

# Four Big League Scouts Eye Andy Peterson This Year

## MAY JOIN UP WITH YANKEES

Gribble and Walt Erickson  
Noticed for Promise  
Of Faster Ball

Coach "Spec" Keene of Willamette university has never yet seen one of his baseball players go up to the big leagues nor to class AA ball, but the showings made by his teams during the past two years and already this season have started a bunch of big league scouts scamping to the Bearcat baseball games and even to the practice field.

"Smiling" Andy Peterson is the boy whose pitching records first attracted the scouts and while viewing him in action, they have also noticed a couple of other men on the Bearcat crew who show promise of playing faster ball in the future. These are Walter Erickson, center fielder, and Lowell Gribble, third sacker.

Peterson started this season with a record behind him that any chucker would be proud to own and in his two mound appearances this spring has hurled two more contests which will stand out in Willamette university and Salem baseball history.

In his first game of the season, against O. S. C., he fanned 23 men in 12 innings, 21 of the whiffles coming in the regular nine innings. He allowed only seven scattered hits during the seven innings and would have won the game 2 to 0 in nine innings had not his teammates permitted two unearned runs in the fourth. The final score was 3 to 2 for the Staters.

The second game of the season Andy won 5 to 2, with his team giving him better support with the stick. He allowed the Oregon State men only three hits in that game, one being a misjudged fly which went for a triple and drove in one of the runs.

Last year Peterson pitched a perfect game against College of Puget Sound, allowing no hits, no walks and none to reach first base. Andy has also chalked up several other shutouts for Willamette and some for the Salem Senators, for whom he has pitched two years.

A year ago last summer he pitched a no-hit game against Corvallis while hurling for the Senators. Peterson wound up his collegiate season last spring by pitching and winning two games in three days from Whitman for the northwest conference championship. Last year for Willamette he led the hitting with an average of .538 per cent.

Last year Bill Essick of the New York Yankees and other scouts saw Andy and are said to have made him offers which he rejected because he wished to continue in college.

This spring Slapnicka of the Cleveland Indians, Egan of the Yankees, Butler of St. Louis and a Chicago Cubs scout have all been here.

According to Coach "Spec" Keene, who has tutored Peterson for three seasons, Andy will probably sign up following the close of school this summer. It is reported that he will join the New York Yankees, in which case he would probably be farmed this summer, states Coach Keene. The Yanks have a farm in New Jersey and at Hollywood on the Pacific coast.

Walter Erickson who plays center field for Willamette, covers a lot of territory in the big meadows and has a powerful arm. He is a heavy hitter and with the long grip he takes on the bat and his powerful swing, could easily become a fence buster. Walt has one more year here and will be with the Salem Senators again this summer.

Lowell Gribble, who plays third base, is one of the prettiest hitters on the Bearcat squad and is batting cleanup man this season, having an average of over .500 in four games. "Grib" is only a sophomore and needs more

## MEETS TOUGH FOEMAN TUESDAY



## Jones' Bout With Champion Kallio Attracting Interest; Weight to be No Advantage

The advance sale of tickets for the Gus Kallio-Henry Jones wrestling bout at the Salem armory Tuesday night is going strong, announces Matchmaker, Sergeant Harry Plant who expects a sell-out of seats, but that that there will also be some standing room.

Gus Kallio is the world's middleweight wrestling champion and will appear in the ring with the golden championship pants holder around his waist. Kallio wrestles every minute he is in the ring and will probably let Jones lead out in any style of grappling he chooses. If Jones gets dirty, as Jones frequently does, Kallio has just as much dirty stuff he can come back with, while if Jones desires a clean match, Gus can give him just that.

He has wrestled the best middleweight and light-heavyweight grapplers in the world. The sturdy Scandinavian has been at it a long time and knows all the tricks of the game, old and new.

While Kallio is one of the best all-around middleweight grapplers ever to be brought to Salem, Henry Jones stands a chance, not too large, but yet a chance, to win from the champion. Jones is doubtless the best match in this section for Kallio.

To this writer's knowledge Jones has not lost a bout in this section this year and has only one draw against him. Jones defeated Robin Reed two out of three falls in Portland in a title match for the world's welterweight wrestling crown, but Reed retained it because Jones was weighed in at 146, just one pound overweight. Jones decisively defeated Reed in that meeting and charges that Reed went east just to avoid another meeting.

Henry Jones, the old fox from Provo, Utah, is not extra popular with the bulk of the Salem sports fans, but all respect his grappling a great deal. On several occasions he has wrestled heavier opponents here and won from them. In one of his bouts he gave away 15 pounds to his opponent and still won.

