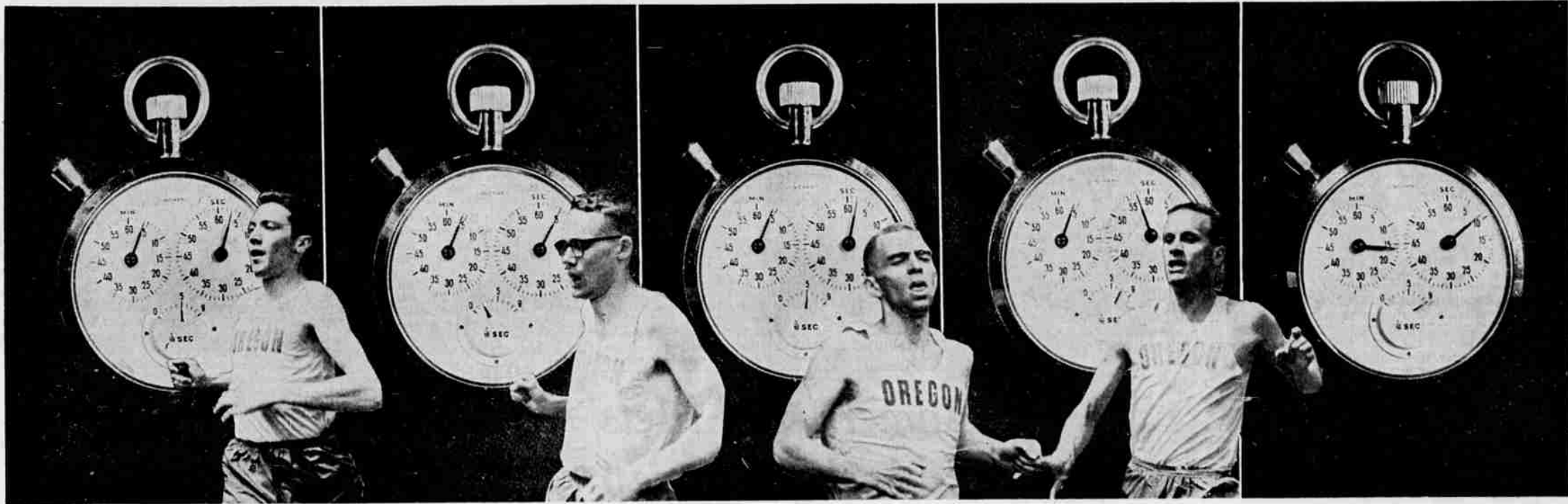


Oregon Snaps World Four-Mile Relay Mark



Archie San Romani (4:03.5)

Vic Reeve (4:05.2)

Keith Forman (4:02.5)

Dyrol Burleson (3:57.7)

Oregon (16:08.9)

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Corey's Kick the Difference

Varsity Edges Alumni, 7-6

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Oregon's 1962 varsity football team wouldn't have impressed the Texas and Ohio State teams the Webfoots will play next fall — on the strength of its 7-6 victory over the Oregon Alumni team Saturday on Hayward Field. A crowd estimated at 5,000 watched the third annual Alumni-Varsity game that climaxed spring practice for the Webfoots. The Alumni won the first game 13-12 and last year the Webfoots won 27-6.

Coach George Shaw's Alumni aggregation, with Jack Morris as first assistant, scored early in the second quarter on a quarterback sneak by Jack Crabtree, "Player of the Game" in the 1958 Rose Bowl, from a half-yard out. Roger Daniels missed the placement.

Coach Len Casanova's Webfoots, with five quarterbacks in action among the 35 players in service, won by a whisker. Lu Bain, slanted off his right tackle for eight yards and the touchdown in the third quarter. Buck Corey kicked the extra point.

The Alumni, with 39 players in action, missed two field goal opportunities in the first and fourth periods. Daniels' first attempt was from the 25-yard line, the second from the 16. Actually the Alumni won the battle of statistics, except punting. Ron Snidow averaged 44.2 yards but Monte Brethauer, a 1952 grad whose last season in football was with the Baltimore Colts in 1955, was a bit rusty at 31 yards of age.

18 Completions

Quarterbacks Dave Grosz and Crabtree riddled the Oregon defense with 18 completions for 197 yards.

Casanova admitted after the game, "We didn't work much on pass defense this spring," although Larry Hill, junior halfback, was awarded a trophy at halftime for defensive work during the spring, including pass defense.

"They (the Alumni) had good pass protection, with those big guys up front like (Riley) Mattson, (Ron) Anderson, (Darrell) Aschbacher, (Bob) Grottkau,

(Al) Weigel, (Jack) Patena, and (John) Wilcox. I was disappointed with our tackling," Cas said.

