

# Willamette-Whitman Crucial Hoop Series Opens Tonight

## DEFENSE TO BE LARGE FACTOR

### Fans Question Whether Bearcats' Change to Older System Successful

Ten basketball players who will wear the colors of Whitman college in the two game series with Willamette university here tonight and Friday night, departed from Walla Walla Wednesday accompanied by Coach "Nig" Borleske.

Reports from Walla Walla are to the effect that the Missionaries are all in good shape with the exception of Applegate, guard, who is reported not fully recovered from the ankle sprain which he received in an early season game.

Coach "Spec" Keene of Willamette was not certain Wednesday night as to what his lineup would be, with at least two pretty fair men available for most positions. It is patent that Cardinal will play center and that Scales will be in one of the forward positions, with Hawk as one of the guards; but the other two jobs were somewhat in doubt.

Defense Big Problem With this two game series appearing at present as the decisive one for the Northwest conference championship, and the teams so far as can be determined evenly matched as to personnel, the outcome believed here to depend largely upon the functioning of what was at the first of the season a weakness in the Bearcats' play, the defense.

Coach Keene has long been an advocate of the man-to-man defense, but because so many of his players had used a territory system, he hesitated to change it in his first two years at the local school. This year he decided to make the shift. In the early games his fears as to the success of the change were proven well founded, and Willamette won only by out scoring the opposition.

Progress is Made By the time that the Bearcats played the second round of games with O. S. C. and Oregon, the new defense was working better, as the victory over the Staters and the close score against the Webfoots proved.

Nevertheless in a critical series such as now looms against Whitman, the thoroughness with which the cardinal and gold wearers which is in reality the oldest defense system in basketball—is in question.

Stars of the Whitman team which comes here tonight include Wood, Holmren and Croxdale, veterans, and three outstanding new men in Hove, Fix and Robbins. Wood has been the Missionaries' scoring ace for three seasons and Holmgren has starred in all departments of play.

## CLUB ARRANGES BIG BOXING CARD SOON

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 6.—(Special)—Unless present indications are no criterion the entry list of unattached boxers in the Pacific Coast A. A. U. boxing championships to be staged in Portland, under auspices of the Multnomah A. A. club, Monday and Tuesday nights, February 25 and 26, will be the largest of any boxing championships ever held in the West, according to James

## SORDS POINTS

Gallagher, Dean of Wrestling Coaches



By JACK SORDS  
Sports Cartoonist-Writer for Central Press and The Statesman  
E. C. GALLAGHER, director of athletics and head wrestling coach at the Oklahoma A. and M. college, is the Knute Rockne of the mat game. Like the Notre Dame coach in football, Gallagher has had a habit over a long period of years of producing winning teams. He took charge of wrestling at the college in 1914 and lost only to Texas university that year. Then followed a string of victories that was not broken until 1921, when both Nebraska and Iowa State pinned his boys to the mat. Since 1921 the Aggies have won 44 consecutive dual meets, piling up 1,094 1/2 points to their opponents 214 1/2.

## Selection of Referee is Vexing Question of Fight

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Feb. 6.—(AP)—While Jack Sharkey and Young Stribling took training easy today, problems centering around the third man in the ring when they mix it at Flamingo Park, February 27, increased as "Pa" Stribling entered a protest against the failure to include a southern-

er in the list of referees. Jack Dempsey, the promoter, stepped to the fore and called a conference with Johnny Buckley, manager for the Boston sailor, and "Pa" for Saturday when the matter of sectional representation will be threshed out.

The elder Stribling said the south lacks proper representation in the list of possible third men. Two of the possibilities, he pointed out, are from New York, two from Chicago, one each from Detroit, Cleveland, Grand Rapids and Philadelphia, but none whose abode is south of the Mason and Dixon line.

TONY KAYOVS JOEY COLISEUM, Chicago, Feb. 6.—(AP)—Tony Casoneri knocked out Joey Sangor in the seventh round of their ten round fight here tonight.

## E. KAY TO HEAD GOLFERS AGAIN

### Salem Golf Club Directors Reelect All Officers; Year's Plans Made

Ercel W. Kay was reelected president of the Salem Golf club at a meeting of the new board of directors Tuesday night. Graham F. Sharkey was reelected vice president and secretary, and D. W. Eyre was reelected treasurer.

The directors chosen at the well attended meeting at the Senator hotel Tuesday night were Kay, Sharkey, R. I. MacLaughlin, and Donald A. Young. They were proposed by a nominating committee consisting of W. H. Burghardt, J. A. Duncan and Frank Spears.

