada, Ore.
26	Chuck Reich	LE	6-2	180	19	Soph.	None	Newport, Cal.
76	Ed Rogers	RT	6-2	210	20	Soph.	Fr.	Waikuku, T. H.
80	Terry Salisbury	LT	5-10	184	19	Soph.	Fr.	Salem, Ore.
68	Sonny Sanchez	LG	5-9	184	22	Soph.	Fr.	San Francisco, Cal.
25	*Ted Searle	QB	5-10	192	20	Jr.	1V	Honolulu, T. H.
62	**John Sniffen	LG	5-11	209	22	Sr.	2V	Roseville, Cal.
83	**Norm Thiel	LE	6-0	179	21	Sr.	2V	Chowchilla, Cal.
53	Joe Wade	C	6-0	205	19	Soph.	Fr.	Los Angeles, Cal.
75	***John Witte	LT	6-2	232	23	Sr.	3V	Klamath Falls, Ore.
72	*Ernie Zwahlen	LT	6-1	194	21	Sr.	2V	Beaverton, Ore.

1956 Season Record

Date	Opponent	OSC	Opp.	Attendance
Sept. 22	Missouri (At Columbia)	19	13	22,000
Sept. 28	Southern California (At Los Angeles)	13	21	53,714
Oct. 6	Iowa (At Iowa City)	13	14	14,027
Oct. 13	California (At Corvallis)	21	13	14,125
Oct. 20	Washington State (At Pullman)	21	0	14,500
Oct. 27	UCLA (At Corvallis)	21	7	17,080
Nov. 3	Washington (At Portland)	28	20	32,890
Nov. 10	Stanford (At Palo Alto)	20	19	65,000
Nov. 17	Idaho (At Moscow)	14	10	5,000
Nov. 22	Oregon (At Corvallis)	14	14	17,300
Won 7, Lost 2, Tied 1		184	131	282,636

Athletic Department

Director of Athletics—Roy S. "Spec" Keene
Business Manager—James G. Barratt
Administrative Assistant—William C. Neland
Team Physicians—Dr. Waldo W. Ball and Dr. Verne S. Gearey
Trainer—William B. Robertson
Equipment Manager—James Demith
Publicity Director—John H. Eggers

Pacific Coast Conference Standings 1956

	W.	L.	T.	Pct.	PF.	PA.
Oregon State	6	1	1	.813	152	104
Southern California	5	2	0	.714	133	80
UCLA	5	2	0	.714	109	73
Oregon	3	3	2	.500	91	88
Washington	4	4	0	.500	190	159
Stanford	3	4	0	.429	151	140
Washington State	2	5	1	.313	118	196
California	2	5	0	.286	95	142
Idaho	0	4	0	.000	64	121

Big Ten Conference Standings 1956

	W.	L.	T.	Pct.	PF.	PA.
Iowa	5	1	0	.833	88	44
Michigan	5	2	0	.714	143	96
Minnesota	4	1	2	.714	84	67
Michigan State	4	2	0	.667	133	49
Ohio State	4	2	0	.667	88	47
Northwestern	3	3	1	.500	80	79
Illinois	1	4	2	.286	79	106
Purdue	1	4	2	.286	95	101
Wisconsin	0	4	3	.214	46	116
Indiana	1	5	0	.167	85	216

Numerical Squad List

11 Hammack, h
14 Durden, h
15 Owings, h
22 Laird, q
23 Milum, f
25 Searle, q
26 Reich, e
27 Lukehart, q
28 Chamberlain, q
33 Berry, f
34 Beamer, f
36 Blackburn, f
42 Francis, h
46 Arana, h
47 Lowe, h
50 Anagnos, c
52 Randall, c
53 Wade, c
55 Corrick, c
60 Brackins, g
62 Sniffen, g
64 Brundage, g
65 Ellison, g
66 Hogan, g
67 McKittrick, g
68 Sanchez, g
70 Naylor, t
72 Zwahlen, t
75 Witte, t
76 Rogers, t
77 Jesmer, t
78 Peoples, t
79 Bates, t
80 Salisbury, t
81 Marsh, h
82 Maxwell, e
83 Thiel, e
84 Clarke, e
85 Negri, e
87 Fournier, e
88 DeGrant, e

Pronunciation Guide

Arana—Uh-RAN-uh
Corrick—CORE-ick
Durden—Durdun
Fournier—Fore-NEAR
Hammack—Hammuck
Negri—NAY-gree
Salisbury—SALS-buree
Sanchez—San-CHEZ
Reich—Rich
Milum—MY-lum
Thiel—Teel
Witte—WITT-ee
Prothro—PRO-throw
Zelinka—Zuh-LINKA
Twenge—Twengee

Order of Substitution

Minutes played this season in parentheses

LE—83 Thiel (293), 87 Fournier (303), 82 Maxwell (0)
LT—75 Witte (392), 72 Zwahlen (152), 80 Salisbury (0)
LG—62 Sniffen (413), 67 McKittrick (140), 68 Sanchez (90)
C —55 Corrick (289), 52 Randall (300), 50 Anagnos (6)
RG—60 Brackins (350), 65 Ellison (183), 66 Hogan (21)
RT—77 Jesmer (380), 79 Bates (151), 76 Rogers (109)
RE—88 DeGrant (277), 85 Negri (285), 84 Clarke (48)
QB—22 Laird (365), 25 Searle (80), 27 Lukehart (158)
LH—42 Francis (355), 47 Lowe (213), 46 Arana (49)
RH—14 Durden (300), 11 Hammack (277), 81 Marsh (21)
FB—33 Berry (425), 34 Beamer (139), 23 Milum (6)

Specialists

Passing—42 Francis, 47 Lowe, 46 Arana
Punting—42 Francis, 25 Searle, 46 Arana, 47 Lowe
Extra points—84 Clarke, 25 Searle, 42 Francis
Kickoffs—84 Clarke, 25 Searle

Player Biographies

SPIRO ANAGNOS—C, 5-9, 176, 19, Soph., Lodi, Calif. Transfer from Stockton JC. Came to OSC this fall. Has good desire, and in time could help squad. Used sparingly thus far, playing behind Dick Corrick and Buzz Randall. Called "Spike" by teammates. Small but aggressive.

TONY ARANA—LH, 5-11, 168, 19, Soph., Vale, Ore. Fine high school player, who performed in all-star Shrine game in 1954. Passes well, runs hard but lacking in over-all speed. Good punter, with 36.8 average on eight kicks. Could be professional barber right now and has had lots of practice cutting fraternity brothers' hair. Solid, dependable type back.

TED BATES—RT, 6-3, 206, 20, Soph., Los Angeles. All-city as prepper, at Manual Arts, one of best tackle prospects to hit OSC since John Witte. Handicapped much of season because of injuries, but still effective. Great speed and good reactions. Counted on by coaching staff to be regular next year. Strong both offensively and defensively.

NUB BEAMER—FB, 5-11, 189, 20, Soph., Roseburg, Ore. Another ex-all-state Shrine star. Extremely hard runner, lacking only in experience. Carried 35 times for 164 net yards. Hard to bring down and can go all the way. In another season, could be one of best fullbacks in PCC. Hits as hard as regular Tom Berry, but not yet as polished.

TOM BERRY—FB, 5-9, 183, 22, Senior, Los Angeles. One of leading ground-gainers in LA prep history out of Los Angeles high school. Led team in scoring with 43 points. Workhorse of squad, with 139 carries and 487 yards gained. Pushed across seven touchdowns. Also won "Iron-Man" honors with 425 minutes played. Runs hard, and a great competitor. Tough on defense.

JIM BRACKINS—RG, 6-0, 195, 19, Soph. from Redlands, Cal. Named southern California player of year while prep senior. Was blocking back on freshman squad, but moved to guard in spring drills. Developed fast, and won starting berth. Extremely aggressive. Likes it rough. One of prize sophomores in PCC.

JOHN CLARKE—RE, 5-9, 188, 19, Soph., Independence, Ore. Top place-kicker for Beavers this fall, with 16 conversions out of 16 attempts. Comes from small high school Central high of Monmouth-Independence. Got first chance when Ted Searle suffered broken leg, and responded beautifully. Also does kicking-off for Beavers.

DICK CORRICK—C, 5-7, 161, Senior, La Jolla, Cal. Squad co-captain. Smallest regular lineman on coast, possibly in nation. Worked his way into starting position through sheer determination. Extremely quick and a good linebacker. Called by Coach Prothro one of "toughest" boys he has ever seen. Great morale-builder, and always hustling.

BOB DE GRANT—RE, 6-1, 196, 20, Junior, Burlingame, Cal. One of best defensive ends in PCC. Squad's

leading pass-receiver, with 10 catches good for 105 yards. Much sought-after prep star before he came to OSC. "Iron-Man" of 1955 squad, while only sophomore, with 430 minutes. Missed final two '56 contests because of injuries. Good, solid football player.

EARNEL DURDEN—RH, 5-10, 160, 19, Soph., Los Angeles. An all-city prepper out of Manual Arts. Got his first chance against SC when Sam Wesley was declared ineligible. OSC's leading rusher with 508 yards in 71 carries for impressive 7.2 average. Caught six passes for 205 yards and two TD's. Great runner, with lots of deception. Made INS second team all-America and most of the all-Coast teams.

VERN ELLISON—RG, 6-1, 221, 21, Senior, Corvallis, Ore. Lone Corvallis resident on OSC squad. Was regular two years, but had to yield top spot to prize soph Jim Brackins this fall. Played 352 minutes on 1955 team that placed second in PCC. Always dependable. Was injured against Stanford and missed final two games.

DWAYNE FOURNIER—LE, 6-2, 178, 21, Junior, McMinnville, Ore. Improved fast towards end of season, when regular Norm Thiel was injured. Caught five passes for 57 yards and excelled defensively. Destined to see a lot of action in Rose Bowl game. Fast and tough, with slight build.

JOE FRANCIS—LH, 6-1, 186, 20, Junior, Honolulu, T. H. Fine all-around tailback, who can run, pass and punt. Gained 374 yards rushing and 377 yards passing, figuring in seven touchdowns. Hit 27 out of 48 for respectable .562 aerial mark. Averaged 34.5 on 34 punts. Native Hawaiian, who is big, strong and deceptive. Key man in OSC offense. Good defensive player, too.

STERLING HAMMACK—RH, 5-11, 170, Junior, San Bruno, Cal. Understudy to flashy Earnel Durden. Played very little as sophomore, but has had more opportunities this fall and put them to good advantage. Quick-moving and a good pass-receiver. Carried 19 times for 107 yards, a 5.6 average.

JACK HOGAN—LG, 6-0, 192, 20, Sophomore, Portland. Played prep ball at Jefferson in Portland. Showed a lot of promise as freshman, and missed 1955 season because of operation. Has played behind some top performers, and lacks experience. Sure to improve with additional experience.

DAVE JESMER—RT, 6-2, 226, 20, Junior, Omo Ranch, Cal. One of four good tackles on OSC squad. Regular all season, and extremely consistent. Looked better with each game. Strong and rugged. Tough to dislodge, and always eager. Could be all-coast next fall in his last season.

GERRY LAIRD—QB, 5-11, 194, 20, Senior, Tulare, Cal. Unsung hero of single-wing backfield. Good blocking back and signal-caller. Showed promise of things to come in spring drills, and has been regular ever since. Effective linebacker on defense. Shotputter on track squad. Squad co-captain.

PAUL LOWE—LH, 6-0, 168, 20, Soph., Los Angeles. All-city at Centennial high in L.A., where he also ruled as state low hurdles champion. Fastest man on OSC squad. Tricky, deceptive runner—the breakaway type. Scored six TD's as sophomore and rolled up 700 yards total offense, 407 from rushing and 293 from passing. One of finest prospects ever to enroll at OSC.

GARY LUKEHART—QB, 6-0, 173, 20, Sophomore, Los Angeles. Played guard as a freshman, but became blocking back in spring. Saw a lot of action when Ted Searle broke his leg. Understudy to Gerry Laird, with lots of promise. Good linebacker and need only more experience to become top-flight signal-caller. Fine all-around athlete.

CHUCK MARSH—RH, 6-1, 174, 21, Senior, Longview, Wash. Lettered two years ago as sophomore fullback, but did win monogram last year. Moved in as third wingback when Sam Wesley was declared ineligible. Fine desire to play, but lacking innate speed. Also can play end when called upon.

BOB McKITTRICK—RG, 6-0, 185, 20, Junior, Baker, Ore. One of the hardest workers on squad, always ready to play. Good speed for lineman, and extremely smart. Excellent student scholastically. Hard tackler. Tough to move away from play.

FRANK NEGRI—RE, 5-9, 173, 21, Senior, Los Angeles. Came to OSC as Valley JC transfer two years ago and has played several different positions while here. Has been tailback, wingback, fullback and blocking back, but finally wound up as end. Good pass-receiver, and tough on defense. Top replacement for Bob DeGrant and always fills in well.

BUZZ RANDALL—C, 6-1, 198, 20, Sophomore, Estacada, Ore. An all-stater in high school, although he had never been a center previously. Fine linebacker, who shared first-string chores with Dick Corrick. Improved greatly as season progressed and destined for regular duty in '57. Great physical strength. One of best prospects at OSC.

ED ROGERS—RT, 6-2, 210, 20, Sophomore, Waikuku, T. H. One of several Islanders on OSC squad. Earned letter early in season, as result of being able to play either strong or weakside tackle with equal ability. Recovered fumble on kickoff of WSC game that got OSC off to a quick TD (Beavers won, 21-0). Played behind some top tackles, but sure to see a lot of action in future.

SONNY SANCHEZ—LG, 5-9, 184, 22, Sophomore, San Francisco. All-city three times as prepper in SF. One of stars on undefeated OSC freshman team in 1955. Did not develop as fast as expected this fall and hasn't played much. Short and stocky, with good speed. Needs to develop more confidence.

TED SEARLE—QB, 5-10, 192, 20, Junior, Honolulu, T. H. No. 2 blocking back who broke a leg in the WSC game and hasn't played since. Was squad's top place-kicker as sophomore, connecting on nine out of 10 conversion

attempts and two field goals. Should be ready for Rose Bowl game, and will give Beavers much needed depth. Left-footer placekicker and punter.

