

**Oregon Debate Team
Will Meet Americans
After World Tour**

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene.—The University of Oregon round-the-world debate team, now in the Far East, will meet 20 of the leading colleges and universities of the United States upon their return to this country in April, it is announced by J. K. Horner, debate coach. The three students, Benoit McCroskey and Avery Thompson, of Salem, and Jack Hempstead, Portland, have so far debated with teams in Hawaii, Japan, China, the Philippines and other Far Eastern countries, and the trip has been very successful, it is stated.

Subjects to be debated on in the United States are expected to be those that will allow the Oregon men to use material gathered upon their trip. They also plan several lectures and addresses while on the way back to the University.

The debate schedule in the United States is as follows:

Dickenson College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, March 2; Lafayette College, Easton, Pennsylvania, March 5; Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio, March 9; Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio, March 12; Ohio Northern University, Ada, Ohio, March 14; Ohio State Normal College, Bowling Green, Ohio, March 15; University of Detroit, Detroit, Michigan, March 19; Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana, March 20; St. Vitor College, Kankakee, Illinois, March 23; Evansville College, Evansville, Indiana, March 26; Illinois College, Jacksonville, Illinois, March 28; University of Missouri, Columbia, Missouri, March 30; Missouri Wesleyan, Cameron, Missouri, April 2; University of Iowa, Iowa City, April 4; University of Omaha, Omaha, Nebraska, April 5; Morningside College, Sioux City, Iowa, April 6; Huron College, Huron, S. D., April 9; University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado, April 15; Utah Agricultural College, Logan, Utah, April 17.

It is also probable that debates with coast institutions may be scheduled during part of May, it is stated.

Alligator's Handicap

The alligator on land would starve to death surrounded by food because it cannot eat or swallow except under water. At least, a hunter of experience has said so. Their favorite food is fish, although they also eat meat with relish. Their custom is to hibernate in the winter season and those in captivity often refuse to eat during the winter months, which is following their hereditary habit although they do not actually disappear from view.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Preaching at 11:00 A. M. If the church is worth while your business is there at the appointed time. Junior and senior young people at 6:30 P. M. Followed by song and praise at 7:30 P. M. Mid-week meeting every Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M. The Sunday school is the teaching branch, the young peoples meetings the training branch, devotional the worship branch, then the prayer meeting is power-house for them all.

For Sale

Sanitary couch and mattress, one iron bed, mattress and springs, one swell foot quarter sawed new fumed finish oak bed with nearly new kapok mattress and coil springs, one range, two heaters coal or wood, one coal oil heater, one kitchen table, one walnut occasional rocker, one walnut occasional chair, one Edison and 33 records, Wilton rug 9x12 and 2 smaller Wilton rugs, tubs, wash boards etc. Phone 501.

Taken Up

One yearling horse mule, black with white nose. Dim brand M on left shoulder, owner call soon and pay expenses or mule will be sold. H. M. Saulsberry, S 25F21 Athena.

Obituary.

William Matthew McCorkell was born October 20, 1846 at Londonderry, Ireland and died February 15, 1928. He came to America with his parents when a boy eleven years of age. He was united in marriage April 14, 1867 to Miss Sarah Facknie at Lake Beauport, Quebec, Canada. In 1888 they came to this county and resided on their farm located on Reed and Hawley Mountain until eleven years ago, when they moved to Weston on account of Mr. McCorkell's blindness. He is survived by his widow and seven children, James McCorkell, Craigmont, Idaho; Mrs. Walter Simpson, Garfield, Washington; Mrs. Anna Rothrock and Mrs. Joe Sheard, Athena, Oregon; Mrs. Albert O'Harra, Alex and William McCorkell Jr. of Weston, also twenty three grandchildren and twenty-one great grandchildren.

New Books at Library

A large list of new books have been placed on the shelves of the Athena Branch Library for the use of patrons.

Non-Fiction

Through the Shadows, Arlington—Lord Ramgo, Bennet—John Crews, Chapman—Christiana, Cholmandely—Revelry, Adams—Splendid Summits, Alexander—Chicken Wagon Family, Benefield—The Green Bay Tree, Bromfield—Andy Brandt's Ark, Bryner—The Odyssey of Boru, Dunn—Kellers Anna Ruth, Singmaster—Transplanted, Whitlock—Other peoples business, Smith—Family Flivers to Frisco, Van de Water—My discovery to England, Leacock—Noah and Jonah and Captain N. John Smith, Marquis—The Alps, Carpenter—Road round Ireland, Colum—Map that is half unrolled, Powell—Aristocratic, Gerould—Fairy Lands of the South Seas, Hall—Atolls of the Sun, Obrein—Wild Flowers of the West, Clements—Last of the Mohicans, Cooper—Great Rivers of the World, Dakin—Country of the Dwarfs, DuChailu—Andrew Bride of Paris, Harrison—South Sea Tales, London—Jim Davis, Masefield—True Bear Stories, Miller—Heart of Oak Book, Book 3, Norton—Wild Animals at home, Steadfast Tin Soldiers, Seton.

Adult Fiction

Women, Tarkington—Claire Ambler, Tarkington—The Grandmothers, Wescot—Mary minds her business, Weston—Wrong Twin, Wilson—Gadfly, Voynich—The Haunted Book Shop, Morley—The Wayward Man, Irvine—Black Ivory, Banks.

Card of Thanks

We desire to thank our friends for their kindness, words of sympathy and floral offerings in our late bereavement.

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22 Years Ago

February 23, 1906

Miss Edyth McBride has returned from a visit to friends in Elgin.

The spring term of school in the Phillips district will be taught by Miss Sarah Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Caton have moved to the farm near town for the spring and summer.

D. H. Preston returned last evening from Portland, where he was confined in the hospital for some time.

The board of directors of the Blue Mountain school district has employed as teacher Miss Anna Calvin of Eugene.

The management of the Freewater Times has drifted into the editorial management of Walter A. Dudley, recently of Walla Walla.

E. L. Smith, who has 4,000 acres of wheat in the vicinity of Helix, says he has never seen better prospects for a bumper crop.

Miss Mary N. Chase, the well known exponent of women suffrage, will deliver an address in this city on the evening of March 4.

Miss Elizabeth McKinzie has resigned her position in the Athena public school, and her grades have been taken by Mrs. Walter S. Ely.

The Weston fire department will celebrate Washington's birthday with a grand ball next Thursday evening. La Brache Bros. will furnish the music.

Marshal Gholson and his force of men are getting along nicely with the work of extending Fourth street north across the O. R. & N. tracks to Garfield street.

A. L. Jones, the veteran drayman, is confined to his home with a slight paralytic stroke. The left side and left arm are affected, but not seriously, reports Dr. Sharp.

Miss Velma Wilkinson was one of the successful applicants, who took the teachers' examination for third grade certificate, before the examining board at Pendleton last week.

B. B. Richards formerly agent for Balfour, Guthrie & Co. at Helix, has taken G. W. Bradley's place as agent in this city for the Puget Sound warehouse company. Mr. Richards entered on his duties Monday. The company will provide an office for Mr. Richards on lower Main street.

Last night at a meeting of Hose Co. No. 1, of the Athena Fire department, Henry Dell was elected president; Henry Barrett, foreman; George Marquis, assistant foreman; Walter Ely, secretary; Charles Gay, treasurer; Henry Dell, Charles Gay and H. O. Worthington, department delegates.

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