Committees Named President Kay Wednesday announced the appointment of the following committees for the year: Tournament, Don Young, Rex Sanford, Ted Chambers, Tom Wood and Fritz Slade.

Entertainment, Jack Elliott, Carl Gabrielson, Arthur Rahn, J. W. Helwick, Connell Dyer, T. A. Livesley, J. J. Roberts, O. F. Johnson, I. R. Smith and V. M. Stoller.

House, T. M. Hicks, C. J. Smith, H. L. Stiff, Dr. J. S. Saurman and Linn Smith.

Greens, R. I. MacLaughlin, C. B. Cross, W. H. Burghardt, Dr. J. O. Garnjobst and Arthur Hutchison.

Handicap, E. S. Newton, L. H. Grob, J. H. Willett, Daryl Quisenberry and Fred Thielson.

Finance, D. W. Eyre, Harry Hawkins, E. T. Pierce, Frank Hughes and Carl Nelson.

Trophies Displayed Twelve trophies which will be offered as prizes in tournaments were on display at the meeting Tuesday night as evidence that the new club is taking unusual interest in this phase of club activity. The trophies are now on display at the Burnett Bros. Jewelry store.

Discussion of the progress on the second nine holes at the meeting, indicated that the work would be completed by the end of May, and play on the full 18 holes will be possible sometime in August.

The financial report showed the club's finances to be in good condition. Much interest was shown in the plans for a number of intercity tournaments.

## Joe Dundee Suspended By Moguls

### Philadelphia, Feb. 6.—(AP)—Max Waxman, manager of Joe Dundee, welterweight champion, and his entire stable of boxers, including the titleholder, were suspended today for an indefinite period by the Pennsylvania State Athletic commission.

Dundee had been matched to fight young Ketchell at Elam, Pa., tomorrow night but after Dundee's recent hard bout with Al Mello, Waxman asked for a week's delay. Three days of grace were granted him and it was then announced that the bout would be put on February 14.

## AMITY HIGH LEADS YAMHILL HOOPERS

AMITY, Feb. 6.—(Special)—Amity high basket tossers fought their way to first place in the Yamhill county league by defeating Sheridan 26 to 18 here last night. The game was unusually fast, but Coach J. K. Cameron's men used a style of offensive play that kept them in the lead from the start. With but three more games to play to finish the season Amity is well on the way toward winning the championship for another year.

The local girls squad defeated the Sheridan girls 15 to 17 in the fastest girls' game that has ever been seen on the Amity floor.

The lineup was: Amity, forward, Warner and R. Cobban; guards, F. Fournier and Massey; center, Osborne; substitutes, L. Fournier for Massey, R. Wood for Warner. Sheridan: forwards, Epley and Hipple; guards, Peizer and Spring; center, J. Cate; substitutes, Kirt for Epley and Ottinger for Spring.

The girls lineup was: Amity, guards, Nyhart and DePries; forwards, Hawley and Wood; side center, Werner; jumping center, Fox; substitutes, R. Penrose for Werner, Sheridan, guards, Clark and Jones; forwards, Yoe and E. Young; side center, A. Yoing; jumping center, Korsak.

Harry White of McMinnville refereed both games.

## SALEM HIGH TEAM ON SOUTHERN TRIP

The Salem high school basketball squad left for southern Oregon Wednesday night for a series of three games, playing Ashland high tonight at Ashland and Medford high at Medford Friday and Saturday nights.

Since Medford high defeated the red and black here decisively last week, the local team is considered to be going up against odds in meeting the same team on its own floor. Little is known here of Ashland's strength.

The Salem high second team will play the McMinnville Friday night.

The first team has only two home games left on its present schedule, against Albany high and the Oregon State Troops here late this month.

Salem high has defeated all visible opponents for the district title, but has yet to play the Chemawa Indian school at Chemawa.

## SEGRAVE WILL TRY NEW MARK

### New Car, Called Golden Arrow, Expected to Break Speed Records

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—(AP)—Major H. O. D. Segrave, first racer ever to drive an automobile faster than 200 miles an hour, arrived from England on the Majestic today to attempt to regain the world speed record at Daytona Beach, Fla.

With him he brought his new car, known as the Golden Arrow, which has a slight "on it like a rifle" to help the driver hold to a straight course.

The race against time will be held between the first and fifteenth of March. The present record, established by Ray Keech in April of last year, is 207 1/2 miles per hour.

## HIGH SCHOOL PLAY TO BE OUTSTANDING

If, to reverse an old saw "bad beginning, good ending" is reliable, "The Road to Yesterday," four-act fantasy which the high school student body will present at the auditorium Friday night, will be the year's outstanding play production of the students.

