

### 'One Count' Named Horse Of Year In Annual Poll

NEW YORK (AP)—One Count, the dark brown colt who won the grueling Belmont Stakes and Jockey Club Gold Cup today was voted the "Horse of the Year" in the annual poll conducted by Time Publications, Inc., publisher of the Morning Telegraph and Daily Racing Form.

One Count scored seven victories three seconds and two thirds in 15 starts this season. He also was voted the leading three-year-old for "triumph" that included the mile-and-a-half Belmont and the twomile Jockey Club Gold Cup.

One Count is owned by Mrs. Walter M. Jeffords. He is a son of Count Fleet, who was named "Horse of the Year" in 1943 after winning the triple crown—Kentucky Derby, Preakness and Belmont Stakes.

Nineteen of the 31 voters made One Count their first choice, while six favored Native Dancer, Alfred G. Vanderbilt's undefeated two-year-old. Real Delight, Calumet Farm's three-year-old filly, received three votes, while Tom Fool, Crafty Admiral and Spartan Valor each got one vote.

Native Dancer, victorious in his nine starts, was named the two-year-old. Mrs. E. E. D. Shaffer's Sweet Patootie, who won eight of her 12 races, was selected as the outstanding two-year-old filly.

Real Delight was voted the best filly in the three-year-old and handicap divisions; Charfran Stable's Crafty Animal was named the best handicap horse; Tea-Maker, F. Ambrose Clark's nine-year-old gelding, was named top sprinter and Jam was voted the leading steeplechaser.

### COUPLE OF GOOD SKATES--BUT DUEL NOT LIKELY



Sonja Henie Barbara Ann Scott

ALTHOUGH Barbara Ann Scott, former Olympic skating champion, said in Denver that it would "be kind of fun" to compete with Sonja Henie, the movie actress and also former Olympic champ, in a \$20,000 skating duel, it appeared unlikely that the duel would be staged. Miss Henie, in Boston, denied that such a contest was her idea and said she had enough to worry about conducting her own show. (International)

### Deacons Meet South Carolina At Winston Sat.

RALEIGH (AP)—Wake Forest, dethroned as kingpin of North Carolina football by the new Southern Conference champion Duke Blue Devils, aimed today for a victory in the season's final that would assure the Deacons a tie for second spot in the league standings.

Duke drove to a 34-0 victory over North Carolina in impressive fashion Saturday to clinch the first Duke championship in the league since 1945. Halfback James Red Smith, running at full steam for the first time since the Tennessee game, accounted for 2 points on three touchdowns and four extra points.

It was the most one-sided victory Duke had ever posted over their arch-rivals, and completed the Blue Devil season with an overall 8-2 mark and a league record of five wins and no losses.

West Virginia won its sixth straight game, defeating South Carolina in a thriller 13-6. Except for an early season loss to Furman, West Virginia would have won the conference crown.

Wake Forest won its fourth league game, smothering Furman 28-0 with speedy Larry Spencer reeling off a 96-yard touchdown run with the second half kickoff. Spencer is the nation's leading kickoff return artist.

Wake Forest winds up its season Saturday at Winston-Salem against South Carolina in what should be a battle royal. A Gamecock victory

would drop Wake Forest into fourth place in the league standings and give third to William and Mary.

William and Mary finished its league season with a 4-1 mark by smashing North Carolina State, 41-6. Tom Keller scored three touchdowns, running his season's total to 11 and making him the league's top scorer with 66 points.

In other league games the Citadel smashed Davidson 34-14 with Paul Chapman and John Mamajek showing the way over the injury-riddled Wildcats. Davidson's Jimmy Thacker scored twice to boost his point total for the season to 60—second best in the conference.

George Washington trounced Richmond 29-7. It was the sixth win of would give South Carolina a league mark of three wins and three losses. A South Carolina victory also

the year for the Colonials and ninth straight loss for Richmond.

A game that will have little bearing on the top-bracket but one that is always a thrill-packed classic is the annual Thanksgiving Day clash at Roanoke between VMI and Virginia Tech.

Elsewhere as the season draws toward a close, North Carolina travels to Miami for a game with the Hurricanes ending the Tar Heel season Friday night. On Saturday William and Mary entertains Virginia in an Old Dominion highlight at Williamsburg.

Jack Stone of West Virginia moved into third place in the point-making department, scoring twice against South Carolina to boost his season's total to 57 with six touchdowns, 18 extra points and a field goal.

**ATTEND GAME**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Welborn attended the Carolina-Duke game at Chapel Hill last Saturday afternoon.

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### Syracuse, Tulsa And Penn State Top Contenders For Orange Bowl

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—Syracuse, Tulsa, and Penn State appeared the top contenders today for a berth in the Orange Bowl football classic against Alabama's Crimson Tide.

It was learned reliably that the bowl committee has been toying with the idea of inviting Notre Dame, Navy or UCLA to be the visiting team in the Jan. 1 extravaganza here. But there seemed to be little or no chance that any of these teams would listen to an offer.

Notre Dame and Navy have long histories of turning down bowl bids and there's nothing to indicate any change in their attitudes, UCLA, even if interested, is bound by a Pacific Coast Conference rule which bans all bowls except the Rose Bowl.

So the choice seems to narrow down to Michigan State and to the Bolling Air Force. Tulsa, which lost to Houston and was tied by Chattanooga; and Penn State, which lost to Syracuse and Michigan State and was tied by Purdue. Others with a chance are Villanova, which lost only to Tulsa

### Four Teams Share Conference Top 'n National Loop

By EARL WRIGHT (UP Sports Writer)

NEW YORK (AP)—It took five hours of coin-tossing to decide the various National Football League playoff possibilities and it looked like time well spent today as four teams shared the National Conference leadership, while three others were tied for first-place in the American Conference.

The Los Angeles Rams, San Francisco Forty-Niners, Detroit Lions and Green Bay Packers were deadlocked for the top spot in the National. The Cleveland Browns, New York Giants and Philadelphia Eagles shared the American lead after Sunday's action.

All seven top clubs have 6-3 records with three games to play. The National Conference could end

### Jersey Joe To Get Rematch With Marciano

CHICAGO (AP)—James D. Norris, president of the International Boxing Club, today said Jersey Joe Walcott will get a rematch with heavyweight champion Rocky Marciano in March.

Norris said the date and place of the fight will be announced soon, but at Los Angeles Marciano's manager Al Weill said it would be held either in San Francisco or Chicago. The choice "all depends upon the details involved in each spot," he said.

With the same announcement Norris indicated that the winner of Wednesday's fight here between former champion Ezzard Charles and Jimmy Blvin will get the next shot at the title in June.

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