

### EASTERN ARTISTS WILL PRESENT THREE PLAYS

#### Stewart Walker Company Praised by Dr. Rebec

Apropos of the visit of the Stewart Walker players, who will be in Eugene February 5 and 6, Dean George Rebec, dean of the graduate school and professor of philosophy, addressed a large group of townspeople and members of the University community, in the Woman's building, Monday night. Dr. Rebec spoke on the "Book of Job," from which one of the plays of the Walker company is taken, and Miss Hair told of successes which the Walker players have met with elsewhere.

These players, who have been appearing in the east for some time with marked success, are playing to western audiences for the first time. They will be in Portland for five days before coming here. They will give three performances in Eugene, two in the evening and one in the afternoon.

Tuesday night, February 5, they will present "Gods of the Mountain," which is reputed to be in itself an artistic triumph. The next afternoon there will be a matinee at which a group called "Three David Plays" will be put on. The three plays are: "Six Who Pass While Lentils Boil," "Sir David Wears a Crown," and "The King's Great Aunt." The last night, Wednesday, they will present "The Book of Job," and of all the Walker plays, this is praised most highly by the critics.

"I believe that the 'Book of Job' is undoubtedly the greatest masterpiece of human artistic genius," declared Dr. Rebec Monday night. "It is the Hebrew genius at its sublimest. It is not historic; it is essentially and substantially dramatic, and as such is one of the world's greatest masterpieces."

Dr. Rebec explained the context of the book, taking care to point out the reactions of Job to his trials, and the influence which the three friends had upon his life.

"The Book of Job," concluded the Dean, "presents a picture of a universe so mighty that man must wonder at it, and wait upon it in wonder and in patience. It portrays man incurably and irradically religious."

Miss Hair referred to press and personal comments upon the plays to illustrate the popularity and praise they have met with wherever they have been given. Mrs. Mary Watson Barnes, of the English department, Miss Fitch, and Miss Hair herself, are among University of Oregon persons who have seen one or all of the Walker productions, and who cannot overestimate the pleasure and profit which they gained thereby.

### RACE QUESTION ONE RAISED IN CONVENTION

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ing the world today, if the opinion of scores of international speakers and of the six thousand representatives of a thousand institutions of higher learning in the United States and Canada, assembled at the Student Volunteer convention, can be taken as a criterion of public opinion among the educated classes. If that be true, it may be assumed that it is worth while to consider some of the opinions offered there, and in very way possible try to inform ourselves on this important world-wide issue.

Dr. Willus J. King of Atlanta, Ga., colored, had this to say about race prejudice:

"One of the most difficult problems in our world today is that commonly known as the 'race problem,'" he said. "This is true from whatever angle we view it, whether racial, national or international, and there are those who believe that the next great war is in the making; that it will be a race war; that in comparison to it, the recent world war will hardly be a circumstance in the ferocity with which the struggle will be waged and the ruin and destruction that will result from this battle of the races."

"Human personality must be held sacred and we must stop all lynchings," he continued, bringing the problem of race prejudice home to the United States. "Must there be hatred and bloodspilling forever? I would suggest a more excellent way. It is the way of Jesus."

"We must recognize that each group has a distinct contribution to be made to the total life of the human race," he continued.

Dr. Y. Y. Tsu, professor in St. John's University, Shanghai, China, held the opinion that "race prejudice is engendered also by politicians and by politically controlled newspapers."

It was discovered in discussion groups that student opinions differed greatly. Each group had representatives of a hundred or more col-

leges from all sections of the United States. Some of the students held that there should be no racial distinctions. Others said if there were such distinctions they should be drawn cooperatively.

A large group were in favor of racial equality without intermarriage. Other suggestions offered as a possible solution were a single standard of morals, equal opportunity regardless of race or color, social relations to be considered a personal not a corporate matter, that segregation is only a temporary expedient, and that prejudice, varying according to contact, need be made a major topic for consideration only where it is a major problem.

