

# Duck Tracks

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How's your background on coast football, and particularly Oregon? Let's see you test your grid intelligence on a few of these questions.

When was organized football first played at Oregon? Which two schools in the same state hold the record for the longest rivalry? How many trips have Oregon teams made to the Rose Bowl and what were the results? How many unbeaten, untied teams has Oregon had?

That's four of 'em. How many can you answer? Two out of four would be good, anything better would be exceptional. As for the answers, here they are.

Oregon played its first real organized football in 1894, although they fooled around a little with the game in 1893. A gent by the name of Church coached the team that year.

## How Are Ya Doing?

While we bask in the rivalry between Oregon and Oregon State and hear a lot about the ancient rivalries in California, Washington State and Washington hold the record. They were the first two coast teams to play regular football. They tangled in 1890. A good many years ago.

Oregon has made two trips to the Rose Bowl. They played in the second Rose Bowl game and beat Pennsylvania 10 to 0. They returned three years later and dropped a close one to Harvard 7 to 6. It's interesting to note that no California team made the Rose Bowl trip till 1921 when Cal bumped Ohio State 28 to 0. That game was a milestone of a sort because it established the Pacific Coast as a real football country.

Oregon's one and only unbeaten, untied year came in 1895 when they beat Willamette twice, nicked Portland University, and thoroughly trounced Oregon State, then called the Oregon Agricultural College.

## Tried Rugby for a While

Here's one more oddity from the past. At the start of the 20th century football began to bear a resemblance to justified manslaughter. Colleges started worrying about it and finally in 1905 it came to a head on the coast and Oregon, along with the other teams, changed over to Rugby. The following year the National Intercollegiate Football Conference was formed and the difficulties were ironed out.

We hadn't given much thought to All-Americans. Then in the mail today came a letter from Robert S. Kudkel of the National Intercollegiate Sports Writers association asking for our selection of an All-American team.

Quite a job. The coast has plenty of good players this year and yet we'll be surprised if any of them make the sacred circle. Walt Harrison, Husky center, might turn the trick. Chuck Taylor is probably one of the best guards in the country and he also might make it.

## All-American Trouble

Outside of those we don't know of any who will make the grade. Bob Kennedy should and yet probably won't. The last backfield man from the northwest to make the team was John Carroll of Washington back in 1928.

Jurkovich might make it but we think he's had more publicity than he's worth. Some of the best ends in the country cavort on the turfs of the coast. Beals, Ferguson, Suseoff, Nowling, Shephard, and Milt Smith.

And there's our own Tommy Roblin. He's probably one of the most versatile backs in the country. In the last two years he's played every position in the backfield and well. It would be a tough job to pick an All-Coast, leave alone an All-American.

## We'll Try It

But we are crazy so we'll suggest one. Looking back on the season it could add up to about this. Ends: John Ferguson, California, and Russ Nowling, Oregon; tackles: Ed Stam, Stanford and Sanchez, USF; guards: Chuck Taylor, Stanford and Floyd Rhea, Oregon; center: Walt Harrison, Washington.

We'll stick along with Gregory on the backfield. Bob Waterfield, UCLA, at quarter; Jim Jurkovich, California, at left half; Tommy Roblin, Oregon, at right half; and Bob Kennedy, WSC, at fullback.

I don't blame you for whistling through your teeth when you see that. Sure, a lot were left out. But that would be a whale of a team. We'll try again when the season is over.

Latest rumor has it that the Thanksgiving game is off. The Sigma Nus don't want to play with Johnny Bubalo on the sidelines.

## Freshman Fools Coeds

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Friday night Pauline was ready to swing her shift to a woman. Garbed in feminine frills and fancies, he/she easily passed by the diligent eyes of coed cops. Once inside Gerlinger, Pauline

settled down for an exclusive glimpse of the life and leisure of the Oregon Coed.

But, at intermission, suspicious cops, following a tip-off, scrutinized Pauline for several minutes, saw through his/her wig, yanked it off, and Pauline was kicked out.

# Frosh Gridders Slate Game With Army '11'

Its head coach, Anse Cornell, in the south drumming up publicity for the varsity fracas with the Southern California Trojans, the Oregon freshmen went through a fundamental drill yesterday under the guiding hand of Dick Ashcom, varsity tackle, who did not make the Coliseum trip due to a leg injury.

The freshmen were looking ahead to their newly scheduled ball game with a Medford army eleven, to be played on Hayward field this Saturday.

Medford is known to have

three different army units, the Engineers, the Quartermasters and the Artillery. It was not definite last night as to which of the three divisions the freshmen were to engage in the pigskin opus.

Although a full turnout was not present yesterday afternoon, Ashcom yester the gridiron sport.

The Medford teams have not competed in any scheduled games thus far this season, being content to play intersquad games.

The Engineers are purported to be the best of the three military outfits, thanks to the efforts of a 135-pound scat back.

As they have been lining up this week, the following eleven should be fielded for action Saturday:

Barnewalt, Abelson, ends; Stanton, Terry, tackles; Hanna, Murphy, guards; Olson, center; Porter, quarterback; Bodner, right half; Holcomb, left half, and Wheeler, fullback.

Unofficially, the game will start at 2 p.m.

## I-M Slate

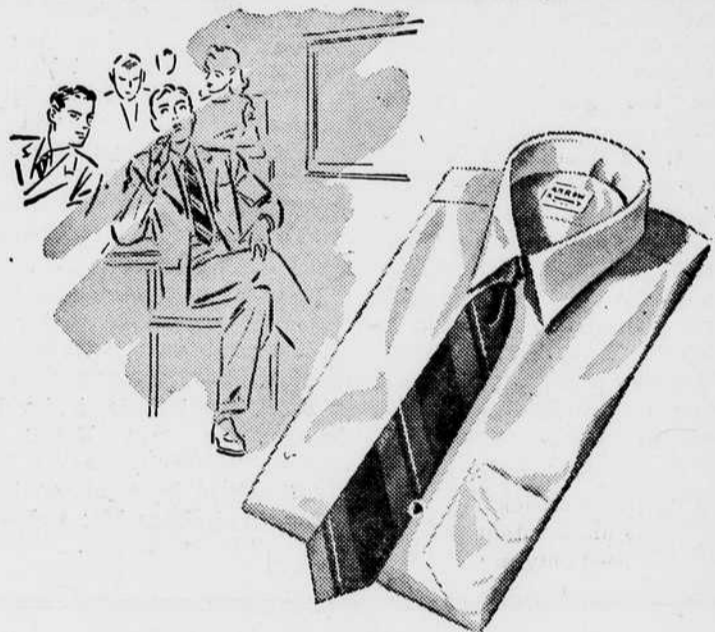
- 4:00 Court 40—Omega Hall "B" vs. Beta Theta Pi "B".
- Court 66—Phi Sigs "B" vs. Yeoman "B"
- 4:40 Court 40—Pi Kappa Alpha "B" vs. Deltas "B"
- Court 66—DU "B" vs. Phi Delt "E"
- 5:20 Court 40—Kappa Sigs "B" vs. Sigma Alpha Mu "B"
- Court 66—Zeta hall "B" vs. Sherry Ross "B"

## Oregana Staff Pushes Yearbook Production

Spring term section of the 1943 Oregana has bettered its production schedule by a full ten days, Editor Wes Sullivan announced yesterday.

Twenty-eight pages of spring sports, Junior Weekend, "Of Thee I Sing," and campus politics have been laid out, trimmed, pasted, captioned, and delivered to the printers.

The section features a complete, detailed pictorial record of all major events on last spring's campus calendar.



## Shirt Problem?

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