

OREGON IS VICTOR IN SCANTY MARGIN

Whitman Barely Squeezed Out, 6 to 3.

SCORES ON PLACE KICKS

Game See-Saws, But Is Not Brilliant—Heavy Varsity Is Outplayed by Light Foc.

BY L. H. GREGORY.
PENDLETON, Or., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The University of Oregon squeezed out a victory over Whitman here this afternoon by a score of 6 to 3, the result of two place kicks by Oregon, one each in the first and third quarters, to one drop kick by Whitman in the second period.

Oregon won, but it was anything but a triumph. Quite to the contrary, it was a narrow escape and a tight squeak. Up to the last instant of play the Oregon rooters didn't know whether they should shout or weep. And all the shouting they are doing tonight is in a very subdued key.

The Score Missed Twice.

Twice Whitman missed tying the score when Tilton's drop kicks fell short by a few feet. The last time this happened was one minute before the end of the game. Whitman, blocking one of Gram's punts on his own 25-yard line—it was the fiery Whitman captain, Red Heritage, who broke through, blocked the kick and recovered the ball—opened a fierce onslaught.

On the very first play Oregon suffered a five-yard penalty for offside and it was Whitman's first down with 20 yards to go. But here Oregon braced and showed a brief flash of fight. In two plunges the missionary backs gained only two yards. A forward pass fell incomplete. Then it was that Tilton stepped back to the 30-yard line for his last chance to drop kick to make it six all. He got the ball, took his two steps, let go with his right foot. The ball went true enough, but there was no drive enough back of the effort. It fell short and Chapman caught it on the five-yard line.

Theater Oregon Is Safe.

Theater Oregon was safe. With only a minute to go, she calmly bucked the line, killing time, and on the third down Gram kicked up from the 40-yard line. Whitman safety was downed the game was over.

The game was exciting enough with the score seeing a 3-0 lead and Whitman threatening to the last, but it certainly wasn't brilliant. There were frequent fumbles and many penalties for both sides. With two exceptions neither eleven showed any real offensive power.

Oregon scored first ten minutes after the game started when Tilton fumbled and an Oregon man recovered.

Whitman Line Holds.

With only ten yards to go for a touch-down the third quarter hurried themselves at the light Whitman line in vain. The power simply wasn't there. Quarterback, with the line down to the 10-yard line, a forward pass. A Whitman player leaped up and batted it down. Then Chapman from the 10-yard line, but there was no drive over the bar. Oregon 3, Whitman 0.

That was the only time Oregon really threatened the Whitman goal. In the second quarter Chapman tried another place kick, this time from the 37-yard line, but it was blocked. Whitman opened a fierce attack that for her own 20-yard line in 15 plays netted five first downs and carried the ball to Oregon's 15-yard line.

Schroeder, the Whitman left end, was the threat in that advance for several lines of defense. His attack with short snappy forward passes between effective smashes by Norris, Hall and Tilton.

Oregon Is Off-Side.

Bliss of Oregon intercepted one of the passes, freed himself as a fidd on the play, so Whitman kept the ball. Finally the Oregon coaches rushed in Tiny Shields at left guard, and the other line men went in at guard and switched Shields to left tackle. With these reinforcements Oregon held on the 15-yard line, but gained little. The next man had to place kick. Standing on the 35-yard line he booted it over. It was a beautiful kick.

Drop Kick Falls.

Sortly before this Tilton, after a fair catch on the Oregon 40-yard line, had a free try at a drop kick, but it was blocked.

In the last quarter Whitman was on the offensive most of the time. The missionaries tried a long forward passing attack in a desperate attempt to overhaul Oregon, but the long throws all fell incomplete.

Tilton's effort in the last moment was Whitman's final one when that kick dropped short, it was all over.

How slim was Oregon's edge over Whitman, except in the superior steadiness of Chapman's goal-kicking right toe, the statistics of the game show.

In fact, where it wasn't horse and horse, Oregon was outplayed—that although the Oregon line considerably outweighed the Whitman forwards. Each side made seven downs from scrimmage—Oregon five in the first and two in the second half. Whitman ditto.

Oregon intercepted one pass and Whitman two, but the one Oregon success was nullified by an off-side play.

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Five Thousand See Game.

This city and countryside turned out nearly 5000 tonight to see the game. They liked it so much that now a move is afoot to make it an annual event. The lineup:

Oregon: Position: Whitman: Blue.....L. E. Schroeder; Makewen.....L. T. Heritage; Farnsworth.....G. G. Lucht; Byler.....R. T. Wether; Vonderhage.....R. G. Rathford; Brown.....R. E. Backman; Champion.....R. E. Holmes; Jordan.....R. H. Norris; Gram.....R. H. Tilton; Gram.....R. H. Norris; Substitutions—Oregon, first half: A. Sander for Parsons, Reed for Makewen; second half: Parsons for A. Sander; Sander for Reed, Callison for Byler; Whitman, second half: Boyd for Backford, Morlock for Boyd, Walton for Rowe.

