

WAY BETTER THAN LAST YEAR

SEVENTY-SEVENTH YEAR

SALEM, OREGON, SUNDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 19, 1928

PRICE FIVE CENTS

WILLAMETTE BEATS C.P.S. 38 TO 29, OVERCOMING LEAD

LAST CONFERENCE GAME WEDNESDAY

NORTHWEST CONFERENCE		
W	L	Pct.
Whitman	5	0 1.000
Willamette	7	2 .777
Puget Sound	3	4 .428
Linfield	2	3 .400
College of Idaho	0	2 .000
Pacific	0	6 .000

Games this week: Willamette vs. Pacific at Salem, February 22.

The curtain is about to ring down on northwest conference basketball play for another season.

The final game will be played next Wednesday in Salem between Pacific and Willamette.

By handling the College of Puget Sound Loggers two clear cut drubbings this week end, Willamette clinched second place for itself and is practically assured of an 800 percentage after the Pacific game.

Whitman played only five conference games, four of them on its own floor where visiting teams are at a decided disadvantage, and won all of them, capping the honors thereby.

Whitman and Willamette finished in a tie for the title last year, but "Nig" Borleske had to have a title some way so he scheduled too easy post-season game with College of Idaho and counted them in the conference standings.

Then he wrote to Spaulding's basketball guide proclaiming his team as conference champion, despite the fact that the claim was clearly without foundation under the rules. The action subjected Borleske to severe criticism, but it didn't help the fact that the erroneous news went out to the world.

The Puget Sound Loggers after starting northwest sport dom with a victory over University of Washington, didn't prove strong in conference play after all, losing four games to Willamette and Whitman by wide margins.

Pacific is the champion loser of the conference, failing to take a single victory although Linfield won the final game by a one point margin. College of Idaho dropped two games to Willamette, and Linfield defeated only Pacific University twice.

All the schools, except Pacific and College of Idaho, played stronger teams in the field this year than last, and the teams representing Willamette and Whitman were well on a par with those representing coast conference institutions.

Puget Sound and Willamette have sophomore and freshman outfits which should develop into still better aggregations next season.

Scores in conference games:

Whitman		Pacific	
Whitman 57	Pacific 27		
Whitman 48	Puget Sound 19		
Whitman 55	Puget Sound 27		
Whitman 31	Willamette 26		
Whitman 39	Willamette 29		

Totals 230 128

Willamette		Pacific	
Willamette 34	Pacific 24		
Willamette 21	Linfield 26		
Willamette 27	Linfield 18		
Willamette 26	Whitman 31		
Willamette 29	Whitman 39		
Willamette 43	C. of Idaho 22		
Willamette 31	C. of Idaho 24		
Willamette 48	Puget Sound 31		
Willamette 38	Puget Sound 29		

Totals 317 244

Puget Sound		Whitman	
Puget Sound 19	Whitman 48		
Puget Sound 27	Whitman 55		
Puget Sound 33	Pacific 24		
Puget Sound 39	Pacific 29		
Puget Sound 38	Linfield 20		
Puget Sound 29	Willamette 40		
Puget Sound 29	Willamette 38		

Totals 214 262

Linfield		Pacific	
Linfield 26	Pacific 21		
Linfield 23	Willamette 41		
Linfield 18	Willamette 27		
Linfield 20	Puget Sound 38		
Linfield 40	Pacific 39		

Totals 132 166

Pacific		Whitman	
Pacific 27	Whitman 57		
Pacific 24	Willamette 34		
Pacific 21	Linfield 26		
Pacific 24	Puget Sound 33		
Pacific 29	Puget Sound 39		
Pacific 39	Linfield 20		

Totals 164 231

College of Idaho		Willamette	
Idaho 22	Willamette 43		
Idaho 24	Willamette 31		

Totals 46 74

BASKETBALL SCORES

At Salem: Willamette 38; College of Puget Sound 29.
At Moscow: Oregon 32; Idaho 23.

At Seattle: Washington 29; Oregon State Agates 26.
At Corvallis: Oregon State 26; Oregon frosh 23.

At Walla Walla: Whitman 35; Gonzaga 23.

