

The Tip-Off

By BILL PHIPPS

THE Pacific coast basketball champions come to the campus tonight. This year the crown rests aslant the brow of the Beaver of Oregon State. After splitting the opening series of the season with Washington State, the Orangemen will go into their third game of the year tonight determined to bolster their average in "Slats" Gill the league standings at the Webfoots' expense before they start their northern invasion after a second game with Oregon next week at Corvallis.

Minus the valuable services of the gangling Ed Lewis, all-American and all-coast center last year, Coach Amory T. "Slats" Gill and his lads are facing a tough proposition to retain the title this winter. Without the tremendous advantage gained through the towering Lewis' consistent control of the tip, the Staters hope to take two games from the Ducks while they perfect their floor game to a point where they can stop Washington, Idaho and, when they meet again, Washington State.

With Captain "Skeet" O'Connell and George Hibbard again at forwards and that pair of air-tight guards, Carl Lenchitsky and Red McDonald, Gill has the same outfit, with the exception of Lewis, who brought the hunting to Corvallis last year.

The questionable cog in the Staters' machine this year is the center position. Wilbur Kidder, a sophomore who is only six-feet three-inches tall is not only inexperienced but he is too short to assure the tip for the Beavers much of the time. Kidder works well in Gill's floor pattern, however, and is a real scoring threat if his pre-season record is a true indication of his point-getting ability. He piled up 63 markers to lead the Beaver scorers before the conference opened.

The advance dope imparts the information that the most startling thing about the Orange this season is the decided improvement of George Hibbard over last year. Hibbard, who is in his second year of varsity competition, is now more aggressive than he was last season and has developed into a constant scoring threat from any position on the floor during offensive operations.

Just when things looked pretty good for Bill Reinhart, the old injury vendor called around at the Igloo to cast his dark shadow over the Oregon squad. The old gent passed out his bad medicine to only one of the Webfoots, however, but after he paid his respects and strolled out, it was doubtful if Willie Jones would be able to go against the champions tonight. A hard knock on the knee left the giant young sophomore with a lame leg yesterday.

Willie with a two-inch height advantage over Kidder would give the Ducks a good chance to start their scoring plays right from the center circle. If Jones is unable to function in the lineup tonight Oregon will be at the same disadvantage she was during the Cougar series when getting possession of the ball depended solely upon close checking on defense until the ball

Frosh Quint, Franklin Hi Meet Today

Tilt Scheduled for Igloo Court at 3:30

Freshman Squad Shows Promise By 47-18 Victory Over Eugene High

In their third tilt of the season, Gene Shields' Frosh cagers will tackle the tough Franklin high Quakers from Portland at the McArthur court floor at 3:30 today.

The Franklin mentor, Chappie King, is a former student and letterman from the University and coached football and basketball at University high school two years ago.

Quakers Boast Power
 In the Portland city conference last year the Kingmen started out with wealth of experienced material and made a good showing. This year King has practically the same squad back again, and with a season's experience behind them, the Quakers are judged by many to be the logical contenders for the Portland high school conference throne, now occupied by Lincoln.

The Frosh hoopsters showed a good deal of promise last Wednesday when they trimmed Eugene high 47-18. Williamson and Lewis played well and Murray controlled the tip-off at center.

Shields Names Squad
 The ducklings looked ragged at times against the much weaker Eugene outfit. The players tried to play an individual game instead of making the combination run smoothly. However, with such a large number of men trying for positions on the duckling squad, Shields will soon find a team that clicks.

The probable starting line-up will be chosen from the following men: centers, Harry Helmken, Joe Murray, Arthur Guthrie; forwards, John Lewis, Dale Hardesty, Bob Rundlett, Roy Williamson; guards, Arnold Faust, Sid Milligan, Sam Liebowitz, Roy Northam. There are others who may get the call during the game.

No admission will be charged at the game.

