

DUCK TRACKS

By ELBERT HAWKINS

Lost by graduation, one man: Chet Kebbe, three-year veteran. That's the story behind Oregon State's basketball quintet which last year finished fifth in the northern division with six wins in 20 games—one being over Oregon.

Washington State's Coach Jack Friel had this to say of the Orangemen when he was in Eugene: "They are apt to be dangerous yet and should show much improvement." Reading between lines you might interpret that as meaning Oregon has nothing to worry about tonight.

Friel apparently meant as much... BUT when Oregon's high-riding Webfoots played their first Corvallis game last winter the situation was similar. Slats Gill's team was even more inexperienced than now, and Hobby's juniors had piled up three straight conference victories and were already built up as the team to beat.

Rugged Dave Silver, sole 1939 first team loss, was out with mumps, true. But canny Slats Gill was laying for Oregon. And when Slats Gill is after one particular game he is hard to beat.

Slats, you know, is noted for using the type which will work best against any particular opponent. Early in the season he used the fast break to good advantage. In fact his great 1933 and 1935 teams used it. Like most coaches, too, he uses both a zone and man-for-man defense.

Against Oregon he'll undoubtedly employ the same tantalizing slow-breaking "percentage system" which beat Oregon last year. Not because he beat Oregon one game last year with a slow break, necessarily, but because the Oregon Staters of 1939 don't figure—on paper—to out-drive Oregon.

Apparently Slats is going to send "big boys" against Oregon which is probably why Hobby has been using Oregon's husky John Dick in practice this week. Rough-and-tough Elmer Kolberg weighs 205 pounds, Frank Mandic 205, Bill Stidham 207—there's plenty of beef all right if Slats Gill uses it.

Chuck Elliot, Eugene high athlete, recent winner of the Wittshire award for outstanding sports achievement in Lane county, is the son of Charlie Elliot, campus barber.

Charlie Sr. says Charlie Jr. is planning to enter Oregon next fall. Chuck weighs 230 pounds, starts in football, plays basketball to keep in condition, and is state prep shot put champion. Last year he fell only 7 inches short of the state record held by Bill Blackledge of Corvallis high (now an Oregon State), cracking it several times unofficially. This spring he'll have another chance at the record.

Advice to the school: don't lose him.

Here's an angle, coming from a campus authority on Portland's high school basketball set-up. Commerce high, which was unceremoniously dumped twice last weekend by John Warren's frosh basketball team, rates along with Grant and Jefferson as a favorite to win the Rose City prep championship this winter.

If the state association should allow Portland representation in the state tourney on the provision that nine terms be declared ineligible, here would be the situation. Grant and Jefferson—and probably several other Portland teams—would be riddled by the rule. Commerce high's lineup would be untouched and unfurnished and would go into the state show at 100 per cent strength.

The tall boys of Oregon State's basketball team are... Bill Blackledge, 6 feet; Mal Harris, 6 feet

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Betas, Fijis, Pi Kaps, SPEs, Fizzeds, SAEs, Capture Donut Basketball Contests

Phi Sigs, Sigmas, Kappa Sigs Beaten In 'A' Contests

By DOUGLAS PARKER
Beta Theta Pi, led by Wellington "Wimpy" Quinn, snowed the Kappa Sig "A" team under, 42 points to 13, Thursday while the Fijis subdued Sigma hall and the Pi Kaps turned back Phi Sigma Kappa. All three games were in the A league.

Quinn, who potted 20 points for the Betas, was the outstanding man on the floor. The ex-varsity squad man heaved shots from everywhere and combined with Footballer Steve Anderson in many a fancy pass play. Anderson was second high point, with nine counters, while Ralph Moore of the Kappa Sigs scored four points to lead his outfit in scoring.

The game was intermittently rough with Frank Emmons, varsity fullback, plowing through opponents when he couldn't go around. Anderson was credited with the most spectacular shot of the game when he twisted one in from directly beneath the basket.

