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DUCK TRACKS

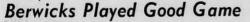
By DON FAIR Assistant Sports Editor

It was our impression that football sportcasters were supposed to be pretty well informed gents, but if the announcer of the Oregon-UCLA game is any example, we can only hope for the best when the Ducks go to California again next month to play Stanford. From what we heard, all that some southern sports broadcasters know about Oregon is that they will probably field

an 11-man grid team come game time.

The first mistake we noticed Saturday was starting Webfoot center Brad Ecklund from Milwaukie, WISCONSIN! An alert and evidently ired Milwaukie, Oregon citizen, however was right on his toes, and the announcer corrected himself, thanks to a wire sent him.

Jim Newquist was cited as hailing from CAY-mas, Washington. After all, we don't refer to the southern neighbors as being from CAY-lifornia. A little study of geography and pronunciation might also prove helpful to that announcer.



We also noted that TOM Berwick was playing quite a game for the Ducks. Later on a fellow named Jim Berwick seemed to be getting in on his share of plays. No, there not brothers-just the same guy, and his name, incidentally, is Jim Berwick.

Probably the biggest blunder of the afternoon accomplished by the guy at the mike was when he had Steve Mezzera on the gridiron giving his all for a Webfoot victory. That's not unso unusual except that Mezzera didn't even make the trip to Los Angeles! The last but emphatic correction we have for the California announcer is that we are chartered as the University of Oregon, not Oregon University. At least he had us from the right state.

Much Preparation Necessary

To be a good sports linguist, the announcer has to follow the teams, whose game he is to broadcast, all week prior to the actual contest. This means much research including a good look at the outstanding plays, players, and offense of the two squads. With this kind of preparation, enlightening, interesting and factual broadcasts, such as those delivered by Bill Stern and Harry Wismer, are possible.

Of course there's the case of Fort Pearson, who was quite a football broadcaster a few years back. His first announcing assignment was to broadcast a Rice football game, in Houston, Texas. Then the Rice field was located on a high plateau, which was a prey to strong and tricky winds.

Booth Subject to Winds

As the broadcaster's booth was uncovered, Pearson had the problem of the winds upsetting his lineups, charts, and statistics. He was doing OK until midway in the first period, when an exceptionally strong gust blew up and whisked away all of his lineups, players numbers, positions, and other necessary data. But Pearson rose to the crisis in fine style, and ad-libbed the final three periods of the game, guessing at players' names. It was from this ignimonious start that he later rose to among the top three grid casters of the nation.

Delts, Fijis, SAE, McChesney, Minturn, SPE Cop IM Games

yards in the second quarter for an-

other six points, and the Fijis

column when the Fijis fumbled the

third quarter kickoff, and Jim Mc-

Cloud pounced on the pigskin for

SAE 14, Campbell 6 Campbell club drew first blood

against SAE early in the first quar-

ter, but 32 minutes later were on

the losing end of a 14-6 score to

Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Mel Krause

flipped the ball down to the three

yard stripe. On the next play,

Krause tore around end for the only

SAE came to life in the second

quarter when Ray Hertzig and Jim

Popp got together on a 50-yard

pass play that sent SAE out in

Bob Wallace on a speedy play that

was good for 20 yards and six

McChesney 6, Pi Kaps 0

again, this time at the cost of Pi

Kappa Alpha. The scoreboard read

The one and only touchdown

came in the first frame when

Frank Beeson intercepted a Pi Kap

pass on his own twenty. Beeson

play later John Gilbertson sent a

bullet into the arms of Slack in the

Both teams scored one touch-

down, but it was a tricky conver-

sion that spelled a 7-6 victory for

Minturn hall over Lambda Chi Al-

Neither bunch could score in the

end zone for the winning TD.

Minturn 7, LXA 6

6-0 at the final gun.

McChesney hall tasted victory

the lone Phi Kap score.

Campbell tally.

points.

TODAY'S GAMES 3:50

Phi Kappa Phi vs. Tau Kappa Epsilon.

Phi Sigma Kappa vs. Sherry scored again in the final heat. Ross hall.

Merrick hall vs. Villard hall. By EDDIE ARTZT

Bringing down the curtain on the 1947 intramural grid season, six rugged outfits battle for the last time today in a triple-header windup of the 75-game schedule at 3:50 p.m. on lower Howe field.

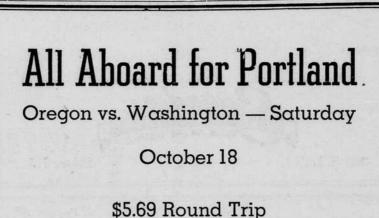
Eight outfits will mix for the championship honors in a playoff series that will probably start tomorrow.

Six more spine-tingling games went into the books yesterday as the playoff picture became clearer. Delta Tau Delta walloped Phi Kappa Psi 16-0, Phi Kappa Sigma took it on the chin from Phi Gamma Delta 19-6, and Sigma Alpha Epsilon belted the Campbell club 14-6. Lambda Chi Alpha dropped a closey to Minturn hall 7-6, Mc-Chesney edged the crew from Pi Kappa Alpha 6-0, and Sigma Phi Epsilon cooled the Yeomen 2-0.

