

THE Firing Line

By PAT FRIZZELL

Unless you actually see things like that ball game at Corvallis the other night, they're extremely difficult to believe.

When you read "Tom Brown at Old Yazoo" or "The Sure Shot Boys Fight for Yarrow" or something equally breath-taking, even at the tender age of 11 or 12 years, you doubtless snickered with unbelief when inspired young athletes, all lithe and clean, caged last second field goals to win for "our side."

A football game won on an 80-yard run as the gun sounds, a baseball game won, 4 to 3, with a home run with the bases full and two out in the last half of the ninth inning, and a basketball game won like last Friday's—they're birds of a feather.

Hoop miracles like that are the kind you remember forever. And they're the kind you're lucky to see once in a decade. Many a thrilling struggle has Oregon-Oregon State rivalry on the maple boards produced.

When little Bill Courtney caged a last-minute shot here a year ago and Oregon skinned out, 29 to 27, with 7514 excited customers cheering the teams, it was a thrill with a capital T.

Mr. Kenneth Purdy, of the Long Beach Purdys, is a gentleman who finds it difficult to miss that old hole which stands out there in front of the backboard.

Mr. Purdy sank two long howitzers in three tries to bring the Ducks up to a tie with Union Oil in the final moments of a pre-season game at Portland.

But for all times, whether the going is rough or smooth, give us a tireless young man named Anet. This Anet fellow is the spark of the outfit. His ball-hawking and feeding make Oregon's offense possible, his checking on defense.

PLAN YOUR COSTUME NOW for the annual all-campus Peaux Arts Ball

Peaux Arts Ball advertisement with date Jan 29 and costume planning details.

Varsity Clashes With WSC Cougars At Pullman Tonight

Phi Delt's Smoother Stubborn Gamma In Day's Feature Tilt

Sigma Chi's Overcome Phi Sigs, Theta Chis Topple Sigma Nus in B League Games

By CHUCK VAN SCOYOC Paced by Kerry Kestley, who scored 10 points, the Beta B team opened its intramural campaign with a decisive 25-to-6 victory over Omega hall.

Despite ragged play by both teams, the Betas managed to drop enough through the hoop for a winning margin.

The first quarter was all Beta, as Kestley and Conrad scored 13 points while the Omegas were unable to drop one through. The half-time score was 17 to 4.

Betas Scoreless Following a cripple shot by Conrad, the Betas were held scoreless until the final session, when Kestley and Conrad again broke through to complete their team's scoring.

Kliks, McComb, and Johnson shared scoring honors for the Omegas, each dropping in a field goal.

Beta Theta Pi B (25) (6) Omega B Smith, 2 F 2, Kliks Kestley, 10 F 2, McComb Conrad, 7 C Seifert Bittel G Simpson Newman G Kiito Holcott, 2 S Shimojimo King, 2 S Thomson Fortmiller S 2, Johnson Sayles S Werschkul S

SAEs 13, Gamma 6 In a game featured by close checking and poor shooting, the SAE B team managed to garner a 13-to-6 victory over Gamma hall in the intramural B league race yesterday.

Squeak Lloyd opened scoring with a cripple and followed it closely with a foul shot. Another field goal by lanky Bob Arnoldus ended the SAE scoring in the first half.

Patton and Pariotis each scored a field goal for Gamma in the initial session.

Scoring the second half was well distributed for the SAEs, with Kelley, Arnoldus, and Clement each dropping a field goal, while DeArmond and Heilig managed to cage foul shots.

Parker potted a field goal for the only points scored by Gamma in the second half.

SAE B (13) (6) Gamma Hall B Kelley, 2 F Helgren Lloyd, 3 F 2, Patton Arnoldus, 4 C Newhouse DeArmond, 1 G Wilson McGaughey G Lattimore Clement, 2 S 2, Dariois Heilig, 1 S Sumida Hardisty S 2, Parker Thomas S Lafferty S

Officials: Merritt and Ward. Yeomen 21, Phi Psi 6 Following the example set by their A team, the Yeomen B outfit coasted to an easy 21-to-6 win over a helpless Phi Psi team in a B league game yesterday.

Leonard Greenup won top honors for the independents by scoring 6 points but was closely pressed by Hal Draper and Bally Barnett, who rang up four counters each.