Score:
Betas (42) (13) Kappa Sigs
Livingston, 8.....F.....2, Slade
Harrow, 5.....F.....4, Moore
Quinn, 20.....C.....Hughes
Wolcott.....G.....1, McAuliffe
Anderson, 9.....G.....2, Emmons
S.....2, Lansing
S.....2, Engelke
Referees: Al Long and Phillip Craft.

Fijis 25, Sigma 10
Phi Sigma Delta opened up in the second half to trounce Sigma hall, 25 to 10. Bill Campbell and Chet Haliski scored four points each during the last few minutes of the game to put the Fijis far in the lead. Half-time score was tied six-all. Campbell poured in nine points for high point honors, followed by George Smith, also of the Fijis, with six. Bill Grant led the Sigma scorers with 4.

Score:
Fijis (25) (10) Sigma Hall
Campbell, 9.....F.....4, Grant
Davis, 2.....G.....2, Green
Smith, 6.....C.....Bowman
Juola, 4.....G.....Richardson
Haliski, 4.....G.....2, Parker
S.....2, Raffetto
S.....Moore
Referee: Phillip Craft.

Pi Kaps 23, Phi Sigs 10
A close-checking Pi Kap defense bottled up the Phi Sigs throughout the game and the Pi Kaps won easily, 23-10. Score at half-time favored the Pi Kaps, 12-2.

Rudy King and Dan Hogan sparked the winners with six points each. Outstanding ball handlers for the Phi Sigs were Carter Fetsch and Estley Schich, who came through with a long one near the end of the first half for the Phi Sigs' only basket of that period. Roger Miller, Phi Sig center, scored four points to tie with Fetsch in point getting for the losers.

Score:
Pi Kaps (23) (10) Phi Sigs
King, 6.....F.....Spangler
Simpson.....F.....4, Fetsch
Silverwood, 5.....C.....4, Miller
Tower, 2.....G.....2, Ohman
Hogan, 6.....G.....2, Schich
McKee.....S.....Thompson
Smith, 4.....S.....Pedigo
S.....Timm
Referees: Al Long and Dutch Rohrer.

2 inches; Al Hunter, 6 feet 1 1/2 inches; Chuck Klein, 6 feet 4 inches; Elmer Kolberg, 6 feet 4 inches; Frank Mandic, 6 feet 4 inches; Tony Romano, 6 feet 4 1/2 inches; Clayton Shaw, 6 feet; Bill Stidham, 6 feet 5 1/2 inches; Don Stitt, 6 feet; Nello Vanelli, 6 feet 2 inches; and Stuart Warren, 6 feet 4 inches... in fact only four men on the squad's roster of 17 are under 6 feet!... Tonight in Moscow, Forrest Twogood's Vandals meet Washington State...

Since the 1928-29 season when Slats Gill took the reins at Oregon State the Webfoots hold a 21 to 17 lead in basketball games won and lost against the Beavers... Oregon won three out of four last season, swept all four the year before, and dropped three out of four in 1936... over the 38-game history since 1929 Oregon has scored 1112 points to 1142 for Oregon State... Two weeks from tonight the two teams play in Eugene, the Ducks then going on the road for five games.

Phi Deltas, Zeta Hall, Gamma Hall Fall in Intramural Tilts

By WILBUR BISHOP
Sigma Phi Epsilon took a hard-fought game from the Phi Deltas, 15 to 13, in intramural basketball yesterday. The SAEs emerged from a loosely-played contest with Zeta hall on the long end of a 10 to 3 count, while in the other "A" league game, the newly organized Fizzeds won a well-played game from Gamma hall, 19 to 13.

The Sig Eps had to overcome an early lead in defeating the Phi Deltas. At the end of the first quarter the Phi Deltas were leading 5 to 2. Dominic Giovanini opened the second quarter for the Sig Eps with a one-handed push shot, and Harold Morgan dropped in a foul shot for the Phi Deltas. Jack Waits came up with a field goal and Vic Reginato followed with a shot from the keyhole to give the Sig Eps a 7 to 6 lead at half-time.

In the second half every player on the Sig Ep team scored at least one point to bring their total to 15. Morgan sank two field goals to keep his team in the running, but a last-minute basket by Reginato put the game on ice for the Sig Eps.

