Hawkshaw dept.: Many are those who have asked how come All-American Swimmers Nancy Merki and Suzanne Zimmerman enrolled at Willamette when about all the swimming facilities the U can offer is a mill race and Sweetland field during football season. Comely Miss Merki answers for both in that they merely wanted "to

be near home (Portland), be near their coach (Jack Cody of the Multnomah club) and start studying sometime." And although Nancy admits she hasn't quite descended to the latter as she should yet - says she's having "gobs" of fun - the reasons "why WU?" are logical enough.

Seventeen - year - old Nancy admits she came near going to Stanford, where "Cody Kid" 'mate Brenda Helser went for advanced ABC's, but figured the closeness to home and coach angle outweighed the glamour of a larger school. And speaking of Miss Helser, Nancy says the recent yarns of her retiring from the "Kids" are so much mularkey, or words to that effect. "She was misquot-



NANCY MERKI

ed, and I think she plans on continuing swimming with us." Although the "Kids" are at present in off-season and aquatic dips for the two Willamette freshmen are limited to the village. YMCA pool occasionally, Nancy informs both are looking forward with eagerness to the coming season, the ninth for Miss Merki since she started treading water.

It was just about ten years ago that this now micacious mermaid was stricken with infantile paralysis (she was 71/2 years old). But she fought it off, as all the sports world knows, and came on to become one of the greatest gal water gladiators in the country. Right now Nancy holds five American records and one world title, the American marks being at 200 meters, 400 meters, 800 meters, 1500 meters and 220 yards long course. Her 200 meter mark is the one which stands out above all others in the world. Quite a gal, this Willamette freshie.

Army Sports Ban Contradictory

The competitive - athletics - amongst - trainees - denying army physical fitness program contradicts itself in announcing Oregon's ASTU unit as having the best grade average of any in the country, the way we look at it. Wonderful that the Oregon unit earned itself such recognition and we take it the army's brass hats know that Oregon, through her "Armyducks" teams was one of it not the only army-trainee school in the country which DID participate in competitive athletics both in football and basketball and DID make road

The army's chief excuse for curtailment of competitive athletics for its trainees in colleges is that same would take too much time required by the men for studies, etc. The Armyducks found the time and a "way around" the ban by playing other military aggregations only and still were honored as having the best grade average of any unit in the country. Which means something doesn't jibe. According to the army's excuse for the sports participation ban the Oregon ASTU should have been graded anywhere but on top, yet it conducted a But a victory tonight nets the Sacompetitive sports program and still finished on top! Does two and two equal five, army?

Short sorties: Mt. Angel hoop enthusiasts note-Cal Bonney, AMM 2/c, MAC freshman cager who was selected on the All-Oregon Intercollegiate team two seasons back is now caging on a naval air station team at Boca Chica, Fla., said team averaging 6-2 in height and tied for first place with another outfit in the battle for the 7th naval district championship . . . It's now Sgt. William Shakespeare of Camp Adair, the former Notre Dame All-American having been elevated from "private" last week . . . And Walt Bliss, the Yakima at Gulfport Field, Miss., writes another third sacker, this one our own Bill Johnson of the '42 Senators nine. Incidentally, Bill has been riding tankers in the South Pacific, an unenviable chore. Adds he's had a few exciting moments, to be sure . . . A letter is en route to Grantland Rice, chairman of the sports committee of the national infantile paralysis fund telling him how grand Marion county sportsters rallied to the cause-\$1670.24 worth, which is really and truly grand . . .

Duration League Quints Rest; Woodburn Has Smoker Tonight

WOODBURN-The Duration league basketball teams take a rest Tuesday, no games being called for by the schedule. But Friday of this week the loop swings back into action with Wood burn going to Silverton for the

the leading Bulldogs, will bring

them their second consecutive

pennant. Woodburn easily defeat-

ed the Foxes earlier in the season

and figures to have the flag prac-

night. Numerous boxing and wres-

tling bouts have been carded for

gon's Lightheavy Champion Joe

Kahut and his sparring partner,

rounds or less of boxing will take

Oregon's Fish

Output Halved

Chase Okehs Kahut Scrap Promoter Joe Waterman in- tically bagged. Even if the Bull-

formed the Oregonian from San dogs lose to Coach "Pap" DeLay's Francisco today that Jack Chase, club Friday they have a game to coast lightheavyweight champion, play against Chemawa, the last has agreed to meet Joe Kahut, place club, and a victory here Woodburn, Ore., on condition the would clinch the crown. Oregon light-heavy titlist will In other Friday games the In-

The paper quoted Kahut's Molalla takes on Mt. Angel's Preps. manager, Jack Capri, as saying A Mt. Angel win over the Bucks his fighters will take on heavies will also clinch the flag for Woodin the future rather than make burn regardless of what happens weight for anybody as his natural at Silverton Friday. weight is now closer to 175 and Meanwhile the Woodburn gym he was trained too fine at 170 in will be the scene of the annual beating Pedro Hermosillo last Lettermen's club Smoker Tuesday Friday night.

