

VETERAN UNIVERSITY DEAN ASKS RELIEF

Dr. John Straub to Give Up Post Held for 40 Years.

TRIBUTE PAID EDUCATOR

President Campbell Says Retiring Professor Is Known as "Father of Freshmen Classes."

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, June 19.—(Special.)—After a service of more than 40 years as dean of men and professor of Greek, Dr. John Straub will ask the board of regents on Monday to relieve him of his duties as dean of the college of literature, science and the arts, which post he has held for 22 years. Dean Straub has been contemplating this change for some time, but did not wish to make the request until after passage of the higher educational millage bill in the campaign for which he was one of the most effective workers.

On the occasion of Dean Straub's laying aside this deanship, President Campbell today issued a statement paying tribute to the work of Dean Straub. President Campbell said:

"With the growth of the university the double burden has become too heavy and he has asked to be relieved of the demands of the college that he may concentrate his work on the field which is closest to his heart, that of intimate personal work with men of the university. He has for many years welcomed every class of freshmen entering the university. He has made the acquaintance of many freshmen in their high school days. He always has been known as the father of the freshman class."

"The student loan fund of the university has been his special care and he has long planned to devote extra energy to building it up to a fund of \$100,000. It is the duty of the dean of men to keep close communication with the beneficiaries of the loan and act in a special way as their university advisor. The human element that plays a great part in the duties of the dean of men is of a nature which especially appeals to Dean Straub."

PROFESSOR YOUNG HONORED

High Degree for University Educator Recommended.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, June 19.—(Special.)—Frederick G. Young, professor of economics and sociology and dean of the graduate school, today was recommended to the board of regents to receive a degree of LL.D. on the occasion of the 25th anniversary of his connection with the faculty of the University of Oregon. Professor Young is next in point of service in the faculty to Dean Straub, dean of literature, science and the arts, who has been here 42 years.

It was said at the meeting of the faculty, whose action was unanimous, that this action, the first of its kind taken in many years, was taken in recognition not only of Professor Young's long and distinguished service to the university, but for his service to the state as well, through his various public activities, notably his work for good roads and his commonwealth conferences, which have become a factor in Oregon's civic upbuilding.

Professor Young is a graduate of Johns Hopkins, class of 1885. In addition to the recommending of degrees for the 174 members of the class of 1920, the faculty recommended the granting of the degree of master of arts to E. L. Kezzer of Monmouth, Mrs. Georgia K. Benjamin of Eugene, Victor P. Morris, instructor in the University high school; Joseph D. Boyd of Lodi, Cal., and Robert H. Down of Lebanon.

ORATORY PRIZES AWARDED

Falling and Beckman Gifts at University Announced.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, June 19.—(Special.)—Kenneth Hendricks of Eugene last night won the Falling prize of \$150 for the best original oration delivered at the annual contest held as a feature of commencement week. The second prize, the Beckman award of \$100, was won

by Miss Ethel Wakefield of Long Beach, Cal. Hendricks' subject was "Guarding the Citadel" and Miss Wakefield's "America's Heritage in Peril." Other contestants were Fred Coley of Eugene, on "Call No Man Common," and Ben W. Hoamer of Billings, Mont., on "The American Marathon."

The judges, who decided both on composition and delivery, were Homer D. Angell, Portland, president of the University of Oregon Alumni association, who won the contest in his graduation year, 1909; Whitney L. Boise of Portland, member of the class of 1880, and Judge E. O. Potter of Eugene, class of 1887.

Music for the event was given by the university orchestra, directed by Rex Underwood, Vincent Engeldinger of Hillsboro, Miss Helen Witt, Miss Laura Rand and Miss Genevieve Clancy of Portland.

The money for the Falling prize was given by Henry Falling of Portland and for the Beckman prize, by C. C. Beckman of Jacksonville. Only members of the graduating class are eligible to compete. The victory is

WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY STUDENTS ARE MARRIED IN PORTLAND



REV. AND MRS. HAROLD W. MORT.

As the culmination of a romance that began while Rev. Harold W. Mort and Miss Mary O. Putnam of Salem were students at Willamette university, the marriage of the young couple took place yesterday at the home of the bride's brother, Roy Putnam, in this city. Mr. Mort, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Mort of Goldendale, Wash., is still a student of theology at the Salem school, while serving as pastor of the East Salem Methodist church. His bride is the daughter of Mrs. J. S. Putnam of Salem.

