#### 'Cat Ballers Await Ducks

Opener Here Friday; Lillie Works Ovalists

Hoping that this will be a week when the weather is cooperative, Willamette's track and baseball squads are accelerating drills what with initial clashes looming very

Coach Johnny Lewis plans to get in plenty of batting sessions for his diamond aspirants in the next couple of days as the 'Cats prime for the season opener, a doubleheader with Oregon's Webfoots at Waters park Friday after-

Lewis figures to give most of his mound staff a chance for action in the two games with righthanded fireballer Johnny Slanchick, a second year man, likely to start the nine inning first tilt. Freshman Lou Scrivens, who's impressed with his stuff in training to date, probably will get the call in the seven inning nightcap. Other moundsmen expected to see action are Tom Warren. Fred Rich-Yeager. The remainder of the starting lineup is not yet definite. starting lineup is not yet definite.

Meanwhile Jerry Lillie has a somewhat better picture of what his cinder prospects will be following Saturday's intramural meet. The big hopes right now seem to include Bill Reder in the kayo win over George Mazi in hurdles, Keith Sperry, Bob Bailey two heats, comes back again to and perhaps Bob Johnson in the headline Matchmaker Tex Salsprints; Captain Ralph Ohling, dis- keld's armory fistic show next stance; Jerry Grimm and Benny Wednesday night, April 7. And Lambert, middle distance; Ray this time Brown goes in with a Mertz, high jump; Art Beddoe, gent who himself totes considerdiscus; Jack Russell and Ken Jar- able of a kayo wallop. rett, pole vault, and Bill Painter. Rugged little Cal Robinson of

The 'Cat trackmen tentatively hard-hitting negro, who holds a open their campaign in a triangu- decision over Brown in the past lar meet at Corvallis April 10 year, and went to a draw with against Oregon State and Portland him in another mix, cruised in

#### Aiken to See **New UO Faces**

EUGENE, March 30 -(P)- Ore- week's card, both Dick and Dean gon's Webfoots will start spring Abney and Howard Mendenhall, football training Monday with Their opponents will be named nine Washington and California later. Dean Abney and Menden-junior college players on hand, hall racked up wins on the last These youngsters enrolled for the show, spring term yesterday. They include Fullback Paul Savage, Yak-Ima: Tackle Willard Winterring-er. Wenatchee, and seven from Vikings Gird

Also eligible for play next fall will be five transfers from senfor colleges. They include John McKay, halfback at Purdue in 1946; Sam Nevills, tackle on the

#### Leafs Increase Lead

games here Thursday night.

up his mind whether to remain at

Beaverville or to accept a lush

offer to take over the basketball

reins at UCLA. There was another

offer made to the now famed Gill.

from Minnesota of the Big Nine.

But UCLA, personifled by Wilbur

Jones, the Bruin athletic director

who recently resigned as cage

coach, seems to be going all out to get the guy who for many of

his 20 years at Oregon State has

habitually made something of

nothing in the northern division

by established at Corvallis, per-

haps for the rest of his coaching

life, and he has his home and

family there. He has been an Ore-

gonian all his life. Next season the

Beavers hope to play their games

in the new 10,000 capacity gym-

pasium, the latest thing for bas-

ketball in the northwest, and cer-

tainly a Slats Gill dream come

true. The material will be good

Big Pow-Wow Is on This Week

but you never know just how it will taste.

hid with a "no thanks, I'm happy here."

Move to UCLA Would Be an Advancement

year is advancement. There would be pressure from the alumni for

sure. There would be other musts in the Los Angeles metropolis that are far behind Slats at Corvallis. He could step in there and, on the strength of winning teams, be properly and publicly accoladed

an one of the country's finest coaches. Then again he could find that

metropolitan life isn't for him after so many years in Corvallis.

Perhaps nothing will be said of it should he decide to remain at

OSC. But if he moves on, well-. At least 'tis a major problem

Slats is grappling with now, perhaps the most important he will ever encounter. The grass seems always greener on the other side,

glitter and glamor that is Los Angeles and UCLA would be an advance-

ment for a deserving coach, and few could blame Stats if he went,

Oregon State officials must feel the same way. But we'll bet they are

flashing a pretty penny at Mr. G. in hopes he answers the UCLA

Gill was in session with the school big-wigs early this week,

No northwesterner would like to see Gill go south, with the

sible exception of some of his competitors. But as mentioned, the

Gill's problem is a dandy. He

#### Solons Hold Long Drill; More Vets Arrive

By Al Lightner CORVALLIS, March 30-(Special) - Salem's baseball Senators hustled from a chamber of com-

merce welcoming luncheon at noon here today to a three-hour practice session on Coleman field, the first full-scale workout Manager Jack Wilson has held since opening the camp Monday. Almost 50 assorted aspirants are now in camp, and all were given whirls at either batting, pitching, flelding and picking up tips from Wilson and helper Moose Clabaugh.

