

Webfoot Quartet Goes for Record

By HAL WOOD
Fresno, Calif. (UPI)—University of Oregon, boasting the greatest quartet of millers ever attending one college at the same time, goes after the world four-mile relay mark Saturday noon in the West Coast Relays.

It's the kick-off of the 36th annual track and field carnival which boasts the slogan that this is where world records are broken.

Headlining the fearsome foursome of Webfoots is Daryl Burleson, who has bettered the four-minute barrier. His best time this year is a nice 4:01.2. Archie San Romani, son of a one-time great track star at USC, has been clocked in 4:03.8. Vic Reeve in 4:05.5 and Keith Forman 4:06.2.

If they all get together on a best time they could crack the world mark set by the New Zealand team led by Peter Snell and Murray Halberg, which is 16:23.8.

The track is fast, as usual, for this year's meet. The weather man says the temperatures will be between 70 and 80, with a slight wind of 5-10 miles an hour.

Early Feature
The four-mile relay event will be the early feature of the show. During the night events, the only two men in history ever to clear the 16-foot mark will tangle for the first time.

They are the Marines, John Uelses and David Tork, and their battle may last through most of the night. Besides these two high-flying performers, there are at least a half dozen others who have cleared 15 feet or better—higher was a magic height just a few years ago.

The 100-yard dash also shapes up as a dandy, with Harry Jerome, the Canadian from Oregon; Larry Dunn of Arizona and Dennis Johnson of San Jose State all having been clocked in 9.3—a tenth of a second off the world record.

There's a seven-foot high jumper in the competition, too, in the person of Gene Johnson of California; Dallas Long, the USC ace, will be tossing out past the 60-foot mark in the shot; and Jay Silvester of Fort Ord and Rink Babka will be gunning

for that elusive 200-foot mark in the discus.
The Webfoot team also will take a shot at the distance medley record of 9:35 set by the Santa Clara Valley Youth Village in 1960. Oregon set a collegiate record of 9:34.2 in that event earlier this year.

The other Oregon runner competing will be defending NCAA champion Jerry Tarr in the high hurdles.

Oregon State will enter a full team, headed by Dale Story, who is after a world's record in the 5,000 meters. Story is credited with the best three-mile time in the nation this spring, 13:41.5. The world's record is 13:35 by Vladimir Kuts of Russia in 1957.

The Beavers also may threaten some records in the 440, 880 and mile relays. Lynn Eves, Tom Boswell, Gary Comer and Bob Johnson will run the shortest event, with Norm Monroe replacing Boswell in the 880. John Bell may replace Eves in the mile relay, in which Oregon State has been clock in 3:10.4.

Izaak Waltons Will See Film On Rogue River
"Rogue River Country," a bureau of land management movie will be shown at the regular monthly meeting of the Jackson County chapter of the Izaak Walton league.

The meeting will be at 8 p.m., Monday, May 14, at the American Red Cross building. Robert Mahen, state game commission agent, will report on the game situation. A resolution will be presented concerning the opening date of the 1962 deer season.

The Rogue River film is 28 minutes long and is considered an excellent portrayal of the river.

Jackson County chapter will be the national delegates to the annual Waltonian convention at Portland June 20-23. The chapter board has proposed that Jack Hanel and Col. Paul Weiland be the representatives. Thursday activity of the convention will include a Bonneville dam tour.

Oregon Cinder Team Favored
Eugene (UPI)—Oregon's track and field team, despite having six of its top stars at the West Coast Relays in Fresno, is a heavy favorite to whip Washington at Seattle Saturday.

Coach Bill Bowerman will accompany the team to Seattle. Oregon will have half a dozen men in action in Seattle who have battered all-time Washington marks.



