

Trackmen Face Washington In Seattle Cinder Contest

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Oregon's track Webfoots, favored to repeat their Northern Division championships in both the dual schedule and final meet, were back up to near full strength today as Bill Bowerman's Ducks prepared to head for the University of Washington and their second ND test Saturday.

Bill Dellinger, Ben Lloyd and Gordon Dahlquist were back in school Thursday after overcoming flu seiges, but Bill Sorsby, jack-of-all cinder trades, remained in bed and Bowerman said that he probably will not run.

Sorsby had been scheduled to go in the low hurdles and his absence would tighten up the meet considerably.

Coach Stan Hiserman's Huskies are strong in the hurdles, with ND champ Bob Leadbetter and sophomores Dean Singer and

Ron Lund turning out good performances. A near-sweep of the high and low sticks plus a good performance in the pole vault, where school record holder Jim Hilton and Lund have been shining, could make the meet hinge on the outcome of the mile relay.

Oregon's Bruce Springbett will be looking for another day of double victories in the century and 220 dashes, but Leadbetter is expected to press him in the 220.

Husky Captain Gary Gayton will be out to attempt Jim Bailey and Doug Clement's hold on one-two honors in the half-mile. Gayton turned in a 1:55.6 last week, one-tenth of a second off his best 1954 time and the 880 should be one of the top races of the day.

Dellinger and Ken Reiser, Oregon's distance gold dust twins, are strong favorites in the mile and two-mile respectively. The graduation of last spring's PCC two-mile winner Denny Meyer has left a large hole in the Washington distance crew.

Hiserman's weights have been hurt by the graduation of ND shot put crown-wearer Duane Wardlow and by discus Champ Dean Parson's loss. Parsons played AAU basketball for the Buchan Bakers this year and lost his eligibility for track competition. Terry

Strom, Jerry Langer and Ed Sheron figure to be the Huskies' hopes against Ben Lloyd, Walt Badorek and Jack Moad.

Washington leads in total meet wins over Oregon, having won 22 to the Webfoots' 13.

Oregon's entrants in Saturday's meet follow:

100-yard dash: Bruce Springbett, Leroy Campbell and Hank Loumena.

220-yard dash: Springbett, Campbell and Loumena.

440-yard dash: Gordon Dahlquist, Arden Christensen and Dave Talbot.

880-yard run: Doug Clement and Jim Bailey.

120-yard high hurdles: Doug Basham.

220-yard low hurdles: Basham and Bill Sorsby.

Pole vault: Dave Newland, Bob Reid, Ken Hickenbottom and Russ Mannex. (Only three will compete.)

High jump: Martin Pedigo and Hickenbottom.

Broad jump: Don Sullivan, Mannex and Pedigo.

Shot put: Ben Lloyd and Jack Moad.

Discus: Walt Badorek and Lloyd.

Javelin: Ed Bingham and Mannex.

Mile relay: Dahlquist, Christensen, Campbell and Talbot or Loumena.

Weather permitting, Coach Clem Parberry's Vandals will be here for a pair Monday and Tuesday. The first-place Washington Huskies are scheduled for Howe field next Friday and Saturday, April 29-30.

Meanwhile Washington State will attempt to get in games against Oregon State today and Saturday. Neither the Beavers nor the Cougars have yet played a conference game.

Game Billed By Frosh Nine

Although a game is still tentatively scheduled with Albany's Bulldogs for tomorrow, Frosh baseball Coach Bob Basich had his doubts Thursday as he eyed a gooey Howe field and the rain clouds stacked over Eugene. The Duckling season was due to start at 3 today against Tongue Point naval station, but weather, as usual, forced cancellation.

If the steady drizzle that has plagued the Frosh all season lets up in time, Don Lane will probably go to the mound to face the Bulldogs, runners-up in the state tourney last year.

Game-time is slated for 2, with all Duck Preview high school seniors especially invited.

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JIM BAILEY
Half-mile Threat

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Friday

Softball

3:50 Lambda Chi Alpha vs. Pi Kappa Alpha, north field.
Tau Kappa Epsilon vs. Sigma Alpha Epsilon, south field.

Phi Kappa Sigma vs. Campbell club, upper field.

4:45 Chi Psi vs. Kappa Sigma, north field.

French hall vs. Hunter Hall, south field.

Nestor hall vs. Straub Frosh, upper field.

Tennis

Chi Psi vs. Cherney hall, courts 4, 5, 6.

Golf

Phi Kappa Psi vs. Phi Delta Theta, Oakway.

On December 6, 1907, 361 men were killed in a mine disaster at Monongah, West Virginia.

Webfoot Tennis Team Slates Huskies, Pilots

With a Thursday match against Willamette university called off, the Oregon varsity tennis team will face two of the best collegiate squads in the West today and Saturday on either the University courts or the indoor surface of McArthur court.

Led by three-time Northern Division singles champ Bill Quillian, the potent Washington Huskies move into town to meet the Ducks in the conference opener today. Saturday will find the tough Portland Pilots invading Eugene for a match.

Washington has dominated the

league's tennis scene for many years, having won the team match play and tournaments dating back to 1937, when Oregon and Oregon State broke through. Quillian, one of the top players nationally as well, has shared in the doubles title also for the past three years, with three different partners.

Portland features Jack Neer, who has been Quillian's chief rival for the past few years, and a group of experienced performers. The Pilots trounced Oregon in an earlier match in Portland. Incidentally, Ron Carlson of the Ducks played for Mike Tichy at Portland last year.

As usual, it will be Bob Baker, Ron Carlson, Dick Gray, Don Bonime and Dick Hamilton for Oregon with Jim Larpenteur acting as reserve. The UW match will begin in the morning, if indoors, with Duck Preview guests invited to both events.

Webfoot Bowlers In Title Running

Consistent performances by all team members paced Oregon's bowling team to a 3766 team total for four games Thursday night in the 40-team National Intercollegiate Telephonic Bowling tournament. Oregon State, rolling on the Student Union alleys with the Ducks, posted a 3364.

The Oregon score is expected to place very high nationally, but results will not be released for several days from the headquarters at the University of Washington.

Clouds Threaten Freshman Sports

Weather conditions made the running of the Oregon-Oregon State freshman track meet unlikely for Saturday, but the respective golf teams, plus Eugene high, may be able to compete today.

Weather Cancels Baseball Series

Continued rains forced cancellation of the scheduled Thursday doubleheader between Oregon and Washington State college and put off the Ducks' Northern Division opener until next Monday.

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