

Dr. J. D. Spaeth Engaged For June Address

Professor of English at Princeton Will Speak At Commencement

Noted Educator Has Strong Personality

Lecturer Author of Camp Reader During War

DR. J. DUNCAN SPAETH, noted educator, professor of English at Princeton University, will deliver the commencement address at the University of Oregon, June 14, it was announced today.

Dr. Spaeth is well known on the coast, having taught at the University of Oregon summer sessions for five years. He is much in love with the western country, and this year will teach at Reed College.

Spaeth Pennsylvania Graduate

Since 1911 Dr. Spaeth has been professor of English at Princeton. He was graduate from the University of Pennsylvania in 1888, and took his doctorate at Leipzig four years later. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and a number of societies for the recognition and promotion of classical learning. In 1912-13 Dr. Spaeth studied in France and Italy.

During the war Dr. Spaeth wrote a camp reader for American soldiers, which went into 15 editions. He was also Y. M. C. A. camp educational director at Camp Wheeler and Camp Jackson in 1918. He was active in organizing work of instructing the illiterates in army camps. He has written a number of books and pamphlets on scholarly subjects.

Speaker Coaches Rowing Crews

Dr. Spaeth is a big man, of broad shoulders, breadth of thought and ample vocal powers. His vigorous personality and ability in public speaking made him one of the outstanding features of the summer sessions. He keeps fit by coaching the Princeton rowing crew in the hours when he is not writing, reading or lecturing.

Head of Reed College Physics Department Visits U. of O. Campus

Dr. A. A. Knowlton, head of the physics department at Reed college in Portland, and thirteen students from there who are interested in physics, were in Eugene yesterday to hear Dr. R. A. Millikan's lecture in Villard hall last evening.

The group visited the University physics department in the afternoon. Dr. Knowlton attended the initiation banquet of Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi at the Osborn Hotel, as he is a member of both organizations.

It is in the capacity of assistant professor to Dr. Knowlton, that Dr. Marcus O'Day, '20, who received his M.A. from here, also in '21, and is now getting his Ph.D. at the University of California, will go to Reed next fall. He is at present an instructor in the physics department at the University of California.

Canoeing Schedule Set For Women's Classes

Hereafter all class canoeing, both for timing and for competition, will be run off at 5 o'clock on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, according to an announcement made by Mary Jo Shelly, coach, Wednesday night. Three official timings must be secured before Friday, May 14, which date will mark the choosing of class crews. All entrants who have not complied with this ruling will be ineligible for class competition or points.

The best time made by any single crew so far this season has been slightly under nine minutes. Four crews are working out for each of the freshman and sophomore classes and the junior class has two crews in the race. So far no senior girls have signified their intention of defeating the underclassmen.

Pure Science Is Learning to Walk Humbly with God, Says Dr. Millikan

Physicist's Lectures on Religion and Evolution Attract Campus Wide Attention

THE feeling that science and religion are antagonistic in theory is a mistake if a person is willing to make the right kind of definitions, is the belief of Dr. Robert Andrews Millikan, outstanding physicist of the United States, who visited the campus yesterday, under the joint auspices of Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi. The visitor delivered the assembly address, speaking on "Evolution of Religion."

The net result of the recent Scopes controversy is good rather than bad, in Dr. Millikan's opinion, in that it has stirred people to reflect and question, serving as an educative force. It serves to bring out the two kinds of present day morality, the reflective and the conventional type. The world needs the first type, especially, according to Dr. Millikan, and the discussion and argument aroused has tended toward its development.

The conclusions of such a case tends to prove "That religion itself is one of the most striking examples of evolution that we have anywhere about us, as is being said by all reflective thinkers," Dr. Millikan stated.

In discussing evolution, the speaker divided the process into four stages, beginning with the crudest type of beliefs. The primitive man, having only a little of the reflective element in his thinking, found himself surrounded with the capricious forces of nature. He personified nature, in his sincere belief that there was a spirit in the storm or the woods or stream, and tried to keep in favor with these spirits or Gods by offering them sacrifices.