TRIES TRACK Kentucky Derby winner preparation for Preakness race on May 19. Decidedly, with exercise boy Oscar Bravo Trainer Horatio Luro rides alongside. (UPI) up, tries out Pimlico tracks at Baltimore in

SPORTS

Portland Staters Trim Red Raiders

Portland—Portland State college fortified its Oregon Collegiate conference baseball leadership Thursday by whipping Southern Oregon here 5 to 0.

It was the seventh league win against no losses for the Vikings. The loss gave SOC an 8-2 loop standing. The two clubs were to meet in a twin-bill today.

PSC collected four of its runs in the second inning on two bases on balls, a fielder's option, a single by Frank McCormick and a double by John Woodward.

Viking pitcher Gordon Reese held the Red Raiders to four hits. Dave Hughes got three of them in four times up and Damien Rossetto socked

the other. Reese fanned nine and walked three.

Portland got to SO tosser Earle Tichenor for nine hits in five innings plus. He walked four, hit one and fanned two. Marty Vogler allowed one safety the rest of the way. He whiffed three and issued no bases on balls.

McCormick knocked three hits and Reese two for Portland. Southern Oregon threatened in the ninth inning when it got the bases filled after two were out. Rossetto and Jess Munyon walked and Hughes singled. Paul Blinka fanned to end the game.

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Tichenor, Vogler (6) and Munyon, Reese, Stamos.

Von Goering Keeps Crown With Draw

Fritz Von Goering is still Northwest heavyweight wrestling champion today following the fluke ending of his match with Rocky Columbo at Medford armory last night.

With falls standing at one each, a near-riot resulted when Von Goering threw Columbo out of the ring and wouldn't let him back in. A retaliation, Columbo pulled the German out of the ring and they went at it furiously in the aisles.

Referee George Erickson of Grants Pass counted to 20, which is the maximum time allowed for a wrestler to return to the ring, and when they were still fighting among the spectators, he stopped the match and declared it a draw, since neither man had the required two-fall advantage.

Columbo had taken the first fall with a drop kick and body press in 10 minutes and Von Goering evened it five minutes later with a knee to Columbo's groin, a smash into a turnbuckle and a body press. During the second fall the lights went out momentarily and when they came back on Von Goering was choking Columbo, which settled him up considerably for the fall.

Two Substitutions

Although the card was a good one, judging from the reaction of the 538 paying customers, it was marred by two substitutions. Mr. Moto, scheduled to appear in the semi-windup, was injured Wednesday night and his place taken by Kurt Von Poppenheim. The veteran Portlander took two out of three falls from Dick Garza in a fast and rough match.

Von Poppenheim used a half crab to grab the first fall in 12 minutes but five minutes later Garza had evened things with a full nelson. Von Poppenheim needed six minutes to get the decider, using a body press after slowing the Michigan youngster with elbow smashes and chops

to the face.
Tito Kopa, who was to have met Shag Thomas in the opener, was ordered to bed with a high fever and Frenchy ReBerre of New Orleans took his place. Thomas won in 17 minutes with a shoulder stand and his cleverness and all-around ability indicated that he would be popular with the local fans.

There will be no card on May 24 because the armory is not available. Promoter Elton Owen said the next card is planned for June 7.

Arnold Palmer Leads Colonial

Fort Worth, Tex. (UPI)—Arnold Palmer, driving to perfection and putting nearly as well, nursed a one stroke lead into the second round of the Colonial National Invitation golf tournament today, hoping fate doesn't play an encore in his behalf.

Palmer, who has never finished better than sixth in this affair, led the opening round once before—in 1958 with a sizzling five-under-par record tying 65, only to fade to a 77 the following day and never get on speaking terms with par again to finish in a tie for 12th.

This time, he posted his sub-par 67 early Thursday afternoon and led the field shoot at it—in vain.

Three players—Gary Player, Doug Ford, and Bo Wininger came within a stroke of him with 68s, and five others nipped par by a stroke at 69—Johnny Pott, Tommy Jacobs, Jacky Cupit, Jack Nicklaus and Bill Collins.

