

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY SHOWS RAPID GROWTH

Institution Founded in 1901 By Archbishop Christie Stands in Front Rank as Boys' Preparatory School—Equipment Is Modern.

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY has shown a record of remarkably rapid and substantial growth since its founding by Archbishop Christie in 1901, and now stands in the front rank among the boys' preparatory schools of Oregon. Especially worthy of note is the long list of names of Columbia graduates that may be found in the rosters of the higher institutions of Oregon, for entrance into which their preparatory studies were carried on in Columbia. Columbia University is situated in the suburbs of Portland, giving to the students not only the advantages of its own equipments but also easy access to the libraries of the city, art museums and other mediums through which their education may be advanced.

Mills College Belongs to Entire Coast.

Standard Courses Are Provided for Women—Three Degrees Conferred.

"Mills College is not a local institution, but belongs to the whole Pacific Coast and is the only woman's college on the Coast," is the statement of Dr. Luella Clay Carson, president of the institution.

Mills College is situated in the suburbs of Oakland, in the foothills of the Contra Costa range. Its students, however, represent every state of the Pacific Coast, for Mills College lies within two days' journey of even the more remote cities of the Northwest.

The institution confers three degrees—bachelor of arts, bachelor of science and bachelor of laws—and its graduates may enter in any of the universities of the Coast for graduate work. The policy of Mills College is to provide standard college courses as are given in all women's colleges. It has also an excellent department of music and art and has recently added a five years' course to its curriculum, so that a girl desiring both to make her degree and to become proficient in music may do so. A college physician, a resident nurse and a trained director of gymnasium and outdoor work look after the health of the students.

A department of home economics is under Miss Mary B. Vail, who has her degree from Columbia University. Every year graduates from this department go to the high schools to teach home economics. A few years ago an endowment of \$50,000 was given this department by Mrs. F. M. Smith, of Oakland.

A \$50,000 endowment was received last year for the department of biology. Miss Mary Barnett, who came last year from Williams University, is in charge of the department of Latin and Greek, and several other slight changes in the faculty will be made this year.

DE KOVEN HALL ATTRACTS BOYS

New School Near Tacoma Offers Military Training.

Ten acres of land, lying on the broad, level plain bordering on Lake Stellacoom, south of Tacoma, have recently been purchased by De Koven Hall, the preparatory school for boys, and will be used by that institution as an athletic field.

Football and baseball fields have been laid off on the new grounds, and it is the plan of the management to construct a first class running track in the near future.

Principal Pulford reports an increase of 25 per cent in the attendance during the year ended last June. De Koven Hall is now one of the best accredited preparatory schools in the Northwest. The next term opens September 12.

"One of the features of the work at De Koven Hall," says Principal Pulford, "is the military training. This is not used as a means to correct incorrigibility in boys, but is merely intended to inculcate and fix habits of promptness, obedience, and a capacity to act in concert with others. The three military features of the school consist of the drill and the daily inspection of the rooms. The ordinary discipline of the school is in no way connected with the military discipline."

"De Koven Hall is distinctly a training school for boys. The development of efficient and wholesome habits of both work and conduct is the aim in the education of the student."

"In the natural beauty of its site, De Koven Hall possesses unusual attractions. It is located in the midst of a large prairie stretching almost from Tacoma to Olympia. On all sides is a parklike expanse of green sward. The school grounds slope to the shore of the beautiful Lake Stellacoom, and thus afford an excellent opportunity for all kinds of water sports. From the grounds an excellent view of the Olympics and Cascade ranges is obtainable."

Y. W. C. A. TRAINS MANY GIRLS

Educational Work Important Factor in City's Development.

While the Portland Y. W. C. A. does not attempt to furnish courses leading up to entrance in the advanced educational institutions of the State, it fills an important place in the educational scheme of things in and about Portland.

