



DICK WHITMAN . . .

. . . brings out his war club again today as the Ducks play host to the league-leading Beavers from Oregon State. The Woodburn slugger patrols center field for Coach Hobson.

## Bill Hayward Issues Call For Duckling Cindermen

By BILL STRATTON

Because of eligibility and illness, the already small frosh track squad has been cut to practically nothing, and Colonel Bill Hayward has sent an urgent call for frosh aspirants.

"I know there are more fellows on the campus that have had high school experience," he declared Wednesday. Most of the events are weak and some are without contestants.

University high and Eugene high have challenged the frosh to a triangular meet set for next week, and it looms before a stricken squad. As things stand at present, the yearlings will have a bad time against the two prep schools.

### No Nothing

There are no milers, pole vaulters, javeline throwers, or hurdlers on the squad, and anyone who has had high school experience in any of these events is urged to turn out.

One never knows whether he is a likely track prospect until he has turned out. An example is Homer Thomas, pole vaulter. He had never vaulted until he answered a similar call when he was a freshman, and has become one of the outstanding pole vaulters in the northwest. He has topped 13 feet 6 inches this year and still has another year of competition.

This is not the only meet in which the Ducklings will be undermanned unless some support is shown. The Oregon State dual meet looms only a week from this Saturday, and they will probably be more dangerous in a dual meet than they were in the relays. They tied in the relays at Corvallis, 2 to 2.

The latest casualty, and the

worst that could befall the squad, is the reported sickness of Wally Still, who has upheld the team thus far this season in the sprint events. He has had tonsil trouble and doctors have advised that he drop track until he has had them jerked. Another hitch, he cannot have them removed until they are healed. He has turned out, but will not be much good to the squad until they are taken care of.

Hayward stated that it would be a disgrace to an institution of this size to be beaten in the high school meet, and it can be easily understood. Now is the time for all good freshmen to come to the aid of their track team!

### OSC Beats Huskies

Oregon State strengthened its Northern division baseball lead yesterday afternoon with a 9-6 win over Washington's Huskies at Corvallis. It was the sixth straight win for the Beavers.

Warren Simas pitched for OSC and gave up 13 hits while his teammates collected but nine from Washington.

The castor bean may become a major U.S. crop, says Dr. W. L. Burlison of the Univ. of Illinois,

# Ducks Meet Beavers On Howe Field Today

## Sports

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## Pullman Meet Next For Duck Fleetfeet

Colonel Bill Hayward has been sending varsity and frosh trackmen through early week workouts, preparing for their second Northern division dual meet with Washington State at Pullman Saturday.

Hayward has already picked part of the traveling squad, but some of the contestants are still in doubt. To decide trials will be held today at 3 for the 100, 220, 440, javelin, and discus. All contestants are urged to be on time, as well as those who don't have to try out.

Gertrude Kay smashed her way to a 6-4, 6-4 tennis victory over Clair Renn to enter the final round of the all-campus tennis tournament. She will play the winner of the match between Dorothy Hermann and Babs Du Fay scheduled for Monday, May 11 at 4 p.m.

The match was close throughout with Renn's cuts keeping Kay on the run. Kay consistently smashed beautiful cornered drives.

Renn's net play was spectacular but Kay's deep drives to the back line kept her away from the net most of the time. Kay played smart tennis and used strategy in running on every point.

Jean Morrison and Phyll Root of the Thetas won over Elaine Quinn and Frances Greenberg, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4, to gain the right to play Dot Hermann and Gertrude Kay in the semi-final round of the interhouse doubles tourney.

### Coed Softball

Wednesday:

Junior majors vs. freshman majors.

Senior majors vs. sophomore majors.

Thursday:

Sigma Kappa vs. Chi Omega.

Zeta Tau Alpha vs. Alpha Chi Omega.

Because of high transportation cost, the Webfoots will make the inland trip with one of the smallest teams in history. The squad is unusually small this year, but it will be necessary to cut the entire group including coach and manager, down to 16. Hayward announced that Oregon might not even be represented in all events.

