



CONFESSION OF FORTY-ONE SOPHOMORES PUTS HAZING AFFAIR IN THE LIMELIGHT

Forty one sophomores went, voluntarily, before the faculty committee investigating the matter this morning and announced that they were implicated in the hazing episode a week ago last Friday night. This action was taken by the majority, not through fear of detection but through genuine loyalty to the university and a desire to aid those among them who were known and who otherwise would suffer the extreme penalty.

As a result of this rare self-sacrifice on their part, it is probable that leniency will be extended to all, with the possible exception of a few who appeared leaders on account of their bold remarks before the committee.

"I believe the matter is adjusting itself nicely," said President Campbell after the meeting. "The men have taken a courageous attitude and I believe the faculty will reciprocate."

"Do you think any will be expelled?" "Emphatically, no," he answered. "While the faculty is final judge in a case of this kind, I hardly believe they will be so severe as that; in any case the committee will recommend leniency."

That this action would be taken by the sophomores became apparent late Thursday night, when the committees appointed from the junior and senior classes decided to recommend to the sophomore class through their committee that such would be the best solution of the problem.

Yesterday at noon the freshmen met and united in a plea to the faculty that those who had hazed them should not be punished by expulsion. The first year men were very sincere in this plea, many of them speaking in behalf of the sophomores.

In the afternoon members of the junior and senior committees went be-

fore the faculty to plead for leniency. They expressed themselves as thoroughly opposed to hazing if only the present trouble could be cleared up.

At noon sixty-six sophomores, supposed to be every member of the class signed a paper saying that all wished equal treatment as being jointly responsible. Then those who actually participated were asked to come before the committee this morning and make their final plea. The faculty will make their report Monday.

The investigation has attracted wide attention throughout the state, being commented on in many of the Portland papers. It is believed, however, that this will be the end of hazing at the University.

The upper classmen realizing the seriousness of the situation, have become thoroughly aroused against the practice. The opinion is almost unanimous that if the faculty keeps its promise of leniency, it is the duty of the students to see that hazing is stopped in the future.

The executive committee is considering plans for adopting and setting apart a day for class rushes and friendly games to take the place of hazing, and the project finds much favor among the students. A tug of war across the mill race has been suggested.

Among the faculty opinions differ. Some of them are unalterably opposed to class distinctions of any kind and refuse to listen to any arguments in their favor.

Professor Schafer said today that no such distinctions could be tolerated; that a freshman could act in any manner he saw fit toward the upper classmen. Such opinions are causing much discussion on the campus.

QUESTION CHOSEN FOR INTERSTATE DEBATE

"A Federal Charter for Corporations Doing Interstate Business" will be the question for debate this year between the Universities of Oregon, Washington and Idaho. This result was assured today when Manager Steele received from the University of Idaho a letter submitting the same question that he had just submitted to the Secretary of the League as Oregon's choice.

Washington's choice is as yet unknown, but as Oregon and Idaho have united on the above, there is no doubt as to its adoption. Each university will vote on the questions submitted and that receiving the highest vote will be adopted. This is the first year that such a coincidence as two universities demanding the same question has occurred in

the history of the interstate debating league.

"I am surprised that debaters could agree so well," said Coach Buchen with a contented smile when told of the Idaho letter. "We are very fortunate in getting it decided so early in the year."

Those who intend to try for the debating teams this year are now safe to go ahead and prepare on this question. The final wording will be determined later, but the general question will undoubtedly stand. To decide on the exact wording of the question, each university submits its choice and then they vote on them exactly as in choosing the general question. Mr. Buchen is already working on a statement to submit, taking great care lest some joker may slip in to cause trouble later.

Varsity Football Team vs. "Scrubs"

The Varsity defeated the "scrubs" 5 to 0 today in the first practice game of the season. The game was hard fought and remarkably free from fumbles for so early in the season. Both teams were changed considerably to work as many men as possible. Every man on the squad was given a chance.

The tackle back play, used by the varsity was very effective, Pinkham and Scott being worked for good gains.

The first lineup follows:

Varsity		Scrubs
Mitchell	C	Gillis
Kellog	G	Weidlund
Bailey	G	Harding
Pinkham	T	Means
Scott	T	Henderson
Kiltz	E	Kestly
Dodson	E	Hickson
Latourette	Q	Chandler
Michael	H	McKinly
Sullivan	H	Huston
Main	F	Walker

At the meeting of the Athletic Council today, "Tubby" Alton was elected assistant manager of track. Soon after this the executive committee appointed him yell leader.

ALL NORTHWEST ALUMNI TEAM WILL LINE UP AGAINST VARSITY ON NEXT SATURDAY

The "old-grad" football stars will make their annual return to the campus next Saturday and once more don their "togs" for the Alumni game.

This year the varsity men are anticipating an especially hard game. The alumni will appear on the field with some of the greatest gridiron veterans ever turned out by any college; men with northwest, even with national reputations. There will be no less than ten all-northwest men—men who have brought fame to the Varsity in dozens of contests, who have had a large share in bringing Oregon to her present position in the front rank of northwest colleges. Four ex-varsity captains will be in the line up, determined to do their utmost against Coach Forbes' bunch and teach them all they know of football.

In spite of this the Varsity men are hopeful; some of them even confident of humbling the "forefathers." Captain Clarke says, "they will have an all-northwest team, but we will win."

George Hug is managing the affair this year and has announced his first line up. When he showed it to "Bill" the favorite trainer gave an expressive "huh," to show his disgust. Afterward he thought of it again and said, "those old plugs think they can come up here and teach us boys how to play football. They can't."

The alumni game has been an annual feature of the football schedule for four years and is immensely popular with the students who like to see the old stars in action again. Last year the Varsity worked hard to win only by one of Moulten's place kicks and this year he is on the other side.

The alumni line up will be about as follows:

Quarter, Latourette; backs, Zacharias, Templeton, Kerron, McKinney; linemen, Hug, McIntire, Gardner, Means, Arnsperge; ends, Chandler, Moores.

FRESHMAN CO-EDS TO WEAR GREEN CAPS

That freshman girls should wear green caps like the men was the unanimous decision of the Eutaxian society in their first night meeting which took place in Professor Thurber's room last Wednesday evening from seven till eight o'clock.

The meeting itself was a grand success. Miss Stowe, president of the society says she is more than satisfied with the interest taken and the results so far. Many upper-classmen were in attendance in marked contrast to the small group of freshmen that formerly gathered together on such occasions.

The feature of the program was the debate on "Resolved that freshman girls should wear green caps."

"Of course they should," said Frances Oberteucer, leader of the affirmative. "Shouldn't girls be treated the same as boys in a co-educational school?"

"We're always getting cut out by some pretty freshie," said Jessie Calkins, first colleague. "They couldn't do it if they had to wear green caps like the boys."

"This change is right in line with the rule that freshmen shall not wear dress suits," said Maude Beals the next speaker. "Look at the amount poor girls would save in buying inexpensive hats. Many of them just can't afford it."

Against such arguments as these, Jennie Lilly, Bertha Cummings and Caroline Dunston were powerless and the vote was unanimous against them.

The society will continue to meet at the same place and time every Wednesday night until further notice.

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