



## MAJORITY OF MEN PLAN TO RETURN HERE NEXT TERM

### Most of S. A. T. C. Will Be Back; Greater Oregon Workers Are Busy.

The naval unit is going over the top for Oregon and unless all signs fail, companies A and B will be a close second, according to statements made by Eddie Durno, chairman of the Greater Oregon committee, and John Houston, who was appointed by Durno to act in the capacity of a chairman of the committee for the naval unit.

The majority of the men are coming back next term. Practically all of the freshmen and most of the upper classmen will return, so Houston said last night, and present indications are that very few of Company A and Company B men are undecided, the majority of the men will return to Oregon.

### Greater Oregon Committee at Work.

The Greater Oregon committee is completely organized ready for work on the campus now, and throughout the state during the holidays. No more meetings of the committee will be held before Christmas, according to Eddie Durno.

A sergeant from each platoon of Companies A and B, and of the naval unit was appointed at the meeting of the committee Wednesday night. These men are obtaining the names of the freshmen in each platoon who are yet undecided in regard to coming back next semester. He will write a personal letter to the men's parents, telling them of the many advantages at the University, in order to encourage the boys to return and not lose the opportunity to get a college education.

The men appointed from A company were Ned Fowler, Nish Chapman, Jack Dundore, William McArthur, Bill Morrison. Company B men are Francis Jacobberger, Arthur Ely, Donald Portwood, Joe Trowbridge, Frank Palmer and Ben Ivy. John Houston was chosen from the naval unit.

All fellows who want to return to Oregon, but who are unable to do so because of lack of enough money, will be assisted by these men in finding work to make their expenses, so Eddie Durno said yesterday.

Pamphlets and bulletins giving an outline of the various courses offered by each department may be received at the president's office or from Durno. All of the naval unit men will take Oregon literature home with them to distribute in the high schools.

### Outlook Is Bright.

Jack Dundore said last night that he was planning on running down to Washington high school during the holidays, with a goodly supply of literature and enthusiasm for Oregon.

Francis Jacobberger expects to carry on a lively campaign at Columbia in Portland during the Christmas vacation.

With the Greater Oregon committee talking Oregon and the student body talking Oregon, the outlook for a brighter Oregon is very bright.

## CONDOLENCE IS OFFERED

### Resolutions Sent Out To Bereaved Families of Late Students.

At the last meeting of the Associated Students the following resolutions of condolence, prepared by a committee headed by Dorothy Flegal, were adopted: "Whereas, Almighty God in His Infinite Wisdom has seen fit to take from our midst our late sister and fellow student and loyal friend, Catharine Heilig, Mrs. Delsell Sage, Mrs. Pauline Potter Homer and Rev. C. A. Wooddy; and

"Whereas, by their death the University of Oregon has lost four beloved friends, who were always true and conscientious for the welfare of the University; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the Associated students of the University of Oregon, extend our deepest sorrow to their bereaved families in our mutual sorrow and loss, and be it further

"Resolved, That an engrossed copy of these resolutions be sent to the families of the deceased, a copy be transcribed upon the records of the Associated student body, and a copy be sent to the student publication."

## Dr. Boynton's Dark Optic Demonstration Principle of Physics

That two solids cannot occupy the same space at the same time was proved anew to Dr. W. P. Boynton, professor of physics, on Wednesday evening of this week, when he found out that the head of some strange boy and his own right eye could not get into the same small space.

It was 6 o'clock and darkness enveloped the vicinity of Alder and Hilyard. Two bicycles were winding their weary way when, crash! they were strewn along the wayside, and the right eye of the Oregon professor of physics came in contact with the forehead of an unsuspecting boy hardly yet fifteen years. "I think we were both knocked unconscious for a moment," said Dr. Boynton. "I got up finally and the boy lifted his head and murmured, 'What happened?'"

May it also be said that the above stated physical law can be testified to by the physics class in general. Not only because it was explained fully, but by an orb black and swollen.

## PRISONER ASKS FOR BOOKS

### Inmate of State Penitentiary Writes M. H. Douglass, Librarian.

An inmate of the Oregon state penitentiary has written to M. H. Douglass, librarian, asking if he may be considered one of the eligibles for borrowing books. He saw an article in the Oregon Journal saying that any responsible person would be loaned books at their request. He says that he wants some books on chemistry as he is particularly interested in that subject.

"My address may be considered permanent for four years," says he. He says that he earns enough money to pay the postage on the books. Mr. Douglass has sent a list of chemistry books in the library so that the man may choose the ones in which he is particularly interested.