The logic is like this: To begin with, the play had to be set ahead a full week because the auditorium was needed for inter-collegiate debates next week. But that didn't daunt the 13 players. Then, for one reason and another, no assembly was open for an advertising skit. And to add insult to injury, weather conditions were responsible for cancellation of the customary parade preceding a high school play.

But there's one ray of sunshine, and Mrs. Bernice S. Duncan who is coaching the play is emphatic about it: With 13 students absolutely new to the high school stage she has moulded one of the best balanced and splendid casts to be seen here in several years.

The play, written by Dix and Sutherland, is a comedy-fantasy with tense moments and plenty of dramatic action, yet sufficient comedy to please those who love to laugh. Briefly, it is the story of a group of modern "young things" who, gathered in a studio, begin to wonder in somewhat breezy fashion what they might have been and done centuries ago. The idle talk "gets" Elspeth Tyrrell (Willie Fleener) who has made herself ill "doing London," and she falls asleep but to dream of the 17th century England, with her friends and relatives becoming some surprisingly ludicrous characters of the former day. Her dream occupies much of the action of the play and, of course, is responsible for the romance evident in the final scenes. The dream scenes are presented in costume.

Members of the cast also include: Jack Greatore, the hero, Robert Gomer; Kenelm Paulton, Lawrence Brown; Will Leveson, James Heltzel; Adrian Tompkins, Ronald Hewitt; Malena Leveson, Katherine Earle; Eleanor Leveson, Velma May; Harriet Phelps, Gertrude Hobbs; Norah Gillaw, Coral Kiser; Dolly Poulis, Gladys Roeb; Hubert, Willard Moses; Sir John Edwin Swartz, Miss Ada Ross is faculty manager and Lee Coe student manager.

By Les Forgrave

## Perfect Score



Buffalo Smith, world famed trapshooter, who recently made a perfect score at the traps at Sea Island Beach, Ga., where he is officiating at the first annual trapshooting meet, Jan. 30-Feb. 1.

## DERBY DRAWING MANY BOWLERS

### Over 40 Entered in Statesman Event for Burnett Trophy Wednesday

Bowlers flocked to sign up for the Statesman bowling derby early this week to compete for the trophy hung up by Burnett Brothers, in numbers which indicated that the competitors would pass the 75 mark before the end of the week. There were already 40 in the race Wednesday.

The derby is also creating a lot of discussion among the devotees of the pin smashing game, with much speculation as to the probable winner. In view of the full spot handicap provided, the "dope" generally favors the dark horses.

Official reports on the progress of the derby are not to be issued until Sunday, when they will appear in The Statesman, but it was rumored Wednesday that Rex Lyons of Montgomery Ward was in the lead with Fitzgerald of the Elks close behind and "Dutch" White a good third.

In Club league play Wednesday night, the Lions won three straight games from the Elks Club, Western Auto won two out of three from Associated Oil and the Reo Mates took two out of three from the Nelson Druggists.

Scores were:

Player	Lions	Elks Club
Hendricks	191	164
Haag	165	172
Swope	128	110
Grota	178	172
Fitzgerald	149	167
Totals	754	796

Elks Club

Player	Elks Club	Western Auto
Gabrielson	114	164
Van Patten	208	164
George	163	170
Davidson	124	110
W. Hennessey	199	164
Sharkey	167	164
Elliott	164	164
Totals	752	748

Western Auto

Player	Western Auto	Associated Oil
Brown	159	129
Harr	125	186
Ernstson	149	152
Martin	123	151
Melson	128	146
Totals	714	811

Associated Oil

Player	Associated Oil	Nelson Druggists
Peterson	190	165
Wickert	120	165
Leise	125	148
W. Hennessey	158	164
Fordicot	199	175
Totals	766	755

Nelson Druggists

Player	Nelson Druggists	Reo Mates
Mennis	154	178
Kumler	149	152
Dempsey	128	122
Eckholm	154	218
Nelson	155	171
Totals	757	821

Reo Mates

Player	Reo Mates	O. S. C. Faculty
O. White	142	155
Jaeger	135	122
Loose	128	187
L. White	170	185
Totals	775	883

## Father and Son Banquet is Held

The annual father and son banquet of the Leslie Methodist church was held there Tuesday evening under the sponsorship of the Leslie Brotherhood, the men's club of the church. Toasts were given by a number of the fathers and their sons. Several musical numbers were another enjoyable part of the program.

## President Signs Proviso For More Vocational Money

President Coolidge has signed the Reed-George vocational bill providing additional funds in agricultural and home economics education, according to a telegram received here Wednesday by O. D. Adams, state director for vocational education. These funds will increase the annual appropriation to the state of Oregon by approximately \$10,000. Oregon now receives yearly from the federal government for the promotion of this type of work the amount of \$54,676.30.