EDDIE GRAHAM—MAIN EVENTER



This young Salem boxer is billed for a main event at Albany Monday night. His opponent has not yet been selected. If arrangements are completed, he will also box the main event at Eugene in the near future against Farmer. Graham has been much in demand by promoters recently. His manager is Phil Hayes.

New Records Chalked Up At Annual Relay Carnival

COLISEUM, Los Angeles, Feb. 18.—(AP)—The two Charlies of the clunder path—Charlie Borah, University of Southern California, and his veteran rival, Charlie Paddock, now running under the Los Angeles Athletic club's colors—met twice in an indirect way during the annual A. U. relay carnival here today and the youthful Trojan won honors, if any, by a shade.

The curly-haired Southern California youth and the kingpin of the dashes met first in the quarter mile, four man relay, and the result was a new world's record for that even—41 3-5 seconds.

Both ran in the anchor positions on their respective teams in the quarter mile event, Borah received the baton before Paddock got his, to get away to a seven yard start but the powerful drive of Paddock's running legs all but made up for it. They breasted the tape with less than a yard separating them—Borah the winner.

The former record was established here in May, 1925, by another Southern California quartet—Briece Taylor, Ed House, Bob Lee and Keith Lloyd.

They did not run against each other in the other race, the half mile four man relay, but Paddock giving all that was in him, made up several yards that Borah had gained in a previous lap, to give the Los Angeles A. C. victory. Borah ran the second lap. The time was 1 minute 23 1-5 seconds.

Charles V. Harlow, former Stanford javelin ace, tossed the baton a distance of 200 feet five inches to beat a class field in this event, and set a new Southern California record. Charles Eaton, former Pomona college student and who, with Harlow, competes for the Los Angeles A. C. now, also surpassed the former record, one he set in 1926.

WEBFOOTS DEFEAT IDAHO HOOP QUINT

MOSCOW, Idaho, Feb. 18.—(AP)—The University of Oregon quint defeated the University of Idaho basketball team here tonight, 32 to 23, in a slow and rather uninteresting game. The score at the half was 13 to 13 in favor of Oregon. Ridings was high point man for the Webfoots, McMullin for Idaho.

MEDFORD HIGH BEATS ASHLAND

MEDFORD, Feb. 18.—(AP)—Medford defeated the Ashland high school tonight 1 to 13 after their ancient rivals had held them even in the first half with a nine to nine score. Medford opened the final half with a terrific offensive and Ashland crumpled under the pace. The game was bitterly contested and marked by roughness. Referee Edlunds warning the teams twice. Parr, one armed center, played the star game for Ashland, and was also high point maker. Morgan, guard, and Melvin, forward, led for Medford. The game was the second straight win for Medford in the district championship series.

YANKS FARE POORLY AT WINTER OLYMPIC

ST. MORITZ, Switzerland, Feb. 18.—(AP)—The end of the eighth day of Olympic winter sports competition tonight saw another title unofficially in Norway's possession, while the United States had a half grip on its second championship.

TELEGRAPHIC TRAPS COMPETITION TODAY

Some 40 local trap shooting artists will open the state telegraphic competition today on the grounds at 24th street and Turner road, starting at nine o'clock and continuing until two o'clock. Salem's opponents today will be Union, Coquille, and Prineville.

HUDKINS SEEKS DUNDEE MATCH

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—(AP)—Unmarked by his furious 10 round victory over Sammy Baker except for a slight puffiness about the eyes, Ace Hudkins, the Nebraska wildcat, sought today to clinch a match with Joe Dundee for the welterweight championship.

VOLLEYERS HERE GO TO PORTLAND

Two volley ball teams made up from Salem Business men will go to Portland Monday night to play matches with the Multnomah club teams.

WRESTLING SLATED MEDFORD, FEB. 18

Sailor Jack Woods and Prof. Higami of Honolulu, will wrestle here Monday night, using the title.

DISTRICT TOURNEY OF Y QUINTS SOON

An event of unusual importance in the local sport world will be the district Y. M. C. A. basketball tournament on the local floor Friday and Saturday in which six teams will be entered. The Ducks will represent Salem. Other teams are Portland, Ashland, Astoria, Eugene, and Longview.

