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Welcome of Hoopers Enthusiastic

Varsity Accorded Hospitality on Tour; Victories Cause no Over-Confidence in Men.

By HAROLD MANGUM

The Oregon varsity basketball team, a little tired but happy to be back, arrived in Eugene yesterday noon, and was greeted by a small, but enthusiastic band of rooters who braved the rain and the thought of missing their lunches to see Coach Reinhart's victorious hoopers. All of the men are in excellent shape, with the exception of Hobson, who is still slightly bothered by an injured foot that is slow to respond to treatment.

Coach Reinhart characterized Washington as the toughest antagonist they faced on the entire trip, Idaho as the biggest, Washington State as the fastest, and Montana as the weakest. Few substitutions were made in the first and last two games, because there was no opportunity. The contests were so close that a few slips and a few baskets might have turned the tide of victory. Idaho netted four points in the last minute of play, and the Cougars slipped in three baskets in a like period.

The players are enthusiastic about the treatment accorded them during their invasion. Each game was played before a packed house, with standing room at a premium. The attitude of the crowds was the fairest possible. The Washington game was the closest as the game was twice tied, once in the last stages of the contest.

The Huskies held their own until the very end, when the superior condition of the Webfooters prevailed, and a safe lead was piled up. The Washington supporters were especially fine in their treatment of the varsity. While of course rooting for their home outfit, they appeared glad to see Oregon win.

Some rather caustic remarks were made regarding the Idaho floor. This has been a much mooted question, and it is possible that some action will be taken at the next conference meeting. The playing space is smaller than the average high school gym, and the seating arrangements are so made that the crowd encroaches on the floor from all sides. In addition there is a faulty lighting system which makes both baskets dark and obscures the ball while it is in the air. It is a common occurrence for the wind to whistle through the cranies. The structure is even older than the Oregon gym.

The players are far from cocky, for they have nothing to be cocky about. They had the advantage of being better conditioned and more experienced than their opponents, but this superiority is fast waning, as the other teams are acquiring experience and confidence. Toward the end of the season it will be a matter of the team winning that happens to be "on" and gets the breaks.

Miles and Reamer of Idaho are a pair of cagers who will make it interesting for all comers, according to Reinhart. The Washington State Cougars have one of the fastest aggregations ever collected on a basketball court. Doc Bohler has completely revolutionized the style of play employed by the Pullmanites. They now use a system that combines the Oregon and O. A. C. types of offense and defense. They may prove real dark horses. Montana has been exceedingly slow in getting started, but they will be hard to beat on their home court from now on.

ATTENTION!

All freshman managers report today at 9 o'clock at the armory.

Late Payments of Fees Begin This Noon with Penalty Affixed

Have you paid your fees? Four hundred students now attending classes in the University have not and must pay them at the administration building today before noon or pay the late penalty of three dollars.

Requests from University officials for early fee payment have gone unheeded as late last night more than one seventh of the student body had failed to respond to the urging and will be forced to wait in line Saturday.

Students are warned against issuing checks against their accounts in the hurry of last minute payment unless their bank balance is sufficient to cover the check. A returned check is the same as non-payment and the person issuing it will be considered the same as one who has not paid, and besides the particulars of the case will be entered in his University record.

THREE SOLOISTS ON ORCHESTRA PROGRAM

Cellist, Violinist and Trombonist to Play

Three soloists of rare ability and talent will be featured by Rex Underwood in the annual University orchestra concert next Tuesday evening in the Woman's building.

Lora Teschner has made an enviable record as a cellist while connected with the University. She is a graduate of the University of Oregon in the School of Music and at present is a member of the faculty, instructing in cello. She has appeared in recitals and concerts during her University career, and has made herself one of the most popular musicians on the campus. This will be her last season in Eugene, as she plans to resume her study in New York at the end of the school year.

For the past two seasons Nina Warnock has delighted Eugene audiences with her violin playing. She will appear next Tuesday evening as a soloist. There are few students who have attained such a high degree of technique and delightful interpretation of violin music as Miss Warnock.

