Duck Cagers Prepare For Salt Lake Games

Webfoot Open Season Friday With Utah State

A two-night stand at Salt Lake City Friday and Saturday will give University of Oregon basketball fans an idea of just what the 1949-50 Webfoots "have got."

Meanwhile, Head Coach John Warren, ran his cagers through a rugged practice session Tuesday at McArthur Court. The practice was highlighted by a scrimmage against the Frosh basketeers.

The Ducks will probably hit the road Thursday, and arrive in Salt Lake City in plenty of time to work out the kinks before tackling Utah State Friday night in the opener.

The Ducks will follow up by meeting the University of Utah the following night.

The Utah games are the first in a series of 11 non-conference workouts for Oregon before they begin Northern Division play Jan. 6.

Webfoot hopes ride with the effectiveness of Mel Streeter, transfer from Los Angeles, and the ability of Bob Amacher to develop as a scoring threat. Forward Will Urban's work under the basket, and whether Paul Sowers, sharp-shooting guard, will be hitting are other factors which will contribute to Duck failure or success.

The home court openers for the Oregon quintet are slated for Dec. 9 and 10 when the Blue-and-Gold Athletic club is expected to give the Webfoots a lesson in basketball. The Blue-and-Gold club was formerly the Oakland Bittners, who are the defending National A.A.U. champions.

The Ducks will test the strength of the Southern Division Dec. 20 and 21 when they play host to Stanford, at McArthur Court.

Uni House, Ann Judson in WAA V-ball Finals

If unbeaten University House can extend their victory string to they will capture the 1949 intramural volleyball championship.

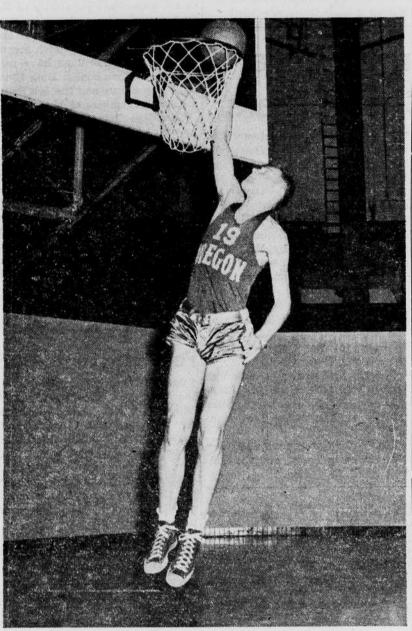
In yesterday's action a fighting team from Ann Judson House gained entrance into the finals by defeating Alpha Delta Pi, 39-18. Behind the steady play of Paeania Brown and Frances Hussey, the Judson team was ahead 23-7 at halftime.

Never relinquishing their lead, Ellie Matthews with 13 points was high scorer while Liz Dugan followed with 11. Outstanding on the ADPi team were Ann Butler and Norme Lamareaux who scored onethird of ADPi team points.

Monday's action saw University House defeat ADPi 33-20. Playing good game for the ADPi'were Jane Whipple and Ann Butler, while Mary Holman was outstanding for the co-op team.

SPORTS STAFF

Dave Taylor Phil Johnson Paul Thalhofer Sam Fidman Lorna Davis



BOB AMACHER, 6 foot 8 inch center of John Warren's basketball team, is slated to see a lot of offensive action this season filling in the hole in the Oregon quintet made by the loss of big Rog Wiley, Northern Division scoring champion last season. Amacher is a senior from Hillsboro.

Villanova Declines Offer To Play in Press Bowl

By United Press

Four more bowl game pairings were completed yesterday but the San Francisco Press Club was disappointed when Villanova turned down an invitation to play College of the Pacific in the Press Bowl at San Francisco on Jan. 2.

Villanova, which lost only to Tulsa and rated a prize post season include Ann Judson House today, catch, offered no reason for de- committee for the Phoenix Kiwanis clining the newly organized bowl Club which is sponsoring the third group's bid. In San Francisco, Leo salad bowl game, said that the only C. Lee, president of the press club, school had not yet signed a formal said his organization "definitely is

going forward" with plans despite Villanova's refusal.

The salad bowl committee, which had already lined up Arizona (Tempe) State, completed its program when Xavier University of Cincinnati, O., accepted a bid to meet the Arizona team at Phoenix on Jan. 2.

Bill Ladow, head of the selection (Please turn to page seven)



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The Daddy of 'em All

Phi Psi Takes on Chi Psi In Annual Beer Bowl Tilt

By PAUL THALHOFER

Four kegs of beer will be at stake Saturday afternoon when the two thirstiest elevens in the country the Chi Psis and Phi Psis, collide in the 16th annual playing of the Beer Bowl game—the 'daddy' of 'em all.

This traditional tussle, slated for 1:30 p.m. on the intramural field, was originated at Oregon in 1931 with the Phi Psis taking the initial contest 6-0.

Of the 15 games played to date, the Big Red from the White House has collected nine victories and 36 kegs to five and 20 for the Lodgemen-two tilts ended in scoreless deadlocks. In the last brawl, held in 1947, the Chi Psis emerged victorious by a 2-to-0 count.

After breezing to the intramural touch football championship, the Blue-and-Gold brigade will be heavily favored to win the annual tackle orgy again this

Reports from the Chi Psi training camp have it that a devastating new passing attack has been cooked up especially for the 11th | ner and moaned.

Avenue Boozer Boys.

Choo-Choo Charlie Rufner, Chi Psi grid boss, has kept mum about his team's chances for victory, but Lodge fans are anything but pessimistic as to the outcome of Saturday's "Battle for Brew."

The Phi Psi coaching staff reports the Big Red squad to be in only fair shape after a rugged schedule of beer-busts and par-

While passing the crying towel around, the Big Red head men all voiced the opinion that they couldn't possibly stop the Chi Psi's dazzling aerial attack and just hoped the score wouldn't be too big against them.

"Cool" Cal Smith, backfield coach stated, "We haven't got a chance but we'll be fightin' all the time."

Line mentor "Tiny" Tim Preston commented, "Even if'n we don't whup 'em, dem bums 'ull know day wuz in a game." Coach "Tearjerker" Thalhofer just sat in the cor-

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