



## UNIVERSITY EXODUS TO FARMS GAINING

### Military Committee Not to Allow Seven-Eighths Credit on Withdrawal.

### Students May Get Three-Fourths Hours, Take Incompletes or Return for Exams.

Appeals to the military committee for leave of absence from the University to do farm work increase daily with the approach of examination week. Because of the nearness to the end of the semester, the committee has found it inadvisable to give seven-eighths credit instead of three-fourths as was proposed, says Professor E. W. Allen of the committee. The committee justifies itself in this stand for a continuance of the three-fourths credit rule, to those who leave for the farms, on the ground that the examination week must be considered of more importance than the work done in the average week of lectures and recitations.

Those who wish to leave the University for the farm have three courses open to them. They can take incompletes on the work which they have been carrying during the semester and make them up at any time within a year; they can obtain a leave of absence until examination week and then return and take the regular examinations; or, they can secure three-fourths credit for the work in which they have a passing grade. Each method requires a petition to the military committee.

Most of the students who have so far petitioned the committee have preferred the three-fourths credit rule although students with good class standings and whose homes are near Eugene take the leave of absence with the privilege of taking the semester examinations. Very few have taken incompletes for their work.

## COOK GETS PRESIDENCY

### A. Dawson, C. Alexander, Wilson and Byers New Junior Officers.

George Cook decisively won the presidency of the class of 1919 for next year over Ward McKinney. The vote was 102 to 42.

The results of the other offices are as follows: vice president, Anna Dawson, 60, and Helen McDonald, 60; secretary, Caroline Alexander, 88, and Harriet Garrett, 55; treasurer, Dwight Wilson, 95, and Al Holman, 47; sergeant-at-arms, Tracy Byers, unanimously elected.

## TO REWARD FAITHFULS

## BANQUET FOR EMERALDITES

## INVITATIONS OUT SOON

"All ye who are faithful will be rewarded," say Adrienne Epping and Louise Allen, the committee in charge. They refer to the Emerald Staff banquet next Saturday evening. Invitations will be given out to those who are deserving the medals of next week. There will be between fifty and sixty of the chosen ones present at this banquet.

The committee in charge of affairs say the place cards and menus are the most original and attractive that have yet graced a banquet table. Everything is new and things will be very lively.

When Harold Hamstreet was interviewed all he would give to the press was this proverb, "The soul of the sluggard desireth and hath nothing, but the soul of the diligent shall be made fat." "Hammie" said that Solomon referred to the Emerald banquet and to faithful reporters when he wrote it.

## NOTICE TO SENIORS

The senior picnic will be held Wednesday at 5 p. m. instead of Tuesday as previously announced. Charles Newcastle.

## BATTLE LASTS AN HOUR

### GAMMA PHI GETS 2; Y. W. 38

### DOROTHY LIKES TO BAT

In a close hard-fought battle of four and one half innings the Y. W. C. A. baseball team finally nosed out a victory of 38 to 2 from the Gamma Phi Beta team yesterday. The reason for the half inning was that the girls decided to play until six o'clock. In fact the game was prolonged a few minutes after the last outs had been declared against the Gamma Phis because Dorothy Collier desired to bat once more.

Enthusiastic cheering interspersed with voluminous advice was indulged in by the onlookers.

The lineups were: Y. W. C. A. Maude Lombard, p; Laura Miller, c; Vera Haag, 1b; Miss Tirza Dinsdale, 2b; Helen Brenton, 3b; Olga Soderstrom, 1 ss; Helen McDonald, r ss; Mae Harbert, rf; Claire Gazley, lf; Adelaide Lake, sub rf. Gamma Phi: Naomi Marcellus, p; Margaret Gross and Peggy Boylen, c; Marjorie Kay, 1b; Marian Grebel, 2b; Viola Crawford, 3b; Dorothy Dunbar, 1ss; Dorothy Collier, r ss; Sara Barker, lf; Helen McCornack, rf. Miss Frieda Goldsmith, Umpire; Marie Badura, scorekeeper.

