

## PROF. A. R. SWEETSER HEADS MOSS WORK

Supervision of Sphagnum Collection in Oregon Discovers Fine Specimens on Siuslaw.

Making of Pads by Red Cross to Be Rushed When Supply Arrives.

Professor A. R. Sweetser, head of the department of botany, has received an appointment from the National Red Cross headquarters in Washington, D. C., as supervisor of sphagnum moss production in Oregon. He will work under Dr. J. W. Hotson, of the University of Washington, manager of moss dressings

of the Northwest Division of the Red Cross. Professor Sweetser returned Tuesday evening from a three days' trip to the Siuslaw country, where he found the finest specimens of moss he has seen anywhere. The moss in bogs between Acme and Florence he considers exceptionally good. He got the Boy Scouts and the school children interested in collecting the moss and they filled 40 sacks which, when the moss has been properly dried, will be sent to the Red Cross headquarters in Eugene. There is a little of the moss at the Eugene chapter now, and Professor Sweetser thinks that by the time the materials for making the pads and dressings have arrived from the east, which will be about 10 days, that everything will be ready for work.

**Oregon's Share 500,000 Pads.**  
An instructor in the making of pads will come from the University of Washington when the materials have arrived in Oregon. She will visit the larger auxiliaries in Oregon, where the pads will be made. The Red Cross has assigned to Oregon and Washington the making of half a million pads. Professor Sweetser thinks that Oregon can fill her quota easily if the prospects of a supply of moss from different parts of Oregon materialize.

Professor Sweetser will take a trip through the Tillamook country this week end, where he expects to find good moss, judging from excellent samples he has received from Rockaway Beach, Tillamook and other places along the coast. "Two things are to be considered," says Professor Sweetser, "accessibility and quantity." The supply at Florence fulfills both these conditions.

**Tillamook to Supply Portland.**  
Astoria is getting its supply from the adjacent bogs and marshes. If present plans work out satisfactorily, Portland may be able to get its supply from the Tillamook country, and Albany and Corvallis, theirs from Newport.

Great interest is being taken in the sphagnum moss by people who have read about its advantages in the making of pads and dressings, and Professor Sweetser has received many inquiries about the kind of moss he needs for the work. The queries come from young and old. The one which Professor Sweetser cherishes particularly is a letter from a "kid of 85," as he calls him:

Heb., Oregon.  
There is several varieties of moss here. I do not know what kind you want. Send sample of pad if you have it. I think I can find time to make a few. I am 85 years old, but I can do a lot of work yet. Come up this way and stay a few days and we will look around and see what we can find.

ISRAEL PUTNAM  
**NEW YORK LACKS OREGON SPIRIT, SAYS PATTERSON**

A letter from Chalmer N. Patterson, who left a few weeks ago to do government work in New York City, and who was doing graduate work in the University and held the office of orderly sergeant in the University Battalion, was received this week by Professor F. L. Shinn. Mr. Patterson tells of his trip east, which he evidently enjoyed to its fullest

### Order of O Bouncer Stolen From Varsity Room

Suspects Have Left Campus Is Belief of Detective Force; New Paddle Secured.

The Order of the O bouncer has been stolen! It isn't there in its customary place in the Varsity room—an unworthy substitute is padlocked to the post in its stead, but beware of the paddle!

A week ago today two ordnance men who had unwittingly set foot in the Varsity room tasted of the smart reproof said paddle can give when wielded by the worthy hands of "O" men. This happened just before the boys went to Corvallis for the game.

Monday, while in the varsity room, men of the Order of the O found to their indignation and consternation that the paddle was gone and a smaller, wholly inadequate one was in its place. Since then detectives have been out. So far no clues have appeared, but the chief of the detective squad says that suspicion points its finger towards the departed ordnance men.

"We hope the men who received the spats last Thursday took it in the right spirit," said Walter Grebe. "There's going to be another paddle there in a couple of days. If anyone wishes to take a chance at the room while the paddle is missing, let him come, but the new paddle will be as efficient and carry as much weight as the old one, in fact, I think it will be a bit better."

So beware the Order of the O paddle.

### SENIORS OVER-EAGER FOR DREADED EXAMS

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In it's work, Charles Crandall was appointed to arrange for all seniors becoming members of the association.

A report that nothing definite has as yet been done about the class memorial was made by Leura Jerard of the senior memorial committee.

A style of commencement invitation like those of last year's graduating class was adopted upon the recommendation of Emma Wootton Hall. The invitations are to be ordered through the Cooperative store.

extent. Parts of his letter follow:

"I am enjoying my work very much, as you may judge by the fact that although our day is supposed to be seven and three-quarters hours, I seldom put in less than eight and a half or nine. Since my time is all given to the government work I cannot tell anything about it except that it is along the lines which I expected. The plant here does all the research, engineering and designing, practically, for all the company's factories, and they are working out many devices for both navy and signal corps, at the present time.

"New York has plenty to see, but one from Oregon misses the trees. I have been to Central Park, the Bronx Zoo, the Battery, down the harbor, past Governor's Island, and the Statue of Liberty to Staten Island.

