

# UNIVERSITY TEAM CHOSEN TO DEBATE

## Six Men Selected to Uphold Forensic Honors in Inter-collegiate Contests.

At a tryout Saturday afternoon selections were made for the debate squad which prepared for the debate against the University of Washington and British Columbia university of March 15.

The judges, Peter C. Crockett, R. W. Prescott and Walter L. Myers, selected six men, Kenneth Armstrong, Hugh D. Brunk, Ralph Holman, Lee Bartholomew, Carlton Savage and Day Bayly from which two teams of two men each with one alternate for each team will be chosen.

Miss Ruth Graham was assigned a place on the co-ed team which will meet the University of Washington in April. The alumni medal contest for the debating championship of the University will be held Thursday evening, Jan. 24.

### New Crisis in Russia

ryeff, in an interview with the United Press today, "The right parties cannot remain alone and exercise power in the constituent assembly, for the people do not recognize them. The people are behind the Soviets. Should the parties of the Right challenge the authority and power of the Soviets—it simply means an extension of the civil war now raging."

It was reported that the people's commissaries desire to take the Brest-Litovsk negotiations out of the hands of the present delegation, although they assert their adherence to the conditions of the armistice.

On Sunday night former Cadet Ministers Kokoshkin and Shingareff who were recently transferred to a hospital from the fortress at St. Peter and Paul were killed by a band of soldiers and workmen. Their assassination, together with the animosities aroused by forcible closing down of the constituent assembly, has brought about the most intensely left feeling between the Right and Left parties.

A delegation of the constituent assembly leaders which called on Nicholas Lenine today to protest against the Bolshevik action were told by the Bolshevik

leader that permission would be withheld for them to assemble anywhere and that instead of their conference, a national convention would be formed by the forthcoming Soviet congress.

All the newspapers containing detailed accounts of the constituent meetings were confiscated.

**Approve Dissolution of Assembly.**  
The Soviet of the workmen and soldiers today formally approved the dissolution of the assembly after a speech by Inovieff, declaring the conference brought together two elements which could not be congenial.

In the opinion of many leaders the dissolution means war to a finish between the two elements. The members of the Right who dominated the constituent assembly are planning to go to Kiev or Novocherkassk.

A widely circulated report today that Tseretelli and Chernoff, leaders of the Social Revolutionaries in the anti-Bolshevik movement, had been killed, was declared false by the authorities. The central executive committee of the Bolsheviks, however, named a commission to investigate other shootings in the city. The Red Guards, who participated in last week's attack on groups in the city blamed the paraders for the rioting.

A city-wide hunt was in progress for M. Savinkoff, one of Kerensky's staunch supporters, who has been reported in hiding.

In the opinion of politicians here, there is little chance of the constituent assembly leaders overcoming the Bolsheviks. A few of the Red Guards, however, formally tendered their resignations today, declaring they were being used to suppress liberty in the attacks on the constituent assembly.

Lenine himself introduced the dissolution decree in the assembly and in a twenty-minute speech lauded the Soviet deputies as representing the highest power of democracy in the world. He said he considered the most resolute action which the decree proposed as the only means remaining—the Russian people otherwise were doomed.

Lenine frankly declared that he recognized the "impossibility of accomplishing a socialistic state except by civil war."

"But this does not deter us," he concluded.

### BOLSHEVIKI ISSUE APPEAL

Petrograd, Jan. 21.—The declarations of the Bolshevik delegates to the constituent assembly adopted by them prior to their bolt from this body, was published in full today. In part, it asserted: "The debates have shown that the Social Revolutionaries of the Right, as in Kerensky's time, are nourishing the people on promises and phrases, but in reality are opposing socialist measures such as expropriation of lands, the nationalization of banks and the control and annulment of state debts. Not wishing to condone these crimes of the enemies of the people, we declare we are quitting the assembly."

