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Special Meeting at 4:00 o'clock tomorrow. Prof. Schmidt's room Important.

OREGON EMERALD



FOOTBALL
Captain issues call for spring practice tomorrow.

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M. A. A. C. BRINGS OLYMPIC STARS

PHILBROOK, HAWKINS AND BELLAH TO APPEAR IN MEET WITH OREGON SATURDAY

DOPE FAVORS UNIVERSITY

McClure, Huggins and Windnagle Look Good for Many Distance Points.

After the Multnomah meet on Kincaid field next Saturday, "dopsters" will find themselves in an easier position to figure out Oregon's chances in the Northwest Conference Meet at Walla Walla in May.

Multnomah Manager Optimistic.

Manager Schmitt, of the M. A. A. C., seems optimistic as to the outcome of the meet. "I expect to take twelve men with me to Eugene Saturday," he said. "I expect first places in the 100 yard dash, high and low hurdles, broad jump, discus throw, and the pole vault." Multnomah stock rose several points last week when George Philbrook, the great all-around Olympic athlete, and former football and track star at Whitman and Notre Dame, appeared under the Multnomah colors. He is a big 205 pound athlete who holds such records as 46 feet 6 inches in the shot put, discus, 142 feet; high jump, 6 feet 1.

W. A. A. C. Given Six Firsts.

Conceding Multnomah first place in the six events, "Dope" has it that we should draw strongly for second and third in the discus, a possible second in the high jump and third in the shot put.

The 440 with such men as Windnagle, Boylen, and Barber entered, the 880 under the supervision of Windnagle and McClure, and the mile and two mile entrusted to McClure, Huggins, and Pack, seem to place Oregon ahead for these events. But the pole vault belongs to Bellah, of the Club, who has a record of over 12 feet 6 inches, and the high and low hurdles appear very much like the property of Hawkins and Bibee. The 100 yard and 220 yard dashes are not so certain. At Columbia, Kay and Kiser both edged out ahead of the Columbia's entries in the 220, but the 100 was not run at that time and this result is hard to predict.

Parsons Should Take Broad Jump.
Johnny Parsons lost out in the broad jump because of unfamiliarity with the take off, but Saturday he should press Bellah and Hawkins close for first place. Neill and Heidenreich, the javelin and discus twins, feel capable of figuring in these two events against Philbrook and Bellah.

O. A. C. GO-ED DROWNED

Kate O'Connor, of Montague, Cal., Drowned While Canoeing on Mary's River Sunday

Corvallis, Or., Apr. 20.—Kate O'Connor, of Montague, California, a Junior student in the Domestic Science class at Oregon Agricultural College, was drowned at 5:30 P. M. today while canoeing on the Mary's River with Robert Savage, of Salem, a Sophomore in the class of Mechanical Engineering.

The accident occurred four miles up stream from Corvallis, in a swift current, and the canoe was capsized when it struck a log while the occupants were endeavoring to turn round.

The party, which included Miss O'Connor and Mr. Savage, was breaking a strict rule of the college, which forbids any girl going on the water without having filed the written consent of her parents to engage in aquatic sports.

Rival Oregon and Washington Captains and Pitchers



Welch, Pitcher.



Capt. Jack Johnson, Pitcher.



Lyle Bigbee, Pitcher.



Capt. Ben Chandler.



Stub Kerry, Pitcher.



Willis Boutman, Pitcher.

COLUMBIA MEET AGAIN CAPTURED BY OREGON

Varsity Wins for Fifth Consecutive Time, With 34 Points to 24 for O. A. C.

"Bill" Hayward and his track squad were in Portland Saturday, April 13, and for the fifth consecutive time walked away with the purple banner at the annual Columbia University indoor track and field meet, scoring 34 points. O. A. C. landed in second place with 24 points, while the Multnomah Club, of Portland, took third honors, by scoring 17 points.

Oregon's Victory a Surprise.

Oregon's decisive victory came somewhat as a surprise, as the dopsters had predicted a close meet, with Multnomah a slight favorite. The absence of Baker, the Aggies' star sprinter, and the fact that Philbrook, Bellah and Johns did not compete for the Winged M, aided Oregon materially in easily romping away with the meet.

