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Oregon Trip.

The basket ball team returned from the coast last week after a long sojourn in the Oregon country. They were a tired worn out bunch, having endured ten days of riding on railroads and stages and bad connections, to say nothing of walking through a mill or so of heavy mud with many suit cases, in their earnest endeavor to reach home once more. Six hard games were played on the trip and while Idaho won but one of these it can be truthfully said that they put up a game fight all the way and one which would ordinarily win the money.

The first game was started at 11 o'clock at night after arriving in Eugene at 10 o'clock, having ridden for two days. Oregon won this game although there was enough bad refereeing to completely change the result. The next night the team came back and beat Oregon handily. At O. A. C. the game was all over but 30 seconds with the score 16-14 in Idaho's favor when O. A. C. was allowed a basket on a technicality by the local referee, tying the score and 5 minutes extra time was necessary to score the deciding basket.

Multnomah A. C. defeated Idaho by a single basket the following night and the fight which the boys put up against Whitman will long be remembered by those who saw it.

On the trip the basket shooting of Curtis and Tate was wonderful. Changnon's aggressiveness was worthy of comment and the guarding of Edmundson and McWilliams was as usual superfine.

Fritz Lundstrom played an all round rattling good game, his ability to play at forward, guard, or work the floor making him extremely valuable. Fritz brought forth many cheers at Whitman either on account of his playing or because his girl was at the game, we don't know which. Reilly played good ball but didn't have quite enough to eat on this trip.

The team was much handicapped by the absence of Montgomery and the the poor condition of "Puny" McWilliams who is one of the best little guards in the N. W. when in shape.

Sophomore Frolic

The dancing party given by the Sophomores Friday evening was a most enjoyable affair. The college armory was simply, but artistically decorated with pennants. An electrical effect displaying the class numerals was very attractive.

The patronesses of the dance were, Mrs. A. Smith, Miss Permeal French and Mrs. Addy.

COACH VANDER VEER

New Coach Starts Work With Track Squad

Coach Vander Veer has arrived and has the track squad working hard. The work at present is being done inside, and is given for the purpose of building up the bodies and getting the candidates in condition for real track work.

There has been a lack of spirit shown toward track that was removed the instant the squad appeared for work. The coach gave them a short talk in which he explained that each and every one owed it to his university to do the best he could to make the team. The Idaho yell was given and work started in earnest.

It is needless to mention Mr. Vander Veer's ability as a track coach. We are all acquainted with the results brought about by his work during the season of 1906. However it will no doubt be of interest to note the amount of time that he has devoted to athletics.

Mr. Vander Veer was Physical Director and had charge of Athletics for fifteen years at Union

College, Schenectady, New York. This time dated from 1876 to 1892. In connection with his work at Union College for four years he had charge of the Y. M. C. A. athletics at that place and for two years was in charge of athletics at the Catholic Union at Albany, New York. During the seasons of 1892 and 1893 he was Physical Director at the Case School of Applied Science of Cleveland, Ohio. The next year was spent coaching the Seattle Athletic Club. He then received an offer from the Board of Regents of the University of Washington to open the department of athletics at the University. The offer was accepted and Mr. Vander Veer had the honor of developing the first athletic teams put out by the University of Washington. He held the position of Physical Director until he resigned in 1904. During the season of 1906 he coached the track team at the University of Idaho.

The Argonaut wishes to unite with the track men in welcoming the Coach to the University and we sincerely hope that Mr. Vander Veer may see fit to make his stay with us longer than the track season.

TRIANGULAR DEBATE

Our Last Chance for a Championship

The Triangular League Debates will take place on Friday March 25. At Eugene the debate will be between Oregon and Idaho. At Seattle the contesting teams will represent Washington and Oregon, and at Moscow the disputants will be Idaho and Washington. The subject in each of the three debates will be the federal incorporation of corporations engaged in interstate commerce. Each university will have an affirmative team and a negative team.

