



14 STUDENTS ADOPT FOREIGN COUNTRIES FOR THEIR FUTURES

Several Have Definitely Decided to Go Abroad in Different Forms of Service.

Y. M. MEMBERS TAKE TOURS

Deputations Go to Southern Oregon. Meetings Also Held on Campus.

South America and China, according to J. D. Foster, general secretary of the University Y.M.C.A., will be the adopted countries of 14 students of the University, who, expecting to follow their life work in foreign countries, have organized themselves into what is called a student volunteer band. The greater part of this number will take up social service and religious work. Several however, intend to be industrial leaders, educators, and physicians. They meet every two weeks, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. for study and devotional services. Among the fourteen are four women, Jewel Tozier, Mary Gillies, Goldie Wells, and Helen Brenton. The men are: A. L. Webb, James McCallum, Douglas Corpron, John Black, Dale Melrose, Harold Humbert, Clinton Thienes, Randal Scott, Eric Lane and J. D. Foster.

While these students are studying for work in remote countries, they, with the other members of the Y. M. C. A. are also sending out deputations to the different parts of Oregon to spread the influence of that organization. Creswell, Springfield, and various places in southern Oregon have been visited under C. H. Edmundson, assistant professor of zoology, 15 members went to Creswell in October, played basket ball games, conducted 10 or 12 meetings and various social events. Springfield was visited in November with Walter Dimm in charge. Here an attempt was made to arouse enthusiasm for the building of a gymnasium for the lumbermen of the neighboring country.

Nine students spent 12 days in southern Oregon during the Christmas holidays, giving talks and programs, and playing basketball. The expenses of the trip were \$120, and all but \$13 was cleared on the way.

During the spring vacation another deputation will go to The Dalles, Hood River and Portland.

Eighty four men have been enrolled in the Bible study classes of the association, of which there have been 9. These are held at several of the fraternity houses and the different churches. Among the leaders of these meetings were: Warren D. Smith, head of the geology department; N. C. Grimes, secretary to the president; Reverend William Parsons, of the Presbyterian church; J. D. Foster, secretary of the Y. M. C. A.; Dr. A. E. Caswell, assistant professor of physics; Dr. Ford of Eugene; Dr. D. W. Morton, dean of Commerce, and Prof. A. R. Sweetser, head of the botany department. In the spring classes, Mr. Foster expects to have 140 enrolled.

A new series of courses has been started with a talk by Dr. George Rebec on the "Essentials of Russia." Rev. A. M. Spangler, Rev. E. C. Wigmore, Dr. A. E. Caswell and Rev. Louis S. Cupp will all take part in the meetings with talks on present-day problems.

Concerning the meetings of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Foster says, "I'd like to see more regular meetings, so that a more definite Y. M. spirit may be crystallized and kept up. At present the members don't see enough of each other. It is hard for each department to know what the other is doing."

Held under the joint auspices of the University Y. W. and Y. M. C. A., are the Vesper services that take place once a month in Villard hall.

The first of these was held in October with President Doney of Willamette university as speaker. His topic was "Marks of a Man". Bishop Walter T. Sumner, of the diocese of Oregon, spoke in the November meeting on social service. In January, Dr. George Rebec, head of the philosophy department, gave a talk on

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"CHITRA" IS PRODUCED BY DRAMATIC CLASS

Echo Zahl Stars in Hindu Play Given by Beginners; First of Series.

"Chitra", a one-act symbolical play by Rabindranath Tagore, was presented by members of Professor Reddie's beginning class in dramatic interpretation yesterday.

Echo Zahl took the part of Chitra, the Hindu princess who, in order that she might win the man she loved, was endowed by the gods with supreme beauty for one year's time. Earl Smith played the part of Chitra's lover, while Everett Callison was the god of love and Victor Sether the god of youth and beauty.

The production was practically letter perfect, and was adjudged so good by Professor Reddie that another performance will be given some evening later in the year before an invited audience.

This is the first of a series of plays to be put on during the class hour. A committee from the class chooses a play, selects the cast, and the committee chairman acts as coach. Mrs. Helen Wilson coached "Chitra."

The next of the series, "In His House" under the direction of Adrienne Epping, will be put on Monday morning. Visitors are not allowed except by special permission of Mr. Reddie.

