Everett Seagulls Best Sords' Review of the Year Bearcats Bag First Win Salem Vikings, 34 to 20

Sport Sparks By RON GEMMELL

Athlete-of-the-year locally? ... Well, yes, this department has a candidate. . . I'd name Charles Baldy Petersen, the Senators' centerpatcher of last

season, who provided more thrills for more fans than any other single sportster in Salem, I believe . . . Cholly's phenomenal fielding, which earned him the most popular player award, created more interest than any other athletic feat here in Salem, without question . . . The guy could go back to the deep reaches and snag that baseball or come in and dive across the baseline for it, and league baserunners had used for an arm on the right side.

Most improved athlete? . . . I'd vote for Ray Loter, who held down the left tackle berth on Salem high's football team. . . . In his junior year, Loter was just another kid in a football suit . . . This season he not only was the best lineman in Vik livery but also was a league all-star.

Steadiest athlete? . . . Give the nod to Anthony Jo Fraiola, the Willamette grid guard who makes all the all-stars . . . A guy has to be steady to make every team's all-opponent selection in football, for in that business they only play a team once during the sea-. . Those all-opponent recognitions mean Tony was plenty good in every game. -0-

WU, SHS, Cline

Team of the year? . . . That's the Willamette football team, and not for getting stranded in Hawaii, either . . . While the Bearcats didn't exactly set the world

138 lbs.—White, jr., KO over Green, soph: White, jr., decisioned Barrett, on fire outside their own consoph; ference, they were so far susenior lbs.-Shipler. perior to teams of their own sup-118 the Notre Dame football team, th Lowery, soph. 128 lbs.—Carroll, jr., decisioned Eck- Washington State basketball posed calibre as to make those games absolutely no contests ... ley, sr. 148 lbs.-Rogers, sr., decisioned Sher-It was one of the best, if not the the Duke eleven, each of which Miller, soph. decisioned was tops in one man's opinion. best, football team ever fielded at WU. Heavyweight-Griffiths, sr., TKO over The leaders, with their point Gifford. sr. total: Disappointment of year? . . . Exhibition-George Gottfried TKO over Conklin That would be the Salem high New York Yankees 198, Min-

Washington Preps Steadily **Increase Lead in 2nd Half**

EVERETT, Dec. 19-(AP)-Everett high school's perennially powerful basketball team opened its season here Friday night with a 34 to 20 victory over the Salem, Ore., high school Vikings. After an early 4-3 edge, Salem trailed all the way. Everett led at half-time, 18-14, and pulled away steadily in the second. Dick Peterson of Everett was high scorer with 13 points. Dutch Simmons, Salem, led his team with eight. The game was well played for an early season test, with both teams showing strong defenses.

The Salem team plays Everett a second game here Saturday night before returning to Salem Sunday. The visitors played without the services of one regular, Rex Hardy, who was left home to nurse an attack of the mumps which hit him just before the team left home.

a healthy respect for the rifle he Sophs, Juniors **Tie for Class Boxing Title**

> Salem high's seniors may be cross-country, football, basketball and wrestling champs, but they can't fight.

enough to win the interclass boxing championship along with their other titles, for the sophomores and juniors divided this championship Friday on three individual titles each. The seniors had to be content with a brace of ti-

Grundin, soph. 158-lbs.: Lloyd Griffiths, senior, heavyweight. Friday bouts included:

FEB. 28 - W THE FIGHT OF THE MONTH LEW JENKINS KNOCKED OUT LOU AMBERS W THE SEVENTH ROUND. OTHER' RING RESULTS - FEB. IT-JOE LOUIS STOPPED GUS DORAZIO M THE SECOND -FEB. 21-Ard. TONY ZALE RETAINED HIS N.B.A. MIDDLE -WEIGHT TITLE OVER STEVE MAMAKOS WITH A 14-ROUND K.O.

Boxing Crown FOR TWO MILES AT THE NEW YORK A.C. By SID FEDER NEW YORK, Dec. 19 -(P)-Running into little more opposition than the heavy punching bag could give him, Sam Angott won undisputed possession of the world lightweight championship onight by giving skinny Lew enkins an artistic 15-round lacng in Madison Square garden. Angott weighed 1331/2; Jen-

ins 133.

