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Berkeley Center Hikes Point Edge

LOS ANGELES — California's Golden Bears, who hold a convincing lead in the Southern Division of the Pacific Coast Conference, dominated virtually every department of the offensive and defensive statistics released today by the PCC Commissioner's office.

Leading the Cal attack is Center Bob McKeen who has bucketed 48 field goals and 21 free throws for 117 points and an average of 19.5 during his first six outings. He needs to increase that pace only slightly to crack the season scoring record of 238 points set in 1950 by Bill Sharman of Southern California.

Tomsic Second

Trailing McKeen in scoring are Ron Tomsic of Stanford with 17.8 average; Ken Flower, SC, 15.5, and John Ricksen, Cal, 14.2. Ricksen is the No. 1 marksman from the floor with 52.3 per cent on 34 field goals in 65 tries, topping such outstanding shooters as Mark Costello, UCLA, who has 51.6 per cent and McKeen, 50 per cent.

California has the best field goal percentage as a team, 40.2 per cent, and this figure undoubtedly has contributed to the Bears' success, for they have taken fewer shots than any other team yet have cashed in on more of them. Stanford has the best free throw mark, 73.4 per cent.

California leads in scoring with 69.5 points a game and has allowed the fewest points on defense, 65.0 per contest. UCLA has picked off the most rebounds, 257, and Southern Cal has committed the fewest fouls, 100.

Stanford Forward Tops

Tomsic leads the individuals from the charity line with 88.2 per cent on 30 points in 34 tries, followed by Bob Matheny, Cal, 87.1 per cent, and George Zaninovich, Stanford, 87.0 per cent. Don Bragg of UCLA is the No. 1 rebounder with 57. Next come Roy Irvin, Southern Cal, with 47 and Don Carlson, Stanford, 46.

Stanford is in Hawaii for a series of games this week while California, UCLA and Southern California are having semester exams and, as a result, are idle.

Table with columns: Total Scoring, FG, FT, TP. Lists players like McKeen, Tomsic, Flower, Ricksen, Bane, Simpson, Moore, Suzdaleff, Matheny, Zaninovich, Reilly, Ridgway, Albo, Irvin, Welsh, Bragg, Ricksen, Lawler, Costello, DeLong.

On Hot Seat



HOWIE ODELL Battles Cassill

Odell Fights Cassill Order To Vacate Job

SEATTLE (P)—The Post-Intelligencer said Tuesday night that Howie Odell, University of Washington head football coach whose dismissal has been recommended by Athletic Director Harvey Cassill, will fight to keep his job at a meeting of the UW regents here Saturday.

The P-I said Odell would probably appear before the regents, defend his coaching record and explain the "personal differences" with Cassill to which Odell referred when he originally announced he was going to be fired as head coach.

Odell was quoted by the Post-Intelligencer as saying:

"I still maintain the reasons for Cassill desiring to fire me are personal—nothing else."

Odell added that he did not know for certain whether he would be permitted to appear and state his case.

Theta Chi Sweeps IM Bowling Series

Intra-mural bowling Tuesday saw a Student Union record set as all five members of the Theta Chi team scored over 500. In doing so they overwhelmed the SAE's 4 to 0. Individual scorers for the Theta Chi's were Bruce Koppe (562), Leo Naapi (527), Don Krieger (522), Jim Hognson (518), and Dave Krieger (511).

In other matches, the Beta's downed the Sigma Chi's 3 to 1 and Lambda Chi split with Chi Psi 2 and 2.

Packey McFarland and Jack Britton fought a famous eight-round draw at Memphis in 1911.

Simmons Credits Mack for Greatness

MIAMI, Fla. (P)—Wednesday was really a lucky day for Al Simmons.

He was named to baseball's Hall of Fame and also had three straight winners at Hialeah.

The onetime slugger of the Philadelphia Athletics was informed of the news at the track. He refused to believe it at first, but then beamed at newsmen who flocked around him.

Simmons said he owed the honor to Connie Mack. He added, "I wouldn't be getting the honor if not for his kindness and ability to teach. The record book shows I was a good player so long as I was with him, but I slipped afterward."

Witness Says Spivey Shaved Point Spread

NEW YORK (P)—The perjury trial of seven-foot Kentucky basketball star Bill Spivey continued Wednesday in general sessions court. Spivey heard a former teammate, Jim Line, accuse him of accepting \$1,000 to fix the point spread in the Kentucky-St. Louis Sugar Bowl game Dec. 29, 1950.

Line's testimony was attacked by Spivey's attorney, John Young Brown. The lawyer accused Line of changing the testimony he had given a grand jury investigating the basketball scandal. According to Brown, Line told the grand jury that gambler Jack West had given him \$1,600 to divide with Spivey, Walter Hirsch and himself. But today Line said the amount was \$2,600. Line said he had kept \$800, given \$800 to Hirsch and given Spivey \$1,000.

Line told the jury today that Spivey had agreed before the 1950-51 season to help fix scores. Line also said he tried to get Spivey to make a confession after the scandal broke. Line said Spivey had told him the people of Kentucky believed him innocent and he would lose friends by changing his story.