JOHN SNIFFEN—LG, 5-11, 209, 22, Senior, Roseville, Cal. Native Hawaiian who moved to California where he finished high school. Lettered twice as a reserve, but came into own as regular this fall and was one of squad's "Iron-Men." Great desire to win, with lots of confidence. Played 413 minutes over regular season.

NORM THIEL—LE, 6-0, 179, 21, Senior, Chowchilla, Cal. One of the "old reliables" on squad. Not flashy, but effective. Outstanding defensively. Team missed him greatly in last two games when he was out with injuries. Hard worker and tough. One of eight seniors on OSC squad.

JOHN WITTE—LT, 6-2, 232, 23, Senior, Klamath Falls, Ore. Made more all-America first teams than any athlete in state of Oregon sports history. Won berth on INS as junior and made most of 'em as senior, including Collier's and Look magazines. Big, strong and fast. Coach Prothro said of Witte: "There may be better tackles, but I've never seen one." Other quotes: Lynn Waldorf of California. "He can do it all." Forest Evashevski, Iowa: "Rare blend of speed, power and aggressiveness. Can crash or hold ground on defense. Great blocker." Considered by many finest tackle ever to come out of Pacific Northwest.

ERNIE ZWAHLEN—LT, 6-1, 194, 21, Senior, Beaverton, Ore. Highly capable replacement for all-American John Witte. Lettered as fullback two years ago, but shifted to tackle last spring. Exceptional speed. Would have been even better but for troublesome injuries part of season. Handy man to have around.

1956 Game Summaries

Oregon State 19, Missouri 13
Sept. 22 at Columbia

Oregon State	6	6	7	0—19
Missouri	0	13	0	0—13

Oregon State got off to a winning 1956 at Columbia, but had to overcome a one-point deficit at half time to turn the trick. Rated one-touchdown underdogs at the game's outset, the Beavers drew first blood early in the game when Paul Lowe pounced on a Missouri fumble on the Tigers' 10. Lowe picked up five, and Sterling Hammack then rambled around end to score. Ted Searle missed the extra point. Missouri pounded back to score early in the second quarter, taking the kickoff on a 73-yard ride in an uninterrupted 10-play sequence. Charlie James scored on a pitchout and Charles Rash failed on the kick. Speedy Sam Wesley got OSC back in front on a 62-yard pass and run play from Joe Francis. Missouri went ahead for the only time in the game when Dave Doane passed to Hank Kuhlman in the end zone. John Stout toed the extra point and Missouri was ahead at half time, 13-12.

OSC won the game early in the third period with an impressive 60-yard drive in nine plays. Francis went over from the five off left tackle, and Wesley converted.

OSC		Missouri
190	Net yards rushing	240
72	Net yards passing	58
7	Passes attempted	16
2	Passes completed	5
11	Total first downs	14

Oregon State 13, Southern California 21
Sept. 28 at Los Angeles

Oregon State	7	0	6	0—13
Southern Cal	7	14	0	0—21

Oregon State made a game and gallant second-half comeback in an attempt to upset the powerful Trojans of USC. Jon Arnett, C. R. Roberts & Co. had stormed to a 21-7 halftime lead as 53,714 fans watched. The Beavers completely dominated proceedings in the final two periods, and late in the fourth quarter drove 74 yards from their own 24 to the USC two. Joe Francis fumbled at the two, which erased any OSC hopes of winning.

Arnett, best back to face the Beavers all year, scored two touchdowns for USC—on 10- and two-yard slashes. OSC managed to contain Roberts fairly well, holding the big fullback to 33 net yards in 11 carries, but Arnett wound up with 88 yards on 13 tries. Arnett also kicked all three extra points made by his team.

After USC had countered first, Oregon State boomed back with a drive of its own, with Francis finally bowling over from the one. Frank Hall went 12 yards for the second Trojan TD. Paul Lowe passed 32 yards to Frank

Negri to set up the final Orange touchdown, with Lowe carrying it across from the four. Ted Searle's point try was wide.

Oregon State suffered a costly blow just before game time when it was learned that prize wingback Sam Wesley was ineligible to play. His replacement, sophomore Earnel Durden, stepped in and did a top-notch job, gaining 71 yards in eight carries.

OSC		USC
209	Net yards rushing	175
86	Net yards passing	106
9	Passes attempted	8
7	Passes completed	7
18	Total first downs	15

Oregon State 13, Iowa 14
Oct. 6 at Iowa City

Oregon State	6	0	7	0—13
Iowa	0	0	0	14—14

Iowa, trailing 13-0 at the end of the third quarter, rallied in the final period with a pair of quick touchdown thrusts to whip Oregon State, 14-13, before 41,027 spectators at Iowa City. Oregon State took advantage of an early break and scored a touchdown on the second scrimmage play of the game. Don Dobrino of Iowa returned the opening kickoff 29 yards to the Iowa 31-yard line, where he fumbled when tackled. Tom Berry recovered for OSC. Tailback Joe Francis gained a yard on a running play and then whipped a perfect 30-yard pass to wingback Earnel Durden. The latter grabbed the ball on the 10 and went into the end zone unmolested. Ted Searle's conversion try was blocked.

Iowa threatened seriously later in the first quarter, recovering an OSC fumble on the Beaver 16. Two plays later, the Hawkeyes returned the favor. John Nocera fumbled and Jim Brackins recovered for Oregon State on the Beaver nine. A pass interception by 29-yard return by Searle put OSC in a threatening position midway in the second quarter, but the Beavers failed to capitalize on the opportunity.

Oregon State stretched its lead to 13-0 halfway through the third quarter when sub tailback Paul Lowe shook loose for a 49-yard touchdown run and Searle kicked the extra point. Iowa went ahead 14-13 on two quick touchdowns and conversions early in the fourth quarter. The Hawkeyes got their first score on a fourth-down, five-yard pass play from Nocero to end Frank Gilliam in the end zone. Nocero had taken a pitchout from quarterback Randy Duncan and completely fooled the Beavers. Bob Prescott converted and OSC was still out in front, 13-7, with about 12 minutes left to play.

On the kickoff following that TD, Durden fumbled after returning the ball to the OSC 30 and tackle Dick Klein of Iowa recovered. The hopped-up Hawkeyes then needed just three plays to score. After missing his mark on a long toss, Duncan then fired a pass to Gilliam, who was

unguarded in the end zone. With everything riding on the conversion try, Prescott booted the ball squarely between the uprights, and Iowa was out in front for the first time in the game, 14-13.

With just seconds remaining and the Beavers owning the ball on their own 35, they almost snatched victory from defeat. Lowe drilled a short pass to Sterling Hammack, and Hammack sprinted 49 yards to the Iowa 28 before he was nailed. There wasn't time left for another play, however, and the gun sounded with the Hawkeyes winning by a scant one-point margin.

Little then did anyone dream that several months later those same two clubs would be together again in the Rose Bowl's first rematch in history!

(Ed. Note: Because of the later importance of this game, we're including complete individual and team statistics herewith.)

	IOWA	OSC
First downs	15	9
By rushing	11	6
By passing	4	3
Rushing plays	59	34
Yards gained rushing	226	158
Yards lost rushing	21	19
Net gain rushing	205	139
Forward passes	4-14	5-9
Number intercepted	2	3
Total net yards gained	271	236
Punts	5-37	6-34
Fumbles	3	2
Ball lost	3	2
Penalties	5	8
Yards penalized	35	78

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Iowa Rushing	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net
Dobrino	11	45	1	44
Happel	13	49	3	46
Harris	13	57	2	55
Duncan	1	0	8	-8
Kloewer	1	3	0	3
Hagler	5	12	0	12
Nocera	11	37	6	31
Veit	3	23	0	23
Gravel	1	0	1	1

Iowa Passing	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Yds.
Ploen	3	0	1	0
Duncan	7	3	1	56
Veit	3	0	0	0
Nocera	1	1	0	10

OSC Rushing	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net
Francis	11	32	8	24
Durden	1	0	0	0
Berry	13	43	1	42
Lowe	9	83	10	73

OSC Passing	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Yds.
Francis	6	3	2	45
Lowe	3	2	1	52

Punting	No.	Yds.
Harris	3	35.0
Nocera	2	39.0
Francis	4	35.0
Searle	2	35.0

Iowa Receiving	No.	Yds.
Gibbons	2	44
Gilliam	1	10
Dobrino	1	12

OSC Receiving	No.	Yds.
Durden	1	30
Fournier	1	3
Thiel	1	10
DeGrant	1	5
Hammack	1	49

Oregon State 21, California 13
Oct. 13 at Corvallis

Oregon State	0	0	7	14—21
California	6	7	0	0—13

Playing before a large western regional television audience, the Beavers proved their prowess as a second-half team against California, pushing across three touchdowns and three conversions to overcome a 13-0 halftime Cal lead.

Cal's first TD came on the closing play of the first quarter, after OSC had missed on a field goal attempt from the enemy 14. Earlier, Oregon State's Paul Lowe had romped 75 yards to a touchdown the first time he got the ball, only to have the play nullified because of a penalty. Cal, en route to six points, went 64 yards in seven plays. Jack Hart traveled the final seven yards to score. Max Hale missed the extra point.

The Bears pushed this margin to 13-0 late in the second period by rolling 65 yards, again in seven plays. Hart caught a pass from Joe Contestible in the end zone, and this time Hale's kick was good. Lowe raced 30 yards early in the third quarter to get the Beavers back in the ball game, with Clarke's conversion good. Early in the fourth quarter, Oregon State went 40 yards in six plays, with Tom Berry plunging across from the two to make it 13 all. Clarke converted, and OSC was in front, 14-13. Oregon State scored again just before the gun sounded, as Lowe cracked into pay dirt from the four after a 51-yard march. Clarke again converted.

OSC		California
279	**Net yards rushing**	72
76	**Net yards passing**	144
11	**Passes attempted**	21
8	**Passes completed**	12
23	**Total first downs**	11

Oregon State 21, Washington State 0
Oct. 20 at Pullman

Oregon State	7	0	7	7—21
Washington State	0	0	0	0— 0

Sophomore Earnel Durden scored two touchdowns and set up another with a 30-yard fourth quarter run to give the Beavers a 21-0 victory over Jim Sutherland's pass-happy Washington State Cougars at Pullman. Washington State threatened only twice, and its vaunted aerial game didn't click consistently, even though the Cougars rolled up 219 yards in the air.

The Beavers were anything but impressive in winning, and got their first TD early as the result of a fumble by Chuck Morrell on the opening kickoff that gave OSC possession on the Cougar 25. Oregon State was held for downs on the one that time, but bounced back soon thereafter, sending Earnel Durden into the end zone on a seven-yard reverse. John Clarke's point try was good.

Oregon State didn't score again until the third period, when Durden again broke loose on a reverse play and went 28 yards to a TD, with Clarke again converting. Sophomore fullback Nub Beamer boomed across from the four, as Oregon State countered again in the final period after another fine Durden run. Clarke converted.

Oregon State recovered one WSC fumble in the end zone, thus narrowly averting a Cougar score.

Oregon State		Wash. State
257	Net yards rushing	107
30	Net yards passing	219
5	Passes attempted	34
3	Passes completed	17
18	Total first downs	16

Oregon State 21, UCLA 7
Oct. 27 at Corvallis

Oregon State	0	14	0	7—21
UCLA	7	0	0	0— 7

It was a happy homecoming for 17,080 fans at Parker stadium, as Oregon State whipped the UCLA Bruins for the first time since 1948. UCLA drew first blood, with a 62-yard march to a TD in eight plays, with Barry Billington carrying the final 12 yards. Don Duncan converted, making it 7-0. The Beavers zoomed back with a pair of sizzling touchdown drives in the second period. Again it was little Earnel Durden who placed his team back in contention, as he went 51 yards on a reverse to the UCLA 24. Paul Lowe then passed to Bob DeGrant on the one, and Tom Berry carried it across from there, with John Clarke kicking the extra point.

With 4:25 remaining in the first half, the Beavers moved the ball 58 yards in 14 plays to score again. Lowe, Berry and Durden alternated chores, with Berry making the TD from the six-inch line. Clarke converted. Neither team scored in the third period, but OSC made another "in-

surance" score in the final stanza. This time the Beavers went 78 yards in 15 plays, with Berry again booming across for the score from the one.

This proved to be one of Oregon State's best performances of the season — both offensively and defensively. After the game, Coach Red Sanders of UCLA said: "We were completely outplayed in every department by a superior football team." Last time previously OSC had defeated UCLA was in Los Angeles in 1948, when Lon Stiner's last Beaver team whipped the Bruins, 28-0.

OSC		UCLA
306	Net yards rushing	147
30	Net yards passing	29
7	Passes attempted	12
2	Passes completed	5
16	Total first downs	10

Oregon State 28, Washington 20
Nov. 3 at Portland

Oregon State	14	0	7	7—28
Washington	0	7	6	7—20

One of the largest crowds for an Oregon State game in Portland in years — 32,890 sun-baked fans — watched as the fired-up Beavers grabbed an early lead against Washington and maintained it throughout in posting a 28-20 victory.

Oregon State took the opening kickoff and methodically marched 83 yards in 16 plays for the first touchdown. With Joe Francis, Earnel Durden and Tom Berry eating up huge chunks of yardage, OSC stayed on the ground and finally sent Berry across from the one.

A Washington fumble gave OSC its second chance to score in the first stanza. Dwayne Fournier pounced on Talbot George's fumble on the Washington seven. A penalty placed OSC back, but Francis then fired a perfect pitch to Durden on the one and Durden stepped into the end zone. This time Francis carried across for the extra point, after Clarke had successfully kicked the first PAT.

Washington, in the second quarter, marched 58 yards in 10 plays to a TD, with Jim Thomas scoring on an eight-yard pitchout around end and George converted. First time OSC got the ball in the third quarter, the Beavers charged 75 yards in 14 plays, with Durden getting the final four yards on a reverse around right end. Washington countered with a long pass from George to Mike McCluskey. The latter grabbed the ball on the OSC 35 and sped the rest of the way. Oregon State's final TD came when Frank Negri recovered a Husky fumble on the OSC at 45. Three plays picked up 11 yards, and then Durden danced down the west sidelines 44 yards to score. Clarke made all of his conversion tries over the course of the afternoon.