Scio, Halsey to Meet

SCIO - The Scio high Loggers will make their final home appear- Bobby Brock. In all, some 33 ance in Linn county "B" league hoop play here Tuesday opposite the Halsey quintet. Harrisburg will meet the loggers here Friday in a non-league fracas.

Fight Results

York.

CHICAGO, Feb. 7 — (AP)— Sgt. Lou
Woods, 151, Detroiter now stationed at
Camp Grant, won a 16 round decision
over Bill Parsons, 144, Danville, Ill.,
ing program.

day as the Brooklyn Dodgers' ing between a syndicate headed by Max Meyer, New York Jew-eler, and representatives of the state of the late Charles Eb-

though he would not name the man, O'Doul fits into that cate-

Would-be buyers of the Dod-gers have made attempts to con-tact George V. McLaughlin, a \$100,000 loan against part of the stock held by the Fishets'

owners took a day off before gathering tomorrow for their annual schedule meeting and to as made over the weekaseball's potiwar planning alttee, President Will Harridge of the American league decided not to call a session of his circuit because all of the clubs were not represented.



Achiu-Lipscomb 'Elimination' Mat Match Tops Armory Card

JACK LIPSCOMB On tonight's armory mat card starting at 8:80.

spot by Matchmaker Don Owen if he beat Toughle "Toothless" Porter last week, is set to "eliminate" Lipscomb tonight. Jack

Playoff Plan Slated

Milker, Money

CITY LEAGE (Final)

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Mayflower Milk ... 7 2 ... 778 283
General Finance ... 7 2 ... 778 238
WU Frosh ... 6 3 .667 255
Vik Jayvees ... 4 5 .444 168
Page-Woolens ... 2 7 .222 219
Air Base ... 1 8 .111 141

to decide the championship.

Salem Air Base 39-33.

be played.

In the other game played last

As a result of the new plan,

brought about by team arguments

as to whether the league was or

was not divided into two halves,

and the departure of the Cavalry

five, the Milkers play the Wool-

ens and General Finance plays the

the Wednesday night of February

16. No other City league tests will

Ray Yocum paced the Woolens

The Milkers, their scoring for-

ward Loren Garrett already head-

ed for Texas, lost Herm Schwartz-

kopf with an injury midway in

the second quarter and dropped

their second game of the season

to Coach Lew Carroll's Frosh.

winners with 10 points each.

last night with 16 points.

Frosh in the first tourney games

The City league basketball chase

wound up in a maze of upsets and



BULLDOG JACKSON

th' Basher is still trying to get back into the same ring with Katonen since he kayoed the champ in a non-title scrap two

limited with both prelims also two - of - three falls affairs limited by 30 minutes in each. Tickets for the show are on sale at Maple's and The Pioneer

Expected to be as rugged as the main event is fonight's se-mi-windup waltz between bat-tered Buildog Jackson and Tex

Hager. It'll be Jackson's ernery-

ness against Hager's swift tricks, always an action - spiked com-

Two of the stronger bicep

boys in the crunch clan lock muscles in the 8:30 opener, Toughie Porter and Ivan Jones, the latter a physical education instructor in a Portland YMCA

and nearby shippard who has been seen here before both in the roles of rassler and referee. He does well at both.

The main event is billed for two - of - three falls, one-hour

Viks Seek League Division JUNGLE Flag Clinch at Oregon City **SERIES**

Play Pioneers At OC Tonight

Mat Mutterings: It's Walter

"Sneezie" Achiu, the popular ju - jitsuing Chinaman against Jack "Bash 'em" Lipscomb, the super meanie in tonight's No. 1 rasslin' match at the Ferry Street Garden, the winner of this "climination" affair to bash

with Paave Katonen here next

week for the coast lightheavy mat title. This is, if Mr. K.

has returned to these parts by

then. He was invited to take a physical examination by Uncle Sammy since he's 1-A, so had

to wheel southward pronto a

punctured ear drum, blood pres-sure with the ups - and - downs

and two of the finest crops of

cauliflower ever grown by a

muscleman, he expects to be back in the northwest sometime

this week possessing a 4 - F

In the meantime, deserving

Achiu, promised this main event

Since Paavo has flat feet, a

week ago.

