

# BIG FOUR OF BASEBALL SIGN CONTRACTS FOR 1936

## GEHRIG WILL DRAW \$30,000 FOR SERVICES

New York, Jan. 21 (AP)—Four of baseball's highest paid players—Lou Gehrig and Lefty Gomez of the Yankees, Carl Hubbell of the Giants and Jimmy Fox of the Red Sox—have signed 1936 contracts.

Gehrig, highest paid player outside the manager-player group, will receive \$30,000. He signed his 1936 contract early in 1935 after returning from a world tour. He demanded a 2-year contract at that time at \$35,000 per season, but signed two one-year contracts for \$30,000 each.

Gomez will complete the second year of his two-year contract for \$40,000, which he signed before the 1935 season. But for this contract, Gomez, who won only 12 games and lost 15 last season, would have to take a pay cut.

Hubbell's 1936 signed contract was received yesterday by the Giants. In 1934 Hubbell, according to official figures, was baseball's highest paid pitcher. He received \$15,500 that year. It is believed that he drew about \$19,000 last season, and probably was raised to \$20,000 for 1936.

Fox signed his 1936 contract shortly after he was traded to the Red Sox. He drew \$16,666 with the Athletics last season, but made additional money from a radio broadcast. Tom Yawkey, Red Sox owner, tore up Fox's old contract, which carried over to 1936 and gave him a new one believed to call for \$25,000.

Only a few players outside the player-managers will be in the \$20,000 class. Hank Greenberg, Tigers' first baseman who drew about \$7,500 last season, is talking about demanding a \$40,000 salary, based on his record of driving in 170 runs. He probably will get around \$15,000, a 100 per cent increase.

Dizzy Dean, who drew about \$20,000 last season, probably will be the highest paid pitcher in the majors in 1936. He will sign a 2-year contract for \$70,000, but is likely to settle for a figure nearer \$25,000 a season.

## COX COMES BACK AFTER BAD START

Sacramento, Jan. 21 (AP)—Patty Cox proved today a seven on a par-four hole should never discourage a golfer.

Cox had such a hole yesterday and still held Wild Bill Hehlhorn of Louisville, Ky., in a play-off for \$750 first money in the Sacramento open golf tournament but he had to shoot an eagle three to do it.

The Bethesda, Md., professional, suffered a seven on the 431-yard fourth hole after hooking his second shot into a hedge. He came back on the 545-yard thirteenth to hole a 75-yard approach for his eagle.

Mehlhorn, tied with Cox at 286 strokes at the end of 72 holes Sunday, struggled along almost even with the former gob to that point and although he tried gallantly thereafter, doing his best to sink an ace at the short eighteenth, he never caught up.

## BACKBOARD POWER SOUGHT BY FRIEL

Pullman, Jan. 21 (AP)—Aiming for more power at the backboards, Coach Jack Friel will make two changes in the Washington State college basketball lineup against Oregon State tonight and tomorrow.

Sewell Carlson, six foot three inch sophomore, will start at forward with Captain Jack Holstine. Bill Dahlke, a veteran, will shift from forward to guard to bolster the Cougar defense. Ivar Nelson will start at center and Frank Hooper, another letterman, at guard.

The Oregon Staters, defending champions, hold a height advantage of an inch and a half a man.

## Alpha Phis Defeat Delta Phi, 18 to 16

The Alpha Phi Alpha sorority I basketball team was winner over the Delta Phi sorority team with a score of 18 to 16 and the Independent girls defeated the Alpha Phi II team 14 to 9 in the intra-mural girls' basketball tournament being played at Willamette.

Line-ups for the games were: Delta Phi (16) (18) Alpha Phi I F. Paber 16, F. 2 Rae Yocum L. Lamkins I, F. 4 J. Amunson L. Underwood, C. 4 A. Coates A. Unrath, SC. 4 B. Kurie M. Warren, G. 8 Ruth Yocum E. Black, G. 10 M. Hill W. Gardner, S. D. McDonald Alpha Phi II (9) (14) Independent S. Beak 8, F. 4 V. Patten D. McDonald 3, F. 10 S. Curtis A. Cooter, C. 10 M. Taylor R. Ramsden, SC. 10 Conlin K. Thompson, G. 10 Lambert M. Jones, G. 10 M. Okuan J. Lauderback, S. 10 L. Potter

## Falls City Playing Willamette Frosh

Falls City—After a number of games on the home floor the local high school A squad will be playing a series of games away. The first will be with the Willamette University freshmen Tuesday evening, January 21. Games at Perrydale and Oak Ridge completes this week's schedule. The boys are starting out with but one defeat marked down against them and all their fans are hoping that they return from this week's games without adding any more defeats.

