

# Teams, Followers Start on Yearly Trek to State Meet

Eugene, Ore., March 13 (AP)—Sixteen Oregon high school basketball teams, class of the state's prep quintets, began arriving here today for the 32nd annual state high school class "A" basketball tournament, which begins with a doubleheader Tuesday night.

The tournament at University of Oregon's McArthur court will open at 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday with Milwaukie, representing district 12, playing Corvallis, district 7. In the other opening night game, Hillsboro, district 9, meets Marshfield, district 5 champion and runner-up in the state tourney last year.

A full day and night schedule will get underway Wednesday with the championship game slated for Saturday night.

Roosevelt high of Portland, defending champion and Portland city league titlist, returns as tournament favorite. Other favorites include Marshfield, Salem, Grants Pass and Jefferson of Portland.

Five of the schools represented have won previous tournament titles. They are Salem, five previous championships; Eugene and Corvallis, two titles, and Marshfield and Roosevelt, one title each.

Opening round games Wednesday include Dallas vs. Jefferson; Salem vs. Scappoose; Seaside vs. Mac-Hi of Milton-Freewater; Bend vs. Grants Pass; La Grande vs. Roosevelt, and Eugene vs. Central Catholic.



**Tournament Bound** Dallas high school dragons who will meet Jefferson high of Portland in the first round at 9 a.m. Wednesday of the state tournament. Left to right: Jack Hinds, Manager George Clark, Gene McFarland, Wally Entz, Wes Ediger, Jake Janzen, Bill Read, Larry Cook, Ray Olson, Bob Bese, Don Fischer and Gordon Kunke. (Abel Photo)

## Marshfield Grade Team Wins Tourney

Portland, March 13 (AP)—Marshfield grade school captured the championship of the 1950 annual invitational basketball tournament at Hill Military academy here Saturday.

The Coos county boys defeated Vernonia, 38 to 28, in the final. La Grande won third place by defeating Ione, 37 to 23.

# Rogue Chiefs Win State B Title, Monmouth Loses

Astoria, March 13 (AP)—The Rogue river chieftains carried off their first state high school class B basketball title by defeating Alsea, 38 to 34, here Saturday night.

Garibaldi won third place, defeating Drain 48 to 41. Prairie City claimed the consolation playoff fifth place by dumping Monmouth, 62 to 45.

The champions from southern Oregon had to fight off a final quarter Alsea rally. After posting a 25-13 halftime lead, the Chieftains were in front, 28-22, when the third quarter ended. But with less than two minutes remaining, Alsea's underdog Wolverines narrowed the gap to two points, 36-34. But then they ran into a stone defense wall. Two free throws finished the victors' performance.

Both teams collected 13 field goals, but the Chieftains had dropped 12 of 20 free throws through the basket while Alsea made good on only 8 of 20 foul shots.

The Rogue River attack was

balanced. Forwards Gene and Glen De Puy each scored 5 points and guards Harry Frantz and Don Potevint had 7 apiece. Alsea's drive was a two-gun affair. Loren Sapp collected 15 points and teammate Delmar Stone had 14.

Garibaldi came from behind to win third place. Drain was out front 24-21 at the half, following a 13 point second quarter spurt. But the Garibaldi defense shifted tactics at that point. With Larry Duke and Irvin West leading the way, Garibaldi went in front 34-31 and moved to a 38-31 bulge. They were still ten points apart at the 48-41 finish.

Prairie City's Larry Fryse fired 26 points in leading his team to a 62-45 count over Monmouth. The Panthers were never headed. After a 28-23 halftime, a third quarter drive left them in front 47-34, and they clung to the lead.

Monmouth's (AP) (AP) Monmouth  
Winesbaker 20 ..... 12 Thompson  
Downs 8 ..... 14 Little  
Larry Fryse 26 ..... 8 Rosenstock  
Pierce 3 ..... 0  
Howard 2 ..... 4 Bush  
Subs: Prairie City—Frantz 1; Lynn  
Frantz 2; Monmouth—Peoples 3; Broad-  
man 5.

## GORGEOUS GUSSIE SAYS

### Had to Wear Black Ones To Cover Extra Poundage

Cairo, Egypt, March 13 (AP)—California tennis player Gertrude "Gorgeous Gussie" Moran said today that she wore black shorts in a match here because her regulation white shorts couldn't cover 13 extra pounds of curves piled up in India.

