

MUCH BUSINESS DONE BY REGENTS

Purchase of Ground for Student Union Building Authorized By Board

PRESIDENT GREETED

Dyment Granted Year of Absence to Be Used in Study and Travel

A great quantity of business was transacted by the University board of regents at its quarterly session, Saturday. The board sent greetings to President P. L. Campbell, who is ill at his home on the campus, and authorized the purchase of ground for a student union building, of which \$286,500 had been pledged by the undergraduates, granted leaves of absence to staff members and appointed two new assistant professors.

Letter Sent President
Governor Walter M. Pierce, Mrs. Irene H. Gerlinger and Colonel William S. Gilbert, as a committee for the board, sent the following letter to the president:

"This committee was appointed to bear to you our most cordial greetings, and to express to you the heartening influence your presence in our midst is having, not only to the board, but to the entire personnel of the University, and, indeed, of the state. We assure you it is the universal hope that you may fully regain your strength. We miss you greatly in the University, but everybody is loyally endeavoring to bear his full share in the work of the institution during your absence."

The board authorized the purchase of 160 by 192 feet of ground at the northeast corner of Fourteenth avenue and Kincaid street, upon which the student union building will be constructed. This was in fulfillment of a promise that if the students pledged \$200,000, the site would be provided.

Dean Dymont Gets Leave
Colin V. Dymont, dean of the college of literature, science and the arts, was granted a year's leave of absence by the board, which he will spend in study and travel abroad. Dean Dymont has been in university work continuously since September, 1913, and has spent most of the summers since that time in administrative and teaching work following the regular session. He desired a year of complete liberty for uninterrupted study and relaxation.

The board deferred the appointment of an acting dean of the college until a later meeting. Dean Dymont will be accompanied abroad by his wife, Dr. Bertha Stuart Dymont, who is medical consultant for women at the University. They plan to sail in July. The Oregon man will read in the universities of Paris, Prague and Vienna, and plans also to visit the old battlefields of the 91st division in France and Belgium. Dean Dymont served for almost a year during the war as American Red Cross search, with the rank of first lieutenant, with the 91st and later wrote a partial history of its service.

Following his return from abroad, Dean Dymont will be prepared to report to the 91st division associations the present condition of the terrain over which the troops fought. His research in the European universities will be in the field of history. He is interested in reading at Paris the records pertaining to the French period of colonization in Canada, from 1534 to 1763. At Prague and Vienna, Dean Dymont will study

JUNIOR VODVIL
Tickets for the Junior Vodvil, it was announced, will be reserved for the faculty in precedence to other orders. As soon as all the mail order tickets are in, they will be gone over, and care will be taken to see that the orders of the University faculty will be attended to before all others.

Saturday Classes Said To Relieve Congestion

Schedule Committee Head Represents Need of Change

By W. P. Boynton
(Chairman Schedule Committee)

There seems to be considerable student misunderstanding of the plan proposed to the faculty by the schedule committee, hence the committee asks the privilege of space in the Emerald to explain more fully. The motion under consideration is as follows:

To open Saturday to the regular scheduling of classes: i. e. to adjust the present scheduling scheme so that it will be possible to arrange a 3-3 and 4-2 plan for classes, with an opening for morning laboratories. (These changes would, of course, not go into effect until the next college year.)

There is no intention in the minds of the committee, or of the faculty to force Saturday morning classes on all students, or to make a Saturday class obligatory for any student, any more than is done at present.

Situation is Explained

As some of your correspondents have pointed out, there are many less classes in the afternoon than in the morning. This is due to two things: first, a great majority of the freshmen and sophomores are taking science or art courses; the laboratory work for these, together with the physical education and military will generally prevent most of these lower division students from taking afternoon courses which meet at one, two, or three o'clock. Second, a certain dislike on the part of the student body is also responsible for the small enrollment in afternoon classes whenever they are offered in competition with morning classes in the same subject. As long as the University gives the students the privilege of making their own schedule, and arranging their days to suit their own conveniences—a privilege which should be extended, not limited—it is quite probable that afternoon classes will not flourish in any great number. Arbitrary assignment to certain classes at certain periods is, however, contrary to the spirit of Oregon, which spirit holds for the greatest freedom compatible with high grade work, both for students and faculty.