Bowling Eliminations Started for NW Meet

Twenty-six men on campus started the 36 game elimination to get the top six men to represent Oregon in the Northwest regional tournament to be held here April 11.

At the end of the first round the top six were Norm Ruecker with 194 average, Don Hannu (190), Leo Naapi (182), Dick Graham (181), Don Allan (180), and George Troeh (171).

Phi Delt B's Blast Phi Psi in Murals

Sigma Alpha Epsilon squeaked by Alpha Tau Omega, 29-25, the Phi Delt's whipped the Phi Psis, 29-23, and the Fijis trounced Sigma Alpha Mu, 36-8 in intra-mural B basketball action Wednesday.

Paced by Don Holt, the Phi Delt's handed the Phi Psis a 29-23 setback. At the end of the first canto the score was 8-7. Holt then began hitting jump shots regularly and at the end of the half the Phi Delt's were leading 18 to 13.

The Phi Psis came back in the fourth period paced by Bob Baker, who sank eight points, but could not get through the Phi Delt defense. The final score, 29-23 in favor of the Phi Delt's.

Phi Delt's (29) (23) Phi Psis Marlett, 6 F 1, White Holt, 14 F 0, Dwyer Albright, 5 C 4, Frye Williams, 0 G 8, Haney Morse, 2 G 8, Baker Substitutes—Phi Delt's: Perry 1, Kolb 0, Laird 1, Archer 0. Substitutes—Phi Psis: Gas 2.

USF BOOMERANG

Rebounding Dons Rated Tough Foe; Webfoots Slate Light Drill Today

Oregon's basketball team took its last day of rest Wednesday and will take a light workout today in preparation for Friday night's game with the University of San Francisco.

Word from the bay area has it that the Ducks will be meeting a much improved team. A game that was taken as an easy breather earlier this season, may boomerang on the relaxed Webfoots. After losing their first seven encounters, USF has come to life to win their last five games.

Don Victims

The victims were Fresno State, San Jose State, Santa Clara, St. Mary's, and the powerful San Francisco Olympic Club. The ros-



BARNEY HOLLAND Hilltoppers Beware

PCC Standings

Table with columns: Division, Team, Points, Games. Includes Northern and Southern Divisions.

ter of the later includes such names as Frank Guiseness, all-American candidate from Washington last year, and Chuck Hangler, ex-California great.

The recovery of Keith Farnam's ailing back which kept him out of most of the second Idaho game is good news as the Salem forward is currently sporting the hottest shooting average of the squad. Farnam has plunked in 29 of 72 for a .403 mark. Ed Halberg is not far behind with a percentage of .385 on 67 out of 174 attempts.

Ken Wegner stayed in front of the pack on free throws with a .725 mark. Chet Noe has the most rebounds with 323. Noe also is the team's leading scorer with 242. In conference play he is second with 104, well ahead of the third place man Hartly Kruger who has potel 77. Top spot, of course, is Bob Houbregs' special property as the Washington hooker has a total of 176.

Table with columns: FG, FT, PF, TP. Lists players like Chet Noe, Ken Wegner, Ed Halberg, Barney Holland, Bob Hawes, Keith Farnam, Bob Stout, Hank Bonnemant, Howard Page, Wayne Johnson, Bud Covey, Alex Byler, All Others.

In unique relay race, 18 California mermaids swam one mile in 21:5 at Oakland, Calif. four years ago.

Aquaducks Set For AAU Event

Conditioning for Oregon's swimming team is being stressed this week as the team prepares for its first event, the state AAU meet on Feb. 2, coach John Borchardt stated Tuesday. Participants in the meet, which will be held in Portland, include all colleges, clubs and universities in this state.

Borchardt stated the condition of the team was "fair" and the swimmers would not train for their particular events until next week.

Oregon has a tough schedule for the coming year, Borchardt said, including participation in the Northern Division conference meet in the early part of March. On Feb. 27, the squad will compete against Washington, rated top team in the Northern Division this year. The following day, they will meet Western Washington College of Education at Bellingham and University of British Columbia at Vancouver.

Oregon entries for the state AAU meet include: Phil Lewis, Herb West, Yosh Terada, Henry Kaiura, Ray Atkinson, Orlando Mathias, Ken Cardwell, Harry Fuller, John English, Gordon Edwards and Jim Allan.

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SPORTS FARE

Thursday, January 22 3:50 Court 40 Hale Kane B vs. Chi Psi B 3:50 Court 43 French Hall B vs. Sherry Ross B 4:35 Court 40 Campbell Club B vs. Phi Kappa Alpha B 4:35 Court 43 Delta Tau Delta A vs. Tau Kappa Epsilon A 5:15 Court 40 Kappa Sigma A vs. Pi Kappa Phi A 5:15 Court 43 Sigma Alpha Epsilon A vs. Beta Theta Pi A

Fijis 36, Sammies 8 Gathering twelve points apiece, Fred Mueller and Al Hoogs led the Fijis to a lopsided 36-8 count over the hapless Sammie five. Both teams were extremely ragged, with the Fijis missing lay-ins on numerous occasions. The writing was on