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Wentworth-Kemper Football Game Thanksgiving Day

A BIG CROWD IS EXPECTED FOR THE HOMECOMING

GOOD PROGRAM ARRANGED

The Wentworth-Kemper Game Will Be The Outstanding Feature.

The second annual "homecoming" of Wentworth Military Academy is only one week off. On next Thursday, November 30th, Thanksgiving Day, the "old boys" will come pouring back. On next Thursday the Red and White eleven will meet the Kemper team in a game that will decide the State Conference Championship. And other events which have been planned for that day will make it an occasion long remembered.

Much interest centers around the return of many former cadets. The Lexington Chapter of Wentworth Alumni will leave nothing undone for the entertainment of the "old boys" who come back. And they are coming back! No doubt about that. Dr. B. T. Payne has mailed out hundreds of invitations and he has received scores of answers saying that students of other days will be on hand to pull for a Wentworth victory.

It is hoped that as many former cadets as possible can be on hand Wednesday night for the big pep meeting in the gymnasium. At that time the old Wentworth Spirit which they used to know so well will be kindled to a white heat. There will be speeches, band selections, yell practice—in fact, a real, genuine pep meeting.

On Thanksgiving morning the W. M. A. battalion and band will meet the Kemper battalion and team at the Lexington station. They will arrive by special train. Immediately afterwards the two schools will stage a big parade downtown.

At eleven o'clock the band will give a concert on the Academy campus and all "old boys" are expected to register at the Main Office and to meet Col. Sellers and former schoolmates.

And then in the afternoon comes the Wentworth-Kemper game. Neither team has been scored on by a conference team yet. That contest will decide the Missouri State Conference Championship. It will be a battle for blood—the prep school classic of the Middle west!

At six o'clock a banquet especially for the benefit of all former students will be held in the school mess-hall. No "old boy" should miss that.

And finally to close a busy, interesting day, the annual football hop will be staged in Wentworth's gymnasium, the largest in the state, at 8:00 p. m. It is hoped that every ex-cadet will attend. Formal evening dress is not necessary.

And so that, briefly, is the outline of the activities for "Homecoming Day," November 30th. Anyone who wishes reservations should write to Mr. F. Lee Wallace, Lexington, Missouri. He is chairman of the entertainment committee. It is also the plan of the local alumni to meet every "old boy" at the train. In fact, nothing that will make former students have a good time will be omitted.

The official program is:

1. Big pep meeting in the gym, Wednesday night, 7:30.
2. Review and parade of Wentworth-Kemper battalions as soon as the Kemper special arrives Thursday morning.
3. Band concert and registration of former students on the Academy campus, 11 a. m.
4. Wentworth vs. Kemper, for the Conference Championship, 2:00 p. m.
5. Banquet for "old boys" in the school dining-room, 6:00 p. m.
6. Annual football hop in the gymnasium, 8:00 p. m.

W. M. A. Memorial Statue Arrives.

The bronze statue of the American Doughboy, which is to be placed upon the Wentworth campus as a memorial to the former cadets who made the supreme sacrifice during the World War, has arrived. This memorial was made possible by popular subscription from W. M. A. alumni. A copper plate bearing the names of those who fell has also been ordered.

The location for the statue has not been definitely decided.

Misses Margaret Boyd, Cameron, Mo., Virginia, Garner, Montgomery City, Mo., Lucy Chadwick, Glasgow, Mo., Virginia Yates, Pattonsburg, Mo., Bernice Looney, DeWitt, Mo., and Zoe Arrington, Keytesville, Mo., former students of Central College for Women, were guests at the College last week-end.

THE AMERICAN RED CROSS Preparations Have Been Made For Annual Roll Call.

All preparations have been made for the Annual Roll Call of the American Red Cross, which must necessarily be completed long in advance of the opening of the campaign, because the Chapters reach nearly around the world; the slogan, "Every American everywhere a member of the Red Cross" had been unanimously approved and the work of Roll Call organization began with the purpose of gaining a membership of 5,000,000 for 1923.

