

POISON OAK STILL PROVES MENACE

Difference in Hue Does Not Decrease Danger

DOCTOR GIVES REMEDIES

Cause of Infection Lies in Secretions of Oil

Poison oak, as much in style in the winter months as in the summer, is always present in one or more cases for treatment, according to Dr. W. K. Livingston, physician in charge of the clinic work. There are at present only a few cases, none of which are in the infirmary. The cases occurring now, he thinks, are probably due to the fact that the plant is so hard to recognize since its change in color. In the fall weather the brilliant hues of brown and red made it almost irresistible for decorating, while now it has only slender stalks and no foliage.

One house-mother has had a window box outside the window all fall, with poison oak in it, so that all the girls would know what to avoid. This might be a wise plan for others to follow, according to Dr. Livingston, as poison oak only comes through contact, because the oil particles, which are the real cause, are non-volatile and do not fly through the air, as many think. Any one who is very susceptible does not need to touch the plant to get its poison, but may get it from contact with clothing that has the oil particles on it.

Remedies are easily obtained and are usually effective if used immediately, declares Dr. Livingston. Some of the commonest are baking soda, laundry soap, and alcohol, all of which serve to remove the oil particles because of the alkali they contain. If alcohol is used it should be washed off after applying and not left to dry on the skin.

Toilet soaps do not dissolve the oil because they do not contain alkali. Potassium permanganate in a fairly strong solution will remove the oil, but it stains the skin a brownish purple which may only be removed with oxalic acid.

For those individuals with little resistance, there is a poison oak toxin which, when taken inwardly, builds up the individual resistance, making a much milder form, contained the doctor. There are also alcohol capsules for intermuscular injection. These remedies do not always cure, but tend to lighten the effect of the poison oak. The various washes used only tend to dry up and prevent spreading and itching. Dr. Livingston issued the warning that any of these will fail if the person waits too long before using.

Valuable Art Works in Warner Museum

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ing a school of art here which will make use of the influence of Oriental work. "I wish that we might evolve an art school of our own," she stated, "which will take over from the Japanese and the Chinese what is adaptable to our art and pleasing to us." She pointed out an example of this type of work which was done by Helen Hyde, the American artist who became famous for her interpretation of Oriental prints and translated their meaning into an expression of her own.

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some of her most noted work in Shanghai and from that experience has seen the possibility of such a work for other American artists who wish to express in their own fashion what they see of beauty in another realm of art.

Personal Library Included

It is in the interests of such a movement that Mrs. Warner has included her personal library containing both folios and illustrated volumes accompanied by notes which explain the significance of the originals of which illustrations are copies.

Several of the folios have been compiled by the curator at the Louvre in Paris and all contain copies of old and rare prints which make them of practical value to art students. A great deal of this type of work is carried on by the French and for this reason many of the editions are published in that language. The wide variety of design available for students to study is one of the features of these illustrated folios and is of obvious value to students of design and color theory.

The exhibits of these folios will be varied during the year, and although there is not adequate space for them in the present quarters of the museum, all of them will be shown at different times to the best advantage possible.

HIGH SCHOOL DEBATES

University High Students Show Keen Interest in Activity

The class in social problems at the University high school held a three-day debate this week on the subject of Socialism. The debate was watched by the entire school and a decided interest was shown in the ability of the speakers.

A movement has since been inaugurated by one of the members of the student body to make debating one of the activities of the school. He says that these class debaters showed a good deal of talent which could be improved with more study and practice and he also points out the advantage the school has in its access to the University library.

Eighteen Enroll in Advisory Courses

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who are interested in the work are invited to enroll and attend the meetings which Miss Price is giving. A fee of 50 cents is the only requirement for enrollment, as the money is used to buy the manuals and other material used in the classes.

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The males on the campus take notice also. Buy gifts for men that you would buy for yourself. Make this a Christmas of real joy to the men by giving them OBK'S pipes, cigarettes, cigarette holders, cigars, real tobacco and others too numerous to mention.

ADDITION TO FRIENDLY NEARING COMPLETION

Construction of Walks on Campus Delayed by Rainy Spell; Depot Unfinished

The addition at the rear of Friendly hall, which has been under construction for a number of days past and is now nearing completion is being built to accommodate an enlargement of the hall kitchen, necessitated by added refrigeration equipment, according to H. M. Fisher, superintendent of grounds and buildings.

It has been planned, Mr. Fisher says, to lay a number of new concrete sidewalks at different points on the campus where they will facilitate keeping the buildings clean and add to the convenience and comfort of the students.

This program was started in November, with the construction of the new walks at Oregon and commerce buildings, and laying of a new walk on the University street side of the architecture department. The concrete work now being done in front of the administration building is also part of the program which may have to be delayed if the weather becomes sufficiently unfavorable.

The shifting of headquarters of the University depot from the old building to the new power plant has met with a temporary delay. Some of the finishing touches to the interior are not yet complete and will require the attention of the carpenters, who for the past week have been heavily pressed with work in the repair department, according to Mr. Fisher.

SUSAN CAMPBELL HALL GETS NEW RULE CODE

Self-Government to be Tried in Girls' Organizations Under the Control of University

Susan Campbell hall is to make over its constitution. Until this time it has been similar to the majority of constitutions in being

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more or less indefinite on certain duties of its officers, and incomprehensible in some rules and regulations. The new constitution will itemize definitely the duties of each officer and set forth a code of rules that can be easily understood by the girls.

In addition to the improvement of the constitution, an experiment in self-government is to be made. This is possible because of the connection of the house-mothers of Susan Campbell and Hendricks halls with the administration of the University, and if the experiment is successful it may be definitely adopted.

"It is up to the girls to prove whether or not they are able and willing to have self-government in the halls," said Miss H. Broeksmit, who is house-mother of Susan Campbell hall.

GEOLOGY COLLECTION WILL BE ENLARGED

Fossils Found at Glide Oregon By Bryan Hendon; to Be Used for Master's Thesis

Additional fossils, including a large number of snails, are to be added to the collection in the geology department. The latest finds are specimens of the Eocene period found near Roseburg. Bryan Hendon, graduate assistant in the geology department, collected the fossils. Most of them were found at Glide, Oregon, in the region of the Umpqua river.

Hendon is at present studying and classifying the fossils. He will compare these recently discovered specimens with those at present in the collection of the geology department. The results of the analogy

will be used in part as material for his master's thesis.

Dr. E. L. Packard accompanied Hendon on his trip. He had previously made several trips to the region and located deposits containing numerous fossils. According to Dr. Packard the formations in this locality are particularly abundant in specimens of the Eocene period. Dr. Packard spent two days in the region, working with Hendon.

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an entirely new spiritual adventure. All who seek a church in which there is freedom of thinking and speaking and tolerance in all matters of opinion are invited to worship in our "Little Church of the Human Spirit."

The sermon Sunday morning will be by the pastor Frank Fay Eddy discuss the themes "Christianity at the Judgment Bar." The soloist at this service will be Dale Cooley.

Dr. Andrew Fish will lecture on "British Problems" at 7:30 p. m. in the auditorium of the church under the auspices of the Laymen's League.

In connection with the Church School which meets immediately after the Morning Service the pastor has a class in the philosophy of religion for University men, and Mrs. Vera Todd Crow another class in the study of the New Testament for University women. These classes meet in the Manse adjoining the church.

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