## STUDENTS TO GIVE COMEDY

### McCroskey, Holman and Ruth Montgomery at the Eugene Tonight.

A one act comedy entitled "A Full House" and written by James Mott is the added attraction at the Eugene theater tonight. Lyle McCroskey as the nephew, Al Holman, butler, and Ruth Montgomery as the aunt, will play the leading parts.

The play centers around a young man who is receiving a healthy allowance from an old aunt as long as he remains single. Consequently when he falls in love with a chorus girl, he is forced to marry her secretly. One night while under the influence of liquor, he tells a bunch of fellows all about his newly acquired wife and how he has out-witted his aunt. As a result the story gets into the newspapers and the aunt soon finds it out. She immediately leaves for her nephew's home. The young man finds out that she is coming and forms a plan wherein his butler is to act as a count. The butler is to make love to the old aunt and get her into his arms when at the critical moment the nephew is to arrive on the scene. The plan succeeds and the nephew discovers his aunt in this embarrassing position.

## WAR CENSUS SET FOR JUNE 5

### Term in Jail Faces Man Who Refuses to Register on Required Day.

Salem, Or., June 19.—According to Adjutant General White, every man between the ages of 21 and 30 years, inclusive, must register June 5, for the war census.

There will be no exception to this rule. Even if a man belongs to one of the exempt classes, he nevertheless must register if he is between 21 and 30 years of age. The government will determine who is to be exempt after its records are complete.

Registering for the war census should be no more confusing that casting a vote. The general plan for gathering data for the government is based on the ballot system. If every man is ready, then census day will pass like clockwork.

The man who tries to evade the provision will face a term in jail without the option of paying a fine. In almost every case throughout the state, the census will be taken in the regular polling places used on election days.

## STUDENTS LEAVE ARTICLES

### Forgetful Members of the Fair Sex May Get Scarfs at Hotel.

At the different student dances given at the Hotel Osburn this year a number of articles were left by the young women which Mrs. Osburn is holding until called for. The articles include a number of handkerchiefs, two chiffon scarfs, one silver vanity box, one colored umbrella, one white kid glove. These articles may be had by the owners if they will call and describe them.

**Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Osburn**  
cordially invite all members of the senior class  
to a dancing party at the Hotel Osburn  
Saturday night, May 26.  
Grand March starts promptly at 9:00 p. m.  
Assembly at 8:30 at the hotel.

## SOLDIERS GET 49 F'S RAY, '12, HEADS ALUMNI

### First Military Information Quiz Shows Low Grades.

### Raw Men Bring Best Results; Boys Get Another Chance.

Flunks to the number of 49 were handed out among the 200 men registered in the military information course as the result of the first quiz held in the subject. There were three "S's" out of the total number of papers handed in. A queer fact was pointed out by Professor Allen, chairman of the faculty committee on military training, who said that many of the higher grades were received by men who have had no previous military training, while some of the F grades were presented to more experienced men.

The test according to Professor Allen, was straightforward and perfectly simple, if the text book work had been covered.

Hope is still held out to the recipients of the F's in this first quiz for they will be given another chance in a later test to be given before the final examinations. The class has been conducted during the past month under the direction of Lieutenant Colonel V. A. Caldwell, U. S. Army, and Captain Williams of the Coast Artillery Corps, Oregon.

## GIVES MONEY TO RED CROSS

### Triple B Donates \$5; May Have Triple C Next Year.

Five dollars was the sum of which Triple B decided to give to the Red Cross society at their meeting held at the Kappa Alpha Theta house last Tuesday. The society also gave \$1.50 which is to go towards getting the sophomore class out of debt.

The question of having a Triple C society next year was brought up but it was decided to wait till next year before planning definitely.

## Eastern Fraternities Depleted by Men Enlisting; Many Compelled to Close

Ohio State University, May 19.—Because only one active man remains in its house, Delta Tau Delta has been forced to add its home to the list of fraternity houses closed on account of withdrawal of members from school for military service or farm work. Alpha Gamma Rho and Alpha Zeta, both agricultural fraternities, closed soon after the announcement was made that students could withdraw for farm work. Other fraternities have been inconvenienced because of withdrawals of some of their members. Acacia expects to close its chapter house because only about one-half of the active men are here now.