The newest member of the orchestra to attain the rank of soloist is Elliot Wright, and in Mr. Underwood's opinion he is an exceptional trombonist. He will make his first appearance next Tuesday.

INTEREST IN TALKS AT "Y" HUT GROWING

Interest seems to be growing in the class in comparative religions conducted every Sunday afternoon at the "Y" hut, and with the class increasing every meeting, Henry W. Davis, director of the United Christian Work on the campus, and leader of the class, feels greatly encouraged. Last Sunday 30 were present.

The topic for discussion next Sunday is Jainism, the next to the oldest religion in India, and the only religion in the knowledge of Mr. Davis that has no God. It is, he says, a religion of extreme asceticism, and was founded by Mahavera in 500 B. C.

The class is meeting from three to four o'clock every Sunday afternoon at the "Y" hut, is a handy drop in class for those who are not connected with other classes. It is open to both men and women, students and townspeople.

PAUL KRAUSE RETURNS FOR FOUR DAYS' VISIT

Paul Krause, a student on the campus last year in the drama department, and a member of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity, was a visitor on the campus recently. He arrived Sunday, and left yesterday morning for Portland, where he has a position with the Union Oil company. He has directed several Washington high school plays, and at present is directing "The Admirable Crichton," by James Barrie.

PHI DELT CREW WINS 23 POINTS IN AQUATIC MEET

Sigma Chi Squad Comes Next With 17 Scores in Intramural Splash

Kappa Sigma, Beta Theta Pi Tie for Third Place With 5 Markers for Each Team

Before a small, but appreciative crowd, Phi Delta Theta mermen swam, splashed, paddled, and dived to the inter-fraternity championship of the University in the intramural meet held in the Woman's building pool last night. Phi Delta Theta scored 23 points to the 17 of Sigma Chi. Kappa Sigma and Beta Theta Pi tied with five each for third place.

Last night's meet was full of enthusiasm from the starting gun. The meet was close throughout with the Phi Deltas taking an early lead which they retained throughout the meet. Phi Delta Theta and Sigma Chi had men entered in all events while Friendly hall, Phi Kappa Psi and Beta Theta Pi were represented only one swimmer. Kappa Sigma had two men entered.

Time is Fast

A fairly fast time was made in the 40 yard dash which was won by Larson, Phi Delta Theta, first; Dixon, Sigma Chi, second; and Boydson, Kappa Sigma, third. Time 22 seconds. In the dives, Frank Riggs, Beta Theta Pi placed first, McGee, Kappa Sigma, second; and Hohlt, Phi Kappa Psi, third. The 100-yard dash free style was easily captured by Greulich, Phi Delta Theta, first in 1:11; Slauson, Sigma Chi, second; and Van Atta, Friendly hall, third. The 40-yard breaststroke was one of the most exciting races of the meet. Finley, Sigma Chi, and Fletcher, Phi Delta Theta, swam a close and well-timed race with Finley first with only a few inches to spare. McGee, Kappa Sigma, came in third a few feet behind the first two. Finley's time was 28.1 seconds.

Races are Close

McGregor, Phi Delta Theta, and Bill Peck, Sigma Chi, swam a close race in the 40-yard breaststroke with McGregor gaining on the turn and winning in 29.1 seconds. The 80-yard relay turned out to be a close race with Phi Delta Theta and Sigma Chi entering teams of four men. The first three laps were about par each team about even. The fourth and last lap proved victorious for the Phi Deltas, winning in 42 seconds.

The officials for the meet were: Don McCook, starter; Eugene Richmond, announcer; Jimmie Johnson, clerk of course; Harry Scott, Bob Gardner and Perry Davis, judges; Don Parks and Dale Ickes, timers; Ed Abercrombie, referee; Henry Scott, referee of diving; Eugene Richmond and Don Parks, judges of diving; and Roland Belshaw, scorer.

