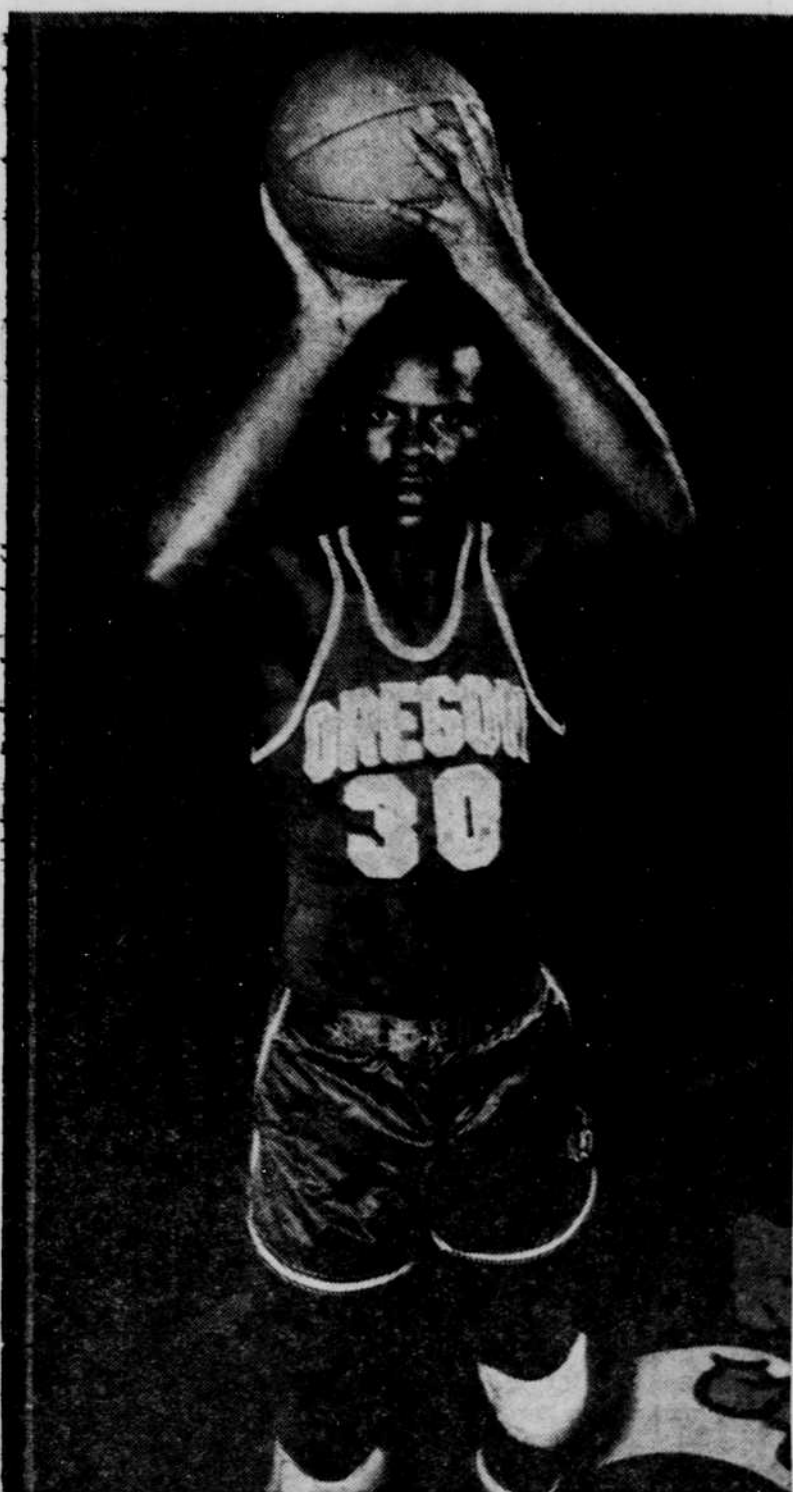


Duck Five Moves to Inland Empire



TWO POINTS separate Charlie Franklin from an Oregon Webfoot career scoring record against Pacific Coast Competition. He's tallied 563 points in three years of varsity action right behind record-holding Roger Wiley's 565 total made in 1947-49.

