

# Webfoots Blast Cougars, 10-2

## Mills Stops WSC; Kirschmen Never Headed in ND Game

The weather for yesterday's game was intermittent rain, but was nothing compared to the shower of timely hits which the Webfoots bat's unleashed in pinning a 10-2 defeat on Buck Bailey's Washington Staters on Howe field.

**THE DUCKS WERE** never headed in chalking up their fourth consecutive league win, which gives them a commanding grip on first position in the standings. Hefty righthander Sid Mills went the distance for the Kirschmen, and performed like a true Webfooter, getting better the more it rained. After overcoming early-inning jitters, the curve-ball specialist kept the hard-hitting Cougars under control, stranding 15 runners on the basepaths.

Oregon's support for Mills was letter perfect, getting the pitcher out of several jams caused by his eight-walk wildness. The Duck hitting also proved timely, bunching 11 hits in a 10-run assault against three WSC tossers.

The Webfoots teed off early on Cougar southpaw Vince "Lefty" Foster with three markers in the first frame. Johnny Kovenz walked, and Hal Zurcher got life on Ed Coleman's error. Al Cohen slashed a two-run double to left center, and scored from there on the shortstop's second boot of Don Kimball's grounder.

Washington State cut the margin to 3-1 in the second frame on scratch singles by Gene Gamp and Bob McGuire, and two walks, the latter forcing in the tally.

**IN A STEADY** drizzle, Oregon uncorked a four-run blast in the third stanza, after one was out. Zurcher walked, and Cohen slapped a Texas League single to left. Bartle's line drive one-baser brought in Zurcher, and Kimball's two-bagger along the left field line scored Cohen.

After Don Dibble fanned for the second out, Walt Kirsch poked a hit over second base, and the final two runs of the inning tallied. This also paved the way for Foster's removal.

With Monday's starter, Arnie Torgerson, hurling for WSC, the Webfoots pounded three more runs across the plate in the fifth inning. Bartle opened with a double, and Kimball's single chased him home.

Dibble's lusty two-bagger advanced Kimball to third, and he scored on Kirsch's fly out. Mills, himself, brought in the final Duck marker, with a solid one-baser over shortstop to bring Dibble in.

**THE COUGARS** final tally came in the seventh stanza when two

Duck Star



WALT KIRSCH, Webfoot second baseman played his usual fine defensive game yesterday and drove in three runs in the Oregon win.

singles, by Coleman and Tom Marrier, and a groundout did the trick. The powerfully-rated Pullman nine had little chance to display its bat work against the hopped-up Webfoots, in a contest that several times threatened to be halted by the weather. The rain, plus the trend of the game, had a definite effect on the performance of Bailey, who did little ranting and raving throughout the nine innings.

Webfoot shortstop Cohen continued his heavy hitting, with four hits in five tries, while Bartle and Kimball had a pair of blows apiece.

### Box Score

| Wash. State (2) | AB | R | H | PO | A |
|-----------------|----|---|---|----|---|
| McGuire, cf     | 4  | 0 | 1 | 6  | 0 |
| Carroll, 2      | 3  | 0 | 1 | 1  | 4 |
| Coleman, s      | 4  | 1 | 1 | 1  | 0 |
| Marier, 3       | 5  | 0 | 2 | 1  | 1 |
| Brunswick, rf   | 4  | 0 | 1 | 1  | 0 |
| Mayberry, lf    | 2  | 0 | 1 | 1  | 0 |
| Paul, lf        | 1  | 0 | 0 | 2  | 0 |
| Harkins, 1      | 3  | 0 | 0 | 3  | 0 |
| Camp, 1         | 2  | 0 | 1 | 4  | 1 |
| Carr, c         | 5  | 1 | 1 | 4  | 1 |
| Foster, p       | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 1 |
| Torgerson, p    | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 |
| *Stiles         | 1  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 |
| *Peterson       | 1  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 |
| Compton, p      | 1  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 1 |
|                 | 39 | 2 | 9 | 24 | 9 |

  

| Oregon (10) | AB | R  | H  | PO | A  |
|-------------|----|----|----|----|----|
| Kovenz, lf  | 3  | 1  | 0  | 2  | 0  |
| Zurcher, cf | 4  | 2  | 0  | 2  | 0  |
| Cohen, s    | 5  | 2  | 4  | 4  | 3  |
| Bartle, 1   | 4  | 2  | 2  | 6  | 1  |
| Kimball, 3  | 5  | 2  | 2  | 3  | 3  |
| xStrader, 3 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Dibble, rf  | 4  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 0  |
| Kirsch, 2   | 3  | 0  | 1  | 3  | 2  |
| Rose, c     | 4  | 0  | 0  | 5  | 0  |
| Mills, p    | 3  | 0  | 1  | 1  | 1  |
|             | 35 | 10 | 11 | 27 | 10 |

\*Grounded out for Foster in the fourth.