Five more regulars checked into camp today, but the immemiate status of one is very much in question. The newcomers are Third-Baseman Mel Nunes, who hit .275 last season; Catcher Buster McMillan, the big backstop who had the two fine seasons in

Chuck (Kid) Brown, the sen-

sational Portland lightweight who

last week waltzed to an easy

Seattle is Brown's opponent. The

with a knockout win last week

also. He made short work of

Jimmy Jackley of Portland in

their prelim bout, smashing out

a kayo in 53 seconds of the first

round. That impressive win, plus

the fact that Robinson has done

so well in fighting Brown in the

past, gave him next week's main-

er with the rapidly rising Brown.

Salem battlers for spots on next

Salkeld also has signed three

the Southern association and Texas league; Second-Baseman Al Spacier, a .262 hitter last semester who had been looking sharp in the Riverside camp earlier this spring; Pitcher Bob Stevenson, the hard-throwing acquisition from the St. Louis Browns organization, and Vince Lazor, whose 16 wins and six losses was tops in the WIL last

And it is Lazor who carries the big question mark. He has not yet decided whether to return to baseball or remain on a wellpaying job at his home in Renton, Wash. He was in civilian clothes today and expects to come to a decision with Business Manager George Emigh tomorrow. Should he return home the club will be shy the third member of its big winning trio of

last season, as both Lefties Wan-Mossor and Kenny Wyatt have graduated into faster com-

Only three more regulars are now absent, and all three are expected tomorrow. They are Pitcher Tony Klisura, Shortstop Joe Gedzius and Outfielder Bob Cherry, Gedzius wired Emigh he will arrive tomorrow and the other two are sauntering through period of training with the Port-

lands at Riverside. Wilson doled out a fistful of releases today also, to a number crew, Wilson must whittle it sixth inning. down from its current size pron-

#### Rarin' to Go for Solons Brown to Box



Big Hunk Anderson (above), 10-game winner for the Salem Senators rector of athletics at Oregon in 1947, is back again this season and hopes to double his number State; Ray Clark, owner of the of victories. In tip-top shape following a month with the Portland Portland pro Indians; Noble Jor-Beavers at Riverside, Anderson is now with the Solons at their

With the campaign opener at same team, and Jim Aiken, jr., Silverton set for Friday, Coach son of Coach Jim Aiken, who Harold Hauk and his Salem high was a Nevada quarterback for baseballers this week are attemptcancelled out by wet grounds.

The Viks vesterday went through heavy batting and infield work-BOSTON, March 30-1,P1- The outs and plan more of same for championship Toronto Maple today. Hauk's top pitching can-Leafs defeated the Boston Bruins didates-Eldon Caley, a senior and 5-1 tonight for their third straight Sophs Jim Moore and Jim Rock National bockey league playoff tri- probably will see action at Silverumph. On their current form, the ton. A partial picture of the rest Leafs are top-heavy favorites to of the lineup shows Del Kleen at wind up this best-of-seven post- first; Cliff Girod second; Waldo. season competition in straight Unruh at short; and Carlos Houck in the catching spot.

by Al Lightner

SLATS GILL

A man with a major problem these days is Slats Gill, Oregon

State's magically inclined basketball boss. The accomplished Slats,

ing village of Corvallis, and particularly that part of it devoted to

the college, in a dither as he ponders a decision indeed important

both to himself and Oregon State basketball. Slats is now making

## Oilers, Wildcats Vie

NEW YORK, March 30-(AP)-Kentucky, a lightning-fast basketball team, meets the Phillips Oilers, a toweringly tall team, tomorrow night in the Olympic tryout finals. There is complete agreement on two points.

1-Both coaches think the Oilers will win. 2-Both teams will contribute five men to the Olympic bas-

"They've got too much experience and height for us," said Coach Adolph Rupp of Kentucky's national collegiate champions. "I honestly don't think we can win. If we do, it will be a miracle." "In the long run we will make less mistakes than Kentucky," said Coach Bud Browning of the National A.A.U. champion Oilers.

Kentucky's first team averages 6 feet 2 1/5 inches. The starting Oilers average nearly 6 feet 5 inches. With the experts, the Ollers are favored by a couple of points. As a preliminary to tomorrow night's big game in Madison Square Garden, for which a sellout crowd of 18,400 is assured,

Baylor meets the Denver Nuggets in a consolation game at 8 p.m., The other four men to round out the squad will come from the other teams in the tournament-two from the A.A.U. side of

the bracket, and two from the college side.

