



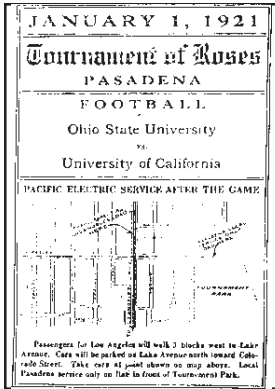
BOWL HISTORY



Head Coach Jeff Tedford lifts up the 2006 Holiday Bowl trophy after Cal's 45-14 victory over Texas A&M.



BOWL HISTORY



ROSE BOWL

JANUARY 1, 1921

CALIFORNIA	28
OHIO STATE	0

The world of college football may never again witness the sheer dominance displayed by California's legendary "Wonder Teams" of the 1920s, and the 1920 football team, in particular, will forever be remembered as one of the all-time great teams in the history of the sport. Under the genius of coach Andy Smith, the Golden Bears

completely dismantled opponents en route to an 8-0 record and made their first appearance in the Rose Bowl. Despite their record and the fact that they had outscored opponents by a total margin of 482-14, the Bears entered the contest as an underdog. Possibly because some Easterners had not yet developed much respect for athletes on the West Coast, a respected Ohio State team was predicted to beat California by six points.

The Bears wasted little time in refuting such predictions, as Pesky Sprott scored a touchdown early in the first quarter to give California a 7-0 lead. That only proved to be the beginning of what was to become a rout, as Andy Smith's team was able to score two more touchdowns in the second quarter while a ferocious Bear defense held Ohio State scoreless for a 21-0 halftime lead. One of the scores came on a piece of Wonder Team trickery, as Sprott pitched the ball to end Brick Muller on a reverse who heaved the ball over 50 yards to Brodie Stephens for the touchdown. That play helped California, which subsequently earned the unofficial national title, break the game open and is thought of as one of the most famous plays in the history of the Rose Bowl.

California	7	14	0	7	-	28
Ohio State	0	0	0	0	-	0
			Cal			Ohio State
Total First Downs			17			11
Net Yards Rushing			244			105
Passing (PC-PA)			6-9			11-24
Net Yards Passing			102			133
Total Net Yardage			346			238



ROSE BOWL

JANUARY 1, 1922

CALIFORNIA	0
WASHINGTON & JEFFERSON	0

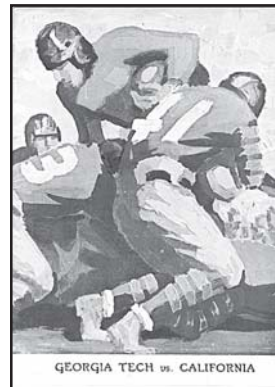
California's Wonder Team of 1921 may not have been quite as dominant as the 1920 squad, but it was no less successful on the football field. The Bears defeated every opponent they faced in the regular season, scoring a total of 167 points against conference opponents while only allow-

ing 10. California took a 9-0 record into its second straight Rose Bowl, and although the Bears were predicted to have an easy victory, steady rains had reduced the field to a quagmire, and coach Andy Smith predicted a 0-0 tie. The Bears were fortunate to escape with that, as they only gained 49 yards in total offense and had two first downs while Washington and Jefferson had a 36-yard touchdown run called back on an offside penalty. The Bears original strategy to use a wide-open passing attack was impossible given the condition of the field, and they instead had to rely entirely on power. The results were almost disastrous for the Bears, but Archie Nisbet averaged 39.7 yards on 13 punts and deserved much credit for keeping the Presidents from the end zone.

Washington and Jefferson had a distinct advantage in maturity as most

of the men on their team were older than the average college player, and California originally objected to having to play a team from a school whose scholarship requirements were far below that of California. The relatively unknown school representing the East was able to keep the Bears from scoring in the swamp-like condition of the field and put an end to California's winning streak at 18 games. It was important to note, however, that California had not yet tasted defeat and would not know it for another four years.

California	0	0	0	0	-	0
Wash. & Jeff.	0	0	0	0	-	0
				Cal		Wash. & Jeff.
Total First Downs				2		8
Net Yards Rushing				49		114
Passing (PC-PA)				2-6		1-4
Net Yards Passing				0		23
Total Net Yardage				49		137



ROSE BOWL

JANUARY 1, 1929

GEORGIA TECH	8
CALIFORNIA	7

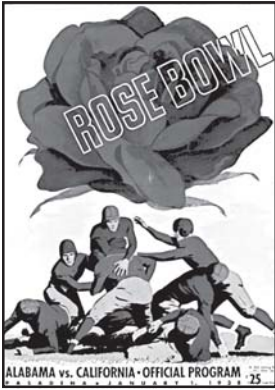
The Rose Bowl of 1929 will be remembered forevermore as one of the most amazing and most talked of games played in the history of collegiate football. California's 1928 team, under coach Nibs Price, faced an undefeated Georgia Tech squad in a very closely contested battle that was made most memorable thanks to

a single play by California's Roy Riegels. After a scoreless first quarter, the Bears threatened by moving the ball to Georgia Tech's 25-yard-line. They were unable to get any farther, however, and possession was lost on downs. The next play became one of the most famous (or infamous) of all time. Riegels, California's All-American center, placed his name in the game's lore when Georgia Tech's Stumpy Thomason was hit by the Bears Benny Lom at the Georgia Tech 30. Riegels, who was pursuing the play, scooped up the fumble and started in the right direction, but suddenly he spun around and headed the wrong way. Riegels had reached the Cal one-yard-line before Lom was able to spin him back around, only to be tackled by Georgia Tech. The play resulted in a safety when the Engineers blocked Lom's subsequent punt.