This year is a critical one for Idaho in debate. In the four years of the League Idaho has won the championship twice and the second place twice. This year Washington sends her strongest team against us; a much stronger team than the one she keeps at

Idaho vs Washington



JOHN ROCK, '11, Leader

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home to meet Oregon. And Oregon keeps her strongest team to meet us in Eugene; a far stronger team than she sends to Seattle to meet Washington. This is a high compliment, indeed, to the powers of Idaho in debate. But more than ever before should the Idaho students rally to the support of their debaters.

What are you going to do about it fellow-student? Are you going to remain away from the Methodist Church on that night and let our boys sink or swim as best they can without your support? Are you going to let them speak to empty benches? Thus far this

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ARTICLE IV.

Section 1. The dues of individual members of this Association shall be two dollars and 50 cents for the first semester and \$2.00 for the second semester, payable at the beginning of each semester, \$.50 of the first semester assessment to pay for a yearly subscription to the Argonaut

Section 2. Students refusing to pay said dues, known as the Associated Students Tax, shall not be eligible to hold offices in this Association, vote at its elections or represent it in any way whatever.

Section 3. Special assessments may be levied against all members by a vote of two thirds of the members present at any meeting which has been duly called and at which a quorum is present.

Section 4. For a period of six years dating from the first semester of the school year 1908-09 a fee of \$1.00 in addition to dues in Section 1 shall be paid at the beginning of each semester by all individual members of the Association. The money accruing from this fee shall be used for the payment of principal and interest of a debt incurred by the purchase of an athletic field.

ARTICLE V.

Meetings.

Section 1. The regular meetings of this Association shall be held during the first week of each month throughout the college year.

Section 2. The President shall call a special meeting at the request of fifteen members, providing that two days notice has been given.

Section 3. One hundred members shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE VI.

Vacancies.

Section 1. If any vacancy shall occur in the offices of President, Vice President, Secretary, or Treasurer the same shall be filled by the Executive Committee. Other vacancies in the Executive Committee shall be filled by the respective departments in which they occur.

ARTICLE VII.

Section 1. Any act of any officer, committee, or department existing under this Constitution may be repealed or amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present, at any meeting of the Association.

Section 2. Amendments to this Constitution may be proposed at any meeting when they shall be read for the first time. At a meeting held not sooner than one week thereafter, they shall be read a second time and voted upon. A

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Mandolin Club at Potlatch
The University Mandolin Club gave its first entertainment away from home at Potlatch, Saturday evening. The show was an unqualified success, judged by all reports. Prin. Fred Lukens, Idaho '08, who secured the club for Potlatch was very much pleased at the quality of the entertainment and the door receipts, and liked the party so well he accompanied it as far back as Palouse. Mr. Tull who managed the trip was delighted with the showing of the club.

"Good show," he said, creditable to any university east or west. The audience was so courteous and so sincerely and discriminatingly appreciative it was a pleasure to play for them. You could have heard the proverbial

Constitution and By-Laws of the Students Association of the University of Idaho

PREAMBLE. We the students of the University of Idaho, in order to provide an organization for the regulation of all matters of general student concern, do ordain and establish the following Constitution and By-Laws.

ARTICLE I.

Name and Membership.

Section 1. The name of the Association under this Constitution shall be the Associated Students of the University of Idaho.

Section 2. All registered students of the University of Idaho are eligible to membership.

ARTICLE II.

Officers.

of the Collegiate year shall file the above mentioned records with the Registrar of the University.

Section 5. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive all moneys accruing to the Association, collect all dues and assessments, deposit same with the Bursar of the University of Idaho, pay all bills and warrants approved by the Executive Committee and signed by the President, and keep accurate account thereof and report the same to the Association at the close of his term of office.

Section 6. The Executive Committee of this Association shall consist: the President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer of the Association, who shall hold the same offices in the committee; one member each from the Faculty, the

year and shall hold office for the ensuing school year.

