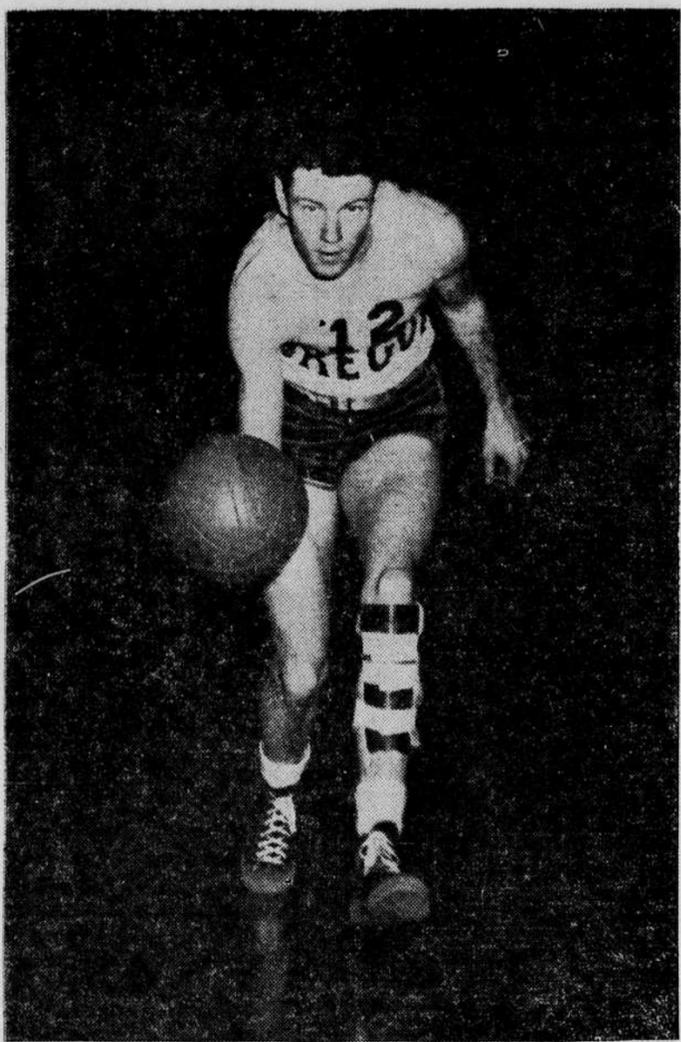


Beaver-Duck Civil War To Flare at Aggieville



Reedy Berg . . . slender Oregon guard who recently crashed the Webfoot starting five, tonight will do quite a bit of pounding up and down the floor of Corvallis' cereal box when the Ducks and the Beavers clash.

Weather Lifts; Runners Take Outdoor Trial Spins

With the advent of "better weather," Colonel Bill Hayward yesterday ordered his cindermen out of doors and sent them through trial spins around the University track. This was the first of what promised to be daily outdoor workouts.

Practices had been limited to Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, and had been held indoors until the big verbal blast hit the locker room yesterday.

OSC No. 1 on List

Oregon's first meet of the year, the relays with Oregon State college April 5, came in for a bit of comment. Colonel Hayward exhorted his charges that now was the time to start rolling for the Aggies.

Hayward is having the men start training early for two principal reasons—to unkink kinks experienced runners may have incurred during the previous period of relative inactivity, and as a precaution against the dubious condition of many runners who have been long in the service. Yesterday the trackmen practiced in full strength, most of the men having been given specific conditioning orders by Hayward. The running men took several warmup laps and then ran short sprints at half speed. Regular workouts stiffening in intensity are on the agenda, according to Hayward.

Shotputters are still needed to strengthen the personnel. Hayward has issued several calls for men with experience, and insists

that there are more men on the campus who can turn in good performances who haven't contacted him.

Another of the Colonel's worries is the distance events. Hugh Stapleton, veteran miler and two miler, was just rounding his injured ankle into shape when he retwisted it early this week. In all probability, he will not be ready for the opening meet. The only experienced men remaining are his cross country men—George Watkins, Dale Harlan, Al Pietschman, and Bob Dreisner.