The wedding was a quiet affair. Rev. H. T. Green, pastor of the first Methodist church of Lewiston, Idaho, performed the ceremony. The couple will pass a week at Seaside.

MEMORIAL WILL BE ERECTED

Oregon University Graduates, Dead in War, to Have Monument.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, June 19.—(Special.)—Alumni day at the university of Oregon today saw the adoption of resolutions by the alumni association and by the faculty endorsing the plan to erect a suitable memorial on the campus to the university men who died in the great war. Of the 2050 Oregon graduates and students who served on land and sea and in the air, 43 made the supreme sacrifice, according to figures given by Carlton E. Spencer, registrar. The nature of the memorial, whether a shaft or building, is to be determined after a thorough canvass of the wishes of alumni and students, present and former. At the annual business meeting of the state alumni association, in the morning, Homer D. Angell, 1904, of Portland, president, was re-elected, as was Miss Charlie Fenton, '16, of Eugene, secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Louise Yoran Whitton, '96, was elected vice-president. For all alumni of the joint athletic council, dean H. Walker, '13, and Albert K. Tiffany, '09, were re-elected and Basil Williams, '10, football player, was made the new member. Walter L. Myers, '18, of Eugene, was elected alumni member on the forensics council.

The luncheon, given in the early afternoon, was attended by nearly 1000. President Campbell, forecasted a rosy future for the university and for the state on account of the passage of the millage bill. Homer D. Angell, president of the association, was toastmaster. Toasts were responded to by Morris Morgan, 1920, of Portland; Mrs. Laura Beattie Carter, 1895; Whitney L. Boise, 1880; Carlton E. Spencer, 1913; C. N. McArthur, '01, member of congress; W. K. Newell, member of board of regents, and P. L. Campbell, president.

The occasion was the reunion of the classes of 1890 and 1895.

FREIGHT RESTRICTION ON RAILROADS TAXED BY HEAVY TRAFFIC OF SHRINERS.

Regulations Resembling Local Embargo Announced by Officials of Terminal Yards.

Regulations resembling a local embargo on all freight except essential commodities went into effect last night, according to an announcement issued by railroad officials from the terminal yards. Owing to the heavy tax on the railroads to handle the incoming and outgoing special passenger trains during the week, every effort will be made to keep the freight service to the minimum. The statement follows: "Commencing with midnight to-

hand interchange of perishables, fuel oil and gasoline. Merchandise will be accepted subject to delay and will be handled as promptly as possible. Shippers are urged to confine deliveries of merchandise to actual necessities. Owing to the congested condition of the yards it will be difficult even to handle the same, subject to delay.

"East Portland station will be taxed to its utmost in handling perishable shipments and shippers should refrain from offering other than essential commodities at that station also."

VANDAL FIRES PALM POST

SHRINE DECORATION IS MADE MASS OF CINDERS.

Police Chief Instructs Patrolmen to Watch for Firebugs to Prevent Desecration.

One of the Shrine palm trees was destroyed by fire last night at the corner of Park and Washington streets. One moment the palm-leaf covered lamp post was an ornament of rare beauty; the next it was a blackened mass of cinders. Someone in the large crowd set the decoration afire, regardless of the danger to the surging crowd on the sidewalks. It burned very quickly.

"I hate to believe that anybody in Portland would deliberately destroy these valuable and unique decorations, but the evidence seems to show that somebody did," said Chairman Grant of the decorations committee. "It is to be hoped that all persons will help to keep the palm-leaf decorations in nice shape until after the convention. Most of them will. The police will look after the others."

Chief of Police Jenkins last night instructed his men to keep close watch for firebugs and hoodlums who simply destroy to be amused. If they are caught at their work the entire influence of the city government will be thrown into their prosecution.

LANDING IS DEDICATED

New York Opens First Alighting Place for Seaplanes.

NEW YORK, June 19.—New York city's first landing for seaplanes was formally opened on the Hudson river front this afternoon with ceremonies participated in by Mayor Hylan, police and naval officials and various types of aircraft, including a naval dirigible.

In addressing the crowd of 3000, Rear-Admiral J. H. Glennon, in command of the third naval district, said the new air port "may become the official landing place for inter-city with all the world."

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HEARST PRESS CALLS FOR JOHNSON PARTY

Republicans Are Accused of Straddling All Issues.

PROGRESSIVE IS WANTED

Defeat of Californian Called Defeat Not of Man but of Independent Ideas.

