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**DR. SCHAEFER ATTENDS  
HISTORICAL CONCLAVE**

Is Elected Vice President of Pacific Coast Branch of Historical Association

Before a meeting of the Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association, in session at Berkeley on the 18th and 19th of November, Dr. Schaefer read a paper on "Oregon's Pioneers and American Diplomacy." Dr. Schaefer's paper was a study of the influence of pioneers in the Oregon country upon the settlement of the boundary question with England. He did research work for this paper several years ago, in the British record office, in London.

The article, as read before the Historical Association, was an extract from a longer paper by the same title, which is now on the press. It is one in a volume of several essays on American Historical subjects by different authors, which will soon be issued by Henry Holt.

The Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association is composed of all members of the association who live west of the Rocky Mountains. There were present at the recent meeting representatives from the Universities of Stanford, California, Washington, Utah and Nevada, besides from the smaller colleges and high schools in California. Dr. Schaefer was Oregon's only representative.

The University of Minnesota has received a bequest of \$50,000 to be used in four fellowships for graduate students in the colleges in chemistry, medicine, agriculture and arts.

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**1912 OREGANA IS NOW  
SERIOUSLY UNDER WAY**

Editor Chester Moores is Putting His Staff to Work Gathering Materials

"A better Oregon for a greater Oregon." will be the slogan of the 1912 Junior Annual. Editor-in-chief Chester Moores called together his newly appointed board of editors yesterday afternoon and laid before them his plans for this year's book. The board is composed of the following students: Jesse Bibee, Pearl McKenna, Lucia Campbell, Birdie Wise, A. E. Houston, Martin Hawkins and W. M. Huntington.

The general plan of the Oregon will follow that of last year's book but the details will be changed in many respects and several new features will be added. More space will be given to the faculty and the Schools of Medicine and Law will receive more than honorable mention. Four pages will be given to each fraternity and sorority for pictures of its members and chapter house and for a list of its membership and its active chapters, if it have a national organization. It is the intention to use a great many photographs of prominent students in characteristic poses. In the department of wit and humor none but good jokes and take-offs will qualify. All who deserve a knock or a boost will get it, faculty included; but the blows will be delivered so deftly that no ragged edges will remain around the wounds.

Editor Moores, in speaking of his plans, said in effect, "I do not want to boast. Last year's annual was the best Oregon has ever seen, and will be hard to beat, but the class of 1912 has never yet been excelled in any department and if my best efforts are of any avail she will not lose out in publishing the Oregon."

**SMALL AUDIENCE HEARS  
FINE ASSEMBLY ADDRESS**

By actual count, exactly ninety students and eight members of the faculty heard Right Reverend G. O. S. Huntington speak in assembly.

The few members of the faculty who did hear him pronounced his speech as "perfect." For so good a speaker, who had taken the trouble to come all the way from Portland to speak to the University, it seems astonishing that so small an audience should have heard him.

After a short introduction by Rev. G. H. Hammond, explaining the Order of the Holy Cross, the Right Rev. G. O. S. Huntington, better known as "Father Huntington," addressed the assembly upon the subject of "Good Will." The address was perfect in the psychological sense—every thought put to the point of interest.

It seems a shame that so few members of the University cared to hear what has been pronounced the most interesting address of the year.

**THANKSGIVING SOCIETY  
CURES HOMESICKNESS**

Those who remained in Eugene during Thanksgiving vacation, were guests at a number of pleasant social affairs. On Wednesday and Saturday evenings the boys of the Dorm. Club gave informal dances which all the students who remained in town were invited to attend, and on Thursday evening the Misses Frieda and Meta Goldsmith and Miss Katherine Watson gave a most enjoyable dancing party to their friends in the new hall above the Folly Theatre. On Wednesday evening the Elks lodge of Eugene gave their annual ball, which was attended by many college students; and the appearance of Max Figman, the popular actor, in "Mary Jane's Pa." was the occasion for a number of theatre parties.

completed at the Montana State College of Agriculture.

**OVER-CONFIDENYE COST  
THE THANKSGIVING GAME**

6 to 0 Score by Multnomah at Portland is Due to Ragged Playing

Oregon's defeat by Multnomah on Thanksgiving day came as a great surprise, both to local students and to supporters of the Varsity team in general.

Everybody thought that defeat was impossible, and that with their superior training and team work, Oregon could easily hold down the club men. The team itself had no thought of a possible defeat. And to this over-confidence is largely attributed the disaster. When Multnomah came back so hard and scored a touchdown, the team seemed to be demoralized, and during the rest of the game was unable to get together, except for occasional periods, when they showed flashes of the old time form.

Individually each man played as hard as he knew how. As a team, however, as the Portland Journal aptly puts it, "they played like a lot of butter-fingered school boys." It seemed that each man was so determined and eager to make up for Multnomah's touchdown that he forgot all team work. Thus, although every one played good defensive football, which depends more upon individual work, they fell down on their offensive work. The offense which had been able to score on every team which they had met this year could make yardage only with indifferent success, and many times were thrown back for losses, and several costly fumbles were made at crucial times.

On the other hand, Multnomah made their yardage only twice during the whole game, showing that the Varsity team was playing good defensive ball.

Multnomah, however, undoubtedly had a great aggregation of stars, and with a little more training could easily defeat any team in the Northwest. The work of Hickson and Clarke, two of Oregon's old gridiron heroes, was an especially important factor. Many times Hickson would stop the plays almost before they started, while Clarke's long, high spirals always kept the club's goal out of danger.

**HIGH SCHOOL TEAMS TO  
MEET HERE IN SPRING**

Manager Cockerline has sent invitations to twenty-six high schools and academies in the state to enter teams in the inter-scholastic track and field meet to be held on Kincaid Field next spring.

The management proposes to pay the travelling expenses of four men, but, in order to give the distant schools an even chance with the closer ones, the number of entries for each school will be limited to eight men. All of the visiting athletes, however, will be quartered during their sojourn in Eugene at the different fraternities and clubs. The entertainment of the visitors will be provided for by the University authorities, and will end up with a party at the gymnasium for high school students only.

The meet will cover two days, the first for the trial heats and semi-finals, and the last for the finals. It is the opinion of the management that by taking two days for the meet it will eliminate the possibility of over-working the young athletes. The date of the meet has not yet been set, but in all probability will be pulled off during Junior Week End.

The Alpha Tau Omegas who stayed over during the Thanksgiving recess entertained friends at dinner Thanksgiving evening, and also at an informal dance Friday evening.

Miss Roxanna White, of the Gamma Delta Gammas, is ill at her home in Portland, and probably will not return to college till the beginning of the second semester.

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