

Royals Prove Celts CAN Be Beaten

Boozer Just Beats Buzzer In 116-115 Win

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Now it's official: The Celtics can be beaten. For a while it looked like there was room for doubt.

Cincinnati finally turned the trick Friday night, but it took a bit of doing. The Royals' Bob Boozer dropped in a game-winning jump shot with five seconds left, handing the powerful Boston Celtics their first National Basketball Association loss of the season, 116-115.

The defending champion Celtics, who have won five titles in a row, had reeled off a string of seven straight victories and were threatening to make a run away of the Eastern Division race before Cincinnati finally found the combination. The Celtics still hold a two-game lead.

Philadelphia dropped St. Louis 108-106 and Los Angeles edged San Francisco 93-90 in the only other games scheduled Friday night. The combination cut the Hawks' Western Division lead over Los Angeles to a half game.

The Celtics led Cincinnati 107-93 with 6½ minutes left but the Royals ripped off 13 consecutive points, nine on free throws, and closed to within one point.

They swapped baskets until Boozer put Cincinnati ahead with 21 seconds left. Sam Jones hit for Boston, and then Boozer connected on his winner.

Philadelphia's victory over St. Louis was the 76ers' first on their home court and snapped a six-game Hawk winning string. St. Louis' Bob Pettit, who had 26 points, almost tied the game in the final second when his shot hit the rim and rolled off. Lee Shaffer had 29 points and John Kerr 27 for the winners.

Saturday's schedule has Philadelphia at Baltimore, Detroit at Cincinnati, Boston at St. Louis and New York vs. San Francisco at Oakland.

Rockets Post Finest Mark In 13 Years

Oak Harbor turned back Genoa by a 21-14 margin for its best grid record in 13 years Friday with a 7-2-1 mark.

The Rockets were paced by quarterback Dave Deitzel who scored one touchdown, passed for another and booted a 20-yard field goal with 32 seconds left in the half.

Deitzel cracked over from the five earlier in the period and it was 9-0 when Mike Strohline grabbed the kickoff following the field goal and galloped 85 yards for Genoa to make it 9-6 at intermission.

Gary Gleckler raced 67 yards in the third stanza and Deitzel passed to Mick Beier for six yards in the fourth canto. Genoa's other marker came when Strohline scored on a pass play covering 16 yards with just 18 seconds to play.

All The Way

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Like From Steelers' Johnson

Giants Looking For Help

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
The New York Giants could win forever and it wouldn't mean a thing if they don't get some help. John Henry Johnson may be just the man to provide it.

Johnson, Pittsburgh Steeler fullback, was out of action the first time the Steelers played Cleveland, and the Browns pull out a squeaker. But Johnson is healthy, hale and hearty again

and will be very much in evidence when the Steelers take on Cleveland in the National Football League's top game Sunday afternoon.

The outcome could have a vital bearing on the Eastern Conference race. Cleveland leads at 7-1 and the Giants are second at 6-2. They aren't matched again this season and if New York is to catch up, some one must knock off the Browns.

Pittsburgh, with a healthy Johnson, may have as good a chance as anyone.

The Browns, with Jimmy Brown running for 175 yards, won the first game 35-23, but the Steelers had a 23-21 lead going into the final period. With Johnson out, Pittsburgh twice had to settle for field goals from short yardage. The Steelers now are 4-3-1 for the season.

The first game drew a record 84,684 at Cleveland and the return

match is expected to have a turn-away crowd of some 55,000 in Pittsburgh.

New York has won five straight over Philadelphia and is heavily favored to do it again. The Eagles, with top quarter-back Sonny Jurgensen still troubled with a shoulder ailment, now are 2-5-1.

Green Bay and Chicago, co-leaders in the West at 7-1, each are solid favorites in home games. Los Angeles, 2-6, is at Chicago and Minnesota, 3-5, at Green Bay.

Washington, 2-6, is at St. Louis, 5-3; Detroit, 4-4, is at Baltimore, 3-5; and Dallas, 2-6, at San Francisco, 1-7.

The American Football League opened the week's play when Oakland dumped Kansas City 22-7 Friday night.

Denver, 2-5-1, is at Buffalo, 4-4-1, Saturday night.

Sunday's schedule has New York, 3-4-1, at Houston, 5-4; and San Diego, 6-2, at Boston, 5-4.

The Giants, with passing master Y. A. Tittle at the controls, are top-heavy favorites against the injured Eagles. New York won the first meeting this season 37-14 with Tittle throwing 3 of his 20 touchdown passes.

Vikings Hope To Prove GB 'Lucked Out'

GREEN BAY, Wis. (AP)—The Minnesota Vikings and the Green Bay Packers will have things to prove in their National Football League game Sunday.

