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## TEAMS ALL PICKED FOR STATE BASKETBALL TOURNEY STATE ARCHERY CONTEST TO BE HELD IN SALEM APRIL 1

### BROW MARKSMEN GAIN PROMINENCE

An archery contest, which will be of a state-wide nature, is being planned for April 1 by the local American Legion Archery club.

There are several such clubs in Oregon at the present time and, according to those in charge of the arrangements for the shoot, everyone will be sent an invitation to participate. Undoubtedly this will develop into a real contest as archery has been attracting more and more interest during the past year.

The American Legion Archery club of this city met Friday evening with 15 members attending. At this time plans for the future activities of the club were discussed. The local group has been organized a year and holds practice shoots each week.

Anyone interested in archery, whether a member of the American Legion or not, is invited to attend the shoot which will be held every Friday evening at the city hall.

The Salem club has participated in shoots at Portland, Albany and Medford. A very creditable showing was made in each instance.

Officers of the club are: Lyle Dinsmoor, president; William Doughty, vice-president and Mose Palmater, secretary-treasurer.

### SPRING FOOTBALL PRACTICE CLOSES

Spring football came to an end at Willamette university Friday afternoon. The candidates have received instructions in passing, kicking, running, and line plunging. Due to the fact that so few men were able to turn out at a time during practice, it was impossible to have any scrimmage. Altogether about 30 men have turned out.

Prospects for a winning eleven at Willamette next season look quite favorable reports "Spec" Keene, head coach at the university. With the return of Cardinal with his 12 inch hoof, to boot the pigskin, and Kildworthy and Puck at tackle, and McMullin, who has been out of school for a semester, in the lineup again Coach Keene is quite hopeful of a winning team.

Other men aside from last year's regulars have been out for practice and have shown up exceptionally well are Gaines and Philpott.

Coach "Spec" Keene is now making plans for a proposed football game with the University of Hawaii, to be played in Honolulu next winter. The Hawaii university schedule is nearly completed but officials from there have notified Coach Keene that the first open date in their schedule would be to Willamette.

### CARD TRACK TEAM LOSES TO ANGELS

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal. Mar. 10. (AP)—Under the leadership of Charles Paddock, one time world's fastest runner, who was still fast enough to take in a double victory, the powerful Los Angeles A. C. and track field team landed the Stanford Cardinals their first defeat in two years here today, 69 to 62. The meet was filled with impressive times and distances.

Paddock lent his usual colorful racing to the meet, taking the lead in the century at the 80 yard mark to win in 9 4-5 seconds. He won the furlong easily in 22 seconds flat and continued on to the 300 yard mark in an attempt to break his own world's record of 39 2-5 seconds for that distance. He fell short by 3-5 of a second.

Erick Krenz, Coach Dink Templeton star weight man was in a class by himself, chalking up a mark of 154 feet 9 inches in the discus throw and 48 feet 4 3-8 inches in the shot to take both events for Stanford.

Ward Edmunds, the young Stanford pole vaulter who developed so rapidly last season, fought his way to a first place against three of the best hurdlers in the country. He went 13 feet 6 inches in defeating Graham and the two Smith brothers.

Another Stanford jumper, Fred Gonsoro, set a new Pacific coast record in the broad jump when he leaped 24 feet 10 1-8 inches in the extra jumps allowed after he won his event.

**BROWNS WIN GAME**  
WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Mar. 10. (AP)—New blood with in the ranks of the St. Louis Browns led an attack on three Cincinnati hurlers resulted here today in a 3 to 0 victory here today.

**CHAMPS KEEP TITLE**  
PHILADELPHIA, March 10. (AP)—Gay Gould and W. O. Wright, Philadelphia, retained their title as national doubles tennis champions today by defeating Channing Frothingham and George W. Wightman, Boston, 4-0, 6-4, 7-5.