MANILA TRIBUNE READ BY FILIPINO STUDENTS

If all University students read the newspapers with as much interest as the Filipinos read the Manila Tribune they would know more about what is going on off the campus. The Filipino students recently made arrangements to have the Manila Tribune sent to the University library, and according to the assistant librarian they spend a great deal of time reading it.

The Manila paper is a daily, but the copies arrive on an average of about once a week, depending upon the mail service from the Philippines. The assistant librarian in charge of the newspapers has been unable to determine what day the papers will come but she believes that the Filipinos have figured it out as they are always in the reading room that day.

Yell King Holds Service Record for Four Years as Aide, Leader

Fred Martin, who is Oregon's hard working yell leader, is the first Oregonian to hold a position on the yell staff for four consecutive years.

Away back in 1922, Art Rosebraugh was elected yell-king and staged try-outs. The results were so unsatisfactory that only one candidate was able to pass muster, but he was a freshman and therefore impossible. Two former yell-ings, Clair Keeney and Del Oberteuffer, were in school, however, and came to Rosebraugh's assistance. Fred Martin, the freshman, was carried as an aide.

The next year found him again assistant, aiding Jack Myers. He was yell-king the next year, and last year was reelected, thus welding an unbroken chain of four annuities with the big megaphone, during which time he served under three separate coaches. "Slim" Crandall, something like seven feet high, once held this position for three consecutive years.

Martin has had a hard job, and has handled it well. He has had to fight all the time—fight everybody, even his own crowds. He has accompanied the team on trips with never a cent of remuneration. Help him break the "Oskies" tonight.

VARSIY MERMEN DIVE INTO SEASON TONIGHT

Strong Winged "M" Team First Aquatic Opponent

In the initial swimming meet of the season the University of Oregon mermen, 12 in number, leave this morning at 11:10 for Portland to meet the strong Multnomah Club team.

Tonight's paddling contest will not be an easy one for the varsity. In fact, Coach Ed Abercrombie will be satisfied with the winning of two events. In the tryouts Thursday evening, several good records were made, but the majority was lower than expected.

The Winged "M" aggregation is composed mainly of stars. Three members of the team are former varsity luminaries, George Horsfall, Ben Lombard and Art Erickson. In a recent Portland championship meet held in the club tank, Horsfall broke the city 220 yard dash record when he swam this distance in 2:38 4-5. The former record was held by Ted Alonen at 2:40 1-5. Art Erickson will swim the backstroke for the clubmen. Ben Lombard will be seen in action in the 50 and 100 yard dashes. Two ex-Aggie aquatic stars are listed on the club's roster, Orville Peterson and Ben Carpenter. Peterson is holder of the state record in the 50 yard dash which he swims in 25 seconds, flat.

The Oregon varsity splashers will be handicapped to a certain extent by the loss of Bob Gardner and Don McCook who have been troubled with infections. Gardner is an experienced backstroke swimmer from last year's team and McCook is from last year's yearling team. The men making the trip and events to be entered are: 50-yard dash, Hering and Greulich; 100-yard, Hering and Larson; Dives, Byerley and Biggs; 150-yard backstroke, Dixon and Woodworth; 200-yard breaststroke, Sinclair and McGregor; relay, Hering, Larson, Greulich and Stone and Medley, Boggs, sole entry. Coach Ed Abercrombie and Jimmie Johnson, manager, will accompany the team.

SENIOR IN CHEMISTRY REENTERS UNIVERSITY

Alden Klotz of Weiser, Idaho, senior in the department of chemistry has reentered the University after an absence of several weeks. He was called home due to the illness and death of his mother.

BORGLUM TO BE CAMPUS VISITOR IS POSSIBILITY

University Hopes to Bring World Famed Sculptor for Student Lecture Series

Designer of the Confederate War Memorial on Stone Mountain is Also Painter

Gutzon Borglum, world famous sculptor, painter, author, notorious for the part he played in the "uncivil" war which occurred when he was released from his duties as sculptor of the great Confederate Memorial on the side of Stone Mountain near Atlanta, Georgia, is now being viewed as a probable visitor to the campus sometime during the latter part of February. If the University is successful in making the arrangements with Mr. Borglum he will visit here on a lecture tour.