Kallio is supposed to weigh in at 156 and Jones will be up to college and bush league seasoning, but has good chances of playing faster ball some day.

## STARS WALLOP DUCK HURLERS

Portland Uses 4 Pitchers  
But Stars win; Rally  
in 9th Falls

PORTLAND, Ore., Apr. 30.—(AP)—Four Portland pitchers received rough treatment at the hands of the Hollywood batsmen here today and the Stars won, 10 to 8.

Three of Portland's runs came in the ninth when, with two men on, Jacobs connected for a home run.

R H E  
Hollywood 10 12 0  
Portland 8 15 1  
Sheehan, Turner and Bassler; Zahner, Killen, Peterson, Orwoll and Fitzpatrick.

INDIANS BREAK TIE  
SEATTLE, April 30.—(AP)—The Seattle Indians put on an eighth inning rally in a Pacific coast baseball game here today to break a six to six tie and win the contest from the Missions.

Walsh, Mission hurler, homered in the first half of the eighth to sew up the score but the Indians scored three runs in their turn at bat when Walters doubled and was sacrificed to third by Ellsworth, who was safe at first on a fielder's choice.

Walters scored after Barber's line drive to center was caught and Burns homered, chasing Ellsworth in ahead of him.

R H E  
Missions 7 16 1  
Seattle 6 15 1  
H. Pillette, Walsh and Hoffman; Nelson, Walters and Botarini.

OAKS BEAT ANGELS  
LOS ANGELES, Apr. 30.—(AP)—Night game.

R H E  
Oakland 8 13 1  
Los Angeles 6 7 0  
Kasch, Joiner and Gaston; Wetzel, Moss and Campbell.

SEALS SWALLOW SENATORS  
SAN FRANCISCO, Apr. 30.—(AP)—Night game.  
San Francisco 10 13 2  
Batteries: Flynn and Woodall; McDougall and Penebaky.

## Eugene Wins Field Meet; Salem Sixth

CORVALLIS, Ore., April 30.—(AP)—Eugene high school won the Willamette valley track and field meet here today with a score of 32 1/2 points. Corvallis high, which sponsored the meet, placed second with 23 1/2 points, just losing out Cottage Grove, the dark horse, whose team scored 23 and won the trophy offered for the relay winner.

Oregon City high scored 19, while Beaverton, through the work of "Iron Man" Hart, took 16 points. First was awarded the cup for the outstanding individual performance, winning three firsts the 100 yard dash, the high hurdles and the broad jump.

Other schools and their scores were: Hill Military, 15; Salem, 8; University high, 8; Dallas, 7.

COUGARS WIN MEET  
SPOKANE, April 30.—(AP)—Taking nine firsts and the relay, Washington State college won 83 points for first place in a triangular track and field meet with the Universities of Idaho and Montana here today. Idaho was second with 44 points and Montana third with 31.

## Mid-Willamette, Cascade Nines Play Good Ball; to Resume Schedules Today

CASCADE LEAGUE  
North Division  
Woodburn at Brooks.  
Newberg at Mt. Angel.  
Dayton at Amity.  
South Division  
Turner at Lebanon.  
Jefferson at Brownville.  
Stafferton at Scio.

Play in the Cascade league will be resumed today with the Woodburn vs. Brooks game at Brooks holding the limelight. Brooks, with an exceptional lineup including some of last year's Salem Senators, and Woodburn are both making a strong bid for honors this season, the sport taking on new interest at Woodburn because of the new park constructed there.

Brooks served notice that it will be a strong contender when it walloped Newberg 3 to 1 last Sunday. Brooks got 13 hits off Winter and Blazer while Swegle, Brooks hurler, limited the Newberg boys to one single in six innings while Seftice was even more stingy the rest of the route and yielded none. Newberg scored in the first inning on two walks, a fielder's choice and an error.

Brooks' lineup last Sunday included Meachem 1f, "Zeke" Girard ss, L. Girard 3b, Stogler 1b, Kalam 2b, Ramp cf, Batchelor c, Harris rf, Swegle p, Saltise p, Franklin rf.

## Staters Take Oregon Scalp In Rainy Game

EUGENE, Ore., April 30.—(AP)—The Oregon State college baseball team defeated the University of Oregon here today 6 to 2. Rain halted the game at the end of the seventh inning.

Edwards and Donlin were on the mound for the university and Peterson hurled for the college. Score:  
Oregon 6 6 3  
Oregon State 2 6 1

## Mixed Doubles At Salem Club

Mixed doubles competition will be featured on the Salem Golf club course today with pairings to be made as the players arrive at the clubhouse. It will get under way at 1 p. m. Combined handicaps of the pairs will be used on a three-eighths basis.

