



Oregon Rooters

Every Man Who Wants to See Oregon Win Be On Kincaid Bleachers Thursday Afternoon and in the Biggest of All Rallies Friday Night.

It's Up to You

MORE THAN TRADITION NEEDED TO BEAT O.A.C.

COACHES FACE TASK OF BOLSTERING UP SQUAD FOR TEST SATURDAY

MEN ARE BADLY SHAKEN UP

Stewart's Aggregation a Tough Problem; Lutz, Abraham, Billie and Yeager Strong Quartet

By Harry Kuck.

There's no use crying over spilled milk. That Washington game is lost irretrievably; Dobie's crew got the jump and the breaks of the game, and Oregon was playing far below her standard; that's alibi enough, although other factors figured.

The problem that confronts the coaches now is to bolster up the team and get it ready for the O. A. C. game next Saturday. And the task is gigantic, for the team is pretty badly shaken up. Cornell is out for good, and navigates with the aid of a crutch and cane. Beckett has two cracked ribs and minor bruises, and Parsons' nose is distinctly ornamental. Philbin is rather touchy about his olfactory organ and his eye and the regions thereabouts have taken on a decidedly darker hue. Risley has a lame ankle.

Despite these little unpleasanties, all hands but "Pop" Cornell were hard at work last night. They are determined to beat the Aggies at any rate.

But did you notice the easy time Doc Stewart's bunch had with the unfortunate Idaho team? Twenty-six to 0 against a team—that Oregon was fortunate to get away with at all. It was duck soup for O. A. C. and this shows that they have a top-notch aggregation.

Stewart has an exceptionally strong quartet in Lutz, Abraham, Billie and Yeager. Lutz is the individual star of the team and is one of the most consistent ground gainers in the Northwest. He has also outpunted every opponent up to date.

Abraham is fast and his greatest service to his team is performed in running interference.

Billie is a line plunger and is both fast and heavy.

In DeWitt Yeager Stewart has a man that can handle kicks in fine style. His handling of Miller's spirals in the Washington game, on the muddy Albany field, was one of the features of the day.

One thing is certain, tradition won't win that game Saturday, and "Bez" and the boys know it.

Therein may lie our salvation.

SCHWARZSCHILD HAS \$100 TO PROVE ZEITUNG RIGHT

Would you like to win \$100? All you have to do is to prove that the cathedral at Louvain was destroyed by the Germans, as was declared in a newspaper dispatch. E. Schwarzschild, a local merchant, puts up the money. Mr. Schwarzschild bases his statement made recently in his favorite home paper, the Frankfurter Zeitung, that the cathedral is still standing.

Vassar girls spend more than \$17,000 each year for dances given by organizations. A committee of women of the college is now working on a plan for transferring the expenditures for that kind of amusement to other things more needed.

WHAT HAS MATH TO DO WITH GOLF?—READ THIS AND THINK

One Student Major and Two Professors of Mathematics Are Best Club Welders

As a result of the progress in the handicap golf tournament, now being staged at the Country Club links, it is to be wondered what relationship golf bears to mathematics. For out of the 36 entries, including 30 Eugene residents, five University professors and one University student, the three to survive until the finals are two of the professors and the one student. The two professors are Drs. Smith and DeCou, both of the Mathematics Department; and the student is John Wilhelm, who majors in mathematics. Wilhelm, who is a scratch man, is thinking of hauling out a pair of spectacles in anticipation of his battle against the faculty members. And all three are trying to link the "math" and golf.

COLLEGE MANAGERS TO CONFER IN PORTLAND

Six Northwestern Athletic Financiers to Meet in December to Arrange Schedules and Proposed Rules

Managers from the six Northwest Colleges are to meet in Portland early in December to arrange schedules for basketball, baseball, track and football for the coming year.

Changes are to be expected in the system of bringing the teams together in basketball. To make out a schedule in this game that will please all the coaches of the conference is the one big task that will present itself.

At present the three eastern teams, Whitman, Washington State, and Idaho play together, and the three western teams, Washington, O. A. C. and Oregon, play together, leaving the winner in each division to fight it out for the championship. Coaches Archie Hahn, of Whitman, Pink Griffith, of Idaho, and Bohler, of Washington State are heartily opposed to this present way of running things, because they say the three Eastern teams are so close together that they do not move about enough to get any interest in the games. Consequently, money is being lost, and the game is losing out in general.

The plan to be submitted provides that each team in the conference shall play two games with every other team, one on the home floor, and the other on the floor of the enemy. In the past each school has played the other schools in its division four games, two at home and two abroad. Then, too, whereas at present each school guarantees its visiting opponent fifty dollars a game, in the advent of only one contest with any one opponent at home, the guarantee will be raised to seventy-five dollars.

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* Dr. Samuel J. Elliott, son of *
* President Emeritus Charles W. *
* Elliott, of Harvard, who is now *
* touring the Northwest in behalf *
* of the Unitarian church, will give *
* a lecture in Professor Howe's *
* room Thursday, November 19, *
* at 4:00 P. M. Subject to be announced later.

