



Football is a "has been." Now all eyes are turned toward basketball.

Everybody is going to Dreamland Rink Saturday night.

HAYES BEALL ATTENDS MEET

President of Y. M. is Delegate to National Epworth League Council

TO BE ABSENT A MONTH To Interview Hon. C. S. Cutting Concerning Speaking at Commencement

Hayes Beall, president of the Willamette Y. M. C. A., and district president of the Epworth League, is now in Chicago attending a meeting of the national council of the Epworth League.

Besides acting in the interests of Epworth League, Beall will visit Y. M. C. A. organizations in Chicago and confer with men interested in Willamette organizations.

CUBAN PROFESSOR INVENTS TURBINE

Matanzas, Cuba—(IP)—After two failures which cost his backers hundreds of thousands of dollars, Professor Georges Claude has at last demonstrated the practicability of his electrical power plant operated by utilizing variations in temperature of Gulf Stream water.

As cold water flows from the huge tube more than 4,000 feet long to the bottom of the ocean, warm water from the surface flows into great vacuum tanks, where it is converted into steam because of the lack of pressure.

In a short time the steam reaches such a pressure that the adjacent tubes begin to revolve, and the cold water flowing about the vacuum tanks condenses the steam in one while the other is filling.

The condensation produces a fresh vacuum, so that by the time the full tank is exhausted the other is ready to begin functioning.

Professor Claude was able to light 40 light bulbs with his strange turbine.

Observers believe it will mean a revolution in industrial power methods.

University of California has established two new aviation departments, one offering courses in aeronautical engineering, and one dealing with the principles of commercial aviation.

Students Gossip, Sleep While Arid Speakers Shout Lustily and Study During Chapel

Chapel, with compulsory chapel attendance, is one of the most delightful of Willamette institutions. No, don't contradict! Set against the occasional inconvenience of attending when you want to sleep, or play tennis, or write a theme—the glorious advantages involved in the system.

Michael Fitzpatrick



Mr. Fitzpatrick will compete with 50 other men for appointment to West Point next summer.

W. U. STUDENT IS NOMINATED

Michael Fitzpatrick Passes West Point Exams With Honors

FOUR DAYS FOR TESTS Fitzpatrick is Member of Company B, 162nd Infantry, Oregon Guard

Michael Fitzpatrick, '32, was nominated for entrance to West Point by Governor A. W. Norblad last Friday. This nomination is the result of high standing in the four-day examination which began November 3 and was conducted by National Guard officials in Portland.

Every year the National Guard of each state is given the privilege of nominating one boy for West Point. From these state nominees only a percentage are chosen and entitled to enter. The nomination is a very great honor and Willamette may well feel proud of Mr. Fitzpatrick. He is now the National Guard applicant for Oregon and will compete with National Guard entrants from other states in the entrance examination that will be held in March.

Fitzpatrick is a member of Company B, 162nd Infantry, of the guard. He enlisted in September, 1928, and was made corporal last May. If successful in the examination next March he will enter West Point in July.

REPORT IS MADE OF EDUCATIONAL PLANS

Washington, D. C.—(IP)—Experience of Latin-American and European countries in the national organization of education is cited by James F. Abel, chief of the division of foreign school systems, United States office of education, in an important official publication submitted to Secretary of Interior Raymond L. Wilbur.

For many years there has been a movement in the United States for the organization of a department of education in the federal government, and the present publication, analyzing experience of other countries, is intended "for those who care to study seriously the place of educational administration in our scheme of government."

The report devotes an entire chapter to the secretariat of public education in Mexico, the purpose of which is described as "broad and generous."

Oratorio to be Given by First M. E. Musicians

E. Moore, E. Ogden, R. Craven and R. Barton Will Be Soloists

"The Holy City," an oratorio by Gaul, will be presented by the choir of the First Methodist church on Sunday evening, December 14. The oratorio will be given in full, with a chorus of sixty voices. Solo parts are being taken by Eleanor Moore, Elizabeth Ogden, Ronald Craven and R. D. Barton. Professor Marshall is the director and T. S. Roberts the accompanist.

SOVIET WILL ERECT NEW GRADE SCHOOLS

Moscow (IP)—Three million children between the ages of eight and ten will be cared for in schools which the Soviet government is planning to erect at once. The government is faced with another tremendous problem in providing school books for these children at once.

ADVICE FOR SPEEDERS Flying is better for the undergraduate speeder than motoring. If he takes foolish risks in flying he finds he is the chief sufferer.—The Chief Constable of Oxford.

Lets Go To the All-College Skate Sat., Dec. 13, 7:30

An all-campus skate party will be held at 7:30 Saturday evening, December 13, at the Dreamland rink. A special program is promised by the committee in charge, the members of which are: Dorothy Bosshard, chairman; Earl Henry, Eloise White and Benetta Edwards.

SALEM CHORUS TO GIVE CONCERT

The Christmas concert of the Salem MacDowell Club was presented last Tuesday night in chapel to a large audience. Waller hall stage was beautifully decorated with Christmas trees and winter berries.

The MacDowell Club chorus of about forty members is directed by Miss Lena Belle Tartar, accompanied by Miss Ruth Bedford. The splendid performance of the chorus was a tribute to its director, and to the cooperation of its members. The numbers showed thorough preparation and were artistically sung. Variety of tone and force and the sustaining of the voices at the end of each number were especially noted. Autumn Storms, by Grieg, in the Carpenter's Shop, by Foster, and The Wood-Nymph, by Rohrer, were especially well sung by the chorus. The organ accompaniment by Prof. T. S. Roberts, in some of the numbers, blended beautifully with the voices.

The Salem MacDowell Club presented the Portland Symphony String Quartet as guest artists. They played Beethoven's Quartet in C Minor with beautiful rhythm and interpretation. The artistic performance delighted the audience. This quartet is composed of the leaders of the string sections of the Portland Symphony Orchestra and is gaining the admiration it deserves in musical circles.

During the evening a prize of five dollars was given to Miss Helene Price as the club member who sold the greatest number of season tickets to the club's concert. Miss Price was graduated from Willamette last June and, under the Preiser scholarship, is now working toward her Master's Degree.

The MacDowell club is of especial interest to Willamette students because of the cooperation it shows toward the music department of the school. This Christmas concert will be remembered by students as one of the best concerts they have heard.

