Ducks Split; Emeralds Win

Oregon Wins 7-1, Loses Rouser 15-7

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Oregon's Webfoots drew within one win of the Northern Division baseball pennant Friday afternoon on Howe Field when they split two games with the Oregon State Beavers.

The Ducks won the first game 7-1 behind the six-hit pitching of sophomore Terry Maddox and lost the second 15-7.

The split left the Ducks with their slim lead over the Beavers in division play and made Saturday's conference-ending doubleheader at Corvallis a showdown for the title.

By winning one of today's games, the Ducks could cinch their third straight ND championship and earn a trip to California for the Pacific Coast Conference playoff. Ralph Coleman's Staters needed to take both the final two.

Oregon started off in the first game as if it intended to clinch the championship on its home grounds. Maddox, setting the Beavers down with little trouble, was in complete control most of the way. He served up only one real bad pitch, that in the sixth inning, which All-American first-baseman Jay Dean of the Beavers rapped over George Shaw's head in deep center-field for a home run.

DUCKS SCORE

Oregon scored first in the third frame after Al Guidotti had set them down scoreless in the first two innings.

With the bases loaded and none out, Jim Johnson brought Neal Marlett in with a sacrifice fly to center-field and Shaw smashed a looping double down the right-field line to score Terry Maddox and send Johnny Keller to third. Dick Schlosstein lashed a single to left, bringing in both Keller and Shaw.

Kirsch's nine picked up its fifth run in the next frame when Shaw singled home Keller, who had walked and stole second.

The final two Duck markers came in the sixth after Keller opened proceedings with a solid single. Shaw moved him to third with another single. Shaw's blast marked the end for Guidotti and Coleman replaced him with righthander Lynn Mohler. Mohler promptly walked both Schlosstein and Williams to force in Keller and Jerry Ross' infield roller brought in Shaw.

The pitching win for Maddox was his fifth without defeat in ND action and his sixth for the season. The easy-throwing Medford sophomore struck out six Beavers and walked four.

Shaw with three for four and Keller with two for four were the leading hitters for the Ducks in the opener.

ROOF FALLS IN

The second game was an entirely different story. Bill Blodgett started on the mound for the Ducks and the big righthander with the roundhouse curve just didn't have it.

OSC sounded a small warning of what was to come when it smashed out two hits and scored one run in the first inning. Right-fielder Jim Ruggles doubled to left and scored on a sharp one-base knock to right by Dean.

The Beavers picked up three more counters in the third. Pitcher Joe Epperle, helping his own cause, started the fireworks with a slashing double and went to third on a ground-out. Ruggles and Phil Jantze followed with singles to score Epperle and Dean's double and a ground-out by Jerry Exley brought in Ruggles and Jantze.

The Ducks saw their last hopes fade in the fifth when the Beavers let go with both barrels. They scored eight times on six hits. Oregon gave away most of the runs, however, by committing four errors in the weird inning. Big blow of the frame was a two-run double by Lovejoy.

Trailing 12-0, the Webfoots finally broke the ice in their half of the fifth, and chased in four tallies, three of them coming on a bases-loaded double by Shaw.

Kirsch, using five different pitchers in an attempt to silence the booming Beaver bats, failed to find one and the Orangemen continued their onslaught by scoring two in the sixth and one in the seventh. Even Maddox, who was so successful in the first encounter, took a turn on the hill. He lasted only one-third of an inning, giving up two hits and three runs.

Oregon's final three runs came in the seventh on three walks and a double by Forbes.

Dean with three for four and Jantze with three for five were the big stickers for the winners in the second contest. Forbes, liking the righthanded tosses of winning pitcher Epperle, had a perfect day at the plate for the Ducks, four for four.

BOX SCORE

First game:

Oregon State	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Frederick, rf	2	0	2	2	0	0
Ruggles, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Wray, ss	3	0	1	0	3	0
Jantze, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Dean, 1b	3	1	1	7	0	0
Exley, cf-3b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Hunt, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fisk, 2b	2	0	1	5	1	0
Bettendorf, 3b-ss	3	0	0	1	1	0
Lovejoy, c	3	0	0	5	1	0
**Stephenson	1	0	0	0	0	0
Guidotti, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Mohler, p	1	0	1	0	0	0
Total	30	1	6	24	9	0

(**) SD for Lovejoy in 9th.