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ILLIMITABLE possibilities are ahead for the human race if we can keep stimulated the methods and ideas started by Galileo about 1560, said Robert A. Millikan, in his address on "The Birth of Two Ideas" in Villard hall last night. The two ideas of which Dr. Millikan spoke are based on the one Galileo started long ago, that of asking detailed questions to get observational answers. Galileo started things, Dr. Millikan said, and since then the world has followed his method of research until the isolation of the electron and all the uses it can be put to are the result. Dr. Millikan won the 1923 Nobel prize in physics for his work in the isolation of the electron.

"Galileo concerned himself with the law that is contained in Newton's second law, that force equals mass times acceleration," Dr. Millikan stated. "No idea has ever shifted man's idea of the universe as does this. In fact, the law of gravitation was made possible through its discovery. "When I was about 25 years old," said Dr. Millikan, "we thought that the principles of force equals matter times acceleration, of the conservation of energy, of matter, and of chemical elements were universally applicable. Then about the last half of the last decade of the 19th century there came a change, brought about by the discovery of the electrical constitution of matter. "As a result of Galileo's starting of a new method of research we can now know something of the real history of the world," Dr. Millikan stated.

The initiations were followed by a joint banquet of the two organizations at the Hotel Osburn. Dr. William Pingry Boynton, head of the department of physics in the University of Oregon, who was a graduate student at the University of Chicago when Dr. Millikan was a young faculty member there, was toastmaster. Addresses were made by Dr. Sheldon, who was introduced by Prof. Fred L. Stetson, president of Oregon chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, on "The University Mill," a sketching of the growth of the University through its days of early struggle to its present high ranking; by Genevieve Chase, initiate, on "The Cultural Product" of this old mill; by Dr. Homer P. Rush, an initiate into active membership in Sigma Xi, who, discussing "The Scientific Product," noted Dr. Millikan as the perfected product of this type; and by Dr. Millikan, who in a brief but happy address, congratulated the young people on their election to the two honoraries.

Mrs. Clark Opens Vocal Recital by Che Faro, Gluck

Program Includes Pieces From Hayden, Handel, Franz, Schubert

Mrs. Prudence Clark, contralto guest artist of the school of music, presented, as her opening selection in her recital last evening in the school of music auditorium, Che Faro (Orfeo), by Gluck, the first of a series of slow, legato pieces. Mrs. Aurora Potter Underwood accompanied her.

Haydn's "She Never Told Her Love," was the second in this classical group, followed by his "The Spirit Song," and "He Shall Feed His Flock," from Handel's "Messiah."

A group of German compositions, "Widmung," "Bitte," and "Marie," by Franz, and the romantic, brilliant, and rather difficult "Hark, Hark, The Lark," by Schubert, constituted the second part.

Mrs. Clark's repertoire contained "Dost Thou Know That Fair Land," from Thomas' difficult and well-known "Mignon," Debussy's "Recit et Air de Lia" from "L'Enfant Prodigue" is a brilliant, heavy, and dramatic composition which permits the use of deep feeling in the singer's voice.

The concluding part consisted of Vannini's "Chuidetevi Regli Occhi," a delicate serenade; Hagemann's tragic "Do Not Go, My Love;" the pretty and whimsical "Baby's Laugh," by Ward-Stephens; and Rachmaninoff's "Floods of Spring," a composition heavy and very brilliant.

R.H. Kipp Addresses Marketing Classes

Co-operative marketing was discussed by Mr. R. H. Kipp, marketing manager of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, in his address before the marketing classes Wednesday morning at the Commerce building. The various marketing problems confronting Oregon growers were covered by Mr. Kipp, who is an outstanding authority on the marketing problem in the state of Oregon.

While in town, he met with the marketing committee of the Eugene Chamber of Commerce.

Semi-Centennial Celebration Now October 18-23

Two Days Taken Off By Committee; Inaugural Day Discussed

Two days were cut from the Semi-Centennial celebration that will be held this fall, making it all one week. The dates are now October 18-23 inclusive, culminating with Homecoming. This action was taken by the Semi-Centennial committee at a meeting Monday night.

The committee discussed the day for the inaugural ceremony, but final decision was postponed until the next meeting when representatives of the Alumni association will be present.