FERGUSON, BELL AND FELTON PLEDGE

Eugene Ferguson, Walter Bell and Joseph Felton were initiated into Delta Theta Phi, national law fraternity, Saturday evening, Dec. 6th, at the home of Clarence Emmons. A short business meeting was held afterward, at which Roy McCourry presided. Plans were discussed concerning the banquet which is to be held Monday evening, December 15th.

New German Books Received in Library Due To Low Prices

It seems that the library has been receiving an innumerable number of excellent books during the past few weeks. Prices being so low seems to be the cause for this expansion.

One of the most important books is entitled "Atlas der Emissionsspektren der Meisten Elemente," or Chart of the spectrum of the principle elements, by August Hagenbach and Heinrich Kosen. It is written entirely in German and for an advanced German student it would provide immense interest, even though it is highly technical.

A German-English Technical and Scientific Dictionary by A. Webel will alleviate some of the trouble in understanding the above book. It is highly technical, including such words as Vierfachexpansionmaschine, Spiegelgonometer, Molekulargewicht and Beschickungsstricht.

Dr. B. J. Hoadley of Portland, Oregon, presented to Willamette library on December 8, 1930, five volumes on the Life of Washington, written by John Marshall. These books will prove very valuable to the history student who desires to have a concrete history of Washington's life.

Another fascinating book is entitled "Little America" by Richard E. Byrd. It is done in blue and gold and is entirely in letter form. This form of writing makes the book very intimate and easily understood.

CABINET REVEALS ANCIENT WRITINGS

London, Eng. (IP)—The British Museum has received from an American collector, professor, who would not reveal his name for publication, an ultra-violet fluorescence cabinet for use in detecting obliterated writings on ancient manuscripts.

Many old manuscripts now owned were once parchment on which the writing had faded and because of the secrecy of parchment, had been used over again.

KWSC CELEBRATES EIGHTH ANNIVERSARY

Washington State College, Pullman—The eighth birthday anniversary of the State college broadcasting station is to be celebrated with gala festivities on December 11, according to Arville Wessel, program director. Students and faculty members will unite in presenting an unusual evening program over KWSC.

Tap dancing, crooning of the latest blue songs, marimbaphone solos, and a collegiate band will be included in the schedule. For the first time this year the all-college orchestra, under the direction of Karel Havlicek, assistant professor of violin and conductor of the orchestra, will go on the air for 45 minutes of harmony.

The birthday celebration this year will be especially gay because of the recent increase of power from 500 watts to 1000 watts evening hours and 2000 watts daytime hours.

Y. W. C. A. STAFF MEETS

Members of the Willamette Y. W. C. A. staff met at the Presbyterian church, Tuesday afternoon, for a conference and dinner. Miss Mildred Deane, the World Fellowship secretary of the Y. W. C. A., spoke on "World Fellowship." Following the dinner the various committee heads and members of committees discussed their work and made plans for future activity in their various departments.

Helen Cochran and Margaret Warnke Play Feminine Leads

Fred Harris and Harold Rose Bring Laughs With Lines.

The Little Theater organization of Willamette has developed remarkably fast since Professor Rabe has been its director and coach. This year climaxes all others in interest manifested by the members of Play Production classes. And this interest is proved by the vehicle which has been chosen for expression and presentation, Oscar Wilde's famous "Lady Windermere's Fan."

The plot alone is excuse enough for the play's existence, but in addition to the remarkable plot, we have the sparkling lines from the pen of one of the most clever of all play writers, Oscar Wilde.

The play is especially adaptable for presentation at Willamette. It is entirely different from anything that has been attempted by a theater group on the campus before. This fact itself should demand attendance Friday (tomorrow) night, in Waller hall.

There is much to be said for the cast. Lillian Beecher has proved herself a very convincing Lady Windermere. Leon Norris is a genuine "kick" as Lord Augustus Lorton. Bob Culbertson takes the role of Butler more perfectly than many another we have seen at Willamette. Helen Cochran vividly portrays the part of The Duchess of Berwick, a very genius at the subtle art of gossip. Margaret Warnke, as Mrs. Eryllyn, has a very difficult part in the play. Miss Warnke has achieved the feat of consistently appearing in character as the much misunderstood Mrs. Eryllyn. Wesley Gordon, as the unsuccessful suitor for Lady Windermere's hand, plays the role of Lord Darlington convincingly. Fred Harris and Harold Rose are a team that bring many laughs with their lines. Though a fresh-

man, Fred Blatchford carries the part of Lord Windermere very well. It is a difficult role to portray, but hard work and good coaching have accomplished the desired result. It is worth the entire first act just to hear Helen Pybus, Lady Agatha Carlisle, say, "Yes mamma." Mr. Hopper, played by Tom Goyns, is supposed to have recently arrived from Australia. When Mr. Goyns comes on the stage we know that he has indeed just come from some wild and romantic place where men are men and women are after them. Minor parts are taken effectively by Lois Wilkes, Lois Benjamin, Mary Riddell, Louise Brown, and Buelah Graham.

Helen Pemberton has proved herself an understanding and untiring coach. Cooperation between coaching staff and individual players has been particularly outstanding in rehearsals, and where both coaches and players cooperate, success is assured.

Friday night, December 12, 8:00 o'clock sharp, Waller hall.

WORK ON WALLULAH PROGRESSING WELL

Work on the Wallulah is progressing, according to the latest word from Helen Stiles, editor. Next week the printing contract which has been drawn up by the Statesman will be signed. The engraving contract with Hicks-Chatten of Portland was signed last spring. The material for the cuts will be sent to the engravers after Christmas. This year the staff will do all the mounting and art work under the supervision of Eloise White and Earl Henry, respectively.

In order that the expenses of publishing the annual may be met, each organization that has its picture in the Wallulah is to be assessed the sum of \$15. At least a down payment must be made on this assessment by February 15, at which time the material will go to the printers as the makeup of the book cannot be altered after that time.

Although the motif of the annual is being worked out, the editor does not as yet wish to announce it.

GIRLS' DEBATE QUESTION CHOSEN

The debate question for the girls this year is: "Resolved, that Gandhi has been a benefit to India." Next Monday evening at 8 o'clock the third meeting will be held. Mary Riddell is manager. They are just getting started and they would like to have all those who have the least interest come out.

