

Ducks Face Idaho in Cellar Series; OSC Meets Huskies

Oregon Out to Nip Reversal Streak

By FRED TREADGOLD

Two titanic struggles, both of which can definitely be tabbed as having a distinct bearing on "championships," are on the bill of fare for northern division hoop fans tonight in Moscow and Seattle. Oregon and Idaho, both of whom have had a lion's share of tough luck, battle it out for the "cellar championship" in Moscow, with the loser being confined to the last-place dungeon.

A different type of "championship battle" will be enacted at Seattle. In that city Oregon State and Washington, both snatching at Washington State's fleeting coat-tails, go for each other, with the loser destined to have his pennant chances seriously paralyzed.

Ducks Drop Six

The Oregon Ducks will be out to try and snap their losing streak which was extended to six straight reversals Wednesday when Washington State bounced them, 59 to 48. Last Webfoot victory was a two-point triumph counted up over Oregon State in Eugene January 24, in Eugene 47 to 45.

Oregon faces in the Idaho outfit an unknown quantity. The Vandals, under the leadership of their new coach, Guy Wicks, have captured two victories—one from Washington and another from Washington State—in ten games. Figures reveal, though, that most games dropped by Idaho have been by narrow margins.

Slew Utah Attack

The Vandals feature a slow-em-down style of basketball attack which is built solidly around their great scorer, Ray Turner. This 6-foot 4-inch senior has the best point average per game in the league and rates third in scoring, at the present time. His 124 points divided up into a game average of 12.4 which if maintained will crack Wally Palmberg's record total of 187.

Besides Turner, Wicks has at forwards Ted Thompson and George Steele. The former player, a 6-foot junior, is described as a "speedball and sure-fire shot." Steele transferred from Idaho Southern Branch a year ago and has displayed accuracy in shooting and very fine backboard ability.

A smooth ball handler in the person of Irvin Hopkins will probably get Wicks' call for one guard position. This boy is not only fast but packs a dangerous howitzer shot. Rounding out the Vandal quintet is Cliff Benson, junior from Troy, who has another dead-eye on that basket.

Howard Hobson probably will open against the lowly Vandals the same five which has started most Oregon games of late. This means Bob Wren and Warren Taylor at forwards, Archie Marshik at center, Paul Jackson and George Andrews at guards.

This is the first of a four-game series between the Webfoots and Vandals. They meet again Saturday (tomorrow) night at Moscow.

Idaho-Oregon Probable Starting Lineups:

Wren	F	Steele
Taylor	F	Thompson
Marshik	C	Turner
Andrews	G	Hopkins
P. Jackson	G	Benson

Turns Out



Kerm Smith, number 2 varsity tennis player, participated in Coach Russ Cutler's initial workout of the season yesterday.

Tennis Team Carries Out First Drill

An even dozen netmen responded to the spring-like weather and Tennis Coach Russ Cutler's call Thursday when the first turnout of the season was held on University courts. Coach Cutler, who is handling the tennis coaching reins this year, replaces Paul R. Washke, veteran of many years' service.

Practice this term will consist mainly of conditioning workouts, Cutler said, with actual play competition not beginning till next term.

8 Varsity Men

Eight of the twelve were out for varsity positions, with only two of these returning lettermen. Kerm Smith, big number two man last year, and Frank Baker, number three, the only monogram winners back, will form the nucleus for Cutler's 1942 tennis edition. Missing from last season's net squad are Len Clark, number one left-handed ace; John Williams, number four man; and Norman Wiener, number five.

Joe Rooney, top frosh player last year, heads the list of varsity aspirants, all of whom are



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Warren's Duckling Quintet Tangles With OSC Rooks

I-M 'B' All Stars

INDEPENDENTS

Carl Backstrom, Canard club
One of the best eyes in the league. Very fast.

Forward

Dick Hanen, Sigma Chi
Headed a top team. Hit a lot of points on the run. Good all around.

Forward

Sherman Olts, Zeta hall
Another deadly lad with the cabsaba. Averaged 12 points per game.

Gordie Jones, Delta Upsilon
"Heavy" powered in to get plenty points. Did a lot of damage in underbasket melees.

Center

Milt Small, Campbell club
Fine floor man, always moving. A lot of scrap and fair eye.

Doc Hayes, Phi Delta Theta
Screwball Doc brought PDTs to playoffs. Proved margin in every game.

Guard

Don Bushnell, Kirkwood co-op
All around man. Grabbed rebounds constantly and garnered 8 points per game.

Paul Bocci, Alpha Tau Omega
Smoothest floorman in league. Was not high point man but he was spearhead of Tau drive.

Guard

Art Davis, Gamma hall
A ballhawk of top rank, Art Gamed hard for his club. A good feeder.

Jack Lansing, Kappa Sigma
When he wasn't on, the Kappa Sigs were lost. When he was, they were in.

Reserves

Kenny Inahara, Omega hall
Kirk Wellborn, Campbell club
Kay Ito, Alpha hall
Donnell Smith, Sherry Ross
Bill Morton, Sigma hall
Leo Welch, Kirkwood co-op

Cullen Murphy, Chi Psi
Don Turner, Beta Theta Pi
Jim Parsons, Phi Sigma Kappa
Pete Stinebaugh, Phi Gam. Del.
Morrie Stein, Sigma Alpha Mu
Homer Thomas, Sigma Al. Ep.
Tiger Payne, Sigma Nu
Gene Cecchini, Alpha Tau O.
Russ Rohwer, Phi Kappa Psi

sophomores. These include: Bill Farrell, Len Lonigan, Jay Ricksecker, Henry Howard, and Charles Larson.

Cutler listed the following four as out for freshman tennis: Dave Waite, John Jensen, Nick Reed, and Art Damaschen.

Wesley Open House

An open house will be held at Wesley house at 9 p.m. Friday evening. The hour has been set ahead to accommodate those who are attending the prayer service.

Oregon Said In Top Shape

By HARRY GLICKMAN

"Honest John" Warren sends his University of Oregon freshman basketball team against the Oregon State Rooks at McArthur tonight in its final home appearance of the season. Game time is 8 o'clock.

Warren has been drilling his charges daily in an effort to be in top shape for the Rooks. The game will be third of the "little civil war" series. The two teams clash at Corvallis Saturday night to conclude hostilities.

Split First Two

In the two previous encounters each team has won one game. The Beaver yearlings won the first game at Corvallis by a score of 38-30. The Frosh won the second contest at Eugene by a 44-35 count.

A possible change in the Oregon starting lineup may be made at the center position where Jack Hannam, Don Asselstine, and Royal Denton are waging a battle for the starting nod. Hannam has held the starting post in recent games but the other two are pressing hard.

Otherwise, the starting lineup will probably remain intact, with Bob Erlandson and Roy Seeborg, forwards; and Al Popick and Sammy Crowell, guards.

OSC at Full Strenght

The Rooks will be at full strength for the contest with the return of Marion Reginato, all-

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Love, Marriage Books Enter Browsing Room

To supplement the Love and Marriage lecture series, a special shelf in the browsing room is devoted to books on marriage and the family. A bibliography of auxiliary reading has been compiled by the library staff, and is available at the circulation desk and in the browsing room.

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