A "nickel dance" was recently given at Stanford University for the benefit of the Red Cross movement of Europe.

GEORGE P. PUTMAN TO ADDRESS ASSEMBLY

"WAYS AND MEANS OF ENLARGING ONE'S LOCAL HORIZON" IS TOPIC

"MAN WHO PUT BEND ON MAP"

Speaker Believes In Being a Big Frog In a Small Puddle, and Trying to Make Puddle Bigger

"The man who put Bend on the map" might be the title for George P. Putnam, the assembly speaker for tomorrow morning.

With several years' experience in reportorial work on the Oregonian, Mr. Putnam decided to seek a field with a good newspaper opening and become a country editor. He chose Bend as the place, and became editor of the Bulletin. Still in the vigor of youth, he is only now in his thirties, he began to boost Bend and to take an active part in the affairs of the community, becoming mayor and a leading citizen. And now, as Professor Allen, of the Journalism Department, who is an old friend of Mr. Putnam's, says: "Everybody knows where Bend is." Mr. Putnam was largely responsible for the original entertainment given the Portland Ad Club when that club visited there last summer.

Mr. Putnam has a theory which, put in his way, is, "I believe in being the big frog in the small puddle, and then trying to make the puddle bigger." The subject for the lecture tomorrow will touch on this. It is, "Ways and Means of Enlarging One's Local Horizon." Mr. Putnam says it will be a young man's talk to young men on how to make good in Oregon.

Sigma Delta Chi, the journalism fraternity, has appointed a committee to arrange for a banquet in the evening, at the Osburn Hotel, of the male members of the Journalism classes. Lamar Tooze and Sam Michael are on the committee.

Editors E. J. Finneran, of the Eugene Guard, and Elbert Bede, of the Cottage Grove Sentinel, President P. L. Campbell, of the University, and Mr. Putnam, have been asked to speak at the banquet.

TRYOUT DATES FIXED

Survivals of First Elimination Process to Defend Opposite Side of Question December 5

The first elimination tryout for debate will be on Monday, November 23, from 3:00 to 6:00 o'clock, instead of on either Friday, November 20, or Saturday, November 21, as was first scheduled, because of the fact that Mr. Prescott will be away on extension work Friday and would not be able to be back Saturday. Besides, the O. A. C. game comes on the 21st.

Each contestant in this first tryout will be allowed eight minutes in which to give his argument defending whichever side of the question he pleases. He may or may not be called upon for rebuttal. The tryout will be held in Villard Hall.

The second tryout will be on Saturday, December 5. Those who survive the first contest will defend the side of the question opposite to which they defended at the first tryout.

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MULTNOMAH TO MEET VARSITY IN SOCCER

GAME WILL BE STAGED AS A PRELIMINARY TO FOOTBALL CONTEST

23 CANDIDATES TRY OUT

Eleven Places to be Filled; Twelve Men Will Be Sent to Portland

Over the long distance telephone yesterday, arrangements were made with the Board of Trustees of the Multnomah Athletic Club for a soccer game as a curtain raiser to the Oregon-Multnomah Turkey Day game at Portland.

Graduate Manager Tiffany approved of the plan and wrote the Athletic Board of the Multnomah Club to complete the plans. A return game will be played on Kincaid Field some time during the winter.

Neil Ford, '17, who played outside left wing last year, was elected captain of the team.

Twenty-three candidates are out for the eleven places. Although subs are not allowed to be entered into the game, two men will go to Portland besides the coach.

The team will be selected from the men that turn out regularly to practice.

500 ATTEND DANCE

CONCENSUS OF OPINION THAT DANCE WAS GREAT SUCCESS—MUSIC EXCELLENT

The two hundred and fifty couples who attended the band dance Saturday night are even yet maintaining that it was some success. The twenty five band men have been, and are being congratulated on all sides.

Despite the fact that Oregon was reported loser at Seattle, the crowd seemed to be in a "good time" spirit, lots of the talking between dances being concerned with the general subject of next year.

The music as played by the band was said by everybody present to be excellent. Seldom is it found that band music is equally adapted to both waltzing and the current one-stepping but on this occasion the band had both the smoothness for the waltz, and the snap for the "walking."

As had been intended, the feature dance was a total surprise to a majority of the dancers. With lights out and accompanied by the roar of guns, and blaring of the band, a miniature battleship appeared at one side of the balcony, and was drawn across to the other side, over the heads of the dancers and of the band which was situated in the middle of the floor. A spot light alternated between the ship and those on the floor. Four encores were demanded to this dance.

As a result of its efforts the band raised between forty and fifty dollars, which is to be applied to the student body to reduce the expense of the much expected band sweaters.

The success of the affair confirms the desire to make the band dance an annual informal.

Freshmen do not have to tip their hats to upperclassmen at the University of Kansas, according to a new ruling of the student council of that college.

