



## 1911 COMMENCEMENT TO BE MOST ENJOYABLE

EXCELLENT PROGRAM OF MUSIC  
IS PROVIDED FOR NEXT  
WEEK

### DR. YOUNG AND DR. KANE TO BE SPEAKERS

Week Will Begin With Baccalaureate  
Sermon by Dr. Young, of  
Portland

Judging from preliminary arrangements and the personnel of the programs, musical and oratorical, the class of 1911 will mark the conclusion of its undergraduate existence with one of the most brilliant and impressive of all the forty-three Commencement days that the Oregon campus has witnessed.

One of the features of the week, the Commencement chorus, promises to eclipse all previous musical attractions. Professor Glen, Dean of the School of Music, has organized an orchestra of twenty-five pieces and a chorus of fifty voices, including such musical stars as Miss Lilah Prosser and Mr. William Lai. The chorus will sing several ensemble numbers during the Commencement exercises. The piece de resistance will be Kinder's "Festival Te Deum in F," in which Professor Glen, Miss Prosser, and Mr. Lai sing solo parts.

The week opens with Baccalaureate Sunday, June 18. Dr. Benjamin Young, of the Taylor St. Methodist Church, Portland, will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon in Villard Hall, at ten o'clock. His subject is not yet announced, but all who have heard Dr. Young speak most highly of his persuasive power and predict an impressive and effective sermon.

Dr. Franklin Kane, President of the University of Washington, will deliver the Commencement Day address.

The senior picnic, while not at this time definitely scheduled, is announced as coming some time between the end of examinations and Baccalaureate Sunday; Saturday is thought by many to be the most desirable date. The head of the mill race will probably furnish the location.

### "BARNEY" OLDFIELD BELOVED OF THE GODS OF GOOD LUCK

Dame Fortune is not only smiling upon Barney Oldfield these days, but is laughing out loud at that surprised individual. It all started when Barney received a letter which stated that he had been left a neat little sum as a bequest and which enclosed a substantial check. Barney immediately changed from near socialistic to tendencies toward plutocracy, and straightway invested a portion in some good jewelry.

The final blow came this week when holding the mystic number 40 he also inherited Jack Lucky's photographer's outfit, including a fine camera tripod, printing frames, etc. Since then Barney has developed an artistic streak and going in strong for the realistic has photographed in characteristic poses. Kronenberg, Ferguson and other study models.

He is wondering where the lightning will strike next.

The cast of the Senior class play will hold a picnic probably at O'Briens Friday.

### SCROLL AND SCRIPT INITIATES TO BE BANQUETED WEDNESDAY

New members of Scroll and Script, the women's honor society, will be formally banqueted at the Wisteria tea rooms of the Osburn, Wednesday afternoon, June 13. The banquet will be preceded by initiation ceremonies in the afternoon at the Music School rooms. These affairs were originally planned for Saturday, but were moved up because of the crush of work incident to graduation.

## PAY SOON AS POSSIBLE

Hawkins Subscriptions Should Be  
Paid Soon To Vawter or  
Briedwell.

It is important that those who have subscribed money toward sending Martin Hawkins to represent the University of Oregon in the National games at Pittsburgh this month, pay up as soon as possible.

President Collier has appointed Vernon Vawter and Paul Briedwell a committee for collection and they are officially empowered to take the money. Those who are financially embarrassed till they reach home, may send the money to Registrar Tiffany, who will handle and audit all the accounts.

About \$180 has been pledged and this with what can be further raised, will be sufficient to defray the winner's expenses, if it can all be collected. The games are held on the last days of this month and "Hawk," with Trainer Hayward, will start about the time of Commencement.

The champion hurdler has kept rigid training and is now running much faster than during the regular track season, and unless too badly affected by the change in climate, Bill expects him to make a most creditable showing.

## SKIPPER NICHOLAS WEDS

Pretty Culmination To Life Romance  
of University's Second Elbert  
Hubbard.

