



DISSENTION CREATED BY SKULL AND CHAIN

PROMINENT STUDENTS NOT SELECTED, IT IS CLAIMED

Representative Seniors Protest Vigorously Against Formation of So-Called Honor Society.

At no time within the past four years has factional feeling become so intense as it has within the past few days. The student body of the University, which has always been noted for the unity and has been awakened by events that threaten to destroy that harmony and divide the school into two distinct factions. The event which has given rise to this feeling is the recent formation of a so-called honor society. The manner of the formation of the organization was as follows: Senior representatives from five fraternities, presumably the heads of the houses, met and organized the society. The following were present: Kappa Sigma, William Kiltz; Khoda Khan, Glen Briedwell; Beta Theta Pi, Dean Goodman; Beavers, Ormond Rankin; Sigma Nu, Ralph Dodson. These members then proceeded to select an additional member from each of the same fraternities, excepting the Beta Theta Pi, in which there is but one senior. The additional members selected were: Kappa Sigma, Dudley Clark; Sigma Nu, Oliver Huston; Khoda Khan, Harper Jamison; Beavers, Wm. Calk. The society was then announced as the Senior Honor Society, the functions of which are to exercise a supervisory influence over the general welfare of the student body, and the qualifications for membership are given out to be prominence in student body activities.

Instantly a storm of protest has arisen all over the campus. It is claimed that the society is composed of many members who have had slight participation in student activities, while many far more prominent members were not selected. It is thought that the new society, being merely a private organization, should not sail under the name of the senior society. An example of the almost unanimous protest is shown in the remarks of certain representative students who were interviewed today.

B. H. Williams, president of the student body, captain of the track team, etc., said: "I am sorry that the Skull and Chain has been so inconsiderate as to launch itself as a senior honor society. The move can not help creating factional feeling, and that will certainly kill any vestige of the Oregon spirit that we have all tried so hard to revive."

Harold Rounds, who has been a Glee Club man and intercollegiate and interstate orator, said: "A real honor society would be a good thing, but this, controlled as it is by certain fraternities, can never be anything but a source of unpleasant feeling. It should be denied."

Dean Collins, editor of the Oregon all official recognition."

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SIGMA NUS BEAT KHODA KHANS IN CLOSE GAME

Four Runs In Last Half of Ninth Place Sigma Nus In Finals

In a sensational game Wednesday afternoon on the Varsity campus, the Sigma Nu baseball artists of the Doughnut league, succeeded in wresting a hard earned victory from the Khoda Khan hopefuls by the score of 8 to 7. It was anybody's game, the Sigs leading off with two runs in the first inning, but later in the game the Khoda Khans settled down for a time and played the better ball. In the first of the ninth inning they held an apparent safe lead of three runs. In the last of the eventful ninth the K. K. team blew up, allowing the Sigs to chase four runs across the plate, winning the game 8 to 7.

Jett started off in the box for the Sigma Nus, but was batted out in the third inning, when he was relieved by Kellogg, who pitched a steady game. McKenzie, for the Khoda Khans, pitched good ball up to the fatal ninth. Chandler's three bagger was one of the features of the game.

Y. M. C. A. MEN BANQUET

President Campbell Speaks of Influence of Association In University

Thirty-five of the men who have conducted the work this year, and those who will be actively engaged in the work of the Y. M. C. A. next year, enjoyed a "bean feed" at the city building Wednesday evening. Mr. Rhodes, state secretary of Idaho and Oregon, was present, and after the men had left the table he gave a very interesting illustrated talk on the work of the Y. M. C. A. and the conference that is held every year at Columbia beach for college men. President Koyle of the Y. M. C. A. asked for some remarks from Ex-President Dalzell at the conclusion of the supper, who responded with a few observations drawn from his connection with the work this year. Following him, President Campbell gave an address on the possibilities of Y. M. C. A. work in the University. He said that the work is just on the edge of its possibilities, and that the influence that it may have in the lives of the men of the school has not yet been realized. While he encouraged the work of the employment bureau, the book exchange, the assistance to new students, and such activities as are carried on through the year, he said that this phase of the work is secondary and that the great work of this organization is to lead in the spiritual life of the school. He said that the opportunity for the greatest development is on the distinctively religious side and that this element in the nature of men will respond.

"The intellectual side of life is brought out in college and men are determined to investigate the claims of any religion," he said, "and it is only right that they should. We must not be afraid"

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PAN-HELLENIC MAKES CONSTITUTION PUBLIC

Organization Is Composed of All National Sororities--Locals Invited to Join

The Pan-Hellenic Association, at their last meeting, yesterday, made public their constitution, yesterday, the rules for rushing and the names of next year's delegates.

The purpose of the organization is to simplify the rushing of prospective sorority girls and eliminate unfairness and lavish entertainment. A similar association exists in every college where there are two or more national women's fraternities, and has been of great service in each case.

The local sororities have been asked to join, but it is the opinion of the seniors that they will not.

The delegates for next year are: Helen Washburne, of Chi Omega, President Willetta Wright, of Kappa Alpha Theta, Secretary, and Helen Beach, of Gamma Phi Beta, Treasurer.

The constitution and by-laws, containing the rules that will be observed in entertaining and asking girls who enter next year are as follows:

ARTICLE I.—Name.

The name of this organization shall be the Pan-Hellenic Association of the University of Oregon.

ARTICLE II.—Purpose.

This Pan-Hellenic Association shall

1. Fix the date of pledge day.
2. Regulate the rules for rushing.
3. Regulate other matters of interfraternity interest in this college, presented to it for consideration.
4. Co-operate with college authorities and all college organizations in questions of general interest.

