



## COUNCIL IN FAVOR OF UNIFORM LETTER

### Standard "O" Recommended to Students by Vote of 4-3; Emerald Awards Discussed

## MAY REDUCE RAILWAY FARE

### O. A. C. and Oregon to Petition for Excursion Rates Between Colleges for Games.

By a vote of 4 to 3 the student council went on record last evening at its meeting in the library, as favoring the uniform "O" amendment, which is to be voted on by the student body this coming Wednesday.

Dwight Wilson, head of the student dance committee, reported a student body dance next Friday evening with the O. A. C. baseball men as Oregon's guests.

The council decided to take up the matter with O. A. C. of petitioning the railroad commission that week-end rates should begin on Friday noon, instead of Saturday morning as they now do.

**Emerald Awards Considered.**  
Harry Crain, editor of the Emerald, submitted the following plan for the awarding of emblems to the Emerald Staff:

"In accordance with the provisions of Clause I, Section 4, of Article IV... of the By-Laws of the Associated Students, I herewith submit for your approval the system which I, as Editor of the Emerald, have devised for the awarding of emblems to thirteen members of the news staff of the Emerald for the year 1917-1918, as follows:

**To be Made On Merit Only.**  
Awards are to be made entirely upon merit. The reporters, or members of the staff taking general assignments shall be judged upon their record, which shall be determined as follows: a record shall be kept of each assignment given out, showing the nature of the story assigned, time the assignment is due and when it is turned in. Failure of the reporter to turn in a story assigned shall be counted as two demerits and failure to turn a story in at the time assigned on the assignment slip shall count as one demerit. For every original story turned in the reporter shall be given two credits and for each assignment story in on time in satisfactory form the reporter shall receive one credit. The final standing of the reporters shall be determined by adding separately the average number of demerits in proportion to the credits.

"As no system of actual markings can be devised to fit the case of the assistant editors, I recommend that emblems be awarded to those assistant editors who, in the opinion of the editor, have done satisfactory work throughout their term of office, but, that if the

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## MORE GO TO RED CROSS

### Number of Wipes Within 100 of Goal Set by U.

### One House Puts Work on Same Basis as Scholarship with Forfeit of Dates.

University Red Cross work picked up remarkably on Tuesday, according to report given by Miss Tirza Dinsdale, campus secretary of Y. W. C. A. On Monday 40 girls were present during the afternoon and 253 wipes were made. On Tuesday afternoon 76 girls were present and 360 wipes were made. The goal the University has set to be reached by its average daily output is 800 wipes.

One house on the campus has set Red Cross on the same basis as scholarship. If the members of that house do not report for a definite number of hours of Red Cross work, her week-end dates are forfeited.

"I wish a similar stand could be taken by every house on the campus," said Miss Dinsdale. "At the University of Washington Red Cross work is compulsory. I hope that this arrangement will not be necessary at the University of Oregon."

Mrs. A. R. Sweetser will be Bungalow hostess for Red Cross on Mondays and Thursdays and Miss Dinsdale on Tuesdays and Fridays. Work will be done at the Bungalow every other week.

## ELSIE FITZMAURICE NOW SECRETARY OF SOPHS

### Succeeds Jessie Garner, Who Left College; Date for Benefit Dance Petitioned.

Elsie Fitzmaurice was elected secretary of the sophomore class at the meeting Wednesday morning in Professor H. C. Howe's room in Villard, to fill the vacancy left by Jessie Garner, who withdrew from college at the end of the second term.

After the report of only five cents in the class treasury, it was evident that something must be done to raise funds. Stanley Atkinson, of the sophomore dance committee, reported that the petition for a date for the sophomore benefit dance had been handed in, and that the date would be given in a few days. He urged all sophomores to support the cause.

Merl Margason reported that there were about eighteen numerals to be awarded to sophomore men and seven to the girls for interclass athletics, but owing to the financial status of the class it had been impossible to purchase the emblems.

The question of challenging the freshman to a debate was brought up, but it was decided to drop the matter since it is so late in the year. Albert Runquist was appointed to look after interclass track and Elmo Madden for interclass baseball.

Ned Fowler, class president, spoke of the necessity of the sophomore's giving their support to Junior Week-End, and urged that everyone do all possible to advertise the event. The committee appointed to take charge of the sophomore canoe for the canoe fete is made up of Harry Jamieson, Gladys Smith, Herald White, Hugh Thompson and Florence Hemenway.

Morris Morgan was appointed to take charge of the interclass swimming meet and John Hunt to select twelve of the huskiest sophs for the freshman-sophomore tug-of-war during Junior Week-End.

Ned Fowler announced that at the first meeting of the class, after Junior Week-End, nominations would be in order for the class officers for next year.