The Vikings will try to prove that the defending champion Packers were lucky to win the first time they met this season. The Packers would like to impress upon the Vikings that they were lucky to get so close.

In the initial clash at Minneapolis the Vikings trailed 30-28 and were on the Green Bay 10 with two minutes left. A Viking field goal attempt was blocked by Herb Adderley and the ball bounced to Green Bay's Hank Gremminger, who ran 85 yards for a touchdown that put the victory away 37-28.

Packer defensive end Willie Davis said Green Bay also learned something.

He explained that the Packers, tied for first with the Chicago Bears in the Western Division, are seldom forced by their own game, offensively or defensively.

The Packers, who have won seven in a row after losing their opener to the Bears, apparently will have all of their injured ready for action, except starting quarterback Bart Starr.

Winners and Losers

Prep Football Scoreboard

Wellston 39, Wheelersburg 6
Toledo Macomber 28, Toledo Strick 8
Maumee 28, Sylvania 0
Oregon Clay 8, Toledo Rogers 6
Perrysburg 7, Lorain St. Mary's 6
Springfield South 51, Hamilton Fairfield 0
Springfield North 28, Cincinnati Central 0
West 26, Southeastern 8
Northwestern 20, Northwestern 20 (tie)
Court House 38, Greenfield 4
Circleville 41, Franklin Heights 2
Hillsboro 14, Wilmington 8
Pleasant View 32, Miami Trace 22
Jefferson 32, Columbus Rosary 0
Reynoldsburg 20, Columbus Academy 6
Lancaster 26, Chillicothe 8
Newark 13, Mansfield Malabar 0
Cooksville 28, New Lexington 0
Cleveland Benedictine 26, Cleveland Adams 6
Cleveland Marshall 13, Cleveland West Tech 6
Brush 25, Parma 20
Cleveland Heights 26, Valley Forge 22, Shaker Heights 8
Lorain Adm. King 30, Fremont Ross 0
Clearview 38, Vermilion 8
Lakewood St. Edward 14, Bedford Channel 12
Midpark 24, Canton Lehman 12
Painesville Harvey 20, Fairport 6
Eastlake 16, Willoughby South 0
Geneva 34, Salem 0
Ashtabula St. John 36, Jefferson 3
Garfield Heights 27, Mentor 7
Toledo Whitmer 8, Bedford (Mich.) 0
Portsmouth 28, Ironton 20
Oxford Talawanda 20, Lakota (Butler) 0
Madison Local 28, Cincinnati DePorres 12
Cincinnati Woodward 30, Cincinnati Elder 7
Cincinnati Hughes 30, Cincinnati Walnut Hills 28
Goshen 46, Blanchester 8
Mason 20, Carlisle 8
Cincinnati Alken 37, Mount Healthy 8
Oak Hills 16, Cincinnati Western Hills 0
Sycamore 22, Anderson 6
Finneytown 22, Deer Park 22 (tie)
Princeton 22, Greenhills 18
Indian Hill 54, Cincinnati Country Day 6
Wyoming 35, Mariemont 0
Midtown 28, Hamilton Garfield 14
Hamilton Catholic 20, Ross 6
Euclid 14, Lakewood 8
Huron 33, New London 22
Brecksville 20, Berea 6
Warren Harding 36, Maple Heights 8
Manchester 12, Twinsburg 8
Akron Garfield 31, Cuyahoga Falls 0
Alliance 36, East Liverpool 12
East Palestine 28, Columbiana 6
Wine Philadelphia 12, Dover 8
Orville 20, Wooster 12
Norton 14, Kent Roosevelt 6
Sandusky 52, Mansfield Senior 8
Louisville 8, Minerva 6
Pomeroy 14, Oak Hill 6
Akron South 8, Akron North 0
Glenwood 6, Fairless 2
Canton Lincoln 65, Akron St. Vincent 18
Fostoria 30, Port Clinton 7
Lakota (Sandusky) 28, Elmwood 0
Springfield Local (Lucas) 16, Elmore 6
Verona 14
Roseville 51, Glouster 0
Hamilton Twp. 16, New Albany 6
Millersport 22, Liberty Union 20
Canal Winchester 32, Berne Union 20
Canal Winchester 32, Berne Union 20
Whitehall 53, Columbus Hartley 0
Carroll 26, Frankfort 23
Fairfield Union 66, Amanda Clearcreek 6
Zanesville 27, Marietta 0
Dresden 11, Maysville 0
Sidney 22, Kettering Fairmont West 20
Dayton Chaminade 27, Wayne (Montgomery) 6
Dayton Col. White 48, Dayton Stivers 28
Milton 12
Dayton Oakwood 28, West Milton 12
Kettering Fairmont East 22, Dayton Stebbins 20
Troy 22, Miamisburg 6

Dayton Fairview 12, Dayton Meadowdale 0
Dayton Northmont 36, Dayton Northridge 0
Brookville 6, West Carrollton 6
Greenview 22, Fairborn 0
Xenia Central 23, Piqua 6

How AP Prep Top 10 Fared

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP)—Status of the Top Ten in The Associated Press ranking of Ohio high school football teams:

No. 1 Massillon (8-1-0) plays Canton McKinley today.