The Bolshevik decree dissolving the constituent assembly read, in part: "The constituent assembly was chosen from the old election lists and it now appears as an expression of the old bourgeois regime, expecting to become chief authority in a bourgeois republic opposing the October revolution and the Soviet's authority."

"The old bourgeois parliamentarism has seen its day. It is unable to cope with the tasks facing Socialism. Only institutions such as the Soviets are able to overcome the opposition of the rich classes and to create a new socialist state. The refusal to recognize the Soviet's authority and the restoring to the bourgeoisie of the liberty they have won would be a step backward toward bankruptcy of the workmen's and peasants' revolution. The right Social Revolutionaries are openly fighting the Soviets and supporting the exploiters of labor. The central executive committee, therefore, orders the constituent assembly dissolved."

### Police Judge at Portland Is Threatened in Letter

Portland, Or., Jan. 21.—A second threatening letter, signed "I. W. W." was received today by Police Judge Rossman, warning him he will be "gaged up" unless he changes his methods of conducting court.

Rossman has handled many cases involving I. W. W. of late, and has dealt none too easily with them.

# EUGENE HIGH SCHOOL IS STILL UNBEATEN

## Salem Team Is Added to List to Be Defeated by Local Quintet by Fast Game.

The Eugene high school basketball team added one more to its list of unbroken victories Saturday night when it took the Salem high school team into camp by the score of 38 to 34. The Salem lads were the hardest competitors the local team has had this year and played a whirlwind game from start to finish. The end of the first half round the score was 22 to 16 in favor of the locals, and in the second half the local boys let down a little but managed to maintain a lead of two baskets at the close. The lineup was as follows:

Eugene: Salem: Manerud.....F..... Gill Veitch.....F..... Craig Callison.....C..... Lathen Hoffer.....G..... Halsey Bryson.....G..... Ross Putnam, of Salem, umpired the game and Edwin Drano of the University was referee.

# LANE COUNTY NEWS

## COTTAGE GROVE.

Cottage Grove, Or., Jan. 21.—Mrs. Alie Robinson left Saturday for Fort Stevens to visit her son, William who is in camp there.

Miss Thelma Hunt who teaches at Wildwood went to Eugene Saturday to spend the week-end.

Miss Ruth and brother Ben Rinard went to Eugene Saturday.

W. H. Schiller of Pendleton visited his father, C. R. Schiller, night porter at the Oregon.

Robert Jones, Chester Anlauf, William Bartels went to Eugene Saturday.

Frank Woodruff went to Portland Sunday to work at plumbing.

Mrs. E. M. Matson of Butte, Mont., is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Turk. Mrs. Matson was formerly Miss Christine Turk of Cottage Grove.

Miss Grace Haskins of Creswell who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Bidwell returned home Sunday.

Charles DeWald returned Saturday from Canyonville where he has been employed the past six months.

Mrs. James Grooms and daughter, Mrs. Clara Bosserman, went to Corvallis Saturday.

W. H. Gleason of Roseburg made a business trip to Cottage Grove Saturday.

James Dunn went to Mabel Saturday Miss Gladys Benaton, of Saginaw, spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McKinney.

G. W. McGee and Albert Vaughn returned to Mabel Sunday.

Dan Monogue has been quite sick with pneumonia the past few days.

Martin Anderson returned the last part of the week from Lowell, Oakridge and other points on the Natron line.

Mrs. Nora Haffin who has been visiting Mrs. D. A. Whitney returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Oscar Smith and children went to Rainier Saturday to join her husband who is employed there.

Mrs. E. Hull spent Saturday in Saginaw.

Mrs. L. E. Spronce came Sunday to visit her sisters, Mrs. W. O. Asher and Mrs. Joe McKibben.

The Kansas society will give an entertainment and dinner Tuesday, January 22nd in the evening in the Woodman hall on Main street.

Ed Kelley husband of Rena Baker Kelley, returned to Vancouver Saturday.

