

Oregon Teams Split . . .

OSC Victor, Ducks Setback

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Oregon State defeated Northwestern Wednesday night but Oregon lost to Michigan and Thursday the Pacific Coast Conference pre-season basketball record against non-league opponents stood at 14 wins and 23 losses.

The victories, in addition to Oregon State's 63-51 triumph, included Stanford's 56-55 squeaker Wednesday night over Dartmouth; Southern California's 64-49 defeat of Santa Clara; and California's 64-59 upending of Arizona State of Tempe.

Among the debits was Idaho's 75-62 loss to Washington University of St. Louis—the Vandals' sixth defeat in seven starts, including four on their road trip—and Oregon's 81-71 setback against Michigan.

Washington and Washington State, also touring the East, top scheduled PCC action Thursday night. The Washington Huskies, who have lost to Kansas State

and St. Louis, are at Columbus to play Ohio State. WSC tackles Tulane at New Orleans.

REBOUNDS

The Oregon Webfoots, who got by Northwestern, 85-81 in the tourney opener Tuesday night at Corvallis, couldn't cope with Michigan's Ron Kramer. Wednesday night and bowed, 81-71, in the finale at Eugene. Kramer scored 39 points, many of them at crucial moments, and grabbed rebounds when they hurt. Michigan led from early in the game but Oregon tied the score four times in the second half. The last deadlock was at 55-53 late in the game but Kramer and Tom Jorgensen teamed in a rally that put the Wolverines in front 72-61 with less than 5 minutes to go. Max Anderson topped Oregon scoring with 24 points. Jorgensen had 22 for Michigan.

Oregon State fought off Northwestern rallies to make it two straight over Big Ten opponents.

The Staters beat Michigan, 74-71, Tuesday night.

Against Northwestern, OSC pulled away at the start, led 36-27 at the half, but had to corral Don Mast, Northwestern guard who scored 32 points, to preserve the victory.

Mast led the Wildcats from a 55-43 deficit with less than 5 minutes to go to a 55-55 tie at 3:10. Three free throws put OSC ahead again and the Beavers managed to save the margin although pressed.

RAN AWAY

At St. Louis, Idaho made the game interesting until the last 10 minutes when Washington U. took charge and ran away from the Vandals. The Bears had a 15-point lead midway of the second half when Idaho applied the pressure and tied it 49-49 with 11 minutes remaining. Idaho sophomore Jim Brannon fouled out at this point and Washington ran off to a 75-57 margin.

At San Francisco's Cow Palace, Stanford's Indians lost an early lead but stood off Dartmouth 55-55 and snapped a five-game winning streak owned by the East-erners. Stanford had a lead of 10 points at one time in the second half. Dartmouth's 6-foot-8 Jim Francis was high point man with 22; Stanford's Barry Brown got 21.

In the second Cow Palace game, Southern California had no trouble to speak of beating Santa Clara of the California Basketball Assn. 64-49. USC had a 30-23 halftime lead. High point honors were shared at 15 by USC's Larry Hauser, and Santa Clara's Rich Montgomery and Gary Gillmor.

At Tempe, Ariz., the touring California Bears took control in the last four minutes for a 64-59 victory over Arizona State at Tempe. Arizona State guard Dave Graybill got 17; California's Earl Robinson hit 15.

Basketball SCORES

COLLEGE BASKETBALL
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Wednesday's Results
FAR WEST

Oregon State 63, Northwestern 51; Michigan 81, Oregon 71; Washington U. (St. Louis) 75, Idaho 62; Gonzaga 93, Carroll, Mont. College 65; Stanford 55, Dartmouth 55; Southern California 64, Santa Clara 49; Denver 63, Iowa State 62; California 64, Arizona State (Tempe) 59; Colorado State 46, Wayne (Neb.) 61; Pueblo JC 63, Air Force Academy 60.

EAST
Seton Hall 61, Colby 54; Brooklyn College 53, Brandeis 79; CUNY 79, Queens (NY) 67; Geneva 63, Carnegie Tech 66.

SOUTH
N.C. State 95, Brigham Young 81; Mississippi 80, Southeastern Louisiana 65.

MIDWEST
Michigan State 84, Notre Dame 78; Kansas 62, Southern Methodist 58; Vanderbilt 65, Nebraska 48; Louisville 81, Marquette 68; Cincinnati 87, DePaul 58; DePaul 84, Wayland (Tex.) 56; Phillips Oilers 82, Arkansas 58.

SOUTHWEST
Rice 82, Auburn 80 (two overtimes); Houston 82, Kansas State 79; Memphis State 98, Arizona 92.

