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Baseball Opener

Rained Out; Play

Anonymous Field

We promise that this will be the last time the sports department will use this name. Hereafter Oregon's baseball diamond is Howe field. Read today's story.

EMERALD SPORTS

This Swing Postponed

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, EUGENE, SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 1936

SPORT CHAT Ducks Are Hosts

of innocent and unsuspecting basehas fallen ?"

An to that question there is no Portland University Is answer. No one from doddering old grandpa down to little Geraldine can say. The fact remains that it did, and that, for the baseball opener was that.

For weeks the sun bathed Eu-The largest annual relay meet gene in the most beautiful April in Oregon with Oregon and Oreweather in years and typical base- gon state entertaining the Univerball days abounded. Then, when sity of Portland as the first outthe biggest and best opener in his- side guest in history, will be run tory rolled around, with bands off on Hayward field today, start- Oregon Varsity Court playing, colors flying, and all the ing at 2 o'clock.

big shots and some two or three thousand little shots ready to turn the Webfoot and Orange trackout for the festivities, that unpredictable gentleman called Jupiter Pluvius casually tilts his rain can.

Not all the rain cans in the skies could save the life of the most distinctive name for a baseball field in the world-Anonymous. We're sorry to say that this is the last time "Anonymous field" will be rattled off our keyboard.

Herbert Crombie Howe field is an entirely fitting name for the orchard, however, and we're all behind it. And that includes the lads who count out the headlines.

Why do the little schools in the Two new events, the shot put and Ducks Down Normal Northwest conference continually high jump relays will make their ball?

heard on all sides at the crushing ing the winning team.

defeats handed Oregon State and Meet Wide Open

also Oregon by Willamette, Lin- The meet is considered a wide field, and other teams of their cal- open affair and the winner will college places Wendell Maccoly in iber this spring. Whitman beat probably be either Oregon or Ore-Idaho seven times in a row and gon State because of their strength Soth as number two, Bob Fariss split with Washington State. And in numbers. Very little is known as number three, Isaac Katz as Hunter's first pitch out of the lot in the opening day ball game it happens every spring.

In football and basketball it's however, they have demonstrated number five. just take it, take it, take it for the unusual power in early season little fellow against the big schools, meets this year. but in baseball the big boys are forced to sub down bitter down of the state of entries and the pres-The list of entries and the pres-The lineup for Oregon is expect-ed to be the same that faced Ore-Mermen Swin
Oregon Golfers

forced to gulp down bitter doses of ent records follow: their own medicine. If a small college football team holds a coast (Smith, Funk, Filsinger, Huchins); captain and number two; Norman

(Smith, Funk, Filsinger, Huchins); conference machine to less than a 30 or 40-to-0 win it's one for the book. If a small college basket-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a modern mira-ball team doesn't lose by at least 10 or 15 points it's a moder

"Why, oh why," comes the query To Pilot, Beaver ball fans, "did rain have to pick on yesterday of all days, when for three weeks in a row hardly a drop

First Outside Guest in History of Relays; to Ducks Play **Reed Today**

> In Tennis Squad to Attempt to

This will be the ninth meeting of men. Oregon has won four of the victories, Oregon State 3 and one has been a tie.

Start at 2

Many Entries

ever register, five, will heighten sity on the University courts. the possibilities that some of the cob-webby records will be broken.

Reed college has won the three cation of vesterday's frosh track meet which was held amid inter- matches it has played with but the loss of three sets, and no points. mittent squalls of icy rain. Both Oregon State and the Web- Twice they have blanked Pacific foots have entered teams in the 10 university and once Oregon nor-

Oregon downed Oregon normal and consistently trounce their big debut this afternoon. In these with the loss of only one set in northern division brothers in base- events the three schools will enter their only official match so far. In

tennis shop of Portland a combination of varsity and frosh players lost 6 to 3.

Probable starting lineup for Reed number one position, Captain Glen

Economus Number One

gon normal. This puts John Econ-440-yard relay — Oregon State omus as number one; Larry Crane, Friday at OSC



Track Meet At Oregon State Yearlings Take 11 Out Of 13 First Places Softball Squabble **High Schools Compete**

Frosh Take

Four-School

University of Oregon freshman rack and field men, winning 11 of the 13 events in which they were entered, easily swept to a victory into turmoil by the ineligibility of ver Eugene, Corvallis and University high schools in a four-way Monday afternoon when Omega Yesterday's Oregon-Oregon State Pi Kappa Alpha, will be taken hall and Theta Chi meet for the terday afternoon. championship of league four. The

Bill Hayward's Ducklings piled game is set for 4 o'clock. up a total of 861/2 points. Corvallis high led the preppers with 251/2 points, followed by Eugene with 21 round-robin playoff for the title, scheduled for another opening day and University with 18. It was but that games will be thrown out try at Corvallis this afternoon, and the first competition of the season for the yearlings.