Oregon	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Keller, ss	4	3	2	4	1	0
Johnson, 2b	3	0	1	1	5	0
Shaw, cf	4	2	3	4	0	0
Schlosstein, 1b	4	0	1	7	0	0
Williams, 3b	3	0	1	3	0	0
Ross, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Pingree, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
*Forbes, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Averill, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marlett, c	4	1	1	6	3	0
Maddox, p	4	1	1	0	1	0
Total	33	7	12	27	10	0

(*) Grounded out for Pingree in 6th.

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Winning pitcher — Maddox. Losing pitcher—Guidotti.

Pitcher	IP	AB	H	R	ER	SO	BB
Guidotti	5⅓	25	12	7	7	3	3
Mohler	2⅔	8	0	0	0	2	3
Maddox	8	30	6	1	1	6	4

Hit by Pitcher—Bettendorf by Maddox; Left on Bases—OSC 6, Oregon 10. Home Runs—Dean. Two-Base Hits—Shaw. Runs Batted In — Johnson, Shaw 2, Schlosstein 2, Williams, Ross, Dean. Sacrifice — Johnson. Stolen Bases—Keller. Time—2:20. Umpires—Burt Fleskas and Gus Henke.

Second game:

Oregon State	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hunt, cf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Ruggles, rf	4	3	2	2	0	0
Jantze, lf	5	3	3	1	0	0
Dean, 1b	3	2	3	7	0	0
Exley, 3b	5	0	0	2	2	1
Fisk, 2b	4	1	0	1	2	0
Bettendorf, ss	4	2	2	0	1	0
Lovejoy, c	4	1	2	6	1	0
Epperle, p	4	2	3	0	0	0
Total	38	15	16	21	6	1

Oregon	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Keller, ss	3	2	1	0	3	0
Johnson, 2b	3	2	0	0	1	1
Shaw, cf	3	2	2	6	0	0
Forbes, rf	4	0	4	1	0	0
Schlosstein, 1b	3	0	1	6	0	1
Williams, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	1
Ross, lf	2	0	0	4	0	1
Marlett, c	3	0	1	3	0	0
Blodgett, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Maddox, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lundell, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Wagner, lf	1	1	0	1	0	0
Stiles, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
**Averill	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bowen, c	0	0	0	0	0	0
***Bond	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	29	7	9	21	5	4

(*) Hit by pitcher for Lundell in 5th.
(**) Popped out for Stiles in 6th.
(***) Filed out for Olson in 7th.

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Winning pitcher — Epperle. Losing pitcher—Blodgett.

Pitcher	IP	AB	H	R	ER	SO	BB
Epperle	7	29	9	7	7	4	3
Blodgett	4⅓	19	6	5	5	0	0
Maddox	⅓	4	2	3	0	1	0
Lundell	⅓	7	3	4	0	0	0
Stiles	1	6	3	2	2	1	1
Olson	1	4	1	1	1	0	0

Hit by Pitcher—Wagner by Epperle. Left on Bases—OSC 5, Oregon 6. Two-Base Hits—Ruggles, Epperle, Dean, Lovejoy, Shaw, Forbes. Runs Batted In—Dean 4, Ruggles, Exley, Jantze, Bettendorf, Lovejoy 3, Epperle 2, Shaw 3, Forbes 3, Schlosstein. Sacrifice—Ruggles, Dean, Schlosstein. Time—2:10. Umpires—Burt Fleske and Gus Henke.

(Wiltshire engraving)
FIRST RUN—Neal Marlett, University of Oregon catcher, scores the first run of the Oregon-Oregon State series Friday afternoon. Oregon State catcher Dan Lovejoy stands by. The run came in the third inning, during which Oregon scored four times. The Ducks went on to win the first game 7-1, but lost the second 15-7.

Shut Out Senators

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George Storti, the mild-mannered, righthanded farm hand from the Boston Red Sox, pitched his second straight two-hit Northwest Baseball League victory for the Emeralds before 2,200 fans at Bethel Park Friday, defeating the Salem Senators 3-0.

The Senators came up with five double plays, but they also were guilty of three errors that figured in all three Eugene runs — and the game was played in the fast time of one hour and 55 minutes.