DONEY OFFICIATES AT CHRISTENING

President Carl Doney officiated at the christening of the small son of Prof. and Mrs. Robert M. Giske on Thanksgiving morning. The baby was named Robert Moulton Giske, Jr. after Prof. Giske. A few relatives and close friends were present.

VOLLEY BALL BEGINS

Women's volley ball practices are being held every afternoon at 4:30 in the gym. Members of all classes have this opportunity to practice every day until Christmas vacation. After the holidays, regular class practices will begin.

Carol Program To Be Given in Chapel Wednesday Evening

Christmas is almost here again and in observance of the day, the Willamette Glee Club will present a sacred program, Wednesday evening, December 17, at Waller hall. The program will consist of choruses and solos from "The Holy City" by Gaul. There will also be carols and instrumental numbers.

NEW GALLERIES MAY BE BUILT ON COURT

Seating Capacity to be Increased for State Tourney

Unless seating capacity for nearly 1000 more persons is provided in the gymnasium before the time of the state high school basketball tournament next spring Willamette may lose the chance to play host to the dozen participating schools in the future, authorities here have been notified. The notice comes from the office of John Gary, principal of West Linn high school and president of the state high school athletic association.

The capacity of the gymnasium now is about 2400. Plans for another balcony at the east end have been discussed and it is said Coach Roy S. Keene has conferred with Doctor Steeves, president of the board of trustees of the university relative to construction of such a balcony.

If Willamette fails to provide for the larger crowd, Portland may make a strong bid for the right to hold the tourney there. Although there is no gymnasium in Portland now with as large a seating capacity as the Willamette gymnasium, it is said groups of that city are prepared to start construction of a basketball floor.

GIRL RESERVES PLAN CHRISTMAS PAGEANTS

The Christmas projects among the groups of Girl Reserves are well under way and promise an interesting holiday season for those interested. The Leslie Junior high group under the direction of Ethna Nell and Louise Brown are working on a pageant, "The King's Christmas," which they will present at the Y. W. C. A. on December 19, while the Parrish group will present "The Virgin Tree" on December 18. This group is being assisted by the advisors, Elizabeth Atkinson and Margaret Ghormley. The high and grade school group also report progress on their projects.

Government to Make Old City Into a District

Havana Congress Will Take Over Affairs of City in February

Havana, Cuba (IP)—One of the oldest cities in the New World, Havana, will in 1931, lose its identity as a municipality, and will, like Washington, D. C., become a federal district, under the control of the Cuban congress.

February 24 has been set as the date when Congress will take over the affairs of the city.

Cuba, in this manner, more closely than ever brings its government in close parallel to that of its protector, the United States.

Primitive Clothing Worn for Show, Not for Modesty

Washington State College, Pullman, Dec. 10.—"The original use of dress was merely accidental and only later became plannfully arranged. Clothing in its earliest form was worn not for modesty's sake, but to win respect and admiration from other persons," declares Helen K. Roberson, assistant professor of textiles and clothing at the State college. "In the early days the successful hunter or warrior brought home the trophies of his victories and wore them on his person, where they were an ever present witness of his valor. They came to serve the double purpose of protection and ornamentation."

COFFEE HOUSE PLEDGES TEN

New Members Judged Upon Standard of Original Work Submitted

BROADCAST OVER RADIO Program Over KGW to be Composed of Poetry, Prose and Music

Coffee House, the Willamette writers club, pledged ten members into its organization at a meeting at Willamette Lodge Wednesday evening. Original material was previously submitted by each individual who desired to become a member of Coffee House. This material was read several times by members of the club and judged as to its merits.

Those who were pledged were Ellen Mae Standard, Doena Hart, Marjory Law, Alice Wiens, Ted Parker, Helen Childs, Hannah Haselton, Lois Wilkes, Barbara Elliott, Walter Warner.

After the holidays, Coffee House plans to broadcast a program over K. G. W. Portland radio station. All the material used for this presentation will be original compositions of Willamette students and members of Coffee House. The material will include poetry, music, and prose.

Definite date for the broadcast has not as yet been chosen. All Willamette students who are interested in creative writing and would like to become members of Coffee House should submit original material to any of the members.

HEWITT COINS NEW BYWORD ON CAMPUS

"El Bandido" was a great success. The Treble Clef Club and Men's Glee club certainly proved that something could be made from nothing. The familiar gym was almost unrecognizable with its big stage and colorful scenery. Not only was the scenery beautiful, but the lighting was also very good.

Miss Cochran proved herself a capable actress, and as for Mr. Hewitt, "I don't see how he does it."

Professor Marshall, the director, is to be congratulated on the way in which the operetta was delivered.

Former Professor Houses Stray Dogs In Shanty Building

Chicago—(IP)—The mournful howling of a dozen stray dogs which Carl Knuze, 70, former college professor, had fed and sheltered in the untenanted building where he was caretaker, led neighbors and police to finding the man's body.

Years ago Knuze was a scholar at Hapsburg university, Germany, and later he was a member of the faculty of Carthage college, Illinois, where he lectured in German, French and Hebrew.

Saddened by the death of his wife in 1896, the professor became a non-descript. In 1919 he became the caretaker of the old building here.

About him he gathered stray dogs, every one he could feed. "They were his only friends."



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## Along the Way

We saw L. Frewing hurrying to the third floor of Eaton to one of his seven labs; Lois Wilkes and a two-striped W sweater perambulating about in a Ford roadster; Helen Pemberton looking all pale and was after her week and a half in with a stiff neck; Frank Haley talking it over with Professor Matthews; Pauline Fridley and her new shoes; Dan Sanders holding up "Spec" Keene's arm; Rupert Philpott with an old-fashioned "Push-a-da-handle" carpet sweeper on his shoulder.

So some one beamed the old piece of petrified wood on Pacific's campus with a pink W. Now, here's the tragedy. That ain't our official color. We ought to protest. We ought to find out who did all the job and talk to them in a big way about the insult involved. Tisn't right, tisn't fair that pink should be sent out to represent good old Willamette university. The executive committee should take the matter up. Cardinal and gold has been our colors for 80 years. Now, who's going to stop that old tradition? Pink reminds us of babies. Gee, that isn't right. We're older now. And, by the way, the next time you boys go, won't you take the wayfarer? We're nice and congenial and, as for the paint—we'd pick it out for you in the daylight. And speaking about light—

Josephine sez to Bruce: "Is the lights on?" Bruce sez, "I dunno. Here's a match. You might see."

