

Detroit in west final; Chiefs knot east race

By United Press International

The Detroit Pistons are in the National Basketball Association's Western finals and the Syracuse Chiefs have tied their semi-final series with the Philadelphia Warriors, thanks to a lost art of basketball: defense.

Walter Dukes' iron-clad defense job on Wayne Embry was the key as the Pistons beat the Cincinnati Royals, 112-111, Tuesday night while Johnny Kerr held Wilt Chamberlain to 29 points and out-rebounded him, 22-20, enabling the Syracuse Chiefs to top the Warriors, 106-99.

The Pistons thus took their best-of-five series from the Royals, three games to one, and the Nationals tied their series at two games each. The fifth and decisive game of the National-Warriors series will be played at Philadelphia Thursday night.

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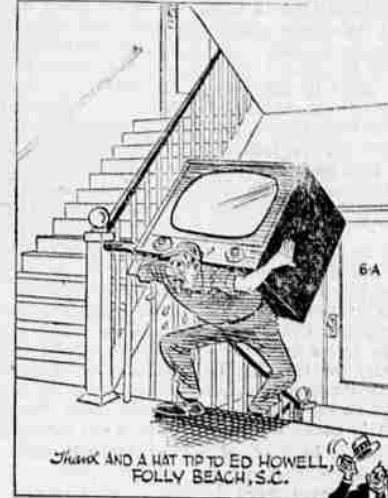
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Sportsmen plan rifle training program

The Deschutes County Sportsmen Association, in cooperation with the city recreation department and Oregon Game Commission, is currently planning a junior rifle training program.

Directors will meet 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the city commission room of the Bend city hall to kick off the program.

All qualified rifle instructors are urged to attend the meet. The training program is for boys and girls 17 and under who must have obtained a hunting safety certificate in order to obtain a license by next fall.

The sportsmen will also nominate officers at Thursday's meet.

"While lots of youths have been trained, there are still lots more who haven't," Francis Stokesberry, an official of the sportsmen's group, said today. "Considerable interest has been shown in obtaining this program."

Persons who can't attend Thursday's kickoff meet are asked to get in touch with club president Ken Helm at EV 2-3806, or at 32 Shasta Place.

Arizona Belts Ducks

TUCSON, Ariz. (UPI)—Pitcher Dan Schneider held Oregon to four singles Tuesday as Arizona belted the Ducks 7-0 in a college baseball game.

The two teams, who play again today and Thursday, tied 5-5 Monday in Oregon's first game of the season.

Both work well Tuesday

'Miracle' by Score or Wynn would propel Chisox in race

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Spring training is the time for hope—when a manager like Al Lopez of the Chicago White Sox dares to hope for a "miracle" such as Early Wynn and Herb Score both making comebacks.

Wynn, 42, and sidelined with a sore arm since last July, and Score, wild and ineffective since he was injured in 1957, are pitchers who obviously could make or break the White Sox this year.

A comeback by either could make the White Sox a pennant contender and comebacks by both—well, who would say then that the New York Yankees are invincible?

Lopez got some valid reasons to think that Wynn and Score may be of considerable help to the White Sox in Tuesday's 12-inning 2-1 victory over the Los Angeles Dodgers at Sarasota, Fla. Wynn worked three scoreless innings and then Score followed with five innings in which he allowed only two hits and an unearned run.

Score's performance was by far his most impressive of the spring. He had yielded six runs in six previous innings, each a three-inning effort, and Tuesday's stint made him the first White Sox pitcher to go five innings this spring. Nelson Fox won the game for the White Sox with a bases-

filled single in the 12th.

The St. Louis Cardinals handed the Yankees their first defeat of the spring, 3-2, in 14 innings. The Yankees made five errors, including one by second-baseman Pedro Gonzalez which permitted the winning run to score.

Tigers Beat Orioles

Steve Boros' two-run ninth-inning double off Hoyt Wilhelm gave the Detroit Tigers a 5-4 triumph over the Baltimore Orioles after the Orioles took a 3-2 lead in the top of the inning on singles by Russ Snyder and Boog Powell and a wild throw by Al Kaline.

Brooks Robinson and Chico Fernandez homered.

The National League champion Cincinnati Reds outscored the Philadelphia Phillies, 14-13, after shelling Dallas Green for 12 runs in the first three innings. Rookie Tommy Harper homered for the Reds and rookie shortstop Bob Wine homered for the Phillies.

Twins Beat Mets

Bernie Allen, former Purdue quarterback and shortstop, delivered a game-winning eighth-inning double as the Minnesota Twins defeated the New York

Mets, 4-3. Charlie Neal homered for the Mets, who lost their sixth straight game.

The Boston Red Sox scored three runs in the ninth inning to beat the Cleveland Indians, 7-3. Dalton Jones scored the winning run after a pick-off throw by catcher Harry Chitt hit rival pitcher Ike Delock and bounded away. Chitt remained at the plate to check on the condition of Delock and Jones easily raced home.

Willie Mays drove in six runs with two triples and a single to lead the San Francisco Giants' 14-3 rout of the Los Angeles Angels. Juan Marichal yielded three hits and one unearned run in five innings for the Giants.

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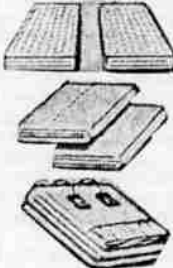
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