Clearing up the laughable

lightweight title mixup that has

existed since Lou Ambers'

reign ended a year and a half

FEB. 15-

SREG RICE JET A NEW WIDOOR MARK

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BERKELEY, Calif., Dec. 19-(AP)-Di. Robert Gordon Sproul, get first place recognition were president of the University of California, reiterated Friday his

CORVALLIS, Ore., Dec. 19-(AP) Acting President F. A. Gilfillan

Of Barnstorming Jaunt Post 31 to 28 Edge Over Angott Lifts Lightweight Idaho, Southern Branch

> POCATELLO, Idaho, Dec. 19-(AP)-Willamette university posted its first victory in a basketball invasion of the intermountain region Friday night, edging out University of Idaho Southern Branch 31 to 28.

> From start to finish the game was a battle, with the Bearcats from Salem out in front at the half, 13 to 11.

> Barnick, Willamette guard, led the Bearcats' scoring with 8 points. Gallaher, forward, scored 7 and Walden, forward, 6. Highpoint honors went to Dykman,

counters. The Willamette team, which previously on this tour had dropped decisions to Washington State, Utah and Utah State. moves to Burley, Idaho, for a meeting there Saturday night with Albion Normal.

daho guard, who tossed in 12

ago, the Louisville slugger WILLAMETTE (31) G Ft Pf Tp rushed, hooked and hammered Toolson, f _____ Gallaher, f ____ the bewildered Texas thumper Carson, c Robertson, g _____ Barnick, g _____ all over the place and only on rare occasions did Jenkins ap-Walden. Medley pear to have more than a pass-Murray, c ____ ing interest in the proceedings. Lilly. g Totals 18 14 31 Ft Pf Tp The skinny swatter from Sweet-IDAHO (28) water unwrapped his supposed-Greaves. Kirkendahl, f ly explosive right hand bomb on Mayer, c only scattered occasions. Yet, de-Dykman, g spite the kayo specialty he served up on his way to taking the title from Ambers, Lew never had ser-Totals 10 8 15 28 ious Sammy in any kind of

Halftime score: Willamette 13. Idaho Southern Branch 11. Free throws missed: Gallaher, Rob-ertson, Barnick, Walden, Murray, Greaves 3; Mayer, Dykman 4, Wells. Officials: Gross and Roberts.

Dean M'Leod to Possible Frosh Participation See Bowl Game Salem will be represented at the Oregon State - Duke university

transplanted Rose Bowl game in Durham, North Carolina, New Year's day. Senator and Mrs. Ronald Jones

have practically completed a United Airlines' flight schedule that time for the game.

"Best of wishes to you and your

Friday, Governor Charles A.

Quints Wallop Midwest Teams SEATTLE, Dec. 19-(AP)-Wash-

Cougar, Husky

ington State college and the University of Washington got off to a flying start in the season's intersectional basketball campaign by defeating two quintets from the middle west's Big Six conference in a "little Madison Square Garden" doubleheader Friday night.

The scores were: Washington State 62, Missouri 13: Washington 45. Kansas State 32.

The State Cougars set the pace all the way, leading 35-77 at halftime and yielding the erratically shooting Missourians only six points in the second half.

Marvin Gilberg, a scintillating one-hand expert from Spokane, gave the crowd of 6000 its biggest thrill as he looped through nine field goals and two free throws for 20 points. Captain Kirk Gebert trailed him with 11.

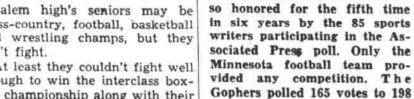
In one two-minute spurt in the second half, Gilberg chalked up seven points while in the game for only a two-minute stretch. He played only about 25 of the game's 40 minutes.

will set them down at Durham in Rosters Named

Yankees have been chosen as the No. 1 team of 1941.

