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## UNTIL PEACE IS ASSURED

A communication printed in the Emerald of last Saturday disparaging the recent faculty change of drill to a four hour period each Saturday morning, and further advocating the abolition of the R. O. T. C. as a military unit of the University campus has brought no end of comment and discussion concerning the much mooted question.

A canvass of those effected by the recent change, sophomores and freshmen, brings to view a hearty dislike and near disgust over the change to the Saturday morning period. Student opinion backs the statement of the afore-mentioned communication in that "it is the straw that breaks the camel's back." Those who work their way through college, either in total or in part, and they are not in the minority, are robbed of their Saturday morning opportunity to strengthen their exchequer. True they can be excused by petition, but what will be the future of the drill if fifty per cent of the men are exempted? Track and baseball athletics will suffer in that men cannot drill Saturday morning and enter collegiate competition two hours later.

And there is a wholesome and thorough dislike for any drill, "now that the objective is removed," say the objectors. The daily attendance proves that. The quick discarding of the khaki by men returned from over-seas, the open and avowed campus expressions by ex-soldiers nails it. It appears the result of the normal expression of American manhood toward compulsory discipline during peace times; the reaction following those long months of anxiety, red-hot patriotism and keened nerves. "Drill is the bunk," — how often has that succinct phrase echoed from Deady to the Library during the past four months.

Where may we look for the panacea, the herb, to remove the pungency from the drill period? Those who are compelled to take the drill advocate as a last resort the return to the old schedule of tri-weekly periods. All seem agreed in opposition to the Saturday morning sessions; many, as did the writer of the recent communication, urge complete abolition of the :dull, dispirited squads-left."

Compulsion—the incorporation of the "you must" edict is in the Emerald's opinion the crux of the present under-class opposition.

College men are adverse in peace times to military authority imposed on them. Put the drill to a vote of the men of the University—let them accept or reject—that is one solution we believe. We fear the ballot would show a preponderance of "no's" and perhaps but two squads on the drill field. Keep the drill sessions at the former tri-weekly periods, lest the present dis-

temper prevalent in underclass ranks rush as a flood tide on the ocean shore. Or the removal of the compulsory attached to it. Perhaps either one will aid the efficiency of the organization that gives evidence of displaying decimated ranks on the coming Saturdays.

The casting aside of the R. O. T. C. is premature and out of order at this writing. From the green cloth at Paris there is yet to come the world document that we pray will safeguard us from another Prussia. The parchment gives evidence of bearing the handwriting of the Hun signatories within another month. Bolshevism may bloom rampant over night.

Until the world is given the unmistakable assurance of order and peace, until our troops are released from their wearied pacing to and fro in their Rhineland prison, the R. O. T. C. must go on as a link in the preparedness scheme that the United States may yet find potent.

Combined brains at Paris may advocate complete disarmament of nations. Our talked of scheme of universal military training may not be necessary. Until the landscape is unclouded, until humanity can see and feel the true worth of assured peace the R. O. T. C. must continue as a precautionary measure.—J. S. S.

## ORCHESTRA WILL APPEAR

Miss Eleanor Lee and H. E. Devereaux to be Soloists

The University orchestra, under the direction of Robert Louis Barron, conductor, will appear in the second concert of the year at Villard hall on Sunday, April 20, at 3:30 in the afternoon. Special features of the program will be solo numbers by Miss Eleanor Lee, contralto, and Harrison E. Devereaux, cellist.

The program is:

- I.
  - Symphony in "C" major Jupiter'..... Mozart
  - Allegro Vivace
  - Minuetto
  - Molto Allegro
- II.
  - a. "Sandkjending" .....Grieg-Perfect
  - b. "None but the Weary Heart," cello solo, with orchestra .....Tchaikowsky
  - ..... Mr. Devereaux
  - c. "War March of the Priests from Athalia" .....Mendelssohn
- III.
  - "Mon Coeur s'Ouvre a ta Voix" from "Samson et Dalila," for contralto and orchestra .....Saint Saens
  - Miss Lee
- IV.
  - Ballet Music from "Faust".....Gounod
  - Tempo di Valse
  - Adagio
  - Allegretto
  - Moderato Maestoso.
- V.
  - Overture "William Tell" .....Rossini

## H. P. DOUGLASS IS AUTHOR

Brother of Librarian Writes Series of Studies on "The Little Town"

Harlan Paul Douglass, brother of M. H. Douglass, University librarian, has written a book entitled, "The Little Town," which is made up of a series of lectures he gave at the University of Oregon summer school three years ago.

The book deals with the study of the little town, its possibilities and ideals, and endeavors to formulate a program which shall result in the realization on the part of the little town of some of its tremendous opportunities.

H. P. Douglass is now in France with the Y. M. C. A. explaining rural sociology. An article written by him entitled "Farmers' Institutes in France," may be found in the library in the April issue of "Association Men."

A copy of "The Little Town" has been ordered from the East but has not yet arrived.