Life's full of dark moments like that Bruce. You want to keep the match supply augmented. That last word may not mean "increased," but after hearing the prof say it three times in our last class, we simply had to get it off the end of the pencil and that looked like our first break. Like Gus Moore at Alpha Psi: "I got a whale of a meat order and it's going to be rank by Monday. We have to get rid of it." And they entertained at dinner. The meat's gone and they got a little publicity in the social column.

We can't help it. We've said our say. We'll see you all. On the next Thursday.

One word more. Before we leave. Just a bit of a month. Before Xmas Eve.

Do your shopping early!

Cheerly yours,  
The Spere Shakers.

Princeton, N. J.—(IP)—A disembodied heart not only still beating steadily, but writing as it throbbd a permanent, minutely precise record of its pulsations, was exhibited here in a demonstration of new instrument developments by science for the advancement of medicine and psychology.

The device, invented by A. L. Loomis, of Tuxedo Park, N. Y., in collaboration with Dr. Edmund N. Harvey, professor of physiology at Princeton university, is called the Loomis chronograph.

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The heart of the demonstration here was that of a turtle, removed from the reptile while alive, freed of all extraneous tissue and suspended in a physiological salt solution exactly duplicating body conditions.

In this state the organ continued to beat 36 hours, at the same time setting down by means of the chronograph a graphic history of approximately 72,000 pulsations in that time.

With each beat the tiny organism pulled down a little lever that dipped a fine filament into a drop of mercury and made a contact that transmitted an electric impulse to the chronograph. There it was translated in a fraction of a second into a record fed on a chart.

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## Years Ago

(Campus doings of other years as pictured in past Collegians.)

### FIVE YEARS AGO

December 9, 1925

Burglars! Robbers! Did you hear about the school being robbed Thursday evening? This is what everybody has been talking about since the robbery on that night of last week.

Mr. Oliver and Mr. Savage left the office in Eaton hall at 9:49 p. m. Both the door to the office, and the safe doors were locked. The thief picked both locks and stole \$200.96 from the university safe. One hundred and ten dollars belonged to the university, and ninety dollars belonged to the student body.

### TEN YEARS AGO

December 8, 1920

Breaking all records for an early start, the sophomores have elected Rodney Alden and Truman Collins as editor and manager of the 1922 Wallulah. A number of years ago the classes were accustomed to attend to these matters at a comparatively early time, but of late, and especially since the date of publication has drawn onward from May Day toward commencement, the actual choosing of the officials has been allowed to wait until near the end of the sophomore year. Although there is no actual work to be looked after immediately, the sophomores of this year chose to elect their workers now, that these might benefit by seeing how the 1922 Wallulah goes to press.

### FOURTEEN YEARS AGO

November 15, 1916

Remembering the havoc wrought on the Pacific campus last year by four Willamette students and a bucket of red paint, Yell King Steeves decided that preparedness was better than cure, and that a guard should be posted Friday night to watch for any Pacific men bent on retaliation. Regular posts were established at various points on the campus, with reliefs every half hour.

Everybody out! Freshman bonfire burning! These were the words that went ringing through the Literary society halls about 8 o'clock Wednesday evening and an instant later there was a mad rush of Webs and Phills toward the east end of the athletic field. Ready hands threw back the barrels and boxes near the fire and beat back the rising flames. Thanks to the prompt discovery, very little damage had been done. Phillip Bartholomew and a cohort of freshmen guarded the bonfire the remainder of the night.

### OLDER PEOPLE GOOD STUDENTS SAYS U. C.

Berkeley, Cal. — The age-old adage that you can't teach an old dog new tricks is a fallacy, as far as education for adults is concerned.

This is the conclusion reached by Boyd B. Baketstow, acting director of the University of California Extension Division, after a postal survey of the learning ability of adults.

"Adults taking correspondence and class work under the university in the past year usually showed greater achievement in their studies than campus students who were enrolled in extension division work," the director states.

Baketstow believes that this is due to the fact that the older student is controlled by a serious purpose, which affects the quality of the work. "Learning goes faster when there is need of the immediate application of the material learned," he finds.

## Character and Cravats

Before commencing these random observations I had best make my purpose clear. You all know what character is—that requires no definition. But as for the cravat—"Cravat" is a word which is seldom used. It appears in the speech of certain well-bred Englishmen, and pseudo-Englishmen, and in the advertisements of a few very select haberdasheries. A cravat is, in plain American, an ordinary necktie with an ample premium attached to the price for the dignity of appellation.

It has been stated: "Show me what a man reads and I will tell you what he is." I say: "Show me a man's necktie and I will tell you what he is." A man's tie is a dead give-away to his character.

Have you seen the narrow, immaculate, white four-in-hands affected by some elderly gentlemen? At a distance they give one the impression that there is no tie there. Their wearers are apt to be of a neat, precise turn, with a deep respect for and firm support of old-time elegance.

Then there is the black string tie. There should be legislation on that subject. You see them on G. A. R. men and some others of the same generation. They are stubborn. The more new ties you give them, the longer they will cling to the old shoe-string. The string tie, once donned, is usually carried to the grave.

Dingy, dull, knit ties with uninspiring, straight-across stripes are still seen occasionally. Mailmen, head-janitors, retired farmers and an uneducated group of school-teachers, who desire to impress the observer with their extreme scholarship, and consequent disregard of appearance, are the most consistent offenders. They are, as a whole, careless of their personal surroundings, either due to laziness, or improper home training. Their dens look like the aftermath of a Kansas cyclone. They only tie a cravat once in its life—the first time they put it on.

In the bedrooms of some gentlemen, should you happen to penetrate that far, you will see a huge mass of neckties, dating back to the Spanish-American war period or earlier. In such a case, you may be certain, if his name is McTavish, that he is Scotch. At any rate you will know that he is of a thrifty, not to say miserly, character. If you look under the loose brick on the hearth you will probably find a sock full of double-edges.

For a short time after Christmas you will observe quantities of blinding, incandescent, new neckties being worn by various males. The wearers are obviously lacking in moral courage and won't-power. This division is divided into two sub-groups. The members of the first group wear their flashy neck-gear apologetically. Perhaps they casually turn up the lapels of their topcoats to cover the offending item. The others flaunt their radiance. They make a big knot and let their glory shine forth unobstructed. The first-mentioned individuals have been married for many years—the latter group bumped their heads on the altar not earlier than last June.