The champions:

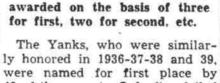
len Cannon, junior, 108-lbs.; Tom Shipler, soph, 118 lbs.: Don Carroll, junior, 128-lbs.; Paul Rogers, senior, 148-lbs.; Jim White, junior, 138-lbs.; Daryl



At least they couldn't fight well.

tles.

Bill Maude, soph, 98-lbs.; Al-



for the Yanks, with the points

Big Surprise!

Yankees Named

'Team of 1941'

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 -(AP)- It

probably won't come as a sur-

prise to the other American

league clubs, or to the Brooklyn

Dodgers, but for the record it

may be stated that the New York

McCarthy's Musketeers were

49 of the experts. Only five failed to rank the world champions in

the first three. Minnesota received 25 first place votes, 42 seconds, and six thirds.

nesota Gophers 165, Chicago

Bears 29, Brooklyn Dodgers 27,

Texas football team 18, Wis-

consin basketball team 14,

Washington crew 7, Notre Dame

football team 5, 20th Century-

Fox basketball team 41/2, Bos-

ton Hockey Bruins 41/2, Duke

Three points each: Green Bay

Vandals Best

MOSCOW, Idaho, Dec. 19-(AP)-

The University of Idaho caught

up Friday night with the only

school to hand its basketball team

a defeat this season, drubbing

Eastern Washington college, 51 to

football team 4.

WILLIE HOPPE RETAINED HIS THREE-CUSHION BILLIARD TITLE BEATING

Spos

trouble Salem, Oregon, Saturday Morning, December 20, 1941 **College Heads in Battle Over** Senator Jones,

FEB. 14

The pro football Chicago Bears Sproul, Wilbur Disagree 'Wait and See' came in a sagging third with two points, two more than the Brook-lyn Dodgers received. The Texas football team ranked fourth, al-though polling three first place

JAKE SCHAEFER, JR.

basketball team, which lost its third straight state title in the last 10 seconds of play in the championship game . . . The Viks, who had beaten Astoria three or four times in the regular season and who led the Fishermen all the way in the titular game, were leading up to the last 10 seconds, when the game was tied, and then lost in the overtime.

Golfer of year? . . . Walt Cline, jr., is the name . . . When his game's on the beam, he has very little competition around Salem city . . . The wonder of it is that he doesn't catch fire in out-of-town competition one of these seasons before long - something he hasn't done up to now. -0-

Still No Interest

Best comeback? . . . That of Leo "The Lion" Turner, who, after supposedly losing the state middleweight title to Buddy Pet-Acton 4 erson, came back to knockout B. Bennett 1 everything sent against him, in-Brazie 2 cluding Tony Kahut in his own Palmateer 2 weight division and Keller Wagner in a couple of divisions above Jason Lee 25 him . . . He won back his title, Morton 10 but definitely and but easily. Fones 4

Most surprising result? . . . Leslie junior high's tying of the previously undefeated, untied Parrish football team in the final game of City Intramural league play . . . The southern juniors not only held the northerners scoreless but threatened sharply themselves.

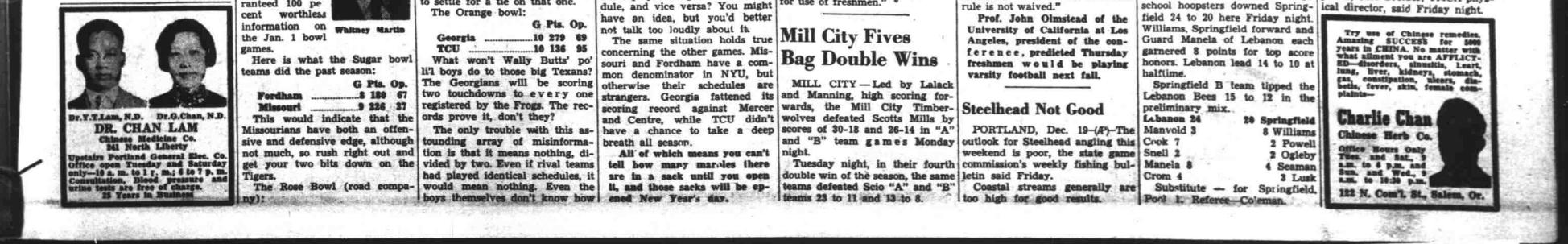
Most freakish sports happenin succession. . . . P.S .- No one believes it.

