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VARSITY WINS FIRST PRACTICE GAME 96-6

EUGENE HIGH SCHOOL FAILS TO SHOW COLLEGE TOSSERS MUCH RESISTANCE

TEAM IS LIGHT BUT SPEEDY

Team is Light, but Speedy—Coach is Pleased With Showing—Contests With Willamette are Scheduled

By Harry Kuck.

Yesterday's basketball session took the form of a practice game with Eugene High School.

The Varsity had little trouble in overwhelming the "preppers." The score, as nearly as can be estimated, was about 96 to 6.

The High School quintet wasn't able to put up a strong enough resistance to enable much light to be thrown upon the future strength of Bezdek's tribe, but the coach was somewhat pleased with the showing. The prospects aren't so bad; the squad is lighter than last year, but much faster, and fairly accurate."

Sharpe and Carson Bigbee worked well together as forwards against the High School team. Both scored readily and fast and their shooting was more accurate than at any time heretofore.

Dudley started the game at center and got away well. He also made a dozen or so baskets and covered the floor well. Brownell took up the burden in the second half, and likewise had little trouble with his opponents.

Lyle Bigbee and Boylen played guards. Their passing was excellent, but both were weak at tossing holes.

Lack of wind is what is slowing up the team most of all at present. Twenty minutes is a pretty long route right now.

Towards the end of the second half Coach Bezdek took off the regulars and substituted the following team: Roberts, center; Fee and Kuck, forwards; and Morton and Wood, guards. This quintet, although made up mostly of forwards, worked fairly well.

Two more preliminary games have been scheduled. Both are with Willamette University and come January 15 and 16.

The coach is desirous of getting as many of these practice games as possible before starting his conference schedule, and negotiations have been started with Multnomah Athletic Club for a game shortly after the contests with Willamette.

NEW LABORATORY BUILT CIVIL ENGINEERING BUILDING

A new Mineralogy and Petrology laboratory has been fitted up in room 22 of the old Civil Engineering Building. This laboratory is equipped with running water, grinding machines and complete apparatus for the making and study of rock and mineral sections. Relief modelling in connection with the course in Physiography will be carried on in this room as well.

The planning and construction of the laboratory is under the personal supervision of Dr. W. D. Smith, head of the Department of Geology.

GERMAN CLUB MEETS AT CHI OMEGA HOUSE

The German Club held its regular semi-monthly meeting at the Chi Omega house Tuesday evening. Herr Pallas gave a recitation and Martin Nelson rendered a monologue. Election of officers will take place at the next meeting.

E. W. Bartlett, of Estacada, is a guest of his son, Kenneth Bartlett, at the Beta Theta Pi house.

SENIOR MUSTACHE CONTEST TO BE HAIR-RAISING AFFAIR

To Make Two Hairs Grow Where None Grew Before Is Ambition of 1915 Samsons

Have you seen them?

Probably not, but they're here, anyway. We have the word of President Ben Dorris and his brother sombreroians for it.

The annual Senior moustache race started with the beginning of the Christmas recess. Each near-graduate was expected to return with the result of two weeks' neglect of the razor and use of hair tonics on his upper lip. However, most of the Seniors shrank from exposing their sprouting moustaches to the ridicule of the unsympathetic public in their home towns.

With their return to the campus, however, every Senior is getting down to hard, conscientious work, and is putting all his energy into the production of a creditable strip of foliage. A few members of the class who boldly entered the race at the appointed time already appear with misplaced eyebrows just below their olfactory organs.

At the regular meeting of the class yesterday morning President Ben Dorris appointed a moustache vigilance committee, consisting of Rex Putnam, Francis Beebe, and Roy Johnson. Its duty will be to comb the Senior ranks for deserters and mete out due punishment. The committee says that an honest effort is all that is expected.

The moustaches will be worn until the beginning of the new semester. It is rumored that a prize will be hung up for the most luxuriant and comely specimen in the class.

SENIORS LAY PLANS FOR FORMAL DANCE

PLAY WILL BE PRESENTED BEFORE MAY, INSTEAD OF JUNIOR WEEK-END

Auditing Committee Will Present Report of Finances of Class at Meeting Tuesday

An innovation at Oregon in the way of a formal Senior ball to be given some time in April is being planned by the 1915 class. A committee headed by Elton Loucks has been appointed by President Ben Dorris and is now at work.

A Senior ball has been common to nearly all other colleges for some time and it is intended that it shall become an annual affair here. This addition will make four class formals during the year, the Sophomore Hop in December, the Freshman Glee in February, the Junior Prom and the Senior Ball.

