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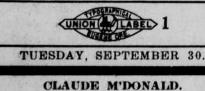
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Death is a fact that it is difficult to comprehend until the solemnity of it is brought home by the loss of place the limited facilities of the some one near to us. Then and only then do we think seriously on the mysteries of life and death and try to draw aside for a moment the curstage.

The death of Claude McDonald is had already shown himself to be a the University. In student activities he was identified with the Emerald as a reporter, and had this line.

Although his stay at Oregon was brief, he was popular among his classmates and with his staff associates. His loss is sincerely mourn-

SANITATION VS. SAFETY.

and keep the University of Oregon EMERALD ISSUES FIRST in its present cramped condition, it and keep the University of Oregon is indeed gratifying to note the efforts being made by the women of the University to improve their own situation.

The erection of the Y. W. C. A. bungalow which was opened this afternoon, was the result of several years of careful planning and management. The completed building is an attractive addition to the campus, and is entirely adequate for its issued last Thursday as a special Fair purpose, that of providing a meeting edition to be distributed at the Saplace and office for the Young lem state and Lane county fairs. Women's Christian Association. However, the bungalow fills but one need, while those of the Uni- holds what is believed to be the versity women are manifold. There record for size, both as to circulaare not sufficient places available in which to hold assemblies of their various organizations; the Dean of Women has not now a suitable of- which forms the regular circulation. fice; the Women's Gymnasium is de- Instead of the regular six colum diplorably overcrowded, and the for- mension, seven columns were used mer rest room in this building of and the length of the sheet was inlate has had to be utilized as a class

room. And so the women students of the University, amalgamated and unified by formation into the "Women's League," are now taking definite steps toward relieving this situation permanently.

The Women's League purposes to pay for and maintain near the campus a Women's Building which will contain a main hall or auditorium where meetings can be conducted, rest and reading rooms, a kitchen, and a dining hall. In this building, also will be placed convenient offices for the Dean of Women and the Women's Physical Director. A large

gymnasium and more shower baths in the new Women's Building will reancient little brick edifice now housing the department of Physical Instruction for Women.

tain which hangs at the exit of life's ing the projected Women's Building in the enthusiasm by calling for some

students. Donations of land and will sing the Varsity songs. It is particularly sad. Although not quite money are expected, and some have reported that some of the Senior men two weeks a freshman at Oregon, he already been received by the trustees have some stunts which they will atof the Women's League, but it is un- tempt to "pull off." Vernon Motschstudent with an earnest purpose at derstood that the greater part of the money will result fro mthe ingenious efforts of the college women. At any rate, there will be no requests for shown considerable promise along appropriations for this end from the taxpayers.

> However, the members of Women's er, finances; Robert Bradshaw; footclubs of the state are graciously giv- ball; Carl Fenton, baseball; Henry ing their help and are showing a Fowler, Emerald; Delbert Stannard, keen interest in the proposed build- Glee Club; Dal King, debate, and Leing. At the meeting at Hood River, land Hendricks, Oregana.

in the near future, of the State Fed-It is planned to make this a boosteration of Women's Clubs, plans are er meeting in order to create an into be perfected for the united sup- creased enthuisasm in all student port of the project by all of the Wo- body activities. The library and all



referendum. He writes:

needs of their University.

University

Close to Ten Thousand Copies Bean, President of Board, Has versity its work is sure to be seri-Distributed at State and Written Defense of the **County Fairs**

The first stereotyped Emerald in the history of the University was In addition to being put out on a cylinder press, the Thursday issue tion and actual size of the paper. Ten thousand copies were run off as contrasted to the usual 1100 creased to standard size to balance up the addition in width. The edition comprised eight pages instead of four, the number regularly used. The mats which were used in the

stereotyping have been turned over to the printers and will be presented to the Journalism department of the University.