Sailboat Races At Emigrant

Rogue Valley Yacht club will hold sailboat races again this Sunday at Emigrant. Competition again will be instructional.

Persons wishing to participate are asked to be at Cemetery Point at 2 p.m.

Girls' Baton Lessons To Be Taught at Y

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Paul Blinka Heads SOC In Batting

Ashland—Paul Blinka, freshman outfielder from Grants Pass, led the Southern Oregon College baseball team in hitting in games through May 8.

Blinka smacked three hits in five times up Tuesday against Oregon Tech to take over the leadership from Jess Munyon. Blinka, who leads the Raiders in home runs with three, had .385 in 11 games while Munyon had a .339 average in 19.

Another outfielder, junior Damien Rossetto, had batted eight hits in his last 14 at-bats to raise his season bat mark to .303 in 21 games. Rossetto led the men of SOC in hitting last season with a .400 mark.

Top Pitching
In pitching statistics, senior right-hander Earle Tichenor and hard-throwing junior Dave Hughes each had won four games and lost only once for the Raiders. Hughes, who fanned 13 Eastern Oregon batters in one game last week end, led the Raider mound corps in strike outs with 44 and had allowed only 15 hits in 40 1/3 innings pitched.

Hughes, who was sixth in hitting with a .282 average and the leader in runs-batted in with 18, also was sporting a fine 2.01 earned run average. Sophomore Wes Davidson is the team leader in the ERA department with a 1.77 mark in 20 1/3 innings.

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SOC STATISTICS:

Batting	AB	R	H	BI	Ave.
Blinka	26	11	10	7	.385
Munyon	62	12	21	10	.339
Rossetto	26	12	20	10	.303
Johnson	10	3	3	10	.300
Tichenor	10	1	3	0	.300
Hughes	78	15	22	18	.269
Vogler	78	15	18	10	.269
Jaquette	67	12	18	10	.269
Funderburg	37	11	15	14	.243
Franks	51	9	11	2	.216
Poff	23	4	4	1	.169
Link	19	1	1	1	.158
Bailey	32	8	8	7	.154
Vogler	2	1	0	0	.125
Burwell	2	1	0	0	.000
Davidson	7	0	0	0	.000
Holmes	2	0	0	0	.000
Carr	1	0	0	0	.000
Others	1	0	1	1	1.000
Totals	399	113	155	96	.261
Opponents	414	85	149	59	.235

Pitching

IP	ERA	SO	W	L	
Tichenor	24-1	3.00	17	4	1
Hughes	40-1	2.01	18	4	1
Johnson	25-1	4.27	22	3	1
Vogler	23	2.35	23	2	1
Davidson	20-1	1.77	14	1	1
Carr	3	0.00	4	0	0
Burwell	10-2	8.43	4	0	2
Totals	181-2	2.57	127	14	7
Opponents	135-1	4.82	63	7	14

Kart Races On Sunday

Races will be conducted May 13, at the Medford Kart-ways track.

Gates will open at 11:30 a.m. and the track at noon. Time trials are planned for 1 p.m. with the first race as soon as possible after that.

Trophies will be offered in each class with three karts to make up a class. Owners of bushing Karts and any others are wanted and welcome. All eligible karts will be entered in the races.

Further information can be obtained from Dick Florey, president of Medford Go-Kart club (SPRING 3-1121) or Rob Austin, secretary (SPRING 3-1509).

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SOC Raiders Meet OTI At Klamath

Ashland—This afternoon in Klamath Falls the Southern Oregon Red Raider thinclads went after their fifth dual triumph of the season when they tangled with the Oregon Tech Owls on Modoc Field.

Central Oregon from Bend also was to have competed to form a three-way tussle with the two rival Oregon Collegiate Conference schools.

The once-beaten charges of Dan Bulkley will compete in the Conference track and field meet next Saturday at Monmouth and on Saturday, May 26, the will again vie at Monmouth in the finals of the District 2 NAIA meet.

