

# DUCK TRACKS

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# Shooting on Practice Menu for Aroused Webfoot Five

## Long Shots Draw Notice; Beavers Next

### Victory Necessary For Ducks to Stay In Hoop Race

By KEN CHRISTIANSON  
Shooting, the weak spot of Saturday's Beaver-Duck encounter, received prime consideration from Coach Hobby Hobson last night in issuing the practice orders of the day to his Oregon basketball squad.

Considerable time was spent on practice in making those long shots which count so heavily in drawing out some of those ball-handling defects shown in the game Saturday in preparation for the return engagement Friday in Corvallis.

#### Last Chance

It will be Oregon's last chance to salvage one game from the Beavers in four encounters. In the past three games the Orange quint has posted an 11-point margin of victory over the Webfoots. These three defeats coupled with a setback at the hands of Washington make the only losses for the Ducks.

Oregon, to stay in the northern division hoop race, must tip the highly favored Oregon State team Friday night. Then if the Ducks sweep the dreaded four-games-in-five-days trip into the Inland Empire they will still have to hope and pray for Washington to tip the Beavers at least once.

Should the Beavers take it on the chin Friday as is possible since much of the pressure will be on them, then the Webfoots may drag out the Hindu prayer-string and mutter the magic Indian words (O, mani pai mu hum)—if that's what it is. If the prayers are potent enough the Huskies may come through with a win—they're hard to beat on their tricky home floor.

Granting that Oregon takes the rest of their games and the Beavers drop one to Oregon and one to Washington then the standings will read with both Oregon teams tied. That would call for a playoff to decide the northern winner.

So, Hobson drills his boys on long shots.

## Washington Trips WSC

NORTHERN DIVISION				
	W	L	Pct.	PF
OSC	11	2	.846	494
Oregon	7	4	.636	497
WSC	7	6	.538	592
WU	5	9	.357	556
Idaho	2	11	.154	471

Results last night:  
At Washington State 52, Washington 53.

The University of Washington Huskies squeaked the last faint championship hopes of Washington State last night at Pullman, defeating the Cougars, 53 to 52.

The loss definitely ended the Cougar's title threat. Until last night they had a faint mathematical possibility of tying for the crown, but it went glimmering with the defeat.

For Washington, the win gives them a split in the series at Pullman, and definitely establishes the Huskies in fourth place, two and a half games above Idaho's hapless Vandals.

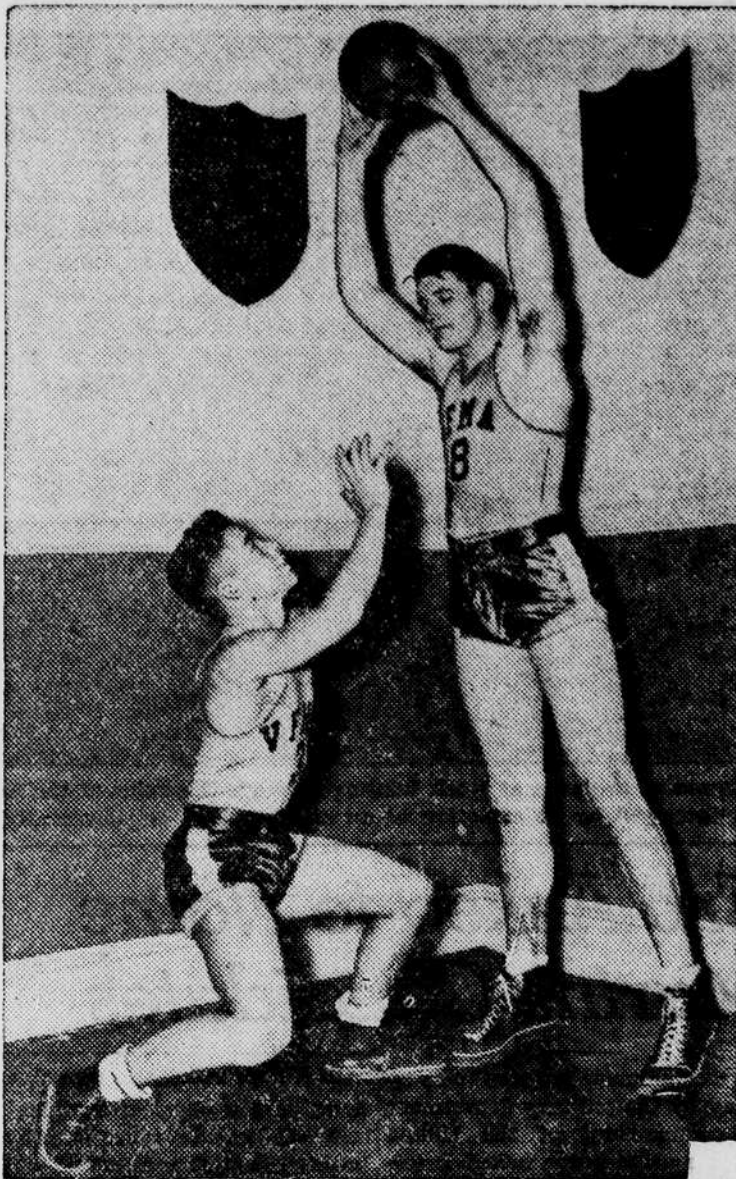
Anet, Dick Strite, Buck Buchwach, and Bruce Hamby.  
Duck tracks... the University ticket office quit selling general admission seats to Saturday's Beaver clash at 4 o'clock in the afternoon... 200 more tickets were sold to the crowd in the evening, and hundreds were still turned away... found without seats at the big game and sitting on the floor: Anse Cornell and John Warren!