Georgia Tech had a 2-0 lead at halftime, but was able to score again in the third quarter for an 8-0 lead into the fourth quarter. The Bears were finally able to score late in the fourth quarter as Lom passed to Irv Phillips in the end zone, but it was too little, too late.

California	0	0	0	7	-	7
Georgia Tech	0	2	6	0	-	8
				Cal		Georgia Tech
First Downs (rush,pass)				11 (8,3)		5 (4,1)
Rushing (Att-Net Yds.)				51-204		42-166
Passing (PC-PA-Int)				4-12-1		1-3-0
Passing Yards				67		23
Total Offensive Plays				63		45
Total Net Yardage				271		189





ROSE BOWL

JANUARY 1, 1938

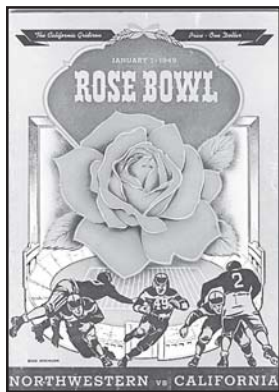
CALIFORNIA 13
ALABAMA 0

California returned to the Rose Bowl with the "Thunder Team" of 1937. With a devastating offensive backfield and a rock-solid defense, the Golden Bears trampled their opponents in the regular season, posting a 9-0-1 record and scoring a total of 201 points while allowing only 33. The Bears, under coach Stub Allison, recorded six

shutouts against opponents and utilized a punishing ground game which not only earned the team the nickname "The Thunder Team" but landed the undefeated team an appearance in the Rose Bowl.

In the Rose Bowl of 1938, the Bears recorded an impressive victory over Alabama, 13-0. California relied on their brilliant backfield of Vic Bottari and Sam Chapman to pave the way on offense, and on defense, the Bears rendered the Crimson Tide offense ineffective, holding Alabama scoreless. Following a fumble recovery by Perry Schwartz in the second quarter, the Bears marched 61 yards and scored on a four-yard run by Bottari. The only other score came early in the third quarter, when Bottari scored a second touchdown on another four-yard run, making the final margin 13-0. California had completed an undefeated season for the first time since the Wonder Teams of the 1920s, and was rewarded with its last National Championship.

California	0	7	0	-	13
Alabama	0	0	0	-	0
		Cal		Alabama	
Total First Downs		11		11	
Net Yards Rushing		192		140	
Passing (PC-PA)		2-9		3-13	
Passing Yards		16		40	
Total Net Yardage		208		180	



ROSE BOWL

JANUARY 1, 1949

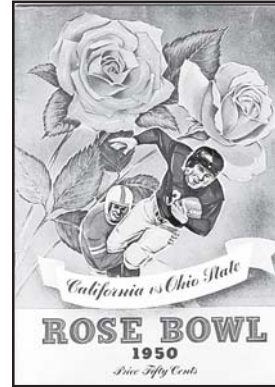
NORTHWESTERN 20
CALIFORNIA 14

Coach Pappy Waldorf will forever be remembered as one of the greatest coaches ever at California, and his 1948 team was the first of three consecutive Golden Bear teams he would lead to the Rose Bowl. The Bears of 1948 crushed their opponents en route to an undefeated, 10 win season, earning the team a berth in

the Rose Bowl of 1949. The Bears scored nearly three times as many total points as they allowed, and proved themselves as the top team on the West Coast.

The Rose Bowl of 1949 was billed as a battle of wits, as it pitted Pappy Waldorf against one of his former players, Northwestern coach Bob Voight. It proved to be an outstanding game, as the Bears matched the running of Jackie Jensen and Jack Swanner against Frank Aschenbrenner, Ed Tunnicliff, and Art Murakowski of Northwestern. Aschenbrenner opened the scoring with a 73-yard touchdown run in the first quarter, but Jensen returned the favor with a 67-yard scoring run of his own on the next series. The game may have been decided on a controversial touchdown in the second quarter, when Murakowski scored from the one-yard-line as he fumbled into the end zone. With Jensen sidelined with leg cramps, the Bears took the lead, 14-13, in the third quarter on a run by Swanner. Northwestern came back, however, to score the winning touchdown on a 43-yard run by Tunnicliff with 2:59 left in the game. Although the Bears lost the game, the final Associated Press Poll ranked California as the fourth best team in the nation.

California	7	0	7	0	-	14
Northwestern	7	6	0	7	-	20
				Cal		Northwestern
First Downs (rush,pass,pen.)			12 (8,4,0)			6 (5,1,0)
Rushing (Att-Net Yds.)			54-173			45-273
Passing (PC-PA-Int)			6-16-4			1-4-0
Passing Yards			83			17
Total Offensive Plays			70			49
Total Net Yardage			256			290



ROSE BOWL

JANUARY 2, 1950

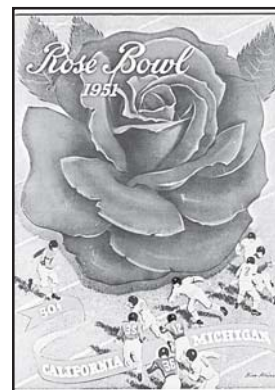
OHIO STATE 17
CALIFORNIA 14

The Golden Bears entered the 1950 Rose Bowl with a perfect 10-0 record and what many considered to be the West Coast's finest post-World War II team. Under coach Waldorf, the 1949 Bears were an even more dominant team than the previous year's Rose Bowl team, scoring an average of over 30 points per contest while only allowing

slightly over 11 points per game. Unfortunately for California, however, luck was not on their side.