Members of the committee favored placing the inaugural on Friday, October 22, to climax the entire celebration. Objections were that the time is too near the athletic excitement prevailing at Homecoming.

Suggestions from Arnold Bennett Hall, the new president of the University, were read regarding distinguished educators for installing offices. Invitations have been delayed pending decision of the inaugural date.

Degree Team to Meet At Club House Today

The degree team of the Craftsman club, campus organization of Masons, has been invited to put on some degree work in Portland on May 21 at the Sunnyside lodge by that chapter. A meeting of all members of the degree team will be held in the Craftsman club this morning at 10 o'clock in order to complete arrangements for the trip.

'Practical Importing' Discussed by Vinton

"Practical Importing" was the subject of a lecture given yesterday by George Vinton, president of Vinton and Company, Importers, at a mass meeting of Pan Xenia, foreign trade fraternity, in the Commerce building.

Mr. Vinton gave the third of a series of talks sponsored by members of the University fraternity this year.

Sigma Xi and Phi Beta Kappa Hold Initiation

Dr. Sheldon is Honorary Member; Dr. Millikan On Banquet Program

Prof. W. P. Boynton Acts as Toastmaster

First Ceremonies Held in Woman's Building

WITH Dr. Robert Andrews Millikan, noted physicist, as guest of honor, Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi yesterday initiated 49 new members. The program of the day started at 4:15 p. m. with initiation by Phi Beta Kappa of one honorary member, 17 actives, and three alumni. This was followed an hour later by the Sigma Xi initiation of eight active and 20 associate members. The initiations were held in alumni hall, in the Woman's building.

The honorary member initiated by Phi Beta Kappa, national honorary scholastic society, whose 150th anniversary year coincides with the University of Oregon's fiftieth, was Dr. Henry Davidson Sheldon, dean of the school of education and chairman of the administrative committee which has been in charge of the University since the disability of President Campbell two years ago.

Joint Banquet Held

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List of Initiates

Mildred Bateman, George N. Belknap, Cecile S. Bennett, Eloise E. Buck, Genevieve Chase, Mary Elizabeth Conñ, Esther L. Cottingham, Esther M. Davis, Herbert L. Jones, Walter Evans Kidd, Katherine E. Reade, Mary Josephine Shelly, Clifford W. Snider, Kenneth R. Stephenson, Florence Taylor, Caroline Tilton, and Helen F. White.

Alumni initiated into Phi Beta Kappa were Mrs. Virginia Jester Eddy, Bacon of Portland, a graduate of 1904; Verne Blue, Oregon 1922, and Harold Bonebrake, Oregon 1923.

Active members initiated into Sigma Xi, the national honorary scientific society, were May A. Borquist, Arthur C. Jones, Gordon B. Leitch, Vera G. Mather, Hope B. Plympton, Carleton C. Pynn, Vladimir B. Rojansky, and Homer P. Rush.

Associate members initiated were David E. Baird, Meredith G. Beaver, Eula Benson, John C. Brougher, J. Everett Buckley, Blondel H. Carleton, Frederick W. Cozens, Marvin E. Eby, Madeline E. Ford, Donald Fraser, M. F. Gourley, Donald P. Grettie, Hazel R. Hayden, Herbert L. Jones, Evan G. Lapham, Harold T. Nokes, Seward E. Owen, Howard A. Powers, Adolph Van Hungen, John L. Wilson.

In charge of the initiation and banquet were the following committees: Phi Beta Kappa, Miss Mabelle Hair, Prof. Frederic S. Dunn, Dr. Andrew Fish. Sigma Xi, Dr. A. E. Caswell, Dr. John F. Bovard, Dr. Roger J. Williams.