The veteran coach made no announcement of the already picked squad, but said that he would do so after the trials today. Those who are likely to go, however, are Zenas Butler, hurdles; Homer Thomas, pole vault; Bob Newland, high jump; and Don Wilson, mile.

Good weather conditions permitted a vigorous workout yesterday, and a near full squad was present. Sprinters and middle distance men concentrated on starts and windsprints, while the distance men worked on pacing. Javelin and weight men had a vigorous workout, as did the other field contestants—pole vaulters and high jumpers.

### Postponed Ball

I-M softball games postponed Thursday, April 30, will be played tomorrow afternoon, according to Ray Segale, assistant I-M director.

## Second Game Finds OSC In Loop Lead

Oregon State's high-flying ball club invades the campus today for a 3 p.m. battle with the Webfoot sluggers. The Beavers now lead the Northern Division flag race with Coach Hobson's men in the third spot.

### Northern Division

Oregon State	6	0	1.000
Washington	5	3	.625
Oregon	4	3	.571
WSC	2	5	.285
Idaho	0	7	.000

On April 17 the two clubs were first scheduled to play but because of weather conditions the game was postponed. The following afternoon at Corvallis a stocky Don Durdan of Rose Bowl fame smashed a single in the ninth inning to push across the winning run of the 2-1 contest.

Glenn Elliott, OSC's ace left-hander, got credit for the victory with small Nick Begleries taking the defeat. Both pitchers allowed seven hits.

### Coleman's Choice

Coach Ralph Coleman will choose his pitcher from Elliott, left-handed Bud Patterson, or Warren Simas, in varsity competition for the first time this year. Duck Mentor Hobson has Begleries, Bob Rieder, "Sandy" Sandgren, or Al Wimer ready for duty.

Leading the parade of Beavers will be heavy-hitting Don Durdan playing first base. Second Baseman McRae is another OSC top hitter and his speed puts him in the leadoff spot.

Tall Dick Strode, recently a first baseman, will cover the third base area.

### Other Beavers

Behind the plate for the Beavers will be Harry Amacher, ex-Jefferson high of Portland star. Bill McCluskey at shortstop, Doug Pederson in left field, and football Norm Peters in right complete the Orange and Black picture.

The Webfoots have been resting since Saturday, when they sent Washington down, 6-2, on Howe field.

Following today's game both Oregon and Oregon State start their traveling campaign.

## Dope on Friday All-Star Clash

Greek Manager Hank Burns presented a powerhouse group of singers as his all-star selections, and this power-loaded lineup will present a big problem to the Independent hurling aces, Olson, Holleman, Asla, and any other probable choices.

Because they are going to have to throw against a club that will be dangerous from the leadoff man to the No. 10 "wriggler."

The Greeks will have a New York Yankee type of team, able to break up a ballgame at any moment, while the Independents will rely on a tight-pitching, fast fielding, and "heads-up" type of baseball. It will be slugging against science, come 2 o'clock next Saturday afternoon.

The Greek infield shapes up to be well-rounded with a spark-plug at short in Theta Chi Joe Wicks. Rog Dick also gives this middle lane power while Dean

VanLydegraf anchors down the "hot" corner. To the right side of the infield go Phi Sig Spencer Weills and Sammie Al Weinstein on the keystone sack and on the initial corner Phi Delt Chuck Wright holds down that side of the infield.

Covering the outer garden for the Greeks are Phi Delt Big Bill Skade, Porky Andrews, who is an outstanding Canadian amateur outfielder; Ossie Redfield,

the SAE's giant clubber, and diminutive Bob Sell of the ATO club, who covers many acres of territory in left field. Hank Burns may also play in addition to his managerial duties.

Burns has revealed no plans of strategy, because he has "no idea of who the Independents will field." However, he predicts that his team will be the type of club that drives for every extra-base and will be a heads-up, hustling ball club all the way.

As this type of play is in line with the brand of play predicted by Independent managers Al Larsen and Joe Miller, the game should be one large crash and explosion.

Remember, it's May 8 at 2