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ORCHESTRA TO GIVE CONCERT THURSDAY NIGHT IN VILLARD

Series of Entertainments to be Given by Organization During Season

POPULAR PRICES CHARGED

Lora Teshner and John Siefert Soloists for Affair; Full Orchestra to Play

Under the direction of Rex Underwood the University orchestra will give a concert Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at Villard hall in a program featuring as soloists John B. Siefert, of the school of music, and Lora Teshner, cellist. This is not the annual home concert of the orchestra but the first of a series of concerts to be given at popular prices if this first venture proves successful.

Director Underwood feels that there has not been enough opportunity for the students on the campus and the people of Eugene to hear good music by a large orchestra. The Thursday night concert is meant to remedy this lack to a certain extent at least. By placing the price of admission within the reach of all, Mr. Underwood has the opinion that a large number will avail themselves of the opportunity to hear an orchestra concert. Admission will be 25 cents. It is planned that the concert shall not last more than an hour and a half so that studies shall not be seriously interfered with.

Lora Teshner to Play

Orchestral selections in the form of overtures and lighter compositions will be listed on the program. Lora Teshner is to play a cello solo. Miss Teshner has made a name for herself on the campus this year as a remarkable cello soloist. She has had considerable experience before coming to the University of Oregon and has been playing before audiences for some time. Last summer she toured on the "Little Symphony" orchestra. Next summer she is to tour the southern and middle western states on the Redpath Chatauqua circuit.

Siefert to Sing "Prize Song"

Another big feature of the concert will be the solo by John B. Siefert. He will sing the "Prize Song" from Wagner's only comic opera, "Der Meister-singers," accompanied by the orchestra. This famous aria has become so popular that it has been written as a solo for nearly every type of instrument. Mr. Siefert has sung this song in various parts of the country and has won much praise from the critics. Speaking of Mr. Siefert's work the Pittsburg Sun said that "The 'Prize Song' was splendidly sung by John B. Siefert, whose unusual range and beauty of tone received high praise from H. E. Krehbiel, noted New York critic, in the Pittsburg International Eisteddfod." The San Francisco Call and Post said of his singing: "The fine tenor voice and the pleasing personality of the soloist, John B. Siefert, was the outstanding feature of the concert yesterday morning at the California Theatre." The Illinois State Register speaks of him as a "celebrated tenor" and "that he was one of the best artists who has ever appeared in this city."

The people of Eugene have heard Mr. Siefert in concert several times this year but this will be the first time that he has sung here with full orchestral accompaniment. The orchestra has been doing hard and intensive work and has appeared in a public concert but once so far this year. The concert next Thursday evening will give the public an opportunity to judge the work of what is considered to be the best orchestra the University has ever had.

SPEAKERS ARE IN DEMAND

Extension Division is Unable to Fill Requests Already Received

Many professors are sent out to various towns in the state to address high schools, teachers' institutes, and clubs through the extension division. Already many requests have been received by the division for faculty members to speak at high school commencements in May and June. More requests are always received than can be filled, according to the extension division director. The requests are considered in the order of their arrival and as many as possible are complied with. The expenses of the speakers are paid by the high schools making the requests. In the past several schools in eastern and central Oregon have gone together and shared the expenses for one speaker.

GIRL SWIMMERS TO BEGIN CLASS CONTESTS TONIGHT

Freshmen Meet Sophomores, Juniors Oppose Seniors; Next Round is Set for Saturday

The interclass girls' swimming meets start tonight at 7:30, the freshmen against the sophomores and the juniors against the seniors. The class managers are Maud Shroder and Katherine Sartin, freshmen; Agnes Schultz and Agnes Christie, sophomore; Helen Hoefler and Helen Clark, junior; and Winifred Hopson and Carolyn Cannon, senior. In speaking of the meets Miss Catherine Winslow, instructor, said: "They ought to be pretty good, as the scattered ability will be combined and competition will be much closer than it was in the house swimming meets."

The next meet will be Saturday at 2:30 with the freshmen against the juniors and the sophomores against the seniors. In the finals on March 1 the freshmen meet the seniors and the sophomores meet the juniors.

