

# Bobby, Wally Close Joint Hoop Careers In Denver Contests

### Inseparable Astoria Guard Combination Together Through Twelve Seasons of Championships and Honors

Guards—Wally Johansen and Bobby Anet. Those names have been familiar in basketball lineups on the sport pages of Oregon for over a decade and now they'll probably never be seen together again!

It's an unhappy thought but probably the truth and it ended last week in the national A.A.U. tournament in Denver when the Rubenstein Oregonians, Eugene independent team of which the inseparable Wally Jo and Bobby were members, was eliminated in a 63 to 46 loss to the Colorado Springs Jewelers.

Bobby Anet and Wally Johansen started playing together back in their grade school days in Astoria 12 years ago. They've played on championship teams since the very beginning and have always had that winning spirit. Next year Bobby will be making the rounds as an insurance salesman in Portland and Wally will be in the University of Oregon law school. So it seems unlikely they'll ever be seen again together in basketball togs.

#### Big Moment

Biggest moment in the athletic lives of Astoria's "Flying Finn duo" probably came that night early last spring when they helped Hobby Hobson's varsity Ducks win the nation's first official collegiate basketball title at Evanston, Ill., by defeating Ohio State's tough quintet. That victory drove the city of Eugene and surrounding country berserk in enthusiastic celebration.

Previous to that the 1939 Oregon basketballers had swept through a tough northern division season to a second consecutive title with only two defeats. Then came a two-game sweep of the Coast championship play-offs in Eugene against Nib Price's driving California Golden Bears. Following that, Hobby Hobson's "Dashing Ducks" traveled to Treasure Island, San Francisco, and defeated the University of Texas and the University of Oklahoma to garner the Western regional N.C.A.A. championship.

#### Four Titles

The 1939 Oregons captured four titles for themselves. Only major title chance Bobby and Wally and their mates of last year's championship quintet—the Wintermute, Gale, etc. team—passed up was in their sophomore year when Washington State's Cougars got their only northern division flag in history. At that, though, Hobby's quintet earned itself a three-way tie with Washington State and Washington for the top during the regular season's 16-game schedule. The Ducks were beaten out in the play-off.

Twelve seasons ago Bobby Anet and Wally Johansen played on a state championship midget quintet representing the Astoria Y.M.C.A. That was the beginning for the best maple court guard combination Eugene ever saw—back in 1929. In 1930 they added a state title in the 125-pound class on another junior "Y" team.

#### Under Honest John

Their next two seasons were spent on junior high teams in Astoria (city league champions) and in 1933, 1934, and 1935 came three

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# Webfoot Skiers Garner Fourth

### Oregon Boys Show Well in Coast Meet At Mt. Rainier

Oregon skiers took fourth place in the Pacific Coast conference Ski championships, won by Washington at Paradise Valley, Mount Rainier National Park. The three-day meet was concluded yesterday, with Washington State and California taking place and show positions, and Idaho bringing up the rear.

Webfoot jumpers, however, scored a clear-cut victory on the first day of the meet, winning the jumping contests, the only event not captured by the Huskies. Led by Tom Terry, who made the day's longest jump, the Ducks garnered 100 points to lead into the second day, but Husky team strength dominated down-hill, slalom and cross-country events, despite the fact that a California man won the slalom.

The Washington State Cougars failed to gain a first place, but a continually high-placing team gave it second place. A small California crew gathered first in the slalom, and enough seconds to take third place, nosing out Oregon. Idaho's three man team was too small to offer serious competition. (Team results:

- Washington, 398.52.
- Washington State, 378.44.
- California, 368.72.
- Oregon, 348.92.
- Idaho, 177.49.

each house send its men into training as soon as possible.

The number of men required for entry points in the various spring term intramural sports is: Volleyball "A", 6; volleyball "B", 6; golf, 4; softball, 10, and Sigma Delta Psi, 3.

Houses will be allowed 50 points each for entering teams in softball and "A" volleyball, they will get 35 for entering three men in the Sigma Delta Chi competition, and 35 points is the bonus for en-

# Full Program of Donut Sports Set for Spring

### Volleyball, Golf to Begin April 1; Other Sports Follow

A full program of competition is billed for campus athletes during spring term according to announcement of Rollie Dickie, intramural head. Golf, softball, Sigma Delta Psi, and "A" and "B" volleyball are on the bill of fare.

Volleyball and golf will commence on Monday, April 1, and run for several weeks and softball is slated for an opening around the last of April. Exact date of the diamond sport's beginning hinges on the activity of Jupe Pluvius—rain might delay that part of Rollie Dickie's donut program and make the intramural magnate's head turn gray with worry. Such goings on during spring terms in the past has badly cramped the out-of-doors athletic program.

Sigma Delta Psi—track competition for the athletic honorary—will be a house sport again this spring, and it is requested that

try in "B" volleyball and golf.

Biggest point total offered for team winners is 150, which will be awarded first place teams in "A"

volleyball and softball. Sigma Delta Psi has 100 points as the first place prize, and champions in "B" volleyball and golf will get 75.

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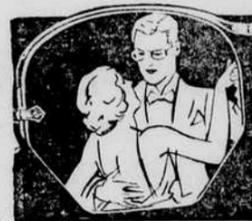
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