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## OREGON MUSIC.

Appearing before 2000 critical music-lovers, the Oregon Men's Glee Club scored a decided hit in Portland a short time ago. In doing so they won many new friends for Oregon. As an advertising medium to exploit the University and the work being done here, the Men's Glee Club is perhaps unexcelled, and it should be allowed to carry its songs further than has been allowed in the past.

Last summer, the men's glee club of the University of California made a trip to the Orient, a venture which spread the name of California and its music to the highest type of Eastern peoples. Such a trip for the Oregon glee club would hardly be worth while, but a shorter journey into parts of this country which are rarely visited by anything representative of Oregon would be a profitable venture for the University.

This year the men's glee club is one of the best that has ever been developed here. In capturing the hearts of Portland music-lovers, the glee club won the friendship for Oregon of people who labored under the misapprehension that football and other athletics, including dancing, were the only activities engaged in by the students of the University. And these people were the ones Oregon wants for friends; the friendship of the type of people who love music is worth while. We have a glee club that we can be proud of. What is worth being proud of is worth showing to others.

The girl's glee club of this year has yet to prove itself. But it is safe to say that that organization will also be truly representative of the best of Oregon. The same would apply to the University orchestra, an organization that has already proved its ability to render the best of music in a way that cannot but be appreciated. Let's wake up to the advantages of longer trips for these organizations to places where it will be to the advantage of Oregon to show them off.

Friday and Saturday are all-Oregon nights. O. A. C. and Oregon meet in basketball at the Armory, and it is just as essential for Oregon students to support a basketball team as a football eleven. Make your plans now to be there both nights, and remember when so doing that there is an old Oregon tradition that must not be violated. "No pigging allowed" applies to a varsity basketball game as well as to a football contest. There will be a rooting section for men both nights, and the man who neglects to observe this tradition may find to his sorrow that the rooting section delights in picking "piggers" from among the rest of the crowd. Be there.

### 21 STATES REPRESENTED.

Twenty-one different states are represented among the 150 students who are studying city planning in one course at the University of Wisconsin.

### AUTOMATICS ARE USED.

Automatic telephones have just recently been installed at Cornell University, Ithaca, New York.

## Announcements

**Oratorical Contest:**—All those who are interested in the Washington-Stanford-Oregon triangular oratorical contests, to be held here in March, are requested to see Professor Michael as soon as possible.

**Masons:**—There will be a meeting of the Craftsmen next Tuesday, Feb. 8, at 6:15 p. m. at the Anchorage.

**Oregon Club:**—Important meeting of Men's Oregon Club 7:15 Monday evening in "Y" hut. Last chance to sign up for dance.

**Masons:**—Meeting at the Anchorage 6:15 p. m. Tuesday, Feb. 8.

**Masons:**—Meeting of Masons tonight at the Anchorage at 6:15. This to include E. A.

**Soccer Men:**—All men interested in soccer are asked to attend a meeting at the Beta house at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening, Feb. 8.

**French Club:**—Meets Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the Y. W. C. A. bungalow.

**Crossroads:**—Crossroads society will meet on Wednesday of this week instead of Thursday.

**W. A. A.**—Women's Athletic Association meeting at 4 o'clock this afternoon in the big lecture room on the main floor of the women's building. First meeting of the year and important business is to come up. Every member should be present. Executive council of W. A. A. meeting at 3:30 in the executive council room on third floor.

## GRADES ARE AVERAGED

Compilation Under Way to Show Quality of Work of Students.

In order that the quality of work that is being done by students of the University may be known and various comparisons can be made, a general grade average is being compiled by the registrar's office staff this week.

The average will also be used to determine how closely the faculty is keeping to the Missouri system, whereby 5 per cent of the students are given I grades, 20 per cent II, 50 per cent III and IV and 20 per cent V and failures. A comparison of grades of people living in houses and those not connected with campus organizations will also be possible.

The results of the work will probably be announced the first of next week.

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## RHODES ALLOWANCES WILL BE INCREASED

Allowance May Not Cover Expenses, Says Report of Board of Trustees.

An annual bonus of 50 pounds is to be added to the allowance of all Rhodes scholars, bringing the total amount to 300 pounds yearly in an effort to partially offset the increased cost of living. This information is contained in the annual report of the board of trustees received at the president's office, which further warns all prospective Rhodes scholars that even with the additional bonus the allowance may be insufficient for the year's residence in England.

Students are advised by the trustees that it would be prudent to provide additional private funds to supplement the amount allowed by the board. The additional allowance of the trustees although in the nature of an increase is to be regarded as a bonus only, states the report, owing to the uncertain value of money in the future and the capacity of the Rhodes funds to meet payments indefinitely.

Rhodes scholarship selections for the academic year 1922-1923 will be made this summer. The college year commences October 1922. At present there are in residence in England 220 students enrolled as Rhodes scholars and for the academic year 1919-1920 out of a total of 183 registered 78 were Americans.

### STUDENTS NEGLECT MAIL.

The campus post office reports considerable trouble over the fact that people are failing to call for their mail in the file in the basement of the administration building. There is also considerable confusion caused by the practice of some students who fail to return mail to its proper place after looking for their own mail. An important letter is said to have been lost in this way.

