## SIX TEAMS ELIMINATED IN FIRST GAMES OF TOURNAMENT; LINCOLN HIGH, SALEM AND ALBANY BEST

Spangland and Crosswright, guards.

Referee-Dewey.

YESTERAY'S SCORES Salem 45; Astoria 18. Ashland 24; Medford 11. Forest Grove 29; The Dalles

Albany 35; Madras 19. La Grande 31; Marshfield 21

Ashland, Forest Grove, Lincoln. Arbany, La Grande and Salem high schools were winner in the preliminary games of the state championship busketball tournament in the armory yesterday, and will compete in the semi finals this afternoon beginning at 2

Although the scores in yesterday's games were lop-sided in some cases, all the games were hard-fought, and variety in siries of play kept the long session from becoming tiresome. Four games were played in the evening, the Marshfield team coming in at 6 o'clock to pair off with La Grande.

Three Favorites Loom. From yesterday's results the finar victory seems to He between Albany, Salem and Lincoln, but any of yesterday's victors may spring a surprise this afternoon. Interest in the tourne ment is increasing and yesterday's large crowds will undobtedly be sur-passed today. The spectators last night vere enthusiastic, cheering every good play and usually favoring the losing

Salem high got a good start in the first afternoon game, and by clever floor work and shooting scored 32-7 the first half against Astoria. In the second period Astoria tightened up and held Salem almost even but could not reduce the lead, the final score being 45-18. Shoefer and E. Gill were Salem's Stars. Carlson and Harrison for Astoria.

Salem high-A. Gill (10) and Shaefer (14), forwards; Boise (8), center; E. Gill (8), and Ashly (2), guaros. Randall (3) and Staley, subs.

Astoria high-Tennant (3) and Carlson (6), forwards; Hurlburt (4), center; Anderson and Youtz, guards; Harrison (5) sub.

Referee-Wapato

Ashland Bests Medford.
Ashland defeated Medford 24-11 in a slow contest. Neither team seemed able to shoot consignently, and the only interesting feature was that the score was practically even for about two-thirds of the game. The half end-ed seven all. Bryant of Ashland was

the outstanding player.

Ashland—Bryant (14) and Provost
(3), forwards; McMillan, center;
Young (2) and Guthrie, guards.

Mcdford—Coleman (7) and Smitz.

forwards; Lucas (2), center; Sher-wood (2) and Payne, guards. Referes-Wapato.

Forest Grove Winner. The first evening contest between Forest Grave and The Dailes developed into a wild scramble, both teams guarding well, and being so near equal that teamwork as at a minimum. The Dailes led 12-10 at the half, but Forest Grove came back strong, winning 29-19. Humburg scared 14 points for Forest Grove. Ziegenhagen and Wright showed up well for the eastern

Forest Grove-Humburg (14) and Clark (6), forwards; Kisory (7), centor; Patton (2) and Adams, guards. The Dalles-Ziegenhagen (7) and

Mann (2); forwards; Wright (8), center: Carlson and Young (2), guards; Cochran, sub. Referee-Wapato.

Lincoln Has Walk-nway.

Lincoln scored at will on Rainler, getting 34 points the first half and allowing the coast team but one point on a free throw. Lincoln passed and shot baskets in perfect form, and whowed themselves a dangerous con-tender for the title, which they won last year. Cole and Wright were the most accurate shots.

Lincoln-Beck (8) and Leggitt (10). forwards: Wright (10), center; Cole (19) and Steffens, guards; Michae and Duncan, subs.

Rainter-Jessie and Beck, forwards; Eilis, conter; Holloway (8) and Gulker guards; Burer (8) and Veatch, subs. Referee—George Dewey of Portland, Albany Also Wins.

Albany showed that they will be in the finish by defeating the strong Madras quintet 35-19. Madras played a good fighting game but were unable to connect with the loop. Moore of Albany scored 21 points, mostly on long shots. R. Young and Cross-wright played well for Madras.

Albany-Moore (21) and Reeves (4) forwards; Willard (8), center; Buzzard and Wilkeson (2), guards, Madras Gard (4) and J. Young ()



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a number of clever shots. Marshfield was wild the first half, but held La Grande even in the final period, the game ending 31-21.

La Grande—Gharrity (9) and Stoddard (12), forwards; Proctor (4), center; Kwette (8) and Thietan guards.

Cincinnati, O., Mar. 5.—Manager Pat Moran with a squad of players of the champion Cincinnati National

utive forward, was the feature, scoring

Marshfield-Johnson (4) and Mc-league baseball club boarded a train Ginnis (2), forwards; Chapman (12), here this morning for Miami, Fla. enter; Gregg (2) and Krelter, guards, where apring t raining will begin Referee-Dewey.

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Marshfield Eliminated.

La Grande defeated Marshfield in Sable Island, rapidly sinking into the last and most exciting game of the tury ago as it is now.

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