Al Bogue sank two beautiful swishers from mid-court to count the only field goals made by the Phi Psis. Score at half-time was 13 to 4 for the Yeomen.

Yeomen B (21) (6) Phi Psi B Holland, 2 F 1, Kroschel Draper, 4 F 1, Banta Barnett, 4 C Burley Hildebrand, 2 G 4, Bogue Greenup, 6 G McKenna Fleck, 1 S Stanton Diess S Hodess S Boyd S Witbeck, 2 S

Officials: Merritt and Ward. C. Larson to Wed Clara Larsen of Oregon City, ex-'38 in business administration, announced her engagement to Bill Belzer of Oregon City at a dinner Saturday at the Sigma Kappa chapter house. No date for the wedding has been set.

Beta B Quintet Thumps Omega; Yeomen Rout Phi Psis; SAE's Beat Gamma Five

By MORRIE HENDERSON In the only A team basketball game of the afternoon in the new gym, the defending champion Phi Delt's trounced previously undefeated Gamma hall, 17 to 5, in a wild and wooly game. Both teams were below form and their passing and floor work showed it.

As usual, the Phi Delt's started slowly and had only a 4-to-0 lead at the end of the first quarter, due to Sid Milligan's field goal and free throws by Big Crosbie and Ed Strohecker. With just a few seconds left in the first half and the score 10 to 0 against Gamma, Bud Helgren, Gamma guard, intercepted Crosbie's pass and connected with nobody near him for the dorm boy's first score.

In the second half, both teams became tired and the baskets were few and far between. Gamma hall made its last three points in the final minutes of the game, and Pete Thorne's free throw was completed after the last whistle had blown.

Ed Strohecker, Phi Delt center, was high point man with six points, but the real star of the game was Bob Patterson, who held the league's leading scorer, Bingo Crosbie, to only three free throws. Crosbie failed to make a field goal, after scoring 29 points in his first two games.

Phi Delta A (17) (5) Gamma A White F Wilson Wilson, 4 F Patterson Strohecker, 6 C Emmons Milligan, 4 G 4, B. Helgren Crosbie, 3 G 1, Thorne Watson S Caulfield S Herzog

Referee, Gordon; umpire, Rix. Theta Chi B 26, Sigma Nu B 14 The Theta Chi B team handed the Sigma Nu B five a 26-to-14 beating after being held to a four-point lead in the first half.

In the second half, the Theta Chis began hitting the basket repeatedly to roll up 14 points, in the meantime holding the Sigma Nus to two field goals, making the game a walkaway.

Making frequent substitutions, bringing in fresh men throughout the second half, the Theta Chis ran around the tired Sigma Nus. All Theta Chi players, nine in all, scored at least two points, with Bill McKenic topping all with six points.

Scoring 10 of 14 points, Ken Eichner, Sigma Nu center, was the only man the Theta Chis could not stop.

Theta Chi (26) (14) Sigma Nu Gould, 2 F McCullough McKenzie, 6 F Robinson Hanscom, 5 C 10, Eichner Hewitt, 2 G 2, Watson Kamph, 2 G 2, Van Dusen Minger, 2 S Kaseberg, 2 S Fry, 3 S D. Harbert, 2 S

