

ing for the runners, and with the farmers rushed on them as they arrived, wrapped them in blankets and threw them into bed or into a bath. Every Y. M. C. A. runner says that they accorded practically the same courtesy to their opponents as to their brethren, and this, if for nothing else, has made the win such a popular one with the losers.

Wetterborg and Keys were put up by the Indians at Chemawa for the preceding night. Each had a man specially assigned to him to give him all attention, and their plans were mapped out by the trainer just as if they had been running for the school. In the morning they were driven to their posts precisely as were the Indians. These are the little courtesies which throughout have made the race such a success.

Seen on his return to Portland, Victor Wetterborg said: "The Indians are just the finest sportsmen I have ever met. They deserved their victory, being trained up to the minute. Every man had exact typewritten instructions as to what he was to do. There was no confusion and no delay. While our men had to worry their way to their posts, every Indian was carried along by auto or horse and buggy.

"We can't blame Mr. Grilley for the mistakes, as we all know he could not obtain a car at Salem, but we are all unanimous in saying that the association has not made a single effort, with the exception of the physical director, to make our training easier or to help along in the race.

"We shall start Monday and organize an athletic association here that will do something. Next year we shall have a training table as have the Indians and we are going to win. I am almost glad



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we lost as every man is full of ginger and I think the turn for the better has been made in athletics at the association."

Apparently Wetterborg was only expressing the condition of all in passing the warmest possible tribute to the Indians and their directors. They say whenever possible the Indians cared for the association men as well or even better