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## Building and Endowment for Willamette

### New Administration Building and Quarter Million Endowment May Soon Be Willamette's.

Portland Man Gives \$50,000 and His Wife \$5,000—Large Sums Have Come From Faculty, Students, and Other Sources—A Jubilee on April 3.

Fifty thousand dollars for a new administration building for the College of Liberal Arts!

Five thousand dollars to improve and beautify the campus!

President Coleman never sprung a more unexpected and delightful surprise upon the Student Body than the one contained in the above announcement which he made in chapel meeting last Tuesday morning.

For a few moments the students sat in startled silence. Then as the significance of the announcement began to dawn in rosyate splendor upon their minds their emotions of gladness and gratitude found vent in a ringing, exultant, tremendous cheer that tore the tingling atmosphere asunder like an explosion, and shook the venerable walls of "Old Willamette" with the tremors of a tumultuous and sudden joy. The shades of the departed fathers, listening from the crystal battlements, must have been appraised that some great, good fortune had come to the dear old institution which they founded some sixty years ago.

President Coleman suggested that the day be set aside as a day of thankfulness and rejoicing, being, as he said, the greatest day in the history of Willamette University. The suggestion was accepted with cheers by the students. President Winans of the Student Body immediately called a meeting of the students, at which the following resolutions were reported by a committee and adopted with enthusiasm:

"Whereas, our president, John H. Coleman, has announced the munificent gift to Willamette University of \$50,000 for an administration building for the College of Liberal Arts, and \$5000 for beautifying the campus, from certain unknown friends in Portland; and

"Whereas, we the Student Body, appreciate not only the kindness and noble generosity which prompted the givers, but also the beneficent results which the gift will afford in raising our beloved institution to a position of greater usefulness and honor in the northwest; be it therefore

"Resolved, that we, the Student Body, give expression to our grateful joy; first by conveying to our unknown friends an acknowledge-



J. H. COLEMAN  
President of Willamette University.

ment of our profound gratitude, and by pledging them our most earnest efforts in doing anything which we can to promote the glory of our University; second, by setting this day aside as a day of thankfulness and rejoicing as being the greatest day in the history of Willamette University. And be it further

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to our benefactors, and another furnished the press for publication.

"J. A. ELLIOTT,  
"LENA SCHINDLER,  
"A. R. MARKER,  
"Committee."

The faculty also adopted similar expressions. At a subsequent meeting of Student Body the first action was taken to meet the requirements of the gift which are that an adequate endowment should be assured by the first of June.

The loyalty of the students arose superbly to the occasion; amid much enthusiasm \$1189 was quickly subscribed and more will undoubtedly be given in individual subscriptions by the different classes and student organizations.

The loyalty of the students will be more appreciated when it is understood that a large number of those who so liberally contributed are poor young men who are working their way through the University and are depending entirely on their own efforts to pay their expenses.

For example, Dell Briggs, who

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### E. G. Winans Gets the Coveted Rhodes Three-year Scholarship at Oxford University.

A Student of Willamette Will Represent Oregon for Three Years in the Greatest of English Universities.

Merit and fortune very often travel along diverging paths, and fickle fortune flies very often to the lap of luxury and ease, rather than to the arms of faithful, honest industry; but, through the efforts of some good and wise men, looking into the future and desecrating the needs there written, she is turned from the course too often pursued, and is wedded to merit in a few rare cases. One of these cases was when Cecil Rhodes made it possible for American boys, students in American universities, to attend the greatest English university in the world at Oxford, regardless of anything but sterling worth. Money, ancestry, social position, and all that other garbage that too often serves as a substitute for intrinsic value has no influence in determining who will be the person chosen to the benefits the scholarship. On the other hand worth, manhood, red blood, ability, popularity, achievement, brain capacity, intellectual capability, and moral fibre are among the things that select the man. To win a scholarship of this nature and requiring the foregoing qualifications to be successful, is a distinctive honor, but to win the prize when another bright American lad, the choice of four of the brightest students in the largest university in the state, was in the race with all of the vim and energy of a determined young American seeking a great honor, we can not but uncover and say "Well done" and have a greater pride in the success of Edward J. Winans.

The successful contestant is too well known to need any introduction to the readers of The Collegian. He is the son of Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Winans of this city, with his sister and brother has attended William-

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### Hanford Will Speak.