WITH A 12.7 AVERAGE

Freshman Guard Tops Team Stats

Guard Butch Kimpton and forward Denny Strickland have been the point-scoring pacemakers in the Oregon Frosh cagers' first seven games, according to figures released Wednesday.

Kimpton, an au-Stater from Klamath Falls, led the Ducklings in nearly every department. His 12.7 points-per-game average and .929 percentage of accuracy from the free throw line, based on 13 successful free tosses in 14 attempts, headed the lists in both departments.

Rangy forward Denny Strickland followed Kimpton with an 11.0 points-per-game average, and hooped 11 of 21 charity tosses for a .524 percentage in that department.

Forward Murray Newton was runner-up in the free toss race, hitting 11 of 13 gift chances for .846.

The actual leader in the free throw bracket was forward Paul Bauge, who netted both of his two attempts for a perfect 1.000, but saw only limited action in five games.

Center Bob Hunt had a 9.6 points-per-game average, while guards Sheldon Berg and Leon Hayes had 7.9 and 7.6 marks respectively.

Kimpton led the squad in total field goals made with 38, and his 89 total points were also high. Strickland tallied 33 fielders and 77 points, while

Hunt had 29 two-pointers and 67 total markers.

Hunt, center Ron Anderson and Newton shared the dubious distinction of the most personal fouls—13 each. Of the regulars, Berg was the most cautious. He had five.

Following are the results to date. They include the records of three players who are no longer with the squad, Walt Baranski, Joe McKnight, and Gene Costi.

The Duckling's seven-game statistics:

	fg	ft	pf	tp	Ave.
Kimpton, g	38	13	6	89	12.7
Strickland, f	33	11	11	77	11.0
Hunt, c	29	9	13	67	9.6
Berg, g	22	11	5	55	7.9
Hayes, g	24	5	7	53	7.6
Hindman, f	20	7	10	47	6.7
Anderson, c	18	2	13	38	6.3
Luhns, g	10	4	3	24	3.4
Newton, f	6	11	13	23	3.3
Costi, g	8	1	4	17	3.4
Mattson, f	5	2	4	12	2.4
Baranski, f	4	2	4	10	3.3
Bauge, f	3	2	1	8	1.6
Hartstrom, f	3	2	1	8	1.6
McKnight, g	1	0	0	2	2.0
Ore. totals	227	82	98	536	76.6
Opp. totals	153	87	109	393	57.6

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Vandals, Cougars Oppose Webfoots In PCC Toughies

A 12-man Oregon basketball traveling squad left by train Wednesday night for the Inland Empire where they meet Washington State and Idaho in two Pacific Coast Conference clashes this Friday and Saturday nights.

Making the trip with coach Steve Belko are forwards Charlie Franklin, Dale Herron, Stu Robertson, George Padovan and Henry Ronquillo; centers Hal Duffy and Paul Tucharadt; and guards Chuck Rask, Bud Kuykendall, Jerry Anderson, Wimp Hastings and Otis Davis.

The Webfoots will arrive in Pullman, Wash. today and have slated a practice session there this afternoon.

Cougar Clash First

The Ducks will meet the Cougars Friday night at Pullman; then travel across the border to meet Idaho at Moscow Saturday night.

Steve Belko has been drilling his hoopers against a zone defense which both Washington State and Idaho use on occasion. The Webfoots also have been working on a zone of their own.

"We're in pretty good shape physically," Belko said Wednesday. "We've been working to improve both our offense and our defense."

WSC Has Height

Belko's not taking either of the two opponents lightly. "Washington State has a tall ball club this year. Consequently, they'll be pretty tough."

Belko has special concern for Washington State's high-scoring guard Jim "Peanuts" Ross. "He's quite fast," the Webfoot coach said of the diminutive 5-7 junior. Ross tops the WSC scorers with 179 points for an 11.2 average.

Probable starters for Jack Freil's Cougars will be Dick Axelson and Bill Galbraith at forwards; John Maras at center; and Ross and Mert Kennedy at guards.

