

FACULTY COMMITTEE DEFERS ACTION ON ATHLETIC PROBLEM

Report in One Week Is Expected to Show Definite Plan of Proceedings.

At the faculty meeting held yesterday afternoon, the matter of abolishment of intercollegiate athletics was taken under further advisement. A committee of seven was appointed to make further investigation and to submit a report next Thursday.

Sentiment seemed to favor a modification of athletics rather than a total abolishment. Plans submitted were not made public, although it was rumored on good foundation, that a conference with other college representatives to discuss the problem would be called. It was thought by this means that a consensus of opinion can be obtained, and with a common purpose in mind the athletic puzzle of the northwest would be greatly modified.

"There is too much emphasis placed upon intercollegiate athletics," said one professor who has made a study of the situation as now found in colleges and universities on the Pacific coast.

President Campbell said: "Members of the faculty have become so deeply interested in the question of intercollegiate athletics that it was found impossible to settle Dr. Barnett's resolution in so short a time. The question involves a great deal of thought and consideration; consequently, we thought best this afternoon to secure material from all sources and to be deliberate in its handling. Action enacted must be for the best interests of the University."

The committee appointed by President Campbell is as follows: Professor De Cou, Dr. Joseph Shaffer, Dr. J. D. Barnett, Dr. Bebec, Professor Howe, Dr. W. D. Smith and Professor F. E. Ayer.

Ideas advanced were the question of finances and the "attention" situation. It was thought that interest financially has spoiled a great deal of true sport and it is a known fact that the financial problem has caused the cancellation of more than one big varsity game. Not only has the money question prompted severance of athletic relations, but it has caused games to be taken to larger cities for no other purpose than the collection of a larger gate receipt.

It was also said as the various professors aired their viewpoints that too much attention was given to 11 men and not to the entire men populace of the University. A remedy for this evil would be an increase in various branches of games which can be played by every student rather than confine the thing to football, baseball or some other sport.

No Tiddle-de-Winks for Oregon

(Continued from Page One.) field and he lamented the scarcity of spirit shown by the University women so far this year. He still maintains we have a great state.

"The track outlook for this year is very discouraging, because no first letter men are back," said Bill Hayward. "However," he added, "I am looking to the freshmen class for support. Don't come out for track with the idea that if you don't make the first team immediately you are no good, and quit. Come out if you never run a step in your life. I know a man named John Paul Jones, who, after the doctors had told him he had tuberculosis of the bone, went out for track and kept at it until he had established a record."

The college women were represented in the assembly by Louise Bailly and Ruth Fraley. "Every woman immediately after she has paid her registration fee is a member of the Women's league," said Louise Bailly. "There will be a women's mix Friday from 4 to 6 in the women's gymnasium for the purpose of acquainting the college women, particularly freshmen, with Oregon songs. Refreshments will be an important feature."

Cloyd Dawson made a dual appeal for forensics and Y. M. C. A. "Con-

FACULTY'S SPEED PUZZLES REDDIE

How the faculty caste for "The Passing of the Third Floor Back" managed to get their parts learned so quickly is still puzzling Professor Reddie. Professor Reddie says that the majority of them had their entire parts learned by the first rehearsal.

Those taking part in the play are: Mr. W. Bröcker, Mr. W. F. G. Thacher, Mr. J. Frederic Thorne, Miss Mozelle Hair, Mrs. E. S. Bates, Mandell Weiss, Professor E. S. Bates, Miss Mary Watson, Mrs. J. Frederic Thorne, Mrs. Eric Allen, and Miss Mary Perkins.

"The Passing of the Third Floor Back" will be given at the Guild Theatre, October 8 and 9, and will be the initial performance in the new theatre.

Contrary to the ruling of last year," he announced, "women will be permitted to participate in the intercollegiate debates. Since there are only two men from last year who have letters, six more will be needed to form a team. Three orators are also wanted to compete in the interstate contests, making a total of nine men in this department. The Y. M. C. A. social, extension and Bible-study departments are in need of good, willing men," he said, "to further the work already begun by Secretary Foster."