This noted sculptor who is often termed a wild westerner by virtue of his state of birth which is Idaho. His fiery temperament has given him a position in American sculpture comparable to the position of Theodore Roosevelt in American politics. The latter comparison was made by W. Frank Purdy, director of the school of American sculpture in New York.

Influence Noticeably Felt

"Although there are some people who do not agree with him and who do like his work, he is a great man and his influence will be felt throughout the country," declares Professor Avarid Fairbanks, instructor in sculpture in the University. "His conception of men in the Stone Mountain memorial shows him to be a man of great creative genius," he added. Professor Fairbanks knows Mr. Borglum personally and states that he has a fascinating character and is himself, an admirer of Mr. Borglum's art.

Most people have heard about his memorial at Stone Mountain but at the present time he is working on a memorial for Newark, New Jersey, which is called a "Memorial to the Wars," and which is as equally great in its conception as the Stone Mountain memorial but which is not as large.

Paintings Exhibited in Paris

As for a bit of Mr. Borglum's history, he studied art in San Francisco and later in Paris. He has exhibited as a painter and sculptor in the Paris Salon. He spent a year in Spain and several in France and England. He has held successful exhibitions abroad and he is a gold medalist.

COMMITTEE TO REPORT ON STATUS OF NORMS

A committee, of whom Mr. F. L. Stetson is chairman, is reorganizing and working upon the norms, and will give its report to the faculty meeting to be held next week. It has been found by experience that the present norms, subjects that a student is supposed to know and be able to teach besides his major, are too heavy and leave the student no electives.

K. READE ADDRESSES GIRLS' COMMISSION

"The negro asks only to be left alone, and with tolerance and our help, he will develop and improve immeasurably," said Katherine Reade, a senior major in sociology, who discussed "The Negro Question" at the Freshman Girls' Commission meeting held in the Y. W. C. A. Bungalow Thursday afternoon. She cited a negro, Kingsley, who "told of the resentment in the colored man's mind when he thinks of the white man's attitude." According to him, the negro has always been caricatured and made fun of. She advocated that an opportunity be given him to show what he is capable of. Mary Harney played two piano solos which received enthusiastic applause. There was no business taken up at the meeting.

Men Outnumber Oregon Women by 18 Per Cent; Record Growing

The number of men over women on the campus has been steadily increasing for the past three years until this year there are 18 per cent more men than women, according to the annual report just given out by the Registrar's office. The report shows that three years ago the men were already predominating by 10 per cent. Last year they raised their lead to 16 per cent, and this year to 18 per cent.

In 1923-4 the excess of men over women was 12; in 1924-5, 208; in 1925-6, 226. Men even exceed in numbers in every one of the four University classes, among the graduate students, E. B. U. students, all three classes in the law school, and law specials. The only group in which the women exceed is the arts special. There are 17 women in this group against 15 men.

SHORT STORY CONTEST DEADLINE EXTENDED

February 15 Set as Final Date for Entries

Due to the fact that so few manuscripts have been handed in, the Edison Marshall Short Story contest is to be extended from the original date of February 1st to the 15th according to W. F. G. Thatcher, professor in the school of journalism, who has charge of the contest. No further extension of time will be made even though there are only two or three stories to compete for the prize of 50 dollars.

All manuscripts must be typed double space on one side of the paper only. The name of the author is on no account to appear on the story. An envelope with the name of the story on the outside is to be handed in with the story. The writer's name is to be placed on a piece of paper in this envelope. Stories should not be folded or rolled.

This contest is an annual one, and the prize is offered by Edison Marshall, well known writer of short stories. The 50 dollars was won last year by Doris Parker, '25.