Gussie, who created a sensation when she introduced lace panties to staid Wimbledon, England, last year, said the black briefs worn Friday were a necessity and not a whim.

"As a matter of fact one of the main reasons I wore black shorts is because I have gained 13 pounds and most of my other shorts wouldn't fit me any more."

Egypt's press and citizenry have reacted differently to Gussie's attire during the Egyptian championships.

The newspaper Al Ahram said the black shorts worn by the pantie queen of the courts were a disgrace.

Brig. William Days, chairman of the tennis committee for the local tourney, said "the shorts are quite smart. There is no question of preventing Gussie from wearing them if she wanted."

Miss Horria Idriss, secretary of the Egyptian Feminist union, said "Gussie is perfectly free to wear black or white as this is a question of personal taste."

"It's good that someone should introduce a new fashion," she said. "I wish her every success and I am going to see her play."

But Gergina Greiss, Egypt's leading female requet welder, said "I think they're awful."

The furore kicked up by her attire apparently hasn't hurt Gussie's game.

Despite an injured toe—a cyclist ran over it—she teamed with Belgian Philippe Washer to beat Pat Todd and Adrian Quist 9-7, 6-2 in the finals of the mixed doubles championship.

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## FAN FARE

By Walt Ditzen



## UCLA Wins Coast Title, Plans for NCAA Tourney

Los Angeles, March 13 (AP)—Having won their first Pacific Coast conference basketball championship, the UCLA Bruins will leave here a week from Thursday for the western regional NCAA playoffs at Kansas City.

Coach John Wooden's firehouse five is resting up today from its riotous embroglio with Washington State last Friday and Saturday in the coast conference playoffs.

The Bruins won both games, 60 to 58 and 52 to 49, but they had to throw their high speed offense into overdrive in order to roll past the scrappy Cougars.

Friday night's victory was effected by a storybook shot in the last three seconds, and drew justifiable groans from Washington State supporters. The Cougars outplayed UCLA during the second half, but lost the game when bespectacled Ralph Joeckel a reserve forward, swished in a 50-foot desperation heave as the final gun sounded.

On Saturday night, however, UCLA's victory was masterfully contrived. During the first half, the game was a carbon copy of the previous one, with the two clubs deadlocked, 31-all, at the intermission.

Then the Bruins held the Cougars off with a roving zone defense bulwarked by substitute guards Art Alper and Don Seidel. Except at one point where Washington State forged ahead momentarily, UCLA held its lead right down to the finish.

Alan Sawyer, the Bruins, ace forward, took scoring honors with 16 points. The cougars' Bob Gambold canned 15 and Ed Gayda got 14. Center Gene Conley, the northerners' 6 ft. 8 in. deadeye, was held scoreless from the floor in this one, but he sank six gift throws.

Despite State's height advantage, UCLA kept control of the backboards, tipped in rebounds, minimized the Cougars' tries at the hoop.

The Washington State team took a plane home yesterday.

In the NCAA playoffs March 24-25, UCLA must cope with such contenders as Baylor, Brigham Young and either Bradley or Kansas.

## Clubs Join in One-Day Fishing Tournament Here

The Salem Lions club, the Salem chapter of the Izaak Walton League and the Fur, Fin and Feathers club will join forces in sponsoring a one-day fishing tournament on Mill creek. The date has been fixed for April 15 and appropriate prizes will be awarded.

By virtue of an act of the last legislature, Mill creek was set apart as a fishing stream for young folk 17 years of age and under. Salem Waltons were largely responsible for getting the legislation through.

The tournament will be restricted to age limits which are legal on the stream.



**Head First** New York Giants outfielder, Bobby Thompson, one of the fastest men in baseball, dives head first for the sack as he tries out the sliding pit during spring training in Phoenix, Ariz. (Acme Telephoto)

## Salem Y Cage Team Enters Meet

Salem YMCA cagers will be represented in the Northwest regional basketball tournament scheduled to be held in Everett, Wash. late this week. This was determined in Portland last Saturday night when they defeated Northeast Y of Portland, 71 to 49 with Jim and Bob Johnson playing an important part in the decision.

