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Rebels climb to 12th and 14th in polls

NEW YORK — In a week of few surprises, top-ranked North Carolina and No. 2 Kentucky stayed atop the Top 20 Associated Press college basketball poll, while UNLV marched four places to No. 14, one spot behind Pacific Coast Athletic Association rival Fresno State.

A panel of 60 writers and broadcasters gave 39 first-place votes to North Carolina for 1,179 points, while Kentucky received 21 and 1,161. The points system is based on 20 points for each first place vote, 19 for second, etc.

Both the Tar Heels and

Wildcats are 10-0 through games of Sunday, each a convincing winner over Top 20 schools last week. North Carolina trounced North Carolina State 81-60, while Kentucky thrashed Louisiana State 96-80.

UNLV, meanwhile, made its climb based on two lopsided victories to open PCAA play. First, the Rebels defeated Long Beach State 103-66. Later, they downed New Mexico State 87-66.

UNLV showed no signs of complacency on their march up the AP ladder, crushing UC Irvine 83-68 Monday night to move to 3-0 in

league play and 12-1 overall. The Rebels' only defeat this season came against fourth-ranked Georgetown, 69-67 in overtime Dec. 30 before a national television audience.

For North Carolina State, the defending NCAA champion, it was a tough week. In addition to being embarrassed by their state rivals, the Wolfpack had been defeated earlier by Maryland in Atlantic Coast Conference play and fell from the Top 20 altogether. The Wolfpack was No. 12 last week.

Virginia, another ACC team, was the poll's other

casualty after losing to Duke 78-72.

Meanwhile, there were no changes among the top seven teams. DePaul, Georgetown, Maryland, UCLA and Maryland kept pace, while undefeated Texas-El Paso moved up three notches to No. 8.

The Rebels moved to the No. 12 slot in the United Press poll.

Tickets on sale

Tickets for the Jan. 21 Runnin' Rebel-Fresno State PCAA contest will go on sale Wednesday at 9 a.m. at the UNLV ticket office.



BOXING

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Major Fight Schedule
By United Press International
(c—denotes defending champion)

Jan. 11 at Atlantic City, N.J. — Andre Cooper vs. Alan Alexander, 10, welterweights.
Jan. 13 at Atlantic City, N.J. — Vampire Johnson vs. Nino Gonzalez, 10, middleweights.
Jan. 14 at Reno, Nev. — c-Ray Mancini vs. Bobby Chacon, 15, WBA lightweight title.
Jan. 14 at Detroit — c-Milton McCrory vs. Milton Guest, 12, WBC welterweight title.
Jan. 14 at Atlantic City, N.J. — Robin Black vs. Harry Arroyo, 10, lightweights.
Jan. 15 at Atlantic City, N.J. — Howard Davis vs. Tyrone Crawley, 10, lightweights.
Jan. 15 at Atlantic City, N.J. — Tony Sibson vs. Don Lee, 10, middleweights. Clint McKenzie vs. Martin Rojas, 10, junior welterweights.
Jan. 17 at Philadelphia — c-James Styler vs. Clint Jackson, 12 rounds, NABF middleweight title.
Jan. 18 at Atlantic City, N.J. — Steve Traitz vs. Bluefort Spencer, 10, super middleweights.
Jan. 18 at Las Vegas — Steve Cruz vs. Dana Roston, 10, featherweights; Dio Colome vs. Ken Releford, 10, junior middleweight.
Jan. 20 at New York — Mark Medal vs. Bruce Johnson, 10, junior middleweights.
Jan. 22 at Atlantic City, N.J. — Johnny Bumphus vs. Lorenzo Garcia, 15, vacant WBC junior welterweight title.

Jan. 24 at Atlantic City, N.J. — Maurice Blocker vs. Terry Holmes, 10, welterweights.
Jan. 26 at Coubertin, France — c-Henry Graham vs. Said Skouma, 12, European super welterweight title.

Jan. 27 at undetermined site — c-Thomas Hearn vs. Luigi Minchillo, 12, WBC super welterweight title; Mike McCallum vs. Francisco de Jesus, 10, junior middleweights; Howard Davis vs. Jimmy Paul, 10, lightweights; Davey Moore vs. Duane Thomas, 10, junior middleweights.

Jan. 28 at Atlantic City, N.J. — David Sears vs. Eric Winbush, 10, light heavyweights.
Jan. 29 at Beaumont, Texas — Bruce Curry vs. Billy Costello, 15, WBC super lightweight title.

Jan. 30 at Atlantic City, N.J. — Clifford Brown vs. Alvin Hayes, 15, IBF lightweight title; Kevin Perry vs. Graylin Curry, 10, junior middleweights.

Jan. 31 at Atlantic City, N.J. — Tommy Ayers vs. Jorge Morales, 10, junior welterweights.

Feb. 2 at Marseille, France — c-Rudi Koppmans vs. Richard Caramanolis, 12, European light heavyweight title.

Feb. 4 at Atlantic City, N.J. — c-Dogad Curry vs. Marlon Starling, 15, WBA welterweight title.

Feb. 7 at Atlantic City, N.J. — Joe Manley vs. Bobby Johnson, 10, lightweights.
Feb. 19 at Tampa, Fla. — James Greep vs. John Mugabi, 10, junior middleweights.

Feb. 22 at Milan, Italy — c-Leo Cruz vs. Loris Stecca, 15, WBA junior featherweight title.

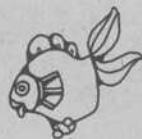
Feb. 24 at undetermined site — Greg Page vs. Tim Witherspoon, 12, vacant WBC heavyweight title.

Feb. 25 at undetermined site — Sugar Ray Leonard vs. Kevin Howard, 10, welterweights.
Feb. 26 at undetermined site — c-Roger Mayweather vs. Rocky Lockridge, 15, WBA junior lightweight title.

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