

TEACHER HITS MODERN TREND

Scholarship Standards Are Being Lowered to Semi-moron, Charge

VANCOUVER, B. C., April 4.—(AP)—Modern university education is becoming "a filling station where the student walks in, is oiled, greased, given a full gas tank and sent away with a B. A."

Professor Edon Quainton, of the faculty department of the University of Washington told delegates to the fifth session of the British Columbia Teachers federation in convention here today.

Professor Quainton criticized the trend toward complete standardization and declared that "the chief problem before humanity today was to bear up the weight of the colossal civilization, with which life may be oppressed."

"We don't know where we're going or what we want," he said. "We've lost all sense of values. We're hopelessly adrift, but perhaps that has been true of all young people of all ages. Or perhaps we don't want to bear the burden of civilization's weight."

The limit of education for most persons should be the high school, Professor Quainton said. If all students get to the university, the university is ruined, he declared. Scholarship standards in some universities has been depressed to the level of the semi-moron, he concluded.

YOUNG PEOPLE WILL MAKE EUGENE TRIP

A number of young people from the Christian Endeavor of the First Presbyterian church will leave from the church at 6:30 o'clock Saturday morning for Eugene, where they will attend the annual rally of the Presbyterian Young People's league which convenes in all-day session there.

Leland S. Chapin of Salem is on the program to give a talk on "China," and Mrs. Edna J. Ellis of Salem will talk on "Personal Hygiene." Delegates will be present

HIGH SOCIETY PUZZLED

What to do With Curtis' Sister is Problem OFFICIAL WORD WAITED

WASHINGTON, April 4.—(AP)—Perplexed Washington society matrons foun themselves unhappy arbiters tonight in the dispute between Vice President Curtis and the state department as to where his sister and designated hostess, Mrs. Edward Everett Gann shall sit at official dinners.

The vice president and Mrs. Gann are going ahead with their many social engagements "while the social corps to be attended by the vice president. Such an event is not expected before next week. Word creeps out from the diplomatic circles that the corps feel bound to abide by the decision of the state department.

While Mr. Curtis and Mrs. Gann apparently will abide by the decisions of their hosts pending the ruling of Mr. Stimson, there is some speculation as to whether the wives of the diplomats will be so good natured if the host happens to side with the vice president rather than the state department.

Ruling Accepted
It is understood that before Mr. Kellogg issued his ruling last week on the eve of his departure from office that no question had been raised about Mrs. Gann and that she had shared the same recognition accorded her brother. Since, the ruling has been accepted at least one instance. At a dinner given since then by Edward B. McLean, publisher of the Washington Post and an intimate friend of Curtis, the state department decision was adhered to. Some foreign diplomats were present at that dinner. The ruling was accepted without question by the vice president and his sister.

Curtis Won't Talk
About Situation
Smilingly declining to discuss the issue further, Mr. Curtis is giving no intimation of what he intends to do in the event Mr. Stimson stands by his predecessor. The vice president had emphasized to the secretary of state that he does not wish to have pressing departmental affairs set aside for an immediate answer to his protest. He has accepted invitations to social affairs as far ahead as June.

While conversation hummed

MRS. ROSE WENGER PASSES THURSDAY

Mrs. Rose Wenger, wife of Henry Wenger, died early Thursday night at the family home at 346 Washington street. She had been in ill health for more than ten months. Mrs. Wenger was 53 years old January 24.

Rose Hornsach, a native of Pennsylvania, came to Oregon at the age of two years, settling with her parents near Oregon City where she resided until coming to Salem about 23 years ago. She was married in this city in November, 1904, to Henry Wenger. She had been a member of the First Evangelical church practically all her life.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Wenger leaves: one son, Clarence, one daughter, Helen, and two stepsons, Arnold J. and Leonard H., all of Salem. One son died six years ago. Two sisters and six brothers also survive.

Henry E. Hornsach of Otis; E. D. Hornsach of Delake; T. R. Hornsach of Hebo, L. C. Hornsach of Portland and Otto Hornsach of Seattle; Mrs. Sam Ernst of Seattle and Mrs. C. A. Elliot of Oregon City.

Funeral arrangements have not been made, pending arrival of relatives. The funeral will be for sometime Monday. Remains are at the Rigdon mortuary.

Willamette May Form Drill Team

A. H. Nehl, proprietor of the Salem riding academy which is just getting under way here, will be in the city today from Portland to confer with President Carl G. Doney, Roy Keene and Professor Alda Curry, head of the women's physical education department concerning organization of a drill team of Willamette students. Mr. Nehl will propose that the team organize with a view to performing at the state fair, thus bringing publicity in a new line to the university. Some eight students have already signed for membership in the riding classes and would be willing to enter such a class.

Motor Vehicle Fees Boosted, Total Indicates

Motor vehicle registration fees during the period January 1 to March 31, 1929, aggregated \$6,073,567.97, as against \$5,631,183.33 during the corresponding period in 1928, according to a report prepared by the secretary of state.

Fees for the entire year of 1928 totalled \$6,969,320.87. This was an increase of more than \$2,000,000 when compared with the returns for the year 1924.

JEWELRY STORE TO OPEN ON SATURDAY

Opening of the Towers Jewelry and Gift shop has been announced for Saturday on State street in the location formerly occupied by the dining room of the Gray Belle. Both Mr. and Mrs. Towers will be active in the management of the new store. For nearly 20 years they were successfully engaged in the jewelry business in Marshfield and chose Salem for their new location only after a careful survey of the Oregon field.

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Southbound—A. M. 4:40; 7:00; 9:10; 9:40; 11:10—P. M. 12:10; 1:10; 2:10; 3:40; 4:10; 5:10; 6:10; 7:10; 8:10; 9:10; 11:10.

Senator Hotel—Court and High Sts. Telephone 606

ACTOR FOUND DEAD

NEW YORK, April 4.—(AP)—Harry Davis, 55, Pacific coast actor, was found dead in his hotel room here today. Death was attributed to a hemorrhage. Davis had been playing here in "Appearances."

throughout the day over the social crisis, there were reports of varying views. There were indications at the Mayflower hotel where the vice president makes his home with Mr. and Mrs. Gann that the telephone had been busy with calls of friends of Mrs. Gann. So the situation tonight seemed to narrow down to a dispute between the vice president and former Secretary Kellogg with the Washington society matrons unwilling judges until the new secretary of state gives the momentous answer.

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