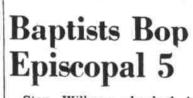
Principal trend in sports? ... Still, as it long has been here, a decided lack of spectator interest.

Large Field Set For Ski Session

PORTLAND, Dec. 19-(AP)-The fensive and de-Arnold Lunn downhill tourna- fensive records ment at Timberline on Mount of opposing Hood will open at 11 a.m., Sun- teams, and to day with one of the biggest fields smooth the path of skiers ever to complete in the to this happy state we give event.

The Multnomah Athletic club you, in digest is sponsor.





Stan Wilburn chucked in 22 points to lead Calvary Baptist's 51 to 19 subjugation of Episcopal. Don Armstrong flipped in 20 to pro football packers, Washingpace Court Street Christian's 34 ton State basketball team, Ohio

to 16 victory over First Metho- State football team. dist and Battalion bucketed. 14 to head Christ Lutheran's 35 to 25 win over Jason Lee in "C" Church league games Friday night. 19 Episcopal EWC, 51-33 **Baptist 51** Wilburn 22 4 Mize Page

Ryles

Page 5

Putnam 2

Johnston Schunke 17 3 Weller Barber 5 3 Stone Kenagy 7 Littke

Sub for Episcopal: Steeves 9. **Methodist** 16 34 Christian F. Bennett 7

20 D. Armstrong 3 Priem 4 Tennis 1 Winkenwerder R. Armstrong last week, 37 to 26.

25 Lutheran

33

Duke

Center Ray Turner jammed Parkrose Tops 19 points through the hoop to collect some personal revenge Woodburn against the team that held him to six points in trimming Idaho WOODBURN-Parkrose pluck-

versity at Durham, NC.

Few were on hand to see the

departing squad, most students

having already left the campus on

players 80 miles to Portland,

The team will work out in Chi-

cago next Monday and in Wash-

bound train was necessary.

ington, DC, Tuesday.

completion of term examinations.

It took Idaho five minutes to 9 Meyer get started and EWC had six ed a 25 to 15 Big Nine league 6 Cox points when Hopkins looped the basketball victory from Woodburn 14 Battalion first one for the host quintet. here Friday night, with Van Atta

Schultz Then Idaho tallied ten before tanking 10 points to lead the way. 4 Thieldman Eastern Washington could score The Parkrose Bees also beat Subs for Jason Lee: Wirkkunen again, moved on to a 23-18 half- Woodburn's Bullpups in the pre-

..9 311 41

G Pts. Op.

Elerick 4. For Lutheran: Hopp 2. time lead and won going away. liminary, 30 to 27.

Who'll Win Bowl Games? Well, Here separation of freshmen from var-sity athletics from the very being? ... That day your corre-spondent parred three golf holes Is Guaranteed Worthless Information dent who comes to us with the proper entrance requirements and records should have all of the

Looks like strictly no contest,

with the boxing commission open

to criticism for permitting such

By WHITNEY MARTIN Wide World Sports Columnist

NEW YORK, Dec. 19-(Special to The Statesman)-There is no more effective way for a football prognosticator to work himself into a state of utter confu-

sion than by

comparing of-

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a mismatch. The record shows the Dukes should win by tossing their helmets on the field. The Cotton bowl: Texas Aggies10 260 46

..10 234 64 Alabama There's about as even-stephen game as you'll find, boys, with the slight edge in both offense and defense going to the Aggies. Maybe it would be a good idea to settle for a tie on that one.