Asked about the quarterbacking, Cas said "Doug Post has had a year of experience and that helps. (Bob) Berry looked good at times." Cas said he seemed to be reasonably well satisfied with the game.

"I'll have to go in and talk to my boys," Shaw said. "This has been a long season. Those one-point losses kill you." The quarterback for the Minnesota Vikings of the National Football League said some of the offensive maneuvers were Minnesota plays, "but actually the offense was a bit of everything in view of the fact that we both knew rather well what the other team would do both on offense and defense."

Asked his opinion of the Oregon Varsity, Shaw said, "I was impressed with (Steve) Barnett and Bain and I think Oregon will have a good team. With (Mel) Renfro in the lineup there will be a big difference." While the Alumni threatened

with the two field-goal opportunities, they also had the ball on the Varsity 10-yard line before Crabtree passed the 5 and returned 31 yards in the second quarter; on the Varsity 35-yard line before Berry intercepted a

	A	V
First downs	21	10
Rushing yardage	121	138
Passing yardage	197	49
Passes intercepted by	18-35	5-14
Punts	2-23	4-44
Fumbles lost	0	4
Penalties	1-5	2-8

Grosz pass on the nine-yard line and returned 22 yards in the third period; and in the final period had a first down on the Varsity 19.

The Varsity had the ball on the Alumni 20 in the first period, on the 25 in the second and on the 12 in the fourth period without scoring.

Jim Shanley, who looked like the Rose Bowl he was instead of a veteran coach at Highline (Seattle) High, was the leading ground gainer with 51 yards. Dave Grayson, "Back of the Game" in the 1960 Liberty Bowl, had 31 and also caught six passes for 38 yards. Mickey Bruce caught four passes for 80 yards. Grosz completed 12 of 22 and Crabtree 6 of 13.

Balanced Gaining

Oregon had balanced ground gaining from four backs, Bain the leader with 35 yards and sophomore Chuck Miller from Lebanon 30.

Post and Berry completed only one pass each, Ron Veres leading the aerial fireworks for the Varsity with 3 out of 5 for 35 yards. End Paul Burleson was the leading receiver, taking two for 26 yards.

Despite a heavy rain an hour before game time, the turf was in good shape. Mickey Bruce, after taking a pin-pointed pass from Grosz in the fourth quarter, went 39 yards before slipping on the Varsity 38. It was the longest gain of the day. Second longest was a 31-yard pass-interference penalty against the Varsity in the second quarter that gave the Alumni first down on the Varsity 38.

One of the loudest cheers came from the "Paddock Club" section where 30-year-old Wayne Johnson caught an 11-yard pass from Grosz in the fourth quarter.

Keith DeCoursey, Emmett Williams, and Darrell Robinson, members of the 1949 Cotton Bowl team, performed well for the Alumni despite being at the ripe old ages of 37, 34, and 34, respectively. John Reed was the next oldest at 32.

No varsity players were injured during the rugged contest, but Jack Patena of the Alumni suffered a broken right ankle and Bob Grottkau reinjured his left knee.

Varsity 7-6
Alumni 6-7

ALUM—Crabtree 1/4 run (kick failed).
VAR—Bain 5 run (Corey kick).
Officials: Referee—Tony Amato; Umpire—Jerry Laurens; Field Judge—John Jones; Head Linesman—Pat Wehlers; Back Judge—Jack Leitch.

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Oregon Rolls To 98-46 Win In Dual Meet

Washington Wins Only Four Events

SEATTLE — Oregon won all but four events Saturday to beat Washington's Huskies 98-46 in a dual track and field meet.

Five meet records and one stadium record fell as the Ducks, with some of their best performers passing up this meet in favor of the West Coast Relays, swept to victory.

Oregon's Sig Ohlemann and Jerry Close bettered their own meet marks. Ohlemann clipped 2.1 seconds off the 880-yard run mark he set last year when he finished the distance Saturday in 1:50.1. Close sailed 24 feet 2 1/2 inches in the broad jump to better his 23-9 1/4 record set last year.

John Cramer, Washington pole vaulter, set a meet and stadium record when he sailed 15-3 1/4. Cramer held both the stadium record of 15-1 1/2, set earlier this year, and the meet record of 14-10, which he set last year.

Oregon's Mike Gaechter finished the 220-yard low hurdles in 23.2 seconds to better the 23.5 mark set by Mack Robinson of Oregon in 1938. The other meet record came in the mile relay where Oregon's team finished in 3:16.1 to better 1961's 3:17.2 mark, also set by Oregon.

