



FRATERNITIES FORM COUNCIL

18 MEN FROM 9 ORGANIZATIONS TO COMPOSE ASSOCIATION

BEZDEK IS THE PRESIDENT

Object Is to Promote Friendly Relations Among Different Clubs and to Work for the General Good of University.

Representatives from the nine local and national fraternity organizations of the University met Sunday morning at the men's gymnasium and formed an inter-fraternity council, modeled on lines similar to such associations in other colleges. The full name of the organization, as announced, is "The Inter-fraternity Council of the University of Oregon." For president, a disinterested outside man, Coach Hugo Bezdek, was elected. The only other officers of the association will be a secretary and treasurer and an executive committee. Lee Hendricks was elected to the secretary-treasurer position, but the other officers were not chosen, as no constitution has as yet been adopted and the size and composition of the executive committee has not been decided upon.

This action of the fraternities marks the end of a long agitation for some kind of a Pan-Hellenic for the different clubs and organizations of the campus, and is a step which every university, where fraternities are found, is likely to face sooner or later. The primary purpose of the new association is to unite the conflicting elements of the University student life, and work together for the good of the University. The committee on drawing up a constitution and agreement for the organization are going to incorporate this idea into the preamble of the constitution.

Bezdek Calls Meeting.

Recent misunderstandings among some of the fraternities was the immediate cause of the forming of the association. Coach Bezdek called a meeting of the upperclassmen of the local and national fraternities last Thursday night at the Commercial Club, where the matter was discussed and need for some kind of understanding between the different bunches was seen. The meeting for Sunday morning was called, with instructions for each house to send two men, one Senior and one Junior, to the meeting. Nothing else was done at the Thursday meeting, the idea merely being to "get together."

The various Seniors present at the meeting all expressed the idea that some such action was imperative for the good of the University in general. These men, Wallace Caulfield, Don Rice, Ray Early, Vernon Motschenbacher, Del Stanard, Alfred Davies, Robert McCornack, Harold Quigley and Ira Staggs, together with a Junior or lowerclassman from each house, compose the first council. The committee appointed to work out a constitution will meet this evening. Questions connected with pledging will be of principal importance and some simple set of rules will probably be adopted to cut out existing abuses found in the pledging and rushing system.

Politics Not Involved.

The proposition of pledging, rushing and the forming of a friendlier attitude among the fraternities in general will be the only aim of the organization along the line of trying to better conditions at the University. Politics will be strictly barred from the meetings, according to statements from practically all the representatives at the Sunday meeting.

WOMEN'S GLEE CLUB WILL GIVE CONCERT SATURDAY

Seats on Sale at the Eugene Theatre, Friday Morning at Ten o'Clock

"The Women's Glee Club concert will be held Saturday night in the Eugene theatre, and we are going to surprise everyone with one good program," said Ralph W. Lyman, director of the Glee Club, today. "The program will be practically the same as the one we gave at Cottage Grove two weeks ago, twelve numbers and some special features. Virginia Peterson, Eva Brock and Zella Knox will sing solos and there will be a quartette of Eva Brock, Burree McConeally, Marie Churchill and Leah Perkins."

"We are making a departure from Glee Club prices this year," said Manager Catharine Carson. "The balcony and gallery prices are lower, but we thought it would take better that way in the end."

The seat sale opens Friday morning, March 20, at 10 a. m., at Eugene Theatre.

RURAL SOCIOLOGY TO STAY AT UNIVERSITY OF OREGON

New Courses Considered by Curricula Board. Regular Meeting April 11

That there is no intention on the part of the State Board of Higher Curricula to give the exclusive teaching of rural sociology to the Oregon Agricultural College, was the statement made by President P. L. Campbell, who returned Sunday after attending an informal meeting of the Board held in Portland Friday.

"Contrary to a current report, the meeting in Portland Friday was not to consider the advisability of giving to the Agricultural College the exclusive teaching of rural sociology," President Campbell said today.

"Under the existing arrangements, both the University and Agricultural College are permitted to teach rural sociology. The University has the sociology and economic courses which naturally include rural sociology, while O. A. C. is permitted to teach the course because of its close connection with the agricultural courses that it gives. So far as I know there is no intention to change these arrangements."

