

Doings at Pacific University

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COLLEGE STUDENTS CELEBRATE THE POLLOCK-LYCLE RECITAL.

Ladies' Hall Scene of Festivities--Halloween Observed.

Into all the mysteries of college life and amid a din and confusion that might have done credit to the "trail" on a Worlds' Fair Day the Freshmen of Pacific University passed Thursday evening without a change of form or color. In addition to the regular college students, several members of the Faculty and Alumni were present. As "Halloween" is one of the most enjoyable times of the year all looked forward to the event with expectancy, especially was this so of the Freshmen.

About nine o'clock the guests began to arrive. The Freshmen were already present, anxiously waiting to explore the mysteries of the fourth floor where the exercises were to be held. Here a scene of utter confusion prevailed. Small booths had been arranged in which were to be found witches, soothsayers and others of a like "stripe" who told fortunes, misfortunes and other things. The first booth was a happy combination of fortune telling and face washing. Next was "a voyage upon the sea of life" the scene of many disasters during the evening. Then the mind reader and soothsayer by means of her magic wand and the "lucky" or "unlucky" letters revealed the future. Needless to say this was something very startling. Next came the palm reading. By the gentle pressure of the hand and a careful tracing of the life line and other lines more light was thrown upon the future. Finally by spinning the wheel of fortune "The life to come" was all but settled, and many exclamations of relief or dismay went up as the arrow stopped at "you will never marry."

Just preceding the toasts the initiation of the Freshmen took place. Each victim was led with fear and trembling to the altar of Sophomore devotion and made to swear to revere the Seniors, keep shy of the Juniors and love and obey the Sophomores." Several other "stunts" were gone through with, among others "branding," "hair combing" and "would be feet washing." At the latter, five Freshmen drew the line which they pronounced as "the limit" and unnecessary.

After the initiation all adjourned to the banquet hall which had been tastefully decorated with autumn leaves, climbing ivy and Jack-o-lanterns. Here a bounteous repast had been prepared by the "Softy-mores" and proved to be one of the most enjoyable features of the evening. When the fortune-telling and fortune letters of the evening had all been sufficiently "fulfilled" with pumpkin pie and cider, toastmaster Arnston arose and after regaling the merry-makers with sallies of wit, called upon the several speakers of the evening. Miss Farnam gave an interesting talk on "A Halloween Wraith," A. C. Allen, (a member) delved into the aspirations of "the witless wise," H. H. McCoy, true to his color, represented the Shamrock and incidentally dealt with the "witless wise" or "what are they?" R. A. Imlay gave a Scotch reading entitled "Who Broke the Pitcher" in that peculiar dialect, possible only to a Scotchman. Miss Helen Chandler spoke upon "Spirits" in a very pleasing manner. Not necessarily the "Spirits" that sat "be-cider" but that intangible "Spirit" which should pervade every college; patriotism to our "Alma Mater." H. W. Sparks closed the entertainment by his usual "side-splitting Sparklets." In dealing with "Lemons" Mr. Sparks showed that in some way he had acquired a knowledge of that "fruit" and even "Willie's" sleigh bells jingled merrily as he shook with mirth when the "lemons" were handed out, and the party dispersed, satisfied beyond measure with the spirits of the evening.

Seniors Adopt Cap and Gown.

At a meeting of the Senior class last week the cap and gown question was decided upon, three voting against to six in favor of the proposition. The question has agitated the minds of the Seniors for the past three years, not knowing whether the majority would favor the scholarly custom.

The Misses Chandler attended the wedding of Mr. Hale and Miss McConnell in Portland Saturday night.

Given Under the Auspices of the Kappa Delta Society in Marsh Hall.

Before a select, appreciative audience, the Kappa Delta entertainment was given last evening in Marsh Hall. Miss Mae Pollock, a graduate of the Chicago school of expression, made her initial appearance as an Impersonator to a Forest Grove audience. She gave with credit, "Jim Fenton's Wedding Outing" from the Seven Oaks by Dr. J. O. Holland. The musical part of the program was excellent.

Miss Ethel M. Lytle won the hearts of her audience by her wonderful dramatic voice. Her pleasing personality captured her hearers. People of musical ability pronounce Miss Lytle a decided success. Her sweet voice rang out with a clear, resonant melody. Time and again the audience would call her back. Miss Sheehy did some splendid work as accompanist for Miss Lytle. The Kappa Delta girls are to be commended upon their business management of the entertainment. Patronesses were Miss Farnham, Mrs. Watt and Mrs. Chandler. The program was as follows:

Part 1.—Tonight (Zardo) by Ethel M. Lytle; Jim Fenton's Wedding Outing from Seven Oaks (Dr. J. O. Holland) by Elizabeth Mae Pollock; a. Du Bist Wie Eine Blume (Schumann) b. La Serenata (Tosti) by Miss Lytle; There Were Ninety and Nine (Richard Harding Davis) Miss Pollock; Dich Theure Halle (Wagner, from Tannhauser) by Miss Lytle.

Part 2.—a. When the Old Man Smokes, (Paul Lawrence Dunbar) b. Encouragement (Paul Lawrence Dunbar) by Miss Pollock; a. When Mabel Sings, (Speaks) b. Bowl of Roses (Clarke) c. Japanese Maiden (Gaynor) by Miss Lytle; Ma' moiselle (Florence Gursten) by Miss Pollock.

PACIFIC'S TEAM MEETS DEFEAT

Corvallis Wins by a Large Score--P. U. Outweighed Twenty Pounds to the Man.

