

# Ducks Face Vandals on Court, Water

## New Faces to Lead Ducks In ND Swim Match Today

Several Webfoot swimmers will get their first taste of college competition today as the Idaho Vandals invade Eugene for a meet in the men's pool, scheduled for 2:30 p. m. The reserves held a light workout yesterday in preparation for today's encounter. The varsity, however, continued its heavy training grinds with the Washington State-Oregon clash still a day away.

Dave Hayes, fast-improving freshman, posted a first-rate time in the breaststroke last night, and was given the nod over George Anderson, who will churn in the medley relay instead. Hayes will

be Bill Seal's running mate in the 150-yard event.

### Huestis on Sidelines

Team captain Ralph Huestis will probably watch the event from the stands with a record-breaking Washington Stater "Doc" Fuller entered in that contest tomorrow.

Johnny Miller and Don Kessler, a pair of backstroke specialists, are listed as the starters against Idaho. Both boys have seen action in previous meets this season.

Handling sprinting chores will be free-stylers Dick Hazard, John Anderson, and Alden Sundlie. The distance races will see Pug Mayer, Paul Thompson, and Bob Ferris in action, with Mayer competing in both the 440 and 220.

### Hazzard Ineligible

Diver Benny Holcomb, whose record reveals a second and third in intercollegiate competition will probably be Oregon's mainstay in that event, with Willie McCullough as the second entry on the program.

Yesterday Tom Hazzard was declared ineligible to compete in today's meet, and one of the other sprinters will be called on to fill his slot in the relay event.

## Frosh Slate Pair Today

The Frosh basketball squad will defend its victory column of 20 wins against one loss when it faces Lowell and Medford high schools in McArthur court this afternoon. On Saturday afternoon the Ducklings play host to University high school with the game starting at 2 o'clock.

Expecting strong competition from Medford, Ted Schopf, Frosh coach, rounded out a week's intensive work with two hours of scrimmage and practice yesterday.

### Defense Stressed

Early in the week, the Duckling mentor began to overhaul the squad, stressing defense, which he claimed had deteriorated because the boys had become offense-minded in running up their winning streak.

The second-stringers get the starting nod in the first game against Lowell. Schopf will start Tom Patton, just returning from a broken finger, and Ken Johnson at the forwards; Elton Lantz at the pivot spot; and Pat Wohlers and Ed Gudgel at the guards.

### Pearpickers Rough

Due for heavy action against Medford are the first stringers with Don Kimball and Bill Green at forwards, Roger Mockford at center, and Rod Downey and Chuck Rufner in the guard positions.

The Medford Pearpickers experienced defeat early in the season from the Frosh when they lost 33-28 after leading 17-10 at the half. Medford has dumped the hot Klamath Falls outfit, which Schopf's crew barely nosed out in an overtime last Friday after having beaten them once before.

## Pre-Season Trial Meet Has Haywardmen Working Hard

Aspirants for the Oregon track team continued workouts yesterday on Hayward field with short runs and exercises. Colonel Bill Hayward announced that he was trying to get all his men into top shape before the spring vacation. The first meet of the year, against Oregon State on April 5th will pit both teams' runners against each other after a week's layoff.

According to Hayward, all his men should ready their equipment and be prepared to take workouts while they are on vacation. He emphasizes the point at this time because he wants his runners to know what is expected of them.

One of the biggest holes on the team thus far is the lack of shot-putters. Hayward is disappointed at the lack of enthusiasm for this event and said, "There are several good men on the campus who can throw the shot; however they have given no indication of turning out. If they have any intention of making this year's team they must turn out now as I will have my squad picked in a few weeks."

Present plans call for a trial meet just before final examinations, and the track coach intends to pick the first five in each event at that time.

## Reply to Project Four

Here's to you on project four—  
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And we will rid this school of pests.

You think you have a tricky team?  
When we Huskies finish, you'll be cleaned.

