

Kramer, Mrs. Betz Net Wins

University and Eugene tennis fans—3,200 of them—last night saw the touring professional world championship net group perform in McArthur court.

The results were:

In the singles, Pauline Betz defeated Gussie Moran in one set, 7-5; Jack Kramer beat Pancho Segura in two sets, 6-4 and 7-5. In the mixed doubles, Kramer and Moran defeated Segura and Betz, 6-4, in one set.

Betz Brilliant

In the women's set, it was a case of Mrs. Betz with her consistent, workhorse performance, gradually overcoming the younger, hard serving, determined and classy Gussie Moran.

Kramer, with his complete control of the ball at nearly all times, pushed his way to victory over the hard-serving, vicious-returning little Segura, the "challenger."

Segura Sharp

Fans got their real show of color in the doubles set, when Kramer and Moran teamed to beat Segura and Betz.

Segura's showmanship ability and colorful clowning kept spectators wondering what the little Latin American would do next.

Miss Moran, by far the best-dressed player on the court, gave a tremendous exhibition of determined returning during the doubles.

The touring group arrived in Eugene from Portland yesterday, and returned there last night, on its way to an engagement in Tacoma tonight. They will appear in Seattle tomorrow night.



Frank Guisness, Washington stalwart, will be starting at forward for the first time in his hoop career tonight when the Huskies meet the Ducks at Seattle.

McMillan Refutes Layne's Contention

MOBILE, Ala. (AP, Courtesy of Station KUGN)—Alvin (Bo) McMillan said he is not surprised to hear that Quarterback Bobby Layne was critical of his methods of handling the Detroit Lions. McMillan, who recently resigned as coach of the Lions, added that several other players were critical, but he pointed out that some players have disagreed with him ever since he started coaching.

Concluded McMillan: "After all, we don't go out on the football field to make love."

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Irish Take Title: 'Flop of the Year'

SOUTH BEND (AP, Courtesy of Station KUGN)—The Notre Dame football team was voted the "Flop of the Year" in a poll of sports experts taken by the Associated Press.

The Irish Coach, Frank Leahy, and the president of the university—the Reverend John Cavanaugh—were asked for their reactions.

Here they are:

Says Leahy: "I'm sorry about the season and I'm sorry about that new title. We seem to be extremists—either very high or very low. We'll simply try hard to do better in the future."

Says Father Cavanaugh: "We don't feel at Notre Dame that our team was the flop of the year. Our team played to win and played the best it could. After that the score is not so important. One team always has to lose. We lost four games. The Rose Bowl Champion—Michigan—lost three. Would you consider then that Michigan should be ranked flop number two of the season?"

Fight Farce Studied

PORTLAND (AP, Courtesy of Station KUGN)—There may be an explanation tonight in Portland—reasons for Billy Smith's eight-round walkout the other night in a bout with Archie Moore of Toledo, Ohio.

Smith—a Negro fighter from Oakland, California—will appear before the City Boxing Commission and his report apparently will be for the record, since Smith explained earlier he quit because he had no "Battle Plan" and felt the situation hopeless.

Moore won a technical knockout. Smith has been suspended by the commission. Chairman Ray Smith said today he had advised the National Boxing Association of the suspension, and he added that he expected the suspension to be upheld in all other states except New York, which operates apart from the NBA.

The Portland commission will determine what's to be done with Smith's purse, amounting to about one-thousand dollars.

Wegner Leads Frosh Scoring With High Mark

Guard Kenny Wegner of Roosevelt High in Portland has scored 40 points in three games (a healthy 13.3 average) to take the scoring honors for Coach Don Kirsch's Oregon Duckling basketball squad.

Although Wegner scored only five points during the opener in which the Frosh seized a 49-44 decision over the Portland Frosh at Portland, he found the mark for five field goals and three free throws for thirteen points in the following contest, a 66-42 Oregon triumph over the Linfield Frosh.

Wegner received 15 free throw opportunities in the latest Frosh performance—a 66-55 win over the Oregon College of Education versatility—and he dropped 12 of them through the hoop, adding five field goals for an impressive 22 points.

Wegner is followed by Forward Bob Stout, who has just been declared scholastically ineligible for further competition. Stout has scored 24 points, including 14 in the opener at Portland.

Stout is closely trailed by another ineligible, Forward John Reynolds, another Portland boy, who has scored 23. Other leading scorers include Forward Ron Phillips (Roosevelt of Portland), 20; Barney Holland (Marshfield High), 18; Doug Rogers of Salem, 15; Ineligible Paul Poetsch (Roosevelt of Portland), 13; Bob Hawes (Bend), 9; and Don Siegmund (Eugene), 9.

The Ducklings have won 37 out of their last 42 games. All five losses were suffered at the hands of the Oregon State Rooks, the Yearlings' next opponent. Although a 40-34 Rook triumph last season ruined an undefeated record for Kirsch's charges, the Ducklings had formerly taken a decisive 66-41 win over that same Rook quintet, and they later added two vengeance victories, 44-43, and 62-45.

