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## TWO-SEMESTER PLAN COMING UP FOR VOTE SOON

### Faculty to Consider, Next Month, Abandonment of Three-Term System

#### RULE ON GRADE V ADOPTED

#### Credits of Special Students Subject of Report Which Will Be Taken Up

The question of a return to the two-semester plan, agitated by a considerable number of faculty members ever since the adoption of the three-term system in war-time, will come before the faculty for discussion at the January meeting. A motion that the change back to the old plan be made was placed before the faculty Wednesday by Dr. H. D. Sheldon, dean of the school of education, and extensive discussion followed. Dean Sheldon's motion was made as a substitute for a proposal that the opening date of the University be left to the discretion of the schedule committee instead of being regulated automatically as at present.

It had been rumored that the faculty would consider shortening the Christmas vacation. This matter, however, did not come up.

It was decided that the rule passed in 1921, requiring the students to have 186 hours for graduation, of which 140 must be above the grade of V, is to be enforced in the following way: The rule will apply to the work done by the members of the graduating class of the year, subsequent to this legislation, that is that 140-186ths of the hours made subsequent to the legislation to be above the grade of V, provided, however, that the work of the entire four years shall be considered, if by so doing the student can qualify under the rule.

A report, containing rules governing the special students, was introduced and will be voted on at the next meeting. The main facts treated by this report were that special students shall apply for admission through the registrar and the deans of the schools. Credits will not be counted towards a degree, unless the student has taken two years work as a regular student.

**Archivist Building Favored**  
A resolution was adopted which will be sent to congress stating that the faculty of the University of Oregon approves of the proposal to construct an archivist building at Washington, D. C., for the protection of the most important national documents.

Dean W. G. Hale, Dean H. D. Sheldon, Professor J. D. Barnett and Professor E. L. Packard were elected by the faculty as the new members of the advisory committee. This committee is composed of six members, who advise the president in the making of budgets and like matters. The two hold-over members from last year, chosen by lot, are Dean E. C. Robbins and Professor James H. Gilbert.

The following students will be recommended by the faculty to the board of regents to receive degrees:

Bachelor of Arts: Mary Buckley, Carmen Swanson Rothwell, Richard Frederick Berg.

Bachelor of Science in Journalism: Eugene S. Kelly.

Master of Arts: Lilli Schmidli.

#### U. S. TO SEND DELEGATES

Six instructors from the University High will go to Portland to attend the "State Teachers' association, which will hold sessions there on December 28, 29 and 30. Mrs. Margaret B. Goodall, head of the English department, will speak at one meeting on the subject "Reading Interest in Junior High Schools."

## One Touch of Winter Makes All Noses Red and Hellos Frosty

Passing along to an 8 o'clock on these North Pole mornings, slipping around a frost covered turn, one hears a very muffled "Hello," and there is nothing but a red nose effectively framed in a bright pink wool scarf where the greeting seemed to come from. There is no means of identity, since the wearer of the scarf is completely submerged, the voice muffled beyond all recognition and the nose a tone or two off natural color.

And two or three more slips and turns farther on there is a deep bass voice muttering a frosty "Hello" but upon close inspection it is equally difficult to recognize the man for the hat is pulled down across the upper lip, and the collar is turned up to the ears. The nose in the case of the male of the species is not even discernible.

Thus with the women of the campus

## UMBRELLA OWNERS ARE UNLUCKY ON RAINY DAYS

### Halls of Library Ring With Walls of Woe When Rain Shades Disappear After Being Left to Dry

"Take-an-Umbrellaitis," a mild form of kleptomania, that threatens to be a real epidemic, overshadows the campus if Old Man Jupiter and his watering can don't stop getting together so frequently.

The losers of these rain shades are all for bringing the third degree into immediate practice on the offenders.

After classes, especially in the halls of the library, the lamentations of the girls are pitiful to hear. "Why I left my umbrella out in the hall because it was too wet to bring in and now it's gone!"—And another marcel faces the elements only to meet its downfall.

The reverse does not happen frequently was heard on one occasion. A girl leaving a class in Villard exclaimed gleefully—"There's my umbrella that someone took last year," and proudly she marched forth with her once bright red parasol, now faded from a year of alien usage, clutched in her hand, oblivious to all but that the lost was found and the prodigal returned!