During the last year from January 1, 1918, to December 10, 1918, the library has sent out 1,702 books and magazines, according to figures compiled by Mr. Douglass.

Books have been sent to every county in Oregon. Towns in Washington, California, Idaho and New Mexico have also received books. There have been 615 different packages sent out. Requests for books have come from school teachers, pupils, club women, ministers and doctors who are heads of hospitals.

## S. A. T. C. SONG BOOKS HERE

### Hymns for Men's Voices Will Be Distributed Soon.

The pocket sized edition of standard hymns which Dr. John Landsbury, dean of the school of music announced would soon be distributed among the S. A. T. C. men has just arrived. The edition of hymns, according to Dr. Landsbury, is the only one of its kind published. It is for men's voices only.

The U. S. army song book usually issued by the war department has been received by Dr. Landsbury also. This book contains the national airs of the United States and allied nations, several American folk songs and typical army camp songs, such as "Pack Up Your Troubles," "The Coast Artillery Song," "Army Trumpet Calls," "Over There," "Long Boy," and "Keep Your Head Down, Fritzie Boy."

A number of these army and folk songs are accompanied by cartoons illustrating their spirit.

## WALKER AND HOWE AWAY

### Both Attending Intercollegiate Conference in Portland.

Dean H. Walker, graduate manager of the University, and Professor H. C. Howe, are in Portland this week-end attending a meeting of the moguls of the Pacific Coast Intercollegiate Conference. The chief matters to come up at this meeting are getting back to the old basis for athletics and drawing up a basketball schedule.

According to Walker, it is probable that the freshman rule as well as the one year residence rule will be put back into effect and that there will be no great change in the conference rulings.

## COLONEL LEADER WILL REMAIN AS FACULTY MEMBER

### Will Instruct in Military History and Science and in Foreign Trades.

Colonel John Leader, late of the Royal Irish Rifles, who has been commanding officers of the State Officers' Training school at the University, will remain as a member of the University faculty next term. Colonel Leader will instruct in military history, military science, and will assist in the school of commerce giving lectures in the foreign trades course.

Colonel Leader will also devote considerable of his time of extension division work, filling the numerous requests that come in to him from all over the state for lectures. The remainder of his time he will devote to the promotion of intra mural athletics in the University. The course in military history and science will be a three hour course scheduled for Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 2 o'clock.

In the lectures to the class in foreign trades, Colonel Leader will talk about the commercial relations with the Orient and will explain about the life, history, and the organization of the Social life of the Oriental peoples. During Colonel Leader's experience he has served with most of the allies in some capacity. He has been interpreter in Germany for the British government; served in the Boer war in 1899 where he earned his rank as captain; in 1902 interpreter for the British government in Chinese and Japanese; was sent to the far East at the outbreak of the Russo-Japanese war; in 1907 he was sent from Siberia to India and in 1908 to Arabia. In 1909 he was married and entered business in British Columbia.

## GOBS TO BE OUT NEXT WEEK

### Navy Men Will Enter University as Regular Students in January.

The 62 men in the naval unit at the University will be discharged Monday and Tuesday of next week, Ensign W. C. Heppenheimer announced this morning. All of the men are asking for release, although they were given the option of signing for active duty in the navy if they so desired. Nearly all of the 62 will be back at the University for regular college work in January.

The men were paid today up to December 1 and will receive their December pay at the homes during the vacation. Although they will be discharged the first of next week, they will remain at the University until their college examinations are completed, probably until Friday, December 20.

Ensign Heppenheimer, who has been in charge of the naval unit here, will go to Bremerton naval station as soon as his men are discharged. He was assigned from Bremerton to take command of the unit here.

## LAST REVIEW CALLED OFF

### S. A. T. C. Parade Not Held Because of Rain; Governor Unable to Come.

The last review of the S. A. T. C., scheduled for this morning, was called off because of the rain. Governor Withycombe, who was asked to be present, was not able to come.

This was to have been the first formal review of the year, as well as the last, to which the public was invited, and several townspeople who came out to the University were disappointed.

Col. W. H. C. Bowen, commanding officer, said this morning that the review might be held early next week.

## FORMER STUDENT HEARD FROM

Henderson Stewart, a student in the University two years ago, was on his way overseas when the armistice was signed. He left college during April vacation to enlist in the field artillery and was sent to Camp Fremont. From there he was transferred to Fort Sill, Stewart's address is 8th Division, 83rd Regiment, Battalion "C" Field Artillery.

## OREGON GRAD GETS POSITION

Herbert H. Mathews, who received his B. A. from the University in 1913, has recently been elected to a position in the San Rafael school in California.