\$20 ESSAY PRIZE OFFERED

PRINCIPLES OF GOVERNMENT IS SUBJECT OF CONTEST

Money is Gift of Sherman Bennett; Paper of 5,000 Words Must be in Before May 15

The annual Bennett prize, which this year amounts to \$20, for the best essay by a student of the University on "the principles of free government" has been announced by Dr. James D. Barnett, chairman of the committee. The prize has been announced annually, but in the past few years there has been no competition. The committee is endeavoring to arouse interest in the prize this year and it is hoped that the \$20 will look larger in these tight times than before and that some keen competition will result.

The Bennett prize is the income from a gift of \$400 made to the University by Philo Sherman Bennett of New Haven, Conn. The income amounts annually to about \$16, but owing to the fact that there has been no competition in recent years the interest has increased.

The rules for the contest are simple. The essay should contain about 5,000 words and should be filed with the chairman of the committee before May 15. The paper can be written on any phase of the principles of free government and the committee has suggested the following subjects: Party Government, Rule of the Majority, Local Self-Government, Centralization in Government, and State Interference. If other subjects are chosen they must first be approved by the committee.

The Bennett prize committee consists of Dr. James D. Barnett, chairman, and Professors M. K. Cameron and George Turnbull. The judges for the essays will be appointed by the committee.

SCIENCE OFFERS CHANCE TO SERVE, SAYS CASWELL

Pre-engineering Head Cites Opportunities to Aid Humanity by Study in Special Fields

A student while in college should take one or more sciences to see if he is interested sufficiently in them to serve humanity best by improving the conditions of the people, is the idea Dr. A. E. Caswell, chairman of the University Pre-engineering department, suggested to his audience Sunday afternoon at the Eugene Presbyterian church. "If the student wishes to live a life of service," he said, "the field of science is open and offers many opportunities."

In speaking of the ways in which one might contribute to the welfare of humanity, Dr. Caswell said that there are three general conditions which contribute to the well-being of the people; namely, the physical, the mental, and the spiritual conditions. Of these Dr. Caswell places the spiritual first.

"A man depends more on the spiritual than on his bread and butter," he said. "He can lose the necessities of life and still be happy." It was impossible, on the other hand, he said, for a person to be happy without a spiritual attitude on life. In the majority of cases the spiritual can be gained only by improving the other conditions, especially the physical, and it is in this case that science contributes materially to life.

He mentioned the work of science in the medical line, where it is useful in alleviating suffering. The research work of the scientists has done much to prevent suffering and disease, he pointed out. As in example he gave the elimination of the mosquito from the Panama canal zone at the time of its construction, thus freeing the laborers from the dreaded malaria.

SEMINAR IS POSTPONED

The regular education seminar which was scheduled for tonight has been postponed until Tuesday of next week.

OREGON DEFEATS O. A. C. IN GIRLS' BASKETBALL 29-17

Varsity Score Due in Part to Spectacular Baskets by Charlotte Howells

AGGIE TEAM STARTS WELL

Only Game of Season Played Saturday Afternoon in Women's Gym

The Oregon co-ed basketball team won its only game of the season Saturday afternoon in the Women's gymnasium when it defeated the O. A. C. girls 29 to 17. The game was fast from the beginning and although Oregon held the lead throughout they were at no time certain of victory.

The contest opened with a rush when Van Hollenbeke scored a field goal for the Aggies in the first minute of play. Things looked bad for Oregon when Flegal, jumping center, sprained her ankle at the first tip off and was replaced by Proctor, but their superior pass work proved too much for their opponents and the half ended 16 to 6 in favor of the Varsity.

The second period started with Flegal again in center and Ponfeth substituting for Wilkenson in the O. A. C. center. The Aggie team started strong and succeeded in bringing the score to within 3 points of the Oregon tally, but in the last few minutes of the game a number of sensational baskets by Howells put the varsity out of danger.

The lineup:
Oregon (29) O. A. C. (17)
Howells.....F..... Van Hollenbeke
Pederson.....F..... Mills
Flagel.....JC..... Moore
King.....RC..... Wilkinson
McKee.....G..... Gillette
Lewis.....G..... Wilson
Proctor.....S..... Ponfeth

Referee: Carin Degermark of Portland. Umpire, Mrs. Wilbur Karl of Corvallis.