The Bears had built a 7-0 halftime lead on a seven-yard run by Jim Monachino, but Ohio State scored 14 unanswered points to open a 14-7 lead at the end of the third quarter. Monachino stunned the Buckeyes early in the final period when his 44-yard touchdown run tied the score at 14-14, but the Bears were to be denied once again. A bad punt by Bob Celeri gave Ohio State the ball deep in California territory late in the game and Ohio State's Jim Hague kicked a 17-yard game-winning field goal with 1:57 left in the contest. The Bears had managed to lose two consecutive Rose Bowls, but if it was any consolation, the final Associated Press Poll ranked the Golden Bears as the third best team in the country.

California	0	7	0	7	-	14
Ohio State	0	0	14	3	-	17
				Cal		Ohio State
First Downs (rush,pass,pen.)			12 (8,3,1)			19 (18,1,0)
Rushing (Att-Net Yds.)			40-133			67-221
Passing (PC-PA-Int)			3-13-4			5-14-1
Passing Yards			106			34
Total Offensive Plays			53			81
Total Net Yardage			239			255



ROSE BOWL

JANUARY 1, 1951

MICHIGAN 14
CALIFORNIA 6

Pappy Waldorf took his Golden Bears team of 1950 to a third consecutive Rose Bowl. Again the Bears entered the Rose Bowl as an undefeated team that had laid waste to the Pacific Coast Conference. And once again California's string of hard-luck Rose Bowl defeats continued. The Bears appeared ready to give coach

Waldorf his first post-season victory, as they entered the game with a 9-0-1 record, having outscored opponents 218-76 during the season.

On the third play of the game, Pete Schabarum exploded on a 73-yard touchdown run that was wiped out because of a penalty. The Bears went ahead 6-0 in the second quarter on a 39-yard touchdown pass from Jim Marinos to Bob Cummings, and it looked as if the Bears might get that elusive Rose Bowl victory. After halftime, however, the Wolverines dominated the action. With only 5:37 left in the game, Michigan took the lead. Moments later they added a second touchdown to secure a 14-6 win over California.



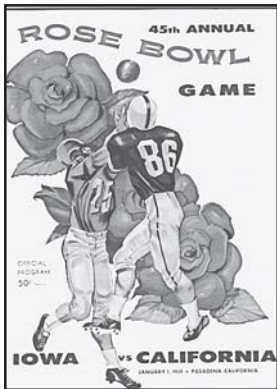
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Although Pappy was never able to lead California to a Rose Bowl victory, from the years 1947 to 1952, the Golden Bears compiled a 53-9-1 record under coach Waldorf. Even after the Bears lost to Michigan in 1951, California was ranked as high as the fourth best team in the nation in the final polls, making it three straight years that the Bears had finished among the top five teams in the country.

California	0	6	0	0	-	6
Michigan	0	0	0	14	-	14
			Cal	Michigan		
First Downs (rush,pass,pen.)	12	(11,1,0)	17	(8,8,1)		
Rushing (Att-Net Yds.)	51	-175	39	-145		
Passing (PC-PA-Int)	4	-8-0	15	-21-2		
Passing Yards		69		146		
Total Offensive Plays		59		60		
Total Net Yardage		244		291		

Bears, as California failed to answer the Owls rushing attack and suffered a 28-17 defeat. The Owls took control of the game early, scoring on their first three possessions to open a 21-0 first quarter lead. Campbell put the Bears back in the game on a pair of second quarter touchdown passes to Matt Bouza and Joe Rose, and in the fourth quarter, Mick Luckhurst's 34-yard field goal pulled California within four at 21-17. That was as close as the Bears were able to come, however, as Temple scored another touchdown late in the game for the win.

California	0	14	0	3	-	17
Temple	21	0	0	7	-	28
			Cal	Temple		
First Downs (rush,pass,pen.)	15	(3,11,1)	21	(17,4,0)		
Rushing (Att-Net Yds.)	24	-23	59	-300		
Passing (PC-PA-Int)	25	-39-1	9	-20-0		
Passing Yards		241		81		
Total Offensive Plays		63		79		
Total Net Yardage		264		381		



ROSE BOWL

JANUARY 1, 1959

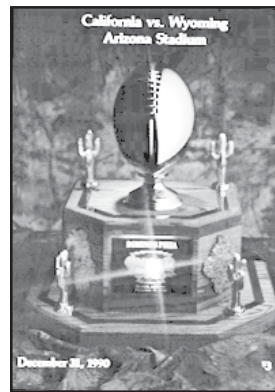
IOWA	38
CALIFORNIA	12

California's last Rose Bowl appearance was one that many Old Blues would like to forget. Behind quarterback Joe Kapp and halfback Jack Hart, the Bears defeated both USC and UCLA en route to a 7-3 record and the Pacific Coast Conference Championship. California was the premier team on the West Coast and on January 1, 1959,

the Bears faced Iowa in the Rose Bowl.

The Bears weren't given much of a chance of upending Iowa and California was true to form as the Hawkeyes recorded a convincing 38-12 victory. The Bears could do little to stop Iowa's powerful rushing game, as the Hawkeyes broke the Rose Bowl record for rushing yardage (429) and total offense (516). Iowa's Bob Jeter erased another Rose Bowl record with an 81-yard touchdown run and finished with 194 yards on only nine carries. Iowa had a commanding 20-0 halftime lead, then increased it to 32-6 after three quarters. Hart was able to score a pair of second half TDs on two runs, but it was hardly enough to turn the tide.