Then, as suddenly as it was unexpected, came the call from Smyra for succor for half a million innocent sufferers driven to the waters' edge by the victorious Turkish troops. Thus came war into the midst of the American Red Cross engagements of peace, and with an insistence upon relief that could not be denied.

The call found the Red Cross prepared for service and while the Chapter at Constantinople plunged wholeheartedly into the breach, National Headquarters at Washington took immediate steps to meet the terrifying situation growing out of the crisis. Within a short time American Red Cross relief workers were sent to Athens; its nurses in Europe were working in the refugee camps; shiploads of food, clothing and medical supplies were started for Greek ports, and over three-quarters of a million dollars in Red Cross funds had been committed for this great relief work.

The response of the American Red Cross in this war-time disaster recalls the happy phrase uttered by Cardinal Mercier of Belgium when World War relief was at its height in his own country and in France. That brave figure in the great conflict had said of the American Red Cross "Such a national inspiration should be captured and held for the benefit of all mankind."

The events of the last few weeks happily prove that the inspiration has been captured. And the work for mankind in far-off Greece serves to emphasize why the American Red Cross must be prepared to cope with any disaster, no matter how great in extent or how sudden, and must ever be ready to do the service quickly and effectually.

The situation which finds the equipment and resources of the American Red Cross again engaged in relieving the sufferings attendant upon war with the efficiency and generosity that in the World War was a marvel to all the nations, lays a greater obligation also upon Americans everywhere during the Roll Call to endorse services to all mankind with their signatures and their membership fees. The Roll Call is a call to "Say it with names and with dollars"—and to say it, as in the World War times, with patriotic fervor for your Red Cross.

For as "Peace hath its victories no less renowned than war," so must the American Red Cross have its resources from the strength of its membership to go ever onward in the work committed to the organization by the American people.

MUTES WERE EASY FOR WENTWORTH

Cadets Run Up Big Score Without Much Difficulty.

Wentworth Military Academy had little trouble in defeating the Olathe Mutes Wednesday, 47 to 6. The cadets proved superior in every part of the game and showed that they could uncover a real offensive. However, the Mutes brought down a heavier team than usual and were able to give enough competition to make an interesting contest.

As it seems to be the case this year in each game, Wentworth was slow in getting started. Only two touchdowns were made in the first half and neither goal was kicked. The first score came after considerable see-sawing, when the Red and White eleven marched down the field on line smashes and end runs. Shadow plunged the last three yards for the counter. The second was due to passes mostly. A fifteen-yard pass, Todd to Shadow, put the ball on the one-yard line and Shadow then plunged over. The remainder of the second quarter was spent in practicing forward passes by the Wentworth team. The ball was often advanced down the field to the Mutes' goal line but was never put over. The cadets showed that they were developing some skill in aerial play.

In the second half, after some substitutions, W. M. A. began to score with regularity. Five touchdowns were put over and every goal was kicked. In less than three minutes, after a nice return of a kick, Shadow went over the goal line. The Olathe team then scored their only touchdown when a swift back intercepted a pass and ran seventy yards for the counter.

Wentworth again counted easily when Pilley recovered a punt back of the Olathe goal. From then on the cadets played brilliantly. Hamilton and Shadow pierced the line for consistent gains, and Pilley, who two weeks ago was playing company football, proved a real sensation. He flashed around end and over tackle for gains of fifteen and twenty yards. The ball was carried down the field time and again, and when a few yards were needed for the touchdown, the ball was always given to the Indian Shadow, who drove over the chalk line for the required distance. And Todd never missed a goal. The fleet Pilley made the last touchdown. The final score was 47 to 6.

The game was so one-sided that the whole W. M. A. team looked good. Practically the whole squad got a chance and with each substitution the eleven seemed to get better. Taubman, Ispocogee, and Steele are still far from being in good condition and they only played for short periods. Peck and Rogers looked best in the line. The lanky end, Williams, played a star game at his position and few gains were made around him. Wilson played a mighty nice game at end also. Todd seemed badly off color, but Shadow was at his best in line plunges. He smashed the opposing team with terrific force. Hamilton, at quarter, did his usual good work and made some spectacular runs. Pilley, playing his

first game on the varsity, proved a surprise. He had speed, shiftiness, and ability to pick holes. He looked so good that he may start in the Kemper game. He also punts and passes well.