TOURNAMENTS
Kentucky Invitational
Dayton 89, Kentucky 74 (championship); Minnesota 90, Utah 77 (for third); Carrousel at Charlotte, N.C.

Wake Forest 98, Clemson 79 (championship); Colgate 87, Tennessee 83 (for third); Miss State 79, Florida State 71 (overtime, for fifth); Boston Univ. 87, Davidson 69 (for seventh).

Playoff Ducat Sale Booming

LOS ANGELES (U.P.) — Officials of the National Football League set up shop Thursday and it's a safe bet one of the first matters to intrigue them is the condition of the treasury for Monday's title game between the defending champion Cleveland Browns and the Rams of Los Angeles.

Daniel F. Reeves, chief owner of the Rams, could give them good news. Advance sale for the nationally televised struggle is the highest in the club's history.

The exact status of the box office was not disclosed to the public, but chances are bright that the record for a league playoff game receipts will be exceeded.

The mark is \$5,346 persons established when the New York Giants and the Chicago Bears met in the Polo Grounds in 1946.

Cleveland's Rams approached this in their championship game here in 1951, when attendance was 57,522.

If good weather continues, both marks should be smashed. The surprising Rams are a hot article in this football-conscious town.

Coach Sid Gillman is still planning to use a transplanted tackle, Bob Cross, as offensive center, a position Cross has never played.

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Jim Pollard Nervous, But Personal Success

By OSCAR FRALEY

United Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK (U.P.)—Big Jim Pollard is statistically nervous today but happy in the knowledge that he is a "personal success."

Pollard is the former pro star with the Minneapolis Lakers who this year became coach of the La Salle College basketball team. His legs were "wearing out," and he always had wanted to coach.

But the former Stanford star picked himself a dilly.

He went to La Salle, which just had lost one of the greatest collegiate players in history, a fellow named Tom Gola. With the gaudy Gola at the helm, La Salle had won the National Invitation Tournament in 1951 and the NCAA in 1954.

When Gola left, so did Coach Ken Loeffler, who took up residency at Texas A & M.

It had to be more than coincidence, for Loeffler at one stage of the Gola career announced vociferously that he had "one player and four students."

Ohio State Cager Heads Point Ladder

NEW YORK (U.P.)—Sharp-shooting Robin Freeman scored 79 points against two of Ohio State's opponents during the past week to move 25 points ahead of defending champion Darrell Floyd of Furman today in major college basketball's individual scoring race.

Freeman canned 40 points against Oklahoma and 39 against St. Louis to up his season total to 189 points in five games for a 37.8 average according to statistics released today by the National Collegiate Athletic Assn. Floyd scored 34 points during the same period against Wake Forest and the Citadel. The Furman star has 157 points in five games for a 31.4 average.

Dan Swertz of Morehead State has an even 30 point per game average and is the only other player to reach or top that mark this week.

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BOWLING

AUTOMOTIVE LEAGUE

	W	L
Basin Motors	44	16
Lorenz Co.	35	24
Motor Investment	35	25
Commercial Shell	33	27
Quaker State Oil	32	28
Valveria's Union	31	29
Balinger Motors	30	30
Wende Buick	28	32
Pacific Fruit	25	37
Eastside 2 Motor Investment	23	37
Carlson Mattress	16	44

Last night's results:
Basin 4 Jim Wende 0
Round-Up 4 Basin's Fountain 1
Specialized 3 Quaker State 1
Balinger 3 Halverson's 1
Eastside 2 Motor Investment 2
Lorenz 3 Pacific Fruit 1

High team game—Basin Motors 850
High team series—Specialized Service 2088
High individual game—Tom Ridenour 535
High individual series—Frank Eberlein 595

MINOR CLASSIC LEAGUE

	W	L
Bob and Polly's Ice Cream	37	24
Round-Up Tavern	34	26
Grems Mfg. 1 Landry Insurance	32	28
Al Longe Realtor	25	37

Last night's results:
Bob and Polly's 3 Al Longe 1
Round-Up 4 Basin's Fountain 1
Grems Mfg. 1 Landry Insurance 3

High team game—Landry Insurance 912
High team series—Landry Insurance 2372
High individual game—Virgil Tuter 214
High individual series—Ray Beard 590

MAJOR CLASSIC LEAGUE

	W	L
Haley Haverford	35	22
Davis Associated	32	24
M. L. Johnson Ins.	32	24
Pelican Motors	30	26
Oregon Women	26	30
Sixth Street Oxygen	19	41

Last night's results:
Oregon Women 1 Johnson 3
Sixth Street 1 Haley 3
Davis Associated 6 Pelican 4

