

# ASHLAND WINS DEBATE TITLE

McLoughlin High School Defeated 2 to 1

## REFERENDUM QUESTION

DeCou Cup is Awarded to Victorious Team

Ashland won the state high school debating championship by defeating McLoughlin Union high school of Milton-Freewater last night in Villard hall by a two to one decision. The two teams met as a result of winning the championship in the eastern and western divisions of the state. The winning debaters were awarded the DeCou cup by Professor E. E. DeCou as a token of the victory.

Judges were Robert W. Prescott, Dean E. C. Robbins, and Prof. Hugh E. Ross. Representatives of the winning team upheld the negative side of the question, Resolved, "That the referendum is a desirable feature of representative government," were Bernard Joy, and Marion Leach. They were coached by Rosa Dodge Galey.

### Points Clear Out

Roy Herndon and Chester Babcock coached by B. H. Conkle, upheld the affirmative side of the question for Milton-Freewater. Arthur M. Cannon, president of the Oregon High School Debating league and a resident of Hood River, presided at last night's debate. The affirmative based its case on three main points. First, the referendum is demanded by the people. Second, it is truly in accordance with democratic government. Third, it has been used successfully in practice.

The winning Ashland team denounced the referendum system as a desirable feature of representative government on four issues. First: The referendum has not been a success in Oregon. Second: It is not practical in all countries having representative government. Third: It strikes at the very root of representative government. Fourth: Legislation should not be in the hands of the people themselves as it necessarily is under the referendum.

This year there were 84 high schools in the debating league. The state is divided into seven districts, four in the western and three in the eastern part of the state. Pendleton won in 1922, and 1923. Salem won in 1924. The DeCou cup becomes permanent possession of high school winning it in three different years.

## SUMMER WORK SET IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Those wishing to register in courses in physical education this summer will probably have an opportunity to choose their work from a fairly extensive list of subjects.

Dean John Bovard, with Miss Cecil Johnson, director of physical education in the Albany public schools, will have charge of general educational subjects. Miss Johnson will devote her time to elementary gymnastics, swimming, dancing, and sports, while Dean Bovard will have charge of the upper division. Two particular courses will be offered by Dean Bovard, one, "Problems in Physical Education," will be given for the benefit of physical educators and administrators of physical education, and will have as its purpose to show what physical education is trying to accomplish. His other course will be "School Health Problems" and the main ideas stressed in this course will be the organization of programs for health in schools and the relation of school health programs to physical education, to general education plans and to community health. These two courses are expected to be especially beneficial to instructors of physical education in rural districts.

Virgil Earl, who as coach at Washington high school in Portland proved his ability to turn out good athletes, many of whom later became Oregon football stars, will have charge of classes in football and track.

William Reinhart, who is considered one of the ablest young coaches in the Northwest and has been baseball and basketball coach for the past year on the campus, will have charge of basketball and baseball this summer.

**OREGANS AVAILABLE**  
Copies of the 1925 Oregon are now available at the Graduate Manager's office in the old Journalism building. Students must call for their books by June 1 in order to save the \$2.00 deposit. Exceptions to this rule will be made if sufficient reason is given. A few extra copies are still obtainable.

## PROF. J. HADAMARD MAY VISIT CAMPUS IN JUNE

Prof. J. Hadamard of Paris, world famous mathematician, is likely to visit the Oregon campus, Prof. E. E. DeCou, head of the mathematics department, said yesterday. Professor Hadamard is to lecture before a meeting of the San Francisco Section of the Mathematical Society to be held here June 19.

This will be the first regular meeting of the society to be held in the Pacific Northwest, said Professor DeCou, who points out that it is a great honor to have the meeting placed here without solicitation. It was largely through the work of Stanford and University of Southern California men that the meeting was given to Oregon, said the professor, characterizing the gathering as "an unusual privilege, for it is on rare occasions that such a famous scientist can be brought to the Pacific coast."

The meeting will be held on the campus June 19, and the following day the members of the society will be taken on a scenic trip up the McKenzie river. Many members along the Pacific coast have already sent in their acceptances of invitations sent out, said Professor DeCou.

## PARADE WILL CLOSE WORK OF R. O. T. C.

Schedule for Turning in Equipment Given

All work in the University R. O. T. C. department will terminate with the battalion parade on Thursday afternoon. Such examinations as are being given will have been completed by that time and no plans have been made for the participation of the R. O. T. C. unit in Memorial day exercises.

Advanced students in the department, and band men will be required to turn in all equipment on Friday and Saturday, May 29 and 30, according to Captain Frank L. Culin, executive officer of the department.

Beginning Monday, June 1, and continuing through the week, all cadets will turn in their equipment at the issue window of the commissary room, in accordance with a schedule which has been worked out, to prevent unnecessary delays. The schedule, by companies, is as follows:

Monday, June 1, companies A and F; Tuesday, June 2, company B; Wednesday, June 3, company C; Thursday, June 4, company D; and Friday, June 5, company E. The issue window will be kept open from 8:30 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. on those days, and cadets are requested to follow the proposed schedule.

"These uniforms and articles of equipment are the property of the United States government, and failure to turn in any of the articles will result in a charge against the student, which will be based on the scale prescribed in the latest regulations issued from the war department," said Captain Culin.

"The students who turn in all of their equipment will be entitled to the complete refund of \$5.00, which was deposited at the beginning of the school year. Credit slips for the amount refunded will be issued to each student upon the receipt of the equipment by Sergeant Powers, of the commissary department, and these slips may be presented at the University Comptroller's office for payment," he declared.

