

Sigma Nus Crush Phi Delts, Betas Whip Kappa Sigs to Grab Donut Semi-Finals



Following the Cal game in Portland two weeks ago there appeared an editorial in the Emerald questioning some of the activities of the cheering section during the game. The editorial seemed well written and it appeared to this column that an average reader would be able to understand the gist of the article. Specifically it dealt with the attitude the cheering section has taken towards the referee when he penalizes our team. As I said before, it seemed perfectly clear in its meaning and this column thought the subject would be closed but for some unfathomable reason, the main part of the cheering section still thinks it is highly amusing—note the Frosh-Babe game. Well brethren, take another guess because your so-called amusing actions are about the most degrading sort of sportsmanship ever to be exhibited on this coast.

Fine College Pastime

This column has no idea where anyone would get the idea that any kind of activity such as this 1-2-3-and so on business is humorous. Nay mister, it's pathetic. Pathetic that a bunch of college students can't amuse themselves in a manner somewhat befitting a gentleman.

And furthermore, I wonder if you realize the complete gravity of it. I wonder if you know those cheers are picked up by the broadcasting system covering the game and sent out over the air. And have no doubt, they are picked up very easily because I've sat in the press box for several games and have heard the yells come across the field—the radio box is next door to the press box. That means of course, you know, that your queer sense of sportsmanship is heard up and down the coast and even further east.

Of course if that's all it means to you—that is, if you don't care if the name of the school is dragged through the mud because of your somewhat twisted humor, all right. The college isn't just a bunch of buildings you know—it's students, professors, spirit, and a few intangible things. But after all it's your school, do with it what you will. I have one favor to ask. To the house presidents: "Why not ask the fellows to quit it?"

What a Mess!

After checking on the final score of Oregon's 14 to 7 setback last week a couple of times—the closest I ever got to hearing it was Bing Crosby recordings—funny thoughts started spinning in my head. First I started wondering what might have happened if Oregon, Oregon State, and Washington had scored once more in each of the tussles—that would have, with luck, tied them up, which would have been something unprecedented on the coast. Of course, five teams tied for second place in the Pacific Coast conference isn't exactly an every day occurrence.

I suggest you clip out the standings just as they are now and paste them in your scrap book because it isn't liable to happen again very often.

Don't Feel Blue

If you're one of the horde who is feeling blue on account Oregon lost last Saturday because you felt we had a team that might play in a certain post-season game that is played in the sunshine state due south somewhere around the first of the year, forget it. This column will wager right now his eating this column syllable by syllable against any other wager, that Oregon takes it on the chin once more before the season is over, and what's more it will count the Santa Clara and Texas games out.

Heard at football practice yesterday from a close follower of the football team who went south: "Tex is tops for my money. The way he took that setback was great." An orchid, Tex.

Hank's a Coach Now

Just heard that Hank Anderson has got the basketball coaching job at Baker. Nice going Hank. Hank will leave in about a week to take over the job. He will handle the basketball team and teach a P. E. class. Hank isn't through with his classes at the University but will have a special certificate which will enable him to teach and he will return to finish this spring.

Much too late to be classified as news but funny. A headline in the Barometer after the Beavers beat Stanford, "Mighty Beavers Make T Look Like 'L.'"

Sigma Nu's mighty football team whipped the valiant Phi Delts, 7 to 2, yesterday and took another long stride along the rocky road that leads to the intramural championship.

Clashing with the Phi Delts in a crucial quarter-final game the Sigma Nus staged a brief touchdown march in the second quarter to win the hard-fought battle.

Sigma Nus Tally
After being stalled in the first period the Sigma Nus, paced by Dick Whitman and Johnny Bubalo, came back to score the winning touchdown on a long pass from Whitman to Bill Carney. Carney had raced in behind the secondary to snag "the perfect heave and dash ten yards to pay-dirt."

Carney Converted on a Pass
The Phi Delt's charging line kept Whitman in check throughout the remainder of the game except for brief spurts in the fourth quarter.

