

# SPORTS --- Here, There and Everywhere

## WASHINGTON IS LOSER TO IDAHO

Seattle Players Outpassed and Are Forced to Resort to Long Shots.

MOSCOW, Idaho, Feb. 10.—The University of Washington basketball team suffered its second defeat of the season here tonight, losing to the University of Idaho 40 to 26. Washington was outclassed. The Idaho players worked the ball in under the basket for 15 goals, while Washington was forced to resort to long shots because of Idaho's tight defense. The first half ended 18 to 12 in Idaho's favor.

Both Crawford for Washington and Fox or Idaho were of form on free throw shooting. Crawford made 10 out of 17 tries. Fox scored 10 out of 21. Crawford and Fox tied for individual scoring honors, each making 14 points. Hesketh, Washington and Edwards, Idaho, made four field baskets each.

Summary:

Idaho (40) Washington (26).

Fox (c); Edwards f; Thompson c; Keane g; Telford g.

Washington: Lewis (c) f; Payne, f; Hesketh c; Bryan g; Crawford, g.

Scoring: Idaho—Field goals Edwards 4; Fox 2; Thompson 3; Telford 3. Free throws Fox 10 out of 21.

Washington—Field goals, Hesketh 4; Bryan 1; Peters 1; Lewis 2. Free throws, Crawford 10 out of 17.

Substitutes: Idaho—Gartin for Keane, Fitzke for Thompson.

Washington—Gardner for Bryan; Frankland for Hesketh; Gundlach for Crawford; Peters for Payne. Hunter (Moscow), referee.

Two Salem Frosh Win Letters in Football

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Feb. 10.—(Special to the Statesman.)—William Gosser and Edwin Purvine of Salem, freshmen in the university, were among the 24 freshmen who, as members of the frosh football team were awarded sweaters and numerals by the class at a recent meeting.

In past years members of the frosh squad who played in the required number of games were awarded numerals, bought by the class. The class this year established a new tradition and bought neat blue sweaters with "1923" emblazoned in large figures on the chest.

Gosser is playing center on the frosh basketball team and has been high point man in most of the games of the year.

The Oregon frosh had a good season, winning a majority of their games, including a victory over their time-honored rivals—OAC rooks.

Free Pass Argument Is Warm; Measure Defeated

A heated argument was aroused in the senate yesterday when senate bill 184, introduced by the committee on railroads and utilities came up for third reading. The measure would extend to the heads of private institutions of learning the same railroad pass privileges that are extended to the representatives of state institutions of higher learning. It was defeated with 20 of the 30 members voting against it.

Senator Taylor declared that if the bill passed the same privilege of free railroad passes should be extended to farmers.

Senator Strayer declared it would open the way to a thousand men in the state to ride free. He declared the practice of extending passes unlawful.

Jack Dempsey's Father Reported Seriously Ill

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Feb. 10.—Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight boxing champion reached Salt Lake City late today from the east to be with his father, Hiram Dempsey, who is suffering from stomach trouble and whose condition is reported serious.

The champion appeared somewhat worried when he arrived and lost no time in going to the hospital from the train.

Woman Tennis Champion Sets Sail for Europe

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Mollie Blythe Mallory, national woman tennis champion, sailed on board the Olympic today still uncertain as to whether she would compete in international tournaments this winter on the Riviera. She said she was ill and would spend some time in recuperating.

She was accompanied by her husband, Franklin I. Mallory.

## HONORS DIVIDED IN BASKET GAMES

Portland and Salem YMCA Players Stage Series; Will Return Today.

Salem and Portland YMCA boys met and played an interesting series of three basketball games at the Salem Y Saturday afternoon and night.

In the afternoon game, the Salem Lion Tamers trounced the Live Wires of Portland 15 to 6, and it begins to look like a local sweep. The first game of the evening, between the Salem TTT team, and the visiting Lions, was decided in favor of the visitors by a score of 14 to 12, a hard, close contest that was anybody's game until the last whistle blew. The last game was a slaughter for the local Pawnees, who gathered in only 10 points while the Portland Athenians were amassing 40 points. Glenn Gregg and Bob Boardman officiated as referees for the series.