Other Senior committees are at work. A meeting of the auditing committee, Bert Lombard, chairman, will be held Monday night in Room 32 of the Men's Dormitory, to prepare a report of the finances of the class.

This report, together with the report of the play committee, will be submitted to the class at a special meeting to be held Tuesday evening.

The Senior Play will be given some time before May, because the Junior week-end date has been given over to the Student Body for the presentation of an operetta. This operetta will probably include the Glee Clubs.

Anthony Jaureguy has 320 copies of the 1915 Oregonian, which he is disposing of to the alumni at \$2.00 a copy. He has sent circular letters to those alumni whose names he could obtain, and while he has not yet received any answers, he says he is confident that the books will be sold. Between 500 and 600 of the copies were sold to the students last year.

VARSITY NIGHTINGALES APPEAR IN FIRST SONG-FEST OF YEAR

DIRECTOR LYMAN SAYS WOMEN'S GLEE CLUB THIS YEAR IS BETTER THAN EVER BEFORE--SOUTHERN OREGON TRIP ASSURED--PORTLAND DATE UNCERTAIN

"A rare musical treat for college and Eugene people will be the Women's Glee Club concert tomorrow night," says Professor Ralph Lyman, club director. "The club as a whole is much better than last year. The girls have practiced faithfully and their work is more finished. They have a good repertoire and it will be hard to exhaust them. The quartette is also excellent this year, and they have some exceedingly good songs and stunts."

The trip through Southern Oregon is finally assured, but the one to Portland is not yet certain. Wednesday, January 13, the club will give a concert in Drain; Thursday it will go to Roseburg; Friday to Cottage Grove; and Saturday to Creswell.

"We expect to make more on our trip this year than we did last year,"

says Rita Fraley, student manager of the club. "Our home concert is bound to be a success, too, as there seems to be a greater interest among the students."

The personnel of the club:

First Soprano—Eva Brock, Virginia Petersen, Bernice Ingalls, Georgia Cross, Margaret Spangler, Marjorie Williams.

Second Soprano—Lois Parks, Marie Churchill, Katherine Kirkpatrick, Kate Schaefer, Martha Tinker, Margaret Pratt.

First Alto—Maude Newberry, Helen Johns, Eunice Foster, Rita Fraley, Miriam Tinker, Grace Bingham.

Second Alto—Julia Platt, Erma Keithley, Irene Rugh, Myrtle Tobey, Charlie Fenton and Leah Perkins.

Seats on sale Thursday and Friday at Eugene Theater box office.

FROSH DISCUSS DANCE

Men Urged to See that Every Freshman Woman Goes to Formal in February

"I would rather pay the entire \$65 myself than hurt a single member of this class," said Dr. John Straub to a suggestion made at the Freshman class meeting held in Villard Hall at 10:00 o'clock Wednesday morning, that the names of the 65 members who have not paid their class dues should be published in the Emerald.

"A dollar does not mean much to me, and it probably doesn't to most of you," continued Dr. Straub, "but to some people it means a whole lot, and I am not willing that these people who cannot afford to pay their dues should have their entire year spoiled."

The principal matter which was considered at the meeting was the Freshman dance, to be given Saturday evening, February 13. President Kent Wilson will appoint the committees at once and they will be published in the Emerald.

Dr. Straub asked the men to see that every Freshman woman goes to this dance.

"If any Freshman," he said, "brings a Sophomore or Junior woman to this dance, we'll do something to him."

Meader Fletcher, Class Treasurer, gave a report of the finances of the

DR. DALLENBACH WRITES

Professor of Psychology Contributes a Number of Articles to Scientific Periodicals

In the September number of the Journal of Educational Psychology appeared an article entitled "The Effect of Practice Upon Visual Apprehension in School Children," by Karl M. Dallenbach, of the Psychology Department of the University.

Dr. Dallenbach has been a contributor to several psychological periodicals in America. The American Journal of Psychology for October, 1913, contained an article by him on "The Measurement of Attention," and he published "The Relation of Memory to Time Interval," in the Psychological Review of July, 1913.

The next article by Dr. Dallenbach will appear in the American Journal of Psychology in the April number, and four others will probably appear during the coming year. All of the named magazines are authoritative on psychological subjects, and are taken by all the large libraries in the country.

class, which shows a balance of \$177.55 in the bank.

A suggestion was made that a large number of Freshmen attend the Freshman-Sophomore debates which will be given Friday, January 22.

DOES ANYBODY HERE KNOW CLAUDEAS OF STATEN ISLAND?

