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The Relay-Race

The Y. M. C. A. runners for the relay race from Salem to Portland have been selected and awarded their relays and they will be taken over the course tomorrow, so that each can get a definite idea of the five miles he will have to cover in record time on May 28, if the local association is to break the long "undefeated" record of the Chemawa Indians.

The race will start from the state Capitol at Salem at 9 A. M., so it will end here about 2:30 P. M. The record is 5 hours 16½ minutes, made by the Indians in 1908. The route out of Salem has been changed some to give the people of Salem a better chance to see the start. It will go down Court street to Commercial street, and then along Commercial street to the Portland road, making the first lap 6.2 miles. Because of the change of location of the Y. M. C. A., the entrance into Portland will be changed, too. It will go along Macadam street to Hood street, thence to Sherman, thence to Sixth and down Sixth to the association building.

Mr. Campbell, the Chemawa Indian superintendent, has prepared elaborate sign boards to mark the relay changes

and A. M. Grilley, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., will set them tomorrow. Rasmussen & Co. will furnish an automobile for the trip.

John McDonald will run the first relay for the Y. M. C. A. He took part in the race last year and is picked for the first run because of his cool head. The Indians got a big lead the first lap last year because the association runner was nervous.

Schwabauer will run the next relay. He took part in the run of 1908, but not last year. Perkins, who has run the last two years, will have the third run. Vanderlip, a new man, will take the Governor's message next and deliver it to Laasch five miles along the way. Laasch is a crack gymnast who has showed very well in the cross country runs this year.

Kurtz, a 17 year old boy, has the next relay from Barlow to New Era. He is the only member of the junior department who made the team.

Messegee, one of the best all-around athletes of the association and the winner of the pentathlon contest last year, has the next relay, and Barndollar will relieve him. Barndollar has been a member of the association only one month and is a natural runner. He