

Ducks Bat .500 In First Leg Of Young Basketball Season

Rack up a triumph on the ledger for Oregon's hoopers, but in the same motion pencil in a loss. For the bubble in the Duck win-loss level must balance after the two opening games.

Friday eve, Hobby's hoop sharks, led by an extremely point-minded sophomore, Sammy Crowell, mauled Bruno Studio of Portland by a high-wide-and-handsome margin, 66 to 35. Young Crowell, barely dry behind the ears, in his first varsity test, flipped in 14 counters to help heap misery on the 1941 AAU champs from the "big city."

Crowell wasn't the only Duck sharpshooter who found the range. Captain Don Kirsch and Bob Newland, blond junior, bucketed 10 each. Halftime count leaned Oregon-ward, 26 to 15.



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Hardly had the ink dried on the curtain-raising victory when a black smudge was inflicted on the Duck snowy-white record Saturday night. Vancouver Ramblers, heavily flavored with ex-OSC Beaver talent, romped over the Ducks, 57 to 39.

Big John Mandic, Oregon's nemesis of yore, once again had a hand in the affair. The ram-bunctious Rambler "jump man" tipped in 13 counters to lead the way.

Small consolation came to Oregon as their man Newland snapped in 16 markers to seize high score plaudits for the tilt.

Navy, USCers Tough, Say UO

Those St. Mary's Pre-Flighters, coached by Lieut. Comdr. Tex Oliver, ex-Oregon boss, and Southern California's Trojans had about the toughest gang of pigskinners that the Ducks faced this year. At least that was the consensus of opinion coming from the Webfoot varsity for they named three Pre-Flighters and three Troy warriors on the 1942 all-opponent team.

The remainder of the squad was quite well distributed over four other clubs. The eleven chosen were, Ed Manske, Navy, and Milt Smith, UCLA, ends; Norm Verry, USC, and Don Willer, Navy, tackles; Joe Ruetz, Navy, and Bill Seixas, USC, guards; Walt Harrison, Washington center; Boyd Clement, OSC, quarterback; Mickey McCardle, USC, and Al Solari, UCLA, halfbacks; and Bob Kennedy, WSC, fullback.

B. Carney Does All Right as Pro

Another Oregon baseball alumnus leaped the chasm between collegiate diamond competition and professional ball without mishap.

Bill Carney, hard-hitting outfielder and last year's varsity captain, stepped into a regular spot in the Portland Beaver outer garden this summer and proceeded to bang out a respectable hitting average. "The Face," as he was fondly nicknamed by his Webfoot teammates, participated in 65 games for the cellar-dwelling Beavers, clicked his horsehide for 51 hits in 183 appearances and a .279 mark.

Carney was another in a long list of baseball lineage which has

Second Glance

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A friend of ours planted his pin a month ago. Last night he complained, "Since I've been going with her I can't eat, sleep, drink, or anything." Gullible as curious, we asked why. The answer was inevitable. "I'm always broke!"

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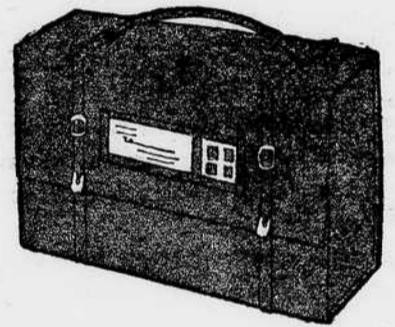
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