Bar Performers Billed For Half-Time Tonight

R. K. Cutler's horizontal bar experts will appear before the student body for the first time this year when they perform between halves at the Oregon-Oregon State basketball game tonight.

Cutler, men's gym instructor, has been working hard with his proteges and promises to give the students a real show.

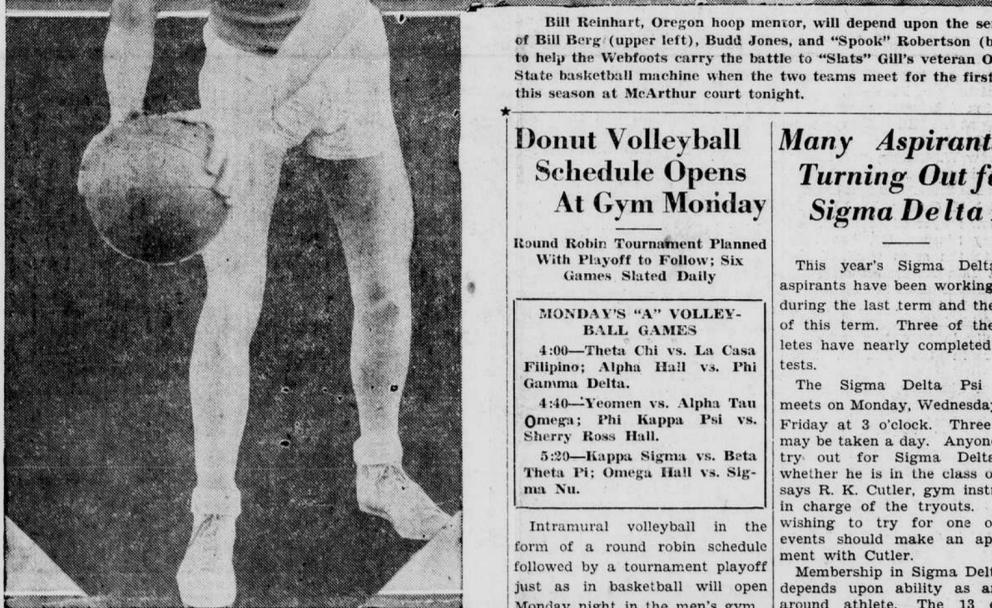
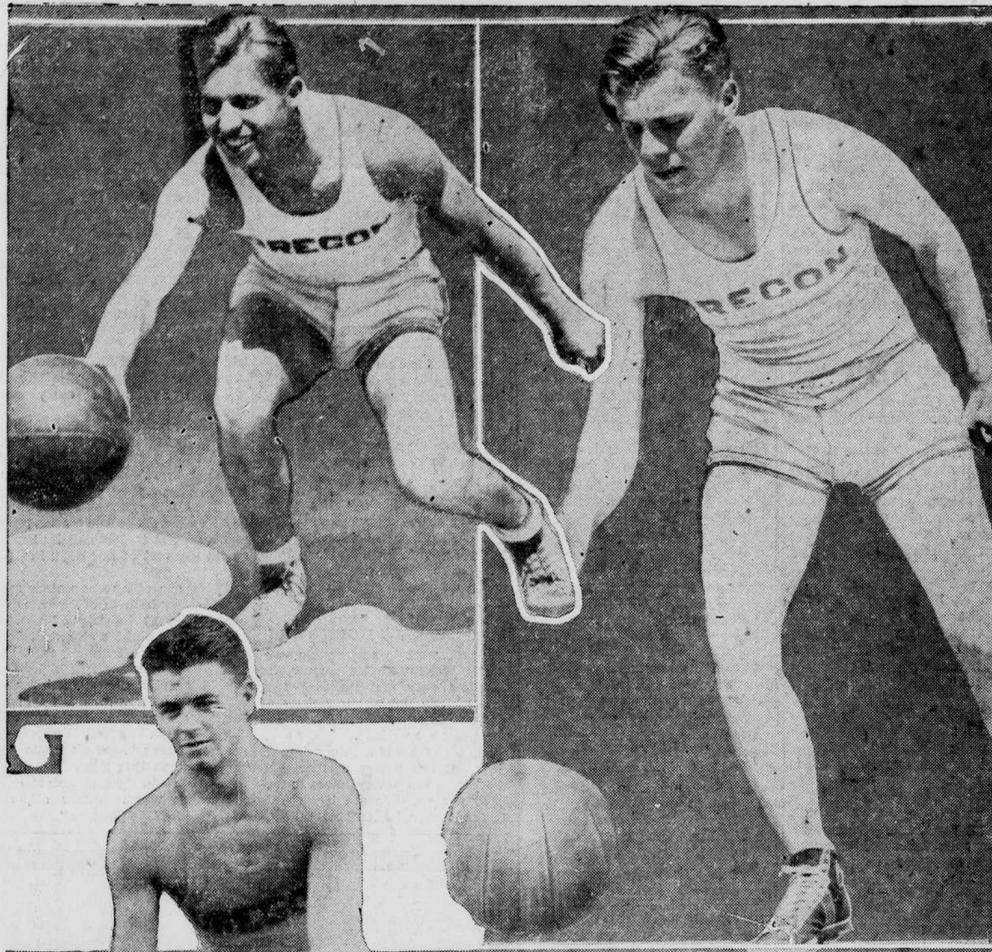
Those who will perform on the bar tonight include Bob Close, George Schenk, Mickey and Eddie Vail, Morry Pease, and Ford Young.