Section 2. All elections shall be conducted by the Executive Committee, according to the following rules: (1) The polls shall be open from 10 a. m. until 2 p. m. (2) There shall at all times be at the polls, one inspector, one ballot distributor and one clerk. (3) The ballot distributor shall give but one ballot to each voter, and ballots shall not be received from any other source. (4) No electioneering or soliciting of votes shall be allowed within the limits established around the polls by the inspector. (5) The clerk shall keep an official poll book which must be certified to by the Treasurer. No one shall be allowed to vote unless the Treasurer's books show that he or she is a



U. of I. MANDOLIN CLUB

pin drop while Miss Kiefer sang her "Cradle Song;" Miss Campbell played at her very best and was enthusiastically encored; Miss Stolle's "Bear Story" thoroughly pleased the audience; and Mr. Collens—well, if he plays better at one time than another, he did so then. The audience repeatedly encored him. Incidentally, he played for the first time publicly a beautiful encore he has composed since he came here. As for the Mandolin Club, it never played better. As a "tryout" for the club in a formal concert program, I was immensely pleased with the entertainment."

After the concert Mr. Laird, manager of the Potlatch mill, Mrs. Laird and Mr. Lukens showed the party through the big saw mill which was in operation at the time.

Miss Smith chaperoned the club.

Section 1. The officers of the Association shall be President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. The President shall be chosen from the membership of the incoming senior class; the Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer from the membership of the incoming senior or the junior classes.

Section 2. The President shall preside at all meetings of this Association, and shall sign all warrants for the disbursement of funds and perform all duties pertaining to the office.

Section 3. The Vice President shall perform all duties of the President in the absence of that officer.

Section 4. The Secretary shall keep all records of all proceedings of the Association and at the close

Debate (Council, the Argonaut Staff, the Athletic Board, and a Moscow representative of the Alumni Association, these to be elected by their respective departments.

Section 7. The Executive Committee shall audit the accounts of all officers of student organizations handling A. S. U. I. funds, approve all disbursements, require all officers to comply with the provisions of this Constitution, take charge of all elections, and in general consider the welfare of all the students and bring questions before them when it shall seem advisable.

ARTICLE III.

Section 1. The President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer, shall be elected by ballot on the third Friday in May of each

paid-up member of the Association. (6) The ballots shall be counted by the election officers immediately after the closing of the polls and the results of the election shall be posted upon the University bulletin board as soon as the count is over. (7) The officers shall be nominated at the last regular meeting preceding the election day of each year. (8) The form of the ticket shall be that used in elections by the Australian ballot system. (9) No proxies shall be voted at any student body election. (10) All officers of this Association shall be elected by a plurality of votes.

Section 3. The officers of the Association shall assume the duties of the various offices on the first Monday of June following this election.

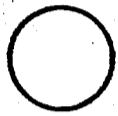
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Report of the Carnegie Foundation on Engineering Courses in Agricultural Colleges

In view of the fact that Utah has transferred its engineering course from the college of agriculture to the state university, that Oregon has appointed a commission to inquire into the duplication of engineering courses by the college and university and that Iowa has adopted a plan for minimizing the disadvantages of duplication, the following quotation from the fourth annual report of the Carnegie Foundation may interest our readers.

The colleges of agriculture and mechanic arts has in nearly all cases developed into an engineering school rather than into a school of agriculture and in the rivalry for students it has almost invariably been tempted to underbid the university by lower standards. A few very strong schools of agriculture and the mechanic arts have come to the point where they demand standards of study similar to their engineering schools comparable with those of the state university. —As for example, the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts — but in many other states where the university and the school of agriculture and mechanic arts are separate entities as the state agricultural college an engineering school recruited by means of low standards. Examples of the situation just mentioned are found in Kansas and Oregon. Students are drawn from the strong high schools like those of Portland to these institutions classes. In each of these states the state university