## SENIORS OVER EAGER FOR DREADED EXAMS

### Striving to Be Different They Break Campus Tradition and Petition to Take Them.

### Harold Cake Elected Treasurer; Dr. Bovard Talks on Alumni.

A departure from a tradition of 25 years standing was effected when the senior class in meeting this morning decided to petition the faculty for the privilege of taking senior examinations. Every succeeding class for nearly 25 years back has petitioned for exemption from exams and the petition has been as regularly turned down by the faculty. Feeling that the matter is more or less of a joke with the faculty the class decided to introduce a little variety into the situation. Walter Myers was appointed chairman of a committee to prepare the petition.

Harold Cake was unanimously chosen treasurer of the class to take the place of Don Roberts, who left with the last ordinance class.

Helen Maurice, chairman of the senior dance committee, was delegated to ask the faculty for permission to hold the senior dance, for which Mrs. Osburn is to be hostess, on a mid-week date. No suitable week-end can be secured for this.

Thursday of next week was chosen as a tentative time for the dance. Senior girls not having an escort from the senior class are to be permitted to ask junior men, thus making the event an entirely upperclass affair.

Henry Eickoff reported on plans for the senior play "Facing the Music," which will be produced on Friday night of Junior Week-End. The play is to be coached by James Mott of Salem.

A short talk was given by Dr. John Bovard, class adviser, on the importance of the University alumni association to the life of the University and urged every senior to take an active interest

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## GUILD HALL STAGE, IS PASTORAL SCENE

### Beauty of Outdoors Transforms Little Theatre for Benefit Play.

### Faithful Shepherdess to Be Played Tonight and Tomorrow.

The stage of Guild hall, where Clorin the Faithful Shepherdess, will administer to the troubles of disturbed, jealous and mixed-up lovers tonight and tomorrow night, is a growing moss covered hillside banked with purple camas and wild iris, long graceful ferns and yellow buttercups. In the background are tall fir trees, with glimpses of the shining red bark of mountain laurel, and a waterfall slips along in the moss and ferns.

The transformation was completed yesterday afternoon by the 11 o'clock classes in dramatic interpretation, which were formed into committees by Professor Reddie, and a final dress rehearsal was held by the cast last night.

It is no small matter to romp over hill and dale with immunity from actual catastrophe when the hill is a mattress and the dale is a well, the whole landscape accomplished in a space the size of Guild hall stage. The characters are going to have to watch their step with a vengeance.

The costumes are to keep to classical outlines, with draping their chief characteristic, and garlands of spring flowers will be their only ornamentation. Particular attention has been paid to the choice of colors in the robes, and they are so planned as to blend perfectly with the special lighting effects of the stage. The Satyr costume which will transform Professor Reddie into the Satyr himself—half man and half beast, is being made especially, and promises something entirely new in the way of costuming the Little Theatre plays.

The Faithful Shepherdess is, as usual, a Red Cross benefit and tickets may be had at the box office in Guild hall for either performance.

## THRIFT STAMP DRIVE RENEWED ON CAMPUS

### Attempt Made to Help State Fill Quota; Total Sales Reach \$4500; Kappas Head List.

With Oregon behind in her quota of Thrift Stamp sales, the University campaign is going to be opened up again full blast by Registrar Tiffany who is in charge of the campus sales.

Up to date the sales of the campus total practically \$4500, about \$500 of which belong to the various fraternity houses. Reports are not yet in from all the houses, and it has been the determined policy of the committee not to play up the amount of money pledged by each organization, but rather to make membership the distinguishing feature. One hundred per cent efficiency has been the slogan.

Kappa Kappa Gamma has met that obligation fully with a record of twenty-five in the house and twenty-five subscribers; more than that however, she has set a smart pace for total results, since her pledges for the year are exactly \$325, which is much higher than that reached by any other house.

Additional reports from various chapters show Pi Beta Phi with twenty members for the W. S. S. club; Chi Omega has thirteen, Friendly hall thirty-five, Kappa Alpha Theta twenty-two, Alpha Tau Omega ten, Phi Gamma Delta eighteen, and Beta Theta Pi sixteen. No reports have been received from the other houses.

## Banish Dul! Care! Away with Worry! Shed Your Troubles! "On with the Dance," as Friend Byron Has It.

- ◆ "Pack up your troubles in your old kit bag and smile, smile, smile.
- ◆ "Let's go! Put on your old soft collar and dance, dance, dance," at the best all-student body dance of the year in the men's gym Friday night.
- ◆ Let's show the O. A. C. baseball team and the Aggie students that we always have the same spirit that we have shown them before. Leave your troubles in your kit bag along with your stiff collars and just bring yourself and "her" and twenty-five cents and you will have a part in a celebration that will rival anything ever staged at Oregon.
- ◆ Hendershott will be there and you know what that means—music that would make a crutch dance. Dean Straub will be there to receive you and to give you a jolly hand-shake along with Dean Louise Ehrmann, Professor and Mrs. W. F. G. Thatcher, and Mr. and Mrs. Faguy-Cote. If you want to see the best 'il dance a-going, be at the men's gym at 8:15.