Public school courses for the benefit of those who were obliged to leave school too early; courses in preparation for wage earning, or for increased efficiency in some chosen field of work; courses in home making arts; courses for citizenship and general culture, are some of the advantages that the Y. W. C. A. places within the reach of the young women who enroll in its classes. Clubs of many kinds, all of educational value, flourish in the Y. W. C. A. current events clubs, choral and glee clubs are especially popular. Local needs are always consulted in the opening of any class or establishment of any club or circle. The general rule is that a certain number of guaranteed requests will assure the opening of any class on any subject for which a competent teacher can be secured.

The membership of the Portland Y. W. C. A. is more than 5,000, a distinction which this city shares with three other cities, St. Louis, Los Angeles and Cleveland. More than half the enrollment in the Y. W. C. A. classes, according to the annual report from the national association is in the department of household arts.

Aside from the domestic arts courses classes in languages, music, art, in fact in any line of culture work in which

equipped throughout with the most up-to-date conveniences in heat, lighting and plumbing apparatus.

Three major courses are afforded—collegiate, commercial and preparatory—most important of which is the course leading up to entrance into college. The Columbia, a paper published by the students, reaches as one of the best preparatory school publications produced on the Pacific Coast, testifies to the excellence of the English course afforded. Other branches are handled with thoroughness. Rev. Joseph Gallagher, the president, heads a faculty of 20, whose classes comprise all studies offered in a college preparatory course. Grammar grade subjects are also given for the benefit of boys less than 11 years of age.

The school term opens in September and continues for nine months exclusive of vacation periods. The development of Columbia University has been at once rapid and constant with the utmost thoroughness in all departments. Ultimately its course will be extended until it will comprise not only the preparatory studies but will embrace all those studies leading to a collegiate degree.

ten young women can be found who are unanimous in their desire for such instruction, figure importantly in the activity of the Y. W. C. A.

The recent addition of \$50,000 to the enrollment of the Portland Y. W. C. A. makes possible still further expansion, to embody new branches of educational and culture work in which it may be interested and makes it possible for the institution to keep pace more clearly with the enormous rate of increase in its membership.

REGISTRATION GAINS THRICE

Christian Brothers College Started in 1907 in Modern Institution.

Organized in 1907 and beginning its work with a registration of 70 the Christian Brothers College was able to boast a registration of more than three times that number at the close of the 1911 term. At the time of the commencement exercises nine members of the graduating class from the business department had already secured positions with various business firms of the city.

The Christian Brothers Business College is conducted by the brothers of the Christian schools, a religious order of men who devote their entire lives to the work of education. Besides the business course offered a graded system of classes for the younger pupils has been organized, where children are brought up from the primary classes through a complete course embodying arithmetic, spelling, English composition, letter writing and penmanship. College graduates are required to receive a penmanship diploma before graduating.

The business course comprises touch typewriting, shorthand, bookkeeping, English and commercial law. Special attention is paid to the art of public speaking and debates are held each week. Physical training is given in a modern gymnasium equipped with showers, lockers and handball courts, and supplemented with two athletic fields. A professional trainer is in charge. The luncheon in connection with the college is placed in the charge of an experienced matron and it is possible for pupils to obtain at nominal rates warm luncheons without leaving the college grounds.

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BUSINESS COLLEGE GROWS

Behnke-Walker School Opens Fall Term in New Home.

Entering its new home with equipment of increased completeness and efficiency, the Behnke-Walker Business College, one of the oldest institutions of its kind on the Pacific Coast, begins the new year under especially favorable omens. Practical work in every line of business activity that is to be studied in the plan under which the Behnke-Walker College proceeds, and the long lists of graduates it is able to show, who have stepped directly from graduate education into business positions which they have successfully filled, is the strongest testimonial the college offers to the efficacy of its methods.

In the business course two lines are offered, a short course of six to 12 months, leading up to positions such as bookkeeper, shipping clerk, paying teller, etc., and a longer course of 12 to 20 months, preparing for positions in which more extensive expert knowledge is necessary. A special course in shorthand and short course in English are also offered.

An addition to the faculty this year is C. A. Fogleman, acting secretary for the Railroad Commission. He is a graduate of the Success Shorthand School, one of the largest in the world, and was for two years a court and general reporter in Cleveland, O.

