

Attend the Big Rally Tonight at 7:00 P. M.

# Willamette Collegian



Student Body Skate Saturday Night, 7:30

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## A.S.W.U. HOLDS FIRST SKATE

Willamette Students Only Will be Admitted to Rink Saturday Night

### LARGE ATTENDANCE PLAN

Skaters are Urged to Wear Old Clothes for Economy's Sake

The first of those hitherto mysterious "other activities" provided for in the new student activities book is scheduled for Saturday night at Dreamland rink, when the entire student body will gather for the first skating party of the year. Willamette students only will be admitted and the entire floor will be at their command from 7:30 to 10:00.

Although "student body skates" have proved most popular, assurance is given that there will be many neophytes present Saturday night furnishing both entertainment and opportunity for the display of chivalry.

Refreshments will be served before the close of the evening by a committee headed by Louisa Sidwell, Ardiath Young, Maxine Ulrich, Melvin Crow, Arthur Fisher, and Stearns Cushing are other members of the committee.

Alvis Love has charge of the decorations, while Lois Wilkes and Lloyd Girard are taking care of the publicity.

Helen Stiles, first vice president of the Associated Students, is executive general chairman.

Student body skating parties have in the past proved to be the most widely attended social events of the year. School clothes or old clothes are worn because of the pitfalls upon which the most experienced skaters may come.

## CLASS PLANS HOLD STUDENT ATTENTION

Juniors Work on Play; Sophomores Buy Jackets; Frosh Get Pictures

Homecoming announcements, skating parties and class sweaters attracted the attention of the classes at meetings held recently.

The sophomores held their meeting Monday and made final arrangements for the purchase of class jackets. From present indications over half of the class will place orders for the jackets.

The freshman class called a meeting after chapel last Thursday to hear several announcements from managers of coming school events. Harold Rose, editor of the Wallall, urged all freshmen to have their pictures taken at once so that the business staff could start working on the photos.

Tom Gayne, Collegian advertising manager, made a plea for more freshman advertising solicitors and Al King, homecoming play manager, announced a poster contest for the play, "Skidding." Two complimentary tickets will be awarded for the most attractive design.

## Science Club Sponsors Exhibit of Mummies and Utah Specimens And Initiates Seven Members

Mummies, grains of corn and beans, bits of pottery, arrowheads and some tools for making fire, were exhibited at an open meeting of Science club on Monday evening to approximately one hundred members, townspeople, and alumni.

The relics, which were exhibited at Science hall, were found this last June in caves in cliffs of northeastern Utah, by E. S. Noe, a miner. The caves were of sandstone, some of them being over 400 feet above the valley, which showed signs of irrigation canals. The entrances of the caves were enlarged by Mr. Noe in order to permit the passage of a modern person, the original inhabitants of the cliffs having been pigmies.

The length of time that has passed since the existence of this tribe of cliff dwellers is not known, but it is thought to be over two thousand years.

The most interesting relics of the collection were three mummies, one of which is well preserved, with portions of dried skin hair, and very long fingernails remaining attached to the body.

## Excursion Plans Form Basis for Undecisive Talk

Music Groups' Budget Referred to Committee; Others Are Accepted

To go or not to go? That is the question which faced the executive council of the Associated Students yesterday afternoon and which will face it again or will be brought before the student body in the near future. While rates were discussed and various plans suggested, nothing definite was decided as to the possible football excursion, rumors of which have been widely broadcast on the campus during the past week. Not even a destination was set.

Budgets for student activities were read and accepted with the exception of that of the music groups. Edith Findley was appointed a committee of one to investigate an item or two in that budget and report back to the executive council.

Bernard Newby was appointed chairman of the resolutions committee while Ray Lafky and Roy Harland were appointed to the constitutional revision committee, Lafky to serve as chairman.

## HEWITT SPEAKS AT VARIOUS PLACES

Oriental Trip, International Relations, Criminology Are Subjects

Dean Hewitt, of the Willamette law school, has been a popular speaker at organizations in several neighboring towns during the past week. Friday evening, October 9, the Dean spoke before the Liberty community club concerning his recent trip to China. October 6, he spoke before the Dallas Women's club on the subject, "International Relations with a Personal and Human Touch," and Monday, October 12, before the Gervais Parent-Teachers' association, using as his theme, the benefit of scientific crime detection.

Last fall Dean Hewitt addressed the Dallas Women's club, and was so popularly received that he was asked to talk again, using his recent trip to the Orient as his material. He discussed conditions in Japan and China, stressing the surplus population and the flood problem. The dean presented an entirely different theme at the Gervais meeting, emphasizing the importance of the instruction of grade school pupils in scientific criminology. He states that this inspires a greater respect for law among the students and keeps them out of trouble in later years. Hewitt held their attention by telling numerous detective stories.

## FROSH PICTURES MUST BE TAKEN BY OCT. 17

According to the statement of Harold Rose, editor of the Wallall, the majority of freshmen have already had their pictures taken for the annual at Kennell-Ellis studio. The remaining must have theirs taken by Saturday, October 17, so as not to interfere with the sophomores who will begin on Thursday, October 15.

## BIG NIGHT GAME PLANS FINISHED

Dedication of New Sweetland Lighting System Scheduled Tomorrow

### BOY SCOUTS SPONSORS

Salem Business Men Work to Get Big Crowd for W. U.-Columbia Scrap

With Salem men backing the big Willamette-Columbia game it looks as if it is going over with a bang. One of the largest attendances on record is expected and to aid in fulfilling this purpose various types of advertising are being used.

Headquarters have been established in front of the First National bank at the corner of State and Liberty streets by placing a mammoth football, the official ticket office for the game. Both general admission tickets and reservations may be obtained at this ticket booth.

The Boy Scout council committee which is handling promotion for this game, held a meeting Monday night at the chamber of commerce rooms. It was reported that the advance ticket sale is going well, but that some fans seem hesitant because they seem to have the impression that Columbia is somewhat in the high school class and not a match for the Bears. On the contrary, it was pointed out at the meeting, that while Columbia has a high school team, its college team last year defeated Pacific university which held Whitman, Northwest conference champion, to a tie; and this year Columbia outplayed for most of a game the Pacific eleven which is touted as a probable champion.

Observers declared that Columbia should have won by two touchdowns. Thursday noon the promotion committee met for the last time before the game, and the intense part of the program starts tonight with a down town pep rally by Willamette students. The new Willamette band will be there and as a main feature this afternoon, T. A. Livesley will throw the football, to be used in the game, from the top of the First National bank building, which is twelve stories high. It is supposed to be caught by Howard Maple. On Thursday evening and Friday noon the Willamette pep squad will sing pep songs, aided by the announcing car in the main parts of Salem.

Cardboard footballs on lamp posts, bumper cards, and window display cards are making their appearance in Salem and vicinity. Group and individual pictures of football men and coaches will be used in numerous window displays, and a ballyhoo broadcast car will cover Salem and vicinity, urging attendance at the game.

Composing the personal ticket selling campaign are Gardner Kepp, executive secretary, and 75 prominent business men. Sponsors for the game itself are: T. A. Livesley, Judge Harry H. Belt, Rev. Thomas V. Keenan, C. P. Bishop, and Paul Wallace.

