TRANSITION EUROPE **ASSAILED BY EVILS** IS SCHOLAR'S VIEW

Dr. Charles Clark Tells of Conditions Abroad in Group Talks

OMINOUS NOTE IS SOUNDED

Political Disturbances Are Hinted at: Industrial Growth is Slow

Transition Europe with its aches an ills, its disrupted monarchies, its half baked and struggling democracies, it bankrupt treasuries, its harried press and its peoples, torn still by the racia differences of centuries-all this through the eyes of a scholar with two feet o the ground was told groups in the Uni versity yesterday by Dr. Charles Upson Clark, Yale '97, former director of the school of classical studies in the American Academy at Rome, erstwhile resident of Germany and Italy, friend of the Pope, writer, and more lately, lecturer.

"They are all bankrupt over there," declared Dr. Clark, "and the moment anything happens to crystallize the situation, we over here will know it." All through his talks ran an ominous note which hinted throbbing drams and marching feet.

"Let another Napoleon show his head and Europe will be as wax in his hands. Another European war was imminent in October when Charles reached for the crown of St. Stephen. And Poland," he said, "will only exist as long as Russia and Germany are at variance. Let

Prussianism Signs Gone

man laborer who drew one mark a day in pre-war times must now earn 17 marks to maintain his standard of living. Good to maintain his standard of living he has not announced the subject on which he will speak, it is expossible chance for victory, it is ours." meals in the best restaurants of Frank the student assemblies this year. fort. Dr. Clark found to be out of the reach of one of the editors of the Frankfurter Zietung which, by the way, he cents in American money. Manual labor lic for more than a year and a half. relays will be run. offers greater inducements than She is studying this year under John ists and college professors to mend shoes, steiner. Miss Altstock won favorable and Coach Rathbun is hopeful of dea lucrative profession.

accurate knowledge made possible by as contralto soloist is well known. She April. war-time work with the Italian Intelli-gence department, that there was "more Other members of the club who will for the past two days, seems to have

Industries in Bad Way

and Czecho-Slovakia he found to be Miss Price will feature in a duet. especially bad, due to the fact that the high value of money in both states

his attention practically from cabbages gram. to kings. The press he found generally in an unenviable plight. "Low wages, Mayer and "Shrimp" Phillips have

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SIGMA CHI VICTORIOUS

Kappa Sigma Drops One Game; Comes Second. Sigma Chi, Sigma Alpha Epsilon Win in Doubles

The windup of the singles of the doughnut league handball series found Sigma Chi in the lead with seven straight wins and no defeats. Spike Leslie, of football fame, represented Sigma Chi in each of the contests. Kappa Sigma was second with three wins and one defeat finishing with a percentage of .750.

The doubles of the series started yesterday when Sigma Chi handed a beating to Phi Delta Theta doubles team by the score of 21-6, 21-7. The Sigma Alpha Epsilon doubles team was also victorious, beating Chi Psi 21-7, 21-7.

Today, Sigma Nu is scheduled to meet Friendly hall and Kappa Delta Phi Six Other Meets on Schedule Ability in Field of American lie, will put on stunts. Hal Chapman Effort to Discontinue Day Off will meet Bachelordon. Tomorrow's games are between Kappa Sigma and Beta Theta Pi in league No. 1 and Phi Sigma Pi and Oregon club No. 2 in

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n	Kappa Theta Chi	1	3	.25
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INDIVIDUAL WORK

Joanna James and Bernice Altstock to be Heard Saturday Evening; New Costuming Being Arranged

Joanna James, soprano, and Bernice meter run, and the discus. Altstock, contralto, are the principal soloists who will appear in special numbers at the concert to be given by the Girls' Glee Club at the Woman's building next Saturday evening, March meet, the purpose being to stimulate

Miss James will sing "When the In Germany signs of Prussianism have disappeared, he said, yet the country is in a terrible financial condition. Due she is a student of the said of t in a terrible financial condition. Due She is a student of Madame McGrew, and O. A. C. consist of half mile relay, to the depreciation in the value of cur- Many have become familiar with her mile relay, the two mile relay, four