DTD 16, Phi Psi 0

Phi Kappa Psi got off to a bad start when a fumbled opening kickoff cost them two quick points to Delta Tau Delta, who went on to win 16-0. Three plays after the safety was racked up, the Delts cashed in again when Ed Sanford chucked to Bob Kehrli for a big six. Late in the fourth quarter Sanford clicked again and heaved a 40 yard touchdown aerial to Jerry Hunter. Fijis 19, Phi Sig 6

Phi Gamma Delta walked on to the field red hot and walked off with a 19-6 win from Phi Kappa Sigma. Chuck Taylor played a lot of football for the Fijis, scoring two TD's and throwing one pay dirt pass. In the opening frame, Taylor ' first half, but the third quarter was



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(Including Federal Tax)

fired to Marty Pond for a 30-yard the big one for Minturn. After touchdown. Taylor galloped 20 driving to the 12-yard line, the Minturn crew turned on the heat, with Joe Tom packing the mail for a score. Tom flipped to Ed Zumwalt Phi Kappa Sigma hit the scoring for a point-after-touchdown.

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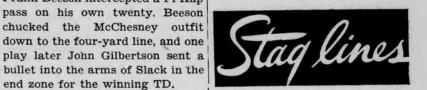
Lambda Chi took over in the fourth quarter, as Jack Puffenberger lofted a long one to Denny Marvin for six big points, but they weren't big enough after the conversion try was muffed.

SPE 2, Yeomen 0

Sigma Phi Epsilon had the unique errerience of having the line win the ball game for them. The Sig Eps dropped the Yeomen 2-0 on a safety play after a Yeomen back faded into the end zone to pass and was trapped by linemen Rex Young, Gordon Albright and Jack Marshall.

front. The fourth frame saw Bud Swim Meet Set Helm toss a touchdown aerial to

The dates for the women's intramural swimming meet have been set for November 12 and 19, it was announced today by Miss Jeannette Masilionis, Amphibian advisor. This meet will be sponsored by the Amphibians. Practices are being held during open hours at the swimming pool at Gerlinger.



By AL PIETSCHMAN

SPORTS: Doc Blanchard was the subject of "pot shots" down south. Fred Digby, New Orleans Item sports editor, claimed that the army was using Doc as a publicity medium.

The All-American was billed to play in a special benefit "Hurricane Bowl" game .Saturday. The bowl's funds were to go to the recent victims of the coastal hurricanes. However, Blanchard never got into the game, even though thousands of youthful admirers yelled, "We want Blanchard."

According to the army, he did not play because of a sore ankle, but Digby asserts that Blanchard practiced on the field with his team, and at that time his ankle seemed all right.

That's the way it goes, even an All-American draws criticism. The complete story may break soon, in



LON STINER

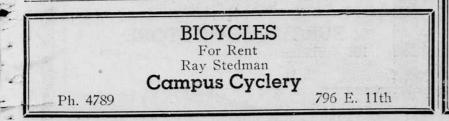
Beavers Like Underdog Role

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We notice that the the Oregon State publicity still has everyone crying over the status of Lon Stiner's Beavers. That's just what the Aggies thrive on-label them a favorite, and they don't like it. But as soon as they are tagged as underdogs-look outit means trouble for all concerned, especially to the team they meet the following Saturday. This weekend it's Southern Cal.

Some of these Saturday's when the Oregon team drives down to their opponent's 20 yard line, the Ducks are going to shake off fumblitis, pass interceptions, and plain tough breaks which snuff out ever threatening rally. The Webfoots faded twice against the Bruins and six times against Nevada when the goalline was 20 yards, or less, away. Ateam with potentially as much offensive punch as the Aikenmen have shown, can't be stopped forever, and when they do shake off this jinx, the rest of the conference schools can look to their laurels.



Lv. Eugene 5:55 p.m. Friday Ar. Portland 9:50 p.m. Friday

or

Lv. Eugene 8:40 a.m. Saturday Ar. Portland 11:45 a.m. Saturday

Return on your choice of evening trains Saturday or Sunday. Let the engineer drive you to and from the big game. - No worry about rain, fog, slippery and crowded highways. Sit back and relax and have fun with the gang.

Buy your tickets early at the S.P. station at foot of Willamette Street. Phone 2200 for details.

The FRIENDLY SOUTHERN PACIFIC

Charles

R. E. Dean, Agent

the meantime we'll look for an explanation from the brass hats. FASHIONS: Bill Rohliffs has one of the smoothest jackets ever made in his shop now. UNIVERSITY SPORT SHOP has the MacGregor three-in-one water repellent lined with a detachable cardigan lining. We said detachable cardigan lining, and that's right. You have to see it to believe it.

WOMEN: Maybe you are wondering who M.E.T. is after reading the stirring editorial suggesting a "Go to Hell" week. Well, the truth outs, it is the Emerald's famous "Under-Cover" girl, Maryanne Theilen.

Her "Go to Hell" week sounds terrific-maybe she was only jibbing at all the various weeks we do have around here, but people wouldn't have to flash their forced Pepsodent smiles for a week, and look the way they feel.

Drop into UNIVERSITY SPORT SHOP and see those new jackets. They will surprise you just the way they did all the fellows Bill showed yesterday. If it is a jacket you want, Bill has it.

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