

# Rook Gridders Pound Frosh; Win Sloppy Tussle, 27 to 0

## Karamanos, Cole Lead Oregon State Onslaught

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Outweighed and outmanned by a superior Oregon State Rook squad, the Oregon Yearlings took it on the chin to the tune of 27-0 on Hayward field last night.

Burly John Karamanos and his pigskin playmates poured it on in no uncertain terms, scoring a touchdown in every quarter of the ball game. Stocky Benny Holcomb, regular Frosh first string tailback, had been expected to view the game from the bench, but when Head Coach Anse Cornell saw the complexion of the ball game, he waved Benny into the fray. Holcomb, however, was obviously hampered by an injured leg, and was thus far below his usual efficiency, walking off the field at the end of the third quarter.

### First Rook Score

The kleiglight classic wasn't six minutes old before right half-back Samuels took a reverse from Roy Cole and crashed over tackle for a touchdown.

The conversion attempt by Samuels fizzled and it was 6-0. There was just a couple of minutes left in the first quarter when the Rooks again began to move. With the ball on their own 23, the Corvallis kids sent pitcher Cole back to heave the leather. He hit his target, Samuels, who broke loose and ran to the Oregon 38 where a beautiful tackle by Ralph Bannewolt prevented a score.

Delayed for a couple of plays, this heavier Cole again got into action, flipping a strike to Anderson who was bumped by three men on the Oregon 26. Samuels sliced off tackle for eight, and Karamanos made it a first down 15 yards out. Cole circled the end for five, and Cole took a lateral on the next play to place the leather on the nine as the period ended.

### Rooks Again

Five plays later this same Cole crashed over center into pay dirt, and touchdown number two. Lyons added the point, and that was the margin, 13-0 at half-time. A break set up the third Rook touchdown early in the third period. A bad pass by snapper-back Cooper was recovered by the Rooks 12 yards out. Despite a backfield in motion penalty (one of many all night long rulings) the visitors, four plays later, sent Captain Cole over right tackle for six more points. Lyons added the point and it was 20-0.

Deep in the final period, Karamanos broke through the frosh forward wall, and raced from his own 45 to the frosh 12. It took a pass, Perino to Grove, to register score number four. Perino made the extra point good, and that concluded scoring for the evening.

The all-around playing of Vern Wheeler rates honorable mention here, as does the Oregon line play of Heidenrich at tackle and Abelson at end. The Rooks had a number of good backs, Karamanos, Cole, Samuels and Perino all playing a bang-up game. Anderson, the Rook right end, was as good as any lineman on the field.

Well, it was still a field night for the men in the striped shirts and white pants. Maybe they were earning their salaries for a season's work last night.

Among members of the freshman class of St. Mary-of-the-Woods college are seven daughters of alumni of the school.

## Tommy's Last Grid Tilt

It's the last one for Tommy Roblin today when he and his Duck mates meet the Beavers on Bell field.

The game climaxes three years at Oregon for Tommy—three mighty good years.

Playing along with Tommy in this, his last game, will be 12 other Webfoots who are donning lemon and green for the last time.



## Grid Classics Via Radio

The grid classics the country over take to the air today. In the East the Ohio State-Michigan game on which hinges the hopes of the Buckeyes, the Cal-Stanford beef, and the Oregon-Oregon State "Civil War"—all will spiel forth from your radio today.

Following is the radio roundup on the games.

- OREGON-OSC — 1:45 p.m., KORE (1450 kc).
- CALIFORNIA - STANFORD — 2 p.m., KEX (1190 kc).
- OHIO STATE - MICHIGAN — 11:15 a.m., KOIN (970 kc); 12 noon, KGW (620 kc).
- MINNESOTA - WISCONSIN — 11:15 a.m., KEX (1190 kc).
- RICE - TCU — 12:45 p.m., KALE (1330 kc).

# Odds Even Up as Ducks, OSC Clash in 46th Annual 'Civil War'

(Continued from page one) game in the yellow and green today.

They have played OSC before, and seen the outcome go both ways—most of them. They remember the 20 to 7 trouncing Oregon handed the Beavers in 1940, but never will they forget how Oregon State rebounded last year.

### Beaver Rumors

Reports from the Beaver camp say that both Joe Day and Choc Shelton, star OSC backs, are doubtful participants this afternoon. Both were supposed to have suffered from knee injuries during the Stanford game, and Day is supposedly down with the flu.