William Dawson of Creswell was in town Saturday. He purchased a full blooded White Leghorn rooster of William Hands for \$5.

G. W. Sparks of Oakland visited Saturday at the home of Mrs. Charles Burge.

Mrs. J. S. Greene of Creswell, visited at the home of Miss Grace Blackwell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Vaughn returned Saturday to Mabel where Mr. Vaughn is employed in the sawmill.

## WINBERRY

Winberry, Or., Jan. 21.—Charley Powell is moving his household goods to Lowell to be shipped.

Bob Vaughn of Jasper visited his daughter, Mrs. A. Drury, Thursday.

Mrs. Jessie Walker gave the eighth grade examinations Thursday and Friday.

## NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Eugene Fruit Growers Association will be held at the Chamber of Commerce Rooms, Eugene, Oregon, on Saturday, January 26, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the election of a Board of Directors, voting on a resolution authorizing an increase of the capital stock of the association, amending the By-laws, and any other business which may come before the meeting.

(Signed) J. O. HOLT, Sec.  
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day. Those who took them were Mae Renfro, Zella E. Edwards and George B. Rhinevaunt.

Harry Bush went to town Thursday on business.

Mr. Orr of Eugene was a business visitor on Winberry Wednesday and Thursday.

R. C. Edwards went to Portland Friday morning.

## JUNCTION CITY

Junction City, Or., Jan. 21.—Clarence Harpole, rural mail carrier on route No. 3, escaped with minor injuries when the team he was driving ran away with him Saturday morning. He was compelled through the accident to return to town and secure other means of finishing his route. The injuries received by the horses were slight.

The Junction City high school basketball boys defeated the Monroe high school boys at Monroe on Friday evening by a score of 27 to 5. On Saturday evening they met defeat at the hands of the Springfield boys at the latter place by 27-22.

Miss Bertha Harpole who has been teaching school near Blachly and Miss Grace Gilmore of the University were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Gilmore.

Mary O'Farrell spent the week-end with relatives in Eugene.

Arthur Summers and Roy Neill were in this city the latter part of the week attending to business affairs.

Gertrude Saunders of Eugene was in this city for the week-end.

Arnold Tracer attended to business interests in Eugene Saturday.

George Young returned from Oakridge Saturday evening after a few days business stay.

M. D. Lingo returned from an extended business trip in Eugene last night.

Mrs. Clay Moody, Mrs. John Moody and Mrs. Joe Scott of Harrisburg were visitors in this city yesterday.

Mrs. Sally Foster and daughter Bessie transacted business in Eugene Saturday.

## LOWELL

Lowell, Or., Jan. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Blaine are occupying the Lowell store now.

Mr. Blaine and Mr. Smith made a business trip to Eugene Thursday.

Charlie Eaton, Lottie McBeck, Charles McBeck, Elsie Cain, Clifton Adams, Viola Pinkney, Harville Barnes, Wallace Adams, Delurin Kintzley, Vera Morgan, Melvina McBeck, Edna Kintzley and their teacher, Miss May Dale took a hike to the top of Butte Disappointment Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. S. S. Hazelwood will leave for Mammoth Springs, Ark., Monday. She will be missed by many friends and relatives at Lowell. Her nephew, Sigel Tiner will accompany her to Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. Kintzley and children Delurin and Edna are residing at Lowell now.

Miss Evelin Eaton is planning on returning to Walla Walla, Wash., to attend high school. She was entertained at the E. S. Hazelwood home Saturday.

## JASPER

Jasper, Or., Jan. 21.—Mrs. Bert Doane and children were visiting in Eugene and Springfield this week-end.

Mrs. John Wallace was shopping in Eugene Saturday.

Frank Saunders was in Eugene on business Saturday.

The Jasper art club met with Mrs. J. V. Stewart Friday with good attendance. They will meet with Mrs. Bert Doane Feb. 1. Everyone has been invited.

