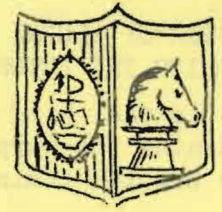




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KNIGHT GRIDDERS CLOSE 1963 HOME SLATE SATURDAY NIGHT AGAINST EASTERN WASHINGTON

The PLU footballers close out their 1963 home season Saturday night in Lincoln Bowl at 8 p.m., meeting Eastern Washington State College.

Unfortunately, the charges of Roy Carlson haven't much to show for their efforts, sporting a 1-6 record, but for those who have made a trip to the Bowl to witness the Knights in action, their efforts have not been wasted.

Except for a big letdown against Western Washington State College in the third game of the season, the Carlson men have played a brand of ball that no one would be ashamed of. Yet a rash of injuries unlike anything ever witnessed before, plus a general improvement of the caliber of ball being played in the Evergreen Conference, has thrown a roadblock in the path of the Knights' quest for victory.

The backfield has been the hardest hit. Carlson started the season with 14 backs. On Thursday he had eight backs who were physically sound. Of this crew only three have not had to sit out at least one or more games with an injury.

Latest to hit the injury trail were Keith Shahan, Les Rucker and Larry Omdal. Shahan and Omdal are definitely out for Saturday's game while Rucker could possibly suit up.

And so the story goes. Carlson has had to start a new backfield every week and for three weeks had to start untried halfbacks in the quarterback position.

Up front the injuries have not hit quite as hard. However, the Knights have been hurt by the loss of end Mike Smith for the season. Tackle John Aune also was out for three weeks while Kevin Thomas has been slowed down somewhat with a shoulder injury.

Nevertheless, the Knights have given it their all until the final whistle week after week, showing improvement as the season has progressed.

PLU's lone victory came over the same squad they meet Saturday night, Eastern Wash-

ington. The Knights spilled the Savages 20-7 in their earlier meeting in Cheney.

Eastern also is 1-6 for the season, but is lodged in the conference cellar with an 0-5 mark in league play.

PLU must top EWSC Saturday to avoid at least a tie for last place.

Actually, the Savages haven't won a conference game since edging PLU 14-13 in the final game of the 1960 season. Since then they have fallen victims to Evergreen Conference foes 19 times.

Ironically, PLU and EWSC, the two lesser-lights of the conference have held league leading Central Washington to its lowest point production of the season. The Wildcats, who are the lone undefeated team in the state, only were able to manage 14 points against both the Knights and the Savages.

Five seniors will be playing their final home game Saturday night. They are tackle Ed Brannfors, guard Jim Cypert, tackle Gary Snell, guard Kevin Thomas and tackle Dave Sovde. Ironically, two other seniors, Keith Shahan and Mike Smith who were elected as season co-captains at the first team meeting in September, will have to watch the final home outing from the sidelines.

Kickoff is 8 p.m. Let's have a good turnout to cheer on the Lutes. They have performed gallantly under extreme circumstances. Show them you are proud of them by attending the game Saturday. See you there.

H A P P Y B I R T H D A Y

Nov. 10 -- Grace Moe

Nov. 13 -- Jens Knudson

DIRECTOR OF ALUMNI RELATIONS PROVIDES VITAL LINK WITH THE FUTURE

(This is the third of a series of articles explaining the purpose and duties of several newly created administrative positions.)

Basic to the welfare of any institution of higher education is an interested, informed, participating alumni force. It is the institution in the field.

At Pacific Lutheran the connecting link between the University and its product - the alumni, is Lawrence J. Hauge, the Director of Alumni Relations.

Coordinating the program of the Alumni Association with that of the University is one of the duties of the new director. Organizing meaningful support is vital to a successful program.

To build interest and support, alumni are visited in the field, in area group meetings and individually. In addition frequent contact is maintained through publications, general mailings and personal letters.

Supervising the alumni office, serving as executive secretary to the Association and maintaining current files are important facets of this position.

Other areas of special interest for Hauge include:

1. Helping plan and promote the annual Homecoming and Reunion programs.
2. Furthering the long-range interests of the alumni program by working creatively with currently enrolled students, and
3. Promoting a healthy relationship between the alumni and the University, including active participation by the alumni in the recruitment and encouragement of good students for the University.

The faculty and administrative staff can play a key role in the renaissance of alumni interest and support, by keeping the alumni office advised of address changes and news about their former students. The sharing of ideas - new or used, for additions or improvements to the program are appreciated.

A faculty member's willingness to speak to alumni groups while traveling in distant areas is a particularly valuable contribution. However, a chapter meeting takes advance planning, so you should indicate your willingness to appear as early as you can.

A successful Alumni Association means a successful PLU. What have you done to keep alive this vital link in our future.?

THE COPY HOOK

Persons desiring a copy of the 1964 ALC Yearbook should contact the Bookstore by November 13.

The 1963 Homecoming activities were a huge success. Approximately 1600 attended the Martin Denny Concert, another 333 persons (all-time high) attended the Alumni Banquet, more than 850 attended the Homecoming Dance and a large number of Alumni frequented the Saturday coffee hours. On Sunday the Reformation Pageant played to two full houses. Several hundred had to be turned away in the afternoon. The musical drama drew more than 8,700 persons in its four showings, two in Seattle Center Opera House.

