

PROF. REDDIE TO BEGIN READING

CAESAR AND CLEOPATRA TO
BE FIRST OF THE
SERIES

MODERN PLAYS PROMISED

Masfield, Maeterlinck, Shaw,
Galsworthy and Kennedy
Have Been Chosen for the
Course This Year.

Plays that are not only "Up to Date," but which are possibly just a little ahead of the times have been chosen for this year's series of free dramatic readings to be given by Prof. A. F. Reddie, head of the department of public speaking. Old-line conservatives, unfamiliar with ultra modern drama, will either stay at home, or attending, receive some painful jolts.

"Caesar and Cleopatra" by George Bernard Shaw, will be the first of the series, and will be given in Deady Hall tonight. Promptly at 8:15 the door to room 31 will be locked, and will not be opened for late comers. This is necessary to obviate interruption and insure the enjoyment of the audience.

Shaw shows up these classic personages in a new light. All Caesar's friends are very much afraid that the childish old general is going to muddle matters, and when things keep coming his way they all think it is coincidence or accident. Cleopatra, also, appears, in a very human role.

Later in the course will come: The Tragedy of Nan, John Masfield, October 27; Monna Vanna, Maurice Maeterlinck, November 5; Major Barbara, Shaw, November 18; Strife, John Galsworthy, December 2; The Necessary Evil and The Terrible Meek, by Charles Rann Kennedy, December, 9.

SWEETLAND FOR OREGON

Willamette Coach Say Oregon
Team Will Beat
U. of W.

At last a man has been found who agrees with Gilmore Doble, coach of five Northwest Intercollegiate football teams. That man is Dr. G. J. Sweetland, football mentor at Willamette university, Salem, Ore. Not only does Sweetland say that Washington will have a difficult task in winning its sixth consecutive title, but he makes the bold assertion that Doble is due to lose his laurels this year for a certainty. This line of reasoning coming from a disinterested person is worthy of study.

Sweetland has learned that football interest in Washington, Oregon and Idaho has been on the increase during recent years largely because a higher grade of football is played. More thorough and definite plans were laid by the six institutions than ever before, and in a "legitimate" manner the high school football material was more carefully combed over than before. In each of the colleges where a change in the coaching had been made this change was made early, and in one school the coach had handled other branches of athletics in the same school last year, while in another the football mentor had previously directed football destinies, in the same institution. Each of the six coaches are skilled students in the game, with years of experience to draw from, and they know the conditions in the conference.

"All of the teams," Sweetland says, "will be stronger than in the past, for enough of seasoned product of past years has returned to constitute a nucleus around which a football machine may be shaped. The array of high school football players gleaned from last season's gridirons is better than in recent years." Dr. Sweetland disagrees with most critics in stamping the present day interscholastic eleven as playing a better game than a few seasons back. He attributes this to the fact that the high schools are more ably coached. From the second teams and substitutes good material will be drawn.

COLLEGE STUDENTS RECENTLY MARRIED

Owen Blazier '16, Gets Eugene
Girl. Norma Andrews '16
Weds Frank Pierce '17

"You can't tell who" be next! Dan Cupid is still pursuing his work industriously along matrimonial lines, and he doesn't use much discrimination as to whom he chooses as his victims. He even invades college circles, and has not only purloined a good number from our ranks already, but the indications are that he will make even greater inroads in the future.

Within the last week this ever-welcome mischief-maker succeeded in uniting two couples, and three of the parties concerned were University of Oregon students. During the summer two grooms, one an alumnus and the other a member of the class of '14 were the result of the little god's endeavors.

Owen Blazier, ex '16, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Blazier, of Portland, and Echo Wintermeyer, daughter of Judge Charles A. Wintermeyer, of Eugene, were quietly married at the Methodist church in Salem last Wednesday. On the day preceding, Frank Pierce, '17, and Norma Andrews, '16, met the same fate in Eugene.

Blazier, who will be better remembered by his college friends as "Pinkie," registered last fall, and also attended summer school. After completing his course at summer school, he accepted a position as assistant bank examiner in Salem, where he is now located. Blazier is a member of the Avava fraternity.

Frank Pierce registered this fall from the east, and has been living with his brother, L. D. Pierce in Eugene. Pierce was pledged to the Avava fraternity.

Mr. and Mrs. Blazier will reside in Salem, while Mr. and Mrs. Pierce will leave in a few days for the east, where the groom's parents make their home.

Harry Devereaux, '12, and Miss Grace Vickers, of Eugene, were united in marriage a few weeks before the opening of college, and Will Fisher, ex '14, of Portland, was married during the summer to Miss Emma Johnson of Ontario. Both of the boys were members of the Avava fraternity.

LINCOLN STEFFEN IS LISTED PROFESSIONALLY

Speakers of Unusual Ability
Promised for This Year's
Chapel Exercises

Financial matters have been so arranged this year, according to President Campbell, that it will be possible to obtain speakers of more than usual merit for assembly meetings. Among those who will probably be listed for addresses before the students on the regular Wednesday chapel exercises will be Lincoln Steffens, well known as a magazine writer.