California	0	0	6	6	-	12
Iowa	7	13	12	6	-	38
			Cal	Iowa		
First Downs (rush,pass,pen.)	20	(15,5,0)	24	(18,5,1)		
Rushing (Att-Net Yds.)	53	-214	55	-429		
Passing (PC-PA-Int)	9	-20-2	9	-14-0		
Passing Yards		130		87		
Total Offensive Plays		73		69		
Total Net Yardage		344		516		



COPPER BOWL

DECEMBER 31, 1990

CALIFORNIA	17
WYOMING	15

The 1990 Golden Bears surprised the college football world by refuting predictions that they would be a last place team, capturing a 6-4-1 record and finishing in the top-half of the conference for the first time since 1979. Perhaps most memorable in the regular season, California put an end to "The Streak" by beating UCLA at Memorial Stadium and making a late rally to tie USC in Los Angeles. Under coach Bruce Snyder, the Bears awakened from their hibernation of the '80s and were hungry for their first bowl victory in more than half a century.

Against Wyoming in the Copper Bowl, the Bears offense, which was very potent during the regular season, had its poorest showing of the season, gaining only 261 total yards. Fortunately, California's defense rose to the occasion to yield a season-low 15 points. Quarterback Mike Pawlawski fired a 25-yard touchdown pass to Brian Treggs in the second quarter to give the Bears a lead they would never relinquish. Robbie Keen nailed a 46-yard field goal in the third quarter, and fullback Greg Zomalt bulled into the end zone from four yards out early in the fourth as the Bears built a 17-9 advantage. In the final minutes of the game, the Bears had to hold off a Cowboy rally that included a 70-yard punt return for a touchdown. However, California stuffed the two-point conversion attempt to seal the victory and gave Old Blues everywhere a special reason to celebrate New Year's Eve.

California	0	7	3	7	-	17
Wyoming	0	3	0	12	-	15
			Cal	Wyoming		
First Downs (rush,pass,pen.)	14	(5,9,0)	18	(7,10,1)		
Rushing (Att-Net Yds.)	46	-89	32	-129		
Passing (PC-PA-Int)	15	-26-1	20	-39-2		
Passing Yards		172		226		
Total Offensive Plays		72		71		
Total Net Yardage		261		355		



GARDEN STATE BOWL

DECEMBER 15, 1979

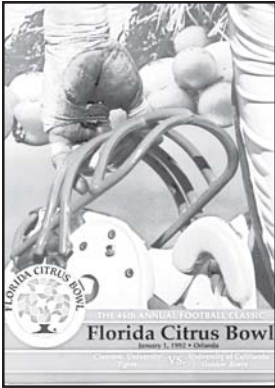
TEMPLE	28
CALIFORNIA	17

California returned to post-season play after 20 years at the 1979 Garden State Bowl. Behind quarterback Rich Campbell, Cal featured a good offense and a solid defense that only yielded 15 points per contest in the regular season. The Bears won their first two and last two games of the season, all on the road, including impressive victories over

Washington State and Stanford to bring home the Axe.

Facing Temple in the Garden State Bowl was no easy task for the





CITRUS BOWL

JANUARY 1, 1992

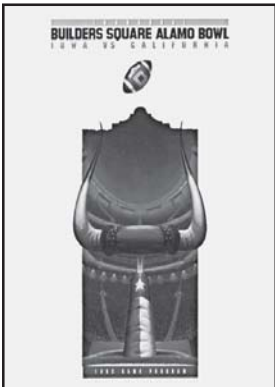
CALIFORNIA 37
CLEMSON 13

The Golden Bears made back-to-back bowl appearances for the first time in more than 40 years at the Florida Citrus Bowl. Led by quarterback Mike Pawlawski and tailback Russell White, the Bears had their most explosive offense since the 1975 team won the national scoring championship; in fact, the 1991 team put more points on the

board than any California team since the Wonder Team of 1920. The Bears brought a 9-2 record into their first Jan. 1 bowl game in 33 years, capping a season in which they scored a modern-day record 86 points against Pacific, won dramatic come-from-behind games at Arizona and at UCLA, and scored more points than any team in history against USC, a 52-30 whipping before a crowd of 70,000+ at Memorial Stadium.

In the Citrus Bowl, California faced a very tough Clemson squad that had one of the strongest defenses in college football, particularly against the rush. The Bears wasted little time being impressed, however, exploding for 17 first quarter points to leap to a comfortable lead before the Tigers knew what hit them. Among the first quarter highlights was a 72-yard punt return for a touchdown by Brian Treggs that just about crushed any hope Clemson had of coming back, as a ferocious Bear defense kept the Tigers at bay for the rest of the afternoon. Russell White gained 103 yards on 22 carries against a rush defense that had not allowed a 100-yard runner in nearly four years, and the Golden Bears proved to a national television audience that they were indeed one of the elite, Top-10 teams in the nation.

California	17	10	10	0	-	37
Clemson	3	7	3	0	-	13
			Cal	Clemson		
First Downs (rush,pass,pen.)			22 (8,11,3)	19 (13,5,1)		
Rushing (Att-Net Yds.)			42-146	44-206		
Passing (PC-PA-Int)			21-33-0	15-36-3		
Passing Yards			230	123		
Total Offensive Plays			75	80		
Total Net Yardage			376	329		



ALAMO BOWL

DECEMBER 31, 1993

CALIFORNIA 37
IOWA 3

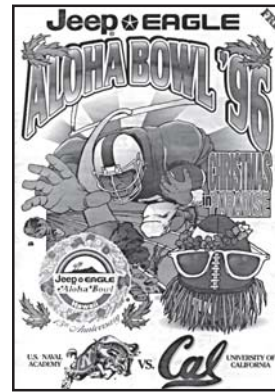
Riding a roller coaster of a regular season that began with five straight wins only to be followed by four consecutive losses and then three more victories, California received a bid to the inaugural Alamo Bowl in San Antonio, Texas, its third bowl in four years. The Bears scored on four of their first five possessions and completely shut

down the Iowa offensive attack, limiting the Hawkeyes to just 90 yards of total offense. As a result, Cal became the first Pac-10 school to post three bowl victories in the 1990s.

