

NO HERO FOR HER.

Grace Rinner, of Washburn College, Runs Away to Denver.

She "Could Not Stand," Roy McKnight, Football Player.

MADE FUN OF HER.

College Boys Link Her Name With the Football Man.

Girl Will Return to Topeka With Her Father.

There has been found in Washburn college, a girl who is not blinded by the glare of Washburn football stars and who is not included in the long undulating rows of kneeling hero worshippers...

"I simply could not remain in Topeka any longer," said Miss Rinner to the Denver police officers who caught her as she alighted from a Union Pacific train.

"Miss Rinner disappeared from home Tuesday, Mrs. Rinner, the girl's mother, stated to the State Journal today that the girl had taken her music and her books and left home with the intention of going out to the college.

"She did not want to go," said Mrs. Rinner, "but I insisted that she go and she went away in a reluctant mood. She said that she could not stand the joshing of the students any longer and especially in their talk about Mr. McKnight. Then we did not hear anything else of her until last night by the Associated Press. Mr. Rinner left right away for Denver to get her and bring her home."

On being asked about the girl's feelings toward McKnight, Mrs. Rinner said:

"I have never seen Mr. McKnight and know nothing of him. He has never been at the house to call on Grace and as far as I know she has never been with him. She told me one time after returning from her work at the college that Mr. McKnight had tried to go with her and she could not stand him and did not want him around. It seems like several of the other boys at the college had been disturbing her, also.

"Finally, she became disgusted with her college work and wanted to go to school in the mornings. She had a cousin in Kansas City and expressed a desire to go and visit her some time, and she had not returned to the college Tuesday we were certain that she had gone to the city. We had no idea of her going to Denver.

McKnight Denies It.

"Red" McKnight, who is a sub-line-up on the football team of the college and a good man in his position was surprised when informed of the dispatch from Denver this morning.

"Gee, I have never had anything to do with Miss Rinner," he said, "I know her by sight and know something of her but I am not acquainted with her. I have never been with her and I have never intruded upon her in any way. I can't see where my name could have been connected up with her in this manner—as I have had absolutely nothing to do with the girl. She would not have run very far to get away from me."

When asked if any of the boys of the college knew anything about her and had gone with her, McKnight said: "Several of the boys from Parkdale have been over to see her and they seem to pay more attention than anyone else. I don't believe the college boys have ever had anything to do with her."

Miss Rinner is 22 years old and is a freshman in music at the college. This is her first year in Washburn. She is an attractive girl and is well liked by fellow students. She is the daughter of George Rinner, a contractor, and lives with her parents at 1816 Clay street.

Mr. Rinner left last night on the Union Pacific with the intention of finding his daughter and bringing her home. Miss Rinner bought her ticket to Denver with the money that her father had given her to pay her tuition to the college. Mr. Rinner and his daughter are expected home tomorrow night.

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ONE MORE FOOTBALL VICTIM.

University Student Taken Home Suffering From Blood Poisoning.

Lawrence, Kan., Nov. 25.—Harold Lee, who had been at Simmons' hospital with blood poisoning for a couple of weeks, has been taken to his home in Oklahoma City.

Lee was one of the promising subs in the football squad and would probably have made the team later. Just before the Nebraska game he chafed his elbow in a scrimmage and the light wound became infected, bringing on a serious case of blood poisoning.

Lee is a Phi Gam, and his fraternity brothers say that while his condition is serious they hope for his recovery. This is the first serious consequence from football experienced in Lawrence this year, and the actual injury was so slight that it might have come to no taking part in the game.

OFFERS AN EXPLANATION

Chairman Biddle Gives Particulars About Tongsaxle Meeting.

The following is an open letter written by W. I. Biddle, chairman of the Leavenworth County Republican committee in explanation of the Tongsaxle meeting which certain embarrassing questions were said to have been asked Congressman D. R. Anthony by Republicans of his own county:

The Capital article containing what purports to be a resolution offered by John M. Corey of Leavenworth at an alleged "Taxpayers' League" meeting in this county. The publication of this resolution in the Capital is the first news that we had heard of it in Leavenworth.