The Frosh now have a 12-game winning streak which has initiated with an amazing 81-19 massacre of Redmond High last season. The streak has seen other impressive victories; 68-54 over the Marshfield Pirates, 70-47 over Hillsboro, and 70-27 over a hapless Klamath Falls squad.

The Ducklings will meet the Oregon State Rooks at Corvallis next Friday and Saturday. The Rooks will return to Eugene for two more tilts—Friday and Saturday, January 19 and 20. The two squads will meet again on four different nights in February—twice at Corvallis and then twice again at Eugene.

Beaver Business:

PORTLAND (AP, Courtesy of Station KUGN)—General Manager Bill Mulligan of the Portland Beavers and Club President George W. Norgan will go to Victoria, British Columbia, today. They'll finish arranging a working agreement with the Victorian club of the Western International Baseball League.

Ducks at Seattle For ND Opener With Husky Squad

Oregon opens its 1951 Northern Division basketball season tonight against the University of Washington Huskies in huge Edmundson pavillion in Seattle.

The two squads will play again Saturday night.

Starters for Oregon will be Will Urban and Bob Peterson, who is now eligible for conference competition, at forwards. Center will be Jim Loscutoff, and guards will be steady Jack Keller and Mel Krause.

For Washington, starting forwards will be Frank Guisness, moved from a guard position on last year's Husky squad, and Doug McClary, 6-foot, seven-inch sophomore standout. Center will be Bob Houbregts, who also stands six feet, seven inches tall.

Soriano at Guard

Guards for Washington will be Louis Soriano and La Don Henson, who has been moved from a forward spot since last season.

The games this weekend will feature the fast break versus the fast break, which is a style of play new to either school, Oregon has used this type of basketball ever since Howard Hobson first hit Eugene, and former Husky Coach Hec Edmundson was famous for his emphasis on a race-horse game.

Under Art McClary, who retired from the Washington coaching staff at the close of last season, the Huskies used a slower, smoother type of ball, but present Coach William H. H. "Tippy" Dye has again introduced the fast break to Washington.

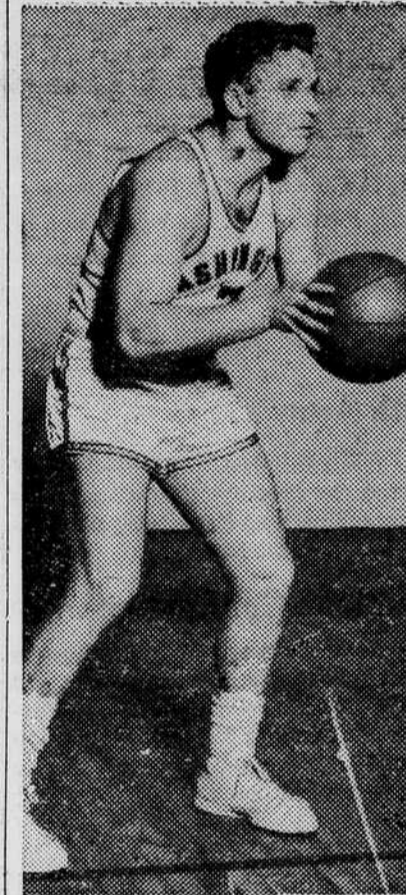
Duck Coach John Warren may alternate his charges frequently in an effort to wear the Huskies down. He has good reserve material for this use in Mel Streeter, Curt Barclay, Jim Vranizan, and Ken Hunt.

Washington Depth

Dye, of course, may use his depth of strength for the same purpose. Men like Keith Jefferson, Duane Enochs, Russ Parthemer and Jack Ward give the Purple and Gold mentor plenty of reserve strength. Also fairly untried as yet is the much talked of "Slippery" Joe Cipriano, sophomore guard.

After the Washington series, the Webfoots will next meet San Francisco university Friday, Jan. 12, in the San Francisco Cow Palace. The same floor will be the scene of the Duck-St. Mary's college battle the next night.

Oregon's first ND home game this season will be against Idaho on Jan. 19.



Husky Guard Louie Soriano—All Northern Division hoop artist.

Aiken Fortunes Drop

NEW YORK (AP, Courtesy of Station KUGN)—The fair-catch rule seems certain to be reinstated and some changes may be made in the unlimited substitution rule when the college football coaches convene at Dallas next week.

The fair-catch was eliminated in a rules change this year and by mid-season most of the coaches were screaming for reinstatement of the regulation. They said their safety men were taking a battering.

No really major change is expected in the unlimited substitution rule, which made possible the two platoon system, but some minor hitches may be taken in it.

WAA Meets, Plans

Women's Athletic Association President Bonnie Gienger called a meeting of all house athletic managers representing WAA organizations last night.

The managers discussed the winter term program, which will include competition in basketball, swimming, and bowling. Teams are scheduled to open practice next Monday.

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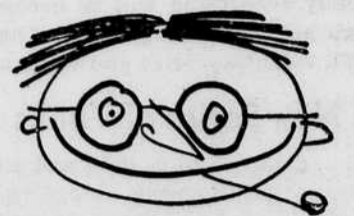
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