Officials—Sam Dolan, referee; P. Linden Stott, umpire; William Holden, head man.

AGGIES FEAR HUSKIES

GAME TODAY EXPECTED TO BE HARDEST OF YEAR.

Washington Has Diversified Attack Ready for O. A. C. Bears Play Olympians.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—Hard-fought, low-score contests are expected to predominate on the far western football calendar tomorrow. One clash, between Washington and the Oregon Aggies, will count in the Pacific coast conference standings.

Although the Aggies won from Washington in 1920 and 1921, consider tomorrow's game one of the hardest they have this year. The team was strengthened by the return from the sick list of Captain Lacey and Miller, two veterans of Washington, with a team said to be the best since the victorious days of Coach Doble, has a diversified attack ready for the Aggies. Last week Washington defeated Idaho 10-0, but drove into the Vandals' 10-yard line seven times and made first down 25 times.

Around San Francisco the big game will be between the Olympic club and the champion California eleven, undefeated since 1919. It will be the first real test for California's overhauled football machine and predictions range from a sweeping victory for the Bears to a club triumph, with many "experts" calling it a toss-up. "Rabbit" Bradshaw, who is always dangerous on the California field, will lead the team, who have one of the best teams in the west this year.

Nevada invaded Los Angeles tomorrow to play the University of Southern California and although the Trojans will play without Kincaid, their greatest star, southern fans look for a sagebrush defeat. Nevada this year has an excellent team, with Billy Hug, its quarterback, being hailed as a "second Bradshaw."

In the Stanford stadium the Cardinal varsity meets St. Mary's college. Stanford's spurt against Santa Clara last Saturday has caused many to call it a "10-minute" team, but Coach Kerr thinks he can get the boys to spurt throughout the entire game against St. Mary's. The collegians frightened California last Saturday and hope to do more against Stanford. Glen Hartranft, Stanford's star weight man, may play end tomorrow.

Football Results.

Pacific Coast.
At Pendleton—University of Oregon 6, Whitman college 3.
At Moscow—Washington State, 18, Idaho 8.
At Hood River—Hood River high 34, Stevenson, Wash., high 0.
At Fairfield, Ia.—Parsons college 12, Carthage college 6.
At Grantville, O.—Denison 20, Wilkesburg 27.
At Wilmington—Wilmington 31, Kentucky Wesleyan 3.
South.
At Dallas—Austin college 10, Southern Methodist 7.
At College Station, Tex.—Texas Aggies 47, Louisiana State university 0.
Read The Oregonian classified ads.

IDAHO IS DEFEATED BY COUGARS, 18-9

Damp Field Handicaps Light Mosco w/Even.

VANDALS LEAD TO END

Two Touchdowns in Final Period, One a Fluke, Gives Victory to Washington State.

MOSCOW, Idaho, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The Washington State college football team, considered an unknown quantity in the coast conference, scored its eighth consecutive victory over the University of Idaho here today, 18 to 9. Idaho ran true to annual tradition and scored first and for three quarters led the much heavier Cougar machine. But the damp field, on which rain fell all Thursday night and part of this morning, favored the Cougars and handicapped the light Idaho backfield, and Washington State won in the final quarter with one earned touchdown and a second that was a fluke.

Reinforced with some fresh backfield timber, the Cougars started their heavy offensive in the closing minutes of the third period after blocking and recovering an Idaho punt on the 30-yard line. With the ball within Idaho's 10-yard line they opened the final period with a drive which sent Bray, who had replaced Wheeler in the original lineup, over for a touchdown.

Cougars Take Lead.

This gave the Cougars a two-point lead, as Idaho had missed the goal kick after the touchdown in the first four minutes of play. Shortly after Bray had turned the tide Hickey hurried himself into the air on the 25-yard line and grabbed off an Idaho pass and without opposition crossed the goal for another touchdown. Under the sting of the two rapid-fire touchdowns the Vandals loosened their overhead game and for a while threatened to score. Passing was exceptionally hard with the wet ball, but Idaho, with Stivers on the hurling end and Vesper on the receiving, moved within striking distance of the line, when Hickey again started by picking off an Idaho pass intended for Cobley.

This robbed Idaho of a last chance to score and the Cougars took the ball and started back to midfield when the whistle ended the first and second periods. The Vandals' offense fumbled in the first and second periods paved the way to both of Idaho's scores. Vesper recovered a Cougar fumble in midfield and the Vandals marched straight down the field for a touchdown. In the second period Washington State fumbled Brown's punt and Hansen recovered for Idaho on the 40-yard line. After trying to smash the line, Hansen place-kicked from the 35-yard line.