Oregon State		Washington
287	Net yards rushing	246
48	Net yards passing	65
4	Passes attempted	6
3	Passes completed	1
18	Total first downs	16

Oregon State 20, Stanford 19
Nov. 10 at Palo Alto

Oregon State	7	0	0	13—20
Stanford	0	12	7	0—19

The smell of Roses was evident here — both on the playing field and in the stands — as Oregon State came from behind with two last-quarter touchdowns to nip the Stanford Indians, 20-19, in one of the top thrillers of the year. A crowd of 65,000, largest ever to watch an Oregon State College football team play, sat in on the proceedings on a warm, sunny afternoon at Palo Alto.

Two successful conversions by sophomore John Clarke ultimately proved to be the margin of victory, although in the final analysis it was the driving ground power of the Beavers that turned the trick. OSC lost little time striking the first blow of the game. With elusive Earnel Durden running wild on reverses, the Beavers roared 62 yards to a touchdown on eight plays the first time they had their hands on the ball. OSC didn't pass once on the drive, with Joe Francis finally going across to the TD from the three.

Stanford scored on the first play of the second period when Lou Valli ran off tackle from three yards out. Doug Dick's failure to convert left OSC in front, 7-6. The Indians boomed right back with another TD, going 80 yards in eight plays—mostly on the passing arm of John Brodie. Brodie himself carried for a TD from the three, after a 27-yard pass had set it up. In the third quarter, Stanford moved in front by two TD's, as Gordy Young took a pitchout and went four yards to score. This time Brodie passed to Carl Isaacs for the point — Dick had missed both previously kicking.

Durden got the Beavers back into the thick of it with a beautiful 59-yard run after catching a pass from Paul Lowe. Lowe then went nine yards to score and Clarke again converted, making it Stanford 19, OSC 14. When Tom Berry intercepted Brodie's pass, OSC then went 51 yards to score again. Francis passed 21 yards to Negri on the goal line and then missed the conversion try himself.

OSC		Stanford
239	Net yards rushing	162
91	Net yards passing	223
8	Passes attempted	32
3	Passes completed	19
16	Total first downs	20

Oregon State 14, Idaho 10
Nov. 17 at Moscow

Oregon State	0	7	0	7—14
Idaho	7	0	0	3—10

Playing in freezing, windy weather at Moscow, Oregon State barely escaped a defeat at the hands of a fired-up Idaho team. The Beavers, trailing 10-7, going into the final three minutes, struck for 60 yards on a pass from Paul Lowe to Earnel Durden and then put over the winning touchdown from the five on a fourth down run by Lowe.

The OSC victory clinched the Rose Bowl berth for the Beavers, shaky though it was. It marked the fifth time in the 1956 season that Oregon State had come from behind to win. The Vandals had taken an early 7-0 lead in the first quarter when Len Clark grabbed an OSC fumble on the second play of the game on the OSC 35. In five plays, Idaho scored, with John Norby carrying across from the four. Jerry Kramer's conversion was good.

Oregon State evened matters in the second period as the result of Buzz Randall blocking an Idaho punt. Tom Berry pushed across from the one and John Clarke converted. Midway in the fourth quarter, Kramer put Idaho ahead with a 35-yard field goal. Then came the winning 60-yard drive by OSC that turned defeat into victory, and Clarke again converted after the TD.

OSC		Idaho
75	Net yards rushing	154
65	Net yards passing	55
7	Passes attempted	14
2	Passes completed	6
4	Total first downs	15

Oregon State 14, Oregon 14
Nov. 22 at Corvallis

Oregon State	0	7	0	7—14
Oregon	0	0	7	7—14

University of Oregon, Oregon State's traditional rival dating back to 1894, pushed across a touchdown in the closing minute of the game to tie the Rose Bowl bound Beavers, 14-14, on Thanksgiving day before a regional television audience estimated at 30 million people.

Oregon State scored first, on the sixth play of the second period, climaxing a 38-yard drive in 10 plays. Key maneuver on this outburst was supplied by elusive Earnel Durden, who caught a pass thrown by Joe Francis and zigzagged his way to the Oregon 18. Tom Berry finally crashed across for the score, with John Clarke converting.

Oregon recovered an OSC fumble midway in the third quarter on the Beaver 36. The Ducks then moved to the five on a pass play, from where Jim Shanley took it over. Jack Morris converted. Oregon State went 89 yards in 13 plays for its next TD, with Sterling Hammack scampering 23 yards on a reverse for the score. Clarke again converted. The Ducks, with a little over a minute remaining, scored on a pass from Tom Crabtree to Morris. The latter took the ball on the five and raced into the end zone and then converted. Oregon State tried desperately to score in the closing seconds, and wound up on the Duck 34-yard line as the gun sounded.

OSC		Oregon
166	Net yards rushing	140
75	Net yards passing	66
8	Passes attempted	8
5	Passes completed	5
15	Total first downs	12

Individual Statistics

RUSHING	TCB	YG	YL	NYG	Avg.	TD
Durden, wb	71	540	32	508	7.2	4
Berry, fb	139	517	30	487	3.5	7
Lowe, tb	113	536	129	407	3.6	6
Francis, tb	115	462	88	374	3.2	3
Beamer, fb	35	172	8	164	4.7	1
Hammack, wb	19	107	0	107	5.6	2
Wesley, wb	5	63	0	63	10.6	
Arana, tb	11	40	4	36	3.3	
Milum, fb	5	8	3	5	1.0	
Marsh, wb	1	2	0	2	2.0	
Searle, qb	1	0	11	-11	-11.0	
Team	515	2447	305	2142	214.2	23
Opponents	481	1895	246	1649	164.9	13

PASSING	PA	PC	PI	YDS.	PCT.	TD
Francis, tb	48	27	5	377	.562	4
Lowe, tb	26	13	3	293	.500	
Arana, tb	1	0	0	0	.000	
Team	75	40	8	670	.533	4
Opponents	165	81	12	1026	.491	6

TOTAL OFF.	Plays	NYR	NYP	TNY	TD	Avg.
Francis, tb	163	374	377	751	7	75.1
Lowe, tb	139	407	293	700	6	70.1
Durden, wb	71	508	0	508	4	56.4
Berry, fb	139	487	0	487	7	48.7
Others	78	366	0	366	3	36.6
Team	590	2142	670	2812	27	281.2
Opponents	646	1649	1026	2675	19	267.5

SCORING	TD	Att	Made	FG	Total
Berry, fb	7	1	1		43
Durden, wb	6				36
Lowe, tb	6				36
Francis, tb	3	2	1		19
Clarke, e		16	16		16
Hammack, wb	2				12
Wesley, wb	1	2	1		7
Beamer, fb	1				6
Negri, e	1				6
Searle, qb		5	2		2
Arana, tb		1	1		1
Team	27	27	22	0	184
Opponents	19	19	14	1	131

PUNTING	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	Blkd.
Lowe, tb	1	61	61.0	
Searle, qb	5	187	37.4	
Arana, tb.	8	294	36.8	
Francis, tb	34	1177	34.5	
Team	48	1719	35.7	0
Opponents	46	1650	35.9	1

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD
DeGrant, e	10	105	
Negri, e	8	113	1
Durden, wb	6	205	2
Fournier, e	5	57	
Thiel, e	5	43	
Hammack, wb	3	66	
Wesley, wb	2	72	1
Marsh, wb	1	9	

INTERCEPTION RETURNS	NO.	YDS.	TD
Berry, fb	3	2	
DeGrant, e	2	10	
Randall, c	2	8	
Searle, qb	1	29	
Marsh, wb	1	25	
Beamer, fb	1	16	
Francis, tb	1	5	
Lukehart, qb	1	0	
Team	12	95	0
Opponents	8	41	0

FUMBLES	NO.	LOST
Oregon State	34	20
Opponents	27	19

PENALTIES	NO.	YDS.	AVG. GAME
Oregon State	72	732	73.2
Opponents	51	426	42.6

FIRST DOWNS	RUSH	PASS	PEN.	Total
Oregon State	122	21	5	148
Opponents	95	43	6	144

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Oregon State	48	34	47	55
Opponents	33	47	20	31

PUNT RETURNS	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD
Hammack, wb	13	110	8.5	
Francis, tb	4	36	9.0	
Wesley, wb	2	6	3.0	
Marsh, wb	1	16	16.0	
Lowe, tb	1	14	14.0	
Team	21	182	8.7	0
Opponents	17	109	6.4	0

KICKOFF RETURNS	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD
Durden, wb	6	156	26.0	
Berry, fb	5	103	20.6	
Francis, tb	4	52	13.0	
Hammack, wb	3	69	23.0	
Lowe, tb	3	62	20.7	
Beamer, fb	2	22	11.0	
DeGrant, e	1	13	13.0	
Negri, e	1	9	9.0	
Thiel, e	1	8	8.0	
Team	26	495	19.0	0
Opponents	33	603	18.3	0

ROY S. (SPEC) KEENE
Athletic Director

Administrator of Oregon State fast-expanding athletic program is Roy S. (Spec) Keene, a man whose life has revolved around athletics and a man of whom the state and school can well be proud.

Keene was student body president at Oregon State in his undergraduate days and became head coach at Corvallis high following graduation. His next step up was to that of assistant coach for the Beavers, where he remained until 1926.

It was then that Keene became head football coach at Willamette University in Salem, Ore., where he also was athletic director. His Willamette teams completely dominated the Northwest conference for 15 years and many of his players were named to little all-America squads. Willamette, under Keene, became the strongest small-college team in the Pacific Northwest.

Keene served as a lieutenant-commander in the Navy in World War II, and also had served overseas with the army in World War I. In 1947, he replaced Percy Locey as athletic director at his alma mater, where he has been on the job ever since.

Under Keene's able guidance, Oregon State built a beautiful basketball Coliseum that seats 11,000 and is considered the finest in the west. Just three years ago, again under Keene's direction, the Beavers completed work on a new football stadium that can accommodate 27,000.

Coaching Staff

TOMMY PROTHRO
OSC Head Football Coach

He took a team that was mired deeply in the Pacific Coast conference cellar and in two short years had that same team smack in the Rose Bowl — that's the fantastically true story of Coach Tommy Prothro and what he's done for Oregon State football.

Corvallis citizens were happy enough in 1955, Tommy's first season as headman, when he led a last-place club into the runner-up spot right behind UCLA. That was a miracle in itself, and many skeptics pointed out it couldn't happen again. Certainly no one picked Oregon State to finish among the top two or three teams of the 1956 PCC race.

It's all history now, and centers squarely on the broad shoulders of J. Thompson Prothro, Jr., a man whose name always has been synonomous with success. The Beavers are Pacific Coast conference champions—undisputed titlists of the far west — and Tommy Prothro has a team in the Rose Bowl. Few coaches in football history have accomplished such a great feat in such a short time.

Prothro's sports background dates back to his high school days in Memphis, Tenn., where he competed in football, basketball and track for Central high, in the years 1934, 1935 and 1936. He participated in all those sports at Riverside Military Academy in 1936, 1937 and 1938. At Duke University, in Durham, N. C., he was a first-string blocking quarterback under Wallace Wade.

Tommy received the Jacobs award as the best blocker in the south and the Mills award for being the best blocker in the east. He played against Oregon State in the "transplanted" Rose Bowl game of January 1, 1942, at Durham, when the Beavers upset the Blue Devils, 20-16.

Prothro also participated in baseball and lacrosse at Duke from 1938 through 1942. In 1942, he joined the navy and in 1945 was discharged as a lieutenant. Prothro coached the Vanderbilt University "B" squad in 1946, and in 1947 became backfield coach under Red Sanders at Vanderbilt. Even before entering the service, Prothro had a touch of coaching when he served as line mentor at Western Kentucky.

Tommy went with Sanders to UCLA in 1949 as backfield coach and remained there until he moved to OSC as headman prior to the 1955 season. In 1955, the Beavers placed second behind Sanders & Co., and Prothro's Beavers trimmed the Bruins, 21-7, this fall, en route to a PCC crown.

Prothro is the son of the well-known baseball figure, "Doc" Prothro, who at one time managed the Philadelphia Phillies and many other minor league clubs. The elder Prothro is now semi-retired in Memphis. Tommy also is a nephew of General Clifton B. Cates, former commandant of the U.S. Marine Corps. He was married a year ago last summer to the former Shirley Seagle of Memphis. Tommy is 36 years of age.

CLAY STAPLETON
First Assistant Coach

It pays to have men on your staff who know the system you teach thoroughly, and certainly one to qualify under those conditions is Clay "Stud" Stapleton, Tommy Prothro's first assistant coach.

Stapleton played single-wing football under General Bob Neyland at Tennessee in 1941, 1946 and 1947 and was a member of the Orange Bowl squad of January 1, 1947. Clay was a guard under Neyland and considered one of the best in the south, and it was then that he first became acquainted with Prothro, a man who later was to have a direct bearing on his professional career.

While in the navy during World War II, Stapleton was a Chief Aviation Metalsmith. After discharge, he became line coach for five years under Phil Dickens at Wofford College in Spartanburg, S.C. He moved to the University of Wyoming with Dickens as line mentor, where he served until he came to OSC in time for the 1955 campaign.

Stapleton is married to the former Edith Tucker and they have no children. The same age as Prothro, he is 36.

BOB ZELINKA
Line Coach

Every football staff needs a "zip" man, a fellow who'll keep everyone hustling with his chatter and enthusiasm. Such an assistant is Bob "Tiger" Zelinka, who Red Sanders at UCLA once called "the finest coaching prospect to attend UCLA since I've been here."

Zelinka attended high school in Los Angeles, where he was a line star, and later wound up at Santa Ana junior college before transferring to UCLA. He was a varsity

player for the Bruins in 1950 and 1951, graduating in 1952. Zelinka assisted with 1952 spring practice at UCLA and coached the line for San Diego Navy in 1953 and 1954. He then returned to UCLA as freshman line coach, prior to coming to OSC with Prothro in 1955. At 27, he is the youngest member of the OSC coaching staff.

BOB WATSON
Backfield Coach

The name Bob Watson is one well known and distinguished in state of Oregon athletic circles. One of the all-time greats ever to come out of Medford high school in Southern Oregon, Watson swept all-state honors in both football and basketball in 1946.