The long standing life romance of this rag time philosopher and erstwhile editor of the Emerald, was abruptly culminated in an extremely quiet wedding this noon at the home of the bride, Miss Ethel Johnson, at 193 East Tenth Street.

The bridegroom came in on the late train last night and instead of staying at the Dorm, as is his wont, put up at a hotel. This morning he appeared at the bride's home and in the presence of Mrs. Emma Johnson, Mrs. W. W. Calkins, and Miss Jessie Calkins, the knot was tied that terminated "Skippers" career as a bachelor and philosopher.

Sending the suit cases ahead to avoid suspicion, the bridal party boarded the noon train at the water tank and are now on their honeymoon in Portland, where the groom holds a responsible position in the city engineering department.

He was heard to boast that the last Emerald was out and that the news of his escapade would not be widely disseminated, as he thought his getaway had been unobserved.

Ben Williams, '10, is back in the city after finishing the year as assistant principal of the Oakland High School.

## WHO WILL GET TO VOTE FOR GRAD MANAGER?

QUESTION BEING CONSIDERED  
OF WHETHER OLD OR NEW  
OFFICERS WILL VOTE

### ONLY TWO APPLICATIONS ARE YET IN

Leslie Dobie and Arthur Geary Are  
Only Candidates Who have Come  
Out As Yet.

A nice legal problem is presenting itself to the student body authorities as to just who will elect the recently provided for graduate manager.

The new executive committee takes office Monday, but the Athletic Council holds over till September. At the same time Hawkins is the only member of the old council still in the city, so that a quorum would be most difficult to obtain for a meeting. Applications for the position have not yet arrived in any number, so that action cannot be taken yet for some days. Retiring President Collier and his committee believe they should have a hand in the election, as does also President Ray and the incoming officials. Meanwhile the question is left undecided until President Campbell's advice can be obtained on his return from Salem.

So far there are but two receptive candidates in the field for the new position. They are Leslie Dobie, '11, and Arthur M. Geary, '10. All concerned are agreed that sufficient time should be given for the news to be spread among the alumni and for applications to be filed. Nevertheless, it is important that the new manager be installed this spring, so as to look over the field and forecast the year's work.

Just how the muddle will be settled is in doubt until a conference shall be held on President Campbell's return.

The library would like to buy to complete its files, the October, '08 Monthly and Nos. 1, 14, 48 of Vol. II of the Emerald.

Ed Hines, treasurer of the class of 1912 reports \$93.15 surplus on hand.

## TO TRAIN M. A. A. C. TEAM

Famous Oregon Coach Will Take  
Several Men To P. N. A. Meet  
In Seattle.

Bill Hayward leaves this afternoon for Portland, where he will begin training the Multnomah track team for the P. N. A. meet to be held in Seattle the last of this month.

Tho he does not expect to win the meet, he does expect to make a good showing with the "Winged M." men. He is taking with him from the Varsity squad Bill Neil and Captain Hawkins and perhaps also Ben Williams and Sap Latourette. The latter two will go if they can get back into prime condition.

The Seattle Athletic Club has signed up the pick of the University of Washington track team for this meet and as Bill always likes a chance at Washington, he is entering into his present duty with zest. Victory in the meet is practically impossible for the M. A. A. C. squad, yet the Oregon men are counted on to win several events.

### "HIPPO" STRONG AND HUGGINS. RIDE FIERCE ACACIA GOAT

The Acacia Fraternity held an initiation last Saturday evening in the Masonic Temple. Among the out of town guests were J. F. Robinson of Portland and F. M. Hofer of the University of California. Those initiated were: Leigh M. Huggins, Bert L. Strong, and Verner A. Gilles.

W. E. Grace of Portland was initiated as an Honorary member.

After the initiation a banquet was served at the chapter house.

## NEW CUP FOR '12 SEASON

Emerald Will Put Up Substitute For  
Famous Doughnut Cup Now  
Gone Forever.

As the famous Doughnut trophy cup has been won twice successively and will be permanently retained by the Sigma Nu Fraternity, the Oregon Emerald will put up a similar trophy for the interfraternity baseball league.