## Sharpshooting Frosh Stars to Play Salem High Cagers Tonight

Coach John Warren, a familiar face to Salem fans as a result of his frequent trips to the state tournament and to local courts during his sojourn at University of Oregon freshman basketballers tonight on the Salem high floor at 8 o'clock. Coach Hollis Huntington's squad will oppose the strongest rook team to represent the university in several seasons.

With the exception of Dee Phelps, a Hood River high graduate, and Gale Smith, Grant, Portland, all members of the rook starting lineup took part in the state tournament of last year. They are Gale, center from Oakridge; Bobby Anet, guard from Wally Johansen, of Astoria. All are expert sharpshooters and undoubtedly will give Salem high plenty of trouble.

Coach Huntington will probably start the team which has shown the best scoring possibilities during the season—Skopik and Salstrom, forwards; Wagner, center; Luther and Williams, guards.

Salem will play Airline high Wednesday afternoon on the local court.

## ELLIOTT PLANS STOP CHAMBERS

Harry Elliott, University of Oregon wrestler, means to grip Cliff Chambers, deane type grappler, can make it three in a row. The two men will meet in the main event of tonight's wrestling show at the armory. On two previous occasions Chambers has forced Elliott into defeat, largely through his bolsterous manner.

A week ago Otis Clingman tamed the "hobo" much to the delight of that affair would dispense nobody with the possible exception of Chambers.

Booked for the 45 minute special event, Jack Curtis and Bud Lipscomb will trade forearm blows and holds. Dick Costello and Otis Clingman will start the fireworks at 8:30.

## LIONS AND BUCKS SHARE TOP PLACE

Calgary, Alta., Jan. 21 (AP)—Vancouver Lions and Portland Buckaroos, alternates at first place in the Northwestern Hockey league, shared the hot spot today because the lowly Calgary Tigers came to life and whipped the Lions, 4 to 1, on the prairies.

The unexpected Calgary triumph at Calgary last night knocked Vancouver from undisputed first into a tie with the Bucks at 26 points each in the standings column.

Portland will meet the rejuvenated Seattle Seahawks on Seattle Ice Wednesday while Vancouver will engage the Edmonton club at Edmonton.

Vancouver and Calgary kept their schedule despite the death of King George V a short time before. A short service in honor of the dead monarch was held prior to the game.

With Benny Eard still absent from the roster, the Tigers played with eight men. Ernie Anderson showed up, suffering from a cold and further handicapping the Tigers.

Dutch Gainer led the Calgary attack, punching in two goals. Gordon McFarlane and Stew Adams scored the other two. Brian Hexall got Vancouver's lone tally in the third period.

## Willamette Women Stage Court Tourney

The girls' extra-curricular activity basketball tournament is in play at Willamette. Teams playing in this tournament are working for their points for the Women's Athletic association and are distinguished from one another by letters of the alphabet. In the first game of the season the "C" team defeated the "D" team 19 to 14.

The line up for that game was: Team "C" (19) (14) Team "D" R. Yocum 13, F. 6 Rae Yocum M. Calan 6, F. 8 D. McDonald C. Hulst 10, C. 10 P. DuRette L. Tompkins 10, SC. 10 Bogandus E. Black 10, G. 10 C. Thompson I. Oehler 10, G. 10 L. Underwood

## Packers Beaten by Forest Club, 43-39

The Arboretum camp, CCC basketball team, flamed its real form last night when it defeated the Valley Packing quint of the City-Y League on the YMCA floor, 43 to 39. Mohler and Lewis for the woodsman displayed real cage ability. Kitchen kept the packers in the running.