NO-NAME LEAGUE STANDINGS

Although again deep in a loss rut with four straight setbacks theirs, Salem high's Viks go north, tonight to basketball for a possible clinch of the Northern Division, No-Name league pennant against Oregon City's off-and-on Pioneers.

Not since the 30-19 leaguecounting win over Milwaukie on January 25 have the Viks won a game, losing to Eugene, Corvallis and Klamath Falls (twice) since. lems the bunting for the northern half of the circuit since they have defeated the Pioneers (27-24) once already in the double roundrobin schedule. Oregon City in turn tipped the Maroons (38-37) leaving the gate open for Coach Frank Brown's gang.

Brown may be forced to use a makeshift lineup against the Pioneers this time, for the Klamath Falls jaunt took its toll on the Viks side in other than the win column. Both Captain Travis Cross and Guard Doug Gibson were stricken with illness and may sit this one out. If such is the case Bobby Zeller, Bunny Mathe case Bobby Zeller, Bunny Mason or Jeep Lowe will be pressed into starting service.

Friday and Saturday nights of this week Astoria's Flying Fishermen come to town for the annual two-game series. Following the Fishmen frays the Viks play Milwaukig here on the 15th, Albany there on the 18th and Dallas on the neutral Willamette university court the 24th in a counting disfeature game, which, if won by trict 4 game.

Dallas Victory Streak Ended

DALLAS - McMinnville high school Grizzlies eked out a 27-26 baskethall win over the previously unbeaten Dallas Dragons at McMinnville Saturday night, dians host Canby's Cougars and ending the Dallas winning streak at 12 straight. It was McMinnville's

13th victory in 17 outings.

Dallas' led almost throughout the game, 20-14 at halftime and 24-17 at the third quarter, but a rally saw the Grizzlies come from behind with a rush, Forward Allison leading the way. the affair, featured by the exhibition boxing match between Ore-

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Gonzaga Trips Hellship Five

SPOKANE, Feb. 7 -(P)- Gonzaga university's basketball team erased the question of superiority BALTIMORE, Feb. 7—(AP)—Harry
Jeffray former bantamweight champion, climbed another notch up the comeback trail tonight when he won a unanimous decision over Jimmy Collins, also of Baltimore.

NEWARK, NJ, Feb. 7—(AP)—Fred-die Archer, 147, Newark, opened his pro ring comeback tonight after a recent navy honorable discharge by decisioning Leroy Saunders, 148, New York.

ROSEBURG, Feb. 7.—(AP)—Frank
B. Wire, state game supervisor, estimates that Oregon's fish outlines and the Albina Hell-ships of Portland here Sunday by scoring a 57-47 victory over the touted visitors. It was the 17th victory in 18 starts of Gonzaga and Albina's second lass in 39 starts.

Albina's second lass in 39 starts. HINA (4T) (5T) GONZAGA terworth (10) F (17) Baker onnell (6) F (17) Strefer termute (16) C (8) Gaston emich (2) G (4) Hafner ser (5) G (11) McGovern lbina sube Jackson Obset A

Seabees, Feller struck out 15 men and drove in three runs during the game. (AP Wirephoto)

BOB FELLER, former star Cleveland Indians hurler, (at bat) waits for a pitch during an All-Star

baseball game "somewhere in the south Pacific." (Note the equipment.) According to information sen

with this picture to J. Carmichael, sports editor of the Chicago Tribune, by Albert P. Pellicore of the

GEN, FIN. (21) Sansom (0)F.	(26) JAYVEES (2) Hiebert
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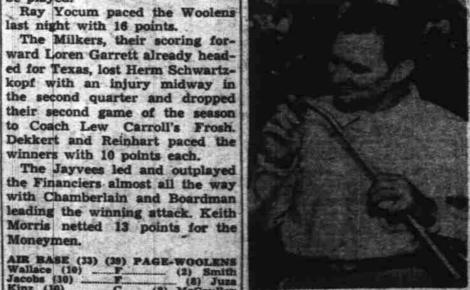
Whitman Trims C. of Idaho WALLA WALLA, Feb. 7 -(AP)

new deals last night at Willam- Whitman scored two field goals ette when the manpower shortage to College of Idaho's one as the and Willamette Frosh nailed the navy Missionaries outscored the Mayflower winning streak at six Coyotes 63-33 tonight in the openstraight with a 31-21 victory, the er of a two-day stand here. usually potent General Finance Whitman led at the half, 31-20

