

# Junior Quints In Second Tilt

### Friday Cage Crucial Booked at Leslie

With one team facing total disaster if it doesn't come through with a win and the other coasting along with that win under its collective belt as a result of last week's 26-25 thriller, Leslie and Parrish junior high basketball varsities waded into the second game of their squabble for the annual city cage championship Friday night at Leslie. The tilt is set for eight o'clock and will be preliminarily at seven by an 8th grade clash between the two schools.

Parrish, which won last week, will likely return to action with the same opening quartet — Ed Baker and Jim Paulus, forwards; Bruce McDonald, center, and Keith Farnum and Bud DuVal, guards. Loren Spence or Frank Osborn may move into one of the berths, however.

The Leslies, faced with winning this one to tie the series, will probably open with Ben Pitzer and Don Ray, forwards, Tom Paulus, center, and Bill Sproule and Jim Moore, guards.

### SAVAGES INVITED

CHENEY, Wash., Feb. 27 (AP) — Eastern Washington College of Education has accepted an invitation to represent Washington in the national intercollegiate basketball tournament at Kansas City next month, college officials said today.



**PIONEER LIGHT:** One of Parrish junior high's standouts in the current city series with Leslie is Ed Baker, (above) forward, tangle Friday night at Leslie. The Pioneers and Missionaries in the second game of the series. Another win for Baker and his mates clinches the championship. (Statesman sports photo)

# One More Year For Army Bigs

### Blanchard & Co. Given 'Step Up'

WEST POINT, N.Y., Feb. 27 (AP) — Felix (Doc) Blanchard and Glenn Davis, All-America backs, and at least nine other members of Army's powerful 1945 football squad will play their last season for the U.S. Military academy next fall, although they still have two years of eligibility. This was disclosed today by Maj. Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, academy superintendent, who announced the division of the present sophomore class into two sections, one of which will be graduated in the spring of 1947. In addition to Blanchard and Davis, football players now listed as sophomores who will jump into the senior class after June 5 are: Arnold Tucker, first string quarterback; Herschel Fuson and James Enos, centers; Jack Ray and Shelton Biles, guards; Harold Tavzel, tackle; Barney Poole and Tom Hayes, ends, and William West, back.

### Ol' Bulldog Jackson In the 'Stew' Again

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 27 (AP) — "A little guy" did it, said professional wrestler "Yukon Jake" Bulldog Jackson today as he nursed his noggin in Georgia street hospital. Jackson said his assailant slugged and robbed him of \$500 cash, a cashier's check for \$1000 and an uncut seven carat diamond valued at \$10,000.

# Bowes Winner Canadian Meet

Bill Bowes, Salem skier who held the Pacific Coast Intercollegiate slats title when attending Oregon State in 1942, won two titles in the four-day Western Canadian Ski championships held at Princeton, B.C., last weekend. It was learned here yesterday, Bowes was first in both the downhill and slalom events, maneuvering the downhill run in 1:05.8 and the slalom in 1:40.2. He had entered the tournament with four other Oregon skiers, Olaf Todegard, Bill Helming, Mary Ann Hill and Alma Hanson.

Bowes, new president of Salem's Santiam Ski club, has been racing on skis for about eight years. Following his intercollegiate title win at OSC he entered the army and was in the mountain troops for three years. The Canadian meet is the largest of its kind held in western Canada during the season.

# Linfield Tops Monmouth Five

MONMOUTH, Feb. 27 (Special) — Linfield's Wildcats were too much for the Oregon College of Education Wolves here tonight and grabbed a 51-34 basketball win. Monmouth led, 12-10, at the quarter but then faded to 23-21 and 37-29 period deficits from there on. Pease and Boyle, with 15 markers each, paced the win. Crook's 13 points led OCE.

# Eagles Triumph Over Seattle 6

SEATTLE, Feb. 27 (AP) — Veteran Aubrey Webster sizzled an Eagle shot into the Seattle net with less than two minutes of play remaining tonight to hand the Portland Eagles a 2 to 1 Pacific coast league hockey victory over the Seattle Ironmen. The triumph moved Portland into second place in the northern division, half a game ahead of the losers.

