

EXPERIENCES ARE TOLD BY COLONEL

Dean Dymont Receives Letter Telling of Conditions in England and Ireland

Word has come from Colonel John Leader to Colin V. Dymont, dean of the college of literature, science and the arts, that the Colonel and his family are sailing from England in April and will reach Vancouver B. C. about the first of May. In his letter describing his recent sojourn in England and Ireland the colonel relates a number of experiences among his old comrades in the army and speaks with deep regret of the conditions he has found in his native state, Ireland.

On his first excursion into Ireland during this trip Colonel Leader discovered that all of his property and estates there had been completely ruined and destroyed by the invasions of combatants whose leaders frankly admit that they are out for loot and nothing else. "All respectable people and Protestants who have escaped are penniless, and those not able to escape are being hideously murdered, unless they are able to arm themselves," says the Colonel. The discovery of such anarchy in his own country has made him very sad, he adds, and he welcomes the opportunity to return to the West where he will be occupied with real estate interests in British Columbia. His letter suggests that he will probably be a visitor at the University soon after his arrival on the Pacific coast.

Colonel Leader was accompanied to England by Mrs. Leader and their three small sons. Their visit in England has served to give them an opportunity to renew many old ties, and the Colonel describes these reunions as some of the most delightful experiences he has known.

explained the properties of the most poisonous substances.

Strychnine, regarded by most people as something to be avoided, was handled with contempt by the experimenter, as he poured out the shining prisms. "The contents of the vial, about an ounce, would kill 300 people," he explained.

This poison is very bitter and can be readily detected by this quality. In fact, it has been found that if one part is dissolved into 800,000 parts, the bitter taste is still noticeable."

The most poisonous of drugs shown was acetonine.

"Three or four milligrams is a deadly dose," Wilson said.

Three or four milligrams! Chemists use a system of weights in which 28,349 milligrams make an ounce. One minute particle, scarcely visible to the eye, is sufficient to cause intense suffering. There was enough poison in the fragile flask to obliterate a large part of the campus population.

Many popular stories have been woven around the use of nicotine as a poison. The odor arising from the liquid is stronger than the fumes arising from a contest of seasoned meerschaum smokers. One drop of nicotine, if properly administered, is a fatal dose.

"Nicotine does not affect the smoker, because its poisonous qualities are absorbed on the burning of the tobacco," Wilson explained.

When Socrates swallowed his cup of hemlock he probably drank confine, a very poisonous liquid. The juice occurs in all parts of the spotted hemlock tree. Its narcotic effect is more intense than that of nicotine and its results when taken are no less fatal.

The South American Indian ingeniously puts away his enemies by the use of poisoned arrows. He uses a drug called curare, one of the most deadly known. This is one of the rare poisons that make up the collection in McClure hall. As yet, the exact amount needed to constitute a fatal dose is not known.

Y. M. CABINET GOES TO PORTLAND CONVENTION

Meeting Given Over to Students of Oregon and Idaho Universities; John R. Mott Will Speak

With the purpose of representing the University Y. M. C. A. at the convention which is being held in Portland today and tomorrow the regular "Y" cabinet in company with Mr. L. P. Putnam and about five Oregon men, left for Portland yesterday afternoon where they will transact Y. M. C. A. business.

The convention is given over to students of the Universities of Oregon and Idaho. During this meeting, John R. Mott, international head of the Y. M. C. A. will be in Portland Wednesday and will speak at the meeting. His presence will be one of the features of the convention. On Thursday the meeting will be given over to speakers picked from students of the respective universities. The group will return to the campus Friday.

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WRESTLERS MEET IN DO-NUT SERIES

Twelve Matches Run Off in Preliminary Contests Held Yesterday

The do-nut wrestling meet got under way in fine style yesterday afternoon with 12 matches run off. All of them were lively affairs with lots of fight on the part of the contestants. The first round will be continued today and some good matches are expected this afternoon. From the interest shown by the turning out of many fans to the meet promises to be a success from that standpoint. The first round will be over by Wednesday night. The co-operation of all men connected with the contest is urged by Coach Widmer in order to allow time for challenges and for finals. All men must weigh in by Wednesday night or they will have to forfeit the match.

The following matches took place Tuesday:

The only match in the 128-pound class was won by Rew who threw Holdman. In the 138 pound class Baird won from Dorsey and Leslie from Nosler.

In the 148 pound class High took a fall out of Smith and Lewis spilled Stoddard.

In the 161 pound class Cook took Pearson for a fall and Baker walked through Schuerman for another one.

In the heavyweight, 178 pound class, Fraser, the sports writing king, threw Bartmon. Jost piled Williamson to the mat, and Blaesing took Crumb into camp. Cronin won from Toole in a quick match.

In the unlimited weight Byler threw Sinclair.

Two matches in the second round will probably be run off Wednesday afternoon. Fraser takes on Crumb, loser to Blaesing and Bartmon, loser to Fraser, meets Blaesing; also Stoddard challenges High.

ORDER OF THE O TO BE GUESTS AT L. N. P. DANCE

Second Stringers Promise Lots of Jazz; Campa Shoppe to Be Scene of Athletes' Frolic

The men of the "Order of the O" will be the guests of the L. N. P. club at a dance Friday evening at the Campa Shoppe. "We promised ourselves this dance last fall when the others were having a good time and we were forced to go to bed and get eight hours sleep," said one member. It was during the last football season that the "second stringers" organized.

"It is time we came out of our hibernation," said president Moe Sax. "We are going to make this affair a tradition that the 'scrubs' will look forward to."

To be eligible to membership in the society one must have witnessed the O.

A. C. game from the sidelines in uniform, or have been previously disabled in some contest or scrimmage. There are about 25 members who belong.

Jack Meyers holds one of the offices in the club and has promised his fellow members that the "Mid Nite Sons" will be there, "all hopped up," to furnish the necessary jazz.

CHEATERS WILL BE NAMED

Names of Students Guilty of Dishonesty Will Be Published at O. A. C.

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, March 13.—(By P. I. N. S.)—Publication of names of students found guilty of cheating in school work will hereafter be included as part of the penalties imposed in all cases where such recommendation is made by the committee to promote honesty in academic work. Instructions to this effect have just been issued by the administrative council.

That the committee will impose the new penalty in all future cases of a flagrant character is little doubted, as it is understood that the members feel that under the present system some such step must be taken if the amount of dishonest work is to be reduced.

UNIVERSITY SPEAKERS SOUGHT

Seven high schools in the state have asked for speakers for their commencement exercises to be held during the months of May and June, according to requests received at the extension division. Thurston high school, of Lane county, has asked for a speaker June 8, and Wilbur, May 17; Arago, May 25; Westport, May 18, and Belfountain, June 21. Hardman and Woodburn high schools also want University speakers, but have not yet set definite dates.

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