could be recovered and the scoring attempts started.

By the way, speaking of coast champions—it is seldom that Oregon students and Eugene fans get a chance to see the title-holders in action. The last time a team from the northern division cleaned the coast was in 1931 when the Washington Huskies headed by Hank Swanson, Johnny Fuller and Ralph Cairney brought the honors into the Northwest after taking two out of three from California.

Useless statistics: Stanford piled up a total of 2154 yards from scrimmage last season to 1119 for all the Indians' opponents.

These Webfoots Will Flash Against Coast Champs Tonight



Bill Reinhart, Oregon hoop mentor, will depend upon the services of Bill Berg (upper left), Budd Jones, and "Spook" Robertson (below) to help the Webfoots carry the battle to "Slats" Gill's veteran Oregon State basketball machine when the two teams meet for the first time this season at McArthur court tonight.

Donut Volleyball Schedule Opens At Gym Monday

Round Robin Tournament Planned With Playoff to Follow; Six Games Slated Daily

MONDAY'S "A" VOLLEYBALL GAMES
 4:00—Theta Chi vs. La Casa Filipino; Alpha Hall vs. Phi Gamma Delta.
 4:40—Yeomen vs. Alpha Tau Omega; Phi Kappa Psi vs. Sherry Ross Hall.
 5:20—Kappa Sigma vs. Beta Theta Pi; Omega Hall vs. Sigma Nu.

Intramural volleyball in the form of a round robin schedule followed by a tournament playoff just as in basketball will open Monday night in the men's gym.

Six games will be scheduled each evening with two contests taking place at the same time at opposite ends of the gym floor.

As the net game counts almost as much as basketball in the final donut point standings for the year, indications point to a lively tournament with all teams centered on upsetting the Betas from their perch at the top of the point standings.

Last year's games proved interesting with some of the matches approaching football games in brutality when some of the ex-football kings, including Mikulak and Cuppoletti, got rather rough.

Extension Work Plans Arranged

Definite plans for correspondence work under the CWA adult education plan have been formulated according to an announcement made Friday by Miss Mozelle Hair, head of the correspondence department of the extension division of the University.

The extension division is working with C. A. Howard, state superintendent of schools, C. D. Adams, chairman of the committee of civil works service projects and education in Oregon, and Harriet C. Long, state librarian.