Miss Altstock, Soloist

The work of Bernice Altstock, conjournalism and, declared Dr. Clark, a B. Siefert. Her rich and pleasing conschool is being run in one of the south- tralto voice will be heard to advantage

freedom of the press in Germany and appear in incidental solo work are Flor- brought several tracksters out of their Austria during the war than in this ence Garrett, Gwladys Keeney, Viola shells. About 50 men turned out under and Miss Keeney are both members of and find 'em" came to an end in Industrial conditions in Switzerland last year's glee club. Miss Keeney and several cases. However the coaches are

First Appearance Made

countries to trade with them. Factories sion. As a departure from the prac- days pass. to a large extent have been closed down tice of other years of all wearing white been added difficulties due to the falling of carefully shaded colors which preway. Other costume effects are to be He talked of many things, turning used in various features of the pro-

In a spirit of co-operation Harry

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Question of Fire Prevention Discussed by Chief of Bureau extension division.

W. Stevens, former Fire Chief of Port- Stove polish ignites very quickly and is Camby on Thursday, March 9, and at St. etc.; will be Oregon-made. Demonstraland, and chief of the Fire Prevention responsible for a great many fatalities Bureau of the Pacific coast, who spoke also. Fire Chief Stevens discourages dricks hall, at Hendricks hall, last as the vapor from it causing the exnight. Fire Chief Stevens is on his way plosion is not visible and therefore it to San Francisco.

"Fire prevention does not mean the against it. saving of property alone," said Chief "The buildings on the campus seem Stevens. It is mainly the saving of in very good condition," stated Chief people were burned to death in the able to give them a very general obserupon caution in handling inflamnable fire." in the state of Oregon today."

most fires, according to Fire Chief University, were dinner guests at Hen-Stevens, who stated that a gallon of dricks hall.

Fire prevention and fire hazards vaporized gasoline is equal in exploswere the subjects discussed by Jay ive power to 83 2-3 pounds of dynamite. Primary Reading." He will speak at all the furniture, building materials, is absolutely impossible to guard Latin Professor Suffers Attack of

material. I am not exaggerating when Fire Chief Stevens, George W. Stokes, enza last Saturday. He was said to be I say that there are from one to 50 James Gleason and Horace Sykes, much better this morning. fire hazards existing in every building deputy fire marshalls of the state of Oregon, and W. K. Newell, superinten- been dismissed for the week; Miss Ma-The use of gasoline is the cause of dent of buildings and grounds in the

IN HANDBALL SINGLES ALL-STATE RELAY TO START SEASON; 8 SCHOOLS LISTED

Classes; Oregon to Clash With Aggie Squad

for Varsity; More Men **Turning Out**

Eight institutions of higher learnuntil late in May.

As to Oregon's part in the first meet, department of the University. it will be little more than a dual meet with O. A. C. The program for the two recent armament conference to which he days is divided into three classes, A, B, was summoned by Herbert Hoover, to and C. Class A is between the Oregon act as the quasi-official historian of the and Aggie aggregations, Class B be- conference. GIRLS' GLEE CONCERT INCLUDES tween the remaining six schools, and "Unquestionably, Professor Robinson class C between the Oregon frosh and is one of the leading historians in the the O. A. C. rooks. The only deviation American field today," said Professor from this plan is in the case of the pentathlon, which is open to all. The javelin throw, 200 meter run, 1500 who is head of the department at Yale.

All Schools Invited

All state schools of higher learning have been invited to take part in this as an instructor in the East. track interest throughout the state, and to aid in producing some better cinder supervised the S. A. T. C. at Stanford them start to partition her and there will be another war, and perhaps the end of civilization, who knows?"

Miss James will sing "When the Earth Was White with Moonlight," by Nevin, and "Springtime Love Song," by Evans. This is her first Song," by Evans. This is her first shows the supervised to the producing supervised to the producin

> events listed are the 100-yard dash, 16 pected that it will concern his experience pound shot put, broad jump, high jump, in Washington during the conference."