## PLANS FOR NEW YEAR DISCUSSED BY WOMEN

### Program of League Includes Christmas Carols

"Oh, great, exams will be over Thursday for me, and I'll be able to get the two o'clock home," says one student in a glow of anticipation, while another bemoans the fact that he has a perfectly terrible schedule which will not permit him to get away until Friday evening.

But there are some who will be left on the campus to while away two weeks of vacation.

"Awful," thinks the student who is leaving, or who has never spent a vacation on the campus, but if records of past Christmases which have been spent on the campus are taken as a criterion, it is not too awful to have to spend one vacation here. Not this year, anyway, for the report is out from those who are staying that there are to be dances and parties, long talks before the old fraternity fireplaces, and best of all many peaceful mornings when no gong will sound to wrest the weary sleeper from the sway of Morpheus.

Reports from the women's houses which are remaining open say that many new experiments will be performed in the art of culinary. Hot crab salad is to be the feature at one house, butter scotch pie will be served three times a day at another, and while it has not been definitely decided by all just what course the inventive genius of the various co-eds will bring forth, they are not a whit doubtful of their ability to sustain life in the absence of the house cook, and it is expected that some great chefs will be developed.

Fellowship and Christmas cheer will prevail on the campus say the few who are staying here. While only a few houses are remaining open, they expect to make the most of the vacation. All halls of residence will be closed to enable employees to have a vacation, and so that the halls may be cleaned during the absence of students.

Some of the houses remaining open are Alpha Phi, Alpha Chi Omega, Alpha Xi Delta, Fijii, Phi Delta, T. T. O., Sigma Chi, S. A. E., Phi Sigma Pi, Kappa Theta Chi.

#### FORMER STUDENT IN CONCERT

Miss Helen Harper, violinist, who was a freshman on the campus last year, was presented by the MacDowell club of Portland at a concert recently given at the Multnomah hotel. She was accompanied on the piano by her sister, Jean Harper. Miss Harper is a member of Alpha Delta Pi sorority and of Mu Phi Epsilon, national honorary music fraternity. Last year she played with the University orchestra.

## Looking like Eskimos and the men like thugs, winter in true old eastern fashion has descended upon us.

There is a strange hesitancy on the part of all to ret dressed early and go for long hikes. Many have shown a marked preference for the steam heated side of the classrooms.

One gallant youth was heard yesterday promising to take a fair lady for a snow old-fashioned sleigh ride should the snow get two feet deep, but the fair lady did not appear to be counting on it. However, whether the snow gets two feet deep or not we will all have to get together and present the Pioneer with one of those nice woolly scarfs for Christmas. The way the snow lays in his beard is almost as pathetic as the snow in the Little Match Girl's hair in our Hans Anderson days.

## GLEE CLUB TOURS TO BE ARRANGED DURING VACATION

### Musical Organizations Will Visit Northwest Cities Early in Spring

#### MEN TO TAKE LONG TRIP

#### Girls Plan Extensive Jaunts to Cities in Southern Part of State

The dates for the annual concert trips of the men's and women's glee clubs and the orchestra will be arranged during the Christmas vacation, when managers of the organizations will visit those places where concerts may be scheduled during the spring vacation.

It is the usual policy of the University student body to restrict these trips to the state in order that no money may be lost. But it is planned to make this the biggest year yet, and as a consequence various cities in Washington and Idaho will hear University talent.

There is a possibility, according to the committee of musical activities, that a big musical will be staged in Portland sometime in the winter term, in which both the clubs and the orchestra will participate; but as yet nothing definite has been decided.

#### Meek Booking Clubs

The men's glee club will make the most extensive tour. Jimmie Meek, manager of the organization on his trip will stop at Ontario, Baker, LaGrande, Pendleton, The Dalles, Hood River and other possible eastern Oregon towns; also at Salt Lake, Boise and Caldwell, Idaho.

The majority of the orchestra's concerts, it is planned, will be given in central Washington cities. Salem and a few other Willamette valley places not yet decided on may also be visited. It was planned to stop at Astoria but because of the recent fire there, no concert will be given. The cities which may be scheduled in Washington are Vancouver, Centralia, Tacoma, Olympia, Bellingham, and Hoquiam. Shirley Edwards is the manager of the orchestra this year.