With a flashy array of tackle smashes in which Zaeplf featured, the Cougars moved down to the Idaho 2-yard line, but Idaho held and Captain Brown dropped back to punt out of danger. He fumbled a pass that was none too good and was downed behind the line for a safety. The eleven, refreshed by the rest between halves, battled to a standstill in the third period. Toward the end of the quarter, however, the Cougars started their offensive, which ended with the two winning touchdowns.

Stivers' Tackling Deadly.

Twice Zaeplf went through the Vandal team only to be stopped by the deadly tackling of Stivers, Idaho's midjet quarterback. Although the score was against Idaho, the Vandals were by no means out-fought.

The first Cougar touchdown was the indirect result of the partially blocked Idaho punt while the second was a genuine fluke. Both teams were about equal in the matter of yards gained while Idaho was the most successful at what passing was tried. Stivers, with his twisting and dodging, shared honors with Captain Brown and Kleffner as the mainstays in the Idaho backfield.

In the line there were no individual stars, unless it was Vols who several times broke through and stopped Cougar plays before they had been started. Cobley and Vesper at ends worked effectively with Stivers in the final period. Hundreds of cheering alumni returned to the campus today in hopes that Idaho would turn the tide of luck against the Cougars. Washington State was represented by the large part of its student body who came over in a special train of 13 cars.

DRAWING COLONELS READY FOR HARVARD

Game Today Outstanding of Intersectional Clashes.

CORNELL PLAYS COLGATE

Princeton Faces Maryland, Syracuse Tackles Pittsburg, Navy Meets Georgia Tech.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—Intersectional games again will add zest to the week-end football play in the east tomorrow. Harvard will meet Cornell college for the third and last time at Cambridge; Princeton tackles Maryland at Princeton; the Navy has Georgia Tech as its opponent at Annapolis; Syracuse faces Pittsburg at Syracuse; and Georgetown will mingle with Fordham in this city.

Outstanding among the purely sectional contests the day will be the Cornell-Colgate game at Ithaca; Yale vs. Williams at New Haven; Pennsylvania vs. Swarthmore at Philadelphia; Princeton vs. Lehigh at Bethlehem; Dartmouth vs. Vermont at Hanover; and Army vs. New Hampshire State at West Point.

Center-Harvard Game Biggest.

Of chief interest, perhaps, to the average follower of the autumn sport will be the struggle in the Harvard stadium between the "Praying Colonels" from Kentucky and the orthodox but well-trained Princeton players. With each institution credited with one victory in the games of the last two years, the contest will be a close one. The standing tie and furnish a climax to the series, for under the new triangular agreement recently entered into between Harvard and Princeton, intersectional games appear to be a thing of the past.

Flushed with a series of sensational triumphs during the season of 1919, Center came to Cambridge in the middle of the 1920 campaign with a remarkable forward passing game. It is feared, it is estimated, to 14, by the better line rushing offense of the Crimson. Nothing daunted, Center returned to Danville and developed a defense for the short plunge game, came back last season to win from Harvard, 6 to 0, due to "Red" Roberts' wonderful baseball diamond, "Bo" McMillan's speed and cleverness on foot in a broken field run.

McMillan Is Missing.

McMillan will be missing when the teams meet on Saturday. Roberts will be on hand, bigger and perhaps more impressive. Center started the season with her usual offensive, but in the first three games, against Virginia Poly last Saturday the Colonels did not impress. Roberts, though Center won, is accounted for the southland are that the Danville collegians were outplayed and lucky to win.

Harvard has been particularly impressive although no opponent has been able to cross the Crimson goal line. It is expected that the backfield appears to be stronger and more advanced than the line.

Defense Primed for Aerials.

It is likely that the Cambridge combination will be set to check aerials. The defense is primed by the southerners and depend upon quick line thrusts and wide end runs for its gains.

The Navy will throw an unusually heavy and powerful team against Georgia Tech, and while the middies are not far advanced along the football line, their punting and drive should prove an imposing obstacle to a Georgia victory.

Princeton will meet Maryland, which lost to Harvard a week ago, 12 to 0. Both of Pennsylvania's scores came as the result of forward passes and long runs and it was apparent that Maryland had little defense for either passes or end runs. The southerners could and did hold repeatedly against line plunges attacks inside their 10-yard line.

Two Close Games Certain.

Two close games appear certain when Syracuse faces Pittsburg and Georgetown faces Lehigh. Pittsburg has already lost to Lafayette and West Virginia in bitterly contested games. Syracuse started the season strong against Brown a week ago but nullified it by careless handling of the ball.

