

# Ducks Slate 'Civil War' With OSC Hoopers

The top two basketball teams in the state of Oregon will face each other tonight, Friday, when the University of Oregon takes the maple boards to match baskets with Oregon State's powerful Beavers in an 8:00 o'clock fracas scheduled for Gill Colosseum in Corvallis.

This game will be the first between the Ducks and the Beavers in this year's 'Civil War' series and will be a very important tussle as far as Northern Division standings are concerned.

At the present time Oregon is leading the league with a five won and one lost record and Slat's Gill's courtsters are right on the Ducks' heels with a four and two mark. Whoever can come out on the long end of the score tonight and tomorrow evening, Saturday, when the two quintets clash at McArthur Court, will definitely gain

the upper hand in the pennant chase.

In a preliminary to the varsity tussle, Don Kirsch's Oregon Frosh hoopers will take on the Oregon State Rooks in a game beginning at 6:15 p. m.

Both the Webfoots and the Beavers showed lots of fire in their practice sessions this week and both outfits seem to be in top shape for the Friday night game.

Slat's Gill, who has been changing his line-up around so much lately that it is hard to tell just who will start, has tentatively said that he might open the first Oregon encounter with Tex Whiteman and Tony Vlastelica at the forward spots; Swede Halbrook at center; and Ron Robins and Jerry Crimins in the back court.

Of these only Crimins has not seen starting action before and it is quite possible that either Johnny Jarboe or Bill Toole will get the first line call before the bespectacled Crimins.

### Lots of Height

If Gill does decide to start Whiteman, Vlastelica, and Halbrook it will give the Orangemen tremendous height on the backboards. Whiteman and Vlastelica both stand slightly over six-foot, five-inches and of course Halbrook soars into the stratosphere clear up to seven-foot, three inches.

Against this invincible OSC five, Bill Borchert, Oregon mentor, has indicated that he plans to stick with the same starting players who handled their jobs so masterfully against the Washington Huskies last weekend.

Providing Borchert does this, the Ducks will have in their opening line-up: Jerry Ross and Ed Halberg in the forward slots; Max Anderson at the pivot; and Ken Wegner and Barney Holland at the guard posts.

From these named players it is quite obvious that the Beavers are going to have a definite height advantage over their opponents but it is also apparent that the Ducks will have much more speed on the floor than the Gillmen.

This should make for a very interesting game in which Oregon will probably be constantly trying to get the Beavers to run with them and the Corvallis hoopers trying just as hard to slow the Webfoots down to a walk.

On paper the two teams appear very evenly matched with most basketball experts rating Slat's Gill's team a slight favorite mainly because they are playing on their home court.

The Ducks will have added in-

centive to win against the Orange because nearly all of the Webfoot players well remember how the Beavers, playing as a tremendous underdog, scored four victories in five tries over them last season.

All in all this stacks up to be the beginning of one of the greatest Oregon-OSC basketball series in history of the cage game at the two schools. It has been quite a few years since the Ducks and Beavers have been in the running for the Northern Division championship at the same time and the rivalry ought to be terrific.



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## Oregon Hosts OSC Matmen

Oregon's wrestlers go into action again this Saturday when they meet the Oregon State matmen at 2:30 p. m. in McArthur Court. In a preliminary match the Oregon Frosh will meet the OSC Rooks at 10:00 Saturday morning.

This will be the first competition in wrestling between the two schools. OSC is a highly skilled team, but the Webfoots hope to come out on top.

Oregon State will be counting on Gary McClain, 123 lbs., Pacific Coast champ; Ben Shephard, 130 lb.; Orville Swindler, 137 lb.; Art Keith 147 lb.; Bill Tubbs, 157 lb.; Bill Geister, 167 lb.; Kirby Brunfield, 177 lb.; and Lew Williams, unlimited.

The Webfoots, who have been rapidly improving, will be 130 lb., Darrel Klampe; 137 lb., Bob Williams; 147 lb., Roland Wilson; 157 lb., Bob Shirley; 167 lb., Bob Reid; 177 lb., John Woyat or Walt Gaffney; and unlimited, Dick Barker.

Earlier in the day a preliminary match is scheduled between the Oregon Frosh and the OSC Rooks. Probable starters for the Frosh will be Don Lovett, 123; Dick Nice, 130; Neil Butler, 137; Dave Newland, 147; Jerry Jones, 157; Hal Bachen, 167; Steve Danchock, 177; Jerry Dixon, 191; and Ken Kelsey, unlimited.

## SAE Comeback Nips Phi Psi Five

In one of the most thrilling games of the year, Sigma Alpha Epsilon came from behind late in the game to edge past a previously undefeated Phi Kappa Psi five, 24-22, Thursday afternoon in I. M. basketball play.

A basket by Jim Tennyson with only a few seconds remaining in the tussle provided the winners with their victory margin. Previous to this time the Phi Psi team had been leading most of the way.

Tom Moss with 10 points and Tennyson with nine more were the leading pointmakers for the winners while Bob Hazel's six counters were the best Phi Psi had to offer.

In other Thursday games: Sigma Chi squeaked by Sigma Nu, 31-29, in an overtime period, Phi Kappa Sigma boomed past Kappa Sigma, 32-16, and Delta Upsilon downed Phi Delta Gamma, 27-26.