Mr. Steffens is an author who takes distinctly original views on affairs of national and civic importance, independent of the views previously expressed by others. President Campbell states that there will be a considerable list of well known men listed either for assembly speeches or for special lectures at the University.

PRACTICAL WORK IN GERMAN

The first meeting of the University of Oregon German club Tuesday evening, October 7, showed promise of a lively organization for this season. Membership is open to those having had two or more years of German. Each member will be provided with books containing German games and German songs, and much of the conversation is carried on in German, the club constituting a valuable adjunct to the university's teaching in German.

Walter Kirk spent the week-end in Salem.

GIANTS BEATEN BY ATHLETICS

OPENING GAME OF WORLD
CHAMPIONSHIP SE-
RIES WON 6-4.

BAKER MAKES A HOME RUN

Chief Bender Pitches Contest
for Philadelphia While New
York Uses Marquard, Cran-
dall and Tesreau.

Baker's home run in the 5th inning was the feature of the opening game of the world's championship series, which the Philadelphia Athletics won by a score of 6 to 4 from the New York Giants this afternoon. Chief Bender for the Athletics pitched a steady game, allowing eleven hits, while for New York Marquard, Crandall and Tesreau each took a turn at pitching.

The huge grandstand was crowded when John Hempstead, the son of the late President Bush, of the Giants, threw the ball which opened the series. For two innings the game was featureless, but the New York crowd went into a frenzy when in the last of the third Merkle scored on a single, followed by Marquard's sacrifice and Doyle's single.

However, in the next inning, Homerun Baker of the Athletics, came to the rescue of his team and proved his right to bear the nick name by knocking the ball into the deep right field bleachers for a homer. The hit was if anything longer than the one he batted two years ago in the world's series on the same field.

In the fifth inning Crandall replaced Marquard for the Giants, and he in turn was succeeded by Tesreau in the eighth after being unable to stand the cannonading.

The contest was remarkably free from errors, the only one being chalked up against Barry of the Giants, who made a wild throw to first base in the fifth inning.

The Philadelphia fans had their turn at cheering in the fourth inning when three runs were scored on a double and two three baggers, placing them two ahead of New York. Collins up first, hit the first pitched ball for a three bagger which brought the grandstand to its feet. Baker, the next batter, was wildly cheered and responded with a single. McInnis sacrificed him to second but Baker was thrown out at third on Strunk's grounder. Barry, the next batter, knocked a double down the third base line and with Strunk scored on Schang's three bagger. Bender, the next man up, was fanned by Marquard.

The batteries were:
New York—Marquard, Crandall, Tesreau and Meyers.
Philadelphia—Bender and Schang.

Score by innings:
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
New York 0 0 1 0 3 0 0 0 0
Philadelphia 0 0 0 3 2 0 0 1 0
R. H. E.
New York 4 11 1
Philadelphia 6 11 0

FACULTY COMMITTEE DECIDE EXTRA CREDITS

Debate and Journalism Ack-
nowledgment Will
Be Settled

The question of granting credit for debate and newspaper work was brought before the faculty at the meeting of Friday, October 3, as a result of numerous inquiries on the part of students interested in that work. Members of debating teams have heretofore been given credit for their efforts when recommended by their coaches and approved by the faculty. It was then expected that other courses would be dropped and be substituted by practical debating for which an equal number of credits would be given. The feasibility of reviving this method or of working out a new one has been left for the discussion of a special faculty committee, appointed last night.

GERMAN IN PUBLIC SCHOOL

Educational Experiment Will Be Tried
in Eugene Grades.

Is the public school pupil too young to take a foreign language? In Europe he is not; in America, he is so considered because the first studies in language other than English are given in the high school.

In Eugene, however, under the auspices of the University of Oregon the educational experiment is to be tried of giving German to seventh and eighth grade boys and girls. The idea is to be extended to other Oregon cities if successful in Eugene.

The language is to be taught as an "extra" and pupils will not be required to take it. Instruction will come outside the pupils' regular school hours. The teaching will be largely in German so the pupil can acquire the language as nearly as possible by the natural method. University of Oregon professors will do the teaching. Professor Ayer, head of the department of education, and Dr. Friedrich Georg G. Schmidt, professor of the German language and literature,

Actor Is Given L.L. D.

Montreal, Quebec, Oct. 7.—Sir Gilbert Parker, Canadian novelist and F. R. Benson, Shakespearean actor, were given the degree of doctor of laws by McGill university today. In giving Mr. Benson his degree, Dr. Peterson, head of the university, said no other actor ever had been thus honored in North America.

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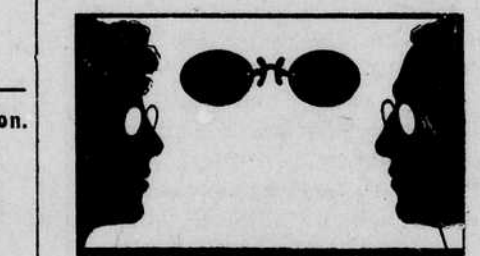
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