



REGENTS ASK SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR U

\$409,418.92 IS BUDGET FOR THE ENSUING TWO YEAR PERIOD

This Sum Provides for New Administration Building and Other Needful Improvements.

The Board of Regents of the University of Oregon met Tuesday morning, January 17, at 10:00 o'clock, in this city, and transacted important business. All of the regents were present except Mr. J. C. Ainsworth, Mr. Frederick Holman and Mr. Miller.

The Board will recommend to the legislature the following appropriations for the years 1911 and 1912:

For additional maintenance, including new instructors, increase in salaries, correspondence study department and Summer School, \$47,000; addition to men's dormitory, kitchen, store room, repairs, etc., \$10,000; Eleventh street paving (assessment made by the city), \$3,000; completion of swimming pool in men's gymnasium, \$5,000; expense in changing and moving present athletic field to new field in order that the present site may be occupied by new buildings, \$10,000; laboratory apparatus and equipment, \$30,000; for the purchase of additional land, \$15,000; for addition to Electrical Engineering building, \$15,000; University printing plant, \$8,000; administration and commonwealth building, fixtures and extension of heating plant, \$175,000; Medical School, for building, \$30,000; for equipment, \$10,000; and maintenance for two years, \$20,000.

R. W. Prescott was appointed secretary to the President, at a salary of \$1,200 a year.

Altogether, the recommendations of the Board of Regents call for a special outlay of \$409,418.92, and this is the size of the appropriation that the legislature will be asked for. It is understood that the bill will be presented to the lawmakers within the next few days.

President Campbell's report was substantially the one on which the Regents based their recommendations. The President's report, however, called for \$10,000 to repair Deady Hall, which the Regents did not include in the budget.

BOAT HOUSE MAGNATES IN SERIOUS TROUBLE

Chief of Police Farrington served official notice on F. L. Chambers to remove the new boat house that is being constructed on the bank of the mill-race, just opposite the University. The building, it is said, extends part way into the street, and must be removed from city property.

Mr. Chambers, who is building the house in conjunction with Paul Bond, of the University, will find exactly where he stands before taking action on the case. The removal of the rising edifice to a distant situation will mean a serious loss in convenience to students.

The schedule of the inter-frat league will not be followed exactly until after the exams. Only one game will be played each afternoon at 4:00 o'clock. The schedule will be resumed after the exams, and from the date where taken up again will be played through according to the original schedule. The games left out on account of the one game a day rule will be played on at the end of the schedule.

James Johns and Harry Stine have re-entered college after a week's rest.



Mr. E. C. Mercer

HOW MUCH DO YOU SPEND

Administration is Conducting Census of Student Expenses

The University of Oregon is making an attempt to secure reliable statistics on the cost of living at the University. Each student is being requested to fill out and hand in to the office a list of questions, which were distributed the first of the week.

The questions deal with the entire expense of a year's work at the University, including railroad fare, registration fee, laboratory fees, books, board, room, laundry, clothing and incidental expenses.

The individual figures will be kept confidential, and the hearty co-operation of the students is asked in giving as accurate figures as possible and in getting them in at once.

The following are the questions asked:

1. Railroad fare from your home to Eugene?
2. Amount of laboratory fees (list separately each lab.)
3. Gymnasium (locker fees)?
4. Cost of books?
5. Board and room per month (list separately where possible)?
6. Laundry per month?
7. Other incidentals, not including clothes?
8. Clothing (if you care to give this estimate)?

GLEE WILL SING AGAIN

That the Glee Club will give a return concert is now an assured fact. Manager Stine, who returned a few days ago from a short vacation in the mountains, has completed arrangements for a concert in the Eugene Theater; the date has been fixed, but Mr. Stine is not yet in a position to announce it.

Manager Smith, of the theater, states that he refused an engagement for a good road attraction, considering the Glee Club a better drawing card. Both he and Mr. Stine have been kept busy answering inquiries about a second concert, both from students and townspeople. The club, to a man, express themselves heartily in favor of the arrangements now completed.

