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FOR THE TEAM.

Five hundred Washington rooters are coming to Portland tomorrow to do their part toward adding another to the long line of victories annexed during the regime of Coach Gilmore Dobie, according to statements sent out from the northern University. And if past experience may be taken as any indication, this number will actually be on hand and will prove no mean factor in determining the outcome of what football experts in the northwest consider as a championship contest.

How many Oregon men will be on hand for the big game to counteract this influence? Perhaps about four hundred can be counted on, if the students from the law and medical departments in Portland are reckoned. But this number must actually be at the game and in the rooters' section where they can do the most good for the team.

At such a contest as that which will be staged tomorrow, there is a strong tendency on the part of University men to discard the custom, based on the principle of the greater efficiency, of going to the game by themselves, not as escorts for friends of the opposite sex. In the past it has been Oregon's experience that a large number of those who should be supporting the team on the bleachers are to be found in the grandstand, endeavoring, perhaps, to explain to their companions the difference between a place kick and a line buck.

Because of the size of the school, the number who will attend the Washington game is, of necessity, small enough without losing any in this manner. The Washington rooting section will be larger, and Oregon will have no advantage in training over Mathieu's brazen-lunged followers.

In a large measure, this side of the question is up to the women of Oregon. A refusal on their part to accompany any Oregon men to Multnomah field would prove one of the most signal services which could be rendered by them to the team.

Then, too, in order to prevent a repetition of the appropriation of the seats of the Oregon rooters by ordinary bleacherites, such as occurred two years ago in Portland, it is imperative that the Oregon backers should be at the field early, ready to swarm in and pre-empt the seats allotted them at the instant the gates are opened. This may involve a wait of a half hour or so before the whistle blows, but better this than to stand on the side lines throughout the game, dispersing and unable to make an effective showing in concerted yelling.

Oregon has a team that deserves the unqualified support of the rooters, and a team moreover, that will appreciate this support to the fullest extent. If rooting will win the game, the men of Oregon should see to it that they are not surpassed in this respect by Washington. Cheer the team on if they are winning and if they are losing cheer for them all the harder.

A GLANCE INTO THE FUTURE.

The funds so long sought by the University have at last been granted and will be available for immediate application to the purposes for which they were appropriated. In this connection we have the assurance of the Regents that work will be begun in the Spring on repairs and building and that by some time next year the University will be more adequately able to fulfill its purpose in the state.

But this is not all. The passing of the appropriations must not be taken as a mere indication that the people of Oregon were willing that this amount should be expended on higher education. It is also a sign that they are in sympathy with the needs, not perhaps of the University, for in a strict sense the University itself has no needs, but of the state for an institution of higher learning, whose work will need no supplementing from colleges and universities in other parts of the United States.

The attitude taken by the voters in the election on November 4, opens up a wonderful future for the University, a future of service to a new and growing commonwealth. The new building and the repair work to be done in the Spring are but steps to this. With such a beginning the University of Oregon must grow, must increase in capacity and efficiency until it will be no longer necessary for the Oregon man or woman to look to the eastern institutions to supply the final touches to his education, until the State University will be in every sense good enough for Oregonians.

LAUREANS HOLD MEETING

Oregon's Chances in Game With Washington Feature of Program.

The Laurean meeting held Tuesday night was one of the best attended of the year. The program dealt principally with the works of Tennyson.

Bert Lombard and Cloyd Dawson gave readings from Tennyson's works. Lombard chose the scene at the window from Enoch Arden and Dawson read "Break, Break, Break" and "Crossing the Bar."

Victor Holt gave a short talk on football, in which he discussed Oregon's chances with Washington. Roland Geary and Edison Marshall were initiated into the society and gave short speeches.

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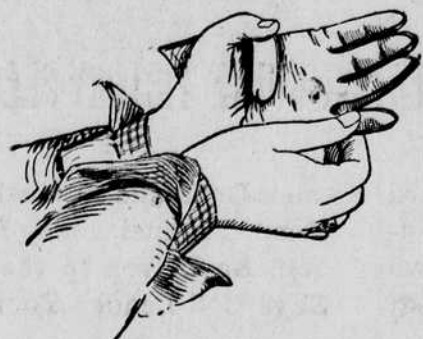


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Mammoth Flower Originated by Accident. Growth Attributed to Soil Conditions

A new chrysanthemum, developed last year by Mr. Fisher, superintendent of the University buildings and grounds, has been christened the "Leona," after the wife of Edgar B. Piper, editor of the Oregonian. The choice of name was suggested by Mrs. P. L. Campbell.

The "Leona," Mr. Fisher explains, is not the result of intention on his part to produce a new variety, but is instead a sort of freak for which he is at a loss to account. Last year he received several chrysanthemum plants from the east and started them in his yard, back of the campus. The only explanation which he can give for the new flower is that the different conditions here have caused some latent trait to appear and to predominate.

The varsity flower is distinctly an open air product, the only protection given it being a strip of canvass to guard the blooms from the effect of heavy rains. The stalk of the plant reaches a height of over ten feet, and it is to this unusual growth that Mr. Fisher attributes the late maturing of the flower.

A shade between lavender and pink on the outside, with a rather lighter center, is the color scheme affected by the "Leona." The blossoms measure nine or ten inches across.

In spite of the fact that the giant chrysanthemum originated by accident, Mr. Fisher states that it is a distinct variety and that it has remained absolutely true to type.

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