Sigma Chi had to go all out to win over an underdog but not undermanned Sigma Nu five in a game which very nearly rivaled the SAE-Phi Psi game for sheer thrills.

The contest was close all the way with a 16-16 tie prevailing at the end of the first half and a 27-27 deadlock on the scoreboard at the conclusion of regulation playing time. Forward Ron Phillips became the hero for the Sigs as

he pushed home two long shots in the overtime period to give his team the win. Phillips was also the high scorer for the fray with a total of 15 points. Charlie Soderburg took basket honors for the Sigma Nu's with 11 counters.

In still another close game, Delta Upsilon came out on top in a rip-roaring battle with Phi Gamma Delta. Despite the close final score, the DU's were ahead most of the way by a small margin. Bob Goodwin of the losing team was game high scorer with 12 points while Bill Norval's eight were tops for the DU's.

Phi Kappa Sigma marched to the only decisive win of the day when they doubled the Kappa Sigma score, 32-16. Gene Beck led the way for the Phi Kaps with 12 points but some nice rebounding by little Bob Hinman was what really turned the tide in favor of the winning quintet. Jack Murray and Dave Stringer dropped in seven apiece for Kappa Sigma.

### The box scores follow:

Phi Kappa Psi (22)	(24) Sigma Alpha Epsilon
Johnson, 4	F 1, Savage
Barnard, 5	F 9, Tennyson
Hazel, 6	C 10, Moss
Smith, 4	G 3, Krieger
Ball, 1	G 1, Brittain
Subs: Phi Psi: Thomas, 2.	SAE: Delaney.
Sigma Chi (31)	(29) Sigma Nu
Phillips, 15	F 2, Moran
Toliver, 1	F 5, Pavlat
Byler, 8	C 0, Cant
Hodges, 2	G 11, Soderburg
Ruhlman, 5	G 6, Ramon
Subs: Kappa Sigs: none. Phi Kappa Sigma: Mundle, 2.	Subs: Sigma Chi: Pollock. Sigma Nu: Hepner, 5.
Delta Upsilon, (27)	(26) Phi Delta Gamma
Norval, 8	F 4, Hoogs
Kent, 2	F 0, Miller
Blackledge, 7	C 5, Bowles
McConnell, 7	G 12, Goodwin
Wilkinson, 3	G 3, Zener
Subs: DU: Wadman, Fijis; Mathinson, 2.	Kappa Sigma (16)
Kappa Sigma (16)	(32) Phi Kappa Sigma
Bowles, 2	F 12, G. Beck
Best, 0	F 2, Nobriga
Murray, 7	C 4, Togg
Tucker, 0	G 6, Hinman
Stringer, 7	G 6, Beck

## Swimmers Ready For MAC Splash

The University of Oregon swimming team, with several weeks of training, splashing and conditioning behind them, face the powerful Multnomah Athletic Club swimming team in the men's pool Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

The Oregon team at the present time is fighting a cold plague which hit the team last week. Phil Lewis and Yogi Matsushima are still slightly under the weather but are expected to be ready for the Saturday meet.

An added event will be a century race between Harry Fuller, a swimmer from Evanston, Illinois, and Orlando Mathias.

According to Borchardt, "the meet will be close with the winning team ahead by no more than three or four points."

Swimming coach, John Borchardt, announced the following to swim in corresponding events although some changes may be made:

- 300 yd. Medley Relay — John English, Henry Kaiura, Jerry Froebe.
- 220 Freestyle — Harry Fuller, Yogi Matsushima.
- 60 yd. Freestyle — Orlando Mathias, Phil Lewis.
- 180 Individual Medley — Henry Kaiura, John English.
- Diving — Bill Gass, Roy Karr.
- 100 yd. Freestyle — Orlando Mathias, Harry Fuller.
- 220 yd. Backstroke — Henry Kaiura.
- 220 yd. Breaststroke — John English.
- 440 yd. Freestyle — Yogi Matsushima, Jerry Froebe.
- 400 yd. Relay — Harry Fuller, Phil Lewis, Jerry Froebe, Orlando Mathias.



MAX ANDERSON, Duck center, pictured above, will have his work cut out for him tonight at Corvallis when he tries to check OSC's Swede Halbrook.

## Hale Kane Wins Handball Match

Hale Kane rolled into the quarter finals of the intramural handball tournament Thursday afternoon by defeating Phi Kappa Psi by a 2-1 score.

The deciding factor in the match took place in the very first scheduled game when Coley of Hale Kane won by a forfeit. Later on Takano of Hale Kane bounced Gass of Phi Psi, 21-7 and 21-14 to sew up the contest for the winners.

Phi Psi scored their only point in the doubles clash as the Haney brothers, William and Robert, won out over Graboski and Oyama of Hale Kane.

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So all the ducks made big plans to fly away from their own muddy nest and have a bout with the beavers. One observant duck mentioned a few words of encouragement, "those beavers might have sharp teeth," he said, "but I hear that their broad tails sort of slow them down."

Another duck who was really in the know, commented, "Corn Valley might not be the most, but when it comes to a pond that's real gone, there's one on the way to Springfield called—

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