Last year the second concert of the Glee Club was held under unfavorable conditions, just before the Easter holidays. For that reason the concert was not very successful from a financial standpoint, Manager Geary netting only \$50. This year expenses will be light, and from all indications the success of the coming concert is regarded certain.

Some people are kicking about having boiled water in their soup.

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* INTER-FRATERNITY LEAGUE *			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
* Beta Theta Pi	5	1	.833 *
* Sigma Nu	5	1	.833 *
* Kappa Sigma	4	1	.800 *
* Tawah	2	1	.666 *
* Avava	3	2	.600 *
* Beavers	3	2	.600 *
* Delta Sigma	1	2	.333 *
* Dorm	1	3	.250 *
* A. T. O.	1	4	.200 *
* Sigma Chi	0	3	.000 *
* Acacia	0	4	.000 *

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DOUBLE HEADER BASKET BALL GAME ON FRIDAY

VARSITY TO PLAY PACIFIC AND JUNIORS WILL PLAY SOPHS

Student Officers Will Present Championship Cup to Winning Class Team.

The University of Oregon basketball quintet will be seen in action for the first time this season next Friday night, when they will meet the team from Pacific University. As a preliminary, the Juniors will play the Sophomores and the handsome Laraway



Harold Cockerline, Manager Varsity Basketball

cup. Some officer of the student body will make the presentation immediately after the game. It is rumored that both captains are preparing their speeches of acceptance. The cup has to be won but once to become the permanent property of the class winning it.

Manager Cockerline secured a game with the Chemawa Indians several days ago for next Friday, but the Indians have called off the game, and Pacific then arranged for the date.

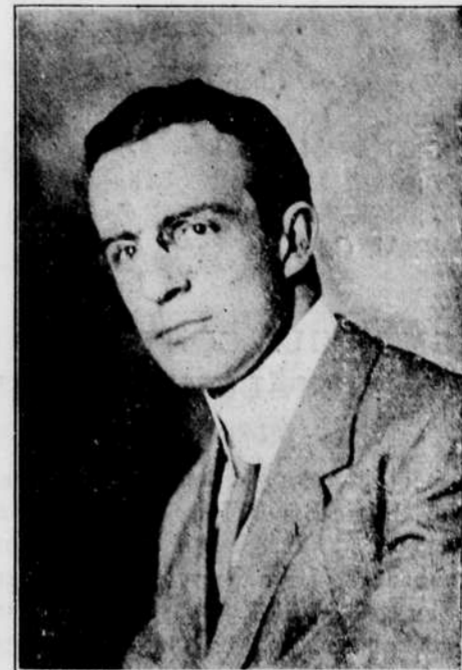
The Pacific University team has played a number of games this season in the State Inter-collegiate League, and has shown up exceedingly well. They are hard fighters, and the contest next Friday will probably be no "walk away" game.

Just what the Oregon quintet can do in the line of basketball is yet a matter of doubt.

The team will be picked from the new practice squad which has been posted, consisting of Jamison, Fenton, Simms, Walker, Elliott, Watson, Service, Moore, Perkins and Kay.

In order to play off the preliminary game without prolonging the Varsity contest late into the night, the whistle will be blown at 7:45 sharp. An admission price of thirty-five cents will be charged. A large attendance is urged to make the contest a financial success.

Every grind has a day, but the pig-gers have the nights.



Sec. E. C. Carter

SQUAD WORKING HARD

Keen Competition for Positions on Basketball Team

The Varsity basketball squad is fast rounding out into a collection of stars. Of the original dozen, Watson, Senior; Jamison, Elliott, Barbour, Fisher, Juniors; Sims, Walker, Service, Sophomores; and Fenton, Stevenson, Rice and Roberst, Freshmen; practically all are seen on the floor for practice every afternoon. Stevenson, who sprained his ankle two weeks ago, is again in condition, and is making up for lost time.