Aggies Reported Strong

It is reported that the Aggies have a ern European countries to teach journal- in the "Invocation to Eros," by Kur- larger representation out than Oregon, comment with her solo work during the veloping some top notchers before this In discussing the German press he holiday tour of the club to Coos Bay, meet. He is also planning to take sevemade the startling declaration, based on and her work with the University choir ral teams to the Penn Relays later in

Powell and Vera Price. Miss Garrett its influence, and the game of "try not of the most optomistic frame of mind over the season's prospects, but Home Science Club Invites Students The stage appearance of the girls on the results of early training are brightmakes it impossible for neighboring their holiday trip created a fine impres- ening the outlook somewhat as the

and in Switzerland especially there have dresses they appeared in evening gowns HIGH SCHOOLS INSPECTED

off of the tourist trade, traceable also sents the group in a peculiar attractive Professor Will Promote University March 6 to 11 in the Hampton build-Interests Throughout State

> the University there. He will then go tation is extended by those in charge at 4:45. to Portland to meet his classes in the to all faculty members and to the stu

of education, will speak in Cottage carnival. Grove. Saturday, at the Teachers' In- A feature of the exhibit will be a Historical Chronicles of America and stitute on the subject of "Conduct of 100 per cent Oregon bungalow, in which Helene and Rainier on March 10.

Influenza: Reported Improving

Professor H. A. Clark of the Latin lives. When one considers that 20,000 Stevens. "Of course I have only been department of the University, is ill with the influenza, at his home on United States alone, last year, one will vation, but from that, I would say Eleventh avenue east. He was recoverrealize the stress that must be laid that they were well protected against ing from an illness when he had a relapse and became sick with the influ-

Mr. Clark's classes in Greek have thilda Mathisen has charge of the class in Virgil and Professor Dunn is teaching the Greek Art class.

EDGAR ROBINSON TO **ADDRESS STUDENTS** AT ASSEMBLY TODAY

Entries Divided Into Three Stanford Professor Expected to Talk on Experiences in Washington, D. C.

PENTATHLON OPEN EVENT SPEAKER IS ALSO AUTHOR

History Shown by Max Theron's Successor

Edgar E. Robinson, professor of Amering are included in the list of entrants ican history at Leland Stanford Unifor the All-State Relay to be staged on versity, who will address the Student Hayward field, April 14 and 15. This Body today at the weekly assembly in new track event will be the starter of Villard Hall, is one of the foremost the season, followed shortly by six authorities upon American history in other meets which are scheduled to last the United States, according to Professor Robert Carlton Clarke, of the history

His ability was illustrated during the

Clarke. "He has filled the chair of American history at Stanford for 12 During Professor Theron's leave of abfor him. He was exceedingly popular

Was S. A. T. C. Supervisor

speak." "In his offiical capacity, Professor

Yet a meal for three cost him 30 to 40 as she has been singing before the pub- the half mile relay, the mile and medley ly noteworthy article and one which attracted considerable attention was one entitled "The Future of the Democratic Party and the Future of the Republican Party," which appeared in the New Republic in 1915.

Harp Solo to be Given

Elcena Greene, a freshman in the Economics department, and a harpist of great talent, will play "Valse Caprice," Academy in Portland.

OREGON PRODUCTS TO BE DISPLAYED AT CARNIVAL

and Faculty to Attend Annual Event March 6-11

'Oregon Products Carnival" from ing. All the ground space of the building inspected this week by University contributed displays. The exhibit will of Oregon professors. F. L. Stetson, of be open from 1 to 10 p. m. daily and the department of education, is inspect- special programs have been arranged ing her headquarters in Seattle. ing the high schools in Newberg and for every afternoon and evening. Ad-Astoria and promoting the interests of mission will be free. A cordial invi- will be followed, and tea will be served dents, as the future buyers of the Dr. C. A. Gregory, also of the school state, to attend in some part of the

tions will be made in all lines exhibited.