The series continues with a game at 8 p.m. Saturday and concludes with a doubleheader Sunday, starting at 1:30 p.m. Manager Cliff Dapper wil have Berlyn Hodges (3-0) on the mound for the Emeralds and Manager Hugh Luby will have Bill Dials (3-4) for the Senators.

FANS HERE

Several hundred Salem fans, traveling in a chartered bus and private cars, came to watch John Wortham win his third game against one loss—but although he allowed no earned runs, he was relieved by another tall righthander in the fifth with one run scored, two men on bases and one out. Bill Walsh (2-0) put out the fire, and he, too, did a creditable pitching job. After all, the Emeralds could garner only five hits.

The victory moved the Emeralds into second place, topped only by Wenatchee—who will play the next Eugene series here June 2-5. The Ems will travel for 12 games following Sunday's twin bill.

Storti, the 23-year-old six-footer, allowed only three Senators to advance beyond first base as he struck out eight and allowed two bases on balls. Only 31 Salem batters faced him. He also fielded his position well, with four assists, and contributed the only extra-base blow for the Emeralds—a double in the seventh inning that led to the third run. The native of Redding, Calif., was the winner in an 8-0 decision over the University of Oregon earlier in the week.

EMERALDS SCORE

Ronnie Jackson opened the last of the first with a single, advanced when Ted Hesse's grounder bounced off firstbaseman Dick Traversi, and scored ahead of Granny Gladstone's first of two singles. In the fifth, Whitey Thomson walked, advanced on a passed ball and scored on Manny Romero's hit.

Gene Tanselli, former local Cascade Leaguer, handled 12 fielding chances successfully and figured in all five Salem twin killings, but the best fielding play was a great catch by Centerfielder Jack Dunn. The University of Oregon student who plays only in the valley during the week, took Hesse's long fly ball to the right-centerfield boards and then relayed to Tanselli and then to Traversi to double off Jackson—who was standing on third base after Dunn's spectacular catch. Jackson had walked to open the inning.

Box score:

SALEM	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Dunn, cf	4	0	0	2	1	0
Krause, 2b	4	0	0	1	2	0
Robinson, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Tanselli, ss	3	0	1	6	6	1
Frailey, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Agosta, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Koepf, c	3	0	1	4	2	0
Traversi, 1b	2	0	0	8	2	2
Wortham, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Walsh, p	2	0	0	1	0	0
Total	29	0	2	24	13	3

EMERALDS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Jackson, 2b	2	1	1	0	2	0
Hesse, lf	4	0	0	1	0	1
Gladstone, cf	4	0	2	4	0	0
Dapper, c	2	0	0	8	0	0
Huffman, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	1
Toso, 1b	3	0	0	10	0	0
Thomson, ss	1	1	0	1	2	0
Romero, rf	3	0	1	3	1	0
Storti, p	2	1	1	0	4	0
Total	24	3	5	27	10	2

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Emeralds .... 100 010 10x—3

Winning pitcher—Storti (2-0). Losing Pitcher—Wortham (2-2).

Pitcher	IP	AB	H	R	ER	SO	BB
Wortham	4⅓	13	3	2	0	3	3
Walsh	3⅔	11	2	1	0	1	2
Storti	9	29	2	0	0	8	2

Wild Pitches—Walsh. Passed Balls—Koepf. Left on Bases—Salem 4, Emeralds 8. Two-Base Hits—Tanselli, Storti. Runs Batted In — Gladstone, Romero. Sacrifice — Storti. Double Plays — Tanselli-Traversi (2), Dunn-Tanselli-Traversi, Traversi-Tanselli-Traversi, Krause-Tanselli-Traversi, Romero-Toso. Time—1:33. Umpires — Gordon Bogle and Dutch Bergmann.

Ducks' Moad In Hospital With Polio

Jack Moad, considered the University of Oregon's top-ranking threat in the shot put, is in a local hospital following an emergency operation Friday evening.

The 20-year-old, 180-pound athlete from Medford and a sophomore, complained of a sore throat earlier in the week and then developed a high temperature. It was later discovered that he had polio and was unable to swallow or breath properly, necessitating the operation that called for the insertion of a tube in the throat.

