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Tuesday, May 13, 1913.

In keeping with the custom of the national journalistic fraternity, Sigma Delta Chi, three members elect have attempted to edit this issue of the Emerald. We feel greatly honored to be given an opportunity to become members of this order, and we hope that this paper will meet with the approval of its readers.

It is on the success of this issue that our initiation depends, and if there is fault to find, we hope that the readers will take in to consideration the fact that we have already paid the penalty of our faults by editing this issue in our "boiled shirts and claw hammers."

WE SHOULD WORRY

Sometimes at a University dance, especially if we have not danced with all the ladies of our choice, one hears the criticism about 12 o'clock being too early for the music to stop—why not make it one o'clock instead? The following clipped from the announcements in the University of Washington Daily speaks for itself:

Freshmen—The dance tonight will start at 7:30 p. m. and will close promptly at 10:30.

THE AFTERMATH

Sunday, five hundred High School students, guests of the University during the Junior Week-End, went back to their five hundred different homes throughout the State, carrying with them a new idea of the University of Oregon and a fair insight into the lives and habits of the students with whom they visited. We hope that the results will be for a mutual benefit.

They, as High School students about to graduate and casting about for a place to go next year, have been shown what we have here at Eugene. Many of them from the smaller towns were entirely ignorant of the why and wherefore of a University. This trip has been an event in their lives. They have come here and have matched their athletic skill in competition with others of their class. At the same time they have not failed to recognize the Oregon Spirit; they have come in closer contact with the University during these few days than in a life time at home. We welcomed them as prospective students. Next fall we hope to see them back.

Moreover, they took with them to practically one thousand voters of the State a definite idea of the University and the work that is being accomplished here.

BE SURE TO VOTE

Don't forget, the polls are open tomorrow from 10 a. m. until 2 p. m. Some of the elections are going to be close. If you have some man in mind who you think should have the position, by all means give him your support; every vote counts and perhaps he needs it. If he is defeated, don't be the one who sits around the fireplace Wednesday night downcast and wishing, "Now, if I had only voted."

May 10, the Stanford University baseball team left San Francisco on the Nippon Maru for a ten weeks trip to Japan and back by the way of Honolulu. The Keio University of Tokio guarantees the Stanford men \$2,500 toward the expenses of their trip.

THE EDITORSHIP

Misapprehension of facts by many students impels me to make a public statement regarding a matter in which I had fully intended to remain silent.

I accepted the editorship of the Emerald with the complete conviction that it is a Student Body organ, to be devoted wholly to the greater interests of the University. So far as has been reasonably within my power and judgment, it has been devoted to those interests. Everyone who has shown any ability coupled with willingness to work has been wanted on the staff and has held his position by the same qualifications. Not one person has been "fired" from the staff this year not a man has been dropped except upon his own request or after weeks of absence had shown definitely that he no longer desired to work. The staff has been organized with the single aim of efficiency and with the sole object of getting out the best possible paper. No one has more regretted than the present editor that all the college journalists were not actively working on the Emerald.

As between the candidates I shall vote for the one who in my individual judgment is best qualified for the position, but there is no administration candidate. The Student Body will elect its editor tomorrow, and if it is my earnest hope that no motive but sincere judgment based upon definite qualifications will influence a single vote.

Moreover, whichever man is elected will be immediately offered the assistant editorship for the rest of the year, and will be given an opportunity to get thoroughly in touch with the members of the present staff and organize his work for the coming year. I shall give all possible assistance toward making the Emerald next year as much better than this year's as it should normally be. I trust that I shall be met half way.

I trust also that this will be taken as the frank statement of facts in the interest of the Student Body, for which it was intended.

KARL W. ONTHANK.

According to a plan now on foot at the University of Wisconsin, the Senior class will take out a \$60,000 state endowment insurance policy as a class memorial. Each graduate is to take out a policy for \$100, making payments of \$3.00 a year for twenty years. Under this system all death benefits and the money from matured policies will form a loan fund to help university students in need of financial strength.

MEN WILL HAVE THEIR GYM WORK ON TRACK IN FUTURE

For the remainder of the college year, all classes in gymnastics at the Men's Gymnasium will report on the track for out door work, except during bad weather. Physical Instructor Edward Shockley has substituted the out-door exercises for the inside work, and the plan seems to find much favor among those taking "gym."

Lacrosse is being played on Kincaid field and Shockley states that as soon as the players become proficient enough, he will organize teams and have regular games.

STUDENTS SHOULD WRITE UP ASSEMBLY FOR HOME PAPERS

At assembly tomorrow morning, Professor Eric Allen, of the Journalism Department, will propose a plan, whereby members of the Student Body will write up the lecture of Mr. Eugene Brookings on "Student Relationships," to send in to their home papers for publication.

"Under this plan," said Professor Allen, "the article will have an added touch of personal interest, and at the same time will help to acquaint the people of the state with our activities here."

GAMMA PHI BETA DONATES FUND FOR WOMEN'S BUILDING

Following the gift of \$100 by the Portland Alumnae Association as a nest egg fund toward the establishment of a Women's Building at the University, last evening Gamma Phi Beta handed to President Campbell a check for \$25.00, which is to be an annual endowment to this fund.

As the amount grows, either President Campbell or Miss Guppy will have authority to handle this money.

Announcements

Y. M. C. A.—Gale Seaman, Student Secretary of the Northwest, talks at the Y. M. C. A. meeting Thursday evening on the Student Conference to be held at Columbia Beach this year.

Sigma Delta Chi—Will meet in Professor DeCou's room, Villard Hall, Wednesday evening, at 7:15. "Initiation of dress suit trio."

Agora—The Annual Business Meeting of the Agora Club will be postponed until Thursday, May 22. All members who have not paid their dues please do so before that date.

Golf—Lists of golf matches are posted in the Library and must be played off this week and the results recorded, or they will be declared forfeited.—Kenneth Frazier.

Assembly—Eugene Brookings, of the Higher Educational League will speak at Assembly tomorrow.

Order of the "O"—Meeting at Kappa Sigma house tonight, 7:30. Clinton Bradshaw, president.

Track—Annual Interclass meet, Friday, 3 p. m., Kincaid field.

Student Body election—Polls open 10 a. m. till 2 p. m., Villard Hall.

Manager's Name Omitted.

Through a most regrettable accident the names of the manager of the Women's Emerald, and her assistants, were omitted from the Saturday paper.

Josephine Moorehead, the manager, and her assistants, Lucile Fenton and May Smith, deserve especial credit for the able manner in which they handled the business matters incident to publication. The amount of advertising this staff turned in was record-breaking, and without their efforts there would have been no paper.

—Catharine Carson.

Distinction Is Made.

In the Saturday issue of the Emerald no distinction was made in the program for Tuesday of commencement week between the meeting at 9 a. m. of the State Alumnae Association for the women and the 10 a. m. Alumni Business Meeting, which is open to all alumni. The women have some special matters to take up in connection with the referendum movement.

Charles McMillan is confined to his room at the Zeta Phi house with a light attack of the German measles.

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| Arrive Corvallis... | 9:00 a. m. | 12:50 a. m. | 3:05 p. m. | 7:55 p. m. | |
| Arrive Albany... | 9:00 a. m. | 12:45 a. m. | 3:00 a. m. | 7:45 a. m. | 2:00 a. m. |
| Arrive Salem... | 10:00 a. m. | 2:00 a. m. | 4:00 p. m. | 9:00 p. m. | 3:30 a. m. |
| Arrive Portland... | 11:35 a. m. | 4:00 a. m. | 5:35 p. m. | 11:00 p. m. | 6:50 a. m. |

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