After three Doug Brien field goals gave Cal a 9-0 lead 20 minutes into the game, the Bears scored a pair of TDs in the final minute of the first half. With 35 seconds on the clock, quarterback Dave Barr hit Mike Caldwell for a six-yard score. Iowa tried to move quickly down field for a late score, but linebacker Jerrott Willard picked off a Paul Burmeister pass and rumbled 61 yards for the touchdown as time ran out, handing Cal a 23-0 halftime margin. Barr, who passed for two more scores in the second half to Iheanyi Uwaezuoke and Brian Remington, finished the game 21 of 28 for 266 yards, while Lindsey Chapman led the rushing attack with 89 yards. As a team, the Bears ended the contest with an impressive 43:14 to 16:46 time-of-possession advantage. The victory was so

impressive that Cal was ranked among the Top-25 teams in the nation in the final polls.

California	6	17	7	7	-	37
Iowa	0	0	3	0	-	3
			Cal	Iowa		
First Downs (rush,pass,pen.)			28 (14,13,1)	5 (2,3,0)		
Rushing (Att-Net Yds.)			55-179	21-20		
Passing (PC-PA-Int)			21-28-0	6-17-1		
Passing Yards			266	70		
Total Offensive Plays			83	38		
Total Net Yardage			445	90		



ALOHA BOWL

DECEMBER 25, 1996

NAVY 42
CALIFORNIA 38

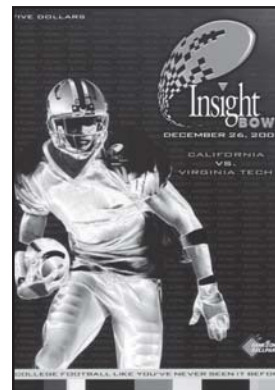
In a game that followed a pattern established throughout the 1996 season, Cal provided plenty of offensive fireworks, but a porous defense proved to be the Bears undoing in a 42-38 defeat to Navy in the Jeep Eagle Aloha Bowl on Dec. 25. Cal seemed to have the game well in hand with a 10-point lead late in the game, but re-

serve Navy quarterback Ben Fay came off the bench to rally the Midshipmen for a pair of touchdowns in the final eight minutes.

The game got off to a bang when Deltha O'Neal returned the opening kickoff 100 yards for a score. However, Cal missed the extra point and held a 6-0 lead 13 seconds into the contest. Once the Bears settled into their offense, they seemed to score at will in the first half, putting together drives of 81, 73, 35 and 61 yards en route to taking a 35-28 halftime lead. Quarterback Pat Barnes threw for three scores, two to wideout Bobby Shaw and one to tight end Sean Bullard, and O'Neal had a 31-yard TD scamper.

Cal, though, could manage only a 41-yard Ryan Longwell field goal in the second half, before Navy put on its late rush, culminating on a 10-yard TD run by Fay with 1:41 left in the contest.

Navy	7	21	0	14	-	42
California	13	22	3	0	-	38
			Cal	Navy		
First Downs (rush,pass,pen.)			24 (7,17,0)	25 (12,12,1)		
Rushing (Att-Net Yds.)			38-121	50-251		
Passing (PC-PA-Int)			27-38-0	14-21-1		
Passing Yards			313	395		
Total Offensive Plays			76	71		
Total Net Yardage			434	646		



INSIGHT BOWL

DECEMBER 26, 2003

CALIFORNIA 52
VIRGINIA TECH 49

After 98 points and 1,081 yards of offense, the Insight Bowl came down to a 35-yard field goal try, and Tyler Fredrickson made the final kick of his Cal career as time expired to give the Bears a 52-49 victory over Virginia Tech.

Cal's Aaron Rodgers and Virginia Tech's Bryan Randall each flirted with 400 yards passing in an aerial duel that saw both teams rally from 14-point deficits. Rodgers was 27-of-35 for 394 yards and two TDs. He also ran for two scores and was named the game's offensive MVP. Randall was 24-for-34 for 398 yards and tied an Insight Bowl-record with four TD passes.

Chase Lyman, starting in place of injured WR Geoff McArthur, caught five passes for Cal bowl-record 149 yards, including a 33-yarder for a touchdown.

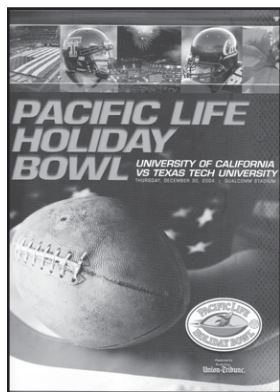


BOWL HISTORY (continued)

Rodgers, 15-for-17 for 245 yards in the second half, scored on an 8-yard option play to put Cal up 42-28 with 48 seconds left in the third quarter. Virginia Tech came back as DeAngelo Hall reversed his field for a 52-yard punt return that tied the game at 49-49 with 3:11 remaining.

The winning drive came after Brandon Pace's kickoff went out of bounds and gave Cal the ball on the 35. Rodgers completed three passes to the Hokie 20-yard line, and a five-yard run by J.J. Arrington set up Fredrickson's winning field goal on the game's final play.

California	7	14	21	10	-	52
Virginia Tech	21	7	0	21	-	49
			VT			Cal
First Downs (rush,pass,pen.)		27 (8, 18, 1)		27 (9, 17, 1)		
Rushing (Att-Net Yds.)		26-153		41-136		
Passing (PC-PA-Int)		24-36-0		27-35-0		
Passing Yards		398		394		
Total Offensive Plays		62		76		
Total Net Yardage		551		530		



HOLIDAY BOWL

DECEMBER 30, 2004

TEXAS TECH 45
CALIFORNIA 31

Sonny Cumbie threw for a career-high 520 yards and three touchdowns, including a 60-yarder to Joel Filani, and safety Vincent Meeks set up a score with a 48-yard interception return, as 21st-ranked Texas Tech upended California, 45-31, in the Pacific Life Holiday Bowl Dec. 30 in San Diego.