The lineups:
Sig Eps (15) (13) Phi Deltas
Bean, 1.....F.....5, Morgan
Long, 2.....F.....4, Dixon
Reginato, 4.....C.....3, Shipley
Giovanini, 4.....G.....1, Stephenson
Waits, 4.....G.....Feasley
S.....Dyer

SAE 10, Zeta Hall 3
Claude Hockley with six points led the SAEs to a 10 to 3 win over Zeta hall. His two field goals in the first half made up half of his team's points and one basket in the second period completed the scoring for the SAEs. The Zetas were unable to score until the closing minutes of the final quarter when Gordon Landen dropped in a field goal and a free throw. Both teams played a slow game with neither showing any ability to get started. The SAEs' scoring came only in spurts.

The lineups:
O'Reilly, 2.....F.....Keller
Meek.....F.....Frizzell
Shearer.....C.....Torernee
Hockley, 6.....G.....Golden
Petre, 2.....G.....3, Landen

Fizzeds 19, Gamma Hall 13
The Physical Education club's donation to intramural basketball, the Fizzeds, gained an early lead over Gamma hall and held it throughout the game. The Gammas threatened to tie the score several times in the second half, but were unable to overtake the classy Fizzeds.

Cecil Warner and Stew Marsee were the leading scorers for the Fizzeds with nine and six points, respectively. Lloyd Wilson was outstanding for the losers with five points.

The lineups:
Fizzeds (19) (13) Gamma Hall
Dikie, 2.....F.....5, L. Wilson
Craft.....F.....Niklas
Metcalf.....C.....2, R. Wilson
Marsee, 6.....G.....2, Hicks
Warner, 9.....G.....2, Azumano
Howson, 2.....S.....2, C. Wilson
Referees: Don Towers and Dutch Rohrer.

Frosh Organizing Squad for Season

Salem 'Y' Eugene High, Rooks, Uni-Hi, Booked by Frosh

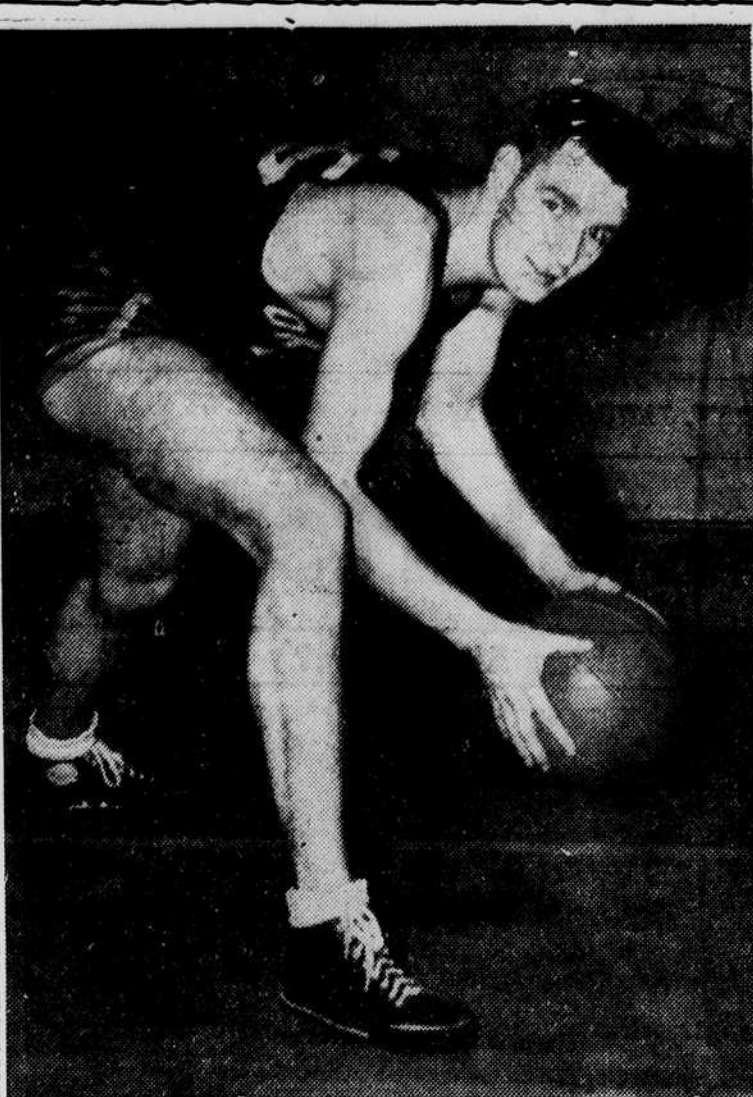
A definite schedule? No—but there's some real sailing for Oregon's frosh swimmers to spike their sails for this season.