440 Relay—1, Oregon (Mel Renfro, Jim Puckett, Mike Gaechter, Sig Ohlemann, 4:15. 2, Washington, 4:22. 3, Ron Gomez, Ore., 3:54-1/2.

Broad Jump—1, Jerry Close, Ore., 24-2 1/2. (New meet record. Old mark of 23-9 1/4 set by Close in 1960). 2, Mel Renfro, Ore., 23-4 1/4. 3, Nelson Shinnick, Wash., 21-1 1/4.

440—1, Clayton Steinke, Ore., 4:13. 2, Larry Seferovich, Wash., 4:15. 3, Barry Adams, Ore., 4:15. 4, 4, Larry Turnbull, Wash., 4:24. 2, Clint Peoples, Wash., 5:07. 3, Ed Angilante, Ore., 5:09.

100—1, Jerry Plowman, Wash., 9.7. 2, Jim Puckett, Ore., 9.8. 3, Ron Lim, Wash., 10.2.

Pole Vault—1, John Cramer, Wash., 15-3 1/4. (New meet and stadium records. Old meet mark of 14-10 set in 1961 and old stadium mark of 15-1 1/2 set in 1962, both by Cramer). 2, Marty Frank, Ore., 14-4. No third.

High Hurdles—1, Mike Gaechter, Ore., 23.2. 2, Mike Lehner, Ore., 23.5. 3, Mike Thrall, Wash., 24.1.

Two Mile—1, Mike Lehner, Ore., 9:27. 2, Larry Seferovich, Wash., 9:31. 3, Knut Frostad, Wash., 9:41.2.

Mile Relay—1, Oregon (Ed Angilante, Ted Abram, Jim Puckett, Sig Ohlemann), 3:16.1. (New meet record. Old mark of 3:17.2 set by Oregon in 1961). 2, Washington, 3:18.2.

Total score: Oregon 98, Washington 46.

Forman Mile Winner With 4:00.7 Clocking

FRESNO, Calif. (Special) — An almost incredible effort by the University of Oregon—and an equally fantastic anchor leg by Dyrol Burleson—has left the world four-mile relay record in shambles.

And, if the 16:08.9 clocking in the relay event was not enough, Keith Forman—who ran 4:02.5 in the relay—narrowly missed becoming a member of the four-minute club eight hours later when he ran 4:00.7. The Duck, four-time anchor, anchored by Burleson's 3:57.7, shaved nearly 15 seconds off the existing world record as Webfoot distance stars stole the show in the 36th annual West Coast Relays.

Few doubted that the Ducks would break the record—maybe not Saturday but eventually.

Four milers from the same campus broke a record in an event that has been dominated by national teams. A New Zealand team held the mark of

16:23.8. Before Burleson came home with his sub-four-minute effort, lead-off Archie San Romani ran 4:03.5, Vic Reeve 4:05.2 and Forman the 4:02.5.

16:29.3 Last Year

It was in this same meet a year ago that Oregon set its sights on the world record. With George Larson running then instead of San Romani, the Ducks set a United States record of 16:29.3.

A crowd of 10,000 watched the world record in near ideal weather. It had rained during the night but the track had dried sufficiently to make it fast for the noon start.

There was little doubt as the race progressed that the record was certain to fall. The excitement built up as Burleson, American record-holder at 3:57.6, took the baton.

The Cottage Grove senior ripped off the first lap in 57

seconds and explained later that he ran that fast "because I was excited."

'Good Team Effort'

"It was such a good team effort, and the other three had done so well," said Burleson, "I just really wanted to go out there."

Burleson then slowed his pace to 60.3 and 62.1 for the next two laps and came in with a 58.5 last lap and, in the process, lapped the anchor man for Western Michigan.

The Michigan team, the only other team in the much-publicized event, finished in 17:24.5. San Romani, son of the famed Kansas miler of the 1930s, let Jerry Bashaw of Western Michigan set the pace for two laps. Then he moved out and led by 100 yards at the mile.

From then on it was the Webfoots running on their own.

Snell Ran 4:01.2

The New Zealand team, with Peter Snell—who later set a world mile record of 3:54.4—running a 4:01.2, ran the 4:23.8 in Dublin, Ireland, last summer. Murray Halberg, last year's Barry Magee had a 4:07.2 and Gary Philpott a 4:12.9 in that record run.

Once there was a bad pass Saturday, that in the handoff from Reeve to Forman. Then Forman ran his fastest ever—until later that evening. It was Reeve's and San Romani's best effort ever.

Snell will fly to California later this month. And there is a possibility Burleson may run against the New Zealand star.