—DARLOW JOHNSON.

## The Laggard

I said my prayers that weird, unholly night—  
The moon shone, the stars shone—I said my prayers and begged for the right  
To children all my own—  
(That I might set my mistress by and love my love alone!)

And God breathed down from heaven, mad and gay,  
O lovely breath! O holy breath!  
But when I found my love, she faithless lay,  
Silent—in the arms of death.

—TED PARKER.

## Campus Litterae

This is a continuation of the column which has appeared several times in the Collegian, the material for which has been written by Professor Richards' Honor A English class.

—TED PARKER.

The vast sea of blue sky is bathed in a wondrous radiance, and floating about in it are clouds, little, worn-out fragments of them with frayed edges; long, narrow strips, and huge mountainous ones. Yonder is a billowy coral mass that stretches out ragged fingers in farewell to the sun, which is gradually sink-

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### MRS. EDISON ELIMINATES HIGHER MATHEMATICS

Mrs. Thomas A. Edison, wife of the famous inventor, expressed the view at the Women's Intercollegiate association for Student Government in November, that higher mathematics should not necessarily be included in the curriculum for a co-ed. She included both cultural and practical subjects in the ideal curriculum: sociology, psychology, chemistry, philosophy, biology, genetics, literature, history, art and music. But, no mathematics of the higher order. Evidently "rithmetic wasn't so easy for Mrs. Edison, because we have seen a number of co-eds who would actually challenge her on the mathematics but would sug-

gest on the other hand the removal of history or art, saying "I never could see through that. I wonder why it's included in our curriculum?"

"Men wrongly chooseth, the thing that pleaseth."



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## Theatre, Night Club, Banquet, Ideas of Frats

Alpha Psi Delta fraternity entertained informally at a line party on Saturday night at the Elsinore theater. The play was "Her Man." The party adjourned to the Green Gate Room at the Spa for refreshments.

The guest list included Miss Ruth Fick, Miss Beulah Cramer, Miss Mildred Miller, Miss Evelyn High, Miss Audrey Tillman, Mrs. Howard Miller, Miss Ruth Gillette, Miss Rosalind Van Winkle, Miss Margaret Baird, Miss Betty McKay, Miss Louisa Sidwell, Miss Helen Boardman, Miss Kathryn Sheldon, Miss Catherine Compton, Miss Viola Crozier, Miss Edith Clement, Miss Dorothy Dak, Miss Helen Pemberton, Miss Helen Stiles, Miss Benetta Edwards, Miss Pauline Livesay, Miss Alice Love, Miss June Davies, Miss Edith Morange, Miss Barbara Elliott, and Miss Elma Nell.

The Night Club idea was carried out at the Kappa Gamma Rho informal party. The first half of the evening was spent at the night club at tables for four, decorated with holly, at which were served pretzels and punch. Then the club was raided and everyone brought before a kangaroo court to answer to the charges made.

The guests were Dean Olive M. Dahl, Miss Betty Lewis, Miss Virginia Edwards, Miss Betty Komler, Miss Reta Godsey, Miss Sarah Jane Dark, Miss Lulu Allen, Miss Reidy, Miss Elizabeth Chesire, Miss Doris Clarke, Miss Mildred Wampler, Miss Lucille Flannery, Miss Harriet Adams, Miss Ruth Schreiber, Miss Amelia Mae Schrack, Miss Grace Satchwell, Miss Faith Sherburne, Miss Isabel Childs, Miss Mildred Bowman, Miss Mildred Kester, Miss Dorothy Shepard, Miss Lucille Brown.

Sigma Tau Fraternity gave a formal banquet Saturday evening at seven in the banquet room of the Masonic Temple. Entertainment was provided between courses by the Barbara Barnes School of Dancing and a number of Fanchon-Mareo Entertainers. Mr. John Gilhouse, president of the fraternity, acted as toastmaster; the theme was "Sentences." Those giving toasts were Dr. R. M. Gatke, Mr. Laurence Deacon, Dean F. M. Erickson, and Mr. Charles Campbell.

The favors were very clever dressing table compact combinations.

The guests were Dean and Mrs. F. M. Erickson, Dr. and Mrs. R. M. Gatke, Miss Marjorie Moser, Miss Cynthia DeLano, Miss Elizabeth Clement, Miss Pauline Pindley, Miss Helen Cochran, Miss Ardath Young, Miss Marjorie Wunder, Miss Beuna Brown, Miss Josephine Albert, Miss Olive Jones, Miss Eloise White, Miss Marjorie Law, Miss Grace Henderson, Miss Maxine Ulrich, Miss Elizabeth Ogden, Miss Dorothy Eastridge, Miss Dorothy Brant, Miss Louise Cramer, Miss Frances Baler, Miss Alice Hummel, and Miss Laura Kinsley.

Beta Chi announces the pledging of Miss Ethel Adam.

Miss Pearce spent the week-end in Portland.

Miss Lella Anderson was the dinner guest of Miss Virginia Slusser last Thursday evening. Miss Anderson is a Y. W. C. A. secretary, and she also travels for the Episcopal churches.

Miss Betty McKay of Portland was a guest at the Delta Phi house this week-end.

Miss Olive M. Dahl and Miss Lola Latimer were dinner guests of Miss Lella Johnson at Lausanne hall last Sunday. Miss Dahl is staying in Dr. Doney's home while Dr. and Mrs. Doney are on their vacation.

Miss Dorothy Young spent the week-end at Beta Chi.

Miss Erma Baker was the dinner guest of Miss Lucille Millhollin at Lausanne hall last Sunday.

## McNary Helps to Secure Warship

Senator McNary, at the request of Governor Norblad, has conferred with the Spanish ambassador in Washington, in an effort to have the Spanish warship, Juan Sebastian, visit the Portland harbor early in February. The warship is scheduled to leave Honolulu for San Diego January 26. McNary telegraphed Governor Norblad that he received a sympathetic audience with the ambassador.

## Social Schedule

Friday, December 12—Play, "Lady Windermere's Fan," Presbyterian Church Party.

Saturday, December 13—Student Body Skate.

Wednesday, December 17—Christmas Carol Program in Chapel.

Friday, December 19, 12 M.—Christmas Holiday begins.