Last Saturday our football team was again defeated, this time by Oregon Agricultural College. The P. U. team was not as heavy as O. A. C. by about twenty pounds but played a hard game, although probably not as well as against U. of O. two weeks ago. In the opinion of our team, the U. of O. is stronger by two touchdowns, yet the O. A. C. team ran up nearly as high a score. The O. A. C. team mainly depended upon its battering ram ability for gains, using Jamison, their 195 pound tackle with telling effect.

The field was slow and gave no chance for grandstand work though from a Pacific standpoint, Gwynn's running down of an O. A. C. man who had a clear field, bordered on the spectacular. A Robinson ran in a block punt several yards which brought forth loud cheers. Visions of a touchdown from this however were shattered and P. U. resorted to a place kick which failed by a very small margin the ball striking the goal post. Pacific made the mistake of trying straight football when tricks could have made more gains and in fact the few times P. U. used these plays resulted in better yardage.

V. W. C. A.

At the Missionary meeting last Tuesday Miss Walker, who for some years has been doing missionary work in China, told of the work that is being done there for the uplifting of the people, especially the women. Since there are so few missionaries for such great numbers of people, a large part of the work must fall on the Chinese people themselves. She told of the great influence that a Chinese pastor's wife had on the inhabitants of a city where for a long time no Christian influence could find a foothold. Her account of some of the dangers and pleasures that fall to the lot of the Christian worker was also very interesting. At the close of the meeting she showed to the girls a plaster cast of a bound foot and many pictures showing the beauty of the country.

Miss Walker did some post graduate work here a few years ago. The association greatly appreciated the interesting talk that she gave.



W. G. Hale, a Graduate in 1903, Weds a Portland Belle.

Fourth Year Party.

The Fourth year Halloween party was held at the home of Miss Rasmusen. It was a success in all respects, the committees on entertainment and refreshments having so carefully managed every detail.

When the young folks entered the house they found everything in total darkness. The boys and girls were then given separate strings, which were wound around through the rooms, and by following these they were to find the cloak rooms. This caused much merriment, as one was almost sure to stumble over a chair or bump into someone.

Then the lights were turned on and after the nought had been passed the party engaged in various games; one, a sort of guessing contest for which prizes were offered. Hope was the lucky man, while Gardner carried off the booby.

At last the jolly crowd was marched into the dining room where each partook of the numerous dainties and sweets. Twelve o'clock found the couples wending their way homeward each glad he was a Fourth year.

Y. M. C. A.

Prof. F. C. Taylor led the meeting Tuesday evening. Mr. Taylor's theme was "Witnesses." He showed that the condition demanding witnesses are much the same as those of the early period of Christianity. Christians should not only witness for Christ by word but by deed. Every Christian in order that his or her life may count for something in the world should not be ashamed to stand as a living witness for him. Prof. Taylor showed that the Orient is calling for witnesses of Christ, and appealed to young men to join the ranks of the Christian and make his life of some value to the world.

Third Year Party.

The Third year class held its Halloween party at the home of Miss Florence Templeton with Prof. and Mrs. Ben Kori as guests of honor. The evening was spent in playing Halloween games. A special feature of the evening was the mock marriage of two of the most popular members of the class. After "congratulations" the company repaired to the dining room and enjoyed a bountiful supper. With Mr. Dwinell Clapp acting as toastmaster, Prof. Ben Kori gave the first toast and was followed by different members of the class. As a fitting close to the evening all joined in singing songs.

College Notes

Principal Bates visited Portland Saturday.

Florence Haan is sick with typhoid fever.

Miss Fitch '07, was at home Thursday evening.

Miss Wheeladons father visited her on Thursday.

H. P. Humphreys is a frequent visitor at Herrick Hall.

D. I. Aller still receives his weekly bulletins from Berlin.

Miss Alice Sewell is out of school on account of sickness.

Miss Ruth McCorkle spent Sunday and Monday in Portland.

Miss Mavilla Fletcher spent Sunday at her home in Portland.

Mr. A. C. Allen is suffering from a fractured bone received in the Oregon game.

Announcement!

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FOREST GROVE

G. Brown has been received into membership of the Press Club.

Miss House was the guest of Mary Heidel at the Hall Thursday night.

Mr. H. E. Ferrin has been promoted to the presidency of the Press Club.

Miss Anna Johnson, who is attending St. Marys Adademy, was visiting school Friday.

H. H. Arnston's short hand department has a large increase in students this semester.

Miss Conatance McCorkle was the guest of her sister Miss Ruth McCorkle, Friday evening.

Mr. McCoy's mother was out for the opening of the Hall. She was the guest of Mrs. Ferrin.

Mr. T. Adams, a graduate of the class of 1894, came out Wednesday for the opening of the Hall.

Prin. Bates' daughter, Margaret and niece, Miss Nichols, were guests at the Hall Wednesday night.

Coach Norcross of Corvallis acted as an official between Oregon and Willamette in the foot ball game Saturday.

A vocal student at H. Hall when practising persisted in holding "mi." Miss Leiser accompanist—"Don't hold 'me' so long please."

They do say that Vernon Gould made a "catch" over the phone on Halloween. This is playing entirely to L(u)ce for a Fourth year.

The Oregon Weekly announces that the registration of the University of Oregon in the departments at Eugene exclusive of the school of music has practically reached the 400 mark. The total enrollment in all departments at the present time is between 700 and 800.



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Miss Hawley's sister, Grace, was a guest at the Hall Wednesday night.

The debate council has negotiations under way for a triangular debate between Whitman college and Willamette University. If these plans materialize which undoubtedly they will Pacific will be required to put two teams in the field.

The Art exhibit goods are coming in on each train for the Loan exhibit Friday and Saturday in Marsh Hall.

Miss Mary F. Farnham was a Portland visitor Saturday.

We know the softy Sophomores always do the best they can. But it really did surprise us that Herrick Hall bread pan.

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