It is with pleasure that the following announcement is made to the students of Willamette. On Saturday next in the assembly room of the Salem high school the famous actor, Charles B. Hanford, will speak to students at 1 o'clock. All the students are cordially invited to be present and hear the Shakespearian artist. It will undoubtedly be a pleasure and one not to be missed by anyone interested in the drama and dramatic art.

Last Saturday night the local Y. M. C. A. were defeated by Dallas in a one sided game of basketball by a score of 48 to 8. This closes the season for the "locals."

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Several years ago the department of science began planning for the development of creditable courses in engineering, and although there have been changes in the head of the department, we are glad to say that the plans have been kept under consideration and have been furthered by the succeeding professors until today some of the tangible and practical results are in evidence.

In nothing has the advancement of our College of Liberal Arts been more marked or of greater benefit than in the progress and improvement made in the science department; and it is well worth our while to consider the advantages now offered.

### Value of Science.

In considering what studies or what courses we shall pursue, our preference for certain work and our ability to make high grades in such work, should not be the only guides to a choice. Oft-times the study which is the easiest for us is the very one we most need for our better development; the fact that a certain class of work is hard for us usually indicates a need of application and a development in that particular direction.

Many of us fail to remember that an education implies development and not mere accumulation of facts, and so we talk much about not wishing to take certain courses because we believe that we never shall have use for the facts acquired. We have often thought that this is the reason many avoid scientific subjects; and now we wish to call attention briefly to some of the advantages which the study of science offers.

We will not discuss the benefit of studying nature, the religious phase of the subject, the vast number of interesting facts to be acquired, or the advantages to those purposing to follow professions which demand science as a foundation. We would call general attention to one fact which we think gives a peculiar claim to those studies classed under the department of science.

With other classes of subjects, science shares in the strengthening of the memory and of the imagination, also in the presentation of interesting and valuable facts and in that development of care and precision for which the highly inflected languages are found valuable. But all other classes of subjects deal with "man-made" facts, fancies or principles—the products of either man's life or his imagination or both; science, while not denying activity to

the imagination, is pre-eminent in its demand for careful observation and precise procedure. It presents the unvarying facts and conditions, the fundamentals, which have been from the beginning and which remain the same whatever the many changes in opinion concerning their true meaning.

With these facts the student is brought face to face. He must seek them for himself, study them, interpret and apply them as they are found; neither preference nor custom changes them; he must see and interpret for himself as he sees. The demand for independent work, for careful and thorough observation, and for close discrimination and proper correlation of facts, is especially felt in work in science. The habits of observing carefully, of being definite and precise, of distinguishing and relating co-existing facts, cannot, be too earnestly cultivated. We believe that a proper study of scientific subjects cultivates these habits to such a degree that it should demand our serious consideration.

### The Future of Willamette.

This last has been in many ways a glad week for the friends of "Old Willamette." They have dreamed anew bright dreams for our future, seeing again in their mind's eye a beautiful campus with noble buildings here and there and many students thronging about. They have looked down the vista of time and have seen honored men and women, alumni of the old institution, filling places of great public trust and consequence and thereby bringing new laurels to lay at the feet of their Alma Mater.

Nor are these visions and dreams wholly unfounded. It is true we do not see the fulfillment immediately near, but every staunch friend and admirer of our University believe that the gift promised us this last week will be only one of many more that will come to us as we become more firmly established in the confidence of our people. The history of our struggles with adversity has only been a repetition of what almost every institution of learning has had to undergo. Today we are as well or even better equipped than Yale or Harvard were thirty years ago. Now that they have ridden safely through their storms they look back with pride to those struggles and to the men who graduated from their halls at that time and who afterwards helped to make the name of America great. Thus we firmly believe it will be with "Old Willamette." She has been riding the storm for many years but now she sees the sunlight breaking through the mist and herself approaching the shores of safety and prosperity.

### College Spirit.

We sometimes deplore the lack of college spirit among our students but last Thursday the claim that they are lacking in that quality was admirably refuted. After chapel services a meeting of the Student Body was held to see what might be done for the finances of the school. In an hour and a half's time a thousand dollars was raised for the endowment fund and by noon after the meeting this was further added to till it amounted to about twelve hundred dollars. This is more than sufficient to prove the college spirit of Willamette as loyal and true as that of any institution.

