

Oregon Daily Emerald Editorial Page

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Concerning the Departure Of Harry Woodburn Chase

Students and faculty alike will regret to see Dr. Chase leave the campus today. For the next two weeks all friends of the University will be waiting anxiously to hear the words of acceptance that will make Dr. Chase the next president of the University.

But whether Dr. Chase returns as the University's chief executive, or returns at some later time as our guest, he may be assured that he will receive a cordial welcome. His capacity for friendship is large, and we desire to be always included among those honored.

Religion and the Student; What Does It Mean to Him?

A group of educators and religious workers, under the leadership of Prof. Charles Rugh of the University of California, have just finished holding a conference upon religious work among college and university students.

As to what religion really is, few agree. It has been a matter of controversy among men as far back as we have written record, and probably farther, and the clash of opinion has by no means ceased.

What actually happens to bring forth a religion is something like this. A great teacher comes into the world, account for him as you please and call him what you will. He attracts an immense following, because of certain qualities in his personality and in his teachings which appeal to something inherent within those to whom he delivers his message.

Thus sects are built up, creeds are established and a religious system comes into being. Individuals then arise who seek to follow their own interpretations of the words of the founder.

Looking at the situation in a broad way, it would seem that if there is any good in religion, that good could not be bound up in any one sect or system. Putting aside the matter of origin, our present state of affairs would seem to be the result of man's understanding and interpretation.

Thus, merely as an example, the Salvation Army and the Episcopal high church appeal to two different grades of humanity. If the followers of these branches of the Christian faith find solace and satisfaction, it would seem that both are good.

Since religion is a personal, private, and intimate matter with the average young person—a matter he does not parade and often does not talk about, it may be suspected that a greater number of students than is sometimes thought have religious convictions of some sort.

SEVEN SEERS

"AH HAH," SAID THE COACH, AS HE CALLED FOR HIS UMBRELLA AND HIS GALOSHES, "TIS WONDERFUL FOOTBALL WEATHER WE ARE HAVING."

NOTICE! BEWARE! DANGER! LOOK OUT! OMIGOSH!



Notice has been received from the state health board that hyperscribigitis has broken out on the Oregon campus. The symptoms are a dress suit, a vacant stare and a desire to go somewhere else.

OUR QUESTION BOX

(The Seers make an earnest endeavor to answer all questions submitted to them. According to the announcement last week we have secured Prof. Rollen Wright to aid us in solving the fast ones, instituting what is known as the "answer service.")

MORE ABOUT THE NEW COACH!



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MORE DIRT

Small son: "Mother, the garbage man is here." Absent-minded professor's wife: "Tell him we don't need any today."

TODAY'S FABLE

Once upon a time, in the days before the flood, there was a suggestion made that expressed a general campus opinion. Now this suggestion received attention and was acted upon in the space of three months, with the consideration of only three committees. But that was in the days before the flood.

The way we see it, it is a race between Eddie Miller's "suggestions" and Walter Malcolm's committees—with Walt spotting him two at every down.

The way matters stand, it is impossible to side-step a pair of wide gauge galoshes with stepping on student body committee gravely deliberating on the advisability of installing gum racks in the Woman's building.

ORLANDO Y. BINGH

Campus Bulletin

Dr. Conklin's classes will not meet this week.

Formal forensic banquet in honor of J. Stanley Houck, president of Delta Sigma Rho will be held for all varsity debaters, orators and freshman debaters on Friday evening, February 19, at 7 p. m. Esburn hotel, instead of at 6 p. m. Unaffiliated women meet at Y. W. C. A. Bungalow 7:15 Monday evening.

Debate meeting — Men's team against Utah, Roland Davis, Hugh Biggs, meet 206 Sociology Saturday morning, 9 a. m. with Mr. Gray.

Washington Idaho debate team meets today at 3:30 p. m., Villard hall.

Alpha Kappa Phi luncheon at College Side Inn, today at noon.

Psychology people attention — All people interested in the formation of a discussion group are asked to meet in Room 302, Condon hall at 4:15, this afternoon. Paul Blanshard, field secretary of the League for Industrial Democracy, will speak before the economics class 9 a. m. Monday, Room 105, Commerce building.

All students engaged in supervised teaching (except music, art and physical education) will meet Monday afternoon at 4:10 in Room 3 of the Education building. Important.

All groups desiring to add names to their lists for the Oregon please phone Dot Ward, 49.

Alpha Kappa Phi luncheon at noon, College Side Inn, today.

EJ-STUDENT TEACHES AT SPOKANE COLLEGE

Prof. W. H. Buxton, who took his master's degree from the University in 1924, is at present professor of mathematics at Whitworth college in Spokane, Washington. This is his second year there.

Mr. Buxton is planning on taking addition work in the mathematics department of the University at the summer session, according to Professor Edgar DeCou, who is head of that department.

Coming Events

Friday, February 12 Religious Conference. Basketball, Frosh vs. Aggie rooks.