## Mrs. Fisher Gives Informal Dinner For Married Group

Mrs. Alice M. Fisher was hostess to the young married people of the university at an enjoyable pot-luck dinner at her home last Friday evening. The guests were seated at small tables for four. Mrs. Mildred Emmons and Mrs. Mary Miller assisted Mrs. Fisher. Coach and Mrs. Roy S. Keene and Miss Madeline Keene were guests of honor. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Emmons, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Cranor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gill, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Plowman, Mr. Jesse Deetz, Mr. Wenzel Kaiser, Mr. Leo McEneny, and Mr. Arthur Fisher.

## Alumna Announce Engagement at Portland Affair

Miss Alberta Kooztz recently announced her engagement to Mr. George Cross. The announcement was made at a luncheon given by Mrs. Wayne G. Robertson, formerly Nora Pehrson of Willamette, at her home in Portland. The centerpiece of the beautifully arranged table was a pumpkin coach drawn by six mice in which rode a dainty little lady. Green rose buds, nut cases and green favors marked the places. In the nut cases were found hearts with the initials of the couple.

The guests at the luncheon were Miss Lucille Wiley, Mrs. Hubert Armstrong, Mrs. Kenneth Cross, Mrs. Donna Cross, and Miss Alberta Kooztz.

Miss Kooztz graduated from Willamette university in 1926 and is a member of Alpha Phi Alpha. She is at present teaching in the Halsey Union high school. Mr. Cross is a graduate of Oregon State college and is now principal of the Halsey Union high school.

## Students Gossip

(Continued from page 1)

rupted every few moments and asked to pass a note. Those who are gossiping or passing notes are also being continually interrupted by some conscientious student who is studying, and are exhorting thus: "Hush! How d'you think I can study? And you can just be your own postman. I'm busy."

These students who sit in conspicuous places and must, therefore, seem intelligent, maintain an expression of lively interest. Students are masters of this art, the while they may be thinking. "What'll I wear to the tea this afternoon?" "Gosh, that's a stunning girl across the aisle." "I have to write a description for English tomorrow." "That was the tallest, handsomest date, last night!" "That prof will go to sleep if he isn't careful."

There are three types of chapel speakers: the one who gives a short speech and wins, thereby, the gratitude of the students; the one whose speech is of medium length, and is tolerable; and the one who talks far past the 12 o'clock whistles, while the student-body fidgets impatiently. Some of the speakers talk softly and indistinctly, and are not in the least distracting. Others talk distinctly and well. Still others talk quietly except for sudden bursts of volume which startle, at intervals, the sleeping student-body. And the irony of fate is that the explosive speaker is usually the one who talks the longest.

But all things terminate at last—even chapel speeches. Dean Erickson reads the announcements while students gather up their books and ask each other what that last announcement was. The roll is taken meanwhile amid sudden changes in the seating and the craning of necks to see that the seats of various students are actually being occupied.

And at last, from Dean Erickson, the word, "Excused." So, home to dinner, with much accomplished.

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## Miss Pemberton Honored at Dinner Party

Beta Chi honored Miss Helen Pemberton with a birthday dinner Sunday, December 7. The table was attractively decorated with yellow chrysanthemums and yellow tapers.

The guests were Mr. Warren McMinlee, Mr. Homer Roberts, Mr. Eric Anderson, Mr. Stephen Mergler, Mr. Lawrence Gibson, Mr. Charles Hageman, Mr. Frank Van Dyke, Mr. Melvin Crow, Mr. Robert Redick, and Mr. Frank Haley.

## Kappa Gamma Rho Hosts At Dinner

Guests for dinner at Kappa Gamma Rho Sunday, December 7, were Mrs. Paul E. Ewrad, Miss Helen Hanke, Miss Doris Kemp, Miss Amelia Mae Schrack, and Mr. Tom Dodge. The table was gaily decorated with holly.

## Club Meetings

The monthly business meeting of the Beethoven Society was held at the Beta Chi house on Saturday afternoon. Plans for the rest of the year were discussed, including the possibility of giving more chapel programs. Afterwards, a social hour was enjoyed. Refreshments were served.

Theta Alpha Phi, dramatic organization, met at the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. M. Gatke on Tuesday evening, December 9, for its regular business meeting. Following the business meeting refreshments were served.

Professor and Mrs. Herbert Rahe entertained with a delightful luncheon Sunday evening honoring the birthday of Miss Helen Pemberton. The guests were Miss Helen Pemberton, Miss Nellie Badley, Mr. Homer Roberts and Mr. Paul Ackerman. The table was charmingly decorated with mistletoe and holly.

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The conditions governing the competition are as follows:

(1) The essay submitted in competition must not exceed two thousand words in length.

(2) The essay may be in handwriting or in typewritten form, preferably upon paper of commercial letter size, either ruled or unruled, the several sheets being numbered consecutively and written on one side only, with blank space of about one and one-quarter inches at top and left-hand margin.

(3) The essay shall be accompanied by a separate sheet containing the name and post office address of the writer, the date of his or her birth, and the name of the school attended.

(4) There shall also be delivered with the essay a certificate signed by a teacher or instructor of the educational institution attended, stating that the writer of the essay is a pupil or student attending the same.

(5) In order to be considered in competition the essay must be delivered, by mail or in person, to the Oregon Historical Society, Room C, Public Auditorium, 253 Market street, Portland, Oregon, not later than March 16, 1931.

(6) All essays submitted in competition will be numbered and submitted, without the names of the writers or other identifying marks, to three judges selected by the committee.

(7) All competitive essays will

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## Bud Applegate Captain-Elect of Missionaries

Stirling "Buddy" Applegate, sensational quarterback of the Whitman eleven, Northwest conference football champions, has been elected to lead next year's Missionary team. Applegate raised havoc with Willamette's championship hopes when he paved the way for a 12 to 0 victory here November 22.

The shifty triple-threat man is a junior this year and has one more year to play for Whitman. He has starred in basketball in the past and is reported in top condition again this year. Last year he was all-conference guard, the only man not of the Willamette team to be mentioned for the position. All other four men were from Willamette.

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# NORTHWEST SPORT NEWS

STAFF: Lois Wilkes, Ted Parker, Joe Blanchard, Bill Waring, Carl Marcy.

