

SCOREBOARD

MEN'S BASKETBALL	1	2	FINAL
Oregon	35	30	65
Arizona	29	41	70

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL	1	2	FINAL
Oregon	29	26	55
Arizona	24	23	47



SATURDAY'S STAR

Oregon junior forward Jamal Lawrence scored 34 points, including six three-pointers, in the Ducks' 70-65 loss to the Arizona Wildcats.

HIGH SCORERS

Lawrence (UO)	34
Davis (UA)	19
McClellan (UA)	16
Williams (UA)	15
Wilkins (UO)	8
Simon (UA)	7

STATS

FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	
Oregon	37
Arizona	46

FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	
Oregon	71
Arizona	72



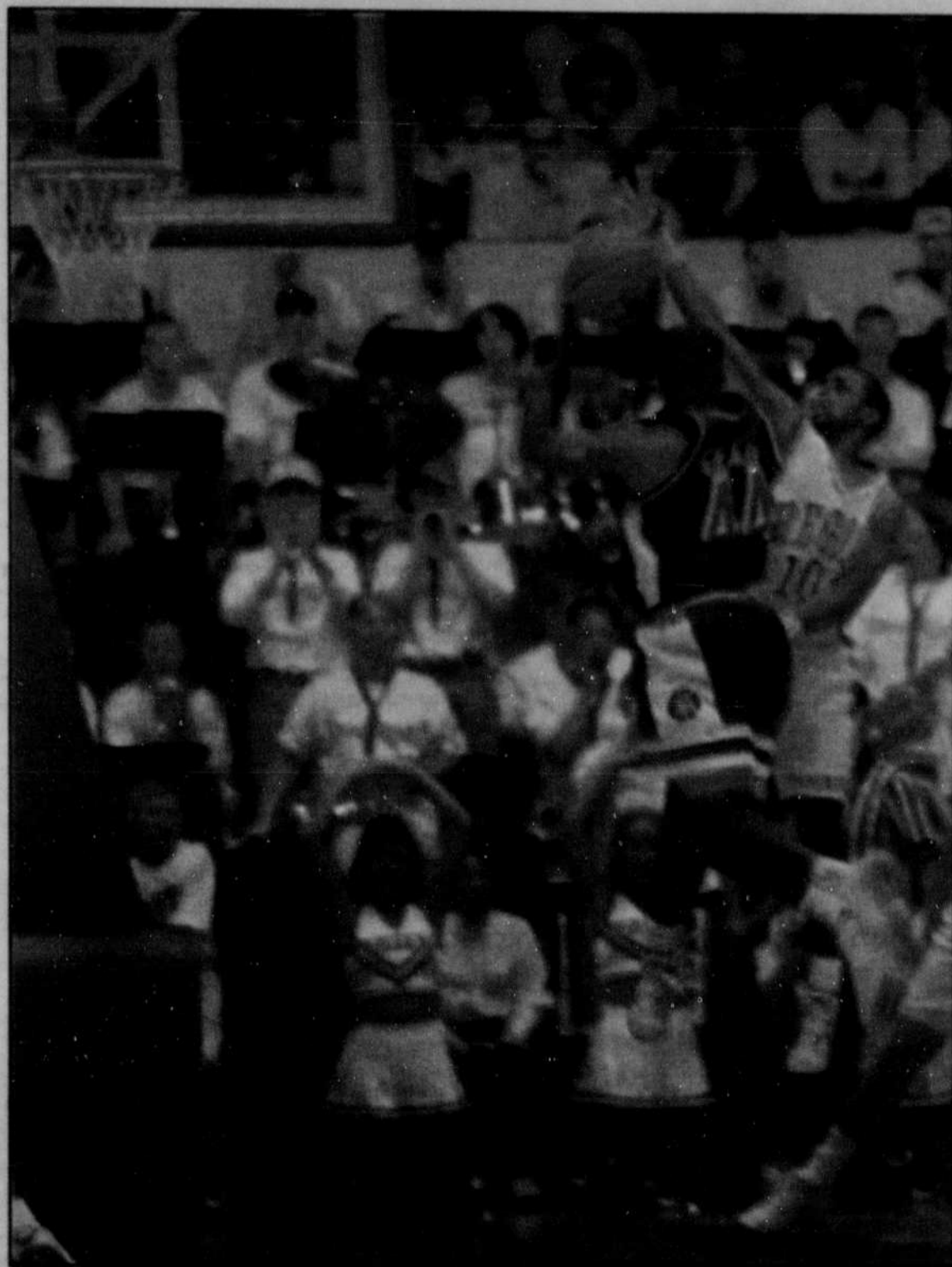
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Wildcats deal Ducks fifth-straight Pac-10 loss



Junior guard Kenya Wilkins (right) and the Ducks couldn't stop senior guard Reggie Geary (left) and the Wildcats, as the Ducks lost their second down-to-the-wire game this week.