#### **Hart Captures Bicep Tourney**

Fireball Frankie Hart, by first dishing up an A-1 grappling lesson truly one of the finest in the land at his profession, has the neighbor- to Jack Lipscomb in the final brawl, and then plucking off a very popularly accepted decision, last night won the 8-man "sudden death" elimination mat tournament at the armory. The popular Irishman had previously waded through Buck Weaver and Gordy Hessell to reach the final tussle. Lipscomb had roughed his way by George Curtis and Joe Lynam. In the opening round Lynam decisioned Paavo Katonen, Lipscomb spilled Curtis, Hart deci-sioned Weaver and Hessell flop- Haugen, Bob ped Sammy Kohen. Then Lipscomb threw Lynam and Hart used a spectacular Dutch windmill hold on Hessell in the semi- McNeil, Sid finals. In the finale Hart met Lipscomb at his own game and threw in a large assortment of rickery to boot, and at times Kirchner made merry with the outclassed

> Two judges, selected from the audience, assisted Referee George Dusette in rendering decisions



On the other hand, Slats doesn't want Oregon State to depend apon him for basketball at the school. The school itself and the alumni should shoulder his responsibility. Like anyone else, advancement In his profession is a natural pursuit. And stepping into a huge and energetic school that is UCLA, with a healthy paycheck banked every

> GLOBE, Ariz., March 30 -- (AP)-Swatting out a fourteen hit attack, the St. Louis Browns broke a seven-game Cleveland exhibition winning streak,

> SARASOTA, Fla., March 30 —(AP)— Boston's Red Sox smeared their Louis-ville Colonel farmhands in an exhibi-

TAMPA. Fla., March 30 —(AP)— The Cincinnati Reds extended their win streak to five today as an eight-run sixth inning set up an 11-0 vic-tory over the Philadelphia Phillies.

# BOWLING &

. 163 160 163 486 . 154 179 154 487 . 137 161 143 441 . 131 140 157 428 . 175 139 139 443 NEW YORK, March 30-(AP)-For 180----515 162 150 466 182 209 552 160 200 182 542 and high schoool football will be 202 151 190 543 played under almost identical sets

A group of officials meeting here has brought forth a com-133-473 mon code in which the differ-158 182 133—473 mon code in which the differ-165 185 169—519 ences between the two sets of rules have been reduced from 155 151 178 484 some 150 to less than a half

The only differences remaining 119 403 will have to do with the length 163-389 of quarters, number of substitutions allowed while the clock is 162 114 142-418 running, and similar minor mat- May 25 date appears suitable to ters.

WHITS LOSE TWO MOSCOW, March 30 -(AP)- The University of Idaho baseball team scraped by Whitman colllege 3 Bernard 'Frenchy" Uhalt was anto 2 in the first game of a dou- nounced today by the San Franbleheader today and routed the cisco baseball club. He has been Missionaries 15 to 1 in the night-offered a job as scout for the cap.

AT YOUR

Enjoy the light, buoy-

ant flavor of

## Redbirds' Dickson Coast Chase Opens, Flings No-Hit Tilt Helser Blanks Oaks

Bevens (Who Else?) and Yankees Victims; Charley Keller 'Okeh'

ST, PETERSBURG, Fla., March 30-(AP)-Murry Dickson, right handed pitcher for the St. Louis Cardinals, hurled a no-hit, no-run game at the expense of the world champion New York Yankees today.

BILL BEVENS

Plagued by Bad Arm

Aside from confirming that the

offers came from these two

schools, and that one interested

looking for a head coach. Its bas-

ketball team was soundly defeated

twice by the 1947 Oregon State

team. The Minnesota berth was

vacated by David MacMillan re-

cently after more than 20 years'

LOS ANGELES, March 30-(AP)-

World Lightweight Champion Ike

Williams of Trenton, N. J., will

defend his crown here probably

May 25 in a 15-round fight with

that he has a verbal agreement

with the two boxers and that the

SAN FRANCISCO, March 30

IN YOUR

e. the Ale

that outsells

(AP)- Release of veteran outfielder

stage the match at Wrigley field.

Promoter Cal Eaton said tonight

Enrique Bolanos of Mexico.

UHALT RELEASED

Columbia Ale

Williams Sets

Title Defense

It is known that UCLA has been

him, he would not comment.

Ukes, Gopers

Coach's meeting.

occupancy.

