

# Webfoots Skin Beavers Again, 58-54; Washington Staters Lose to Huskies

## UW Takes 55-50 Edge

Pullman, Wash., Feb. 20—(UP)—The University of Washington climbed into a first-place tie with Washington State in the torrid Northern Division basketball race by nipping the Cougars 55-50 before an overflow crowd of 5800 fans here tonight.

The Huskies put the game on ice only in the last minute on successive field goals by forwards

Northern Division			
Team	W	L	Perc.
WSC	7	4	.636
Wash.	7	4	.636
OSC	7	5	.583
OREGON	6	6	.500
Idaho	2	10	.167

Sammy White and Bill Vandenburg. Before the final scoring spurt, the Huskies and Cougars were deadlocked eight times and swapped the lead nine times.

Deadeye shooting from the foul line gave the Huskies the victory. Washington made 17 gift tosses to WSC's 12, each bucketing 19 field goals.

WSC, which led 26-25 at halftime, played the final 16 minutes without center Vince Hanson, its six-foot-eight tower of strength at the backboard. Hanson fouled out because of his close checking of his six-foot-six counterpart, Husky pivotman Jack Nichols.

Nichols totaled 18 points to tie him for the ND scoring leadership with Roger Wiley of Oregon, with 161 points apiece. However the Husky center has played one less game.

WSC's Hanson added 12 markers to up his season's total to 135, and forward Norm Lowery of the Cougars added nine markers.

### Basketball Results

- Kirksville 44, Springfield (Mo) 42
- Seton Hall 57, Scranton 56 (overtime)
- Alabama State 42, Moorhouse 34
- Ottawa 55, McPherson 39
- Omaha 44, Morningside 42
- Ball State 52, Franklin 49
- Ind. St. Teachers 69, Valparaiso 56
- Simpson 66, Cornell (Iowa) 52
- Citadel 81, Presbyterian 44
- Friends U. 36, Sterling 28

## Hoosier Head Moves to Pros

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Feb. 20—(UP)—Indiana university today officially bade farewell to Bo McMillin, its football coach for 14 years, and scheduled a meeting of the board of trustees next week to consider selection of his successor.

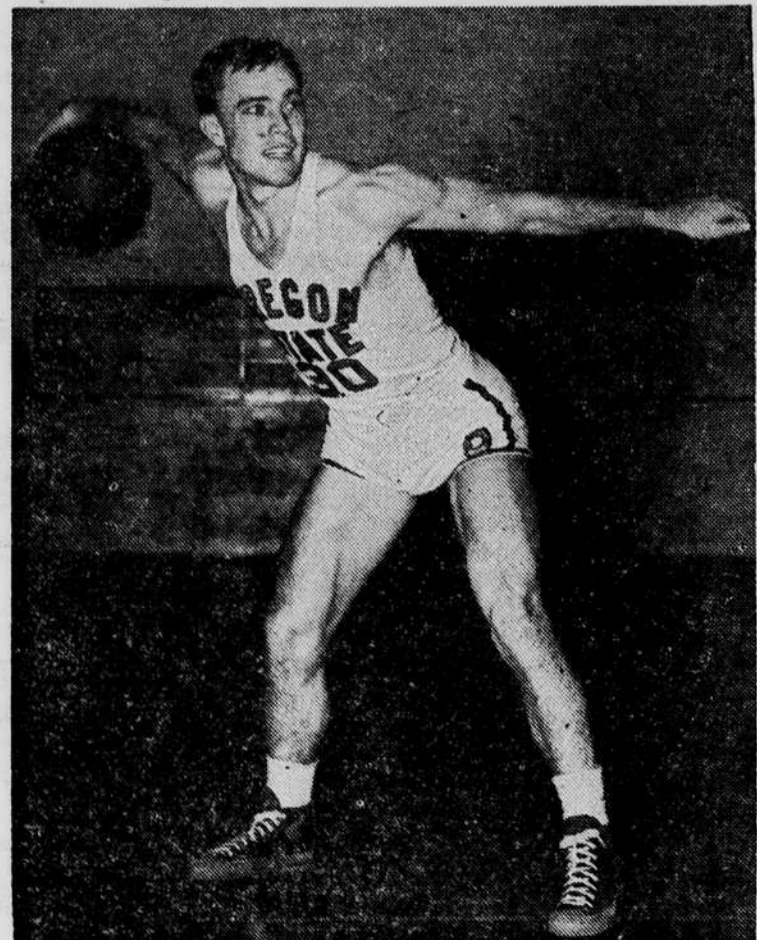
In a telephone poll, the eight-man board unanimously accepted Bo's resignation from his \$12,500 per year college post to shift to a \$30,000 per year job with the professional Detroit Lions of the National Football league.

University officials revealed they planned to replace the grey-headed Hoosier coach with two men, one to serve as grid mentor and one as athletic director. However, it was more probable that before the Indiana grid staff is complete for 1948, five men will have to be hired.

