

### DEAN FOX BACK AFTER WEEK SPENT IN CITIES OF WESTERN OREGON

#### Trip Made For Organization of World Service Campaign of Y. W. C. A.

After nearly a week's trip over Western Oregon, canvassing various towns for the purpose of instigating enthusiasm for the Y. W. C. A. nationwide campaign for world service, Dean Ellabeth Fox returned to the campus Saturday. During her trip Dean Fox visited in Portland, McMinnville, Salem, Medford, Ashland, Grants Pass, and Roseburg and met many former students of the University. In each city Miss Fox practically organized the campaign for the Y. W. C.

A. It was then left to competent hands to work out, except in Medford, where she took an active part in the local campaign, she stated.

"I went first to Portland last Saturday," said the Dean of Women of the University, "and made my first speech 'Overseas with the A. E. F.' that day at a luncheon at the Benson hotel, given by the Multnomah Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, at which Major W. S. Gilbert was the principal speaker."

From Portland Dean Fox went to McMinnville on Sunday, where she was the guest of Mrs. E. C. Apperson, who has a daughter at the University. "I was not scheduled to speak here," said the Dean, "but I invited myself to appear before the public." Five minute talks were given at the Baptist Sunday school the Presbyterian church and the Christian church that day. The Methodist church was also to have been covered but Dean Fox arrived there too late she said.

"Although Salem was not on my schedule" continued the Dean "I stopped there a few hours on my way south and was entertained by Miss

Richards, Dean of Women at Albany College."

Dean Fox spent Monday in Medford where she spoke to a high school assembly in the afternoon, and addressed a public meeting at the library that evening over which Mr. Vernon Vawter, a regent of the University, presided. "In Medford a group of University of Oregon girls gave a dinner at the hotel at which I was the guest. Among the girls were Alice VanderSluis, Margaret Mansfield, the two Misses Creede, Miss Blaker, Hazel Antle, Ethel Newland, and Miss McGillafry, the organizing secretary for the Medford Y. W. C. A. campaign.

Ashland was the next stop for Dean Fox and there she was the guest at the home of the mayor of the city. Here Dean Fox spoke at a parent-teacher meeting.

Wednesday was spent in Grants Pass and while there Dean Fox was the guest of Miss Alva Wilson, an Oregon graduate. A short talk was given at a luncheon at the Josephine hotel and that evening a mass meeting was held at the Christian church where Mrs. Charles Drake, of the Eugene Bible University, presided and Dean Fox was the principal speaker.

"While in Roseburg last Thursday," said Dean Fox, "I drove out into the country and called on Mrs. William Canby, formerly Grand President of Kappa Kappa Gamma, and whom I had known in Philadelphia and New York during my college days." In Roseburg Miss Fox spoke at Ladies Aid circles of both the Baptist and the Methodist churches, and also at a high school assembly.

"I had dinner in Roseburg with Ruth Wilson and Vena McCully, both former students of the University and afterwards we called upon two French war brides who had known Miss Tirza Dinsdale, former secretary of the University Y. W. C. A., while she was in France."

"In addition to speaking for the Y. W. C. A. during my tour," said Miss Fox, "I was making tentative arrangements for the members of the Girls Glee club, which will make the same tour next term."

#### Position Assigned Senior

Miss Harriet Van Tassal, a senior in the University, has been assigned a class in English in the Eugene high school for the semester beginning January 25, according to Mr. H. R. Douglas, principal of the University high school.

### GIRL DELEGATES TO DES MOINES SPEAK AT WOMEN'S LEAGUE

#### Informal Talks Given by Four; Medical Needs In India Serious

Short informal talks by Mildred Weeks, Louise Davis, Miss Urith Dailey and Eleanor Spall, delegates to the Des Moines convention, were given at Women's league meeting on Thursday afternoon at Villard hall.

"It is almost impossible to make the students at the University realize the immensity of the whole convention," said Miss Weeks. "It was the most wonderful gathering of students that has ever assembled and their earnestness in the cause for which they had come together was intense. Perhaps the greatest inspiration which we received were those given by returned missionaries who told of the crying need for American aid in the far east. Our ideas of those interested in the work on foreign fields have in most instances been entirely changed, for we found that most of the workers were live, skillful college graduates who were very enthusiastic in their chosen work."

Miss Spall took as her subject "Woman's part in the world struggle," and told of the great fields which are open to women in the foreign lands of today. "There is the greatest need in the fields today for skillful women doctors, nurses and social workers. There are today in India 150,000,000 and only 159 women doctors, in Africa 50,000,000 women and only 15 women doctors. In China there is the great call for American women who can conduct social service classes for the married women and instruct them in home management."

Miss Dailey told of some of the personal experiences which leading speakers of the convention gave at informal conferences, while Louise Davis, president of the Women's league, urged the girls to think of the needs which were placed before them and stand back of the people who are giving their lives for others.

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