If the present trend continues, the only tournament Salem will have left is the famous biennial state legislative con-clave, which in late years has assumed marathonic prepor-tions and therefore is no longer to be considered as a strict elimination tournament. Sixty-six days is too much, even if the darned thing was good.

To get on with the tour-of-thetourneys: Right on the heels, neither one of which were winged. of the villainous proposal to move the state hoop meet to one of the state educational centers, comes Albany's bid for the state softball session. Albany's ask, of course, is a result of the State Softball association's announcement that It would this year entertain bids for the meet, and that its executive committe would ultimately decide which bid it would accept

Unlike the state hoop meet, which everyone, including the bronze pioneer atop the capitol building's superstructure, would sincerely hate to see moved, there are those who don't give much of a hoot if the softball meet does go up or down the river. (Maybe, since we're referring to the river, we should say "toot" instead of

Move Advocated.

In fact, Toots & C, several salubrious Salem citizens have long ere this advocated that the Salem Softball association let the State Softball association move its tournament to Zanzibar if is so de-

"For," say these approvers of such a down-the-river move, with the state tournament out of here the Salem association can once more go back to the old invitational meets that were so lucrative to it."

Lest you don't know, fammy and Susie Softball Fan. the only real dinero ever made by the Sa-iem association was back in the days when it sponsored the state tourneys or invitational meets. Since the state association became the sponsoring body, all the local outfit has received out of the tournament has been a financial headache of aspirinic proportions.

It is the contention of severa: that Salem softball would be put on much more of a financially healthful basis if the state tourney was moved out of here. The local association would then precede the state tournament with an invitational affair of its own and thus net the proceeds that now pour into the state associa-

tion's treasury. Advocants of this move are in main oldtimers, who were the front line of firers in organizing softball in Salem back in the early '20s. It has long been their belief that Salem builds up the interest in softball only to see the state association skim off the long green cream at tournament time, and the contemplated move of the meet gladdens instead of saddens

Pell-Mell:

To Russell Coons goes the distinetion, by Coach Frank Brown, of being the best all-around guard developed at Parrish since Glen Sanford. . . Coons, brother of Don Coons, of whim we've repeatedly said was the best football end on the coast last year, is a husky, heady player who should fit into Hauk's system at senior high in fine style. . . Brown had a great ball club out at Parrish this year, winning 17 straight and a pair of his charges are doing all right with Garnie Cranor's Jayvees in Portland's Goldenball meet . . . It seems a shame that none of the all-star pickers ever realize the worth and ability of Oregon's Bobby Anet. . . Though he's the captain and play dictator of the famous five, he never has been accorded an all-star ting .

In their 19th consecutive

training season at Catalina, the Chicago Cubs hold the endurance for a training camp. . . all of 17 of the other clubs have changed their spring training bases since the Cubs opened at Catalina. . .

"Howlin' "Hulen, of Medford vows he's going to bring all the scribes in southern freg n up to vote for Medford player for the all-state teams next year. Softball fans may not be kept up so late this year, as there is a movement afoot to start the first games each night at 7:30 . . . portunity to vote on the proposed change of time, through a questionnaire The Statesman will run before summer league play is scheduled to begin. . . .

Fireball Hurler Signed

SPOKANE, March 24 .- (AP)-Arthur Bloom, six-foot, two-inch former fireball hurler of the University of California, was signed to-day by the Spokane Indians of the Western International Baseball league, Owner Bill Ulrich said to-



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SPORT SPARKS OF CONTINUE Webfoots Confident of Chicago Win

Avers Hobson

He Predicts Victory, Boys Non-Committal; Will Arrive in Morn

WITH OREGON UNIVERSITY BASKETBALL TEAM, en route to Chicago, Grand Island, Neb. March 24-(A)-Quiet self-confidence characterized the champion University

of Oregon basketball players today as they drew near the battleground for the national collegiate

The Webfoots play Ohio State Monday night at Evanston, for the

The players were noncommital when asked for predictions on the outcome but they did not appear to lack confidence. Coach Howard Hobson, however, predicted a vic-

"The train ride won't hurt us. We're used to train rides," Hobson said. "Unless we have one of those off nights that occasionally befall the best of basketball teams, I think we'll win."