About thirty special correspondence courses in eight subjects will be offered with the possibility of more being added later. Announcements of the plan have just gone to press and will be available the first of next week.

Many Aspirants Turning Out for Sigma Delta Psi

This year's Sigma Delta Psi aspirants have been working hard during the last term and the first of this term. Three of the athletes have nearly completed their tests.

The Sigma Delta Psi class meets on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 3 o'clock. Three tests may be taken a day. Anyone may try out for Sigma Delta Psi whether he is in the class or not, says R. K. Cutler, gym instructor in charge of the tryouts. Those wishing to try for one of the events should make an appointment with Cutler.

Membership in Sigma Delta Psi depends upon ability as an all-around athlete. The 13 events and the standing records for them are as follows:

100-yard dash—10.3 seconds, Hal Lewis.
 120-yard low hurdles—15. seconds, Voegtly.
 High jump—6 feet, Bill Palmer.
 Broad jump—22 feet 8 inches, Bill Palmer.
 Shot Put—35 feet 10 inches, Paul Lafferty.
 Baseball throw—297 feet 8 inches, Ladd Sherman.
 Football punt—60 yards 2 feet 4 inches, Clarence Nye.
 100-yard swim—1:02, 4-5, Paul Lafferty.

Mile run—5 minutes 26 seconds, Tallant Greenough and Ladd Sherman.
 Javelin throw—188 feet, Bill Palmer.
 Handstand—37 seconds, Robert Van Nice.
 Fence vault—5 feet 11 inches, R. K. Cutler.
 Rope climb—9-10 seconds, Voegtly.

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New Champs Take Crowns as Boxing Tournament Ends

Wilson Pounds Out Verdict Over Owen In Fast Bout; Konopka and Gibson Cop Titles

Alan Wilson gained a close decision over Elton Owen in the men's gym ring last night to cop the 165-pound title, in the fastest and best bout in the finals of the all-campus boxing tournament, which saw six other new champs crowned.

Catching Owen off guard in the first few seconds of the initial round, Wilson kept boring in with a hard right to have the advantage until the middle of the third round, when Owen enticed him into a slugfest where Wilson came out second best.

Both Boys Groggy
 Up until that time Wilson, with his longer reach, punished Owen severely and although Owen was returning his punches he did little to hurt Wilson. However, after a few seconds of slugging, they were both groggy but Wilson did not polish off Owen, as he might have done had he kept cool.

Gibson Has Fast Left
 Displaying the cleverest boxing of any man on the schedule, Comet Gibson gained a clean-cut decision over the veteran Ed Goodnough. Comet lived up to his name with a fast left that carried a punch. Gibson was also clever in his clinches, although it was here that Goodnough got in some good infighting that slowed his opponent down. There was plenty of action all through the fight with Goodnough taking quite a bit of punishment from Gibson's left and not able to hurt his opponent much.

Boat Amusing
 Dayton Stoddard and Tom Mountain furnished the 400 spectators attending with the most amusing bout of the evening, with Stoddard getting the decision after an extra round.

Mountain at times almost forgot he wasn't on the wrestling mat and the match was a rough and tumble affair. Stoddard was easily the better boxer of the two, and after he grew tired and stopped his shadow box dance, he waded in during the final round and pushed Mountain all over the ring.

Smith Pushed Around
 In the heavyweight bout, Bob Konopka appeared to challenge the veteran Sanford Smith. Konopka pushed his heavier opponent all over the ring to earn an easy decision. The initial round was fast with neither man dishing out much punishment. In the last two rounds Konopka took the aggressive and easily outpointed Smith as he drove in many hard blows.

In the 175-pound event Frank Cross and Ed Kendall tangled in a good slugging match, with Cross punishing his opponent with a shower of hard blows. Cross bored in hard all through the fight and knocked the game Kendall out of the ring in the last few seconds. He couldn't quite finish Kendall though, as the latter fell into clinches to save himself.

