

Ducks Travel to Aggieville

Alpha Tau Omega Runners Edge Lambda Chi Harriers

Alpha Tau Omega outran Lambda Chi, 36-23, in a closer-than-it-appears intramural track meet yesterday afternoon in the gymnasium's unfinished area.

The Tau crew took four first places, including the relay, to three for the Lambda Chis.

Exceptional performances were posted by ATO Don South who won the 40-yard dash in 4.7 seconds over a wet track, and Lambda Chi Crakes who neared the 19'10" broad jump record with a leap of 19'2".

40-yard Hurdles: (1) Wilkie, LC; (2) Crakes, LC; (3) Marvin, ATO 5.6

40-yard dash: (1) South, ATO; (2) Brainerd, ATO; (3) Thompson, LC 4.7

3/4-Mile: (1) Coleman, LC; (2) Bentley, ATO; (3) White, ATO 3:49

High Jump: (1) Cudahy, ATO; (2) (Tie) Hall, and Mathews, ATO 5'4"

Broad Jump: (1) Crakes, LC; (2) Brainerd, ATO; (3) Wilkie, LC 19'2"

Shot Put: (1) Tie between Shaw and Moshofsky, both ATO; (3) Smith LC.

Relay: ATO (South, Brainerd, McKay, Marvin) 16.5

Last Chance For Webfoots To Take Series

By JOHN BARTON
Emerald Sports Editor

Oregon's Ducks will head down the final stretch of 1950 basketball tonight when they take on the Oregon State Beavers in Corvallis.

And tomorrow night's battle in McArthur Court will be the season's finale.

To date, the Ducks have split with the Beavers, winning the contest in the Igloo, but dropping an earlier game in Gill Coliseum.

In an Oregon-OSC game, only the home floor has any bearing on the outcome. Records and statistics are usually tossed by the wayside before the game.

Coach John Warren, although nearly recovered from his spell with pneumonia, may not coach the Ducks, who have been under the coaching of Assistant Coach Don Kirsch for the past two weeks.

During Kirsch's period at the helm, the Ducks have won three and lost one, but all games have been played on the home court.

Sad At Corvallis

Earlier in the season at Corvallis, the Ducks looked like a different team than they have all year in McArthur Court. Their offense was stopped entirely by the OSC team and their shots were generally wide of the hoop.

On the other hand, the Beavers displayed the same symptoms of opposition—court fever when they lost to Oregon here on Feb. 10. In that game, of course, Beaver Dick Ballantyne was hurt in the early minutes of the game and did not play for the rest of the evening.

Since that time Ballantyne has been replaced by Forward Bob Payne as the leading Aggie scorer. Just who Slat Gill will start tonight and tomorrow night is anyone's guess. Last week he told an Emerald reporter that he likes the performance his sophomores have been turning in lately.

That statement by Gill indicates that several sophomore Plow-Jockies may see considerable action in the game, and may even start.

Ballantyne and Payne are figured to be sure starters, and Tommy Holman is also a possible. Glenn Kinney and Dick Orr are other possible starters. Jim Nau and Don Padgett will undoubtedly get off the bench before the final gun.

For Oregon, Kirsch is expected to start his regular quintet of Will Urban and Dale Warberg at forwards, Bob Amacher at center, and Jack Keller and Mel Krause at guards.

Ernie Baldini On Webfoot Huddle Today

The weekly "Webfoot Huddle Time" will be broadcast at 5:45 p.m., today over KOAC. Guest athlete for the show will be Ernie Baldini, Oregon basketball player. The hawk-eyed guard will have the word on tonight's game.

IM Playoffs

TUESDAY'S SCHEDULE
"B"

Court 40 4:00 Sammies vs Kappa Sigs

43 4:00 Omega vs Fijis

40 4:45 Phi Delts vs Sigma Nu

Chi Psi bye

Frosh Quint Readies for Pelican Fray

Coach Don Kirsch ushers his basketball charges down the home stretch this Saturday night as the Frosh meet Klamath Falls High school in their last hoop contest of the season.

The Ducklings are currently boasting a record of 17 wins against only 1 setback, which is the best history of any yearling quintet since 1936, when that crew posted 17 straight victories without a defeat.

Frosh center Chet Noe has his eye set on breaking the individual point record. He has rung up 202 counters in the fifteen games he has played, which is just 17 short of the mark of 219 set by Laddie Gale in 1936. His average for the fifteen games played is 13.4 points.