## Frosh Defeat Juniors in First Tilt of Interclass Series; Forfeit Probable

The long reign of basketball queen of the Willamette gym, was opened at noon, Tuesday, December 9, by the frosh-junior fracas, first game of the interclass basketball schedule. The frosh, playing three doubtful men, outreached their junior opponents and whipped the netting for twenty-one field goals and a charity toss, the lanky, slim boy, Kloostra, ringing the bell for ten alone. The tall center, Baldwin, got the tip-off every time, while the close guarding of the frosh, and the long arms of Griffith, Staynor, Kloostra and Baldwin kept the ball safely away from the frosh bucket, the final score counting 43 to 8. Because of the ineligible men on the freshman team, however, the game will probably be forfeited to the juniors with the score 1 to 0.

There will be six games in the interclass rivalry, and later the Do-not basketball games will be started with fraternities, townmen and faculty, competing as usual for the championship. Charles Gill is in charge of both leagues and Curtis French is in charge of the inter-class games.

These intra-mural games are valuable in giving every man a chance at athletics, offering every under-graduate fast, hard sport, and in discovering and developing latent material that may go well in stiffer competition later on. Every man is advised to try for a team, either now, during the interclass games or later on in the Do-not league.

An ineligibility list is posted in the gym and team members must be sure they are eligible before playing or the loss of the game may result.

Rules for the interclass basketball games:

1. Games to be played after chapel in the gym.
2. Teams must be ready to play by 12:10.
3. Each team must hand in names of ten players.
4. Each quarter is six minutes long.
5. One minute between halves.
6. Five minutes between halves interclass basketball schedule:

Tues., Dec. 9—Juniors vs. frosh.			
Wed., Dec. 10—Seniors vs. frosh.			
Thurs., Dec. 11—Juniors vs. Sophs.			
Mon., Dec. 15—Seniors vs. frosh.			
Tues., Dec. 16—Sophs vs. Frosh.			
Wed., Dec. 17—Seniors vs. Juniors.			

Juniors—			
De Poe, F.	2	0	4
Cushing, F.	1	0	2
Roeder, F.	1	0	2
Haldane, C.	0	0	0
Girod, C.	0	0	0
Flowman, G.	0	0	0
Miller, G.	0	0	0
Freshmen—			
Kloostra, F.	10	0	20
Griffith, F.	4	0	9
Baldwin, C.	4	0	8
Staynor, G.	3	0	6
Brassfield, G.	0	0	0
21 1 43			

## Farmer Leaders in Conference Here Saturday

The Smith-Hughes agricultural instructors in the Willamette valley, where agriculture is being taught, will hold a sectional conference in Salem Saturday, December 13. The meeting will be in charge of Earl R. Cooley, state supervisor of agricultural education.

Evening classes for adult farmers, boy farm projects, and problems of immediate interest to vocational agricultural instructors, will be discussed.

Vocational agriculture is being taught in 34 Oregon counties.

## ATHLETES TRAIN ON HONEY FOR BIG GAME NEW YEAR'S

Washington State College, Pullman, Dec. 4.—The Cougar team, Pacific Coast champions, will have honey on the training table as an essential part of their menu in preparation for the game at Pasadena, New Year's Day, if a recommendation to J. Fred Bohler, director of athletics, is carried out.

Honey is excellent food for athletes, according to Dr. R. L. Webster, head of the department of zoology at Washington State college. It is composed largely of two simple sugars, dextrose and levulose, which do not require digestion to the extent that ordinary cane sugar requires it. On this account honey is assimilated rapidly and easily.

It quickly satisfies the demand for energy. It enables the athlete to recuperate rapidly after severe exertion, and men using it show less evidence of fatigue, according to standardized medical tests. Honey contains, in small amounts, all the minerals required by the human body, such as calcium, iron, phosphorus, potassium and sulphur.

## U. C. MAN STUDIES BIRD TERRITORIES BY MIMICKING CALL

Los Angeles.—Using a trick of imitating the call of birds which he has developed from childhood, Professor Love Holmes Miller of the department of biology at the University of California has been able to make accurate studies of the way birds divide territory between them and establish boundaries to their hunting grounds over which they will not cross.

Dr. Miller has written a report on one such study with Great Horned Owls at Saragosa Springs in Holcomb valley of the San Bernardino Mountains. The report appears in "The Condor," ornithological magazine edited by Professor Joseph Grinnell, curator of the University Museum of Vertebrate Zoology.

Made Study in Early Morning. At 4:30 in the morning Dr. Miller and a friend began walking through the territory of the Great Horned Owls. Dr. Miller imitated the call of the owls and immediately attracted the attention of one of the birds. This bird moved with them as they walked, seeking to discover where the imitation owl could be. This continued for one-quarter or one-half mile, until the biologist crossed a glade of trees.

Standing on the farther side of this glade Dr. Miller called again and again but could not get the owl to follow them over it. Suddenly, while they were standing there, another owl with a deeper voice answered from behind them. This owl in turn followed them for about a half-mile.

Both Respected Boundaries. After some 40 minutes of walking Dr. Miller and his friend returned to the spot where they had last seen the second owl and began imitating the call once more. The second owl immediately appeared in sight, and followed them as they retraced their steps to the glade. But he in turn would not cross with them. When the call was repeated a number of times, owl number one appeared on the scene to follow them back to camp.

Dr. Miller says, "The Bubo

## BEARCATS MAY PLAY CHICO; STANFORD

Barnstorming Trip Into California Being Lined Up By Sparks

Information received Wednesday from Leslie Manker, a graduate of Willamette last June and now a student at University of California, indicates that should Willamette undertake a barnstorming trip in the south during Christmas vacation its schedule will be studded with hard games. A definite date has been secured with Athens club of Oakland, one of the coast's most prominent amateur clubs.

In addition tentative dates have been secured for games with Stanford university, Santa Clara, St. Mary's, Chico, and San Jose State college, he says. Manker talked with Professor W. C. Jones and Graduate Manager Leslie J. Sparks who are expected back today from a trip into California for the purpose of lining up games for the proposed basketball trip.

Friday and Saturday Coach Keene and probably Dean Erickson will attend a meeting of the Northwest Interscholastic conference in Portland to help arrange basketball and baseball schedules for next year. The gathering is the annual meeting of the group.

Nothing definite has been done toward the trip to California during the holidays and it is believed Sparks, the graduate manager, will have the final word in the matter. If satisfactory financial arrangements can be made it is probable the team will take the trip.