An over-sized "iron lung" was flown here from Portland Friday, but the young athlete had not been placed in the "lung" at a late hour Friday night. While the illness is serious, the operation was not believed to have been a dangerous one.

U.S. Wins Links Cup

From UP and AP Reports

ST. ANDREWS, Scotland—The United States Saturday won the Walker Cup for the 14th time in 15 meetings with Britain's top amateur golfers.

Harvie Ward, Billy Joe Patton and Don Cherry won their singles matches for an insurmountable 7-0 lead.

The Americans, who swept all four foursomes matches on Friday, needed victories in only three of today's eight singles contests to retain the international trophy. Today's matches on the ancient St. Andrews course were played in a steady rain.

Ward, a 29-year-old automobile salesman from San Francisco, trounced Bonnie White, rated England's top player, 6 and 5; Patton, who comes from Morganton, N. C., defeated Phil Scrutton of England, 2 and 1; while Cherry, from Wichita Falls, Tex., beat Jor Carr of Ireland, 5 and 4.

Friday only the top American team, Harvie Ward of San Francisco and Don Cherry of Wichita Falls, Tex., had to go the full 36-hole distance over the windswept 6,936-yard Old Course of St. Andrews. They rallied at the finish to down Ireland's Joe Carr and England's Ronnie White, the best of the British amateurs, one up.

Billy Joe Patton, the happy-go-lucky clouter from Morganton, N. C., and young Dick Yost of Portland, Ore., and Seattle, Wash., turned back Gerald Micklem of England and John Llewellyn Morgan of Wales, 2 and 1.

Portland's 21-year-old Bruce Cudd, youngest of the Americans, and Jim Jackson of St. Louis routed the Scottish team of David Blair and Robin Cater, 5 and 4.

And Joe Conrad, 25-year-old Air Force lieutenant from San Antonio, Tex., and grim-faced Dale Morey of Indianapolis turned back Ian Caldwell and Ernest Millward of England, 3 and 2.

OSAA Picks Playoff Sites

CORVALLIS (AP)—The Oregon School Activities Assn. Friday selected sites for the three 1956 high school basketball tournaments. All will be held the week of March 12-17.

The class B tourney will go to Baker, the A-2 meet to Salem and A-1 continue at Eugene.

Each of the eight districts in the A-1 tourney will be represented by its two top teams. Portland, which has two districts, will be limited to three teams. The other berth will go to the winner of a playoff between the two teams gaining third place in districts 5 and 8.

Earlier the OSAA's delegate assembly voted 11-10 to continue the prep baseball championship playoff next year.

In another action the assembly voted 15-5 to submit an amendment to eliminate the annual football playoffs.

The playoffs will be underway however, before the association can take action on the proposed constitutional change at its next meeting scheduled for November.

A spokesman said the 15-5 vote was not necessarily an indication that playoffs were generally opposed. The vote merely was to have the amendment drafted for consideration, he said.

Lane Runners In State Finals

BELL FIELD, Corvallis— Qualifying for the 29th annual state high school track meet finals was completed here Friday afternoon, with two new records entering the books in the Class A division, while the Class B harriers wrote four new marks.

The six top places in each qualifying event advanced to Saturday's finals, with no qualifying heats being held in the pole vault, high jump, 880 and mile in Class A, and the mile and 880 in Class B.

Eugene sent its 880-yard relay team, Bob Brown in the 100 and 220, and LeRoy Poindexter in the 440 into the finals. Brown was second in both his heats behind Huey Hatton, Jefferson, while Poindexter romped home ahead of the third 440 heat in 51.7, just seven-tenths of a second short of the best 440 time of the day, 51 flat by John Erickson of Grant.

Roosevelt's relay squad posted the fastest time in that event, 1:32.1. North Salem and Grant ran the half mile in 1:32.6 and Eugene was timed in 1:32.7.

Axemen Pete King finished third in his heats in the 100 and 220 but did not qualify for the finals.

Frank Sheffold, Springfield, clipped off the 180-yard low hurdles in 20.9, the best time of the day, and Miller field man Gene Estes advanced to the discus finals by placing third in the qualifyinge at 153' 3¾".