Reserved Seats Sold Out

The tickets have gone fast, there being no reserved seats left, and many of the general admission tickets are already sold. There will be a booth placed at the Anchorage today where general admission tickets

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Fete, Luncheon Features Today

Lavish Setting Promised For Canoe Floats

Simplified Rules Permit Judges More Freedom In Making Choice

A setting that suggests a fairyland as much as the Thief of Bagdad, will lead a thrilling note to the canoe fete which will be held this evening at 7 o'clock. Heretofore the decorative scheme and setting has been a subordinate issue and the floats were made to provide the setting as well as the outstanding beauty of the fete. This year the fete will have the effect of drifting out of a land of mystery and dreams into the present. Lawrence Armond, Harold Brumfield, and Kenneth Birkemeier are responsible for the new ideas. In addition to the new ideas of decoration, there will be a greater variety of ideas presented in the floats this year, since the rules and regulations do not demand that the floats be adaptable to the water. In consideration of these facts, it is altogether probable and possible that the carnival will be a more colorful event than ever before.

Rules Simplified

This year the rules have been simplified, making it easier for the judges to make their decisions. The winning houses will be awarded their cups at the Junior Prom tomorrow night at the same time the Koyl and Gerlinger cups are awarded to the best all-around Junior man and Junior woman.

The judges for the canoe fete will be Mrs. Virginia Jester Eddy, Miss Florence E. Wilbur, Dean D. H. Walker, Mr. Virgil Hafen, and Mr. Avarad Fairbanks.

The fete itself will begin at 8:30, but it will be preceded by a program which will start at 7:00. All floats must be in the race by 6:00. Diving in addition to music furnished by the Oregon Aggravators, the Varsity Vagabonds, and Frank Roehr will be featured.

Order of Floats Scheduled

Hugh Biggs will announce the floats as they appear in the following order: Psi Kappa and Kappa Kappa Gamma, Sigma Chi and Kappa Alpha Theta, Alpha Tau Omega and Alpha Omicron Pi, Phi Gamma Delta and Tau Nu, Sigma Alpha Epsilon and Pi Beta Phi, Delta Gamma and Friendly Hall, Theta Chi and Alpha Delta Pi, Kappa Sigma and Alpha Xi Delta, Phi Delta Theta and Hendricks Hall, Kappa Delta Phi and Chi Omega, Phi Kappa Psi and Sigma Beta Phi, Chi Psi and Gamma Phi Beta, Beta Theta Pi and Alpha Gamma Delta, Sigma Pi Tau and Kappa Omicron, Alpha Beta Chi and Alpha Phi, Sigma Nu and Susan Campbell Hall, Oregon Club and Oregon Club, Delta Delta Delta and Friendly Hall, Delta Zeta and Delta Tau Delta, Lambda Psi and Alpha Chi Omega.

Dances to Follow Fete

Following the close of the canoe fete an informal dance will be held at the houses for those who worked on the canoe fete.

"I want to congratulate the houses upon the enthusiasm that they have shown in the work," declared Earl Chiles, chairman of the canoe fete. "The interest shown throughout has made it easier and more enjoyable for all of us. As a last minute warning, I wish to remind all organizations to avoid throwing any material in the race either before or after the fete. This request must be observed."

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Schedule of Events For Junior Week-end

TODAY

9:00—Painting of the "O". All frosh football numeral men.

10:00—Frosh-Soph tug-o-war.

10:30—Burning of the green, Kincaid field.

11:30-1:30—Campus luncheon.

2:00—Oregon-O. A. C. baseball game postponed.

7:00—Canoe fete (preceded by features).

10:00—Oregon-O. A. C. tennis game.

SATURDAY

10:00—Oregon-O. A. C. baseball meet.

2:00—Oregon-Washington track tournament.

9:00—Junior Prom, Armory.

(Note: Although the Prom will be a formal affair, no discrimination will be made against those not in formal dress.)

BULLETIN!

The baseball game with O. A. C. today has been called off on account of the muddy field. The announcement was made to the Emerald at 10:00 o'clock last night by Virgil Earl, director of athletics. It is possible, if the weather clears up, that a double-header will be played with the Aggies Saturday, although nothing definite has been decided.

Norse Artistry Predominant In Prom Settings

By JACK O'MEARA

Symbols of epic deeds and myths of Beowulf and other legendary Norse heroes will be the motif of the decorative scheme of the Junior Prom to be held tomorrow evening at the Armory.