The Cardinals won the exhibition, 7-0. It was the first no-hitter in the spring exhibition season since the California after spending a long late Cy Blanton of the Pittsburgh Pirates handcuffed the Cleveland Indians 6-0, April 9, 1939 in New Orleans. Dickson, who won 13 and lost 16 for the Cardinals last of the far-too-many green peas year, walked five batters today who are trying out. More are due and hit one. He fanned six, insoon, as the squad is much too cluding Linus Frey, Ed Stewart large. What with only two more and Johnny Lindell who came to weeks in which to fashion his the plate in that order in the

> All of the Cardinal runs came in the first inning off the offerings of Bill Bevens, ailing right-hander who hurled 8% hitless innings in the 1947 world series.

After the fray it was announced that outfielder Charley Keller, out since last June because of a spinal operation, would be in the Yankees starting lineup on Thursday in hopes of bolstering the New Yorkers' attack. On that day the Yankees will play the Philadelphia Phils.

#### Cagers Feted, Gill Speaker

By Al Lightner The Salem Breakfast club's big basketball banquet was all that and more last night at Maion hotel as over 40 local high school and collegiate cagers were given deserved honors for their campaigns during the season. A capacity crowd was in attendance and notables on hand were both numerous and famous.

Oregon State Coach Slats Gill was the principal speaker, and gave an extremely interesting as well as educational talk on the sport in general, and on his recent trip to New York City to attend the National Coaches association meeting and some of the national playoff games. Other speakers were Spec Keene, digenson, gigantic center on the Portland team; Harry Roos, Indians coach and Breakfast club

President Harry Collins. Coaches Harold Hauk of Salem high, Johnny Lewis of Willam-ette, Jerry Archer and Ben Schaad of Salem Academy and Bob Perry and Father Lenahan of Sacred Heart Academy introduced their players. The Breakfast club presented Hauk and each member of his team with an appropriately engraved silver miniature basketball in recognition of the Vikings' second place finish in the recent state tournament.

#### Johnny Lewis To Boss Caps

Seeking Gill Willamette university baseball coach Johnny Lewis, a former pro pitcher, will manage the Salem Capitels team in the State league the coming season, it was Coach Slats Gill, Oregon State's announced last night by Curt veteran basketball mentor, said Ferguson and N. J. Arnold, Wil-today that he had coaching offers lamette Amusement company ope- from UCLA and Minnesota, and high interclass track meet yesterrators who sponsor the Caps. that he was considering one of Lewis replaces Johnny Kolb, who them. was team manager last season. A number of the Capitols players will be picked from the ranks ing around. He returned yesterday of Lewis' Bearcat varsity team, from New York, where he atand others are expected to be tended the National Basketball

older standbys in and around Salem. Ferguson plans to secure summertime employment for some of the WU athletes who will play on the team. The Capitols will 140 190—522 this season play their home games 153 159—456 in Waters park.

#### **Gridders Get** Common Code

the first time in 15 years, college and high schoool football will be of rules next season, it was dicclosed tonight.

128 446 dozen and those very minor.

178 434 The only difference minor.

Bevos Win 3-0; Seals Top Sacs; LA Tips Padres; Seattle Belted

By The Associated Press The Pacific Coast league opened its 46th campaign Tuesday with 41,644 fans turning out for the curtain-raisers, all played in California cities.

Portland's Beavers got off to a fine start at Oakland as Southpaw Roy Helser hurled them to a 3-0 victory over the Oakland Oaks last night before 13,802. Helser permitted the Oaks but seven hits, and whiffed six, besides knocking in a pair of runs himself. Out-fielder Mayo Smith homered for the Portlands.

The San Francisco Seals, fave-ored to take the loop bunting this year, came through with a 7-4 win over the Sacramento Solons, with Jack Brewer going the route for the victors. The afternoon tilt was witnessed by 13,376 fans, biggest turnout of the first day. Cecil Garriott's three-run hom-

er in the eighth inning gave the Los Angeles Angels, defending champs, a 7-4 nod over the San Diego Padres before 7,852 custo-

Hollywood's Stars lit on three Seattle Rainier hurlers with a vengeance at Hollywood, slamming out a 17-2 triumph. While Rugger Ardizoia was holding the Seattles to four hits, the Stars pounded out 15 blows including a pair of homers by Outfielder Gus Zernial. Lou Novikoff homered for the

and said he would ask to be set ailing throwing arm.	nt to a clinic for examination of his	losers.
Through?	Bevens started against the St. Louis Cardinals in today's exhibition and lasted only one inning —yielding all seven runs as the Cards won behind Murry Dick-	Rucker,m 4 0 1 0 Holder,
M	son's no-hitter, 7-0.  "The first ball I throw in the game was the finish," the six-foot-three Oregon native said.  "The moment I put something ex-	Reich,r 3 1 3 0 Samcoff,2 3 1 1 3 Mullen 2 4 2 1 4 Hamrick, 3 3 2 1 3 Ballnger,c 4 0 8 0 Raimndl,c 3 0 5 1 Helser,p 4 2 1 3 W.Hafey,p 4 0 4 1