## Y. W. OFFICIAL TO SPEAK

Miss Edith Haslett to be on Easter Program at Bungalow Thursday

Miss Edith Haslett, national traveling secretary for student volunteers of the Y. W. C. A., will be the principal speaker at the Easter program of the Y. W. C. A., at the Bungalow on Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Miss Haslett was on the campus last spring and made many friends among the girls who had the privilege of hearing her at that time. She will in all probability stay this week-end at the University.

Helen Brenton will have charge of the meeting and Elizabeth Kirby will sing, accompanied by Theodora Stoppenbach.

## BAND CONCERT AND DANCE APRIL 25

Affair Will be Given in Armory; Proceeds Donated to Student Body Fund

The University of Oregon band, under the direction of Albert Perfect, will be heard in concert at the Eugene armory on April 25. Mr. Perfect is busy arranging the program and making slight changes, which have been made necessary due to a few of the members not returning to college this term. The program will be well balanced and of very high musical standard.

Mr. Perfect has expressed the hope that the members of the faculty will get out for the concert. The band is the one student body organization that the faculty has very little chance to see or hear and Mr. Perfect hopes that they will support this appearance.

During the concert, Mr. Perfect announces, there will be no popular music played, this being reserved for the dance which will follow the concert. The latest "jazz" music has been secured for the dance and there is to be no limit set for the amount of pep that will be put into the music.

Admission to the concert will be 15 cents and the dance will be 35 cents in addition. This makes the total of 50 cents for the evening. The concert tickets have been prepared separately so that those who do not care to dance may have the opportunity to hear the concert. All funds derived from the evening's entertainment will be turned into the student body fund. The band is the only student body organization on the campus that has not received any financial help from the student body this year.

## LIZZIE GETS BIG SURPRISE

Miss Ford to be Entertained by Dr. Boynton on Her Birthday

Dr. W. P. Boynton, professor of physics in the University, gave his Ford a surprise yesterday. Lizzie got the first complete overhauling she has had for four years, and in the words of the poet she now believes that "all things come to those that wait."

Lizzie got an overhauling yesterday. Dr. Boynton thinks a lot of his car as any one on the campus will testify. He gave out a little inside dope as to the manner in which he intends to celebrate Lizzie's birthday.

Lizzie will be ten years old on June 14, and on that auspicious occasion she will receive another surprise. Dr. Boynton declined to say whether it would be similar in nature to the surprise of yesterday, fearing that if he gave out this information Lizzie might hear of it in some way.

## FOLK SONGS ARE TOPIC

Mrs. Anna L. Beck Makes Address to Mu Phi Club

Mrs. Anna L. Beck of the University School of Music spoke to the Mu Phi club at their regular meeting in the Music building Saturday afternoon on the subject of Folk Songs, discussing their origin significance and how the characteristics of each country are revealed through them. The program consisted of Folk Songs which were used as types in the lecture. In addition to this were vocal solos by Reba Macklin, Beulah Keagy and Hester Hurd and selections on the violin by Margaret Phelps.

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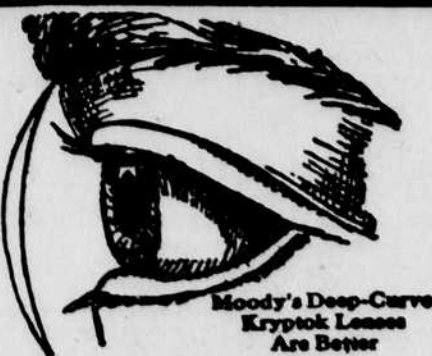
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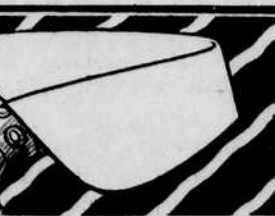
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## DEBATES SET FOR MAY 22

Hendricks Hall and Betas Will Meet in Finals at Assembly Hour

May 21 has been set as the day for the final debates between Hendricks hall and Beta Theta Pi, the two winners of the recent doughnut league debate series. This was the decision made by representatives of the two teams involved and R. W. Prescott, professor of public speaking. The debate will be held at the regular assembly hour which will assure everyone of being able to hear it. One debate will be held in Villard hall and the other in Guild hall.

The question decided upon for debate is: "Resolved; That it would be more dangerous for the United States to join the league of nations than not to join." The question, of course, presupposes the outcome of the covenant of nations.

The Hendricks hall teams, evidently determined to win the final championship, have begun working on the question already. The affirmative and negative speakers have been decided upon and a coach appointed. Hendricks hall affirmative will be upheld by Wanda Daggett and Elaine Cooper, while the negative will be supported by Alys Sutton and Ethel Wakefield. Walter Myers has been appointed coach.

The Betas will be represented by Forest Watson, Richard Martin, Curtis Peterson and Eugene Kely. As yet no decision has been made as to who will uphold either side.

Professor Prescott has announced that a prize of a large and beautiful davenport chair, with the names of the debaters and the house inscribed upon it is being considered as a gift to the winning team.