

DUCK TRACKS

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Oregons Attain Highest Goal

Howard Hobson's 'Vow Boys' Conclude Season Victoriously

Frosh, Varsity Netmen Stage Ladder Tourney

Twenty-One Out for Webfoot Team; 15 Ducklings Play

Twenty-one men are trying out for places on Oregon's varsity tennis team, and 15 fellows are working for berths on the frosh squad. At the present time Coach Paul R. Washke is conducting an elimination tourney. Any man who is beaten twice in the contest is automatically dropped from the list of varsity contenders.

Who could find a better pair of guards than those driving Astorians, the inseparable Wally Johansen and Bobby Anet, who have been playing side by side for 12 years? Is there a center anywhere you'd rather have either defensively or offensively than Slim Wintermute. Or how could you top the offensive front trio of Slim, and forwards Laddie Gale and John Dick who in their four games previous to last night's Ohio State debacle (against California twice and then Texas and Oklahoma) rolled in 144 points!

Varsity Baseballers Limber Up Under Cole

It won't be long before Oregon's varsity baseballers find their batting eyes and start pounding the ball at a clip which they hope will take them to a northern division championship. For more than a week now, veteran lettermen and rookie aspirants alike have been swinging bats and shaking winter cramps from their arms.

(Continued from page one) the song when it was all over, and when midwest fans paid a roaring tribute to a great ball team. From the time the two Oregon sparkplugs, Wally Johansen and Captain Bobby Anet first started performing as skinny kids on an Astorian floor, Oregon basketball was destined to reach the top.

In 1938, the "big four" teamed with Silver to take an undisputed northern title, only to lose to Luisetti and Stanford in the coast playoff in two straight. And this year, there was no stopping those Ducks. They aimed high, and they flew high. They traveled from New York to San Francisco and back again to Chicago, playing the best in the nation, and they lost but five of 34 games.

They applied the pressure to beat Washington, 39 to 26, to top the northern division hoop tiara, then waxed California two straight, 54 to 49, and 53 to 47, to annex the coast confalon. Texas and Oklahoma bowed out of the western picture, 56 to 41, and 55 to 37.

Against Ohio State last night, the Oregons led all the way, and kept the pressure on the Buckeyes continuously. Captain Bobby Anet led the way in the opening minute with a basket and free throw that boosted the Webfoots to a 3 to 0 lead. Dick made it 6 to 1 before Captain Jimmy Hull of the Buckeyes tallied the first Ohio State field goal.

Summary: Oregon (46) FG FT PF TP Dick, f 4 5 3 13 Gale, f 3 4 0 10 Wintermute, c 2 0 1 4 Anet, g 4 2 3 10 Johansen, g 4 1 1 9 Pavalunas, g 0 0 0 0 Mullen, g 0 0 0 0 Totals 17 12 8 46 Ohio State (33) FG FT PF TP Hull, f 5 2 2 12 Baker, f 0 0 0 0 Schick, c 0 1 2 2 Lynch, g 3 1 3 7 Boughner, g 1 0 0 2 Dawson, g 1 0 4 2 Sattler, c 3 1 0 7 Mickelson 0 2 0 0 Stafford, f 0 0 0 0 Maag, c 0 0 0 0 Scott, g 0 1 1 1

Free throws missed—Gale, Wintermute, Anet, Johansen, Hull 2, Lynch 2, Sattler. Officials—Referee, John Getchell, St. Thomas; umpire, Lyle Clarno, Bradley.

ahead by only one point. Right there, Johansen said "nix brother," and let fly. Swish, swish, and the lithe Astorian had plunked two field goals. Anet flashed by and hit another, and John Dick potted two more, while Captain Hull was hitting for the Buckeyes to bring the halftime score to 21 to 16.

All during this half, Oregon's big boys, Laddie Gale and Slim Wintermute, were feeding Anet and Johansen. Their turn, they knew, would come later.

At the turn of the period, Captain Hull brought Ohio State to within one point of the Webfoots with two quick baskets. The pressure was on, and the Webfoots responded. In about three minutes, the Webfoots had scored nine points while blanking the Buckeyes. Wintermute, Dick, Anet, and Dick again, swished the ball through the hoop. Oregon now had a lead, and with every man finding the range, the Webfoots had turned the tide of battle. Before it was over, the game was nearly a rout.

Ohio State never could quite adjust its play to break through the tight Oregon zone defense. The Buckeyes, after repeated attempts, began howitzing from far out. Except for the pinch-hitting of Lynch and Hull, the Buckeyes could never hit consistently. John Dick of Oregon and Hull of Ohio tied for high point honors with 13 points each. Captain Anet and Johansen played the outstanding floor games, and received long applause when they left the floor. Anet scored 10 points, as did Gale, and Johansen got 9.

Managers Notice! Prospective sophomore baseball managers are asked to report to the equipment room of McArthur court at 3 o'clock today or contact Bill Foster at the ATO house.

Coed Donut Softball Season to Commence

The first girls' intramural baseball (it's really softball, but that sounds so sissified) games are scheduled for this Wednesday at 5 p.m. on Gerlinger field. Playing Wednesday are Gamma Phi vs. Pi Phi and Sigma Kappa vs. Delta Gamma. Thursday's double-header includes Kappa vs. University Co-op and Chi Omega vs. Susie.

