

Duck Tracks

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Here's a note of interest to any tennis fans who might want to see a top notch match next week. The world's top tennis attractions, Jack Kramer, Frank Sedgman, Pancho Segura, and Ken McGregor will be in Corvallis next Tuesday night for their only Willamette valley stop.

The exhibitions will be held in Gill coliseum, starting at 8:00 p.m. Frank O'Gara, advance man for the show, was in Corvallis this week to make preparation for the event. According to the Philadelphia man, the Coliseum is "ideally constructed for indoor tennis." A canvas cover will be laid on the floor.

Three games are scheduled. First Segura and McGregor play in singles. Then Kramer, the professional ace, will meet amateur king, Sedgman. The last show will be a contest between the four experts.

Kramer has been recognized as the outstanding tennis player in the world, and is ahead of Sedgman in the nation-wide tour. On previous trips around the country, he has come out on top over Bobby Riggs and Pancho Gonzales.

Reserve tickets to the affair are still on sale, and any mail orders should be sent to Gill Coliseum 103, Corvallis. Price of the reserved ducats is \$2.40. General admission is \$1.80; and the matches will cost \$1.20 to OSC students and high schoolers. (This high price, incidently, is why the stars will not appear in Eugene this year. \$1.20 is an awful steep fee to pay to see the event, especially since the college folk can see the Globe Trotters for only 60 cents.)

Barnes Now a Papa

Emery Barnes, elongated end on Coach Len Casanova's spring grid squad, recently became the proud papa of a baby girl. Her name is Pamela Ann. The day she was born, Emery's football mates were kidding with the likeable end. As an answer to one of their questions, Emery jokingly replied, "No, I'm not passing around cigars; I'm passing around the hat."

It's interesting to note the batting averages of the last place Washington university Huskies in comparison to the percentages of Oregon's own Ducks. Coach Warren Tappin was lamenting the other day on the sad state of his hitters. Only three of them are above the .300 mark; Bill Stuht at .389, Sam Mitchell at .325, and John Garner at .308.

Well, this is two more than the first place Webfoots have in the .300 circle. Centerfielder Jim Livesay is the lone Duck regular to be batting above .300. Now how can you explain the difference between the Ducks' league status and the Huskies' conference record when the last place nine is hitting harder than Oregon?

One reason is the pitching. Oregon's Stan Dmochowsky is the stingiest pitcher in the Northern Division with earned runs. Another factor could be that the Ducks hit in the clutch. Another could be that the locals take advantage of the breaks while playing a tight defensive game themselves. We can't forget either, that the Oregon nine has won many of its games by a slim one point margin. Out of the first five contests that the Ducks played in the conference, they had to come from behind to win in four of them.

PCC Meet at Stanford

It's a little early to start worrying about the PCC track meet at Stanford, next weekend—what with the ND meet in Eugene tomorrow—but one thing seems pretty sure. The Southern California Trojans are just about sure of their thirteenth PCC championship in a row. They've got Parry O'Brien, new holder of the world's shot put record, Sim Iness, last year's coast discus champ, along with several other oval stars.



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Webfoots Must Win Twice This Weekend to Nab Title

By Bob Cole
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Entering the home stretch in Northern Division baseball play, Oregon's Webfoots hold a slim half game lead over Oregon State and need two wins in the final three games to cop the championship flag.

Rainy weather forced a postponement of last Monday's game in Corvallis, and the tilt will be made up in a doubleheader at Oregon State on Saturday.

First Game Friday

Friday afternoon the two clubs meet at Howe Field in the first of the three games left on the schedule. With the weather still threatening it is questionable whether the contest will be played or not.

Assuming the skies clear up a good pitchers duel is on tap as two of the top righthanders in the conference are scheduled to



BUD SHRITCLIFF, Beaver outfielder and captain.

open for their respective teams. For Oregon, sophomore Norm Forbes, sporting a 4-2 record in division play, will draw the assignment, and the Beavers are expected to retaliate with Bailey Brem, a veteran who has won 4 against a single loss.

Saturday afternoon the two clubs wind up regular season play, and decide the winner of this year's championship. Possessing the top earned run percentage in the league, Stan Dmochowsky, a right-

ND BASEBALL STANDINGS

| | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|--------------|---|---|------|-------|
| OREGON | 9 | 3 | .750 | |
| Oregon State | 9 | 3 | .727 | 1/2 |
| Idaho | 6 | 7 | .462 | 3 1/2 |
| WSC | 6 | 8 | .428 | 4 |
| Washington | 1 | 9 | .100 | 7 |

FRIDAY'S GAMES

Oregon State at OREGON.
Washington at WSC.

SATURDAY'S GAMES

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hander, is expected to open on the mound for the Webfoots in the first contest. "Dmoch" owns a 3-1 mark and his ERA is 2.08. His opposition will probably be Norb Wellman, second man on the OSC staff.

