

79-54 and 70-49

Indians Rout Ducks Twice

"We really missed the big guy," said basketball coach Steve Belko Sunday after returning to Eugene from a disastrous weekend trip to Palo Alto, Calif.

He was referring to Oregon center Wally Knecht, injured late last Wednesday afternoon and unable to play Friday and Saturday against the Stanford Indians.

HE WASN'T kidding either.

With his 6-foot-6 pivotman at home listening to the game on the radio, Belko's Ducks took it on the chin twice—79-54 Friday night and 70-49 Saturday.

And it was Stanford's talented sophomore center, 6-foot-8 Tom Dose—the man Knecht would have been assigned to stop—who led the Stanford scoring and rebounding assault both nights.

Dose scored 52 points in the two games, and the Ducks grabbed 15 less rebounds than their taller foes.

STANFORD'S front line had two players who stand 6-foot-8 and another 6-foot-4. Oregon's Bill Simmons, Charlie Warren

and Jim Johnson are 6-foot-4 each. Without a doubt, the height advantage had something to do with the easy wins for the Indians.

But lack of height wasn't all that troubled the Webfoots. They were the victims of their own mistakes, losing the ball 55 times in the two games, due to faulty ball handling.

"We made lots of mistakes the first night," said Belko. "We didn't play a very good ball game. But Saturday, I was proud of the way they played the first half. They just ran away from us in the last 10 minutes of the game that night," he said.

OREGON meets Idaho at Moscow this weekend. Will the Ducks have a chance?

It depends. Belko expects to receive a report of Knecht's progress toward recovery of a sprained ankle this afternoon.

And besides Idaho is no Stanford, talent-wise.

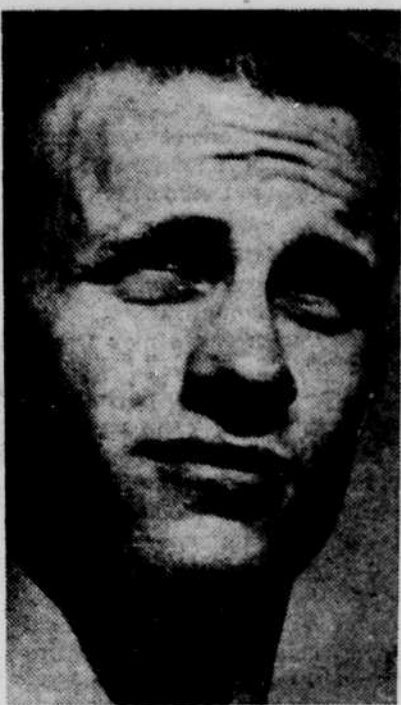
Coach Belko rates Stanford along with Oregon State and USC, both ranked in the top ten teams nationally. The Indians have yet to play USC this season, but their only losses came at the hands of OSU, both on the Beavers' home court. One of the losses was by a single point.

The Webfoots met Idaho in the semi-finals of the Far West Classic at Portland—and won. But that was with Wally Knecht.

Charlie Warren was the only Webfoot who was able to score consistently against Stanford. He potted 18 points in the 79-54 loss and 20 more Saturday night.

Burley Named World's Best

Dyrol Burleson, Oregon's American record holding miler, has been named the first ranking 1500 meter-mile runner in the



DYROL BURLESON

world for 1961, in the 15th annual Track & Field News World Rankings.

Besides Burleson's top world ranking, sprinter Harry Jerome was named the world's third best 100 meter-100 yard dash man and Jerry Tarr the fourth ranking high hurdler in the world. Bill Bowerman received votes for Coach of the Year.

The magazine rates the athletes on the basis of honors won, win-loss ranking and sequence of marks.

Burleson is the first American in history to earn top ranking for the 1500-meter-mile events.

Says Track & Field News, "(Jim) Beatty had an impressive win streak in Europe, yet Burleson was picked first on the strength of (1) his victory in the

AAU "tactical" race, and (2) his U.S. one-mile record of 3:57.6, also the fastest in the world for 1961."

Jerome was ranked behind world record holder (for 100 yards) Frank Budd and San Jose State's Dennis Johnson, undefeated through 1961, though out with an injury for a good part of the season.

Hayes Jones and Fran Washington of the United States and Anatoliy Mikhailov of Russia were the only hurdlers ranked ahead of Tarr.

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Duck Wrestlers Nab Two Wins

By DON HILDENBRAND
Emerald Sports Writer

Oregon varsity wrestlers, making their first appearance of the 1962 season, scored a 23-8 win over Pacific University at Forest Grove Friday evening and a 19-13 win over a strong Multnomah Athletic Club Saturday afternoon.

The latter victory was particularly pleasing to coach Mike Reuter since this represents Oregon's first win in history over the MAC team.

Captain Joe McFarland led the weekend assault with a double win at 137 lbs., gaining a fall at Pacific and a decisive 13-0 win over Tony Russo of MAC. Russo won a close decision over McFarland last year.

Six sophomores from last year's Frosh team—Dennis Radford (123 and 130), Doug Muck and Charlie Warren (147), Bruce Glenn (157), Al Lamp (167), and Bob Kenney (177)—started their varsity careers with outstanding performances.

Bob Kenney met the strongest individual opponent, three-time coast champion Autrey Ehler. In the last 30 seconds of the match, Kenney threw Ehler on his back from the standing position, but did not get credit for the resulting predicament situation since there was a disputed decision. Ehler barely won the decision, 5-4.

Steve Barnett, Duck All-American Tackle and heavyweight is expected to join the squad today and strengthen the heavyweight division. Barnett, at 250 pounds, is a former Northern California high school champ.