# The Faithful Shepherdess

By JOHN FLETCHER.

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## GUILD HALL

THURSDAY, APRIL 25.

FRIDAY, APRIL 26.

CURTAIN 8:15—ADMISSION 25c, 35c.

## PHI DELT BEATS A. T. O.

Wins Second Game of Doughnut Series by 9-3 Score.

Players Call Truce at Close of Fourth Inning and Go to See Bill Hart.

The Phi Delta Theta team took the second game of the doughnut baseball series from the A. T. O. representatives Tuesday afternoon, the score being 9 to 3 at the end of four innings. The game was scheduled for five innings but owing to the fact that several of the players wanted to get a chance to look Bill Hart over, it was agreed to suspend hostility at the end of the fourth frame. The game in itself was up to the standard of the league and the playing in the field was pretty good in spots, the only trouble being that the spots were few and far between. Ed Durno pitching for the Phi Deltas had good control and a nice assortment of freak balls that foiled the A. T. O. sluggers in three of the four innings.

In the third inning Don Oxman, of the A. T. O.'s met one on its way in and gave it a ride to the tennis courts. The hit went for a homer and scored Madden and Motschenbacher ahead of him. Strachan and Durno also hit circuit clots during the evening performance. Each of the last mentioned gathered three runs which was enough to win the game in itself.

Credit must be given for the form shown by "Scotty" Strachan behind the plate and "Bib" Carl for his work on the short patch. Smith for the A. T. O.'s showed up in pretty fair shape but he worked too fast to be effective. Oxman was the steller light of the losers infield getting everything that happened his way.

The line up:  
Phi Delta Theta—Smith cf.; Kennedy cf.; Strachan c.; Durno p.; Margason 1b.; Farrington 2b.; Carl ss.; Phipps 3b.; Pixley rf.; Hollingsworth lf.  
Alpha Tau Omega—Lyons cf.; Smith p.; Arams 1b.; Madden 3b.; Motschenbacher rf.; Oxman ss.; Sweet c.; Davis lf.; Williams 2b.

Score by innings ... 1 2 3 4 R.H.E.  
Phi Delt ..... 4 2 3 0 9 13 3  
A. T. O. .... 0 3 0 0 3 9 4

### TWO MATCHES YET REMAIN

Doughnut Tennis to Close Either Friday or Saturday.

Two matches remain in the doughnut tennis league before the championship is decided. Friendly Hall and Delta Tau Delta meet today in the semi-finals to determine who shall meet the Betas in the finals. The Betas eliminated the Fijis yesterday in a three-set match by scores of 8-4, 2-6, 6-1. Beggs and Brandon played for the Betas and Haseltine and Abbott for the Fijis. The Delta Tau Delta beat the Sigma Uus also yesterday afternoon 10-8, 6-3. Brown and Laraway represented the Deltas and Johns and Hollenbeck the Sigma Uus.

The final match will be played off either Friday or Saturday.

### FORMER Y. M. SECRETARY WEDS

James Macpherson Takes Dorothy Van Winkle As Bride.

James Macpherson, former Y. M. C. A. secretary at the University was married to Miss Dorothy Van Winkle in Cheyenne, Wyoming, last week. The ceremony was performed by the bride's father, Dr. George Van Winkle of the First Baptist church in that city. The young people were classmates in Denison University before Mr. Macpherson came here. Now Mr. Macpherson is in the service of the sanitary corps at Washington, D. C. where Mrs. Macpherson will go upon finishing her term in the high school faculty of Pine Bluffs, Wyoming.

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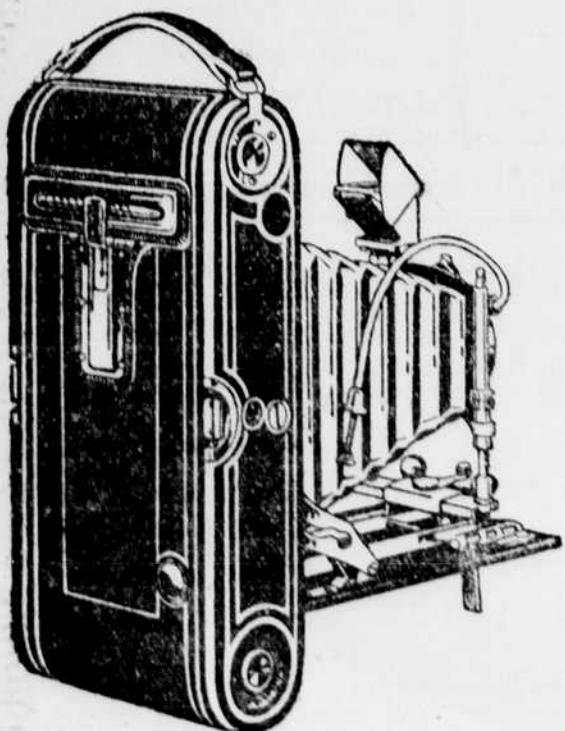
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