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S. U. PLANS COMING

Preliminary Sketch Basis of Proposed Plan

Portland Firm Does Drawing Gratis For Students; Main Lounge Is Center of Plan

A preliminary drawing of the student union building, scheduled to arrive sometime this week to inaugurate the financial campaign among students and alumni, is still in the hands of Portland Architects A. E. Doyle and Associate. The sketch, designed to present the building in the best possible light, is a routine point in the plan to arouse student interest and to provide something tangible on which to base a program. The architects of the firm consented to make the first draft of the drawing at no cost to the students. The same firm designed the new library and the proposed Science building.

Two different locations for the building are being considered. One would place the structure directly in front of Eaton Hall; the building would be built over the walk. The other plan would locate the S. U. between the Law school and the library.

Main Lounge

The general floor plan of the building, which has as its main item a central lounge room (which can be used for dances, banquets, and little theatre plays) was evolved with an idea of economy of space and money. Various other features have been incorporated to make the structure a center for all student activities.

Theme?

The contemplated theme of the student-alumni building, as suggested by interested parties, would commemorate Willamette as the "oldest University in the West." The building would form the focal point and motivation of the Centennial Celebration in 1942.

Estimated cost of construction of the building as drawn, would fall under \$50,000. Several plans for raising the money among present and future students and among alumni, have been suggested.

Further plans await development.

EDITORIAL

What! . . . No Student Union?

What! No student union building? But why not? "Well" . . . they will say . . . "it will cost too much, it will harass the students to no end, and it will burden the alumni until they are greybeards." Yes . . . they say it is preposterous, it can't be done. They have said it for centuries . . . centuries ago the children of Israel were doomed to the wilderness, Hannibal couldn't cross the Alps, Columbus would drop off a round globe. Washington couldn't cross the Delaware, the Oregon country would be eternal wilderness, the Wright brothers couldn't fly at Kittyhawk, Marconi couldn't talk without wires, and now they say—with less assurity—mental telepathy is impossible. No . . . it can be done. But we say, with a slight accent on the first syllable . . . "Piffle." Nothing is impossible. It can be done!

People have been building houses over their heads for centuries. Ever since "pithecanthropus" dug into a clay bank people have been building houses. And they will continue to build houses . . . bigger and better houses. The slums will improve, skyscrapers will grow taller, campuses will have more spacious quarters, and Willamette will have a student union building. Dozens and dozens of American institutions of higher learning have student union buildings. And Willamette will have a student union building.

Not only this but Willamette has an additional cause to have a S. U. We are a university "nigh unto a hundred years old"; we are the oldest university in the Western states. Our first students straggled out of the wilderness on rutty roads. Jason Lee came, pitched his tent and tethered his ox before any of us were even an idle dream.

And he probably sat down and thought. And what he thought became a reality. He gathered his students around him and told them. They built buildings. And they have not stopped thinking. And we should not stop thinking. We are here to think. We are expected to think.

It is time for the alumni and students to gather around old Jason and his dreams and erect a building that will commemorate Willamette, the Centennial and the long trail of achievement that has brought us to "handclasp" distance with a century. It is time.

But it will not be easy. Planning and more planning, work and more work, cooperation and more cooperation are necessary. First the skeptics who infest every movement must be pacified. Then a smooth working promotion scheme involving the faculty, students and alumni must be organized . . . the exact nature of which has been outlined in a past Collegian.

Plenipotentiaries of the alumni, administration, and trustee groups have commented. Amedeo Smith, the financial scion of the endowment fund remarked: "\$50,000 (the price of the building) is not much now days." Robert Notson, the news sultan of the Oregonian stated: . . . "Keep stirring." President Baxter, who is usually pacifying his conniving students remarked . . . "There is no harm in trying." The silk stocking salesman, the dollar-busting financial tycoon,

In in the immortal lingo of men—that has been repeated down through the ages by cavemen, kings, popes, empire builders, silk stock salesmen, and day laborers when they wish to gain a point . . . IT IS TIME TO ACT!

Executive Committee Meets and Bans Three; Polls to Open at 10:00 in Eaton; Presidency Sprint Watched

The campaign for offices in A. S. W. U. machinery has reached a feverish heat on the eve of the election. Late entrants, throwing monkey-wrenches into the plans of early-bird candidates, hope to go on to victory. The polls open tomorrow in Eaton Hall at 10:00 a. m. and close at 4 p. m.

THE CANDIDATES

FOR PRESIDENT

Leighton Blake
Bill Hall
Cecil Quesseth
Dayton Robertson
Wally Turner
Bruce Williams

FOR VICE PRESIDENT

Virginia Bendickson
June Brasted
Irma Calvert

FOR SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT

Winston Bunnell
Herb Davis
Henry Prantz

FOR SECRETARY

Rose Ann Gibson
Helen Neiger
Verna Vosper
Dorothy Wright

FOR COLLEGIAN EDITOR

Fred Bernau
Paul Whipple

FOR WALLULAH EDITOR

Dan Moses
Carolyn Woods

FOR SONG QUEEN

Maxine Crabtree
Mary Hensley
Elizabeth Lewis
Carol Read

Last Friday the presidential candidates spoke to a half-filled chapel and the other aspirants were introduced to the audience; twenty-two candidates were present. The deadline for petitions on Saturday found twenty-seven students registered for jobs. The executive committee, meeting on Monday, cut the list to twenty-four candidates; the remainder were found ineligible.