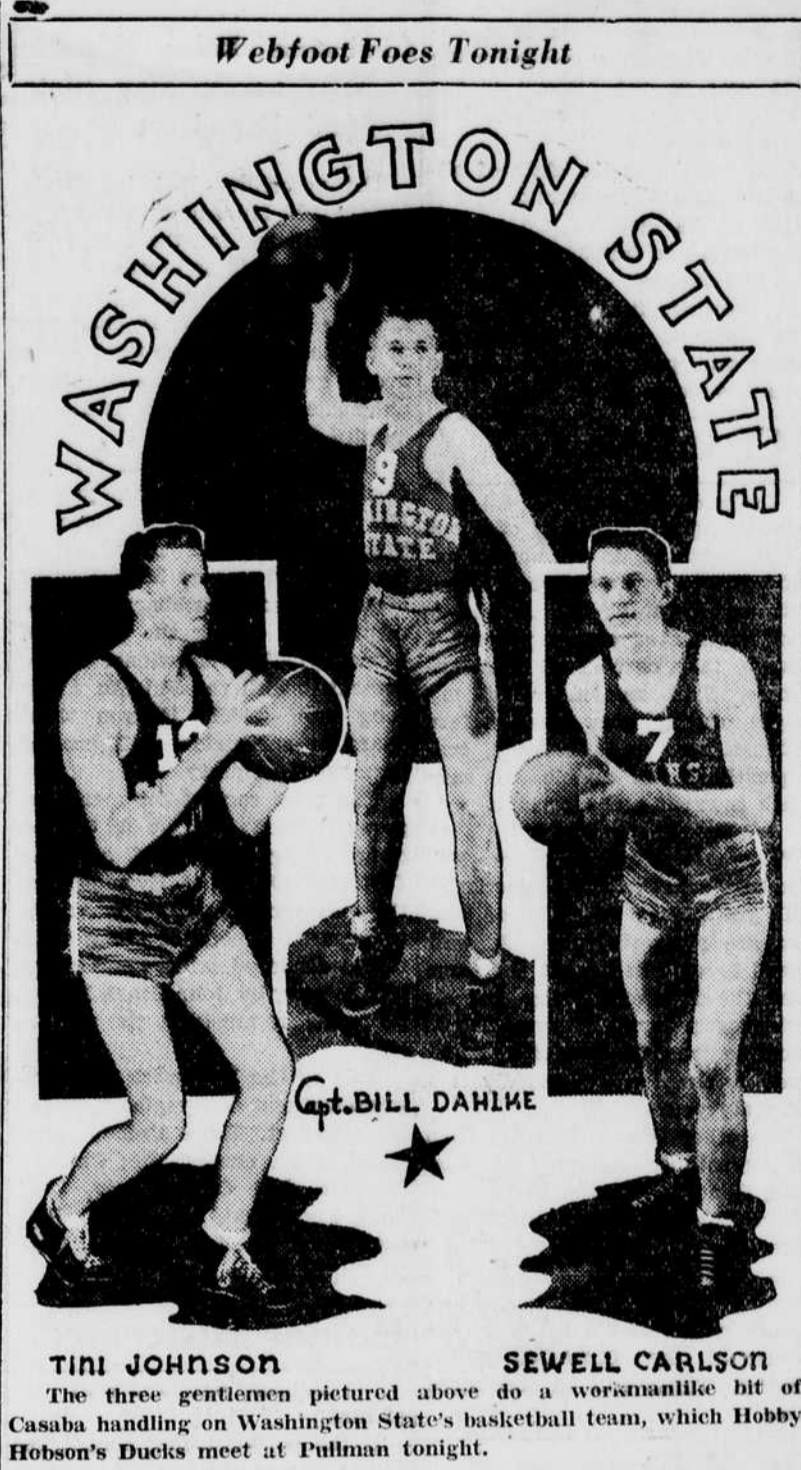
Referee, Gordon; umpire, Rix. Sigma Chi B 37, Phi Sig B 5 Led by diminutive Ralph Amato varsity baseball star, the Sigma Chi B team beat its next door neighbor, the Phi Sigma Kappa B team, 37 to 5, in another walkaway game. Amato scored 13 points to lead all scorers.

The score at half-time was 20 to 1, with Bill Davenport's free throw the only Phi Sig score. Bob Baer and Amato repeatedly got away from opponents to score easy baskets. If it wasn't Baer or Amato, it was Jack Gould standing free under the basket to score.

The second half was a repetition of the first half, with the Sigma Chis rolling up 17 more points and holding the Phi Sigs to a lone field goal and two free throws.

Sigma Chi B (37) (5) Phi Sig B Amato, 13 F 1, Barker Baer, 10 F Ingram Gould, 9 C 1, Kreuger Corey, 2 G 3, Davenport Breckenridge G 3, Johnson Jahn, 1 S Montag Burlingame, 2 S Gridley S Simonsen S Cook S

Referee, Gordon; umpire, Rix.



Webfoot Foes Tonight. The three gentlemen pictured above do a workmanlike bit of Casaba handking on Washington State's basketball team, which Hobby Hobson's Ducks meet at Pullman tonight.