CHICAGO, June 19.—A call to "assemble in a new independence hall, issue a new declaration of political independence and consecrate ourselves anew to the human rights and popular liberties this republic was created to conserve" was issued tonight by William Randolph Hearst, in an early edition of his newspaper, the Chicago Herald and Examiner.

The call asserted that "the republican national convention straddled on almost everything" that Senator Johnson of California is "a safe and sane progressive to whom no reasonable or honest business interest could properly object" and that "big money is afraid of a man with a progressive, thought, no matter how sound and how universally beneficial that idea may be." It continued, "The defeat of Johnson was not a defeat of the man."

It was a defeat for the progressive ideas he entertained. "The democratic party offers no refuge for independent upstanding Americans." It then asked: "What, then, is left but a new party based on the old proven principles which have made our country great, our people free?" The call is signed by Mr. Hearst.

SOUTH DAKOTA HAS SESSION

Resolutions Urge All Progressives to Join Party.

MITCHELL, S. D., June 19.—The state convention of the committee of 48 here today adopted resolutions urging progressives of all parties to unite in the formation of the new party which is to be launched at Chicago on July 19.

Senator La Follette will be the choice of the South Dakota delegation, which is bound by the following resolution:

"Senator Robert M. La Follette is the presidential choice of an overwhelming majority of the people of this state and we pledge our delegation to work for his nomination."

The non-partisan league of South Dakota has officially selected the 10 delegates to attend the Chicago convention.

HOBOS HEAD SOUTHWARD

Roseburg Reports Large Numbers Passing Through City.

ROSEBURG, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—In contrast to the hundreds of Shriners passing through this city for the convention at Portland is the southern trend of the largest number of hobos ever known in this section of the state.

Motley crowds of men are passing through the city almost nightly and local officers are making their visit here of short duration.

NEW HOME DEDICATED

PUBLIC RECEPTION HELD BY KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Grand Officers Visit Hood River and Take Charge of Formal Ceremonies.

HOOD RIVER, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—A red letter event in the history of Waucoma lodge, Knights of Pythias, was the dedication last night of its new home with 1000 members and friends of the lodge present. The meeting, a public one, was opened by L. M. Baldwin, chancellor commander of the local lodge. Following a roll call of officers, Harry Wood escorted the following grand officers to the rostrum to take charge of the dedication: Julius P. Hurley of Vale, grand chancellor commander; Jack Clark of Portland, grand vice-chancellor; Walter G. Gleeson of Portland, grand keeper of records and seals; and Leslie Crouch of Portland, Oregon representative to the supreme lodge.

Preceding a banquet of strawberries and cream, toasts were responded to by Messrs. Hurley, Clark, Gleeson, Crouch, J. W. Allen, Fred W. Wilson of The Dalles, A. W. Meyer of Cascade Locks and Thaddeus L. Graves of Portland. J. H. Haslett delivered the address of welcome.

MAN LOST IN WOODS FOUND

Searching Party From Montesano Rescues John Diedrichsen.

ABERDEEN, Wash., June 19.—(Special.)—John Diedrichsen, who was

lost in the woods of the upper Wynocche river, Wednesday, was found at 6:30 Friday morning by a posse of searchers from Montesano. With short intervals of rest he had traveled during the intervening time. He also had been without food or shelter and suffered considerably from the cold, being dressed only in overalls and work shirt.

The party which found Diedrichsen was headed by J. C. Winters, William McAloon and John Carlisle, of Montesano, and was composed of about a dozen men.

DEBT PAYMENT VERIFIED

Marshfield Concern's Operations to Remain Under Receivership.

MARSHFIELD, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—C. A. Smith, head of the C. A. Smith Lumber & Manufacturing company, Friday verified the report that the company had liquidated the back interest and indebtedness, owing to the Blodgett bondholders, and the business will soon be in his hands again, with the same situation prevailing as before the Blodgett suit was started. Owing to the fact that some of the unsecured creditors have not been settled with, company operations will remain under the receivership for a time.

Mr. Smith declares the mills will operate continuously, although the lumber situation, he said, was not as good as it has been in the past. The Blodgett suit in the federal court has been withdrawn.

Weyerhaeuser Timber Bought

CASTLE ROCK, Wash., June 19.—(Special.)—Sherman Bros. of Oregon have purchased seven tracts of timber from the Weyerhaeuser Timber company of Tacoma, some six miles northwest of here on the west side of the river. The mill will be located one mile west of Olney station.

June SHOE SALE

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