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The Senior Play

There is no lack of excellent reasons why the Senior Play, which is to be given at the Eugene Theatre, Saturday night, should be greeted by the largest audience on record. In fact, there is every reason why the student body should make its attendance unanimous, or so nearly unanimous that only those who are consumed with the desire to be lonesome on Saturday night would fail to be numbered among those present.

Why should every one be anxious to go? Because it is the biggest social event of the senior class during the year. Because it will be the biggest theatrical performance in the University of Oregon this year. Nay, more than that, Professor Glen, who has been directing the rehearsals, has whispered that it is to be the best play that has ever been presented by any senior class in the University. Besides that, the students are personally acquainted with the members of the cast, who rank among the most popular and representative members of the student body, and will feel a personal interest in their success.

No, when the sale of tickets opens at ten o'clock on Friday morning, the lobby of the theatre about the box office should by no means look vacant. The only vacant look should be found on the face of the student who delayed until the eleventh hour, and made his decision to attend the senior play, only in time to find that all of the seats were sold and standing room was at a premium.

O yes, and there is another reason, especially for members of the senior class. The class of 1910 is still in debt for the Oregon, and will soon have a number of other obligations to meet.

Class Treasurer Terry, who is also managing the play, hopes to clear enough from Saturday night's receipts, so that all these bills may be met without it becoming necessary for a class tax to be levied. For this reason, aside from all the other reasons, it behooves every member of the senior class to make it a matter of personal interest to use every bit of influence he or she may possess to make the attendance at the Senior Play this year the biggest ever.

A Shame to the Varsity

The whole student body owes an apology. To Bill Hayward, to Captain Williams, to Manager Espy. How can they look these men in the face after the shameful way they patronized the track meet last night? Had they gone and jeered, it would not have been so bad. Ridicule is hard to bear, but silently to ignore cuts deeper.

We speak of our trainer as the greatest in the West. Last fall no man was more popular on the campus, and this

is probably still true. But what is popularity worth when his work is ignored?

No one feels this slight to track athletics more than Captain Williams. On him falls the responsibility of leading the first track team in five years to defeat. Yes, to defeat—there can be little doubt of it now. Lack of material might be overcome, but never lack of spirit. Our captain can not be blamed for this. He has done all in his power. Every day throughout the year he has trained, beginning so early and working so hard that Hayward feared he might over train. He will be the best pole vaulter in the Northwest again this year, but what are his five points worth when there are few more in sight and the students ignore them?

All right, there is only one thing to add to this obituary. In the past Oregon has concentrated her efforts on track during the spring. This year other sports, not so truly collegiate, have been taken up. Track, however, is the big varsity sport besides football, and it remains to be seen if Oregon can enter these other branches. If it means to sacrifice track, she can not.

W. S. C. GETS GAME WITH WASHINGTON

Schedule Will Stand and no Game Will Be Played With Oregon

University of Washington, April 4—After several weeks of difficulty in arranging a contract with Washington State College for the coming football season, a two-year agreement was definitely closed this noon, when Dean Milnor Roberts and Manager Zednick added their names to the signatures of W. S. C.'s athletic manager and director. By this agreement Washington will meet Pullman on November 12, 1910, at Spokane, on a 50 per cent basis after all expenses of the game have been deducted. In return W. S. C. will come to Seattle in 1911.

FRESHMEN AT WHITMAN HAVE DEBATING TEAM

Whitman College, Walla Walla, Apr. 5—The freshman debating team, consist of this evening, Friday, against Caldwell College at that place. The question is "Resolved, that a board of arbitration, appointed by the president, with compulsory powers, would be a better means of settling the labor questions than the present system."

Madame Harriet Labadie, the celebrated reader, recited "The Servant in the House" Saturday evening to the great enjoyment of those that heard her.

The baseball team returned Friday morning from its trip in Oregon. They will have a rest of a week before the next intercollegiate game next Saturday, during which time they will have practice games with the town team and with the fort.

CHI OMEGAS CELEBRATE FIRST ANNIVERSARY

The Chi Omegas celebrated Tuesday, April 5th, as their founder's day and also as their first anniversary as a national chapter in the University of Oregon.

The whole day was a festive occasion, culminating with a sumptuous banquet at six o'clock. The patronesses were Mrs. Ray Goodrich, Mrs. P. E. Snodgrass and Mrs. H. D. Sheldon. Many beautiful presents were showered on the Chi Omegas.

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NEW MEDICAL FRAT AT U. OF W. FIRST IN WEST

Phi Lambda Upsilon Installed. Old Building Made Into Souvenir Canes

Seattle, April 2—Epsilon Chapter of Phi Lambda Upsilon, the chemical honor fraternity, was installed last evening at the University of Washington, with a charter membership of ten. The local chapter is the only one west of the Mississippi. Its object is to advance scholarship among chemistry students, members, and furnish opportunities for social intercourse among the members both active and honorary.

As a souvenir in remembrance of the old university, built in 1861, which is now being torn down, canes will be constructed out of the hard wood inside finish of the building. It is planned to sell them to the business and professional men who attended the institution in territorial days, and turn the proceeds over to the Wisconsin rowing fund.

Engineers Meet Friday

The Engineering Club will meet next Friday evening at eight o'clock in Deady Hall. George X. Riddell, '10, will deliver a lecture on public land surveying, a subject with which he has had considerable practical experience. Ferdinand Henkle, '11, who has worked for the Portland General Electric Co. at various times during the last four or five years, will describe the plan and operation of their system. This will be a sort of preliminary discussion for the engineers who are going on the inspection tour.

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