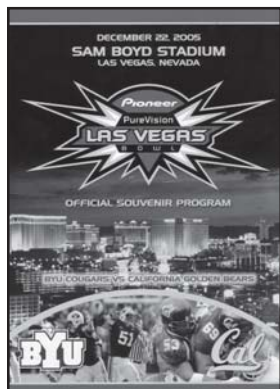
Cumbie was 39-of-60 and broke the Holiday Bowl attempts record of 59 set by BYU's Ty Detmer in 1989.

Cal's J.J. Arrington became just the third running back in Pac-10 history to rush for 2,000 yards in a season. The senior carried 25 times for 173 yards against Tech, finishing the year with 2,018 yards. His 2-yard run in the first quarter was his 15th of the year, breaking Cal's season record.

Tech had four scoring drives that took less than two minutes each. Trailing 14-7 after the first quarter, the Red Raiders scored 24 straight points and had a commanding 31-14 lead by early in the third quarter.

Cal QB Aaron Rodgers threw an 11-yard TD pass to Garrett Cross and scored on a 1-yard sneak, both in the fourth quarter.

Texas Tech	7	17	14	7	-	45
California	14	0	3	14	-	31
			TT			Cal
First Downs (rush,pass,pen.)		30 (8-18-4)		27 (11-15-1)		
Rushing (Att-Net Yds.)		21-77		39-221		
Passing (PC-PA-Int)		39-60-0		24-42-1		
Passing Yards		520		246		
Total Offensive Plays		81		81		
Total Net Yardage		597		467		



LAS VEGAS BOWL

DECEMBER 22, 2005

CALIFORNIA 35
BYU 28

Sophomore tailback Marshawn Lynch rushed for career highs of 194 yards and three touchdowns to win the MVP award and DeSean Jackson caught two scoring passes before Cal's defense held off Brigham Young in the Golden Bears' 35-28 victory in the 2005 Pioneer PureVision Las

Vegas Bowl.

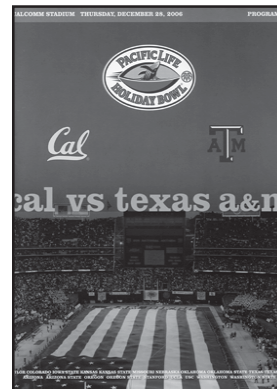
Junior Steve Levy passed for 228 yards in his second career start for the Bears (8-4), who hung on against BYU's fourth-quarter comeback in a high-octane game featuring 915 total yards.

Cal took a 21-point lead into the final quarter after Lynch's 35-yard scoring run and Jackson's exceptional 22-yard diving TD catch in the third. But BYU quarterback John Beck responded with scoring passes to Jonny Harline and Todd Watkins, whose 9-yard grab with 5:35 left cut Cal's lead to seven points.

The Bears missed a 50-yard field goal with 2:20 to play in the fourth, but the Cougars moved just 7 yards before Beck's arm was hit by Cal lineman Phillip Mbakogu on the ensuing series. Daymeion Hughes intercepted the wobbling pass to seal the Bears' second bowl victory in three postseason trips under head coach Jeff Tedford.

The Bears' stars were the difference. Jackson scored on a 42-yard romp through the BYU secondary 3 seconds before halftime, while Lynch had scoring runs of 3, 23 and 35 yards along with a handful of jaw-dropping second-effort rushes. His yards and touchdowns also were Cal bowl records.

BYU	0	14	0	14	-	28
California	7	14	14	0	-	35
				BYU		CAL
First Downs (rush, pass, pen.)		27		26		
Rushing (Att-Net Yds.)		27-94		43-241		
Passes (PC-PA-Int)		35-53-2		16-23-0		
Passing Yards		352		228		
Total Offensive Plays		70		66		
Total Net Yardage		80-446		66-469		



HOLIDAY BOWL

DECEMBER 28, 2006

CALIFORNIA 45
TEXAS A&M 14

California had its largest margin of victory in bowl history with a 45-10 victory over Texas A&M in the Pacific Life Holiday Bowl. The win also gave the Bears their third in their last four bowl games played.

In his final game in a Bear uniform, Marshawn Lynch rushed for 111 yards and two touchdowns and was selected as the game's co-offensive MVP. Teammate Justin Forsett, the game's leading rusher with 124 yards, also found the endzone in the fourth quarter on an eight-yard dash.

Quarterback Nate Longshore had a sound statistical game completing 19-of-24 passes for 235 yards and a touchdown, en route to co-offensive MVP honors. Longshore also scored a touchdown on the ground when he plunged into the endzone from one yard out in the first quarter to even the score at 7-7.

Not to be overshadowed by the offense, linebacker Desmond Bishop recorded a game-high 12 tackles to earn Defensive MVP honors.

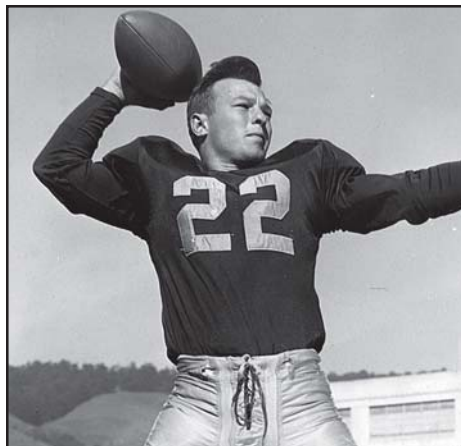
The Cal defensive unit was spectacular, allowing just 10 points, including a shutout in the second half. San Diego native, Mickey Pimentel recorded seven tackles, while Eddie Young intercepted a pass (his first career INT) in the fourth quarter highlighting the other defensive notables.