### "KILL THE UMPIRE!" NOT TO SOUND NEUTRAL ARBITERS LEAGUE PLAN SEASON TICKET BASIS APPROVED

"Kill the umpire!" This cry, once so common a baseball game, will not be so likely to enliven games in the Willamette Valley league this year.

Not that the umpiring is certain to be any better than it used to be, but the league has taken steps to obviate so far as possible any reason to claim partisanship on the part of the arbiters.

W. N. Eugene plays here in the opening game against the Senators April 15, for instance, there will be an umpire from Bend or Cottage Grove calling balls and strikes, and a Salem umpire watching the runners.

At Albany, where the home boys will be playing Bend, the Eugene or Cottage Grove umpire will be behind the bat; and at Wendling where Cottage Grove will be the visiting team, the Bend or Eugene umpire will officiate.

In other words, there will be a neutral umpire in chief at all games except those played at Bend, where for reasons of economy the visiting team will take their own balls and strikes umpire.

Of course home town umpire are for the most part as fair as the neutral variety; sometimes it is an effort to please they "lean" toward it, and give the other team the best of it, but human nature is suspicious, and baseball leagues have to do the best they can to show that everything is fair and above board.

Applications for designation a league umpire will be accepted by the league officials at their meeting Thursday evening at Albany. Salem men who are expected to offer themselves as target for pop bottles are Chief Laird and Ralph Mac, both of whom are capable indicator vipers.

The season ticket idea announced by the Salem ball club last week is expected to prove popular with the people who have been in the habit of supporting the ball team financially. Under this plan, persons who advance money to support the team will be getting value for it, and baseball will be

### BRITISH HIKER YET LEADING MARATHON

By Russell J. Newland  
DANBY, Mojavie Desert, Cal., Mar. 10. (AP)—Arthur Newton, 44 year old British running marvel of the veldts of Rhodesia, South Africa, picked his way over the desert highway today to win the seventh lap of the 3,400 mile transcontinental marathon in the remarkable time of 4:57 for the 31.9 miles from Baghdad, this morning's starting point.

When the gaunt veteran campaigner of the veldts of South Africa shuffled over the finish line he had been on his feet for 120 minutes in his lead in total elapsed time for the 239.4 miles run to date. His running time since leaving Los Angeles was 35 hours and 59 minutes. Today's lap was the third successive stretch won by the lanky British marathoner.

### ZELLER SCORES HIGH IN DONUT

Clive Zeller, Alpha Psi Delta, won high point honors in the doughnut league basketball tournament held on the Willamette university campus this season, scoring 71 markers in six games played. This is an average of 12 points per game. Second place honors were won by James Brayer, law school, who scored 45 point during the season. Dwight B. Adams, also of the Alpha Psi Delta team who participated in only two games, took third place with a total of 36 points.

The leading scorers of the league are:

Zeller, Alpha Psi. 71  
Bradley, Law school. 45

### W. U. Gym Floor Polished Thoroughly for Tourney

More than 25 men worked on the Willamette university basketball court this afternoon, scrubbing, waxing and polishing it, in preparation for the high school tournament, to be held there this week.

First the gymnasium was thoroughly swept and scrubbed. After it had dried for some time a group of men were put to work waxing the maple. This was followed by a thorough polishing, and then signs containing the words, "Keep off" were put in sight.

"Hub!" replied the dumb Frosh as he looked the shiny floor over. "When's the dance and who's giving it?"

All the floors in the halls and all the stairways have been thoroughly cleaned by the coach him-

### RAIN MAY HAMPER SHOTGUN EXPERTS

The one obstacle which may keep the Salem gunners from shooting a perfect score in today's telegraphic shoot will be an all day pourdown of rain, and even in spite of the rain there is chance for a perfect score. The Salem trigger pullers will be matched with Pendleton, Bend and the Roseburg gunners.

Heppner Rod and Gun club, Last Sunday in spite of the occasional showers, was a good day for the local shooters, when they defeated the Astoria, Halsey and Echo clubs, and tied with Portland for second place honors. Two local gunners, George Palmer and Cuyler Van Patton, shot perfect scores and Clarence Brown was selected as third man with a 24 score totaling 74 out of possible 75.