Statement of the financial situation of the Y. M. C. A. Budget 1915-1916.	
Office expenses	\$ 40.00
Traveling expenses	30.00
Secretary's Salary	1200.00
National Pledge	30.00
State Pledge	35.00
Missions	50.00
Meetings	100.00
Bible Study	10.00
Social Service	20.00
Social Department	75.00
Publicity	37.00
Extension	10.00
Employment	10.00
Handbook	101.00
Deficit from last two years	650.00
	\$2378.00

Amount to be Amount	
Sources of Revenue	Raised Pledged
Candy, etc., profits	\$175.00 \$175.00
Students	800.00 172.00
Eugene friends	150.00 148.00
Alumni	100.00 12.00
Faculty	325.00 303.50
State friends (not Alumni)	1328.00 716.75
	\$ 2378.00 1527.25
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Amount Needed	\$ 850.75

Since the beginning of the year, the treasurer has been able to meet the expenses incurred and the salary proposed for the current year, but no reduction has been made in the debt bequeathed us from the last two years. From the above figures it may be seen that the amount necessary and still to be pledged is \$850.75. If this amount is raised and the cabinet and general secretary are relieved of this burden, the efficiency and standard of the work can be made a good deal higher. As it stands now, the general secretary has to spend a third of his time in seeing that the budget is raised. The resources are now becoming developed to a degree that, if once out of debt, the Association is not likely again to fail to raise its budget. The deficit of \$650.00 is in the form of notes and open accounts.

HERMAN M. GILFLEN, Treasurer.

GIRLS UNION WILL GIVE SCHOLARSHIP FOR WOMEN

A gift of \$5,000 for the purpose of maintaining the San Francisco Girls' Scholarship, was announced at the last meeting of the regents of California. The income is to be applied to the support of some worthy and needy woman student who will be appointed annually by the faculty.

Cornell University took a straw vote on woman suffrage just before New York state voted on the question last fall. The vote of the undergraduates was 512 for to 297 against, and the faculty vote was 72 for and only 18 against. Only 809 undergraduates voted at all out of the great student body.

Y. W. C. A. PAGEANT IS ASSEMBLY PROGRAM

"Girls of Yesterday and Today" to Celebrate 50th Anniversary of Founding.

"Girls of Yesterday and Today" is the name of a pageant to be presented by the Young Women's Christian association in assembly Wednesday. The affair is given in honor of the 50th anniversary of the institution's founding. The leads will be taken by Emma Wootton, as the girl of 1916, and Juanita Wilkins, as the girl of 1886. Professor C. H. Edmundson will take the part of the husband. The pageant will be a presentation of the history of the association from the time that it was founded 50 years ago, each period being taken up and illustrated with costumed groups. The play will be divided into five sections.

The first period, which is in charge of Helen McCormack, includes from 1866 to 1876, the second in charge of Genevieve Chapin, the period from 1876 to 1886.

In charge of some of the groups of the pageant are: Vera Olmsted, factory girls; Mary Chambers, foreign girls; Beatrice Gaylord, country girls; Echo June Zahl, athletic girls; Cora Hofford, clerical workers; Roberta Kilham, gymnasium girls; Eyla Walker, college girls.

The founding celebration, or jubilee, is not confined to the University of Oregon association alone, but is a national affair. O. A. C. is to hold a jubilee of similar nature today and all over the United States pageants will be given during the month. The month is known as the "Y. W. C. A. Jubilee Month."

The whole thing is under the charge of Miss Mary Gillies of the Y. W. C. A. Mrs. Eric W. Allen is doing the coaching and Mrs. E. S. Bates is in general charge. Miss Winifred Forbes and Dean Lyman have charge of the music for the production and Miss Amy Dunn is overseeing the costumes.

The cast will include about 100 characters. The play was written by the national secretary of the association, and was sent all over the United States to be produced during the month of February.

The assembly is open to anyone, everyone. A number of guests have been invited by the Y. W. C. A. The Eugene high school girls have also been asked as have the people of Eugene who may be interested in the production.

SOPHS WIN ROUGH, SCRAPPY SESSION

Game at Cottage Grove Waxes Hot and Furious. Townspeople and Players Pugilistic.

The sophomore basketball team made a trip to Cottage Grove last Friday night, and administered a sound drubbing both literally and figuratively to the Military club of that city. The game proved exciting from start to finish and several dozen "free for alls" were staged, resulting in a few such minor injuries to the Oregon men as deep marks of teeth on "Shy" Huntington's shoulder and bruises on the other members of the 1918 quintet, showing a thorough knowledge of the art of tackling on the part of the Cottage Grove basketball-football team. The audience also exhibited pugilistic tendencies at times, and it was all the referee and umpire could do to keep them from swooping down and trying to "beat up" the visiting team.

Despite the opposition offered by the townspeople and the handicap of a slick waxed floor, the sophomores won the game, 39 to 27. The Oregon line-up was as follows: Huntington and Woods, forwards; Risley, center; Medley and Kensington, guards. Knighton scored 10 points, and Woods 17. The Cottage Grove players were Bartels, Berg, Smith, Milne and Mickle.