The Portland boys came down in their YMCA covered truck, and remained over night, the guests of their Salem opponents in their own homes. They are to visit the churches this morning, and this afternoon return to Portland. Ben Ricklin, Willamette '22, and Paul Fiegel, Willamette '21, were in charge.

A return series is to be arranged later, though some different playing combinations may be made for this second meeting.

ZINZER GREETSCOUT LEADER

Inspiring Conference Held With James H. West in Portland Thursday.

An inspiring meeting of scout officials was attended by Scout Executive F. Howard Zinzer in Portland Thursday. Officials from all over the state and some from Washington gathered to honor Chief Scout Executive James E. West, who is making a tour of the 12 Boy Scout regions of the United States in the interest of the present round-up of 1,000,000 new scouts.

Mr. West broadcasted a message to all scouts and scout parents from the Oregonian station, in which he brought fresh news from national headquarters in New York, part of which consisted in the official announcement of a new scout handshake which is to be recognized as the international handshake as a token of the common understanding of the World Brotherhood of Scouts. Another item of interest which Mr. West gave the scouts was the new introduction of an international recognition of service. For each year a scout remains in the scout movement as a properly registered scout he is to be awarded a star to be worn over the left breast pocket of his uniform. Five of these stars may be replaced with a five-year star. These awards in no way detract from the present system of giving green, red and yellow stripes in recognition of service.

During the banquet in his honor at the Portland Chamber of Commerce rooms Mr. West led in the discussion of some very important scouting problems and announced his new plan of interesting all first class scouts in the department of citizen scouts which will fill a great need in scouting by holding scouts in readiness for service to their community in any emergency and in assuming the early responsibilities of citizenship.

One of the outstanding features of the evening was the impressive ceremony of the rededication of the lives of all those present to the scout oath and law. This was participated in by all present as a custom which is followed by the scouts throughout the United States. This is done on the anniversary of each scout year, at 8:15 o'clock p. m.

Bobby Veach Signs Up With Detroit Americans

DETROIT, Feb. 10.—Bobby Veach, Detroit American outfielder for 10 years, who recently declared himself a "holdout" today signed a contract for the coming season. Veach demanded a salary increase. No announcement was made of the terms of his contract.

Other signed contracts received by the Tiger management today were those of Bobby Jones, third baseman; Kennedy Holloway, pitcher, and George Cutshaw and Clio Brady, second baseman.

ARMY TEAM LOSES

WEST POINT, N. Y., Feb. 10.—Army's indoor polo team lost to the British international polo team here today, 9 to 6.

## SQUIRE EDGE GATE—This Is an Awful Predicament for a Dignified Squire—Don't You Think?

BY LOUIS RICHARD



## TWO MORE GAMES FOR SALEM TEAM

Silverton and Dallas Quintets to Appear on Salem Floor Soon.

Salem high school has only two more games left in its district basketball schedule, both of them to be played on the Salem floor, with Silverton on February 28, and with Dallas on March 3.

There might be some other games demanded from the north end of the county, from Molalla or Oregon City, if they feel like challenging the Salem championship before the state tournament; but it has not been expected that they will do it, as from present "dope" it does not appear that it would be even a fair warm-up for the local frosh.

McMinnville, that in two games last year beat Salem by one point per game, and barely nosed out a victory early in January this year, is to be here on Thursday of this week. McMinnville was beaten Friday night by Dallas, and a few nights before was fairly slaughtered by Corvallis. The team will have to stage a record come-back to save an awful beating here this week.

Another game is to be played with Corvallis this week at Corvallis. It had been scheduled for Friday night at the high school gym, which is a very small floor, but it may be set for earlier in the week, when they hope to get the OAC floor. From what the two teams showed in Salem, Friday night, Salem should score an even more decisive victory on the big college gym floor.

Next week Salem goes to Eugene to play the Oregon frosh a series of two games. Two games had been scheduled with the Eugene high school, but they cancelled the dates immediately after the disastrous football invasion of Salem last fall. Last year, Eugene was in the state tournament. This year it is expected that the Eugene team will stay at home.

