

OREGON (61)

	Min	FG	FT	R	A	P
Smith	28	2-5	0-0	3	1	5
Scales	28	6-17	1-2	6	2	13
Carson	32	4-6	0-0	4	2	8
Wright	36	5-12	0-1	5	7	11
Brown	23	1-8	0-0	4	1	2
Harker	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Rosemond	23	5-12	0-0	3	2	14
Jones	12	2-4	0-0	3	1	5
Christ'sen	5	0-1	0-0	1	0	0
Hartenstein	11	1-2	1-2	3	0	3
Totals	200	26-67	2-5	38	16	61

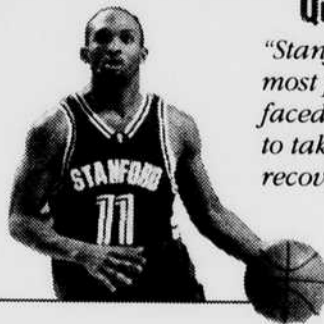
Shooting: 38.8 3-point: 7-29 (Smith 1-3, Scales 0-5, Wright 1-5, Brown 0-3, Rosemond 4-10, Jones 1-3)

*includes six team rebounds

OREGON DUCKS VS. NO. 6 STANFORD CARDINAL

Player of the Game

Cardinal senior Arthur Lee was six for 13 from the field and a perfect eight for eight from the free-throw line to finish with a game-high 21 points in his final appearance at McArthur Court.



Quote of the Game

"Stanford is definitely the most physical team [we've faced this season]. It's going to take a day or two to recover from this game."

— Mike Carson, UO center

No. 6 Stanford (73)

	Min	FG	FT	R	A	P
Sauer	21	3-5	2-4	3	0	10
Madsen	32	4-9	4-8	14	1	12
Young	33	5-10	2-3	14	3	12
Weems	29	0-5	2-2	4	0	2
Lee	34	6-13	8-8	2	2	21
McDonald	18	2-4	6-9	2	1	10
Moseley	19	1-4	0-0	0	1	2
Collins	8	1-6	0-0	2	0	2
Seaton	9	1-3	0-1	2	0	2
Totals	200	23-59	24-35	44	8	73

Shooting: 39.0 3-point: 3-11 (Sauer 2-3, Weems 0-1, Lee 1-3, McDonald 0-1, Moseley 0-3)

*includes one team rebound

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Cardinal defense stifles UO tourney hopes

Oregon is held scoreless during six minutes of the second half against Stanford

By Rob Moseley
Oregon Daily Emerald

It started out so well. Darius Wright dished the ball inside to Terik Brown, who sank a short jumper to give Oregon a two-point lead just eight seconds into the Ducks' matchup with No. 6 Stanford at sold-out McArthur Court on Thursday.

It started out so well. Little did the Ducks know Brown would be scoreless for the final 39 minutes, 52 seconds and that would be Oregon's only lead of the game.

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But it started out so well. The Cardinal (26-4 overall, 15-2 Pacific-10 Conference) scored the next 11 points on its way to a 73-61 win over the Ducks that solidified Stanford's bid for a No. 1 seed in the upcoming NCAA Tournament.

"That's the kind of team Stanford is," said Brown of the newest Pac-10 champions. "We knew they weren't going to have a let down."

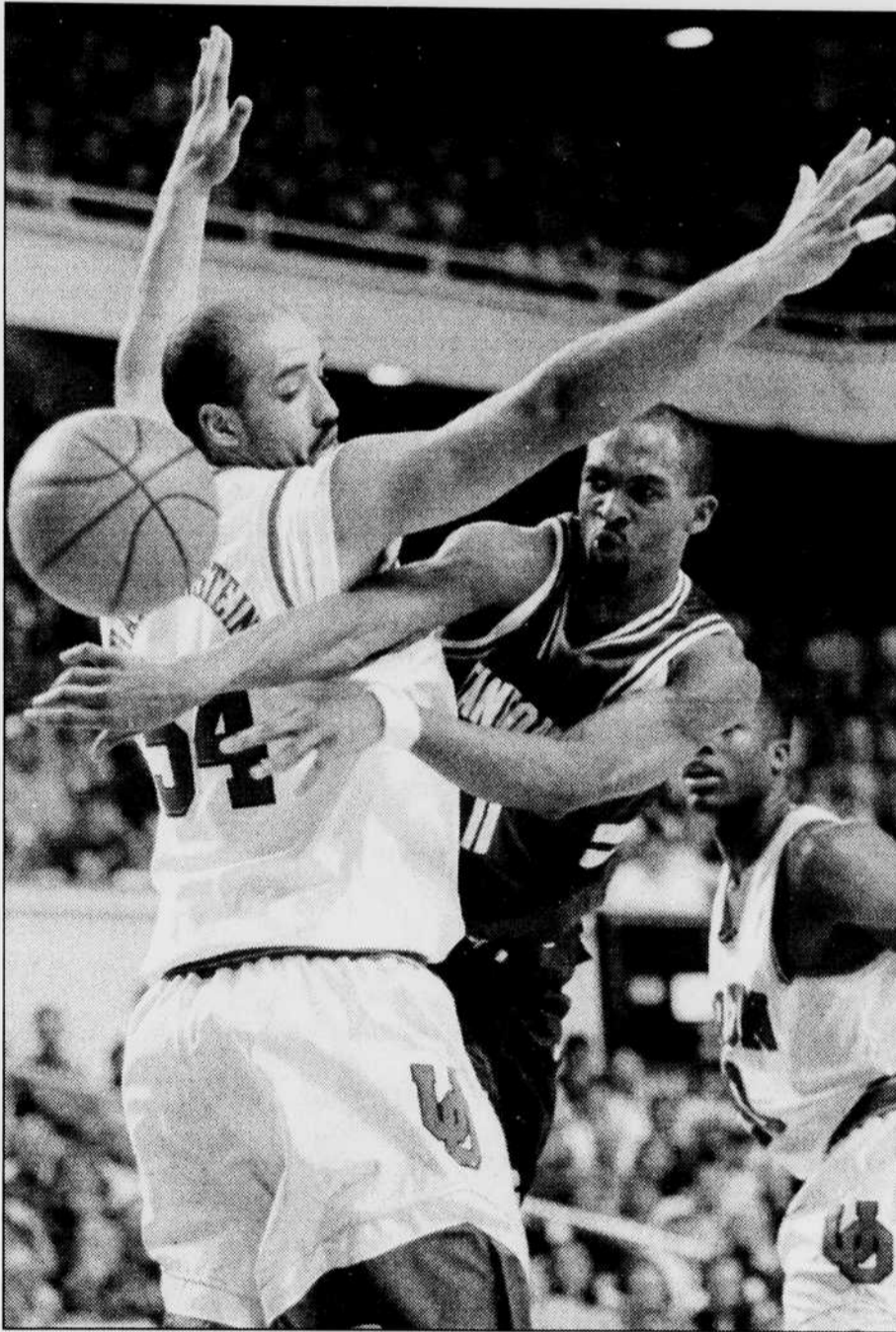
Even so, the Ducks (15-11, 7-10) threatened late in the first half, pulling within one at 34-33 on an A.D. Smith layin with 2:25 left in the first half.