## GIRLS' GLEE TO SING AS FEATURE OF PROM

### Two-part Concert Will Take Place at Junior Dance; Spirit of Economy to Prevail.

### Decorations to Be of Military Nature; Service Flags Will Be Used.

The Junior Prom, one of the biggest features of Junior Week-End, will be given this year on Saturday May 11, at 8 p. m. in the Eugene armory. It is the aim of the committee in charge of the dance to make this event inexpensive and informal. Therefore, according to Paul Spangler, chairman of the committee, cabs, flowers and dress suits are to be absolutely taboo.

The Girl's Glee club is to give its home concert in connection with the dance. The concert is to be in two parts, the first part to be given between the third and fourth dances, and the second part, which is to consist of a number of Japanese songs, is to be given between the fourth and fifth dances.

The feature of the dance is being kept a deep dark secret by the committee, said Spangler.

The decorations are to carry out the ideas of economy. Hanging baskets are to be borrowed from the houses on the campus to be hung about the hall, and the campus service flags are to be used to give things a military air. The orchestra platform is to be decorated with greens.

The tickets for the dance will cost one dollar.

The patrons and patronesses will include Governor and Mrs. James Withycombe, President and Mrs. P. L. Campbell, President and Mrs. W. J. Kerr of O. A. C., Dean and Mrs. John Straub, Dean Louise Ehrmann, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dixon, Mrs. Irene Gerlinger, Judge and Mrs. J. W. Hamilton, Colonel and Mrs. John Leader, Professor and Mrs. A. R. Sweetser, Miss Mary Perkins, Dr. and Mrs. George Rebec.

## LET'S ALL DANCE FRIDAY!

## FORMER DEBATER BACK ON CAMPUS FOR VISIT

### Howard Zimmerman Spends Week with Wife; Takes Correspondence Work in Mathematics.

Howard Zimmerman, graduate of 1913, now a sergeant in the Coast Artillery at Fort Stevens, is spending the week with his wife, Mrs. Zimmerman, instructor in Spanish.

Mr. Zimmerman is remembered as one of the star debaters in the University. He got his first training in debating while attending the Salem high school, where he became a member of the State Debate League. He made the University debate team in his freshman year and remained one of the strongest debaters in the University during his four years. He also won the Alumni medal for the best debater in college.

After graduation here, he went to Stanford, where he received his degree in law. He practiced law at Astoria for two years.

He entered the Reserve Officers' Training Camp at Camp Lewis, but was taken ill before he could complete the course.

While here, Mr. Zimmerman arranged to take correspondence work in advanced algebra and trigonometry. Professor E. E. DeCou has combined these courses into military mathematics, a course which is proving popular with soldiers who did not have this work in college. About 10 men in Portland are taking this combined military course.

## TENNIS CLUB CHAMPIONS INELIGIBLE FOR VARSITY

### Only Women's Athletic Association Members Can Play on Team; to Petition for Change.

An appeal to the Women's Athletic association to allow members of the women's tennis club to become members of the association, and thus eligible to the Varsity tennis team, will be made by a committee composed of Adrienne Epping, Caroline Alexander, and Miss Harriet Thomson, it was decided at a meeting of the club Wednesday night.

According to the rules of the association, no woman is eligible to membership of the W. A. A. unless she joins at the beginning of the year, and failure to join bars any woman from the Varsity team of any major sport. As only 2 out of the 20 members of the tennis club, Ella Dews and Maud Lombard, are members of the association, the remaining number are now ineligible to the Varsity tennis team.

It was decided at the meeting that if the association waived the present rule and allowed the women to enter the association, the present tournament should decide the University championship. If a Varsity team is chosen, it will be by Margaret Crosby, president of the W. A. A.; Caroline Alexander, head of tennis; and Miss Catharine Winslow, tennis coach.

Madeline Slobloom was unanimously elected secretary of the club, to succeed Gladys Smith, who resigned.

## PROGRAM ANNOUNCED FOR JUNIOR WEEK-END

### Plans Completed for Festivities on May 10-11; Class of 1919 Reports Preparations.

### Events to Be Widely Advertised in High Schools by Posters and by Letters.

The program for Junior Week-end is as follows:

Thursday afternoon, Baseball, Oregon vs O. A. C.; Thursday evening, Canoe Fete; Friday morning, Campus work. Painting the "G"; Friday noon, Campus luncheon; Friday afternoon, Military Review and Retreat, Baseball Oregon vs O. A. C.; Friday evening, Senior play; Saturday morning, Swimming Meet; Saturday afternoon, Track Meet, Oregon-Washington; Saturday evening, Junior Prom.