## OREGANA CAMPAIGN EXPECTED TO TOTAL 600 SUBSCRIPTIONS

### Yearbook Will Probably Go Over Top Thinks Chairman Dundore.

Jack Dundore, chairman of the general campus committee for the Oregana campaign, believes that 600 Oregana subscriptions have already been taken, although only 181 subscriptions had been turned over to him.

Returns from the Oregana campaign had not been totaled this noon, as many of the solicitors had not yet turned in their books to their class chairman.

"But I expect 600 subscriptions when they are all turned in tonight," said Jack Dundore. "If we have that many it will seem that the students want the Oregana badly enough to help us get 200 more. A one-day campaign will probably be held right after the Christmas holidays. It will be carried on by checking over the students who have subscribed and the names of those who have not will be given to members of a general committee and they in turn are expected to bring back the subscription. This will mean practically every student a subscriber. The best workers on all of the committees for this drive will be members for the one-day campaign. I sincerely hope it will not be necessary to carry on another campaign, even for one day."

Eddie Durno, chairman of the sophomore committee reported that the sophomores did their part in getting the 800 subscriptions, for they themselves can turn in 225.

Only 12 workers out of the 50 had turned in their books this noon and the highest of these were Alys Sutton 33 subscriptions; Elmo Madden, 29; Sid Tewksbury, 24; Sid Robinson, 22; and Lyle Bryson and Caroline Alexander, 20.

All the books will be turned in by this evening when they will be counted and the results posted on the library bulletin board.

## CONDOLENCE IS OFFERED

### Students Pass Resolutions in Regard to Classmates Who Have Died.

The Associated Students have passed the following resolution prepared by a committee headed by Helen McDonald:

"Whereas, Almighty God in His infinite wisdom has seen fit to remove from the activities of this life our devoted fellow students and former classmates, namely, Glen Walter, Earl Cobb, John Creech, Emanuel Northrup, Richard Shisler, Sanford Sichel, Kenneth Farley, Claude Johnstone, Richard Riddell Sleight, Lee Meadows, Roy Johnson, Earl S. Powell, Thomas Townsend, Turner Neil, Roswell Dosh and John Kelly;

Whereas, in their deaths the University of Oregon has lost staunch and trusted friends, who were among those who made the supreme sacrifice of their lives in the cause of democracy; be it

Resolved, that we, the Associated Students of the University of Oregon, extend to their sorrowing families our deepest and heartfelt sympathies; and be it further

Resolved, that an engrossed copy of these resolutions in behalf of our beloved friends be sent to their families, a copy be transcribed on the records of the student body and a copy be printed in the University publication.

## ENLISTED MEN TO RETURN

### Registrar Daily Receiving Letters From Former Students.

Letters are coming to the registrar's office daily from former University of Oregon men, now in the service, who are planning to return to the University in January. The last received are from the following, who will be on the campus January 6, the date of the opening of the new term: Jay H. Fox, of Portland, now at San Diego, California; Wilbur M. Carl, of Portland, stationed at Quantico, Virginia; Lieutenant Claude Hill, of Klamath Falls, now at Fort Sill, Oklahoma; John P. Masterson, of Denmark, Oregon, at Mare Island, Cal.; Roy M. Avery, of Ashland, at Hampton Roads, Virginia; Walton W. Parsons, of Redmond, at Vancouver Barracks, Va.; Virgil DeLap, of Klamath Falls, at San Pedro, Cal.

## Dr. Conklin Finds 575 Students Afraid of Friday the 13th

University students have been found to be a pretty superstitious lot of young people, as a result of four years of study on the part of Dr. Edmund S. Conklin, professor of psychology.

Irrational, silly, superstitions like the fear of walking under a ladder, unwillingness to raise an umbrella in a house, belief in the good luck sure to follow the picking up of a pin if the point is turned toward one, dread of the unluckiness attending Friday the 13th, and all of those funny old notions are believed or practiced by at least 575 of Oregon's students, who have been asked in detail why they believe or why they practice these superstitions, Dr. Conklin said this morning.

The adolescent class started this practice about four years ago, and Dr. Conklin is keeping it up.

This will be brought out in detail with all figures at the meeting of the University science club Tuesday evening, December 17, at 8:00 o'clock, when Dr. Conklin will be the principal speaker. The subject of his address will be, "A Study of Adolescent Superstition." The club will meet in room 24, Deady hall, and the public, especially students of the sciences, are invited to attend. A business meeting will be held at 7:30.

