NO TRYOUT NECESSARY FOR COLUMBIA TEAM

WILL TAKE EVERY MAN WHO HAS TRAINED CONSISTENTLY

Despite Lack of Interest, Men Expect to Wave Again the Banner Won Five Straight Years.

Because there are not enough men doing track work to make up more than the required number to take to the Columbia Indoor track meet April 16, the tryout which was to have been held today was called off. The team will consist of fourteen men, and this num ber will allow Hayward to take practically every man whom he thinks stands a show of making a point for Oregon. Every man who has been training consistently in events that are scheduled at Columbia will make the

Captain Ben Williams, the premier pole vaulter, can be counted on for one first place, despite the hard luck he has been having with his feet. Oregon can also count on McDaniels, Johns and Riddell for firsts in the 440 and 880vard dashes and mile run. Hawkins, Latourette, Olson and Holmes can bring home a good share of the points in the hurdle races. The short dashes will be handled by Jim Johns and Bristow and by the new men Kay and Briedwell. In the shot put Oregon will enter Neill and Henderson.

Despite the lack of interest, the track men feel that there are still hopes of winning the meet by a very narrow margin and of again bringing home the Columba banner, which has been won for five consecutive years.

K. K. K. CLUB GIVES PRETTY HOP IN ARMORY

One of the prettiest dances in the history of the armory was given last night by the K. K. K.s, a secret chu of thirteen young ladies of Eugene.

The guests were largely Varsity, high school and out of town people. An especially pleasing scheme of decorations was carried out. The general plan was Japanese, with a false ceiling constructed of wisteria. In keeping with the surroundings, cold tea and rice wafers were served by two dainty maids in Japanese costume.

University office this week; one an-being leveled and enlarged in readiness nouncing the courses for the summer for the cement foundation. session of the University of Oregon, the other put out by the School of Education and dealing wholly with that tees, to be played off as soon as the new department.

The Girls' Tennis Club will meet next Monday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock. All regular members, and also those wishing to join the club are requested to be present. It is also requested that members bring this semester's dues.

Misses May Gray and Caroline Benson, of Portlan,d are guests at the Gamma Phi Beta house.

LOCAL BOOSTER CLUBS TO SUPPLEMENT WORK UNIVERSITY TO HAVE

Publicity Work of Central Committee Extended by Club In Each County.

At the meeting of Professor Alderman's committee Wednesday it was decided that the state as a whole was too broad a field for this central body to cover. For this reason it was decided to form county organizations, and each organization will stand responsible for its own county. It is desired that all county clubs be formed early in the coming week, in order to make plans for the spring vacation.

In discussing the matter this morning, Arthur M. Geary, chairman of the central committee, said:

"The importance of the county organization movement to the advancement of the interests of the University should command the hearty co-operation of every student. It is the only effective way of disseminating news conce. ing the University over the state. The readers of the Portland papers are their readers are as much interested in University happenings, especially when home students are involved. It is to the interest of the University that these papers are suppleid. Often high school students arrive at their senior year undecided whether to go to college or not. Not knowing of actual conditions at the University, they remain at home while a few talks or letters from acquaintances would bring them to college. It is imposible for the regstrar tus-the condenser and transformerover the whole state, while it will be a county club stands sponsor for its own

CEMENT COURT MUST BE

locality."

Handicap Tournament Scheduled As Soon as New Court Is Ready.

The contract for the construction of the new cement tennis court has been let by Manager Newland, of the tennis club, and the completion of the court is called for not later than April 20th. The site of the new court has been selected on that of the old dirt court near Two new bulletins were sent from the the library building, which is already

> A handicap tournament will be arranged at once among the tennis devocourt is finished. Another important tennis movement is being launched by Paul Bond. The scheme is to build additional dirt courts about the city by organizing clubs of 16 members each. Transferable membership at \$2.00 each will be the consideration asked from those desiring to join one.

Marion McClain, '06, was married recently to Miss Mabel Eaton, '06.

WIRELESS APPARATUS

TWO SENIORS, NEILL AND INMAN, DO ORIGINAL THESIS WORK

Complete Wireless Plant Will Be Constructed and Taken Over By University of Oregon.

A complete wireless telegraph apparatus, expected to rival in efficiency any other now in use, the work of H. C. Inman and J. K. Neill, will be the interesting and eminently practical contribution of the Electrical Engineering department for the current year, to be permanently installed in the future as a University station.

Neill and Inman are two seniors and are doing this work for their graduating theses. The latter was forced to leave college about a month ago, after almost completing what will probsupplied by paid correspondents. The ably be one of the most important works smaller country papers have no direct in that department, and now has a pomeans of getting such news, although sition with the Portland General Electric Company. His work has been carried on by Neill, who had been working but he expects to turn in about fifty in conjunction with him, and while it may be impossible to install the apparatus completely this year, enough has been done to make it rank as a monumental work.

Besides innumerable small inventions and improvements, Neill and Inman, have succeeded in perfecting two essential parts of any wireless apparaor a central student committee to sup- to a degree far beyond any now in use. ply the desired information effectively The latter gives them an effective voltage of not far from thirty thousand comparatively easy matter where each To withstand a charge of this intensity, it was necessary to construct an improved condenser. The first one they installed "spilled over," and even cracked the glass used as insulating material, but they have now succeeded in making improvements which allow them safely to use the full voltage.