The Orange bowl:

school's opposition to the participation of freshmen students in varsity intercollegiate competition. team, Ohio State football, .and

His views are diametrically opposite to those of Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, president of Stanford university, who said Thurs-

mitting first year men to take part **Beavers Leave** in varsity competition. The stands of the two edu-**Sans Fanfare**

cators were revealed following CORVALLIS, Ore., Dec. 19-(AP)-Without fanfare, 31 Oregon State college football players left Friday night for the transplanted the war. Prof. Olmstead is pres-Rose Bowl game with Duke uni-

the prediction in Los Angeles of Prof. John Olmstead of the UCLA faculty that freshmen would be playing varsity football next fall, because of athletic manpower shortage due to

ident of the Pacific Coast conference which took no action on the matter at its recent and curtailed meeting in Palm Springs.

A statement by Dr. Sproul read: "For many years, running back Rigors of travel were felt early. at least to 1910, the University of thing to do if we want to keep The squad rode 10 miles by bus California has been opposed to up the caliber of Pacific Coast to Albany, where a train was freshman participation in varsity conference athletics." George boarded. The train carried the intercollegiate athletic competi- Green, director of athletics at tion, or, in fact, too extensive the University of Idaho, declared where another transfer to an east- freshman intercollegiate competi- Friday night.

tion of any kind. "Recently we have advocated that no games involving overnight travel be scheduled for freshmen. This policy, which is in accord with that of every university and college of high academic standards that I know, is based on statistics of the registrar's office and testifall mony of the dean of men that strenuous intensive intercollege

competition does affect adversely the scholastic records of freshmen students. "Perhaps the comparative dif-

ficulty of the courses at the University of California accounts for this fact."

Dr. Wilbur was quoted Thurs- ence. day as saying, "I objected to the

ginning. Any well qualified sturecords should have all of the to take sides Friday in a disprivileges of the university." At Seattle, Dr. Lee Paul Sieg. president of the University of Washington, offered an argument which put him somewhere beway.'

tween Dr. Sproul and Dr. Wilbur. "Until I know the situation with which we will be confronted next year and in the future, I would be against any change of the conference rules to permit freshmen to compete in var-

"If football and other collegiate sports should become merely informal games, as they did during the last war, then there might be a relaxation of conference rules for use of freshmen." .

Sprague designated George Mcof Oregon State college said Fri-Leod, acting dean of the Wilday he had not made up his mind lamette university law school, to on the question of allowing freshrepresent him at the game. The men to participate in Pacific day he favored the idea of per- Coast conference athletics. governor telegraphed Coach Lon

Stiner of the Beavers: "There would appear to be no need for immediate decientire squad as you push off for sion," he said. "We favor waitthe southland. Very sorry I caning until the June meeting and not attend myself."

then decide in the light of conditions at that time." Ucla, Florida At Eugene President Donald M. Erb of the University of Oregon said he would have no comment until he had conferred with the down Clash Today athletic department and the dean of men.

Idaho: Yes, No

MOSCOW, Idaho, Dec. 19-(AP)open, all-or-nothing football, Opening the doors of varsity athmeet here Saturday afternoon in letic competition is the "right an intersectional game expected to draw a crowd of about 10,000. UCLA squad of 33 arrived from Los Angeles early Friday

and went through light drill. With that statement he sided with Prof. John Olmstead of tween the two teams in weight or on the basis of their records. the University of California at Both average about 193 pounds Los Angeles, conference presiin the line and 182 in the backdent, who precipitated a coastfield. Each has won four games wide argument Thursday by and lost five. Also on the Bruins' predicting freshmen would be record, however, is a 7-7 tie with playing varsity football next Southern California in their

game two weeks ago. The Gators University President H. C. beat Georgia Tech, 14-7, in their Dale said he "hadn't thought last game Nov. 22. about it and don't know the merits pro or con." T. S. Kerr, dean

of letters and science and Idaho's faculty representative to the Bears All Set conference, said he had not formed an opinion but believed the matter would be settled at For Packers the June meeting of the confer-CHICAGO, Dec. 19-(AP)-The

Chicago Bears, champions of professional football, frolicked WSC Won't Talk

through a final two-hour workout PULLMAN, Wash., Dec. 19-(AP) Friday for their title game with -Dr. E. O. Holland, president of the New York Giants in Wrigley Washington State college, refused field Sunday.