John Bunn, Standard coach who is on the same train en route to the National Coaches' Basketball association convention in Chicago, asked the Oregonians whether they weren't a mite weary of basketball after the long and ardu-

Chirped Bobby Anet, floor capain: "Not until after Monday

The team will arrive in Chicago Saturday morning and move imnediately to Evanston where the players will put up. A long work out was planned for Saturday

Roper's Manager Has Gravy Hopes

Balks at Jacobs' Demand for Immediate Return **Bout if He Wins**

LOS ANGELES, "arch 24-(A) All was not serene on the Joe Louis-Jack Roper fight front to-

Dick Donald, dapper little manager of Roper, issued the first Williams, relay; Bill Shinn, halfverbal blast when he declared he miler; Daryl Mason and Roy Murtract to give Louis an immediate return bout in the event Roper lifted the heavyweight crown from 280-pound Milton Bressler, will Champion Joe in their fight here

"Anything can happen in a hea-weight fight," said Donald. The complete turnout lists 31 vyweight fight," said Donald, and if Jack were lucky enough to knock Louis out, we think we are entitled to at least one crack at the gravy before giving Louis a return match."

Donald declined to say how much Roper's share of the coming Chapman, Elton Miseleret and during a practice session but not engagement would be, but said it wasn't much."

NEW YORK, March 24-(AP)-The New York state athletic commission put its stanp of approval today on two-ton Tony Galento's physical condition, thereby removing the last obstacle in the way of holding his fight with Joe Louis for the heavyweight championship in Yankee stadium, New

The five physicians who examined the roly-poly puncher last Tuesday at the commission's request found him in "satisfactory physical condition," General John J. Phelan, the commission chairman, reported.

Ferrando Knocked out

LOS ANGELES, March 24 .- (A) Nick (the Greek) Peters, 132, victory over their Kansas City and at the end of the day's firing of San Antonio, Tex., scored his farm hands today.

The Yanks collected four runs four strokes in front of the field. necond impressive victory in a The Yanks collected four runs four strokes in front of the field.

Today Manero clicked off an opmonth when he stopped Joey Fer- in the fifth inning when Joe rando, 136 1/2, of Jersey City to- Vance, former New York flinger. ening round 69. Eight players connight in the third round.

BLADES HAS THE MAKINGS

Sports News National coverage by Associated Press daily in The Statesman sports

Vikings' Track

Prospects Poor

Smith, Putnam, Ewing and

Miller all Departed,

Gilmore Gloomy

out in the vicinity of the Olinger

Vern Gilmore's tear ducts are wide

open as he contemplates a track

squad depleted of such sure-fire

point-makers as Bill Smith, Rex

Putnam, Art Miller and Don

Last year the Vikings victimized most of their opponents chief-

ly through the abilities of the

aforementioned quartet, and it ap-

pears to Gilmore a rocky road

without them. Smith and Putnam

dominated the sprint field in most

every meet of '38, both were on

the crack relay team and Putnam

grabbed top honors in the pole

vault and broad jump as well.

Miller was the shot and discus

champ of the valley, and Ewing

strode the mile ahead of most

And so, although eight letter-

men return, Gilmore is placing

what hopes he can see through the

tears on a sprightly sophomore

turnout. From a mixture of his

veterans and sophomores, he has

already chosen the three relay

teams that will compete in the

Medley Team Named

On the sprint medley foursome

will be Bill Shinn, Jerry Mulkey,

Bob Valley and Leonard Williams.

The distance medley will be run

by Ray Woods, Daryl Mason, Bob Selberg and Gordon Hofstetler,

while John Macey, Roy Murphy,

John Owens and Leland Williams

will trot out the mile relay. Alter-

nates have been named as Everett

Wilson, Wade Watts and Ivan

Returning lettermen are: Jim

Richards, who broke an arm in the

first meet last year but is fully

recovered, high jumper; Stuart

Nelson, district javelin champ;

Bob Bailey, sprinter; Leonard

Gilmore's weight squad, boast-

ing 320-pound Keith Epley and

not be handicapped for lack of

avoirdupois. Of them Gilmore

880-Bill Shinn, Everett Wil-

Javelin-Stuart Nelson and

Pole vault-Joe Baker.

Joe Gordon Hits

One for Circuit

Dan Ross and John Macey.

berg and Loyal Whitney.

ley and Milton Bressler.

men, who are:

Reed Nelson.

Davenport.

Roy Wood,

Hill relays next Friday.