The same conditions will govern in the contest for the Emerald cup as have obtained in the Doughnut league, and it is hoped to keep practically the same organization alive.

Much good has been attained and much interest aroused in the past three seasons of intra-collegiate baseball and it seems the unanimous consensus of opinion that the league should be kept alive. Although the 1912 baseball season is yet far in the distance, the offer is made now, that the various disappointed Doughnut teams can begin drafting men and start early summer training for the new cup race. Hard work is a great solace for disappointed aspirations, and it is hoped that in the efforts toward putting out winning 1912 teams, numerous and sundry heart burnings may be forgotten.

## TO START FUNNY SHEET

New College Publication To Be Born  
—Will Try Desperately Hard To  
Be Humorous.

If the proposition can be financed, as there seems every reason to believe it can, Oregon next fall will have a funny paper or at least a professedly humorous sheet.

Since the untimely demise of the Doughnut, the college has been without a "Punch," and the Collins has injected illuminating, tho spasmodic, flashes of wit into the monthly, there is a pressing need of humor here. Realizing this deficiency, several of the college near Mark Twains have agitated the question and now have the scheme fairly well organized.

It is planned to start the paper on a modest scale and if its success warrants it to increase gradually to something approximating the Stanford or California magazines. A name has not yet been selected for the proposed publication. Something apt and characteristic of the college is desired and the originators are hoping for a happy inspiration this coming summer.

While modeled somewhat upon the style of the late Doughnut, the new sheet will partake more of the magazine type and will contain drawings and photographs—finances permitting.

## APPROPRIATIONS MAY BE AVAILABLE AFTER ALL

EVIDENCE OF GIGANTIC FRAUD  
FOUND IN CONNECTION WITH  
REFERENDUM PETITIONS

### SAID THAT 8000 NAMES ARE FALSE

Rigid Investigation Is Being Conducted  
Into Legality of Parkison's  
Petitions.

Today's Oregonian contains a sensational first page story relative to wholesale fraud in connection with the referendum petitions on the University appropriation bills, which it is said will invalidate the petitions and make the money grant available.

Just how great the percentage of fraud is and how accurately it can be traced down are as yet matters of speculation, but it is said that of the 12,000 names on the petitions, at least 8,000 are tainted. The investigation has been in charge of Hon. W. T. Slater, ex-Supreme Court Justice, who has been assisted in the work by William Wright of the Burns detective agency. The scrutiny has been carried on for the past two weeks and the evidence seems to be overwhelmingly against the legality of the referendum movement.

It is suspected that the names and addresses were taken out right from the city directories and filled in by one man in some Portland office. Those familiar with the workings of the referendum petitions say that fraud or forgery on one of the petitions invalidates all the names and that it will be a comparatively simple matter to throw a majority of the petitions out of court.

Detective Wright is on the trail of the men supposed to be implicated in the forgeries, several of whom have already left the state. It is expected that criminal action will be taken against twenty or more.

When seen on his return from Salem this afternoon, President Campbell said:

"Much of the outcome of the affair depends upon where the court imposes the burden of proof, as it will be difficult for the petitioners to prove the validity of the names. Our case will be taken into court soon and prosecuted thoroughly."

### COACH BUCHEN WILL COACH U. of W. DEBATE ON SUBSIDY

Instructor Gustave Buchen left for the East on the early morning train Thursday morning. He will go directly to Wisconsin via the Great Northern and will be in Madison all summer attending the University summer school. He purposes to finish up his law work before the end of next year.

During the coming collegiate year he will be assistant in the public speaking department and will coach two debates on the ship subsidy question. Having the same question as this year to deal with, he purposes to handle it in the method that was so successful here. Before his departure he was presented by many tokens of appreciation by his friends here at Oregon. He is followed by the best wishes of a host of friends and in return says he feels nothing but the kindest regard for the University of Oregon.

Miss Julia Burgess left Monday to spend the summer in Europe.