

Oregon Eleven Faces Tough Slate

Fall Drill Beckons Only Small Squad

The way Oregon has pasted games on the schedule, it's like a greedy child stuffing himself full of candy. It may be too much of a good thing. Ten games stand on the schedule—only one of these, Idaho, could be classed as a breather. Those ten games will be the toughest hurdles Oregon has attempted in years. It wouldn't be surprising, despite the pre-season buildup, to see the Ducks knock down a few hurdles in the pennant race.

According to all sources except those around Eugene, the Web-foot gridmen are even money with Stanford to grab a bid to the Bowl of Roses. Forty-three players—count 'em—will report to Coach Gerald A. Oliver for fall practice. That's just supposing that the draft doesn't snare some of them (22 are registered).

Forty-Three Men

A squad of only 43 is hardly the size to bite off ten games and a Rose Bowl invitation, or even place money in the conference this year. Despite the touted quality of the material, the quantity just isn't there. Oregon's will be one of the smallest squads on the coast.

But looking over the list of 20 lettermen, eight reserves, and 15 transfers and sophomores, things don't look too badly. Last year there were only twelve lettermen. Far too few were experienced players. The line will be more experienced, the backfield will be more versatile. So Oliver and company have good reason to hope for better than their second division finish of last year.

Oregon's lineup from beam to beam reads: Ends—Bill Borchert, Tony Crish, Hymie Harris, Bill Regner, Jim Shephard, and Dick Stanton.

Tackles—Dick Ashcom, Chuck Elliott, Cliff Giffin, Merritt Kufferman, Ray Marlow, Ed Moshofsky, Tom Terry, and Pat Wynne.

Guards—Steve Bodner, Val Culwell, Bob Davis, Paul Formosa, Morris Jackson, Floyd Rhea, Ray Segale, Henry and Howard Steers, Len Surlles, and Don Vernier.

Centers—Don O'Neil, Hersh Patton, George Van Pelt, and Elliott Wilson.

Quarterbacks—Viv Collins, Roy Ell, and Duke Iverson.

Full Backs—Jim Newquist, Tom Oxman, and Robert Taylor.

Halfbacks—Buzz Baker, Frank Boyd, Roy Dyer, Jake Leicht, Curt Meham, Ken Oliphant, and Tom Roblin.

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LEADER



Coach Gerald A. (Tex) Oliver directs Oregon's grid fortunes another year.

Dean Stafford Ill At Eugene Home

Ill at his home in Eugene is Dr. O. F. Stafford, dean of lower division, who is suffering from a stroke. Partial paralysis has confined the dean to bed most of the summer.

Arrangements for carrying on his duties during fall term have not been completed, according to President Donald M. Erb. In addition to superintending all lower division courses, Dr. Stafford is head of the University chemistry department.

Students to Get Bargain In Five Grid Contests

Oregon students get an even break in their purchase of an athletic card for the 1941 home football games. Out of the scheduled ten games, three are placed on the Eugene docket and two are listed for Portland. So, instead of getting a ticket good for admission to only three or four games, this

year the students will be able to view five games.

Two California teams will appear in Portland's Multnomah Stadium against the Webfoots. The University of California is billed for October 18. Santa Clara, a non-conference team opposes Oregon November 11.

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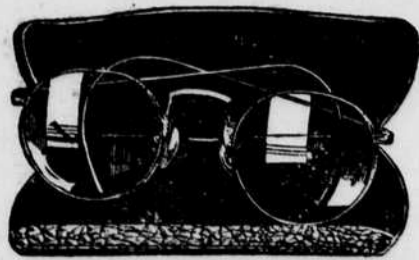
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