Southern Oregon has already beaten the OTI Owls once this season, 103 to 23, while in dual engagements between the two schools over the past 10 meets since 1955, the Raiders have won six out of the ten. Bulkley's crew won 103 to 28 and 108 to 23 last year, and now have won the last four meets in a row.

Also, the Raiders have cracked the century barrier in dual competition twice this spring. They lost their only match of the season to Humboldt State, 66 to 65, but came back the same week to blast Oregon College, 112 to 19.

Bulkley predicted Thursday that the Raider lineup for today's test would be "juggled somewhat," mainly in the running events where the Ashlanders claim the most strength and depth.

"I tried to hold down the score against OCE by switching the lineup around," said Bulkley, "but that didn't work. So, I'll try it again with OTI."

"Either way," he went on, "it's good work for all the team members. And that's what we need to be ready for the conference meet next week end."

Southern Oregon College golf squad, also to Klamath Falls for a dual match with Oregon Tech. Reames Golf and Country Club course.

Rogue Loop Trackmen Meet; Medford Will Contend at GP; Crater Travels To Klamath

ORDER OF EVENTS:
(Morning)
10 a.m.—Javelin, pole vault, high jump finals.
10:30—High hurdle preliminaries.
10:45—100-yard dash preliminaries; shot put, broad jump, discus finals.
11 a.m.—Low hurdle preliminaries.
11:30—220 dash preliminaries.
(Afternoon Finals)
1:30—High hurdles.
1:45—100.
1:55—Mile.
2:10—440.
2:30—Low hurdles.
2:45—220.
3 p.m.—880.
3:15 p.m.—Relay.

Prep track and field action will be on three fronts in southern Oregon on Saturday and will involve seven A-2 schools and four A-1s.

The A-2s will collide through the day Saturday at Southern Oregon College in Ashland in the Rogue league meet. This will also be the southern division meet of District 6 A-2 with qualifying for the full district meet on the following week end.

Medford high goes to Grants Pass and Crater to Klamath Falls. Freshmen teams of Crater and KF also vie.

In the Rogue meet Lakeview is the defender. Other entrants are Phoenix, St. Mary's of Medford, Eagle Point, Rogue River and Illinois Valley. Lakeview looks strong again. Most of the other schools, however, have threats in the various events. No matter how the team scoring comes out, the district berths may be well district.

Grants Pass Favored
First three placers in each event qualify for district.

Grants Pass is favored over Medford and Crater over Klamath.

GP and Medford have loomed as the top track and field aggregation in this area of the state. The Cavemen have already shown their heels to other schools of the area and are figured to have

too much for the Tornado with their depth of talent.

Tornado cause, too, may be hurt by injury of its top point producer, Jim Hill. He pulled a hamstring muscle against Klamath Falls last week. Coach Ben Benson said that he would not run Hill, dashman and broad jumper if the leg hurts at all. The mentor wants Hill in the best shape possible for the forthcoming district meet. Still having leg trouble, too, is Lloyd Hammons, Medford, pole vaulter.

Battles Possible

If Hill is healthy, he'll battle with GP's Dennis Patterson in the dashes and Dennis O'Leary with Medford teammate Scott Eaton in the broad jump. Hammons would go up against the Cavemen's strong pole vault combine in the likes of Gary and Vic Van Kotten and Dan McIntire.

Medford's Dennis Brumback and Hi Martin will likely battle GP's Lyons and Doyon in the mile and there will be a battle of sub two-minute half-milers among Steve Toews and Jim Snodgrass, Medford, and Leroy Montgomery, Grants Pass.

In the high hurdles, Eaton will face the Cavemen's O'Leary and Dick Wilson and in the high jump he'll meet Bob Shepard. The Cavemen

high jumper has cleared 6-3 1/4. Eaton has come close to 6-3.



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