THE FIRING LINE

By PAT FRIZZELL

Forrest Twogood, Idaho's youthful basketball coach, sa in a Eugene hotel chair and lit a cigarette.

"Wonderful weather you're having," said the friendly Mr. Twogood, who's a swell fellow and likes to talk basketball or any other sport. "It was 38 degrees below zero up at Moscow."

Forrest Twogood, coaching his first varsity basketball team, is not discouraged about the Vandals' losing streak. "All my men are sophomores," he said, "and all but one of the first ten will be back next year."

It was three hours before the Vandals were to clash with Oregon last night. Twogood said his boys were tired after last weekend's tough game with Washington State and an added arm in shot put form. Swish! tussle with Gonzaga Monday.

"The reason Washington State is so tough," Twogood said, latter shot and the Idaho guard "is that the Cougars are such good shots.

"Washington wasn't so impressive against us," he continued. Idaho has played both Washington and Washington State, lost close ones to both teams.

Hobby Hobson's Webfoots are ace-high with Twogood. Ore-final forlorn thrill. gon was lucky to edge out the Vandals in the Inland Empire, once by three points, once by two, and one of them was in overtime, but Twogood praised the Webfoots and put them on laughable had it not been so vitala par with the Huskies and Cougars.

"Yes, I think the tip-off will be ruled out," said Two- mates in one big family. Oregon good, his blond hair glistening. (He'd just been to the hotel was pitifully off and Idaho was barber shop, was there when we first saw him). "Everything apparently lacking in confidence. points toward it."

The young Idaho coach favors elimination of the tip. He ver broke the scoring ice with says that attendance has increased tremendously since it was abolished in the southern division, where for seven years he goal, by Purdy, wasn't scored until was freshman coach at Southern California. There, incidentally, the six-minute mark. he developed players who in varsity years won conference championships for Sam Barry.

"The tip-off slows up the game," Twogood went on, "and tage at the end of eight minutes, it's the cause of many of the injuries in basketball." He doesn't but two free throws by Belko on believe it adds drama, but thinks instead that it diminishes on an infraction by Purdy made it crowd interest. Pointing out the obvious, he added "And what 9 to 7. pleases the crowd counts."

Twogood likes the three-second keyhole rule. He says it keeps the big fellows who can't do anything but rough it up Anet's pass on a breakaway and out of basketball.

"Luisetti is a wonderful ball player," Twogood answered promptly in response to a query concerning the Stanford ace. 16 to 11 with a swinging portside "He shoots any way, from anywhere, and he puts himself in flip. position for his shots." He recalled a game last season in Winter's shot from under the which the Trojans led Stanford at the end of a first half in hoop rolled through the rim and which Luisetti scored only six points. In the second period the Silver knocked it up and out. Un-Indian miracle man ran up 24 points and USC lost.

Lee Guttero, rubber-legged Trojan center of a few years back, came in for praise from Twogood. "He was valuable on mission: 16 to 14. the tip-offs, but after we abolished the center jump he scored more points. When he was jumping he tired by the half, but after the start of the second half, without the tip he was fresh all the way."

Guttero or Luisetti? "They're both great ball players, but I a lead. Belko dribbled in for a think Luisetti is undoubtedly the better."

Twogood called the Stanford team the equal of any in the foul shot, but Idaho slipped ahead The Yeomen were particularly efcountry and predicted that if playing in the Midwest's Big on Belko's gratis conversion. Sil- fectitve in making kill shots while Ten the Indians would lead that conference. He played three seasons of Big Ten basketball himself and knows both leagues.

Twogood was an all-around athlete at the University of Iowa, and after graduation he went into professional baseball. to 20, Idaho. He's the property right now of the Cleveland Indians, but he has a bad arm and is on the retired list.

"I'm sure I'd stay in professional ball if I could," said the likeable Idaho mentor, "but I don't think I'll be able to play again. He hurt his arm in college and was always bothered by it in professional seasons with Cleveland, the St. Louis Card inals, Toledo of the American Association, and St. Joseph of the Western League.

"Dizzy Deans is dumb like a fox," said Twogood. "He acts dumb around the hotel lobbies, but he's a great pitcher and a swell fellow."

Twogood played with Dizzy at St. Joseph, farm club of the Cardinals. Then he went up with Dizzy to the Cards, who later traded him to Cleveland.

He thinks the Cards will nab the National league pennant this season and picks the Yanks to repeat in the American. He's difficulty in downing Joe Amato for their respective teams. played in both leagues, with members of both clubs, and has a in straight games, 21-5, 21-5, in right to pick 'em. He figures Paul Dean will win a lot of games the first singles match. Ed Strofor the Cards and, with Dizzy and Lonnie Warneke winning hecker won the other match by plenty, he counts on St. Louis to lead the pack.

