

Duck Tracks

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If Oregon's track and field team keeps up its present pace it should have a wonderful opportunity to set some new dual meet records when it travels to Moscow this coming Saturday afternoon to tangle with the University of Idaho.

Duck runners should have a good chance of breaking records in the 880, mile run, two-mile run, high jump and javelin. And this is not even considering that Idaho might have some men capable of setting records also.

Doug Clement, the brilliant Webfoot half-miler, shouldn't have too much trouble in beating his own record time of 1:58.3 in the 880 which he set against the Vandals last year. Clement has already been clocked in 1:56.6 this season.

Mile Record in Danger

In the mile run the present record is 4:25.5 and the Ducks and Vandals both have men capable of beating this time. Emerson Clark of the Idahoans is one of the best four-lappers in the conference and only last Saturday turned in an excellent clocking of 4:19.1 against Oregon State. For the Ducks Bill Dellinger has already run a 4:25 flat and a 4:21.5 and is only a little off the pace of Clark.

The story is much the same for the two-mile where the current top mark has been 9:37.5. Wayne Reiser of the Ducks won last Saturday's race against WSC with a time of 9:33.4 and Dellinger was right behind him so it seems apparent that one of these boys will be a serious threat to the record this Saturday.

In the high jump both Bob Faucett and Emery Barnes of Oregon will be around the now standing record of 6'4" and either one of them could beat it with a good jump.

Higdon May Set Mark

Doyle Higdon, the Ducks' outstanding sophomore javelin thrower, will have a very good opportunity for setting a new standard for the javelin throw. At the present time the record between the two teams is held by Lou Robinson of Oregon at 201'6" which he set in 1947.

Higdon has been improving constantly this season and in last Saturday's meet he came up with an amazing throw of 205'8" which far outdistanced any Cougar efforts. Higdon, if he keeps improving like he has been, is likely to make Oregon forget all about the tremendous records set by Chuck Missfeldt a few years back.

None of these five records are out of reach of the Oregon athletes and if it is a good day in Moscow Saturday we have a feeling that many of them will be broken.

Fans Not Too Happy

Odd happening at last Saturday's Salem Senator-Oregon baseball game was the athletic department's handling of the ticket situation.

Many of the people who attended the Oregon-WSC track meet were interested in seeing the final innings of the Duck baseball game which was being played at the same time as the track meet. Most of them were quite provoked to find that they had to pay admittance to see the rest of the game even though there were only three innings remaining to be played when the track meet ended.

It seems a shame that people who have already paid one price of admission at the track meet should be forced to pay again at the baseball game, especially when the latter was almost finished anyway. We rather imagine that it was a mistake on the part of the ticket takers and we hope that ticket manager Ted Bouck will give the takers different instructions the next time that there is a baseball game and a track meet going on at the same time.

When they are forced to pay twice, many spectators get the idea that they are being taken advantage of. They are not nearly as likely to come back the next time with this attitude in mind. At any rate we would like to see some system worked out because the one last Saturday was certainly unfair to interested fans.

Speaking of the people who came over from the track meet to see the end of the baseball game, they were quite amazed to see the Oregon hitting power as they walked up to the admission gate. The Ducks were right in the middle of their big eight run inning and were parking base hits all over the ball park.



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Washington Goes Hit Happy To Walk Away From Ducks

The run-run University of Washington Huskies of a week ago made a fast switch yesterday, and quickly became the hit-hit Huskies, in their game with the Oregon Ducks at Howe field. Coach Bill Marx's boys garnered 16 hits, which coupled with the 12 walks that Duck pitchers gave up, accounted for the 18 runs that Washington totaled.

Don Kirsch's Webfoots had a tough time of it, as they were blanked until they scored two runs in the eighth inning. One came as a result of a single by George Shaw, Neil Marlett being hit by the pitcher, and Dick Schlosstein's double. The other run came on a fielders' choice, which Jimmy Johnson hit into, scoring Marlett.

Team	W	L	Pct.
OSC	6	0	1.000
Washington	5	2	.714
OREGON	3	3	.600
WSC	1	3	.167
Idaho	0	6	.000

Player	B	H	R	E
Washington (18)	6	3	0	0
Jarvis	4	1	0	0
Pressey	4	1	0	0
Halle	6	2	1	0
Watson	2	0	2	1
Russelli	4	2	3	0
Stat	1	1	2	0
Scott	2	0	3	1
Ballard	6	5	3	0
Hill	5	2	2	0
Eakin	2	0	2	0
Oregon (2)	38	16	18	1
Ross	5	1	0	0
Wagner	1	0	0	0
Shaw	3	1	1	1
Marlett	4	1	1	0
Schlosstein	4	2	0	1
Forbes	3	0	0	0
Averill	2	0	0	0
Williams	4	1	0	0
Keller	2	0	0	0
Lewis	1	0	0	0
Garner	1	0	0	0
Johnson	1	0	0	1
Phillips	1	0	0	0
Reeve	0	0	0	0
Blodgett	1	0	0	0
	33	6	2	3

Washington's big innings were the second and eighth when they scored five and six runs, respectively. Catcher Jack Ballard led the attack with five hits in six trips to the plate, including two home runs and a triple. He also got credit for eight runs batted in. Washington got three other home runs, one each by Lou Rosselli, Ron Halle, and winning pitcher Don Hill.

The only Oregon player who got more than one hit was first baseman Dick Schlosstein. He had a single and a double, and batted in

Oregon Keglers Take Fifth Place In NIT Tourney

The University of Oregon bowling team had to settle for fifth place in the second annual National Intercollegiate Telegraphic bowling championships sponsored by the National Association of college unions, announced SU director Dick Williams over the past weekend.

The Ducks, who won the title in 1953, had an off day this season and only scored 3,516 which placed them fifth in the meet.

Marquette university won the affair with a total score of 3,850 and the University of Washington took second spot with 3,595. Minnesota in third place and Iowa State in fourth were the other two teams to top the Webfoots of Lou Bellissimo.

Oregon had previously beaten Washington rather handily for the PCC title and this goes to show how much below par their game in the national actually was.

Marquette's keggers also captured the high team series score with a 1,037.44 pins better than second place Western Illinois State college. The winners also had the high individual series with an 808. High individual game went to Western Illinois with a 267.

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DICK SCHLOSSTEIN, Oregon first-baseman, will be at his post this afternoon when the Ducks take on the Washington Huskies in the second game of their two game series. Schlosstein got two hits in the Monday game.

one of the Duck runs in the eighth inning. Four Oregon hurlers saw action in the fray, with Norm Forbes taking the loss.

Webfoot right fielder, Bob Wagner, suffered possible chest injuries in a second inning collision with center fielder Jerry Ross. Both Ross and Wagner were going after a long fly ball in right center field by Washington's Jack Ballard, which went for a triple. Wagner, who played one more inning and

then complained of pains was taken to the hospital for x-rays. The second game of the series is scheduled for 3 p. m. today at Howe field.

Seattle U Divotmen Break Duck Streak

Seattle university handed the Oregon golf team its first defeat in dual match play since 1951, dropping them by a decisive 13-5 score. The loss suffered by the Ducks on their home course, the Eugene Country Club, broke their long string of victories at 27.

Don Krieger, who was medalist with an even par 72, was the only Oregon golfer to win his match. Other point-earners for the Ducks were Al Mundle firing a 73 to split his match for 1 1/2, Neil Dwyer also carding a 73 for 1, and Bob Takano taking 1/2.

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