16 Teams Enter Louise Pursley, WAA baseball manager, divided the 16 entering teams into 4 leagues. As in the basketball tourney, the members of each of these leagues will meet the other three teams in their league and then league winners will play-off for the girls' intramural baseball crown and silver cup. League A includes AOPi, Theta, Alpha Chi, and Orides. League B, University Co-op, Kappa, Gamma Phi, and Pi Phi. League C, Hilyard Co-op, Chi O, Susie, and ADPi. League D, Sigma Kappa, Delta, Gamma, Lucky Aces, and Tri-Delt.

Another Champion



It's Laddie Gale, Oregon's tornado forward, who recently placed of the NEA all-American. The former Oakridge athlete helped Oregon defeat Ohio State last night for the national basketball championship.

Donut Mermen Open Slate With Three Meets

Sigma Chi, Betas, Theta Chis Defeat Opponents in Tiffs

Oregon's initial intramural swim meet was held yesterday at the men's pool. Six teams turned out to do battle in the six events at the end of which found the tanksters from Sigma Chi, Beta Theta Pi, and Theta Chi still floating above their worthy opponents.

Strong UO Golf Team Anticipated For 1939 Season

Five Lettermen Are Back for Varsity Plus Holdovers

One of the strongest University of Oregon golf squads since the championship days of Don Moe, George Will, et al, began preparations for the 1939 season this week with the start of 72-hole qualifying rounds over the Eugene country club course.

Zetas Edged Out

Zeta hall dropped a close meet to the Betas to the tune of 26-23. The swimmers from Theta Chi downed those of Sigma Nu with their 28-20 win. Results as follows: Sigma Chi (42) vs. Pi Kappa Alpha (6).

Victory Narrow

Beta Theta Pi (26) vs. Zeta hall (23). 40-yard free style—Groene (Zeta hall) first; Wolcott and Hague (Beta) second and third. 40-yard back stroke—Craig (Beta) first; Putnam and Landeen (Zeta hall) second and third. 40-yard breast stroke—Gill and Craig (Beta) first and second; Dake (Zeta hall) third. 120-yard medley—Won by Zeta hall (Landeen, Powers, and Dake). 60-yard individual medley—

Washington Swimmers Top Northern Division Oregon Team Second

The University of Washington posted a total of 82 points in the northern division Pacific coast conference swimming meet in Seattle Saturday to run away with the crown. Oregon was second with 47 points, and OSC was third with 30 points. Idaho and Washington State tied for fourth place with six points each, while Montana was last with one point.

Oregon shone, as usual, in its specialties—the 300-yard medley relay, the 150-yard backstroke, and the 200-yard breast stroke. Sherm Wetmore, Jack Dallas, and Jim Marnie pooled their talents and posted a new championship mark by swimming the 300 in 3:08.8. And again it was Jack Dallas in the breast stroke and Sherm Wetmore in the backstroke, as the two Californians polished off three records each—the championship, the pool, and the northern division marks. Dallas went the 200-yard breast stroke in 2:31, while Wetmore took the backstroke in 1:42.1.

Ends '37 Season The Saturday meet marked the end of another swimming season for the Oregon mermen. The team was coached by Ned Johns, one time track star for Stanford university, and Jim Reed, ex-Oregon and all-American swimmer. The season was fairly successful, but the Oregonians look forward to a great year next year, when some outstanding frosh of this year—Dick Smith, Gerald Heustis, Jerry Macdonald, Bob Range, Bob McAuliffe, and Fred Vincent—will come up to the varsity.

It was a great day for the Huskies as they dedicated their new 75-foot pool. They took five first places and broke records in three events.

How They Scored Summary: 300-yard medley relay—Won by Oregon (Wetmore, backstroke, Dallas, breast stroke, Marnie, free-style); second, Washington; third, Oregon State; fourth, Washington State; fifth, Idaho. Time: 3:08.8. (New championship meet record—previous set by Hoskins, Caddey, and Randles at Washington, 1937).

220-yard free style—Won by Bochman, Washington; second, Goldberg, Washington; third, Ebeling, OSC; fourth, Holden, Washington; fifth, Levy, Oregon. Time: 2:18.0 (New meet record).

50-yard dash—Won by McAdams, Washington; second, Personette, Washington, and Marnie, Oregon, tie; fourth, Starbuck, Oregon and Mallory, Oregon, tie. Time: 24.3.

100-yard free style—Won by Brownell, OSC; second, Personette, Washington; third, Bockman, Washington; fourth, Goldberg, Washington; fifth, Mallory, Oregon. Time: 55.2 (new pool record).

150-yard backstroke—Won by Wetmore, Oregon; second, Hoskins, Washington; third, Hoepner, Washington; fourth, Brugger, OSC; fifth, Koke, Washington. Time: 1:42.1 (New meet, northern division, and pool record).

200-yard breast stroke—Won by Dallas, Oregon; second, Caddey, Washington; third, Yake, Washington; fourth, Lafferty, Oregon; fifth, King, Montana. Time: 2:31 (new northern division, championship, and pool record).

400-yard free style—Won by Bockman, Washington; second, Goldberg, Washington; third, Ebeling, OSC; fourth, Holden, Washington, and Wetmore, Oregon (tie). Time: 5:06.2 (new meet record).

Diving—Won by Langevin, Washington; second, Olson, OSC; third, Gaffney, Oregon; fourth, Elmer Mallory, Oregon; fifth, Andrews, Washington.

400-yard free style relay—Won by Washington (Randles, McAdams, Personette, and Caddey); second, Oregon; third, OSC; fourth, Idaho; fifth, Washington State. Time 3:50 (new meet record).

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