No. 2 Niles (7-0-1) plays Toledo Central Catholic tonight.

No. 3, Sandusky (9-0-1), beat Mansfield Senior, 52-8, last night.

No. 4 Cincinnati Roger Bacon (7-0-1) plays Cincinnati St. Xavier Sunday.

No. 5 Akron Garfield (8-0-1) beat Cuyahoga Falls, 31-0, last night.

No. 6 Cleveland St. Ignatius (8-0-0) plays Cleveland South tonight.

No. 7 Dayton Roth (8-0-0), season over.

No. 8 Springfield South (9-1-0) beat Hamilton Fairfield, 51-8, last night.

No. 9 Akron Hoban (8-1-0), season over.

No. 10 Fremont St. Joseph (9-0-0), season over.

The Yardstick

Rushing
SANDUSKY
Yeager, fb 17 120 0 12 7 1
Miller, fb 13 91 6 55 6.5
Stokes, hb 14 83 1 82 5.9
Williams, hb 14 80 0 80 5.7
Klinger, fb 2 6 0 6 3.0
McClellan, hb 1 5 0 0 5.0
Hutchins, fb 1 3 0 0 3.0
Weather's, hb 1 0 0 0 0

Passing
SANDUSKY
Miller, qb 5 2 39 0 TD 1
Doughly, qb 16 6 79 2 0
Dean, qb 1 0 0 0 0

Pass Receiving
SANDUSKY
Brown, hb 1 20 0
Ohlemacher, e 1 11 1
Mayer, e 1 8 0

Lineups
MANSFIELD SENIOR—S
ENDS—Prats, Swann, Westfield, Garverick.
TACKLES—Williams, Stehle, Bautz, Palm.
GUARDS—J. Parr, Cindrich, Jivden, Jamieson.
CENTERS—Horvath, Coe.
BACKS—Dougherty, Hutchins, Schnuerer, R. Parr, Lindsey, Dean, Marsh, Hawthorne.
SANDUSKY—S
ENDS—Mayer, Kaser, Ohlemacher, Potter, Maye, Garrett, Reynolds.
TACKLES—Scally, Boos, Sidou, Gray, Mailard, Trimarche, M. Smith.
GUARDS—Mehling, Neese, Balconi, Truman, Eisenstein, Bressler, Howland.
CENTERS—Knauer, Schweinfurth, Neill, Sharp.
BACKS—Miller, Stokes, Williams, Yeager, Klinger, Ebnor, Brown, Bahnsen, Deringer, McClellan, Myers, Weatherspoon, Newton, Harris, Schwack, Holzapfel, S. Smith.

Score by quarters:
Mansfield 0 0 8 0-8
Sandusky 8 15 7 22-32
Mansfield scoring: Touchdowns—Hutchins (1 run). Extra points—Dean (run).
Sandusky scoring: Touchdowns—Miller (2 run); Williams 2 (3 runs); Yeager 2 (1 r, 1 run); Ebnor (2 p, pass interception); Ohlemacher (11, pass from Miller); Yeager points—Williams (run); Yeager (run); Potter 2 (placements); Weatherspoon (run); McClellan (run).

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Finsterwald, Floyd Share Sinatra Lead

By CHARLES MAHER
Associated Press Sports Writer
PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP)—About the only thing Dow Finsterwald and Ray Floyd have ever had in common is that both were in their first place today going into the third round of the \$50,000 Frank Sinatra Invitational Open Golf Tournament.

Finsterwald is a spare, 155-pounder and Floyd is a muscular 200-pounder. Finsterwald is a 12-year veteran of the PGA tour and Floyd is barely old enough to vote.

Approaching the game oppositely, they managed to play identically Friday. Each started slowly, finished fast and came in with a 36-hole score of 138, four under par. Finsterwald had two rounds of 69 and Floyd was 70-68.

They were just a stroke ahead of Billy Casper, who scored a 185-yard eagle two on the 16th hole Friday and came in at 69-70-139.

Bob Rosburg, who led after the first round with a 67, slipped to 73 Friday and was tied at 140 with Tommy Aaron, Frank Beard, Dan Sikes, Phil Rodgers and Don Whitt.

Of the 150 golfers who started the tournament, 80 qualified for the final two rounds with scores of 149 or better.