maintains a fairly strong and rapidly improving school of engineering and applied science. At the same time each of these states is maintaining at its college of agriculture and the mechanic arts a school of engineering offering similar courses to students under lower conditions of admission. There can be no excuse for the presence of two standards in the same state for an engineering education. The chief reason in all such cases is the desire for numbers and the wish to impress the legislature. I believe it would be no injustice to say that the agricultural colleges in nearly every state deplete the high schools to magnify their own cause. In every case the result is educational demoralization. In new states, like those of Washington and Oregon, there is perhaps as little excuse for such duplication and for such rivalry as in any other part of our country, because these states have had the opportunity to see the mistakes of older educational administrations. Yet in them one finds perhaps the most aggravated conditions. For example, in the state of Washington one strong engineering school can supply the legitimate demands in engineering for many years to come. The development therefore of two engineering schools by the state would seem wholly unjust and this rivalry has been carried to such an extent as to seem in some cases almost ridiculous. In Oregon there are nine scattered colleges and universities within a hundred miles of each other, all of them in the Willamette Valley. Amongst these are the two state institutions, the University of Oregon and the Oregon Agricultural College, about thirty-five miles apart, each engaged in the development of schools of engineering. Could anything seem more useless than two schools of mining engineering for example, thirty miles apart in a sparsely settled state? The misfortune of this duplication and rivalry lies not only in the demoralization of educational standards but also in the fact that agricultural education which the agricultural colleges were primarily intended to serve is neglected in the competition.

O. A. C.

O. A. C. March 14, 1911. — Before one of the largest crowds that ever witnessed a basket ball game here the U. of W. went down to defeat to the O. A. C. five at the score of 14 to 14. The game was hot and interesting all the way through.

Basketball practice has started here in earnest. Every afternoon after school the players may be seen practicing. In the new arena the track athletes are working out for the spring meets.

EXCHANGES.

A chair of European History has been established at Washington.

W. S. C.'s Glee Club was scheduled at Walla Walla on March 4.

Sixty women are trying out for places on the crew at Washington. Miss Gretchen O'Donnell is their new coach.

The Girls Glee Club of Whitman is planning a series of concerts. The first will be given at Pendleton on March 11.

Michigan alumni in Chicago are issuing a monthly bulletin in the form of a news letter to keep in touch with college affairs.

A cup has been awarded at Syracuse University to the man who is highest in scholastic standing of all undergraduates with the varsity letter.

Idaho vs Washington



PAUL DURRIE, '11.

Took part in Hair Debate two years ago when a Prep.

Last Week the Associated students of Whitman voted on amendments to the constitution providing for a new track letter and changing the requirements for pitchers to gain their letter.

Jessie Sams, '13, visited with her parents in Spokane Saturday and Sunday.

Gladys McKann, '13, has left college.

LeRoy Tate expects to leave college in a few days. His many friends hope to see him back early next fall.

Veronica Foley, '11, spent Saturday and Sunday in Pullman.

Alfred Kettendach, '11 visited in Lewiston this week.

A lecture, illustrated by lantern slides will be given at the meeting of the Agricultural Club on March 17. The subject of the lecture which will be delivered by Mr. W. H. Wicks is "The Cost of Perfect Apples."

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Idaho vs Washington



IRA TWEEDY, '11

Lewiston High School Debater—Debated against W. S. C. and U. of W. last year

our boys labor in debate? At Oregon and Washington they have debate coaches with only that work to do. At Oregon and Washington they have strong departments of economics with large departmental libraries. Each year they have a large influx of debaters from their well organized high-school debating leagues. Oregon and Washington both greatly outnumber us—twenty to one in the case of Oregon, and one hundred to one in the case of Washington—in the number of men in the arts course, and this is the only course that furnishes debaters. Don't you think our boys deserve support? Are you going to shirk your part?

The question is interesting and of vital importance. Unless your citizenship is to be a negative thing, you ought to know something about the trusts—about their operations and about their control. The great corporations

affect you. Every time you buy a railroad ticket or purchase a suit of clothes they affect you. Do they conduct their business in a proper way? Why not try to learn something about it. Then, maybe, you can cast an intelligent ballot when the time comes.

Remember the time, the place and the price—Friday, March 25, at eight o'clock in the evening; the Methodist church; thirty five cents.

Prep Play.

The Preparatory Department will give its annual play on March 26 at the Crystal Theatre.