Designs expressing the early grotesque art of the Norsemen, depicting valor of the Viking warriors and ancient myths of their history will emblazon the walls in gigantic proportions. These pictures will be representative of decorative designs never before attempted—they are the keynote of originality.

Secrecy shrouds the nature of the feature. It is only known that it will rival the most heroic deeds of the Vikings, as the person doing it has been insured for one thousand dollars.

Conforming architecturally to the mead halls of the Norse villages, a false ceiling will tower to the roof of the Armory, from its apex radiating the decorations. The background effect will be a dark blue contrasting with the brilliant reds and yellows of the titanic paintings.

A rising sun, dazzling in its color, will form the background effect for the orchestra, directly in front of the stage. Norse arches will frame the refreshment stands.

The predominant tone of the lighting effects will be subdued, with fixtures resembling lanterns in use in the early centuries when the Norsemen ruled. Through this dimmed scene will sweep the flashing, dazzling spotlights creating fantastic shadows, flaring contrasts, and soft blends of harmonious shades as the fairy-like beam rushes on.

Education Bureau Places 35 Students

Thirty-five students have been placed in teaching positions, according to Miss Katherine Slade, secretary of the appointment bureau. Three girls have been placed in out-of-state positions. Janet Wood will teach physical education at the University of Texas, and Alta Knipps, senior in the school of education has been placed in Detroit. Josie Kaufman will teach commerce at a high school in Blaine, Washington. Several others have been placed in positions in Oregon.

Senior Cops Will Oversee Cap Burning

Honest, Fair Tug-o-War Lends Engagement to Freshmen

By Alice Kraeft

TODAY is campus day. It is also the day of frosh graduation, for by noon today every frosh will have been divested of his green lid, duly prayed for and chastised for the last time.

Their initiation will begin with the parade of the frosh football numeral men who will meet at the Sigma Chi corner at 9:00 and, escorted by the senior cops and Order of "O", will climb Skinner's Butte where they will paint the "O." Upon the return of the parade the tug-o-war will be held in the millrace between the railroad and the highway.

Rules Announced

This year the following rules have been formulated which will govern the contest:

1—No digging in; 2—20-man team; 3—Rope may go around anchor man; 4—Plain shoes, no hobnails; 5—No hitching of rope to stationary or moving object except person; 6—Time, until frosh are pulled in; 7—No other party may assist in pulling except the twenty men participating for each class.

These rules will be read before the tug-o-war begins. Captain McEwan, Del Oberteuffer, Bill Hayward, and Billy Reinhart will be the judges.

Malcolm to "Decap" Frosh

Following the tug, the men will go to Kincaid field, where they will mill until everyone arrives. Then follows the frosh prayer in which the yearlings will offer their thanks for what they are about to receive and everything that has gone before, including Friday morning library meetings and millrace parties. A short ceremony at which Walter Malcolm will preside will immediately follow during which he will address the frosh and finish by "decapping" a frosh. The entire class will then be forced to run the gauntlet at the end of which will be the burning barrel and into which they will cast their marks of submission.

The campus luncheon will be awaiting them when this is finished. It will either take place on the campus behind Deady or in the Men's gymnasium, according to the weather indications.

As for the luncheon, the enjoyment of that is entirely up to the individual, since everything has been done by the committee under the head of Doris Brophy and Mrs. Davis to make an unusual menu. If it does not prove a success it will be due to the person eating it and not to the committee.

Newsriting Classes Hear Sidney Jenkins

Sidney Jenkins, a reporter on the Eugene Morning Register, spoke to the newsriting classes of Ralph D. Casey and George Turnbull, professors in the school of journalism, yesterday morning. His subject concerned the covering of news in a town the size of Eugene. Mr. Jenkins described his methods of getting the news here compared with covering it in larger cities.

Miss Talbot Gives Talk Before Education Class

Miss Gertrude Talbot, head resident of Hendricks hall, talked before Prof. P. L. Spencer's class in history of education yesterday morning. The class has been studying Dr. Maria Montessori, and as Miss Talbot has had experience in kindergarten work, and has studied under Dr. Montessori in Italy, she gave a very interesting talk.