## HAYWARD TO TRAIN MARINES AND NAVY

"Bill" Hayward, Oregon trainer, will spend the holidays in the south, but he will be hard at work. Hayward received an offer to train the Marines and named his terms, which were accepted by the Mare Island team. He has also received an offer from the Great Lakes Naval Training Station to train their aggregation for the clash with the Marines in Pasadena on New Year's Day. Hayward announced this morning that he would accept both offers.

Hayward does not know just when he will leave. The Great Lakes team will be in Pasadena December 18, and in order to be on the job he will probably pack his grip and board a southbound Southern Pacific train the first of the week.

This makes Hayward's third holiday season in California, as he and Hugo Bezdek rounded the Marines into shape for their game with Camp Lewis last New Year's day, and Oregon's team when she beat the University of Pennsylvania. The Marines under "Lonesta" Dietz are going great guns this season and have two big games before them. Christmas they clash with the Camp Lewis eleven and the Great Lakes New Year's. The Naval Training station has about the greatest aggregation of football talent ever assembled under one tent.

In the east the Naval Training team has cleaned up everything in sight including the Naval Academy, under the direction of Gilmore Dobie, who for several seasons coached at the University of Washington. The Marines have the choice football talent that the west has to offer and the game will decide the championship of the United States as it has never been before.

## CARD SALE IS SUCCESSFUL

### \$25 From Postals Made By Students Given to Devastated France.

The American Committee of Devastated France is richer by \$25 as a result of the efforts of nine girls of the art department who gave their time and work to the making of Christmas cards which they sold Friday in front of the library for the purpose of raising money for the orphans of France. The girls were: Marion Ady, Mildred Oliver, Pauline Porteous, Vera Temple, Mary Kelly, Agnes Brooks, Helen Grunholm, Mrs. Hobson and Brownell Frazier.

Part of the money was obtained from the sale of the Laliue medals, a few of which Miss Helen Rhodes, of the art department, had in her possession, left from a former sale. The medal was designed by a French artist and sculptor by the name of Laliue expressly for the American Committee of Devastated France, with the understanding that the money from them be used for relief purposes in that country.

This committee is made up of American women who have been in France since the beginning of the war.

## PROPOSAL MADE TO GIVE MEN SIX CREDITS FOR SPORTS

### Faculty Will Vote on Changes That Will Make Games Reach All.

The amalgamation of physical education and military instruction next term in such a way that all men in the University will give six hours a week to the combined work, is proposed in changes in the physical education courses, which will be voted upon by the faculty at the next meeting.

It is proposed, according to resolutions drawn up yesterday, not to make the sports course compulsory, but to increase the number of credits required for graduation from 180 to 204, making it possible to gain 24 of these hours by taking part in sports, two hours to be granted each term and six a year.

The proposed changes are made "inasmuch as the present system of games reaches only a very limited number of students and to a great degree only those who are in least need of the advantages of playing games; and inasmuch as the present system is largely theoretical and lacking in the desired effect of making the student interested in his own physical development, which can only be done by competition."

The advantages offered by a systematic course in physical education can only be made widespread when the students realize the benefits, physical and mental, to be derived from the work, thinks Dean Walker.

It is proposed that two hours, from 9:30 to 11:30 Saturday mornings should be given over to the work, each student being permitted to choose three periods from the six.

Courses in the following games are suggested: handball, tennis, volley ball, association football, hockey, football, basketball, cricket, track athletics, baseball and soccer. Promotion or honors in the course should be given on physical ability rather than theoretical skill, according to the plan suggested.

Dean Walker, head of intramural athletics, will start outlining details of the program on his return from Portland tomorrow. Colonel Leader will take a large part in the organizing and instructing of the work.

## ART CLUB WILL BE FORMED

### Students in Architecture Department Plan Organization.

The students in the art and architecture departments are planning to form a student art club to stimulate interest and keep track of the current literature on modern art.

The club, which will not be organized until next term, will hold meetings at Professor and Mrs. Alfred Schreff's home and studio. "The organization is to be of a semi-official character," said Professor Schreff, "entirely with the idea of stimulating the study of art and its various phases."

All students interested in art are eligible to membership.

## CONCERT IS POSTPONED

### University Symphony Orchestra Will Appear After Holidays.

The concert announced to be given in Eugene theater Sunday afternoon by the University Symphony Orchestra has been indefinitely postponed. Professor Robert Louis Barron, conductor, announced this morning. The postponement, he explained, was made necessary by health conditions in Eugene. The new date will be announced after the holidays.

## LAST EMERALD

This issue will be the last of the quarter. Publication will be resumed with the opening of the University in January. This vacation for the Emerald is customary in order that the staff members may be given a chance during examination week to work for grades instead of The Emerald. Merry Christmas!