Smith.

of his competitors.

oval, where Viking Track Coach

The crying towel is mighty wet

Salem, Oregon, Saturday Morning, March 25, 1939

Baseball—

e Will soon be the sports

topic of the day, and The

Statesman columns are

Kilstar Poor 3rd Behind

MacMoffat but Irish

Have Happy Day

commoners numbering 260,000.

and the 25 to 1 shot, MacMoffat.

way down the far side of the

show jumpers. Two fences from

home the brawny Irish nine-year-

old got his head in front and

Responds to Whip

000 of the crowd were massed

along a 600 yard stretch for the

finish, Workman and MacMoffat

were just two spots of color-

little Tim Hyde in his emerald

shirt on Workman and A. Alder

in primrose blouse on MacMoffat.

Workman gained slightly on that

final jump and then little Tim

Workman, said the critics all

year, had nothing to give to that

whip in the stretch, but he

bounded ahead of the primrose

shirt this afternoon and never left

the issue in doubt. A year ago he

finished third to the American-

Webfoot and Hill

Rifles Lead Field

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.

(AP)-Oregon schools dominated

competition for the William Ran-

dolph Hearst trophies in the ninth

corps area division of the national

The University of Oregon scored

first among university teams and

Hill Military academy of Port-

land's second team led military

cored 971 against 952 for UCLA,

and 935 each for Washington,

California and Oregon State col-

The second team of Hill scored

878. Brown Military academy, Pa-

shot 842; Hill's first team, 820.

Bear Cindermen Win

SEATTLE, March 24-(AP)-Cali-

fornia's track team trounced

Washington 95 to 36 before a

handful of spectators tonight in an

Olympic Ski Tryouts at Mt Hood

Huskies' cinder path season. .

ROTC 1939 rifle matches.

lashed out with his whip.

From the stands, where 200,

ockeys pulled their whips.

Taking the lead together half-

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always full of base hits.

Tony Examined for Louis Bout



Tony Galento was on the hot seat, but it was not fatal. It only was a heart testing machine that was strapped to him as he underwent a physical examination in New York to determine his fitness to right Joe Louis in June. Doctors behind him gave him a thorough going over under instructions from the New York boxing commission. The verdict was to be announced later.—AP Telemat,

Training Camps

LAKELAND, Fla., March 24-(AP)-Fred Hutchinson, the Seattle pitching recruit on whom Tiger fans have fastened their eyes and pinned their hopes, didn't come up to expectations today, but Dehad balked at demands of Mike phy, hurdlers; and Lloyd Chap- troit managed to whip the Brook-

Hutchinson was jerked in the

Sprints-Bob Balley, Leonard Sox pitcher, was confined to the Williams, Leland Williams, Don Huntington Memorial hospital Waller, Daryl Mason, John Owen, here today with a lineal skull 440-Jerry Mulkey, Lloyd fracture suffered two days ago discovered until this morning.

son, Darrell Roy and Gene Doyle. Record Is Broken Mile-Wade Watts, Robert Sel-Weights-Cliff Tucker, Stuart By Lawson Little Nelson, Bill Thompson, Keith Ep-High jump—Jim Richards, John Lamb, Don Burton and Dean

GREENSBORO, NC. March 24-(AP)-While the paying customers trailed the heels of the fellows who have been cashing all the big checks, W. Lawson Little of San Francisco, the former amateur king pin, blazed the way today in a record shattering score in the \$5,000 Greensboro open golf tour-

Little, 27 years old, and one of ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 24.-(A)-Joe Dimaggio's third the newcomers to professional home run in two days, along with ranks, nonchalantly batted the ball four-base swats by Joe Gordon around the Sedgefield course for a and Babe Dahigren, carried the sensational 65, five under par and New York Yankees to an easy 8-3 a new record for the battle scene, the curly-haired sharpshooter was

By Jack Sords

Mt. Angel Preps Have Fine Record

Coach Keber Team Brings Home Four Trophies; Win 23 of 29

MT. ANGEL-The Mt. Angel Preps, coached by Rev. Urban Keber, came through the most the high school's history bringing home four trophies.

They won the championship of second after walking four bats- the north end B league by 10 men, making a wild pitch and al-lowing four hits and three runs. out of three from Gates, southern division champions, to capture PASADENA, Calif., March 24- the Marion county B league (A)-Vic Frasier, Chicago White trophy. In the district 15 B league tournament they came out third, and in the Oregon state Catholic high school tournament they were awarded the fourth

Winning 23 out of 29 games played, the Preps lost only three regular games, one to Chemawa and two to Columbia Preps. Tournament "jitters" accounted for the other three losses. Their 978 against 616 for their opponents. Bill Holland, a junior, made the highest individual score with 218 points. John Mackie was second with 212 points, and Tom Plennett followed with 185.

