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*Planning Golden Jubilee Memorial to Basketball Founder*



At a luncheon at the Waldorf-Astoria yesterday arrangements got under way for the court game's fiftieth anniversary. Here a portrait of the game's founder, Dr. James Naismith, is examined by members of the original basketball team and the Mayor of Springfield, Mass., chairman of the Naismith Memorial Committee. Left to right: Lyman W. Archibald, Mayor Roger Putnam of Springfield, Thomas Duncan Patton, William R. Chase and Ray P. Kaighn

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With three of the five living members of the game's first organizing team participating in the ceremonies, the golden jubilee of basketball was given a send-off yesterday at a Waldorf-Astoria luncheon sponsored by the Naismith Memorial Committee.

Springfield College dignitaries and alumni, A. A. U. officials, metropolitan coaches and basketball writers paid tribute to the sport's first heroes and heard formal announcements of plans to erect on the Springfield campus a temple of basketball as a monument to Dr. James Naismith, who originated the game there in 1891.

The speakers were Roger L. Putnam, Mayor of Springfield and chairman of the memorial committee; Dr. Ernest M. Best, president of Springfield College, and Irving T. Marsh, head of the Metropolitan Basketball Writers Association.