19 PASS INDIVIDUAL GYMNASIUM TESTS

Nineteen of the 212 students who were assigned to the individual gymnasium classes last fall term have passed the regular gymnasium classes. At the end of last term during examination week a test was given for the first time to test the muscles in which this class of students are especially weak. Those passing the examination were transferred to regular classes.

When the work started in the fall, each student on an average, was 12 pounds underweight. At the end of the term, the average was 5 1-2 pounds underweight. Foot work is being done by thirty of the group.

COSMETICS ON CO-EDS' CHEEKS AROUSE ANIMOSITY OF PROFS

The "high cost of living" isn't worrying pa half so much, these days, as the "high cost of cosmetics." And besides the expense, there is the deceit involved. One fond parent went so far as to believe that the blushing cheeks and rosebud lips of his college-girl daughter resulted from an improved digestive system and more hours of sleep, when in reality the marvelous improvement was effected by a new kind of weather proof rouge.

Some college professors who are on pa's side in this struggle are considering violent measures of reform. Extreme cosmetics, along with the more immediate effects, are generally supposed to ruin woman's beauty. Considering all of these alarming evils those on the opposition think it was time something drastic should be attempted. "Shall we forbid rouge and powder, entirely, in our educational institutions?" they are pondering, or merely "that discretion shall be used?" If all cosmetics are abolished, think for a moment of the hundreds of shiny nosed and pale checked co-eds. Not that seems out of the question. And if discretion is the only check—there is discretion, and discretion. Then, too, there is the co-ed, to be considered, as it is entirely likely she herself would take a hand in the discussion.

OREGON SQUAD TO FACE HUSKY QUINT TONIGHT

Webfooters Will Battle With Northern Basketeers At 7:30 in the Armory

Visitors Have One Veteran in Lineup, Captain Hale Who is Playing Last Year

By HAROLD MANGUM

Tentative Lineup:

Oregon	vs	Washington
Hobson	.....	Schuss
Gunther	.....	Gross
Okerberg	.....	Brobst
Westergren	.....	Hale
Jost	.....	Dahlquist

Time of game: 7:30.
Time of halves: 20 minutes.
Officials: Bill Mulligan, Spokane.
Ralph Coleman, O. A. C.

Oregon's league-leading basket-ers will take up the strife with Washington tonight where they left off last Saturday night and where the gridsters finished Thanksgiving day. From all indications, tonight's affair in the armory will be neck-and-neck, and that has no reference to daveports or pink teas. The Aggie-beaten Huskies must win to remain in the running, and the Webfeet must do better than draw to keep their standings.

Husky Defense Tight

The Washingtonians are fast and resourceful and have the best defensive outfit in the circuit. They lost last week because their shooting was entirely off form—they couldn't hit the backboard with a charge of buckshot. Coach Reinhart stated yesterday that if Oregon had faced Washington at the end of its road trip instead of the beginning, the result would have been much less gratifying.

The varsity went through a stiff workout last night on the armory court, devoting most of its attention to perfecting plays destined to puncture Washington's tight defense. Arnie Kiminki and Verl Flynn have shown much improvement, and took their regular turns in the first lineup last night.

Several Have Experience

Captain Gratton Hale, of the invaders, is the only regular from last year, although Al Schuss worked in with Frayne and Hesketh at forward. Bob Brobst, their center, is from the frosh team of two year's ago, but did not play last year. While not a particularly tall man, he jumps like a Mexican jumping bean. Dick Gross, who pairs with Schuss in the forward beats, is from last year's super-varsity.

Jack Dahlquist, the fifth Husky who handles a guard assignment, is from the yearling team of 1925. Jewell and St. John, lettermen, are on the bench, together with James Van Stralen, Johnson, and Samsela. James and Van Stralen were fighting it out for Gross' berth early in the season, but the latter came from behind and beat them both out.

Anyway, something is brewing, though so far, everyone is perfectly safe, as the discussion hasn't reached the mob or riot stage. The only actual steps so far taken are those of one instructor who has decided to allow his class members to write a paper on the wisdom of common usage of cosmetics by college girls. The "findings" of this experiment are bound to be interesting.