

Beavers Beat Ducks

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Oregon ended its 1952-53 basketball season on a sour note Saturday night on the familiar maple of McArthur court, dropping the contest that could have given them sole possession of second place in the Northern Division and that could have given them a winning percentage for the whole season.

The defeat, coupled with the Idaho reversal put the Ducks in

FINAL ND STANDINGS

Washington	15	1	.938
OREGON	8	8	.500
Idaho	8	8	.500
Oregon State	6	12	.333
Washington State	3	13	.182

FRIDAY'S RESULTS
OREGON 74, at Oregon State, 75.
Washington 64, at Idaho, 64.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS
Oregon State 59, at Oregon 55.
Washington 61, at Idaho, 52.

a final tie with the Vandals for the runner-up position on the ND ladder. Both squads had 8 and 8 marks.

It also marked the end of the regular basketball season for the locals who ended up with an overall mark of 14 wins and a like number of losses.

Along with the aforementioned items, the Webfoots also lost their chance of having possession of the coveted Chancellor's cup, which goes to the winner of the best out of four Oregon-OSC games. A victory on the final night would have earned at least half a year's keeping of the trophy.

Record Breaking
About the only consolation of the night was the fact that it ended a season of offensive record breaking unequalled by any previous Duck outfit.

The season's point total established a new Oregon ND scoring mark; the team shooting average was also a top performance. Chet Noe, brilliant Oregon center, blasted marks in school and ND scoring books and tied and set two new division rebound records.

Ducks Ahead — at First
As for the game, Oregon started off, intent on chasing the Beavers home on the short end of a lopsided count. Oregon stayed ahead until four minutes remained in the third quarter, at which time Ted Romanoff tipped in a rebound to send the winners out front to stay.

The Webfoots threatened to regain the advantage in the last canto and, due mostly to the efforts of Noe, tied the ball game up two more times. But when the game boiled down to the wire, Tony Vlastelica, Ron Robins and Beaver crowd were ahead by four and nothing the Ducks could do could break up the effective OSC stall.

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OSC Stars Break Oregon's Back

Duck Bowlers Defeat Staters

University of Oregon's bowling team got some revenge over the OSC Beavers over the weekend, sweeping all four matches in a home and home series.

Oregon's six varsity men keglers, Leo Naapi, George Troeh, Jim Ekstrom, Don Hannu, Norm Roecker and Sam Sorenson, all turned in over 500 series in the Friday meet and Naapi lead the group with a high 601. His three sets were 191, 198, and 212.

Score of this match, rolled in Corvallis, was 2,799-2,450.

The next day, Coach Louis Bellissimo experimented with a squad consisting of only seniors and the Webfoot alleymen still won, 2,516-2,494. On this team were Champ Husted, Steve Cannon, Jerry Shaw, Dick Graham and Bruce Koppe. Only one of these fellows dropped below the 500 mark.

Hal Green turned in the top total for Oregon State with 202, 183 and 206 for a 591 series.

Oregon's gal bowlers fared equally well winning at Corvallis, 2,081-2,031, and at Eugene, 2,156-1818. Top series was rolled by Mary Brooks, who knocked down 469, high for women. Others on the traveling team were Jean Mangan, Jane Hande, Marilyn Jaehnke, Donna Donahue and Betty-Coe Ekstrom.

All of the Saturday's totals were in the 400's. Betty Ann Garner and Norma Munie were added to the team for the final round.

The men's varsity squad, in preparation for the Northwest Regionals tournament, April 10, will have a practice match with the Faculty All-Stars this Saturday.

Webfoots Drop First Tilt at Corvallis, 75-74

Gill Coliseum, Corvallis—Tony Vlastelica, who came off the OSC bench in the third quarter after sitting out the first half of the game with a back injury, broke the Oregon Ducks' back by connecting on a free throw in the final six minutes of the overtime period to earn his Orange and Black stripes a 75-74 edge in the first of two weekend games Friday night.

Little Ron Robins only five minutes earlier had pulled the game out of the fire for the Beavers with a 35-foot set shot that deadlocked the score with three seconds left in the regulation distance.

Oregon's Webfoots had previously fought an uphill battle after a slow start and had gone ahead by three points at one spot in the fourth period, 68-65, mostly on the strength of a whirling hook by Hank Bonnermann.

Vlastelica closed the gap with a retaliation hook shot, but Barney Holland came through with a free toss to separate the two quints by two points again. This set the stage for Robins' long, game-saving set shot.

Oregon drew first blood in the overtime period on a gifter by Farnam, but the pesky Robins dropped the Orecons behind by one with another long field goal.

Bill Tools made two free tosses for the Corvallis crew, and moments later Vlastelica added another one pointer. Oregon fought back to a tie with a slinger by Holland and Ed Halberg, and a long pusher by Bob Stout.

The Beavers gambled on a last moment shot at the basket and attempted to stall. Vlastelica drew a foul in the final six seconds, how-

END SECOND IN ND

Ducks Drop One, Win Two

Although Oregon lost to Washington university for the Northern Division swimming dual meet championship on Friday, the Ducks came back the next day to win two meets, one from Western Washington College of Education, 52-32, and the other from the University of British Columbia, 47-36.

At Seattle, Oregon took three firsts in its 59-25 loss. Two of these firsts were turned in by Gordon Edwards, 220 and 440 yard free

FINAL SWIMMING STANDINGS

	W	L	Pct.
Washington	3	0	1.000
OREGON	2	1	.667
Washington State	1	2	.333
Idaho	0	3	.000

style specialist. His time in the shorter distance was 2:17.1; and in the second, 4:57.7. Yosh Terada won the other first, 150 yard individual medley, in a clocking of 1:37.2. This is a new meet mark for Oregon and Washington.

