

# CITY AWAITS WHISTLE

**Ask Dad**  
While you are up in the library and the folks are near, is it time to corner Dad and extort a promise from him to come to Eugene for Dad's Day on 25th.

## Oregon Emerald

**The Weather**  
Maximum ..... 69  
Minimum ..... 40  
No precipitation.

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# HUSKIES AND DUCKS SET FOR BATTLE

## Oregana Sale Reaches 1700 Mark at Close

Twenty-two Houses Sold 100 Per Cent; All Records Broken

## Portland Advertising Drive To Cover Entire City Before Game

With an estimated sale of 1700 copies, 250 higher than the total reached in any previous year, the Oregana circulation drive for 1931 wound up Thursday and Friday on the campus. Three more houses, Alpha Omicron Pi, Delta Delta Delta, and Sigma Pi Tau, signed up 100 per cent on the last day of the drive, bringing the total to 22 houses.

Today members of the advertising staff are canvassing Portland in the most extensive advertising drive of the year. It was planned to cover the entire city this morning before the game. Donna Gill, Portland advertising manager, is in charge of the project.

Those working under her are Virginia Sterling, Charles Jones, Mary Ann Camp, Walt Evans, Barbara Mann, Victor Kaufman, and Hobart Wilson. A meeting was scheduled for 9 o'clock this morning at the Old Heathman hotel.

The policy of carrying display advertising in the Oregana is being resumed this year by Roger Bailey, business manager, contrary to the plan followed in 1930, when the use of advertisements was discontinued.

Preliminary reports indicate that approximately 1700 students had signed up for yearbooks before the end of the sale, Henrietta Steinke, editor, said yesterday. This record-breaking return is the result of a three-day campaign, engineered under the direction of Alice Carter and Bill Pittman, circulation managers.

The record sale up to this time was 1450 copies, the number sold last year.

The groups which reached the 100 per cent mark this week are Kappa Delta, Chi Omega, Alpha Delta Pi, Alpha Gamma Delta, Delta Gamma, Delta Zeta, Kappa Alpha Theta, Kappa Kappa Gamma, Pi Beta Phi, Zeta Tau Alpha, Theta Omega, Sigma Kappa, Gamma Phi Beta, Alpha Omicron Pi, Delta Delta Delta, Phi Kappa Psi, Delta Tau Delta, Phi Sigma Kappa, Bachelordon, Kappa Sigma, Sigma Pi Tau, and Omega Hall.

## Huskies Have Shown Power In Early Season Grid Tilts

The Oregon-Washington game seems even more to be a "natural" with the day of the game at hand, but Washington has a slight edge over Oregon in the fact that it has played two conference games, beating Montana and Idaho, both to the tune of 27 to 0.

The Huskies showed that they have both weight and power, in the Vandal game last Saturday, when after being held to almost even terms in the first half, kept pounding at the Vandal wall until the Idahoans, becoming tired and weary, were easy prey to the Husky team. At that the Huskies used only three or four different plays to score a victory.

**Phelan Pleases Fans**  
There were 20,000 enthusiastic fans there Saturday to see Jimmy Phelan's charges play an entirely new style of football in Washington, which goes to show that foot-

## Will They Both Lose?



Jimmy Phelan and Doc Spears appear here. Whether they are thinking of the game is hard to tell. Is Spears smiling to make Phelan uneasy?

## "We've Had Tough Luck, But We'll Fight," Say Coaches

### Team Materially Weakened By Many Injuries, States Phelan

Statements made to the Emerald last night, showed that both of the opposing coaches were gloomy over the prospects of the coming football battle. Injuries in both ranks seemed to have worried both Phelan and Spears. Neither had lost his fighting spirit, though, and both promised a hard and tough game. Their statements follow:

**Phelan Gloomy**  
"The University of Washington football squad has had a constant list of injuries which has reached its peak this week with Hufford, Patrick, Pautzke and Lentesty of the regulars and several reserves on the injured list. Washington will be greatly underpowered—Oregon will have eight out of the eleven starting lineup which defeated Washington last year. The Oregon Frosh team also defeated the Washington Frosh team so with only two of the starting team of last year the Huskies have a big day's work cut out for them. However, we will give Oregon a good battle."  
—Coach Phelan.