For the information of the Republican readers of the State Journal and the Capital I would respectfully state that Mr. Corey is not exactly in good standing in the Leavenworth County Republican party and that he was expelled as a member of the Republican county central committee of Leavenworth county at a meeting held November 1, 1908, for being a traitor to the party, and on that date resolutions were passed expelling him from membership by the unanimous vote of the full committee and the following extracts from the resolutions passed at that time. I would be greatly obliged if you would give the same publicity to this as you did to Mr. Corey's alleged resolution.

Here are extracts from the resolutions: "We find that he has made false statements relative to the members of this committee, as well as party candidates, and has done everything within his limited ability to injure the Republican party."

"The sub-committee unanimously recommends the summary removal of John M. Corey as a Republican committeeman from the Leavenworth County Republican party, and that the place held by him remain vacant until a Republican of the precinct is selected for the position who has a proper sense of his party responsibilities and is worthy of affiliation with the other members of the committee." Very truly yours, W. I. BIDDLE, Chairman Leavenworth County Republican Central Committee.

TEN BADLY INJURED.

Fire and Explosions of Gas in a Joplin Laundry.

Joplin, Mo., Nov. 25.—Ten persons were injured, two probably fatally, in gas explosions which followed a fire in the Joplin laundry here at 9 o'clock last night. The injured:

H. Franks, fireman, burned, back crushed, may die. Frank Galloway of Hume, Mo., spectator, burned on face and body, may die.

Robert Pierson, assistant fire chief, face painfully burned. J. C. Gilmore, patrolman, seriously injured by flying brick.

William Kernahan, eye destroyed as he ran into boiler truck, trying to escape from falling walls. Charles B. Hatcher, arm and rib broken.

Hiland Russell, negro, struck by flying brick. Jasper Brown, negro, three ribs broken, internal injuries.

"Kid" Bryant, negro, face and arms burned. The fire started in the basement of the laundry building, a two story brick structure, when an accumulator exploded from a leaking main was ignited, and exploded with terrific force.

The walls of the building were partially demolished. A crowd of more than 1,000 collected to watch the fire and a second explosion in the basement hurled a quantity of brick, timbers, and broken machinery into the crowd.

More than 20 persons were slightly injured. The building and contents, valued at \$10,000, was a total loss.

PRATT MEETS STAFFORD.

Will Decide Football Championship of Southwest Kansas.

Pratt, Kan., Nov. 25.—The undefeated teams of Stafford and Pratt high school football teams meet at Pratt on this Thanksgiving day to decide the championship of south central Kansas.

Stafford has a light fast team, which has played several seasons together. No score has been made against Stafford this year. Pratt has played two seasons together, has a slightly heavier team, but also no score was made by Kingman in a game which resulted in a score of 38 to 4 in favor of Pratt.

Records of the teams: Pratt 9, Kingman 0. Pratt 5, Wichita 0. Pratt 17, Hutchinson 0. Pratt 36, Kingman 6. Stafford 23, Hutchinson 0. Stafford 42, Kingman 0. Stafford 34, S. C. B. C. 0. Stafford 33, Lewis 0.

Efforts were made to secure a referee from Fairmount college and to insure both teams a square deal and the spectators a good, clean game. Following is the line-up of the teams and the records this season:

Pratt: Marshall, Swindler, Riney, Arnold, L. Pitzer, B. Pitzer, Moore, Barrett, (Capt.), Sneed, Hilliard, Cochran, Banbury, Briggs, Close, Burnette.

Stafford: Magill, Fee, Curtiss, Lowe, Ball, Peacock, Wesley, Fowler, Lear, Brownell, Salmon, Stark.

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Lord Curzon Is Ill. London, Nov. 25.—Lord Curzon, conservative, who it was announced last night would reopen the debate on the budget bill when the house of commons met today, was taken ill during the night. His indisposition is not of a serious character, but is sufficient to necessitate a change in the speaking program.

Harry Suter Loses Appendix. Sedalia, Nov. 25.—Harry Suter, a member of the Chicago American league team pitching staff, was operated on for appendicitis here yesterday.

FORCES ARE HERE.

