



## PLAYS FOR GUARDS PROVE EXCELLENT

### Three Mask and Buskin War Productions Meet with Favor, but Small Audience.

### Professor Reddie, Lyle McCroskey and Norvell Thompson Score Hits.

Before an audience which scarcely more than half filled the Eugene theater last night, Mask and Buskin chapter of the associated University players staged its initial performance of the three one-act plays which were worked up especially to be presented as a benefit for the Eugene Home Guard. The second performance comes this evening.

With Colonel John Leader, commandant of the University battalion of which the Home Guard company is a unit, sponsoring the presentation of this group of three unusually attractive war plays, and members of Mask and Buskin, under the able and willing leadership of Prof. A. Fergus Reddie giving of their time and talent, it was hoped to make the two evenings a source of much financial benefit to the guards. The success of the scheme depends largely on the size of tonight's audience.

The three plays—"O'Flaherty, V. C.," by Bernard Shaw; "The Straggler," by Henry Irving; and Percy Gibbon's telling "The Prussian Way"—were admirably chosen and grouped for joint production, each having war for its main theme.

Standing out vividly among the three was "The Prussian Way," for it was set apart by its more rapid action, its more intimate and significant interest and its superior setting and acting—there seemed something vivid and alive in its threat which aroused an interest less noticeable during the progress of the other two, and which carried the very players themselves beyond the bonds of self-consciousness.

An increased number of characters was one factor responsible for the improvement, and the consequent decrease in the apparent bleakness of the stage was a second and very marked help toward that end. The result was much more speed in catching up cues, and more rapid action.

The story of the piece is that of a German subject, scourged by his captain, and a deserter from the army, who for revenge will sell a chemical invention for exploding cartridges, bombs and shrapnel shells at long distance by means of powerful electric rays, thus killing off allied troops while Germany lies low. His price is that the officer who whipped him shall be brought there, that

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## FOUR MORE ARE CALLED

### Draft Takes Dwight Wilson, President-elect for 1918-19.

### Bruce Flegal, Arthur Runquist and Irving Rowe Also Ordered to Report.

Dwight Wilson, student body president elect, Bruce Flegal and Arthur Runquist were called in the draft this morning. They have been notified to report at Camp McDowell, California, May 27.

Efforts made by University authorities to have them exempted because of their membership in the R. C. T. C. granted the University recently have failed. It was found that, probably through a fault of organization, the men in all the University and college R. O. T. C. bodies were not exempted when called.

The message received here this morning from the war department relative to exemption for the three men called said:

"No exemption from draft on account of membership in reserve officers' training corps authorized by the war department."

Wilson is at present a captain in the University battalion. Flegal was this year a member of the wrestling varsity baseball team, winning his letter.

Irving Rowe, called on Thursday, left Friday morning for Camp McDowell having been ordered to report earlier than those who received their call this morning.

## SCHOLARSHIP OFFERED TO UNIVERSITY WOMAN

### Association of Collegiate Alumnae Will Decide Award of \$25 on May 24.

A scholarship of \$25 a year is being offered by the Association of Collegiate Alumnae to the University girl who is found most worthy.

"I do not know how the choice will be made," said Miss Mozelle Hair, treasurer of the Oregon chapter and a member of the committee to select a winner, "but scholarship and actual fitness for university training will be important factors. However the money will not be given to a girl to whom it will be of no particular help."

Miss Hair stated that the scholarship is usually awarded at the time of the last meeting of the association which will occur this year on May 24.

Anyone wishing to apply should hand her name to the committee the other members of which are Dean Louise Ehrmann and Miss Mary Perkins, president of A. C. A.

## COLONEL LEADER LEAVES FOR WEEK'S LECTURE TRIP

### Military Instructor to Speak at Camp Lewis, Tacoma, and in Southern Oregon.

Lieutenant Colonel John Leader left this afternoon for a week's lecture trip through Oregon and Washington to assist in the Red Cross drive by speaking on the war and military subjects.

He motored to Halsey this afternoon with Dr. George H. Parkinson and gave his first talk there tonight.

He is scheduled to speak in Tacoma tomorrow on the war and in Camp Lewis Monday on technical military problems. Tuesday and Wednesday he will spend in Portland talking to Home Guards and before the State Council of Defense as well as at several other meetings to be arranged. Klamath Falls high school will have the Colonel to deliver the commencement address Friday evening. Saturday, he will speak for the Red Cross in Medford and Grants Pass.