### D. MULLARKY'S FATHER DEAD.

W. T. Mullarky of Bend, assessor of Deschutes county, who died suddenly a few days ago, was the father of Douglas Mullarky, ex-'20, formerly editor of the Emerald and now publisher of the Redmond Spokesman.

## CLASS TOLD ABOUT JAVA

Export Salesman Speaks to Foreign Trade Class.

A. H. Metzelaar, who is connected with the Marshall Wells Hardware company, spoke before Professor Lomax's foreign trade class last week on conditions met in selling goods abroad and particularly in the Dutch East Indies where he has had 13 months experience as an export salesman, having returned to this country from there just recently.

Mr. Metzelaar has visited many of the larger oriental cities in connection with his work, among them being Yokohama, Shanghai, Hongkong, Singapore, Kobe and Canton.

## MONOCLES AND CANES NEW FAD.

A new fad for seniors in the form of wearing monocles and carrying canes has been installed at Whitman College. This scheme was started recently by the seniors for the purpose of maintaining their dignity and asserting their position on the campus. It is the plan of the male members of the class to continue this throughout the remainder of the school year or until graduation in June. It is said that all offenders of this rule will be hot handed by the other members of the class.

## LOCAL POSTPONES INITIATION

Initiation of the local education club, Phi Kappa Delta, into the national organization Phi Delta Kappa, which was scheduled for last Friday, has been postponed until February 19.



## Basketball

U. of O.  
vs  
O. A. C.

and other Conference Teams

Season Tickets Reserved

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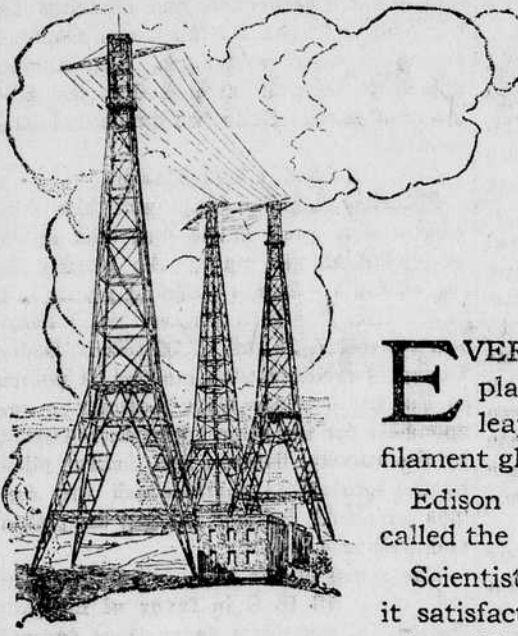
Price Six Dollars

- O. A. C.—February 11, 7 p. m.
- O. A. C.—February 12th, 7:30 p. m.
- U. of C.—February 18th, 8:00 p. m.
- U. of C.—February 19th, 7:30 p. m.
- Idaho—February 21st, 7:30 p. m.
- W. S. C.—February 28th, 7:30 p. m.
- W. S. C.—March 1st, 8:00 p. m.
- Willamette U.—March 4th, 7:00 p. m.
- Willamette U.—March 5th, 7:30 p. m.

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## How is a Wireless Message Received?



EVERY incandescent lamp has a filament. Mount a metal plate on a wire in the lamp near the filament. A current leaps the space between the filament and the plate when the filament glows.

Edison first observed this phenomenon in 1883. Hence it was called the "Edison effect."

Scientists long studied the "effect" but they could not explain it satisfactorily. Now, after years of experimenting with Crookes tubes, X-ray tubes and radium, it is known that the current that leaps across is a stream of "electrons"—exceedingly minute particles negatively charged with electricity.

These electrons play an important part in wireless communication. When a wire grid is interposed between the filament and the plate and charged positively, the plate is aided in drawing electrons across; but when the grid is charged negatively it drives back the electrons. A very small charge applied to the grid, as small as that received from a feeble wireless wave, is enough to vary the electron stream.

So the grid in the tube enables a faint wireless impulse to control the very much greater amount of energy in the flow of electrons, and so radio signals too weak to be perceived by other means become perceptible by the effects that they produce. Just as the movement of a throttle controls a great locomotive in motion, so a wireless wave, by means of the grid, affects the powerful electron stream.

All this followed from studying the mysterious "Edison effect"—a purely scientific discovery.

No one can foresee what results will follow from research in pure science. Sooner or later the world must benefit practically from the discovery of new facts.

For this reason the Research Laboratories of the General Electric Company are concerned as much with investigations in pure science as they are with the improvement of industrial processes and products. They, too, have studied the "Edison effect" scientifically. The result has been a new form of electron tube, known as the "pliotron", a type of X-ray tube free from the vagaries of the old tube; and the "kenotron", which is called by electrical engineers a "rectifier" because it has the property of changing an alternating into a direct current.

All these improvements followed because the Research Laboratories try to discover the "how" of things. Pure science always justifies itself.

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