New System Supported

Saturday classes are not a new thing on the campus, as students in the schools of architecture, business administration, and law, know. The schedule committee will attempt to make these less inconvenient, and to make it possible for those who have Saturday classes to arrange for an entire day off at some other one day of the week. This, far from interfering with the self-supporting student, should give him the advantage of a flexibility of schedule which should increase the chance of getting a job, since work can better be arranged to meet the employer's demands.

Suggested Plan Presented

The plan, then, as proposed by the schedule committee is twofold: 1—To re-arrange the present hour-schedule so that duplicate sections could be given in some such arrangement (for three hour courses, say) as Monday, Wednesday and Friday for one, and Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for another, or any other combination which would best suit all of the various needs of the University. The extension classes in Portland which are taught by numerous professors from the campus would need to be taken into consideration also. At the present time one three-hour class ties up the class room at that hour for the whole week except where one of the few two-hour classes can be scheduled in the same room on the two other days of the five day week. There are at present, quite a number of classes which are so large that for the next year—or at any rate the year after—the work will have to be given in at least two sections, as the rooms are already filled to capacity. Other classes are of the type which must be limited in enrollment if the instruction is worthwhile. Large classes are an injustice to the student in many cases as they inevitably increase the proportion of failures. 2—To arrange the morning schedule of classes so that the days will correlate in a way to make morning laboratories possible, thus releasing the

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RULES SELECTED FOR CANOE FETE

Color, Artistic Excellence, Conception, Composition, To Be Points Stressed

TICKETS ON SALE SOON

The rules upon which the judges will make their decisions in the selection of the best floats entered at the canoe fete have been decided upon, according to Clarence Toole who is chairman of the canoe fete.

Conception will be the first consideration. This will include the idea and the originality with which it is carried out. Expression and appropriateness to the setting also fall under this heading; and if several floats seem to have equal merit in all respects, the one which is the most appropriate to the mill race will be selected as the best.

Compositions, Color Factors

The second point to be considered is composition, which includes three factors. Balance, rhythm and harmony are the bases for selection on this point.

Color is named as the third; and as a large part of the effectiveness of the float depends upon the color scheme, emphasis is being placed on this rule.

The fourth point listed is the artistic excellence in general. General fitness to the occasion, as well as the aesthetic qualities, are included.

Judges to Have Rules

Each judge will be given a set of the rules for judging the floats. Each point listed will count one-fourth. The judges who have been chosen will be given special seats so that they may see every detail of each float as it passes down the race. The men's house and the women's house which wins first place will each receive a silver cup as an award. Honorable mention will be given to the two floats which are considered next best.

There are several organizations which have not submitted their names yet, although the final date for turning in the names to the chairman was set for May 1. All of those who have not done so are urged to phone or give their float names to Clarence Toole immediately, for the programs can not be printed until all names are listed. The ticket sale for the canoe fete will probably begin some time during the coming week.

The judges for the fete are as follows: Miss Maude I. Kerns, of the art department; Dean H. Walker; and Frederick S. Dunn.

VARSITY AND FROSH WIN IN TENNIS MEET

In a closer meet than was anticipated, the Oregon tennis teams, varsity and freshmen, won from O. A. C. last Saturday. The varsity came out ahead by a 5 to 4 score, while the freshmen defeated the Rooks 5 to 2.

The matches were all hard fought, with several sets running into deuce. Hayden, Oregon, won his match 10-8 and 6-1, while Myers lost to Ekern, 7-5, 6-3, and Meade, Oregon, was defeated by Harris, 2-6, 6-4, 6-2. Okerberg, Oregon, won from Atkinson, two sets 6-4, 6-4, and Adams Oregon, took two sets from Allison, 6-2, 6-1.

The two teams broken even on the doubles, Atkinson and Harris winning 4-6, 7-5, 6-4 from Okerberg and Hayden, and Myers and Meade winning 7-5, 6-3 from Blain and Ekern.

The frosh had little difficulty in taking the majority of their matches, coming out ahead with a 5 to 2 score.

VARSITY LOSES TO IDAHO 7-10

Loose Work Gives Vandals Advantage After Faulty Play in Beginning Innings

VISITORS GET SAFE LEAD

Rex Adolph Hits First Homer On New Lot; Reinhart Tries to Repeat But Fails

By Wilbur Wester

After apparently salting down the Oregon-Idaho baseball game yesterday afternoon with a five-run lead in the first inning, the varsity was unable to hold the Vandals in check in the middle of the battle, finally losing by a 10 to 7 score.