Heppner Rod and Gun club, winner of the shoot off of the Oregonian first telegraphic trapshooting tournament two years ago, is the only undefeated club out of the 28 competing. It has chalked up nine wins and no defeats so far this season. The local club has scored eight victories and one defeat.

The schedule for today's telegraphic shoot follows:

First round—Arlington vs. Prineville; La Grande vs. Union; Portland vs. Medford; Lane county vs. Washington county; The Dalles vs. Enterprise; Klamath vs. Halsey; Toledo vs. Echo; Heppner vs. Astoria; Salem vs. Pendleton; Monitor vs. Bend; Siletz Bay vs. Roseburg; Huntington vs. Bandon; Baker vs. Yamhill; Needy vs. Coquille.

Second round—Arlington vs. Union; La Grande vs. Medford; Portland vs. Washington county; Lane county vs. Enterprise; The Dalles vs. Halsey; Klamath vs. Echo; Toledo vs. Astoria; Heppner vs. Pendleton; Salem vs. Bend; Monitor vs. Roseburg; Siletz Bay vs. Bandon; Huntington vs. Yamhill county; Baker vs. Coquille; Needy vs. Prineville.

The club standings follow:

W.	L.	Pct.
Heppner	9	0.1000
Salem	8	1.8888
Portland	1	1.888
Coquille	2	.777
Roseburg	2	.777
Medford	2	.777
Klamath	3	.666
Yamhill county	3	.666
Echo	3	.625
Bend	3	.625
Pendleton	3	.625
Lane county	4	.571
La Grande	4	.555
Halsey	4	.555
Enterprise	4	.555
Huntington	4	.500
Astoria	4	.444
Monitor	3	.428
The Dalles	3	.375
Washington county	3	.375
Baker	3	.333
Bandon	2	.250
Prineville	2	.250
Needy	1	.111
Siletz Bay	1	.111
Union	1	.111
Arlington	0	.000
Toledo	0	.000

### Sports Done Brown

Major league clubs seeking a first baseman for future use may well focus their attentions and scouts on "Lefty" Boss, former Louisiana Polytech diamond star, who is due to get a tryout with the Little Rock club of the Southern league this spring.

At least folk around Ruston, Ark., home of the Louisiana Polytech institution will tell you that.

Boss hails from Junction City, near Ruston, but the college town has claimed him ever since he broke into the limelight there.

Ever been to Ruston?

One of those towns where you can leave your hand luggage resting in the public square all afternoon and find it there when you come back. The college gives it a "zip," too, that's good for any progressive town.

But to get back to Boss.

He might still be a valuable member of the Polys nine, but for the fact that he and the faculty disagreed over a matter of policy. Up to that time he had been starring as a college pitcher and first baseman. A sort of a second George Sisler.

Ray Logsdon, editor of the Ruston Leader, who played baseball round Missouri, Kansas and Arkansas for several years, is one of Boss' boosters.



Chalmers Cissell, young shortstop, has seen the price for his services climb from \$85 to \$123,000. Des Moines bought his release from the army, where he served in the cavalry, for \$85. Later the Iowa team sold Cissell to Portland for \$123,000, and Portland has sold him for \$123,000 to the Chicago White Sox.

### SALEM HIGH'S BID FOR STATE HOOP TITLE



Left to right: Coach Louie Anderson; Harold Beecher, center; Homer Lyons, forward; Lee Ecker, guard; Robert Kelly, guard; Don Siegmund, forward; Ivan Kafoury, guard; Frank Schaeffer, guard; Tom Duffy, forward; Cheney Kelley, guard.

As usual, Salem high will participate in the state high school basketball tournament which opens at the Willamette university gymnasium Wednesday night; but this year Salem high is not the favorite that it has often been in the past.

