

Trackmen Nip Huskies; Relay Decides Result

By Ron Ricketts

A record-breaking performance in the mile relay staved off a late Washington rally and gave the University of Oregon track team a 69½ - 6½ victory in a Northern division dual meet at Hayward field Saturday.

The Huskies, behind 57½ - 32½ at the end of 10 events, swept both the discus and the 220-yard low hurdles and took first in the broad jump to narrow the Duck lead to three points with only the mile relay left. It looked as if Oregon's cause might be lost when Jack Hutchins, running the third leg of the relay for the Ducks, was passed and fell four yards behind the Huskies' Ken Morgan in the backstretch.

Anderson Comes Through

But the crowd came to its feet with a roar when Hutchins came out of the south turn, which is obscured by a grandstand, leading Morgan by four yards. Ted Anderson, Webfoot anchorman was challenged by Pete Dufour for the first 300 yards but Anderson met the test and broke the tape three yards ahead of his rival.

The time was 3:18.6, which is a new meet record, breaking the old mark of 3:19.7 set by Washington in 1937, and also a new Oregon record, topping the time of 3:20.6 set by Burr, Marr, Bowerman, and Holman in 1933.

Oregon's freshman Wayne Reiser made a major contribution to another record as he pressed Husky Denny Myer to a 9:26.8 in the two-mile run. This was a new meet record, surpassing the old standard of 9:34.4 set by Clarence Hill of Oregon in 1930. Reiser made a race of it for the first six laps but tired under the strain of the pace set by the more-experienced Myer and finished 40 yards back. Both Ray Packwood and Ed



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Robison broke their personal records as they finished one-two for the Ducks in the pole vault. Packwood vaulted 13 feet 6½ inches while Robison cleared the bar at 13 feet.

Fell Takes Point Honors

The high honors of the meet were Bill Fell of Oregon with 11½ points and Washington's George Widenfelt with 11 points. Fell grabbed firsts in the 100 and 220-yard dashes and ran a leg on the relay team while the versatile Widenfelt took firsts in the high jump and broad jump and nabbed a third in the javelin.

In the high jump Widenfelt and Emery Barnes had quite a contest. Widenfelt, an exponent of an unorthodox scissors style, finally edged Barnes, who uses the western roll, clearing the bar at 6 feet 3¾ inches on his second try.

Broad jumpers Tommy Edwards and Jack Smith tied at 21 feet 11¼ inches but the effort couldn't match Widenfelt's leap of 22 feet 6½ inches. On his second to last try, Edwards made a jump of well over 22 feet but a scratch nullified the distance.

The pro-Oregon crowd emitted a groan when the Ducks' Larry Blunt, who was running second

at the time, tripped over the second to last hurdle in the 220-yard lows. Blunt had previously finished second in the 120-yard high hurdles. The Huskies' Frank Morris, ex-Oregon prep hurdles champ at Medford high, won both events.

Hutchins Spurts for Win

Hutchins had to come from behind to win his 880-yard speciality. Boxed in on the race for the pole, he fell to fourth place in the first lap. He advanced to second place in front of the finish-line grandstand, started his finishing kick with 300 yards to go, passed Morgan in the backstretch, and won by three yards. Hutchins' time was 1:56.8.

Summary:

High jump—George Widenfelt (W); Barnes (O); Kerry (W). Height, 6 feet 3¾ inches.

Pole vault—Ray Packwood (O); Robison (O); Bale (W) and Man-nex (O), tied for third. Height, 13 feet 6½ inches.

Javelin—Chuck Missfeldt (O); Tulin (W); Widenfelt (W). Distance, 209 feet 6 inches.

Shot put—Chet Noe (O); Parsons (W); Craig (W). Distance, 46 feet 9¾ inches.

Mile run—Al Martin (O); Turner (O); Ryan (W). Time, 4:24.7.

440-yard dash—Ted Anderson (O); Dufour (W); Clement (O). Time, :49.5.

100-yard dash—Bill Fell (O); Hutchinson (W); Mock (O). Time, :10.0.

120-yard high hurdles — Frank Morris (W); Blunt (O); Risley (O). Time, :15.5.

Broad jump — George Widenfelt (W); Edwards (O) and Smith (O) tied for second. Distance, 22 feet 6½ inches.

Discus — Loran Perry (W); Langer (W); Parsons (W). Distance, 139 feet, 1 inch.

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Grid Drills Start Today; Cas Absent

Spring football practice begins today at Oregon, and the coaching staff requests that all men who plan to participate be dressed and ready for practice by 3:00 p.m.

Twenty sessions are allowed by the NCAA, and at Oregon the drills will be distributed over a period ending May 9.

Head Coach Len Casanova will not be present at the opening drill today.

Line Coach Gene Harlow said Sunday Casanova may return Wednesday with his family, or may wait until later in the week. He is resting in San Jose, Calif., following a back operation.

Golfers Down PU As Slate Opens

Sid Milligan's Oregon golfers experienced little trouble in their first meet of the season Saturday, as they garnered a 22-5 decision from the University of Portland team at the Eugene Country Club.

The Ducks hit their way to a 8½-1½ lead in the morning best-ball play, and won 12½-4½ in the afternoon Nassau-scored matches.

Pacing the match play was Duck Captain Ron Clark, who shot a three-under-par 69 with a 35 on the front nine and a 34 on the back nine.

Clark also was below par in the best-ball action, as he posted a 70 and combined with teammate Bud Cross to earn 2½ points from the combination of Portlanders Frey and Chuck Metcalfe.

Plagued by an erratic putter, Oregon's Bob Atkinson faded to a 76 in the afternoon round and lost all three points to Bruce Cudd. In the morning, Atkinson had paced the best-ball performers with a sizzling 69 effort.

Best Ball: Bob Atkinson-Al

Netmen Lose 9-0 In Opening Match

Oregon's varsity tennis team ran into trouble in Portland Saturday, being blanked 9-0 by the Multnomah and Irvington Clubs' netters at the Irvington Club courts.

In Saturday's match the Ducks were bested in all six singles matches and also in the three doubles events. In the number one singles match, Emery Neale defeated Tom MacDonald 8-6 and 6-4, and in second singles Jim Brink downed Jack Neer, 8-6 and 6-4. In the number one doubles match, Neale and Sam Lee topped MacDonald and Neer, 6-0 and 6-3.

However, Coach Bob Laurence was well satisfied with his charges, stating, "Even though we were defeated we performed better than expected against such outstanding competition. Each MAC player has either a Northwest or National ranking." The two teams were scheduled to play again Sunday.

Hurting the Oregon cause considerably was the loss of Paul Willey, who Friday was declared ineligible for play by the University until complete transfer records are obtained, and of freshman Bill Rose, who was not used due to scholastic difficulties.

Return matches are scheduled for April 19 and 20 at the University courts.

Other Scores:

Sam Lee defeated Don Neraas, 6-4, 6-2; Bill Babson defeated Ron Lowell, 6-4 and 6-3; Stan Anderson defeated Neil George, 6-4, 6-4; Elliott Brown defeated Bruce Dingler, 7-5, 6-3; Brink and Leonard Clark defeated Lowell and George, 8-6, 7-5; Claude Hockley and Dud Starr defeated Neraas and Dingler, 6-2, 6-3.

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