■ MEN'S BASKETBALL:

Oregon couldn't maintain a halftime lead against No. 12 Arizona

By Andrea De Young
Assistant Sports Editor

For the second time in three nights, the game went down to the very last minute, and once again, the Oregon men's basketball team could not find a way to pull off the win, losing to Arizona 65-70 Saturday night.

The Wildcats came into the game ranked No. 12 in the nation. After the Ducks lost to a previously winless Arizona State team on Thursday night, it did not look to be an easy game for Oregon.

But at tipoff, Oregon got its first possession and took the lead on a three-pointer from junior forward Jamal Lawrence.

The Ducks were on fire from behind the arc in the first few minutes of the game, throwing up four in a row, three coming from Lawrence and the other from sophomore guard Jamar Curry.

Oregon stayed ahead of the Wildcats until Arizona was able to tie the game at 23 with eight minutes to go in the half. But the Ducks pulled ahead again with two-straight three-pointers from Lawrence and were ahead at halftime 35-29.

Lawrence, who scored 23 points in the first 20 minutes of the game, stayed hot in the second half, starting with four straight points on a pair of jump shots.

But the Wildcats could not be contained. Arizona battled back to tie the score at 37 and pulled ahead with 14 minutes to go at 46-44. At that point, the Wildcats took control, going on a 13-0 run to pull ahead 52-44.

The Ducks were not ready to give in, and they battled back with an alley-oop from freshman guard Terik Brown to Lawrence on an inbound pass, and two three-point shots, one from



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Junior forward Jamal Lawrence poured in 34 points on Saturday.

junior center Rob Ramaker and the other from Lawrence.

Oregon was down by one with 5:05 to go. But Arizona kept scoring on jump shots by sophomore forward Michael Dickerson and senior forward Ben Davis, and a three-pointer by Dickerson. Oregon countered with a lay-in from Curry and Lawrence's sixth three-pointer on the night.

With the Wildcats up 65-61 and 1:37 to go, junior guard Kenya Wilkins went to the line and converted on one of two free throws.

On Arizona's next three possessions, the Ducks fouled the Wildcats and sent them to the free-throw line twice. But Arizona could not get anything through the hoop, and the Ducks succeeded in getting the ball back.

On the Ducks' next possession, Wilkins took the ball through the lane for a layup and was fouled in the process. After hitting the free throw, Arizona called a timeout with 26 seconds to go.

Arizona got the ball after the timeout and sent it down the court. The Ducks let eight seconds tick off the clock before fouling senior guard Reggie Geary, who converted on both

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Oregon rebounds from loss with win at Southern Oregon State

■ WRESTLING: The Ducks lost to Fresno State on Friday but beat the Raiders on Saturday

By Chris Hansen
Sports Reporter

The Oregon wrestlers split their dual meet competition this past weekend, losing to Fresno State Friday and beating Southern Oregon State Saturday.

The Ducks' weekend started on a down note when the team had a moment of silence before their meet to honor Olympic wrestling great Dave Schultz,

who was shot dead Friday afternoon.

It didn't get much better from there for the Ducks, losing two pivotal overtime bouts to the 25th-ranked Bulldogs, who improved to 8-4-1 overall.

Oregon sophomore Jeremy Ensrud, who is currently ranked fourth in the nation at 134 pounds, took Bulldog Yero Washington into overtime after starting the third period down 5-2. Ensrud started the sudden-death overtime going aggressively for the takedown but slipped into Washington's hold and lost on a take-down.

"Washington is very, very tough and

well-respected," said head coach Ron Finley. "I really felt that was a match that could go a different way on any day. It was a tough match and unfortunately we just came out on the wrong side of the overtime."

The loss made the score 6-3 in favor of the Ducks, who started out winning the first two matches behind nationally ranked Kevin Roberts, who remains undefeated at 118 pounds, and steady John Taylor at 126 pounds.

Fresno State took a 13-10 lead after winning three of the next four matches, losing only on a major decision by Ore-

gon junior Scott Norton, who continued to roll through the 150-pound weight class. Norton is ranked third in the nation.

Royce Repenn then retied the score after defeating Jason Street 5-3 in the 177-pound weight class in what Finley said was a bright spot in their loss.

"I was pleased especially with Repenn tonight. He beat a fine wrestler," Finley said. "He is showing some good improvement at 177 [pounds], and that is what we need to see."

With the score tied at 13, Oregon senior

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