# Bowling

MAJOR LEAGUE		LEONARD'S SUPPER CLUB (8)	
Hartwell (1)	150 168 210 328	Olinger	143 174 171 488
Barr	182 182 189 333	Adolph	158 140 136 434
DeGaulle	164 124 132 420	Young	187 178 188 553
Riches	159 213 135 527	Garbino	121 189 189 570
Page	162 197 162 521	Young	192 181 160 533
TOTALS	877 914 908 2696	TOTALS	928 909 929 2766
RAMAGE'S 7-UP (2)		FRANK DOOLITTLE (3)	
Boyer	197 126 175 498	Thrush	179 146 182 507
Mirich	183 163 239 585	Foreman	199 162 189 550
DeGaulle	159 160 144 463	Perry	176 210 175 555
Walters	161 170 161 492	Clout	176 191 182 549
Coe	162 187 171 520	Cline, Jr.	195 185 192 572
TOTALS	925 871 955 2731	TOTALS	937 942 968 2797
SALEM HARDWARE CO. (1)		CAPITAL BEDDING CO. (2)	
Kreki	180 189 166 535	Poulin	116 246 201 563
West	178 154 215 547	McCluskey	176 210 136 522
Rayburn	144 173 165 484	Karron	268 138 177 583
Hoar	152 191 195 538	Leon	180 169 182 531
Haman	170 184 203 557	Lynn	136 194 138 468
TOTALS	855 950 1003 2838	TOTALS	961 1021 884 2866
VALLEY PACKING CO. (2)		CLINE'S COFFEE SHOP (1)	
Kenyon	216 167 170 553	Evans	176 173 192 545
Friesen	154 168 186 508	Cline, Sr.	177 174 200 557
Zahare	198 191 135 524	Kirchmer	189 178 186 553
Hoar	186 186 189 561	Gambit	144 203 199 545
Henderson	153 181 187 463	Murdock	161 148 181 493
TOTALS	979 966 987 2832	TOTALS	999 942 1034 2885

# Accent That 'T' in Salem High Touchdown Trouping Next Autumn

Whether they turn out to be terrific or terrible as footballers next fall, you can't at least accent the "T" in all touchdowns made by Salem high's pigskin packers. New SHS Grid Boss Al Simpson is so sold on the Clark Shaughnessy version of the T offensive formation that he eats nothing but t-bone steaks and buys nothing but Cipton's for libation. How Simpson's Medford Black Tornado teed off on most of its prep opposition the past two seasons need not be related here. Only a 7-6 upset — a startling one at that — at the hands of Grant of Portland kept the Simpsons from going through two seasons unbeaten.

The new Viking skipper plans to install the T and all its frills at Salem, which means the prep customers are in for a load of offensive thrills by the SHSers next fall. Few, if any, football systems offer the paying spectator the chance of tingling his spine as does the model T. The Vikings, under Coach Tommy Drynan, as hard a working skipper as there is in the state — but as unlucky as any also — has used a modification of the T the past seasons. Drynan, during his tenure, plagued with injury after injury in the ranks and a woeeful succession of move-aways by bright prospects the likes of which has never been equalled at the Villa, mixed his T stuff with single wing. With good breaks as scarce as snow in July, the Dry-



**TOMMY DRYNAN** — nans enjoyed only mediocre success. At times Drynan was

faced with crucial clashes when four or five of his key ball-gamers were anchored to the sidelines with injury or illness. But whether his system worked or not, it can be said that Drynan is without peer on the all-time Viking coaching roster in popularity with his players. The school administration is also high in its praise of such popularity and the fact that Drynan is second to none, in its opinion, as one who conducted himself as a gentleman coach and a credit to the system. Superintendent Frank B. Bennett, in making the announcement of the coaching change Tuesday, said that he and the school board had been anticipating a switch for some time. What with the war now over and a building program at Sa-

lem high en route to becoming what is hoped to be second to none in the state, it was time to accelerate the system's physical education department, according to the superintendent. Drynan was the wartime replacement as football coach for Harold Hawk. When Hawk returned from the navy he indicated he did not wish to retain his football coaching job. Installation of Simpson and his T is the first move made by Bennett and the board toward shoving Salem into over-all prep athletic prominence in the state. More changes are due in the physical education personnel at SHS. But in the meantime, prepare yourself for some T parties coming Viking football campaign time next fall.

# Ruin of 'Four Defeats' Tradition Okeh with Hobson

MOSCOW, Idaho, Feb. 27 (AP) — The man who engineered Oregon's victory last night over the Idaho basketball team believes it "would be a good thing" if the tradition fell by the wayside this week-end. Coach Howard Hobson's Webtoots did their part in tradition smashing by dropping Idaho back into a first-place tie with Oregon State with 10 victories and five defeats. No team ever has won a clear-cut title with more than four losses.

Hobson pointed out that the tradition would remain valid if Oregon State defeated Oregon and Idaho trimmed Washington State in the season's final games Saturday. Then the two leaders would go into a playoff with five losses each, and that has happened before. But should either win while the other is losing, the victor will be smashing tradition as well as winning a title. "We have had that tradition around too long," Hobson said. The Oregon mentor said his team "tries to win every game" and would be happy to finish its season with a victory over Oregon State at Corvallis. He is uncertain what would happen should Idaho and Oregon State meet on a neutral floor in a playoff series. "Oregon State has bigger men," he said, "but Idaho is superior on ball handling and floor work."