## MEN'S GLEE CLUB TO DANCE

### Country Club Reserved for Thursday Night, when Jazz Will Hold Forth.

There will be much festivity at the Eugene Country club next Thursday night when the University Men's Glee club will hold their annual dance. This dance is to take the place of the original plan of having a dinner dance at the Osburn Hotel as a last affair before the boys break up for the year.

A committee has been appointed consisting of John Flinn, who is in charge of the music, Jack Montague and Paul Spangler, who are to look after the matter of arrangements, the house and Merrill Moor, in charge of the programs. Merrill Moor has sent to Portland for engraved dance programs and John Flinn says that the music is going to be real jazz, probably Lyons' orchestra.

This year the dance is not to be a formal affair. They are going to Hooverize and make it just a plain party, informal, with good, peppy features, the details of which not one of the men will divulge. They do say, though, that it will be original club stuff such as they would have given had they gone on the usual trip this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Faguy Cote have been asked to serve as patrons. There are only fourteen members of the Glee Club left this year and these men say that the money which is left in the treasury should certainly be used for one last blow-out.

## McNARY AND GRAY MOVE UP

### Appointed as Second Lieutenants of Companies B and D.

Additional appointments in the University battalion were announced yesterday. Robert McNary will be second lieutenant of C. Company and Harold Gray, second lieutenant of D. Company. Second Lieutenant Harold Cate and William Steers appointed Wednesday, will hold the rank of honorary lieutenants at their own request. Their resignations were accepted Friday. Their commissioned rank will be entered upon their record of service, however, but during the remainder of their term they will be permitted to drill as acting non-commissioned officers in B Company.

## DELTA TAUS TO MEET PHI DELTS IN FINALS

### Last in Doughnut Baseball Series Promises to Be One of Season's Best.

### Durno and Medley to Pitch; Both Teams Working Hard Under Coaches.

The final game of the doughnut baseball league will be played Tuesday of next week when the Phi Delta Theta representatives will meet the Delta Tau Delta team. This game should prove to be one of the best seen here this year, including Varsity contests.

Both of the teams appear to be in good shape and both are confident that they will be able to take the contest. Ed. Durno, who will probably pitch for the Phi Deltas, is a good box artist and should be able to keep the Delt slugs pretty much under his control.

In Houston Medley the Deltas have a twirler that is about the best in the league and the Phi Deltas are going to find that it is no easy job to gather base hits off of this port-sider. The infield of the two teams is about a stand off with the outfield shading a little to the Phi Deltas. The main thing in the game is to be who can hit and who can not. The team that is able to solve the delivery of the opposing pitcher is the team that is going to have the best chance to give the cup a rest upon its mantle piece.

The Delta Tau team handed the Eugene High School team a walloping Thursday evening when they beat them with a score of 6 to 2. Mortimer Brown performed in the boy for the Deltas. Both of the teams played a good game and the Delt sure looked like world beaters in the contest but it remains to be seen what they will look like when they face the twirling of Durno.

Daily practice is the order of the two houses and Manager Bill Steers and Dot Medley, are pushing their proteges to the limit. There has been some talk of Steers and Medley playing when the teams meet next week. As both houses have enough men to form a team, it is campus opinion that there is no need for Varsity men to enter now, although the regular season is over. The game, say the fans, will be more interesting if Steers and Medley stay out as neither team will gain any great advantage by the addition, as there is very little difference in the ability of the two.

## TO SPEAK ON SHELL SHOCK

### Dr. E. S. Conklin to Give Three Public Lectures on Army Disease.

Three lectures on the army disease peculiar to the present war, shell shock, will be given next week by Dr. E. S. Conklin, head of the department of psychology, in his lecture room in McClure hall. While the lectures are primarily for the class in abnormal psychology, Dr. Conklin will admit visitors. The lecture subjects follow: Monday at 11 a. m., "Psychology of the Civilian Turned Soldier;" Tuesday, 11 a. m., "Characteristics of Shell Shock Cases;" Thursday, 11 a. m., "Interpretations, Treatment and Prevention."

## WOMEN TO DO CLUB WORK

### Eight Girls to Spend Eight Weeks in Y. W. C. A. Camp This Summer.

Eight University women who are planning to do eight weeks' club work during the summer, met Thursday evening for dinner at the Bungalow, when Mrs. P. L. Campbell told them of various forms of patriotic work they might take up with their girls during their eight weeks of work. Mrs. George H. Parkinson, who is eight weeks club adviser for Y. W. C. A., also met with the girls. Other meetings to discuss other forms of club work will be held.

## OHIO REJECTS HONOR SYSTEM.

### Plan Turned Down by Majority of 103 Votes by Students and Faculty.

The adoption of the honor system at the Ohio State University was recently voted on by the students and faculty, and rejected by a majority of 103 votes.—Ohio State Lantern.