REPORTS ISSUED HOURLY

University Schools Put Out Bulletin at Home Products Exhibit

An important feature of the "Oregon Home Products Week," an annual event now being staged in the Hampton building, is the issuing of hourly reports by the schools of journalism and business administration of the University. These bulletins, which are written by elementary journalism students, are mimeographed and circulated by members of the school of business administration. They contain programs of the day's activities, and short, newsy notes of the many booths and exhibits. Different colored sheets are issued every hour.

The booth containing the mimeograph machine was constructed by the members of Phi Theta Kappa, honorary commerce fraternity, and is in charge of Esther Fell, Margaret Beattie, and Henry Heardt.

This service was inaugurated last year and proved very popular.

SCHROFF PICTURE IS GIVEN

Chamber of Commerce Gets "A Trout Stream in Nimrod" by 86 Votes

As a result of the vote cast on the most popular picture at the recent exhibition of the paintings of Professor Alfred H. Schroff of the University, Number 15, "A Trout Stream in Nimrod," a scene on the McKenzie river will be presented to the Eugene Chamber of Commerce. Over 2000 persons visited the exhibit before it closed on Sunday afternoon and of these, a majority of 86 votes decided which picture should be given to the Chamber of Commerce. The picture which drew second place was another of the familiar Oregon landscape at Nimrod and the third choice according to the votes was "Autumn in Oregon."

Mr. Schroff has sold a number of his best paintings to local art critics as a result of the exhibit and those which remain will be placed in his studio.

DEAN STRAUB ARTICLE PRINTED

An interesting story concerning Dean John Straub and his connection with the University during the past 44 years was printed in the Sunday Oregonian of March 5. The article was illustrated with a number of pictures. It was written by Lillian Auld of the art department.

POSITIONS DRAWN BY 8 GIRLS' HOUSES FOR APRIL FROLIC

Short Intermissions, Dancing Between Acts Feature of New Plan

UNIFORM SCENERY FOR ALL

Name and Idea of Stunts Must be Turned in by Saturday Night

This time it really was a square mix! So say the April Frolic committees which chose by lottery the houses which will put on stunts for this year's entertainment. Those chosen are the following: Alpha Chi Omega, Alpha Phi, Zeta Rho Epsilon, Delta Zeta, Chi Omega, Kappa Alpha Theta, Hendricks Hall, and Kappa Kappa Gamma. The other half of the organization will put on stunts next year.

The reason for thus limiting to half the number of organizations, those which will put on stunts, is that the program must be cut down because, heretofore, when each group gave a stunt, the program was several hours long. With the number of organizations increasing continually, it is practically impossible to feature every house. This plan will also give more time for dancing and will lay more stress on individual costumes.

The name and a general idea of the stunt must be handed in to Dorothy McKee and Wanna McKinney by Saturday night, March 11. This will prevent duplication.

Stage settings are to be done away with because of the need for saving of time. A stationary setting will be used but all the property desired for each stunt will be permitted. Another change made by the committees is that townspeople are not to occupy the lower floor but will have seats in the balcony. This arrangement will permit dancing between acts and after the stunts. A grand march will be featured. Good music and an innovation in the way of acts are promised.

As April Frolic is the biggest annual event sponsored by the Women's League all girls on the campus are urged to attend. The admission for students will be 10 cents. Townspeople who attend will be charged 25 cents. The plan of having only half of the women's organizations on the campus present stunts was agreed upon because of the fact that on previous occasions the stunts have taken up all of the evening and these are intended to be only a part of the program. This year greater stress will be placed on the individual costumes of the girls.

Members of the various committees in charge of April Frolic are asked to watch the Emerald for announcements of meetings this week as a list of the girls expected to work on the affair will be printed as early as possible.

The committee personnel follows:

Managers—Emily Perry, Carolyn Cannon.

Stunt—Dorothy McKee, Sarah Lamberson, Ruth Fowler, Lenore Cram.