## COMMITTEE REVEALS GRADS' BANQUET PLANS

The Homecoming committee of the Willamette Alumni association announces that the banquet for graduates will be held at the Masonic Temple, Saturday, October 24, at 5:30 p. m. The price of the banquet is 75c per plate. Reservations should be sent in early.

## MEN'S GLEE CLUB NOT COMPLETELY ORGANIZED

The Men's Glee club is still in the process of singling out the ones best fitted for the vacancies. Melvin Crow, president, states that regular attendance is required, and due to the large amount of excellent material, old members will be displaced unless they are very regular. There are about ten vacancies to be filled.

Tentative appointments have been posted on the Eaton bulletin board.

## President of Alumni Association Asks Fellow Grads to Come Home

Dear Alumni:

Homecoming October 23, 24 and 25! Homecoming days, with the vision of a snappy football game, a reunion with old friends another opportunity to wander through favorite haunts on the campus, and a jolly lively banquet— isn't this enough to stimulate the interest and enthusiasm of the most lethargic alumnus to such a pitch that we shall have a record-breaking attendance this year? Certainly it should be.

The special features of homecoming days are to be well worth your time. The College of Idaho team, which is to furnish the opposition in the football game on Friday night, is certainly no set-up. Anse Cornell is just as keen in his coaching now as he used to be in earlier days when his teams proved to be such worthy foes, and we expect a real battle—one which will keep you warm. And this is to be the first homecoming game played at night under the battery of lights which was installed on the athletic field this fall.

The Homecoming banquet will be on Saturday night with Judge James W. Crawford acting as toastmaster. Congressman W. C. Hawley is expected to be there and give us one of his inspiring messages. If the interests of his constituents about the First Congressional District do not demand his attention too closely, And there will be some other things about this banquet program which will revive any whose spirits are flagging.

So we shall look for each and every one of you to be there to enjoy with the rest of us this opportunity which comes but once a year. Turn out all the lights in the house, especially the one in the basement, put the cat out for the neighbors to feed, and bring all the family along with you for a real Willamette reunion.

Yours for a great homecoming,  
Carl J. Hollingworth,  
President Alumni Association.

P. S.—And right now, before you forget it, find the reservation blank for banquet seats which is printed in this issue, fill it out and mail as directed. Otherwise you may not get enough to eat at the banquet.

## LORBEER TELLS ABOUT INDIA Y. W. C. A. BOARD GIVES LUNCHEON

Poverty Divisions, Lack of Faith and Co-operation Trouble India

In an extremely informal manner Mr. L. L. Lorbeer, connected with the United Missionary societies working in India, spoke in chapel on Tuesday morning. Mr. Lorbeer has been for 14 years in India working for the union of the various church missionary centers.

Even though he is a native of California Mr. Lorbeer succeeded in presenting many "superlatives about India." He claims that India ranks first in heat, figures, the humblest hovels, for homes, richest man in the world, and the world's most beautiful building, the Taj Mahal. Mr. Lorbeer claims that the thing that is most wrong with India is that the country suffers more from chronic poverty and lack of cooperation and faith in each other's trustworthiness beside the fact that the country is so divided by the employment of different languages, religions, creeds, and caste systems.

Mr. Lorbeer expressed belief in Mahatma Gandhi and said that he, Gandhi, was doing more to further the teachings of Jesus in the lines of simplicity and equality, than many of the missionary people.

## TENNANT FIGURES ABSENTEE'S LOSS STUDENTS' RALLY CALLED TONIGHT

Recurring unexcused absences, as everybody knows, result in credit reductions, and lost credits cost money. According to Registrar H. M. Tennant, two hundred semester hours were deducted last year, costing the students \$1000. In other words, a whole six-year college course was completely wasted. However, these omissions of classes were expensive, for each of the one thousand absences which resulted in the loss of credit cost the students \$1 apiece.

These figures, states Mr. Tennant, show just what unexcused absences amount to each year in hard-earned cash.

Lois Wilkes, song queen and head of the pep committee, has announced a student rally starting at 7 o'clock Thursday night from Waller Hall and ending at the large football field at the corner of Liberty and State streets. The following girls, newly appointed as pep squad members, will help with the rally, Marjorie O'Dell, Carol Braden, Dorothy Estridge, Helen Larsen, Betty Hyde, Florence Marshall and Helen Boardman.

Five hundred and fifty copies of the new Willamette songs were mimeographed and given out at Chapel Wednesday, so everyone can help the team fight the Irish and "Overthrow Idaho."

## HOME COMING IS NEXT WEEK

Students Prepare to Welcome Alumni With Fun and Feasting

### W.-COYOTE GAME FIRST

Plans Completed for Big Carnival to Follow Game Friday Night

With selection of "Overthrow Idaho" as the slogan for the traditional Homecoming game, the last step has been made in preparation for Willamette university's tenth annual Homecoming which will be held October 23 and 24.

Under the glow of the newly installed floodlights, the bears will meet the Coyotes at 8 o'clock Friday evening, October 23. Ticket sales for the contest are progressing satisfactorily, from all reports.

Ralph McCullough, general Homecoming chairman, and Muriel White, carnival manager, announce that excellent cooperation is being shown by all students, and that unusual interest is being manifested in homecoming.

Miss White has announced the following committee chairmen: concessions, Dorothy Rose; program, Lois Wilkes; decorations, Louisa Sidwell; judging, Marvella Edwards; prizes, Annabel Toose; food, Ruth Schreiber; are, Brenda Savage; cleanup, Eugene Smith; serpentine vendors, Kenneth Oliver and Madeline Schmidt.

Refreshments Promised

Coffee and doughnuts, ticketape, noise, and a "keen time" are promised to all who attend the carnival which will be held in the gaily-decorated gym immediately after the game. Refreshments will be obtainable in the corrective room at the northwest end of the building. There is a possibility that carnival tickets will be sold before Friday night.

Dorothy Rose is already assigning specific sections of the gym to those in charge of the eighteen booths, which will be erected no sooner than October 21, and will be completed by 6 p. m., October 23.

Ideas for the concessions must be addressed to Miss Rose and left in the mailbox no later than 4 p. m., Friday, October 16.

Five dollars is the limit for expenditures on each booth. Three hundred prizes have been purchased in Portland for distribution among the booths.

Although judges for the concessions have not been selected, it has been made known that the committee will consist of two faculty members, two alumni, and one town member.

A 12-inch silver loving cup, with the name of the winner engraved, will be presented for the second consecutive year to the organization sponsoring the best booth at the carnival. Keen rivalry is already being shown, and each group is striving to win the cup from the Alpha Phi Alphas, who are in possession of the trophy as a result of winning the contest last year.

Formulation of plans for Homecoming displays is already under way at the various houses. Judges for the signs will be: Professor Cameron Marshall, Dean Roy Hewitt, Dean Frank M. Erickson, Professor J. T. Matthews, and Dean Olive M. Dahl.

## "Y." FINANCIAL DRIVE DELAYED BUT GOING

The financial drive of the Y. M. C. A., scheduled to begin last week, was delayed so as to send letters to freshmen men telling them of the purpose of the organization and giving reasons for contributing to the drive.

Garfield Barnett, treasurer, has a corps of men interviewing every man in the freshman class today in an effort to underwrite the entire budget.

The drive to raise money for this year's budget began last spring when all men on the campus were personally interviewed and \$275 was then pledged. To actually raise the \$400 in the budget Barnett estimates that at least \$150 is yet to be underwritten.