It is too early in the season to determine what type of competition the Aggies will present for the annual meet. Last year they swept the annual event with ease, went on to win the regular dual meet between the two schools, and copped the division meet by just nosing out a resurgent Duck team by 9-10ths of a point.

Oregon's cinder paths are not in good shape for running now, as the winter rains have left it in poor condition. But this will soon be remedied, according to Colonel Bill. The track has a poor drainage system and with the local flash floods hitting it, several inches of water often accumulate around the entire quarter mile track.

Men in Fair Shape

Although official track workouts have begun, and many of the men are now in fair shape, Hayward is still anxious to have any aspirants contact him, as this

Inspired Webfoots Depend on Speed

Tonight at Corvallis, Howard Hobson will pit his Oregon Webfoots against Slats Gill's Oregon State quint in the third game of the annual Civil War series. Game time is 8 p. m. The Ducks have yet to gain a decision this year over the loop-leading Aggies.

Problem facing the Oregon team when the two teams tangle tonight will be to force the Staters to run with them. Much argument has been raging whether the Beavers are a running ball team this year, which definitely isn't the brand of playing dished up by Gill.

PCC STANDINGS Northern Division

OSC	7	1	.875
WSC	7	3	.700
Washington	6	6	.500
Oregon	4	6	.400
Idaho	0	8	.000

That the Oregon State squad will run for a time with the Ducks is true, but to force them to race through an entire game at break-neck pace is another matter. In the last meeting which Oregon lost 58-45, the Beavers ran with the Hobsonmen for the first six minutes and when they found themselves behind by six points at that time, they immediately shifted into the weave, playing for close casts at the basket.

Ducks Shift Lineup

Since that tilt however, the Webfoots have been making numerous shifts in the starting lineup with the probability that Ed Dick and Dick Wilkins will open at forwards, Ken Hays center, and Stan Williamson and Reedy Berg guards.

Oregon State's lethal punches are Lew Beck, quick starting guard, and Red Rocha, the ceiling-scraping pivot man. Cliff Crandall at forward is extremely deceptive on his change-of-pace movements and caused no little amount of grief for Oregon in the first two tilts.