## GIRLS TO PICK FRUIT AND DO FARM WORK

### Fifteen Women Form Unit for All Sorts of Agricultural Labor in Oregon This Summer.

### Plan Found Satisfactory in Other Colleges to Be Used at Oregon.

Fifteen University girls who are planning to form an agricultural unit for summer work, met Thursday from 5 to 6 o'clock in the Bungalow to make their plans. They will work together in the country during vacation under the chaperonage of an older woman.

Several places are available for unit work but the girls have not yet decided on one. They will take tents and when one job is finished will move on to the next place. General farm work, berry and cherry picking form work they are seeking.

"The girls feel that by doing this work they will be spending their summer profitably as well as making it possible for more men to enlist," said Miss Tirza Dinsdale, campus Y. W. C. A. secretary.

The next meeting of the unit will be held next Thursday afternoon at the Bungalow, when the club will be officially organized. A forewoman will be elected and the girls will decide upon the matter of a cook and a chaperon.

## HETEROGENEOUS CLASS STUDIES WAR MINERALS

### Chromite, Indispensable to Munition Plants, Abundant in Oregon, Says Dr. Smith.

A class in war minerals in which three real prospectors are enrolled at present, met last night for the first time in the geology lecture room, with Dr. Warren D. Smith, head of the department of geology.

Twelve are enrolled in the class which will meet every Thursday evening. One man in the class has prospecting for Washington to Southern California and also in Nevada. Another has made coal examinations, and entered the class to learn something more about metals. One is a bank president, interested in what he can learn about metals to use as a basis for forming judgments for investments. Two members of the class are women, one a faculty wife, the other a student.

Chromite was the subject for discussion last night.

The United States produces just one fourth as much chromite as it needs, according to Dr. Smith, and since this is the case the study of the mineral is being made so that everyone can be on the look-out and can report to the government any findings.

Chromite is a compound of iron, chromium and oxygen and it is used principally for the hardening of steel in the munition plants. Large quantities of chromite are found in the eastern and southern parts of Oregon.

## VICTOR HORTA TO LECTURE

### Belgian Professor to Talk on "German Kultur" Tuesday Evening.

"German Kultur in Theory and Practice" will be the subject of Professor Victor Horta's lecture Tuesday evening in Deady hall. Professor Horta is one of the leading lecturers in the country today. He is from Brussels, Belgium and was formerly head of the architecture department of the University of Louvain, Belgium. For the past two years he has been exchange professor at Harvard University. His descriptions of war conditions in Belgium are vivid and stirring. The lecture will be open to the Eugene public and the faculty and students of the University. For the past six weeks Professor Horta has been lecturing for the Archaeological Institute of America. After the lecture Tuesday night in Deady hall the art department will hold a reception in the studio of the architecture building in his honor.

With the doubles being played as the Emerald goes to press, Oregon is leading in the tennis match with O. A. C. on the local courts this afternoon. The Varsity took all three matches in the singles, with the scores as follows:  
Brown vs Hyde, 6-2, 6-1, 7-5.  
Hershner vs. Reynolds, 6-4, 6-3, 6-1.  
Smith vs. Powers, 7-5, 6-4, 10-8.

## ABE ROSENBERG TO MEET WASHINGTON IN ORATORY

### Second Freshman in University's History to Take Part in Interstate Contest.

For the first time since the days of Carlton Spencer, in 1910, a freshman is again to represent Oregon at the Oregon and Washington state oratorical contest. Abe E. Rosenberg will meet the Washington representative, whose name has not yet been announced, at the Lincoln High School auditorium in Portland on either May 31 or June 1, to compete for the interstate championship. Rosenberg's address, "Your Name, Honored Yesterday, Loathed Today, What Shall it be Tomorrow?" is original. The judges of the contest are to be the same as they have been for years, the heads of the English departments of the Universities of Idaho, Stanford and California.

E. F. Blaine, of Seattle was the donor of the \$100 prize, which is to go to the winner.

## HUNGRY SENIORS FED BY Y. W. C. A. MEMBERS

### Real Breakfast Served to Co-eds at Home of Mrs. Campbell—Toasts Follow Delicious Meal.

"We want breakfast!" said the senior women at the breakfast given for them this morning at the home of Mrs. P. L. Campbell by the Y. W. C. A.

And the will of the 1918's was obeyed when members of the association served what Emma Wootton Hall called "the first real breakfast I've had in college."