A pledge is made by signing a card on which the amount pledged is also written. The pledge is due on or before December 1.

## South Bleachers Are Assigned to W. U. Students

Denning Directs Order of Seating for Football Games this Fall

Willamette university students' seats for Friday night's game with Columbia university will be in the east half of the south bleachers. Student entrances will be at the big gate by Lausanne hall and at the east gate of the grandstand, gates number 1 and 4, respectively.

Students will be sure to have their student activity books with their signatures on the ticket for athletic event No. 1; also to have their books open in their hands in order that the gatemen may easily tear tickets from books. The order of entrance will be in single file lines and not in pairs or trios or in a mob.

Gates will be open soon after 6:45 p. m. Freshmen are advised to be among the first ones to enter. Everyone will come early in order that the game will not be held up due to the late crowd.

Ticket sellers and gatemen, Cubs and Blue Key guards, will report at the main ticket booth at the grandstand at 6:40 promptly.

These requests are made by Ernest Denning, who has been assigned to the task of seeing that everything in respect to spectators at the games this fall is done decently and in order.

## EXTEMP SPEAKERS STUDY 'RACKETS'

Prepare for State Contest December 11 in Eugene; Tryouts Soon

"American 'rackets'" has been selected as the subject for the state after-dinner speaking contest to be held at Eugene December 11.

Local tryouts will be held during the first week of November. A specific date is to be announced later.

Nine Oregon schools are eligible to enter the contest. At the contest dinner, the entertaining institution will choose the toastmaster, who will formulate a list of twelve sub-topics. Each contestant will draw three topics, selecting one for his speech and returning the other two without disclosing the content.

Ten minutes is the required length for the speech. The contestants use no notes, nor use more than two hundred words in a quotation.

Everyone interested is welcome to attend the dinner. The winner will receive a prize of \$25, given by the Inter-Collegiate Forensic association of Oregon.

## W. U. PEP BAND MAKES INITIAL APPEARANCE

Wesley Roeder, director, announces that the Willamette pep band is in readiness for its initial appearance at the football game this Friday night. Preceding the game or during the half, the band will march around the field playing some of the new music for which Professor Marshall sent east.

Rapid progress is shown in the fact that there are now between 25 and 30 pieces in the band. However, anyone who has not enlisted is urged to see Roeder. Clarinets and alto are especially needed.

## Magazine Honors Prof. Roberts In Write-up of Achievements; Blind Musician Highly Praised

Professor T. S. Roberts—"Tommy"—to the members of the music school, and all who know him—was honored with the appearance of an article concerning him, printed in the Musical Observer for August, 1931. The article entitled "He Succeeded Despite Blindness" is written by Frances B. LaVelle of this city, and presents a summary of Professor Roberts' life, in appreciation of his character and ability.

Professor Roberts was born in Wales, and came to this country with his parents when he was two years old. At the age of four he was struck in the eye with a broken dish thrown by a companion. Some weeks later he was struck again by the same boy. Treatments and operations availed nothing, and the boy became resigned to permanent blindness.

He was educated in the Overbrook School for the Blind in Philadelphia, and studied piano with Adam Geibel. In 1904, Professor Roberts accepted the position of director of the music department of the Salem school for the blind.

Prof. Roberts has been professor of organ in Willamette university for over twenty years. The results given in his beautiful studio, which occupies the second floor of his fine home on Sumner street are the musical triumph of the year. His Guenther organ is perhaps the finest in the city.

Last year he celebrated his 25th year as organist of the First Methodist church.

We quote the Musical Observer: "This philosophy and personality of this man fairly radiates his optimistic view of life, making conversation with him a delightful and engaging affair. His life is replete with accomplishments, an inspiring example as to what can be accomplished by courage, perseverance, and sacrifice, under the pressure of a staggering handicap. It is indeed an inspiration to know him."

## GRADE AVERAGE AXE GETS 18

Probationers Have no Failures or Incompletes; Many C's and D's

### JUNIORS RANK HIGHEST

Two Frosh and One Junior Make Straight A's in Full-time Work

The high scholarship at Willamette will apparently not tolerate low grades, for according to Registrar Tennant, at the close of the second semester of last year eighteen students were asked not to return because of their low averages. Twenty-one others were placed on scholarship probation.

It is a significant fact that none of those on the probation list had a single failure or condition. However, they did have an excessive amount of "D" marks with no A's or B's to offset them.

Mr. Tennant states that a D grade may be passing in other schools but not in Willamette, and that no student should expect to sluff through on that marking.

If possible, it is well to get in to the highest 5%. Last semester the juniors were leading this select group. Out of the 28 who lead the school in scholastic honors, 12 were from the junior class. There was also one junior law student. The freshmen had nine high scholars; the sophomores, 4; and post graduates, 2.

Topping even these were those with straight A records in all subjects: Kathleen Skinner, 34; Ben Briggs, '34; and Marjorie Hannah, '32. All three of these students carried with full programs. Several others obtained straight records for the highest markings but they were attending only part time.

## NO IMPROVEMENT OF CAMPUS ORCHARD

Development Desired by All But Expense Too Great for Present Finances

Until a new college building is erected on the corner of State and 12th streets, probably no action will be taken by the Board of Trustees concerning the improvement of these grounds. The only time that an improvement of this space has been considered was a year ago when the new state building was erected on Court street. At that time the necessary city was forthcoming until the city purchased it for a fill on South Liberty street.

That the cost of improvement and upkeep is prohibitive at this time was the statement of N. E. Savage, financial secretary, and H. M. Tennant backed this by saying that such a course could not be followed until a building was erected on the vacant ground.

The unofficial plans at this time call for erection of a law and government building on the campus within the next few years, and if these plans materialize, Willamette will present a three block frontage on State street of buildings and lawn.

The plan of improvement has the approval of everyone, but the present financial program allows for no expenditure of money on this project now.

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### WHO'S WHERE

Ralph W. Barnes, class of '22, and son of E. T. Barnes of Salem, has been leading a very important and exceedingly interesting career since leaving Willamette.

Shortly after graduation he was sent to Paris as a special correspondent. For years he covered news from that angle, doing work of the finest kind. He was then transferred to Rome to handle the happenings of moment there.

As Russia was attracting worldwide interest and criticism, Mr. Barnes was sent into the United States of Soviet Russia a few months ago to report the conditions and progress of that great country.

His reports to his paper, the New York Herald Tribune, attracted much attention in the United States. These writings helped to dispel many of the misconceived opinions and unfounded dislikes directed toward Russia and they explained what the country was really doing and accomplishing.

In a recent issue the Literary Digest published an article taken from Mr. Barnes' dispatches to the Herald Tribune. It was an account of the inroads of western athletics into Russia. The article states that not only has Russia taken over almost every known sport except golf but they have also invented some new ones. Football, similar to our soccer, is especially popular and great crowds attend every game.

In fact, Mr. Barnes states, sports have become so popular that they are almost on a par with the great work of Russia. He cites the incident of an engineer who was called away from home to work for two years on a project in the Ural mountains. The man kissed his little three-year old son farewell and said, "Now I want you to grow up to be the best engineer and the best football player in Russia."

Miss Josephine Albert and Miss Rosalind Van Winkle, graduates with the class of '31, have arrived in New York City following a journey by boat from San Francisco to New York through the Panama Canal. They were met at the boat by Teruya Otsuki, '30, who is studying for her doctor's degree at Columbia university.