UO-Pacific Results—123—Ron Hada (P) dec. Dennis Wisby (UO), 4-1. 130—Dennis Radford (UO) pinned Cam Perry (P), in 2:15. 137—Joe McFarland (UO) pinned Tom Hathaway (P), in 6:55. 147—Doug Muck (UO) pinned John Burke (P), in 2:41. 157—Bruce Glenn (UO) dec. Pat Woods (P), 6-1. 167—Al Lamp (UO) draw with Dennis McCarron (P), 3-3. 177—Bob Kenney (UO) dec. Bob Paendler (P), 5-0. Hea.—Steve Champton dec. John Polo (UO), 4-3.

MAC-UO Results—123—Dennis Radford (U) dec. Sandor Szabo (MAC), 4-1. 130—Gary Hoagland (MAC) pin Dennis Wisby (UO) in 6:27. 137—Joe McFarland (UO) dec. Tony Russo (MAC), 13-0. 147—Charlie Warren (UO) dec. Gary Muck (MAC), 4-0. 157—Bruce Glenn (UO) pin Joe Casole (MAC), in 7:21. 167—Al Lamp (UO) forfeit win. 177—Autrey Ehler (MAC) dec. Bob Kenney (UO), 5-4. Hea.—Lon Allen (MAC) pin John Polo (UO), 3-30.

Mural Bowling Begins Tuesday

League competition in intramural bowling will begin Tuesday according to Lou Bellissimo, recreation manager. Matches are scheduled for Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings and on Saturday afternoons. Thirty-two teams have entered the league making four divisions necessary.

All IM bowling team managers should contact assistant manager Bob Ackerman or the man on duty in the recreation area at the SU prior to 12:00 Tuesday.



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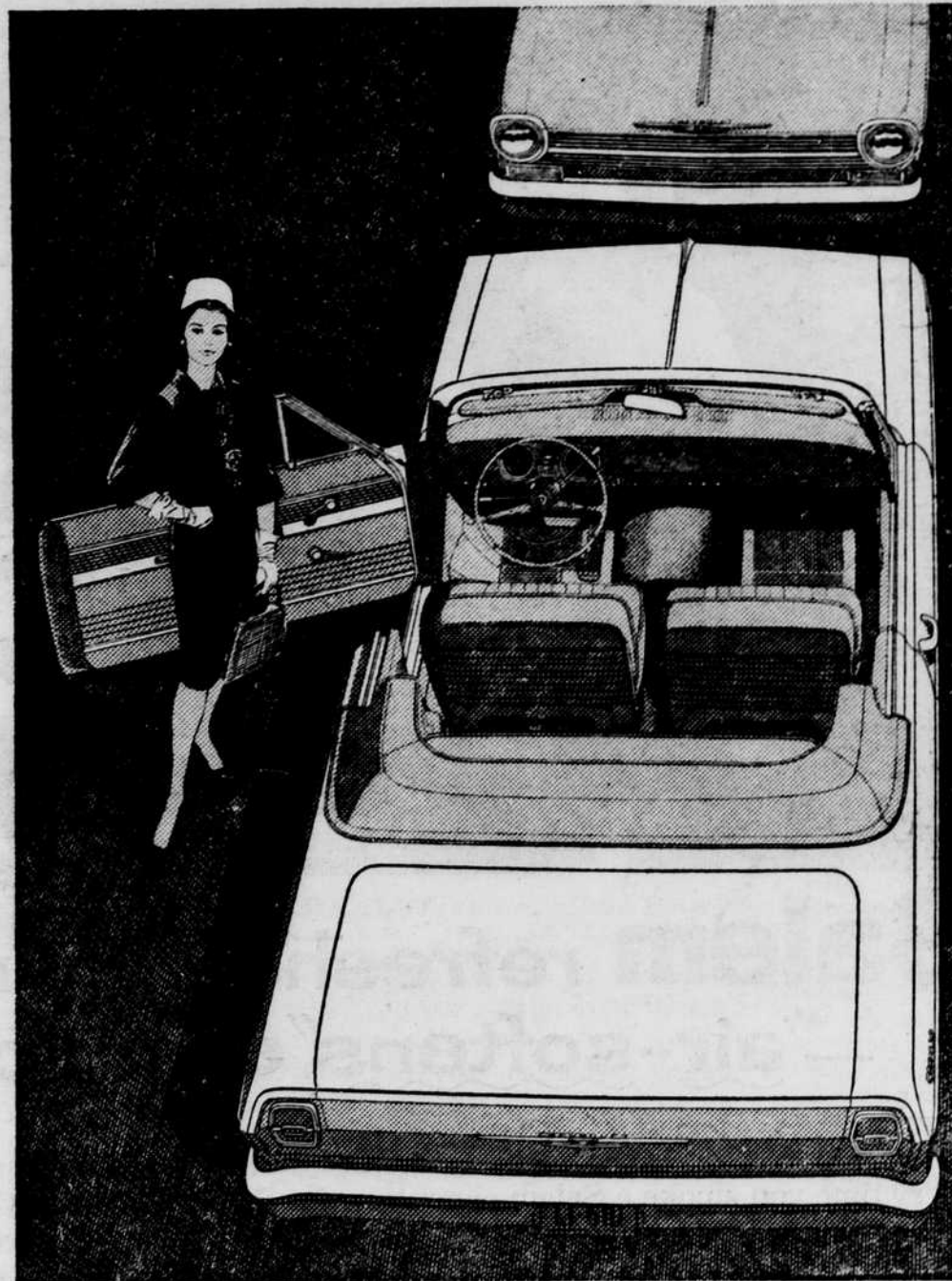
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