ASSEMBLY IS GIVEN OVER TO RALLY

Students to Gather for General "Cheer-Up" Meeting

Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock in Villard hall the regular assembly will be turned into a big student body rally, primarily for football, although there will be speakers on all branches of student body activities. The funds necessary for construct- Yell Leader Harold Young will aid will be raised entirely by the women good rousing yells, and the Glee Club now be available but for the referendum which has brought about this special election.

enbacher, president of the studeut body, will preside and speeches will be heard from the following: Harold Young, on the trip to Cor-

vallis; Hugo Bezdek, on football; William Hayward, track; Dean Walk-

handicap the institution by holding 104 East Ninth St. up an appropriation as imperative as this. But we find now that the University is again attacked and that unless the people stand by their Uni-

cusly hampered. "We wish to make one further

statement to the people of Oregon. The cost to the taxpayers of Oregon R. S. Bean, president of the board per student for the year 1912 was of Regents, favors the passage of the \$180, which is much lower than that appropriation in favor of the Univerin most institutions. It is our pursity, which has been put up to the pose to keep this cost at the lowest popular vote by the action of the possible point consistent with efficiency. But the state is growing "Inasmuch as a referendum has and the students are increasing in been called on the building and betnumbers, the present buildings are terment fund granted the University overtaxed, and unless we can have of Oregon by the last legislature, funds to provide more room, the time and the people are now asked to deis close at hand when we must turn cide whether or not the money shall some of our young men and women be available, we, the members of the away. In fact, we are virtually do-Board of Regents of the University, ing this now, for the schools of feel it our duty as guardians of this Washington and California have now state educational institution to make enrolled Oregon students running a statement to the people as to the

into the hundreds. "The legislature of 1913 took the "As all know, the University is a important constructive step of passpart of the public school system; ing a millage tax bill for both the free to all, and supported by the tax-University and the Agricultural colpayers of the state. It is free alike lege, which will go into effect in to rich and poor, and any young 1915 and automatically provide for man or woman who desires can earn the support of the two institutions or help earn his way through the inthereafter without further participastitution, as 60 per cent of the stution in politics. Meanwhile, we urge dents now in attendance are doing. upon the voters of the state the It is our duty to acquaint the people pressing need of the building and with the needs of the school, and it improvements asked for, and reis our responsibility to determine the spectfully request your support at way in which funds provided shall be the polls.

> R. S. BEAN. President of the Board of Regents.

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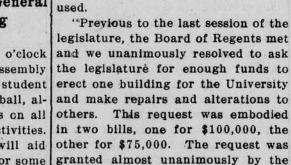
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legislature, and the money would

"The University of Oregon has sev-

eral groups of good buildings, but

since the last one was erected, about

six years ago, the attendance has

practically doubled and the demand

for class room will make it necessary

to use tents or temporary frame

buildings. At present two and three

instructors are compelled to use one

recitation room, and basements and

hallways have been utilized to the

utmost. It is impossible to make

for two buildings instead of one. It

will be remembered that money for

two buildings had been appropriated

by the legislature of 1911, but the

same man who has called this refer-

endum called a referendum upon

these buildings and succeeded in

small appropriation, we hoped that

we could avoid another referendum.

Rather than ask for all that was

needed, we felt keenly the responsi-

bility for keeping the doors of the

University open for our young men

and women, and did not believe that

Walter Bailey, '11, will return this

spring from a two years stay in the

"In asking for this comparatively

holding up the funds.

The accident that occurred last Friday afternoon is deeply to be regretted, but is one of those things, absolutely unforseen, which could not possibly have been guarded against. No one is to blame, no one can feel that he is in any way responsible for the death of Claude McDonald.

A wet shower floor, made doubly slippery by a coat of waterproof DORM FRESHMEN RUN RACE paint applied during the summer. was the sole cause of the fall which Laggards Get Ducking in Pond resulted so fatally. The floor was so waterproofed as a sanitary measure, and with the best of intentions.

But now that the real danger existing in such an improvement has been manifested in so startling a manner, the question arises whether the elimination of a possible source of disease is even equal to the ever Friday's misfortune. Such a danger is present not only in the Men's gymnasium but in the women's as the past week end.

present condition.