quint was knocked off by the Vik and ran up a 53-22 tally in the Jayvees, 26-21, and League Di- second half before scoring settled rector Chet Goodman and team back into an even tempo. The managers convened to decide that Missionaries paid off on the long the Milkers, Financiers, Frosh and range accuracy of Reg Thompson Page-Woolens would now cage off and effective follow-in and rea double-elimination tournament bound work of Haas, and defensive efforts of the Caldwell team indicated that they were not used night the Woolens outlasted the to a floor of Whitman's dimen-

sions.
WHITMAN (63) (33) C. OF IDAHO
Hill (9)
Rans (14) F. (11) Lambing
Maestri (6) C (6) Hubinger
Thompson (14) (2) Salto
Hoyer (8)
Whitman subs-Brownson 2, Vaughan
2, Cochrane 2, Todd 4, Jenkins 2 Idaho
subs — Ryan 6.
MARKET CONTRACTOR AND

The Champ



"JUG" MeSPADEN, who fired a 70 yesierday in the Phoenix open playoff against Byron Nel-son to beat "Lord Byron" by two strokes for top prize. The

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DRUG SECTION

No. 6 Loses but Leads

Slicker Meet **Nears Finish**

Leo Estey-Lawrence Alley dropped its first match of the meet Sunday, a 4-up decision to the No. 9 team of Vic Convey-J. W. Mc-Allister, it still leads the Salem Golf club Men's Slicker meet with a plus-point total of 47 with but two more rounds left to play. The lead is 13 points better than the second place total of No. l, Bud Waterman-Millard Pekar, which gained a close 1-up victory over the No. 10 team of Thomson and Campbell Sunday. The No. 9 win over No. 6 boosted the former's third place total to 29 football season. plus points. In the other ninth

matches over the weekend No. 5 (Goodwin-McCrary) tripped No. Perrydale, 29-13 (Lengren - Hendrie) with Tony Painter subbing for injured Hendrie, downed No. 12 (Heltzel-Emmans) by a 2-up margin; No. (Wahlgren-McLaughlin) got five points the easy way when No. 4 (Scales-Thrush) defaulted; No. 8 (Armpriest-Eyre) gained

five points over the defunct No. 11 team. Twenty-six players participated in the weekend's "Ruddles" meet, supplanting a sweepstakes gettogether, with the prize being di-vided by Merlin Emmans and Gien Lengren with 22 points each. By counting 4 for an eagle, 3 for a birdie, 2 for a par and

for a bogie, "Ruddles" points are

gained. The tourney was played

Fuel Coupons Same WASHINGTON, Feb. 7-(AP)

over nine holes.

The value of fuel oil ration cou pons in the east, midwest and Pacific northwest will continue at 10 gallons a unit during period four, which begins Tuesday, the office

Basketball Scores

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70 Worth \$1000 in Phoenix Open

Hanbury in 3rd

Still Brings Results

Hammerin' Henry Armstrong, one-

time owner of three world boxing

Washington hopeful, in the third

round of a scheduled 10-rounder

tonight. Armstrong weighed 139

and Hanbury, who was counted

out while on one knee in a cor-

Armstrong, in the course of his

third comeback attempt, clipped

Hanbury, a former sparring part-

ner, with a vicious right hook af-

ter an exchange of jabs which

to his knees in a corner. He got

up and was ready to resume hos-

ruled Lew had been down for the

and 10 seconds of the third round.

ner of the ring, scaled 137.

opened the third round.

second limit.

Luck o' the Irish

Notre Damers

To Get Cream

can put Notre Dame in your win-

ter book as having another pow-

the luck of the Irish is still going

school listed in the navy's new ba-

sic V-12 training program for 17

and 18-year-old high school gra-

duates in the Chicago region, and

Lieut. Henry Penfield of the navy

aviation cadet selection board dis-

closed today that the Irish proba-

bly would get most of the area's

Lieut. Penfield, captain of the

1933 Northwestern football team.

said that under a new plan of

placement the boys would report

to Notre Dame by March 1, in

time to participate in spring

drills. They will remain in train-

ing for eight months, graduating

about Nov. 1. They thus would

be available for almost all the

Monmouth Drubs

MONMOUTH - Coach Moore's

Monmouth high cagers complete-

ly overpowered Perrydale here

Friday night to win 29-13. So

closely did the Wolves check the

visitors the score was 12 to 1 at

halftime. Monmouth second

stringers played most of the sec-

PERRYBALE (13) (29) MONMOUTH
Hinmon (0) F (3) McLean
Vanderhoof (5) F (7) Hinkle
Riemer (1) C (2) Houk

Middle Grove to Play

MIDDLE GROVE-The Middle

Grove basketball quintet will

meet the Swegle five on the lat-

ter's floor Thursday. A hoop con-test between the girls' teams of

the two schools will precede the

Chicago Relays Dated

CHICAGO, Feb. 7-(AP)-The Chi-

cago relays, sponsored by the Chi-

ond half.

