

Ducks Loaded for 'Bear' Hunt

Aiken Shows Spirit at Rally

By Gretchen Grondahl

The underdog always has a chance.

That was the spirit of the talk given by Head Football Coach Jim Aiken in Thursday morning's rally assembly, first of the year's series of daytime assemblies in the Student Union.

"I can assure you that the team will get out and fight for the honor and glory of Oregon—and it is an honor to play or coach for such a fine school as the University of Oregon," Aiken said.

Duck rooters got their first chance to work with new Yell King Ron Symons and his four-man rally squad, Arnie Simonsen, Hank and Harvey Bell, and Don Thomas. Short, snappy yells will be stressed this year, the new king told the standing crowd, which packed the new Union ballroom.

Entertainment was provided by Marcia "Pappy Waldorf" Knosher and her feminine Cal football squad. Phonograph breakdowns prevented the completion of an act by veteran Oregon entertainers Bobby Chambers and Kay Keller.

A visitor from California—Ted Saenger, sports editor of the California Daily told rooters that he expects Saturday's game to be tough—"especially after seeing the size of some of these football players."

"A northern team is always tough to beat in the North," Saenger stated.

W. A. Dahlberg, chairman of the student-faculty assembly committee, which arranges the assembly program, outlined the term's assembly schedule, promising both light and serious entertainment for the student body.

Morning classes were shortened in order to allow time for the rally.

Pledge Scroll Sign-up Swells

Four campus living organizations have not picked up their pledge scroll for the Crusade for Freedom. The ASUO office would like to have those houses pick the petitions up today at the latest.

Glenadene McCune, ASUO office secretary said Thursday that the over-all campus coverage, and return of filled out scrolls has been very good so far.

Barry Mountain, ASUO president, was unavailable Thursday for comment on the report of insinuations that the Crusade is Red tainted. Mountain stated yesterday that this is not the case, but he neglected to state where the accusations have come from.

SU to Broadcast Saturday's Game

The Student Union will broadcast the Oregon-California football game over its public address system at 1:15 p. m. and, the Notre Dame-North Carolina game at 11:45 a. m. Saturday.

Station KUGN will carry the broadcast.

Weekend Not Counted

This weekend, with the majority of students going to Portland for the Oregon-California game, will not count as one of the off-campus weekends for women students, Heads of Houses decided Thursday.

By Pete Cornacchia

Feller name of Daniel Boone killed a bear one time, according to a famous message carved on a tree.

Oregon's Webfoots meet California tomorrow afternoon at Multnomah Stadium in the Northwest's opening PCC football contest this season, and if they should trip the mighty Bears, their accomplishment likely will be inscribed on something far more lasting than a tree. Lynn Waldorf's defending conference champions are heavy favorites to win the 24th clash between the two schools, from the boys at Reno to the boys at Jones Junior High.

Two Backs Lost

Game time of the Portland contest is 1:30 p. m. as in all other home contests of the Webfoots this fall.

Oregon will enter the battle

after a week of heavy drills which saw two backfield men lost to the squad. Bill Fell, swift left half, broke his ankle during Wednesday's practice to become Coach Jim Aiken's first drill casualty



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since the Duck mentor arrived at Oregon. The other lost halfback, Jack Gibilisco, has dropped out of school after failing to find adequate housing.

The two teams are faced with opposite problems as they ready for the Webfoot's second conference outing of the season and the first for the Bears. Oregon is blessed with a fairly strong line, while quarterback Earl Stelle is the only veteran in the backfield. California has an inexperienced line, according to Berkeley drum-beaters, while the backs are considered in many circles as the best on the Pacific slope.

Pony Backfield

Evidence of the Oregon ball-toting is the new starting backfield which Aiken plans to throw against the invaders.

The new unit will have 5-foot-7-

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First UO Exodus To Portland Tilt Begins Today

The first of the year's two mass desertions of the Oregon campus begins Friday afternoon when gridiron-conscious Webfoots trek to Portland for the Oregon-California game in Multnomah Stadium Saturday.

The tussle, which is set for 1:30 p. m., is one of two Portland games on the Oregon schedule this year, the second being with the traditional rival, Oregon State College, on Nov. 25.

Gates Open

Students will enter Multnomah Stadium by Gate B, on S. W. 18th between Salmon and Taylor. Gates will open at 11 a. m. and students must be seated in the student section, on the west side of the field in front of the grandstand, by 1 p. m., when the student section will be thrown open for general admission.

Athletic cards are necessary for admission to the game, the athletic ticket office emphasized. The ticket office will be open from 1 to 5 p. m. Friday.

Colorful Rooters

Backing the Webfoots on the field will be the Oregon band and a special white-shirt and pompon section, forming a green-and-white "O".

Last-minute additions to the section were made Thursday to bring the total to 160 white-shirted men and 140 pompon-waving women. Men in this section will not wear rooters' lids, however, all other freshmen are to wear the green and yellow lids, Yell King Ron Symons announced. Pompoms, donated by Charles F. Berg, will be distributed in the section.