Remember the appearance of Dr. George Forell tonight at 8 p.m. in Eastvold Chapel as the opening lecture of the Associated Students lecture-entertainment series.

The Brothers Four will appear in concert Saturday night at 10 p.m. in Memorial Gymnasium at a post-game concert.

Approximately 40 persons are attending the Labor and Management Conference on our campus today and tomorrow. Dr. Eberhard Mueller, founder of the Academy Movement in Germany, is the featured speaker.

Calvin Knapp, a member of our department of music, will present a recital Sunday night at 8 p.m. in Eastvold Chapel. A reception, sponsored by Mu Phi Epsilon, will be held in the Faculty Lounge following the concert.

"Space Is So Startling," a terrific musical, will be presented on the stage of the Seattle Opera House Wednesday night, Nov. 13, at 8:30 p.m. John Sayre, whose parents live in Gig Harbor, is featured in the cast. Tickets are on sale at the Bon Marche and at the door. Mrs. Sayre stopped on campus the other day and said that the show is one everyone will enjoy, and will also find very profitable. So for a pleasant evening, we recommend "Space Is So Startling."

T H E R O U N D T A B L E

DR. O. M. JORDAHL and DR. HARRY S. ADAMS of the physics department will attend the meeting of the Washington Section of the American Association of Physics Teachers Saturday at Western Washington State College in Bellingham. Dr. Jordahl is president of the Washington Section. Papers will be presented by those in attendance on results of individual research, survey of developments in a particular field or techniques of teaching physics.

MISS ANNE KNUDSON of the English Department attended a conference of the Puget Sound Council of Teachers of English last Saturday at the University of Washington. Miss Knudson reports that "many exciting and challenging things are being done in the field of English and linguistics on the secondary level--especially in composition and grammar. Many of these newer programs should lead to a 'better product' among entering freshmen."

DR. WILLIAM RIEKE, '52, professor in the department of biological structure at the U. of W. School of Medicine, spoke recently to about 100 of our students. His address dealt with bio-medical science and was directed to students in pre-medical, pre-dental and health science programs. Accompanying Dr. Rieke was DR. ROY SCHWARZ, '58, also of the U. of W. faculty. An informal coffee hour followed at which time Dr. Rieke and Dr. Schwarz talked with pre-medical and pre-dental students.

DR. PHILIP HAUGE and DR. ERICH KNORR are attending the annual conference of academic deans of American Lutheran Church colleges and universities today and tomorrow in Minneapolis. Kelmer Roe and Stewart Govig are attending a meeting of the religion departments of the ALC colleges at the same time.

DR. JOHN KUETHE, professor of philosophy, will speak Sunday at the Clyde Hill Baptist Church in Bellevue. His subject will be "On the Home." On Friday he will speak at the St. Andrews Church in Bellevue on the meaning of stewardship.

Speaker at the 75th Anniversary at the Peace Lutheran Church in Colfax Sunday will be DR. ERICH KNORR. This was his first parish after ordination and he served there from 1924-1930.

ROY CARLSON, head football coach, spoke at the McChord AFB Little League football banquet Wednesday evening.

SID SHELVER, admission counsellor, will be in San Francisco this week talking with prospective students. JAMES VANBEEK, spent this past week talking with students at high school-college conferences at Ellensburg and Yakima.

Jim Olson, son of DR. and MRS. ROBERT C. OLSEN (chemistry) who finished here last June, is doing a six month stint in the Army. He was to have gone to Texas for med. tech. school recently, but on the last day of infiltration training Jim suffered a broken leg. He is getting along well and is hospitalized at Fort Ord, Calif. The Olsens have a son Dick in graduate school at Oregon State, a son Bob at Luther Seminary, and Paul is a frosh here.

WILMA BAER, member of the choir on the European tour, relates this experience. She and her roommate (Delena Hawks) stayed in a home in Fredrikstad, Norway, where the hosts spoke no English. After the concert the hosts invited some friends and two of the male members of the choir over for coffee. During the course of the evening, one of the boys decided he needed to use the bathroom. He went to the hostess and asked, "Toilet, toilet?" She responded by saying, "Ja, Ja," shook his hand and motioned for him to sit down.

They thought he was introducing himself, so for the remainder of the evening, he sat there while they called him "Toilet."

CAMPUS CALENDAR

- Nov. 8 -- Dr. George Forell's Visit
3:30 p.m. -- "MY Moral Obligation Not To Vote For Goldwater in 1964." CB-200
8 p.m.--"The Search for Meaning in Contemporary Theology," Eastvold Chapel.
- Nov. 9--Football, PLU vs. EWSC, Lin.B1. 8p.m.
Brothers Four Concert, Mem. Gym, 10 p.m.
- Nov. 10--Faculty Recital, Calvin Knapp, Eastvold Chapel, 8 p.m.
- Nov. 15--Dr. David Burge, Piano Recital, Eastvold Chapel, 8 p.m.
- Nov. 16--Football, PLU at WWSO, 1:30 p.m.

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