Marching from midfield after the Phi Delts had been forced to kick, the Sigma Nus pushed to the shadow of the Phi Delt goal before the aroused defense could halt the drive.

Hank Burns, star Phi Delt passer, began to hit his receivers in the third quarter and they drove deep into Sigma Nu territory before running into a stone wall.

Soon after the drive had been halted the Phi Delts intercepted

a stray aerial and made a determined drive to the two-yard line. The alert defense threw back two powerhouse runs and one short pass into the end zone to hang on to the precious one-touchdown lead.

As Whitman dropped back in the end zone on the first play he stepped over the boundary to give the Phi Delts their two points.

Phi Delts Roar
The Phi Delts roared right back down the field after taking the free kick to knock again at the door of victory. Again the Sigma Nu defense throttled the threat and Whitman powered a beautiful kick far up the field to release the pressure.

Bubalo intercepted a wobbly pass to stem the next Phi Delt surge. After the Sigma Nus had flipped two passes Gabby Galbreath leaped high in the air to grab one of Whitman's passes and put the Phi Delts back in the game.

The last minute flurry failed to click and the Sigma Nus took over on downs as the game ended.

Starting lineups:
Sigma Nu
Williamson.....REL.....Wright
Skillcorn.....C.....Riley
E. Carney.....LER.....Galbreath
Bubalo.....Q.....Baumgardner
Nulty.....RHL.....Wallace
Fallgren.....LHR.....Bennison
Whitman.....F.....Burns
Sigma Nus.....0 7 0 0-7
Phi Delts.....0 2 0-2

Donut Football
Intramural football surges into the semi-final round today with Beta Theta Pi playing Sigma Alpha Epsilon and Alpha Tau Omega running up against Sig Nu.
Games start at 4 p.m.

Beta Theta Pi Takes Kappa Sigma, 13 to 0
An alert Beta team, capitalizing on the breaks, pushed across two touchdowns to beat the Kappa Sigs, 13 to 0.

After battling through the first period in midfield the Betas cut loose with a 40-yard touchdown play in the second period, Bob Duden to Jim Rathbun.

The remainder of the first half was another struggle around the middle of the field. The hard-charging lines featured the play throughout the greater part of the game. Brutal blocking gave the passers all the protection that was needed but the secondaries smothered all of the passing threats.

The Kappa Sigs finally engineered a promising spurge late in the third period but the attack bogged down on the goal line.

The final Beta touchdown was the result of a last minute Kappa Sig passing attack. Bob Parker, speedy Beta back, intercepted a flat pass and ran 60 yards unmolested for the score. Bill Skibinski converted on a pass from Duden.

Starting lineups:
Betas
Fredericks.....LER.....Gerdlestone
Lyons.....C.....Lansing
Moller.....REL.....Jamison
Sidesinger.....Q.....Friedwald
Duden.....LHR.....Deeds
Parker.....RHL.....Hankey
Rathbun.....F.....Cawley

Injuries Plaguing Webfoot Gridders



Bruin Coach "Babe" Horrell (top) and Duck Mentor Gerald "Tex" Oliver set up their own cheering section as Oregon and UCLA clashed in the Los Angeles coliseum last Saturday. (Photos by Paul Calvert via airmail from Los Angeles Times.)

Cougar Plays Main Course On Oregon Workout Menu

University of Oregon's twice defeated but still mighty Webfoots are back at work this week and the main dish set up for them has been a liberal portion of Babe Hollingbery's Washington State plays. With all hopes of any kind of a championship quenched Saturday, when the Webfoots lost to UCLA, there is a new kind of determination present in the Duck camp. A heavy scrimmage with the frosh serving as test pilots, was held yesterday and it was a rugged battle all the way.