Saturday, February 13 2:30 Swimming meet, varsity vs. O. A. C., Woman's building tank. 10:00-12:00—Junior class skating party, Winter Garden.

Basketball, Varsity vs. O. A. C. Corvallis.

Sunday, February 14 4:30-5:00—Vesper services, Music auditorium.

February 10 to 19 Exhibition, art work of Clara Jane Stevens, Portland artist. Museum of Art building.

Theaters

COLONIAL—Monte Blue and Patsy Ruth Miller in "Hogan's Alley." Also Aloha Hawaiian/syncopators, and A. R. Kirkham, popular tenor singer. Miss Florence Nash at the organ.

HEILIG—Friday, "Havoc." Saturday, on the stage, "My China Doll," seat sale begins today.

McDONALD—Second day, James M. Barrie's delightful romance, "A Kiss For Cinderella," with Betty Bronson (the "Peter Pan" girl), Tom Moore and Esther Ralston. Also a "Pacemaker" comedy, "Miss Me Again." An extra added attraction, a McDonald stage presentation, "Sweethearts," a melodious medley of dancing and singing.

REX—First day, "Sandown," a romance of hearts that beat beneath the golden glow of sunsets on the purple hills of adventureland, a great cast including Bessie Love, Roy Stewart, Hobart Bosworth and Charlie Murray; Al St. John comedy, "Hold Your Hat;" International news events; Rex musical settings on the organ. Coming—"Woman's Faith," with Alma Reubens and Percy Marmont; Roy Kahler and his "Country Store."

FRESHMAN COMMISSION PLANS UPPERCLASS TEA

A discussion of the present grading system at the University of Oregon and ways in which it could be improved, took place at the Freshman Commission meeting yesterday. Eloise Buck led the discussion, and it was agreed that a thoroughly uniform system of grading would be a great improvement.

A tea honoring the sophomore, junior and senior women on the campus will be given by the members of Freshmen Commission at the Y. W. C. A. Bungalow next Thursday, from 3 o'clock until five, it was decided at the meeting.

A vocal solo entitled "Till the Sands of the Desert Grow Cold" was given by Alice Carson. Dorothy Cramer played her accompaniment.

FIREWORKS TO MARK CHINESE NEW YEAR'S

In honor of the Chinese New Year Chinese students will celebrate at a meeting of the Cosmopolitan club in the Y. W. Bungalow tonight at 7:30. This meeting is open to the public.

The program follows: Address, Jackson Liu; songs, Nien Pu Chai and Chien Fei Teng; instrumental, Benjamin Chan.

Fireworks on the millrace are promised as an unusual feature illustrative of the celebrations in honor of New Year in China. After the fireworks are over, the audience will return to the Bungalow where savory Chinese foods will be served.

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE SECRETARY TO VISIT

Paul Blanshard, field secretary of the League for Industrial Democracy, will be on the campus Monday and will speak before the economics class at 9:00 o'clock, Monday morning. Mr. Blanshard recently returned from a trip around the world and has since been visiting eastern universities. He will give an address at the Eugene Central Presbyterian church, Sunday evening at 7:45.

PLEDGING ANNOUNCEMENTS

Alpha Omicron Pi announces the pledging of Lorán Moser of The Dalles, Oregon.

Kappa Omicron announces the pledging of Viola Nodine of Portland.

ITEM ON DEATH GIVES WRONG HOSPITAL NAME

Landa V. Gillette died at the Pacific Christian Hospital, according to a statement by officials of that organization. The Emerald yesterday stated Gillette died at the Eugene hospital.

Critics Pans Dramas Produced By Students; Cast, Scenery Praised

(Continued from page one) and boredom. Just check your laughing apparatus with your overcoat, and hope for lyrical melancholia.

Either the subtle travesty was missed in "The Kingdom of America" by the writer, or its meaning was lost in the burlesqued realism. There are a lot of unsatisfactory conditions existing in our social strata of today, but humor is sort of a clumsy instrument with which to illustrate this. However, there are several clever points in the play and the "idea," for an amateur, is worth praise. The climax is weak.

As for "The Kiss," that is not so hard to take. Miss Buchanan, as an embryo playwright, shows greater promise than any of the lot. She is conscious of the popular appeal and realizes the limitations of a co-ed. In a naive Booth Tarkington style she shows the humor of dramatic adolescence shouldering the cares of rampant post-adolescence.

To see the cast wrestle with the immature plots is a lesson in courage and fearlessness. Both Alfons Korn and Edgar Buchanan deserve a place in the dramatic sun of the campus. Florence Couch, although possessing genuine talent, probably did not rise to her previous standard of good work.

Cecil Matson redeemed himself after presenting Celertis in "The Athlete" by later appearing as the judge in "The Kingdom of America."

Perhaps it was the part that restrained her but Miss Constance Roth failed to give full expression to her talent.

The writer sincerely believes that Miss Wilbur of the dramatic department should be lauded in her judgment of selecting plays written by students in the University. For nothing will arouse interest in her department more quickly than this practice.

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