Robert Boardman, physical director at the Y.M.C.A., will be in charge of the tournament. Other officials are Emil Piluso, Portland, and Leslie Sparks Salem, referees; Coach "Spec" Keene and Coach Louie Anderson, score keepers; and Stanley Larson, time keeper. Dwight Adams has charge of the ticket sale.

The Ducks, representing Salem, are champions of the Young Men's division and have made quite a record this season, winning 17 games and losing only four. They lost to the Wendling Athletic club which is made up of college stars, the Garibaldi Lumber company team, the Athenians, and the Black Cats.

The team was started about three years ago from the Salem Y Leaders' Corps. The corps numbered quite a few basketball stars who are now being heard from. Among them are Adams, Willamette university; Beecher and Kafoury at Salem high school; Miller and Dellaport at the Willamette freshmen team; and Simpson at Oregon state college.

The team this year has scored 663 points to their opponents' 433. Scotty Marr is high scorer with 186 points. Others in scoring order are: Bachelor, forward, 144; Flake, center 137; C. Hageman, forward, 72; Schaeffer, guard, 42; F. Hageman, 39; Gamble 25 points.

ROOKS CLEAN UP FROSH HOOPERS

CORVALLIS, Feb. 18.—(AP)—The Oregon State rooks turned back the University of Oregon frosh 26 to 23 here tonight in a whirlwind basketball game in which the score was tied five times.

With Oregon leading 15 to 10 at the half, the rooks swept onto the floor like a cyclone and whipped the ball through the hoop repeatedly until they had tied the score at 22-22, with but two minutes to play.

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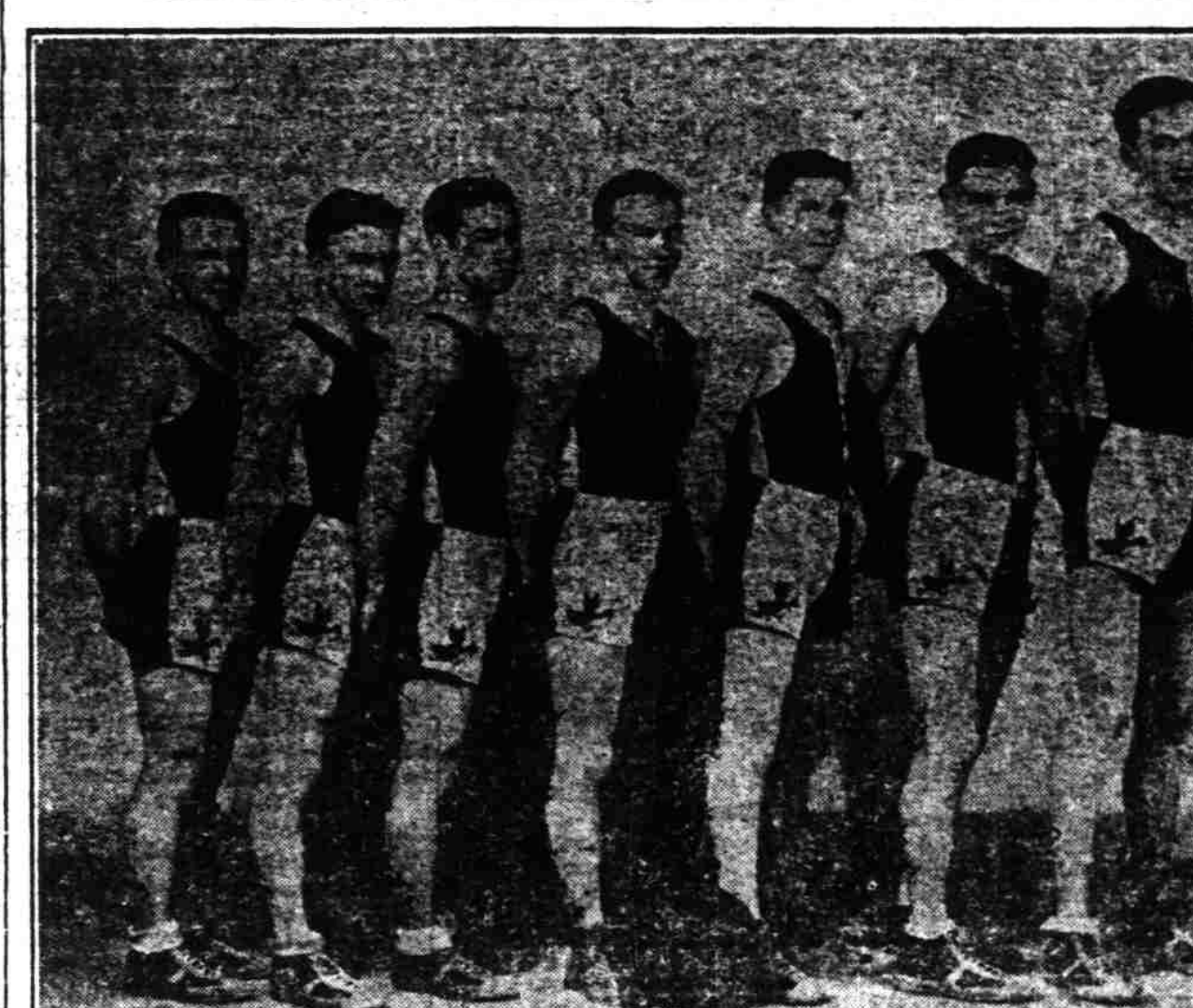
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THE DUCKS, SALEM ENTRY IN YMCA TOURNEY



