

# SBC Members See Grid Film

Marshfield-Saxon Tilt Draws Comments

Movies of the state high school football championship game between South Salem and Marshfield were shown to the Salem Breakfast Club Monday morning and action of the game was narrated by Lee Gustafson, head coach of the Saxons who tied for the title with Marshfield, 13-13.

Gustafson pointed out several highlights of the movies, making note of several outstanding plays in which his Saxon gridders either made great runs or key blocks and tackles.

Drawing comments from the movie viewers was the pass interference called against South Salem which helped to set up the tying touchdown for Marshfield.

Bob Funk, hoop mentor for Salem Academy, told of his team's prospects and said that he hopes for one of the Crusaders' better seasons this year.

## CHEMAWA AT COLTON

CHEMAWA (Special)—The Chemawa Indians go to Colton Tuesday night for a basketball date with Colton High.

## Feller Rated Second . . .

# Ted Williams Chosen Star 'Comeback' Player

By The Associated Press

Ted Williams, who wasn't stopped by inactivity, a fractured collar bone, pneumonia or a constant desire to get away from baseball and go fishing, is the "comeback" baseball player of 1954.

Williams, playing what he said would be his last season, was chosen over another major league veteran, pitcher Bobby Feller of the Cleveland Indians, in the annual Associated Press poll of sports writers and broadcasters.

The slender, 36-year-old slugger probably wouldn't regard it as a "comeback," since he had returned from his second hitch in the Marines in time to regain his batting form in 1953. He couldn't be reached for comment on his selection. Ted, just back from a fishing trip to Peru, was reported somewhere in the Florida Keys catching more fish.

Early this year Williams fractured a collar bone and he played a large part of the 1954 season with a metal pin holding the bone together and causing him considerable discomfort. He also was kept idle for a few weeks by an attack of pneumonia.

In spite of those handicaps, Williams compiled a slugging average of .345 and missed grabbing the American League batting championship only because he lacked 14 times at bat for the minimum of 400 needed to gain official recognition. He hit .345 for the season with 29 homers and 89 runs batted in.

In recognition of this, 84 of the 422 sports writers and broadcasters participating in the AP poll picked Ted for the greatest "comeback" Feller, who won 13 games and lost only 3 after two mediocre seasons and posted a 3.09 earned run average, drew 70 votes.

**OREGON TECH BOWS**  
OLYMPIA, Wash. (AP)—St. Martin's College moved in front at the outset and stayed there to defeat Oregon Tech, 55-46, in a basketball game Monday night.

The Saints led 32-25 at halftime and scored only 10 points from field goals in the second period as a tight Tech zone defense bottled up the ball.

**AZTECS RALLY WINS**  
TACOMA (AP)—The San Diego State College Aztecs came from behind in the second half to score an 81-71 victory over the College of Puget Sound Loggers.

**ALBANY VS. SPRINGFIELD**  
ALBANY (Special)—Albany and Springfield are to meet at Springfield Tuesday night for a prep basketball card. Bee teams play the prelim.

**COYOTES WIN GAME**  
CHEWELAH, Wash. (AP)—The College of Idaho, led by R. C. Owens, put on a tremendous second-half scoring drive Monday night to down Eastern Washington College of Education 81-67.

## Chieftain



CORVALLIS—Bob Godes, above, 6-foot, 9-inch center for the Seattle U Chieftains will be at the pivot spot for Coach Al Brightman's crew when it faces the Oregon State Beavers here Tuesday night.

## Pioneers Edged

PORTLAND (AP)—Undeclared Central Washington had a scare Monday night as it edged Lewis and Clark 72-70 in a tight basketball game here.

The Portland team, trailing by 20 points, rallied to surge ahead, 70-69, with a little over a minute of the game remaining. But then CWCE's Don Heacox hit a field goal to put his team ahead and added a free throw seconds later to close the scoring.

Lewis and Clark's Duane Brady led all scorers with 23 points.

**LEBANON TRAVELS**  
LEBANON (Special)—The Lebanon Warriors travel to Eugene Tuesday night for a basketball game with Willamette High.

