

PCC Meet May See Records Broken; Nine Squads Will Compete

By Paul Jones

One of the greatest mass assaults on Pacific Coast Conference records could take place when the nine squads battle for the 22nd annual championship at Hayward field on May 23 and 24.

Based on performances through May 10, five conference marks could either fall or be tied during the two-day competition. Additionally, eight Hayward field marks could be bettered if the field lives up to its past performances.

Sprint Records Threatened

Both sprint marks are in danger with Jack Smith of Oregon having turned in a 9.6 second century and UCLA's Rod Richards being clocked in 20.8 in the 220-yard dash. The best times of these two sprinters would tie the 100-yard mark for both the field and the league and the PCC mark in the 220 would be tied and the field mark smashed.

Stacey Cider's field mark of 1:54.2 in the 880-yard run has already been bettered by Washington's Ken Morgan, who has traveled the two laps in 1:53.6. Two other men, Oregon's Jack Hutch-

ins and California's Len Spurrier, have also been clocked in equal or better time this season.

NCAA High Hurdle Champ

Jack Davis of USC, the NCAA champion, can break his own 120-yard high hurdle mark of 14.4 for Hayward field and can lower both the PCC and field marks in the low hurdles if he continues his sensational work.

George Brown, UCLA's great broad jumper, has already out-distanced both the conference and field records by distances up to two feet. The agile Bruin has gone 26 feet 3 1/4 inches, the third best leap in the history of track, and that better the PCC record of 25 feet held by Jackie Robinson and the local record of 24 feet 4 1/8 inches now held by Frank Lloyd of Oregon.

In the weight events two Trojans, Parry O'Brien and Sim Iness, can shatter the shot and discus marks. Iness has already surpassed the world mark with his toss of 182 feet 5 inches. It may easily be a great day for record breaking on May 24.

Tennis Final Ends in Rain

The finals of the intramural tennis championships scheduled for Wednesday afternoon at 4 p.m. started as expected, but the play was not completed because of rain showers.

The match brought together Minturn hall and Tau Kappa Epsilon. In a match played Tuesday, the Tekes downed Sigma Chi, 3-0 to reach the finals.

Berremman Leading

The singles match was running true to form before the downpour halted the play as TKE's Jerry Berremman won the first set from Mel Streeter by a 6-2 count and was leading in the second set, 4-1.

Berremman has been unbeaten this year in IM tennis action, and he was favored to win over Minturn's first man.

In the number one doubles contest, the Minturn team of Louie Santos and John Kahananui took the first set from their opponents, Eldon Chowning and Bliss Stanley by a 6-3 score.

The men from mighty Minturn were trailing in the second set by a 2-1 count when the showers halted the play.

First Set Close

Jack Merritt and Jerry Bailey, the Tekes' second doubles team, had a hard time beating the Minturn number two outfit, Howard Ding and Milton Kotoshirodo, but they finally eked out a 7-5 victory. The rain started immediately after the first set had been played.

The match will be finished at a later date, but the exact time has not yet been determined.

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Webfoots on Final Lap; Face Oregon Staters Saturday

Coach Don Kirsch's Oregon baseball team opens its annual series with Oregon State next Saturday with its chances of winning the 1952 Northern Division pennant hinged on the outcome of the four game series. The Webfoots are one-half game behind the league-leading Beavers after a double loss to the Washington Huskies, Monday and Tuesday.

Ducks Have Split With OSC

The Beavers and the Ducks have met twice this season in non-conference affairs and each club won a game away from home. Southpaw Don White pitched OSC to a 4-1 win at Eugene and the Oregon batting power accounted for a 12-5 Webfoot victory at Corvallis.

Don Siegmund, ace left-hander of the shaky Oregon pitching staff, is expected to draw the hurling assignment for the opening game at Corvallis and any one of three Ducks may be assigned the starting role when the teams return to Eugene on Monday.

The series concludes with a pair

of games on May 23 and 24 at Corvallis and Eugene. Oregon needs at least two victories in the four games to maintain its hopes of capturing the championship.

Man On Base

In commenting on the Washington series, Coach Don Kirsch said, "The fact that we left 12 men on base in the first game at Seattle shows that a few more hits in the tight spots are needed. The same was true of the second game when only three of our eight runs were driven in."

Kirsch added that shaky pitching and fielding were dominant factors in the loss of the second game.

Two injuries hit the team during the trip. Catcher Ron Bottler had stitches taken in a spike wound on his right arm, but he will play in the OSC series. Pitcher Bill Bottler reinjured his throwing arm and will have X-rays taken to determine the extent of the damage.

The batting averages including the second game of the Washington series are as follows:

Player	AB	H	Pct.
Owens	2	1	.500
Phillips	23	10	.435
Bottler, B.	8	3	.375
Forbes	8	3	.375
Bottler, R.	36	13	.361
Ritchey	17	6	.353
Settecase	29	10	.345
Averill	47	16	.340
Livesay	33	11	.333
Sugura	53	16	.302
Schmer	39	10	.256
Shaw	44	11	.250
Siegmund	18	4	.222
Aune	5	1	.200
Nelson	51	10	.196
Johnson	1	0	.000
Mays	3	0	.000
Williams	8	0	.000

Golf and Tennis Squads to Inland Empire Playoffs

Oregon's golf and tennis teams left Eugene Wednesday for the Northern Division championships at Moscow and Pullman May 16 and 17.

The Webfoot golfers won the Northern Division dual match championship for the fourth straight year last Saturday with an easy win over Washington. The victory enabled the Ducks to stretch their conference winning streak to 11 since 1950.

Coach Sid Milligan will take a four-man team to Moscow for the medal play finals. Capt. Ron Clark, Ted Atkinson, Fred Mueller, and either Al Mundle or Don Kreiger will make up the Oregon entry.

Coach Robert Laurence's tennis squad met defeat for the first time last weekend when the Washington Huskies polished off the Ducks at Seattle to win the dual match championship for the 13th straight time. Washington was last defeated for the title in 1937 when Oregon won the title.

The Ducks may give the Huskies a tussle at Pullman in the finals, but it seems unlikely. Capt. Tom Macdonald, Jack Neer, Bill Rose and either Don Neraas or Neil George will make up the Oregon entry in the championship tournament.

Injuries Continue To Plague Webfoot Star Cindermen

Oregon's hopes for a victory in Saturday's Northern division track meet were decidedly dampened, Wednesday, with the announcement that number two quarter-miler Doug Clement has come down with the measles.

This wouldn't be so bad except that Ted Anderson, the number one 440-man, is also on the doubtful list. Coach Bowerman stated that if Anderson is not ready, there will be no one entered in the 440 at Seattle.

Pole vaulter Eddie Robison is definitely out. With several others on the doubtful list, the rest of the Duck thinclads will have to be at their best if Oregon is to win the ND championship.

Ray Hendrickson PCC Head Starter

Ray Hendrickson, veteran University high coach, has been named as head starter for the Pacific Coast Conference track and field championships at Hayward field on May 23 and 24.

The appointment of Hendrickson, who has been active as a starter in Northern Division and top prep meets for nearly a decade, was announced by Oregon's athletic director, Leo Harris.

Harris also announced that sale of student tickets for the meet would go on sale Monday, May 19, at the athletic ticket office in McArthur court. All college, high school and grade school students will be admitted for 60 cents.

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