

# Webfoots Face Cougar Gridders; Frosh Meet Portland Here Today

## Aikenmen Go For Fourth Straight Win

By FRED TAYLOR

Oregon's victory-minded grid squad tackles its fourth conference foe at 2 p.m. when the Ducks tangle with the Washington State Cougars on the Pullman turf.

The Eugene eleven will be gunning for their fourth straight victory, the third over a league opponent. Present season's record for Oregon stands at four triumphs against three defeats.

For the second consecutive week the Webfoots are favored to cop the tilt. Dopesters are giving the club at least a two touchdown advantage over the often-beaten Cougars in light of the superior Oregon record and weight edge.

### Ducks Have Beef

Jim Aiken's men will go into the fray with a decided advantage in bulk. The Oregon forward wall weighs an average 208 pounds to the Pullman team's 193, while in the backfield the Ducks outweigh the Cougars, 186 to 174.

Weather conditions for the Palouse battle, which have great bearing upon the style of offense that the Ducks will use, are still unsettled. Flurries of snow have been falling intermittently for three days, and a frozen field is expected for the tilt.

If conditions permit the Webfoots will unleash their potent aerial attack early in an attempt to score quickly. The passing Norm Van Brocklin, rifle armed quarter who makes Oregon's 'T' boil, has been practically unused in the past two contests, after the groundmen had shown ability to score from a power attack.

### Power Will be Used

If Van Brocklin is unable to connect consistently the Green machine will switch over to the improved ground offensive, and attempt to grind out a victory on running plays. The two sets of backfield chore-boys who have starred in recent games will again perform as ball-carriers.

Jake Leicht, who ran practically unhindered through the Vandals last week, will again pack the mail from the left half spot. Leicht displayed pre-war form in sensational fashion last week when he galloped 73 yards for a touchdown. At the right half will be Jim Newquist, veteran Oregon ace who has been crashing through the defense for sizeable gains. Alternating ball-carrying duties with him will be George Bell, hard-running sophomore 190-pounder.

### Koch Starts at Full

Starting at fullback will be big Bob Koch, husky line-blaster who broke loose for long gains against the Vandals. Behind him will be Bob Sanders, North Bend powerhouse.

Phil Sorboe's hard-luck Cougars have dropped five games this year while eking out a 7-0 victory over Idaho, and running over the Portland university Pilots, 35-0. The crushing blow of an undistinguished season was the 13-12 defeat at the hands of Montana State university two weeks ago.

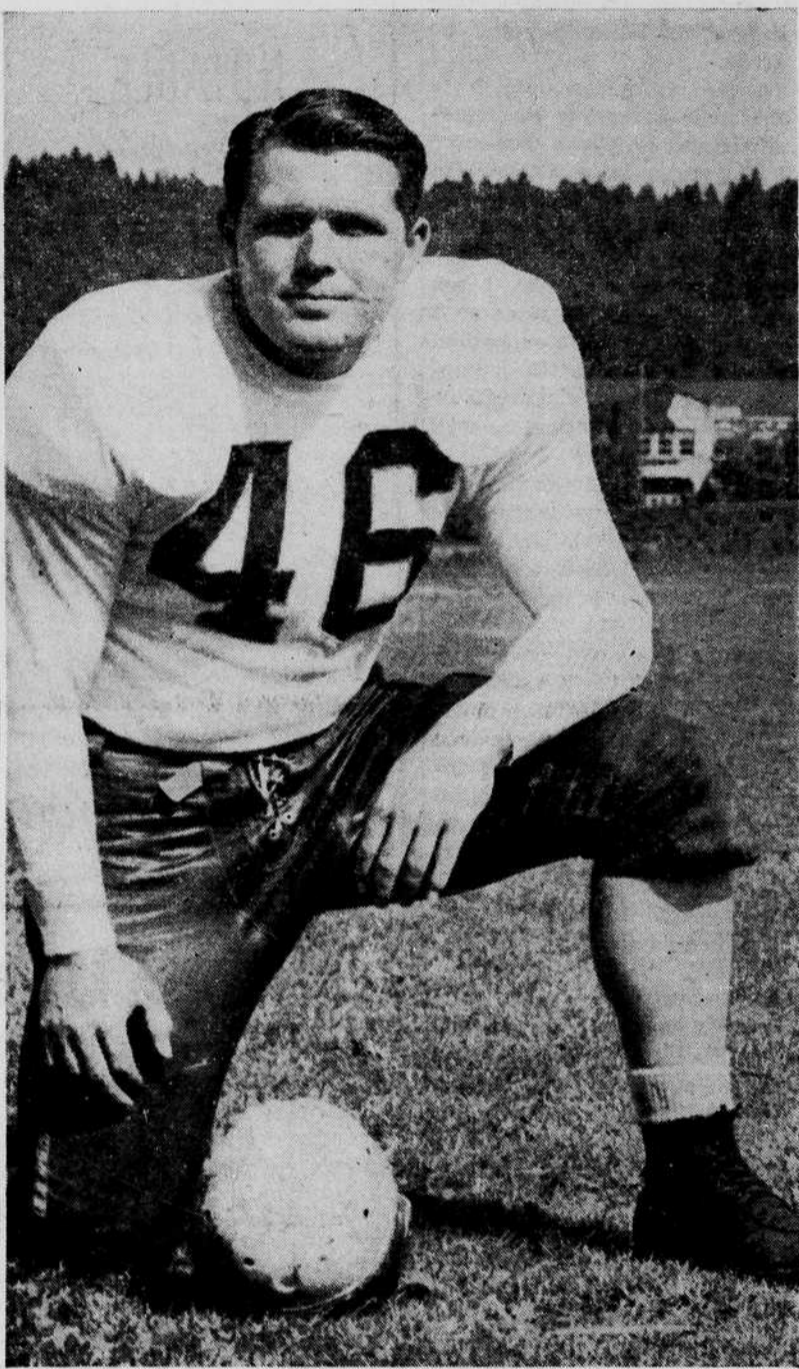
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## Co-captain Today