This all formulates a first class "bear story". A trainman who saw the Staters in San Francisco reported that Day was perfectly able to run around, enter into horseplay, and make a dash

to catch his train without a sign of a limp.

### Glad to Meet Them

Shelton may be injured, and Day may have the flu, but you can bet your favorite Indian head penny that both will see action today, and a band of revenging Ducks will be more than glad to greet either one of them.

Of the 13 seniors who will play their last game for Oregon, Jim Shephard is the only doubtful entry. Shep has suffered from a leg injury ever since the UCLA game, but he would almost consider having that bad leg severed to get a chance to play today. Chances are he will, too. The determined spirit he has shown could easily overshadow his injury, and cause him to put on a sparkling performance. Maybe he will.

The rest of the seniors — Russ Nowling, end; Dick Ashcom, Ed

Moshofsky, and Tom Terry, tackles; Val Culwell, Floyd Rhea, and Bob Davis, guards; Steve Bodner, center; Len Surles, quarterback; Roy Dyer and Ken Oliphant, right halfbacks; and Tommy Roblin, fullback—are all in condition to see action. And they are not going north for a tea party; they are out to get that Beaver.

The Webfoots are more anxious for victory than they have been at any time this year, and there is one thing that will help immensely—student support. That was proven in the UCLA game. Warren has stated that the spirit shown by the rooting section and the marvelous job of direction by Ted Loud, was an important factor in upsetting the rampaging Bruins, and that if the same support is shown today, Oregon has an excellent chance to dump the Beavers.

## Two Ducks On Husky All-Coast

Tommy Roblin and Floyd "Scrappy" Rhea were chosen on the second team of the All-Coast squad selected by Ralph Welch, University of Washington coach.

The first string is: Sufoeff, WSC, and Ferguson, California, ends; Wicket, OSC, and Banducci, Stanford, tackles; Taylor and Laprade, Stanford, guards; Harrison, Washington, center; Waterfield, UCLA, quarterback; Solari, UCLA, and Robinson, Washington, halfbacks; Kennedy, WSC, fullback.

## Ramblers Pack Plenty Hoop Talent

VANCOUVER, Wash., Nov. 19.—(Special)—They're already tabbing the Vancouver Ramblers the most powerful independent hoop aggregation put together in the Northwest in a number of seasons, which indicates Coach Howard Hobson's Oregon Ducks are assured a stiff pre-season wrestle when they entertain the ramblers November 28, in a Thanksgiving holiday feature.

Birth of the Ramblers came six months ago when Al (Pop) Elkins, known as the "Bald Baron of Basketball" in the Portland-Vancouver area, severed his managership connection with the strong Bruno Studio club. Elkins had the nucleus of a strong squad in two ex-Vancouver high boys, Bob and Jack Mulder, who were starters last season at Southern Oregon normal and Oregon State college, respectively.

### OSC Players

Then big John Mandic, the Beaver All-American, signed a contract and Elkins quickly added Sam Dement, another OSZimmerman of last year, Don Zimmerman of Washington State, Worley Ellis, all-state forward at Vancouver high in 1938, Nello Vanelli, ex-Oregon Stater, Chuck Versteeg, high scorer for Willamette Bearcats a season ago and Doc Archer, a "bird-dog" who earned his collegiate plaudits at Bradley Tech.

The result of all this activity by the 34-year-old Elkins—whose sand and gravel company did the bulk of the paving for Kaiser company's huge shipyard here—was formation of a unit that many a college coach would peddle the field house cornerstone to possess.

Height to burn is a Rambler attribute, for Mandic, Dement and the two Mulders all scale between six feet four and five inches, while the latest addition to the club—Bill Oesterhaus, of South Dakota State Teachers, is six-six and one-half in his bare feet. Starters at Eugene will probably be Mandic, Ellis, Dement, Zimmerman, and Jack Mulder.

### Called to Service

"We're highly appreciative of this chance to play Oregon," said Elkins, "for many of the boys on the club will be in the service shortly after January 1—and it's their last fling at basketball."

Fancy new purple and gold uniforms, with warmup jackets to match, make the Ramblers positive sartorial sensations and Elkins says Eugene fans will see a class of basketball November 28 to match the gaudy garb.