"The object of the meeting Friday was to round out new courses to be added to the curriculum next year."

"The regular annual meeting of the Board will be held April 11, at which time a report will be prepared to be sent to the Governor."

REPRESENTATIVES CHOSEN

Y. W. C. A. Send Eleven Women to Salem Conference.

The annual cabinet conference of the Young Women's Christian Association will be held March 27-30, at Willamette University, Salem. Ten girls will go from the local association.

Those who have been chosen as delegates are: Jewel Tozier, Carolyn Koyl, Ruth Leonard, Mabel Miller, Charlotte Sears, Marjorie Cogswell, Mrs. A. R. Sweetser, Mary Ramage, Erna Petzold, Jennie Huggins, Katherine Bridges.

DYMENT EDITS BULLETIN

The Press Bulletin, a semi-monthly publication, published by the University and distributed to the different editors of the state, is this year being edited by Prof. C. V. Dymont of the Journalism department. The aim of this bulletin is to inform the taxpayers throughout the state about the principal activities and achievements of the University, particularly as regards those things in which the University attempts to do direct, first hand service. The editors receiving this bulletin are invited to make free use of such facts as they feel will interest their subscribers.

OREGON SHOULD WIN MATCHES

TENNIS OUTLOOK HAS NEVER BEFORE BEEN SO ENCOURAGING

15 MEN AND 3 WOMEN SIGN

Northwest Tennis Championship May Go to Oregon Handicap Preliminary Try-out Being Held This Week.

"The prospects for Oregon to have a Northwest Championship tennis team this year are better than ever before," said Captain Brooks, yesterday. "The men are turning out better than they did last year and seem to take more interest."

Fifteen men and three women have signed for the handicap tournament which is being held this week as a preliminary tryout for the six team conference meet which will be held here May 23 and 24.

"It is impossible to tell how the men are going to show up before this tournament," declared Captain Brooks. "But some of the old men, Church, Oberteuffer, Bond, Wollcott, a freshman, are showing up the best at the present time."

Only the first round matches are being held this week. The second round matches will be held the coming week. All the matches are to be umpired and the scores are to be written under the winner's name on the schedule card which is posted at the south end of the cement court. The matches will be two out of three sets.

The handicaps are as follows: Owe thirty, Brooks; owe fifteen, Bond and Oberteuffer. Scratch, Scalfefe, Fariss, Church, Wheeler, Hyde, Trowbridge, Wollcott and Kuck.

Receive fifteen, Shaver, Cowden, Stevenson and Gilpin; receive thirty, Bent, B. Cowden and Harvey.

The schedule is as follows, for the first matches: B. Cowden vs. Cowden. Gilpin vs. Church. Brooks vs. Wheeler. Scalfefe vs. Harvey. Bent vs. Trowbridge. Fariss vs. Wollcott. Hyde vs. Shaver. Bond vs. Oberteuffer. Kuck vs. Stevenson.

Only four Freshmen signed for the Freshman tournament, which is also held this week and for which there is a silver cup given by the Seth Laraway company. In the first matches of the Freshman tournament Scalfefe plays Weist and Mickelson plays Wollcott; the winners play the final.

U. OF W. DEFEATS IDAHO

Seattle Men Win Fast Basketball Game at Pullman.

Washington State College, Pullman, March 16.—The University of Washington had little difficulty defeating the University of Idaho here, Thursday night, 48 to 23, in the first of the intersectional playoff for the northwest conference title. Washington's speedy passing was dazzling to the Idaho guards, while the close guarding of Fancher and McFee kept the Idaho forwards almost helpless. Loux's two field goals were from unusually difficult angles. The score at the end of the first half was 18 to 11 in Washington's favor.

The work of Savage, Washington's big center, was the most striking individual feature. He is the class of all centers that have ever appeared in Pullman. The same teams play again tonight and if a third game is necessary will play here again Saturday night.