At Vancouver against the Brit-

ish Columbia Thunderbirds, the Orecons, coached by John Borchardt, took every first except two. Individual winners were Jim Allen, Gordon Edwards, Harry Fuller and Herb West, 440 yard free style; Allen, 150 yard individual medley; and John English, 200 yard breast stroke.

Edwards won the 220 yard free style; Henry Kaiura, Orlando Mathias and Terada took the 300 yard medley; Phil Lewis was first in the 440 yard free style; Mathias won in the 50 yard sprints; and Terada was on top in the 200 yard backstroke.

The same day, at Bellingham, Washington, the Webfoots won every first against the Western Washington College of Education. Additional firsts went to Allan in the 100 yard free style; and to Harry Atkinson, diving.

Winners of the other events were the same except in the 400 yard

MURAL CHAMPS French Hall Defeats Phi Delts for Crown

French hall, sporting a non-tiring team of ex-prep stars, became the second frosh dorm in as many years to capture the A intramural basketball title. The French men jumped to an early lead over the runner-up Phi Delts last Friday and went on to win easily, 53-37.

The winners were slightly pressed in the third quarter when the margin closed to three points, but led by IM All-Star Lloyd Lewis and Harry Johnson, the younger team jumped back into a 40-34 command going into the last frame.

Ironmen Five

The starting French five, Ray Bell, Lewis, Johnson, Jerry Ross and Dick Pavlat lasted almost the entire route and could have kept up the pace for the whole game had they not been relieved when the game was in the bag.

After Al Mundle put the Phi Delts into a temporary 2-0 lead at the opening of the game, the French hall crew poured 12 straight points through the hoop. Lewis contributed five, and Ross countered seven in this sledge. At the termination of the period French was on top by a one-sided 16-6 count.

Ross and Bell were a two-man destruction duo for the winners in the next frame and before the Phi Delts could get set, the frosh had extended the margin to 16 points. When Ross wasn't driving through for lay-ups, Bell was con-

necting on howitzers from 40 feet out.

Subs Lead Phi Delts

Neal Marlett and Nick Schmer came into the contest for the losers midway through the quarter and succeeded in sparking their Phi Delt mates to a rally. Diminutive guard Schmer made three set shots in a like number of attempts and Marlett added a jumper and a lay-in, pulling the Phi Delts to within 12 at the half, 31-19.

As the last half opened it was the French team that was asleep at the switch and led by aforementioned Marlett the trallers retallated on three quick field goals. French picked up three points, but not before Phi Delta Theta had come up to within four counters.

It looked like the fraternity squad was going to repeat previous comeback performances when the score was closed to 35-32, but this time French revived and was never again threatened.

Ross made 19 points for the triumphant five, followed closely by Bell who picked up 14. Marlett led the Phi Delts with 11.

Phi Delts (37)	(53) French
Walbrigt, 2.....F.....14	Bell
Wagner, 2.....F.....7	Lewis
Livesay, 2.....C.....8	Johnson
Lewis, 1.....G.....19	Ross
Mundle, 4.....G.....6	Pavlat

Scoring subs: for Phi Delts—Hendrickson, 2; Holt, 4; Schmer, 9; and Marlett 11.

Freshmen Hoopsters Defeat Stars In High Scoring Prelim Contest

By Rodney Morrison

Oregon's Ducklings, paced by Gary McManus with 21 points coasted to an 84-65 decision over the intramural all-star team in the preliminary to the Oregon-Oregon State encounter Saturday night in McArthur court.

The Frosh held a 15-6 first period lead but the All-Stars narrowed the gap to three points, 30-27, at halftime. The All-Stars trailed 55 to 56 going into the final canto but the frosh paced by McManus and Don Porter dominated the final period.

Jerry Ross paced the All-Stars with 20 points. Loyd Lewis, Ross' team mate from the intramural champion team of French hall, accounted for 17 markers.

All-Stars (65)	(84) Frosh
Phillips, 9.....G.....11	Porter
Livesay, 5.....G.....8	Schlossstein
Bell, 1.....C.....21	McManus
Ross, 20.....F.....5	Hazel
Tom, 2.....F.....9	Richter

Scoring Substitutes: All-Stars—Lewis 17, Johnson 1, Mobley 2, Packwood 1, Schmer 5, Blodgett 2, Oregon Frosh—Anderson 8, Dorwin 6, Foster 5, Keller 2, James 6, Robinson 2, Wetherford 1.

OSC Rooks Tip Freshmen Five

A 35 point scoring effort on the part of Wade Halbrook was too much for Coach Don Kirsch's University of Oregon Frosh last Friday night at Corvallis, when the Ducklings bowed to the OSC Rooks, 58-55, in the prelim to the varsity clash.

From the opening whistle the game developed into a two man scoring dual between Halbrook and Duckling center Max Anderson. In the first half, the Oregon boy bested his much taller Aggie opponent, 14-12.

The game was close all the way and Oregon never gave up trying to get a second win off the Rooks in five starts. At the end of the first period OSC was ahead by only two, 16-14.

The winners added a solitary point to their edge and at the half led, 31-28. The third frame favored OSC, 47-45. During the final canto the Ducklings fought up even with the foes, and tied the contest four times.

Oregon (55)	(58) Rooks
Foster, 8.....F.....1	Wilson
Dorwin, 3.....F.....2	Paulus
Anderson, 25.....C.....35	Halbrook
James, 12.....G.....4	Moya
Keller, 4.....G.....4	Crimmins

Scoring subs—Oregon: Schlossstein, 1; McManus, 2; Rooks: Stolsig, 6; Carroll, 6.