

Ducks Meet Gonzaga After Idaho Victories

Oregon's red-hot basketball team goes after its sixth straight victory tonight in Spokane's Memorial auditorium when it clashes with the strong Gonzaga Bulldogs after sweeping a series with Idaho Friday and Saturday.

Coach Bill Borchers' Webfoots will face one of the top independent clubs in the Northwest in going against Gonzaga. Former Oregon player Hank Anderson has built a team around three-year letterman Jerry Vermillion which has won 10 games in 14 starts this season, including two from Portland university last weekend.

The Ducks' two wins over Idaho brought their record over the .500 mark for the first time this season. Currently in second place in the Northern Division, Oregon now has five wins to one loss in conference play and a season's mark of 7-6.

Both clubs will bring a record of high scoring and accurate shooting into the contest. The



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Bulldogs rolled up 86 and 95 points in their two wins over Portland Friday and Saturday, and have scored over 80 points five other times this season in rolling up a 79.4 offensive average for the season. Oregon shot nearly .500 from the field in the Idaho series and will also bring a fine defensive showing into the game.

Borchers is expected to start his usual quintet of Ray Bell and Max Anderson at forwards, Jim Loscutt at center, and Howard Page and Phil McHugh at guards. Loscutt was the leading scorer for the Ducks in their weekend wins while the play of McHugh also was a big factor.

Gonzaga's starting five will probably consist of Sophomores Bill Gray and Clark Irwin at guards, Junior Harry Watson at center, and Vermillion and Jerry Mitchell at forwards. The Ducks will have about a 3"-per-man height advantage over the Bulldogs, a big advantage in the all-important rebound department.

Oregon 82, Idaho 59

The Ducks had an easy time of it all the way Friday night as Idaho tried in vain to keep up with Oregon's hot pace in the 82-59 slaughter. The Webfoot five led at the half 34-23 and then really poured on the steam in the second period to notch an easy win over the Vandals.

Idaho Coach Harlan Hodges tried every defense in the book to stop the onrushing Oregon team led by the sharp-shooting of Phil McHugh, who dunked four field goals in each half of the game, his best performance of the season.

The Vandals started out using their famous do-nothing zone defense but switched to a man-to-man when McHugh and Howard Page began canning long shots over the heads of the Idaho defenders. Towards the end of the half Idaho tried to play ball-control but the Ducks' shooting kept them in the lead.

In the last half Hodges decided to run with the Ducks, but that didn't work either as the fast-breaking Webfoots ran up 48 points after the intermission. Everyone on the bench took part in the victory and only two out of the 12 Oregon cagers missed the scoring column.

Oregon had a shooting average of .475, its best of the season with 31 baskets in 65 tries. Idaho shot .363, good enough to win most games. The game was fairly rough by this season's ND standards, with 35 fouls on the two clubs. Webfoot Ray Bell and Idaho Forward Jay Buhler both fouled out.

Big Jim Loscutt was high point man for the Ducks with 19 points, followed by Max Anderson and McHugh with 16. Idaho's Harlan Melton was high for the game with 21 points.

Oregon (82)	FG	FT	PF	TP
M. Anderson, f	5	6	3	16
Bell, f	3	0	5	6
Loscutt, c	7	5	0	19
Page, g	4	0	3	8
McHugh, g	8	0	3	16
McManus, f	0	3	0	3
Ross, f	1	4	0	6
Werner, c	0	0	1	0
Bingham, f	2	0	1	4
R. Anderson, g	0	0	0	0
Nelson, g	0	2	0	2
Sherman, g	1	0	1	2
Totals	31	20	17	82

Idaho (59)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Melton, f	8	5	2	21
Buhler, f	5	2	5	12
Sather, c	2	6	3	10
Falash, g	0	4	4	4
Bauscher, g	4	2	4	10
Monson, f	1	0	0	2
Totals	20	19	18	59

Oregon 41, Idaho 40

Oregon completed its double victory over Idaho Saturday night by beating the Vandals at their own stall-'em-out game in a nip-and-tuck 41-40 decision that went right down to the final seconds.

The two teams played a hard-running, fast-shooting type of game for the first 10 minutes of the contest until Idaho decided to stall with the score tied 15-15. For nearly eight minutes Idaho held the ball, passing it back and forth without taking a shot. Then Melton hit a hook with 2:50 remaining and sunk a tip-in at the half time horn to give the Vandals a 19-15 lead.

For 10:30 of the half, only four shots had been taken, three by Idaho and one by Oregon. The action was about as hot as the blizzard outside the Idaho gym, but the crowd loved it as Idaho repeatedly took rebounds away from the bigger Ducks whenever either team did take a shot.

The second half was a complete reversal for the determined Ducks, however. Loscutt canned three quick baskets and the rest of the team helped out as the Ducks displayed an improved shooting eye to rack up 18 points to only six for Idaho in the first 15 minutes of the final period.

More action was packed into the final five minutes than in all the rest of the game as Idaho suddenly came to life. The score stood 35-27 for Oregon as both teams traded points for four minutes. Then Loscutt's tip-in gave the Ducks a 41-33 margin with a minute left and it looked like Oregon had it sewed up.