Bryan university, a memorial to the man who was the United States foremost exponent of fundamentalism, opened its doors this year at Dayton, Tenn., where Bryan died while engaged in his last great fight for his beloved cause.

### Spears Expects Battle, But Says He Thinks Ducks Will Be Victors

"The unexpected injury to Don Watts was quite a set-back to our backfield play, and the trip to Chicago for the Drake game took two weeks of conditioning out of the boys, so the team isn't in the shape I intended it to be for the Washington game. Otherwise, I would expect a near certain victory for Oregon, but now the outcome is very doubtful.

**Loss of Watts Worries**  
"In spite of these set-backs, I look for the boys to play the best game of the season at Portland Saturday. I know that each one of them will be in the game with all he's got.  
Jimmy Phelan's team will have to put up a great battle if they expect to beat Oregon and we are expecting a great battle."  
—Coach Spears.

### Captains Predict Their Own Victory In Today's Game

### Both Certain of Winning; Neither Are Making Any Concessions

"No concessions or alibis," is the motto of the two opposing captains in today's game. Kitzmiller proclaims Oregon will outplay Washington in every way, while Holmes says, "We're playing that game to win."

**Kitzmiller**  
"When I'm asked who's going to win the game against Washington, naturally I say Oregon will. I really thought quite sure of it until Watts fractured his shoulder. His injury will hamper our system a great deal, as whoever takes his place will be somewhat new. But things like that happen on every team, every year, so we're not allibing.  
"Anyhow, whether Washington starts off with a bang or not, makes no difference to us. Outside of a few small injuries, we're in the pink of condition. Personally, I expect Oregon to outfight and outplay Washington in every way. And we are out to win."  
—Captain Kitzmiller.

**Holmes**  
"We aren't conceding Oregon anything, no matter who is injured. We're playing that game to win."  
—Captain Holmes.

## Take Your Turn This Time, Larry

WHEN the University of Washington's pride of the gridiron takes the field against Doc Spears' eleven this afternoon, there will be one boy who will certainly tackle with apprehension. That unfortunate personage is none other than Larry Westerweller, elongated wingman of the Phelan squad.

It was during the Oregon-Washington game of a year ago that Mr. Westerweller made his bid for fame. Our friend, Larry, leaped from the sidelines and in one mighty tackle hauled to earth an Oregon back, who was calmly on his way for a clear touchdown.

What prompted Long Larry to adopt such tactics is not exactly clear, other than it was generally accepted that he was temporarily "out." Whatever the cause, or the reaction, it is safe to predict that Westerweller will think twice before tackling out of turn.

## Cherry Wants All Students Peppy

### Portland Football Minded; Shows Enthusiasm

George Cherry, president of the A. S. U. O., yesterday expressed his desire that every Oregon student be at the stands at the kickoff of the big game in Portland today.

"It is essential," he said, "that every man and woman from the campus let himself go, in the biggest show of enthusiasm and school spirit that Portland has ever seen. As we have noted many times this last week, Portland is really football-minded for the first time and we want to keep it that way. If we go up there and show plenty of good wholesome enthusiasm and a degree of good sportsmanship, Portland will join us in raising the town. Remember, however, that our conduct will reflect directly upon the University, and with that in mind let us go up to Portland resolved to do all in our power to concert that city into a firm supporter of our University."

### Great Number of Tickets Sold to Oregon Students

A last-minute rush at the Co-op brought the number of tickets sold for the Oregon-Washington game up from 2000 at 2 o'clock to 2,433

### Head Men Out After Each Other



Here we have Captain Johnny Kitzmiller ready to lead his team of Webfoots against the pack of Huskies down from the North, headed by Al Holmes, captain of Phelan's so-far-victorious Washington men.

## O-O-O-O-Oregon



This trio of versatile Webfoot cheer leaders will lead the Oregon rooters in the annual Oregon-Washington football classic at Portland today. From left to right, they are: Ed Wells, Portland; Kelsey Slocum (in the air), Hood River; and John Creech, Salem, yell king.