The complete program for Junior Week-end was reported at the Junior classmeeting held Wednesday at ten o'clock in Oregon Hall. Illustrated posters, outlining the program of events will be placed in Southern Pacific and Oregon Electric depots, and sent to the high schools of the state. It was also emphasized by Paul Spangler, president of the Junior class, that upon the personal appeal of all members of the University through letters and talks depended the success of the week-end.

Nellis Hamlin, in charge of the decorations for the Junior Prom, reported that a military scheme would be carried out in the decorations. Service Flags of the various organizations on the campus will be used. It is planned, also, to have the University Service Flag. The class as a whole again went on record as heartily supporting the Canoe Fete. George Taylor, chairman of this committee, reported that many floats would be entered and also promised an artistic lighting scheme.

Marion Coffey, chairman of the feature committee for the Prom, asked that the feature be kept a secret. The music for the dance has not as yet been decided upon. It is probable that the Girl's glee club will assist.

## CLYTIE HALL TO TAKE NEW POST

### Will Leave for Pendleton to Work on East Oregonian.

Clytie Hall, a member of the class of '17 who has been employed for the last year on the staff of the Eugene Guard, has accepted a position with the Pendleton East Oregonian. She will leave for the eastern Oregon city the last part of this week. Her new duties will consist mainly of reportorial work practically the same as she has been doing on The Guard. Miss Hall is a member of the Oregon Chapter of Theta Sigma Phi, national honorary women's journalism fraternity.

## O.A.C. BASEBALL TEAM HERE FOR TWO GAMES

### Battles to Be Staged Friday and Saturday—Team in Fine Condition and Working Hard.

## WILSON AND BERG TO HURL Men Who Downed Aggies Before Will Be Used—Game Tomorrow at 4.

All is in readiness for the two return baseball games against the Aggies tomorrow and Saturday afternoons on the University field. The rivals will arrive from Corvallis tomorrow morning.

"Chief" Wilson who won his first conference game on last Friday afternoon will be the moundman again this Friday. Wilson held the agriculturists to six bingles last week and had them feeding out of his hand during the greater part of the contest. His arm is in fine shape and a great deal is expected of him tomorrow.

**Berg Wins Name of "Ice."**

Art Berg will be the pitcher on Saturday. In last Saturday's fracas, the tall southpaw was as cool as a refrigerator and let the Aggies down with but four scattered hits, while his teammates secured a dozen and a half. "Ice" Berg had his first real workout of the week on Wednesday afternoon against the Varsity sluggers, and went a million.

Nothing definitely is known of the intentions of the O. A. C. nine this week. Cornell, first string pitcher of the Corvallis contingent was disqualified at the last moment before the contests a week ago and it not known whether or not he will be able to work on the mound against the varsity. Efforts are being made to secure his eligibility and chances are good that he will hurl in one of the games. Coleman is slated to oppose Wilson tomorrow if Cornell is unable to play, and either Kruger or Nesbit will face the onslaught on Saturday.

## Frosh Contest With Varsity.

Games have been played every day this week between the regulars and the freshmen. The former have been hitting the ball on the nose and if they keep up the stride should have no trouble against the opposing pitchers in the two return contests.

Walter Grebe injured his ankle slightly on Tuesday afternoon, but is now almost over the effects. All the other men are in fine condition and "raring" to go in the two coming contests.

The game tomorrow afternoon will begin promptly at 4 o'clock and the second contest at 2:30 on Saturday. The reason for the lateness of the contest Friday is because of a University ruling that no athletic contest may be played while classes are in session.

Admission will be free for students and 25 cents for outsiders.

## CONCERT CALLED OFF

### Ranks of Men's Glee Club Thin Rapidly During Year.

### Organization Scored Success on Its Only Appearance This Year.

The much-looked-for concert of the University Men's Glee club planned for Eugene this month will not be given. When the club returned from its concert trip to American Lake the way for a local concert was clear, but difficulty after difficulty has bobbed up since, making this concert impossible.

In the first place the ranks of the men in the club have been thinned and as no other men are available for their places, the organization is too much weakened, for a public appearance. The trip to American Lake resulted in a financial deficit and after carefully considering the local situation, Graduate Manager A. R. Tiffany decided that a local concert might involve some risk.

The season, however, has been a successful one for this organization, which made a splendid showing in its appearance before the students and on its concert tour to Portland and Camp Lewis.