Bill Blackledge, husky Corvallis Omega fray. high star, won the only three first places not taken by the freshmen. He won the shotput with a near- Betas hold the only other legiti- ious about, but when the sun broke record heave of 50 feet 7 inches, mate playoff triumph, also won at through the clouds and hopes were the discus and the 120-yard high the expense of the Abba Dabbas. raised, it was only a signal for an hurdles.

The meet was held between until after the ATO's meet the Several Hundred Turn Out heavy showers and on a soggy Theta Chi-Omega winner. track which cut down times. Sum-

100-yard dash - Won by Berry, Frosh Divoteers freshman; Carlson, freshman, sec Play Uni High ond; Jensen, University, third; Edwards, Eugene, fourth. Time, :10.8.

Mile run - Won by Barker, Tom Stoddard's University of freshmen; Lyle, freshmen, second; Oregon freshman golf team will Morse, Eugene, third; Lyon, Eu- play the strong University high divot diggers over the Laurelwood gene, fourth. Time, 4:44.4. 120-yard high hurdles-Won by course this afternono. Blackledge, Corvallis; Cook, Uni-The Ducklings defeated the

versity, second. No other entries. Time, :19.5. 440-yard dash - Won by Burkitt, freshmen; Hamer, Eugene, golfers.

second; Kroblen, University, third; Smith, Corvallis, fourth. Time **Ducklings Rest**

High jump - Won by Marty. As Rain Pours freshmen; Berry, freshmen, second; Jensen, University, third; Oregon's freshman baseball Warren, freshmen, and Keiser, Cor- squad rested yesterday to watch

vallis, tied for fourth. Height, 5 the opening varsity game of the feet 7 inches. year, which was rained out by vig-Pole vault - Won by Hansen, orous spurts of water.

Named by President **To Be Ironed Out Boyer**; Games Will Be Played May 25 First steps to straighten out the intramural softball playoff, thrown April showers bring May flowers

opener on the newly christened Howe field was showered out and

Howe Field Is Officially

The Pi Kaps have already de- postponed until Monday, May 25. feated Alpha Tau Omega in the The Webfoots and Beavers are and the ATO's will be forced to if today's tilt is also mudded out meet the winner of the Theta Chi- it will be played Tuesday, May 26. A gallant effort was made to

The ATO's hold one legal victory provide a ball game for the openover the Abba Dabbas, and the ing day ceremonies to be ceremon-No further games will be played ensuing shower.

Gasoline was burned for hours on the field in an attempt to put it in playing shape, but there wasn't a chance. Several hundred fans, half of which were ROTC boys returned from a parade in the rain, gathered to see President Boyer

dedicate the field. The Oregon players dressed and tossed a few balls around, but more rain fell and the diamond was again turned into a mud pie.

Fans were handed rain checks, preppers in a practice match and opening day "firsts" and earlier in the season. Doug Ram- Chancellors Hunter's pitching were sey, Portland, leads the yearling postponed until the next scheduled Oregon State game here a week

from Thursday.

McFadden to Start If the teams are able to play at Corvalils today, Don McFadden

for Oregon and Dean Johnston for Oregon State will again be the starting pitchers. Word from Slats Gill is that the Beaver diamond is in bad shape and it is likely that playing will be impossible.

Washington State college will meet the Webfoots here next Wedhere Saturday afternoon on Junior nesday and Thursday.

Oregon and Oregon State were

Oregon's varsity tennis team

team will seek its second victory of the season at 2:30 this after-The largest number of entries to noon when it meets the Reed var-Paul Washke, tennis coach, re-

Preserve Record

turned Thursday from a trip to Bill Hayward has received a total the East, but showers have preof 75 individual entries for the cin- vented him from seeing how his der classic. Threatening showers team looks after his almost two would turn the relay into a dupli- weeks absence.

scheduled events and Portland six. mal.

four men each in the competition, a practice match with the Leader Expressions of amazement are with the total distances determin-

cle.

Possible explanation of the success of small colleges on the diamond is that baseball is not a game of reserves and is also not carried on in such an extensive scale as football and basketball by the large schools. Reserves crush the little teams every time in football and sometimes in basketball, too, but nine good ball players can get out there and win in baseball. And there may be other reasons. Men who specialize in baseball are just as likely to be drawn to the small college as the large one, while outstanding grid and hoop luminaries are usually enticed to the big campuses.