Coach Louie Anderson has had but two lettermen to form a nucleus for his team this year, and faced hard sledding before he evolved a winning combination. The greatest asset of the Salem team is its effective system of taking the ball down the floor, and keeping it in the hands of the players who will probably be the team is not up to past star most of Salem's games are standards, and it is conceded only Lyons and Duffy, forwards; Beecher, center; Bob Kelly and Ecker, guards.

### LOCAL CHURCH FIVE BEATS PORTLANDERS

In one of the closest and fastest basketball games ever played in the local YMCA gymnasium was witnessed last night when the First Presbyterian church hoop team of Salem defeated the fast First Presbyterian church cagemen of Portland to the close score of 43 to 40.

The local lads were first to score, but the Rose City boys soon followed suit, and thereafter the game was nip and tuck to the finish with Salem winning by only three points.

Salem's forward was high point man in the tilt chalking up 26 pointers. Adams, Salem forward, took second place honors with 18 markers. In spite of the rainy weather, quite a large crowd turned out to witness the contest.

In a preliminary tilt, the First Presbyterian church 125 pound team of Salem met defeat at the hands of the 125 pound class of Portland to the tune of 44 to 26. The Salemites had quite a time getting started and didn't get going good until the closing minutes of the game, but the visitors had too strong a lead by then.

In this tilt were three outstanding scorers. Caldwell of Portland leads with 19 points, with Marquis of Salem, second, with 16. Wancott of Portland captured third place honors scoring 12 points.

**Summary:**

Salem (43)	FG	FT	PF
Adams, f. ....	7	4	1
Eaton, f. ....	2	3	1
Colgan, c. ....	5	0	1
Gill, g. ....	2	0	1
Schaeffer, g. ....	2	0	0
McGiorn, s. ....	0	0	0
Total .....	18	7	4
Portland (40)	FG	FT	PF
Scalies, f. ....	11	4	0
Crommie, f. ....	2	0	1
McFarland, c. ....	4	0	0
Martin, g. ....	0	0	4
Hall, g. ....	0	0	1
Neal, s. ....	1	0	2
Total .....	18	4	8

Referee, Beecher.

**Preliminary Tilt**

Salem	Portland
Woolery, f. ....	F. (24) Wancott
Colgan (6) ....	F. .... (8) Gram
Marquis (16) ..	C. .... (11) Caldwell
Emmitt, g. ....	G. .... (5) Houghton
Glen (4) ....	G. .... Wallace
Hale, s. ....	S. ....
Pasmussen, s. ....	S. ....

Referee, Deltz.

### Big Time Kid Sharkey and Risko Fight Tomorrow

NEW YORK, Mar. 10. (AP)—The training stunts of Johnny Risko of Cleveland and Jack Sharkey of Boston ended today with comparatively light workouts. They will fight 15 rounds Monday night in Madison Square Garden in the hope of determining of logical opponent for Gene Tunney in June.

Apparently realizing that his sole hope of gaining the title fight as a result of this match depends on scoring a knockout, Sharkey threw a multitude of right hand punches into his sparring partners. In two rounds with Lou Bogash, Bridgeport light heavyweight, Sharkey shook his opponent with a slugging attack and cut him about the face. Italian Jack Her-

### MARSHFIELD LAST FIVE TO QUALIFY

**TOURNAMENT TEAMS**  
District 1—Wallowa.  
District 2—McLoughlin union high.  
District 3—The Dalles.  
District 4—Medford.  
District 5—Marshfield.  
District 6—University high of Eugene.  
District 7—Salem.  
District 8—Tillamook.  
District 9—Astoria.  
District 10—Washington high of Portland.

MARSHFIELD, March 10. (AP)—Marshfield high school defeated Bandon high 31 to 20 here tonight in the hardest fought basketball game seen on the local floor this season, and thereby won the right to compete in Salem next week in the annual state basketball tournament. Marshfield's victory decided the championship of district 5.