HILL GIVES MILITARY AID

Boys Are Fitted for Entrance to West Point and Annapolis.

A day school for boys and young men, in which the aim is not only to fit the students for entrance into higher educational institutions, but to develop in them the many qualities and social characteristics that will be of greatest benefit to him in after life—this is the character of the Hill Military Academy, as outlined in the announcements of its purposes to the prospectuses.

J. W. Hill is principal of the academy and is supported by a faculty of 25. One of the distinctive features of the Hill Military Academy is its thorough military training. Not only are all students subjected to the discipline of military drill, but special attention is given to such as desire to enter the Government military schools at Annapolis and West Point.

Hill Military Academy offers, in addition to its winter course, a summer course as well, in which the students are taken out to a camp and are enabled to enjoy the attractions of outdoor life, at the same time carrying forward their studies.

ACADEMY IS OF HIGH RANK

Hitchcock Military Institution Is Popular on Pacific Coast.

Hitchcock Military Academy, situated at San Rafael, Cal., ranks high in the roll of military colleges of the United States and has become very popular on the Pacific Coast as a preparatory school for boys.

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SECOND—O. A. C. has graduated more than 1200 young men and women who are now engaged in "dignifying the industries" of Oregon.

THIRD—O. A. C. was attended by 2868 students in 1911-12.

FOURTH—O. A. C. has 27 modern, well equipped buildings, affording every opportunity for advancement in the study of its industrial courses.

FIFTH—O. A. C. offers nine distinct courses, namely, Agriculture, Domestic Science and Art, Forestry, Civil Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Mining Engineering, Commerce, Pharmacy and Music.

SIXTH—O. A. C. offers Winter Short Course in Agriculture, Forestry, Domestic Science and Art, Mechanic Arts, Commerce, and Music.

SEVENTH—O. A. C. employs 150 officers, instructors and research assistants.

EIGHTH—O. A. C. is the largest institution of higher learning in Oregon, and is numbered among the largest west of the Mississippi.

NINTH—O. A. C. leads all institutions in the Union in Horticulture.

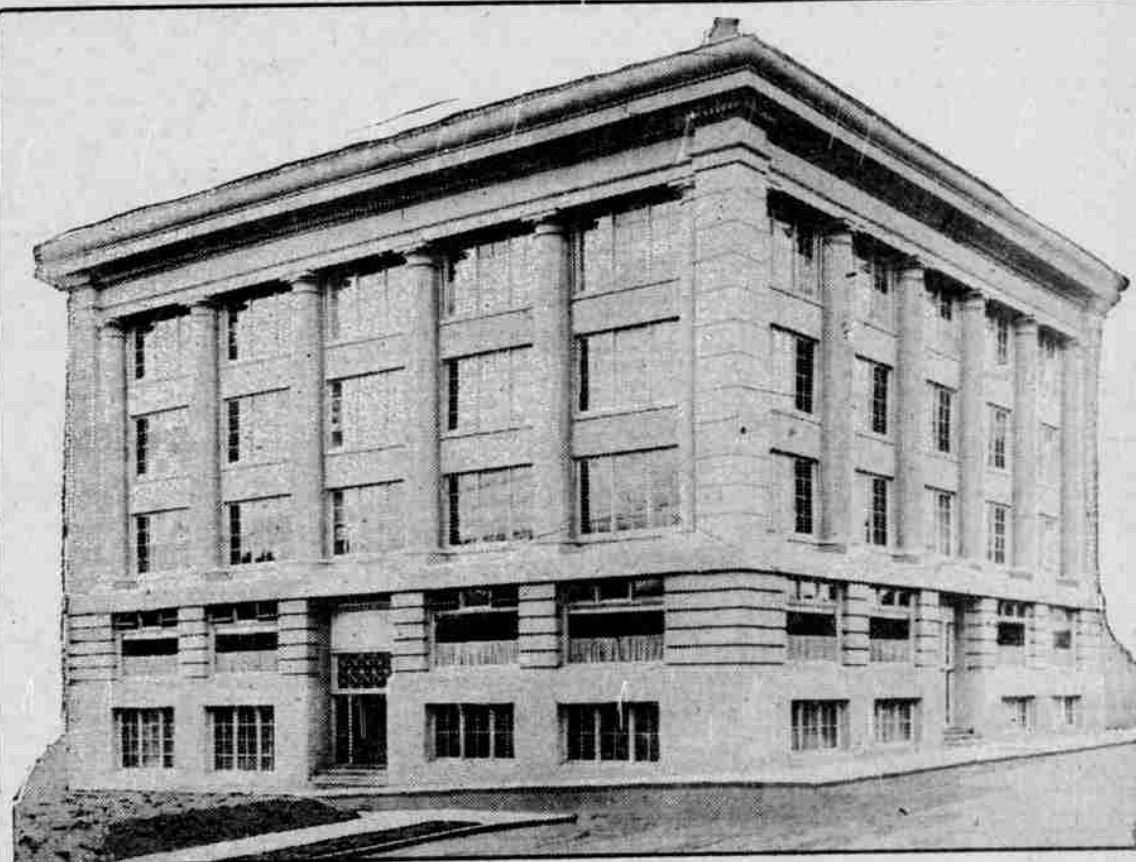
TENTH—O. A. C. has a cadet regiment that is ranked among the most efficient college military organizations in the United States.