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make a record for their college. Thanksgiving games are always the final games of the year and with many of the players on Washburn field this afternoon, the game today is their last game—the final football chance of their college lives. After today they go down in history—and down and down and down. The harder they play the further down they go and their ambition is to have their names remain as a god in the college from which they graduated.

The condition of the two teams is excellent. Washburn was never in such good shape as she is today. All the old men who have been knocked out of the game at different times during the season, thus weakening the team at every play, are in good form. A game has not been played since the Oklahoma battle over two weeks ago. No charley horses, no broken ribs, no stiff ankles and no bruises can be located with the Washburn men. K. S. A. C. is also tip-top. They have been gaining strength right along since their easy game with Fairmount last Saturday. With the strength they have the same old spirit—"We must beat Washburn."

The dope on the game is not a pendulum this year—it has swung over to K. S. A. C. and remains there. Washburn has contended all the season with bad luck—but today they are able to brush it all aside and commence over again—with the addition of the experience. The agricultural college has won more games than Washburn this year and they have probably made a better record but they are combating with a new proposition today. The dope favors Manhattan but the hopes favor Washburn.

How They Line Up. The lineup as given out by the coaches of both teams is as follows: Washburn. Position. K. S. A. C. Larimer.....L. E.....Elliott (capt.).....L. G.....Titus.....L. G.....Seng Whitely.....C.....Zoeller DeFrank.....C.....Garner Titus.....R. T.....Roots Robb.....R. E.....Toller Smiley (capt.).....L. H.....Croyle Nippe.....L. H.....Speer McCarroll.....R. H.....Speer Whitcomb.....F. B.....B. Officials: Referee, Coach Wann of Ottawa university; umpire, Cowden, Northwestern university; field judge, Kansas City Athletic club; head linesmen, O. S. Samuels of Emporia.

Carlisle at St. Louis. Eastern Indians Clash With Strong Western Team. St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 25.—The Carlisle football team met the St. Louis university team here this afternoon and spectators witnessed the difference between the eastern and western styles of playing Rugby.

The line-up: Carlisle. Position. St. Louis. Newashe.....L. E.....Synder Wausaka.....L. E.....Stadler German.....L. G.....Wills Burd.....R. G.....Lindsay Lone Star.....R. T.....Wagner Kennedy.....R. E.....Berry Edroy.....L. H.....Dockery Solomon.....L. H.....Ahrens Wheeler.....R. H.....Painter Houser.....F. B.....Lowe

Colorado U. and Mines. Denver, Colo., Nov. 25.—A large crowd from Golden, Boulder and other Colorado cities was here today to witness the football game at Broadway park between the School of Mines and University of Colorado. A close contest was expected. Probable lineup: Colorado. Position. Mines. Leubetter.....R. T.....Wardley Mertes.....R. G.....Cuton Gadot.....L. G.....O'Brien Calvert.....L. T.....Slusher Marshall.....L. E.....Gilligan Gilbert.....Q. B.....Strret Slattery.....R. H.....B. McFadden Springs.....L. H.....B. McFadden Douglas.....F. B.....Schroeder

Denver and Colorado College. Denver, Colo., Nov. 25.—Denver university and Colorado college will meet in the final football game of the season here this afternoon at University park. Afternoon at 3 o'clock. A close contest with the Nebraska game, will start play in the usual position, but may be displaced by Large or Herbert. The lineup is announced as follows: Denver. Position. Colorado. Sinton.....R. E.....Meyers Cary (capt.).....R. T.....Pruter Thompson.....L. E.....Green Hiebbelom.....L. G.....Curtis Steele.....L. E.....Russ Wilson.....L. E.....Crowley (capt.) Vandenberg.....Q. B.....Volk Veltaker.....L. H.....Schroeder Heath.....F. B.....Schroeder

Notre Dame and Marquette. Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 25.—The undefeated football aggregation from Notre Dame university, met the Marquette university eleven this afternoon. The field was soft and slippery from the recent fall of snow.

Vanderbilt and Sewanee. Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 25.—The championship of the Southern Intercollegiate Athletic association was contested at stake in the game here today in the

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ROOSEVELT REFUSED. When Asked to Become a Candidate for Mayor. New York, Nov. 25.—Theodore Roosevelt toward the latter part of his presidential term, flatly refused to consider running for mayor of greater New York to aid the Republicans against Tammany in the recent municipal election. This became known today through Herbert Parsons, president of the Republican county committee, who said he personally had made such a proposition to Col. Roosevelt.

