

WOMEN'S GLEE CLUB APPEARS IN HOME CONCERT TOMORROW NIGHT



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CHINA OPTIMISTIC ABOUT RECOVERY

Letter Tells That Eastern Situation No Worse Than That in Europe

Although the political situation in China is as bad or worse than the American papers tell, people in China are very optimistic about the prospects of recovery. This opinion was expressed in a letter recently received by the University Y. M. C. A. from Ben H. Schmidt, a former Oregon student.

Mr. Schmidt says that, judging from what the papers tell about the European troubles, China hasn't done much worse. "So don't feel too sorry for old China; she will have a house cleaning one of these days that will surprise us all. We have a lot of faith in the new generation in China." A contest held not long ago, he went on, to name the twelve greatest men in the land, resulted in the choice of four Christians among the twelve. This, considering the comparatively small number of Christians in the country, holds a lot of meaning, Mr. Schmidt believes.

The people outside of the sections actually under fire apparently do not worry much about the situation. The general run go about as though 'all was quiet at the capitol.' Nevertheless it does make a lot of difference, and the militarists and bandits make life miserable for a lot of the population. And nothing is done in a large way to help the famine situation and to keep it from taking its millions every year.

"The weather here is pretty cold just now and we have to suffer a bit when it is, as the houses are not built warm and the stoves are inadequate to the job of heating part of the outdoors." The Chinese, he writes, keep warm by piling on a lot of clothing padded with cotton. As it gets colder additional coats are put on, until the Chinese seem about twice as large in winter as in summer. The poorer people are forced to be satisfied with only cotton padding. The wealthier class, however, make their coats of the finest broadcloth silk, and line them with fur.

The children in these many layers of garments are unique. "Many of them are actually sewed into their clothes from the time cold weather appears until it gets warm again. If a little kiddie falls down he usually has to be picked up and put on his feet as the heavy padding makes it impossible for him to get up alone."

Mr. Schmidt was for three years prior to 1917 a student at the University of Oregon. During this time he was also in charge of the boys work at the Eugene Y. M. C. A. He went east in 1917 and graduated from the Northwestern University Chicago. From that time until 1921 he was engaged in various occupations until 1921 when he went to China and entered the school at Nanking to learn the Chinese language, preparing for missionary work in that country. Mrs. Schmidt who was Mary Gillies before her marriage, was formerly secretary of the campus Y. M. C. A.

ART STUDENTS WORKING ON PANEL FOR MUSEUM

Avard Fairbanks Directs Task; Member in Portland Extension School Is Designing Main Piece

A sculpture relief panel representing art is being made for the new art museum and will be placed above the door. Four campus students are working on it under the direction and supervision of Avard Fairbanks, professor of sculpture. Kate Schaefer, a student in the extension art school in Portland is working out the central figure.

The composition will be five feet and four inches by twenty-three inches. "The figure of Truth is placed in the center—the goal of art, as it is of all human kind," said Professor Fairbanks. Truth is enthroned with rays in the background symbolizing glory and radiance. The left side of the panel represents the spiritual, or creative side of art. Paul Walters is doing the masculine figure and Pauline Chase the feminine figure.

ure. The two unite in upholding the torch of knowledge.

The right side of the panel has a material symbolism, the mediums through which art expresses itself—painting, sculpture, architecture, and the handicrafts. A seated figure holds in his left hand a capital, architectural symbol, and at his right a sphinx head. Mildred Heffron is modeling the seated figure. Over his shoulder leans a man with an hourglass in his hand, adding the element of time to art—Alicia Agnew's conception. At their feet will be a vase and some other representation of the crafts. The panel is the conception of a number of students, whose ideas Mr. Fairbanks worked over into a unit. Work on it may be continued until spring.

CLUB SENDS CHALLENGE

Condon Quintet Plans to Defeat Journalists; Practice Barred

With the organization of the basketball team about complete, the Condon Club Five, under the direction of Don Zimmerman, has challenged the journalists to a game Tuesday, February 20, at 4 o'clock in the men's gym. That neither team is to practice before the affair is the only condition imposed.

Glenn Walkley, captain of the Condon Five, will pluck the ball out of the air at the toss-up. Two stars in Kenneth Moore and James Harding, will take the baskets for the team. Karl Vonderahe will protect the goals with Fraser as his running mate.

Hubert Schenck and Ian Campbell will act as trainers and rubbers for the whiz team.

Following the game with the journalists, the club plans to challenge the faculty and any other team which will offer opposition.

It is probable that the entire club will be run in as substitutes and furnish speed to the game.

Walkley reports that the team is in fine condition and prospects of winning are good.

MATINEE DANCE THURSDAY

Washington's Birthday Affair Will Be Full of Pep and Dateless

Plans for the Washington's Birthday matinee dance for next Thursday's vacation are now complete, according to Miriam Swartz, who is in charge of plans for it. Jack Meyers "Midnite Sons" have been secured, and they have arranged a program of ear-tickling melodies that bid fair for an afternoon of utmost pleasure, free from classes and responsibility.

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U. H. S. BEATS ROSEBURG

One Basket Decides Fast Game; Campus Preppers Now Lead District

The University high school basketball team defeated the Roseburg high team 31 to 29 in an exceptionally fast game played in the men's gym last Saturday evening. The game was anybody's until the final whistle. During the first half the Roseburg boys were ahead, but in the second period of the game the campus high five staged a wonderful rally and at the end of the final half the score was 29-29. An extra five minutes was necessary to determine the winner. The University high team scored the only basket in the period of extra play.

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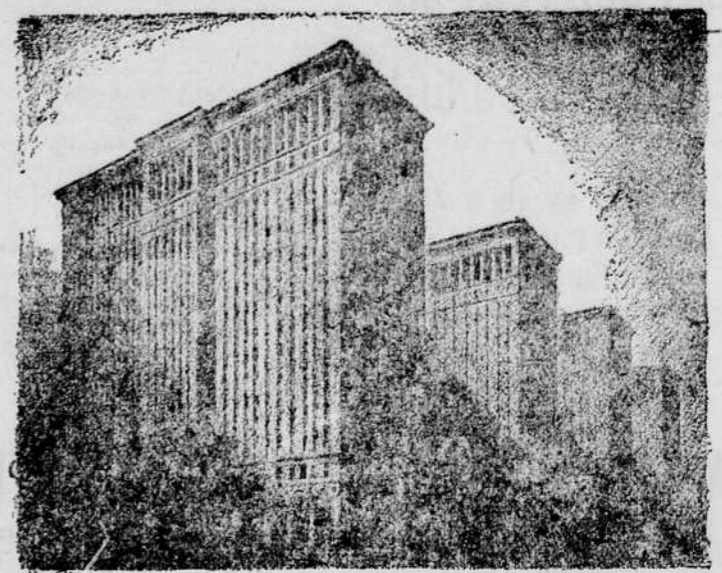
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