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL SCHEDULE Today's Schedule 4:00—Court 38 Oregon Freeman (A) vs. Sigma Chi (A) Court 43 Sigma Nu (A) vs. Phi Kappa Psi (A) 4:40—Court 38 Abba Dabba (A) vs. Yeomen (A) Court 43 Canard Hall (A) vs. Delta Tau Delta (A) 5:20—Court 38 Phi Kappa Alpha (A) vs. Zeta Hall (A) Court 43 Theta Chi (A) vs. Sigma Phi Epsilon (A) Yesterday's Games Phi Delta Theta A 17, Gamma Hall A 5. Theta Chi B 26, Sigma Nu B 14. Sigma Chi B 37, Phi Sigma Kappa B 5. Beta Theta Pi B 25, Omega Hall B 6. Sigma Alpha Epsilon B 13, Gamma Hall B 6. Yeomen B 21, Phi Kappa Psi B 6.

WAA Sports to Start Next Week

Badminton, Basketball and Swimming Will Make Up Term Schedule

The WAA tournaments in badminton and basketball will begin Monday, January 25, which is also the date of the first of the three swimming meets to be held by WAA this quarter.

Swimming practices are being held every day from 4 to 5 o'clock. Tommy Reid is in charge of the meet, the events of which will be announced soon.

Practices for badminton have been set for Tuesday and Thursday afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock. Each house is expected to enter

Mike Hoyman Ill With Influenza

Coch's Absence Delays Improvement of Team; Oregon, OSC Meet

The task of developing prospective mermen into polished swimmers is now, for a short time, placed in the hands of veterans and experienced men.

Coach Mike Hoyman has developed a case of influenza. The seriousness of his illness is not known. Varsity and freshman swimmers now have the responsibility of training and practicing placed on their own shoulders, with squad workouts available only on Mondays and Wednesdays.

four girls in the tournament, a doubles team, and two single players. (Please turn to page four)

Frosh Hoopers Take On Local Oilers Tonight

Fracas at Igloo Will Be Preceded by Contests Between Albany High And University Fives

Oregon's frosh basketball fans will be treated to a red-hot triple-header at McArthur court tonight, with a Duckling-Signal Oil tilt, preceded by two high school games, to furnish the entertainment.

As a preliminary to the evening's fireworks, the "A" and "A" squads of Albany high and University high of Eugene meet in a twin bill starting at 6:30 o'clock. (Please turn to page four)

Hobson Takes Ten Men for Invasion Of Inland Empire

Webfoots Will Take on Idaho Vandals Friday And Saturday, After Two State Games

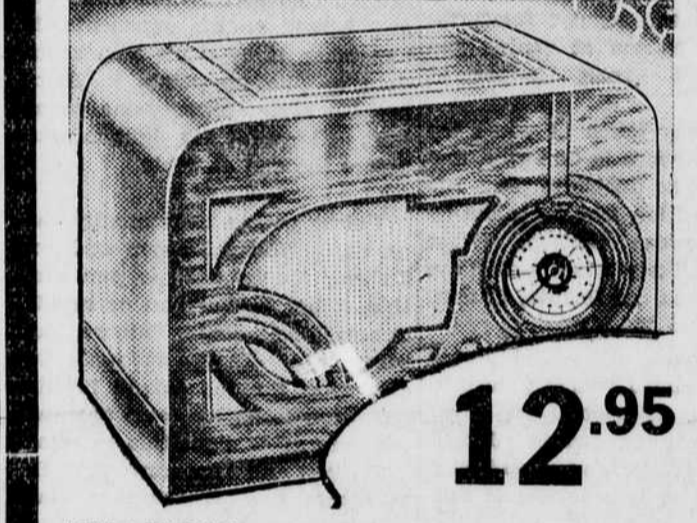
Oregon's gallant Webfoot base-keteers, fresh from a last-second victory over Oregon State, clash with Washington State's dangerous Cougars at Pullman tonight.

Table with columns W, L, and Pct. for Washington, Oregon State, Idaho, and Oregon State.

The Webfoots divided a two-game series with Jack Friel's crew at McArthur court ten days ago. Oregon won the first of that series, 43 to 26, and the Cougars came back to cop the second, 37 to 32. Arrive This Morning Howard Hobson and 10 players. (Please turn to page four)

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