

Schedule for Celebration Almost Ready

**Inauguration of Dr. Hall
To Open Full Week's
Program in Fall**

**Chief Speaker of Week
Is Not Yet Selected**

**Day Given Each Division
Of Semi-Centennial**

THE schedule for the week of celebration of the Semi-Centennial of the University is nearly made out.

Only a few numbers of the program are yet to be chosen. Among these few, however, is the selection of the man who will give the installation address.

It is planned to have the celebration extend over a whole week from Monday, October 18, until Saturday, October 23. Saturday the Semi-Centennial will be combined with Homecoming.

Monday, Arnold Bennett Hall, new president of the University, will be inaugurated. This will consist of two parts, the formal ceremony in the forenoon and the banquet in the evening.

First Day for President

After the invocation and some musical numbers, in the morning, the installation address will be presented by a nationally known man who has not yet been selected. Dr. Hall will answer with his own inaugural address. A luncheon will be given for the formal guests of the University. The faculty and guests of the University will wear caps and gowns during the morning ceremony.

In the evening a banquet is planned for representatives of various schools and organizations. Brief addresses will be given at the banquet by a representative of the alumni association, student body, state, city of Eugene, independent colleges, Oregon Agricultural College, and the sister universities of the country.

Former Professor Coming

Tuesday morning the historical part of the program will be presented by Dr. Joseph Schafer, former head of the history department at the University of Oregon and now superintendent of the Wisconsin Historical society; and Frederick L. Paxon, head of the Wisconsin history department. In the afternoon the political science and law sections will be presented by Dr. James W. Garner, head of the political science department at Illinois.

Wednesday morning will be devoted to the science section with a speech by Dr. John Buwalda, of the California Institute of Technology. Wednesday afternoon will be devoted to a conference on adult education.

Buildings to be Dedicated

Thursday morning the musical numbers of the event will be presented. In the afternoon the art section will be given. Laying of the cornerstone of the new fine arts building will be done at this time. Dr. E. T. Williams, head of the Oriental language department at the University of California and who was for a number of years a missionary to China, will be featured.

Friday, Deady hall and a memorial to the first president of the University, John W. Johnson, will be dedicated. Dr. Luella Clay Carson, who was for a long time head of the English department of the University and dean of women, and later president of Mills College, has been invited to deliver the address on the dedication of Deady. Judge Lawrence T. Harris, member of the State Supreme Court, will deliver the Johnson Memorial speech.

The dedication of Deady and the memorial to ex-president Johnson was named for Saturday in order that alumni here for the homecoming exercises on Friday and Saturday might attend.

Bronze Plate to Bear Name of First President

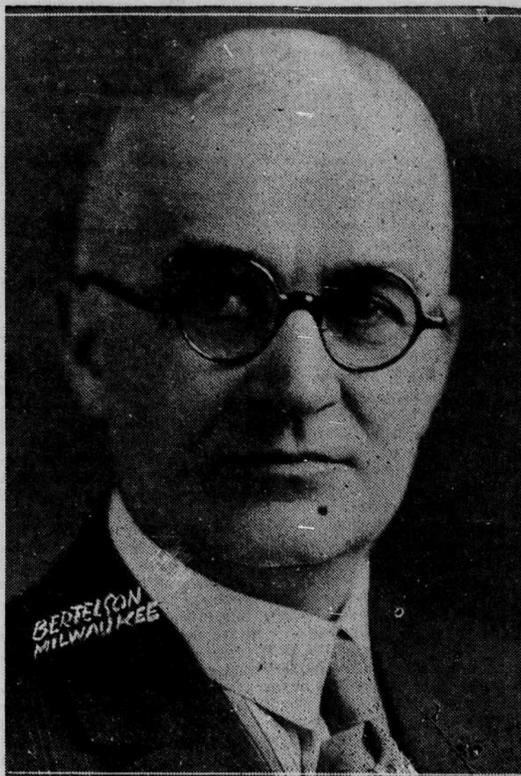
A bronze tablet will be placed on the outside of the Administration building during the Semi-Centennial celebration next fall in honor of John Wesley Johnson, first president of the University. The plan is to put the name "Johnson Hall" on the plate in front of the building instead of inside as it is now.

Oregon's Great President and His Successor, Who Will Carry Forward His Work

ONE of the main features of the semi-centennial celebration next October will be the inauguration of Dr. Arnold Bennett Hall, noted social scientist, as president of the University of Oregon. Dr. Hall will become the fifth chief executive in the University's history, succeeding in office the late Dr. Prince L.

Campbell whose death in August, 1925, brought to a close twenty-three years of brilliant service to the University and the state. Dr. Campbell became president in 1902 when the University was a little college, unimportant, and struggling hard for existence. Through his efforts the institution has expanded

and has been put on a sound basis for the future through the establishment of a gift campaign. The service given by Prince L. Campbell is a priceless heritage to the University. The students and the state at large are looking to Dr. Hall to carry forward the start made by Dr. Campbell towards the development of "the greater university."