Hinmon (0) Vanderhoof (5)

top prep gridders.

titles, knocked out Lew Hanbury

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7 -(AP)-

Comeback Excursion

McSpaden Outfires Nelson in Playoff

PHOENIX, Ariz., Feb. 7-(A)-Smooth stroking Harold "Jug" McSpaden of Philadelphia, the winter season's top golf money winner, added a \$1000 war bond to his earnings by shooting a 70 for a two-stroke victory today over Byron Nelson of Toledo, O., in an 18-hole playoff to decide

Armstrong KOs the Phoenix open.

Deadlocked yesterday at the end of 72 holes with 273s, 11 strokes under par, Nelson and McSpaden were still even and still shooting better than par golf at the turn

McSpaden parred the first six of the last nine while Nelson took bogies on the 11th and 15th holes to drop two drop two strokes be-

Nelson, recent winner of the San Francisco Victory open, in which McSpaden was runnerup, picked up a stroke on the 16th when Mc-Spaden got into trouble and took a bogie. But the match reached the turning point on the 17th where McSpaden ran down a spectacular 35-foot putt for a birdle three.

Both came in for par fices on the 18th, McSpaden one stroke under par for the 18 and Nelson

Hanbury, 21 years old, dropped Fat, Fifty, Fidgety

up and was ready to resume hos-tilities but Referee Eddie Lafond Bambino Still The end came after one minute Cuttin'--Cake

Armstrong opened up with a twofisted attack that sent Hanbury By WHITNEY MARTIN NEW YORK, Feb. 7-(AP)-The reeling into the ropes. He went down on the third right to the Bambino still can cut in the cake. jaw. The decision was boosed by He did it today, literally, on his some of the 9000 spectators who 50th birthday,

evidently believed that Hanbury just a few secwas counted out before the 10 onds before it slipped from the table to land frosted - side down with squashy plop on the floor of the little den lined with pictures and souvenirs of

the days when BABE RUTH Babe was making baseball his-

He's a gentleman of unwanted leisure now, restless as a caged erful football team next fall-for bear and filling in his days with bowling and innumerable appearances at bond rallies which have Notre Dame is the only big left his voice a hoarse croak. He'd love to go overseas to entertain the service men, but he says half a dozen doctors told him "I'd die before I got there."

So he does the best he can for the war effort and uses bowling in winter and golf in summer as an outlet for his nervous energy. He's a 615-average bowler. but can't go more than four games of an afternoon.

"My knees give out explains candidly.

He weighs about 240 now, less than he did when he was playing for the Yankees, but in his bloodred lounging pajamas he still looks like he had been invited to a pot-luck supper and swallowed

The spacious Ruth apartment is almost a baseball museum. Trophies and gifts from the days he was setting the record of 60 home runs in a year and compiling a total of 714 circuit smashes, not counting 15 in World series competition, are everywhere. "Show them that little cigar

lighter made like a bowling pin you got the other day," Mrs. Ruth

"Don't know where it is," he replied. He was comfortable in an easy chair and puffing contentedly on an ornate pipe—a 44-year-old pipe, he explained.

"Why, it's in that suit you wore," Mrs. Ruth insisted, and as Babe heaved himself to his feet and barged across the room with shoulders hunched; "and straighten up."

The big guy is just human, after

Feldman OKd by Doc

NEW YORK, Feb. 7 .- (AP)-Harry Feldman, New York Giant pitcher whose illness brought him 4F draft rating and a physical break-down last summer, today received his physician's approval to play cago Daily News, will be held in ball again this season Chicago stadium the night of He won seven and lost one with March 18, it was announced today. the Giants in 1942.

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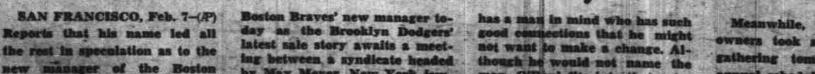
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O'Doul Hinted as New Braves Boss; Lefty 'Not Interested'

Braves brought from Frank "Lefty" O'Doal today the reaponse he "was not interested" to any major league manager-NEW YORK, Feb. 7-(8)-Lef- scouring the field for a new boss ty O'Doul's name leads all the since Casey Stengel turned in

Meanwhile, National league