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### Men Behind the Men



One of the reasons that the Oregon State Beavers have kept in the pennant running this year is because of their capable reserve material. Ernie Neal (above) six-foot one-inch forward, and Frankie Roelandt, five-foot ten-inch fireball guard, both juniors, are two of Slat's substitute mainstays.

## Wiley, Wilkins Lead Five To Torrid Second Win

By DON FAIR

Oregon coach John Warren dug into his bag of reserve strategy last night and the Webfoots came out with 58-54 civil war victory over Oregon State before a capacity crowd at McArthur court. The defeat put a big dent in the Beavers' title hopes, and the Ducks evened their wins and losses at six apiece.

Starting a ball-control quint of Dick Unis, Bob Amacher, Roger Wiley, Stan Williamson and Al Popick, the Webfoots played a deliberate brand of ball. At the nine minute mark, with the count knotted 12-12, Warren inserted his speed merchants—Dick Wilkins, Jim Bartelt, Bob Lavey, and Reedy Berg, and they proceeded to run up a 31-25 intermission lead, which the Ducks never relinquished.

With three minutes remaining in the first half, Oregon State held its last edge, 25-24. Wilkins tied the count for the fifth time with a free toss, and followed with a two-hand net splicer from 35 feet distant.

Wiley and Berg added free throws, and Wilkins came back with a running hook toss to give the Webfoots the 31-25 bulge. In the second half the Aggies kept pressing the issue, but those six points meant the ball game for Oregon, their second successive triumph over the Beavers this year.

Oregon State crept up to 36-33, but Wilkins again delivered with one-hander after faking Cliff Crandall off. Bartelt, in a comeback role, aced a driving lay-in to make it 40-34. The Beavers persisted and narrowed the margin to 41-40.

Then it was Williamson who clutched in a cripple, and a pair of charities to up the margin to

46-40. Still not giving up, Alex Peterson of the Aggies dropped in a basket and two gift shots, shortening the Oregon lead to 47-44.

But the Webfoots had the stuff, as Bartelt flipped in his favorite one-hand pusher from the key, Wiley added a free throw, and Lavey canned one from the key to make it 52-44. The Beavers narrowed the gap to two points, 53-51 with two minutes to play, and again it was Bartelt who provided a squelching blow with a set shot behind the key.

Williamson added a neat over-the-head cripple, and a free toss to pull the Ducks to a safe margin, when the gun sounded, although the last minute-and-a-half was filled with hectic action as the Beavers missed some do-or-die shots, while the Webfoots tried to stall out the verdict.

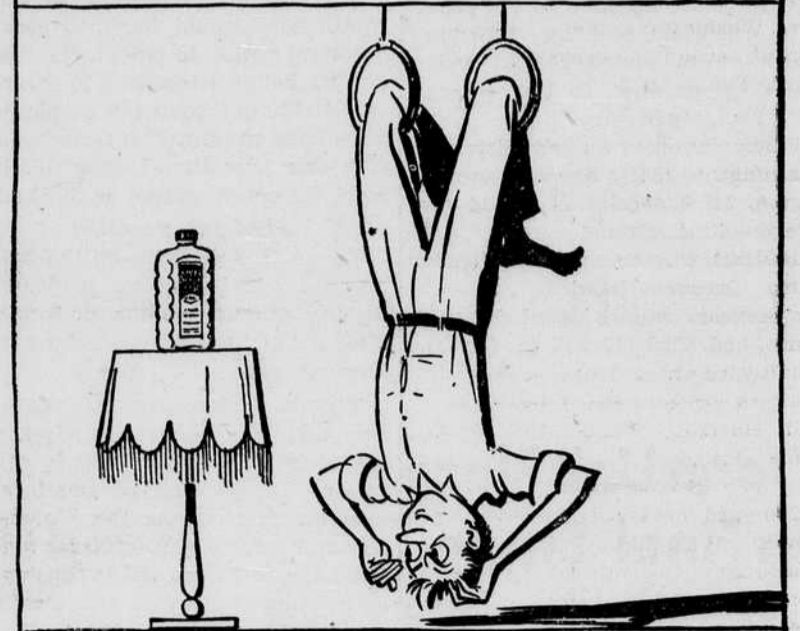
### SUMMARY:

Oregon (58)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Unis, f	1	0	1	2
Amacher, f	0	0	3	0
Wiley, c	3	7	3	13
Popick, g	2	0	1	4
Williamson, g	3	3	4	9
Wilkins, f	5	3	5	13
Bartelt, f	5	0	2	10
Don, c	0	0	1	0
Lavey, g	1	2	1	4
Berg, g	0	3	4	3
<b>Totals</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>58</b>

Oregon State (54)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Crandall, f	4	8	5	16
Carey, f	1	1	2	3
Rinearson, c	0	2	4	2
Catterall, g	2	1	5	5
Ballantyne, g	1	3	3	5
Petersen, f	5	3	3	13
Samuel, f	0	0	0	0
Sliper, c	1	1	4	3
Torrey, g	3	1	2	7
Detour, g	0	0	3	0
Roelandt, G	0	0	1	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>54</b>

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