A match with the Salem YMCA has been definitely scheduled for Wednesday, January 25. The Ducklings will buffet the waves with the Oregon State Rooks twice, probably on the days preceding varsity matches with the Beavers, February 4 and March 4.

Annual competition with Eugene high and Uni-high has become traditional, and this year will be no exception. Last year's Uni team won the state high school swimming championship, but they will face two of their last year's stars—Gerald Heustis and Dick Smith—this year.

Heustis was state high school champ in the breast stroke before entering the University. Smith was rated as one of the state's top notchers in the sprints while in high school.

Loose, Lithe, Limber



Ted Sarpola... Oregon's whirling dervish, one of the coast's most colorful shooters, is expected to see action at forward tonight against Oregon State.

Whitfield, to Fight AAU Champion

Saturday night at McArthur, court Smokey Whitfield, Oregon's own Golden Glover, will climb into the squared circle against Wayne Dillingham, the Elks club's greatest claim to fame. Dillingham was state A.A.U. champion in his weight last year.

Twelve other bouts are scheduled, six boxing matches, and six wrestling goes.

Jack Fruitt is slated to make the 175-pound try with Glenn Inogal, Benny Hall's new Elks find.

Edwin Harding, Oregon's glove-tossing, will square off against Glen McCall. Harding, in a previous bout with the Elks club, smashed his way to a technical knockout over Harold Besson at 145 pounds.

Collier vs. Miller
Cam Collier will spend his nine minutes in the ring for Oregon against Howard Miller.

Wayne Towne is scheduled to meet Bob McChesney in a return engagement. McChesney, battling for the Elks scored a decision over Towne in the former engagement.

"Tiger" Nicherson, Oregon letterman, tangles with Jim Pifer in the other 135-pound limit.

Jim Greene, Oregon 118-pounder takes on Art McChesney in the only other boxing bout. Both McChesneys fighting for the local Elks are Oregon freshmen.

In a special paperweight exhibition, two of Benny Hall's 50-pounders will sling the leather.

Six of Herb Colwell's wrestlers are certain of berths against Central "Y" of Portland on the companion feature.

These are: Bill Lauderback, Jim Mountain, Burt Dake, Mort Myers, Hal Spence, and Dale Peterson.

OREGON STATE COLLEGE SQUAD

| No. | Name | Pos. | Exp. | Hgt. | Wgt. | Age | Home Town |
|------------------|------|--------|-----------|------|------|------------------|-----------|
| Blackledge, Bill | G | Fr. | 6' | 190 | 19 | Corvallis | |
| Garboud, Bob | F | Fr. | 5'11" | 175 | 19 | Long Beach, Cal. | |
| Harris, Mal | F | 2 yrs. | 6'2" | 175 | 21 | Glendale, Cal. | |
| Hunter, Al | G | 1 yr. | 6'1 1/2" | 183 | 20 | Everett, Wash. | |
| Kessler, Dick | G | None | 5'11 1/2" | 173 | 20 | Belfountain | |
| Klein, Chuck | G | 1 yr. | 6'4" | 190 | 21 | Seattle, Wash. | |
| Kolberg, Elmer | C | 2 yrs. | 6'4" | 205 | 22 | Portland | |
| Mandic, Frank | C | 1 yr. | 6'4" | 205 | 21 | Los Angeles | |
| Pflugrad, Roy | G | 1 yr. | 6' | 170 | 22 | Corvallis | |
| Romano, Tony | G | 1 yr. | 6'4 1/2" | 205 | 20 | Long Beach, Cal. | |
| Schwab, Arland | F | None | 5'10" | 145 | 21 | Silverton | |
| Shaw, Clayton | F | Fr. | 6' | 154 | 19 | Walla Walla, Wn. | |
| Stidham, Bill | G | 1 yr. | 6'5 1/2" | 207 | 22 | Pasadena, Cal. | |
| Stitt, Don | G | Fr. | 6' | 170 | 22 | La Grande | |
| Vanelli, Nello | G | 2 yrs. | 6'2" | 195 | 22 | Portland | |
| Warren, Stuart | C | 1 yr. | 6'4" | 210 | 19 | Corvallis | |