Minus from the Webfoot workout were: Tommy Roblin, Curt Meham, Floyd Rhea, Moe Moshofsky, and Morrie Jackson. Big Ed Moshofsky is the most seriously injured of the quintet and is not expected to be able to percolate against Washington State's Cougars. The others are nursing minor injuries and will probably be ready for the at-

tempt to de-pelt the Crimson-Grey Cougar.

Looking good in last night's drill, according to Head Man Tex Oliver, were backs Kenny Oliphant, Jimmy Newquist, Tommy Oxman, and Bob Koch. All of these men looked especially good on offense. Both Quarterbacks Duke Iverson and Len Surles received special plaudits from Oliver on their blocking. "Both Iverson and Surles looked better than they have all year," commented Oliver.

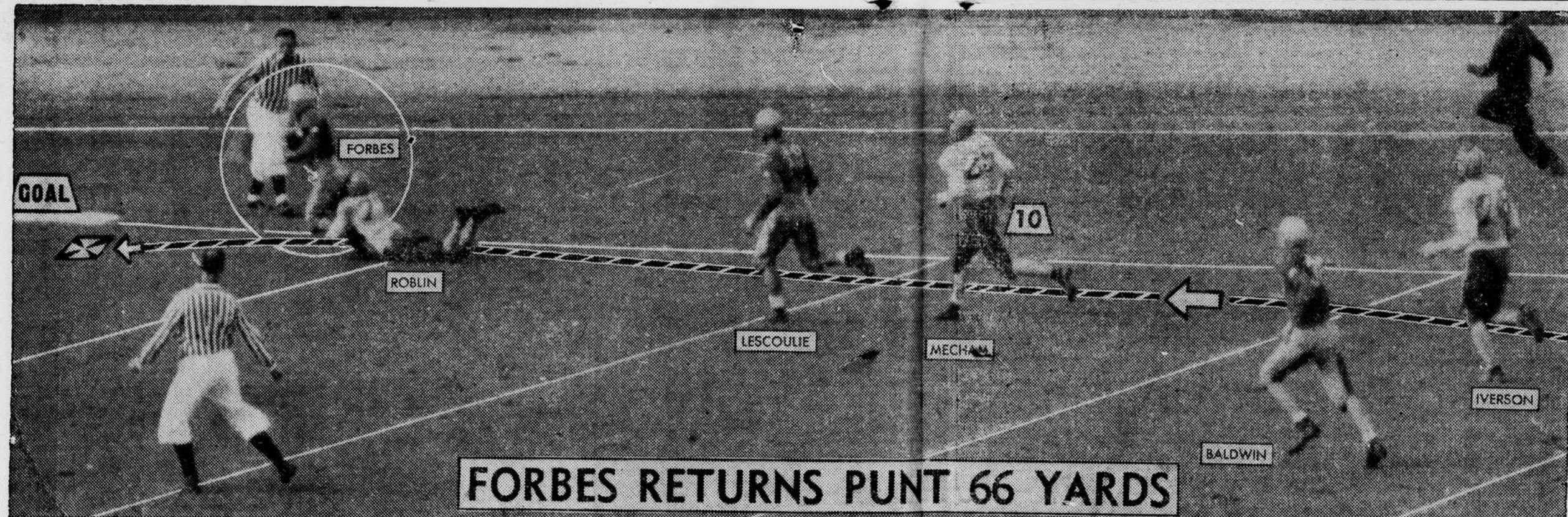
While voicing the praises of his backfield Oliver also spiked the rumor that he is to make changes at the ends. A minor injury to end Tony Crish was credited as the basis for all of the drivel.

Although Oliver remained as tight lipped as ever about his plans to repel the invasion of the Cougars the smart ones are looking for the Webfoots to blossom forth with an offense featuring passes. The Washington State line will be no pushover for the Oregon men, and a bunch of punch-drunk Oregon State Beavers will testify to that. Adding this and the fact that the Oregon's ground game against UCLA was on the dull side, together, the chances are that Oregon's main scoring threat will be through the air lanes.