Walters, of O. A. C., broke the only record, when he finished the 440-yard dash in the fast time of 53 3-5 seconds. Johns, of Oregon, held the previous indoor record of 54 seconds, made in the 1910 meet. Windnagle ran Walters a close second in this event.

Walters and Windnagle Tie.

Walters, of O. A. C., and Windnagle, of Oregon, with eight points each, shared honors as individual point winner. Oregon took four first places, Multnomah Club three and O. A. C. two. High School athletes picked up several seconds and thirds in the open (Continued on last page.)

"MOTHER, PIN A PIECE OF CREPE ON ME," SONG BY J WARD ARNEY

Former Washington Ball Player, Victim of Little Joke by Sigma Nu Brothers.

J. Ward Arney, baseball writer for the Emerald, used to play baseball with the University of Washington.

The University of Washington is noted for being the stamping grounds of a lot of red hot fans of 57 varieties.

And J. Ward Arney was one of them.

Recently, however, one University of Oregon baseball team cleaned up the Evergreen team in two straight games. Naturally Arney was a little chagrined. And to complete the joke, his Sigma Nu brothers hung a big black bow of crepe, the regular mourning kind, on his door.

With a smile, Arney took the decorations down yesterday afternoon, with the remark, "The boys are trying to play a little joke on me. Nothin' doin'."

Geisler Makes Canoe Trip to Portland.

Carlyle Geisler and Alfred Parker, of Portland, paddled a canoe to Portland during the April vacation. Rain the first day caused a little discomfort, they say, but outside of that they report a very pleasant trip. Their running time from Eugene to Oregon City was in the neighborhood of 24 hours actually on the water, nearly three days being taken to make the trip.

Leland Stanford Finch, ex-'15, was recently elected president of the Baker High Alumni Association.

DOUGHNUT BASEBALL SERIES OPENS TODAY

Game Between Alpha Tau Omega and Avava Club Begins League Contests.

The directors of the Interfraternity Athletic League met yesterday afternoon and drew up a revised schedule for the Doughnut Baseball series which opened today with a game between Alpha Tau Omega and Avava Club. All games in this series will be of seven innings, starting about 5:30 in the afternoon. They will be in charge of Edward Schockley as umpire, while Ward Arney will be official scorer.

In addition to arranging the baseball schedule, final plans were completed for the inter-fraternity track meet to be held Saturday morning, May 3.

Bill Hayward will have charge of the track meet, assisted by Mason Roberts as official starter. Each team will be limited to five men; all varsity track men who have on their letters will be barred from the meet, in addition to the regular cup offered by a local jeweler to the club or fraternity landing in first place. Bill Hayward has again, come forward with a handsome silver cup to be presented to the winning relay team.

Woman's Meeting Thursday.

The Woman's Athletic Council will hold an important meeting at 5 o'clock on Thursday, April 24. All members are urged to be present to organize the various sports, tennis, archery, canoeing, etc., active work in which will begin Monday, April 28.

OREGON NINE STARTLES FANS, WINNING FOUR STRAIGHT GAMES

UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR WALKS TWENTY-SIX MILES AFTER ONE FISH

Dr. Gilbert Shows Perseverance in His Fishing Methods During Vacation.

A vacation may be a vacation, but not when one has to walk twenty-six miles for one measly fish, especially when fishing is your favorite pastime for an idle week.

But this happened to Doctor James Henry Gilbert, assistant professor of Economics, and graduate of the University of Oregon, last week while visiting his former classmate, Oscar Gorrell, who is farming in Douglas county.

Fishing continually for thirteen miles up a small tributary of the Umpqua river, the exponent of Tausig caught one little trout, barely over the legal limit of six inches.

CHANDLER'S MEN DEFEAT W. S. C. TWICE, THEN TAKE U. OF W. TEAM INTO CAMP BY GREAT FIELDING

PITCHERS' WORK EXCELLENT

Games With Pullman Do Not Count In League Reckoning. Captain Ben Leads Batters

Western Division			
	W	L	P. C.
* Oregon	2	0	1.000
* O. A. C.	0	0	1.000
* Washington	0	2	.000
Eastern Division			
	W	L	P. C.
* Pullman	2	0	1.000
* Whitman	0	0	.000
* Idaho	0	2	.000

(By J. Ward Arney.)

