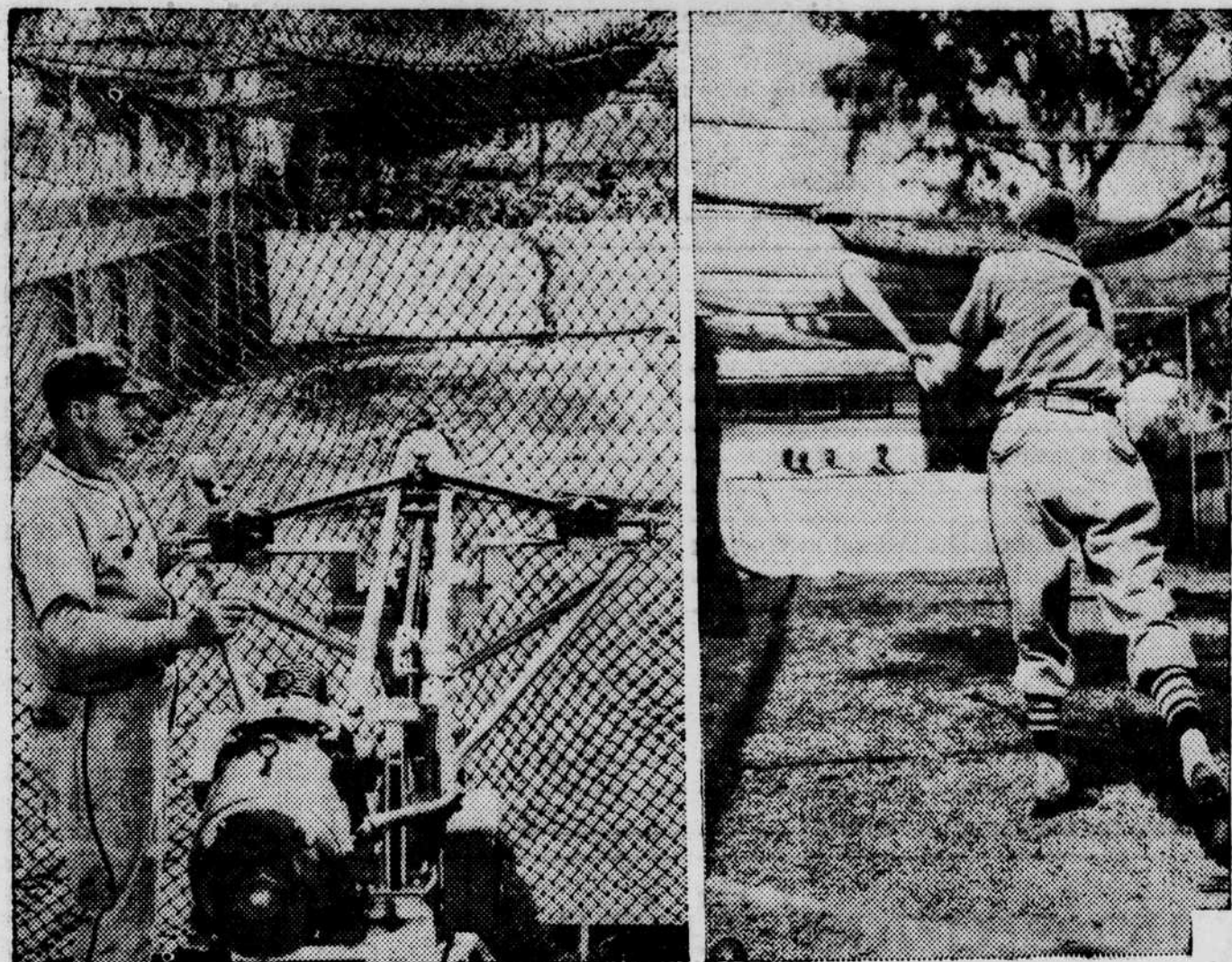


A TIRELESS PITCHER



The automatic pitching machine pictured above was used at the St. Louis Cardinal training camp recently. The gun "pitches" balls and the batter can bat to his heart's content. At left, Scout Joe Mathers feeds the machine as Rookie Martin Marian, right, takes a cut.