Sought after by dozens of schools, Watson finally decided to enroll at UCLA, where he played three seasons of varsity football — both as end and backfield star. He graduated from UCLA in 1951 and assisted with spring practice when free from his job in a metropolitan firm.

Like all the other Prothro aides, Watson is an excellent scout, and his scouting reports helped the Beavers out of more than one hole this past season. He long has been familiar with single-wing football. Bob is married and the father of two children.

DICK TWENGE
Assistant Coach

Ask any Oregon State football follower about Dick Twenge, and he'll come up with some glowing answers. Twenge was a blockbusting fullback at OSC from 1946 through 1949, winning four varsity letters, and generally is considered one of the hardest-hitting ball-toters ever to wear the orange and black.

Twenge was a prep star at Newberg high school, south of Portland. He served in the navy in World War II, and came to OSC in the fall of 1946. The husky redhead, now 29, first coached at Tigard high school in Oregon, and later at Corvallis high, where he compiled outstanding won and lost records.

He joined Kip Taylor's staff as freshman coach in 1954 and was retained by Prothro when Tommy took over. Dick is married, the father of three children.

JOHN THOMAS
Assistant Coach

Newest member of the OSC coaching fraternity is big and able John Thomas, one of the best ends ever to play for the Beavers. John played football at OSC from 1949 through 1951, serving as captain of the team one year, and ranking as one of the top ends on the coast.

Thomas, 27, came to OSC from St. Benedicts prep near Newark, N.J. He won three letters in football, and as a sophomore was named most valuable player on the squad. As a catcher in baseball, he gained three awards and won all-coast honors in both sports.

Following graduation from OSC, Thomas served in the Air Force in Japan, where he gained valuable coaching experience and at the same time played both football and baseball. He was all-service in both sports. Thomas is single.

59 Years of OSC Football

Year	Name of Coach	Won	Lost	Tied	Points	Against
1893	Bill Bloss	4	1	0	144	48
1894	Kennedy	2	1	0	52	22
1895	Paul Downing	0	2	1	6	80
1896	Tommy Code	0	2	0	4	10
1897	Bill Bloss	2	0	0	42	8
1898	No Coach	1	2	1	36	78
1902	Frank Herbold	4	1	1	158	16
1903	McFadden	2	4	1	21	62
1904	Dr. Steckle	4	2	0	119	22
1905	Dr. Steckle	6	3	0	166	28
1906	F. S. Norcross	4	1	2	77	4
1907	F. S. Norcross	6	0	0	137	0
1908	F. S. Norcross	4	3	1	83	51
1909	Sol S. Metzger	4	2	1	54	47
1910	C. H. Schildmiller	3	2	1	27	43
1911	Sam Dolan	5	2	0	119	49
1912	Sam Dolan	3	4	0	57	40
1913	E. J. Stewart	3	2	3	59	75
1914	E. J. Stewart	7	0	2	172	15
1915	E. J. Stewart	5	3	0	166	73
1916	Joseph Pipal	4	5	0	94	112
1917	Joseph Pipal	4	2	1	83	33
1918	W. H. Hargiss	2	4	0	33	46
1919	W. H. Hargiss	4	4	1	143	64
1920	R. B. Rutherford	2	2	2	20	52
1921	R. B. Rutherford	4	3	1	231	42
1922	R. B. Rutherford	3	4	0	44	42
1923	R. B. Rutherford	4	5	2	55	71
1924	Paul J. Schissler	3	5	0	71	85
1925	Paul J. Schissler	7	2	0	268	81
1926	Paul J. Schissler	7	1	0	221	30
1927	Paul J. Schissler	3	3	1	98	78
1928	Paul J. Schissler	6	3	0	206	53
1929	Paul J. Schissler	5	4	0	182	106
1930	Paul J. Schissler	7	3	0	208	60
1931	Paul J. Schissler	6	3	1	198	62
1932	Paul J. Schissler	4	6	0	130	109
1933	Lon Stiner	6	2	2	88	48
1934	Lon Stiner	3	6	1	105	131
1935	Lon Stiner	6	4	1	175	100
1936	Lon Stiner	4	6	0	116	151
1937	Lon Stiner	3	3	3	71	60
1938	Lon Stiner	5	3	1	72	51
1939	Lon Stiner	9	1	1	186	77
1940	Lon Stiner	5	3	1	128	80
1941	Lon Stiner	8	2	0	143	49
1942	Lon Stiner	4	5	1	157	141
1943-44	No Team (wartime)					
1945	Lon Stiner	4	4	1	100	131
1946	Lon Stiner	7	1	1	157	81
1947	Lon Stiner	5	5	0	171	136
1948	Lon Stiner	5	4	3	249	237
1949	Kip Taylor	7	3	0	232	188
1950	Kip Taylor	3	6	0	107	183
1951	Kip Taylor	4	6	0	208	180
1952	Kip Taylor	2	7	0	123	267
1953	Kip Taylor	3	6	0	39	187
1954	Kip Taylor	1	8	0	60	296
1955	Tommy Prothro	6	3	0	126	120
1956	Tommy Prothro	7	2	1	184	131
Totals	.....	*250*	*186*	*40*	*6965*	*4810*

Team Statistics

	IOWA (9 games)	OSC (10 games)
RUSHING OFFENSE		
No. of running plays	452	515
Net yardage rushing	2073	2142
Average gain per play	4.5	4.6
PASSING OFFENSE		
Passes attempted	103	75
Passes completed	41	40
Passes had intercepted	6	8
Pct. passes completed	.400	.533
Touchdown passes	8	4
Net yardage passing	475	670
Average gain per play	4.6	8.9
TOTAL OFFENSE		
No. of offensive plays	555	590
Net yardage gained	2548	2812
Average gain per play	4.5	4.8
FIRST DOWNS		
Total No. of first downs	133	148
First downs rushing	103	122
First downs passing	25	21
First downs penalties	5	5
PUNTING		
No. of punts	41	48
Total yardage punts	1431	1719
Average per punt	34.9	35.7
Yards punts returned	108	182
INTERCEPTIONS		
Opponents' passes intercepted	15	12
Pct. of opponents' passes intercepted	10.8%	7.3%
Yards returned interceptions	191	95
FUMBLES		
Total fumbles	22	34
Own fumbles recovered	8	14
Ball lost on fumbles	14	20
PUNT RETURNS		
No. punts returned	23	21
Yardage punt returns	275	182
Average per return	12	8.7
KICKOFF RETURNS		
No. of kickoff returns	18	26
Yardage kickoff returns	649	495
Average yardage per return	36	19.0
RUSHING DEFENSE		
Opponents' running plays	430	481
Opponents' net yardage rushing	1285	1649
Opponents' average gain	2.9	3.4

Team Statistics

	IOWA (9 games)	OSC (10 games)
PASSING DEFENSE		
Opponents' passes attempted	139	165
Opponents' passes completed	64	81
Opponents' passes intercepted	15	12
Opponents' pct. passes completed	46.7%	49.1%
Opponents' net gain passing	783	1026
Opponents' average gain, pass play	5.6	6.2
TOTAL DEFENSE		
Opponents' offensive plays	569	646
Opponents' total net gain	2068	2675
Opponents' average gain	3.6	4.2
OPPONENTS' FIRST DOWNS		
Total No. of first downs	111	144
First downs rushing	76	95
First downs passing	32	43
First downs penalties	3	6
OPPONENTS' PUNTING		
No. of punts	49	46
Total yardage punts	1690	1650
Average per punt	34.5	35.9
Yards punts returned	108	109
OPPONENTS' INTERCEPTIONS		
Passes intercepted	6	8
Pct. of passes intercepted	5.7%	10.6%
Yards returned interceptions	77	41
OPPONENTS' FUMBLES		
Total fumbles	23	27
Own fumbles recovered	10	8
Ball lost on fumbles	13	19
PENALTIES		
No. of penalties against	34	72
Yards lost on penalties	277	732
No. of penalties against opponents	43	51
Opponents' yards lost, penalties	416	426
TOTAL YARDAGE GAINED		
Total yards gained (rushing, passing, pass interception returns, punt returns, kickoff returns)	3388	3384
Total yards gained, opponents	2823	3428
SCORING		
Touchdowns	27	27
Conversions made	22	22
Field goals	0	0
Safeties	0	0
Total points scored	184	184
Total points scored against	65	131

Honors Won by Hawkeyes in 1956

Alex Karras, tackle—Look Magazine, NBC all-American; NEA, UP all-American second team; INS all-Big Ten first team; AP all-American first team.

Kenneth Ploen, quarterback—INS all-Big Ten first team; NBC all-American first team; AP all-American second team.

Frank Gilliam, end—NEA all-American second team.

Don Suchy, center—INS all-Big Ten first team.

(NOTE: Various other "all" teams had not been announced when this copy was prepared Nov. 29.)

Honors Won by Beavers in 1956

John Witte, tackle — Collier's Magazine first team all-American; Look Magazine first team all-American; United Press first team all-American; INS first team all-American; NEA first team all-American; NBC first team all-American; All-Fraternity first team all-American; Every all-coast team; AP all-American first team.

Earnel Durden, half—INS second team all-American; INS first team all-coast; AP first team all-coast.

Paul Lowe, half—UP second team all-coast; INS second team all-coast.

Vern Ellison, guard—INS second team all-coast.

Dave Jesmer, tackle—INS second team all-coast.

Dick Corrick, center—UP second team all-coast.

Joe Francis, half—AP & UP second team all-coast.

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State University of Iowa

Founded — 1847 by the State of Iowa

Enrollment — 9,901

President — Virgil M. Hancher

Stadium — Iowa Stadium, 58,400 capacity

Colors — Gold and Black

Nickname — Hawkeyes

Founded less than two months after Iowa became a state 100 years ago lost Friday (Dec. 28), the State University of Iowa is located in Iowa City, its 700-acre campus bisected by the gently winding Iowa River.

One of many unique features of this Iowa center of teaching, research and service is that its central administration building originally served the state as a seat of government. The political center moved west to Des Moines in 1857, leaving Old Capitol—to this day one of the state's most beautiful structures in its pioneer simplicity—to become the administrative center of the University of Iowa and sentimental symbol for generations of Iowa alumni.

From its frontier beginnings, "SUI" has grown into a major university with a total of 9,901 students enrolled this past fall in its 10 colleges—Liberal Arts, Law, Commerce, Education, Medicine, Nursing, Dentistry, Engineering, Pharmacy and Graduate—and four schools: Fine Arts, Journalism, Religion and Social Work.

These academic divisions are staffed by a distinguished faculty. In one recent year, for instance, five Iowa educators served as the chief elected officials of national organizations: the American Council on Education, the American Alumni Council, the American Congress of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, the American Society for Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics, and the National Council of Teachers of English.

Though the far-sighted pioneers who created the State University of Iowa thought of it primarily as a means of bringing higher education and a better way of life into all of the Hawkeye State's 99 counties, SUI has grown to national and international influence in the advancement and dissemination of knowledge. Thirty-four Iowa alumni, for instance, are currently continuing this influence as presidents of American colleges and universities.

In its early years SUI pioneered among the state universities of the Midwest in coeducation—and pronounced the experiment of educating young women along with young men as successful. Thirty years ago SUI experimented in the principle of interfaith teaching—and the popular and influential Iowa School of Religion is today a widely copied result of this modern pioneering on the frontiers of knowledge.

The nation's first Institute of Agricultural Medicine, a clearinghouse of professional service and research for the betterment of farm health, was established in 1955 at the University Medical Center. Similar recent creations include the Institute of Gerontology, concerned with problems of the increasing numbers of older persons, and the Agricultural Law Center, which combines resources of the Iowa college of law, Iowa State College and the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Designed and built on the campus, an "electronic brain" scores, computes and reports on the nationally used Iowa Tests of Basic Skills and Iowa Tests of Educational Development at the rate of some 1,400 tests per minute, an installation unequaled anywhere in the world. Iowa physicists play a prominent role in current cosmic ray research in the upper atmosphere—from Greenland to the Equator—and in preparations for the earth satellite program for 1958.

Research in these departments and in such other University units as the Iowa Child Welfare Research Station, the Radiation Research Laboratory, the Iowa Institute of Hydraulic Research and the Iowa Speech Clinic, for instance, continues to bring leaders from around the world to "see how it is done" at Iowa. And from such a stimulating atmosphere, where the accumulated wisdom of past centuries blends with a continual search for new knowledge, the State University of Iowa's 53,153 known living alumni have gone forth to fulfill their responsibilities as citizens of today's rapidly changing world.

Iowa, member of the Western Conference (Big Ten) since Dec. 1, 1899, annually presents teams in eleven intercollegiate sports. Many of them finish in the top ranks of the league and often the Hawkeyes are high-ranked nationally.

For example, in 1956, Iowa won its second straight conference basketball title, was second in the National Collegiate tournament, won the first Big Ten football championship in 34 years and finished in runner-up spots in indoor and outdoor track, wrestling and third or fourth in swimming, gymnastics and fencing. Wrestling and swimming teams were fourth in the National Collegiate title meets.

Iowa athletic facilities are excellent. The field house can accommodate 16,000 for basketball and has one of the finest swimming pools in the nation as well as athletic office and training facilities. Iowa Stadium was enlarged to seat 58,400 this year and the university has a fine new 18-hole golf course.