Swinging back to basketball, Twogood told of how the hoop- Delt team composed of Sid Milli- Chis rallied and knotted the score sters pack 'em in back in the Midwest. "Iowa has a gymnasium gan and Bill Martin trounced the at 12 all, only to lose on errors in which seats 17,500 persons, he said, and they fill it for every Zeta duet of Gene Truby and Mar- setting their plays up. conference game." He spoke of the mammoth field houses and ino Innocenti, 21-9, 21-15. pavilions all over the territory.

"The high school championship means everything back the championship. If the ATOs win undefeated, by swamping Gamma there," he said, confirming stories we've always heard, "Every it will be the third intramural Hall 15-4, 15-3. Cliff Morris of the high school in those states points toward one big goal and they championship for the hotelmen this SPEs was the outstanding player Room for the gang, TAYLOR'S. ad play basketball the year around.'

Twogood has great faith in the future of basketball. More people by far watch the court game than any other sport, he pointed out, and more are watching it each year.

For all the Midwest's super basketball interest, Twogood doesn't believe its college teams have much edge over coast said Twogood, returning to his varsity. "Therefore we're quintets. "The Big Ten," he said, "is probably the strongest forced to foul against the big fellows, and we've lost several conference in the country, but any northern division team, with games because of men fouling out." the exception of Idaho (your correspondent wondered about this) would make a good showing in that league.

"Yes, we have a good freshman team up at Idaho," admitted basket and swing his arms. Twogood. Asked about the Barrett who is running wild for the Vandal frosh, Twogood said that he is no relative of Afton Barrett, Idaho forward a few years back. Barrett comes from Gary, Indiana, stands 6 feet, 3 inches, and earned honor roll grades last term. Another freshman praised by the Moscow mentor is a lad named Parke.

Huskies Dump League Leading Cougars, 45-40

Webfoots Lose **Opening Game** To Idaho Men

(Continued from page one) off most of the evening, and at this important moment the Vandals did it again. It was the climax. Kramer, who had already potted four one-handers, swung out his left

Johansen fouled Winter as the swished a duo, making it 35 to 29 and Idaho's ball game.

Dave Silver took Wintermute's pass and pumped one through with seconds to go, giving the crowd a

First Half Jittery

The first half would have been ly important. Both teams were jittery. The lads handed the sphere back and forth as if all were team

Two minutes elapsed before Silfree throw. He added another a minute later, but the first field

Two field goals by Silver aided Oregon in taking a 9-to-4 advan-

Johansen Tallies

Johansen, in for Purdy, took Wintermute holed an out-ofbounds heave from the same Johansen, but Kramer and Belko scored for Idaho. Silver made it

usual, but such a bucket counts and it was 16 to 13. Winter holed a shot on Anet's third foul. Inter-

Belko tied the score immediately but Silver's foul shot gave Oregon swisher, making it 18 to 17 for Idaho, first Vandal lead of the night. Silver again knotted it on a ing Fiji team by 15-13, 15-4 scores. ver's rebound field goal gave Ore- the Fijis encountered considerable

Wintermute's one-hander gave Fijis. Oregon a lead, Johnson tied it with a foul shot. Field goals by Kramer -another from way out in the sticks-and Silver made it 24-all. Then came the storm.

Phi Delts Attain Handball Finals

Phi Delta Theta advanced into the finals in intramural handball on extra spurts which gained them 31st point. yesterday, when they defeated the the win. Zeta Hall team 3-0.

Vern Sprague encountered little

Monday afternoon at 3:40, the Phi Delts will meet the ATOs for the steps of their A team, who are this term. A win for the Phi Delts on the floor, making many well will garner them their first champ- executed kill shots. ionship for the year.

Send the Emerald to your friends Kappa.

Jake With Jake



Idaho's victory over the Web foots last night pleased K. Jacobs, Vandal guard, substitute, pictured

Donut B Volley Sixes Compete In Tight Frays

Yeomen, Betas, Phi Sigs, Kappa Sigs, Phi Delts And SPEs Winners in First Games

Monday's Volleyball Schedule 4:00—Alpha Tau Omega (B) vs. Zeta Hall (B); Phi Kappa Psi (B) vs. Theta Chi

4:40—Sigma Alpha Epsilon (B) vs. Alpha Hall (B); Sigma Nu (B) vs. Abba Dabba

5:20-Delta Tau Delta (B) vs. Delta Upsilon (B); Alpha Tau Omega (A) vs. Abba Dabba (A).

By CHARLES VAN SCOYOC the season's opener yesterday.