Henceforth the Varsity squad will practice daily, at the conclusion of the 4:00 o'clock inter-frat game.

Friday evening the team will play the Chemawa Indians, a fast quintet, with a good record for the season's work. As a preliminary, the final inter-class game, Juniors and Sophs, will be played off. As this game is to decide the inter-class championship, keen interest is expected.

Much discussion of the relative merits of aspirants for first team honors is heard around the campus. Announcement of the promotion of several more men to the Varsity squad is looked for within a few days, and it is rumored that three men will be dropped.

PLAY FOR EMERALD CUP

The women of the University are displaying a lively interest in the formation of the Emerald inter-sorority basketball league, and the present indications are that every sorority and club, as well as the outside girls, will be represented by a team.

Dr. Bertha Stuart, when seen today, sanctioned the project officially, and said: "I believe girls' basketball, when played under women's rules and when strictly refereed to eliminate roughness, to be an excellent sport. We had famous co-ed teams at my college, Michigan, and the games were very interesting." Dr. Stuart went on to state that the inter-sorority league should not begin until next semester, but that she would be glad to co-operate with the different sororities or Women's Council in arranging the schedule and regulations.

Seven sororities and clubs have signified their intention of entering teams, and as there are many girls included who have played preparatory school basketball, some interesting and keenly contested games may be expected.

They're coming back from the jungles dark, with their typhoid symptoms gone; they've probably had a fancy lark, but now their job is on.

E. C. MERCER ENDORSED BY ALL WHO HEAR HIM

COLLEGE SPEAKER WILL BE HEARD FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

He Comes Under the Auspices of the Y. M. C. A. and Will Deliver a Series of Talks.

The coming of Mr. Mercer, who is to speak at Villard Hall on Saturday evening, is the occasion of considerable comment on the campus. Some discussion of his methods has been heard involving more or less criticism, on the ground that he talks altogether too plainly, and that his remarks, rather than being a benefit, are a harm. To some this may seem to be true, but the objection is usually heard from those who are not acquainted with his actual methods. Wherever he has been heard on his present trip down the coast, he has received the unanimous approval of faculty and student.

President Penrose, of Whitman, Dean Eldridge, of Idaho, and the Dean of Pullman College, have all given their hearty indorsement of the lecture and the man. President Jordan, of Stanford, in a letter recently received, says: "Referring to the lectures of Mr. Mercer, permit me to say that I regard them as extremely valuable in turning the thoughts of college men in the right direction. Mr. Mercer is in dead earnest. He is a picturesque and effective speaker, and leaves with college men a distinct impression of the dangers which are in their path and the way in which a strong man may avoid them or recover himself if he should fall."

Mr. Mercer carries on a correspondence, through his secretaries, with nearly three thousand college men, who have been helped by his addresses before college audiences. The reason ascribed for his talks being so much more effective than others, is because he speaks in the terms that are understood by college men and because he has experienced all that he speaks of, and his deep sincerity is felt throughout everything that he says.

A short but interesting program has been arranged to precede the speaker on Saturday night. William Lai, the famous soloist of the Glee Club, will sing, and Burns Powell has consented to give some of his trombone selections that captured the crowd on the recent Glee Club tour. Every man who does not know the Oregon songs will find it convenient to have his handbook with him.

Louis Pinkham, Oregon's veteran football star and coach, will preside at this meeting and present the speakers. Both Carter and Mercer will be heard, the main address, however, being given by Mr. Mercer on the subject, "College Men I Have Met in the Slums and Prisons of New York." It is planned for the meeting to begin at seven and close not later than eight forty-five.

The Lambda Rho sorority held initiation Thursday and Friday of last week. The following students were initiated: Dorothy Campbell, Maude Kincaid, Aldous Oberholtzer, Agnes Elliott, Luia Macklin.

Last Saturday evening the Dormitory Club gave an informal dancing party to its friends. On account of this informality the event was particularly enjoyable. The patronesses were, Mrs. Stearns, Dr. Stuart, and Miss Mary Perkins.