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON SQUAD

| No. | Name | Pos. | Exp. | Hgt. | Wgt. | Age | Home Town |
|-------------------------|------|--------|-------|------|------|----------------|-----------|
| Anet, Robert (Bob) | G | 2 yrs. | 5'8" | 175 | 20 | Astoria | |
| Andrews, George | G | Fr. | 5'11" | 180 | 20 | Victoria, B.C. | |
| Diek, John | F | 1 yr. | 6'4" | 200 | 20 | The Dalles | |
| Gale, Lauren (Laddie) | F | 2 yrs. | 6'4" | 195 | 21 | Portland | |
| Hardy, Robert (Bob) | F | 1 yr. | 6'3" | 180 | 21 | Ashland | |
| Johansen, Wally | G | 2 yrs. | 5'11" | 155 | 21 | Astoria | |
| Marshik, Archie | C | Fr. | 6'6" | 195 | 20 | Eugene | |
| McNeely, Evert (Red) | G | Fr. | 6'2" | 180 | 22 | Portland | |
| Mullen, Ford | G | 1 yr. | 5'8" | 165 | 21 | Olympia, Wash. | |
| Pavalunas, Matt | F | 1 yr. | 6' | 170 | 21 | Portland | |
| Sandness, Earl | F | Fr. | 6'4" | 190 | 19 | Astoria | |
| Sarpola, Ted | F | 1 yr. | 6'2" | 160 | 21 | Astoria | |
| Wintemute, Urgel (Slim) | C | 2 yrs. | 6'8" | 195 | 21 | Eugene | |

* Denotes varsity letters earned.

Hobby, Slats Meet Tonight in Thirteenth Tilt

Duck Mentor Holds Eight to Four Edge in Hoop Rivalry

Tonight's Orange-Webfoot hoop clash will mark the 13th meeting between Hobson-coached and Gill-coached basketball teams since Howard Hobson came to Oregon four years ago.

Over the three-year period of rivalry, Hobson holds a decided edge. In that time, lemon-and-green teams have won 8 out of 12 games.

In 1936, Hobson's first year as a northern division coach, his Oregon team, bolstered by transfers who came up with him from Southern Oregon normal, won only the first game of a four-game series from the Beavers, led by all-American Wally Palmberg.

Sweep All Four
A year later, the Ducks swept every game from the Beavers, and last year they won three out of four.

Coach Gill is coaching his eleventh season at Oregon State, and during the 10-year period, he has piloted the Orange to 17 victories over Oregon. Oregon's Webfoots boast 21 wins over the decade of struggle with the Gill zone defense. Scores of games since 1935-36 season:

- 1935-36 season: Oregon 29, Oregon State 27. Oregon 23, Oregon State 49. Oregon 26, Oregon State 28. Oregon 29, Oregon State 25.
- 1936-37 season: Oregon 35, Oregon State 34. Oregon 44, Oregon State 31. Oregon 33, Oregon State 26. Oregon 35, Oregon State 21.
- 1937-38 season: Oregon 38, Oregon State 32. Oregon 32, Oregon State 36. Oregon 40, Oregon State 32. Oregon 38, Oregon State 33.