Mrs. John Waring was called to Hemlock, Or., Friday morning on account of her daughter's death.

Mrs. Panefus returned last night from a visit to Noti with relatives.

Tom Elliott is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Robb Nesmith.

Mr. Rhodes and Mr. Miller are in Eugene on business today.

Mrs. J. V. Stewart was in Eugene Saturday.

Faith Drury of Eugene high school is spending the week-end with her parents here.

"If you know how to spend less than you get, you have the philosopher's stone."—Franklin.

# American Engineers Who Helped British Repel German Attack



This is a group of the American engineers who helping the British during the battle of Cambrai repair their railroads suddenly found themselves the object

of a German attack. Though they had not received much military training they threw down their tools and taking guns from the British got into line and helped repel the Germans. For this they were officially and highly praised by British commanders.

# MULTNOMAH CLUB IS TOO MUCH FOR "U"

## Hayward's Boys Unable to Compete With Fast Portland Team at Basketball.

The University quintet went down to defeat Saturday night before the Multnomah club team of Portland on the University Gymnasium floor. This was the first game of the University team this year, and they had been badly handicapped by the illness of their coach "Bill Hayward. The University team made changes in the second half so as to try out all its players, and this it is said did not strengthen the team. The score was 34 to 18, but was not so one-sided as the score would seem to indicate, luck seeming to break against the University team. The lineup follows:

Oregon: Stinson (18).....F..... Fowler (8) Grebe Dunaway (8).....F..... Morrison (9) Sialer Mix (6).....G..... Comfort, Lind Morton (2) Sharp (2).....G..... Steers Twomey.....G..... Wilson (2) Parsons

## Ford Declines Exemption Under Suspension Order

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 19.—The Ford company has declined to accept exemption from the provisions of the Garfield five-day suspension granted yesterday.

Henry Ford said today: "Although the Ford company is exempted, we do not care to take advantage of it. It is a relief measure prompted by military necessity and the Ford plants will remain closed the prescribed period. It is the best thing that has come out of the food and fuel control system this suspension of industry until the eastern congestion can be relieved."

## Teutons on Verge of Break

Austrian newspapers do not hesitate violently to attack General Hoffman or Prince von Buelow himself for imperialistic plans and for their acquiescence in the schemes of the German junkers. Strikes are spreading throughout the dual monarchy—due not only to demand for food, but to the people's opposition

## AUSTRIA CRIES FOR PEACE

Zurich, Jan. 21.—All Austria-Hungary is crying out for peace.

Reports today show general strikes, declared Friday, spreading throughout the nation. Leaders of the movement are preventing violence everywhere. They have issued a manifesto demanding assurances that the peace negotiations be not frustrated through "territorial demands of the Pan-Germans."

Despatches today indicated that at Buch Pest the entire railway, tramway and underground services had stopped. Thirty-one separate strikers' meetings were held.

At Cracow, great demonstrations were reported. The shops have been ordered closed and the public forbidden to congregate on the streets after 6 o'clock at night.

At Vienna the strike movement was reported spreading throughout upper and lower Austria into Bohemia and Moldavia.

Emperor Karl, according to one report here, summoned the mayor of Graz to Vienna, but the mayor telephoned to the palace that the situation in Graz was "too serious for him to leave."

## LANE COUNTY CREDIT ASSOCIATION Will Hold Annual Meeting

The Lane County Credit association will hold its annual meeting at the chamber of commerce tonight (Monday) at 8 o'clock. There will be election of officers and other business of importance and every member has been urged to be present.

The Ohio State University is closing its Union buildings at 9:30, as a means of fuel conservation.

## Huston, Portland Attorney, Candidate for U. S. Senator

Portland, Jan. 21.—Definite announcement of his candidacy for United States senator was made today by S. H. Huston, attorney and member of several legislative sessions. Huston seeks the republican nomination, opposing Senator Charles McNary and R. N. Stanfield.

## ITALIAN PRUNE TREES

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