The play is to be an adaptation of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," and "Lovey Mary" combined, and as these characters are more or less familiar to readers of modern fiction, a detailed account of the story will hardly be necessary. Suffice it to say that Mrs. Wiggs, the patron saint of the Cabbage Patch, is introduced in her own home, where the neighbors congregate to discuss the affairs of the Patch.

Miss Hazy's wedding to Mr. Stubbins, the arrival of Lovey Mary, the story of Mr. Wigg's absence from home and subsequent return furnish ample topics for the neighborhood gossips, Mrs. Schultz and Mrs. Eichorn. The love affairs of Miss Lucy and Mr. Bob furnish a delightful story throughout the play. The children of the "Patch" prove a never failing source of interest.

The cast, composed of twenty seven members, have been hard at work for several weeks and are putting forth every effort to make this play a success.

Beth Soulen has the leading part of Mrs. Wiggs.

Baseball Outlook

Coach Grogan now has a baseball squad of about fifty men at work out of doors and expects to have them on the regular diamond by next week when base running and the finer points of the game can be practised. At present the practice is very limited.

The greatest problem confronting the coach is the developing of pitchers, Appleman being the only old man for this place.

Of last years first team men we have Appleman, Captain Slack, Kettenbach, Williams, Walker, Fluharty, Crom and Curtis.

Some of the new men are especially promising and also some of those who were on the second team last year. Several new men are undecided as to whether they will try out for track or baseball.

Lloyd Fenn, '11, and Manse Coffin, '12, visited in Pullman last Sunday.

Several first class spraying machines have been loaned to the Horticultural Department for exhibition and use. These machines will be kept in the Horticultural Department for inspection by those interested in such machinery.

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two inches in width, with the blocks four inches across, upon a regulation sweater or jersey. It shall be awarded by the Board as follows: (1) To any member who has played in the first line-up of any two intercollegiate football games; (2) or who has played in three intercollegiate baseball games, except pitcher who shall have pitched one game or (15) fifteen innings in one or more games; (3) or who has won five points in a dual intercollegiate track meet, or three points in a triangular intercollegiate meet or who has won one point in a conference meet; (4) or who has played in four intercollegiate basketball games, in three of which he shall have been in the first lineup. A red star 3-4 inches in diameter shall be awarded to members who have won the emblem in two branches of athletics, two stars if in three; three stars if in four. A star one inch in diameter shall be awarded to team captains. The star to be worn on the upright of the "I".

Section 14. The second team University Athletic Insignia shall be a white block "I" seven inches in height, three inches across the blocks and one and one-half inches in width, with an "A" three inches in height on each side upon a regulation sweater or jersey. It shall be awarded as follows: (1) To any man who has won one point in an intercollegiate track meet; (2) or has played in one intercollegiate baseball game; (3) or who has played on a second team. The Board shall decide who are the second team men.

Section 15. The athletic insignia of the Preparatory department shall be a seven inch cardinal block "I" one and one-half inches in width and three inches across the blocks upon a grey sweater or jersey. An "E" three inches in height shall be worn to the left of the "I" and a "D" of the same height to be worn to the right of the "I".

ARTICLE III.

Department of Debate and Oratory.

Section 1. This Department shall be under the control of the debate Council.

Section 2. This Council shall consist of six members elected by the members of the Association, and two members of the Faculty who shall be elected by the Council. The faculty members of the Council are to be merely advisers, they are not to vote and are never to be executive officers.

Section 3. The members of the Council shall be elected for one college year, the election to take place in May and the members when elected shall serve during the next college year. The Council shall fill all vacancies that occur in its membership.

Section 4. The officers of the Council shall consist of a President, a Vice-President, and a Sec-

retary-Treasurer who shall keep all records of the Council in the Administration building of the University.

Section 5. The Council shall have complete control of all debate and oratorical contests with other institutions, and all public oratorical and debate contests within the University. Inter-society and inter-class contests not to be considered as public contests. In particular the Council is to have power: (1) To choose the question and sides of questions for the intercollegiate debates when it is the privilege of the University to choose. (2) To determine the method of choosing the members of the intercollegiate debate teams and the representatives of the University in the intercollegiate oratorical contests, provided always that the method secures an open competition and equal opportunities to every student in the University. (3) To determine the awards to be given to members of the University debate teams, and the representatives of the University in the intercollegiate oratorical contests and (4) to control all expenditures and the receipts of public contests and secure a permanent debate fund.