HOME EC ENROLLMENT UP

Enrollment in the Home Economics department has increased from its total of 360 last term to 412 this term.

This increase is probably caused by the fact that students can have more electives winter term than in the fall, so many of them choose home ec courses, stated Mrs. Mary B. Farr, instructor in the Home Economics department.

COEDS NOTICE!
Entries for "coed campus casaba cuddlers"—women's basketball, will close today, Friday, January 13, it was announced from WAA offices. Club badminton for men and women is being held at 7:30 Thursdays, and club fencing is billed for 7:30 Wednesdays. An interhouse swimming meet sponsored by the Amphibians will be held soon.

PE Club Enters Team in Donut Play

Fizzeds' Organize A and B Squads for Hoop Competition

Two more basketball teams started preparations for intramural competition Wednesday night when the Physical Education club met in the men's gymnasium, organized tentative "A" and "B" squads and held first practice. It was decided that the team would be called "Fizzeds."

The tentative "A" squad which was picked last night is: Bill Howson, center; Roland Dickie, forward; Phillip Craft, forward; Cecil Warner, guard; Stuart Marsee, guard; and Ray Goats, forward.

Al Bogue, P. E. club president, said that some of the players were transfers from other colleges and that their eligibility had been questioned. Bogue explained that transfers were eligible if they had not received a letter from any college in a conference equal to the Pacific Coast conference that they were eligible. This ruling, Bogue said, made junior college and teacher college transfers eligible for intramural competition.

Mississippi State college has just opened a new petroleum products testing laboratory constructed at a cost of \$20,000.

Dartmouth college is now laying plans for an annual Summer Drama festival which will be "a yearly exhibition of the best in the theatre."

Ducklings Trek North for Hoop Engagements

Barnstorming Tour To End at Astoria; Portland First

Today at 1 o'clock, nine yearling basketball players and Coach John Warren depart for Portland where they will play Meier and Frank's independent team at Jefferson high school gym tonight at 7:30 before continuing on to Astoria for their battle with the Astoria Townies Saturday evening.

Dave Silver, ex-varsity forward, led the boys through fundamental drills last night. Honest John Warren took a trip to The Dalles and will be back today to take over the reins.

Travelers Named
Les Thompson, Elliott Wilson, Ross Kilborn, Lavern Van Marter, Leonard Gard, Don Galbreath, Hal Sarkela, Doug Caven and Bob Dev-erall will make the trip to Astoria via Portland.

Probable starting lineup for tonight's game:
Leonard Gard.....F
Hal Sarkela.....F
Elliott Wilson.....C
Doug Caven.....G
Don Galbreath.....G

So far this season the Ducklings have played three games, winning two and losing one. They have scored 121 points to 84 points for their opponents.

Leonard Gard is high scorer with 41 points in the three games followed by Doug Caven with 15.

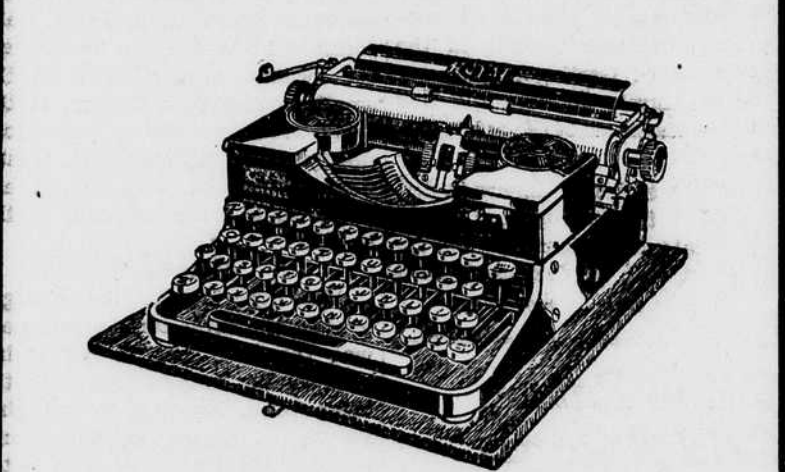
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