## STRIKES and SPARES

The Douglas McKay Chevrolet bowling team will leave Salem Thursday for Vancouver, B. C., to compete in the Northwest international bowling tournament. Although they will be matched against the leading pin smashers of the Pacific coast, the local team will place well up in the money if it lives up to expectations.

Members of the local team are Don Poulis, Harvey Page, George Allen, Joel Coe and Henry Barr.

## ROOKS BLANK SALEM, 10-0

Cherrians Play Third Game  
In Three Days; Rain  
Halts Game at 5th

Salem high school lost a five-inning ball game, 10 to 0, to the Oregon State Rooks Saturday in the Corvallis rain. Rain delayed the starting of the game, but the yearlings were anxious to play and despite considerable of a downpour during the contest, five innings were waded through.

This was the third ball game in as many days for the Salem high outfit, which had practiced only twice this season before the first contest. Huntington's men are still undefeated by a high school team, having won from University high 19 to 9 and from Eugene high 13 to 1.

Perrine, who pitched Thursday, was again on the mound Saturday and the Rooks got onto him for a number of blunders. Rasmussen pitched for the Rooks and allowed only one hit during the five innings. Scheibner got that one, a single. The Rook flinger was a big lanky left-hander who also knew how to wield

the stick, as he hit a homer clear up to the armory.  
Huntington was well satisfied with the showing of his ball club the first week, but states that three games was too much in a string for so early in the season. The Salem lineup was McCaffery, catcher; Perrine, pitcher; Kelly, first; McCarthy, second; Ramp, short; Mason, third; Van-Cleave, left field; Marra, center field, and Scheibner, right field.

## Shields, Vines Sweep Clean in Davis Cup Play

WASHINGTON, Apr. 30.—(AP)—Playing brilliant tennis in a drizzling rain, Frank Shields, and Ellsworth Vines turned back the Canadians in the last two battles of the Davis cup series today to give the United States a clean sweep of all five matches.

A gallery of 1,200 watched Vines, young national champion, trim Marcel Rainville 6-2, 6-3, 6-4, after Shields had downed the dominion ace, Dr. Jack Wright, 5-4, 6-1, 5-10, 6-1.

Thus the United States will go into its second round series with Mexico at New Orleans about two weeks hence with a clean slate.

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**SALEM WEDNESDAY 11 MAY**  
AT OLINGER ATHLETIC FIELD

**BARNES CIRCUS**  
AND PAGEANT OF GOLD A GORGEOUS FIESTA

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SHERDS PERFORMING ELEPHANTS	RESERVED AND ADMISSION TICKETS ON SALE CIRCUS DAY AT CENTRAL PHARMACY 410 STATE ST.	100 DANCING GIRLS
		12 ACRES

## Bearcats Outslug Cons in Saturday Game 24-7; Open Conference Play Tuesday

The Willamette Bearcats finally got back on the schedule of the state pentathlon and outslugged the "cons" to win by a 24 to 7 score Saturday.

Next Tuesday the Bearcats will open their conference schedule against Albany college at Albany. The Pirates have split games with Pacific university and dropped one to Linfield, but will likely give the Bearcats plenty of trouble, having Elder and McLean of the Albany Alcos for a battery.

Willamette collected 21 hits in the game, 14 off Tuel and the other seven off Wikhard. George Erickson opened on the mound for Willamette and gave only four hits and one run during the four innings he pitched. George was going strong, but Coach "Spec" Keene decided that four innings' work was enough and put Lawrence "Hoot" Gibson on the mound.

In his four innings Gibson allowed only four hits, but these were punched in the seventh inning and brought the state boys four runs. Al Pietella, blonde, curly-haired freshman Finn, wound up the mound work in the last inning, allowing three hits and two runs.

Box score:	AB	R	H
Willamette			
Woodward 2b	3	1	1
Gibson ss	5	2	3
W. Erickson m	5	3	4
Gribble 3b	5	4	3
Commons rf	6	3	2
Moore lf	5	4	3
Eggleston 1b	5	2	3
G. Erickson p	5	1	0
McCann c	2	1	0
Walter 2b	2	2	0
McRae cf	2	1	1
Pietella p	0	0	0
Totals	49	24	21
State Pentathlon			
Williams 3b	3	0	1
Moore ss	5	2	2
Carnahan c	5	3	3
Crosswhite 1b	5	1	2
Perry 2b, mgr.	1	0	0
Hannula lf	2	0	0
Butler m	3	1	0
Belle rf	2	0	2
Tuel p	2	0	2
Mason 2b	2	1	0
Lonsbark lf	2	0	1
Poggi m	1	0	0
Wisher p	2	0	0
Totals	35	7	11

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