Section 7. The oratorical "I" shall be awarded by the Debate Council to all debaters and orators who have represented the University of Idaho in any intercollegiate oratorical or debating contest.

ARTICLE IV.

Department of the Argonaut.

Section 1. The University Argonaut shall be under the control of the editor, associate editor, business manager and assistant business manager.

Section 2. These officers shall be elected by the Associated Students on the third Friday of May of each college year, and shall hold office during the ensuing year. The elective officers of the staff shall be an Editor-in-Chief, one Associate Editor, Business manager and Assistant business manager.

Section 3. The editor shall have power to appoint such members of the staff as he shall deem necessary and determine their duties. He shall also have the power to remove from office any appointee who fails to perform his duties satisfactorily.

Section 4. Any vacancy in the positions of editor or business manager shall be filled by the promotion of the associate editor or assistant business manager, respectively. A vacancy in either of the two last named positions shall be filled by election by the remaining elected officers.

Section 5. The editor, business manager and assistant business manager shall be compensated for their work at the following rates:

a. The editor shall be paid two dollars (\$2) per issue; b. The business manager shall be paid two

dollars (\$2) per issue and in addition shall receive 50 per cent of the net profits of the paper; c. The assistant business manager shall be paid at the rate of 25 cents per hour for all the time which he spends in work upon the Argonaut, such payments to be made by the business manager as part of the regular expenses of publication.

AGREEMENT

between University of Idaho, University of Oregon, Oregon Agricultural College, University of Washington, Washington State College and Whitman College.

PREAMBLE. This agreement made and entered into this 8th day of February, 1908, by and between the institutions subscribed hereto is for the purpose of determining and regulating all athletic contests that shall take place between representatives of the several institutions party hereto, and shall be binding upon said institutions for the period of two years from and after the date of taking effect hereof.

Rules of Eligibility.

1. No student who has participated in any intercollegiate games, or contests, during four previous years shall represent any institution in this conference in any intercollegiate game or contest.

2. No student who has been registered in any other college or university, or who has less than full Freshman standing in his institution, shall participate in any college game or contest until he shall have been a student of the institution which he desires to represent at least one college year.

3. No student shall represent his institution in any intercollegiate game or contest, unless he be carrying successfully three quarters of the regular work required by his institution.

4. No student shall represent his institution in any intercollegiate game or contest, who has total delinquencies on his previous record in that institution equivalent to one half of the full amount of the prescribed work for any semester.

5. No student shall represent his institution in any intercollegiate game or contest who registers later than 21 days after the first day set for registration in the semester in which he desires to compete.

6. Bona fide students who are carrying the required amount of work, shall not be debarred from athletics because they are working to earn part of their expenses and receiving no more than ordinary compensation for such services.

7. No student shall represent an athletic club or other organization, other than his institution, during any college calendar year.

Amateur Rule.

1. No student shall compete in any athletic contest in this conference who is not an amateur.

2. An amateur is a person who has never competed for money, under a false name, or with a professional for a prize nor who has at any time taught, pursued or assisted at athletic exercises for money or other valuable consideration. Nothing in this definition shall be construed to prohibit competition between amateurs for medals or trophies of a similar nature. It is hereby expressly declared that this definition is not retro-active.

3. Nothing in this rule shall be construed to prohibit the acceptance by an amateur of his necessary travelling expenses incurred as a contestant or official in going to and from any place for an amateur contest.

4. The disposing of any medal or trophy for a consideration shall be considered evidence of professionalism.

5. No student shall be eligible to participate in intercollegiate athletics who has taken advantage of any reduction of fees, scholarships or other financial advantage except upon the basis of competitive examination or other basis open to non-athletic students on the same terms.

Enforcement.

1. All questions in regard to the eligibility and amateur standing or re-instatement of an athlete are to be referred to his own faculty committee on athletics, whose decision shall be final.