Miss Albert will enroll at Juilliard Institute of Music, and Miss Van Winkle will take work at Columbia. The young women will live at the International House.

Milton Gralapp, '25, was elected president of the Woodburn Teachers' association for the school year. Mr. Gralapp teaches mathematics in the high school.

Miss Gussie Niles, '31, has gone to Portland where she will take work at the University of Oregon Medical school.

Dr. Fred R. Bowersox, '00, is mayor of Monmouth where he practices medicine.

Harvey E. Tobie, '15, was elected president of the Marion county division of the Oregon State Teachers' association. Mr. Tobie is superintendent of the Stayton schools.

Miss Mary Lou Aiken, '29, has resumed her instructorship and study in Spanish at the University of Washington.

John P. Robbins, '24, is vocational counselor in the high school at Albany, California. Mr. Robbins received his M. A. degree in education in June of this year from Stanford university.

Merle E. Bonney, '25, has a year's leave of absence from the Oregon Normal school, where he has been teaching in the education department, so that he may take advanced work at Columbia university, New York City.

Miss Dorothy Young, '30, has begun her second year as teacher in the Independence high school.

Miss Helen Hughes, '30, is teaching again in the high school at Molalla, Oregon.

Mrs. Horace J. Thomas (Gladys McIntyre) '26, of Chicago, is visiting in Salem. Mrs. Thomas has been studying voice at Chicago Musical college.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rarey (Charlotte Crosan, '21) were in Salem over the week-end. Mr. Rarey is athletic coach at Tillamook.

James W. Mott, '17, state corporation commissioner, was honored by the national association of commissioners at its Oklahoma City national convention this last week, when he was named chairman of a committee to investigate building and loan association su-

pervision. Mott was also named vice-chairman of the western division of the national association.

Miss Grace E. Smith, '17, assistant attorney general, and her mother, Mary L. Smith, have gone to Montclair, N. J., where they will visit Dr. and Mrs. Walton, son-in-law and daughter of Mrs. Smith. They will stop in Chicago to visit Ray Smith, who is receiving medical attention in St. Luke's hospital. They will return about November 1 by way of California and will stop at Santa Monica for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith.

Among the members of the faculty of the Turner high school are Mrs. Mae Mickey Hadley, '19, and Mrs. Eugenia McInturf Pearey, '17.

Walter W. Welton, '27, is teaching at Riverside, California. During the past summer he attended the University of California at Berkeley, where he studied for his master's degree. Mr. Welton was granted a California teaching credential last spring, and in a letter to the alumni secretary, remarked: "It would be difficult for me to tell you how much I appreciate the work of Dean Erickson and Mr. Tennant in helping me secure my credential. The promptness of Mr. Tennant saved me thirty days delay."

Among Willamette graduates who attended the University of California at Berkeley during the summer were Henry Hartley, '27, William Tweedy, '29, Buneva Culbertson, '29, Marie Luby Putnam, '18, and Professor Herman Clark, '14. Incidentally, Professor Clark, who took work pertaining to the subjects he teaches at Willamette, earned A grades.

Victor Collins, '22, lives at Berkeley, Cal., where he underwrites for an insurance company. Mrs. Collins (Edith Bird, '18) is busily engaged taking care of three future Willamette students.

Wilfred Booth, '12, who lives in Piedmont, Cal., owns a manufacturing plant for cosmetics in San Francisco.

Errol Gilkey, '14, has law offices in Oakland, Cal. Mr. and Mrs. Gilkey and their two children live in Berkeley.

Mrs. Ray L. Smith has returned to Salem and has resumed her teaching duties at Salem high school. Mrs. Smith reports that Mr. Smith, who is receiving treatment at St. Luke's hospital in Chicago, is progressing nicely, but his stay is indefinite. Mr. Smith is suffering from an injury caused years ago in an automobile accident.

Vernie Bain, '23, superintendent of Woodburn schools, is chairman of the State Basketball Tournament committee for district No. 7. He is also chairman of the Oregon State Teachers' association committee on building and equipment.

Merrill Ohling, '20, is an enthusiastic member of the Salem Boosters' Club for Willamette. When asked what he did besides selling insurance, "Hike" replied that he played golf and took care of the "kids." We are more inclined to believe, however, that the "kids," Sara Ann, aged 5, and Alice Louise, six and a half months old, are duly taken care of by their mother, who was formerly Odell Savage, '20.

John H. Carson, '15, was elected vice-president of the Marion County Bar association, and W. W. McKinney, '25, was elected secretary.

Dr. Claude P. Fayer, '06, of Maryville, Missouri, has been appointed county health officer for Brown county, Mo.

**VITAL STATISTICS**  
Marjorie Anne Becke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Karl G. Becke, arrived in Salem October 2. She is the second child, having an older sister. Mr. Becke is a member of the class of '20, and Mrs. Becke (Helen Lovell) is an ex-student of W. U.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Wallace Adams, August 17. Mr. Adams, who was running a sheep ranch with his brother Dean at Baker, Oregon, was thrown from a horse, Tuesday, August 11. The injuries sustained resulted in his death the following Monday. He was buried at Weiser, Idaho. Mr. Adams was a member of the class of 1918.

Let us not forget the Alumni Banquet. It is a fine opportunity to renew acquaintances, and we are assured of an interesting and

## INTERNATIONALS HEAR HAYES BEALL

The international club held its regular weekly meeting at the international house Friday evening, October 9.

Hayes Beall, the special speaker for the evening, gave a very interesting talk on "World Friendship," mentioning many points of interest which he picked up at the various Y.M.C.A. conventions that he attended back East last summer.

Dr. and Mrs. D. Schultz were the special guests of honor at the dinner just preceding the meeting. Others present for the meeting were Kyoto Ariyama, George Cannady, Yang Ho Chih, Roderick Chang, Mr. and Mrs. William Hall, Ronald Leask, Kenneth Mackenzie, Marianno Rodriguez, Perry Smith, Wallace Turner, Wesley Warner, Nicholas Yablokoff, Seiichi Yamaguchi, Frances Maeda, Betty Moffatt, and Setko Watanabe.

## SCHOLARSHIP IN MUSIC OFFERED

President Carl G. Doney has information that the Presser Foundation has renewed its \$250 scholarship offer to Willamette music students. The student or students who shall earn this recognition are selected at the end of the school year by the music faculty, and are chosen only according to their merit. Preference is given to students who intend to teach and they must devote at least one-third of their college study to music. Joint winners of the scholarship last year were Betty Boylan, Doris Cobbin, and Helene Price.

## ATHLETES ELECT YEAR'S OFFICERS

The W. club held its first meeting of the year Wednesday, October 7, immediately after chapel. The chief business of the meeting was the election and installation of officers and the appointment of committees to serve throughout the school year.

The following officers were elected and installed to serve for the year: Walter Erickson, president; Gus Moore, vice-president; Cecil Harmon, secretary. Two committees were named, the committee on concessions for games with "Mutt" Deetz as chairman, and the program committee, Gus Moore, chairman.

A number of new members were present at the meeting. Plans for the initiation of these new comers have not yet been made. It was decided that owing to the night game there will be no W club Homecoming banquet this year as there has been in previous years.