Dr. A. B. Hall To Take Office On October 18

**New President Expected
To Please Students
And Faculty**

**Wisconsin Man Known
For Social Science Work**

**Dean Walker Meets Hall
During Trip**

DR. ARNOLD BENNETT HALL, the new president of the University of Oregon, will be inaugurated October 18, the first day of the University's Semi-Centennial celebration. Dr. Hall will be unable to reach Eugene until the middle of September because of numerous engagements that keep him in the East, but will assume his executive duties immediately after his arrival here.

Dr. Hall is expected by the regents' investigating committee, which interviewed him, in his position of professor of political science at the University of Wisconsin, to appeal instantly to students and faculty members. He is an able speaker, being constantly in demand through Wisconsin as a lecturer on social and civil subjects. His speaking ability, the committee expects, will add to the favorable impression he will create when he is first viewed by the student body on the assembly platform.

Charming Personality Shown
"He is easy to meet," declares the committee which is composed of Vernon Vawter, Medford; Judge G. F. Skipworth, Eugene; and Dr. H. D. Sheldon, dean of the school of education. "One is immediately impressed by his charming smile and boundless energy. Although he is not a large man, some of his friends describe him as a 'human dynamo.'"

Dean H. Walker, dean of men, returning recently from a meeting of the national association of deans of men, stopped off at Madison, Wisconsin, for an informal visit to the new president. He says: "I think the Halls are people who will carry on the same attitude and the same level of cultured interest in the University that President and Mrs. Campbell held during the late president's term in office."

Hall Social Scientist
Besides being one of the foremost social scientists in the country, Dr. Hall has developed the extension idea farther than anyone at the University of Wisconsin, and has had business experience with one of the banks of Madison. He founded the National Conference of the science of politics in 1923, and is active both in the American Political Science association and the Institute of Politics. A considerable part of Dr. Hall's time, however, is devoted to students, helping them with their problems. He is active also in the work of the campus Christian associations.

Because of his conscientious objections to breaking engagements of a year's standing and cause great sacrifice to others, Dr. Hall will not be in Eugene for commencement exercises, at which it was planned to have him deliver the address. He is engaged to give a special course of scientific method, around which the political science department of the University of Chicago has built up its summer session schedule, and that university has admitted that his release would prejudice its interests.

Anxious to Come to Oregon
The Social Science Research council last winter entrusted to Dr. Hall \$17,000 for the running of a conference in Hanover, New Hampshire, under his own personal management from August 9 to September 4. Arrangements were made for his release from Chicago for that period, and the whole conference was planned on that basis.

He is anxious to reach Oregon as soon as possible, but in spite of that eagerness, will work conscientiously this summer at his task, until he has completed all that he has promised to do. Then a quick trip across the continent—and Dr. Arnold Bennett Hall will be ready to take up the duties of president of the University of Oregon.

Late President Is Loved Memory To All University

**Prince L. Campbell Gives
23 Years of Life to
Oregon's Service**

By MARY KATHERINE BAKER

PRINCE L. CAMPBELL, fourth president of the University of Oregon, who died August 14, 1925, has become more than a loved memory in the hearts of the University students and all those many people who have lived and worked under his influence; he is a cherished tradition that has incorporated itself into the very foundations of the institution.

To those who knew and loved the late President Campbell, his death came as a distinct shock in spite of the fact that he had been ill for the previous two years. For, even in his illness, he never forgot that he was an active factor in the development and growth of the state University.

Twenty-three years is a long time in which to serve without relaxing a faithful hold on the inner workings of such a complex institution as a state university, where the salvation of thousands of young men and women is being worked out yearly, but twenty-three years of his life is what Prince L. Campbell dedicated to Oregon.

In 1902, when there were but 250 students enrolled, he came from his presidency of the State Normal school at Monmouth to the University to assume the guiding position.

Though there was nothing ruthless about President Campbell, he was a dominant figure in overcoming the obstacles that beset the university 25 years ago. He organized the Portland Center in 1917, and established the summer sessions in Eugene and Portland. The law school was established on a regular academic basis in Eugene to take the place of the former night school in Portland. He also encouraged progress in scientific research and attention to student health problems.

The gift campaign came in for a large part of the late president's time and attention. It was organized under his direction and he was taking an active part in the intensive period of the campaign when he fell ill. His last public appearance was on the occasion of the student union drive when he spoke in the Woman's building on the campus.

The new fine arts building will be dedicated to him as a fitting tribute to his love for the beautiful, which was never uprooted by material struggles, but remained as much a part of his soul as his energetic principles of work and service.

Spirit of Pioneer Incorporated in Student Designs

**Letterheads, Programs
Will be Appropriate
For Celebration**

Embodying the pioneer spirit of Oregon history and Indian tradition, the designs for the letter heads and programs for the Semi-Centennial celebration next fall, are being completed by the students in the art department under the direction of Miss Maude I. Kerns and Professor N. B. Zane.

The Pioneer, the Oregon seal, and the Indian tradition have been woven into the design for the letterheads and envelopes by Katherine Peterson, a sophomore in the normal art department. It is in black and white and will be in the center of the page. Below it are the words, "Semi-Centennial, University of Oregon," and to the right and left of it are the names of the members of the Semi-Centennial committee.