Secretary.

1. A secretary shall be elected by the conference to serve for the period of two years. He shall upon two weeks notice call a meeting of the conference to be held between February 1st and 10th 1910, at such time and place as he shall designate, or at any other time, upon the written request of three of the institutions of the conference.

2. In the event of the failure of the secretary to issue any such proper call, the chairman of the athletic committee of the institution, which he represents shall issue the call.

Membership.

1. Any institution may become a member of this conference by making application to the secretary and subscribing to the articles of agreement upon the unanimous consent in writing of the members of the conference.

Amendments.

A change in the articles of agreement of this conference, may be declared adopted by the secretary upon the filing of written approval by each institution in the conference.

Date of taking effect.

This agreement shall take effect in each institution immediately after its commencement exercises in 1908. In witness whereof, the several institutions have hereunto set their signatures by their duly accredited representative in this conference the day and year first above written.

University of Idaho, by John R. Middleton and J. M. Simpson.

University of Oregon, by Geo. W. Hug and C. A. McClain.

Oregon Agricultural College, by John Fulton and E. P. Harding.

University of Washington, by Loren Grimstead.

Washington State College, by H. V. Carpenter and Harold Davis.

Whitman College, by Stephen B. L. Penrose and Robert Lee Ringer.

two-thirds vote of the members present shall be necessary for its adoption.

ARTICLE VIII.

Section 1. The departments of this Association shall be an Athletic Board, Debate Council, Argonaut Staff and Preparatory Department, each of which shall submit a written report to the Executive Committee two weeks before the close of each semester, and it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Executive Board to notify such departments three weeks before their report is due. Failure on the part of any department to comply with this provision shall be cause for a forfeiture of 15 per cent. of their apportionment for the following semester, to the miscellaneous fund.

Section 2. Each department shall, at the close of the college year, turn over to the Executive Committee all funds then on hand.

Section 3. The graduate manager when provided for, shall assume the duties now delegated to managers of all student activities and shall have power to appoint all necessary assistants.

BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I.

Section 1. "Roberts' Rules of Order" shall govern the Association in all cases where they are applicable and in which they are not contrary to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Association.

Section 2. Order of business at regular meetings. (1) Reading of minutes of previous meeting. (2) Report of standing committees. (3) Report of special committees. (4) Unfinished business. (5) New business. (6) Adjournment.

Section 3. The dues of two dollars per semester shall be divided in the following proportions among the several student enterprises: Athletics, including football, basketball, track and base ball—50 per cent.; debate 18 per cent.; Argonaut 8 per cent.; preparatory debate 3.5 per cent.; preparatory athletics 15 per cent.—this amount to be expended by the athletic board; 1.5 per cent. preparatory miscellaneous; miscellaneous 4 per cent; to be expended by the Executive Committee. At the expiration of each college year all money left in the treasury shall be turned in to the miscellaneous fund.

Section 4. The By-Laws of this Association may be amended in the same way as the Constitution.

ARTICLE II.

Athletic Department.

Section 1. This department shall be under the control of the Athletic Board which shall be composed of one member from each of the college classes, two from the college at large, one member from the Preparatory Department and one from the Faculty.

Section 2. The four members from the college classes shall be

elected by their respective classes. The members from at large shall be elected by the board itself. The member from the Preparatory Department shall be elected by the Preparatory Department itself, and the Faculty member shall be elected by the Faculty before the tenth of October of each school year, their term of office beginning at once and continuing till their successors are elected the following year.

Section 3. The officers of this board shall consist of President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. The officers to be elected at the first regular meeting of the board. The officers shall assume the responsibilities which naturally accompany such offices.

Section 4. A majority of the board shall constitute a quorum.

Section 5. Vacancies on the board shall be filled by the board itself.

Section 6. Separate managers shall be elected by the board at the December meeting until such time as a graduate manager is provided for. (1) Baseball manager and assistant. (2) Basketball manager and assistant. (3) Football manager and assistant. (4) Manager and assistant of track and field athletics. (5) Field manager. (6) Such other managers as may become necessary.