Good Grades

No candidates were ousted for deficient grades. Bans were imposed because of the number of credit hours taken by the candidates and because of grade standings. The constitution provides that certain offices shall not be held by underclassmen. Academic requirements prohibit any student who does not take 12 credit hours, from holding office.

Additions

Additions to the roster include Virginia Bendickson in the first vice presidency race; Herb Davis to the second vice presidency; Rose Ann Gibson to the secretaryship; and Maxine Crabtree to the race for song queen.

The participants for the presidency and the Collegian and Wallulah editorships, remain the same.

To date no candidates have expressed their desires for the position of yell king.

ELECTION RETURNS TO APPEAR EXCLUSIVELY IN FRIDAY'S PAPER

The pre-election edition of the Collegian, the first extra of the year, lists the candidates. Election returns will appear exclusively in the regular edition of the Collegian on Friday.

This issue introduces the possibility of having two newspapers a week.

Palmistry, the Mystical Art to Reveal Affairs

Palmistry, the art of reading the wrinkles in the hand (and telling what will please the patient) will receive attention in the coming issues of the Collegian. Mrs. Sparks, who has been reading Willamette palms for the last 10 years, has consented to read a palm weekly. The results will appear in the Collegian.

Athletic Policy Discussion Aim Of Vesper's Meet

Sunday evening, April 30, at 7:30 p. m. Vespers is sponsoring an open forum on the athletic program and policy at Willamette. Gene Hill and Bruce Williams will lead a general discussion on the athletic problems of the student body. The meeting has arisen in response to criticisms of many students of the campus athletic policy. Many feel that there is need for greater opportunity for athletic participation for the mass of students. The main point of contention is that fully 27 per cent of the student body funds goes to intercollegiate athletics, while a negligible percentage goes to intramural athletics. All students are invited to attend and express their opinions.

News Notes

By Catherine Mackay

Unhappy

At last we've found the most unhappy man in the world, a seasick traveler with lockjaw.

—Somner Clarion.

"It Will All Come Out . . ."

"What did you do with my shirt?"

"Sent it to the laundry."

"Ye Gods! The whole history of England was on the cuffs."

—Exchange

Publication Field Remains the Same



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THE ELECTION

The method of running off the elections, avowedly according to the constitution, is extremely clumsy. Under the present arrangement the candidates appear before chapel before their eligibility is established by the executive council and the University. In result numerous candidates are disqualified and suffer embarrassment of not appearing on the ballot.

The executive council should require that all petitions be in before speeches are given on Friday. In this way the Collegian can correctly give the list of candidates, and there will be no last minute rush to make the list complete. And the candidates will know where they stand.

"Common sense" should dictate the running of the election.

THE EDITORSHIP

The candidates for the editorship of the Collegian—considered the most responsible position among the A. S. W. U. offices—are well qualified. Both have worked on the staff and have supervised one edition of the Collegian. Regardless of who is elected, Willamette students will have a good newspaper.

Oregon Tennis Team Downs W.U. In 4 to 3 Victory

The University of Oregon's varsity tennis team eked out a close four to three match victory over the improved Bearcat combination on the Willamette courts Saturday afternoon. Regardless of the squad's defeat Bud Gilmore, Willamette's top flight tennis star and last year's Northwest Conference champ blasted through Les Werschkul, Oregon No. 1 player, in straight sets in the feature match of the day. Teaming with Don Dillingham, who also won his singles match in straight sets for Willamette, Bud Gilmore played well in blasting the University of Oregon's doubles team in straight sets by scores of 7-5, 6-3.

Gilmore found little trouble in winning his first set 6-2 against Oregon's captain and number one player, but was stretched to 20 games to take the second set as he won 11-9. At the same time that Gilmore was winning his match Don Dillingham, playing in number three position, easily trounced Philippi of Oregon 6-2, 6-0.

Willamette's three other singles players found the going tougher. Playing the number two singles match Clark of Oregon defeated Gutekunst of Willamette 6-2, 6-4. After losing the first set 1-6, Applegate of Oregon rallied to beat Clemes of Willamette by like scores of 6-1, 6-1. In the final singles match of the day Williams of Oregon bested Hume Downs of Willamette 6-4, 6-2.

In the number one doubles match Bud Gilmore proved to be the standard in the first set as he won his serve three times and backed up Dillingham, who played somewhat erratic in the opening set. In the twelfth frame Dillingham came through on his serve to win the last frame. The second set started all in favor of Oregon. After the score was tied at one all, the Webfoot racquet

wielders stretched their lead to 3-1 by rushing the net. At this point Dillingham and Gilmore, who in their high school days while playing for Grants Pass were the state high school champions, settled down and by playing a lobbing game won the remaining five games in comparatively easy fashion. In the deciding match of the day George Gutekunst and Bill Clemes wilted before the steady game of the Webfoot number two team of Applegate and Williams and lost 6-3, 6-3. The Willamette duo stayed with the Oregon boys for the first six games of the first set when they tied the score at 3 all, but after this point Oregon swept through the match, winning on the errors of the Willamette team.

