

Ducks to Meet Pioneers In Second Game of Season

The University of Oregon baseball team, weather permitting, will play their second game of the 1954 season this afternoon, Tuesday, when they host the Lewis and Clark Pioneers in a 3 o'clock tussle at Howe field.

The Webfoots, who downed Oregon State last Thursday afternoon 5-3, were rained out of two weekend games which they were scheduled to play in Portland.

Monday afternoon the ball field was very muddy and it appeared rather obvious that it would take much sunshine Tuesday morning to dry it out enough for it to be ready for action by 3 o'clock.

Little is known of the strength of the Pioneers, whose only game this season was a 11-0 loss to OSC. Against the Beavers the Portlanders showed very little strength in either the field or at the plate. However, it was their season opener and the fact that they were facing the ace of the Oregon State mound staff, Norb Wellman, may have had much to do with the lopsided outcome of the fracas.

Coach Don Kirsch of the Ducks will probably stick with the same starting line-up that he used against the Beavers last week and if he does the starters will be: Neil Marlett, catcher; Dick Schlosstein, first base; Jimmy Johnson, second base; John Keller, shortstop; Pete Williams, third base; Bernie Averill, left field; George Shaw, center field; and Bob Wagner, right field.

On the pitching mound Kirsch will more than likely use his prize letterman right-hander, Norm Forbes. Forbes was the leading Duck hurler last year and was scheduled to start one of last weekend's games if they had been played.

Kirsch will no doubt do some extensive substituting in the Oregon games this week which number five in all. He has many good reserve players on hand and he wants to give everyone a chance to nail down a starting berth who deserves the opportunity.

After the Lewis and Clark tiff

Tankers, Matmen Awarded Letters

Announced at the ASUO meeting last Thursday evening were the letter winners for both wrestling and swimming for their just completed seasons.

Grapple coach Bill Hammer named eight men for varsity awards and assistant coach Bill Denman singled out 10 others for Duckling numerals. Those receiving varsity letters were Richard Barker, Darrell Klampe, Ronald Mount (mgr.), Robert Reid, Robert Shirley, Charles Williams, Roland Wilson, and John Woyat.

Frosh wrestlers awarded numerals were Neil Butler, Stephen Dancho, Gerald Dixon, Cecil Enman, John Hendrickson, Jerry Jones, Kenneth Kesey, Donald Lovett, Dave Newland, and Richard Nice.

Swimming mentor John Borchardt signalled out varsity awards for Harry Fuller, Jerry Froebe, Henry Kaiura, Orlando Mathias, Phillip Lewis, and Yogi Matsushima.

Duckling amphibians who were honored were Ronald Collins, David Earle, James England, Robert Hays, and Phillip Richter.

SWIM

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Wednesday, Thurs., Fri., Sat.

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Football Meeting

Football coach, Len Casanova, announced Monday that there would be a meeting of all those fellows who intend to turn out for varsity football this spring, Tuesday afternoon.

Casanova urged that all the players be present because it is planned that the spring practice program is to be discussed.

The meeting will be held at 3:45 p. m. in McArthur court.

Bevo Francis Tops In Small Colleges

The tall scoring wizard of Rio Grande College, Bevo Francis, says he probably will leave school at the end of the present semester. The reason is what he called a "financial situation."

Bevo says he may have to go to work because the bills have been piling up. He is married and the father of a 20 month-old son.

Francis has been the talk of basketball circles all over the United States with his phenomenal scoring averages. This past season he averaged something over 40 points per game to lead the small college pointmaking parade.

PCL Baseball Teams Slate Opening Games

By Associated Press

The Pacific Coast League opens its fifty-second season Tuesday with pennant-raising ceremonies and other opening day celebrations.

Backers are confident that the turnstiles will whirl at least a little faster than they did last year when less than two million fans were attracted to the circuit's parks. That was the worst showing in ten years. The league has taken several steps to improve this situation. It has lifted the ban on accepting optioned players from the major league clubs and on working agreements with the big leagues.

Two other attractions have been brought back which should add to the attendance record. There will be an all-star game this season and the post-season play-offs are back again.

For the first time in ever so long all the teams will make their official 1954 debuts in daylight. But Los Angeles and San Diego will do a night encore at the border city. Hollywood will entertain Portland, Sacramento will play host to Oakland, and Seattle will be the guest of San Francisco.

Following is a list of the probable opening day pitchers for the

eight league teams.

Portland (Glenn Elliot) at Hollywood (Mel Queen).

Los Angeles (Cal McLish and Joe Hatten) at San Diego (Eddie Erault and Cliff Fannin).

Oakland (Al Gettel) at Sacramento (Emil Patrick).

Seattle (Al Widmar) at San Francisco (Tony Ponce).

P. E. Club Meeting Scheduled Tuesday

There will be an important meeting of the P. E. club in room 101 of the Physical Education building at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday night with all members being urged to be present.

Much important business is to be discussed with the election of officers for the next school year being at the top of the evening's agenda.

SPORTS FARE

Tuesday, April 6, 1954

BASEBALL

3:00, Howe field, Oregon vs. Lewis and Clark.



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