## CHAPEL TALKS TOUCH VARIOUS INTERESTS

"Falling in Love With Your Work" was the subject on which Dr. Hugh B. Foutke, pastor of the Jason Lee Methodist church, addressed the Willamette student body at chapel last Thursday morning. He stated that if students would "fall in love" with their school and other work they would not only enjoy it more but would also get a better understanding of the subject.

Professor Robert M. Gatke, political science instructor, was the chapel speaker last Wednesday and spoke to the students on "unemployment and Religion." He said that in this era of depression and unemployment we should turn to the bible and other fundamental standards for a way out.

"What Are You?" was the topic selected by Professor Daniel E. Schulze for his talk at chapel Friday morning. He went on to explain that we are human beings, not animals, and that certain things are expected of us which are not expected of animals. He urged the students to wake up to certain problems before it was too late and not fall by the way or try to avoid the issues.

Each student generation hears the story of the "Cherry seeds" at least once. President Doney told it upon request in chapel Tuesday morning.

**PROF. SMITH BETTER**  
Professor Ray Smith, for many years professor of Law School at Willamette is reported to be doing nicely in a hospital in Chicago, where he is taking treatments. Mrs. Smith wishes to express through the Collegian her gratefulness to the Willamette university students who are so kind and helpful to him while he is there.

snappy program. The banquet will be over in plenty of time so that all may attend the Homecoming play. Information regarding the banquet will be found elsewhere in this issue.

## Guests Attend Open Meeting of Coffee House

Original Work of Members Read; Group Writes Letters to Ted Parker

Wednesday night, October 7, the Coffee House held an open meeting in Willamette Lodge, to which all those interested in creative writing were invited. Besides a number of old members there were quite a few visitors. Those present were as follows: Professor Richards, Nellie Ackerman, Helen Childs, Cecile Adams, Deena Hart, Isabel Childs, Muriel White, Lois Wilkes, Kenneth Oliver, Walter Warner, and Brenda Savage. The visitors were Virginia Kaiser, Gladys Dodge, Betty Hyde, Janet Well, Annabel Tooz, Frank Childs, Nellie Perrine and Betty Moffatt.

The program consisted of recitations of original work by the various members, after which a short time was devoted to writing letters to Ted Parker. Refreshments were served, and the meeting dispersed shortly before ten o'clock, the guests having been invited to come to the next meeting, bringing samples of their own original writing.

## Announcements

The entire student body is invited to a skate at Dreamland Rink Saturday night, October 17. Men and women are expected to wear rooter's lids to the games this year. Get them at the book store.

Student body tickets will admit Willamette university students to the games here. The posters refer to students other than Willamette students.

Don't forget the rally Thursday night. Meet in front of Waller Hall at seven o'clock and show the team you're behind them!

There will be a meeting of the Home Economics club at the home of Gertrude Oehler, 1640 S. High street, Monday evening at 6 o'clock for a pot-luck supper.

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## MARRIED WOMEN TO START NEW CLUB

On Saturday afternoon, October 10, young married women on the campus met at Mrs. Nellie Ackerman's home to discuss plans for a Young Married Women's association of Willamette university. It was found that there are twenty women on the campus who are eligible for membership.

Women nominated for officers were Mrs. Walt Erickson and Helen Cochran Kutch, for president; Susan Hall, for vice-president; Virginia Kaiser and Mary Louise Carpenter, for secretary-treasurer.

There will be another meeting of the young women on Saturday, October 24. At that time officers will be elected and further prospects of the organization discussed.

## THETA ALPHA PHI MEETS

The regular monthly meeting of Theta Alpha Phi was held at the home of Professor Rahe, last Tuesday evening, October 13. The main topic for discussion was a plan for future meetings of Theta Alpha Phi. The time of each meeting will be divided into two parts: the first part will be devoted to the discussion of various phases of the drama and the men who have promoted its development; the second part will be devoted to reading and studying modern plays.

Helen Stiles has charge of the next regular meeting, and the play to be considered is "Death Takes a Holiday."

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## AND THE MEN WILL SWIM

The organization of credited swimming classes for university men is most assuredly a step forward for the physical education department. Swimming has long been recognized as one of the finest of universal sports. For the past two or three years the women have been profiting from this opportunity which is now offered to the men.

Fortunately the physical education department did not have to go afield to find a competent instructor. Mr. Gill has for several summers worked with the Red Cross in instruction of swimming, and is the logical man for the place.

Willamette is now prepared to train and enter swimmers in the contests which are annually sponsored by several Northwest Conference colleges, and it has always been the policy of the athletic department to furnish opportunity for the greatest number of men possible to participate in the benefits of intercollegiate sports.

## COURTEOUS LETTERS INVITED

The column "Brickbats and Boquets" is open to all students (faculty members, too) of the university. Nevertheless, it is part of The Collegian and as such it must be kept free from certain errors common in letters hastily written upon sudden urge when the temper is none too sweet.

It is understood that persons wishing to express their views through this column will write of people only as they would speak to them face to face. It is not a column for the expression of grudges.

A few of the rules which must necessarily apply are as follows:

1. This column must be for the discussion exclusively of university interests.
2. Personalities will be left out where personalities do not represent some genuine cause.
3. The names of all people mentioned (including faculty members) will not be adulterated by the use of maliciously applied titles or nicknames.
4. Letters will always be signed when turned in, although if it is the writer's wish the name need not appear in print.
5. The policies expressed are not necessarily the policies of The Collegian and the author bears the responsibility.

## "THE NIGHT" WHEN?

Tonight's "the night," but so is tomorrow night and the night after that. 'Tis a splendid idea that is held by many in regard to times and places of display of college spirit, but it seems at present a bit limited. To write an editorial on "college spirit" is to dig up dead and buried reminders of grammar school days when the only thing we had to think about which we weren't afraid to breathe aloud was "school spirit."

But this much we must say: If a few less people would spend their time crabbing about "the way we sound when we sing college songs in chapel" and save their breath to do a little singing themselves, a mighty unbecoming frown would be wiped from the face of Song Queen Wilkes and a few more of the football boys might feel encouraged to learn their plays.

Just why people as grown up as most Willamette students appear to be mentally should imagine that the only time to show spirit is during a football game or that the only way to show it is to talk about the lack of it in others is one of the seven wonders of the modern world.

We like the suggestion offered by Professor Jones that college spirit is shown in innumerable ways—in the classroom as well as on the athletic field. And not a little of the finest spirit ever shown at Willamette is to be seen in the ready and willing cooperation of some students no matter how small may be the job.

So tonight at the rally, tomorrow night at the game, Saturday night at the skate, and nights on ad infinitum when the midnight oil burns low over well-thumbed textbooks—are "the nights" for the showing of true Bearcat spirit.

All by themselves the Bearcats on the gridiron have evolved a new yell. Go out and listen to them some day during practice and you can close your eyes and imagine that the growl you hear is coming not from a Bearcat but from a Bear. It sounds bloodthirsty but it has punch.

So the sorority house had a robber and the members helped to catch him. More modern women come into their own.

The married women are organizing. They say it isn't for protection. But, honestly, look at the fierce pictures of their football player husbands and doubt.

The largest alumni aggregation ever to help "Overthrow Idaho" is to be on the campus next weekend. Old events will be revived, old friends seen, and the student body should be inspired.