Local Y league champions who will play in the tournament here Friday and Saturday. Left to right: Charles Batchelor, forward; Charles Hageman, forward; John Schaeffer, guard; French Hageman, guard; "Scotty" Marr, forward, captain; Bob Gamble, guard; Mel Flake, center.

SALEM HIGH QUINT FACES EASY TILTS

Only two easy games are on the Salem high school hoop schedule this week. Both will be played out of town, Albany Tuesday, and Dallas, Friday.

These two teams have already been defeated by the Red and Black quintet by top-heavy scores. West Linn will close the regular season play for the locals in a game in Salem February 29. Salem romped away with a victory over West Linn 64 to 30 two weeks ago.

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W. U. Freshmen Upset Dope Defeat Chemawa 30 to 21

A chubby fellow named Verne Eaton, played brilliant basketball for the Willamette freshmen last night and enabled the team to defeat the fast and rugged Chemawa Indians, 30 to 21.

The victory for the yearlings was a complete surprise, as Chemawa, which has defeated Linfield college and other strong teams, was doped to take the tilt by a comfortable margin.

The Freshmen played as a unit, however, exhibiting some of the best team work seen on the local floor this year, and when the ball had been maneuvered into scoring position, Eaton poked it through the hoop with surprising consistency.

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ADAMS, LITCHFIELD LEAD SCORING

The Willamette Bearcats clinched second place in the northwest conference competition last night by trouncing Puget Sound in the second game of the series, 38 to 29.

"Cac" Hubbard's men made strong bid for victory with a revamped line-up and only the long distance caging ability of Litchfield, and the deadly accuracy of Adams on cripples enabled the Bearcats to take the lead in the second half and hold it.

Cardinal, the Willamette scorer, had none of the nerve and dash which characterized his performance Friday. He got 10 points in that first game and on eight points last night. He played a cool game, however, and was instrumental in aiding his teammates to get into scoring positions.

One trace of the almost perfect basketball the team displayed the first half of Friday's game broke out in the second half when Litchfield and Adams collected two baskets each in the first three minutes. Litchfield two came from long throw Adams got one of his by the route, and the other on a sneak under the basket.

Coach Hubbard had his finest heaviest scorers on the floor. He took Wilson from the center berth, placed him at guard, and sent in Ferguson to take the point. Crow started at forward. This combination gave the Bearcats considerable more trouble for Crow, Ginn, Ferguson, a Wilson were all deadly on the throws and cast off frequently from way beyond the defense line.

Basket for basket marked it play in the first half with the Loggers on top most of the time. Adams gave Willamette a 15-lead at the half with a nifty shot.

In the second half, Willamette held a 13 point lead with eight minutes to play. Coach Hubbard sent in Ginn as a substitute. Darrow at guard and this fellow collected four points in long throws. With three minutes to play the score stood 36 to 23.

Glass substituted for Litchfield and Adams got a basket. Crow and Wilson garnered one each, make it 38 to 29 at the finish.

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HUSKY FIVE WINS FROM AGGIE QUINT

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