All-American Selections

These players were named as first team all-Americans on one or more teams having national recognition:

Fred (Duke) Slater, t, 1921
Aubrey Devine, qb, 1921
Gordon Locke, qb, 1922
Willis Glassgow, hb, 1929
Francis Schammel, g, 1933
Nile Kinnick, hb, 1939
Jerry Hilgenberg, c, 1953
Calvin Jones, g, 1954, 1955
Alex Karras, t, 1956

Iowa's All-time Record Against PCC Teams

1925—Southern California 18	Iowa	0
1937—Washington 14	Iowa	0
1938—UCLA 27	Iowa	3
1947—UCLA 22	Iowa	7
1949—UCLA 41	Iowa	25
Iowa 34	Oregon	31
1950—Iowa 20	Southern California	14
1953—Iowa 54	Washington State	12
1955—UCLA 33	Iowa	13
1956—Iowa 14	Oregon State	13

Wins—Iowa 4, PCC 6

1956 IOWA ALPHABETICAL FOOTBALL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Wt.	Ht.	Age	Class	Home Town
78	Ahlgren, Don	RE	200	6-2	26	Sr.	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
64	*Bloomquist, Frank	LG	205	6-2	20	Jr.	Waterloo, Iowa
63	*Bowen, Don	LG	198	6-2	19	Jr.	E. St. Louis, Ill.
52	Breedlove, Russell	C	212	5-11	19	Soph.	Peoria, Ill.
72	*Burroughs, John	LT	209	6-4	20	Jr.	Washington, D.C.
50	*Commings, Bob	RG	173	5-9	22	Jr.	Youngstown, Ohio
23	Coppotelli, Roy	QB	174	6-0	20	Jr.	E. St. Louis, Ill.
73	**Deasy, Dick (c-c)	RT	197	6-0	21	Sr.	Chicago, Ill.
20	**Dobrino, Don	LHB	200	6-3	21	Sr.	Mt. Olive, Ill.
66	Drake, Hugh	RG	190	6-0	19	Soph.	Shenandoah, Iowa
25	Duncan, Randy	QB	179	6-0	19	Soph.	Des Moines, Iowa
47	Furlong, Kevin	LHB, RHB	167	5-9	19	Soph.	Detroit, Mich.
88	*Gibbons, Jim	LE	200	6-3	20	Jr.	Chicago, Ill.
87	**Gilliam, Frank	RE	173	6-2	22	Sr.	Steubenville, Ohio
14	Gravel, Bill	LHB	180	5-8	19	Soph.	Hobart, Ind.
60	Grouwinkel, Gary	LG	199	6-1	20	Soph.	Columbus Junction, Iowa
44	*Hagler, Collins	RHB	163	5-9	21	Jr.	Washington, D.C.
40	*Happel, Bill	RHB	163	5-11	20	Jr.	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
35	*Harris, Fred	FB	194	6-1	20	Jr.	Bannockburn, Ill.
89	*Hatch, Toni	RE	192	6-1	21	Sr.	Lancaster, Wis.

84	Haussman, Bob	LE	171	6-0	21	Sr.	Gary, Ind.
32	Janda, Jon	FB	167	5-10	20	Jr.	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
81	Jenkinson, Jerry	LE	171	6-2	19	Jr.	Des Moines, Iowa
77	Karras, Alex	LT	233	6-2	21	Jr.	Gary, Ind.
92	Karras, Paul	RG	210	6-1	19	Soph.	Gary, Ind.
70	Klein, Dick	RT	250	6-4	22	Soph.	Pana, Ill.
15	Kloewer, Delmar	LHB	175	6-0	20	Jr.	Manilla, Iowa
41	Knotts, Melvin	LHB	170	5-9	23	Soph.	Burlington, Iowa
76	**Kress, George	LT	220	6-2	22	Sr.	Dubuque, Iowa
85	Langston, Jeff	LE	182	6-1	19	Soph.	Iowa City, Iowa
74	Lewis, Charles	C	283	6-6	19	Soph.	Chicago, Ill.
33	Nocera, John	FB	203	6-1	22	Soph.	Youngstown, Ohio
43	Pellegrino, Orlando	RHB	176	5-11	21	Sr.	Chicago Heights, Ill.
54	Pierce, Charles	C	199	6-2	24	Jr.	Sycamore, Ill.
11	**Ploen, Ken	QB	177	6-2	21	Sr.	Clinton, Iowa
86	Prescott, Bob	RE	200	6-3	19	Soph.	Sioux City, Iowa
75	*Rigney, Frank	RT	212	6-4	20	Jr.	E. St. Louis, Ill.
71	Scott, Bill	LT	226	6-8	19	Soph.	Iowa City, Iowa
37	Stifter, Bob	FB	191	6-0	19	Jr.	Chicago, Ill.
55	**Suchy, Don (c-c)	C	203	6-0	25	Sr.	Belle Plaine, Iowa
62	Theer, Dick	LG	204	6-3	20	Jr.	Davenport, Iowa
26	Veit, Gene	QB	177	5-11	20	Jr.	Clinton, Iowa
31	Walker, Marion	FB	177	5-8	20	Sr.	Gary, Ind.
94	Willett, Jim	RT	221	6-4	21	Sr.	Manson, Iowa

* Denotes Letters Won, not including 1956 season.

1956 Season Record

Date	Opponent	Iowa	Opp.	Attendance
Sept. 29	Indiana (at Bloomington)	27	0	25,000
Oct. 6	Oregon State (at Iowa City)	14	13	41,027
Oct. 13	Wisconsin (at Iowa City)	13	7	53,273
Oct. 20	Hawaii (at Iowa City)	34	0	39,617
Oct. 27	Purdue (at Lafayette)	21	20	41,415
Nov. 3	Michigan (at Iowa City)	14	17	58,137
Nov. 10	Minnesota (at Minneapolis)	7	0	64,531
Nov. 17	Ohio State (at Iowa City)	6	0	57,732
Nov. 24	Notre Dame (at Iowa City)	48	8	56,692
Won 8, Lost 1		184	65	437,424

Department of Athletics

Director of Athletics—Paul W. Brechler
Assistant—Rollie Williams
Business Manager of Athletics—Francis I. Graham
Trainer—Doyle Allsup **Assistant**—Arno Buntrock
Team Physician—Dr. W. D. Paul
Publicity Director—Eric C. Wilson
Assistant—Loy Brooks
Athletic Relations—Bud Suter
Equipment Manager—Lynn Welcher
Assistant—Edward O'Brien

Numerical Squad List

11 Ploen, qb
14 Gravel, lh
15 Kloewer, lh
20 Dobrino, lh
23 Coppotelli, qb
25 Duncan, qb
26 Veit, qb
31 Walker, fb
32 Janda, fb
33 Nocera, fb
35 Harris, fb
37 Stifter, fb
40 Happel, rh
41 Knotts, lh
43 Pellegrino, rh
44 Hagler, rh
47 Furlong, lh, rh
50 Commings, rg
52 Breedlove, c
54 Pierce, c
55 Suchy, c
60 Grouwinkel, lg
62 Theer, lg
63 Bowen, lg
64 Bloomquist, lg
66 Drake, rg
70 Klein, rt
71 Scott, lt
72 Burroughs, lt
73 Deasy, rt
74 Lewis, c
75 Rigney, rt
76 Kress, lt
77 A. Karras, lt
78 Ahlgren, re
81 Jenkinson, le
84 Haussman, le
85 Langston, le
86 Prescott, re
87 Gilliam, re
88 Gibbons, le
89 Hatch, re
92 P. Karras, rg
94 Willett, rt

Pronunciation Guide

Bowen—BO-wen
Coppotelli—Cop-pot-TELL-e
Deasy—Dees-ee
Dobrino—Dough-BREEN-o
Grouwinkel—Graw-wink-el
Hagler—HAGG-ler
Happel—Hap-pell
Janda—Yanda
Karras—Care-as
Kloewer—Clayver
Nocera—No-SARAH
Pellegrino—Pel-leg-GREEN-o
Ploen—Plane
Suchy—Soo-key
Veit—Vite

Probable Order of Substitution

LE—(88) Gibbons, (85) Langston, (84) Haussman, (81) Jenkinson.

LT—(77) A. Karras, (72) Burroughs, (76) Kress, (94) Willett, (71) Scott.

LG—(64) Bloomquist, (62) Theer, (60) Grouwinkel.

C—(55) Suchy, (54) Pierce, (74) Lewis, (52) Breedlove.

RG—(50) Commings, (66) Drake, (63) Bowen, (92) P. Karras.

RT—(70) Klein, (73) Deasy, (75) Rigney.

RE—(87) Gilliam, (86) Prescott, (89) Hatch, (78) Ahlgren.

QB—(11) Ploen, (25) Duncan, (26) Veit, (23) Coppotelli.

LH—(20) Dobrino, (14) Gravel, (15) Kloewer, (47) Furlong.*

RH—(40) Happel, (44) Hagler, (43) Pellegrino, (41) Knotts.

FB—(35) Harris, (33) Nocera, (31) Walker, (32) Janda, (37) Stifter.

* Listed at both Left and Right Halfback.

Specialists

Passing—(11) Ploen, (25) Duncan, (26) Veit.

Punting—(35) Harris, (33) Nocera, (40) Happel.

Kickoffs—(86) Prescott, (11) Ploen, (66) Drake.

Extra-point kicking—(86) Prescott, (11) Ploen, (77) A. Karras.

Player Biographies

JIM GIBBONS—LE, 6-3, 200, 20, Junior, Chicago, Ill. A man who came through with fine play last season when such play was necessary to compensate for the loss of Frank Gilliam with a broken leg . . . Gibbons, at LE, is Iowa's top pass catcher, 12 for 184 yards and 3 touchdowns . . . He caught a 33-yarder vs. Oregon State which enabled Iowa to win, 14-13 . . . one for 9 yards vs. Purdue (Iowa won, 21-20), a pass vs. Minnesota for 7 yards and a first down on the Minnesota 1-yard line, leading to Iowa's winning touchdown . . . and one for 17 yards which beat Ohio State, 6-0 . . . all except the Oregon State TD pass were thrown by Ken Ploen . . . Gibbons was also the top pass catcher on the 1955 Hawkeye team . . . he's a quick-cutting end who can shake loose from any halfback.

JEFF LANGSTON—LE, 6-1, 182, 19, Soph., Iowa City, Ia. Fought his way into a second-team end slot at the spring practice drills and held tight to his position throughout the season with fine relief play behind Gibbons . . . with the Iowa second unit, he hauled in 6 passes for 47 yards throughout the season . . . former all-stater from Iowa City High School . . . a sound defensive end with good speed and plenty of desire.

BOB HAUSSMAN—LE, 6-0, 171, 21, Senior, Gary, Ind. Used mostly as a relief end for the Hawkeyes during the last three seasons . . . considered a fine team player who is very aggressive and quick to respond . . . not big for end, Haussman is one of the fastest ends on the squad . . . played guard in high school.

JERRY JENKINSON—LE, 6-2, 171, 19, Junior, Des Moines, Ia. Another spot relief end with plenty of speed and spirit . . . makes up for lack of size with aggressive play . . . called upon to learn the halfback plays for the Minnesota game when several key Hawkeye backs were injured . . . brother Harlan played guard on the 1954-55 football teams.

ALEX KARRAS—LT, 6-2, 233, 21, Junior, Gary, Ind. Selected first team All-American on the 1956 Look and NBC All-American squads . . . named on INS All-Big Ten first team . . . NEA and United Press second All-American . . . a huge tackle with remarkable reflexes and determination . . . he is a success story in himself: last year he failed to win a letter, overweight and with an oversized opinion of himself, after he had been called potentially the greatest Iowa sophomore lineman since Calvin Jones . . . Karras trimmed down, his mental attitude switched completely and his football improvement astounded the coaches . . . Karras is a break-through terror who has smacked passers and has moved quickly to make tackles and to recover fumbles.

JOHN BURROUGHS—LT, 6-4, 208, 20, Junior, Washington, D.C. One of the better blockers on the team and extremely tough on offense . . . lettered as a sophomore when he started several games . . . has been Karras' number one replacement this year and has filled in in fine style . . . a good team man.

GEORGE KRESS—LT, 6-2, 220, 22, Senior, Dubuque, Ia. A three-letter winner who saw only limited action this season because of a knee injury which has plagued him throughout his playing career at Iowa . . . reinjured his knee early in the season against Hawaii and has seen only limited action since . . . former all-stater from Dubuque (Loras) . . . credited by Iowa coaches with great desire.

JIM WILLETT—LT, 6-4, 221, 21, Senior, Manson, Ia. A squad member for the past three seasons . . . has seen spot action this year and has filled in well for the Hawkeyes whenever called upon . . . shifted from end to tackle during 1954 season . . . came to Iowa on a Kinnick Scholarship . . . close to a "B" student in engineering.

BILL SCOTT—LT, 6-8, 226, 19, Soph., Iowa City, Ia. Tallest man on the squad . . . extremely fast for his size, he raced as a sprinter in high school . . . one of the outstanding basketball prospects also . . . has seen only limited action this season . . . tough on pass defense.

FRANK BLOOMQUIST—LG, 6-2, 205, 20, Junior, Waterloo, Ia. Moved with authority to claim a starting berth as a sophomore in 1955 and has stayed there ever since . . . extremely strong on fundamentals, he is known as a crisp blocker and tackler . . . terrific team player and a fine leader . . . shows plenty of desire on the practice field as well as during the games . . . an all-American prep at East Waterloo in 1953 . . . a "B" student in commerce.

DICK THEER—LG, 6-3, 204, 20, Junior, Davenport, Ia. Rated the most versatile lineman on the squad, he played every position in the line except center as a prep . . . among the fastest linemen on the squad . . . has seen considerable action behind Bloomquist throughout the season . . . shows tremendous desire and spirit . . . a strong replacement.

GARY GROUWINKEL—LG, 6-1 199, 20, Soph., Columbus Junction, Ia. Has alternated with Theer as a replacement for Bloomquist throughout the season . . . prepped as a fullback, but because of good speed was shifted to guard in spring practice freshman year . . . gives added strength to the guard spot.

DON SUCHY—C, 6-0, 205, 25, Senior, Belle Plaine, Ia. Cocaptain of the Hawkeyes . . . a man often injured but always comes back for more . . . handles a linebacker spot and his tackling is ruthless . . . he was named International News Service Player of the week after the Minnesota game and earlier had been United Press midwest lineman of the week . . . a strong contender for all-American recognition this season . . . named on INS All-Big Ten first team . . . a family man with three children . . . does outside work in addition to his football but burdens don't seem to bother him.

CHUCK PIERCE, C, 6-2, 199, 24, Junior, Sycamore, Ill. First line replacement for Suchy . . . has seen considerable action this season and has done a fine job of filling in when called on . . . played service ball and came to Iowa with high recommendations.

CHARLES (Mac) LEWIS — C, 6-6, 283, 19, Soph., Chicago, Ill. Biggest of the big men on the Hawkeye squad . . . shifted from tackle to center during fall practice sessions . . . has filled in for Suchy throughout the season . . . especially tough on defense . . . played a considerable portion of his first Big Ten game against Indiana when Suchy was injured . . . has improved greatly throughout the season, and looked good against Notre Dame in the final game of regular schedule.