The Mutes had a fast, gritty, tricky team, somewhat heavier than usual, but they were no match for the cadets.

This was Wentworth's last game before Thanksgiving. Four Kemper scouts watched the Red and White team from the bleachers. From present indications, the game on Turkey Day will be some battle.

Line-ups:

Olathe	W. M. A.
Brown	R. E. Steele
Buselt	R. T. Rogers
Baldwin	R. G. Mathes
Lamm	C. Reid
Kistler	L. G. Pollock
Benedet	L. T. Peck
Pritner	L. E. Shadow
Milner	Q. B. Hamilton
Artie	R. H. Ispocogee
Reynolds	L. H. Taubman
Ringle	F. B. Todd

Substitutions: Olathe—Reynolds at center, Morand at guard, Brantley at quarter, Badwin at half.

Wentworth—Williams, Bandon, and Wilson at end; Tomlinson, Willet, Patton, and Denison at guard; Pollock at tackle, Shadow at half; Price and Pilley at half; Hansen at full.

Death of Mrs. Amos M. Kidder.

Announcement is made in the November number of the "Central Messenger" of the death of Mrs. Amos Mansfield Kidder, at her home in Shorthills, New Jersey, October 23rd, after an illness of three weeks' duration.

Mrs. Kidder was the eldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Alfred Franklin Smith. Dr. Smith was president of Central College for Women from 1903 to 1908. The deceased was married in December, 1917, to Mr. Kidder who with two children, Lucy and Amos, Jr., survive her.

D. A. R. Elects Officers.

The Lexington Chapter D. A. R. has chosen the following officers for the ensuing year:

Mrs. E. N. Hopkins, regent; Mrs. J. A. Hix, vice-regent; Mrs. B. M. Little, corresponding secretary; Mrs. R. K. Latham, registrar; Mrs. Nannie C. Steele, treasurer; Mrs. S. N. Wilson, librarian; Mrs. N. E. Baskett, assistant librarian; Mrs. W. B. Waddell, chaplain; Mrs. R. M. Taubman, flag custodian; Mrs. Ryland Todhunter, historian, and Mrs. J. G. Crenshaw, director.

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BRIDGE BONDS ARE LEGAL

Supreme Court Removes Another Obstacle From Bridge Proceedings.

The supreme court of Missouri by unanimous decision has declared the Ray county bonds legal and ordered State Auditor Hackman to register them. This decision, by no means a surprise, but welcome never-the-less, removes another monkey wrench from the machinery constructing the bridge.

And so step by step the bridge proposition has gone forward until finally it is squarely up to Lexington to fulfill her promise to provide means to build the approaches.

C. of C. Luncheon, Tuesday 28th

The next C. of C. luncheon will be held on Tuesday, November 28th. This will be, perhaps, one of the most important of the year and every business and professional man and woman should attend. H. F. Blackwell will speak on a very vital subject—"The Lexington Bond Issue." B. M. Little will tell of the "Importance of Lexington Chamber of Commerce."

The luncheon will be held at Morris Hotel. Tickets may be secured from E. D. Hix. Be there!

Death of Mike Savio.

Word has been received from St. Louis announcing the death of Mike Savio, after an illness of about three months. The deceased had lived in Lexington about thirty years up to two years ago when he moved to St. Louis. The body was brought to Lexington for burial, and the funeral was held from the Catholic church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The Italian Lodge had charge of the funeral.

To The Voters of Lafayette County.

There comes a time in the life of every man when he needs friends. That time came to me on November 7, 1922, and you came in overwhelming numbers and elected me your county collector. I wish to extend the thanks of myself and family to every voter for the great honor they have conferred upon me, and my aim shall be to give the best that is in me to serve you.

WALTER B. WADDELL.

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