JAPANESE MAY PLAY OREGON

UNIVERSITY OF KEIO ON TOUR THROUGH THE UNITED STATES

MAY BE IN EUGENE APRIL 8

Games With Chemawa Saturday Will Be a Real Contest. Present Practice Consistent. Seconds Beat First Team 8-7

The baseball aggregation of the University of Keio, which, as champion team of Japan, has been induced by the Universities of Stanford and California to tour the United States this summer, will in all probability play the Varsity on or about April 8. Manager Walker is doing his utmost to arrange the game. The Japs will reach Seattle on April 1. The Keio team is credited with being a skillful aggregation, holding the White Sox and the Giants to close scores during their recent tour of the world.

The men on whom Coach Bezdek is basing his hopes for a winning team this spring, will meet the Chemawa Indians here in two pre-season games next Friday and Saturday. The Indian team which held O. A. C. to a 6-5 score last Saturday will give Oregon the first real contest of the season.

Coach Bezdek is very modest in estimating his pupils. "They are still crude," he said, yesterday. And concerning his staff of pitchers which looks like a winning bunch to outsiders, he says he has not yet had time to form a definite idea.

At the present time he is putting the men through consistent practice with the view of eliminating minor faults and teaching them the fine points of the game in which they are now lacking. Divided into two squad they go through daily practice in bunting and hitting, and last Saturday morning on Kincaid field each man was put through many tris toward the mastery of the hook slide.

In the practice game played last Saturday the second bests had a little surprise for the regulars, when with Bryant holding the first team men to scattered hits, the subs pounded out an 8-7 victory.

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB WILL SING ALMA MATER SONG

Sophomores Will Divide Program Into Two Parts: Formal and Informal

"The Sophomore Class Hour, which will be held in Villard Hall Wednesday morning during the assembly period will be led off by the Girls' Glee Club singing Oregon's new Alma Mater song," says Lamar Tooze, president of the '16 class.

Tooze states that the program will be divided into two parts, formal and informal. No statements will be made regarding the informal exercises which are under the supervision of Merlin Batley and Mandell Weiss. Twelve persons will participate in this part of the program.

"Maurice Hyde is the general chairman and has some very novel and original plans arranged," remarked Tooze. "Cleveland Simpkins, who was class orator last year, has been given the same honor again. Harold Humbert will entertain with a vocal solo. A girls' double quartet and a few instrumental solos will also be given."

"The platform is going to be decorated with greens and arranged as nearly like a real stage as possible. Programs will be distributed among the audience."

Each class at the University of Illinois has its distinctive style of headgear.

WRESTLING SQUAD IS PICKED BY SHOCKLEY

Collier Withdrawing Leaves Six Men Who Will Go on Portland Trip

Collier, the 135-pound wrestler, who was to represent the Varsity in that weight at the Northwest Conference meet at Portland, March 20 and 21, has withdrawn from the squad, because of his inability to train down to that weight.

This leaves only five weights represented by the Varsity at the conference meet. Both Shaffner and Martin, of the 125-pound weight may be taken to Portland, if Coach Shockley can see his way clear to enter both men.

The men that made the squad are as follows: King of the 158; Carl 145; 135 undecided; 125 Martin and Shaffner, 115 Fuji Maki, and Jackson of the 108-pound class.

HENDRICKS RAVES ABOUT THIS BEAUTEOUS SPRING!

Poet Laureate Gives Advice to Frosh Who Disturb Slumbers

(By Lee Hendricks)

"Awake, awake! Arise and sing! Behold the gentle, beauteous spring! The glorious sun once more is shining, whilst thou, on slothful couch reclining, heed'st not its joyous rays: For shame! Awake! Awake! For spring has come!"

Thus spoke a frosh of base degree this morn at nine o'clock to me, and with a visage stern and grim I handed this reproof to him:

"Avaunt, thou slave! Out of my sight, and save thyself by instant flight, And never dark my threshold more, I've heard your brand of bunk before. This springtime stuff which poets spill seems not my caloused soul to thrill; it may get by the ivory-pated, or those whose brows are elevated; I don't line up with either class, so when you pull that noise, I pass. I don't deny a word you say; if spring's not here, it's on the way; but even if your dope is right, and if the sun is shining bright, then does it follow from that fact that you should crab my Morpheus act, and try to pry me from the hay at this outrageous time of day?"