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### How High Is Up, Buddy?



Big and little Valley Forge, Pa., military academy cage players do a stunt for the camera. The little fellow is Archie McGrew, five feet three, and the big chap is Heckert Horn, six foot five.

## Oregon Swimmers Prepare for Staters

By PAUL McCARTY

The University of Oregon swimming team, now called the traveling Webfoots because they have had only one meet in four this season in the home pool, carry on their mileage-accumulating tactics this Saturday with a trip to Corvallis for a return meet with Oregon State swimmers.

The Webfoot-Beaver water-splashing contest is the final two-way meet of the season for the Oregon mermen, and a win Saturday will give them the northern division dual meet championship. The con-

#### Added Power

Cutler will probably have more scoring power in his team making the Corvallis trip than the squad making up the Inland Empire outfit, as he left behind Gerald Huestis, backstroke who usually finishes second to champion Wetmore and is a capable freestyler, and Pierce Mallory, letterman from last year's squad.

Russ Cutler's frosh swimming team will meet Eugene high's mermen in a dual meet in the men's pool today at 3 o'clock. It will be the first engagement of the season for Bert Kern's prep aggregation.

ference championship meet will be held at Seattle, March 2.

Cutler Pleased  
Coach Russ Cutler was more than satisfied with the versatility of the Oregon boys on the victorious Inland Empire trip to Washington State and Idaho. Cutler had Jack Dallas and Sherm Wetmore, coast breaststroke and backstroke champions, respectively, swimming freestyle events. Al Sandner, varsity diver, even swam on the medley relay team as a freestyler.

Saturday morning the Oregon Frosh, traveling with the varsity, will meet the Oregon State Rooks in a return meet.

Two more practice sessions, tonight and Tuesday, and the Ducks will call all pool activities off until the meet starts rolling Saturday at Corvallis.



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## Emerald Team Will Meet Barometer

Emerald and Barometer basketball players will meet for the third and final game of their annual series at Corvallis Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Last Saturday, the Duck scribes walloped the Barometer 34 to 17 to even the series, the Oregon Staters having won the first game.

Emerald basketweavers will leave the shack at 1:30 Friday. The traveling squad has not been announced, but Coach George Pasero plans to take all players who saw action Saturday plus Lyle Nelson, wandering Emerald managing editor who failed to show for the game, and Drama Man Ray Dickson.

## Kappas, ADPIs Draw in Donut Game; Co-op Wins

### Wadsworth Leads Alpha Deltas; Lewis Stars for Chi Os

The Co-op sextet inched its way into the finals by defeating the Chi Os, 11-9, in coed basketball yesterday. It was one of the closest yet fastest games played at Gerlinger this season. Nancy Lewis, blonde Chi O, clicked well in guard position, keeping Rusty Tomlinson, the redheaded Co-op ace, down to four points.

The game was full of thrills and spills, with Florence Jackson spraining her ankle during the last seconds of the game.

Chi O, 9 11, Co-op West, 4 ..... F ..... Cramer Lewis ..... F ..... Shipler Nelson 5 ..... F ..... 1, Mann Bambford ..... G ..... Musser Bubb ..... G ..... Donaldson Jackson ..... G ..... Allen Substitutes: Chi O—Murray and Lewis; Co-op—Tomlinson 4, Dondero 6, Alderson, Furcher. Officials: Eastburn, Earl.