Section 7. Managers of the separate teams shall have charge of their separate departments and shall render to the Athletic Board at the close of each season an itemized statement of all receipts and expenditures and shall turn over to the Treasurer all proceeds and equipment.

Section 8. Managers shall give the Secretary of the Executive Board a duplicate copy of all contracts which shall be placed in the records of the A. S. U. I.

Section 9. Each manager shall be charged with the moveable equipment of his team.

Section 10. Assistant managers shall manage the respective second teams under direction of manager.

Section 11. The duties of the field manager shall be to prepare the grounds for all contests to be held upon the athletic field and to make all necessary preparations for indoor contests. He shall also have charge of all repair to the bleachers, fence and buildings on the athletic field. The expenses incurred by the field manager to be paid from the miscellaneous fund.

Section 12. Immediately after the close of the season for which any regular team has been organized a captain shall be elected. All players who have competed in any contest against any recognized college or university shall be entitled to vote at said election.

Section 13. Coaches and trainers shall be nominated by the board.

Section 14. The University Athletic Insignia shall be a large white "U" nine inches in height,

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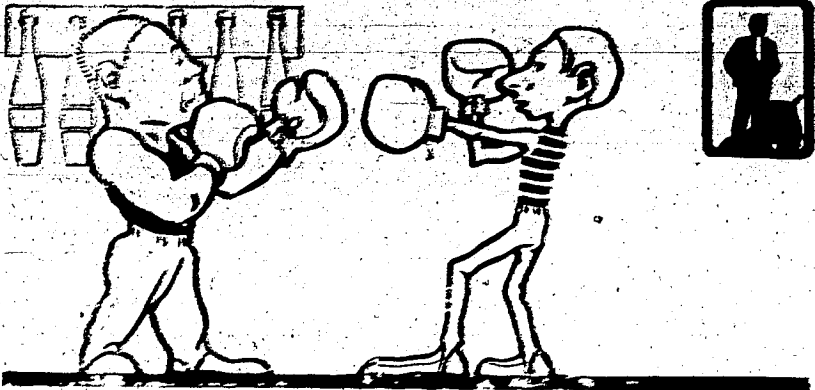
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A. S. U. Constitution
For several years efforts have been made to revise the constitution of the A. S. U. Last year several amendments were lost without a single vote being cast against them, simply because there were not enough votes cast to amend the constitution. Now the executive board has gone over, revised and readjusted it and will submit it to the students for ratification at assembly on Wednesday, the 23rd inst. Suggestions were requested from any students who were interested and these were all considered by the board. Still the work of the board was only to get the different changes into shape so that they can be acted on with the least possible confusion. The board was not unanimous on all the questions which arose and it may have been mistaken in some of the things in which it was unanimous. This must be decided by the students at assembly. Every student who has paid his registration fee has a right not only to vote but to advance any new arguments for improvements which he deems beneficial to the welfare of the students. On the other hand the executive board has been in a position to watch and study student affairs and their opinions are entitled to a fair consideration. In modelling the constitution as it appears in this issue of the Argonaut they have compared the constitutions of nearly all of the western universities. If students are interested in student affairs let them read the constitution as submitted below and then come to assembly knowing just what they want. The whole constitution will be voted on for ratification or rejection at assembly.

Dean Elliott spent last Saturday in Pullman.

Washington
Seattle, Wash. March 12, 1916—With a solemn and impressive ceremony, Professor O. H. Richardson was inaugurated last night in the chair of European History of the University of Washington. The faculty began the ceremony at 8:30, by marching in procession from Denny Hall to the Auditorium where the program of inauguration was carried out, accompanied by brilliant musical renditions. All the faculty appeared in caps and gowns, whose sombre black was relieved by brilliant linings and trimmings, indicating their degrees at Eastern and foreign universities.

Property owned by the Associated Students is worth just twice as much as last year. A report by Manager Zednick at a board of control meeting Thursday shows that Washington's students possess \$10,000 worth of property of various kinds, against \$5,000 worth twelve months ago.