"Oregon Products-Know them; Use are working solely for this end. It is not a money making scheme and is being put on for the benefit of Oregon industries and producers.

O. A. C. ENTERS MATCHES

ary 15 to March 25.

NOVEL STUNTS PLANNED

Several Initiates Slated to Entertain Crowd During Student Body Affair Friday Night

Several new features are promised by the Order of the "O" for their student body dance, which is scheduled for the Woman's building, Friday night. About 25 men will be initiated into the lettermen's organization while the dance is progressing and "peppy" stunts, songs, and humerous specialties are some of the features lined up for the

According to the old members the initiates will be subjected to a rigorous ordeal with frequent applications of HOLIDAY ON FEB. 22 KEPT the well-known shingle.

Several initiates, who have not yet shown their ability to entertain in pubwill impersonate a large doll and Carl Svarverud will try to act like Mary Pickford. Other men billed to appear are Shrimp Phillips, Bark Laughlin and Walter Wegner.

An admission price of 50 cents will be charged, the funds to be used for the payment of the debt incurred by the football banquet last fall.

MEET STANFORD AFFIRMATIVE

Washington Men to Arrive This Morning; Hard Fight Expected on Question of Manufacturer's Sales Tax

left last night at 6:30 o'clock for Palo beginning of the fall term. The mo-Alto to meet the Stanford affirmative tion as it was presented to the faculty squad. The negative squad from the is as follows: pentathlon consists of the broad jump, years, succeeding Professor Max Theron, University of Washington is expected "The freshman entrance examination to reach here this morning, and will in English would be required of all meet the Oregon affirmative team in matriculants but would be devoted sence Professor Robinson has substituted Villard hall tonight on the subject, "Re- largely to grammar and syntax. Those solved: that the federal government matriculants who were obviously Engimpose a tax on manufacturer's sales." lish defectives, and other deficients

"At the time of the world war, he a hard fight from the Stanford team required to take a sub-freshman course for the Pacific Coast championship, and without credit. as Oregon has won for the past two "Professor Robinson is a very fine years, both Washington and Stanford speaker and I am sure that every student are anxious for a victory. Claude would not be contemplated that any year on the University of Oregon camclass B, and will compete for honors on the campus will enjoy hearing him Robinson, who left with Charles Lamb freshman (majors in the department of last night, said, "The same old Oregon English not necessarily included) fight will be found in the debate that should take written English in their Robinson was, of course, on the very in- is present in our athletic contests, and first year. side of the arms conference," stated Karl we are going south with determination "The department of English would rency and to industrial turmoil, a Gerwork as soprano soloist at the Conmile relay and the medley relay. In W. Onthank, secretary to the president, for win. We are not over-confident, for provide some two dozen written English "His postiion was an interesting one and we expect a hard fight, but the stu-

Paul Patterson and Ralph Bailey are suitable writing course, fitting it the two men who will uphold the af- the second, third, or fourth, as desired. pole vault, javelin and the 120 yard Professor Robinson is the author of a firmative side of the question tonight. Each candidate for any of the low hurdles. Class B will also compete number of articles which have appeared Bailey is the only new man on the bachelor's degrees must have passed considers the best paper in Germany. tralto, is well known, on the campus in these special events. For class C in the leading periodicals. A praticular teams. Coach Thorpe is pleased with one year of these writing courses. his showing, and expects to keep Oregon in her place on the debating map. be greater than the expense of written Edward L. Clark, dean of the busi- English as given at present.

ness school of the Oregon Institute of Technology, and H. H. Herdman, former principal of the Washington high school, Portland are two of the judges who have been chosen.

Oregon, Washington, and Stanford for a number of years at St. Mary's teams are on the road this week. Stanford will meet Washington tonight.