High team game—Pelican Motors 985
High team series—Pelican Motors 2795
High individual game—Ed McConnell 549
High individual series—Ed McConnell 653

ICE HOCKEY
Wednesday's Results
WESTERN LEAGUE
Seattle 5, New Westminster 3
Edmonton 3, Saskatoon 0
Calgary 5, Regina 0

NATIONAL LEAGUE
New York 3, Boston 3
INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Troy 5, Indianapolis 1
Grand Rapids 6, Fort Wayne 3

EASTERN LEAGUE
Clinton 4, Washington 4
New Haven 14, Johnstown 6

Rangers Protest Ice Call

NEW YORK (U.P.)—General Manager Muzz Patrick of the New York Rangers charged Referee Jack Mehlbacher with "the worst call in my 20 years of hockey" today while an enraged Coach Phil Watson declared, "He'd never get off the ice alive if he made a decision like that in Montreal."

The bitter protest resulted when Mehlbacher allowed a third-period goal by Fleming Mackell. Wednesday night which helped the Boston Bruins to overcome a three-goal deficit and gain a 3-2 tie with the Rangers. Even Mackell didn't go along with Mehlbacher's decision. He said Johnny Peirson scored the goal.

Patrick and Watson insisted that Mehlbacher blew his whistle stopping play before the puck was batted into the net and the Ranger general manager indicated Carl Voss, chief of the National Hockey League's referees, agreed with them.

"I talked to Voss after the game and he told me it was just one of those things," Patrick said. "I think Mehlbacher will be fined at least \$100 and he should be. It was the first time in my life I ever saw a referee blow his whistle and then allow a goal."

"The whole setup with the referees stinks in this league," Watson shouted. "Every year they get more authority and more money and they get worse and worse. Mehlbacher's a liar if he denies he told Harry Howell (Ranger captain) that the goal wouldn't count. Then he skated over to the official scorer and announced it was a goal."

Watson insisted that Mehlbacher told Howell the goal would not count before he visited the scorers' table but it was reported that the referee flatly denied it.

Lynn Patrick, general manager of the Bruins, was inclined to be somewhat circumspect over the incident.

"I would say Mehlbacher's officiating was about as good as it always is in this league," Lynn said. "I thought the Rangers rated every penalty they got."

Philadelphia Whips Royals

By UNITED PRESS
The Philadelphia Warriors opened up a 3½ game lead in the Eastern Division of the National Basketball Assn. today and are well on their way to compiling the circuit's highest win-and-loss percentage in five years.

The Warriors handed the Rochester Royals their fourth straight loss, 96-93, Wednesday night for their 15th victory in 21 games. Their 71.4 percentage is the highest in the league since the 1949-50 season when the Syracuse Nationals and Minneapolis Lakers both topped that figure.

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Hal Wood Recalls Highlights Of Year's Top Sport Thrills

By HAL WOOD

United Press Sports Writer
SAN FRANCISCO (U.P.)—I took my sports thrills where I found them in 1955—and they covered a lot of territory.

I'll never forget, for instance: 1. The 800-meter race at the Pan-American Games in Mexico City. The U.S. stars, Arnold Sowell, Lon Spurrier and Mal Whitfield all had finished second in their qualifying heats. But when the chips were down they ran away from the best that 21 other nations had to offer, with Sowell nipping Spurrier at the wire for the gold medal. It was one of the finest foot races I've ever seen in my life.

2. Watching Jack Fleck as he defeated the veteran Ben Hogan in the play-off for the National Open Golf Championship. It was rather a sad sight to see Hogan, trailing by one stroke going into the final hole, whaling away in knee-deep grass like a duffer, knowing he was licked, but still playing out the hole.

3. Getting up at dawn to see Don Campbell, the British race boat driver and his Bluebird II, skimming over the waters of Lake Mead in Nevada, at 20 miles an hour above the world record in a test run. The fins of the boat barely touched the water—like a swallow darting along the ground.

4. Watching Rejected, a very doubtful starter, win the \$100,000 Hollywood Gold Cup race by getting up in the last lap to nip Alton and Determine.

5. Witnessing the complete destruction of lion-hearted Don Cockell by the ruthless pounding of World Heavyweight Champion Rocky Marciano's fists and arms. Cockell didn't belong in the same ring with the champion, as far as physical capabilities went, but he was every inch a winner in the fighting heart department.

6. The performances of giant Bill Russell, University of San Francisco basketball center, who possibly is the greatest defensive giant ever to take the court. He gets his share of the points, too, but never before has a basketball player developed as many defensive tricks as this six-foot, 10 inch master of the cage game.

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