Povey and Huggins Lose
 Max Donnelly edged out a decision over Craig Povey in the hardest bout on the card for the judges to decide. Both boys mixed it throughout, with Donnelly more on the aggressive. The first two rounds were even, and it was only in the final one that Donnelly's punches scored to give him the nod at the bell.

With Eddie Vail unable to make the weight limit, his brother Mickey substituted for him and upheld the honor of the Vail family with an easy decision over Jack Huggins. In the opening round both boys pecked at each other but in the other two Vail landed several hard ones and played around with Huggins in the final session, after he had downed him for the count.

Bossing Will Speak
 Dr. N. L. Bossing, of the school of education, will speak to an institute group of Douglas county in Roseburg January 27. He will give two talks at the one-day meeting.

MEET THE CHAMPIONS!

After fighting their ways through the finals of the all-campus boxing tournament yesterday, the seven mitt-slingers listed below now sit on thrones, the crowned champions of their respective divisions:

Bob Konopka	heavyweight
Frank Gross	175
Alan Wilson	165
Dayton Stoddard	155
Comet Gibson	145
Max Donnelly	135
Mickey Vail	125

ATO Wins Over Sherry Ross Hall In Donut Game

Theta Chi Take Game From Phi Deltas in Tough Handball Tournament

MONDAY'S HANDBALL GAMES

4:00—Phi Gamma Delta vs. Yeomen.
 5:00—Zeta Hall vs. Sigma Alpha Mu.

In the closest matches on the donut handball schedule so far, Theta Chi and Alpha Tau Omega last night won their way into the third bracket of play with victories over Phi Delta Theta and Sherry Ross Hall.

The A. T. O.'s walked off with both their singles and doubles matches from the hall boys, with Whitley winning easily from Comstock 21-9, 21-12, Edwards having a little tougher time trimming Johnson 20-22, 21-10, 21-14, and the doubles combination of Kinley and Whitley upsetting Yturri and Bullock 7-21, 23-21, 21-16.

The Phi Delt doubles team of Chamberlain and Schweiker were the only ones to furnish any opposition for Theta Chi, as they upset Brown and Helberg 21-19, 13-21, 21-13. Mulder and Van Nice lost their singles games to Woodward and Rogers 13-21, 19-21 and 21-19, 13-21, 20-21.

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University High Defeats Franklin 22-17 in Fast Tilt

Golden Tide Established as Title Contenders; To Clash With Springfield Tonight

In a fast game the Golden Tide of University high last night downed the Franklin Quakers of Portland by a 22-17 score. The outcome was a distinct upset, as the Quakers had previously been considered one of the strongest of the quintets in the Rose City prep loop.

The score at half time favored the campus outfit 15-7. Although the Quakers threatened to rally, the local team had the situation well in hand, and never relinquished the lead. Sam Igoe of University high was high scorer with seven points. Smeenk of the Portlanders rang up five points. Stafford, of the Golden Tide, made four points, besides playing a stellar defensive game.

The game established the campus boys as serious contenders for the state title, and outstanding favorites to cop the lower Willamette valley "A" league pennant. Besides University high, Eugene, Springfield, Roseburg, and Corvallis high schools are represented in this league. The campus outfit holds a win over Roseburg, and plays Springfield tomorrow night at 6:30 in the men's gym.

Women's Athletics

By BETTY SHOEMAKER

Rain or shine, campus coeds join the Exploration hike this afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock. All planning to go meet in front of Gerlinger hall at 2 o'clock.

Just a hint for the mermaids. Better come out for practice. Marion Vinson missed breaking the 40-yard free style record this week by one second. The record as it stands is 26.5 seconds.

Next week all those wishing may be timed. This is just to give you an idea of how much you will have to improve your speed.

It is rumored that Kappa Alpha Theta entered a swimming team. Looks like the competition for the Seller trophy will be keen.

Basketball practice Monday afternoon from 5 to 6 o'clock. Houses should plan to enter teams to compete for the intramural basketball cup.

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