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Notre Dame was rated as the No. 1 college football team in the country for the second consecutive week on the basis of returns from The Associated Press poll yesterday.

The unbeaten and untied Irish, looking better with each game, were superb in subduing Navy, 27—0, last Saturday for their sixtn straight victory. As a result most of the experts hopped on the Notre Dame bandwagon with 106 of the 186 voters selecting them as the No. 1 team.

Michigan, dethroned by the Irish last week, clung to second place by virtue of its 14-7 victory over Illinois. Southern Methodist, eighth a week ago, made the biggest climb, vaulting into third place by beating Texas 14—13, in a Southwest thriller.

Team standings with points fig-
ured on a 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 basis
(first place votes in parentheses):
1-Notre Dame (106)
2-Michigan (56)
3-Southern Methodist (7)1187
4—Pennsyvania (8)
5-Southern California (2)1082
6-Georgia Tech (6)1041
7-Penn State (2)
8—Texas
9-Army
10–Virginia
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11, Illinois, 177; 12, California, 86;
13, Duke, 71; 14, Purdue, 66; 15, Wil-
liam and Mary, 44: 16. Alabama, 41;
11, Columbia, 27; 18, North Carolina 1
18; 19, Wisconsin, 17; 20, Yale, 13.
Others receiving votes were Kansas
and Wake Forest, each 7: Minnesota
6: Missouri, 4: Maryland and Ne-
vada, each 3; Rutgers, Boston Col-
lege, Texas Christian. Utah and
Catawba, each 2; Wesleyan, 1.