But our college spirit is not confined to the Student Body alone. At a meeting of the faculty previous to

this that body had pledged themselves to raise thirty-five hundred dollars for the endowment fund. The college spirit of the faculty is as necessary a factor in the success and worth of a college as that of the students. Having both in large abundance we feel that success is assured us and that in the times to come many students will look back to this day and point to our college spirit as an example of what theirs should be.

What is the province of a college paper besides the personal element? Is it not to mold the sentiment of the student body, in so far as it is able, to high ideals of living and conduct? Is it not to stand for those things which are right, rather than for those which are wrong; for those which are courteous rather than for those which are rude; for those which will make true men, rather than for those which will only make semblances of men?—University Echo.

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Eddy, wishes to humbly apologize to Mr. Johnson, for the grievous misplacement of their names in the "Telegram."

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Help Wanted—Female. Some ancient spinster, one with wrinkles preferred, to nourish a "kissing bug." Apply at once to Robert Shephard at Hong's noodle "joint."

At last reports Pierce and Unruh were still doing the "Alphonso and Gaston" act and, unless some kindly disposed person volunteers their services, the suit case may never reach its destination.

Nace (sleeping soundly but snoring loudly while dreaming) says: "Give me the presidency of the Student Body, or "circus lemonade." His attendant gives him the latter, but tells him the former is only for boys who have—



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### Basketball Game.

On Wednesday evening the first game of a series to determine the academic basketball championships of the city was played in the gymnasium between the second varsity and the Salem high school, our fellows winning by a score of 24 to 14.

Though the result was at no time in doubt, the game was an interesting one from beginning to end. The high school team had a big advantage in team work, Willamette's weak point. But for a team which by the very nature of its make up must be continually changing our boys did very well even in this respect.

Johnson at center, Honschuch at forward, and Shanks at guard had quite an advantage over their opponents in size, but size was not the

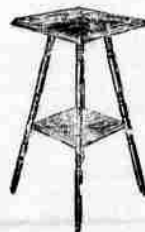
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only factor to be considered it seems for Winans, the smallest man on the team, was the star performer, making 13 of the 24 points, six field goals and one foul. And that too over McIntyre, one of the best high school guards in the state.

The high school made 14 points, 12 the first half, 1 foul and 1 point awarded the second half. Line-up: S. H. S. W. V. Farmer . . . Forward . . . Winans Forward . . . Honschuch Perkins . . . Center . . . Johnson McIntyre . . . Guard . . . Sanks Sebramm . . . Guard . . . Cummings Referee, Jerman. Final score, S. H. S., 14; W. U., 24.

### Websterian Society.

Owing to the basketball game the Websterians met for only a short session. The meeting was called to order promptly at 7:30 o'clock by President Crandall. The program consisted of a lecture on industrial development of Japan by Mr. Crandall, a violin solo by Mr. Bales, a reading by Mr. Armfield and three five-minute speeches on topics of current interest. This was followed by a brief business session in which the name of Mr. May, one of the new students was proposed for membership. No meeting will be held this week as most of the members will attend the Oratorical contest at McMinnville.

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### The Outlook for Spring Athletics.

With the closing of the basketball season, and the coming of the warm, spring days, the attention of students throughout the state is being turned to spring athletics.

In baseball, Willamette will not be represented by a college team, as nearly all of last year's champion team did not return, but the prospects are bright for a secondary team, composed from among the juniors, who had such a speedy little football team last fall. This secondary team will be composed of last year's players who are in school together with some promising new players. The team will probably line-up as follows: Booth, who played so cleverly last year at first, will continue to hold down that position; Moores at second is a speedy youngster and his fielding is clean and snappy; Snider at short, is capable of taking in everything that comes his way and his throw to first is accurate and constant; Jones at third is a new man, but his work is good for one so young at the game. The field positions will probably be looked after by Anderson, who will also make a good substitute behind the bat; Leech, also a new man, is showing up well in practice as is also Hoff and Vandervert.

The receiving end of the battery most probably will be taken care of by Clemo, who is very clever with the big mit; McDowell and Hobson, both do well in the box and with the support tendered them by the rest of the team should easily win from any of their weight of equal experience.

Track athletics are looking brighter than formerly, because some of the younger fellows are turning out and appear to take a great interest in their work. Although our crack athlete Lounsbury is not in school and it will be a hopeless task to fill his place, yet our trainer, Heater, considers that the work which one man did last year, will be taken up by several this season and being thus distributed better results can be attained.