The University of Southern California won the California intercollegiate swimming title recently and now is claiming the Pacific coast championship. Just as a reminder, we wonder if the boys have heard how Mike Hoyman's Webfoot mermen ate up Stanford, California, and San Jose State in the South and then came home to crush Washington and run away with the northern division meet. Of course things up in the wilds of the North don't count much with Southern California and the Los Angelans have probably forgotten Oregon's overwhelming conquests. Trojans will be Trojans.

Relay meets are always interesting, even in the mud. And whether this afternoon's threeway Oregon - Oregon State -University of Portland meet on Hayward field happens to hit the sun spot in the April sun and shower schedule or not it should e worth the time of student spectators.

Bill Hayward, Oregon's grand old cinder menter who just can't be appreciated too much, has remarked this year that he has the best rounded track squad in his thirty-odd seasons of coaching here. University of Portland has undoubtediy the best small college squad in the state, and those Beavers-they're always competition for anybody.

the singles, Worth Chaney and Bill set by Oregon in 1932. High jump relay-Oregon State Zimmerman will probably play

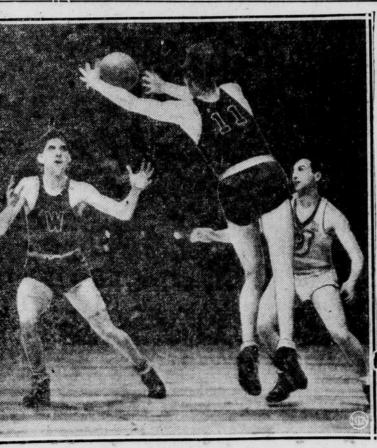
(Hessig, Ackerson, Eckmen, Kid- first doubles. der); Oregon (Janak, Lloyd, Sinnette, Holland). Two-mile relay — Oregon State gon should be able to win. The tition before the long dry spell be- College of Puget Sound, 221/2 to (Lewis, Samsel, Guggisberg, Mac- first three players on the varsity tween now and next season. kin, Robson); Portland (Gardner, are strong and should win at least Five members of Mike Hoy- Milliagn's loss to Gustafson in (Scharpf, McGaughey, Kropp, Mil- es. Oregon can also put two strong state A.A.U. meet at Corvallis dropped by the Webfoot divoteers. ler). Record, 8:01.2, set by Oregon doubles combinations on the courts next Friday night. Mermen who defending northern division cham-

if necessary. State in 1932. 880-yard relay - Oregon State Portland (Schooler, Snell, Polly hour.

Sweet); Oregon (Shoemake, Freeman, Wentworth, Forbes and gon in 1932.

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Reaching High for Olympic Honor



Though Frank Evanoski, center for the Wilmerding (Pa.) Astoria hopes to win his third and throwing the javelin. The pole YMCA five, makes a spectacular recovery of the ball by a gravity stripe this year. He is six feet, one vault will be another job for him defying leap, his teammates bowed to the Universal Pictures players and one-half inches tall, and to handle this year. and were eliminated from the Olympics basketball tryout tournament weighs 175 pounds. He is majoring Arne says that his big moment conducted in New York. in physical education.

Oregon's undefeated swimmers, The University of Oregon var-

Although comparitive scores Pacific coast champions, will have sity golf team dropped only one LaFond, Corvallis, fourth. Time, would indicate a close match, Ore- one more fling at outside compe- individual match in defeating the :24. 4½, at Tacoma yesterday.

Beat Puget Sound

will churn water for Coach Hoy- pions. Milligan lost by 21/2 to 1/2. In case of rain the matches will man against the top-notch ama-Other results follow: Anderson. Smith, Funk, Buckley, Huchins); be started in the Igloo at an earlier teurs of the state are Jim Hurd, Oregon, defeated Staples, Puget unbeaten coast sprint champion; Sound, 3-0; Cline, Oregon, defeated

Jim Reed, national and coast rec- Johnson, Puget Sound, 3-0; Pres-A Brazilian tree, the Andira ord holder in numerous events; cott, Oregon, defeated Burgoyne, Lloyd). Record, 1:28.6, set by Ore- Laurifolia, has its trunk under- Chuck Reed, breaststroke lumin- Puget Sound, 3-0; Vincent, Oreground. What appear to be surface ary; Leonard Scroggins, sprints, gon, defeated Tollefson, Puget Shuttle hurdle relay - Oregon roots are really the branches of and Bert Myers, diving king of the Sound, 2-1; Pierce, Oregon, de-

northern division.

feated Harold Johnson, Puget Five freshman swimmers and Sound, 21/2-1; Milligan and Vinfive University high lads will also cent, Oregon, defeated Staples and be entered at Corvallis. The Duck- Gustafson, Puget Sound, 3-0; 20 feet 1/2 inch.

ing entrants are Jack Levy, dis- Prescott and Cline, Oregon, tance events; Ed Robertson, back- defeated Hunter Johnson and Burstroke; DeVere Kerby, breast - goyne, Puget Sound, 21/2-1/2; stroke, and Howard Morgan and Anderson and Pierce, Oregon, de- freshmen, fourth. Distance, 155 feated Tollefson and Harold John- feet 8 inch. Jim Smith, sprints.