Hulls or Blodgett

The second game of the twin bill will be a seven inning affair and Coach Don Kirsch will probably call on lefthander Trent Hulls or Bill Blodgett. If the Fridal contest is rained out Forbes will get the nod along with Dmochowsky.

The sophomore studded Duck

team has relied heavily on its pitchers throughout the season, and at the present time only one batsman, Co-Captain Jim Livesay is hitting over the .300 mark. During practice Livesay was hit by a batted ball on the elbow, and although he will be ready for action he may not be up on his top performance.

Oregon State, on the contrary, has been finishing fast, and if their hitting is on they could be a real threat to the Webfoots' title hopes. Last Saturday they were held well in check by Forbes and went down 2 to 1 in a tight pitchers duel.

The weather may yet play an important part in deciding the division champion. Weather reports predict rain for all day Saturday and most of Friday. If all the contests are rained out the Webfoots earn the right to meet the Southern Division champ.



OREGON STATE catcher, veteran John Thomas.

U. of Washington Hosts ND Golf, Tennis Matches

SEATTLE, May 22 (Special)—University of Washington hosts two Northern Division meets this weekend in Seattle. The league's tennis squads meet on the UW courts Friday and Saturday, and the circuit's golfers get together on the Olympic Golf Club course on Saturday morning.

The home town Huskies are prohibitive favorites to win their 14th consecutive division tennis title. They already have wrapped up the conference dual meet crown in their usual undefeated style, and with the league's two top performers—Bill Quillian and Don Flye—on their side of the fence, figure to corral both the singles and doubles titles as well as the team count.

Oregon won the league's match play title for the fifth straight time this year, but the Ducks will have to reverse a trend if they are to win the medal play championship, too. In 1951 and 1952, the Huskies upset them in the annual tournament. With the meet scheduled for Seattle, Coach Bill Jefferson's golfers are given a good chance to do it again this year.

University of Oregon's entry in the golf tournament will be Neil George, Ron Lowell, Bob Baker, and Martin Magi. Coach Sid Miligan's Webfoot golf team will be composed of Captain Bob Atkinson, Don Krieger, All Mundle, and Fred Strebel.

Frosh Squad Ends Year With 8 for 9

University of Oregon's Frosh baseball team has just finished one of its best seasons on record, winning eight out of nine diamond engagements. The Ducklings' only loss was to the OSC Rooks, whom Oregon beat in three other games.

Keller Led Batsmen

Versatile Johnny Keller finished out an active year of freshman participation, after playing on the football and basketball squads, by capturing the batting crown. The infielder blasted out 12 hits in 32 trips to the plate for a .375 mark.

Close behind was Lloyd Lewis, outfielder and pitcher, with a .352 percentage on 12 safeties in 34 batting appearances. Ron Leland was the only other batter with 15 attempts at the plate to hit over the .300 mark. He collected five out of 15, for .333.

The leading runs-batted-in man for Coach John Londahl's nine was Jerry Ross, who pounded 10 runners across the plate.

Lewis High Winner

Although Lewis won the most games, he had the lowest won-lost percentage, because the other three winning hurlers went undefeated. He won three and lost one, for .750. Tied for the top pitching percentage were Duane Reeves and Dick Proctor, with double wins, and Max

Anderson with a single triumph to his credit.

Lewis gave up the most bases on balls, 16, and struck the most men out, 15. Second in the strike out column was Reeves, with 12.

The final averages:

| cBatter | AB | H | pct. | rbi. | |
|-------------|----|----|------|------|-------|
| Keller | 32 | 12 | .375 | 4 | |
| Lewis | 34 | 12 | .352 | 7 | |
| Leland | 15 | 5 | .333 | 5 | |
| Reeves | 14 | 4 | .285 | 2 | |
| Ross | 35 | 10 | .285 | 10 | |
| James | 32 | 8 | .250 | 5 | |
| Schlosstein | 37 | 9 | .243 | 4 | |
| Higdon | 14 | 3 | .214 | 1 | |
| Adams | 25 | 3 | .120 | 3 | |
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| Pitcher | BB | SO | W | L | Pct. |
| Reeves | 7 | 12 | 2 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Proctor | 4 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Anderson | 5 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Lewis | 16 | 15 | 3 | 1 | .750 |
| Dirwin | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| Everst | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | .000 |

Rain Threatens Baseball Game

Unless there is a drastic change in the weather today, it is quite likely that the baseball game between the Oregon State Beavers and the University of Oregon Webfoots will not be played as scheduled.

The weather report is as follows. Partly cloudy with widely scattered light showers all day.

Order of 'O' Picnic

The annual ordre of the "O" picnic will be held at 1:00 p.m. Sunday afternoon, May 24, at the Elks Country Club, Swimmers' Delight.