ARTICLE III.—Organization.

This Pan-Hellenic shall be composed of one active and one alumna from the chapter of each national fraternity represented in the University, and from such locals as they may see fit to admit.

ARTICLE IV.—Officers.

Section 1. The officers of this Pan-Hellenic shall be a President, Secretary and Treasurer.

Sec. 2. The officers shall serve for one year, dating from the last meeting of the college year.

Sec. 3. The office of President shall be held in rotation by the chapters in the order of their establishment as nationals in the college; the locals to hold office after the nationals in order of their organization. A local becoming a national shall take its place among the nationals according to the date of its installation as a national.

Sec. 4. The Secretary shall be chosen from the chapter which is to have the presidency the following year.

Sec. 5. The duties of the officers shall be those usually devolving upon such officers.

ARTICLE V.—Voting.

A unanimous vote shall be necessary to fix the date for the pledge day and to make rules regulating rushing.

ARTICLE VI.—Amendments

The constitution may be amended by the unanimous vote of Pan-Hellenic.

ARTICLE VII.—Meetings.

Pan-Hellenic meetings shall be held

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FINAL GAME IN FRAT LEAGUE NEXT MONDAY

Avavas and Sigma Nus Will Play Championship Game

Next Monday afternoon, at Midway Park, the Sigma Nu baseball team will lock horns with the Avavas in the final battle for the championship of the interfrat. league and the possession of Father Gregg's Doughnut cup. The cup, which is held at the present time by the Kappa Sigma fraternity, last year's champions, is to belong permanently to the club winning two successive baseball championships.

The game Monday afternoon promises to be the hardest fought game of the season, both teams possessing an unbroken list of victories. On paper, the Sigma Nu team appears the stronger of the two, but Captain Dobie, of the Avavas, is optimistic, and swears to lead his "black cats" to victory. A number of sensations are promised those who attend this final "sinker" game at Sid Smith's stadium Monday afternoon.

ALUMNI MAY ESTABLISH ANOTHER PUBLICATION

High School Students Will Be Interested Through New Paper

In order that the alumni and high school students may be kept in closer touch with University affairs, it is quite probable that next year another paper will be added to the list of Varsity publications. It will be essentially an alumni publication, and a committee from that body has been appointed to confer with the A. S. U. O. officers upon the project.

It is likely to be submitted to the students at Wednesday's assembly, though it is too late in the year to put it before the student body as an amendment to the Constitution. Bert Prescott, Mrs. L. T. Harris and Theresa Friendly constitute the committee which has charge of the proposition.

There are two plans under consideration. One to make it a separate paper, with a staff of its own. Only the news that will be of the most interest to the alumni and will tend to direct the attention of high school students toward the University will be printed. The plan is to have the publication financed from a central board of the alumni association. No subscription price will be charged, and there will be no obstacle in the way of placing a copy in the hands of every high school student in the state. It is thought that being early upon the scene will be a strong argument in favor of the University of Oregon when the high school student makes his choice of the institution where he will take his college course.

The new paper would doubtless have a wide circulation, both among students and alumni, and if the proposition is favorably received should prove a valuable means in keeping the alumni posted on items of interest concerning their alma mater, and also augment the enrollment by aiding the booster movement.

PENDLETON HIGH WINS REGENTS DEBATE CUP

GET UNANIMOUS DECISION OVER EUGENE IN DEBATE

Championship of State Debating League Goes to Pendleton After Hot Contest on Bank Guarantee

By a unanimous decision, the Pendleton high school team defeated the Eugene high school team on the question: Resolved, that the State of Oregon should adopt a system of guaranteeing bank deposits.

The debate, which was held last evening at Villard Hall, was interesting throughout. Both teams showed thorough preparation and a clear understanding of the question.

Professor E. E. DeCou presided. Before the beginning of the contest he outlined the work of the league, pointing out that the work was not only to promote debating, but to give students training in public speaking and to educate them along lines of the questions of the day. Some forty high schools are engaged in the work, with over two hundred young people participating in the debates.

As Eugene had the affirmative, Jesse Kellems, leader of their team, opened the discussion. Mr. Kellems began by outlining the plan of constructive argument which the affirmative would follow. First, that such a system is needed; second, that the principle of the guarantee of state deposits is sound; and third, the outline of the plan. He then took up the first point and showed, in a convincing way, the defects of the present system. Mr. Kellems spoke in a fluent and forceful manner, having his subject matter well in hand.

P. Campbell Crockett opened the discussion for the negative. He spoke in a quiet but very convincing manner. Beginning by admitting, entirely, the argument of the affirmative as to the defects of the system, he then advanced a system broader than state control, that of postal savings banks, and showed that the banking system was too broad to confine to the boundaries of a state.

Victor Morris, the second speaker for the affirmative, dwelt on the soundness of the system which the affirmative proposed. Their plan was similar to that in use by the insurance companies of the country, and Mr. Morris forecasted the success of the plan by comparing it to the success of the insurance companies. The main advantages claimed were that such a system would make deposits secure and would do away with private hoarding. Mr. Morris had an emphatic, convincing address.

Lyman G. Rice, second speaker for the negative, enlarged on the idea of state boundaries being too narrow for control of banking system. He argued that such a system would promote unsound banking, establishing his point by concrete examples of the failures of such a system. Mr. Rice's manner was deliberate and dignified, his treatment showing a knowledge of the principle of his subject.

Harold Young closed the constructive argument for the affirmative by outlin-

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