Jim Reed is the only member of son, Puget Sound, 3-0. Hoyman's varsity squad who will The Oregon golfers will meet not be back for more competition the University of Washington in second; Sears, Eugene, third; Gronext year. Forest Kerby, back -- an important northern division shong, Corvallis, fourth. Distance, stroke champ in 1935, finished his match at Seattle today.

collegiate career at the end of winter term and swimming in early and Bert Myers, divers; Jim Hurd, men (Marty, Carlson, Vaughn,

meets. Veterans who will be on hand Hoffmann, all sprint stars; Chuck again next season are Harold Sex- Reed, breaststroke, and Bob Dean, 1:39.5. ton, distance events; Bob Chilton free style.

'Finn' Lindgren, Hayward's Standby, on Last Lap

Lindgren was Northwest broad-By HUBARD KUOKKA The grand old man of the track jumping champ in his sophomore team is Arne Lindgren. He is the year. He jumped 23 feet, 5 inches "last leaf" of the 1931 frosh track in the Northwest meet at Eugene. team, appendicitis having kept Last year in the Oregon-Oregon him out of school a year. Is he State dual meet he set a record, versatile? If Bill Hayward lacks jumping 23 feet, 6 inches.

a man for any event he just says, The broadjump isn't his only "Let 'Finn' do it."

event. He has been running the This 23 year old Finn from sprints, quarter mile, high hurdles,

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son, freshmen; Jensen, University, informal contests probably will be second; Currie, freshmen, third; scheduled.

After the first of the little civil wars, the Ducklings travel to Cor-Shot put-Won by Blackledge, vallis May 15 for the second of the Corvallis; Bishop, Eugene, second; annual four-game series.

Jensen, University, third; Smith, 7 inches.

Hansen, freshmen; Smith, Corvalthird; Edwards, Eugene, fourth.

Time :29.1. 880-yard run - Won by Barker, freshmen; Smith, freshmen, second; Cody, freshmen, third; Beckman, University, fourth. Time, 2:08.1.

Broad jump - Won by Marty, freshmen; Hansen, freshmen, second; Vaughan, freshmen, third; Lemon, Corvallis, fourth. Distance,

> Javelin - Won by Adams, freshmen; Foley, freshmen, second; Sears, Eugene, third; Strohecker,

> > Discuss - Won by Blackledge, Corvallis; Strohecker, freshmen,

116 feet 4 inches. 880-yard relay - Won by fresh-

Harold Scroggins, and Vernon Berry); Eugene, second; Corvallis, third; University, fourth. Time,

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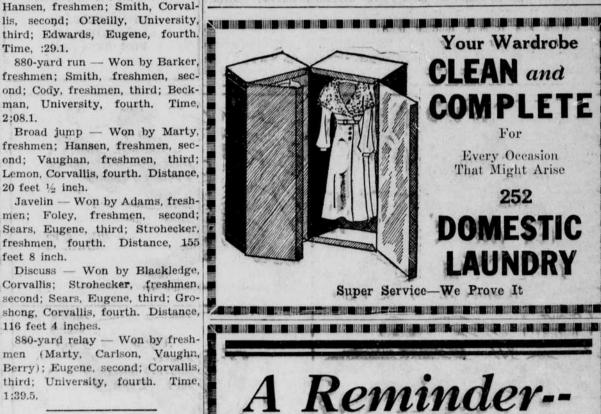
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not the only baseball teams rained out yesterday. The Washington State-Idaho game, scheduled for Moscow, was also wiped off the boards by April showers.

Pitching for the frosh will un-Colombo, Handy, Lydon); Oregon two if not all three of their match- man's classy crew will enter the singles was the only match Eugene, fourth. Distance, 50 feet doubtedly be the ex-Washington sponded well to treatment and the sizzle-ball thrower will begin workhigh chucker, "Chic" Sayles. 220-yard low hurdles-Won by Sayles' injured leg muscle has re- ing out regularly again next week.