



MUSICAL CLUBS SCORE IN OPENING CONCERT

IS PRONOUNCED THE BEST CLUB IN HISTORY OF OREGON GLEE

Clever Features and Excellent Singing Alternate to Hold Audience. Mandolin Club Good.

The Glee Club gave its initial performance Thursday night at the Eugene Theater, to a packed house. It was by far the best first night performance in the history of the club for several years.

There was snap and go to the whole program. The Mandolin Club's selections were not too long; the solos well chosen, and the stunts were clever. The Glee Club songs were well rendered, although they did not snow off to the best advantage the real talent in the club.

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Professor Glen's three songs were also greatly appreciated, his "Couplets Bacchique" being perhaps the most difficult.

Raphael Geisler, Francis Curtis and Jerry Martin, in the Suffragette Trio, were at their best. The costumes, the blonde hair and coquettish accessories, completely transformed them.

Finally, the little sketch, "At Dope Center" was pulled off with snap and go. "Icky" Ogden's German vocabulary, Kenneth Frazier's solo, Tom Burke's unrecognizable get up as the town constable, Walter Dobie as the tight manager, Dell Stanard as the typical hotel clerk, and Harold Quigley as the unsuppressible Freshie, were all carried out effectively. The two charming and graceful German dancers, Raphael Geisler and Curtis, appealed particularly to the masculine element of the house.

However, the hit of the evening was made by the little German band. As a take-off it was clever in the extreme. Burns Powell, "Bo Peep" Lamb and "Dutch" Motchenbacher deserving special mention.

Financially the concert was a success, \$654 being the box office receipts.

"WHAT ABOUT THE GIRL?" INQUIRES Y. M. SPEAKER

After considerable effort on the part of members of the University Y. M. C. A., Charles R. Drum, who has made such an impression at the State Convention now going on in Eugene, has arranged to remain in Eugene till late Monday night and speak to the men of the University on Monday evening.

Mr. Drum is a speaker of magnetic personality, and talks in a strong and convincing manner.

The subject that has been chosen for the address on Monday night is one that can not fail to interest every man in college, "What About the Girl?"

The meeting will be called promptly at 7:30 in the Women's Gymnasium. Professor Sweetser will conduct a short, but vigorous, song service.

SENIORS WILL ATTEND ASSEMBLIES IN A BODY

All Seniors will meet in Professor DeCou's room, just before assembly every Wednesday morning, and march to the assembly hall in a body. Such is the decision made by the class at its meeting Thursday afternoon.

This resolution was made by the Seniors with the intention of creating a greater interest and to secure larger attendance at the regular assemblies. They feel that their good example will have some influence to that end.

Manager Leslie Dobie gave a report of the 1911 Oregon. The report showed the Annual to be a financial success.

150 COUPLES AT PROM

Sophomores Entertain Well On Short Notice

Despite the conflict of dates and the sudden preparation, the Sophomore hop last night was successful in every particular.

Over one hundred and fifty couples attended, which comfortably filled the gymnasium. The floor, while far from perfect, was conceded to be better than usual.

A feature of the party and one for which credit is due the class of 1913, was the unusual figure followed in the grand march. It was decidedly "different" from the usual stereotyped figure and marked a pleasing innovation. Hendershott was on hand with his usual assortment of good musical selections.

The ease with which everything went off showed careful forethought and planning by the committee.

The hurried decision on the date required hard work from all members of the class. The Sophomores all rallied to the support of the class, however, and the class has received many congratulations on the evening's success.

The grand march was led by President Carleton Spencer and Miss Carin Degermark. The patronesses were Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Jessup, Mrs. Bovard, Mrs. Bancroft, Mrs. Glen and Mrs. Pennell.

"Bones" Allen, a prominent Sophomore and newspaper magnate, occupied a box at the Glee concert. His entrance occasioned a sensation among the rabble.

WRITES ANOTHER PLAY

"Playing the Game" Is Title of Playwright's Last Production

"Playing the Game," a two scene written by Dean Collins, a post-graduate in the English department, will probably be staged by the Dramatic Club soon after the Christmas holidays.

The scenes are all laid at the University of Oregon, but the characters and situations employed are fictitious. The play is a clever football tale, full of interest and striking situations. The striking feature of the sketch is, that, in the entire cast, there is but one female character, and she does not appear upon the stage, her voice being heard over the telephone. The play is a unique change from the everlasting "all girl cast" productions.

This is not Collins' first attempt at play writing. His senior thesis of last year, sketch entitled, "The Soph. and the Prof." was given honorable mention by the faculty.

BILL MAIN IS CHOSEN '11 FOOTBALL CAPTAIN

ELECTION COMES AS REWARD FOR THREE YEARS' PLAYING

Main Has Been One of Oregon's Stars the Last Three Years and Is an All-Northwest Selection.

At a meeting of the football men in the Gym Friday afternoon Bill Main, who has played on the team three years, was chosen captain for next year, defeating Sap Latourette by a small margin.

After the election "Bill" Hayward made a speech urging every man to put aside any hard feeling he might have over the result of the election, and stand behind the captain in making the team the best Oregon ever turned out. He also stated that a game will be secured



with Washington if possible and since that institution opened on September 15, Oregon must begin training at least two weeks before college opens.

Manager Watson stated that he could not give the team a banquet, since he had already run behind financially. He said, however, that he would take the matter up with the executive committee and perhaps might induce them to tender a feed.