Burly Ted Meland, Oregon offensive guard, with the aid of the other Co-Captain Jim Berwiek, will call the toss before the kickoff of the Webfoot-Washington State game today at Pullman.

## From Rose to Orange....

### Bowl Picture at a Glance

By UNITED PRESS

**ROSE BOWL**, Pasadena, Cal.—A "closed shop" between the Pacific conference champion, probably Southern California, and the Big Nine winner, probably Michigan.

**COTTON BOWL**, Dallas, Tex.—Southwest conference winner, probably Southern Methodist, committed to play as host team. Opponent probably will be a major eastern independent or strong southeastern team.

**SUGAR BOWL**, New Orleans, La.—Sam Corenswet, president of the Sugar Bowl association, is in South Bend, Ind., presumably to see the Notre Dame-Army game, but he is expected to make one last appeal to get the Fightin' Irish to

go south. Notre Dame, long opposed to post-season games isn't expected to change its policy now so the Sugar Bowl probably will line up Georgia Tech or the Southeastern conference champion against Texas, a Southwest "toughie."

**ORANGE BOWL**, Miami, Fla.—With seating capacity expanded to 60,000 the committee definitely would like to land the southeastern conference champion with the opponent likely to be Virginia, Boston college or Wake Forest.

In recent experiments conducted by the University of Chicago, it has been found that practically all people born in 1921 are at least 26 years old now.

## Duckling Tilt Starts at 2 On South Hayward Field

By ELWIN PAXSON

Oregon football fans will get their first opportunity to see the Frosh team in action this afternoon as they open a two-game home stand against the Portland University Babes at 2 p.m. on the practice field south of Hayward.

Gates 16 and 17 will be opened at 1 p.m. to admit spectators and bleachers have been erected on the eastern side of the field to accommodate the expected crowd.

The Frosh, who ran through a padless skull and signal practice yesterday afternoon, appeared in top physical condition for today's tilt, going through the tapering-off session yesterday with plenty of zip-and-zest.

### Babes Use Single-Wing

It will be the "T" versus the single-wing when the two yearling squads line up for the opening kick-off, according to word received from the Portland camp. The Oregon frosh, with Earl Stelle in the slot, will operate from a T-formation, while the Portlanders place main emphasis on the bone-crushing single wing formations, with a Notre Dame shift.

Portland's attack is paced by a pair of versatile halfbacks, Phil Pappalardo and Larry Wisbaum, both of whom were instrumental in downing the Oregon State Rooks and Vanport college.

### Pappalardo Does Passing

Pappalardo, who hails from New Jersey, is responsible for the success of his club's passing offense and is also an excellent punter. Wisbaum is the team's leading ground gainer, and the former Jefferson high ace is tops defensively as well.

Records show that the Portland Babes have two wins to their credit with a single loss chalked up against them, while the Ducklings have been forced to settle for a victory, a loss and a tie in the past three encounters.

One of the Babe triumphs was over the OSC Rooks, the same eleven that out-scored the Oregon Frosh 27-19 in the final minutes of play. An indication of the potency of their offense is the fact that Portland managed to engineer one scoring drive against the Southern Oregon College of Education club, one of the few undefeated, untied teams left in the nation, although the Red Raiders drubbed them, 33-6.

Babe Coach Phil Loprinzi's 32-man traveling squad will arrive in Eugene today for the encounter. Loprinzi was a former Portland university standout lineman before taking over the freshman reins.

### Probable Starting Lineup

Oregon	Pos.	Portland
Doug Coghill	LER	Marv Diercks
Bill Marker	LTR	Babe Costello
Chet Daniels	LGR	Bill Carroll
Dave Gibson	C	John O'Donnell
Art Harris	RGL	Jake Sweeney
Hank Cedros	RTL	Bill Smith
Dick Mobley	REL	Barney Currigan
Earle Stelle	QB	Bill O'Connell
Dick Morrison	LHR	Larry Wisbaum
Dennis Sullivan	RHL	Phil Pappalardo
John Parsons	FB	Pete Petros

## Good Luck, Ducks



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