# 'Sugar' Kayos Canuck Champ

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 27 (AP) — Ray "Sugar" Robinson of New York, uncrowned king of the welterweight triumph in 63 fights tonight by knocking out Cliff Beckett of Sudbury, Ontario, the Canadian middleweight champion, in 40 seconds of the fourth round of a scheduled 10-round bout. Robinson weighed 147; Beckett, 151 1/2.

# Northwest 'Y' Playoffs Set

Seven district champion YMCA junior basketball teams are expected for the Northwest Championships in Salem Friday and Saturday. Schedule of games will not be made out until arrival of the teams, but first game is set for Friday at 7 p.m., with additional games Saturday morning and evening. Teams are expected from Ellensburg, Wenatchee, Tacoma, Seattle and Longview, Wash., and Portland, Central and Salem YMCAs.

# Church Quints Hit Playoffs

Roseleaf Friends defeated St. Mark Lutheran, 33-20, to cop the "C" league title, Congregational nosed out Jason Lee, 19-18, for the "B" crown, and Presbyterian downed First Christian, 30-19, to toss the "A" division into a tie last night in the Church league playoffs at the YMCA. Another game between Presbyterian and First Christian is due to decide the title.

# Spring Campies

BOSTON, Feb. 27 (AP) — Pending final decision of selective service authorities, Tony Lupien, former Harvard baseball captain and navy veteran, said tonight he would continue his professional career with the Hollywood Pacific Coast league. Lupien, brought into the majors by the Red Sox, claims the Philadelphia National league violated his rights as a veteran by selling him to Hollywood instead of retaining him for a year after his discharge from the service.

BALBOA, Canal Zone, Feb. 27 (AP) — First Baseman Johnny Strum grove home three runs with a homer and two singles today to spark the New York Yankees to their seventh straight baseball spring training victory, a 5 to 3 conquest of the Panama Professional league All-Stars. A small turnout of 2551 saw Shortstop Ricardo Miro hang a triple off Spud Chandler, the longest blow yet made off Yankee pitching.

HONOLULU, Feb. 27 (AP) — The "Whites" defeated the "Maroons" 7 to 6 in a five inning training camp baseball game today between squads of the San Francisco Seals. Ferris Fain, first baseman, hit a 513-foot homer off Ray Harrell. The Whites in the third staged a six-run rally against Lefty Cliff Melton, former Giants ace. Third Sacker Ted Jennings hit a homer with one on. Best looking twirler of the day was Frank Russo, right-hander, with Jersey City last season.

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**Basketball SCORES**

HIGH SCHOOL

Rogue River 29, Central Point 18

COLLEGE

Linfield 51, OCE (Monmouth) 34  
 DePaul 75, Long Is. U 51  
 Tulsa 59, Creighton 42  
 Detroit 47, Wayne 24  
 Lafayette 60, Rutgers 51  
 Akron 54, Case 45  
 Fort Lewis 71, Fort Douglas 42  
 WWCW 70, CWCE 52

# Bishop Okehs Boston Terms, Will Miss Final Hoop Clash

BELLINGHAM, Feb. 27 (AP) — Gale Bishop, high scoring Washington State college basketball forward, told newsmen today he had agreed to sign with the Boston Braves of the national league. His announcement, made from his father's farm at Sams, north of here, definitely removed him from the W.S.C. lineup for Saturday night's game with the University of Idaho at Moscow and also foreclosed his prospects of leading northern division Pacific Coast conference scorers. He had 136 points in 10 games. Bishop said he had been studying offers from the Brooklyn Dodgers, New York Yankees, Detroit Tigers and Philadelphia Phillies when Boston "came in with an offer that I couldn't turn down." Bishop attracted attention of baseball scouts when he played shortstop with the Fort Lewis Warriors while in the army.

# Hoop Broadcast: Oregon basketball enthusiasts will be able to hear the close of the tightest northern division basketball race in history Saturday when Oregon State meets Oregon at Corvallis at 8 p. m. Hal Byer will describe play in his Associated Sportscast over KWJJ, Portland.

**WARRIORS ADVANCE**  
FORT ORD, Calif., Feb. 27 (AP) — The rapid-firing soldier quintet of Fort Lewis, Wash., advanced to the finals of the ninth service command basketball tourney today by defeating Fort Douglas, Utah, 71-42. Pat Kennedy, Lewis center, was high pointer with 16.

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