After Bandon had lead 13 to 10 at the half, the rejuvenated locals took to the floor in a burst of speed and swept the opposition to defeat. Only in the second half did Marshfield exhibit the teamwork that brought her to a decisive victory.

The next important event in this city which will create state wide interest will be the ninth annual state basketball tournament, which will be held in the Willamette university gymnasium beginning Wednesday night at 7:30 and continuing through until Saturday night. Ten teams from all over the state will be represented. Sixteen games will be played in the entire tournament.

Tickets have been on sale at Brown's sporting goods store, Anderson's athletic goods store, and at the Willamette gymnasium during the past week, and have been selling at a good rate. There still remain several good seats unsold and Coach "Spec" Keene urges everyone to get theirs as soon as possible before the big rush this week.

Unlike many other gymnasiums, spectators can view the game from any seat in the house, be it on the sides or on the ends. The seating capacity of the building will also be increased with the addition of new bleachers. The seating capacity will be 3000 this season.

Local officials believe that this will be one of the fastest and closest basketball tournaments ever held in the state. All ten teams are of nearly equal strength with not a weak side in the group. The teams come here with a clean slate, having won every game played this season; these are Washington high of Portland and Tillamook high. Tillamook defeated the Forest Grove five in a one sided tilt some time ago to the tune of 52 to 0, which gives fans a little idea of their possibilities.

Word has been received from Roy Cannon, secretary of the state athletic association, that the drawings for the teams would take place Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock in the office of Coach Keene at the Willamette gymnasium. Most teams have indicated that they would arrive in Salem Wednesday morning.

During their stay in Salem, the Washington team from Portland, McLoughlin, Medford, Astoria, Marshfield, and The Dalles will stay at the Marion hotel. The Tillamook, University high of Eugene, and Wallowa teams will stay at the New Senator hotel.

Ten varsity "W" men have been chosen by Coach Keene as local managers for the visiting teams. Those appointed were Litchfield, Washington high; Fleisher, Tillamook high; Ledbetter, Wallowa; Roundtree, McLoughlin union high; Emmons, The Dalles; Hathaway, Medford; Ackersley high of Eugene; Adams, Salem high; and Meadow, Astoria high.

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### North Central High Quint Wins Washington Tourney

SEATTLE, Mar. 10. (AP)—North Central of Spokane became state high school basketball champions of Washington by swamping the Cheney quintet 33 to 19 in the final game of a three day tournament here tonight.

This was the fifth time, out of the six state tournaments staged here that the title has gone to an eastern aggregation. The two finalists tonight however, have never before reached the last stage of a tourney.

Walla and Yakima, who lost to Cheney and North Central respectively this morning, will fight it out for third and sixth places. The Spokane team, playing a tight game and giving Yakima few chances to shoot, overwhelmed their valley opponents 21 to 6. A smooth working machine kept the ball under the North Central basket, while the only shots Yakima got were long ones.

Cheney came out on top in an exciting see-saw fray with Walla, 24 to 21. Bramhall, the first all-star forward from Walla, was the outstanding player of the tilt, sinking many sensational shots in the last half.

Everett climbed into fourth place among ranking teams by easily downing Wenatchee 22 to 13. After an even first quarter the easterners forged into the lead which was never threatened. Wenatchee is now rated as the seventh best team in the state.

SEATTLE, Mar. 10. (AP)—Outclassing the Walla Walla quintet, Yakima basket tossers climbed into third place among state high school teams by winning 22 to 18, here tonight. Walla Walla was dropped into sixth place among the honor teams.

Wa-Hi led spasmodically through the first half but at no time during the earlier part of the tilt did either five hold anything more than a precarious lead. With the score 12 to 11 against them, Yakima came from behind in the third quarter, ending it with a 20-17 lead. From then on they froze on to the ball, taking no chances at losing their lead.

Elk Grove, Yakima forward, ran wild and tallied 17 points. In the first half he shot all of his team's field goals—five of them. Bramhall, forward, and Stoller, guard both played beautiful floor games for the losers.