"Pep" will be the keynote of the under-class mix next Saturday afternoon, according to Robert McMurray. The mix will begin promptly at 1 o'clock and will consist of but three events, which have been carefully planned by the juniors.

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A committee consisting of Chester Miller, Echo Zahl, and Marie Churchill, was appointed to draw up resolutions in memory of Samson H. Friendly, for presentation at the next student body meeting. These resolutions will recommend that the next suitable building erected on the campus be named Friendly hall, and that a copy of the resolutions be contained in the cornerstone of the building.

TRIPLE B. TO AID POOR

Sophomore Women Society Will Donate Clothing to Needy Eugene Families.

An attempt to alleviate some of the suffering which it was stated will be present among the poorer families of Eugene during the coming winter, will be made by the Triple B, an organization of sophomore women, according to plans formulated last Tuesday afternoon, when the first meeting of the year was held at the Kappa Kappa Gamma house.

Probably the main work will be in making and donating clothing to those who are most in need. It was estimated that about 200 families in the city would be practically destitute this winter.

Election of officers was held and general reorganization for the year was effected. About 40 were present. The following are the officers elected: President, Beatrice Gaylord; vice-president, Dorothy Dunbar; secretary-treasurer, Evelyn Foster; sergeant-at-arms, Genevieve Chapin; and reporter, Clytie Hall.

It was decided to hold the meetings every three weeks, as was the custom last year. The next meeting will take place at the Delta Gamma house at 5 p. m., October 19.

Purdue University has been made defendant in a \$25,000 damage suit which grew out of a class fight last year, when Francis Obenchain was killed. It is claimed that the fracas was fostered by the University authorities.

Bezdek's Cohorts

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a chance to crab, because you can not watch the scrimmages, when secret practice commences; but now, while you have an opportunity, most of you would not display enough interest to walk across Thirteenth street.

GEOLOGY DEPARTMENT THRIVES IN NEW HOME

Improved Facilities of Johnson Hall Add to Effectiveness of Exhibits.

The University Department of geology has moved from its former room in Villard to new quarters in the Administration Building. The space now occupied is on the west side of the first floor, facing Kincaid Field.

"The exhibits are practically the same as we had in Villard," said Dr. Smith, head of the department, "but we have a better place here to exhibit them, although the space is still too small."

The wall-cases, made by W. M. Marshall, a carpenter in the University supply department, have drawers clear to the floor. In time all cases in the Museum will be replaced by cases of this type.

The Museum is connected by folding doors to a general laboratory. In the basement is a general lecture room. This is too small to accommodate the general geology class, which has an attendance of 60, according to Dr. Smith. Besides this lecture room, the basement holds a laboratory for chemical examinations in which the blow pipe is used.

The Museum is known by the title of the Condon Geological Museum, taking its name from Dr. Thomas Condon, pioneer geologist of Oregon and also the first professor of geology in the University. Mrs. Ellen Condon McCormack, daughter of Dr. Condon, has been helping in the arrangement of the collection in its new home.

A new specimen added to the department is the "Paper-Nautilus." "This is the only thing of its kind in Eugene and probably in Oregon," said Dr. Smith. "It came from the waters surrounding the Philippine Islands, and was sent to me by an old prospector friend. It is found only in a few places. Only the female of the species has a shell, the purpose of which is to protect the eggs. This particular specimen has beautiful and artistic curves."

Two of the largest additions are a relief map of Oregon, made by the Bureau of Mines, under the supervision of Professor S. Shedd, Professor of Geology at the Washington State College, and the other is a set of physiographic models, called "Shaler-Davis." These latter come from Rochester, New York.

"The department has also secured several fine photographs, illustrating Oregon geology and scenery," said Dr. Smith. "These include some well known photographs of the Kiser Photograph Company, of Portland. Among them are pictures of Crater Lake and the Clumbia River Highway."

Graham J. Mitchell, assistant professor of geology, made some photographs during his research work for the department this summer in Curry County, which have been enlarged, and are now a part of the department's collection.

Leigh Swinson, of Medford, a former student of the University of Oregon, has entered the journalistic department of the University of Washington.

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