The leaders:
Ray Floyd 70-68-138
Dow Finsterwald 69-69-138
Billy Casper 69-70-139
Frank Beard 68-72-140
Tommy Aaron 70-70-140
Dan Sikes 73-67-140
Phil Rodgers 71-69-140
Bob Rosburg 67-73-140
Don Whitt 71-69-140

Out Six Weeks

MONTREAL (AP)—Giles Tremblay, the Montreal Canadiens' crack left-winger, has a broken cheekbone and may be sidelined for six weeks, the National Hockey League team learned Friday.

Ohio Horse Best

NEW YORK (AP)—King Arthur, a steed owned by Jane E. Duncombe of Granville, Ohio, won the big stake class championship Thursday in the National Horse Show at Madison Square Garden. King Arthur was runner-up in the green confirmation hunter competition.



OUT OF REACH — Willard's pint-sized end, Rodney Owens can't catch up to this pass in the end zone, but the 5-5 senior managed to haul in one later for a touchdown as the Flashes rolled over Perkins, 48-14. (Register photo—Bob White).

Oakland Heaps More Abuse On Kansas City

KANSAS CITY (AP)—Coach Al Davis winces at the mention of his Oakland team's four-game winning streak and talk of its title chances in the American Football League but admits "these kids are unbelievable."

Oakland, winner of just three games out of 28 in 1961-62, clipped a half game off San Diego's Western Division lead by smacking the skidding Kansas City Chiefs 22-7 Friday night. Tom Flores fired two touchdown

Plymouth Is Blasted 50-0 By JAC Kings

Plymouth failed to score for the third week in a row in absorbing a 50-0 pasting at the hands of undefeated Clear Fork Friday in the finale for both clubs.

The Big Red wound up their season with a 2-7 record, while Clear Fork posted an 8-0-1 mark and captured the Johnny Appleseed Conference crown.

It was the fifth straight defeat for Kansas City, now 2-6-1. Denver, 2-5-1, plays at Buffalo 4-4-1, tonight and New York, 3-4-1, plays at Houston, 5-4-0, Sunday in other AFL games this weekend.

NBA Roundup

Friday's Games
Cincinnati 116, Boston 115
Philadelphia 108, St. Louis 106
Los Angeles 93, San Francisco 90
Today's Games
Detroit at Cincinnati
New York vs. San Francisco at Oakland
Boston at St. Louis
Sunday's Game
New York at Los Angeles

Another Sellout

WEST POINT, N.Y. (AP)—Officials of both academies announced Wednesday that all tickets for the annual Army-Navy football game in Philadelphia have been sold.

Outdoors

By JOHN ANDERSON
Where? Where?

Hunters, fishermen, and birdwatchers have long known that anything can happen along the southwest corner of Lake Erie, and it usually does. It is a place where you expect the unexpected. Last week, for example, a grove billed ani, which is a tropical cuckoo, seldom seen north of Florida, turned up at Magee Marsh. The bird's feathers showed no signs of wear which indicates it had not escaped from a zoo or any kind of cage. Perhaps Hurricane Ginny had a hand in it, perhaps the record-breaking warm dry spell, who knows?

But, on October 28, snow buntings showed up around the Lake Erie marshes. These sparrow-sized buntings with large white wing patches are well named. They nest on the Arctic tundra and usually do not come this far south until mid-November.

Meanwhile, the ducks for which the Lake Erie marshes are famous were setting a record of their own. On that frosty morning, November 1, 1963 the sun looked down on a record-breaking absence of ducks. A survey of the entire Lake Erie marsh region by the Ohio Division of Wildlife revealed the lowest duck population in the last 20 years.

There will be more theories to explain the duck shortage than we can use. The most common, as always, will be the weather. "They're still up North because of the warm weather." Others will say, "They've all gone South because of the cold." Still others will claim the drought has dried up so many local marshes that the birds have left.

I do not buy the latter theory. Although some marshes were not pumped up to their usual levels, Sandusky Bay is not dry; Lake Erie is not dry, and most marshes have more than enough water to attract ducks if there were any ducks to attract.

Another popular theory is lack of food. This is about like saying there is a lack of people in India. The marshes are loaded with smartweed, millet, and rice-cutgrass; to say nothing of the thousands of bushels of shelled corn, soybeans, and buckwheat left in adjacent fields by mechanical pickers.

What few birds the hunters are bringing in are fatter than groundhogs in September.

Winter Sports Pioneer Dead

PASADENA, Calif. (AP)—Ernest Des Balleits, wine importer and winter sports pioneer died Friday of an apparent heart attack while driving his car. He was 83.

Des Balleits came to this country from his native Switzerland in 1905 and was head of the wine firm bearing his name.

Friends said Des Balleits helped popularize skiing in this country at Lake Placid, N.Y.

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