The Yeomen won their opener in there. straight games from a hard playgon the edge once more, but the difficulty in setting their plays up. uncanny Kramer potted one of Baily Barnett and Leonard Greenhis shotput specials and it was 21 up were outstanding for the winners, and Bill Hildreth topped the

Phi Delt Swamp Omega

15-4, 15-4. Bill Crosbie and Tallant satisfaction. Greenough were outstanding in ball for Omega.

games, 15-10, 15-12. The games scoring record. were close most of the way, but as

Steven Anderson of the Betas and George Haley were the stars

Kappa Sigs Beat Sigma Chi Aftr taking the first game by a landslide, the Kappa Sigs were default when his opponent failed forced to extend themselves to down the Sigma Chis 15-5, 15-12. In the doubles division, the Phi In the second encounter, the Sigma

> SPEs Defeat Gamma Sigma Phi Epsilon followed in

In the sixth scheduled game the Chi Psis forfeited to Phi Sigma

"We're bothered this year by not having any tall men,"

He called Slim Wintermute the ideal tall man, one who can' really play basketball and doesn't have to just stand under the

"Well, good luck tonight, Mr. Twogood." That was your correspondent, preparing to scram, not the interviewee.

Twogood smiled in his friendly way and shot back a dis believing "Oh yeah?"

Well, Mr. Twogood, we're all for you every time outevery time you play anybody but Oregon.

Quick-Ones

By J. PINK

Wading through a happy, shouting, jubilant, crowd of victorious Idaho Vandals, who were cavorting around their dressing room on their faces, your scribe managed to pick up a few pertinent

From Forrest Twogood, whose boys after seven straight heartbreaking losses shot the dope bucket as full of holes as a sieve tonight, to register their first win of the season, "We've been losing games all season like Oregon lost this one, and, wella blind pig will pick up an acorn once in a while." It might be in order to remark here that the youthful Twogood, is a heck of a good fellow and our personal nomination for the best dressed coach in the circuit, and the one with the readjest smile.

And Bill Kramer, the boy with the shot-put one hander who pushed 'em up for five field goals, after dashing in and out of the showers a few times smilingly said, "Well, I lost two pair of pants on the first two Oregon games, and I won one pair back tonight. Tomorrow night I'm going after the other Little Steve Belko the hard

working Vandal forward who slipped past the tall Wintermute on two occasions to cage spectacular field goals stated, "This is the first of a lot of them." Happy, smiling, sweaty, Ro-

land Winter said, "We've been trying hard all season for something like this."

Don Johnson the small center, as centers go in this league, gave the old Vandal victory smile and let this go, "We had one coming." Gloom hung over the Webfoot end of the Igloo dressing rooms, and none of the boys had much to say over the upset which has put them on the veriest precipice as far as a conference title is con-

Did you eatch this?

Those uncanny shotputters of Bill Kramer, who stood in a sta-Exhibiting form that would offer tionary position and instead of usstiff competition to any A league ing the usual two-handed method teams, the intramural B league would let fly with one of his specteams made a classy showing in cialties. He looked like Bill Foskett heaving the leaden tomato out

> One brief spark o fthe old Webfoot fire when Anet whipped a fast pass to Johansen going down the floor at full speed, and

The big argument that developed around the Webfoot foul circle when Dave Silver and Don Johnson each tried to get into a space that could accommodate only one. The Phi Delts encountered little Finally Ralph Coleman stepped in rouble in smothering Omega hall that could accommodaet only one.

David the Silver boy finally bemaking kill shots for the winners, gan hitting the old peach pasket while Johnny McComb played good again. His 18 points last night were the most he has scored since The Betas found a tough oppon- the first Cougar game, when the ent in Sigma hall but managed to boys, supposedly in the know, edge out a victory in straight started handing him the league

The never-say-die shot of the the score increased, the Betas put game Silver that gave Oregon her

> The disrespectful, unsportsmanlike, fair-weahter attitude of a crowd of Oregon rooters who started to scramble all over the floor before the ball game was over. If a team can't depend on its own rooters for a little support when it is on the losing end of a tough contest, whom can it turn to? We can do with a lot less of that stuff. What are we? A bunch of knife-'em-in-th-back supporters when the boys are losing. Sit down and give the boys a chance after

We'll get 'em tonight.!

Frosh Trounce Texaco, 57-29, At Tillamook Purdy, g

Anet, g.

Courtney, f ..

Idaho (35)

Johnson, e ...

Bowan, f

Kramer, g

Belko, f ..

with smiles as wide as barn doors Warren's Duckling Crew Both Frosh and Varsity Starts; Play Union Oil at Astoria Tonight Smith, f.