Texas A&M	7	3	0	0	-	14
California	7	7	14	17	-	45
				A & M		CAL
First Downs (rush, pass, pen.)		9, 11, 1		11, 11, 0		
Rushing (Att-Net Yds.)		38-163		32-241		
Passes (PC-PA-Int)		18-29-1		19-24-1		
Passing Yards		186		235		
Total Offensive Plays		67		56		
Total Net Yardage		349		476		





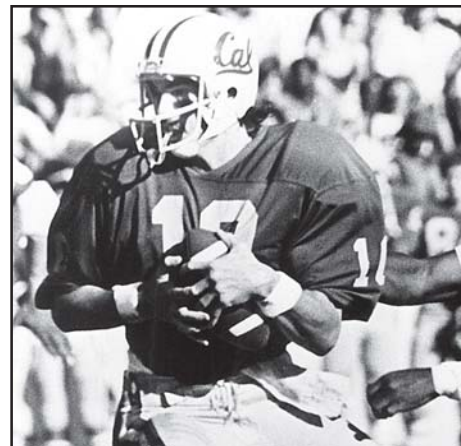
BOWL HISTORY & RECORDS



Bob Celeri



Marshawn Lynch



Matt Bouza

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

RUSHING

Attempts: 34, Vic Bottari vs. Alabama, 1938 Rose Bowl
Yards: 194, Marshawn Lynch vs. BYU, 2005 Pioneer PureVision Las Vegas Bowl
Touchdowns: 3, Marshawn Lynch vs. BYU, 2005 Pioneer PureVision Las Vegas Bowl
Longest Rush: 67, Jackie Jensen vs. Northwestern, 1949 Rose Bowl

PASSING

Attempts: 42, Aaron Rodgers vs. Texas Tech, 2004 Holiday Bowl
Completions: 27, Pat Barnes vs. Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl
 27, Aaron Rodgers vs. Virginia Tech, 2003 Insight Bowl
Yards: 394, Aaron Rodgers vs. Virginia Tech, 2003 Insight Bowl
Touchdowns: 3, Pat Barnes vs. Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl
 3, Dave Barr vs. Iowa, 1993 Alamo Bowl
Interceptions: 3, Bob Celeri vs. Ohio State, 1950 Rose Bowl
Completion Percentage: 79.2% (19-24), Nate Longshore vs. Texas A&M, 2006 Holiday Bowl
Longest Pass: 54, Bob Celeri to Frank Brunk vs. Ohio State, 1950 Rose Bowl

RECEIVING

Receptions: 9, Tony Gonzalez vs. Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl
Yards: 149, Chase Lyman vs. Virginia Tech, 2003 Insight Bowl
Touchdowns: 2, Bobby Shaw vs. Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl
 2, DeSean Jackson vs. BYU, 2005 Pioneer PureVision Las Vegas Bowl
Longest Reception: 54, Frank Brunk from Bob Celeri vs. Ohio State, 1950 Rose Bowl

SCORING

Points: 18, Marshawn Lynch vs. BYU, 2005 Pioneer PureVision Las Vegas Bowl
Touchdowns: 3, Marshawn Lynch vs. BYU, 2005 Pioneer PureVision Las Vegas Bowl
Kicking Points: 13, Doug Brien vs. Iowa, 1993 Alamo Bowl
 13, Doug Brien vs. Clemson, 1992 Citrus Bowl
Extra Points: 7, Tyler Fredrickson vs. Virginia Tech, 2003 Insight Bowl
Field Goals: 3, Doug Brien vs. Iowa, 1993 Alamo Bowl
 3, Doug Brien vs. Clemson, 1992 Citrus Bowl
Field Goal Attempts: 3, Doug Brien vs. Iowa, 1993 Alamo Bowl
 3, Doug Brien vs. Clemson, 1992 Citrus Bowl
Longest Field Goal: 46, Robbie Keen vs. Wyoming, 1990 Copper Bowl

PUNTING

Punts: 13, Archie Nesbit vs. Washington & Jefferson, 1922 Rose Bowl
Punting Yards: 516, Archie Nesbit vs. Washington & Jefferson, 1922 Rose Bowl
Punting Average: 52.8, Ryan Longwell vs. Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl
Longest Punt: 72, Ryan Longwell vs. Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl

PUNT RETURNS

Returns: 5, Brian Treggs vs. Clemson, 1992 Citrus Bowl
Return Yards: 124, Brian Treggs vs. Clemson, 1992 Citrus Bowl
Longest Return: 72, Brian Treggs vs. Clemson, 1992 Citrus Bowl
Punt Return Touchdowns: 1, Brian Treggs vs. Clemson, 1992 Citrus Bowl

KICKOFF RETURNS

Returns: 6, Deltha O'Neal vs. Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl
 6, Marshawn Lynch vs. Texas Tech, 2004 Holiday Bowl
Return Yards: 186, Deltha O'Neal vs. Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl
Longest Return: 100, Deltha O'Neal vs. Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl
Kickoff Return Touchdowns: 1, Deltha O'Neal vs. Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl (100 yards)

