## Sports Oregon netters fall to Huskies; spike Cougars Ends 16-match Pacific-10 losing streak WESOME !!!

## **By Cam Sivesind Emerald Sports Reporter**

Oregon's volleyball team captured its first Pacific-10 Conference win of the season with a victory over Washington

Pac-10 Volleyball				
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California	2	0	1.000	
Stanford	.2	0	1.000	
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UCLA	2	0	1.000	
Anzona	2	2	.500	1
Arizona St.	2	- 2	-500	1
Washington	2	2	-500	1
Washington St.	1	3	250	- 28
Oregon	1	3	.250	2
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State on Saturday night at McArthur Court.

A crowd of 609 was on hand to watch the Ducks defeat the Cougars in three straight games; 15-11, 16-14 and 16-14. snapping a three-match losing streak. The Ducks had won their first nine games of the season for their best start ever

before dropping their first two conference matches at Arizona and Arizona State.

The win boosts the Ducks record to 10-3 overall and 1-3 in the Pac-10, ending a a 16match conference losing streak stemming back to last year's 13-match dry spell. The Cougars drop to 6-10 overall and 1-3 in the Pac-10.

The Duck netters threw away a two game to zero lead Friday against the Washington Huskies by losing the last three games, and the match, 15-9, 15-6, 4-15, 12-15, and 8-15.

And again. Oregon found it self in the same position Saturday against the Cougars with a two-game lead. This time, the Ducks would not repeat the fiasco as they narrowly clinched the third game and the match 16 - 14"We played a much better

third game (against the Cougars) than we did Friday against Washington." Oregon coach Gerry Gregory said.

That third game against the Huskies was a disaster for the Ducks with only four kills against 11 errors, resulting in a negative kill percentage.

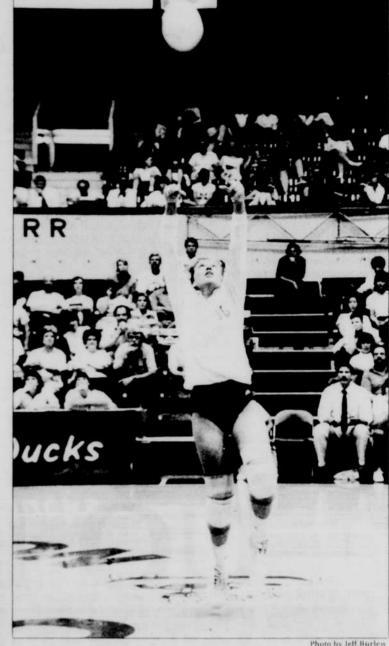
Saturday's statistics against WSU improved, as the Ducks managed 21 kills to only eight errors for a .213 kill percent-3326

The victory charge was led by team captain Stephanie Snyder, who had 49 sets, while senior outside hitter Michele Krebsbach and sophomore outside hitter Julie Jeffery pounded 17 and 16 of those sets respectively for kills.

Sophomore middle blocker Dawnn Charroin and senior outside hitter Melissa Terzian added 11 kills apiece

The Ducks found themselves down by three or more points in each of the three games against WSU. The Ducks fought back in each game behind a strong defensive effort keyed by good blocking and excellent digging from the entire team

The final game of the match against the Cougars had plenty Turn to Volleyball, Page 17



The Duck volleyball team was flying high with Stephanie Snyder's sets during the first two games against the Huskies Friday, but the team crashed in the end.

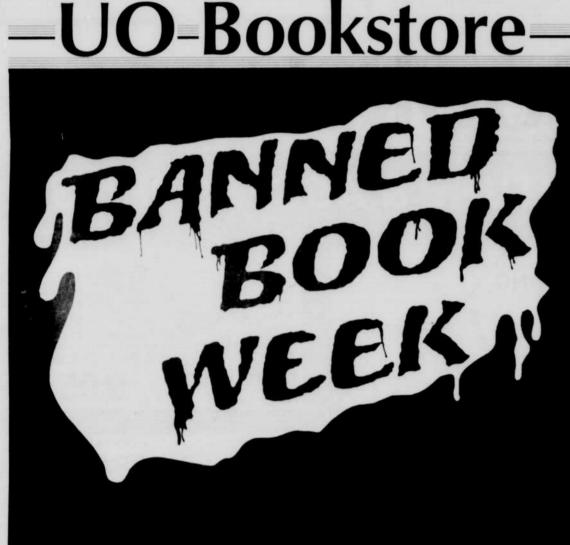


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