Cornell, under the coaching of Doble, while still putting up impressive scores, having collected 200 points in the stadium tomorrow afternoon with seven veterans of last year's conquest, Harvard will send a first-class team to meet Cornell in mid-season form and one which has aimed carefully at the Center objective.

Handicapped by delay in reaching Boston, which deprived the team of a practice period yesterday afternoon, Coach (Uncle Charley) Moran put his colonels through a stiff three-hour drill this forenoon.

"I don't reckon it's anything near a certainty that Center will win tomorrow," said Moran, "but we'll put up a game of hard, clean football."

Moran plans to use "Red" Roberts, while the Pre-American star at the full back position. Roberts will replace Tom Bartlett, a figure in last year's game, who is suffering from a sore throat.

EVERY TEAM PLAYS TODAY

Western Conference Interest in Michigan-Ohio State Game.

18 GONZAGANS ARE HERE

BATTLE OF BATTLES DUE ON CLUB'S FIELD TODAY.

Each Eleven Credited With Victory Over Other—Fans to Welcome Return of Stockton.

Eighteen Gonzaga university gridiron warriors, accompanied by their coach, Charles E. Dorais, Dr. William Higgins, assistant coach, and Eugene Gadan, manager, arrived in Portland from Spokane last night 'rain' to go against the Multnomah club eleven on Multnomah field this afternoon.

Credited with outplaying Washington State last Saturday, although defeated, 10 to 7, and having the strongest team in the history of the institution, Gonzaga is here to trim the clubmen. They accomplished such a feat just two years ago, whitewashing the M. S. 20 to 0. Multnomah came back last year and administered a lacing to Gonzaga, but no shutout, for Gonzaga scored 11 points.

This year will be the rubber game. Gonzaga will miss such scrappy players as McLeas and several others who nullified last season, but is greatly strengthened by the addition of Houston Stockton, ex-Columbia university, and St. Mary's college, and others.

Multnomah club has a great team this year. Coach Faulk has a turnout of 30-odd players and out of the lot has two almost evenly advanced players that he can put on the field.

The team is not weak in any spot. Overconfidence appears to be about the only thing that could slow up Multnomah. Faulk will miss the services of several of his stellar players, but has others of equal ability to substitute.

Multnomah club has a pretentious schedule this season, which calls for two contests against the Olympic club team of San Francisco. The club's big game will be against the Olympians at Pasadena November 11. Multnomah can hardly afford to drop a game before that contest.

On the other hand, Gonzaga is equally set on scoring a victory this afternoon. The Vandals marched straight down the field for a touchdown. In the second period Washington State fumbled Brown's punt and Hansen recovered for Idaho on the 40-yard line. After trying to smash the line, Hansen place-kicked from the 35-yard line.

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Today's game will start at 2:30 o'clock. The probable lineup of the two teams follows:

Gonzaga: Murray.....G.....Mullin; Bush.....R.....Holmes; Ahmose.....R.....T. Bush; Flaherty.....R.....E. Pelouse; Grant.....L.....G. Strachan; Gibson.....R.....T. Strachan; Needles.....R.....Rose; Stewart.....R.....Ribeaux; Stockton.....R.....H. Brandenberg; McDonald.....L.....H. Steers.

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WHEN A FELLER NEEDS A FRIEND.

YES MRS. MORGAN—YES INDEED I KNOW CHENOWETH WOULD LOVE TO STOP FOR LITTLE EDWINA—HE WAS JUST ABOUT TO START—YES IT IS A LOVELY DAY—YES WELL HE'LL BE RIGHT OVER—I KNOW HE'LL BE DELIGHTED.

AW GEE WHIZ I DON'T WANTA TAKE HER TO SUNDAY SCHOOL.

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CLUBHOUSE TO BE BUILT

Chehalis Building Committee Ordered to Proceed at Once.

GRILL BOWLERS WIN

Aberdeen, Wash., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The Savoy grill bowling took three straight games from the Eagles and the Electric Shop took two out of three from the Arthurd Realtors in the matches played on Academy alley last night.

WHITE SOX RECALL 10 MEN

Courtesy of Seals, Among Players to Report in Spring.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Ten baseball players have been recalled by the Chicago White Sox for next spring. It was announced today. Two of the scheduled fall games to be played with Kansas City and Toledo, and E. C. Pence, who played with Lakeland, Pa., rejoined the Chicago club last night.

MOOSE TO HAVE SMOKER

ABERDEEN, Wash., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Indian Pete, erstwhile hero of all harbor prize fights, has been matched to meet Morgan Jones of Tacoma in the four-round main event of the Hoquiam Moose boxing show Monday night.

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