The surprising fortunes of Idaho's basketball team can be explained in four words—"Gary Simmons" and "Harlan Hodges." "Idaho has a real good ball club," Belko said Wednesday. He listed the heights of some of the Vandals—6-8, 6-4, 6-6, 6-3 and 6-1—that may form the starting lineup.

Vandals Hold Four Wins

Hodges has turned the Idaho hoopers into a winning outfit since taking the reins four years ago. This season the Vandals have won four of their first six conference starts and are improving with time.

Hodges pride and joy is of course Simmons, the 5-11 senior guard, who came back from an injured junior year to pace Idaho basketball to its best season in at least 10 years.

Simmons currently paces PCC scorers with more than 22 points per game and will be a prime target of the UO defenses.

Same Starters Expected

Belko will probably use the same starting lineup in the northern series with Franklin and Herron starting at forwards, Duffy at center, Rask and Kuykendall at guards.

Franklin is a sure bet to eclipse the all-time University record for most points scored against PCC competition during his career. The 6-3 senior has scored 563 in three years, two shy of Roger Wiley's record in the 1947-49 seasons.



RESERVE CENTER Paul Tucharadt goes up on a jump shot in Oregon hoop drill sessions Wednesday afternoon. Under the basket waiting for the rebound is starting center Hal Duffy. The Ducks left Wednesday night for their northern clashes against Washington State and Idaho this Friday and Saturday nights.

Simmons Retains PCC Point Lead

LOS ANGELES—Gary Simmons of Idaho, Oregon State's Dave Gambee and Washington's Doug Smart are the top three offensive threats in Pacific Coast Conference basketball, figures from the PCC Commissioner's office showed. Included are all games through Monday, January 20.

Simmons leads in scoring. Smart in field goal percentage and Gambee in rebounds. Of the three Gambee has shown the best overall balance, ranking no worse than fourth in any of the four departments — scoring (3rd), field goals (3rd), free throws (4th), and rebounds (1st).

Simmons has averaged 22.7 points per game in his first six outings, having scored 48 field goals and 40 free throws for 136 total points. Smart has averaged 20.4 points and Gambee, 17. Ken Nanson, Oregon State has averaged 15.8 and Charlie Franklin, Oregon, 15.3.

Smart has scored on 40 of his 88 field goal attempts for 45.5% and a narrow lead over Conrad Burke, UCLA, who has shot 45.3%. Hal Damiano, Idaho, and Gambee have 43.6% and Lee Harman, Oregon State, 42.3%.

Gambee has the top rebounding mark of 19.2%, having snared 51 of 266 total opportunities. Smart is rebounding 15.9%; Hal Duffy, Oregon 14.2%; Franklin 12.3%, and John Maras, Washington State, 11.4%.

Don McIntosh of California has been the best performer at the free throw line with 22 points in 26 attempts for 84.6%. Paul Neumann, Stan-

ford, has shot 80.8%; Simmons and Gambee 80%, and Nanson 79.2%. Oregon guard Chuck Rask is sixth with 78.9%.

Other leading scorers include Jim Pugh, Southern California, with a 12.9 point game average; Dick Axelson, WSC, 12.3; Walt Torrence, UCLA, 12; Monte Gonzales, USC, 11.9, and John Arrillaga, Stanford; Al Buch, California; Duffy and Waylen Coleman, Idaho, all 11.8.

Oregon State is the best shooting and rebounding team in the 1958 Pacific Coast Conference basketball race while Idaho leads in total scoring, according to PCC team statistics.

Idaho has scored 163 field goals and 107 free throws for 433 total points in its first six games and an average of 72.2 points per contest. Southern California has averaged 67.7 and UCLA 65.7, according to the figures which are complete through games of January 20.

Oregon State has the top field goal percentage of 39.9% on 83 field goals in 208 attempts, the best free throw percentage, 71% (76 out of 107), and leads in rebounding with 56.8%, having snared 151 rebounds to opponents 115. Oregon ranks fourth in rebounds with 52%.

Idaho is shooting 37.1% and Washington State 35.3% from the field. Ranked behind the Beavers in free throws are California, 70.6%, and UCLA, 69.5%. Other top rebounding teams include Idaho and California, both 52.7%.

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