Albany's Bob Amble set one of the new marks in this event when he broke his own 1954 record of 156' 11" by tossing the platter 161' 6½".

The other Class A record was set in the shot put by St. Helens' Duane Marshall. He tossed the ball 58' 2¼" to better the 57' 8¼" set by Medford's Jack Moad in 1953.

Two Elmira thinclads were slated to compete in Saturday's finals. Jerry Christian was second in his heat in the 440 and Dave McKinney was runnerup in the third heat of the low hurdles.

Cottage Grove's Doug Ballew was the runnerup in the third heat of the low hurdles.

Cottage Grove's Doug Ballew was the only other Class A finalist from Lane County when he finished second in the first heat of the low hurdles.

Ron Matheny bagged 10 1/6 points for Lowell's Red Devils when he finished in a six-way tie for third place in the Class "B" high jump finals and wound up in a three-way tie for first in the pole vault. These were the only finals of the afternoon.

Bunny Rice finished second in the third heat of the 100 and did not qualify for the 220 although he reached the finals of the shot put with a 44' 1½" toss, good enough for fourth place in the qualifying.

Lowell's only other Friday qualifier was its 880-yard relay team which was second to Malin in the first heat. Mapleton's quartet placed behind Rogue River in the second heat.

Only one other Class "B" entrant from Lane County advanced to the finals. Mapleton's Ed Farrell was fifth in the broad jump at 19' 5¾" and third in the discus with a 126' 9½" toss.

Records set by "B" entries Friday were: Donald Trautman, Concordia, 51.9 in the 440 to better the 52.4 set by Creswell's Dean Workman in 1952; Harold Duncan, Moro, ran the 180-yard low hurdles in 20.9 to eclipse the 21 flat set by Ken Aldrich, Union, in 1952; Bob Babb, Days Creek, tossed the javelin 187' 6⅝" to break the mark of 171' 3½" by Bill Henderson, Drain, in 1953; and Martin Sharp's, Eagle Valley, 5' 11¼" lead in the high jump to better the 5' 10½" set by Jim Bolter, Rogue River, in 1952.

Results

CLASS "A" QUALIFYING

880-yard relay—1. Roosevelt 1:32.1; 2—North Salem 1:32.6; 3—Grant 1:32.6; 4—Eugene 132.7; 5—Medford 1:34; 6—Jefferson 1:34.1.

220—First heat: 1—Strong (Roos); 2—Baker (Ash). Time: 22.4. Second heat: 1—Hatten (Jeff); 2—Brown (Eug). Time: 22.5. Third heat: 1—Schwarz (Oswego); 2—Morris (Med). Time: 23.0.

High hurdles—First heat: 1—Giberson (Bea); 2—Valberg (GP). Time: 15.2. Second heat: Skowhede (SH); 2—Larson (Med). Time: 15.1. Third heat: 1—Curtis (Roos); 2—McBride (Leb). Time: 15.4.

100—First heat: 1—Hatton (Jeff); 2—Brown (Eug); Time: 10.0. Second heat: 1—Capri (Cleve); 2—Baker (Ash). Time: 10.1. Third heat: 1—Strong (Roos); 2—Noval (NS). Time: 10.0.

Shot put—1—Marshall (SH) 58' 2¼"; 2—Reve (NB) 52' 11¾"; 3—Johnson (Bea) 52' 6¼"; 4—Schult (Red) 49' 9¾"; 5—Henderson (Wald) 48'8½"; 6—Stinnette (Cor) 47'11¾". (New record. Old mark of 57'8½" set by Jack Moad, Medford, in 1953).

440—First heat: 1—Diepz (Roos); 2—McIntyre (Mar). Time: 52.4. Second heat: 1—Erickson (Grant); 2—Christian (Elmira). Time: 51.0. Third heat: 1—Poindexter (Eug); 2—Crowl (Med). Time: 51.7.

Broad jump—1—Schepman (NB) 21' 3½"; 2—Adams (LaG) 20'11¾"; 3—Henderson (Lakeview) 20'7¼"; 4—Weller (GP) 20'7"; 5—Norval (NS) 20'3½"; 6—Blake (Alb) 20'1½".