HEY! WHAT GOES ON

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FORBES RETURNS PUNT 66 YARDS

Webfoot Basketballers Begin Ferocious Practice

With light preliminary workouts a thing of the past, Oregon's basketball Webfoots settled down Monday to serious, concentrated practice, designed to whip the Ducks into top shape. Coach Hobby Hobson announced the thinning of the squad down to 14 men, a workable number, for the season.

"Green and inexperienced, but potentially better than last year's team," is the way Coach Hobson pictures the Ducks of this season.

Six lettermen are available for service, half of whom are juniors. Leading the returning seniors is Captain Porky Andrews, Webfoot All-American hope and All-Conference guard. Archie Marshik, 6 foot 7 inch center, and diminutive Paul Jackson, lightning-like guard, are the other monogram seniors.

Rolph Fuhrman, Don Kirsch, and Warren Taylor are the other three junior veterans. Cliff Anet is the other holdover from last year's outfit, a varsity reserve. Sophomores are Warren Christianson, Bob Newland, Bob Wren, Roger Dick, and Lloyd Jackson. Newcomers are Willson Maynard,

Portland.
Dec. 10—Wayne at Detroit.
Dec. 11—Canesius at Buffalo.
Dec. 13—Long Island at New York.
Dec. 15—Temple at Philadelphia.
Dec. 16—Duquesne at Pittsburgh.
Dec. 17—Xavier at Cincinnati.
Dec. 20—DePaul at Chicago.
Dec. 22—Nebraska at Lincoln.
Northern Division Schedule
Jan. 9 and 10—W.S.C. at Eugene.
Jan. 16 and 17—Washington at Eugene.
Jan. 24—O.S.C. at Eugene.
Jan. 30 and 31—Washington at Seattle.
Feb. 7—O.S.C. at Corvallis.
Feb. 13—O.S.C. at Corvallis.
Feb. 14—O.S.C. at Eugene.
Feb. 18—W.S.C. at Pullman.
Feb. 20-21—Idaho at Moscow.
Feb. 23—W.S.C. at Pullman.
Mar. 2-3—Idaho at Eugene.

Self-supporting fraternity men at the University of California at Los Angeles are about as numerous as self-supporting non-fraternity men.

Down goes Bruin Safetyman Ted Forbes, as Webfoot Halfback Tommy Roblin overhauls him after the UCLA speedster had raced back 66 yards with one of Curt Meham's dazzling punts. Three plays later, the Bruins were over for their second touchdown. Photo by Paul Calvert via airmail from Los Angeles Times.

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Film Features Record Clinch

"The Kiss," starring May Irwin and John C. Rice, will head films to be shown today in Chapman hall as part of the fourth of the series, "Screen Personalities." The continuity, action, et al, centers around only one thing, a kiss which lasts 35 seconds by the clock.

Wallace Reid and Lillian Gish will play Enoch Arden and Annie, respectively, in the screen version of Tennyson's poem, "Enoch Arden."

Rudolph Valentino, king of heart flutterers for years, will emote the part of Monsieur Beaucaire in the picture of the same name.

Students will be admitted free upon presentation of educational

activities cards. Showings will be continuous, beginning at 2:10 p.m. and changing at approximately 4:35, 7, and 9:25 p.m.

Massachusetts Institute of Technology disbursed \$217,448 in loans and scholarships in the 1939-40 school year.

Robert Paton Longden, headmaster of Wellington college, England, was killed recently by a German bomb.

Book by UO Alumna Now on Co-op Shelf

Oregon students now have the opportunity of reading the latest work of an Oregon alumna, Nancy Wilson Ross, whose book, "Farthest Reach" has been added to the University Co-op shelves.

This book which has already received a great deal of publicity is a revealing treatise of Oregon and Washington dealing with the development of the Pacific Northwest and its historic background, as well as presenting a brilliant description of northwest scenery.

The author was graduated in 1924 from the University of Oregon with a BA degree and has had two novels published, "Friday to Monday" and "Take the Lightning."

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