Mary Johnson, a freshman in the
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Committee of 117 Chosen to Work With Chairmen

**Heads to Meet Today at
Luncheon to Discuss
Summer Plans**

DUDLEY CLARK, general chairman, and Art Prieaux, associate chairman, of the Greater Oregon committee, today announced the personnel of the general committee which will serve under the twelve district chairmen during the coming year. The body comprises 117 students from practically every town in the state.

Today at 12 o'clock the Greater Oregon committee directorate will meet at the College Side Inn for a luncheon, at which time all plans for the summer's activities will be discussed. Hugh Rosson and Virgil Earle will outline the work from their angle.

At 11 o'clock Thursday, June 3, in Guild hall, there will be a meeting of the entire general committee. Dudley Clark will preside and Dean Gilbert, Hugh Rosson and Hugh Biggs will speak to the committee
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Old Deady to Get Delayed Honors at Celebration

**Quirk of Circumstances Is
Responsible for Failure
To Dedicate Building**

Deady hall, pioneer, picturesque building on the Oregon campus, will receive delayed recognition during the Semi-Centennial celebration next fall when it will be officially dedicated to early settlers who made its erection possible.

Friday of the Semi-Centennial week has been set aside for the ceremony and Dr. Luella Clay Carson, former head of the English department and dean of women, has been asked to make the dedication address.

In 1876 this hall was the University of Oregon. All classes were held in three rooms on the north side of the first floor during the first year.

In contrast with the present attractiveness of the vine-covered building in the midst of sheltering trees, it was at that time completely isolated in a field of wheat stubbles and wild blackberry bushes.

Cornerstone of Fine Arts Home To be Laid in Fall

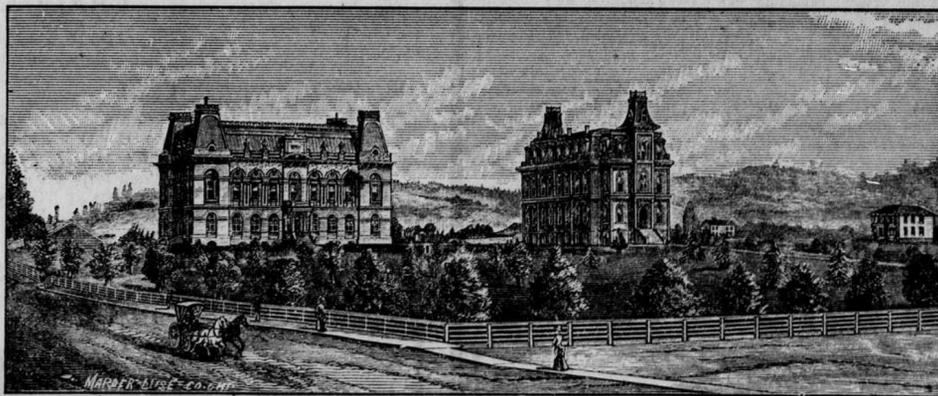
**Mrs. Gerlinger Solicits
Funds for Building in
Past Two Years**

THE cornerstone of the new \$300,000 Fine Arts building to be erected on the campus between Condon and Johnson halls will be laid during the University Semi-Centennial celebration next fall, according to present plans.

Prince L. Campbell, late president at Oregon, a short while before his death, chose this building as the one he wished to be dedicated to him. Mrs. Irene Gerlinger, member of the board of regents, expressed a willingness to be responsible for the raising of funds for one additional building on the campus. She chose the proposed Fine Arts structure, and during the last two years has been interesting the alumni and people of the state in the project.

As a sign of appreciation for their contributions, persons who make gifts will be honored by having their names written in the Great
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The University in it's Infancy: The Campus as Students in 1886 Saw It



UNIVERSITY OF OREGON.

TWELVE years after Oregon was admitted to the Union the first move toward organizing a university was made. The need for such an institution had not been felt at the time the state was admitted for there were many denominational schools and academies already in existence.

A general meeting of the citizens of Lane county was called in August 26, 1872, and as a result the Union University Association was formed, after Eugene citizens had

decided to concentrate their efforts for a high school on getting the university.

The bill introduced by the representatives of this association was passed by the legislature on October 19, 1872. Eugene was to furnish the site and a \$50,000 building—no small sum in view of the fact that Eugene was then about the size of Junction City.

Eighteen acres of land a half mile east of Eugene were chosen as the site of the University. They

were bought from Mr. J. H. D. Henderson in 1873. The ground, according to a record, was originally part of a homestead claim taken up by Hilyard Shaw in the early fifties.

Near the oaks which still stand on the north end of the campus, the homesteader had built his cabin of hewed logs and sold goods for many years for the Hudson Bay Company. At his death the property was bought by Mr. Henderson.

Then began the task of raising the money. Citizens subscribed ap-

proximately \$20,000 and in the spring of 1873 the construction of Deady hall began.

By fall it was not completed and the money was exhausted, so as the old records have it, farmers brought in "eggs, chickens, vegetables, hogs, cattle, horses and grain in abundance," to help pay for it. The walls of the building were raised and a temporary roof erected for the winter of 1873-4. No help was available from the state but a bill
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