Clark Burgard Sends Greetings to Address Found in Pocket, but Is It a Man

Two weeks ago Clark Burgard, a Senior at the University, was addressing Christmas cards at his home in Portland.

Out of one of the envelopes that enclosed the Yuletide messages dropped a slip of white paper bearing the words, "Packer, L. Claude s, 32 LaFayette Avenue, Staten Island, N. Y."

Without hesitation, the fourth year representative dispatched a greeting to the address designated on the scrap of paper.

Tuesday night, Burgard received a card and a letter from his Staten Island correspondent, acknowledging receipt of the Christmas card.

Burgard is undecided whether or no the "L. Claudeas" is a "Miss," "Mrs." or "Mr."

VARSITY WILL PLAY SOCCER SATURDAY

British League, Local Organization, Will Give Squad First Practice Game

"The British are coming" to play soccer with the University of Oregon team. This will be the first practice game of the season and will be played on Kincaid Field Saturday at 3:15. If the visitors are unable to mobilize by that time, the game will be played on the Saturday following, and the Blacks and Whites will practice maneuvering in their stead. Either game will be free to the general public.

R. Chapman, manager of the league, is a right half, formerly with the St. Johns College team of Featherhead, Surrey, England. Rev. John A. Moran was center forward at college. Dr. M. Ashton is an ex-Manchester League player and will probably play forward inside right. W. P. Tyson is a center half, and A. H. Tyson plays outside left. Professor Dymont, formerly of the University of Toronto and Coach of the University of Oregon team, may line up with the visitors.

W. E. Lidyard, Pedlar Palmer, and Messers. Oliver, Turpin, Jasper and Wilkinson are some of the other men who will play. The British Leaguers will depend upon their past knowledge of the game, as they do not intend to practice before Saturday.

No games have yet been scheduled with other colleges. Negotiations are going on for games with O. A. C., Multnomah and Columbia. These games will probably be played in February after the league games are over in Portland.

STUDENT BODY DEBT MATERIALLY REDUCED

GRADUATE MANAGER SAYS AN ATTEMPT WILL BE MADE TO WIPE OUT DEFICIT

FOOTBALL-NETS \$1000 PROFIT

Glee Club Surplus Helps—Basketball, Baseball and Track Expected to Result in Loss

"We are going to reduce the Student body debt very materially," says Graduate Manager Tiffany, "but our plans for doing it are not sufficiently mature to form an estimate of the reduction which will be made."

At the beginning of the year the Student Body faced a debt of \$2,500. This debt carried over from year to year includes a note held by the First National Bank of Eugene, for \$1,500, and a \$500 deficit on Hugo Bezdek's salary. Incidentals and miscellaneous bills amount to \$500. In order to liquidate this debt, \$2,500, over and besides all expenses of this year's games, etc., must be raised. Mr. Tiffany says it is almost an impossibility to raise the entire sum, but an attempt will be made.

The football season netted \$1,000 clear profit, but the track, basketball and baseball deficits will probably cover this surplus. The inter-scholastic meet in the spring costs all the way from \$600 to \$900, and brings in very little return. The Glee Club last year cost the University over \$900, but the Registrar states that this year's tour resulted in a surplus.

"As a whole, however," Mr. Tiffany adds, "the outlook this year is much more encouraging than last year, and if we cannot liquidate the entire amount, we will meet a part of it and the remainder can easily be taken care of, probably next year."

CORNELL OPTIMISTIC OVER '15 PROSPECTS

Captain-Elect's Injured Knee Mending. "Next Year My Best," He Says

"I have my best year in football before me," said Anson Cornell, football captain-elect for next year, this afternoon, when discussing the possibility of his injured knee keeping him out of the games next fall. "The knee is getting along all right and will be well by that time."

"I was in the hospital just two weeks," said "Nance." "A vertical cut about eight inches long was made through the knee cap; the opening was spread apart and a piece of ligament about one and one-fourth inches long was removed from the inside of my knee. A number of small clamps were used to hold the muscles back in place."

Anson Cornell left the hospital in Portland Tuesday evening, arriving in Eugene that evening, and was attending classes Wednesday. He will have to use crutches for a couple of weeks, and probably a cane for some time before trusting his knee to its full use.

The injured knee was first hurt in the Oregon-O. A. C. game at Albany last year, and since that time the captain-elect for next year has not been able to participate in a complete game.

"It is a mistake that we are to lose two men next year from our regular line. I think all of the men will be back," said Cornell. "Before starting baseball this spring I will have my knee examined to make sure that it is in good condition; but I think it will be all right by that time."

Women's Glee Club To Give Home Concert Tomorrow Night