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## SENIOR WOMEN TO BE HONORED AT BREAKFAST

List of Guests and Escorts Posted at Library

Lists have been posted on the bulletin board in the library and at the Bungalow bearing the names of senior women who are to escort them to the Senior Breakfast Saturday morning, May 30, at 8:30 in the Women's building. Eloise Buck, general chairman of the event, which is given annually by the Y. W. C. A., has also announced her committee chairmen.

Miss Florence Magowan, secretary of the Y. W. C. A., requests that each junior and sophomore make a special effort to look up the guest assigned to her and invite her as soon as possible.

"Juniors and sophomores who won't be able to take seniors should report either to me or Miss Buck by Thursday noon," Miss Magowan said, further. There are usually irregularities in the list, she went on to say, but if such reports are made early enough, other provisions will be made for escorting seniors who would otherwise be uninvited. Miss Buck further requests that the juniors in the organizations see that all the seniors are invited, in case the assigned escort fails to call.

Miss Buck has named the following to assist her in the arrangements for the breakfast: Virginia Keeney, chairman of flowers and table decorations committee; Katherine Ulrich, chairman of committee to arrange and set tables; Frances Bourhill, chairman of serving committee; Dorothy Henderson, chairman of clean-up committee.

Representatives have also been appointed in each of the women's organizations to take care of the selling of tickets. Miss Buck asks that these representatives turn in the money today either to her or to Miss Magowan at the Bungalow. Girls living in town may procure their tickets at the Bungalow. Tickets are 50 cents apiece and admit two.

## DEAN EARL KILPATRICK HAS LEAVE EXTENDED

Dean Earl Kilpatrick, head of the extension division and now on leave of absence to carry on reconstruction work for the Red Cross in the tornado stricken section of the Mississippi valley, has had his leave extended that he may continue his work. It is under the Southwestern Division of the Red Cross with headquarters in St. Louis that Dean Kilpatrick is working. Recent communications from him show that he has been working out of Murphysboro, Illinois.

In response to a call from the St. Louis headquarters of the Red Cross, Dean Kilpatrick left on a leave of absence shortly after the big tornado which tore up a number of states in the Mississippi valley, to help organize the reconstruction work in the stricken area. His leave was granted by the board of regents of the University. It has now been extended that he may carry his work to completion.

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## PROFESSOR W. D. SMITH FINISHES LATEST BOOK

The last three chapters of the work dealing with "Physical and Economic Geology of Oregon," by Professor Warren D. Smith, are now on the press.

The first of these chapters deals with the flora and fauna of Oregon and their distribution. The information is derived from sources often obscure to any but a professional. The next chapter discusses natural lines of communication, the migration of plants and animals from one continent to another and how these natural lines of communication affect our highways, railroads, telephone lines and other modern industrial systems.

The last chapter, written by Dean F. G. Young in collaboration with Professor Smith, deals with the population of Oregon. It is a survey of the elements of our population, native and foreign, of the sources and geographical distribution controlling it. For instance, it tells of the colony of Basques in Oregon, many of whom can speak no English. These people engage extensively in sheep raising and form a community all their own.

## Red Cross Test Will Be Given Today to Group Of Seventeen Swimmers

(Continued from page one) given at Seaside, Oregon, May 31 to June 7 this year. The course as outlined by the American National Red Cross association will sponsor the outing and the outline of courses is as follows: First—Life saving, elementary and advanced. Second—Swimming, elementary and advanced. Analysis of swimming strokes, easy progressions for teaching beginners. Third—First aid, standard course, advanced course and water first aid. Fourth—Aquatic competition in lifesaving. Fifth—Aquatic Recreation, games and pageantry. Sixth—Use of lifesaving equipment, protection of pools, bathing beaches. Seventh—Duties of examiners.

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## Hayward Picks Track Entrants for Pacific Coast Conference Meet

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gon." Proc. Flannagan has been leaping far over the old broad jump record set by Merchant of California in 1920 at 22 feet, 9 1/4 inches. So don't be surprised if a new coast record is made by the varsity's versatile track man. Chick Rosenberg is hoped to place a strong second.

Fourteen teams will enter from Montana, Stanford, Washington, Idaho, Oregon, Washington State college, and O. A. C. University of California and the University of Southern California are entering the national intercollegiate meet in Philadelphia on the same date.

## Lawyers Win Contest From Physical Ed. Men and Claim Championship

(Continued from page one) advantage of this exceptional hurling and knocked the offerings out of the lot. "Bat" put away five strikeouts and Walt mowed down four for a good day's work. Nine hits were made by the muscle builders during the game and 13 were slipped through by the howling lawyers. Mautz accounted for the unlucky number due to his two blistering hits.

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strikeouts; Oberteuffer, 1b, 2 runs, and one strikeout; Sorsby, 2b, walk and hit; Toole, rf, 2 hits and 1 strikeout; Mayfield, cf, 1 hit, 3 outs; Fahl, 3b, 2 strikeouts; Read, ss, triple, walk and run; Westergren, c, hit and strikeout; Fenwick, p, walk, 3 outs.

out, 2 runs; Dahl, cf, 3 outs, 1 homer; Nelson, p, 2 hits, no errors; Gooding, c, hit; Kelly, rf, 2 strikeouts; Mautz, sub, 2 hits; King, ss, captain, 2 runs; Husband, 2b, 2 runs; Keech, 1b, 1 strikeout; Powers, lf, 1 strikeout, 1 run. Umpires: Harry Scott and Doc. Ross, called several decisions.

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