## College-trained engineers revisit the athletic field



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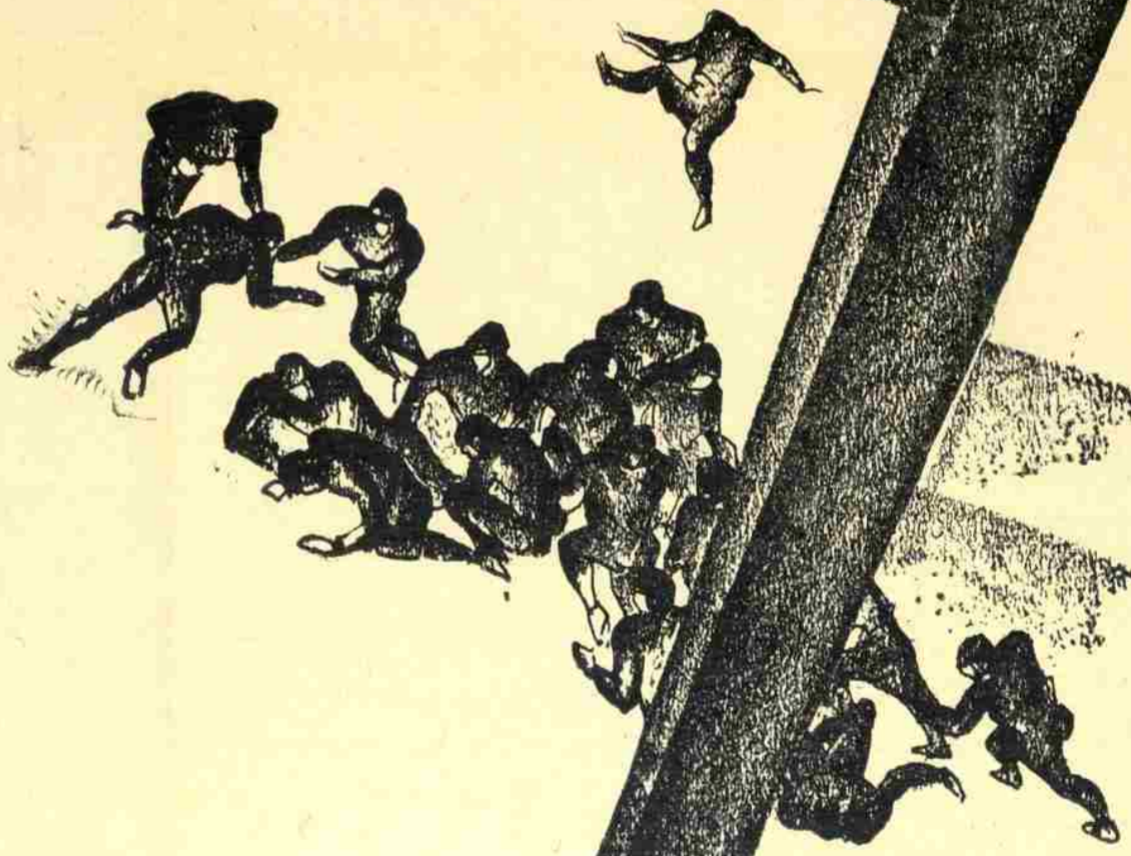
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# CAMPUS SOCIETY

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## Prominent Alumni Wed

A wedding of much interest to university circles was that of Miss Grace Henderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Henderson, and Francis DeHartport, Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Jason Lee church. Dr. Carl Gregg Doney, assisted by Rev. Hugh B. Fouke, read the impressive wedding service before more than 150 guests.

The church was decorated with autumn flowers, palms, and other greenery. Two white candelabras holding fluted pink candles burned at the altar.

Miss Marjorie Odell sang "My Heart and Thy Sweet Voice," and Miss Lillian Scott sang "At Dawning." Miss Edith Findley accompanied both of the soloists as well as playing the professional and the recreational.

The bride wore a princess effect gown of white satin and a full length wedding veil caught with orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of pink roses and lilies of the valley. The veil was Miss Henderson's mother's veil.

Miss Henderson was attended by her sister, Miss Eleanor Henderson, who was dressed in orchid satin and chiffon with touches of yellow velvet. Her arm bouquet harmonized with her gown.

W. H. Henderson, father of the bride, gave her away in marriage; Charles Simpson was chosen by Mr. DeHartport for his best man. Ushers were Stanley Satchwell, Hugh Ward, and Connel Ward.

Small Marian Fields, seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Fields, was flower girl. She wore a ruffled silk in a shade of robin's egg blue.

Immediately after the wedding a reception was held in the church parlors. Autumn leaves, and baskets of flowers were the background for the bridal party and guests.

Mrs. W. V. Johnson, house mother of the Alpha Phi Alpha sorority, cut the cake; Mrs. Etta Bradford presided at the punch bowl. Miss Helen Stiles, Miss Elizabeth Ogden, and Miss Helen Hanke, all of Portland, served. They are sorority sisters of Miss Henderson.

After a short wedding trip, the young people will be at home at 460 South 21st street.

Miss Henderson was a graduate of Willamette university with the class of 1931. She was prominent in musical circles and school activities. She was maid to the May Queen this past year and is a member of the Alpha Phi Alpha sorority.

Mr. DeHartport was a member of the class of 1931. He is a member of the Sigma Tau fraternity and was prominent in university activities.

## Social Calendar

Oct. 16—Church night. Columbia Gains (night).  
Oct. 17—President's Reception for Faculty.  
Student Body Skate, Dreamland 7:30 p. m.  
Oct. 23—Homecoming Game with College of Idaho 8 p. m. Carnival 10 p. m.  
Oct. 24—Alumni Banquet. Theta Alpha Phi Play 8:15.  
Oct. 30—Sorority Informal Parties.  
Oct. 31—C. P. S. Game at Tacoma.

## Sororities Announce Pledges

The Alpha Phi Alpha sorority announces the pledges of the following: Sydney Hamford, Oregon City; Leola Johnson, Alberta, Canada; Margaret Lange, West Linn; Caroline Schneider, Myrtle Point; Loraine Sheldon, Lincolnton, Wash.; Betty Smith, Seattle, Wash.; Lucille Sumerlin, Myrtle Point; Maxine West, Sedro Woolley, Wash.; Lydia Wilson, Roseburg; Dorothy McDonald, Frances Poor, Vernita Van Fleet, all of Portland; Eleanor Barth, Mildred Drager, Elva Sehon, and Eleanor Yarnes, all of Salem.

Beta Chi announces the pledging of the Misses Elizabeth Booth, The Dalles; Louise Bradford, Livingston, Mont.; Betty Hawkins, Dallas; Nova Hedin, Portland; Eleanor Henderson, Salem; Margaret Nunn, Salem; Nellie Perrine, Ashland; Hattie Ramp, Brooks; Doryce Ross, Salem; Edith Sidwell, Portland; Margaret Wells, Portland; Elma Wolford, Roseburg; and Clara Wright, Bremerston, Washington.