Low hurdles—First heat: 1—Larson (Med); 2—Ballew (CG). Time: 21.0. Second heat: 1—Sheffold (Sp); 2—Claussen (Grant). Time: 20.9. Third heat: 1—Giberson (Bea); 2—McKinney (El). Time: 21.0.

Discus—1—Amble (Alb) 161' 6½". (New record. Old mark of 156'11" set by Amble in 1954). 2—Reeve (NB) 160'6¼"; 3—Estes (SP) 153'3¾"; 4—Morgan (Rose) 151'; 5—Johnson (Bea) 149' 4"; 6—Roy (Stayton) 147'7¾".

Javelin—1—Francis (Med) 188'6½"; 2—Henderson (Drain) 164'8½"; 3—White (SH) 162' 8½"; 4—Clemens (Baker) 162'5½"; 5—Wayne (NB) 162'1¼"; 6—Berick (Gresh) 161'9".

CLASS "B" FINALS

High jump—1—Martin Sharp (Eagle Valley); 2—Vannice (Halsey); 3—six-way tie between Chappelle (Knappa); Wilson (Maupin); Whorton (Jefferson); Matheny (Lowell); Johnson (Monroe); Callender (Days Creek). Height 5'11¼". (New record. Old mark of 5'10½" set by Jim Bolter, Rogue River, in 1952).

Pole vault—1—three way tie between Ron Matheny (Lowell); S. T. Tiller (Monroe); Duane Chapman (Pilot Rock); 4—Bloomquist (Yoncalla); 5—four-way tie between Johnson (Wallowa); Lyon (Malin); Berhorst (St. Paul); Moyer (Mapleton). Height. 11'2".

CLASS "B" QUALIFYING

440—First heat: 1—Troutman (Concordia); 2—Vail (Gates). Time: 51.9. (New record. Old mark of 52.4 set by Dean Workman, Creswell, in 1952). Second heat: 1—Wolf (St. Paul); 2—Phillips (Rogue). Time: 55.0. Third heat: 1—Williams (Crane); 2—Pearce (Harrisburg). Time: 54.5.

Low hurdles—First heat: 1—Berhorst (St. Paul); 2—Lozier (Enterprise). Time: 21.0. Second heat: 1—Stanfield (Rogue); 2 — Bloomquist (Yoncalla). Time: 22.0. Third heat: 1 — Duncan (Moro); 2 — McGowan (Pilot Rock). Time: 20.9. (New record. Old mark of 21.0 set by Ken Aldrich (Union) in 1952. Also tied by Berhorst in first heat Friday).

Javelin—1—Bob Babb (Days Creek) 187'6⅝"; 2—McKinney (Union) 172'2"; 3—McCulloch (Merrill) 170'10"; 4—Ross (Mills City) 162'7"; 5—Headrick (Rogue) 154'11¼"; 6—Wilson (Maupin) 153'2½". (New record. Old mark of 171' 3½" set by Bill Henderson (Drain) in 1953).

High hurdles—First heat: 1—Duncan (Moro); 2—Lyon (Malin). Time: 16.0. Second heat: 1—Bloomquist (Yoncalla); 2—Connor (Philomath). Time: 16.0. Third heat: 1—Lozier (Enterprise); 2—Stautenberg (Jefferson). Time: 16.1.

100—First heat: 1—Madden (Malin); 2—Raines (Sisters). Time: 10.7. Second heat: 1-Horne (Pilot Rock); 2—Hoover (Rogue). Time: 10.4. Third heat: 1—Puckett (Cove); 2—Rice (Lowell). Time: 10.7.

Shot put—1—Gene McKinney (Union) 45'5⅜"; 2—Urback (Monroe) 45'3½"; 3 — Michael (Pilot Rock) 45'1½"; 4—Rice (Lowell) 44'1½"; 5—Hurberger (Rogue) 43'9⅞"; 6—Wall (Monroe) 43'3½".

220—First heat: 1—Vail (Gates); 2—Troutman (Concordia). Time: 23.3. Second heat: 1—Madden (Malin); 2—Puckett (Cove). Time: 23.5. Third heat: 1—Horne (Pilot Rock); 2—Williams (Crane). Time: 24.0.