The stands at the University of Washington were destroyed by the weight of snow during the storm which hit the coast last week.

GRAPPLERS PICKED TO WRESTLE AGGIES

Shockley Chooses Team to Meet O. A. C. on the Mat Next Saturday.

Coach Shockley has picked the wrestling team which is to meet O. A. C. next Saturday night. They are probably Harold Prestel, Gordon Clark, Dal King, Ellwyn Rutherford, Bruce Flegal and Bernard Breeding. The final tryouts were pulled off Monday afternoon in the gymnasium and the men who aspired to represent the University in the meet were all given a chance to show what they could do.

In the first bout at 135 pounds Prestel threw Dundore twice straight. The first fall came in 45 seconds and the second in three minutes. He secured both falls from a head chancery and a bar lock.

Daley and Clark in the 125 pound class went at it hammer and tongs for the first six minutes, neither one being able to put his opponent's shoulders to the canvas. Clark was in several bad places at different times, but managed to wiggle out. Coach Shockley called the first bout a draw. In the second bout between these two men, although neither man was able to throw the other, the referee gave Clark the decision after six minutes of lively tussling. It now looks as if it is up to Clark to meet O. A. C's 125 pounder.

King, who will represent the University in the 158 pound division, went a fast bout with Williams, the freshman heavyweight, who will be unable to enter the meet because of the freshman rule.

Rutherford, who will wrestle at 145 next Saturday night, had a good workout tonight, as did Feigel, the 115 pound man, and Breeding, who will wrestle in the light heavyweight class.

All the bouts were fast and the men showed a willingness to sail in and do their best. The meet next Saturday night in the gymnasium promises to be good and it will also give the students a chance to make use of their student body tickets.

EXPERT BUYER ADDED TO COMMERCE SCHOOL

New York Man Will Take Charge of Salesmanship Classes Soon.

The school of commerce is to add to its teaching staff G. Robert McAustan, of Brooklyn, New York. He will arrive on February 26 or 27 and will immediately take up salesmanship classes.

"As a buyer for departments of one of the department stores of the east, he has had quite a good deal of the kind of experience that we want, and should prove a valuable man," said Professor D. W. Morton yesterday. "With the experience that is included and needed in a course of this kind he will be able to bring out the practical side of salesmanship to the best advantage."

"He was a teacher for some time in the east at the Brooklyn high school, and at Columbia university, where he taught classes in demonstrations of salesmanship and advertising. He has written a book on salesmanship and has had it published. Also he taught in the economists trade school, one of the large economic schools of the east."

Mr. McAustan started in business in his father's store in Providence R. I., and after that he began to specialize in salesmanship and advertising. He was at one time a member of the legislature of Rhode Island.

To aid the pageant committee in getting the co-operation of the students in the Oregon pageant the student council has appointed the following committee: Mandell Weiss, chairman; Frances Shoemaker, and Robert Bean.

This committee is merely a tentative advisory one and its duty is to work out a system to aid the pageant committee in getting the students' aid and support, according to Professor Thacher.

Mrs. S. P. Wilde, of Portland is a guest of Mary Spiller hall.

PROFESSOR DUNN FIRST HEAD OF ADVISORY BOARD

Latin Teacher Recalls Early Days of Christian Association at the University

"The Y. M. C. A. as a permanent organization in connection with the student body is a growth in evolution," declared Prof. F. S. Dunn, of the Latin department, first president of the organization at the "U" of Oregon.

"In 1882, when the Y. M. C. A. was first permanently established at the University, as a consequence of a visit of John R. Mott, national Y. M. C. A. official," continued Professor Dunn, "eight men were delegated to go to the first state meeting at Salem. Leave of absence was a mark of great leniency on the part of the faculty, for at that time such privileges were not granted."

Professor Dunn became first president of the advisory board when he returned as a member of the faculty 10 years ago and remained president for five years.

REX OFFERS PRIZES

Fifty per cent of the receipts of the Rex theatre on Wednesday will go to the Woman's building. The regular 15 cent admission will be charged.

Each sorority house and organization has one member selling tickets. The management of the Rex offers two prizes for the most tickets sold.

The first prize is \$25 cash—half to go to the building fund and half to the young woman. A four-day trip to Portland for a young lady and chaperone is the second prize offered.

1100 HEAR TOOZE AT Y. M. CONFERENCE

Gathering at Corvallis Declared a Grand Success by J. D. Foster.

Although many of the fraternity men were prohibited from attending because of initiations, the University of Oregon had the largest representation at the ministry missions conference of any college in the Willamette valley. This conference was held in Corvallis last weekend under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., and was in direct charge of Gale Seamen, Pacific coast secretary of the association.