The women's glee club is planning to take its largest trip when the members go on a southern Oregon tour. Ted Gillenwater, manager, will visit Cottage Grove, Oakland, Roseburg, Grants Pass, Medford, Ashland, and Klamath Falls to arrange schedules.

## SENIOR WRITE-UPS DUE FROM TERM GRADUATES

### Oregana Urges Those Finishing School This Quarter to Get Data in Within the Next Week

Seniors who are completing their college work this quarter and who are not expecting to return to college after the Christmas holidays are urged to turn in their write-ups for the Oregana within the next week. A box for these write-ups has been placed in the Oregana office in the journalism "shack."

The write-ups are to consist of a statement of name and home address, any student body office held, with the year, major subject, campus organization including any office held in that organization with the year in which it was held, chairmanship of any general campus committees such as the junior week-end committee, membership on any staff such as Historian, Emerald, or Yell Staff, and fraternal organization.

Senior students living out in town may turn in their write-ups either within the coming week or directly after the holidays. Write-ups from the organizations will not be collected until after the beginning of the new term, one senior to be appointed from each house who will be responsible for the senior write-ups from his house.

## RAILROAD OFFICIAL VISITS

### Charlie Duffy, Former Office Boy to Dean Lawrence, Here Wednesday

Charlie Duffy, traveling passenger agent for the Northern Pacific railway in the Willamette valley, was a visitor at the University Wednesday. "I am deeply interested in Oregana," said Mr. Duffy, "and can truthfully say this after having visited every other college in the valley."

Between 1908 and 1910 Duffy was an office boy to Dean Lawrence, of the school of architecture, in his firm at Portland. The visitor spoke of the "hello" spirit of the campus and remarked that he had invitations to supper from various houses around the campus, and did not know which to accept.

## VARIED PROGRAM FEATURES MU PHI ASSEMBLY DEBUT

### Entire Hour Given to Concert Work; Musicians Receive Praise for Talent

#### SHADED TONES PLEASING

#### Violinists' Brilliant Playing Is Characterized by Dash and Assurance

By Margaret Sheridan  
Mu Phi Epsilon, women's national honorary music fraternity, again proved to the student body, at assembly yesterday, that it is capable of presenting a splendid and varied program. The entire assembly hour was given over to the concert and each member was enthusiastically received and encores longed for.

The program was opened with Kramer's "Last Hour" and "Love's Light," written by Imogene Letcher. These were sung by Joanna James, soprano, a member of the woman's glee club. Miss James has a clear high voice, and her interpretation of these songs was delightful.

"Tarantelle," Drda, was played by Alberta Potter and Margaret Phelps, violin, accompanied by Aurora Underwood. This was brilliantly done and was very well received. Liszt's "Hungarian Rhapsody," number 6, was played by Helen Caples for the third number of the program. This is an exceedingly difficult and heavy thing, and Miss Caples gave it with dash and assurance, paying special attention to the shadings and tones of the composition.

Florence Garrett, Leona Gregory and Bernice Altstock sang "Where My Caravan Has Rested," which proved to be one of the most popular numbers of the program. The song is usually given as a solo, and the trio version of it is unusual and very attractive. Tschakowsky's "Waltz of the Flowers" from his Nutcracker's Suite, was given by Alberta Potter, violin, Lora Teshner, cello and Aurora Underwood, piano. This is always a favorite number and is considered one of the best representatives of the modern school of music. Mrs. Underwood has been studying for the past year in New York under Ethel Newcomb and Edwin Hughes, and her playing had more brilliance and charm than usual, if that is possible.

The Mu Phi Epsilon chorus, composed of Mrs. C. A. E. Whitton, Mrs. W. M. Cash, Mrs. A. C. Dixon, Florence Garrett, Marvel Skeels, Bernice Altstock, Mildred Brown, Leona Gregory, Hildred Hall, Margaret Phelps and Eloise McPherson sang "Dreaming," Shelling, and "When a Maid Comes Knocking at Your Heart," Friml. Both songs showed the ability of the chorus, and they were especially pleasing because of the freshness and spontaneity of the voices. The chorus was trained by Madame Rose McGrew, of the school of music. As an encore the Mu Phi Epsilon song was sung by all the members of the organization.