Patronesses—Charlotte Howells, Jane Campbell.

Judges—Ellen McVeigh, Miriam Swartz.

Programs—Wanna McKinney, Betti Kessi, Esther Pike.

Publicity—Lillian Auld, Velma Rupert, Margaret Scott.

Finance—Florence Furuset, Winifred Hopson, Katherine Watson.

Dance—Alice McCurdy, Hildred Hall, Luella Hauser.

Food—Norma Wilson and freshman representative committee.

Clean-up—Mary Alexander.

GIRL DEBATERS TO TRYOUT

Coach Thorpe Preparing Women for Forensic Contest April 6

In preparation for the O. A. C. vs. Oregon Women's debates on April 6, Professor Clarence D. Thorpe, of the rhetoric department, will hold a try-out this evening at 7:15 in room 5 of the Commerce building. Although Professor Thorpe expects only about a dozen contestants, as many as care to come will be welcome. Six debaters will be chosen, which will include four regulars and two alternates.

The question of the debates on April 6 will be "Resolved, That the closed shop shall be adopted." The negative teams of both schools will go to the opposing school, while the affirmative teams will remain at home.

PLEDGING ANNOUNCED

Alpha Sigma announces the pledging of Gwendolyn Darby of Heppner, Ore.

FRESHMEN WRESTLERS LOSE TO HIGH SCHOOL

Oregon City Boys Prove Skillful, Win 3-2; Robertson and Bergesvik Score for Varsity

The freshmen wrestlers lost to the Oregon City high school team by a 3-2 score, last Saturday night in Oregon City. According to Walter Wegner, who had charge of the party, the high school boys were a great surprise, and he says that there aren't any better in the country. Under the coaching of King, an O. A. C. graduate, the youngsters have developed into wonders, and Wegner wants to see them tangle with the Varsity squad if it can be arranged.

The bouts resulted in Yamane, 115 pounds, losing on two falls; Sumption, 125 pounds, losing on two falls; Berry, 125 pounds, losing on two falls; Robertson, 135 pounds, and Bergesvik, 145 pounds, winning by decision. Freeing of the Multnomah Club refereed.

GLEE CONCERT IS SUCCESS

ENSEMBLE HARMONY FEATURE OF PLEASING PROGRAM

Indian Songs and Costumes Score Hit; Solos and Duet Well Received by Responsive Audience

Under the direction of John Stark Evans the concert by the Women's Glee Club at the Woman's building last Saturday evening was an unusually effective and attractive blending of melody, color and harmony. From the stirring "Chanson Provençal," by Dell Acqua, to the last Indian song the program was delightful and entertaining.

When the sliding curtains were drawn aside at 8:30, the evening gowns of the girls stood out in pleasing contrast with the background of greenery. A spotlight was used with good effect. The delightful singing of the club in ensemble numbers was one of the outstanding features of the program and showed unusually harmonious blending of voices. The "Fairy Pipers," by Brewer, was one of the most attractive of these in that the light and gaily tripping melody seemed particularly adapted to the girls' voices.

The solo work and the duet brought prolonged applause in every case and encores were necessary. Joanna James, soprano, and Bernice Altstock, contralto, were especially pleasing in their solos and the duet by Gwladys Keeney, soprano, and Vera Price, contralto, was one of the striking numbers of the first part of the program. The clever little skit during the intermission by Maxine Buren and Gwladys Keeney added the necessary bit of humor and comedy to the evening's program.

The second part of the program presented a group of Indian songs in an appropriate and attractive way. The girls, dressed in Indian costumes, were grouped around a campfire while all lights were turned out. Several of these numbers were made more effective by flute music heard in the distance which was played by Beulah Clark, of the university orchestra. "Pale Moon," featuring Viola Powell in the incidental solo, seemed to make the most spontaneous appeal to the audience. This song is rapidly becoming popular and the interpretation of it by the Glee Club made it especially delightful.

The entire program was carried through with a skill and dash that made every moment of the entire evening one of delightful musical entertainment.