\*Struck out for Torgerson in the sixth.

xCourtesy fielder for Kimball in the second.

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Oregon ..... 304 030 00x—10 11 0

Summary: Errors — Coleman 2.

Runs batted in—Carroll, Mayberry, Cohen 2, Bartle, Kimball 2, Kirsch 3, Mills. Two-base hits — Cohen, Bartle, Dibble. Stolen bases — Kovenz, Zurcher, Kirsch. Sacrifice—Mills. Left on base— WSC 15, Oregon 8. Bases on balls—Foster 2, Torgerson 1, Compton 3, Mills 8.

Strikeouts—Foster 2, Compton 1.

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## Idaho Blows Big Lead, Beaten by Huskies 14-13

SEATTLE, April 19—(AP)—The University of Idaho Vandals blew a 13-3 lead after five and a half innings and lost a 14-13 decision to the University of Washington in a Northern Division baseball game yesterday.

The Huskies stole the game in the last of the ninth to tally the winning run. K. Chorlton was safe on a force play, stole second and third and came in on Gordy Swanson's single.

Idaho outlived the Huskies, 19-13, but was stopped cold by relief hurler Bud McCartney, a sophomore right hander, the last three innings.

The win gave the Huskies a clean sweep of the two-game series. They leave on a four-game Oregon invasion Thursday.

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Washington 102 005 231—14 13 1  
Karikberg, Beebe (6), D. Linck (6), Fodrea (8) and Graves; Soriano, Stephens (3), McCartney (6) and Kimmerle.

**IM Softball**  
Intramural softball play took a forced breather yesterday when Jupiter Pluvius turned on the showers to wash out the two scheduled games. A playoff date for the tilts, involving Vets Housing and Stan Ray, and Westminster and Hunter, will be set by Jim Vitti, head of the IM program.

### Scout in Oregon

PORTLAND, April 19—(AP)—Baseball talent scout Ernie Johnson of the Boston Red Sox is in town for a tour of Oregon college, semi-pro and high school diamonds on the hunt for prospects.

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## Major League Results

By Associated Press

Johnny Groth, flashy Detroit rookie, came through with two home runs to pace the Tigers 5-1 over Chicago. The White Sox were stopped cold by Hal Newhouser, who yielded only one safety.

Jack Graham, up from San Diego, clouted a triple as the St. Louis Browns battered Bob Feller and Cleveland 5-1. The other mound city team, the Cardinals, gave Cincinnati three unearned runs to lose 2-1.

Lou Brissie, sophomore southpaw pitcher, and shortstop Eddie Joost combined to pace Philadelphia's 3-2 win over the Red Sox. Joost's home run decided the tilt. In another 3-2 win, Tommy Henrich's four-master with two down in the ninth started the Yankees off right. Joe DiMaggio watched his mates trim Washington but he was in the stands.

National league champs from

Boston roared back to blast the Phillies 4-3 and 11-2 to gain revenge for yesterday's defeat.

Before a record opening day crowd, Brooklyn turned on the power to bury the Giants, 10-3. Larry Jansen served up three home run tosses and was the loser.

Two 40-year-olds, Rip Sewell and Dutch Leonard, wound up in a tight pitching duel with the former getting the win as Pittsburgh downed Chicago 2-1.

### Intramural Golf

Sigma Alpha Mu chalked up a convincing 9-3 win in intramural golf, downing the DU's. Hal Light and Ken Johnson split 1½ each. Itz Herenstein went past Al Stockstad 3-0 and brother Marv downed Lee Bamber 2½ to ½. Seymour Gassner won over Bill Schumaker 2-1. Marv Horenstein won medalist honors with 75.

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