

One-point Bucket Ruins Ducks; Beavers Win Season Inaugural

PORTLAND—When is a basket a basket? That's the question that junior transfer Ed Halberg of the University of Oregon and his head coach, Bill Borchert will mull over for a long time to come.

In the opening game of the 1952-53 basketball season at the Ice Arena, Halberg, a forward, hit with a final second shot which should have given Oregon a 64-63 win over the Oregon State college Beavers in a non-conference tilt. But officials, who along with the timekeeper, were unable to tell whether the bucket came before or after the final gun, ruled it one point and as a result the game went into overtime Monday.

Free throws by Reggie Halligan



BILL BORCHERT
'Question to Mull Over'

fore a sell-out crowd.

Oregon State jumped into an early lead in the opening minutes of the ball game and built up a 19-12 quarter edge over the Webfoots. Johnny Jarboe's rebounding and a couple of set shots by the same performer sparred the Corvallis five.

A pair of free throws by Barney Holland and his field goal; Kenny Wegner's three points and two charity tosses by Center Chet Noe put Oregon in the fore at the outset of the second quarter. The remainder of the first half was close, the Orange pulling into a 37-35 halftime lead.

OSC Mounts Lead

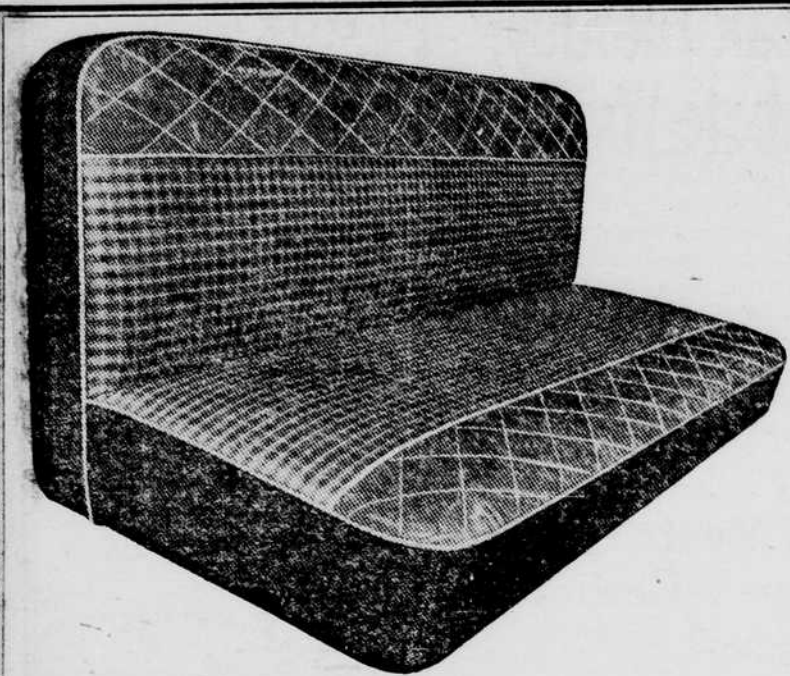
The Beavers increased the margin to three points after thirty minutes of action with a 50-47 count. Jack Rabbit Danny Johnston, Bud Shirlcliff and Bob Edwards kept the Aggie quint rolling.

Buckets by Bob Stoutt and Bob Hawes put the surging Ducks into a 60-56 edge with only four minutes remaining and the Webfoots immediately slackened the pace. After Halligan had hit with a pair of free throws with :14 left to put the Beavers ahead Halberg countered some thirteen or fourteen seconds later with the "winning" shot.

and Bill Toole shot the Orange into a two-point lead in the five-minute period. The Webfoots were never able to close the distance and the Beavers won the game, 72-63 be-

Oregon (68)		OSC (72)	
fg	ft	fg	ft
*Halberg, f	3 0	*Sgrue, f	3 4
Farnam, f	2 2	*Patsel, f	1 0
Noe, c	2 13	*Vistica, c	0 0
Hawes, g	3 0	*Jarboe, g	2 2
Wegner, g	2 3	*Johnstn, g	4 2
Stoutt, f	4 2	*Herman, f	2 2
Holland, g	3 3	*Edwards, c	5 0
Covey, g	2 0	*Toole, g	5 3
Page, g	1 1	*Robbins, g	0 0
Brunson, c	0 0	*Halligan, f	1 4
Poetsch, f	0 1	*Shirlcliff, g	4 1
Sgmund, f	0 0		

* Halberg's last second basket counted only 1 point.



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ATO, Phi Delts Win Volley Tilts

By Morton Harkins
Emerald Sportswriter

The hard spiking Alpha Tau Omega B team overcame the Phi Gamma Delta B's 15-6, 13-15 and 15-4 in a semi-final intramural volleyball clash Monday afternoon.

Phi Delta Theta overpowered a Counselor five in posting 15-3 and 15-2 wins.

ATO's Spikers Hot

In the first contest the ATO's led the entire way, although the Phi's were always a constant threat. In the second game, the Phi's, after getting off to a slow start, came from behind to post a close 15-13 win.

In the final the ATO's jumped to an early four point lead never to be headed as they posted a 15-4 win and the three game series. Heading the ATO's spiking list were Rodney Bell, Ron Chevrier and Mike Kilkenny. Thomas Lekas and Stephen Gornick starred for the losers.

The Phi Delts jumped to a five-point lead early in the contest and were never headed as the Counselors were able to strike the scoring column but three times. The second game went much the same way as the Phi Delts jumped to a seven-point lead before the Counselors scored.

Chief Aldes

Jim Gibson, Bob Wagner and Norman Kolb were the backbones of the Phi Delts win with Daryle Nelson, Don Hendrickson and Gene Lewis offering heavy support. Kenneth Ball displayed much of the Counselor fight.

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