Means suggested for the elimination of race prejudice were, fostering of discussion groups on the campuses, changing the tone of the press of the country, the recognition of personality regardless of race, color or creed, and an exchange of professorships.

All students on the campus are invited to take issue with any of the above statements. Ample opportunity will be given in discussion groups dealing with this problem for any student to give vent to his opinions and to offer his contribution toward a more thorough understanding of this and other world-wide issues.

### MANY PREPPERS TO MEET FRIDAY

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special benefit of this conference to the institution is that contact between promising high school students and the University is established.

#### PROGRAM

Joint Meeting—Villard Hall  
Claude Robinson, president of the Associated Students, presiding.

9:00—Welcome, Dr. P. L. Campbell, president of the University.

9:20—"Interscholastic Understanding," Hon. J. A. Churchill, state superintendent of public instruction.

9:50—"Aims of the Conference," Claude Robinson.

10:20—Division of the conference.

Student Body Officers—Villard Hall  
John Carson, Hood River, president of Student Body Officers, presiding.

10:30—Report on conference and reading of minutes. The president and Miss Marguerite Jackson, secretary.

11:00—"Student Body Organization," Supt. C. A. Howard, Marshfield.

11:30—"Competitive Sports," Harry A. Scott, professor of physical education, University of Oregon.

Editors and Managers—Lecture Hall, School of Journalism

Paul G. Trueblood, Roseburg high school, president of the Oregon High School association, presiding.

10:30—Report on conference and reading of minutes of the previous meeting.

10:40—"A Survey and a Forecast," John Piper, chairman of conference committee.

10:50—"What High School Publications Can Do," Dean Eric W. Allen, school of journalism.

11:20—"Getting and Writing Advertising," W. F. G. Thacher, professor of advertising, school of journalism.

Officers of Girls' Leagues—Guild Hall

Miss Georgia Benson, president of the University of Oregon Women's league, presiding.

10:30—Violin solo, Miss Jane O'Reilly. "The College Woman," Mrs. Virginia Judy Esterly, dean of women, University of Oregon.

"Women's League in College Activities," Miss Georgia Benson. Vocal solo, Miss Gwladys Keeney. "The Women's League Scholarship," Miss Andree Pellion, holder of the Women's league scholarship.

"Vocational Opportunities of College-trained Women," Miss Grace Edgington, English department, University of Oregon.

12:00—Luncheon for all delegates at organization houses and residence halls.

Student Body Officers—Villard Hall

1:30—"The Student Body and the Community," Supt. C. A. Howard, Marshfield.

1:50—Discussion.

2:00—"Junior Chambers of Commerce," Julian Ager, president of the student body, Klamath Falls high school; and Dan Poling, president of the student body, Albany high school.

2:20—Discussion.

2:30—"Leadership for All," Claude Robinson.

2:50—Discussion.

3:00—"High School Debating," Supt. A. C. Strange, Astoria.

3:30—Tour of campus with Oregon Knights as guides.

Editors and Managers—Lecture Hall, School of Journalism

1:30—"The Editorial Page,"

Dean Colin V. Dymont, college of literature, science, and the arts, University of Oregon.

2:00—Discussion.

2:10—"The Function of the Advisor of Student Publications," Ray D. Fisher, advisor of (The McMinnvillian) McMinnville high school.

2:30—Discussion.

2:40—"The Feature Element of the News," Fred Boalt, editor of the Portland News.

3:20—"Editing a Student Paper," Arthur Rudd, editor the Emerald.

Jack Hempstead, editor the Amplifier, West Linn high school.

3:50—Tour of the campus for student delegates with Oregon Knights as guides.

3:50—Round table for faculty advisers, led by Dean Allen.

Officers of the Girls' Leagues—Condon Hall, Administration Bldg.

