

# "HOMECOMING" WAS GRAND AFFAIR EVEN THOUGH IT DID RAIN

## University and O. A. C. Men Take Turns on the "Stunt" Stage During Game.

### 7000 SEE THE BIG GAME

After the Game Oregon Rooters Give Vent to Spirit in Snake-Dance Through Streets.

University of Oregon, Eugene, Or., Nov. 20.—A drizzling rain and a muddy field did not dampen the home coming celebration at the University of Oregon, which reached its climax this afternoon in the 9 to 9 football game with Oregon Agricultural college. Verily, the field was a slough of despond, the air was electrifying and the spectators suffered materially from the deluge. Although one third of the bleachers were uncovered and the attendance rain-soaked before the game began, the action was electrifying and starting Oregon and O. A. C. vied with each other in selling and mingling. For the first time in 15 years, the Oregon crowds joined in the rooting.

### Oregon Takes Field.

Between halves the Oregon rooters, 500 strong, took the field in virtue of Oregon's 7 to 0 lead. The long serpentine snaked around the field and finally tied itself up into a knot in the center where the Oregon yells of victory were sent heavenward to the god of football. When the echoes died down, the daylight fireworks began.

### O. A. C. Takes Turn.

O. A. C. followed with a pseudo-military stunt that stretched the entire length of the field. The Aggie students, in full uniform, went through a mass of calisthenics combined with military gymnastics.

# OREGON "LUCK" TOO MUCH FOR AGGIE HEROES

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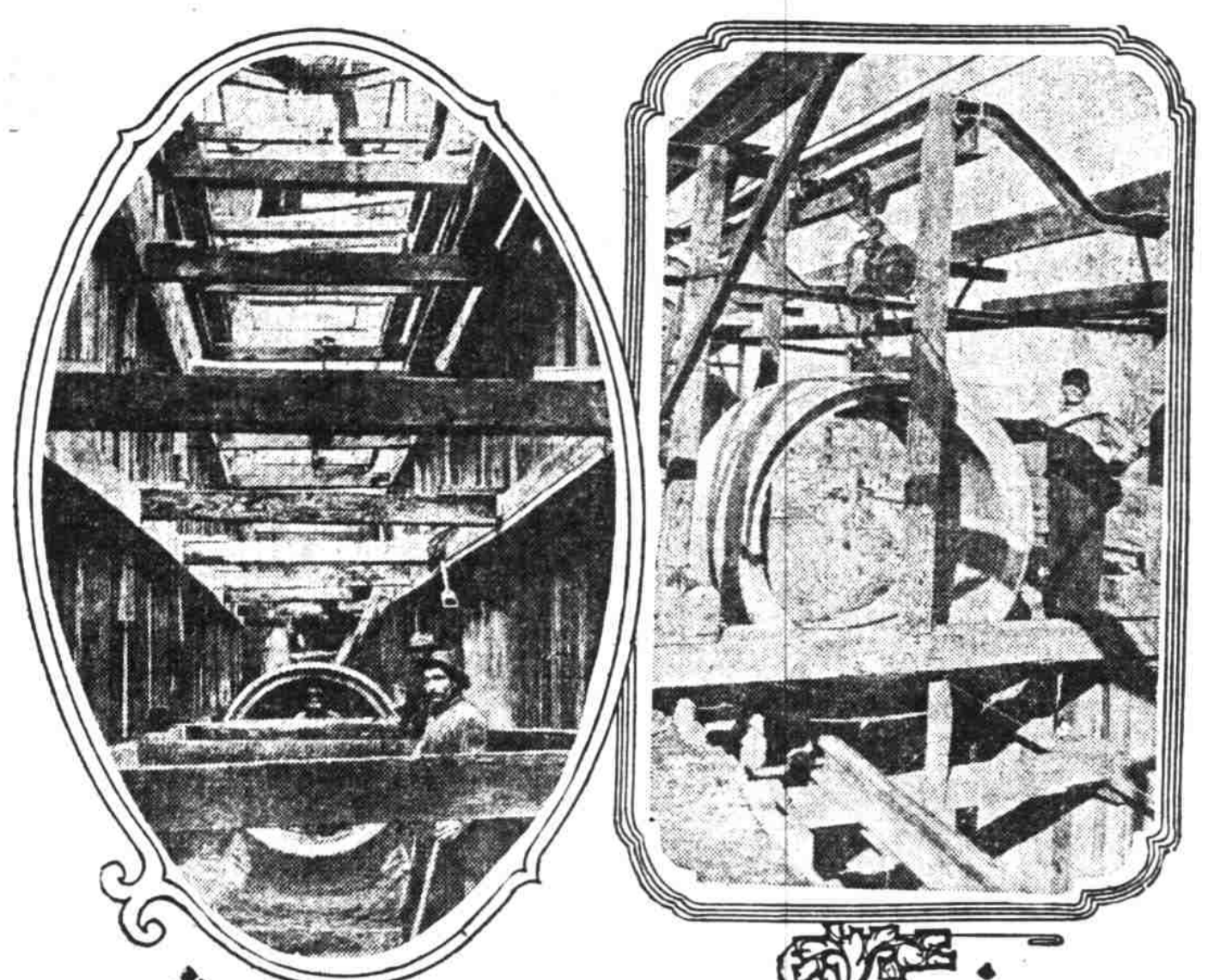
Just as game. For instance, Francis Yeager played the last 10 minutes of the first half with a broken collarbone, and passed the ball at that. Dr. Stewart did not discover it until the team went to the clubhouse for the rest between halves. That necessitated a change in the lineup. They carried Dutton off the field unable to move from the pain in the side smashed by Mitchell. Gus Hofer limped to the side lines on one good leg. Bissett, with the ligaments of his arm torn so badly that he could not raise the member insisted on going in, and he played a smashing game until it was twisted by an Oregon opponent, when, he, too, went to the bench for medical care.