Broad jump—1—Darrell Horne (Pilot Rock) 20'8¼"; 2—Duncan (Moro) 20' 5¼"; 3—Marsing (P.Valley) 19'7¼"; 4—Vail (Gates) 19'8¼"; 5—Farrell (Mapleton) 19'5¾; 6 — Stanfield (Rogue) 19'2¾".

880-yard relay—First heat: 1—Malin; 2—Lowell. Time: 1:37.9. Second heat: 1—Rogue River; 2—Mapleton. Time: 1:38.5. Third heat: 1—Pilot Rock; 2—Concordia. Time: 1:38.7.

Discus—1—Hurberger (Rogue) 137' 8½"; 2-Babb (Days Creek) 133'; 3—Farrell (Mapleton) 126' 9¼"; 4—Moldahan (Heppner) 124'9¼"; 5—Benner (Yoncalla) 122'11¼"; 6—McCulloch (Merrill) 122'¼".

DISTRICT PLAYOFF

Springfield Tops Willamette, 4-3

Springfield's Millers captured the District 5 prep baseball championship and claimed a berth in the state tournament next weekend at Albany when the 5-A-1 titlists defeated Willamette's 5-A-2 winners, 4-3, in the district playoff Friday afternoon on Willamette's diamond.

Coach John Young's Springfielders used a timely single for two runs in the top of the fourth inning and did the same thing in the fifth to decide the contest after Willamette's defending district champions had tallied twice in the first.

Vern Norris' ground single into left field produced the pair of runs that tied the score after Connie Moore singled to start the fourth-inning rally after one out. Moore moved to second on a wild pitch and to third on a passed ball. Willamette pitcher Bill DeYoung issued a walk to Earl Jaques, who romped to second while Moore was held at third. And then Norris connected.

Dwight Scroggins delivered the single that scored Larry Libby and Jim Miller with the go-ahead runs in the fifth. Libby had walked and then galloped to third when DeYoung threw Miller's bunt into the outfield in an attempt to get Libby at second. Scroggins sent his single into left-center to make it 4-2.

Coach Les Wright's Wolverines gained one run back in the bottom half of the inning but Springfield's Ted Davis, in his first starting performance of the season, pitched shutout ball in the final two innings to finish with a five-hit triumph. Roger Franklin scored Willamette's third and final run when he reached first on an error, was forced to second on a walk, and dashed home on Kenny Stoop's single.

Willamette had moved ahead with two in the first when Frank Jackson's single chased Franklin and Mike Keopp across the plate. A walk to Franklin, Keopp's single to left field, and DeYoung's infield single had loaded the bases.

Seven of the Millers managed a hit apiece off DeYoung, who had four strikeouts and walked two. Keopp also collected a double for two of the five blows yielded by Davis, who whiffed one and walked 3.

Box score:

SPRINGFIELD	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Dowdy, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Libby, 2b	1	1	0	0	2	1
Miller, lf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Scroggins, 1b	4	0	1	12	0	1
Cyphert, c	3	0	0	5	0	1
Moore, ss	3	1	1	0	5	0
Jaques, cf	2	1	1	2	0	0
Norris, 3b	2	0	1	1	1	0
Davis, p	3	0	1	0	3	0
Total	26	4	7	21	11	3

WILLAMETTE	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Franklin, ss	2	2	0	0	2	1
Foster, 2b	2	0	0	3	2	0
Keopp, lf	1	1	2	2	0	0
Stoop, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
DeYoung, p	3	0	1	0	4	1
Jackson, c	3	0	1	6	0	0
Rettinger, 3b	3	0	0	2	0	0
Mathews, 1b	2	0	0	7	0	0
Holtz, cf	3	0	0	2	1	0
Total	26	3	5	21	9	2

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Willamette .... 200 010 0—3

Winning Pitcher — Davis. Losing Pitcher—DeYoung.

Pitcher	IP	AB	H	R	ER	SO	BB
Davis	7	26	5	3	2	1	3
DeYoung	7	28	7	4	3	4	2

Wild Pitches — DeYoung. Passed Balls — Jackson. Left on Bases — Springfield 5, Willamette 6. Two-Base Hits—Keopp. Runs Batted In—Norris 2, Scroggins 2, Jackson 2, Stoop. Sacrifice — Foster, Libby, Norris. Stolen Bases—Jaques, Mathews, Jackson 2. Double Plays—Rettinger unassisted; Foster-Mathews; Holtz-Mathews. Time—1:50. Umpires — Johnson and Cernecchia.