Several fraternities, although they have not had to close their houses, have found it necessary to cease serving meals. Phi Kappa Alpha will stop its meals tomorrow. Phi Sigma Epsilon, Sigma Nu and Kappa Sigma have stopped their meals within the past week. Medical fraternities are more fortunate in this respect and have been forced neither to cease serving meals nor to close their houses. This is due to the fact that the Council of National Defense has urged

### Will Succeed W. C. Barbour, Former President.

### Commencement Committees Appointed by W. C. Winslow; Miss Hendricks Chairman.

At a meeting of the Lane county alumni association in Eugene last Wednesday evening Leon Ray, '12, district attorney, was elected president to succeed Wendell C. Barbour who died last winter in California.

A committee headed by Miss Norma Hendricks, was appointed by Walter C. Winslow, president of the state alumni association, to arrange plans for this year's commencement. Mrs. Marion McClain and Miss Anne Whittaker were made general chairmen. Under this committee there will be sub committees.

Karl Onthank, secretary to President Campbell spoke on "What the University is doing to help win the war", and Eberle Kuykendall, a doctor of Eugene, spoke on the work of the Red Cross Ambulance Corps in Eugene. Several other speeches were made, followed by informal discussion of commencement. Several suggestions were submitted to the committee, among them the flower and fern procession.

About 25 members attended.

## COPIES OF SONG ARE HERE

### Words by Leslie Blades, Music by Hazel Radabaugh.

Several hundred copies of "Drifting," a love song dedicated to the University of Oregon, words by Leslie Blades and music by Hazel Radabaugh, both students have been received by Mr. Blades from a Chicago printing firm.

Copies have been sold on the campus, and they will soon be on sale in downtown music stores. After receiving his M. A. degree in June Blades will take a trip. He will go to California first where he intends to sell most of the copies of the song.

## McCLAIN WOULD BANQUET

### PAYS CASH FOR TICKET

### REACHES SCENE; FOOD GONE

M. F. McClain, manager of the co-op store, had a ticket to a grange banquet at the Hotel Osburn the other day. He paid cold, hard cash for it. He looked forward to going to that banquet and with that end in view got off early in the evening and went down town. He stood around a while and waited. Nobody from the grange appeared so he waited some more. Pretty soon the pangs of hunger began to gnaw and Mr. McClain gazed anxiously toward the dining room. And still no banquet had appeared.

The Co-op manager was getting nervous, he fondled the meal ticket in his pocket and finally inquired of a man when the banquet was to begin. "Banquet!" was the reply. "Why they had that this noon."

## ENJOY ORIGINAL PROGRAM

### Eutaxian Entertained With Productions By Campus Authors

A wholly original program entertained Eutaxian members at their meeting last night. Roberta Schuebel read a one-act play written by Bess Colman, entitled "Tomorrow at Nine". Miss Colman wrote the play shortly before spring vacation. Lucile Morrow read "The Lament of Marie Stuart" in blank verse which she had written and Hazel Radabaugh played "A song without words", which she composed herself. Rosalind Bates read her short story, "Pepita and the Boa Fighter".

Eutaxian will elect officers at its next meeting and decide what to do with the money left over after their debts are paid, including their page in the Eutaxiana. "Apple Pie" the stunt which Eutaxian produced at the Rex some time ago, swelled the treasury by the addition of \$25.

## ARCHITECTS HEAR TALK

### Robert Strong, Portland Estate Manager, Tells of Builder's Duty.

Robert Strong, manager of the Corbett estate in Portland, spoke to the architectural students yesterday morning on the "Relation of the Architect and the Investor."

Mr. Strong pointed out to the class that the builder should keep in mind the interests of the owner. He went on to show, that in many cases the designer of the structure was thinking only of the beauty and in this way the investor was the loser. "It is the same in the profession of architecture as in any other," said Mr. Strong. "The interests of the employer must always be looked out for."