That challenge we know was a joke  
From a bunch of weather-beaten blokes.

Come in out of that cold, cold rain  
Your chills we'll fix without disdain.

Ole Mike has got his Vigoro and you;  
We have our pills and mighty Hughes.

To the challenge we gladly say "YES."  
And hope you don't pull a Rudolph Hess.

So—on the court  
Before the game  
We'll back this retort  
And rise to fame!  
—HUGHES' HUSKIES.

## Webfoots Fight For 3rd Place

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at McArthur court tonight. Gone will be all-coaster Fred Quinn at a forward post and Bill Carbaugh, a 1946 starter at guard. Both are on the binnacle list, Quinn with a sprained back and Carbaugh with a skin rash.

Another doubtful mark is Jack Phoenix, towering 6-9 center. Phoenix was at odds with the Vandal club earlier this year, and did not play in the second Oregon State game Wednesday night.

Coach Hobby Hobson issued no starting lineup, but it is expected to run much like that which answered the opening whistle against Oregon State at Corvallis last Saturday night. That five was Ed Dick and Dick Wilkins at forwards, Ken Hays at center, and Reedy Berg and Stan Williamson at guards.

### Lavey, Bartelt Ready

Likely to break into the starting quintet are Jim Bartelt at forward and Al Popick and Bob Lavey at guards. Another possibility is the big lefthander, Roger Wiley, who has had difficulty in regaining the form displayed in former years.

Lavey and Bartelt, especially, appear likely for plenty of action. Speed-demon Lavey is the only freshman remaining on the squad and appears headed for an outstanding college career. Bartelt joined the squad late and is just now regaining his shooting eye.

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# EMERALD Sports

## JVs Sink Firs, 70-36 To Cinch City Title

By FRED TAYLOR

Oregon's junior varsity was handed the city independent league championship on a silver platter last night, as it trampled the Oregon Lumber Firs, 70-36, and the Richfield Oilers obligingly knocked off the front-running Eagles lodge quintet, 47-43. The Oiler victory broke the first place deadlock between the Jayvees and the Eagles, and gave the collegians the title.

It was the greatest number of points racked up this season by the Jayvees, as they wore out the Firs in the first half and ran away with the game in the closing session.

Richfield had won only two games in the second half before last evening's contest, but had given the top clubs a bad time. The Oiler quintet with Gene Hebrard high point man with 18 counters, held off a six-point Eagle rally in the closing minutes to cop the tilt.

Leading only 10-9 with 12 minutes gone in the game the Jayvees started hitting, and soon racked up a decisive lead. Jerry Switzer, Luke Bacceleri, and Darrell Robinson all hit for field goals before the Firs could break through to score. After a lay-in by Wayne Hickson for the First the collegians connected on two more to have a half-time edge of 22-13.

The Lumbermen, who had two new players in the starting lineup and only one reserve, began to fade badly in the second stanza as the fast pace set by the junior Ducks proved too much.

A barrage of baskets by the junior Ducks after the rest period boosted the score to 51-26 within ten minutes, and from then on the game became a rout.


Lynn Hamilton sank a beauty from the corner just before the bell sounded to end the game, giving

the junior squad its biggest point total of the year. Luke Bacceleri of the locals was high point man with 13 counters, while Anet of the Firs was second with 12.

Lineups:  
Jayvees (70) (36) Firs  
Devaney, 6 ..... F.... 6, Montgomery  
Don, 7 ..... F..... 12, Anet  
Switzer, 10 ..... C..... 10, Fox  
Seeborg, 9 ..... G..... 7, Hickson  
Bacceleri, 13 ..... G..... 1, Kernes  
Substitutions: Jayvees — Robinson 6, Wilson 5, Kirsch 1, Hamilton 8, Holloman 3, Amacher 2. Firs — Tomich.



GUY WICKS... Idaho hoop coach, will send his winless Vandals against the Oregon Ducks on McArthur court tonight.



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