Abbot Cagers **Barely Defeat** College Squad

The Camp Abbot basketball team, victor by a wide margin in five contests this season, almost met its first reverses when it took on a team representing the Department of Military Science and Tactics of the University of Oregon at the Post Recreation Hall in two contests Saturday and Sunday. Score for the first game, played before the largest crowd ever to witness a cage contest on the Post, was 41 to 35 and for the Sunday tiff, 39 to 37.

Camp Abbot forged into the lead early in the first contest and at half time led the university squad 14 to 6. In the third quarter however, the collegiate quintet staged a comeback to gain a one point lead and keep the contest on a tit-for-tat basis until the last five minutes of play when Camp Abbot staged a rally which carried it over the

High scorer for Camp Abbot was Tucker with a total of 18 points. Sullivan led for the college squad with 13.

Sunday afternoon's contest was a nip-and-tuck affair with the two teams swapping the lead throughout. Movlan of the visiting squad took high point honors with 22 tallies, against 12 for Higginbotham, high point man for Camp Abbot. Lt. Demgen paced the post squad in floor operations. Referees were Lt. Kulbes and Pvt. Bush.

In a preliminary contest Saturday night, members of a Wac administrative sextette defeated a Wac Medical unit squad 18 to Vanderiff scored eight points for the administrative team to take top honors, and Mayer and Heble led for the Medics with four each.

Camp Abbot



When You've Read it-Please

BELIEVE IT OR NOT, A BASKETBALL TEAM



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Although you can't tell it by looking, this is the basketball team of Company A, 57th Battalion, which copped the 1943 half of the Post tournament recently. Too busy with training activities to "dress up" for the photographer, team members decided on a come-as-you-are pose. First row, left to right: Cpl. A. J. Allen, Lt. David P. Roye, Capt. W. H. Zwick and Pvt. H. E. Barber. Second row: Cpl. E. P. Lyman, First Sgt. G. A. Washburn, Sgt. C. B. Schiller, Sgt. W. P. Miller and Cpl. N. P.

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the Navy, added the Southern whole Bn. plus a cheer leader, ate It. California midwinter tennis championship to his court laurels the other day. Hunt, who won the national singles championship last summer, defeated Bob Falkenburg of Hollywood, national junior titleholder, 6-2, 4-6, 6-4, to take the coast crown.

St. Joe Sage, 25-year-old New York municipal golf champion, who had been missing in action since Nov. 5 when a Flying Fortress on which he was bombardier was shot down in action, is a prisoner of war in Germany, his parents have been notified.

Fred Apostoli, BM1c, was named boxer of the year in the 19th annual rankings of The Ring magazine, published by boxing expert Nat Fleischer in New York. Apostoli, the California bell hop who once held the world's middleweight crown, won the mythical title for his meritorius action in combat against the Japs. Last year the nod went to Marine Sgt. Barney Ross, hero of Guadalcanal.

When the Liberty freighter Charlie Paddock was launched in California it carried as an extra accessory a pair of spiked track shoes once worn by Marine Capt. Charlie Paddock, the world sprint star who was killed last July in a plane crash in Alaska.

The New York Giants boast the only all-4F catching staff in the majors. All four of their catchers-Ernie Lombardi, Gus Mancuso, Ray Berres and the rookie, Joe Stephenson - have been rejected for military ser-

The Utah Service Basketball League, which is comprised of eight teams stationed at Army installations at Kearns and Salt Lake City and vicinity, will open its schedule early in January.

CAMP SPORTS

Games this week show indications of a red hot race for the league championship. Many Totals721 666 722 2109 contests.

Co. A of the 55th Bn. establish- than once. ed a new precedent in team spirit last Monday. The team Lt. Joe Hunt, on leave from escorted to the Rec Hall by the other Abbotman-He'll Appreci-

Ring Tourney Slated; New Gear Arrives

ment open to all units on the Post were announced following the arrival of a large supply of ring and mat equipment this week.

"The Special Service Office now has plenty of equipment for beginning a tournament, and reports indicate there is plenty of talent in various companies," Lt. Henry L. Hansen, Post athletic officer, said. "Now all that's needed is a group of competent instructors, men who've had previous experience in the ring, to help plan a tournament and get the program under way.'

Qualified instructors are requested to contact Lieutenant Hansen at the Post Recreation Hall, 'phone 64, or the Public Relations Office, 'phone 8.

New equipment, ordered several weeks ago, includes a portable ring, mats, gloves, trunks, mouthpieces, headguards and both light and heavy punching bags. The paraphernalia will be installed in the recreation hall and will be available to soldiers wishing to begin training.

Trout Season to Open April 15

Camp Abbot anglers can begin trying their luck again in the Deschutes River in mid-April, according to the state game commission which this week set April 15 for the opening of the 1944 trout fishing season and Oct. 31 for the close. Dates are the same for all counties in the

Other than a slight change which forbids fishing below 400 yards north of boathouses at the Paulina Lake resort, no changes were announced for Deschutes county. The limit remains the same, 15 fish or 15 pounds and one fish in any one day, but not to exceed 30 fish or 30 pounds and two fish in any seven consecutive days or in possession at any one time.

lent a collegiate atmosphere to the game.

We are wondering what drew all the spectators last Saturday night. Was it the Wac game or the Post team?

Incidentally the two victories over the AST unit from the University of Oregon proved Camp Abbot might possibly have a teams of high calibre have en- first rate team. Considering the tered and as soon as they get amount of practice they get, one their windage and elevation ad- would have to agree. Biggest justed we should see some real problem at present is to put the same team on the floor more

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