

FOUNDER OF LAW SCHOOL HONORED

Richard H. Thornton Receives Degree in Portland

Hailed as an epoch maker in the history of the state of Oregon, Richard H. Thornton, 78, founder and first dean of the University of Oregon law school, received his degree of Doctor of Laws from P. L. Campbell, president of the University, at a luncheon held Saturday at the Portland hotel in Portland.

Dr. Thornton in 1884, at the request of Matthew P. Deady, then a member of the University board of trustees, established the first school of legal education in Portland with seven students the first year, and two in the first graduating class. The fact that the school was almost entirely self-supporting at first, asking nothing from the University, was especially mentioned in praise given to the courage and ability of the founder.

Work Is Recounted
During the ceremonies, the dean and doctor of laws, himself, sat, a small, kindly, white-haired old man, in his cap and gown, as he listened soberly to the men who told of his work and services. At some mention of the humorous events among his memories, the dean turned to President Campbell with a smile and some whispered comment. At no other time did his face assume other than a little tired, thoughtful attitude.

A talk on the scope of education formed a part of the newly made doctor of law's acceptance of the honor. He spoke of the need of better arrangement of the steps in education, which should make primary, high school and college education fit more closely together. The failure of education to accomplish all it should, in his opinion, is due to too much stressing of such subjects as classics and mathematics. "It would have been better for the England of today if the men of 100 years ago had paid more attention to economics than to oratory," he declared.

"The aim of education should be the discovery and development of genius," he continued. "It displays itself in various forms and more people have some special aptitude than we commonly suppose."

"Someone who should have known better, it may have been Buffon, the French naturalist, said that genius is merely an infinite capacity of taking pains. It is nothing of the kind—a man may indeed stifle the gift that is in him by laziness; but all the pains in the world will not make a genius out of a plodder—unless he can rise above his task."

Deady Was Blacksmith
He here mentioned the first president of the University board of regents, Matthew P. Deady. "He was at one time a blacksmith but he did not continue at his forge. He had ability and he knew he had it; he educated himself, and became in his day the foremost citizen of Oregon."

"The function of the University is not to discover genius, but to develop genius already discovered. And this I take to be the true meaning of the University motto: 'Mens agitat molem,' literally translated, 'Minds move mountains'."

DO-NUT GAMES SCHEDULED

Several Basketball Teams Will Play Second Game This Week

The schedule for the second week of do-nut basketball for women is announced by Florence Baker, head of basketball. Several of the teams will play their second game this week and the standings of the various organizations can soon be ascertained.

The games played yesterday were Pi Beta Phi vs. Chi Omega in League I, and Alpha Delta Pi vs. Delta Zeta of League II.

Tuesday, November 6, League I, Alpha Omicron Pi and Gamma Phi Beta; League II, Kappa Kappa Gamma and Alpha Phi.

Wednesday, November 7, League I, Delta Delta Delta and Kappa Alpha Theta; League II, Susan Campbell, team I, and Oregon club.

Thursday, November 8, League I, Hendricks hall, team I, and Susan Campbell, team II; League II, Alpha Phi and Delta Zeta.

Friday, November 9, has been held open for games which have been postponed and have not been played according to schedule.

A. T. O. LOSES TO BETA IN HARD GAME, 21 TO 28

Delta Tau Delta Takes in Bachelordom Quintet With Big Score, 41-11; Two Games Listed Today

The Beta Theta Pi hoopers wrested a hard-fought victory from the Alpha Tau Omega quintet yesterday afternoon by the score of 28 to 21. This was probably the best played game of the season to date, with both teams striving for every possible advantage.

The two teams opened up in the second half and played with every ounce of energy in them until the final whistle blew. The Betas played together

well and the scoring was fairly evenly divided, all but one of their men caging at least six points.

The Delta Tau Deita team won from the Bachelordom basketekers by the lopsided score of 41 to 11. The game was fairly hard fought during the first half, which ended 15 to 7.

