

# Willamette Hoopers to Debut with CPS Friday

Basketball, on the collegiate level, will make its bow Friday night on the Willamette university court. The main event, scheduled for 8 o'clock, will send Coach Johnny Lewis' sophomores against the highly experienced College of Puget Sound Loggers.

Freshmen and Sherwood high school cagers.

Coach Lewis has been stressing speed during his workouts during the past few weeks and it is entirely probable that spectators will be treated to a highly entertaining brand of basketball.

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The starting Bearcats five will consist of Doug Logue and Ted Loder, forwards; Chuck Robinson, center; Lou Scrivens and Claude Nordhill, guards. Robinson and Nordhill were members of last year's freshman quint.

Held in reserve and who will doubtless see action before the final gun are: Hugh Bellinger, Dick Brouwer, Al Fedje, Pete Bryant, Ray Osuna, Jack Evans, Cliff Girod and Dean Nice.

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They got out, and found a duck. It had been shot, but had flown far enough to collapse on the Case car.

## North-South Jam For Marion 'B' Cagers Saturday

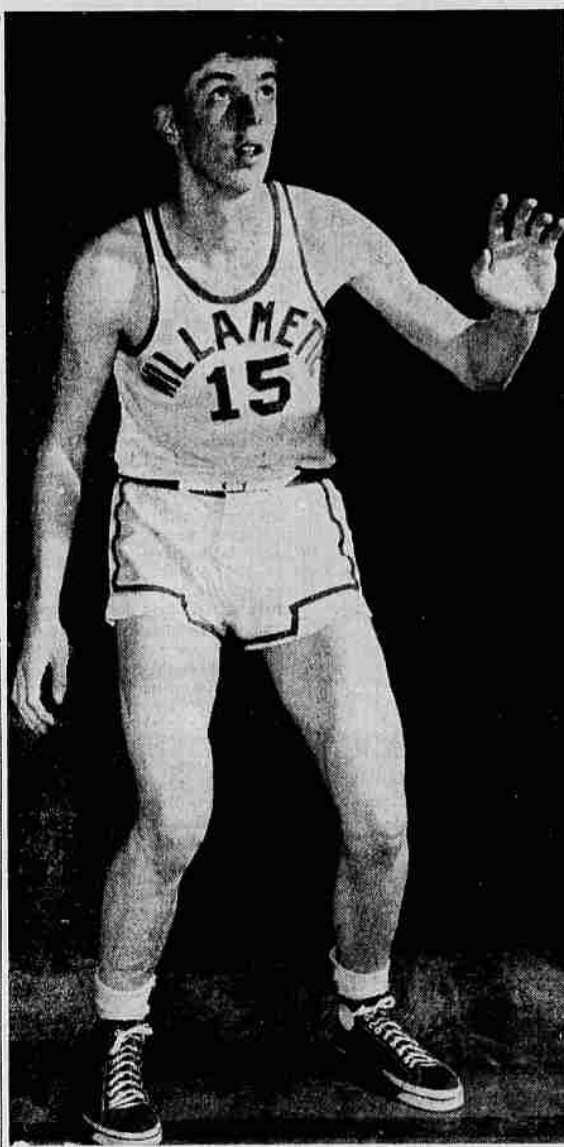
The customary North vs. South Marion County B league jamboree will be hooped off on Willamette university's gym floor Saturday night at 7:30.

Representing the South will be Astoria, Detroit, Gates, Mill City, Sublimity and Turner. The North will include Chema-wa, Gervais, Jefferson, State School for the Deaf, St. Paul and Salem Sophs. The last named school has been added to the league to round out a full quota of 12 clubs.

## Spokane Seeks Tieup With Top Major Leaguers

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"We do not want a full working agreement with any club," said Strange, who came here to sign a 1950 contract with Owner Roy Hotchkiss. "We want an agreement whereby we can get a player or two or a dozen, depending on our needs. It's possible that we may make agreements with several organizations."



**'Cat Forward** Doug Logue, 6 foot 5 forward of Astoria who will see action against the Loggers from CPS as Willamette opens the basketball season at 8 o'clock Friday night. Logue is a sophomore who played varsity basketball during his freshman year under Coach Johnny Lewis.

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Of the thirty-six men we are taking to Dallas, 20 of them will be wearing a Notre Dame uniform for the last time. It is always with a great regret that we think about our seniors leaving us, as coaching the same young men for four years causes me to become closely attached to them, and to think that I will see very little of them for the rest of their lives makes me realize now, more than ever, what a privilege it has been to work with these lads.

The law of averages is against us, and we are opposing a team coached by one of the finest men in the business. I know that Matty Bell will have his Mustangs up for this one, and my sincere hope is that our players have enough determination to play just sixty more minutes of the football they are capable of.

The seniors who will play for Notre Dame tomorrow have been on our squad for four years and have never known defeat. Very definitely

While on the subject of seniors playing their last game Saturday, we should like to stress a point about lads of foreign parentage who have represented Notre Dame on the football field for many seasons. Many people poke fun at Notre Dame because of some of the unpronounceable names that have appeared in her lineups down through the years.

However, we are extremely proud of these boys, and we feel that they are to be highly congratulated for the many sacrifices they have made to achieve a college education.

Several of these lads come from homes where English is not even spoken, and when they arrived in college they found it was necessary for them to work much harder than other boys in order to grasp the subjects.

Yet down through the years we have had very few boys of foreign descent flunk out of school.

Many of these lads get up early in the morning and spend all of their spare time with the books in order that they may become well-educated American citizens by the time they leave school.

In our opinion, these young men are to be greatly admired. I shall always be happy to have the boys with the long names on any football team with which I am affiliated, because in many cases the long name is synonymous with long hours of hard work and sacrifice, and for these two attributes there is no substitute.

In the other games of the day two of the upset teams of last week-end take on traditional rivals. South Carolina, fresh from a victory over Wake Forest, opposes the Citadel, while Auburn, which tied a strong Clemson team, will meet the Crimson Tide from Birmingham.

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## Rock Named to Big Six All-Stars by Coaches

Jim Rock, Viking fullback, is the only member of the Salem high school squad to gain a position in the Big Six all star team named by the various coaches involved.

## Willamina Faces Forest Grove in 1949 Cage Debut

Willamina — The Yamhill county league defending champs of Willamina travel to Forest Grove Saturday for a contest which will open the new hoop season for the teams.

## Cardinals Tangle with Eugene Team Friday in Salem

The Cardinals of Sacred Heart Academy, nosed out in the last moments of a game with Sweet Home early in the week, will entertain St. Mary's of Eugene on the St. Joseph court at 7 o'clock Friday night. It will be the first home game of the season for Father John O'Callaghan's cagers.

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