### Fight Was There.

Yes, there was plenty of fight in the Stewart team but it could not win. The ball was as slippery as a greased pig. The Aggies tried their forward passes but the incessant rain and the slippery mud contrived to make them harmless, except close to the end. Only two of the passes were successful for O. A. C., while Oregon's were always incomplete. This gives one an idea of the condition of the field.

Oregon early discovered that its game was to depend upon the strong right leg of Johnny Beckett. We have more to say about this boy Beckett. After Smythe's disastrous attempt to kick from behind his own goal line, Captain Billie did the punting for the

# BIG SEWER NEARS COMPLETION



Left to right—Type of trench necessary. This is 30 feet deep. One of the big sections showing method of lowering into trench.

Aggies. He was no match in the aggregate for Beckett. Johnny's long high spirals allowed his ends to get down on the ball in good shape and ten yards was, perhaps, the longest return of the day.

### Beckett Was Superior.

The yardage from line plays in the second half was slightly in favor of the Aggies, but this could not by any means discount Beckett's superior punting.

### Oregon "Luck" Too Much for Aggie Heroes

With the game four minutes to go and the ball on the Aggies 32-yard line, the Oregon strategy board decided to add more points if possible by a place kick. This was about the only bit of luck the Aggies had during the day. They were in on the ball and blocked it, Hoerle recovering.

### "Hungry" Booted Low.

The Aggies threw the line plunging to the wings and "Hungry" Smythe was called back to kick. He booted a low ball that one of the Oregon men touched as it crossed the line of scrimmage, making it a free-for-all affair. Smythe allowed himself to be outfoxed on two successive occasions. Thinking the ball was Oregon's, Monteth did not touch it, and Anderson fell on it, giving it to the Aggies. Smythe immediately punted again and once more Monteth failed to touch the ball, allowing it to roll until it came to a stop. He failed to take into consideration that Smythe was punting close up the line and Abraham was on side, giving him a right to recover the ball if possible. Abe was right on the job and when the Oregon safety did not fall on the ball, the O. A. C. man did.

