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BETTER ENGLISH.

Examinations in English composition are given to entering freshmen each year. A very small number of those entering pass the exams first given and those who fail are compelled to take English composition. But there are now in the University, students who cannot spell, who cannot write a sentence, and who, in short, have yet to learn the rudiments of English composition.

The entrance requirements for the University demand three years of English, either literature or composition. No requirement is made that syntax be included, or that the student know how to spell or construct a sentence.

It would be surprising to the general public if some of the compositions of the college student were published. The faculty receives petitions containing entire paragraphs without a single verb, but with an unusual quota of periods and beginnings of sentences. Compositions, themes and essays are frequently submitted that would do credit to a grammar school student, as far as composition and English are concerned.

Is enough emphasis being placed on English in the high schools? Is enough emphasis being placed on English here? Spelling and sentence construction are the chief faults. Can not someone find a remedy?

Women—some women—still believe they were right in asking for sweater awards for playing seven innings of intercollegiate baseball. The amendment was not defeated by "jealous" men, but by women who could see both sides to the question, and men who saw the other side plainer. Women's athletics are not yet far enough advanced to warrant any such award as that proposed.

When the University started building Susan Campbell hall, the new women's dormitory, it tore up several tennis courts. Are these to be replaced? Surely it cannot be expected that Oregon can stage a coast conference tennis meet here, expect to develop a strong team, hold tennis classes, intramural series, and allow individuals to play tennis upon only three courts. Do we get some new tennis courts? When?

GYM HEAD APPOINTED

Miss Thomson to Succeed Miss Cummings Temporarily.

Miss Harriet Thomson, of the department of physical education, has been appointed temporary successor to Miss Mabel L. Cummings, former head of the department of physical training for women, according to Dr. J. F. Bovard, dean of the school of physical education. This is only a temporary appointment, explained Dr. Bovard, and the work which Miss Cummings was doing will not devolve entirely upon Miss Thomson but will be divided among the instructors in

the department. Miss Thomson has been in charge of classes in hygiene, physical education, and corrective work during this term, and she will continue these classes next term in addition to her new duties.

Miss Cummings, who has been released from her position with the University, will leave for the east at the end of this term to take up special advanced work in eastern institutions, before taking up her new position at Wellesley next fall, said Dr. Bovard. Her first stop will be at the University of Chicago, where she will take some of her work.

Dean Elizabeth Fox

—and—

Mr. Boudinot Seeley

Superintendent of Presbyterian Missions in Oregon
Will Present

The Appeal of Full Time Christian Service

Central Presbyterian Church
SUNDAY AT 5 O'CLOCK.

Announcements

Freshman Track Tryouts. — For mile and half mile to determine who will go to the Columbia meet will be held on Kincaid field Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

Science Club. — Major H. E. Rowland will speak on "Science Applied to Heavy Artillery" including various problems where physics and mathematics are applied at 8 o'clock Tuesday, Room 24, Deady.

Commerce Students. — Hugh H. Herdman, vice president and general manager of the National Safety company, will be here on Friday, March 18, and will speak to commerce students at one o'clock on accident prevention.

Newman Club. — Communion breakfast and important meeting following 8:00 mass Sunday morning.

Sculpture Society. — Important meeting at luncheon at Anchorage, 12:00 o'clock Tuesday (March 15.) Sign up on bulletin board in architecture building or library before 6 o'clock Monday evening.

Modern European History. — Miss Gouy will address the class on French culture and thought in the 19th century next Thursday at 10. This is in addition to series already announced.

Dean Fox Speaks. — Dean Elizabeth Fox will speak at the Central Presbyterian Church, Sunday afternoon on the subject "The Appeal of Full Time Christian Service." All students and friends of the University are cordially invited to come and enjoy the hour.

ENTRANCE RULINGS MADE BY FACULTY

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prescriptions for entrance now in the statutes of the faculty.

6. That a committee of five be appointed to investigate conditions as regards entrance requirements in other state universities and report to the faculty on the advisability of a more flexible system of entrance requirements based on the needs of different schools in the University.

Medical School to Give B. S.
It was also decided that the Portland Medical School may give the degree of bachelor of science to a student who has taken no work on the University campus, but who has taken his preparatory work in some other college or university. In order to obtain this degree the University requires that the applicant reside on the campus at least one year and if only one that year must be the fourth year. For University students entering the Medical School this situation was all right, but in its application to students from other schools the conflict became apparent.

Students who, because of some difficulty in making the required number of credits for graduation, are unable to graduate in their respective classes, and who make up these credits in summer school, will have their names listed in the catalog under the class in which they expect to graduate, with a footnote explaining that the degrees will be granted in the following January. Because the board of regents meets only in January and June, degrees cannot be granted earlier.

The faculty also voted to have a com-

mittee appointed to consider the honor system, and recommend any necessary changes in the present system of giving honors.

DR. FIXATT TO LECTURE

Dental Board Offers Program to Public On Teeth Diseases.

Dr. H. C. Fixatt will give a free lecture at the Eugene theatre next Monday night, March 14 at 7:30 on diseases of the teeth. Dr. Fixatt is traveling under the auspices of the Oregon State Board of Dental Examiners which is putting on a state-wide educational program. He is lecturing in all the large cities and as far out into the state as possible, giving people the correct ideas of the hygiene of the teeth, some of the diseases caused by infected teeth, etc., things which people ordinarily do not think

much about and which are simply passed over.

Dr. Fixatt is an expert on X-rays and his particular line is dental surgery. His lectures are illustrated by lantern slides and moving pictures and are exceedingly instructive, dealing with the physiology and hygiene of the teeth, and will be of especial value to premedical students.

SCULPTURE SOCIETY TO MEET.

The sculpture society will hold a social meeting in the form of a luncheon, Tuesday, March 15, and all persons interested or taking sculpturing may attend. Plans will be discussed which will be of interest to all organizations and honor societies on the campus. Clair Ryan asks that students planning to attend sign up before six o'clock Monday on the bulletin board in the architecture building or library.



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The Dance.

Sid Woodhouse music Masters "Eugene Dance Orchestra De Lux" will start the dance at 8:30. Dance and watch the movies at the same time. Don't miss it—ushers to seat you—come early and get a good seat.

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