The tilt was featured with frequent periods of flashy play, contrasting with a lot of really very loose work. Williams, who twirled for the Webfooters, was erratic, allowing the visitors to bunt their hits for a safe lead. He had his strike-out ball working, however, and whiffed nine of the visitors.

Long Drive by Adolph

One of the outstanding hits of the game was a long drive from the stick of Rex Adolph which went for the first home run made on the new diamond. Frank Reinhart also knocked the ball out of the lot, but was caught at home when he barely missed stretching his hit into a round-trip.

The game started with Ray Williams on the mound for Oregon. Williams retired the first three opposing batters that faced him in rapid succession. In the second half of the inning, the varsity stick-men started a regular "merry-go-round" circling the bags for five runs on two hits, materially aided by several costly errors by the Vandal infielders. It was in this first frame that Adolph knocked his "homer" with Sam Cook and Jack Bliss on bases.

Vandals Score in Third

The Vandals did not start scoring till the third inning, when Kieffner, Wicks, and Howerton crossed the plate. Then in the fourth, the visitors stepped to the front and tied the score when Vesper and Howerton broke into the run column, tying the count at 5 to 5. From the fifth canto until the end of the game, the northerners held onto the lead.

With the score standing 10 to 6 in the ninth inning, it appeared as if the game was on ice for the visitors. However, when Hobson reached first on a scorching single to third and Jack Bliss drove Hobson home on a long drive that went for a triple, it still gave the Oregon fans a faint hope of a possible victory. Lynn Jones failed to connect with the ball, and the final rally was over.

Pullman Game Tomorrow

This is the first defeat suffered by the varsity on the new diamond. On Wednesday at 4 o'clock, the Webfooters will meet the strong Washington State nine.

Lineup and summary:

| Oregon | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|--------------|----|---|----|----|---|---|
| Reinhart, cf | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Mimnaugh, rf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Hobson, 2b | 5 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Bliss, c | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Jones, lf | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Cook, 3b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Adolph, 1b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| West, ss | 4 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Williams, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Brooks, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 40 | 7 | 13 | 15 | 8 | 3 |
| Idaho | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
| Kieffner, 2b | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| Lchrbs, 3b | 5 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Wicks, rf | 5 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Lawson, ss | 5 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Cameron, cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Vesper, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Green, lf | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Howerton, c | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Fields, p | 3 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Beal, cf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

ED. MILLER IN RACE FOR EDITOR'S POST

Board of Regents Gives Approval to Fee Plan

HEADS OF HOUSE MEETING CALLED

Group in Complete Accord With Proposed Action; Brief of System Listed

BUILDING POSSIBLE SOON

ARGUMENTS GIVEN FOR ACCEPTANCE OF \$5 FEE

If the \$5.00 term building fee is favored by the students:

- The necessary bleachers will be built this summer.
- The basketball pavilion, otherwise impossible, will be built next year.
- The Student Union, instead of at some remote and distant time will be constructed within three years.
- The \$60,000 paid during the students' four years on the campus will benefit the building fund more than a pledge of \$100—payable ten years after matriculation.
- At the present enrollment \$45,000 will be available each year for building purposes.
- The fund under the joint control of the executive council and the board of regents can be expended only for approved building purposes.
- The students through their representatives in the executive council will have a check on the disposition of their own money.
- It will maintain and develop Oregon's athletic prestige by providing the essential structures.
- Our building program will be credited on the Student Union gift pledges.
- A perpetual building program will be insured.
- Our fees would still be lower than nearly all of our sister universities.

Following the unanimous vote of the student and executive councils, the board of regents and the heads of houses gave their unqualified approval to the \$5.00 term fee plan, at their respective meetings over

JANE THACHER WRITES ARTICLE ON GREAT MAESTRO OF VIENNA

Mrs. Jane Thacher, head of the piano department in the school of music, is the author of an article appearing in the April number of the Musical West and Northwest Musician entitled "Theodore Leschetizky; Memories of the Great Maestro," which is the first of a series written by her to appear in this magazine, one of the foremost musical publications of the Northwest. Frederic Shipman, business manager of the Musical West and Northwest Musician, is enthusiastic concerning Mrs. Thacher both as a pianist and as a writer and asked her to write her personal recollections of Leschetizky, under whom she studied in Vienna.

Mr. Shipman is the author of an article appearing in a recent number of the Northwest Musician entitled "Jane Thacher, Pianist Plus Personality." Following is an excerpt from the article:

"Ah—the madeloides has poetry!" was Theodore Leschetizky's delighted comment when Jane Thacher first played for him.