Jupe Pluvius Stops Freshman Nine Again

Coach John Warren was perfectly willing, the boys were mad because they couldn't, and there was plenty of opposition handy, but Jupe Pluvius cast a dissenting vote and the frosh again called off festivities.

The Duckling ball team was ready to hit it off with the University high nine Wednesday afternoon but weather conditions, which the newspapers chose to call "fair," or "local showers" turned the practice field into a pond which even the Ducklings were reluctant to wade into.

Hit the Road

In quest of the fairer and somewhat drier pastures on the other side of the hill, Warren, with some 11 ball players will leave Eugene Friday morning, Portland bound, to play with three of the local nines.

The frosh will open their northern trio of games with Grant Friday afternoon, Lincoln Saturday morning, and Jefferson Saturday afternoon.

With the weather's damp hand holding a tight clench on baseball affairs for the frosh, Warren sent his pitchers into McArthur court to work the links out of their arms. For the other players it was a brain session with Warren to pick up a few pointers on tactics.

Ducklings Gird for OSC Meet

By WALLY HUNTER

While the Oregon varsity is praying nightly for some miracle to give them a "David over Goliath" win in the annual Oregon State relays, the Oregon freshman team is working quietly and steadily despite the "California rain" and will ask for no quarter from the Orange babes.

While the Oregon State rooks have one meet already behind them, the Oregon Ducklings have nothing more to boast about than a few days of weather that was good enough to really practice in. There's plenty of unexploded dynamite being carried around concealed in the mud and slush covering the spikes of the frosh.

Battle Looms

When the Duck Beaver relays come off the afternoon of April 19, track fans should see one of the fiercest "champ against champ" track duels that has ever taken place on the Bell field oval.

The two participants in this typical Beaver-Duck battle, will be Don Wilson, Duck miler, who last year ran away with the state high school title, and one Bob Fischer of the Orange Babes. Both men have out-classed the best that their respective varsitys have to offer this season.

After Fischer won first place in the first meet OSC had, with Willamette, his coach Grant Swan said, "Fischer is living up to my prediction and should go a long way in the Pacific coast conference." Things aren't exactly set yet but these two will probably clash as anchor men in the three mile relay though neither coach has released his final choices for positions.

Squad List

Coach Ned Johns last night announced that he will take 14 men to the Corvallis carnival. He also released a tentative list of men and their places in the meet. Johns said that the men will not necessarily run in the order mentioned.

Roster:

3-mile relay—Don Wilson, Ken Sawyer, Jim Briggs, Marion Huford, Stan Skillicorn.

440-yard relay—Stan Ray, Bob Newland, Jim Coleman, Veryl Alexander.

Mile relay—Dick Shelton, Ray, John Gleason, Coleman.

880-yard relay—John O'Brien, Owen Day, Coleman, Rod Munro, Alexander.

Medley relay—Ray, Shelton, Wilson, Briggs.

COED GOLFERS

All women qualifying for the women's golf tournament must turn in their scores by April 24 to Nancy Lewis.

WAA Starts New System

In order to facilitate the next year's officers' duties, Hope Hughes, president of WAA, requested all individual sports heads to hand in their methods of awarding checks.

At a meeting yesterday, it was decided to incorporate the following check system of awards in the constitution: fifteen checks will be necessary for senior awards, eight checks for active participation in sports, seven checks for an "O" award, and four for active playing.

Transfers must participate a term here for an "O" award, and a year here for a senior award. Hope explained that checks may be transferred from another WAA system if the custodian here receives the specific details and checks with custodian of another college.

Water Polo Winners

Sigma Alpha Epsilon was last night topped from their water polo throne by the men of Sigma Phi Epsilon, 3 to 1.