The Klamath Pelicans will come into town with a squad based on height, but not experience. Nine men on the traveling team are over the six-foot mark, the tallest soaring 6'5", but there is nary a letterman on the club.

Forward Tom Schubert, who stands 6'2 1/2, and guard Bill Tolle, a 5'9 1/2" lad, are the bug guns in the scoring department for the Pelicans. Center Dick Doege, who is just a fraction under the 6'5" mark, is the rebound specialist.

Coach Kirsch will probably start Curt Barclay and either Jim Livesay, Hank Bonnemann, or Ken Torgerson at the forwards, Chet Noe at center, and Bud Covey and Nick Schmer at the guards.

Game time is 6:15.

Pencil Pushers To (ugh) Strain

By TOM KING

The mighty muscle-men of Sigma Delta Chi, national journalism fraternity, will saunter forth to do battle with their Oregon State counterparts in the Corvallis flats today. They will battle over basketball, not typewriters.

Local SDX cagers agreed to a man to drop their Underwoods and ink blotters in order to deal a fearsome blow to their valley opponents.

Coach Mac Epley, who has a tactical mind, intends to halt OSC by use of some strategic skullduggery. Ergo, any member of the varsity basketball squad who would like to be rushed through an SDX initiation to become eligible for today's gigantic is urged to do so.

Demons All

The Oregon clan will face a formidable foe. Jim Barratt, editor of the Oregon State Barometer, formerly was an All-State sharpshooter. However, Coach Epley, with such court demons as Vic (20 point) Fryer, Stan (Gurgles) Turnbull, and Steve Loy, the poor man's George Mikan, expects his pineapple crew to make a "representative showing."

Members of Theta Sigma Phi, women's journalism fraternity, will attend the classic cagefest in order to cheer their handsome heroes on. Cheer-leader Barbara Heywood predicted the locals would "ride roughshod" over their adversaries.

The possibility loomed that Oregon might challenge Washington State if it won. The locals were pre-clash favorites as gametime neared.

Minturn, Phi Delts, And Omega Win As IM Play Nears End

By CLYDE FAHLMAN
MONDAY'S SCHEDULE
"A"

Court 40 4:00 Phi Delts vs Kappa Sigs

43 4:00 Minturn vs Sigma Nu

40 4:45 Nestor vs Chi Psi

43 4:45 Sigma Chi vs Betas

"Finale" was the word as ten hopped-up hoop quintets signed a signature to the end of the official IM cage schedules.

However, the best is yet to come next week when the single elimination tournament for the championship begins. Four "A" games will lead off the list on Monday.

Thursday's basketball skirmishes were very important in deciding individual crowns in both leagues. Minturn cinched top honors in league 1-A with a smashing 33-12 victory over the Delts.

The Phi Delts cinched a winner's spot with a 25-10 "B" victory over Beta Theta Pi.

Omega pinned down a championship in the "B" division on a 14-13 victory over SAE.

Sigma Chi tipped Sigma Phi Epsilon, 22-8, and Minturn defeated French, 32-18, in "unimportant" "B" loop tilts.

The Minturn cagers rose to all heights in their victory over the Delts. Previously, the Delts had spilled the dorm crew, but this time the Minturn crew couldn't miss.

They were hot from the start, rolling to a 18-6 halftime advantage. Emery Barnes, Minturn cen-

ter, took scoring honors with 13 points. Team mate Johansen had nine, and Wade Hanson had six for the losers.

The Phi Delts maintained their winning ways with a victory over the Betas. The Kincaid crew led 13-3 at halftime.

"Close all the way" best describes the Omega-SAE tiff. The dorm crew led, 6-4, at halftime, and 10-8 at the third-quarter mark. Only 20 seconds remained when SAE forward Pat Dignan hooked in a fielder to tie the score at 12-12, where it stood at the end of regular play.

Hobart's Shot Wins

With one minute left in the overtime, Omega forward Joe Hobart tossed in a two-pointer.

SAE guard Jim Hoags scored a free throw with 40 seconds left and this summarized the scoring for the game.

Hobart and Dignan topped the scoring with eight apiece.

Superior backboard play gave Sigma Chi their win in a combination of fast break and set-up plays. The winners held a 12-4 halftime advantage. Burly Bob Sanders had eight for Sigma Chi.

It was Minturn's night and the "B" team didn't deviate from the trend. The French crew, though finding the hoop with frequency, couldn't cope with the fast-moving Minturn five.

Jim Smith, with nine, and Bob Muirhead, with eight, paced the winning attack.

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