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Runs—Smith, Reich, Mullen. Errors—Zak, Combs, Hamrick. Runs batted in—Smith, Helser 2. Two hase hits—Samcoff, Reich. Home run—Smith, Left on bases—Portland 7. Oakland 16. Bases on balls—off Helser 3, Hafey 3, Struck out—by Helser 6. W. Hafey 4. Runs responsible for—Hafey 3. Umpires—Engeln, Doran, Gordon. Time of game 1:57. San Francisco ...... 300 201 010-7 16

Dr. Sidney Gaynor, club physician, said he would have no comment until further examination of Bevens' arm.

#### 'Foxes Wallop Woodburn '9'

"The moment I put something extra on the pitch, pain shot from

the shoulder down through the

"I can't pitch at all with this

Bevens, who hurled 81/2 hitless

innings before losing the fourth

game of the 1947 world series to

Brooklyn, said he would ask per-

mission to visit either Dr. Robert

F. Hyland in St. Louis or Dr.

George E. Bennett at Johns Hop-

much "pain."

kins hospital.

Bevens' Arm Goes Bad

**Hill Career Threatened** 

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 30-(AP)-Bill Bevens, the New

York Yankee's big righthander, complained he was "through" today

SILVERTON, March 30 -(Special) - Jerry Gastineau's Silverton high diamond crew launched the Willamette valley league season here today with a 12-0 triumph over Woodburn's Bulldogs. Wickham, Sattern and Schaap combined their mound efforts to

hold the 'Dogs to three hits while the Silvertons were getting 11 off Crockett. - 000 000 000- 0 3 6 210 050 13\*-12 11 Woodburn

#### Silverton 210 060 13 -12 11 1 Crockett and Gay; Wickham, Sat-tern (5), Schaap (7) and Roth. Seniors Snare Interclass Meet CORVALLIS, March 30 - (AP)

The Seniors walked off with top honors in the annual Salem day. The three year men garnered 55 points nabbing six first places. This confirmed rumors current Second were the Juniors with 341/4 for some time that Gill was look- and the Sophs trailed with 30%.

Dodge of the winners was high points man with 111/2. Barnholdt, seniors, got 101/4 and Chamber lain, seniors, nabbed 10.

#### Softball Meet Tonight

Beginning of another softball season for Salem is presaged in Tuesday's announcements of coming league meetings. First will be the Salem Softball association, headed by Charles Davis, at the YMCA tonight at 8 o'clock.

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Lynn, Powell (7), Lanfranconi (8)
and Malone; Seats, Rescigno (8), Gleason (8) and Rice, Camelli (2).

#### Hill Meet Set

PORTLAND, March 30 -(P) The annual Hill Military academy sponsored track relays set for Friday now has entries from Oregon. Among entries in the Class A bracket are Salem, Ore., Yakima, Wash., Vancouver, Wash., Franklin and Jefferson in Portland.



# Real 100% Virgin Wool MEN'S SUITS - Men's Slacks & Panis



PHOENIX, Ariz., March 30-(AP)-Chicago's Cubs scored nine runs in the first two innings and went on to hand their crosstown rivals, the White Sox, a 13-7 exhibition game defeat here

tion ball game today, blanking the American association club 13-0.

EL CENTRO, Calif., March 38-(AP) The New York Giants came from behind to defeat the Pittsburgh Pirates 6 to 4 in an exhibition baseball game here today.

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Jack Brent 172 240 184 596
Richard Wherley 129 140 152 421
Fred Karr 164 164 167 495
Floyd Keynon 187 155 172 514

#### DUCKPINS

Men's City league action last night at B & B Bowling courts saw Larsen Home & Loan stop Tweedie Oil 3-1: Sunset Donuts shutout Les Newman's, 4-0; Remington Rand beat Bright Spot, 3-1; and Capp's Used Cars whip Elsner's, 3-1. Parker, Capp's, hit a 614 for high series.

**Table of Coastal Tides** TIDES FOR TAFT, OREGON Tides for Taft, Ore., compiled by U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, Portland, Ore.

Mar. HIGH WATER LOW WATER