

He'll not only be crowned, but will be given a belt upon which will be plainly inscribed "Northwest Middleweight Champion."

weight boxing champion.

The belt will be put up by the local Veterans of Foreign Wars, sponsors of pugilistic enterprises in our little Cherry City.

The champion will be Independence's Buddy Peterson or Seattle's Alex "Kid" Watson, depending, of course, which one gets the decision in their 10round championship melce. -0-

Objections Waved.

"And why not create the northwest middleweight championship right here in Salem?" belligerently queries Promoter John Friend.

"Well, John," we timidly return, "won't some of those smart accolades from the Sporting guys up Tacoma or Seattle way contest any such championship?" their work in 1938. "What if they do? Al Houstak

is the only one in the whole northwest who could possibly contest it, and he won't for the simple reason that he doesn't care. Who else will contest it? And if someone does, let 'em come to Salem and fight. for it."

And so, friend Friend in one sweeping statement erases any objection to creating the northwest middleweight belt right here in Salem.

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Who'll Win Belt?

Who will wear that new batch of hardware out of the armory ring next Monday night? When I ask that question an image of Watson's terrific left hand immediately hurries across my vision. That dusky larruper laid left hooks against Peterson's jaw, when they met for a draw decision here in November, that were as explosive as they were beautiful to see.

Peterson, with the help of the bell in one instance and on pure among minor league managers fortitude in the rest, weathered the hook barrage. But there are which won the Southern Associno few ringsiders who believed ation championship, both play-Watson carried Buddy from the offs and the Dixie series. third round on.

I'll admit Watson didn't appear to be trying so hard to land with his left from the third, but I don't think he was "carrying" Peterson. After the first-round knockdown Peterson never gave Watson any opportunities to land with those lefts. Ke kept covered in much better style. And what is more important, he was so busy throwing gloves at Watson's kidneys and kinky head that the colored boy didn't have time to get set for his looping

as Manager ST. LOUIS, Dec. 27-(AP)-From the business office, bench and field, Warren C. Giles, Joe Mc-Carthy and Johnny Vander Meer of the major leagues stood today

with Lou McKenna, Paul Richards and Freddle Hutchinson of men of the year.

McCarthy and Richards, man-

Reds.

Giles, vice-president and general manager of the Reds, won designation as top executive for developing the Cincinnati farm

negotiations. He handled the All - Star National - American

league game. Corresponding minor league honors went to McKenna, secretary and business manager of St. Paul of the American association, who was credited with the team's rise from seventh place in 1937 to the pennant in 1938. St. Paul had the highest attendance record in its history this past season

Richards won recognition for his record with Atlanta.

: acifi: Hutchinson, Seattle Coast league pitcher recently purchased by the Detroit Tigers for \$50,000 and several players. was named the outstanding performer in the minors. He won 25 games and lost only seven. Honorable mentions included Major league players - Bill Lee, Chicago Cub pitcher; Jimmy Foxx, Boston Red Sox first baseman; Hank Greenberg, Detroit first-baseman; Charley Ruffing, New York Yankee pitcher; Ernie Lombardi, Cincinnati catcher; Joe Gordon, Yankee sec-

ond baseman.

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Joe McCarthy Gets Kudos From Sporting News

the minors as baseball's No. 1

agers, and Vander Meer and Hutchinson, players, won their News, baseball newspaper, fo:

McCarthy's selection, of course, was for his record in leading the New York Yankees to their third straight world championship, and Vander Meer afor his unprecedented feat in pitching two cosecutive no-hit, no-run games for the Cincinnati

Giles Develops Farms

system, assembling many of the

Tony Has Some Toe

added, seems most important because the Dukes have a big fellow named Tony Ruffa, a substitute guard, who displayed a marked adeptitude in booting conversions.

And just to show how much additional power he carries in his big right foot, Ruffa stepped back and placed a few through the uprights from the 30 and 33-yard

out Coach Wade. "That will be too much," chor-

Apparently still satisfied with his eleven, Howard Jones again put the Trojans through a stiff drill, but ordered no actual scrimmage. The last time the team went through this type of work was several days before the Notre Dame game December 3

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CHAMPION, BEATING MIKE BELLOISE IN

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Salem, Oregon, Wednesday Morning, December 28, 1938



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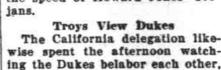
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PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 27-(AP)-The curtain of secrecy was drawn closer than ever around the battle plans of Duke university and Southern California tonight after the rival Rose Bowl football foes went through their

last semi-public practice. Visiting football writers from the North Carolina sector took a final peep at the Southern California team and came away deeply impressed with the size-the outfit averages 195 pounds-and the speed of Howard Jones' Tro-



team's players and helping club and voted unanimously that one morale by his amicable salary thing was certain when the two teams come together next Monday, namely, that the iron Dukes are going to be mighty tough to push around.