PASSES DEFENDED

Interceptions: 1, many times. Last time: **Eddie Young vs. Texas A&M, 2006 Holiday Bowl**
Return Yards: 61, Jerrott Willard vs. Iowa, 1993 Alamo Bowl
Longest Return: 61, Jerrott Willard vs. Iowa, 1993 Alamo Bowl
Interception Return Touchdowns: 1, Jerrott Willard vs. Iowa, 1993 Alamo Bowl (61 yards)
Passes Broken Up: 3, Harrison Smith vs. Texas Tech, 2004 Holiday Bowl

FUMBLES

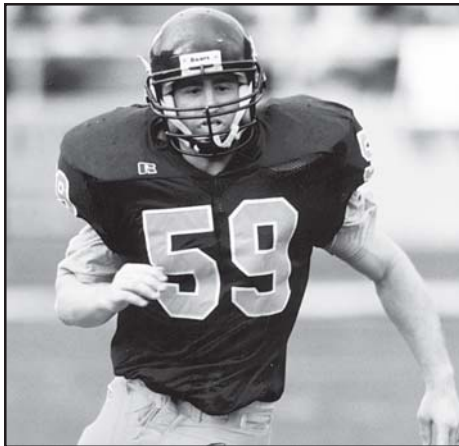
Recoveries: 1, many times. Last time: Harrison Smith vs. Texas Tech, 2004 Holiday Bowl
Return Yards: 5, Andre Rhodes vs. Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl
Longest Return: 5, Andre Rhodes vs. Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl
Fumble Return Touchdowns: 0

TACKLES

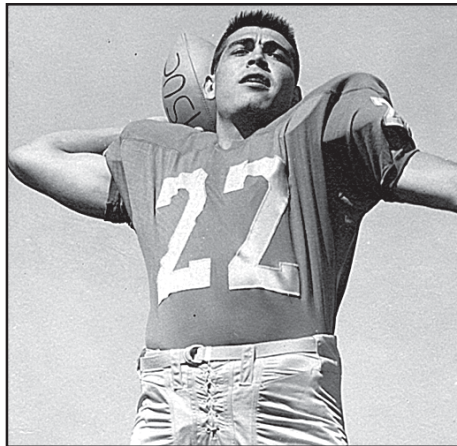
Total Tackles: 15, Greg Bracelin vs. Temple, 1979 Garden State Bowl
Tackles for Loss: 4, Jerrott Willard vs. Iowa, 1993 Alamo Bowl
Sacks: 2, many times. Last time: Jerrott Willard vs. Iowa, 1993 Alamo Bowl



BOWL HISTORY & RECORDS (continued)



Matt Beck



Joe Kapp



Brian Treggs

TEAM RECORDS

CALIFORNIA

Points: 52 vs. Virginia Tech, 2003 Insight Bowl
First Downs: 28 vs. Iowa, 1993 Alamo Bowl
Rushing Attempts: 55 vs. Iowa, 1993 Alamo Bowl
 55 vs. Iowa, 1959 Rose Bowl
Rushing Yards: 244 vs. Ohio State, 1921 Rose Bowl
Rushing Touchdowns: 5 vs. Virginia Tech, 2003 Insight Bowl
 5 vs. Texas A&M, 2006 Holiday Bowl
Passing Attempts: 42 vs. Texas Tech, 2004 Holiday Bowl
Passing Completions: 27 vs. Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl
 27 vs. Virginia Tech, 2003 Insight Bowl
Completion Percentage: 79.2% (19-24) vs. Texas A&M, 2006
 Holiday Bowl
Passing Yards: 394 vs. Virginia Tech, 2003 Insight Bowl
Passing Touchdowns: 3 vs. Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl
 3 vs. Iowa, 1993 Alamo Bowl
Had Intercepted: 4 vs. Ohio State, 1950 Rose Bowl
 4 vs. Northwestern, 1949 Rose Bowl
Total Plays: 83 vs. Iowa, 1993 Alamo Bowl
Total Yards: 530 vs. Virginia Tech, 2003 Insight Bowl
Fumbles Lost: 2 many times. Last time: vs. Iowa, 1959 Rose Bowl
Penalties: 9 vs. Ohio State, 1950 Rose Bowl; 9 vs. BYU, 2005
 Pioneer PureVision Las Vegas Bowl
Penalty Yards: 85 vs. BYU, 2005 Pioneer PureVision Las
 Vegas Bowl
Sacks: 7 vs. Wyoming, 1990 Copper Bowl
Tackles for Loss: 9 vs. BYU, 2005 Pioneer PureVision Las
 Vegas Bowl

OPPONENT

Points: 49, Virginia Tech, 2003 Insight Bowl
First Downs: 30, Texas Tech, 2004 Holiday Bowl
Rushing Attempts: 67, Ohio State, 1950 Rose Bowl
Rushing Yards: 429, Iowa, 1959 Rose Bowl
Rushing Touchdowns: 6, Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl
Passing Attempts: 60, Texas Tech, 2004 Holiday Bowl
Passing Completions: 39, Texas Tech, 2004 Holiday Bowl
Completion Percentage: 71.4% (15-21), Michigan, 1951 Rose Bowl
Passing Yards: 520, Texas Tech, 2004 Holiday Bowl
Passing Touchdowns: 4, Virginia Tech, 2003 Insight Bowl
Had Intercepted: 3, Clemson, 1992 Citrus Bowl
Total Plays: 81, Ohio State, 1950 Rose Bowl
 81, Texas Tech, 2004 Holiday Bowl
Total Yards: 646, Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl
Fumbles: 5, Georgia Tech, 1929 Rose Bowl
Penalties: 12, BYU, 2005 Pioneer PureVision Las Vegas Bowl
Penalty Yards: 103 BYU, 2005 Pioneer PureVision Las Vegas Bowl
Sacks: 5, Iowa, 1993 Alamo Bowl
Tackles for Loss: 11, Navy, 1996 Aloha Bowl