"Bill" Main comes from California, where he played tackle for three years on the Lick High School team. He made the all-academic team every year and captained his team in his senior year. He came to Oregon in 1908, and easily made the team at half back, and last year he alternated at full back and tackle, starring at both positions. This year he played at full back, and was chosen for the all-Northwest team by Varnell, who selects the Spaulding official team.

Main is admittedly a great player, both offensive and defensive. His weight and speed make him good for a gain whenever called upon. He is noted as one of the hardest and most accurate tacklers in the Northwest, and no runs are made around him when he backs up the line.

His election augurs well for a successful season here next year.

UNIVERSITY MAY HAVE ANOTHER PUBLICATION

The University may have an additional publication, in the near future, to be known as the "University Chronicle." A committee was appointed at the last faculty meeting to investigate the proposal, and if it is found feasible, the new publication will be launched during the coming year. It is proposed to devote the space of the new journal almost entirely to reports of the research work of the various departments of the University, which are published at present in the Monthly Bulletin. It is thought that such a publication would grow to become an important part in the University extension work.

CALL SPECIAL SESSION

W. S. C. is Desirous of Extraordinary Session of Conference

Although it has been customary to arrange the basketball, track and baseball schedules at the Northwest conference meetings, there is a possibility that a meeting will be held before then to arrange for this.

Thursday Bill Hayward received a telegram from Manager Jones, of W. S. C., asking for a meeting at Seattle of one delegate from each college to arrange these schedules. Hayward immediately telegraphed him wanting to know why he wanted such a meeting, owing to the fact that the conference will be held December 13, only two weeks from now. Jones telegraphed that he wished to arrange the schedules before the conference meeting.

Hayward can not appreciate the need of such a meeting, since the schedules could easily be arranged at the conference as usual. He is waiting for President Campbell's opinion before he decides definitely upon the matter.

The regular meeting of the Northwest Conference colleges will be held at Spokane December 13. Each college has it in turn. Year before last it was held in Walla Walla, last year at Portland, and next year at Seattle. Oregon will be represented by Bill Hayward and Louis Finkham. Nothing definite is known about what action will be taken there, but the division of gate receipts between the different teams, and the conference rules regarding eligibility of athletes will be brought up and discussed.

WILL TREAD THE BOARDS

College Men Will "Supe" As Mob at "Madame X"

Inspired by the success of the Glee Club, a number of students have fallen victims to the lure of the spot lights, and about thirty-five will be introduced to the dramatic world with Madame X on December 8. They have condescended to play the part of a mad rabble for that occasion.

It is said that they are profiting by the example of a mob scene furnished during a recent football trip, and promise to produce an excellent imitation of a rabble. It is rumored that "Our Charles" will be the chief spokesman of the mob.

The Freshman class team has received an invitation for a game from Hill Academy of Portland, the date and other arrangements to be agreed upon.

Carl Gabrielson, ex-'12, is back this week end for the Beta initiation.

ELABORATE PLANS FOR COMMONWEALTH DAY

STUDENTS ARE URGED TO ATTEND THE ADDRESSES

January 12 and 13 Will be Made Holidays to Secure a Large Attendance.

The Third Annual Commonwealth Conference, which celebrates Oregon's admission into the Union as a state, will be held in Eugene at the University of Oregon on Thursday and Friday, January 12 and 13, 1911. Questions of vital public and civic interest will be discussed by citizens who have given to the subjects the most thought and study. Holidays at the University will be declared, and the students will attend the sessions in a body.

The reason for celebrating Commonwealth Day by the University is found in the theory that Oregon's best capital is the high purposes of its intelligent citizenship. The conference and discussions are directed simply to organize and apply this capital for effective achievement for the good of the people of the state. It is believed that the example set before the young people of the state can not but lift to a higher plane the life of its citizenship. The scope of the University's effort as a servant to better citizenship is being extended and systematized, with a view of infusing into the spirit of its students a stronger sense of obligation for the welfare of the state as a whole.

One of the leading subjects for discussion at the coming conference will be the improvement of country life conditions, so that they will outshine those of the city in the eyes of the country boy and girl.

The conference will also aim to promote the building up of health conscience among the people, so that they will know menaces to public health, shun practices detrimental to it, and make a vigorous and persistent fight for raising the physical efficiency of the people of the state. The social service of the physician, his training for it, and his duty towards it, will be discussed.

The enlistment of the members of the bar of the state in active and constructive work for securing largest promptest and most economic justice through laws and courts of the commonwealth will be another aim of the coming conference.

The women of Oregon sustain an unusually large number of clubs and other organizations for the study of problems of social welfare. The University is especially desirous that the sentiment created amongst the intelligent womanhood of the state shall be made effective in achieving social betterment. The coming conference will consider ways of co-operation with the women's clubs.

The alumni of the University, as beneficiaries of the state, are, of course, under obligations for effort towards encouraging and co-ordinating all social agencies for commonwealth uplift. To secure more enthusiastic and energetic espousal of this responsibility by the students and graduates of the University, will be one of the main aims of the conference.

The two days set aside for celebration will be made holidays, so that every student will have the opportunity of attending. In the two previous years the students did not seem to take much interest in the addresses, and student attendance was small. This year, however, a special effort will be made to secure a large attendance to insure the success of the event.