Nearly all of the students of the architecture department were present at the lecture.

## PLENTY OF FUN PROMISED

### Juniors to Spend Saturday Dancing and Feasting.

The junior class will go in a body early Saturday afternoon from the library in motor trucks or hay racks to Coburg bridge where they will spend the afternoon and evening at games, baseball and feasting. Also a dance platform will give those who want to dance a chance. Junior musicians will be asked to furnish the music and a victrola will be taken along so that the musicians will not be overworked.

Every junior is urged to go, says Helen Purington, chairman of the picnic committee, and a good time is promised to all.

## Y. W. CLASSES TO SUSPEND

### Will Devote Remainder of Year to Eight Weeks Club.

Y. W. C. A. class activities will be suspended for the year after next week. On Tuesday the Bible study class will meet for the last time and on Wednesday the regular Y. W. C. A. meeting will be the final one for the semester.

The remainder of the term will be spent in instruction for the leaders of the Eight Weeks club, an organization of girls who carry on Y. W. work for eight weeks during the summer vacation. Preparations for the Seabeck conference will also take up much of the remaining time.

## CONFERENCE URGES PRICE REGULATION

### Commonwealth Body Asks for Prompt Remedial Action by Congress.

### PEOPLE ASKED TO VOTE FOR NEW STATE PRISON

### Papers Read on Variety of Topics of Vital Interest to Oregon Citizens.

Outstanding features of the Ninth annual session of the Commonwealth Conference were the passage of a resolution urging congress to take speedy action to check speculation in food prices, and of another resolution asking the people of Oregon to vote for the \$400,000 bond issue for the construction of a new penitentiary.

Prof. F. G. Young, director of the conference, expressed himself as well pleased with the conference, both in the material presented in the papers read and in the lively interest taken by those who attended.

The conference concluded today. Taxation and road building problems in Oregon, were the themes. Speakers on the taxation question were Attorney A. L. Vezile and State Tax Commissioner Charles V. Galloway. The sessions concluded with a round table conference of subjects connected with road-construction.

The session last night was devoted largely to an address by W. D. Wheelwright of Portland, who was prominently mentioned in connection with the appointment as ambassador to Japan. Mr. Wheelwright explained the aims and probable methods of the League to Enforce Peace. R. W. Montague, a Portland attorney who has also been prominent in establishing the cause of the League in Oregon helped to explain in further detail the organization's proposed plan to prevent in future such conflicts as today's greatest of wars.

It was insisted by both speakers that if such an organization had existed in August 1914 there would be no such crisis as the world views today.

Mr. Wheelwright explained that "Complete reorganization of political systems whereby world peace may be preserved will be possible only when this war is over, when all nations realize the poverty and misery created by their savagery and crime. Then is the time for the immediate beginning of work on the part of the League to Enforce Peace."

"The League would not attempt to stop the present war but would prevent all future conflicts."

Mr. Montague explained the operation of the league and pointed out that it differed from the Hague and other attempts at peace pacts in the fact that enforcement is supplied.

"If a nation fails to submit its claims to a conference of the league before making war," he said, "the other nations would use economic and military forces against the offender."

Yesterday afternoon's theme was the "Planning an orderly and healthful growth for the urban and rural community of Oregon." In this, the third conference, papers were read by E. B. MacNaughton, architect of Portland and Marshall N. Dana, of the Oregon Journal and an illustrated address was given by Charles H. Cheney, of San Francisco, secretary of the California City Planning Conference. Mrs. Millie R. Trumbull of the child labor commission, who was unable to be present in the morning session read a paper on "The Maintenance of Our Industrial Standards During the War."

Mrs. Trumbull's paper showed how the problem of child labor existing in England is gradually coming up in the United States.

The main topic, city planning was taken up by Mr. MacNaughton a new member of the Industrial Welfare Commission.

"We are coming to realize," he said, "that there is more to the administration of a model city than to the maintenance of police and fire departments. We are coming to require parks, band concerts, etc., which cause higher taxes but make a better city to live in."

At the conclusion of the meeting the members visited the architectural build-

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