Graduation will make a big dent in next year's hopes as Rex Appleby Piennett, Mackie and Wilbert Predeck, take their sheepskins in June. The summary of the games

played by the college varsity shows Al Haener topping the individual scorers again this year with 212 points. Frank Albrich placed second with 169 points in 22 games and Jim No-lan netted 113 in 23 games.

Like Wrestling

OMAHA, Nebr., March 24 .- (AP)-Carl Vinciquerra, 189, Omahs heavyweight, scored a first round knockout over Charley Belanger 190, Winnipeg, Canada, tonight after Belanger was knocked down while leaning over the ropes talking to his manager. Belanger claimed he did no hear the opening bell.

Christensen Will **Have Relay Team** At Portland 31st

MONMOUTH - Coach Oses r Christensen, who is promoting a track squad at Oregon Normal school, reports 5 lettermen re-turned this spring. Coleman, quarter-miler; Cantrell, one and two miler; Hogan, pole vault; Miller, javelin and weight man; Jensen, mile and relay.

Outstanding new prospects are listed as: quarter milers, O'Connell, Sokolich, Borden and Riordan. Miler: Bryant; weights, Emigh; javelin, Jaross; dashes, Davies; high jump, Johnson. About 35 experienced trackmen have turned out to bolster the

Their first action will occur March 31 when a relay squad, not yet chosen, will articipate in a meet at Hill Military academy.

Pete Lello Wins

CHICAGO, March 24.-(A)-Pete Lello, 135, Gary, Ind., knocked out Lew Jenkins, 130, Dallas, Tex., tonight in the seventh round of the main event of the White City fight card.

Bearcats Play At 'Big House'

Anton to Start, Several Others to Get Chance **Workman Wins** at Duty on Mound

Spec Keene's 1939 Bearcat Steeplechase baseballers will use the inside of Cregon's ton penal institution as a pre-season testing grounds this afternoon, as they oppose the penitentiary Mavericks therein shortly after 1 o'clock

Big Bill Anton, the towering Greek who made it his business AINTREE, Eng., March 24-(AP) to score in the recently con--Sir Alexander Maguire's Irishcluded basketball season, will bred Workman, a leaping streak make it his business to keep the other side from scoring as he of green and glittering silver, takes the mound today. Keene spreng from behind in Aintree's has nominated Anton as the final mile today to win the 101st starting chucker, but will probgrand national before royalty and ably give all his pitching talent an opportunity to work under . Cornered in the pack starting fire.

the final lap of the four and one-Happy Howard Maple will handle the 'Cat diamond corps half miles, maneuvered free by today, as Headman Keene is his grinning, toothless little Irish jockey, Workman made his bid making a coastal trip to conduct senior oral examinations. just where he faltered a year ago, bounded ahead two fences from Vets Get First Call

While veterans will be given home and beat Capt. L. Scott the call today, as the Oregon Brigg's MacMoffatt by three State opener is but 18 days away and the practice will be valuable, Kilstar, Dorothy Paget's 8 to 1 freshmen turning out still will favorite, was third, 15 lengths have ample opportunity to edge back. When he blundered four out some of the old heads, Keene fences from home the crowd settled down for a duel between the said yesterday. 100 to 8 second choice, Workman,

The opening lineup against the Mavericks will probably find either Hal Moe or Jimmy "Spook" Robertson behind the bat. Rex PiPerce at first, Lee Shinn at the course, MacMoffat and Workman keystone, Dick Gentzkow at took three fences like a pair of short and "Jolting Johnny" Kolb at the hot corner. The outfield will be pareled by Durb Southard and Dwight Catherwood, vets, rounding the final bend both and "Horse" Lonergan, rookie. Pitchers, besides Anton, who

will probably toss an inning or two, include Bob White, whom Keene is grooming to open against the Beavers April 10. Jerry Gastineau, Larry Nunnenkamp and Joe Dispensiere.

Veteran Pitcher **Unable to Enter Baseball Tryout**

W O ODBURN-Baseball practice at the high school has been going on the past two weeks with the team rounding into shape owned Battleship and Royal Dan- except George Hanauska, the only veteran pitcher, who is still unable to work out as a result of a gash he received on his right hand several weeks ago. The baseball schedule is as fol-

April 21, Chemawa at April 6-Silverton there. April 14—Lebanon there. April 21—Chemawa here April 24-OSC Rooks at CCor-

April 26-OSC Rooks here. April : - West Linn there. .-Oregon Frosh at

May 5-Dallas here. May 12-Molalla here. May 16-Oregon Frosh here. May 19-Independence here.