Essie Maguire, campus president, acted as toastmistress and responses were given by Gladys Wilkins, Miss Mary Perkins, Miss Tirza Dinsdale, Dean Louise Ehrmann, Mrs. S. H. Friendly, Mrs. P. L. Campbell, Emma Wootton Hall, Miriam Page, Margaret Crosby, Helene Delano, Anna Lansbury Beck, Ruth Ann Wilson and Dorothy Collier.

Mrs. Eric W. Allen gave two readings, "Barney Magee" and "Hem and Haw." The affair closed with a serpentine and "Oskie" by the 125 girls present, with nine "rahs" given for the senior class and the Y. W. C. A.

## WOMEN'S GLEE CLUB COMPLETES SEASON

### Financial Status of University Responsible for Lack of Concert Trips During Year.

The women's glee club of the University has finished its season. It will not take the trip which was planned for either southern Oregon or to Portland and Camp Lewis. The financial status of the University this year will not allow it.

The women's club of this year was one of the best that the University has ever had and an extensive season was planned for it. The first two semesters were spent in perfecting a program which was to be presented the middle of June but arrangements could not be made and in order that their efforts might not be useless, the women sang as a feature at the Junior Prom.

## DRIVE TO OPEN WEDNESDAY

### Rev. Spangler to Inaugurate Armenian Relief Campaign.

The campus campaign to raise the University's quota of \$100 for the Armenian relief fund will begin Wednesday morning when Reverend A. M. Spangler, pastor of the Eugene Congregational church, will address the assembly to explain the campaign.

The campaign will be carried on on the campus in conjunction with the campus Red Cross campaign. Although no University quota has been made for the Red Cross drive next week, because of the campaign being made on the campus to equip a canteen, it is felt that the campus can raise \$200. This amount will be raised among the men, who, it is understood, will not be asked to donate to the women's canteen fund.

## TEN OUT FOR OFFICE IN WOMAN'S LEAGUE

### Roberta Schuebel and Dorothy Flegel Want Presidency; Ruby Bogue Is Unopposed.

### Grace Hammarstrom and Eva Hansen Rivals for Secretaryship.

Ten candidates for the six offices in Woman's League next year were announced yesterday afternoon by the nominating committee. Election will be held Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 in Villard hall.

The committee has selected Dorothy Flegel to run against Roberta Schuebel, who announced her candidacy several weeks ago, for president. Miss Flegel has been a member of the Y. W. C. A. cabinet for the past two years, last year having charge of arranging all Y. W. meetings and planning vesper programs. She has been active in class work, was head of the juniors for the campus luncheon, chairman of the committee which arranged for Junior pictures in the Oregoniana and is a member of this year's Oregon staff. She is vice president of Triple C.

Ruby Bogue is the only woman slated for vice president by the nominating committee. Miss Bogue is a major in the department of physical education, was secretary of the athletic association last year and head of golf this year.

For secretary, Eva Hansen and Grace Hammarstrom have been named. Miss Hansen is a major in the department of physical education, is secretary of the athletic association this year and has been captain of both the freshman and sophomore basketball teams and manager of the sophomore team. She has been on the varsity swimming, hockey and basketball teams. She is president of Triple B and a member of Zeta Kappa Psi.

Grace Hammarstrom is vice president of Triple B and an active worker in Y. W. C. A. on the membership committee. She is a member of Kwama.

Reba Macklin and Ethel McGilchrist are slated for the treasury. Miss Macklin had charge of the sophomores for the campus luncheon. She is a member of Kwama and Mu Phi Epsilon. Miss

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## CHILD EXPERT COMING

### Dr. W. H. Slingerland to Arrive About May 20.

### Will Conduct Survey in State Institutions For Care of Children.

Dr. W. H. Slingerland, commissioner and field agent for the Russell Sage foundation, expert in child welfare, is expected here May 20.

The extension division will arrange his itinerary so that he may investigate all institutions of Oregon where there are children dependent upon the state. The legislature last fall passed a bill authorizing such an investigation.

Five members of the University faculty, Earl Kilpatrick, director of the extension division, Dr. E. S. Conklin, head of the psychology department; Miss Elizabeth Fox, dean of women; Dr. George Rebec, professor of philosophy; and Dr. B. W. DeBusk, professor of education, were chosen to conduct the study.

No appropriation was made to meet the expenses, so the extension division of the University will finance it and pay for the immediate expenses and entertainment of Dr. Slingerland. The Russell Sage foundation pays his salary.

He will spend several weeks in Oregon and will send a detailed report of his findings to the extension division. This report will be used as a basis for recommendation to the legislature.

Dr. Slingerland has spent the past several months in demonstrating the value and importance of special research and case work in connection with the Moose institution at Mooseheart, Illinois, an institution of several thousand inmates.