Shanks a former Willamette man, who has spent the past two seasons in California, under "Dad" Moulton, is a promising fellow in the shorter distances; Forbes in the half and quarter is showing up in his old time form; Bowers, formerly of the Spokane high school, looks good for the mile and his long easy strides carry him along in good shape.

Nace and Nelson members of last year's team, are both doing well with the weights, as is also Belknap. Korneik is doing well in the jumps

and sprints and should be a strong man this season. Shepard is doing very well in the pole vault for one who has never done much work before.

Among the most promising young fellows who have worked out so far, are Booth and Cummings. These two men showed remarkable speed last fall during football season, and Heater thinks he has found two young fellows who will make enviable reputations. Both men are young and have their full college courses ahead of them and should be heard from before long. Their strong points are the sprints and hurdles and unless the signs fail Willamette will have a pair which will bring honor and glory to her as did Smithson and Williams to O. A. C.

With the old and tried men as a nucleus and the new men from which to draw, Trainer Heater feels that he can put out a team this year which will do credit to Willamette.

Tennis is fast becoming a popular sport and prospects are very bright for a very good and live association this spring. Tennis is a game which a man or woman can find a great deal of pleasure in, both during college life and after, as it is a game in which plenty of exercise can be found without the roughness accompanying some others.

Already active practice has begun in the gym and some of the players are fast rounding into form. As soon as the courts are in good shape, which will be soon, providing the present stage of the weather continues, a great many of the tennis sponsors will be out and the great "love" game will begin.

### Philodorian.

Owing to the basketball game the Philodorian society held only a short program Saturday night. President Soward called the meeting to order at 7:15. Some business matters were attended, to including some propositions for membership, and a short literary program was rendered.

Now that the O. A. C. debate is over with and only one more basketball game to interfere, it is urged that members give more time to literary work. An inter-society debate has been proposed and we hope that one will be arranged for soon.

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### Basketball Reception.

After the basketball game Saturday evening the two teams adjourned to the Bennet home on Capitol street where they were entertained by Miss Theo Bennet and Miss Ione Fisher. A number of Willamette co-eds had been invited and these with the men of the two teams made a very merry party.

A short program was rendered. The first part consisting of an address of welcome to the Multnomah team by George Simpson and the response by Bert Allen the business manager of the visiting team. Following this was an instrumental solo by Elva Winslow, a reading by Olive Rigby, vocal solo by Alma Hales, reading by Olive Riddell, violin solo by Ivy West, mandolin solo by Mr. Dent and a vocal solo by Mr. Markl.

The remainder of the evening was spent in singing college songs and in having a general good time. A delightful banquet was then served after which the party broke up.

### Prof Tillman Lectures.

Prof. Tillman gave a highly enlightening lecture on the famine stricken Chinese. We can not hope that John Tertaling lecture for the intellectual benefit of Salem and the financial Chinaman will get as much value per out of the lecture as we did, but those forty-five American dollars will no doubt fill several hungry mouths.

The subject of the lecture was, "Other Worlds Than Ours," and was illustrated by many fine lantern slides. It was the purpose of the lecturer to give his audience an idea of astronomy in plain language which could be comprehended by one not familiar with the scientific terms and textbook phraseology of the subject. He dwelt mostly on the sun and its planetary system. Naturally, the moon, being our nearest neighbor, came in for a large share of the discussion. Prof. Tillman giving, among other things, a clear exposition of the moon's influence on terrestrial affairs, including convincing proof that the moon was undoubtedly responsible for the potato crop—and Schmidt's toe nails—which amused the audience immensely.

One of the most interesting and instructive features of the lecture was that relating to comets. Another was the discussion of the Nebular theory of planet formation. One might read all these things from a book, but without a good telescope it would be hard work to grasp the thought as we were enabled to do when assisted by the lantern slides. Prof. Tillman is to be congratulated on the quality and quantity of his collection of slides which could not have been better for the occasion.