Whereas a week ago many backers of Troy were yelping for a decision by at least 14 points, most of them today will be thoroughly satisfied with seven.

The seventh point, it might be

lines.

"That will be enough," called

used the Trojan faction.

the Reds 52 to 5.

Six Teams Win at YMCA Open House As Holiday League Play Is Opened Eighty boys, comprising 13 bas- | Wednesday's games pit the ketball teams, began play Tuesday Ramblers against the Globe Trotafternoon in the YMCA open

The only game in the 14-15 and Owls, and Eagles and Owls. Scores Tuesday:

OCT. 29 - IN ONE OF THE MONTH'S FEATURE FOOTBALL GAMES, PITTSBURGH DEFEATED

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By Jack Sords Peterson Will "Northwest Title" to Be gin. The box: up in Main Event at Oregon (60) Gale, f

> Buddy Peterson and Ales Dick, c Kid" Watson will meet in Sa Sandness, c . lem's armory arena next Monday night for the "middleweight boxing championship of the northwest." The fight will be over the 10-round route. The Peterson-Watson championship fight has been made possible by the local vets of foreign scraps, which organization has procured a belt emblematic Stewart, g of the title and will present it Hughes, g to the winner.

Armory Show

First Meet Draw Peterson, the 155-pound Independence slugger, and Watson, colored ringster from Seattly, met in the Salem ring last November with Peterson getting a draw after being saved by the bell in the first round. As if Salem's first northwest titular main event isn't of sufficient drawing power to stack

in the sock patrons, Promotor John Friend also announces the signing of a double semi-fina! lineup that pits "Logger" Jack Hibbard of Klamath Falls against Bill Ross of Secttle and Gervais' Joe Bonn : gainst Tommy Orin of Portland.

Hibbard to Show It'll be "Logger" Jack's first appearance here since Buddy Peterson hammered out a decision over him on the Vets' first card of the year. Ross, the boy he is to meet, is a 162-pounder

who is rated by Seattle fight critics as a "comer." Orin was knocked out by

Bonn early last fall in an encounter here, but since that time Orin has been clamoring for a rematch. Both semi-final bouts Sparks, revealed is are billed at six rounds.

Two four-round prelims, either ters and the Baptists against the of which is worthy of semi-final school division the Ramblers beat Reds, the Jeeps against the billing, finish out the card. In the Calvary Baptist quint 44-23 Hauks, the Eagles and Wildcats, one woodburn's Tony Ranut faces Kid Willard of Salem and one Woodburn's Tony Kahut and the Globe Trotters trounced Buckaroos and Hoopers, Tigers in the other Cecil Etter, Forest Grove boy, tangles with Johnny Wood of Amity.

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Ducks Drop	Illinois Teachers
60 to 45	With Strong Finish
CHICAGO, Dec. 27	(AP)-The University of Oregon'

lanky basketball team defeated Western Illinois Teachers tonight, 60 to 45, with a strong second half attack in the opening game of a doubleheader at the coliseum.

Meet Watson throughout the first half, trailing 23-25 at the intermission,

five built up a comfortable mar-Bowling G FTP 3 2 8 CITY LEAGUE Sarpola, f

McNealy, c ... Anet, g Johansen, g Pavalunas, g Mullen, g Totals Western (45) Shaw, f ... Stearns, f Magraw, c Fulks, c Barclift, g ... Willard, g Totals Halftime score: Western 23. Personal fouls:

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Giles and McKenna, executives

-0-Buddy Won at Tacoma.

Here's a little item which convinces me even more than my the Pacific Coast league. own observance of the fight here that Watson didn't carry Peterson: Following their battle here the two fought again in Tacoma with Peterson getting a decision.

It's one thing to be "carried" to a draw in your home stomping grounds, where a defeat might seriously impair your drawing power, and quite another to win by a referee's decision in the home arena of your opponent. Quit.

Bull Venable, New Orleans bad There certainly is little reason man busted George Wagner to the to think Watson would carry Pemat with Boston crabs last night terson to a draw here and yet let Buddy punch out a win over at the Armory to hang up his second successive victory over the him three weeks later in his home waters. It doesn't add up. coast middleweight champion, but he got no belt.

