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WHY THE DELAY?

Again and again the plea is heard: "How can Hayward and Bohler be expected to produce winning teams when they are forced to use such miserable practice grounds?" Kincaid field is certainly no field on which even an expert can be expected to produce a winning track team. The same can be said for the Cemetery ridge baseball diamond.

It is understood that the necessary funds to build a track around Hayward field have been provided, and that the funds to at least improve the Cemetery ridge diamond can be procured. That is not what seems to be holding up the work. What it is seems to have several of the most interested guessing.

The spring term is here, track meets are scheduled for Eugene shortly, and the baseball season will get its start tomorrow afternoon. Junior week-end is not so far distant, and a host of guests will flood the campus. How will things shape up by that time?

The Emerald has pled for action on this matter until it does so again with reluctance. But there seems no reason for delay and every reason for speed. What can be gained by delaying the work?

Every so often a new shape of pin sprouts up on the campus. Students do not seem to realize until they have participated in the organization of a new society or two that the more pins one gets the fewer one wears. There would doubtless be a decree in the term probation lists were there also a decrease in the number of useless societies whose chief occupation seems to be wasting time.

Know to what class you belong? One could hardly tell if it wasn't that he were wearing something that a member of another class could not wear. Class spirit has been gradually declining in the past years until it is now almost a dead quality. It is valuable. Your classmates are the friends you will remember in later years.

Lots of men who have never been inside the woman's building will cross the doorstep tonight.

Junior week-end is coming. Are you sure your friends are invited?

SUMMER TERM GETS WIDE ADVERTISING

Educational and Recreational Advantages Told in Letters, Posters and Bulletins.

Railroads in the state, the state chamber of commerce, forest superintendent of the Cascade national forests and the extension division are all helping advertise the 1921 summer term. The Southern Pacific, the S. P. & S. and the Union Pacific offices of general passenger agents are distributing summer term posters and folders.

Nelson F. McDuff, superintendent of the Cascade national forest, has mailed a letter containing folders recommending the mountains within a radius of Eugene for outings to about 500 prospective summer term students. He suggests that the summer term student is given an opportunity for desirable week-end outings that are hard to beat.

Professor DeCou, not wishing to be outdone by the railroads or the forest superintendent, has mailed a letter to all mathematics teachers in the state in which he boosts the mathematics course, the athletic course and the general superiority of recreation to be had in and around Eugene.

A new folder for the school of physical education is just off the press and will be sent out to prospective summer term students this week by the extension division. The material used in the folder treats both the educational and recreational side of physical education. It announces Margaret Crim, B. S., supervisor of schools and playgrounds in San Francisco as one of the faculty teachers for the term.

NEW BOOKLET IS READY

"The Greater Oregon" is Name of 48-Page Publication.

The latest University booklet, entitled "The Greater Oregon" is now off the press and is ready for distribution. It was edited by Professor W. F. G. Thacher, who took much interest in arranging the different departments. The booklet is to be distributed among the high school seniors of the state and will be sent to those requesting it. About 7500 copies will be circulated. Many prospective students from all parts of the United States have already sent in their request for a copy.

The booklet consists of 48 pages of pictures and reading matter. The pictures show various scenes over the campus and of numerous college activities. The different schools and departments are described, each being given a section to itself. The cover was designed by Arthur Runquist of the art department. It has a small picture of the Pioneer in the center and an attractive border around it. The words "The Greater University" appear on the cover.

The first few pages are taken up with full page pictures of many of the attractions of the campus. An appeal is made to the graduating student from the high school to consider his future and to take advantage of the opportunities of a University education. It tells him what he can expect when he arrives on the campus.

The progress of the University is followed, the new buildings which are being erected or have been built lately being described. A new feature of the booklet is the two-page panoramic view of the campus with each building numbered and an explanation of it given.

Announcements

315th Engineers — Dean Dymont would like to see personally any men in the University who fought with Company A or Company C of the 316th Engineers, 91st Division, at Tronsol Farm in the Argonne on September 29, 1919.

Eliot Club. — Dr. H. D. Sheldon, dean of the school of education, will address the Eliot Club on "The Creed of an Optimist," Sunday evening at 7:30, at the Unitarian church, on the corner of Eleventh and Ferry streets. All University people are cordially invited.