Washington University and Arkansas. Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 25.—Washington university of St. Louis and Arkansas university contested for football honors here today.

St. Marys and Doane. St. Marys, Kan., Nov. 25.—The football game between the Doane eleven of Crete, Neb., and the St. Marys team this afternoon aroused much interest among football followers in the Missouri Valley. The players of both teams were in excellent condition for the contest.

Chicago Plans to Light City From Power as Generated. Chicago, Nov. 25.—Official action toward the consummation of the proposed new lighting system for the city, under which it is planned to have every street in Chicago lighted with electricity furnished by the drainage canal, was begun by Chairman Snow of the council finance committee.

Maniac as Houseman. Escaped From Asylum and Beat Employer Insensible. New York, Nov. 25.—When Mrs. Ellen Sullivan employed a man-of-all-work at her boarding house she observed that he acted strangely, but she did not know that he was a maniac. He had been at work only a few hours when under the pretense of showing her a leaking water pipe, he lured her into the basement and there attacked her with an iron bar, inflicting injuries from which the hospital surgeons say she will probably die.

Also Claim Hurts Business. Santiago, Nov. 25.—The attitude of the United States government in the matter of the Alsop claim held by the United States against Chile is producing an effect on the business of the country. Chilean buyers are cancelling orders for American products pending a decision in the case.

To Teach Farming to Indians. Washington, Nov. 25.—What crops can be most profitably grown on the Indian reservations of the southwest is a problem which the department of agriculture will endeavor to solve. With view of securing experts to carry out this work will be done by the Indians under the supervision of the experts to be selected after this examination.

Will They Be Able to Save Him? A cartoon illustration showing a man in a top hat looking at a man lying on the ground. The man on the ground has a speech bubble saying "GEE! DON'T HURT 'ER DOCK!". Another man is saying "WHERE IS THAT APPENDIX?". A dog is also present.

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BABY HAS APPENDICITIS. Infant of Six Months Under Surgeon's Knife in Detroit. Detroit, Mich., Nov. 25.—For the first time in local surgical history, a baby six months old was operated on for appendicitis. The operation was performed by one of the city's leading surgeons at Grace hospital, with the result that the infant's life was saved. The patient was Ralph Thorn, son of Frank Thorn.

GOVERNOR STOPS PRIZE FIGHT. Chief Executive Will Not Stand for Game in Kansas. Governor Stubbs will not stand for prize fights in Kansas. The state law is very drastic in regard to its provisions forbidding the sport. The governor's expression on this subject was called forth by the attempt of the sports at Effingham and Kansas City to hold a fight Sunday between Corbett, Collier of Kansas City and Hector Dawn of Effingham.

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Deaths and Funerals. S. H. Ogden, who was stricken with paralysis last Tuesday afternoon, died last evening at his home, 424 Polk street. Funeral services at the house 2 o'clock p. m., Friday. Interment in Rochester cemetery. Mr. Ogden was born July 1, 1833, near Girard, Grumble county, Ohio. He came to Topeka in 1855; was an active member of Golden Rule lodge No. 20 A. F. & A. M. and Helena chapter No. 210 O. E. S. His wife, four sons and one daughter survive him.

Much Wanted Man Captured. Wilbur McLean, colored, who had proved elusive to the police on numerous occasions, and who has been wanted for some time on a grand larceny charge, was arrested last night by Detective Hutton and Wonders. The specific nature of the charge is the stealing of a shotgun.

Kills Her Foe of 20 Years. "The most merciless enemy I had for 20 years," declares Mrs. James Duncan, suffered intensely after eating or drinking and could scarcely sleep. After many remedies had failed and several doctors gave me up, I tried Electric Bitters, which cured me completely. Now I can eat anything. I am 50 years old and an over-generous. For Indigestion, Loss of Appetite, Kidney Trouble, Lame Back, Female Complaints, its unequalled. Only 50c at Campbell Drug Co.