Suits, heels, and hats will be in order for women at the Portland game, Dana Lind, social standards chairman, announced Thursday. In case of heavy rain, campus clothes will be appropriate, she said.

Order of "O" men will reserve the section until 12:45, it was announced Thursday. Houses participating are Alpha Omicron Pi, Alpha Gamma Delta, Delta Gamma, Alpha Delta Pi, Kappa Kappa Gamma, Pi Beta Phi, Sigma Kappa, Alpha Chi Omega, Pi Kappa Phi, Lambda Chi Alpha, Tau Kappa Epsilon, Phi Kappa Sigma, Phi Sigma Kappa, Phi Delta Theta, Phi Kappa Psi, and Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Members of Kwama, sophomore women's service honorary, will hand out pompoms at Charles F. Berg's beginning at 9 a. m. Saturday. Members of Phi Theta Epsilon, junior women's service honorary, and Skull and Dagger, sophomore men's service honorary, will decorate the goalposts at Multnomah Stadium. Members are requested to meet at 10 a. m. in front of the Multnomah Club.

Transportation Help

Transportation companies will be working overtime Friday to assist in the migration, according to an Emerald check Thursday afternoon.

Early purchase of tickets will make it easier to have enough equipment on hand to handle the crowd, one bus company explained. Another line asserted that plenty of extra cars would be available. Extra cars will be placed on afternoon and evening trains Friday if demand warrants it, railroad officials stated.

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Campus Merry-go-Round

The Emerald's newest feature, "Campus Merry-go-round," starts with today's issue, and appears on page three.

Designed primarily to serve the living organizations, the "Merry-go-round" reports the activities and the funny things in college life, as these items are channelled in from the living groups themselves.

The family-type column will appear regularly on Tuesdays and Fridays, and deadlines will be announced in each running.

"Merry-go-round" organizer Sam Fidman, and assistants Carollee Tate and Valliere Arnold contacted every living group on campus, but in case some messages were misplaced, this notice will serve to welcome news items from all organizations.

Grass to Grow On SU Grounds

Grass will be growing on the grounds surrounding the Student Union building in time for Homecoming, according to Harry Jacoby assistant superintendent of the physical plant.

Work will begin on the project next Tuesday with grading and laying of top soil, and completion of the pipeline for the sprinkling system to be followed by the planting of grass later in the week.

A part of the ground in back of the Student Union will be made into a parking area large enough to accommodate 45 cars. The rest of the ground, where several buildings have recently been torn down, will be planted into shrubbery and lawn. However, the grass planting in front of the building will receive top priority.

Headgates Open; Watery Millrace Greets Early Risers Along Channel

By Bill Frye

The millrace is here to stay! That was the word received Thursday from Oren L. King, city manager.

Headgates were opened Thursday morning at 6 a. m. and water started to flow over the race bed for the first time since last spring.

By late afternoon houses along 11th avenue reported that the water was rising rapidly and had only slightly more than one foot to go before reaching normal depth.

Came Suddenly

Reopening of the millrace came without warning. Residents along the race who had eyed the dry, mud-bottomed channel with concern Wednesday night awoke the next morning to find water rushing in to take the place of overgrown clumps of grass and scattered debris.

Flood Victim

The fabled little stream that rims the north side of the campus between 11th avenue and Franklin boulevard has been the victim of circumstances ever since a flood in 1945 tore out its retaining walls.

Work was done to restore the race again last fall, and it flowed briefly and intermittently throughout the year. Construction work was held responsible for cutting off the supply of water.

No More Closing

City Manager King sees no immediate reason for closing the millrace again. "The only thing that would necessitate draining the millrace now," said King, "would be some excavation near its bank, and that's not likely."

Emerald to Carry Daily Wire Column

Monday's Emerald will carry the first of a daily column of world news, condensed directly from the wires of Associated Press.

Wire editor will be John Barton, assisted by Merle Moss. Both are seniors in journalism.

The AP teletype machine was sent by airfreight from New York to Oregon.

Dessert Policy To Hold Again

Campus social chairmen decided Wednesday to continue last year's policy of arranging weekly desserts individually rather than by a drawing.

"There had been some talk of pairing houses by an all-campus drawing," Mrs. Edith Jacobs, women's counselor, stated, "but since many dessert lists were nearly complete the old policy will continue."

"The question of drawing may come up for discussion later," she said.

The list of house dance dates was also given out. Selections for dates are to be made by the various living groups and turned in to the office of Student Affairs by 5 p. m. next Tuesday.

Miss Dana Lind, new campus social standards chairman, was introduced and spoke to the social chairman. Miss Lind, appointed by Barbara Stevenson, president of Associated Women Students, will act in finding the campus consensus of appropriate dress for social activities.

Ray Hawk, Director of Men's Affairs, spoke on the duties of the social chairman.

Box Office Date Wrong

The University Theater box office will be open from Oct. 11 through 14 for the sale of tickets to the program by Elena Imaz and her International Dance Trio Oct. 14. Thursday's Emerald incorrectly stated that the box office would be open Oct. 14 only.