### Sophomores Have Picnic.

On last Friday afternoon the Sophomores procured Yankee's big tally-ho and made an excursion to the picnic grounds at Rickreal. They started at about half past two and on their way there kept things very lively by yells for W. U. and '09, by stories and jokes, and at times by a desperate scramble for the missing seat. Soon after their arrival the young ladies spread out a most bounteous picnic lunch while the boys built a camp fire and then joy to the man whose capacity to enjoy the infinite variety of nature's products, finished by fairy hands, was unlimited. After the luncheon various amusements were indulged in for an hour or two and as the dusk of the evening began to settle on

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the trees overhead the company embarked for the homeward journey. The time on the way home was largely spent in singing and on the part of some by mutual admiration, perhaps on the part of those in the rear seats. It was one of the most pleasant events of the year and no doubt the Freshmen, or others, will soon profit by the example.

#### Second Year Academy.

The second year class held a meeting Thursday morning immediately after the Student Body had adjourned and elected the following officers: George Winslow, president; Hazel Caldwell, vice president; Archie Strang, secretary; Winnie Reevs, treasurer; Clyde Wainwright, sergeant at arms; Winifred Soward, reporter.

The class had pledged \$25 for the endowment fund and a collection was taken. So freely did money flow from the pockets of those present that in a few minutes the \$25 pledge was raised to \$50.

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walked all the way from Coos Bay to enter the University, and who is doing janitor work to defray his expenses contributed the generous amount of \$15. Another student in the College of Theology gave \$50.

The loyalty and enthusiastic devotion of the students is shared by the faculty. Over three thousand dollars was subscribed by the faculty at a meeting Thursday morning, one member giving \$1000.

The Alumni have pledged \$1000 on current expenses and the Laymen's association will give over \$3000 to the same fund. Generous friends are coming to the assistance of the University and the people everywhere are more kindly disposed toward the institution than they have ever been before. The secretary of the faculty, Prof. Boyer, predicts that the endowment fund will be swelled to a quarter of a million dollars by the first of next June. The requirements of the generous Portland donors will be more than met and the \$50,000 building is practically assured.

The students and friends of the University are greatly interested in knowing who the noble benefactors are, but President Coleman says that he is not at liberty to divulge their names at present, so that nothing can now be given out save that they are a gentleman and his wife who live in Portland, the gentleman being the donor of the \$50,000 for the administration building and the wife naturally being the giver of the sum for the purpose of beautifying the campus.

But the students and friends will soon have an opportunity to meet and to know these noble patrons. There will be a meeting of the board of trustees held here on April 3, at which the unknown Portland friends will attend and further information will be given out at that time concerning their future plans in behalf of the institution. It is said that if a proper interest is displayed in the project by all concerned, that they propose to lead further assistance in making Willamette the foremost Christian educational institution in the northwest.

There will be invited to this meeting of the trustees on April 3, representative men from all over the northwest, men prominent in public, political and educational circles; there will be a great banquet, public addresses, and it will be the most notable jubilee rally that has ever been held in the interest of Christian education in the northwest.

Interest in "Old Willamette" is spreading throughout the land and there is scarcely a hamlet where her good name is not heard. This magnificent gift of \$55,000 comes as a climax, a capstone, as it were, of the generous benefactions that have been accumulating during the past two years. First came the funds for a fine new \$20,000 Medical College. Then came Dr. Kimball, and his wife from Spokane with their services and fortune; and the beautiful \$20,000 Kimball College of Theology was built. Other gifts have flowed in, including \$1000 from Senator Robert Booth for a needy student loan fund; the Oregon Children's Aid society's gift of \$8000 for the benefit of orphans and half-orphans in the College of Liberal Arts; the gift of \$7500 given by a friend for

the full and final payment of all mortgage indebtedness on the campus; \$7100 given by various contributors to pay old debts; \$3000 special gifts to liquidate old debts; \$2500 for current expenses; \$2000 for various purposes, and \$2500 to pay the salary of the dean of the College of Theology.

But among the many great things achieved by President Coleman in his years of arduous and faithful service for the University, nothing has been more far reaching in its beneficence than this munificent donation of \$55,000.

One of the founders of the University in a "dim dream of the future, wrought into the reality of faith," predicted that Willamette would some day become the "Athens of the West." And with so many generous friends coming to her assistance and such auspicious prospects as are now immediately before her, the prediction is certainly in a fair way to fulfillment.

Minister—"Deacon Jones, will you lead in prayer?" The deacon snored peacefully.

Minister (loudly)—"Deacon Jones, will you please lead?"