Revised schedule:  
Wednesday, 4:45, inside—ADPI vs. Kappa; 4:45, outside—ADPI vs. Pi Phi.  
Thursday, 4, inside—majors game; 4, outside—news staff vs. sports staff game; 5, inside—finals between Co-op and winner of ADPI vs. Kappa game.  
Friday, 4:45, inside—Alpha Gam vs. DG.

Kappa 10, ADPI 10  
Kappa and ADPI see-sawed through a semifinal basketball game yesterday to end in a draw with a final score of 10 to 10 on the Gerlinger floor. This tie will be played off today at 4:45 in the indoor gym, and the winner will meet the Co-op, winners of the 4 o'clock semifinal contest, Thursday in the final game.  
Kappa's fast guards saved the day for their team. Gloria Wadsworth tallied all the points for ADPI.  
Kappa, 10 ..... F ..... Moore ..... F ..... McCarthy (Please turn to page four)

## Theta Chi Club Grabs Overtime Contest From Super Charger Quintet

### Winners Gain Berth in Semi-Finals Of Intramural 'B' League Basketball Play-off; Ballif Gets Crucial Goal

By JIM SCHILLER

A mid court howitzer by Guard Len Ballif in the second overtime period gave the Theta Chis a 22 to 20 thriller over the Super Chargers in first round "B" league intramural championship playoff. This win was the Theta Chis' second in as many days and put them into the semi-finals of the playoff.

Although the Theta Chis led throughout the entire first three quarters, the Super Chargers with Baseballer Jack Jasper leading the way forged into a four-point lead with but two minutes left in the game. However, in this remaining time little Phil Lowry and big Mike Dariotas managed to connect with a long basket apiece. This left the score tied with but seconds left in the contest. Then as the final whistle sounded, Silva, Theta Chi sub, was fouled, but the pressure was a little too great and he missed.

#### Can't Score

The first overtime period found both outfits trying to keep their passing and shots under control, but neither five could work the ball in close enough to score. The second three-minute overtime period turned into a wild, rough affair after Ballif sank his two-hander. In fact, in the final thirty seconds fists were flying on both sides following a mix-up under the Theta Chi basket. Referees Mullen and Boroughs, however, soon put an end to the fistcuffs and the wild scramble proceeded during the remaining seconds.

It was the found uncanny long shots of Phil Barrett, chunky Theta Chi guard, that kept his team in the lead throughout the first periods. Although the smoother passing Super Chargers controlled the majority of the rebounds, they did not even come near the winners in the percentage of shot conversions.

#### Jasper Gets 10

It took four minutes of play before the accurate Barrett came through with one of his long ones for the first score of the contest. From then into the final period the Theta Chis stood off the Super Chargers and managed to hold onto the lead, even running it up to 11 to 7 at halftime.

Jasper of the losers was high scorer of the exciting fray with 10 points. Barrett's four long howitzers gave him second honors with 8. Theta Chi, 22 20, Super Chargers Houck, 2 ..... F ..... 3, Bob Flavelle Ballif, 5 ..... F ..... 4, Wolfe Dariotas, 4 ..... C ..... 10, Jasper Barrett, 8 ..... G ..... 2, Dulaney Lowry, 2 ..... G 1, Brian Flavelle Subs: Theta Chi—Silva 1. Officials: Mullen and Boroughs.

#### FANS NOTICE!

Want to see a good hoopfest? Then watch the coeds in their championship playoff.

## Duckling Gang Awaits Rook Tiff

### Warren's Quintet Plays in Corvallis Saturday Night

John Warren's frosh wind up a most successful season next Saturday night when they meet Oregon State's Rooks at Corvallis.

The Ducklings go into the final game of the little civil war with a clean sweep behind them. Three times they've trotted out to meet the Baby Beavers, and three times they've walked off with the game under their belt, the last one an 18-point rout.

#### Beaten Once

On top of this, the yearlings have trounced the best prep opposition in the state in 13 games, losing only one to Longview high. And that defeat was wiped out of the books when they trounced the Lumberjacks here Saturday in a return engagement.

It's a great team that Warren has sent out this year. Hampered by injuries all season, they have consistently shown a fighting spirit that equals their ability, and that's no small total. In two of their rook games they came from behind, to win, getting the winning basket with just 15 seconds to play in one.

#### Strong Forwards

There's a forward wall on this team that has ripped enemy defenses apart, and a defense that has torn enemy offenses to bits. Big Wally Borrevick at center, Warren Taylor, Quentin Sidesinger, and Jake Werschkul—these are the boys that ran up a mountainous (Please turn to page four)

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