"That comment still holds true— for possibly poetry—poetry—the plasticity of the imagination which enables the player to enter completely into the mood of the composer, and to transmit to those who hear, the full beauty of his message, still remains the predominant

the week-end.

The board of regents, after due deliberation, passed the following motion made by Governor Pierce and seconded by Regent Gordon, "that the board of regents will fix a fee of \$5.00 to be collected at the time of registration in accordance with the above amendment to the Student Body constitution providing that this amendment received a two-thirds voting in the A. S. U. O. election on May 13, 1925."

Heads of Houses Meet

The meeting of heads of houses called by Randall Jones, president of the student body yesterday afternoon was for the purpose of presenting clearly the issues involved in the \$5.00 term fee plan so that they in turn can be presented to the members of the living organizations. The discussion ensued, revolved around the points in the box above. The bleachers on Kincaid field have been condemned and can no longer be used, and there is no basketball floor in town that is large enough for the big games. The Armory is not adequate and the schedule must be sacrificed when some big meeting comes to town. The passing of this amendment would mean that the new bleachers can be built this summer, and the basketball pavilion of which drawings have been made, would probably be finished by the next basketball season.

It was also shown that the \$60,000 paid during the student's four years on the campus will benefit the building fund more than a pledge of \$100.00 payable ten years after matriculation. In the first place only about 85 per cent of the campus subscribed to the campus drive. Of this there is a 10 per cent loss to death, and 80 per cent due to non-payment. Approximately 50 per cent of the subscriptions will eventually be paid, realizing only \$108,000 in ten years. Next year with the proposed plan, \$45,000 would be collected. The bleachers would cost \$15,000 and the basketball pavilion, \$60,000. \$52,000 would be enough to start construction and the balance could be paid in a year and a half.

Students to Control Funds

The expenditure of this money will not be taken out of the students hands for they will have a check on the disposition of the money through their representatives in the Student Council. Also it can be spent only for building purposes which are approved by the executive council and the board of

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LOWELL BAKER UP FOR COUNCIL

Political Campaign Begins With Candidacy of Two Men; "Dope" Lacking

SIXTEEN POSITIONS OPEN

Nominations to Be Made At Regular Student Body Assembly on Thursday

CANDIDATES ANNOUNCED FOR A. S. U. O. POSITIONS

- President
Vice-President
Secretary
Editor of Emerald
Edward Miller
Executive Council
Senior Woman (one year)
Junior Man (two years)
Student Council
Senior Men (three)
Senior Women (two)
Junior Men (two)
Lowell Baker
Sophomore Man
Yell King
Editor of Oregon

By D. W.

The first shot in the annual campus political battle was fired yesterday afternoon when Edward Miller, senior in the school of journalism, walked into the editor's office and announced his desire of sitting at the Emerald editor's desk next year.

Miller is well-known on the campus and has been prominent in the student body and on the staff of the daily. Last year he served as reporter, night editor and day editor, being chosen managing editor for this year. He served in that capacity during the fall term, when he resigned from the staff. During the recent Student Union drive Miller was appointed head of publicity and had charge of advertising the campaign. He was elected senior man on the student council last spring. Miller is a member of Bachelordon, Friars, Sigma Delta Chi, Sigma Upsilon, and Hammer and Coffin.

Council Berth Sought

Lowell Baker, sophomore, will run for junior man on the student council. Baker was president of the freshman class in his first year, and has been active in committee work, serving as a captain during the recent drive. He is a member of Friendly hall and Oregon Knights.

Although but two more issues of the Emerald remain before the day for candidates to be nominated at the regular student body assembly, Miller and Baker were the only two aspirants who felt like taking the initial plunge into the political waters yesterday. Apparently there has been less talk this year than formerly concerning the A. S. U. O. elections.

More Candidates Possible

However, it is expected that a considerable number will gain courage now that the ice is broken and it is not unlikely that the editor's office will be more or less bombarded this afternoon with the names and credentials of aspiring office seekers anxious to serve the student body. From now until the election day, Wednesday, May 13, there will be much in the way of whispered conversations, discussion of "dark horse" possibilities, "bosses," and other exciting gossip. Candidacy stories will be printed in tomorrow's and Thursday's issues. Names must be turned in at the editor's office before 6 p. m.

SENIORS ATTENTION

Class meeting this afternoon at 5:00 sharp in Oregon building. Important to all class members. Meeting will be short.