Regardless of what occurred in Venable came in at 170, five that November fight, each of the oounds overweight and Wagner boys next Monday night will be refused to put up his hardware. out for a win. That's one reason Though Wagner got the first the Vets put up the belt-to give fall with an airplane spin and 'em as much incentive as possible. slam, and had Venable's beak -0-

Larios Boxer now.

second fall opened. Venable took Before we get to that championship middleweight fight next it all and came back to toss Wag-Monday night, however, we've got ner with crabs tor the second and third falls. the amateurs in our midst tomor-Vern Clark pinned Jimmy Lonrow night.

And, when we talk about amateurs around here now days, we talk of lithe little Wally Larios, the lad who headlines the simon-pure bill against

Multaomah club's Billy Volk. Until recently Larios' main forte was his ability to outslug his opponent. But of late, under the tutelage of Phil Bayes, he has

been coming fast as a boxer. Billy Volk is being coached by his brother Eddie, whom you probably remember as a topnotch fighter around Portland several years ago. He, like Larlos, is out to annex the state 124-pound title this year and their scrap tomorrow night should be a natural.

Bearcats Return To Court Session

The basketball Bearcats are due back from a short holiday today, and will begin practice at 4 o'clock this afternoon in preparation for their Signal Oil engagement next Tuesday night on the Willamette court.

By a 44 to 39 score the 'Cats bested the Oilmen in an earlier tangle this year. Tuesday night's game will be the last independ ent tilt for Coach "Happy" Howard Maple's quint before they open the conference reason here Jan. 6 against Pacific.

Henderson Mentor Of Detroit Lions

PALM SPRINGS, Calif., Dec. 27-(AP)-George (Dick) Richards, owner of the Detroit Lions, professional football team of the National league, formally announced tonight the appointment of Elmer (Gus) Henderson of Los Angeles as coach of the Detroit team.

Minor league executives: L. B. Tomorrow none will be admit-Cornell, secretary, Spokane Westted into the workouts of either ern International league club; team. Both Jones and Wade plan Emil Sick, president, Seattle of at least one workout in the Rose Bowl, but nothing definite has been decided. Venable Gets Win, Pre-game sightseeing will also

end tomorrow with a scheduled tour of one of Hollywood's film But Gets no Belt studios (Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer) where they might even see Greta Garbo. The "I want to be alone" Wagner Claims Southern gal and Wallace Wade should have

a lot in common. **Meanie Is Overweight** for Title Tilt

Staters Revenge

Defeat by Oilers CORVALLIS, Ore., Dec. 27-(AP)

Oregon State took revenge on the Signal Oil of Portland basketball team which whipped it by one point last week and pounded out a 49 to 28 victory tonight.

Playing without Pflugrad, star scorer out with an infected blisdripping red from righthand ter, the Staters led most of the smacks to the tip thereof as the way, finishing the first half with

a score of 24 to 16. The game was rough and ragged with Patterson of Signal Oil high

scorer with 13 points.

Breakleg Hill Is Right PORTLAND, Dec. 27 - (AP)

Breakleg hill on Mount Hood In the opener Elton Owen took Pat O'Dowdy two straight, winbroke the ankle of Stan Olsen, ning the first in 17 minutes and Portland, yesterday. Several other skilers were injured the second in eight.

des two straight in the middle

number, using in each instance

body slams that had plenty behind

them.



year-old group the Hauks nosed out the Cougars 16 to 13, while Ramblers (44), Sebern 9, Mcin the 12-13 year old division the Kee 6, Satter 24, Henery 4, Clark Eagles beat the Hoopers 16-15. the Wildcats edged the Tigers 18-15, and the Owls downed the 9, Twedt 3, Oleson 4, Woodburn. Buckaroos 17 to 9.

Backbone Leader As Redskins Win

Albany High Quint Beaten

50 to 36 in Hoop Tilt by Chemawans

CHEMAWA - Backbone, functioning at a guard position for the first time this season, whipped

in 15 points here Tuesday night to lead the Chiefs to a 50 to 36 hoop win over Albany's Bulldogs. The Chiefs were behind at halftime, 24-25, but Backbone, Scalp-

cane and Woundedeye began reaming hemp in the second canto to pull away from the Bulldogs. Shough was high man for the vis-

itors with 14, trailed closely by Morrison with 13. In a preliminary Chemawa's

Bees beat the Albany second team 35 to 33 in an overtime *tilt. Plentyhoops and Hall caged free tosses to assure the victory.