The delegates who attended from here numbered 19, and included Arlo Bristow, R. B. Bristow, Randall Scott, A. L. Webb, Wilford Jenkins, Lamar Tooze, Raymond Housler, Dr. A. E. Caswell, Elmer Boyer, George Morehouse, Joe Tominaga, J. D. Foster, Mary Gillies, Eulalie Crosby, Dorothy Grohman, Louise Allen, Goldie Wells, Jennie Huggins, and Luth Westfall.

Saturday night a banquet was held for the representatives, each college having appointed one of its number to respond to a toast. Dr. A. E. Caswell of the University spoke on the value of such conferences to the state, and Dr. H. S. Wilkinson gave a talk on "The Need for Statesmanlike Qualifications in the Ministry." Sunday afternoon was given over to addresses in the O. A. C. women's gymnasium, Dr. Kenneth Latourette of Reed college spoke on "Christ Centered Lives," Dr. Moody of the Laymen's missionary movement, on "The Needs of Africa," and Dr. J. H. Boyd of Portland on "A Ministry Alive to Its Time."

Lamar Tooze's speech Sunday night proved the biggest drawing card of any part of the program. Over 1100 people attended this meeting. The subject was, "Our Responsibility in the Peace Movement."

According to J. D. Foster this was the best conference that has ever been held. "The O. A. C. people took special pains to entertain us and a most cordial reception was given to the delegates by everybody. The private homes and fraternity houses all extended their hospitality, even to giving us our meals."

Cloyd Dawson, president of the University Y. M. C. A. says in regard to the organization, that whatever cause there may be in other lines for dissen-tion between faculty and students, here is one thing about which there may be unanimity of purpose without friction, even where there are honest differences of opinion. "Here," he says, "is where everyone can come straight across."

\$4,186.65 IS NETTED FOR STUDENTS BY EMPLOYMENT AGENCY

Actual Amount Earned on Jobs Secured Through Y. M. Enterprise.

BOOK EXCHANGE ADDS \$400

Socials and Lectures Also Given Under Auspices of the Association.

Four thousand one hundred eighty-six dollars, sixty-five cents is the amount of money that the college Y. M. C. A. has turned into the pockets of men students thus far this year, through its employment agency. This sum represents just 150 occasional and permanent "jobs." It is \$1500 more than the Y. M. C. A. agency was able to realize for the students during the whole of last year.

The reason for the increase is attributed by J. D. Foster, general secretary, to a special canvass of the business men that was conducted last fall, and to a device used in December of sending out with the new telephone directories of that month cards explaining the employment agency.

The list of jobs that have been secured is varied, but does not include nursing children, Mr. Foster declares. Here it is: Washing dishes, waiting on table, stenography, gardening, canvassing for magazines and socks, carpentering, installing electric bells, house cleaning, serving punch at dances, tutoring high school students, reading to sick professors, ushering, night watchmaning, shoveling snow, doing office work, and janitoring.

Student help is generally found satisfactory, Mr. Foster said, and many of the jobs become permanent. There are always men enough for the calls, though these come in 15 deep some days. Mr. Foster estimates that at least half of the men students are working for funds, and that a fourth are making their way entirely unaided.

In another way the Y. M. C. A. is saving the students money, through the book exchange. Four hundred dollars' worth of books have been sold this year. This is clear to students, for the exchange collects no commission. Books have been sold for about 200 people, and there are close to 900 books on the shelves now.

If books remain over two years, the exchange annexes them, and considers the sale its own. About \$40 has come in from this source.

Besides having financial connections, the Y. M. C. A. dips into society. Each semester it holds a stag mix, where there are pie-eating contests, and speeches and doughnuts and "thing." Then the association and the Y. W. C. A. give a joint reception in the fall, at which the beauty and chivalry of the campus are invited to appear, and circulate. The Y. M. C. A. held a Halloween social this year, and was able to arrange for five other socials to be given at different homes in Eugene, under church auspices. The reading room in Deady basement is kept open from 8:30 till 5:30, except on Sunday. It is a general gathering place to read the Emerald, eat Hershey's and jolly somebody else.

One other form of service that the association has been able to render University men has been the series of vocational lectures scheduled this winter on the campus. Those who have spoken are: Dr. D. W. Morton, Judge F. A. Moore, Dr. H. D. Sheldon, John L. Travis, Dr. K. A. J. Mackenzie, H. B. Miller, Ellis F. Lawrence, and Dr. E. S. Conklin.

The candy stock of the Y. M. C. A. has brought in a clear profit of \$100 this year. And perhaps the sale of candy is another social service. For, without doubt, sugar keeps the disposition sweet and the spirits soaring.

University of California—By unanimous vote the Exposition Board of Directors has agreed to give to the state commission the California Building and \$200,000 in land and money to be used in building a state normal school.