Jim caged 32 points and brother Bob canned an even dozen.

Salem (71) (49) Northeast  
F. Pace 8 ..... Franklin  
J. Johnson 12 ..... McDonald  
Lind 8 ..... C  
J. Johnson 12 ..... T. Hampton  
Blaess 3 ..... O ..... 1 Kirkland  
Subs: Salem—R. Pace 8; Apiea 8; Northeast—Nicky 14. Half time: Salem 27, Northeast 25.

## BASKETBALL

COLLEGE RESULTS (By the Associated Press)  
N. I. T. Tourney (First Round)  
CCNY 65, San Francisco 44.  
BYracuse 80, Long Island University 42.  
La Salle 72, Arizona 66.  
Missouri 52, Colorado 48.  
N. C. Seven  
Oklahoma 52, Kansas 49. (Overtime)  
Kansas State 60, Nebraska 60.  
Missouri 52, Colorado 48.  
Eastern "Try" League  
Princeton 60, Pennsylvania 59.  
Yale 56, Harvard 35.  
Cornell 56, Dartmouth 43.  
Pacific Coast Conference Title Playoff  
UCLA 52, Washington State 49. (UCLA wins best-of-2 series, 2-0.)

## Slats Gill's Name Added To Basketball Hall of Fame

Los Angeles, March 13 (AP)—The Helms Hall college basketball Hall of Fame today added three names to its rolls.

Coaches Amory (Slat) Gill of Oregon State, Clair Bee of Long Island university and the late Emil S. Liston, founder of the National Association of Intercollegiate Basketball, are the sport's latest figures honored by the Helms athletic foundation.

Thirty-five coaches, players and contributors to basketball have been honored by the foundation.

Both the Boston Braves and the Cincinnati Reds this season will play only two day games in St. Louis. Each club has nine night games at Sportsman's park.

Gill's 22-year coaching record at Oregon State is studied with Pacific Coast conference northern division championships in 1933, 1935, 1940, 1942, 1947, and 1949, and a tie for the crown in 1948. The Beavers won PCC title playoffs in 1933, 1947 and 1949.

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**Father Time Appling** Luke (Father Time) Appling, spry enough at 40 to be the Chicago White Sox regular shortstop, got a laugh out of his teammates when he showed up for practice at Pasadena, Calif., in this get-up. He brought along a film starlet, Leslye Banning, to make sure his act got 100 per cent attention. (AP Wirephoto)

## Bradley Favored in NIT Quarter-Finals Monday

By NORMAN MILLER (United Press Sports Writer)

New York, March 13 (AP)—Top-seeded Bradley was favored by 5½ points over upset-minded Syracuse and unseeded Western Kentucky was a 2½-point choice over fourth-seeded St. John's tonight in the quarter-finals of the National Invitation Basketball tournament.

A crowd of 18,000 was expected to pack Madison Square Garden to watch the two seed teams, which drew first round byes along with Kentucky and Duquesne, swing into action against the survivors from Saturday's opening round games.

For tomorrow's two other quarter-final battles, second-seeded Kentucky's Southeastern conference champions were a four-point choice over City College of New York, while unseeded La Salle of Philadelphia was a surprise three-point favorite over third-seeded Duquesne.

The Braves from Peoria, Ill., whose 27-3 record is one of the best in the nation, will be out to c' max their best season in history with their first N.I.T. championship. In four previous invitation tournaments, Bradley never has gone past the semi-finals.

Led by All-American Paul Unruh, their six-foot, four-inch center, and little Gene Melchiorre, their spectacular five-foot 8½-inch pivotman, the Braves had an added ad-

vantage in that Coach Forrest Anderson scouted Syracuse in its 80 to 52 upset victory over Long Island university, Saturday night.

"They're fast and they pass beautifully," Anderson said. "They'll give us trouble."

The Orangemen will have the tallest man on the floor in Ed Miller, their six-foot-six center, in addition to a brilliant outside-shooting threat in Guard Jack Kiley, who scored 21 points against L.I.U.

The second-game clash between towering Western Kentucky and St. John's of Brooklyn will pit against each other two of the nation's outstanding centers in the six-foot-seven Bob Lavoy of the Hilltoppers and six-foot-six Bob Zawoluk of the Redmen.