Playing with a fighting spirit that carried everything before it and with a consistency that surpassed the hopes of its most sanguine supporters, the Varsity baseball squad returned yesterday from its vacation trip, dangling from its belt the scalps of the University of Washington and Washington State College. These victories are the more creditable in view of the fact that dopsters had it figured that Oregon had but a slim chance of barely breaking even, basing their opinions on the weakening effect that lack of practice had had on the team, rather than any inherent deficiency in its makeup. But Captain Chandler and his boy-friends completely upset the deductions of the wise ones. They hit, ran the bases and fielded like fiends, and the pitchers dished out an article of hurling that brooked of no defeat. The (Continued on page 3.)

COACH AYER EXPLAINS HOW IT ALL HAPPENED

Players in Good Physical Condition; Adapt in Learning quickly—but Series Not Won Yet.

(By Fred C. Ayer.)

"I attribute the really phenomenal success of the team on their northern trip to a combination of factors. Despite the lack of satisfactory outdoor practice, the team was in first class physical condition by virtue of previous gymnastic or athletic work, and by making the very most of the time that we had. The team is in fact remarkable exceptional in speed and physical ability for a college team.

"All the coaching and practice moreover was centered on the rapidly approaching series. Only such team plays and signal combinations were attempted as could be mastered thoroughly for this trip. We were fortunate in having a class of players who could learn these in about one half the time required by most teams. Practically all of the men have good baseball "sense," as well as native ability, and coaching has been simply a matter of fitting a "system" to the team.

"We have never been worried about the ultimate fielding of the team. All that is needed is ordinary practice and time to learn the teamwork of the more comprehensive defensive plays.

"So far, outside of the battery department which I have always felt would be strong, the attention has been chiefly given to the offense, a vital part of the game in which the team work is not even suspected by (Continued on last page.)

FRIENDS OF UNIVERSITY ORGANIZE TO ASSIST

OPPOSITION TO REFERENDUM FROM MANY SOURCES

Oregon Women Active in Fight Against Threatened Attempt to Block University Progress.

(By Harold Young.)

Opposition to the threatened referendum movement against the University appropriations has assumed definite form during the past two weeks, through the creation of bodies of workers organized to combat the sentiment as it appears and, through the intention expressed by many of the papers of the state to oppose the movement to refer the money grant or to consolidate the two institutions, O. A. C. and the University.

Growing out of the two meetings held at the Multnomah Hotel in Portland, called by the State Federation of Women's Clubs, there came the Oregon Citizen's Educational League. Of this organization, Eugene Brookins is president, and associated with him are Dr. J. R. Wilson, Alen Eaton, B. F. Irvine, of the Journal, H. B. Miller, Fletcher Linn, Mrs. S. Hirsch, Austin Buxton, of the State Grange, H. W. Stone, of the Portland Y. M. C. A., and A. H. Harris, of the Portland Labor Press.

Following this organization, Col. E. Hofer, President of the State Press Association, and others, formed the People's Higher Educational League, at a meeting Saturday, April 19, in the Portland Chamber of Commerce. Present at this time was a delegation from the other body, which met a special committee from the People's League. Through these committees, the two organizations agreed to cooperate with one another, but to keep the associations separate and distinct.

The executive committee of the People's League is composed of Colonel Hofer, C. C. Chapman, Dr. Marie Equi, of Portland, Judge T. J. Geisler, H. L. Vorst, of the Society of Engineers, of Portland, J. E. Werlein, of Portland, and others. This committee was to have met yesterday to appoint sub-committees and start the actual campaign for the University of the State, but on account of the death of Colonel Hofer's brother in Salem, this meeting was postponed one week.

Complete organization of the Oregon Citizens' League was effected yesterday in Portland. A constitution was adopted, a governing board appointed, and the officers pro-tem permanently elected. Among those on the governing board are J. N. Teal, O. (Continued on page two.)