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1; Baptist (23), Evans 7, Harms Trotters (52), Kerns 23, Salstrom 15, Burris 11, Ling 2, Bar-

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2, Oberman 2, Dowd 2, Gemmell 3; Hoopers (1), Utter 1, Shade 10, Brandle, Burns 4, Evans, Mcleod. Tigers (15), Rigger 5, Comp-

Wildcats (18), Butte 6, Graham the business schedule of its 18th 4, Niemeyer 4, Mack 4, Schunke, Robertson. Owls (17), Elerich 2, Mayfield 4, Irwin, Wilson 5, Martin 6;

"Hutch" Is Given Honors in Spades

SEATTLE, Dec. 27-(AP)-Hon-ors came from two directions today for Freddie Hutchinson, sensational 19-year-old right hand- changes." ed pitcher sold by Seattle recently to Detroit for \$50,000

and four players. The St. Louis Sporting News, baseball publication, named Hutch the outstanding minor. 25, lost 7 for Seattle in the Pacific Coast league.

The Post-Intelligencer an-nounced its judges selected Hutchinson as Seattle's "man of the year" in the news aper's annual poll of fan sentiment.

Ambers Wants Fight for **Henry's Lightweight Belt**

NEW YORK, Dec. 27-(AP)-Lou imbers, through his manager, Al Weill, challenged Henry Armstrong today for the lightweight boxing title and as evidence of good faith posted \$1,500 with the New York state athletic commis-

Cougars Down Teachers

PULLMAN, Dec. 27-(AP)-After slow start that left them trailing most of the first half, the Washington State Cougars loosed a withering offensive to defeat the Central Washington College of Education, 55 to 31, in a basketball game here tonight.

Basketball

COLLEGE Nebraska 35, University of California at Los Angeles 30. University of California 49, Ohio State 35. Brigham Young U. 50, U. of

nick 1; Reds (5), Sherman, Badger Coach Says Game **Developing Speedier Than Mentors** CHICAGO, Dec. 27-(AP)-Foot- schools and the rest of the ball has developed so fast during state's secondary schools. At the the last 15 years, Harry Stuhidre- 6:30 banquet the 1939 state

her said today, "that we coaches will have to catch up with the ment schedule will be drawn, game or be left behind." Stuhldreher, Wisconsin's athle-tic director and head gridiron coach, is president of the Nationwill compete.

al Football Coaches association ton, Schelss 4, Fox 2, Burch 4; which tomorrow will swing into New Year's l annual meeting. One of the items of business before the body is a survey of rules, but Stuhldreher doesn't think any drastic changes will be recommended.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27-(AP) Nominations for the \$10,000 add-"Since I played at Notre Dame. the game has come along so fast ed New Year's day stakes at Santhat coaches generally want to ta Anita next Monday drew 14 leave the rules alone and concen- crack candidates, including Altrate on teaching football as it is fred G. Vanderbilt's Heelfly, Bert now," said the one-time quarter-Baroni's Specify, and the Binglin stable's Argentine, Ligaroti. back of the famed "four horsemen." "And with some coaches Others named for the mile and unable to keep up with the sport, one-sixteenth event were Hal we can't expect the spectators to Price Headley's Bourbon King; keep up with too many rule

The stocky little Badger coach predicted there would be some discussion of possibly eliminating the point after touchdown and scoring points for first downs. But he feels that most mentors "want league player of 1938. He won to concentrate on improving the S. Howard's Advocator and Mrs. Brown 3 game as it is now."

the association's Thursday aftern Stuhldreher Warns will be confined to integration of the three physical education will be confined to integration of Anderson groups, with panel discussions Totals **Coaches of Sloth** in each. UCC CLAIMS The State Coaches association Handicay Boniface will convene today noon, with changes in the rules and regula-Harrison tions the principal order of busi-Smith .. Courts ness. Several plans are to be Vallereux proposed, each of which if adopted would allow competi-Totals tion between Portland high

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Rickreall Defeats Ford Church Quint

Rickreall high school piled up a 14 to 1 halftime lead over Ford Memorial church of West Salem, then coasted to a 29 to 26 victory in a basketball game at Rickreall last night. Burris poured 13 Major Austin C. Taylor's veteran points through the nets in the Indian Broom, Nelson Howard's last half to nearly give the losers

Gosum, which won the race last the victory. New Year's day, Louis B. Mayer's Ford Memorial 26 Rickreal Main Man and Quick Devil, W. E. Smith 2 5 Cox Boeing's Galsun and Piccolo, D. Bower 2 6 Eyron S. Jepson's Pageboy, Le Mar stock farm's Merrymood, Charles Gandy 4 8 Fox McFarland 1 3 Stewart 7 Findley Harry Curland's Sweepalot. Burris 18

No, Guess It Isn't all Fun for Bowl Gridders

Carnegie Tech gridders in classroom with Professor Edward Saible



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