ELEVENTH—O. A. C. is located in one of the most beautiful cities anywhere. Corvallis, the "Heart of the Valley," has paved streets, sparkling mountain water, perfect sewer system, 11 churches, and no saloons.

TWELFTH—O. A. C. is a democratic and cosmopolitan institution. It welcomes the sons and daughters of every state and every nationality, but particularly citizens of Oregon. Its mission is to serve the people.

Fall Term Opens September 20th

For information, address H. M. Tennant, Registrar, Corvallis, Oregon



North Pacific College Dentistry and Pharmacy

THE NORTH PACIFIC COLLEGE has departments of dentistry and pharmacy. Its object is the training of young men and women for successful professional careers. The college has a corps of twenty-five teachers and an additional force of special lecturers, demonstrators and clinical instructors.

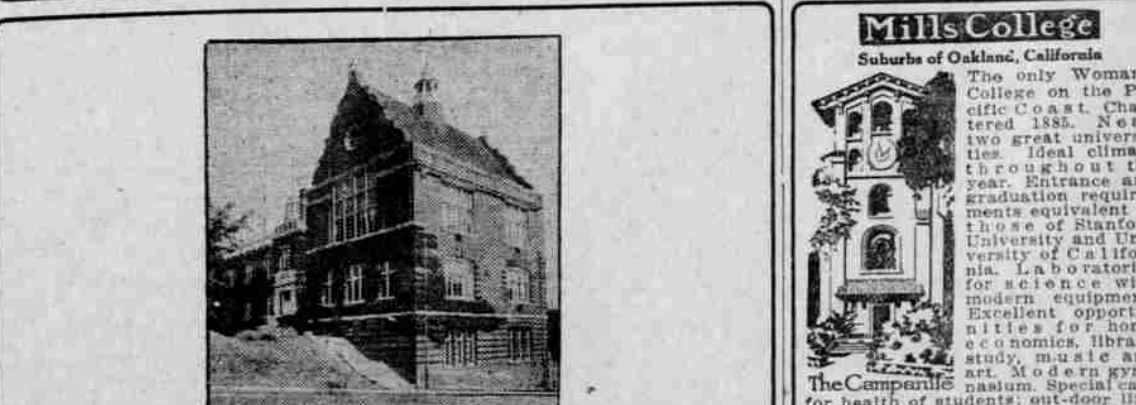
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During the school year of 1911-12 the student body represented thirty-two states, in addition to several Canadian provinces, Alaska, Peru (South America), Japan (Asia), England, Germany, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Russia, Switzerland and Hungary (Europe).

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