

Ducks Lose Two As Beavers Split

The Oregon State Beavers moved into first place in the Northern Division through the back door over the past weekend as they split a pair of tussles with the University of Washington Huskies.

The Beavers were allowed to gain supremacy by a badly faltering Oregon Duck quintet which went down to defeat twice at the hands of the Idaho Vandals at Moscow.

With only four games remaining

Northern Division Standings			
	W	L	Pct.
Oregon State	8	4	.667
OREGON	7	5	.583
Idaho	6	6	.500
Washington	4	6	.400
Washington State	3	7	.300

on their conference schedule the cagers of Slat's Gill now hold a full one game lead over the second place Webfoots.

The Ducks, who needed to win at least one from Chuck Finley's hoopers, were completely snowed under by a hard working Vandal crew which was bound and determined to redeem themselves for their two losses to Washington one week ago. After two swamplings of the Ducks the Idahoans are definitely on the upgrade again.

Idaho Starts Fast

In the Friday night encounter the Vandals took the lead from the very beginning and Bill Borchard's Webfoots were unable to threaten the aggressors the rest of the way as they went down to a 68-54 defeat. Usually a hot shooting team, the Ducks were far from warm in this one as they connected for only 14 buckets in the entire ball game. Max Anderson and Bob Stout were the leading scorers for the Oregons with 15 and 11 respectively. Half-time score favored the winners 31-24.

The Saturday night tussle was

more of the same thing as the Ducks were outclassed most of the way. After a close first quarter in which the Vandals only led by an 18-16 count the game began to take the same kind of tinge as the previous encounter and when the final buzzer sounded to end proceedings the Ducks were on the short end of a 79-65 score.

Although most of the Oregon players were having another poor night with their shooting eyes, one Duck gunner was tremendously torrid. Guard Howard "Lefty" Page managed to hit the hoop from just about every spot on the floor and wound up with 10 field goals in 13 attempts. Added to four free throws this gave Page a fat 24 point total, high for both teams.

If it hadn't been for Page's phenomenal scoring spree it is hard to tell just how bad the Vandals would have beaten the visiting Ducks.

Big Upset

At Corvallis, Washington made a terrific second game comeback to pull one of the biggest surprises of the season as they downed favored OSC, 51-47. The Beavers went into the game with three straight victories over Tippy Dye's quintet and only Friday night had completely smothered the Washingtons by a 70-47 score.

Big Night



HOWARD PAGE, left-handed Duck guard, had a hot night at Moscow Saturday evening as he bucketed 24 points.

Oregon Paddlers Fall To Cougars, Vandals

The University of Oregon swimming team lost all chances for a high finish in Northern Division competition this season as they were defeated twice last weekend on their invasion of the Inland Empire.

Friday afternoon John Borchard's tankers were completely outclassed by a surprisingly powerful Washington State team, 52-24.

On Saturday at Moscow the Webfoots had little better luck as they lost by a close 43-34 score.

Although as a team they didn't have much success Oregon did show some outstanding individual performances. Against Idaho, freestyler Orlando Mathias set a new meet record when he swam the 50 yard free-style event in the very fast time of :24.8 seconds. Mathias record was seven seconds better than the previous best in competition between the two schools.

The other bright light for the Webfoots was free-styler Harry Fuller who won both the 220 and 400 yard free-style races.

50-yard free-style — Mathias (O), Jones (I), Lewis (O). Time: :24.8. (new record).

150-yard individual medley — Kaura (O), Medley (I), Buckley (I). Time: 1:46.5.

300-yard medley relay — Won by Idaho (Bradbury, Light, and Lewis). Time: 4:05.

220-yard free-style — Fuller

(O), Holz (I), Froebe (O). Time: 2:26.5.

Diving — Bell (I), Richards (I), Gass (O).

100-yard free-style — Mathias (O), Jones (I), Lewis (O). Time: :56.

200-yard backstroke — Buckley (I), Kaura (O), Bradbury (I). Time: 2:34.7.

200-yard breaststroke — Medley (I), Light (I), English (O). Time: 2:51.9.

400-yard free-style — Fuller (O), Holz (I), Matsushima (O). Time: 5:25.1.

Grapplers Lose To OSC Matmen

The University of Oregon's varsity wrestling squad dropped its second consecutive match to the OSC matmen by a score of 32-0 in Gill Coliseum at Corvallis, Saturday afternoon.

The Beavers had previously trounced the Webfoots 28-6 in the match at Eugene. The Orange squad piled up points by gaining three falls, four decisions, and a forfeit. Jim Heston, Bill Geister, and Ben Shephard gained falls over John Woyat, Bob Rejd, and Darrel Klampe respectively. Art Orville decided Bob Shirley 8-1. Keith Swindler decided Bob Williams, and Don Shull decided Dick Barker.



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