The congressional delegation from Oregon has actively participated in the support of this legislation and deserves credit for the passages of the vocational bill, Mr. Adams said.

## Large Number of Used Books Sold

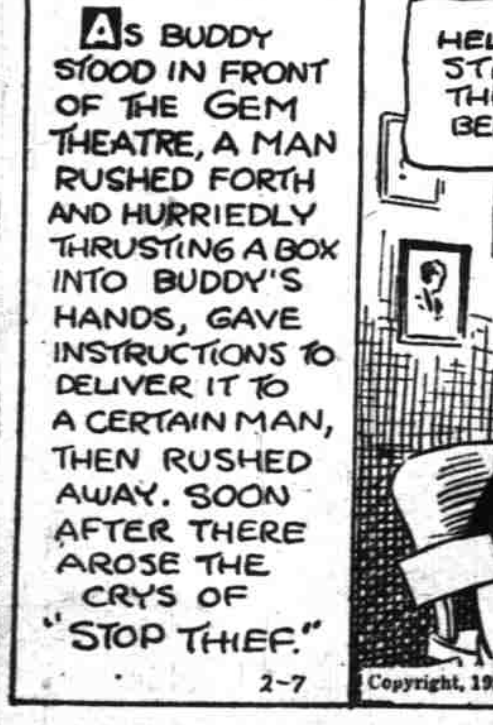
Just 175 second hand books were sold from 11 o'clock Tuesday to mid-afternoon Wednesday by the book exchange at the senior high school, Virginia Page, senior, who is conducting the exchange, reports sales on these amounted to \$125, which means that, in view of the fact that books are sold at half price, students made a material saving on purchases for the new semester. The student body collects ten cents on every book sold for handling the exchange. Margaret Turner is assisting Miss Page with the book corner. The exchange expects to handle more books before the student demand is satisfied.

## NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Marion, his duly verified Final Account, as the Administrator of the estate of August Hilfiker, deceased, and that said Court has fixed Wednesday, the 13th day of February, 1929, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. of said day, as the time, and the County Court Room in the County Court House at Salem, in Marion County, Oregon, as the place for hearing said final account and all objections thereto.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 10th day of January, 1929.  
ALBERT J. HILFIKER, Administrator of the Estate of August Hilfiker, Deceased.  
RONALD C. GLOVER, Attorney for Administrator, Salem, Oregon.  
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## Big Sister



As BUDDY stood in front of the GEM THEATRE, a man rushed forth and hurriedly thrusting a box into BUDDY'S hands, gave INSTRUCTIONS to deliver it to a certain man, then rushed away. Soon after there arose the cry of "STOP THEF."



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GEE, THAT MAN ACTED FUNNY. GAVE ME THE BOX AND RAN. I'LL TAKE THESE THINGS HOME AND THEN DELIVER THE BOX.



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THE BOX IS GONE!



By Neher

## Goofy Movies



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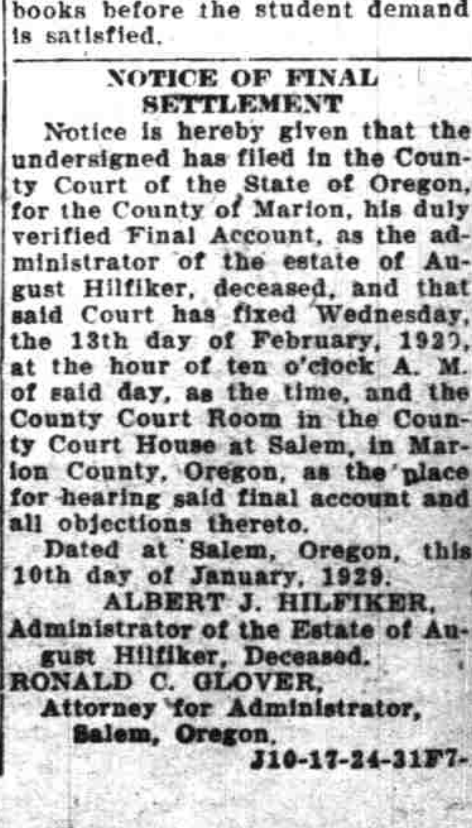
SCENE SHOWING HOW SAM TAPPED THE GENT'S WOODEN LEG



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### General Markets

PORTLAND GRAIN, Feb. 6.—(AP)—Hard white \$1.52; soft white, \$1.19; western white \$1.19; hard winter, \$1.17; northern spring \$1.16; western red, \$1.17. Oats, No. 2—88 lb., white, \$36.50.