Accompanists for the solos and choruses of the concert were Aurora Underwood and Imogene Letcher.

## MORE COURSES IN ART PLANNED FOR FUTURE

### Only Seniors May Study Mural Decoration and Stained Glass; Art Anatomy To Be Made Compulsory

Professor Alfred H. Schreff of the school of architecture and the allied arts is opening two classes for the winter term which, although listed in the regular schedule, have not been given for some time.

A course in mural decoration and stained glass, which was last given two years ago is to be offered. Only seniors in the department are eligible for this course. The problem of the class is to be the actual decoration of the new art building. The students are to design and execute the mural paintings which are planned for the school. The stained glass windows are to be made from designs selected from those submitted by students of this class. The exact placing of the mural decorations and the stained glass windows of the building has not yet been decided upon, Professor Schreff said.

The dates of meeting are yet to be arranged. Six hours laboratory will be held each week in mural painting and design, for which two hours credit will be given.

The other class offered by Professor Schreff is art anatomy. This work is to be compulsory for all art students in life or modelling classes. This course will be a one-hour lecture class and is to be held at an hour to be determined by conference with all art students taking the work.

## SCROLL AND SCRIPT ELECTS THREE MEMBERS

### Organization Pledges on Basis of Mortar Board Standards of Scholarship and Activities

Just before assembly yesterday morning, Scroll and Script pledged Margaret Jackson, Inez King and Bernice Altstock to membership in the organization.

The procession of members wearing caps and gowns, marched from the Administration building to the library steps, where pledging took place, and from thence to the assembly.

Scroll and Script has received much information the last few days, pertaining to Mortar Board and these three new pledges will form a part of the group petitioning the latter organization. In order to conform to Mortar Board's standards, Scroll and Script now elects its members on a different basis, requiring an average scholarship above a three, and lays stress on activities.

Present membership of Scroll and Script includes LeLaine West, president; Emily Veazie, vice-president; Helen Addison, secretary; Helen Hofer, Felicia Perkins and Alice Tomkins.

## FIRST POP CONCERT OF YEAR GIVEN IN VILLARD

### Aurora Underwood Is Soloist on Orchestra Program

The "pop" concert which the University orchestra gave last night, with Aurora Underwood, soloist, was, according to the comments of everyone there, a truly artistic and enjoyable performance.

Aurora Underwood made her first public appearance, since her return from New York, with the orchestra, playing a Chopin group, Waltz in A flat, Nocturne in B flat and Ballade in A flat. Mrs. Underwood played one of Friedman's waltzes. In all her numbers Mrs. Underwood showed marvelous technique, and understanding of the compositions, and her playing was marked with brilliance and smoothness.

The program was opened with Offenbach's Overture, Orpheus in the Underworld, played by the orchestra. This was followed by "Ballet Suite," written by Rameau and orchestrated by Felix Mottl. The Suite has three parts, Minuet, Musette, Tambourin, all of which are exceedingly beautiful, and are characterized by a certain whimsicalness and charm.

The program was completed with Brahms' Hungarian Dances, numbers 5 and 6, which are both bright and dashing and were played with enthusiasm and life. The response of the orchestra to the slightest movement of the director, Rex Underwood, was quite noticeable and helped to make the concert enjoyable.

## ALL COUNTIES EXCEPT ONE ARE REPRESENTED

### Multnomah Leads With Lane Second; Curry Has Two Representatives; Student Average Increases

In the 34 counties of the state there is only one that is not represented in the total registration of 2189 students. Last year Jefferson county sent one man to the University but this year it has not a single representative.

Multnomah county shows the greatest increase, both in numbers and in percentage, of students this year as compared with the figures last year. In the fall term of last year 492 students were registered from Multnomah county while this year there is a total of 581. Following close in line is Lane county with a registration of 473 students last year as compared with 502 this year.

Near the end of the list is Curry, the coast county. Last year it had only one representative but this year there are two enrolled from there.