Two other teams, Delta Upsilon and Pi Kappa Alpha advanced by default over Sherry Ross hall and Alpha hall, respectively.

Lineups:

Sig Eps — Freeman Sinclair, Earl Shackelford, Morrie Solomon, Paul Williamson, Hal Harris, Al Conyne, Ole Evenson.

Subs: Rudy Kalina, H. Williamson, Marvin Helon.

SAES — Jim Marnie, Gabe Bouret, Bernie McCudden, Ray Segale, Homer Thomas, Fletcher Skillern, Mack Hand.

Subs: Pat O'Reagan, Frank Middleburg.

Instead of interviewing each other in person, the two students recorded the interview and submitted their results to the class for criticism and discussion.

Professor Hulten, who had a class in the next room, has entered a plea for sound-proof walls.

Hayward Pessimistic As Relays Draw Near

Little chance was given yesterday by Colonel Bill Hayward, Oregon track chieftain, for his varsity Ducks to usurp the relays crown from the brow of Oregon State when the two clash Saturday. However, the venerable Webfoot tutor said that Oregon would be shooting for a stalemate with the potent Beavers, but that they "would have to be lucky to tie."

Two weeks ago Oregon's chances for a successful invasion of Beaverland had an even more despondent tang. Since then Hayward feels that his thinclads have been strengthened and have acquired enough polish to give the Staters a run for their dough.

Oregon Leads Series

For the last two years the Beavers have come through with flying colors. Prior to that Oregon had a run of five straight years without a reversal. Standings to date for the past 13 years see Colonel Bill's outfits on top with six wins while Oregon State claims five. Twice ties have prevailed.

A 28-man corps will be conveyed to the Corvallis battle front—Bell field—for the struggle which is slated to start at 2 o'clock.

One of the Ducks' strongest fourosomes is the high jump group, led by skillful Les Steers. The other three components are Jim Harris, football end; Bill Beifuss, and Harvey McKee.

Working in the spotlight will be Bill Regner, letterman; Chuck Elliott, ex-state prep titleholder; Fred Foster, Curt Mecham, and Steers.

The shuttle hurdle entrants are the versatile Steers, Rolph Fuhrman, Zenos Butler, Jim Crocker, and Mecham.

Gridders Entered

Doubling up in the 440 and 880-yard relays will be captain Ehle Reber, Footballers Ken Oliphant, and Jake Leicht, Bob Keen and Ross Gearhart.

Bill Scharpf, Ed Reiner, Bob McKinney, Francis Tuckwiler, and Allan Rouse will enter the mile, while Earle Russel, Scharpf, McKinney, and Tuckwiler are billed for the two-mile jaunt.

Four-mile joggers are Bill Ross, Bernie Engel, Chuck Mallory, and Tony Nickachos.

Editing Assignment Done by Proxy

Roy Vernstrom and Lyle Nelson hit upon an ingenious way to give recitations when they presented their editing class assignment by electrical transcription.

Golfers Play OSC Next

Annual rivalry will be renewed when the Oregon varsity golf team meets with the OSC divot diggers in the second conference match of the year at Corvallis Saturday.

Little is known about the Beaver stick swingers but Coach-Captain Bob Engelke expects a great deal of trouble from them.

The Oregon team will start with the same line-up which defeated the University of Washington defending champions, last Saturday. The team includes Dick Hanen, ex-Oregon junior champ and a tournament veteran, Captain Bob Engelke, Shelby Golden, Don Cawley, Chet Keller, and Bob Duden. All are lettermen except Hanen and Duden, who wear sophomore moleskins.

Oregon Mothers Elect New Officers

Officers elected for the coming year by the Oregon Mothers' club at Tuesday's meeting are Mrs. F. G. Findtner, president; Mrs. R. R. Huestis, vice-president; Mrs. H. W. Moor, secretary; and Mrs. C. L. Roberts, treasurer.

The club voted to add \$25 to the revolving fund of Miss Janet Smith, employment secretary. They also made plans for an open house for visiting mothers.

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