The Salem boys will have about two weeks after its last scheduled game on March 3, to rest up and get into final condition for the state tournament which is to be held in Salem as usual.

Dress Rehearsal for Apollos Will Be Held

A dress rehearsal for the Apollo club is to be held Tuesday night with Miss Ethelyde Smith, soprano, taking the obligato solo in one of the heaviest numbers. This one piece was presented at their program a year ago with Mrs. Frank Ho'er singing the solo part. The piece is one of the greatest the Apollo club has ever offered, and it should make a tremendous hit.

## Commission Will Decide Whether White Was Beaten

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The New York State Athletic committee will decide whether Charley White, Chicago lightweight who was beaten decisively last night in Madison Square Garden by Rocky Kansas of Buffalo, must lose his \$2,500 weight forfeit, claimed by Kansas, because his opponent entered the ring three-quarters of a pound over the 135-pound limit.

White late today filed a protest with the commission after the Buffalo boxer's manager, Dan Rogers, refused to withdraw his claim.

According to his manager, Ike Dorgan, White based his protest on the ground that Rogers made no complaint at the time the boxers weighed in at 2 o'clock yesterday, waiting until several minutes later to do so. By this time White had eaten a bowl of broth and was unable to attempt further weight reduction before 3 o'clock, the time limit.

He claimed that if notified after leaving the scales he could have worked off the extra 12 ounces.

Consolidation Bills Withdrawn by Senator

Because of the introduction of the new consolidation bill signed by 17 senators Saturday, Senator Hare withdrew the five consolidation measures introduced by him earlier in the session, and the Hall bill, No. 18, first of the several consolidation bills to be introduced, was taken from the table on motion of Senator Garland and referred to the committee on county and state offices of which Garland is chairman.

The Hare bills that were withdrawn on his own motion were: S. B. 92, making the dairy and food commissioner sealer of weights and measures.

S. B. 93, to abolish the office of state labor commissioner.

S. B. 94, to abolish the offices of corporation commissioner and insurance commissioner.

S. B. 95, to abolish the desert land board.

S. B. 96, abolishing the bureau of mines and geology.

Conference of Governors Authorized in Measure

House concurrent resolution No. 10, introduced by Representative Burdick and Senator Ritter, authorizing the governor to call a conference of the governors of California, Washington and Idaho to discuss a severance tax, was adopted by the senate Saturday.

CROWDER CONFIRMED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Nomination of Major General Crowder to be ambassador to Cuba was confirmed today by the senate.

## AGGIE HOOPERS LOSE TO U. OF O.

Latham, Rangy Oregon Center, Is Shining Star of Contest Last Night.

EUGENE, Or., Feb. 10.—The University of Oregon basketball team defeated the Oregon Agricultural college quintet 38 to 29 here tonight. "Hunk" Latham, rangy Oregon center, was the outstanding star, amassing 22 points for the webfooters, and holding Hjelte, Aggie center, to four field baskets.

The first half was decidedly Oregon's. The OAC players seemed completely demoralized from the starting gun, managing to secure but one field basket during the entire period, and that with but two minutes to go. The half ended Oregon 21, Aggies 9.

Gill, OAC forward, featured in the final period by annexing several counters from mid-floor. Gill was also high point man for the Aggies with 17 counters. While this game does not count in the conference standing, it evens the series each team having won two.

The lineup:

Oregon (38); OAC (29)

Oregon—Zimmerman (6), F; Gowans (8), F; Latham (22), c; Chapman, G; Shafer (2), G.

OAC—A. Gill (17), F; Ridings F; Hjelte (8), C; Steele (2), G; McMullen (2), G.

Referee—H. A. Good; umpire Leon Fabre.

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## Pitcher Fred Toney Is Wanted by Cardinals

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 10.—Manager Branch Rickey of the St. Louis National tonight announced every effort would be made to have Pitcher Fred Toney with the Cardinals this season. Toney failed to report to the local club last season after being obtained from Boston.

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