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# Bearcats Face Aztecs Tonite

Home Court Winning Streak to Get Test

Continued from page 1, sec. 2. Starting lineup will consist of 6-4 Tom Gooding, 6-4 Pete Reed and 6-7 Neil Causbie in the forward wall, with either 6-0 Dave Gray, 6-0 Daryl Girod or 5-9 Jerry McCallister at guards.

Other Bearcats slated to defend their undefeated string of home victories are Dick Hoy, a 6-1 regular forward, and 6-5 Jack Bishop.

The Aztecs are currently making an eight-game, 15-day swing through the Pacific Northwest, their next opponent after Willamette will be Chico State Wednesday night. Chico State has been the only team able to conquest the Bearcats in their eight games to date. They defeated the Bearcats twice at the California school.

San Diego's coach is George Ziegenfuss, former Washington Husky great.

Much of the Aztec strength lies in its forward-center combinations of 6-6 Noel Mickelsen, 6-3 Tony Pinkins, and 6-1 Danny Newport. Pinkins racked up a 20-point season average while playing for San Diego Junior College last year.

Included in the Aztec letterman group are 6-0 John Hannon, 5-10 Ray Woodmansee and 6-0 Jim Sams. Woodmansee is the only letterman on the squad who hits under the six-foot mark, but what he lacks in height he makes up for in playing ability.

This will be the final game for Willamette until they open Northwest Conference play against Linfield on Jan. 7.

A preliminary game between a member of the Salem Church league and the City League will start at 8:10 tonight with the varsity game to follow at 8 p.m.

**CASCADE AT SWEET HOME**  
CASCADE UNION HIGH SCHOOL, Turner (Special)—The Cascade Cougars go to Sweet Home Tuesday night for a basketball date with the Sweet Home Huskies. Bee teams are to play in the preliminary clash.

**PERRYDALE AT FALLS CITY**  
FALLS CITY (Special)—Perrydale and Falls City meet here Tuesday night for a basketball program, with Bee teams playing the 6:30 o'clock preliminary.

## Molalla Hoop Team Defeats Oregon City

MOLALLA (Special)—The Molalla Indians led all the way here Monday night as they defeated Oregon City, 59-45, in a high school basketball game. Wally Aho paced the Indians with his 25 points, taking high scoring honors for the night.

Molalla led at the halftime, 35-17.

The Molalla Bee team also won the prelim, 52-34.

Molalla (59) (45) Oregon City  
D. Parker (7) (7) Gettle  
Saylor (9) (7) Frost  
Bye (7) (19) Schmeiser  
Alto (25) (10) Hendry  
Peoples (8) (8) French

Reserves scoring: Molalla—Dave Parker (1), VanDyke (2), Beagley (3), Knoll (2), Burch (3). Officials: Peterson and Teyema.

## Beavers Meet Seattle Team

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Coach Slate Gill of the Beavers will no doubt attempt to slow down the burning speed of the visitors and beat them with a ball-control game. The veteran Beaver head man will likely start Jay Dean and Reggie Halligan or Tex Whiteman at forwards, Tony Vlastelica at center and Ron Robbins and Larry Paulus at guards.

Gill watched the Chieftains play in their losing game at Oregon a while back, and Brightman watched the Beavers play when they dropped their 52-50 nod to California early in the month.

**AMITY AT EDDYVILLE**  
AMITY (Special)—The Amity High Warriors travel to Eddyville Tuesday night to play Eddyville High in a basketball game.

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## Woodburn Vies With Huskies

WOODBURN (Special)—Coach Marshall Barbour's Woodburn Bulldogs, who dropped their first game with the North Marion Huskies at North Marion earlier in the month, play a return match with Coach Dean Nice's Huskies here Tuesday night.

Bee teams open play in the 6:30 o'clock preliminary.

**SCIO HOSTS SHEDD**  
SCIO (Special)—The Scio Loggers play host to Shedd High in a basketball program here Tuesday night. Bee teams open play at 6:30 o'clock.

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