WOODBURN-The new foot-

ball field and track are taking shape as a bulldozer has been grading and leveling the ground off. The seeding will be done than four points separating the some time next week and the two teams at any time. boys from the physical education class will do the work. The Salstrom 9 track has been graded and may Bower 2 be ready to use the last of the Satter 6 season. During summer vacation Henry a WPA project will move the Ling 2 grandstand around to face the

new field. The bulldozing work is being paid for by the funds obtained from the Letterman's smoker indoor dual meet that opened the while the seed for the field was donated by John Shaw.

Woodburn Will: **Enter 2 Teams** In Annual Relays

WOODBURN-The Woodburn high school track squad will send three relay teams of four men each, to the 8th annual Hill Military academy relays which will be held March 31 in Portland. The main feature of the eve-

ning will be the Cunningham mile, in which Glen Cunningham, worlds champion miler, will compete with other leading milers. Events Woodburn will enter are the mile relay, and sprint and distance medlevs In the sprint medley Paul Halter will run the 145 yards. Lester Nelson the 290 yards, Francis Ryan the 440 and Norman See'y the 580. In the distance medley, Eugene Peltz will run 290 yards, Richard Howe 440, Carl Schultz 880 and Rex Breese 1320. In the mile relay, four out of the following five will run: Burt Willeford, Clyde Bauman, Jess Owre, Walter Racette and K. Miller.

Independence HS **Wins Most Bouts**

INDEPENDENCE-The Lettermen's smo'ter at the high school gym Wednesday night resulted in five wins out of seven bouts for the Independence boys, with Rollo Hulburt, 156, IHS, taking the beadliner over Harold Stuart. 158, Albany, in a three round de-

Other results: Leslie Peterson of Independence, 137, won a decision from Jim Rosenbaum of Amity, 135. Bob Peoples, Independence, 134, decision over Sterling McReynolds of Amity. 160; Alva Dickinson, Independence, 134, a decision over Ed Striker of Albany, 122. John "Pewee" Drasdoff of Independence, 75, took a decision from John Wheeler of Buena Vista, 80.

Norman Cookworth of Amity. 27, took the decision from Billy Matsuda of Independence, 130, and Dave Madsen, a former Independence student and now of Albany, won a technical k. o. over Dale Albee of Independence.

The four intra-school bouts resulted in one decision, Sinclair Kelly over Roger Cronn, and three draws: Douglas Freeman vs. Junior Combine, Dick Weaver vs. Cleo Robertson, and Walter Boyce

vs. Robert Wells. Harlan Peterson officiated.

Javvees Drop out Of Hoop Tourney

The Salem high school junior varsity was miserably off on shooting from the gift line, potting but four of 18 attempts, and were dropped from the Golden Ball basketball tournament by the Junior Packards, Portland, last night by a score of 25 to 22.

An additional two points for Salem, allegedly dropped through by Salstrom and scored by every tallier but the official scorekeeper, was not counted.

Johnson of Packards with 15 led all scorers, while Salstrom led the locals with nine. The Packards fought to a 16-all tie in the latter part of the third quarter. The game was closely fought, no more Jayvees (22) 2 Warner

15 Johnson 2 Tercek Subs. for Salem, Bowersox, 2. For Packards, Boehmer, 2.

Manfredo Winner

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. March 24 .- (AP)-Al Manfredo, 152, of San Francisco, outpointed Irish Johnny Dean, 149, of Philadelphia in a 10-round fight here tonight.

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With snow falling continually on the slopes of Mt. Hood, tryouts for the Clympic games April 1 and 2 are expected to be very successful. This proving ground for ski experts boasts of the longest skiing greason in the United States, November to June. Photo shows Frances Langley of Portland receiving a letter from Raymond H. Combs, rural mail carrier from New York, Establishment of a "snow de livery" postoffice at Timberline Lodge, famed hostelry on the slope of Mt. Hood, for the duration of the Olympic games tournament was announced by Combs. The Golden Rose International Ski tour nament will be held there June 11.—IIN photo.

Too Late to Classify

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OF THE GAS HOUSE GAVIG THAT WON THE NATIONAL LEAGUE PENNANT FIVE YEARS AGO, ONLY THREE REMAIN - JOE MEDWICK, PEPPER MARTIN AND PAUL DEAN THE CARDINALS NEW MANAGER RAY BLADES, . HAS HIS PROBLEMS BASE AND IN THE PITCHING RECRUITS THIS YEAR ARE THE LUCLEST GROUP THEY HAVE "HE HAD FOR SOME