National Officer Makes Specialty of Work With Immigrant Women on Coast weeks or until such time as he is quali-

Miss Olice Johnson, national officer of the Y. W. C. A., is to speak at the Y. W. C. A, meeting at the bungalow the school of journalism which author-The Home Science Club of Eugene Thursday. She is commended very izes the school of journalism to grant will be sponsor for their second annual highly by Miss Alice Brown, student the degrees, Bachelor of Arts in Joursecretary of the Y. W. C. A. for the nalism, and Bachelor of Science in Jour-Northwest, who said that Miss John- nalism, was carried. son is a speaker of exceptional merit. ing will be utilized and a number of A very detailed study of women immi- Barnett of the department of political Six high schools in the state are be- prominent Oregon manufacturers have grants has been made by Miss Johnson who is now devoting her time doing there shall be no holiday on Washwork among women on the coast, mak- ington's birthday failed to pass. The

RECEIVES LIBRARY

Review of Reviews Now on Shelves

been added to the University library. given for this was that all depart-One consists of 32 volumes of the En- ments were not familiar with how the glish Review of Reviews, which is the plan would work out and desired to parent of the American Review of study it further. Reviews, although the two are now distinct magazines. The English magazine was established in 1890 by the Marquis of Sailsbury. In the first The committee in charge consists of volume is a collection of letters answer Wednesday, March 8, on an official Mrs. W. P. Fell, chairman, Mrs. F. M. ing requests of the Marquis for opin-visit. Miss Taylor is a member of the Carter and Mrs. L. P. Hubbs. The ions as to the advantages of starting national Y. W. C. A. finance committee Home Science club is composed of the Review. Among the letters are the and while here will meet with the 24 Eugene women, Mrs. R. S. Bryson signatures of Alfred Tennyson and cabinet and also with the advisory

The 50 volumes of the Historical national policies and the local situachronicles of America series, graduate tion. The Oregon Agricultural College has edition, have also been added to the entered a team in the National Inter-library. The books cover various eras collegiate matches, to be fired, Febru- of American history and are edited by Allen Johnson.

FOR ORDER OF "O" DANCE FACULTY ACTION ON SIX-DAY WEEK PLAN TO WAIT FOR MONTH

Required Freshman English Given up; Advanced Course to Replace it

Fails; Journalism to Give New Degree

Consideration of the proposed sixday week was postponed by the faculty yesterday and will be taken up at the next regular meeting, in the first part of April. The motion was last on the program of business and because of lack of time for the proper consideration of the motion it was decided to postpone OREGON NEGATIVE TEAM TO action. They abolished required freshmen English courses as they are now conducted.

The motion drawn up by Dr. Bates of the department of rhetoric favoring the adoption of freshman written English courses as now conducted, carried The Oregon negative debate team and will be put into effect with the

The negative team from here expects sent in by major professors, would be

Freshmen are Exempt

"Except in the case of deficients, it

"The expense of this plan would not

Dean Dyment who favored the adoption of the new plan said that it was not adopted because of any failure of the present freshman laboratory system which, in his opinion, is successful. "Had this proposal failed," said Dean are three schools competing in the Dyment, "we should continue with the by Cheshire. Miss Greene has studied triangular contest. All of the negative old plan. It is, furthermore, the idea of the proponents of the new system, to continue with the laboratory system in the sub-freshman courses which will be "Y" TO HEAR MISS JOHNSON conducted under the new plan. In the sub-freshman courses, a person will be required to serve only two or three

fied to be discharged."

New Degrees Adopted A motion proposed by Dean Allen of

The proposal made by Dr. James D. science to the effect that hereafter vote was close.

The usual program for the meeting A motion was made to accept 90 credits from the Bible University, instead of 60 as is now done, was deferred because of the uncertainty as to how the courses in that institution coincide with those in the University.

Dr. Sheldon, dean of the school of education, submitted for faculty approval certain legislation affecting high school teacher's certificates. It was Two new sets of books have recently referred to a committee. The reason

Y. W. OFFICERS COMING Gladys Taylor, general secretary of Y. W. C. A. at O. A. C. will be here board, discussing matters of finance,

PLEDGING IS ANNOUNCED Beta Theta Pi anounces the pledging of Willard Marshall of Salem.