



If anyone doubts that things have changed much in the last twenty-five years, take a look at physical education for co-eds as it was given on the O. U. campus for the Class of '14. Members of the Silver Anniversary Reunion Class returning to the campus this Spring will find co-eds taking golf and tennis courses in streamlined shorts and blouses



Above is the football team of the school year 1913-14, which set an all-time scoring record for three consecutive games by piling up a total of 262 points. Top row left to right: Capshaw (assistant coach), O. Hott, Meacham, Bell, Owen (coach); second row, Lowry, S. Hott, Geyer, Spears, Reed, W. Hott; below, Ambrister, Johnson, Courtright, Rogers, Clark, Capshaw

Silver Anniversary Class

MEMBERS of the O. U. graduating class of 1914, who received their degrees back in the day when the entire student body totaled only 900, will hold their Silver Anniversary Reunion the first weekend of June this Spring.

The returning alumni will find the University campus vastly different than it was twenty-five years ago. They will find many more buildings, more equipment, seven times as many students.

Some things do not change much, however. They will find that now, as then, the University is overcrowded and is seeking more space.

Dr. Roy Gittinger, writing in the 1914 *Sooner Yearbook* under the caption "What the University Needs Most," stated: "The University needs more room. It needs now at least two new buildings. Nine hundred students today occupy a space a little larger than that occupied by six hundred in 1907." The great need in 1914 was for an auditorium and for a science building, he said.

Student government at O. U. was only one year old in 1914. According to the yearbook, it had "made good progress toward gaining complete control of student affairs." The article conceded, however, that "the student body has not yet become accustomed to having its affairs regulated by the student council, as this authority has so long rested with those in control of the University."

The humor section of the yearbook perhaps presented a more accurate picture of student government in a sketch labeled "Student Council, Minutes of the Last Meeting."

Bayless absent at roll call, but came in later.

Boatman calls for report of committees. Freshman Cap committee reports that Dean of Women will not allow freshmen girls to wear the little red caps. Boatman states that he will take the matter up with Prexy. Senior Mustache committee has no report, since all seniors now wearing a mustache are always busy rushing the freshman girls. Chairman Harrell, of the Power committee, states the Student Council is gradually gaining ground, and that in a couple of years it should succeed to the management of the program rights at football games. Otherwise, little is doing in the way of increasing power of the council. Committees on Campus Smoking and Week Night Dates appointed. Meeting adjourned.

The football team for the school year 1913-14 set one record that quite likely never will be surpassed. It scored a total of 262 points in three consecutive games. These points were scored in three "practice games" that opened the season. The Sooners defeated Kingfisher College 77 to 0, and Central Normal 83 to 0. Then, getting really warmed up, they walloped Northwestern Normal 102 to 0.

In the big games of the season, O. U. defeated Kansas 21 to 7 and Colorado 14 to 3, but lost to Missouri 17-20 and to Texas 6-14. The *Sooner Yearbook* in its review of the season declared that the Sooners would have won at Missouri had not Fullback Claude Reeds been barred at the last minute because of an ineligibility ruling. The Texas Longhorns admittedly were a superior team that year.

On the Sooner team that season were Tom Lowry, Claude Reeds, Hubert Ambrister, William Clark, Sabert Hott, Edgar Meacham, Oliver Hott, Charley Rogers, Willis Hott, Curry Bell, Neil Johnson, Roy Spears, Park Geyer, Raymond Courtright, and Elmer Capshaw.

The class of 1914 boasts some names

that have become well known in Oklahoma in the last quarter-century.

Selecting a few at random as they come alphabetically: Fritz Aurin, president of the Southland Royalty Company, Fort Worth, Texas; A. N. Boatman, lawyer and O. U. alumni leader at Okmulgee; Orel Busby, Ada attorney and former justice of the State Supreme Court; Raymond O. Courtright, assistant football coach at the University of Michigan; Fred Hansen, Oklahoma City, assistant state attorney general; Eugene P. Ledbetter, attorney at Oklahoma City and president of the University Board of Regents; Leonard Logan, director of short courses at the University; Tom and Dick Lowry, Oklahoma City physicians; Edgar Meacham, assistant dean of the College of Arts and Sciences in the University.

And Charles B. Memminger, of Atoka, attorney and this year president of the University of Oklahoma Association; Perrill Munch, now Mrs. Perrill Munch Brown, instructor in speech in the University; Charles Orr, Holdenville attorney recently appointed by Governor Leon Phillips as attorney for the Interstate Oil Compact; Claude Reeds, who has been an outstanding success as head coach at Central State Teachers College, Edmond; C. E. Rogers, now head of the industrial journalism department at Kansas State Agricultural College, Manhattan; John Rogers, Tulsa attorney and former member of the University Board of Regents; Charles B. Steele, Okmulgee attorney recently appointed secretary of the State School Land Commission; and Luther H. White, Tulsa oil man and former president of the Alumni Association.