## Woodburn Group Plans Hoop Meet

Woodburn—A double-elimination tournament to determine the champions of the Woodburn recreation basketball league open Monday night and continue each night through Thursday according to Jim Gay, manager.

Four teams from two divisions will compete for the trophy to be awarded the winner by the city recreation and park board.

The National Guard and Hubbard A squads have clinched berths in the playoff, while the other two starters will be the Church of God and Sauvain's.

## Bearcat Trio Named to Northwest All-Stars

Portland, Ore., March 13 (AP)—Northwest conference basketball coaches today named their all-conference selections placing three Willamette men on the first team.

The balloting produced two teams of six men each. Willamette forwards Ted Loder and Doug Logue and guard Lou Scrivens were on the first team. Conference scoring champion, center Ed Rooney of Pacific university, was also named, along with Bob Pollard, Lewis & Clark college guard, and guard Charles Anderson of Whitman.

Rooney made 231 points for the season and was followed by Pollard with 226, Anderson with 222 and Loder with 199.

The coaches' second six-man team was: Bob Hammond, forward, Linfield; Joe Morann, forward, Pacific; Bob Lee, center, College of Idaho; Rod Downey, guard, Lewis & Clark; Lloyd Neville, guard, College of Idaho, and Carlos Wall, guard, Whitman.

Neville was the conference's fifth top scorer with 169 points.

Players given honorable mention were: Byron Iglehart, Whitman; Ole Abrahamson, Linfield; Ed Reid, Lewis & Clark; Charles Robinson, Willamette; Ted McKee, Linfield; Bill Green, Whitman; Lew Keyes, College of Idaho; Bill Anderson, Linfield, and Nig Larson, College of Idaho.

## 'Down-Under' Swimmer Points for National Titles

By LOU BLACK

New Haven, Conn.—His eyes are on the National AAU indoor swimming championships to be held in Yale's swanky natatorium March 31-April 1.

The eyes of the world's swimming experts are on him. Many of them predict he'll rewrite the record books soon. He is John Bernie Marshall, the Yale freshman who starred on the 1948 Australian Olympic team.

The modest 20-year-old youngster from "Down Under" is sensational over the middle-distances—between 220 yards and 1500 meters. He was spectacular recently in his first appearance before a big American crowd—2500 fans who filled every seat surrounding the Yale pool.

He lowered the listed world's free style records for 300-yards, 300-meters and 440-yards. He covered the 300-yards in 3:01.4; 300-meters in 3:20 and 440-yards in 4:36.4. The books credit Alex Jany of France with 3:03 for 300-yards and 3:21 for 300-meters, both registered at Casablanca on Sept. 10, 1948.

Bill Smith, former Ohio State ace, is listed as 440-yard champ for the 4:38.5 he posted at Honolulu on May 13, 1941.

Nobody is more thrilled over the Yale whiz than Bob Kiphuth, famed Yale and American Olympic coach who is recuperating from a serious illness at Orlando, Fla., Kiphuth, who saw Marshall swim for the first time during the last Olympics in London, even then labeled him as "a potential world-beater."

Harry Burke, Yale's freshman coach who has been tutoring the 170-pound, brown-haired youth, says: "Marshall is great."

Why did Marshall chose Yale? A Yale education plus the chance to swim under America's No. 1 swimming coach were the clinchers.

He almost went to the University of Michigan where John Davies, another member of the Aussie's Olympic team,



**JOHN MARSHALL** Broke Three World Marks

is enrolled. Yale's letter accepting him arrived a day earlier than an airmailer from Ann Arbor, Mich.

**WRESTLING**  
Tuesday Night 8:30  
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John Pravlch vs. Glen Delton  
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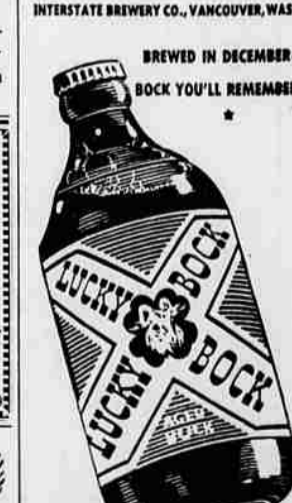
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