CCC (43) (39) Valley Packers Lewis 14, F. 8 Kelly Shaughnessy 6, F. 8 Matt Mohler 19, C. 3 Morley Dufelmeier 4, C. 17 Kitchen Dowler, G. 3 Ashby Dick Weisgerber referee.

## GHOSTS PLAY TURNER

Mill City—The Mill City Ghosts will play the Turner high school team Friday, January 24. The Ghosts defeated the Aunaville high quintet by an overwhelming score of 80-18. The Mill City boys displayed great form.

## SOFTBALL TO NAME OFFICERS THURSDAY EVE

Two meetings of interest to softball players and fans will be held during the week. The first will take place Thursday night at the YMCA when Harry V. Collins, president of the Salem Softball association will preside over the annual program which includes the election of officers. It is expected policies to be followed during the coming season will be up for consideration Thursday night.

Next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock the state association will meet at the YMCA. A dinner will be served at the Spa early in the evening for those in attendance. Officers for 1936 will be elected while it is expected the site for the 1936 state championship series will be discussed.

Team members, managers, sponsors and others interested in softball are invited to attend Thursday evening's session.

## DUAL MATCHES HOLD INTEREST

Several more dual horseshoe matches, each to extend over a period of weeks, have been started at the Salem Horseshoe club as one of the club's new activities.

George Stanley and Clyde Riley have begun a series. In the first match they played seven games, of which Stanley won five. He made a total of 332 points with 193 "ingers out of a total of 372 shoes pitched, a ringer percentage of 51.9.

In one game he made a ringer percentage of 62.5, in another 65.8 and another 67.5. Riley made a total of 231 points and threw 155 ringers out of 372 shoes, a percentage of 41.7. He twice made 50 per cent or better.

In another match, just started, Jack Campbell won five straight from Orville Moore, with a total of 237 points, and 137 ringers out of a total of 286 shoes, a percentage of 47.9. Moore's total in points was 145 and ringers 101, a percentage of 35.3.

E. C. Pearson and Orville Riley started a series with Pearson winning four out of five games. He made a total of 250 points and put on 134 ringers out of 330 shoes pitched, a percentage of 40.6. Riley's total in points was 183 and ringers 109, a percentage of 33.

## BRUCE BUELL TOPS INDOOR SHOOTERS

Silverton—Sgt. O. W. Olson of company "I," O.N.G. directed a school for marksmanship among the youngsters of town with the Veterans of Foreign Wars sponsoring the move. Ninety six entered the junior class. Five thousand rounds of ammunition were used. Medals and junior diplomas will be presented to the winners Wednesday night at the armory in pro marksmanship granted from the National Rifle association from Washington, D. C. The shooting was all in-door.

Scorers as ranked were: Bruce Buell, 333; Orren Coughenower, 332; Miss Shirley Olson, 330; Walter Morgan, 325; Don Harmon, 322; Orlo Boime, 319; Paul Spencer, 316; Robert Spencer, 303; Virgil Canoy, 301; Albert Olson, 293; Miss June Baker, 292; Milo Harmon, 288; Josephine Spencer, 284; Raymond Dahl, 282; Glenn Baker, 277; Eleanor Hawes, 272; Carl Schuster, 268; Bobby Thomas, 267; Chester Evans, 267; George Steelhammer, 262; Allison Conrad, 256; Arthur Dahl, 255; Palmer Coppel, 253; Harry Wilson, 253; George Irish, 252; Fred Mehl, 247; Myron Derickson, 247.

WEST LINN WINS West Linn high school drew first blood in the "little civil war" by defeating Oregon City high school basketball team 32 to 23 in the first of a two game series here Monday night.

Canada will spend more than \$500,000 for new government airplanes this year.

## Schulte Turns to Music to Develop Speed and Height

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 21 (AP)—Track coach Henry Schulte of the University of Nebraska had a theory. He bought a radio for the stadium. When his sprinters did their heats around the indoor track, he tuned in something fast and hot. Pole vaulters and high jumpers worked out to the three quarter rhythms of soothing waltzes. He's analyzing the results.