RUSS BREEDLOVE—C, 5-11, 212, 19, Soph., Peoria, Ill. Used only sparingly this season . . . rated No. 3 center after spring practice, but has had to share duties with Lewis and Pierce . . . former all-stater in Illinois in 1954 . . . also competed in wrestling, track and baseball in high school.

BOB COMMINGS—RG, 5-9, 173, 22, Junior, Youngstown, O. He won a major letter in 1953, playing as Calvin Jones's first substitute in all 9 games . . . after two years in the army, he returned from service in August and was declared eligible two days before practice opened . . . during early games this season he played behind Hugh Drake at guard, but moved into the starting lineup in the Minnesota game and held his job throughout the remainder of the season.

HUGH DRAKE — RG, 6-0, 190, 19, Soph., Shenandoah, Ia. Showed well in spring practice and earned a starting position this fall . . . a tough, low-charging guard, he started the first six games this fall before being injured in the Michigan game . . . injury has slowed him down since then . . . a fiery competitor, he loves to mix it up . . . a sound man on fundamentals.

DON BOWEN—RG, 6-2, 198, 19, Junior, E. St. Louis, Ill. Lettered as a sophomore last season, starting one game in 1955 . . . has relieved Commings and Drake this year . . . boasts good speed and size . . . a sprint champion in high school, he's one of the fastest linemen on the squad . . . has extremely quick reflexes.

PAUL KARRAS, RG, 6-1, 210, 19, Soph., Gary, Ind. Brother to Alex . . . has seen limited action this season . . . earned all-state and all-American ratings as a high school prep at Gary, Ind. . . . with a little more experience, he could become an Iowa standout.

DICK (SLEEPY) KLEIN—RT, 6-4, 250, 22, Soph., Pana, Ill. A tremendous competitor who stepped in as a starter this season . . . biggest of the starters, he loves to mix it up . . . outstanding on defense and a fine blocker also . . . a real whiz in service ball . . . played in the Hula Bowl where he was named to the all-time all-Hula Bowl eleven . . . on freshman team he gained additional valuable experience playing opposite Cal Jones in scrimmage sessions . . . he may become one of the finest linemen in Iowa history.

DICK DEASY—RT, 6-0, 197, 21, Senior, Chicago, Ill. With center Suchy he cocaptains the 1956 Hawkeyes . . . a two-year letterman who underwent a knee operation after the '55 season to correct a trick knee . . . has been slowed

down this season with his knee and has been first substitute for Klein at tackle . . . a regular last season, he was named to the Big Ten All-Scholastic team after the '55 season . . . a tremendous team player who puts out 100% all the time.

FRANK RIGNEY—RT, 6-4, 212, 20, Junior, E. St. Louis, Ill. Lettered in '55 as an end . . . was shifted to tackle during spring practice . . . winner of the coaches' award for contributing most to spring practice . . . as a prep he earned all-state and all-American rating . . . extremely tough, with speed to burn, he is a potent downfield blocker and an authoritative tackler . . . has alternated with Deasy behind Klein this season.

FRANK GILLIAM—RE, 6-2, 173, 22, Senior, Steubenville, O. Last of the famed Steubenville trio which included All-American Cal Jones and Eddie Vincent . . . he was forced out of action in '55 with a broken leg suffered just prior to the start of the Big Ten season . . . returned this fall and has been outstanding all season . . . rated one of the best defensive ends in the country . . . selected second team all-American by International News Service this season . . . caught 6 passes for 79 yards and one touchdown during '56 campaign . . . has started at end every Iowa game (except when out during '55 season) since his sophomore year . . . although light for an end, he is a terrific downfield blocker and explosive tackler . . . has very quick reflexes.

BOB PRESCOTT—RE, 6-3, 200, 19, Soph., Sioux City, Ia. Annexed just about every honor in the book while playing for East Sioux City high school . . . won all-state, all-American honors in '54 . . . he is the No. 1 replacement for Gilliam at RE . . . rugged on defense and also a good offensive end . . . caught two passes for 33 yards and one touchdown during '56 season . . . specializes in the kicking department . . . made 19 of 21 PAT attempts . . . also does kicking off for the Hawkeyes . . . second among scorers with 25 points this season . . . headed for future greatness.

TONI HATCH—RE, 6-1, 192, 21, Senior, Lancaster, Wis. Lettered as a spot relief end during '55 season . . . has filled in for Gilliam and Prescott in spot situations this season . . . tough competitor, especially on defense . . . older brother, Jim, played reserve fullback for the Hawkeyes in 1954.

DON AHLGREN—RE, 6-2, 200, 26, Senior, Cedar Rapids, Ia. Member of squad for three years as end and tackle . . . played in the 1956 Notre Dame game . . . came to squad with no high school football experience . . . oldest Hawkeye at 26 . . . has worked very hard in practices and is one of the men who has helped to develop first team players.

KEN PLOEN—QB, 6-2, 177, 21, Senior, Clinton, Ia. Trigger man for the Hawkeyes . . . the Evashevski winged T offense was built around the talents of Ploen, who for two years had played in the shadow of Jerry Reichow . . . Ploen is adept at the running of the quarterback pass-run option play . . . he is a clever faker, ball-handler and bootleg operator . . . named "back of the week" by United Press after the Ohio State game in which Ohio State coach

Hayes said that the failure to stop Ploen's running on the pass-run option play beat his team . . . also Associated Press "back of the week" after Notre Dame game . . . selected All-Big Ten QB by International News Service . . . named first team All-American by the National Broadcasting Company . . . led the Hawkeyes in total offense with 731 yards on 132 plays . . . in 78 carries he gained 428 yards for an average of 5.4 per carry (tops on the team) . . . completed 24 passes in 54 attempts (44%) for 303 yards and four touchdowns . . . topped all scorers with 5 touchdowns and 2 conversions for 32 points . . . fourth in Big Ten figures for passing and total offense . . . a deadly tackler and alert pass defender . . . Nile Kinnick scholarship winner and "B" student in engineering . . . teammates elected him "most valuable" for 1956.

RANDY DUNCAN — QB, 6-0, 179, 19, Soph., Des Moines, Ia. Highly regarded passer who understudied Ploen throughout the season . . . threw the winning TD pass against Oregon State in Iowa's 14-13 victory over the Beavers . . . completed 15 of 37 passes for 144 yards and two touchdowns . . . was selected first team all-state in both football and basketball at Des Moines Roosevelt . . . probably the best passer on the Hawkeye squad.

GENE VEIT—QB, 5-11, 177, 20, Junior, Clinton, Ia. Played behind Duncan this year . . . scored against Indiana the first time he carried the ball this season . . . also threw one touchdown pass and kicked one conversion . . . carried 5 times for 31 yards or 6.2 average . . . used extensively on defense, especially on pass defense . . . a good team man who played fine ball when called upon.

ROY COPPOTELLI—QB, 6-0, 174, 20, Junior, East St. Louis, Ill. Used only sparingly this season . . . hustles all the time and shows plenty of spirit and desire . . . a good team man . . . also played baseball in high school . . . a commerce major.

DON DOBRINO—LH, 6-3, 200, 21, Senior, Mt. Olive, Ill. An Iowa starter for the past two seasons at LH . . . switch from quarterback during the fall of '55 . . . one of the biggest halfbacks in the Big Ten . . . very tough on pass defense, a sure tackler . . . rated one of the hardest-running backs on the squad . . . averaged 4.4 yards on 83 carries this season, gaining 373 yards . . . led the squad in punt returns with 10 for 110 yards and in kickoff returns 6 for 160 yards or an average of 26 yards per return . . . runs with a deceptively powerful stride, yet is able to skirt the ends with good success . . . also a top-notch pitcher on the Hawkeye baseball team.

BILL GRAVEL—LH, 5-8, 180, 19, Soph., Hobart, Ind. Chunky little halfback with speed and power surprising for his size . . . saw spot action throughout the season . . . turns the corner well on end runs . . . averaged 3.5 yards on 19 carries gaining 68 yards . . . a good team man and tremendous hustler.

DELMAR KLOEWER—LH, 6-0, 175, 20, Junior, Manilla, Ia. Alternated with Gravel behind Dobrino throughout the season . . . carried 14 times for 48 yards or a 3.4 average . . . caught 2 passes for 15 yards and scored

one touchdown against Michigan . . . has good speed, he was a 220-yard dash state champion in high school . . . an all-state fullback who switched to half during spring practice.

KEVIN FURLONG — LH, 5-9, 167, 19, Soph., Detroit, Mich. Plays both left and right halfback . . . started the Michigan game at RH, but suffered a broken jaw early in the game and was forced out of action the rest of the regular season . . . averaged 5.4 yards on 7 carries . . . named outstanding athlete in Detroit area in 1955 . . . would rank right behind Dobrino if he hadn't been injured.

BILL HAPPEL—RH, 5-11, 163, 20, Junior, Cedar Rapids, Ia. A mere squad member until the Notre Dame game his sophomore year in which he started and showed tremendous potential as a ball-carrier . . . has been regular RH this season . . . the workhorse back on the Hawkeye squad, he carried more than any other back on the team . . . on 93 carries he gained 403 yards, scored three touchdowns . . . averaged 4.3 yards per carry . . . he has a remarkable change of pace that enables him to sweep the ends with great success . . . not extremely fast, he relies on a quick start to get the jump on the opposition . . . a tough defensive back, especially good against passes . . . led the team in pass interceptions with 4 for 94 yards . . . shared first in pass interceptions in Big Ten figures . . . hits very hard for his size . . . great competitive spirit.

COLLINS (MIKE) HAGLER—RH, 5-9, 163, 21, Junior, Washington, D.C. A quick-stepping back who rates as the only real break-away threat on the squad . . . although never a starter, he has led the team the last two seasons in ground-gaining average . . . in 1955 he averaged 4.8 on 51 carries and this season on 36 carries he averaged 6.1 yards per trial . . . scored 4 touchdowns this season, one on a 52-yard run against Notre Dame . . . small and wiry, he is a sure tackler and good defensive back.

MEL KNOTTS—RH, 5-9, 170, 23, Soph., Burlington, Ia. A service veteran who has seen only limited action this season . . . former all-state back while playing for Burlington high school . . . carried only twice this year and gained 6 yards . . . returned a punt 9 yards also . . . good competitive spirit . . . a fine team man who puts forth 100% all the time. Married and a father.

ORLANDO PELLEGRINO—RH, 5-11, 176, 21, Senior, Chicago Heights, Ill. A senior squad member who saw only limited action this year . . . he carried only 4 times this season . . . a terrific team man who has alternated with Knotts behind Happel and Hagler . . . like Knotts, he puts forth 100% all the time.

FRED HARRIS—FB, 6-1, 194, 20, Junior, Bannockburn, Ill. Harris showed signs of development when he ran well against Notre Dame in final 1955 game . . . he came through in great style in 1956 with an average of 4.9 yards per carry on 68 attempts . . . and he was caught for only 3 yards of losses . . . topped Iowa punters with average of 34.3 on 33 kicks, caught 6 passes for 67 yards and one TD . . . Harris was an Illinois all-stater for Highland Park in 1953 . . . scored four touchdowns in 1956, two vs.

Notre Dame . . . a 61-yard dash and a 23-yarder after catching a pass . . . his work on defense has been outstanding . . . sharp on pass defense . . . Married in October . . . plans career as coach.

JOHN NOCERA — FB, 6-1, 203, 22, Soph., Youngstown, O. Pushed Harris for the starting fullback spot all season, which is one reason for the success of Harris . . . good defensive player . . . made 77 yards on 26 carries . . . three-sport man in high school . . . entered university after service in army . . . punted seven times for 36.5 average and scored one touchdown.

MARION WALKER—FB, 5-8, 177, 20, Senior, Gary, Ind. Tough competitor who has battled for three years but his size is against him . . . he carried three times in 1956 for 13 yards . . . but one run was for a 9-yard TD vs. Notre Dame . . . "Marty" was a high school star in football and as a sprint swimmer.

JON JANDA—FB, 5-10, 167, 20, Junior, Cedar Rapids, Ia. Like Walker, his size cannot match his desire but he carried six times for 45 yards in 1956 . . . had distinction of scoring Iowa's first TD of 1955 season vs. Kansas State.

BOB STIFTER—FB, 6-0, 191, 19, Junior, Chicago, Ill. Broke into the Hawaii game this season . . . has good size and drive . . . but there are too many experienced men ahead of him . . . played at Gage Park high school in Chicago.

1956 Game Summaries

Iowa 27, Indiana 0

Sept. 29 at Bloomington

Iowa	13	0	7	7—27
Indiana	0	0	0	0— 0

Size of the score was a surprise as Iowa scored four touchdowns, one after recovering an Indiana fumble on the Indiana 16 and the other after a pass interception on the Indiana 24. Hawkeyes, however, also staged two fine marches for scores, 82 yards in 12 plays and 69 in 13. Leading gainer was Ken Ploen, 60 yards in 15 carries. Iowa held Hoosiers to 76 yards rushing and total gains of 149 yards.

Iowa		Indiana
242	Net yardage rushing	76
24	Net yardage passing	73
7	Passes attempted	18
2	Passes completed	8
15	Total first downs	11

Iowa 14, Oregon State 13

Oct. 6 at Iowa City

Iowa	0	0	0	14—14
Oregon State	6	0	7	0—13

Iowa comeback in fourth quarter won the game. After trailing, 13-0, in the fourth quarter, Iowa scored on a 10-yard pass play, John Nocera to Frank Gilliam, with 11:17 to go and on a 33-yard pass, Randy Duncan to Jim Gibbons, with 9:32 left. Bob Prescott kicked the points after touchdowns. Oregon State scored in the first quarter on a 30-yard pass, Joe Francis to Earnel Durden and in the third on Paul Lowe's 49-yard dash. Fred Harris led Iowa gainers with 55 yards in 13 carries.

Iowa		Oregon State
205	Net yardage rushing	139
66	Net yardage passing	87
14	Passes attempted	9
4	Passes completed	5
15	Total first downs	9

Iowa 13, Wisconsin 7

Oct. 13 at Iowa City

Iowa	0	6	7	0—13
Wisconsin	0	0	0	7— 7

Iowans marched 78 yards in eight plays in the second quarter, scoring with only 1:21 to go. Another touchdown in the third quarter came on a 50-yard drive in seven plays.