### Aggies Given Ball.

By this time the ball was only a few yards from Oregon's goal line. The Oregon contingent protested loudly against giving the ball to the Aggies, but Referee Varnell was obdurate. The Aggies then executed a forward pass and the ball was on the two yard line. Both teams were fighting desperately. The Oregon forwards charged before the Aggies put the ball in play and

# BIGGEST SEWER IN CITY OF PORTLAND WILL BE FINISHED IN FEW DAYS

## Work on Main Trunk of East Stark Street System Already Practically Complete

### DRAINS OVER 700 ACRES

#### Great Duct Is Three Miles Long and Takes Care of Montavilla District

Finishing touches being made to the East Eighty-second and Willow streets trunk sewer mark the completion of the fourth final unit of the East Stark Street sewer system, the largest sewer system ever built in Portland. Work on the largest sewer project undertaken during the year, and cost approximately \$150,000.

### Sewer Is Big One.

The sewer is three miles long, and when finally completed, will extend from East Ninety-second and Stark streets to East Sixty-third and Willow streets, and there connect with other units of the East Stark street system. Work on the project started last April. Owing to the natural depressions in the Montavilla district, in most places it has been necessary to lay the pipe 30 feet below the surface of the ground, thus necessitating the digging of exceptionally deep trenches.

### Great Care Used.

Upon being taken out of the forms the sections were raised into the air and then lowered into the trenches to be connected with other sections as the work progressed. The utmost care had to be taken in putting the sections in place, and it is noted that tremendous damage could be done by one of the sections getting loose from its fastenings.

# Auditorium Class Gets Fine Start

The auditorium class of the First Christian church has started with 140 charter members. It has chosen the following officers and committees: President, Claude H. Kepler; vice-president, Mrs. R. E. Bristow; treasurer, C. C. Coates; general secretary, Mrs. Foster Henderson; general assistant secretary, Mrs. C. Coates; Mrs. M. V. Billings; Walter Creech. The committees named are: Doormen and women—Carl Brown, Mrs. J. E. Thiehoff, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson, Mrs. E. Jacobsen, Foster Henderson, Mrs. Elvira Hartzell, Eschbacher, Mrs. J. F. Alexander, Cleon Livingston, Mrs. G. F. Alexander, Mrs. Roy Russell, Mrs. Claude Kepler, Mrs. J. Winchell, John Johnson.

### Murder Inquiry Postponed.

Los Angeles, Nov. 20.—(U. P.)—Unable to reach a decision in its investigation of Mrs. Allie E. Hammill's charge that Herbert E. White, realty dealer, murdered Charles E. Pendell on June 25, 1913, and stole his diamonds, the county grand jury temporarily abandoned the inquiry today, planning to resume it on Monday.

# SWEDISH PEOPLE IN WEST TOPIC OF BOOK



Miss Anna S. Swanson, A. M. The preparation of a book entitled, "The Swedes in the West," is the task upon which Rev. J. Jersperon, President of Coeur d'Alene college, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, and Miss Anna S. Swanson, A. M., are engaged. The purpose of this book is to give a correct presentation of the status of the Swedish people in the west. Miss Swanson came to Portland last week in the interest of her work and today she is visiting Oregon City and Salem. In the latter place she will deliver an address this afternoon. Tuesday evening she will speak in the Immanuel Lutheran church in Portland.

# SOLDIER SUFFERS UNTOLD AGONIES FROM INJURIES

## Herbert Liersh, nephew of Portland man, wounded while at front with German forces.



Herbert Liersh, nephew of Otto Schumann, of 453 East Sixteenth street, this city, gives a graphic account of fighting on the front in a letter just received here dated Seitz, October 16. Liersh is 23 years old. The wounds that sent him to the hospital came dangerously near proving fatal.

### Cannot Use Tongue.

"Here I had a visit from my dear parents and brothers and sisters. I was let out then on furlough for my further convalescence to Seitz, where my people awaited me, as one recovered from death, all possible care.

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# Will Lecture in Swedish.

Miss Winnie Gabrielson, a Swedish missionary from India and just returned home, will preach and lecture in the Swedish M. E. church, 167 Beach street, today at 10 a. m., 12 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Miss Gabrielson is a daughter of one of the Swedish preachers of Kansas and is a talented speaker. All Scandinavians are cordially invited to the meeting.

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