> Sparked by Stan Short, driving Winter, g ... guard, who piled up 16 points, Oregon's high-riding Duckling bas- LeVigne, f keteers raced to a 57-to-29 victory over Texaco Oil at Tillamook last

It was the season's second loss for the strong Oiler quintet, which was outclassed by a 30-to-29 half time count. The frosh will travel Smith 4, Belko 2, Kramer 1. Toto Astoria tonight for a clash with tals—Oregon 9, Idaho 7. the strong Union Oil hoopmen.

Short Cans Howitzers Short impressively snapped out of his scoring slump, to hit the basket from all over the court.

Summary:		
Fresh (57)	(29) Texaco O	i
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Blenkinsop, 3	F 9, Metcal	1
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Short, 16	G 8, Schillin	2
Jackson, 6	G 8, Weis	15
Krietz, 7	S	
	s	
Jones, 5		
Referee: Son	nikes.	

Callison Will Meet **Grideers Monday**

Moth Frosh and Varsity **Candidates Requested to** Report at igloo

> FOOTBALL MONDAY There will be a meeting of

varsity football aspirants, both frosh and lettermen, in McArur court on Monday at 4 o'clock it was announced by Coach Prink Callison yester-

All varsity football aspirants both frosh and lettermen, are to meet at McArthur court on Monday at 4 o'clock announced Prink Callison, varsity football mentor,

Callison expects to outline plans for the coming spring training seaon at the meeting, and meet nev men out for the squad for the

Spring workouts for the members of last year's freshmen squad are expected to start Monday or Tuesday afternoons, if weather permits.

Lettermen and members of last year's team are not expected to be called for several weeks, as Callison wants to get acquainted with his new men first.

Coed Rifle Team Still Victorious

Oregon, Syracuse, Lead In Three-Way Match; **Gettysburg Loses**

Results of last week's postal matches show that the coed rifle team has not yet lost a match.

The match shot last Friday was between Gettysburg, Syracuse and (Please turn to page four)

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Free throws missed: Silver 4,

Courtney 2, Purdy 1, Johansen 2;

Smith 7, Winter 8, Johanson 8,

Kramer 18, Belko 13. Totals -

Half-time score: Oregon 16, Ida-

Officials: Ralph Coleman, Cor-

valls, referee; Roger Folgate,

Of News Staffs

To Be Contested

The battle of Inkslingers. To-

day on the maple boards of court

38 in the new gym, precisely at

two o'clock, the first annual

beef, between the boys who split

their infinitives on the sport

staff and the verb parsers

of the news staff, will be rolled

Big gun on the news staff at-

tack both on the floor and

through the air-mostly of the

hot variety-is LeRoy Matting-

ly, prayer shot specialist, who is

already offering alibis-claiming

a broken wrist, bent thumb, flat

feet. Teamed with the Mattingly

person will be Orvie Hopkins,

the hop, skip and jumps hooper,

and about 15 others of his cali-

The sports staff attack will be

led by Morrie "the Monster"

Henderson, who will have Pat

Inkslinger Tilt

Oregon 65, Idaho 44.

Walla Walla, umpire.

Washington Cops First Of Four-Game Series; Huskies Lead at Half In Seattle, 28-16

Hec Edmundson's second-place

Huskies handed the league-leading Cougars of Washington State a 0 45-to-40 defeat last night at the Husky pavillion in Seattle in the Washington led through the driving contest, holding a 28 to 17 advantage at half time.

Starting out with a barrage of baskets, the smooth Husky mach-Field shots taken: Silver 18, ine rolled up a 17 to 4 lead before Lewis 8, Courtney 6, Wintermute the bewildered men from Pullman 15, Anet 7, Purdy 5, Johansen 6; could get rolling.

> Cougar Rally The Cougars put on a second half rally that pulled them within five points of the Huskies, 38 to

33, with but four minutes to go. From this point the Huskies regained their faltering stride and kept their advantage to the end. Ed Loverich, veteran Husky for-

ward, led the scoring for both teams with 18. He was also the mainstay on defense. Chuck Wagner dropped 10 for the Huskies. For WSC, Sewell Carlson and Ivar Nelson divided the scoring onors with 10 apiece. Three men left the game via the personal foul

The two teams meet again tonight in a game that will decide the conference leader.

route. Bill Dahlke and Cassius Dol-

quist for the Cougars and Chuck

Wagner, Husky guard, were ban-

Frizzell, dymanic sports editor, and several other word tossers of this rank to bolster the squad. The sports staff expects to

play only two or three men against the 15 of the news staff in order to make the game even. It is expected that Fred "Polonius" Colvig, arbitrating editor will officiate with the same uncanny judgment that he uses in his editorial column.

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