#### SENIOR RECORD CHECKED

Any senior, who is not certain that his requirements for graduation are clear should see the recording clerk, window 7, in the Administration building between Friday, December 15 and Friday, December 22, and have his record gone over.

All of the summaries and transcripts of the seniors have been checked by the recording clerk, so any expecting to graduate this year can be told just what subjects, if any, he lacks. This will give an opportunity to complete the work during the next two terms.

#### JOBS OPEN FOR GIRLS NOW

Of late the Y. W. C. A. employment bureau has received a number of calls for girls to do housework over the Christmas vacation. These are not permanent positions but are offered merely to take the places of those girls who want to go home over the holidays. They will be given back later to the girls who work for their room and board.

## IDAHO WILL PLAY OREGON GRIDDEERS HERE NEXT FALL

### Game With Vandals Assured by Graduate Manager When Backed by Council

#### THREE GAMES ON HAYWARD

#### O. A. C. Meets Varsity Nov. 23 and Pacific Team Comes October 13

Oregon and the Idaho Vandals, looked upon as one of the strongest teams in the Northwest, for next year will clash on Hayward field on October 27, according to an announcement made yesterday by Jack Benefiel, graduate manager. This gives the students two big campus games next fall, the Varsity meeting the Aggies on Hayward gridiron November 24.

At the recent Pacific Coast conference held in Seattle only one important game was allowed the Oregon team at home, although eight games were on the schedule. Benefiel, who attended the conference in behalf of Oregon protested against this, asking that the Idaho game be allowed to Eugene. Coach Matthews of Idaho demurred against this and asked instead that the game be played at Moscow, the home of the Vandals, or at Portland or Pendleton.

The site for the game, which is to be played October 27, was undecided when the conference closed, and Benefiel and Matthews parted with the understanding that Benefiel would put the matter up to the Oregon executive council as soon as he returned home.

The council met Wednesday and after considering expenses, and the dissatisfaction expressed by local fans over the lack of home games, decided that no foreign site would be acceptable. This practically insures the game for the Oregon campus as Benefiel expects the Idaho officials to agree.

The addition of this game to the local schedule makes a total of three contests to be played here. The first is with Pacific University October 13, the Idaho game on October 27 comes second, and third is the annual battle with O. A. C. which comes November 24.

#### Two Games Experiment

According to Benefiel the idea of having two major contests in Eugene is an experiment and the success of both games financially will probably insure fuller home schedules for Oregon in the future. He says, "Local fans, both students and townspeople must realize the importance of the experiment for it will decide whether or not Eugene is a football town. The Idaho contest is on the same day as the California-Washington State game in Portland, which will be a big drawing card, so all Oregon supporters must advertise the local game as much as possible."

The Idaho contest will be a crucial one for Oregon. This year the Varsity was able to beat the Vandals by the small score of 3 to 0, a place kick winning the game. Oregon's team will probably not be so strong next year, while the Idaho men will be materially strengthened by the addition of Bob Fitzke, considered one of the best kickers on the coast who was ineligible this year. Idaho has an added advantage in that they have no freshman ineligibility rules and many good varsity men are recruited from the frosh ranks.

## CO-OP DOES SPLENDID BUSINESS DURING YEAR

### Inventory of Stock Is Scheduled for Christmas Vacation; Payment Will Be Made on Debt

A complete inventory of the Co-op stock will be made during Christmas vacation, according to Paul Sayre, president of the board of directors, who states that business has been better this year than any time since the organization of the Co-op. At the time of incorporation, \$5,000 was borrowed from the banks and the rest of the capital was obtained from a holding company composed of faculty members. Payment will be made on the debt this year and it is planned that the entire amount will be met within the next five years.

Changes have been made in the board of directors due to the fact that Nelson English, former president, Professor T. J. Bolitho and Thomas Hughes did not return to the campus this term. To fill the vacancies Charles Lamb, Ed Tapfer and Professor J. H. Gilbert were elected.

The membership of the board is as follows: juniors, Hal Simpson, Charles Lamb; seniors, Jack Meyers, Paul Sayre; sophomores, Ed Tapfer; faculty, Dean J. F. Bovard and Professor J. H. Gilbert.