The Emerald wishes to give its ecutors of judgement. unqualified support to the proposed change, whether it be a roughening as mere neglect.

THE WORK OF THE WOMEN.

While this referendum wrangle turned from Salem and has entered son Howard McCullock at the Beta continues to tie up appropriations college.

men's clubs.

forthcoming and by means of their o'clock. own indefatigable efforts, the women of the University of Oregon may feel assured of the consummation of their hopes for a building constructed for and devoted to their own needs.

as Reward of Justice

The annual Freshmen's race of the Dormitory men was run last Fri- tice at the regular 10 o'clock assemday evening at 6:45, with thirteen bly. contestants entered.

According to the rules, the runners take the most direct course from present danger of a repetition of the dormitory to the Mill Race, with the five finishiing the race subject to a ducking. The five unfortunates this year were Paul Chesbro, Loren well, and other accidents of a similar Roberts, Paul Norcross, Elmer nature but having less serious con- Hente, and Delbert Eastwood. Six sequences have come to light since or seven freshmen who were acci-

dentally or otherwise absent from the University authorities have dis- proceediings will run a race of their played an interest in these facts that own later, against time, which is that is highly commendable. It has not made by the winner of the first race. yet been definitely decided as to what | Officials of the race were: Al. method will be taken of bringing the Davies, Dal King, starter and refshower floors to a point of safety, eree; Clarance Brotherton, Bud Rybut one thing is assured and that is an, Ray Williams and Sam Lyons, that they will not long be left in their judges; Clarence Brotherton, Bud Ryan, Dal. King and Sam Lyons, ex-

Dr. W. M. Smith, secretary to of the floor or the use of rubber President Campbell, has been apmats. The death of Claude McDon- pointed, to succeed Professor Dear- University as a Junior, is a Phi Gamald was unpreventable, but a .dis- born as secretary of the student afregard of the conditions which caus- fairs, committee. Because of his ed that death could not be classified public service work in Salem Professor Dearborn is not able to continue his work on this committee.

Walter John Kirk, '16, has re-

dent body increases, which is in proclass rooms will be closed, and the portion to the rapid growth of the With this consistent support meeting will begin promptly at 10 state.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Freshmen-Acquaintance party at the Delta Delta Delta house Friday evening, October 3.

Y. M. C. A.-Meeting in Dr. Schmidt's room at 7 p. m. Thursday. Laurean-Meeting in Dr. Schmidt's room at 7:15 this evening.

Football—Underclass Mix and Alumni game Saturday, October 4. Assembly-Special rooting prac-

Women's League-Will meet in Dr. Straub's room, Wednesday, October 1, at 4 p. m.

Y. W. C. A.-Cabinet meeting Wednesday at 4 p. m., Bungalow. Girls' Glee Club-Tryouts in Villard Hall, Wednesday, at 5 p. m. Triple A-Will meet in Dr. Schmidt's room, Wednesday at 4 D. m.

any one would undertake to further Eutopian Society-Meeting at 7 o'clock tonight, Lambda Hho house. Junior Class-Meeting in Dr. Schmidt's room at 7 o'clock tonight. Women's League-Informal tea Phillipines, where he has been has been postponed until Wednesday, teaching school. October 8.

Cecil Cobb and Beverly Clark, who are attending O. A. C., spent the week-end at the Kappa Sigma house.

Elton Tocke, a former student of Reed college, who is entering the ma Delta pledge.

Mr. and Mrs. Black are the guests of their son, John Black, at the Phi Gauma Delta house this week.

shop. Reverend McCullock is visiting his Watch for "New Varsity Confec-Theta Phi House. tionery."

premises.

"The need, however, for a new building and additions to others has not been questioned even by those who are opposed to the University, BANGS LIVERY and therefore needs no argument. But the responsibility upon the Regents in caring for the growth of the institution was a serious one, and in our recommendations to the legislature we were criticised for not asking

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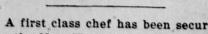
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