Idaho fought gamely, however, as two baskets narrowed the Oregon lead to four points. But Buhler missed three out of four free throws in that last minute and Melton's tip-in was all the Vandals could get before the final horn sounded.

Oregon (41)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Anderson, f	3	1	1	7
Bell, f	3	3	3	9
Loscutt, c-f	6	3	4	15
McHugh, g	2	2	2	6
Page, g	2	0	1	4
Ross, f	0	0	0	0
Totals	16	9	11	41

Idaho (40)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Melton, f	5	0	3	10
Buhler, f	4	8	2	16
Sather, c	2	2	0	8
Falash, g	2	4	2	8
Bauscher, g	0	0	1	0
Totals	13	14	8	40

Ducklings Lose To Westfir Club

Oregon's Ducklings fell short in a late drive as they took their first defeat of the season, 65-63, from the Westfir Athletic club Friday night in a road game.

J. D. Dye, a six-foot, six-inch forward who helped hold Oregon's scoring ace, Paul Tucharadt, down to 14 points, hit from the floor for seven field goals and canned 13 of 18 free throws for 27 points and top scoring honors.

Frosh Defeat Prep Matmen

Bill Hammer's freshman wrestling team handed the Roseburg high Indians their second straight defeat Saturday, as they grappled to a 27-5 win at McArthur court.

The only points for the Tribe came when the Ducklings forfeited in the 123-pound class. Oregon's Jack Cooke quickly made up for this, however, by pinning his man in 1:24 of the first period.

The match between Oregon's Jack O'Brien and his 137-pound opponent was the fastest of the meet. The two exchanged leads before McBrien came from behind in the last few seconds to score a reversal and win, 9-6.

Don Dexter of Oregon opened his 157-pound match by using a speedy one-arm drag to take his opponent down. He went on to win a decision, 7-3, in slower fashion.

Dick Lolcama took a 6-2 win in the 147-pound class for Oregon and Bob Drynan captured a close 2-0 decision in the 167-pound bracket, also for the Frosh.

George Krupicka of Oregon gained a fall over his man in 1:59 of the first period in a 177-pound test and Alvin Denham of the Frosh took just 59 seconds to pin his man in the unlimited class.

The Frosh jumped out in front and led 18-7 at the eight-minute mark. The early Oregon surge was spearheaded by Forward Bob Farris, who finished the assignment.

Dye and Guard Al Noland led the Westfir five to a 35-32 lead at halftime, and the home club kept well ahead for most of the second half. Finally Kirsch threw his boys into a full-court press, and on the firing of Wendy Rator, Wimp Hastings and Dave Wanaka, the Frosh nearly caught up with the taller Westfir club. Wanaka hit for three consecutive tallies in the drive.

Last hope for the Ducklings was extinguished in the final three seconds as Noland stole the ball from Tucharadt.

Farris' 18 was high for the Frosh. Tucharadt made his season's average an even 20 points per game with his 14, bringing his total to 60. Noland followed Dye for the victors, hitting for 13 points.

Next assignment for Don Kirsch's Ducklings will be the very tough Oregon State Rooks at McArthur court Friday night. The Rooks are led by towering Dave Gambee, who has been consistently tossing in better than twenty points a game.

Frosh (63)	(65) Westfir AC
Wanaka 11	F 27 Dye
Farris 18	F 2 Robinson
Tucharadt 14	C 10 Martin
Razor 4	G 13 Noland
Hastings 6	G 3 Anthony
Subs: Frosh—Swan, Delbon, Williams 1, Diddock 2, Ayre 5, Slick 2, Lindland. Westfir—Davies 6, Robeson 2, Walker 2.	
Halftime score: Westfir 35, Frosh 32.	

Bruins Defeat SC; Tie for Lead in SD

SOUTHERN DIVISION STANDINGS	W	L	Pct	PF	PA
UCLA	3	1	.750	293	267
Stanford	3	1	.750	270	271
USC	2	2	.500	275	267
California	0	4	.000	245	278

Pre-season favorite UCLA vaulted into a tie for the Southern Division leadership over the weekend with two victories over the USC Trojans, last year's PCC champions.

Meanwhile, Stanford's surprising Indians grabbed the other half of the league lead with twin wins over California.

UCLA handed the Trojans their first defeat in league play Friday night in a thrilling 70-67 game which saw the losers gain ten points on the Bruins in the last five minutes. Behind 66-53 with five minutes to go, USC rallied strongly, but time ran out.

The Saturday night game went to the Bruins 76-64 after a bitter fight which saw two Bruins and three Trojans foul out.

The Indians ran up a 38-20 halftime score Saturday night and then coasted to a 75-67 victory over the Bears. McKeen scored 23 points to set a new Southern Division scoring mark of 628 points in four years of varsity competition.

McKeen broke the record of 612 set by Hank Luisetta of Stanford in 1938.

IM Schedule

Monday	
Basketball	
3:50	Delta Tau Delta B vs. Phi Delta Theta B, court 40.
4:35	Sigma Alpha Epsilon vs. Phi Gamma Delta, court 43.
5:15	Phi Kappa Sigma B vs. Chi Psi B, court 40.
Handball	
4:00	Chi Psi vs. Delta Upsilon, courts 42, 44, 46.

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