"If he's at Modesto for the California Relays," said the Oregon miler, "I want to run against him. He's the world champion and I don't have anything to lose."

Many expected Burleson would take a crack at four minutes in the open mile.

But Forman, whose previous best was 4:05.2 in the NCAA a year ago, simply ran away from the field in turning in the fastest flat mile by a collegian this year.

His lap times were 60.9, 59.9, 61.1 and then 58.8.

Biggers Sets Pace

Harold Biggers of Fresno State set the pace for a half-mile with Close right on his heels. Then Forman took over. Harlan Andrews of the Stanford Frosh, former North Eugene runner, was 10th.

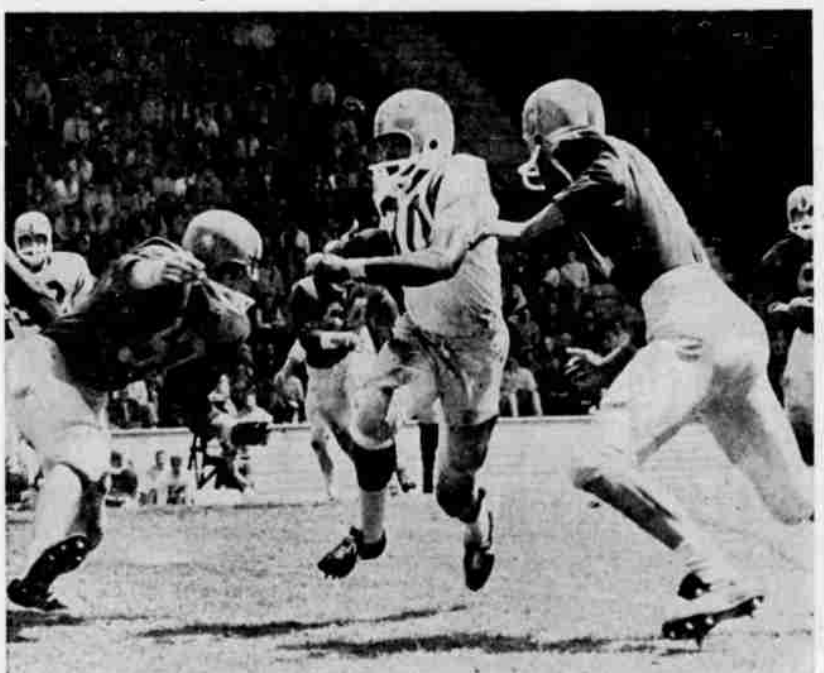
● Oregon sprinter Harry Jerome did it again—9.3 in winning the 100. He had a 9.9 mile-an-hour wind behind his back, however.

● And Jerry Tarr, another Oregon star and the defending NCAA high hurdles champion, ran 13.7 in winning the event. The wind was less than three miles an hour.

When the wind and cold weather sprung up in the evening, Oregon scratched its distance medley team that was trying for more records. UCLA won the event in 9:50.4, far off the best Oregon effort.

Roscoe Cook, an ex-Oregon sprinter, ran fifth in the century in 9.5.

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Grayson Goes

Speedy halfback Dave Grayson of the Dallas Texans and the Oregon Alumni races between two Webfoot varsity defenders during Saturday's Varsity-Alumni football game at Hayward Field. Rich Dixon, left, and Dick Imwalle, right, close in on the fleet halfback while Ed Thomas, 64, and Mick Ordling, 67, watch in the background. The varsity won 7-6.

Johnson Keeps World Crown

PHILADELPHIA — Harold Johnson speared Doug Jones with an accurate jab and shook up the challenger with quick counter flurries Saturday night to hold his ever-growing share of the world light heavyweight title on a unanimous decision in 15 rounds. The bout was marred by fighting after the bell in at least three rounds.

Johnson played his usual cat-and-mouse game, stabbing with a left while waiting for an opening to throw those quick combinations.

Jones, a 2-1 underdog, kept wading in under constant counter fire, but he did not have enough experience to cope with his 33-year-old opponent.

All three officials had Johnson a lopsided winner in this match witnessed by 5,137 fans paying \$31.784.

Referee Dave Beloff scored it 74-61, judge Nick Spane saw it 71-63 and judge Zack Clayton had it 73-64, all in favor of the Philadelphia veteran.

They fought after the bell in the fifth and again in the seventh. Then in the 11th when Johnson battered Jones to the ropes and started to throw heavy punishment at him, they kept going for several seconds after the bell rang.

Referee Beloff said "both boys were overanxious. They just didn't hear the bell. After awhile I stepped in between them to be sure. Certainly I heard the bell."