Deacon Jones (awakening suddenly)—"It ain't my lead, I dealt."—Ex.

He was a stern parent, who believed in Solomon's precept about sparing the rod and spoiling the child. Noticing that one of his boys was in need of a new suit, he reproved him for wearing out his clothes so fast. "Pa," mildly observed the lad, "no trousers can last long the way you hit."—Ex.

## WINANS GETS SCHOLARSHIP

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ette for years and has been such a persistent and tireless worker in the different student enterprises for years that his face and deeds are familiar to all friends of the "old school." The Christian associations of the University have probably felt the care of his hand more than any other department of the various student endeavors. In the capacity of secretary of the Y. M. C. A. and chairman of committees in their work, he has probably accomplished more and better direct results than any two men in school. But outside of his religious work, he has been no laggard, for full of the loyal college spirit, he has ever been a "booster," and the "varsity and the debating, oratorical and athletic departments of the "Methodist U" have again and again felt the impetus of his enthusiastic aid. In victory and defeat, in peace and turmoil his loyalty to Willamette has never wavered, and now, in the hour of his personal and individual success, all lovers of the cardinal and old gold join in the fervent clasp of the hand and the wish that success may crown the final opportunity that will be opened to him who has so manfully proven his worth.

Mr. Winans is now a senior in the College of Liberal Arts and will graduate with the degree of A. B. next June.

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## TALKERS GATHER

### Intercollegiate Oratorical Association Holds Annual Contest at McMinnville.

The most important event for the colleges of Oregon occurred at McMinnville last Friday evening. This was the annual state oratorical contest held under the auspices of the eight leading colleges and universities of the state. The large number of students which gathered at McMinnville and the enthusiastic support given the representatives of the several colleges is a great manifestation of the intense interest that the leading educational institutions of the state are taking in the development of ability in public speaking and in the establishment of closer and more friendly relations among our colleges.

To those who have attended similar contests before, it is needless to refer to the great excitement and the keen college spirit exhibited on occasions of this kind; and an attempt to present to others an adequate description of such a scene would result in utter failure. It was simply the old routine of two hours of oratory preceded by one hour of college yells when the thrilling cries of hundreds of college students read the atmosphere and mingle in promiscuous confusion.

The program of the evening was well arranged and interesting throughout. Musical numbers were rendered at various intervals which served well to prevent the speaking from becoming monotonous. With two or three exceptions the orators did not come up to the usual standard in delivery, but the marking of the judges on composition show that on an average the orations, as literary productions, were of excellent quality. The most noteworthy feature of the orations as a whole was the remarkable identity of subject matter, as five of the seven orations dealt with the present economic and political conditions of the country. However, speakers treated their subjects from a different point of view causing the orations to present a wide range of discourse notwithstanding the similarity of subject matter.

There seemed to be little doubt in the minds of the audience as to which of the orators deserved first place. The decision of the judges awarding Miss Katherine Romig, of Pacific college, first honors, seemed to be entirely satisfactory to all. Miss Romig won by an unusually large margin, securing three first places in composition and two firsts in delivery. The title of her oration, "The Gobiin Army," reveals little of its contents. The production was a vivid description of the conditions of child labor in the United States and an eloquent plea on behalf of the little children of America. Although the subject matter was commonplace, the skillful style of treatment embellished it with all the beauty of oratory. The rare, sweet voice, charming presence, and graceful bearing of the orator while speaking held the admiration of the large audience at all times. She was the only girl among the contestants this year, and the first to win state honors for many years.

Francis V. Galloway, who represented the state university and re-

ceived second place, was a worthy competitor. The subject of his oration was "The Basis of Permanent Government." Mr. Galloway is a clear, logical, thinker and his convincing argumentation would undoubtedly mark him as a debater of exceptional ability. His delivery is forceful and effective, and his articulation, though rapid, is clear and distinct.

Third place was awarded to W. E. Gwyn, of Pacific University. His oration was an eulogy on Lovejoy, and was entitled "A Defender of Freedom." The composition of the

and called forth great applause. This interesting program continued until 2:30 a. m.

On account of a misfortune to Willamette it was not represented at the contest this year. Nevertheless about thirty students drove from Salem to McMinnville and attended the contest. Willamette's delegation was present at the annual business meeting, and they together with those of the other visiting colleges pronounce the students of McMinnville college among the ablest of managers and the best of entertainers.