1:30—"Scholarship," Prof. Mary Watson Barnes, English department, University of Oregon. "The Girls' League in the Community," Mrs. Eric W. Allen. "The Girls' League in the High School," Anna DeWitt. General discussion by high school delegates. Election of officers.

3:30—Tour of campus with University of Oregon Theatians as guides.

5:00—Adjournment.

Friday Evening—Woman's Building  
Annual banquet of delegates. President P. L. Campbell, toastmaster.

8:00—College Night: Selections by the University of Oregon orchestra, Rex Underwood, director. Women's Glee club. Award of University of Oregon athletic emblems. "In Black and White," by Frank Short, cartoonist. Cello solo, by Laura Techner, University school of music. Dialogue, Waldemar Seton and Eugene Kelley. Tenor solo, John Siefert, University school of music. Tumbling act, school of physical education students. Men's Glee club.

Saturday Morning  
Student Body Officers—Villard Hall

9:00—"The Student Body and School Administration," Prof. F. L. Stetson, school of education, University of Oregon.

9:30—"The College Freshman Finds His Place," Mr. Dean H. Walker, supervisor of student loan funds.

9:50—"County and State Athletics," Supt. A. C. Strange, Astoria, and David J. Jones, principal Eugene high school.

10:30—Discussion of student finances, dramatic productions, musical organizations, service societies, support of welfare movements, better city cooperation, and miscellaneous activities.

Editors and Managers—Auditorium, University High School

9:00—"The Newspaper vs. the Magazine," editor the Jefferson high school Spectrum, Portland.

9:15—"The Magazine vs. the Newspaper."

9:30—Discussion.

9:40—"Make-up" (illustrated), Prof. Robert C. Hall, school of journalism.

10:20—"How to Edit and Annual," Hal E. Hoss, managing editor Oregon City Enterprise and President the Oregon State Editorial association.

10:40—"Newswriting" (illustrated), Prof. George S. Turnbull, school of journalism.

11:10—"The Mimeographed Newspaper," Gertrude Sharkey, editor the Argus, Gresham high school.

11:20—"High School Notes Sections," Franklin Kidney, editor school notes, Clatskanie high school, and George Watkins Storey, Lincoln high school, Portland.

11:40—The question box.

Officers of Girls' Leagues

9:45—Corset Cloth Show, Guild hall, administration building.

11:00—Demonstration of women's

athletics, by University Women's Athletic association. Miss Florence Alden, professor of physical education, leader, Woman's building.

12:00—Luncheon for all delegates at organization houses and halls of residence.

Saturday Afternoon

1:00—Student body officers, Villard hall; election of officers.

1:00—Editors and managers, lecture hall, school of journalism; election of officers.

1:45—Joint meeting of student body officers, editors and managers, an officers of girls' leagues.

1:50—"Law Enforcement," Hon. Walter Pierce, governor of Oregon.

2:30—Award of high school journalism efficiency certificates, Prof. Ralph D. Casey, school of journalism.

2:50—Conference picture in front of Villard hall.

3:00—Adjournment of conference.

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Etchings Excellent

Jacques has tried his hand at Oregon scenery recently, and several of these canvases are exhibited among the Belgian and Dutch scenes.

The etchings are especially worthy of praise. They are displayed under glass on the tables in the middle of the room. The artist is seen to be a good draftsman, and one with a sense of design. The color prints are strong and full of feeling.

TEACHERS WILL MEET

E. F. Carleton Will Address Local Teachers' Institute

E. F. Carleton, field representative of the extension division, will address a zone meeting of Douglas county teachers at Oakland, Oregon, on Saturday, January 12. The teachers in this zone are making a study of Dr. C. A. Gregory's book on educational measurements and Mr. Carleton is to hear their reports and discuss their questions.

Mr. Carleton will also visit different local teachers' institutes during the coming months. He will visit those in Yamhill, Washington, Klamath, Jackson and Josephine counties. In each of these, the county superintendent has asked Mr. Carleton to instruct the teachers how to use group intelligence tests.

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