The Delts started to find the basket in the last half, and with some phenomenal shooting coupled with some ragged checking on the part of the losers, managed to roll up the score. The game was especially noted for its "holding on" and became a regular "rough and tumble" affair during part of the second period. This defeat eliminates the Bachelordom team from second place in League C and leaves the Delts undisputed in their second berth.

The games for today:
Oregon Club vs. Sigma Nu at 5 p. m.
Kappa Sigma vs. Sigma Pi Tau at 4 p. m.

PI PHI AND DELTA ZETA WIN HARD FOUGHT TILTS

Dora Hyrup Stars With Expert Basket Shooting; Eileen Fargher Plays Good Game at Forward

A hard-fought game was played last night between Delta Zeta and Alpha Delta Pi with a final score of 32 to 20, in favor of Delta Zeta. The score indicates an easy game, but it was only with extra hard playing that Delta Zeta got the lead, since at the end of the first half it stood 15 to 14 for the winners. It was one of the most exciting games that have been played, with Dora Hyrup, Alpha Delta Pi forward, starring with her excellent basket shooting. For Delta Zeta, Eileen Fargher excelled in her position of forward, and Easter Craddock played a good game as guard. Emma Waterman refereed the game.

Pi Beta Phi beat Chi Omega by a narrow margin in the game played last night. The score was 11 to 9 at the end of the game and a tie of 5 to 5 at the end of the first half. The teamwork of both teams was good throughout, with Mildred Marsh starring as Chi Omega forward and Janet Wood playing an excellent game as center for Pi Phi. Adah Harkness refereed.

REX THEATER SHOWS LILA LEE IN ADE'S "WOMAN-PROOF"

Thomas Meighan's new Paramount star picture, "Woman-Proof," is the new play at the Rex theater. The story, written by George Ade, the American humorist, proved an excellent vehicle for the display of Mr. Meighan's talents, and is filled from start to finish with tense and humorous situations. Lila Lee is leading woman.

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Upton Close Will Recount Story of Oriental Republic

Josef Washington Hall, who is much better known under the pen name of Upton Close, author of numerous articles in leading magazines on present day China, will address the students at Thursday morning's assembly. The subject of his address will be "The Melodrama of Republican China."

Mr. Hall has been for the past seven years in China, where, as English secretary to a prominent Chinese general, he has had intimate contact with persons of power in that country and with affairs of the government. He comes to the campus with the highest recommendations as a lecturer. During the past year he has been in this country delivering lectures before the National Geographic society and other organizations in the east, and recently gave a public lecture course in Columbia University, New York. He is now on a lecture tour in the northwest under the management of the Ellison-White Lyceum bureau, addressing clubs and civic audiences.

He comes to the University for a limited stay, and the only opportunity for the entire student body to hear him will be at the assembly, though he will also address classes in journalism and foreign trade during his visit to the campus Thursday.

Magazines in which he has recently had articles are Asia, National Geographic, Outlook, Forum, Atlantic Monthly and other leading journals, which recognize him as an authority on political conditions in China.

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BOTANY CLASS PLANTS EXPERIMENTAL GARDEN

Bulbs of Native Lamb's Tongues Being Grown for Comparative Study and Classification

Bulbs of many native lambs' tongues have been planted in the experimental garden sponsored by the botany department. The garden is located south of the extension division building and the planting in the garden is going forward rapidly. The plants that are already planted will be used as a means of comparative study. Eight species of lambs' tongues, native in distinct regions of the state, are being used.

The work is undertaken by members of the advanced class in botany. Many plants native to Oregon have as yet been unclassified and through the results of this experimental study many of the plants will be classified.

One species of lambs' tongues, a rose

red form, found in the coast region, bounded by in Columbia river, the Coast range and Elsea bay, has never been classified accurately.

The garden will give the students a chance to grow the different species and will assist in classifying them, according to Dr. Albert R. Sweter, head of the botany department.

The students will determine exactly the stress of the state.

regions in which the plants occur and will map out these districts.

The botany department hopes to begin in the near future an arboretum on the campus in which will be grown native trees and shrubs that are adapted to this climate. The arboretum will likewise afford an opportunity for comparative study, and will give to visitors of the campus the chance to examine the native



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