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Secretary of Trustees.

oration was good, but the orator's voice was a great handicap to effective delivery.

After the contest the delegations from the various colleges gathered at a neighboring hall and attended the annual banquet. The students of each college were placed together at the large tables, while the members of the faculties of the several institutions and the judges of contest were seated around a table upon the platform. Charles Creey and Guy Smith, of Willamette, were considered too dignified to occupy places among the frivolous students, so the former under the name of "Assistant Librarian of the College of Theology," and the latter as "Chaplain of the Training Department" succeeded in securing seats among the other dignitaries upon the platform, and filled their respective positions in a manner that reflected great credit upon the institution which they represented. The entables of the evening consisted of all the palatable dishes known to the culinary profession. In order to prevent either the masification processes of the post-prandial from becoming tiresome, the two were skillfully intermingled so that after each course had been served the banqueters were entertained for a short time by a toast from one of the colleges. After a course of "Hot Rolls," George Simpson very appropriately responded on behalf of Willamette. Although short, his toast was well prepared

#### Kimball College Notes.

The class is systematic theology under Dean Kimball has just finished the first volume of Systematic by Miley. This course under Dean Kimball has been inspiring as well as instructive.

There are now thirty-two young men at "Old Willamette" who are studying for the ministry. Of these, the young men who are studying at the Kimball College consider themselves very fortunate indeed in having Dean Kimball and Dr. Washburne as instructors. The classes under each are doing very good work indeed.

Dean Kimball receives letter each week from young men who signify their intention of studying at our College of Theology. The outlook for the spring is very encouraging.

Our college library is still growing. We have now over two thousand volumes in the library. Contributions of books will gladly be received by our librarian.

Rev. I. V. Parker preached to large audiences at Sheridan, Ore., Sunday. His text for the morning service was found in Luke 9:23, and in the evening he preached from Gen. 3:3. Sheridan is thirty miles west of Salem and Mr. Parker preaches there each Sunday and attends the Kimball College of Theology during the week.

Charles Creey spoke at Chemawa Sunday evening.

## Y. M. C. A. IS BUSY

### Much Work is Planned for Next Year--Miss Gusteva Booth Is Elected President--New Officers to Be Installed this Week.

On next Wednesday night at the regular weekly meeting of the Y. W. C. A. will occur the annual installation of officers. Each girl feels the responsibilities imposed upon her as a member of the cabinet and is doing all that she can for the special work to which she is appointed.

The recent visit of Miss Gage, the N. W. Sec. of the Y. W. C. A., was indeed most helpful to the girls in a great many ways; but one thing they are especially grateful for is the organization of an advisory board which was effected through her efforts. Aside from being a great source of help as an advisory board it gives the girls greater confidence in themselves as they take up the work for the coming year.

The members of the cabinet are especially favored in view of the fact that Mrs. Kirk, chairman of the board has consented to conduct a personal workers class. This class is to meet at the regular time for the cabinet meeting on the third Tuesday of each month. Other members of the board have expressed their willingness to talk to all the girls on different departments of this great work.

We are fortunate this year in having the state convention of Oregon and Idaho so near us. In April it is to convene at Corvallis, and Willamette is hoping to be represented by twenty-five delegates. We are also going to try to have the largest delegation of any association at Gearheart in September. Willamette had five representatives at the Northwest conference last fall and we hope to have at least twice that many this year. While at these conferences the girls not only receive great spiritual blessings which will be of great help to them all their lives but they get a broader idea of the Y. W. C. A. work. They realize in part, what a great work it is doing, and how small our local association seems in comparison to the whole.

The aim of the Y. W. C. A. is to win young women to Christ, for they can work with young women as no one else can. The scope of the association is to go wherever groups of young women are and to reach them through social, intellectual, physical and spiritual work, and to give them our love, help and sympathy. The field is the whole world.

Christ said: "I am the vine; ye are the branches," and we are expected to bear fruit. As Willamette grows we are hoping and praying for great things for our association and we are endeavoring to make it stand as one of the very best things in college life, but we are to realize at all times that it is "not by might nor by power, but by my spirit saith the Lord of hosts."

The small boy had enjoyed the circus immensely but seemed to be enjoying the wild animals more. When he came to the zebra he exclaimed: "Oh, look at the little mule; he's got his sweater on."—The High School Student.