Delta Phi announces the pledging of Miss Elizabeth Badley, Portland; Miss Claudia Buntin, Salem; Miss Ruth Chapman, Salem; Miss Ruth Clement, Medford; Miss Margaret Cox, Ontario; Miss Gladys Dodge, Castle Rock; Miss Margaret Halght, Wenatchee, Washington; Miss Gladys Hanson, Salem; Miss Gwendolyn Hunt, Salem; Miss Aletha Kelley, Portland; Miss Mary Jane Lau, Salem; Miss Velma May, Salem; Miss Betty McClean, Everett, Washington; Miss Irene Middleton, Berkeley, Calif.; Miss Mildreda Nevins, Sidney, Mont.; Miss Pauline Moore, Eugene; Miss Frances Reid, Salem; Miss Evelyn Shields, Salem; Miss Jeanette Smith, Spokane, Wash.; Miss Frances Stewart, Silverton; and Miss Winona Wendt, Newberg.

## Speech Class Has Luncheon

Members of the extemporaneous speaking class and their friends were guests at a no-heat luncheon at the Rose Cafe Tuesday noon.

After dinner talks on Modern Advertising were featured as part of the class work. Miss Lulu Allen served as toastmistress, and responses were made by Miss Dorothy Dalk, Mr. John Rudin, Mr. Collas Marsters, Mr. Milo Ross, Miss Laura Cammack, and Mr. Hayes Beall.

Guests for the luncheon were: Dean Erickson, Prof. and Mrs. H. E. Rahe, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Ploerman, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Rounds, Miss Lulu Allen, Miss Dorothy Dalk, Miss Virginia Durkee, Miss Laura Cammack, Miss Martin, Mr. John Rudin, Mr. Al King, Mr. Milo Ross, Mr. Ralph McCullough, Mr. Collas Marsters, and Mr. Hayes Beall.

## Fraternities Have Dinner Guests

The upper classmen of the Alpha Psi Delta fraternity were hosts at dinner Sunday.

The guests were Prof. and Mrs. W. C. Jones, Miss Bea Hartung, Miss Benetta Edwards, Miss Faye Cornutt, Miss Margaret Schreiber, Miss Louisa Sidwell, Miss Ruth Plick, Miss Beulah Cramer, and Miss Clara Wright.

Guests at the Kappa Gamma Rho fraternity for Sunday dinner were Prof. and Mrs. Zillman, Miss Frances Poor, Miss Eleanor Yarnes, Miss Jeanette Smith, and Miss Dorothy Ross.

Prof. and Mrs. Roy S. Keene were dinner guests at the Sigma Tau fraternity Wednesday evening.

Miss Mary Hanfield, an alumna of the Alpha Phi Alpha sorority, who graduated in 1931, was a guest at the house during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eichner were the guests of their son Sam at the Sigma Tau fraternity on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kutch entertained informally in their home in Dallas, Saturday evening.

Guests motoring over from Salem for the affair were Miss Doris Clarke, Miss Irma Sawyer, Mr. Evans Hamilton, and Mr. Wilmer Wells.

## Miss Edwards Announces Engagement

Miss Marjorie Edwards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Edwards, announced her engagement at the Beta Chi formal dinner Wednesday evening to Mr. Paul Purvine, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Purvine of Long Beach, California.

Mr. Purvine is attending Long Beach Junior college, and is also employed by the Hancock Oil Company at Long Beach.

Miss Edwards is a senior at Willamette and is a member of Beta Chi sorority.

The Sigma Tau fraternity announces the pledging of Everett Mencke from Lebanon, Oregon.

Miss Doris Clarke will spend the week-end at Rock Creek attending the meeting of the Council of Seabeck Division.

Mr. Harley Allen, '28, was a guest over the week-end at the Alpha Phi Delta house. Mr. Allen, who has been city attorney in Wallawa since his graduation, has accepted a position in Portland with Shepard and Phillips, law firm.

## DEMONSTRATION IN SOUND BY BROWN

Theory Class Learns Mechanics of Sound in Music Tones

A demonstration in sound was made by Professor E. T. Brown before the music theory class under Professor Helen MacHerron, Monday morning in Science Hall.

Professor Brown demonstrated how the higher frequencies gave higher pitched sounds. Frequency is the number of waves per second. One piece of apparatus was a circular disc with a ring of holes in it through which a stream of air was blown. The disc was then made to revolve. The faster the disc revolved the more holes crossed the stream of air per second. As the frequency became higher the pitch became higher. Two instruments were tuned to the same pitch. One instrument was made to vibrate and the other vibrated also, because the waves from the former set the latter into motion.

There were several other experiments made and the class was very much enlightened, having seen the mechanics of their study from another viewpoint.

## CUBS ELECT NEW FROSH MEMBERS

The freshman members of the Cubs were elected at a meeting Thursday at the Rose Cafe. They are Messrs. Bunn, Barnett, Eddy, Hudkins, Hymoth, Kimbrell, Moser, Mills, Rowley, Simpson, Thome, and Young.

At the same meeting of the Cubs, the new sophomore members were initiated. Messrs. Cook, Janke, E. Smith, Glanoff, Joe Herberberger, Shaek and L. Herberberger, were the sophomore members taken in.

The Cubs, who will officiate and usher at all athletic events, are updating the traditions of the school by assembling all the freshmen in front of Waller Hall each Tuesday after chapel and administering to them "backs" for breaking rules and regulations.

## SWIMMERS TO GET REGULAR CREDITS

For the first time in the history of the physical education department of Willamette, a special swimming class is being offered to men which may be substituted for the regular gym, and for which a semester credit is given. This class is in charge of "Chuck" Gill. A general swimming class for those students who may be interested is also being offered.

The special class aims to give individual instruction to its members. Any one who likes swimming is urged to join and develop their talent. A nominal charge of \$2.50 is attached.

The membership committee is made up entirely of Willamette students, as follows: chairman, Hayes Beall; other members are Charles Glanoff, Eugene Smith, Gus Moore, Wesley Warren, Forrest Mills, Charles Gill, and three more to be selected.

Those interested are asked to meet at the city "Y" Monday afternoon between 1:15 and 3:45.

## FRIDAY NIGHT IS GRID OPENER

Hard Scrimmage Sessions Bring Out New Men and Condition Team

## IRISH POINTING FOR TILT

Passing Attack and Defense Stressed as Both Teams Apt to Take Air

Up to this week the players have not shown the interest and pep that was shown early in the season. However, with the two day rest and a light rain which put the field in better shape, the boys are fighting hard to be in the lineup tomorrow.

Some of the boys are showing up exceptionally well—particularly some of the new men. Outstanding among the ball-toters is George Cannady, halfback. Cannady comes to Willamette from Grant high school, Portland, where he was a four year letterman—making the city all-star team in his senior year. Since George is but a freshman, "Spec" is not only counting on him this year, but looks forward to his service for the next four years.

Drager, sophomore tackle, has been showing a great deal of fire this year. Dave saw service for the cardinal and gold last year. However, this season finds Dave in much better condition—faster and heavier.

Fighting for the tackle position along with Drager are Allen and Lorenz, both of whom are showing real class. Allen, large and fast at times, has been fighting hard during scrimmage sessions.

The practice game between the first and second team brought out more talent. Mahan played a fine, consistent game, and as a result is now being used at quarterback and Kaiser has been placed at left end.

Another Bearcat who is giving the boys plenty of competition is Ross, the "Big Blonde" whom Howard Maple brought from Peoria, Ill. Ross has been handicapped by a pulled ligament in his right leg, but with it healing rapidly, he looks better each workout. He and Mahan are both fighting hard for the quarterback position.

"Spec" has been developing the "passing attack" and "pass defense" for the Columbia game. Several of the boys, including Paul, Mahan and Ross, are the center of the passing attack. Columbia may find the Bearcats taking to the air quite often.