Huskies Near Tennis Title

PULLMAN, Wash. (AP)—Washington virtually won the Northern Division tennis tournament crown on the first day of play Friday, sweeping all four players into the singles semi-finals.

The Huskies accumulated 14 points before rain washed out most of the second-round doubles matches. Oregon State had four, Oregon three, Washington State two and Idaho one.

Ray Albano of Washington had the hardest time reaching the singles semi-finals, finally beating Bill Myers, WSC, 6-4, 7-5.

The quarter-final doubles were to be caught up Saturday morning and the semi-final and championship matches in all divisions played during the day.

Second round singles:

Norm Merrill (OSC) d. Dick Gray (O) 6-2, 2-6, 6-2; Bill Myers (WSC) d. Dave Commins (I) 6-3, 6-0; Ron Carlson (O) d. Dick Jacke (OSC) 6-2, 7-5; Jack Bannister (WSC) d. Sunny Long (I) 6-1, 6-2; Terry Clifford (WSC) d. Dick Hamilton (O) 6-3, 6-2; Pete Overton (OSC) d. Keith Spencer (I) 6-1, 6-2; Dan Lim (W) d. Bob Baker (O) 6-3, 6-0; Bob Jensen (OSC) d. Barry Rust (I) 6-2, 6-1. Quillian was first seeded, Perkins second and Albano third.

Women Meet For Softball

Reorganization of the women's section of the Oregon State Softball Association will be the main topic of the section's first meeting of the season at 12:30 p.m. Sunday at Eugene's City Hall.

Oregon women's softball in previous years, outside of the Portland area, has had no definite organization other than that provided by the Portland group. Its rapid growth throughout the state has convinced softball officials that it should be part of the state association, according to state president Ralph Guynes, who will preside at Sunday's session.

Also of prime importance at the meeting will be discussion concerning selection of a site for the 1955 women's state tourney. Softball groups from Eugene, defending champion Klamath Falls, and Roseburg have indicated interest to host the event.

American Net Stars In Tourney Semifinals

WIESBADEN, Germany (P)—Vic Seixas of Philadelphia and Herb Flam of Beverly Hills, Calif., Saturday occupied berths in the semi-finals of the Wiesbaden Tennis Tournament. Davis Cup star Tony Trabert of Cincinnati was bounced out of the tournament Friday by Armando Sirola of Italy.

Mrs. Meador Low Net

KLAMATH FALLS—Mrs. Tom Meador of the Eugene Country Club won low net award in the Willamette Valley golf tournament here this week with a 95-17—78.

Prep Berths Closing Up

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Only two class A high school baseball tournament berths remained vacant after Friday night's games.

Springfield, Albany, Central Catholic of Portland and Oregon City won district championships.

Albany edged Prineville 3-2 in district 8.

Central Catholic shut out Banks 4-0 in district 3.

Springfield's 4-3 win over Willamette of Eugene gave the Millers the district 5 tournament berth.

Oregon City blanked Mt. Angel 11-0 in the district 4 title game.

Columbia Prep and Cleveland, both of Portland, qualified for next week's tournament at Albany by posting victories Thursday.

In class B action Echo, the 7-B champion defeated Adrian, the 8-B titlist, 10-5 to join Talent in the state tourney. Talent, the 5-B winner, earlier beat Moro for the playoff berth.

Torrid Mat Match At Armory Tonight

A newly developed but a torrid wrestling feud will feature the weekly mat show at the Armory Saturday night, featuring Georges Dusette and Eric "the Great" Pedersen. The two battled to a riotous brawl in Portland earlier in the week, and Dusette will be seeking revenge.

Opening the show at 8:30 p.m. will be a bout between Bob Fletcher and Danny O'Rourke. Semi final attraction will be Mr. Sakata, the Japanese villain, and Jerry Woods, touted grappler from [illegible].

Atkinson Wins Four

NEW YORK (P)—Teddy Atkinson booted home four winners on the Belmont Park racing card Friday. He scored on Bay Tarquin ($7.70), Postal ($15.40), Illusionist ($10.60) and Mandinga ($5.80).

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