

NEW RESORTS APPEAL TO OREGON STUDENTS

"OBAK" WALACE AND JAY Mc. CORMICK OPEN MODERN PLACES

College Cue Artists to Have Ample Means for Pursuing Pastime—Bowling Is Featured

University men who wish to drive dull care away will find no lack of facilities in the future, due to the enterprise of two well known monarchs of the local amusement world, Jay McCormick and W. R. (Obak) Wallace. During the past summer each of these men opened one of the best appointed and most up-to-date billiard, bowling and refreshment establishments on the Coast.

Early last spring "Obak" announced his intention of moving into new quarters, and accordingly he leased the building he now occupies, located at the south side of 9th Avenue, just half a block off Willamette street. The space occupied is 160x40 feet. Entering by the right entrance, which also happens to be through the right hand door, the tired college student finds himself surrounded by allurements. On one side is an up-to-date iceless soda fountain of Alaskan marble, and on the other are displayed those tempting delicacies which must never be tasted upon the campus—from Bull Durham to Lady Milos.

To the left of this room is the larger hall devoted to the art of bowling. There are three modern alleys and enough seats to accommodate the spectators. The bowling room and tobacco and confectionery room are finished throughout in solid mahogany.

In the rear of the cigar and bowling room is located the billiard room. It contains four Alexander tables, and plenty of comfortable opera chairs and promenade space for the players. In the rear of this first room is the larger one devoted to pool and containing six pocket billiard tables of the same style as the others. The billiard and pool rooms are finished throughout in Circassian walnut.

"Obak" says he will make a specialty of serving his patrons with the latest sporting "dope." Two large blackboards have already been installed, where posters, clippings and pictures of the latest happenings in sportdom are displayed. Reports of games of interest to University fans will be received over special wire.

At "Obak's" old stand at 814 Willamette street, Jay McCormick has made equally elaborate preparations to welcome the thirsters for knowledge and other soft drinks. The space formerly occupied by "Obak" has been doubled, and the interior greatly altered. The cigar store has been remodeled and restocked. In the rear of the cigar store is the billiard and pool hall, in which Oregon men have come to feel so much at home in recent years. It is the largest in the city, containing eleven pocket billiard tables and four billiard tables.

It is in the annex to the south of the old establishment, however, that Jay has made the greatest changes. The front portion is occupied by a handsome confectionery and ice cream parlor. There is a modern fountain, one of the features of which is a large mirror. The booths in the ice cream parlor are of heavy mahogany; in fact, the entire interior is finished in mahogany.

Still farther back is the bowling room, containing four of the best alleys which could be constructed, and finished by an expert decorator. One of the features of the place is the balcony overlooking both bowling room and ice cream parlor. From this vantage point the spectator may witness the bowling contests, or, wearying of this, he may turn and watch the college "piggers" in action in the booths below.

The "Rainbow," as McCormick's establishment is known, occupies about 150x80 feet. The management will make every effort to please their college patrons and will have the scores of all the big games on tap.

• Table Board at Men's Dormitory may be had at \$3.75 per week. Dining room is now open.

DEBATERS MEET MONDAY OREGONA STAFF MEETS

Aim is to Get Debates With Two More Colleges—Forensics Controlled by Council

By Milton A. Stoddard.

A meeting of all students interested in debate and oratory will be held next Tuesday at 4 P. M., in Mr. Prescott's room in Villard Hall. As the meeting arranged for yesterday did not take place, definite plans for the year's forensic work are not complete. The regular contests, as before, will be held; debates with Stanford University and the University of Washington; the Intercollegiate Oratorical contest with colleges of Oregon; the Lake Mohonk Peace Oratorical contest; and the dual oratorical and extempore contest with the University of Washington.

Efforts are being made to get debates with two more colleges. Oregon orators, as in a number of other colleges, may have this year the opportunity to try for the prizes offered for the best oration on prohibition. At present a prize of \$75 is given to the intra-state winner of the peace contest and the successful orator goes east to the Lake Mohonk Peace Conference in New York, where more prizes are given to the best college orators.

Last year Victor Morris, of the University of Oregon, won the eastern trip.

Debating this year, like athletics, is under the control of a council. The members of the Debating Council are: Dal King, James Donald, and Victor Morris, of the student body; Dr. J. H. Gilbert, of the faculty; Ben Williams, of the alumni; A. R. Tiffany, Graduate Manager; and R. W. Prescott, coach.

TRACK CANDIDATES TO START EARLY TRAINING

The first meeting of the candidates who are going to work on the track team was held Thursday in the Men's Gym. Regular training will commence immediately. The first work will be cross country runs and training for the intercollegiate cross country meet. This is the first year the University of Oregon has entered into a meet of this kind.

The main object of the early training will be to develop speed. Later in the year more stress will be laid on the proper form in running, vaulting and other activities of the track.

Insist on Centennial Chocolates at "The Varsity."

Plans Discussed for Year Book—Meetings to be Held Every Two Weeks

Preliminary plans for the 1916 Oregoniana were launched yesterday afternoon in the first regular staff meeting of the year, in Dr. Straub's room, Villard.

Editor Maurice Hyde, in announcing his plans for the Annual, said, "This year the book will mark a departure from previous publications, in that more emphasis will be laid on the feature department. The arrangement of the rest of the books is fairly well established, and offers but little opportunity for originality, so that we will put most of our attention on the features. The staff has been chosen and actual work in collecting material has commenced. We want to get a running start so that the printers will get their copy early enough to have the books finished on schedule time."

Regular meetings of the staff will be held every two weeks, the next meeting to be at the Kappa Alpha Theta house, Wednesday evening, October 7, at 7:00 o'clock. It is planned to make the meetings social affairs as well as for the transaction of business, the belief being that this will create additional interest in the work.

Business Manager William P. Holt, who recently returned from the Siu-slaw country, where he has been during the summer, has already begun work on the financial end of the book. He has outlined a comprehensive campaign for advertising and subscriptions, and has begun negotiations for printing and engraving.

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LAUREAN DEBATING SOCIETY WILL HOLD MEETING

The first meeting of the Laurean Debating Society will be held Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. This organization is for men only, and the meetings held once a month are given over to debates, with occasional addresses by speakers from various places.

The society lost about seven members by graduation, but eighteen old members are still in college.

All those who are interested in debate, as well as the members of the society, are urged to attend the first meeting.

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