SENIOR BENCH MEETS RIVAL IN GAMMA PHI PORCH SWING

Sorority Freshmen May Also Sit Specially Under a Watchful Incandescent Light

No longer will the members of the Senior class occupy their bench of stone under the classic shades of the campus trees with the same pristine feeling of exclusiveness and individuality. The Gamma Phi Freshmen enter the field with a Freshman bench—of the swinging variety. Even the guiding influence of an electric light will not be overlooked by the originators of Oregon's latest custom.

NEW STUNTS HATCHED FOR FRIDAY RALLY

"Pep" to be Manufactured for the O. A. C.-Oregon Game in a Safe and Sane System

Don't forget Friday night. Put a big ring around that date in your Y. M. C. A. Handbook. The chances are you won't, for Saturday comes one of the greatest events of the fall semester, the O. A. C. vs. Oregon game.

A monster "pee-rade" will begin the evening festivities, the weather permitting, starting at the Kappa Sigma house at 6:45. If the weather is unfavorable, everyone is requested to meet at Villard Hall at 7:00 o'clock for an hour's entertainment consisting chiefly of vaudeville stunts by the various fraternities. Both Glee Clubs will sing, and as the program is not complete without a speech, Dr. Bennett has been asked to express himself.

After the program the scene of action will change to Kincaid Field, where the band will render college and popular airs. The "Frosh" will the touch off the immense bonfire. The members of the squad, Coach Bezdek and local team supporters will endeavor to explain why Oregon cannot help but win at Corvallis the following day.

"Yell Chief" Ernie Vosper will then take the stand, and with the assistance of the "human jumping jack," who will amuse the assemblage by various fantastic gyrations, will endeavor to arouse the famous "Oregon spirit," the jinx that defeats O. A. C.

Vosper, in discussing the rally, said: "I want to get something novel in the way of a parade if the evening isn't too moist. I am having the boys get about 70 keerosene lantern rag and serpentine as heretofore, but will march four abreast with their hands on each other's shoulders, the fellows on the outside carrying one of these lanterns. Professor Shinn has kindly consented to make us some red fire for the street corners, and some of the boys can carry Japanese lanterns lit by candles.

"There is no reason in the world why every man can't be out to this feature. They've got to be to make the rally a success. Nothing can help the team more than a big demonstration of that old 'Oregon spirit.' They need every bit of support to win that game, and it can be done. Washington didn't have any license to defeat Oregon last Saturday. The newspapers don't give Oregon half the credit we deserve and the score doesn't show how evenly matched the teams were. But we've got O. A. C.'s goat and the team will prove it next Saturday."

AGGIES' IRON WOMAN COMES NEAR ELOPING

CORVALLIS DISPATCH BLAMES STUDENTS FOR LEADING HER ASTRAY

PRES. CAMPBELL INVESTIGATES

Doubts If University Men Are Involved in Attempted Vandalism, but is Going After the Evidence.

President Campbell is investigating the charge that was contained in a Corvallis special to this morning's Register to the effect that Oregon students had stolen the statue of a woman which decorated the fountain at the entrance to the O. A. C. campus, at Corvallis.

"The University administration is in consultation with Corvallis to find out what evidence the charge is based.

"The University administration is doing everything it can to find out whether any University students were involved in this affair," said President Campbell this morning, "and if any participants are discovered they will be suitably dealt with. Inquiries are being conducted both through faculty channels and through the officers of the Student Body.

"My experience with such rumors here in Eugene and elsewhere leads me to believe there is a strong probability of mistake in the conjecture that the deprecators were Oregon men. The 'O' on the butte here was once painted green, and our students accused the boys from the college. It turned out, however, that it had been painted by an Irishman who was celebrating.

"Everything possible will be done to get at the facts, and to punish the guilty if they are within the jurisdiction of the University."

The story as it appeared in the Register is as follows.

"Corvallis, Nov. 16—After having plunged the city and Agricultural College into darkness by cutting the electric light line leading into this city, a party of students from the University of Oregon, at Eugene, tonight stole the huge figure of a woman from the historic fountain at the entrance to the college campus.

"As soon as the theft had been noted, the town was full of Agricultural students searching for the visitors from the University, but no trace of them was obtained. The fountain was the gift of a graduating class a year ago.

"Just before the annual football game, between the Aggies and the University last year, a number of students from this place went to Eugene and changed the color of the big lemon-yellow 'O' on Skinner's butte to a nice brown. University students did not discover the trick until the next day.

"Late tonight it was found that the statue was again in its place on the fountain."

An O. A. C. alumnus in Eugene regards the trick as the work of someone who knew the details of the fountain of which the statue is a part.

"It is a figure five or six feet in height," he said, "and is pretty solid. To remove it from its base would require one thoroughly familiar with it. And after it had been detached it would take four or five men to pack it off the campus. In my opinion, it was not the work of an Oregon bunch, but probably a trick by some of the Aggies themselves, or some of the town tricksters."