## WEBFOOT'S HIGH GEAR OFFENSE TO GET TEST

U. of Oregon, Eugene, Jan. 21—The highest geared offensive machine in the northern division conference basketball loop will play for league supremacy next Friday and Saturday nights at Seattle as Howard Hobson's colorful Webfoot giants tackle the University of Washington Huskies.

Neither team has suffered defeat in conference engagements yet this season and are tied for the circuit lead. Oregon, however, has posted three victories, two over Idaho and one over Oregon State, while Washington has but two wins, both over the Washington State Cougars.

The Seattle games will mark the meeting of the northern division's only two advocates of the fast break system. This style of play has been used by the Huskies for many years but was introduced at Oregon only this winter by Hobson.

Topping the training program outlined by Hobson for his big outliners this week will be the re-pitching of the high speed offense, which was slowed down Friday night in Oregon State by the Beavers' tight defense and slow percentage system. Also set down as a training "must" is practice on foul conversions, Oregon's weak point this year.

Ward Howell, six foot six inch forward, tops both conference and team scorers to date with ten field goals and 17 free throws for a total of 37 points. He is followed by Sam "Rubinoff" Liebowitz, brilliant running mate at forward, with 29 points; Willard Jones, guard, with 25; and Chuck Patterson, center, with 23 points.

Roland Rouke, veteran guard, and Cliff McLean, speedy Indian ball hawk, both of whom have been on the injured list with leg injuries, will be in shape for the Washington tilt. Hobson and 12 players will leave for the north Thursday noon.

## WEISGERBER BID ERROR, WRAY SAYS

An error resulted in an offer to Dick Weisgerber, 215-pound star Willamette fullback, to turn professional, Coach "Spec" Keene was informed.

A letter from J. R. Ludlow Wray, president of the Philadelphia National league football club, said the Philadelphia organization thought that Weisgerber was a senior and therefore eligible for professional offers. Weisgerber is a sophomore.

## Oregon Normal to Play Packers Club

Monmouth—The Oregon Normal basketball team will engage the Valley Packing quint of the Salem City-Y league on the local floor next Saturday evening. The teachers will have no other engagement during the week. Four former wearers of normal colors have places on the packers' club.

## WINS 48 GAMES

Stephenville, Texas, Jan. 21 (AP)—The John Tarleton junior college basketball team has not been defeated in three years winning 48 consecutive games. "We do not want to be chummy," said Coach W. J. Wisdom, "but we are willing to play any team that has a good record."

## BEARCATS LAG IN 2ND HALF, NORMAL WINS

After trading baskets on a fairly equal basis during the first half, Willamette university cagers eased up during the second 20 minutes at Independence last night and Oregon Normal school checked in their second win of the season over the Bearcats, 38 to 25. Willamette reserves played better ball than the teacher-second-string and won 28-18. Willamette was really in the ball game during the first half. Gastineau, who turned in the center position for the first time this year, and assigned the task of checking Butterworth. Normal hot shot consider performed both tasks with considerable credit in the first half. Butterworth was held to four points during that period, which ended 14-11 for the teachers.

The Wolves really went to town starting the second half and rolled up a 28-12 advantage before Coach Keene pulled his regulars and sent in Beard, Harvey, Nunnenkamp and Aden. When this aggregation failed to accomplish much, the varsity D. Greiner 42, R. Hale, L. Wain and K. Fry 40, G. Vesko 39, P. D. Quisenberry 35; 25 targets—J. McKee 24, R. Wely, A. Keene 20, W. Simons 18, O. H. Horton 17, Daniels 15.

Doubles—24 targets—Townsend 20, Hull, Yates 16, Wolf 13. Skeet—25 targets: Hildebrand 21, K. Wain 20, Boise 19, Hull 17, Wely 13, Wolf, Fry, Eoff 12.

## Cyclists Gain Weight in Race

San Francisco, Jan. 21 (AP)—An iron nerved bike rider can gain weight during the six day merry-go-round that cyclists go in for, says Franz Duellberg. The young German who started today at the head of the pack going "round and round" here, says he always does.

"I weighed 155 pounds Sunday afternoon before the start," he said. "At the end of the race I'll weigh 160 or 162. My face will be drawn but my legs and arms will be thicker. The muscular development accounts for the gain."

"Some other riders gain weight. Those who are high strung lose because of nervous exhaustion."