Since the new lighting system has been installed, a couple night practices for the team have been scheduled. Incidentally Friday night will find the Bearcats in new white outfits and playing with a white ball.

The two new bleacher stands at each end of the field have been completed—increasing the seating capacity by about 2500 seats. 12,000 tickets have been printed—with a record crowd anticipated. The student body will sit in the south bleachers with the cash customers in the grandstand and high school students in the new stands on the east and west end of the field.

The handling of the crowd will be supervised by the Boy Scouts with the assistance of the Cubs.

The fighting Irish from Portland are coming down full of pep and anxious to take the Bearcats into camp. Gene Murphy, Irish coach, has been keeping the boys in football suits most of the time, and has them keyed up to give Willamette the hardest competition they will have to face this year.

## SPARKS OFFICER OF PHYSICAL ED LEADERS

Lester J. Sparks, instructor in physical education and graduate manager at Willamette university, was elected treasurer of the Oregon State Physical Education association meeting held at Portland yesterday. C. S. Botsford, director of physical education at Reed college was elected president.

The association decided to supply a speaker for the Oregon State Teachers' association meetings at Portland in December. They will bring L. C. Nelson, California state superintendent of physical education, to Portland for the meeting.

The five Willamette students who attended the meeting with Mr. Sparks were: Walter Erickson, Jesse Deetz, Donald Faber, Robert Houek, Muriel White and Marlon Moore.

EUGENE SMITH SPEAKS  
Eugene Smith gave an interpretation and short talk before the Salem organization of the Eastern Star Tuesday afternoon, October 13.

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# Northwest Conference SPORTS

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## BLAZING LIGHTS BATHE GRIDIRON

Glow Able to be Seen for Miles Causes Towns People to Investigate

## BLEACHERS BEING BUILT

Lack of Ticket Sale for Fear of no Competition to be Big Mistake

A glow which could be seen for miles and which caused persons living in the outlying districts of the city to believe that a fire was raging in the downtown section Monday night was simply advance notice that the first night football game ever to be held in Salem would soon be staged. Completing the work of connecting the lighting system of Sweetland field two days ahead of time, the main switch was thrown Monday evening for the first time while the reflectors were adjusted to proper focus. Motorists who circled the campus Monday evening report the illumination was away beyond expectations.

Although ticket sales for the big benefit game between Willamette and Columbia scheduled for next Friday night at 8 o'clock are being pushed over Polk and Marion counties by Cascade area council Boy Scouts of America, many persons are said to be holding off because they fear Columbia will not be able to furnish sufficient opposition to make a good contest. This is far from being the facts in the matter, Coach Keene states, since the Irish, coached by Gene Murphy, are fast and play a trick brand of ball. The school in addition to having a squad of varsity caliber, supports a team which plays in high school circles.

At a meeting held Monday night by those backing the movement to have a record-breaking crowd on hand Friday evening when the referee blows the first blast from his whistle, it was revealed that a big football-ticket office will be located at the intersection of Liberty and State streets Tuesday. Both reserved seats and general admission tickets can be obtained from there.

Building of substantial bleacher seats at either end of Sweetland field is being rushed by a corps of carpenters. With the completion of these seats and with the placing of gymnasium seats along the south side of the field, comfortable places for all who attend the big game have been assured.

## FACULTY DEFEATS SIGMA TAU TEAM

The Sigs again were swallowed up by defeat. They at least provided a good meal for the so-called Faculty team which is no more than representation of the Physical Ed. department. The losers very nearly drew blood soon after the game started, but the failure of Lemmon to keep the ball from slipping out of his hand after it had been tossed from the one yard line spoiled and ended the Sig's only threat. Ackerman and Deetz did most of the ground gaining for the Faculty. The combination of Maple and Sparks provided an interesting variation of lateral and forward passes.

## Spec Keene Once More Rampages, Bemoans Death of W. U. Spirit But Hopes for Revival Soon

"Here we are with the best bunch of prospects on our hands in years, yet if the men don't snap into it and put a little zip into their actions, I'm afraid of what will happen next Friday night when Columbia comes here." Such was the prediction late Monday of Coach Keene who stopped long enough from supervising the erection of bleacher seats around Sweetland field, instructing one of his backfield men where he could get an appluase for an injured leg, consulting with the president of the student body, and conferring with several persons over the telephone in regard to various details of the first night game to be played in Salem, to answer a few questions of an inquisitive news chaser.

"They looked like a bunch of sheep out there last Friday when we had that scrimmage. Half the time the ball carriers were stopping when they had made five yards instead of pulling out and making some real yardage."

"Spec" brightened up considerably however, when several of his players were mentioned, in spite of the fact that his nose was becoming sore from excessive blowing due to a cold.

"We will move Mahan up to first string quarterback," the coach said. "He looked good out there and I believe he will put a lot of life into the squad. He will stay there until some other player shows me that he is entitled to the position."

Ross has been shifted to the post of blocking half, a position which should fit him well. Calling signals apparently takes away some of the effectiveness of Ross, the coach states.

Playing behind the line with Mahan and Ross will be Walt Erickson and Louie Johnson.

Another of the bright spots in blanket of gloom is the work of Wenzel Kaiser at end. Always a little slow to start, Coach Keene says he is developing rapidly, especially with his blocking.

## RESERVES BATTLE REGULARS TO TIE

Individual Ability Shown but Satisfactory Backfield Combination Lacking

Could Spec Keene think that the reserves and regulars were holding themselves back for some unknown reason, many fans would sigh in relief. But he can't; so those who saw the scoreless tie (thought that the bright lights will give the boys the "fire" that the afternoon sun didn't.

However, the fray proved far from fruitless for a number of men who hereto had not been considered as first team caliber showed to advantage. "Midnight Jr." George Cannady time after time dodged and twisted his way through the regulars for substantial gains. As conspicuous was Danny Mahan. As a result, he is now calling signals for the first string. The linemen of the reserve squad who effectively stopped Walt Erickson, were Orr, Drager, Lorenz and Gillette.

Although individual men looked good, a satisfactory combination of backs was not found. This, at present, is Coach Keene's chief worry.

"A woman may speak without thinking," says little Oswald, the office clam, "but she never thinks without speaking."

## Bare Cat Gossip

If there is any more thrilling sport than sitting beside an excited co-ed during a football game—obviously it is sitting between two excited co-eds.

What a great place to play a good old-fashioned game of blackman on the newly lighted field.

It looks like a simple case of rubbing it in when a graduate of a year or so back sits, complacently smoking a Camel, directly behind Willamette students. Not much transfer of training here.

If "life is just a bowl of cherries" as some song writers think, what we need is more cherry seed carriers.

Another place the golden rule won't work is on the football field. "Do unto others as you would be done by" is the reason so many boys sit on the bench throughout the game.

Life is full of paradoxes. To be a "sweet" ballplayer one has to "sneer" 'em, hit 'em low, take 'em out, get your man." To be a sweet boy at home or school one has to be a gentleman.

To tell the truth football is sort of a relic of barbarism—which serves to keep us from getting too cultured.

## SPIRITS SPOILED BY WISECRACKERS

Football fans are impatient. They demand, as soon as the practice season starts, a finished team that clicks with a oneness, and harmony. If this desire is sincere it coincides with that spirit needed to make a winning ball club.

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