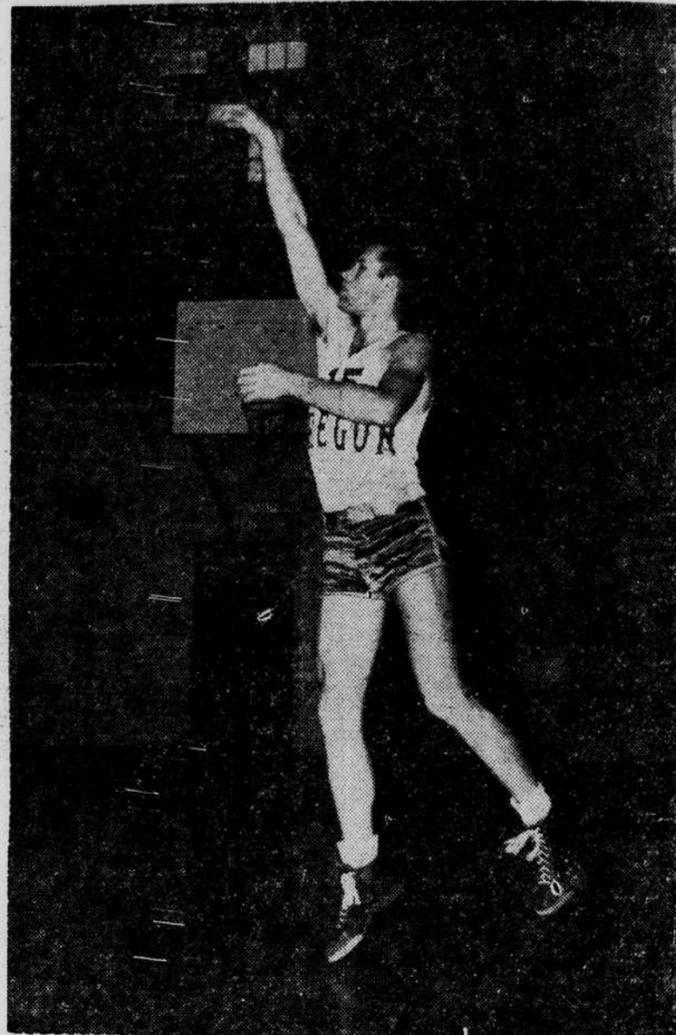
Silver at Guard

At guard, and Beck's running mate, is speed-merchant Morrie Silver, and corner shot specialist Alex Petersen at forward rounds out the starting five. The Gillmen are long on good reserves with Frankie Roelandt, Dan Torrey, and Doug Martin as standbys.

Statistics compiled in other frays this year point to one outstanding factor—that the Ducks were not hitting even a fair percentage of their shots. They have been plagued with the nemesis in almost all of Northern Division games. In the Washington series, however, they showed signs of shaking out of the slump.

Currently the Aggies have compiled a seven and one league record while the Webfoots are struggling to get back to the .500 mark, with four wins and six losses.

is the year that Oregon can win the title. All berths on the team are wide open, and no definite roster has been contemplated. Performance and past records, will determine who are the men for the team, the mentor remarked.



Ed Dick . . . Webfoot forward, who dumped six from the floor and three from the foul line for 15 points in the last Oregon-Washington scrap, probably will be in the Duck starting lineup tonight in Corvallis.

EMERALD Sports

Frosh Nick Klamath Five In Cage Overtime, 52-51

Attention Netsters

Candidates for the Oregon freshman and varsity tennis teams are to report Monday, February 10, to the Igloo office of Anse Cornell, graduate manager Cornell, graduate manager of athletics. Future policy will be determined at this time, and prospective team members will be requested to fill out eligibility slips.

Cougars Slide Ahead In Collegiate Ski Meet

PULLMAN, Wash., Feb. 17 (AP)—Washington State college took an early lead today in opening events of a two-day intercollegiate ski tournament, with Montana university second, University of Idaho third, and Gonzaga university fourth.

Washington State officials sponsoring the event said cross country and jumping events were held today at the college ski course at Potlach basin in Idaho. Slalom and downhill events are scheduled for tomorrow.

Team scores are tallied on the basis of performances of the first five men for each team in each event and will be tabulated completely at the end of the meet, officials said.

Rev. Fulton to Speak

Rev. J. T. Fulton, pastor of the Eugene Lighthouse temple, will be the featured Monday evening at 7 p.m., when the UO fellowship conducts its weekly meeting at the YMCA house.

University of Oregon's freshman basketball team, riding high on the rest of a 20 game winning streak, added one more to their top-heavy victory list last night, but were pushed to the limit in an overtime period before winning 52-51 from Klamath Falls high school at Klamath Falls.

The Ducklings won in the overtime by virtue of a pair of field goals by Forward Chuck Rufner and a free throw by Guard Pat Wohlers. At the end of the regulation playing time the score was tied up 47-47. Frosh Guard Bill Green handed the Ducklings their overtime reprieve by flipping in a last second field goal to tie the score.

Pelicans Held in Overtime

While Rufner and Wohlers were canning their shots in the extra period the freshman defense held the Pelican offense to two field goals. Ted Schopf's first year men took an early lead in the ball game and were never headed until the final minutes of the third and fourth quarters. The score stood 21-19 for the Frosh at halftime. The Pelicans held a slim 34-33 lead at the end of the third quarter.

Guard Coleman of the Pelicans led all scorers with a total of 21 points. He was followed by teammate Forward Bussman with 17. For the Ducklings Guards Don Kimball and Chuck Rufner tied for scoring honors with 10 points each. Center Roger Mockford tallied nine.