RrrRrrRrrAH O-O-ORE-G-G-GON  
RrrRrrRrrAH OREGON  
VARSITY ORREGON  
RrrRrrRrrAH

### The Lineup

OREGON	POSITION	WASHINGTON
Moeller	F	Buse
Kitzmiller	LH	Cherberg
Londahl	RH	Marsh or Bledsoe
Erdley	Q	Oberg or Marsh
Bailey	RE	Westweller or Squires
Fletcher	LE	Cairney or Westweller
Hall	RT	Holmes
Christensen	LT	Schwelger
Schultz	RG	Lappenbusch
Colbert	LG	Palmer
Forsta	C	Wentworth

when the store closed last evening. This number is declared by the store to be much more than was expected, and shows the great interest that the Oregon students have in the Oregon-Washington game.

## All Portland Is Enthusiastic As Big Football Spectacle Opens at Stadium Today

### Two Conference Wins Give Washington the Edge Over Oregon; Previous Games Show Phelan's New Style Successful

### Over Forty Thousand Fans Are Expected To Witness Battle Between Rival Elevens of Northwest; Enthusiasm Runs High Throughout City

Portland, the Rose City, has gone grid-mad! Thousands have been arriving from all parts of Oregon and Washington. The city has never seen such a demonstration of pep and enthusiasm as echoed between the walled aisles of Portland downtown thoroughfares. The game is just ahead.

Coach Spears and his crew of gridiron warriors are all set, ready to give the Washington Huskies the biggest fight that they have ever had. They are worried but confident. They have won two conference games. Spears and his squad haven't yet played a conference tilt, but have taken one inter-sectional game, and run up good scores on two other opponents. Coaches have made statements, both appearing rather gloomy. Captains have made statements, both full of fight and out to win. The outcome is about to be worked out before your eyes. It is useless to attempt to analyze the situation. Other articles and stories appear in this issue.

With the blowing of the whistle two ancient rivals, the two coaches, will be resuming an ancient feud, carried west this year by Phelan at Washington and Spears at Oregon.

A distinct hit at the big doings this year has been the Oregon band. Wherever activity and excitement have been highest, there has been the band, with the new "Oregon Marching Song" as a battle cry for all to follow. Starting out their day yesterday by meeting the special train from Eugene and ending up in the evening by playing over KXL, KEX, and KOIN.

That was enough to let them sleep in during the morning. But not for John Stehn's band. Up early at 7 to greet the Washington special. They then spent the morning parading the streets, and at 12:45 led the big rally here to the game.

The stage is set, the air is tense. The game is on. Beat the Huskies!

**New Football in Islands**  
The University of Hawaii marked its initial night game win on the books Thursday, when they took the Honolulu Athletic club into camp with a 28-0 score. This game was the starting of a new football era on the islands.

## Webfoot Gridmen Undefeated In Three Preliminary Games

Oregon's new football regime under Dr. Spears faced its first test on September 20, when it met Pacific university on Hayward field. Although there was no apprehension as to the result, it was to prove interesting from the standpoint of new coaching and a new system.

In this game Oregon relied on straight football and set Phelan down only 20 to 0. The Oregon players were none too snappy, but this is explained in a way by the intensive practice the previous week. Although Pacific was unable to make any gains, they held Oregon down quite consistently. Doc Spears was far from satisfied and immediately after the game held a hard workout.

**Doc Spears Pleases**  
Dr. Spears, Oregon's new football coach, is fresh from a string of victories at Dartmouth, West Virginia, and Minnesota. He believes in hard work and plenty of it. He has introduced a new shift which involves both line and backfield. He has also introduced new plays, a new style of interference and a new spirit.  
Oregon's most serious game was with Drakes on October 3, as up to that time her scores had been somewhat unimpressive, but she had revealed a great potential power. Although Oregon did overwhelm Willamette by a large score, no real comparison can be made.  
**Chicago Game Tough**  
Twenty-six men left for Chicago to play a team of unknown style, size or power. Dr. Spears was somewhat pessimistic. Last year Drake won the Missouri Valley championship and this year has had the benefit of two more weeks  
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