Oregon got that close on the hot shooting of Yasir Rosemond, who had 14 first-half points on four-for-seven three-point shooting. Outside of Rosemond's five-for-eight showing from the floor, the Ducks shot 33 percent as a team in the first half.

"We took too many threes in the first half," Oregon head coach Ernie Kent said of the Ducks' 19 attempts.

But while Oregon managed to hit six of those first-half threes, the Ducks were just one for 10 from behind the arc in the second half.

The Ducks held the Pac-10's most well-rounded offense to just six points for six minutes midway through the sec-



Nick Medley/Emerald

In addition to scoring a game-high 21 points, Stanford's Arthur Lee looked to get his teammates involved.

Lee resumes March form

By Tim Pyle
Oregon Daily Emerald

Senior Lee loves March. Last season, he celebrated the month by leading surprising Stanford all the way to the Final Four of the NCAA Tournament, being named the Midwest Regional's MVP in the process.

Last week, Lee lit it up just in anticipation of March.

After he torched Arizona State for 18 points and six assists in the Cardinal's 87-77 overtime home win Feb. 25, the senior point guard sealed No. 6 Stanford's first Pacific-10 Conference title by burning Arizona and point guard Jason Terry, the favorite for Pac-10 player of the year, for 29 points and eight assists last Saturday.

Lee was named Pac-10 player of the week for his performances.

Thursday night at McArthur Court, "King Arthur" ruled the second half with 15 of his 21 total points to lead the Cardinal (25-5 overall, 15-2 Pac-10) to a convincing 73-61 victory over the Oregon men's basketball team.

"He had to wait for his opening," Stanford head coach Mike Montgomery said. "One thing is I had him play the [shooting guard] a lot more in the second half, and I had Mike [McDonald] handle the ball, which freed him up to get involved a little bit more."

"He made a couple baskets and started to feel it a little bit. Typically, when he feels that he does a pretty good job."

Is it mere coincidence that Lee is heating up again at do-or-die time?

Stanford forward Mark Madsen doesn't think so.

"Arthur Lee was the reason why we made it to the Final Four last year," said Madsen, who produced 12 points and 14 rebounds to earn his eighth double-

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Oregon women no match for Stanford's athleticism

The Ducks first lost control on the boards, then lost the game

By Allison Ross
Oregon Daily Emerald

The Oregon women needed its big players to do the little things Thursday night — rebound and score inside.

But it turned out to be more than a little job.

In the end, that little job cost the Ducks, putting an end to their nine-game winning streak and most likely their hopes of playing host to the first round of the NCAA Tournament.

It seemed every time Stanford took a shot, another Cardinal, sometimes two or three, was waiting for the rebound. Usually it was freshman Bethany Donaphin who

grabbed the rebound and put the ball in the hoop.

When Oregon missed a shot, again it was Stanford that corralled the rebound. The Cardinal finished with 25 defensive boards and outrebounded Oregon by 10.

At the start of the second half, Stanford's 12 rebounds to Oregon's three helped the Cardinal go on a 12-4 run and extend its one-point halftime lead to seven.

Stanford forwards powered their way to the basket, and with 13 minutes remaining

in the game, they had outscored Oregon 24-14 in the paint. Oregon forward Angelina Wolvert was the Ducks' most successful inside scorer, converting nine of 13 shots, but Wolvert, Oregon's leading rebounder, managed just five rebounds.

The Cardinal contained Oregon sophomores Brianne Meharry and Jenny Mowe on the inside. Meharry finished the game three for eight from the field and watched several of her easy layins roll around the rim before they fell helplessly into the hands of a Cardinal defender. Mowe hit just one of seven shots but led the Ducks with seven rebounds.



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