Cough Leslie Sparks announced that his tennis team which he plans to shift around somewhat will play Reed College in Portland today. The Reed racquet team will play a return match here Saturday afternoon. A match is also to be arranged with Linfield on either Thursday or Friday.

Pacific Tracksters Show Unexpected Strength in Victory

Pacific University's bounding Badger cinder team easily won their dual meet with the Bearcats last Friday at Forest Grove by the margin of 97 1/2 points to 32 1/2 points for Willamette. The Badgers won all but two events, the 100 yard dash and the pole vault. Lancer Robertson was the only bright spot on the Willamette team as he took first in the 100 yard dash with the time of :10.4 and third in the 220 dash. Rex Putnam was the other Willamette winner as he easily cleared the bar at 12 feet to best all competition. Norman Hoganson was high point for Willamette with 6 1/2 points via placing in the high jump, the 440, and the high hurdles. Jack Newby, freshman star and former member of Bend's state championship high school team, was the outstanding star



BILL UTLEY, a senior in the School of Music will give his senior recital tonight in Waller Hall at 8:15. Mr. Utley, a tenor, is appearing under the direction of Cameron Marshall. The recital is open to all.

of the meet taking first in the high jump and high hurdles and second in the broad jump.

Willamette goes to Tacoma this Friday to meet the Puget Sound Loggers; and if McDowell, Grabenhorst, Ewing, and Mudd return to the lineup, they should make a good showing.

"The Mess We Am In"

SOCIALISM—You have two cows and give your neighbor one.

COMMUNISM—You give both cows to the government; the government gives you the milk.

FASCISM—You keep the cows; give the milk to the government, and the government sells the milk back to you.

NAZISM—The government shoots you and takes the cow.

NEW DEAL—Shoot one cow, milk the other, pour the milk down the sink and apply for relief.

CAPITALISM—Sell one cow and buy a BULL!

Bearcats Down Pilots As Anton Relief Hurls, Drives in Winning Run

By JOE VAN WINKLE

Led by wild Bill Anton, the Willamette Bearcats eked out a close 7-6 victory over the University of Portland Pilots here on Sweetland Field yesterday afternoon. Anton, the winning pitcher, took the mound duties in the fifth inning; and after he entered the fray, the Pilots were let down with no runs and only one hit.

Powder Bob White started the game and in spite of his wildness shut the Portlanders out for three innings. However, in the fourth inning starting with an error by Gentskow and aided by a couple of walks, the Portlanders filled the bases and scored two runs before they were put out. Again in their half of the fifth the Pilots received three passes to first and scored three runs on a triple and an error by Hal Moe, the Willamette catcher.

Up to the fifth inning all the success that the Bearcats had had against Bill O'Donnell, ace of the Portland mound staff, was a hit by Southard in the second inning. Gentskow started the Willamette scoring in the fifth with a home run that was driven deep over the center fielder's head and was one of the longest hits this season in Sweetland field.

Both sides went scoreless in the sixth inning, but in the last half of the seventh the fireworks started. Southard started with a walk and was followed by a scratch infield hit by Kolb, and a neat bunt by Gentskow between the pitcher and first base, filled the bags. Then it was Big Bill Anton bounced a hit over second which the second baseman knocked down but failed to handle scoring Southard. Moe followed with a long, hard driven fly to center field which the center fielder failed to hold. Kolb, Gentskow, and Anton scored on the play. O'Donnell then retired White, Dispenzieri and Stewart while Moe remained on third.

Shinn started Willamette's half of the eighth with a sharp single over short. Durh Southard

sacrificed him to second, and Kolb grounded over third base to bring in Shinn with the tying run at 6 all. Gentskow grounded out short to first, for the second out of the inning as Kolb went to third, and Anton pounded in the winning run with a line single over second base.

In Portland's half of the ninth Anton set the Pilots down in one, two, three order to end the ball game. This was the second straight game that Anton hurled for a victory in the relief role, but still more surprising was the fact that in both games he batted in the winning runs.

Bearcats 8 Wolves 5

In the game with the Oregon College of Education last Friday Willamette won 8-5. Nunnenkamp started and was replaced by Anton in the third with two men on base. Anton pitched shutout ball after the third until he was replaced in the seventh by Bob White, who shut out the Wolves for the final three frames.

Senior Announcements

A Senior class meeting is scheduled for Friday during chapel time in chapel. . . All Seniors are asked to order announcements and cards for commencement at the book store before May 1. Diploma fees must be paid to Mr. Savage before the same date.

Two Girls in Infirmary

Lausanne Hall infirmary victims are Ann Faxon and Florence Gallon, "Their illness is slight" according to Nurse Hazel Sorenson.

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