Judging from their attitude, the cussion of possible freshman par-Bears are confident. There has ticipation in varsity athletics in been more fun than hard work Pacific coast colleges but assertin this week's drills, which is the ed "normal freshman athletics way the coaches would have it. should not be curtailed in any Coach George Halas and his assistants have been striving to

Dr. Holland said in a statemaintain the peak the Bears ment he did "not believe any reached when they koncked off safe prediction may be offerthe Green Bay Packers last Suned as to what action might be day in the western division playtaken next June" at the reguoff struggle. lar meeting of Pacific Coast conference representatives.

"Though many men will be called to military service, all Lebanon Tops these institutions will still have a fairly large enrollment," his statement said. "Consequently, Springfield intercollegiate athletics will be continued even if the freshman rule is not waived."

LEBANON - Lebanon high

For Soph 5s

Forty-nine Satem high sophomores will compete on four sophomore teams in the City Intramural league which opens shortly after the Christmas holidays, according to team rosters an-

nounced Friday by Athletic Director Vern Gilmore. The four soph teams compete

with Parrish and Leslie high varsity teams. The soph rosters:

REDS-Warner Stewart, Dick Hill, Norm Dalke, Jim Phillips, Leo Fenner, Don Hardy, Don Vandehey, Bob Skio-pil, Cliff DuVal, Al Miller, Clarke Hauser, Richard Ogura, Bill Juza, man-

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 19-(AP)-The UCLA Bruins and the Florida Gators, a couple of ager. GIANTS-Joe Lowery, Jerry Montteams that specialize in wide

gemery, Charles Davis, Lyle Kleen, Dean Macy, Daryl Linnell, Kenneth Deacon, Robert Singleton, Dean Thom-

as, Bruce Croghan, manager, Del Kurtz, Dale Lighthill, Jim Shade. GREENS-LEROY Green, Sidney Wells, Bob Stone, Dick Page, Larry Crth, Bob Steeves, Wally Bonesteele, Darrell Sim, Ernest Hobbs, Howard Barnwell, Jack Brazie, Noiman Beugli, Joe Healy, manager Coach Babe Horrell and his Joe Healy, manager.

There was little to choose be-Basketball Scores

COLLEGE

Wash. State 62, Missouri 23, Willamette 31. Ida. S. Branch 28. Idaho 51. EWC 33. USC 53, Santa Clara 42. Wyoming 47. Montana U 34. SD Mines 48, Billings Poly. 23, San Francisco State 57. Pepper-

dine 48. Whittier 43, Chapman 28. Col. of Idaho 52, Boise JC 32, NMU 51, East NM College 40. Washington 45, Kansas State 32. Stanford 43, USF 35. Brig. Young 51, Mont. State 37,

HIGH SCHOOL

Roosevelt 22, Washington 18. Milwaukie 25, Columbia Prep 18, Willamette Freshmen 21, Tillamook 19.

Everett 34, Salem 20. Baker 29, Milton-Freewater 26, Eugene 42. Oregon City 37. Scappoose 30, Forest Grove 23,

Grant 44, Commerce 22 (Portland).

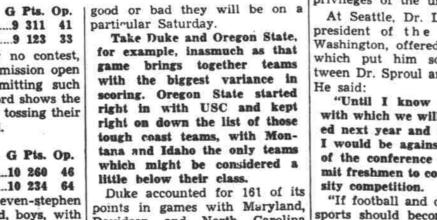
Franklin 32, Sabin 16 (Portland).

Parkrose 25, Woodburn 18. Jefferson 28, Lincoln 22 (Portland).

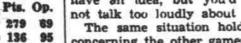
The Dalles 41, Pendleton 27. Camas, Wash., 40, Chemawa 28, Central Catholic (Portland) 33, Tigard 17.

'C' Loop Postponed

"C" Church league games scheduled for tonight have been postponed, Carl Greider, YMCA physical director, said Friday night.



points in games with Maryland, Davidson and North Carolina dule, and vice versa? You might



State. Could anyone say how the records would have been had Duke player Oregon State's sche-