> These two improvements alone make their work an important one from the purely commercial standpoint, and will give the University one of the best and most up to date wireless apparatus in existence. Whether the new innovations will be adopted generally or not is, of course, uncertain, but Neill and Inman are considering patenting some of their inventions.

> Willamette University is trying to ar range for a triangular debate between the law departments of the Universities of Oregon, Washington and Willam

> The University of California has formed a club whose purpose it is to meet weekly and converse in Japanese. Oriental languages.

> The members of the Civil and Mining Engineering departments at O. A. C. have issued a challenge for a track meet to the combined departments of Agriculture and Forestry.

> Dr. James B. Angell, who recently resigned from the presidency of the University of Michigan, has received degrees from no less than nine univer-

JAMISON CAPTAIN OF BASKETBALL NEXT YEAR

Season Is Financial Success-Will Probably Enter Con ference League.

Homer Jamison, '12, of Portland, was elected captain of the basketball team for next year at the banquet given by Manager Terry at the Smeede Hotel Saturday evening. Tht men who enjoyed the feed report a good spread and a jolly time.

The feature of the evening was a cream pie eating contest. Homer Jamison, Dean Walker and Jim Neill succeeded in disposing of the dainties offered them, Neill finishing first and carrying off the prize.

The new captain entered Oregon from the Lncoln Hgh School, where he was prominent in athletics. Since entering the University he has made an excellent record, playing center and forward on this year's basketball team. He made first base on the Varsuy baseball nine last year, and has always played a star game. He also captained the sophomore football team, which cleaned up the freshmen so handily last fall.

The bills of Manager Terry have not yet been audited by the athletic council,

The athletic council is considering the project of entering the Conference Basketball League next year. Should this be undertaken, games will be played with all five of the conference colleges and basketball will become one of the big Varsity activities, with a regular schedule of upwards of twenty games Guarantee of \$150 for each local contest will be necessary, and the manager will have to handle three or four thousand dollars during the season.

Robert Alton, ex-'12, is visiting friends at the University.

Prominent Senior Gets Place Left Vacant by Chauncey Cunning.

Ralph M. Dodson, a prominnt senior in the Department of Biology, has been appointed a member of the executive committee by President Williams to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Chauncey Cunning, who has left col-

Dodson has always been active in student body affairs, last year holding a place on the athletic council and oc-It is intended to create an interest in cupying the position of president of his class. In his sophomore year he held the Varsity record in the half mile run, and for the past two years he has been a star end on the football team. He will serve until June 13, when the next year's committee takes office. Dodson's home is in Baker City.

IDAHO AND OREGON TO **CROSS BATS NEXT WEEK**

IDAHO PLAYS WHITMAN TONIGHT—THEN LEAVE FOR EUGENE.

Oregon Men Show Fine Form and are Confident of Victory-Henkel and Rhinehart to Pitch.

After playing Whitman this evening, the Idaho nine will leave Walla Walla for Eugene, where they will play their second and third games of the season against the Oregon team on Monday and Tuesday. The strength of the Idaho team will be practically untried, but no matter how fast an aggregation they bring, Oregon has a big chance of retrieving the defeat handed to them in Moscow last year.

On Monday Oregon will send against Idaho's box artist her great south-paw Henkle. With the exception of McKenzie, who has been called home by the death of his father, the team will consist of the same line-up that defeated Whitman. Dobie will be shifted to third and either Barbour, McIntosh or Mount will hold down the keystone bag. There will be nothing slow about this infield, for Dobie has a good whip and can handle all the hot ones that come his way, and the trio who will be tried out at second have all been making a good showing in their fight for a steady position on the Oregon infield. Jamison and Newland at first and short, and the three big outfielders are all gathering in the second team's stick productions in big league style, and nothing will come their way this season that isn't marked for slaughter.

Henkle's pitching arm never was in better shape, and the keen-eyed mountaineers will have their troubles in solving his curves. Both Rhinehart and Tom Word are pitching good ball, and Rhinehart, who will probably go in the box Tuesday, is in exceptionally good form, promising to prove a stumbling

block for the visitors' ambitious batters. If Oregon's fondest hopes are realized and they succeed in leaving town with one thousand per cent to their credit for the trip through the Inland Empire, it will give Coach Kelly's pennant chasers confidence that will be a big help in the hard games away from home.

The games will begin at 4:00 o'clock. Admission, thirty-five cents.

The Oregon team will line up: Henkel, p. Gabrielson, c. Jamison, 1st b. Barbour, McIntosh and Mount, 2nd b. Dobie, 3rd. Newland, s. s. Chandler, 1. f. Clarke, (capt.) c. f. Van Marter, 1. f.

Mrs. George Gerling, of Dallas, spent Thursday at the Gamma Delta Gamma house. The sorority entertained in her honor with a dinner and an informal "at home" in the evening.

Hon, S. H. Friendly kindly donated passes to the students who work in the Miss Bitney, of Woodburn, is spending men's dormitory for the Homer Davthe week end at the Gamma Phi Beta enport lecture in the Presbyterian church last Thursday evening.