Women's Athletic Association. — A new head of baseball will be elected this afternoon to fill the vacancy left by Dorothy McKee's failure to return to the University. Lois Macy and Jessie Lewis have been nominated. Ballots may be cast at the secretary's office in the women's building between 4 and 5 this afternoon. Ollie Stoffenberg, president.

Art Classes. — "Art Appreciation" class meets at 2:15 on Thursday and not at 3:15 as announced in the schedule. The lecture class in "Art of the Book" meets at 11 o'clock on Wednesday. Students registered for these classes please note.

APPOINTMENT BUREAU LISTS 420 POSITIONS

Teaching Candidates Available For All But 143; 55 of Graduates of 1920 Register.

Four hundred and twenty teaching positions were listed with the appointment bureau of the University during the calendar year 1920; for 143 of these, no suitable candidates were available. Registered with the bureau were 55 graduates of 1920 and 79 of other years. These figures are contained in the annual report of the appointment committee recently submitted.

Of the graduates of 1920, the report shows that 48 secured teaching positions through the bureau, three decided not to teach, two are doing graduate work at other institutions, one is doing social science lecture work and one is doing work at the University of Oregon.

Records of the former graduates show that 55 secured change of teaching position during the year, 11 remained at their former positions at an increase in salary, one has taken up other business, one is traveling with the Ellison-White Chautauqua company, and concerning 10 the bureau has no definite information.

The problem whether to register graduates of other institutions in the bureau was discussed by the committee who state their opinion that the practice should be discouraged. The report further advises prospective teachers to prepare in at least three lines so as to meet some of the various combinations of teaching that are required of many high school teachers. The subject of physical education is also recommended as an advantage to teachers who might be called upon to take up that work in addition to the teaching of other subjects.

POST SYSTEM DROPPED; NEW CODE IN ORDER

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tendance and his department up to standard in all respects and he is subject to call at any time to appear before the Probation Committee and show what he is so doing or to submit such evidence as may be called for by the committee.

11. Students placed upon probation shall be barred from all student activities whatsoever, and any student having been placed upon probation who accepts or continues to hold, or to exercise the duties of, or to bear the title of any student body, class, committee, or any other office or position in any way connected with or representative of the student body or any part thereof, shall be dropped from the University.

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CARLTON E. SPENCER, Sec'y., Probation Committee.

DEAN ATTENDS CONFERENCE.

Dr. John Landsbury, dean of the school of music, is attending the Music Supervisors' National Conference in St. Joseph, Missouri. This body is made up of delegates from all over the United States, who are interested in the teaching of music. The chief interest at present is public school music, beginning with the first grades of grammar school and continuing through college. Dr. Landsbury is the Northwest representative.

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ORIENTAL HISTORY IS HIGH SCHOOL COURSE

Study Newly Introduced for Preparatory Work

Oriental history, a new subject for a high school study, has been introduced at the University high school this semester. This is a course dealing with the Philippine Islands, India, China, and Japan, and is a subject seldom studied in high school, but very important, especially to the Pacific coast, because of the nearness of the Oriental countries.

This study is by way of an experiment in the University high school, according to Miss Thora Smith, who teaches the subject. Miss Smith graduated from the University last year, and was a major in the history department. The course, she said, is planned to meet a recognized need. There are, however, difficulties in the teaching of it, because there are no text books on the subject in existence. The class studies various geographical magazines, and also uses the Carpenter Geographical Readers. The course deals with the life and customs of the Oriental peoples at the present time, and with such historical facts as are available. There are various interesting stories of the past history of Asia, such as the travels of Marco Polo, which the class studies. The value of the eastern civilization is impressed during the course.

"We aim simply to give the students in this class enough to create an interest in the history of the Orient and to inspire them to go on and acquire more knowledge of the subject," Miss Smith said. Professor Eldon Griffin, of the history department, is very much interested in this experiment in the University high school, and believes that the subject should be regularly put into high school curricula, especially on the Pacific coast, where problems connected with the diplomatic relations between the United States and the Oriental countries are of such signal importance.

PROFESSOR GREGORY TO SPEAK

Professor C. A. Gregory of the school of education is to go to Woodburn on Saturday to speak before the Teachers' Institute. About 40 teachers will be present.

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