Ken Ploen threw to Mike Hagler 11 yards for the first score and counted on a 1-yard plunge for the second. Wisconsin tallied on a 23-yard pass play in the final quarter. Fred Harris led Iowa gainers with 51 yards in 11 carries.

Iowa		Wisconsin
139	Net yardage rushing	124
94	Net yardage passing	100
11	Passes attempted	15
5	Passes completed	8
12	Total first downs	15

Iowa 34, Hawaii 0
Oct. 20 at Iowa City

Iowa	0	14	14	6—34
Hawaii	0	0	0	0— 0

Courageous but overmatched Hawaii was outgained 331 yards to 78 as Iowa used 42 players. Iowa overpowered the Islanders, although losing the ball four times on fumbles. Hawks had to punt only once. Three of Iowa's touchdowns came after capitalizing on Hawaiian errors, fumble recovery on the Hawaii 15 and after partly blocking a 3-yard punt on the Hawaii 29.

Iowa		Hawaii
266	Net yardage rushing	67
65	Net yardage passing	11
15	Passes attempted	12
7	Passes completed	3
15	Total first downs	6

Iowa 21, Purdue 20
Oct. 27 at Lafayette

Iowa	7	14	0	0—21
Purdue	7	7	0	6—20

Iowa entered the game as sharer of the conference lead and maintained that position in a bitter battle. Iowa led, 21-14, at the half in an offensive battle, scoring on a 9-yard pass, Ken Ploen to Jim Gibbons; a 10-yard run by Bill Happel and another run of 30 yards by Happel. But Iowa's Bob Prescott kicked three points, Purdue's Len Dawson missed the try after the third touchdown. Key play occurred with 1:10 to go: a fumbled pass was recovered by Iowa on the Iowa 21 after Purdue had marched from the Purdue 4 and the Hawks ran out the clock. Iowa's best gainers: Bill Happell 99 for 12 and Don Dobrino, 94 for 15.

Iowa		Purdue
290	Net yardage rushing	163
59	Net yardage passing	242
11	Passes attempted	28
8	Passes completed	17
17	Total first downs	21

Iowa 14, Michigan 17

Nov. 3 at Iowa City

Iowa	0	14	0	0—14
Michigan	3	0	7	7—17

Iowa moved into the big November games with a 5-0 record, 3-0 in the conference. It seemed that the Hawks would beat Michigan for the first time since 1924 after 11 losses and one tie. But with :66 left, the Wolverines scored after an 80-yard drive which had started with 10:17 left and the Iowa 14-10 lead was overcome. The ground attack cut steadily through an Iowa line, tired and missing injured men. Iowa at the half had a 14-3 lead, after scoring on a 13-yard pass, Randy Duncan to Del Kloewer, and a 33-yard run by Ken Ploen. Michigan scored its first touchdown on a drive from the Michigan 31. In the end, it was Ron Kramer's field goal in the first quarter which was the winning margin. Ploen was Iowa's offensive star with 102 yards in 13 carries.

Iowa		Michigan
187	Net yardage rushing	147
22	Net yardage passing	90
10	Passes attempted	15
2	Passes completed	8
14	Total first downs	18

Iowa 7, Minnesota 0

Nov. 10 at Minneapolis

Iowa	7	0	0	0— 7
Minnesota	0	0	0	0— 0

Minnesota was a 7-point favorite but Iowa won the ball game on a great effort in all departments, outsmarting and outhitting the Gophers. A great bounce-back after the Michigan disappointment, the Hawks scored after only five minutes had been played on a 38-yard drive after grabbing a Gopher fumble. Then the team threw up a marvelous defense which forced Minnesota errors. Minnesota lost the ball three times on six fumbles and had three passes intercepted, one by Bill Happel on the Iowa 1 and the other by him in the closing minutes which gave Iowa permanent possession. Don Dobrino gained the most yards, 59 in 13. Stars of the game: Iowa's defensive line and the backfield alert on pass defense.

Iowa		Minnesota
159	Net yardage rushing	214
32	Net yardage passing	71
12	Passes attempted	16
4	Passes completed	6
11	Total first downs	16

Iowa 6, Ohio State 0
Nov. 17 at Iowa City

Iowa	0	0	6	0— 6
Ohio State	0	0	0	0— 0

A great defensive battle in which the fine Buckeye attack was stymied by heroic tactics. Ohio State did not penetrate beyond the Iowa 32-yard line. Iowa scored in the third quarter on a drive which started on the Iowa 37 and covered the 63 yards in 10 plays. Ken Ploen's pass to Jim Gibbons went for 17 yards and a touchdown after only 4:19 had been played. Ohio State's attack gained only 47 yards by rushing in the second half. This game assured Iowa of at least a share of the Big Ten title and the Rose Bowl bid. Ken Ploen had 103 yards total offense.

Iowa		Ohio State
176	Net yardage rushing	147
63	Net yardage passing	18
12	Passes attempted	11
5	Passes completed	2
14	Total first downs	9

Iowa 48, Notre Dame 8
Nov. 24 at Iowa City

Iowa	14	14	7	13—48
Notre Dame	0	0	8	0— 8

Iowa whipped the Irish with an awesome display of power for the first Hawkeye win over Notre Dame since 1940. With terrific blocking, the backs ran wild for seven touchdowns and had a 35-0 lead before Notre Dame scored. Long runs were common: Ken Ploen ran 41 for a touchdown, Fred Harris, 61; Mike Hagler, 52. Ploen passed 23 yards to Harris for another. Notre Dame scored on a safety and a 14-yard pass play in the third quarter. Iowa's great line overpowered the Irish forwards and the downfield blocking was superb. Iowa used 40 players. Before the game ended, the news of Michigan's win over Ohio State arrived and Iowa became undisputed champion of the Big Ten. Ken Ploen had total offense of 125 yards, 90 on rushing, Mike Hagler made 86, and Fred Harris 62.

Iowa		Notre Dame
409	Net yardage rushing	208
50	Net yardage passing	91
12	Passes attempted	15
4	Passes completed	7
20	Total first downs	15

Individual Statistics

RUSHING	TCB	NYG	AVG.
Ken Ploen, qb	78	428	5.4
Bill Happel, rh	93	403	4.3
Don Dobrino, lh	83	373	4.4
Fred Harris, fb	68	334	3.9
Collins Hagler, rh	36	220	6.1
John Nocera, fb	26	77	2.9
Bill Gravel, lh	19	68	3.5
Delmar Kloewer, lh	14	48	3.4
Jon Janda, fb	6	45	7.5
Kevin Furlong, rh	7	38	5.4
Gene Veit, qb	5	31	6.2
Marion Walker, fb	3	13	4.3
Melvin Knotts, rh	2	6	3.0
Orlando Pellegrino, lh	4	3	.7
Randy Duncan, qb	10	-14	-1.4
Totals	452	2073	4.5

PASSING	ATT	Comp	INT	Yds. Gained	TD's
John Nocera, fb	1	1	0	10	1
Ken Ploen, qb	54	24	3	303	4
Randy Duncan, qb	37	15	3	144	2
Gene Veit, qb	11	1	0	18	1
Totals	103	41	6	475	8

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD's
Jim Gibbons, e	12	184	3
Frank Gilliam, e	6	79	1
Fred Harris, fb	6	67	1
Jeff Langston, e	6	47	0
Don Dobrino, lh	4	29	0
Bob Prescott, e	2	33	1
Delmar Kloewer, lh	2	15	1
John Nocera, fb	2	10	0
Collins Hagler, rh	1	11	1
Totals	41	475	8

PUNTING	NO.	YDS.	AVG.
Fred Harris, fb	33	1143	34.3
John Nocera, fb	7	253	36.5
Bill Happel, rh	1	35	35.0
Totals	41	1431	34.9

PUNT RETURNS	TCB	YDS.	AVG.
Don Dobrino, lh	10	110	11.0
Collins Hagler, rh	4	78	19.5
Kevin Furlong, rh	3	27	9.0
Bill Happel, rh	3	32	10.6
Delmar Kloewer, lh	2	20	10.0
Melvin Knotts, rh	1	9	9.0
Totals	23	276	12.0

KICKOFF RETURNS	TCB	YDS.	AVG.
Don Dobrino, lh	6	162	26.6
Collins Hagler, rh	3	74	24.6
Bill Happel, rh	3	57	19.0
Bill Gravel, lh	2	36	18.0
Fred Harris, fb	2	31	15.5
Ken Ploen, qb	1	11	11.0
Delmar Kloewer, lh	1	3	3.0
Totals	18	374	20.8

PASS INTERCEPTIONS	NO.	YDS. RET.	TD's
Bill Happel, rh	4	94	0
Ken Ploen, qb	4	52	0
Don Dobrino, lh	2	12	0
Fred Harris, fb	1	16	0
Bill Gravel, lh	1	10	0
Don Suchy, c	1	5	0
Charles Pierce, c	1	2	0
Gene Veit, qb	1	0	0
Totals	15	191	0

SCORE BY QUARTERS (9 games)

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	TOT.
Iowa	41	62	41	40	184
Opponents	16	7	22	20	65

SCORING	TD	PAT	TP
Ken Ploen, qb	5	2	32
Bob Prescott, re	1	19	25
Collins Hagler, rh	4	0	24
Fred Harris, fb	4	0	24
Bill Happel, rh	3	0	18
Jim Gibbons, le	3	0	18
Gene Veit, qb	1	1	7
Frank Gilliam, re	1	0	6
John Nocera, fb	1	0	6
Kevin Furlong, lh	1	0	6
Del Kloewer, lh	1	0	6
Don Dobrino, lh	1	0	6
Marion Walker, fb	1	0	6
	27	22	184

PAUL W. BRECHLER

Director of Athletics

Nine successful years as University of Iowa director of athletics have been completed by Dr. Paul W. Brechler. He took office July 1, 1947, assuming the job after a year as business manager of athletics.

Periods of the university's greatest athletic success have occurred during Director Brechler's tenure. He was instrumental in selection of new head coaches in football, basketball, track, tennis, gymnastics, fencing, golf and wrestling.

These new coaches strengthened their sports, so now most of the teams annually finish well up in the Big Ten's first division.

Two Big Ten basketball titles were won, second and fourth places secured in the National Collegiate basketball tournament. The 1956 football team won the Big Ten title outright and such teams as track, wrestling and golf won conference runner-up positions. Spots among the National Collegiate first four were won in wrestling and swimming.

Many improvements to the field house and stadium have been made and work still is going forward. A fine new 18-hole golf course is in use, fields for physical education, intramurals and team practice are being built and a new track layout is under way.

A $310,000 office building was completed in 1955 and a $200,000 football stadium press box is in the works. Other items are a new golf club house and increase of the stadium seating capacity by some 9,000.

Even before he became athletic director, sports played a dominant role in Brechler's life. He was regular end on the Drake University football team for three seasons and twice was named on the all-Missouri conference honor team.

He coached three sports at Harlan high school and later headed football and basketball at University High of Iowa City. Director Brechler served in the Navy from November, 1943, to February, 1946.

Curlew, Iowa, was his birthplace July 17, 1912. He and his wife, the former Bonnie Williams, are the parents of Bill, 15, and Steven, 5.

One of Director Brechler's major jobs is telling the people of Iowa about the athletics and physical education program. He has made hundreds of talks in many towns and always is ready to tell the Hawkeye story. In Big Ten directors' sessions he is among the leaders and serves on the television and finance committees.

Coaching Staff

FOREST EVASHEVSKI

(Michigan '41)

Head Coach

In year No. 5 as University of Iowa head football coach, Forest Evashevski developed the first Hawkeye Big Ten championship team since 1922 and the initial Iowa Rose Bowl selection.

Iowa was ranked no better than seventh in the preseason forecasts but the team won five of six conference games and eight of nine for the season to provide one of the great surprises of recent years in the league.

Evy came to Iowa in 1952 and now is in the third year of a ten-year contract. He has brought Iowa football to a very high plane and even in the years when the Hawkeyes were not a title contender the caliber of ball played was very pleasing to Iowans.

Now Evy has an eight-year record as head coach of 39 wins, 28 losses and and 4 ties for .580. His previous jobs were at Hamilton College of New York for one year (1941), and two years at Washington State (1950 and 1951).

Iowa teams under his coaching now have a record of 23 wins, 20 losses and 2 ties. For Big Ten games, the record is 16 wins, 15 losses and 1 tie.

Evy entered the coaching ranks in 1941 at Hamilton College of New York where his team won five of seven games. Then he went to Pittsburgh as backfield coach in 1942 and later entered the Navy and was sent to Iowa City with the Preflight School. He served three years as a Navy lieutenant.

After serving with "Biggie" Munn for one year at Syracuse and three at Michigan State, Evy took over as head coach at Washington State. He brought the Cougars up from last in the Pacific Coast conference in 1949 to sixth in 1950 and fifth in 1951. He was named Iowa head coach Jan. 6, 1952.

Four seasons of major football as a player are in his background. As a quarterback on the Michigan teams of 1938, 1939 and 1940, he was the devastating blocker who helped to make his friend, Tom Harmon, all-American halfback. Then in 1942 he was quarterback of the Iowa Navy Preflight School team at Iowa City.

Evy is remembered at Michigan for his great blocking and his all-around leadership. He captained the Wolverines in 1940 when Evashevski blocking and Harmon running became one of the most famous backfield combinations in college football. Evy also was regular catcher on the baseball team.

When he came to Iowa, he declared that one of his first objectives was to give the Hawkeyes a "respectable" team. It was not too long before the Hawkeyes were very much respected, culminating with the Big Ten championship of 1956.

Probably the most fabulous success story of Iowa athletes is that of the 1956 team. Evy said that the team far exceeded expectations for he thought in September that

a place in the first division was the best which could be expected. He declares that this team has started a new era in Iowa football.

A touchdown with 66 seconds to play enabled Michigan to win, 17-14, and kept Iowa from a perfect 1956 season. It was the first Iowa team since 1905 to win eight games.

Earlier Evy-coached teams had their moments, too. In 1952, although caught short on material, the team upset Ohio State, 8-0, named in the AP poll as the third most startling upset in U.S. sports.