"What care if the mottled thrush is warbling somewhere in the brush, what though the lovely, blushing flowers their petals ope in leafy bowers; what if, in grassy meadows green, the milkmaid, innocent and keen, at evening calls the lowing kine; it is no funeral of mine. Don't beef about the babbling brooks that lie half-hid in sylvan nooks, or nymphs that rag upon their banks and pull off other playful pranks. The nymphs I've seen were not in woods, but in more populous neighborhoods; So if you'll kindly fade away, in this recumbent pose I'll stay. "The charms of spring I cannot see; they do not get a rise from me. The only spring for which I pine is that in this old bed of mine."

TWO FRESHMEN WOMEN SWIM MILE IN MILL RACE

Madge Barry and Frances Heath Not Afraid of Cold Water or Long Distance.

Two freshmen women, Madge Barry of Marshfield, and Frances Heath, of Eagle Point, yesterday afternoon donned bathing suits and plunged into the mill race at the portage, a mile above Bond's boat house, and one of them, Miss Barry, swam the entire distance to the landing. Miss Heath completed two-thirds of the course.

The young women were followed by companions in canoes, for the temperature of the water made the seizure from cramps a possibility. At the end of the swim, both thought that the water was cold, but say they will do the swim over again in a few days.

Both are members of the Kappa Alpha Theta sorority.

TIE IS AGAIN SOCCER SCORE

NEITHER TEAM MAKES GOAL IN SECOND GAME WITH C. U.

PREP PLAYERS SHOW SCIENCE

Boylan, Hit With Ball, Has Bad Eye. Multnomah Manager Makes Overtures for Thanksgiving Date Next Year.

The University's first association football season has been formally closed and the team has been disbanded until next September. The gym classes, which will now be turned out of doors, may exercise with the soccer ball as well as at track and other outside sports, but there will be no regular soccer practices.

The soccer team returned Sunday night from Portland, where on the previous afternoon it won many compliments by playing the champion Columbia University eleven to a tie. On the previous Saturday, in Eugene, when the score was 2 to 2, the university had the break of the luck, but the scoreless tie in Portland was secured on merit. After the game, Professor Bach, manager of athletics at Columbia, said the improvement in the Oregon team during the week was a revelation.

Field in Good Shape.

Multnomah field was the first good soccer pitch upon which the Oregon team had played. The field was 120 yards long and 70 wide. It was smooth and fast. It gave the Columbia men plenty of chance to work their excellent combination, which much of the time bewildered the Oregon halves. It gave to Oregon, however, fine opportunity also to take advantage of the speed and good training of several of the men, and Oregon's speed and determination just about offset Columbia's superior science.

Tommy Boylen Stars.

On the Oregon forward line Tommy Boylen played a game that kept spectators inquiring who he was until in the second half, when a Columbia fullback returned a ball so fast that Boylen was unable to close his eye before the ball struck it. A hemorrhage resulted and he had to leave the game, suffering greatly. He was taken to an eye specialist and is now wearing blue glasses and must not read for two weeks.

Mr. Dymont, of the faculty, who accompanied the team to Portland, said of the game:

"The showing of the University team was so much better than expected that it is hard to predict what may be accomplished next fall. I hope the squad may be playing senior league ball by Thanksgiving. The advancing proficiency of the boys was evidently recognized when the manager of the Multnomah team asked whether Oregon would meet his men in Portland next Thanksgiving, as a preliminary to the Oregon-Multnomah intercollegiate football game. The attendance was slight because of the late date. Next fall we shall get games earlier and close the season earlier."

"The playing Saturday was quite uniform, although backs and goalkeeper probably outshone the rest a little. Next fall, there will be probably 75 or 100 men from whom to select a soccer eleven."

The eleven that began the game Saturday consisted of the following: Goal, Ralston; backs, Spellman (captain) and Campbell; halves, Wilhelm, Ampoker and Hendricks; right wing, Boylen and Nelson; left wing, Ford and Pearson; center, Tuerck. During the part of the second half, Reifel substituted for Boylen and Dinneen for Ampoker. Substitutes, though ordinarily not permitted, were used through the courtesy of Professor Bach.