With the exception of Cardinal, all-conference center for two years, the entire squad is coming along well. Cardinal received a badly injured ankle and has been unable to turn out for practice during the past few days.

The first conference games will come shortly after the Christmas holidays, it is believed.

owl hoots from a point within his chosen territory. Within that he generally responds quickly to the note of a supposed invader. Calls from without his estate do not bring him to the spot though they may rouse him to send out his own challenge. The male bird is the more aggressive and is recognized by the deeper voice and more regular cadence. When reacting to the invader, the owl is not disturbed by people. I once brought a bird to a desert camp where there were 75 people laughing and talking, about their several cook fires, or pointing at the owl and exclaiming at its erect horns or cat-like face. There is honor, or fear, among thieves, for each bird seems to respect the other's territory."

## TRAVEL COURSE TO BE GIVEN BY U. C.

Berkeley, Cal.—A course of instruction for people who travel in European countries will be offered by the University of California Extension Division next January, according to announcement of Bernice Hubbard, class organizer of the extension.

The course will be under the direction of Newton H. Bell, world-wide traveler who has recently completed his seventh tour of Europe. According to Miss Hubbard, "The course has been arranged for people who are interested in Europe as well as for those who contemplate travel. It will be concerned with politics, manners, places, people, and customs abroad. The lectures will be based on personal observation and experienced and colored with historical data."

The date for the first San Francisco lecture has been set for January 21, while the Oakland course will be started January 23.

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## These Six Bearcats Form Nucleus Of Willamette's 1931 Hoop Team

Only one man of last year's championship team was lost by graduation and these six promise to go out after even greater laurels. Scales and Adams are forwards of last year; Gibson, guard, and Cardinal, center, while Peterson had some experience at forward as a freshman.



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## SCIENTISTS PREDICT WEATHER CONDITION

Vallejo, Calif. — (IP) — That within a decade scientists will be able to predict serious weather disturbances such as tornadoes and hurricanes, and their resulting floods and destruction, by means of a study of the spots on the sun, is the belief of T. J. J. See, U. S. Navy mathematics professor, now retired.

Captain See declares that he has definitely connected sun spots with the Mississippi floods of 1927, and with the drought that burned up the mid-west last summer.

Rapid increase in sun spots, he says, cause a sudden chilling of the Earth's upper atmosphere, and thus cause prolonged rains and floods.

## 5 Pounds Put On Football Men in Fall

Football agrees with the players at Willamette according to information released by "Spec" Keene on glancing over the individual health charts of the men.

At the beginning of the season each man was measured and weighed. A close check on the weight was maintained during the entire season and served as a barometer to the general condition of the players. Also a special machine was installed to test the heart action of the men and tests were given frequently both before the men went on the practice field and after coming off.

The records show that no man was found at any time who had a bad heart. All of the men gained some weight and two members of the squad added 15 pounds of beef each during the three months of practice. Stenclair and Gerald Carpenter were the two gaining the most and several other men came close to the 15 pound increase. The average gain for the entire squad was five pounds.

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## EARTH GETS DRIER SAYS SWISS PROF.

Lausanne—(IP)—The earth is growing slowly warmer and drier, as it was thousands of years ago during the inter-glacial period of relatively recent geological history, according to Professor P. L. Mercanton, of the University of Lausanne.

The professor, who is chairman of the scientific committee which has recorded the advance and retreat of glaciers since 1881, bases his opinion on the fact that glaciers of the Swiss Alps have been retreating for a number of years.

Whether or not this condition of earth temperature may be confined to the Alps, or may have some connection with the recent drought on the other side of the Atlantic cannot be determined so quickly, weather authorities say.

Whether or not the glacier retreat of the past few years marks a temporary recession, to be replaced in a few years by an increased advance, scientists say they are unable to predict.

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## Sportorials

The theme song of this day's work will be "Paint."

It was a shock to us to hear that a portion of Pacific university students are of their petrifed stamp had been painted with cardinal and gold paint. They guessed that it was Willamette students who were responsible for the naughty deed and they were right. We've been doing a little sneaking ourselves on the side.

We weren't able to find out just who was in on it, but we did discover several fellows who said they thought they knew who did it. Personally we wouldn't be a bit surprised if some day it should be announced that five little black-haired Lausanne freshmen had done it again.

All joking aside, though, it is a pretty small trick to paint up a fellow's campus, and then cry around because they notified us it had been done. Weren't we plenty sore when we discovered "Next year" and "12 to 0" all over our senior bench in green? And didn't we decide the sportsmanship of the Walla Walla bunch immediately afterwards. True we didn't write and tell them about it, but that was our omission.

Speaking about our senior bench.—The green paint is still there and the senior class seems to be making no effort to have it removed. Either by making someone else do it or by donning overalls and gloves and doing it

themselves. It is up to the senior class, is it not?

You'd think we were writing this column to make you think from all the questions we're asking.

If our senior class was as proud of their bench as Pacific university students are of their petrifed stamp we'd waver it wouldn't be long before it was clean again.

Some night before the Pacific-Willamette basketball this spring we'd like to be in a bunch of about 50 Willamette fellows when about that number of Pacific men come over to replay the compliments by paint. We'd enjoy nothing better than getting in on something like that. There'd be some game of ring-a-round-a-rosy before we put them in the mill-stream.

We hope Blue Key forgets to do its duty before the basketball game, anyway.

With the objectives of "a progressive program for the children in the kindergarten and the first six grades, and activities broadening the lives of young adults in the evenings," a demonstration school, supported by both the state and the local board of education has been opened at Georgetown, Delaware.

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## WRESTLING MAT TO BE PURCHASED SOON

Manager Sparks announced that the athletic association will buy a regular wrestling mat for the use of those interested in the new Willamette sport. The new mat will be movable and thus enable the wrestling team to hold matches in any convenient place.

Coach Mink has made final arrangements for interclass matches to be held soon after the Christmas holidays. The winners of the inter-class matches and the veterans from last year will then battle for the positions for the school team.

Those who have had previous experience and who will be barred from inter-class competition are: Philpott, Tate, Lockhart, Mink, and Girod. The above named men will meet strenuous competition from such men as Messenger, Ferguson, Jones, Blanchard, Warner, Hillway, Armstrong, French, West, Hershey and Smith.

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