It's not the legs that get tired, Duellberg insists, but the neck and back.

## WALN SETS MARK FOR TRAP ARTISTS

Kehne Wain, president of the Salem Trappers club, set a mark for his mates to shoot at Sunday during a practice meet. Clarence Townsend, secretary of the organization, was not far behind when he shattered 96 out of a possible 100.

Other scores included: 100 targets—Ted Wely 93, S. J. Yates 87, G. Hull 86, L. White 84, W. H. Wolf 80; 75 targets—C. G. Hildebrand 72, Craig 48; 50 targets—E. Eoff and C. Bowen 16, B. Boise 43, D. Greiner 42, R. Hale, L. Wain and K. Fry 40, G. Vesko 39, P. D. Quisenberry 35; 25 targets—J. McKee 24, R. Wely, A. Keene 20, W. Simons 18, O. H. Horton 17, Daniels 15.

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## WANER ILLNESS NEARS CLIMAX IN FEW HOURS

Oklahoma City, Jan. 21 (AP)—Lloyd Oklawaha, outfielder for the Pittsburgh Pirates, was seriously ill with pneumonia today, but his physician reported there was no immediate cause for alarm.

The physician, Dr. Leonard C. Williams, described his condition as satisfactory, "considering the nature of the illness," and said the crisis was due today or tonight. Previously Waner's condition had been described as "critical."

"We will know definitely today," said Dr. Williams who reported pneumonia had settled in the left lung after the infection had been cleaned up in the right lung.

Mrs. Waner said her husband "had not been in very good health for some time," adding she believed he had contracted a cold while attending a hockey game here.

Although Mrs. Waner asked relatives not to summon the outfielder's brother, Paul, from Sarasota, Fla., friends were reported to have urged him to come.

Waner went into major league baseball in 1926, after playing in the Pacific coast league and with Columbia in the Sally league. Paul, already in the Pirates, was nicknamed "Blir Poison" Waner and Lloyd became known as "Little Poison."

## WRECKERS, NELSON PIN SMASHERS WIN

Aeme Auto wreckers cleaned up on Willamette Valley Transfer bowlers at the Bowl-Mor last night while Nelson brothers took two out of three matches with the Senator Food pin smashers. The games were City league affairs.

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| Clune    | 144 | 165 | 124 | 433  |
| Paulin   | 150 | 176 | 184 | 479  |
| Walker   | 159 | 164 | 128 | 451  |
| Miller   | 167 | 166 | 177 | 510  |
| Karr     | 168 | 148 | 153 | 469  |
| Goodrich | 144 | 181 | 157 | 382  |
| Totals   | 778 | 894 | 804 | 2476 |

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| NELSON BROS. | 155 | 177 | 120 | 452  |
| Lutz         | 159 | 176 | 184 | 479  |
| Korb         | 138 | 159 | 148 | 417  |
| White        | 171 | 133 | 178 | 482  |
| Carothers    | 144 | 148 | 153 | 445  |
| Karr         | 168 | 148 | 153 | 469  |
| Handicap     | 63  | 63  | 63  | 189  |
| Totals       | 829 | 870 | 873 | 2572 |

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| ACME     | 157 | 179 | 139 | 475  |
| H. Barr  | 159 | 176 | 184 | 479  |
| Wilson   | 152 | 136 | 167 | 455  |
| Allen    | 166 | 176 | 230 | 572  |
| Harlowe  | 144 | 148 | 153 | 445  |
| Page     | 157 | 180 | 192 | 529  |
| Handicap | 32  | 32  | 32  | 96   |
| Totals   | 843 | 848 | 930 | 2620 |

## DALLAS WILL PLAY SILVERTON SQUAD

Dallas — Dates in the Silverton-Dallas Willamette valley league game have been reversed and the Orange and Black will entertain the fast stepping Silver Foxes at home instead of traveling to Silverton. The game will mark the end of the first half of the schedule and Dwight Adams and his unlucky Orange veterans are still without a league victory. The tide is bound to turn and the wearers of the orange and black will have their day. Tuesday night will bring the A and B squads of the two schools together with the preliminaries starting at 7:30 p.m.

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