IDAHO HAS NEW SOCIETY

"Knights of Ball and Chain" is Name Chosen by Organization

University of Idaho, Moscow, March 6.—(P. I. N. S.)—The Knights of the Ball and Chain, an underclassmen's honor society, has taken its place on the campus with the official recognition of the student body. All members will be chosen from the freshman and sophomore classes.

The society, in form, is similar to the Knights of the Hook at the University of Washington, the Oregon Knights at Oregon, and the Bear Paws at the University of Montana. Its primary purpose is to entertain and furnish entertainment for visiting athletic teams, delegates to conventions and similar groups, while they are at the university. The organization will also assist in promoting various student activities.

PROFESSOR SWEETSER SICK

Professor A. R. Sweetser, head of the University botany department, has been confined to his home with an attack of the grippe since Thursday evening. Dr. Sweetser was unable to meet his classes on Friday. He was reported better yesterday.

WEATHER FORECAST

Tuesday, occasional rain, southerly gales.

OREGON DEBATERS WIN COAST HONORS FOR THREE YEARS

Washington and Stanford Teams are Defeated by Varsity

COACH THORPE PLEASED

Intersectional Meets May be Arranged With Some Eastern School

The University of Oregon successfully defended her title to the Pacific Coast Triad debate championship when her affirmative and negative teams defeated those of the University of Washington and Stanford University last Thursday and Friday. All debates were won by two to one decisions over the opponents. Oregon's affirmative team composed of Paul Patterson and Ralph Bailey took honors from Washington's negative team represented by Bartlett Bammel and Eugene Ivey; while the negative team, Claude Robinson and Charles Lamb, debated Stanford at Palo Alto and were given two more votes. Washington's affirmative was given a two to one decision over the negative of Stanford at Seattle. Oregon's score is four points; Washington's three; and Stanford's two. Thus Oregon won the undisputed right to the championship for the third successive time in three years.

The question which was debated was "Resolved: That the Federal government should levy a tax on manufacturer's sales." It was considered a one-sided question and Oregon is held to have won added glory by taking decisions at both places.

Coach Thorpe Satisfied

Clarence D. Thorpe, Oregon's debate coach, has expressed great satisfaction at the outcome of the debate. Since Mr. Thorpe came to the University, the teams have won all contests. The first victory was over Reed College and Oregon Agricultural College for the State Triangular Debate championship. "The glory of victory is enhanced," said Paul Patterson yesterday, "for the reason that we have followed up our victory in our own state by a greater victory."

Oregon's negative team at Stanford debated against two veterans who had debated together for two years without having lost a debate. The Oregon men were well equipped when they went to Stanford and were considered ready to stand forth with powerful argument for their side of the question.

With victory on all sides and the state and Pacific coast triangular debate championships in their possession, Coach Thorpe and the debaters feel much encouraged for next year. It is thought that all the debaters will return next year and strive for another championship so that Oregon may be the school to represent the Pacific coast in the proposed intersectional contests. Stanford University proposed the idea of arranging intersectional debates with whatever eastern schools would be agreeable. The University of Oregon has encouraged the plan and the University of Washington has expressed her willingness to co-operate. Stanford has been authorized to proceed with the plans as she proposed them. At the present she is endeavoring to interest schools of the middle west.

Team May Be Sent East

Coach Thorpe hopes that Oregon will be able to send her team east next year as the champion of the Triad. If this should work out it is also the plan to arrange a return debate with Princeton University at the same time and perhaps meet any other school which can be interested. The Yale, Harvard, Princeton Triad, has been considered as a possible group to send their champion against the west's, perhaps to meet in Illinois. The plan was proposed too late for any action to be taken upon it this year, but with all three schools working toward the one end, the outlook is optimistic for an East Versus West contest.

O. A. C. SECRETARY TO VISIT

Miss Gladys Taylor, secretary of the Y. W. C. A. at O. A. C., will be a guest on the campus Wednesday. Miss Taylor will meet with the cabinet and the members of the finance committee at five o'clock on Wednesday afternoon. She is a member of the national finance committee of the association.

SUBSTITUTE TEACHER EMPLOYED

Dorothy Dixon is doing substitute teaching this week in the junior division of the University high school on account of the illness of Miss Anna Vogel.