The 1953 team finally was rated ninth nationally by the Associated Press and tenth by United Press. It won five, lost three, and tied one. Seven more points would have given Iowa a 5-1 conference record and a share of the title. The team was voted by AP as third most surprising in the nation and its tie game with unbeaten Notre Dame knocked the Irish permanently out of the No. 1 spot.

In 1954, Iowans had 4-3 in the league for fifth place and with twelve more points would have won the Big Ten title with a 7-0 mark, for three conference games were lost by a total of nine points. Iowa and Big Ten records were broken by Iowans.

With a very tough schedule and some bad breaks on injuries, Iowa had 3-5-1 in 1955 but again close games went the wrong way. The conference mark was 2-3-1.

Coach Evashevski is respected as one of the smartest—and trickiest—coaches in the business. Opponents never know what Evy's teams will spring. He is a master of the unexpected. In 1955, Iowa used a multiple offense; in 1956 the entire offense was changed to fit the material, especially the talents of Quarterback Ken Ploen, the balanced line was used by Evy for the first time and the attack rolled for impressive yardage.

Defenses are ingenious and flexible, a fact which often baffles opposing coaches. Iowa takes pride in making the opponent do the thing he least wants to do—and the Hawkeyes know how to put on the pressure.

A great blocker himself, Evy stresses that art — and there never was a better example of it in Iowa football than in 1956. Sound execution of fundamentals is a "must" for Iowa players. Condition must be tops and desire to play is paramount. The 1956 team probably displayed more terrific desire than any Iowa outfit in many years—so much, in fact, that it astonished the coaches many times.

Among the fine players developed during Evy's regime are Calvin Jones, all-American guard in 1954 and 1955; Jerry Hilgenberg, all-American center in 1953; Eddie Vincent, halfback; Jerry Reichow, quarterback; Don Chelf, tackle; Alex Karras, tackle; Frank Gilliam, end; and Kenny Ploen, quarterback.

Evy is the sort of person who means business, a hard worker who expects his associates and players to follow suit—which they do. He has a sense of humor, robust or subtle to suit the occasion. And he is frank and plain-spoken, extremely honest and realistic. Challenges intrigue him and he thrives on hard work. In appearance, the Iowa coach is rugged and impressive, standing 6-1 and weighing about 210 pounds. He is a good speaker with a clever mixture of seriousness and humor and he enjoys meeting people.

The Iowa coach was born in Detroit, Mich., Feb. 19,

1918. He attended Northwestern high school in Detroit where he played football. He is of Polish ancestry.

Evy and his wife, Ruth (the former Ruth Brown, daughter of former U.S. Senator Prentiss Brown of Michigan) have five children: Forest, Jr., James, Marion, John and Tom Harmon, ranging in age from 3½ to 14 years. The youngest, born in August, 1953, is named for Tom Harmon, all-American halfback teammate of Evy at Michigan.

ROBERT (BOB) FLORA
(Michigan '42)
Assistant Coach

Bob was brought to Iowa from Washington State by Evashevski as assistant coach . . . named Jan. 6, 1952 . . . he was a teammate of Evy on the Michigan teams of 1939 and 1940 as an offensive and defensive tackle . . . in 1948 was Michigan State freshman coach when Evy was varsity backfield coach and when Evashevski went to Washington State in 1950, Flora became his assistant there . . . Bob, now 40, was born in Muskegon, Mich., Nov. 22, 1915, played high school football but then remained out of school for three years to work . . . enrolled at Michigan in 1937, withdrew at end of freshman year to work but returned in 1939 and for three seaesons was a tackle on Wolverine teams.

Graduated from Michigan in February, 1942, and entered the Navy . . . some of his service duty was at Iowa Preflight . . . discharged in 1946 as lieutenant commander . . . in 1947 season coached Niles, Mich., high school football squad . . . Bob and his wife, Margaret, were married in 1942 in Sioux City, Iowa . . . the couple has three daughters, Ann, Maria and Kathryn, ranging in age from five to twelve; and a son Michael, 11.

CHALMERS (BUMP) ELLIOTT
(Michigan '48)
Assistant Coach

Iowa assistant coach, named Jan. 22, 1952 . . . held the same job as Oregon State for three seasons (1949, 1950, 1951) . . . started coaching career at Michigan in 1948 as assistant backfield coach . . . "Bump," now 31 years old, was a marine trainee at Purdue and played for the Boilermakers in the last three games of the 1943 season and the first six games of 1944 . . . after discharge from service in 1946 he enrolled at Michigan and played offensive and defensive halfback there in 1946 and 1947, and also was a baseball and basketball player . . . greatest year on grid was 1947 when he helped Michigan to win the conference title and the Rose Bowl game 49-USC 0, 1948 . . . Elliott led league scorers with 36 points and was top pass-receiver with 14 catches for 303 yards . . . also averaged 5.5 per rush in six conference games . . . named to the American Football Coaches All-American first team in 1947.

Elliott was born in Detroit, Mich. Jan. 30, 1925, but spent most of his earlier years in Bloomington, Ill., where his father is a physician . . . "Bump" and his wife, Barbara, are parents of two sons, born in September, 1951; and May, 1953; and a daughter, born in December, 1954.

HENRY (WHITEY) PIRO
(Syracuse '41)
Assistant Coach

Varsity assistant coach named to this position March 7, 1952 . . . came to Iowa from the University of Utah where he was end coach in 1949, 1950 and 1951 . . . "Whitey" coached previously at Syracuse University in 1943, and at The Citadel, 1946 through 1948 . . . played end for Syracuse for three years under former Iowa coach Ossie Solem . . . in 1942 played for the Philadelphia Eagles . . . Piro served in the Air Force in 1944 and 1945 and played for the Third Air Force team . . . 38 years old, Piro was born in Northotz, Germany, Dec. 19, 1917 . . . he and his wife, Grace have two sons, Steven, 5, and John 3½.

ARCHIE KODROS
(Michigan '40)
Assistant Coach

Kodros was appointed assistant coach at Iowa April 11, 1952 . . . former head coach and director of athletics at the University of Hawaii 1950-1952 . . . was regular center for Michigan, 1937 through 1939 . . . served in the Air Force from 1942 through 1945 . . . line coach at Whitman College in Washington in 1948, and became head coach and athletic director at that school in 1949 . . . now 38 years old, Kodros was born in Alton, Ill., Jan. 20, 1918 . . . he is married and the father of Rodney, 10, Marijo, 8, and Robert, 4.

JERRY BURNS
(Michigan '50)
Assistant Coach

Added to Iowa staff in August, 1954 . . . 29 years old . . . graduated from Michigan in 1950 . . . played football there . . . Jerry was backfield coach at University of Hawaii in 1951, serving under Archie Kodros, now an Iowa assistant . . . also was baseball coach there . . . in 1952, Burns coached at Whittier College of California, won 8, lost 2; then went to St. Mary's of Redford high school in Detroit, Mich., and in 1953 his team had 7-1 to tie for its conference title, his basketball team had 15-4 to share crown and he also was golf coach . . . in 1953 voted high school coach of the year for the Detroit area. Married, father of son, born in 1956.

JERRY HILGENBERG
(Iowa '54)
Freshman Coach

The latest addition to the Iowa football staff, started duties in March, 1956 . . . Hilgenberg is freshman coach . . . 25 years old . . . from Wilton Junction . . . 1953 All-American selection as Iowa center . . . three years on the Iowa team, but played only one year of high school football as fullback . . . Jerry also was a baseball star, catcher and cocaptain of the 1952 Iowa team . . . Hilgenberg served in the U.S. Air Force for two years, as a second lieutenant . . . graduated from the university in February, 1954, with the degree of bachelor of science in physical education . . . married and father of a small son.

Iowa Won-Lost Record, 1889-1956

Year	Coach	Won	Lost	Tied
1889	None	0	1	0
1890	None	1	1	0
1891	None	3	2	0
1892	None	3	2	1
1893	None	3	4	0
1894	None	4	4	1
1895	None	2	5	0
1896	A. E. Bull	7	1	1
1897	T. Wagonhurst	4	4	0
1898	A. A. Knipe	3	4	2
1899	A. A. Knipe	8	0	1
1900	A. A. Knipe	7	0	1
1901	A. A. Knipe	6	3	0
1902	S. W. Hobbs	5	4	0
1903	J. G. Chalmers	9	2	0
1904	J. G. Chalmers	7	4	0
1905	J. G. Chalmers	8	2	0
1906	M. Catlin	2	3	0
1907	M. Catlin	3	2	0
1908	M. Catlin	2	5	0
1909	J. G. Griffith	2	4	1
1910	J. Hawley	5	2	0
1911	J. Hawley	3	4	0
1912	J. Hawley	4	3	0
1913	J. Hawley	5	2	0
1914	J. Hawley	4	3	0
1915	J. Hawley	3	4	0
1916	H. H. Jones	4	3	0
1917	H. H. Jones	3	5	0
1918	H. H. Jones	6	2	0
1919	H. H. Jones	5	2	0
1920	H. H. Jones	5	2	0
1921	H. H. Jones	7	0	0
1922	H. H. Jones	7	0	0
1923	H. H. Jones	5	3	0
1924	B. A. Ingwersen	6	1	1
1925	B. A. Ingwersen	5	3	0
1926	B. A. Ingwersen	3	5	0
1927	B. A. Ingwersen	4	4	0
1928	B. A. Ingwersen	6	2	0
1929	B. A. Ingwersen	4	2	2
1930	B. A. Ingwersen	4	4	0
1931	B. A. Ingwersen	1	6	1
1932	O. M. Solem	1	7	0
1933	O. M. Solem	5	3	0
1934	O. M. Solem	2	5	1
1935	O. M. Solem	4	2	2
1936	O. M. Solem	3	4	1
1937	Irl Tubbs	1	7	0
1938	Irl Tubbs	1	6	1
1939	E. N. Anderson	6	1	1
1940	E. N. Anderson	4	4	0
1941	E. N. Anderson	3	5	0
1942	E. N. Anderson	6	4	0
1943	E. P. Madigan	1	6	1
1944	E. P. Madigan	1	7	0
1945	C. F. Crowe	2	7	0
1946	E. N. Anderson	5	4	0
1947	E. N. Anderson	3	5	1
1948	E. N. Anderson	4	5	0
1949	E. N. Anderson	4	5	0
1950	L. Raffensperger	3	5	1
1951	L. Raffensperger	2	5	2
1952	F. Evashevski	2	7	0
1953	F. Evashevski	5	3	1
1954	F. Evashevski	5	4	0
1955	F. Evashevski	3	5	1
1956	F. Evashevski	8	1	0
		272	236	25

Scores of Past Rose Bowl Games

1902—Michigan 49,
Stanford 0

1916—Washington State 14,
Brown 0

1917—Oregon 14,
Pennsylvania 0

1918—Mare Island 19,
Camp Lewis 7

1919—Great Lakes 17,
Mare Island 0

1920—Harvard 7,
Oregon 6

1921—California 28,
Ohio State 0

1922—Washington & Jeff.
0, California 0

1923—So. California 14
Penn State 3

1924—Navy 14,
Washington 14

1925—Notre Dame 27,
Stanford 10

1926—Alabama 20,
Washington 19

1927—Alabama 7,
Stanford 7

1928—Stanford 7,
Pittsburgh 6

1929—Georgia Tech 8,
California 7

1930—Southern Calif. 47,
Pittsburgh 14

1931—Alabama 24,
Washington State 0

1932—So. California 21,
Tulane 12

1933—So. California 35,
Pittsburgh 0

1934—Columbia 7,
Stanford 0

1935—Alabama 29,
Stanford 13

1936—Stanford 7,
So. Methodist 0

1937—Pittsburgh 21,
Washington 0

1938—California 13,
Alabama 0

1939—So. California 7,
Duke 3

1940—So. California 14,
Tennessee 0

1941—Stanford 21,
Nebraska 13

1942—Oregon State 20,
Duke 16
(at Durham)

1943—Georgia 9,
UCLA 0

1944—So. California 29,
Washington 0

1945—So. California 25,
Tennessee 0

1946—Alabama 34,
So. California 14

1947—Illinois 45,
UCLA 14

1948—Michigan 49,
So. California 0

1949—Northwestern 20,
California 13

1950—Ohio State 17,
California 14

1951—Michigan 14,
California 6

1952—Illinois 42,
Stanford 7

1953—So. California 7,
Wisconsin 0

1954—Michigan State 28,
UCLA 20

1955—Ohio State 20,
So. California 7

1956—Michigan State 17,
UCLA 14

Visiting team 20 wins, Coast team 16 wins, 3 ties.

Big Ten 9 wins, PCC 1 win.

IOWA'S CO-CAPTAINS

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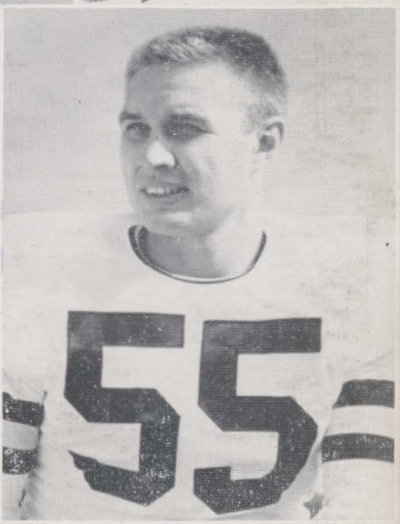
Right Tackle



55 • DON SUCHY
Center

OREGON STATE'S CO-CAPTAINS

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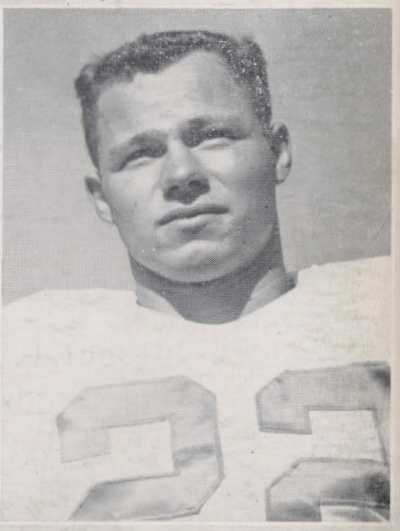

22 • GERRY LAIRD
Quarterback