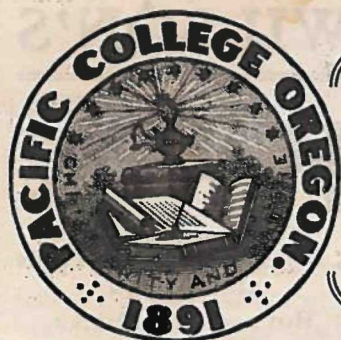


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Mr. Carl Lehman in Chapel

Pacific College students, faculty and friends had the pleasure of listening to a Christian live-wire last Thursday morning, February 25. Carl Lehman, field secretary of the Christian Endeavor, addressed chapel and spoke in a very interesting way on the growth of the Christian Endeavor and its two-fold purpose.

The Endeavor movement originated in Maine, in 1881, and starting then with thirty members has grown in the thirty-four years of its existence until it now has four million members, of many nationalities.

The movement has grown and extended its field until it now has reached the most remote part of our land. Two years ago, in Rockford, Alabama, there was a society consisting of a membership of 140 members, none of which could read or write. In Kentucky there are said to be 2500 illiterates.

The first purpose of the C. E. movement is to teach young people to live a Christian life. The second purpose is to train young people for efficient service in the Kingdom. Too many Christians are like Japan's cherry trees—non-fruit bearing. Grace saves, not character. Work is the evidence of salvation, not the cause of it.

Mr. Lehman emphasized the fact that each of us has a particular task to perform, a certain niche to fill, and the Christian Endeavor organization, which is very complete and well perfected, has a task for everyone in the society to do, no matter what his qualifications may be. We must keep courageous and not get discouraged. Even the daily newspaper evidences a new era in the condition of affairs in the United States.

Mr. Lehman is a very forceful speaker, and there was not a dull moment during his address.

The Hexathlon Meet

Next week there will occur an event in spring athletics new to the Willamette Valley colleges. This is the Hexathlon Indoor Meet. Several weeks ago the first meeting of the Physical Education Council of the Independent Colleges of Oregon was held at the Portland Y. M. C. A. There were two delegates, a faculty member and a student representative from each of the following schools: Pacific University, McMinnville College, Philomath College, Willamette University, Albany College and Pacific College. Here some rules governing the Hexathlon were decided upon:

Each school must enter twenty per cent of the men enrolled in school in each event. Each school holds its own meet separately, and the results are sent to A. M. Grilley, of the Portland Y. M. C. A., who compares them and names the winner. The events are potato races, running high jump, standing broad jump, shot put and the fence vault. The school with the best average receives a cup.

This will give a chance for men to compete who otherwise would not get a chance, and it is designed to give the small school as good a chance as the large one.

Willamette University also invited the aforesaid colleges, with Monmouth and Chemawa, to a track meet held at their expense at Salem. This will be an excellent opportunity for P. C. to again take up track, and prospects are bright for a strong team, such as we had in days of yore.

Last Monday, Feb. 22, Miss Lewis led the chapel exercises speaking on the subject of "Reverence." She spoke of some of the things that we as college students should observe, but which we often overlook.

State Peace Contest

In the second annual peace contest held at Oregon Agricultural College Friday night, Feb. 26, C. J. Young of Reed College was awarded first place, while second honors went to P. Crockatt of the University of Oregon. S. W. Grathwell, the much-touted orator from Pacific University, was ranked third in the total markings, although four of the five judges gave him second place. The contest as a whole was close, as all of the orators were of high grade. Meade G. Elliott, representing Pacific College, spoke well, and deserves credit for the pleasing way in which he presented his oration "The Price."

The winner of this contest will represent Oregon in a group contest, the winner of which will go to the national contest, which will be held at Lake Mohonk, New York, the latter part of May. First place in the state contest carried with it a prize of seventy-five dollars, while fifty dollars was awarded to the winner of second place.

To Oregon

When I survey thy winter landscape
o'er,
The gloomy clouds and sodden leaves
heaped high,
When one time solid roads, I see, soft
to the core,
And grassy plains deep under water lie,
When I behold all seemingly dissolve,
And nothing firm for league on either side,
I often in unseemly haste resolve
Far from this melting region swift to
ride,
But when the Spring comes with her
balmy smile
To awaken sleeping flowers on every
hand,
When birds fly from the South in
single file,
And frogs join to the glee their croak-
ing band;
Then seems it best that I should tarry
here,
At least till Autumn comes with leaves
grown sere.

E. M. M. '18

P. C. Loses to Mac:

In an exciting and hard-fought game Friday night, February 19, Pacific College was defeated by McMinnville, 48 to 24. However, the score tells little concerning the game.

Pacific started the scoring when Butt caged two goals, after which Replogle scored a foul, making the score 5 to 0, in our favor. Thus the score remained until five minutes before the end of the first half. During this period the much-touted Mac quintet was unable to score, even on seemingly easy shots, and P. C. had things all their own way.

Finally, amidst the agonizing appeals of the Mac rooters, Corpron, Mac's center, succeeded in scoring a basket. This was followed by several others, which gave Mac the lead. Later P. C. came from behind and tied the score, and the half finally ended 14 to 11 in Mac's favor.

The second half started much as the first one had, but with Mac in the lead. After five minutes of play, Wangeman was laid out, but later was sent in again. From this time on Mac's long floor began to get in its deadly work, and they scored continually. Thus the game ended, P. C. fighting hard, but outdistanced by the Mac team. Referee Irle, of Portland, officiated satisfactorily. The line-up follows:

Replogle (12)	F	Irish (26)
Colcord (8)	F	Black (10)
Benson	C	Corpron (10)
Butt (4)	G	Bean
Haworth	G	Waugeman (2)

Substitution, P. C.: Hinshaw for Benson; Miles for Haworth.

Willamette Wins Close Game at Newberg.

In an overtime game Willamette University defeated Pacific College Feb. 26th by the score of

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Basket Ball Season Resume

The basket ball season came to a close Friday night, with the team playing Willamette University at the college gymnasium. From the standpoint of score victories the season cannot be classified as a very successful one. But if score victories are the only victories to be had, then college athletics must fail. The season just closed has been full of victories along the line of clean athletics on the part of the college team.

Without the assistance of a center to fill the gap left open by E. Gulley, of last year's team, it was hard to develop a scoring and a defense machine that was able to carry off the large end of the score. However, a combination was built up that caused every opponent to realize that they must play ball or lose the game.

When the call was made at the beginning of the season every man in school that could arrange reported for a try-out. After the varsity squad was chosen and regular practice begun, there was not one case of non-sticktiveness displayed throughout the season. This means as many victories won as there were men on the squad. If such victories can be won, then athletics are doing something for college men.

The spirit in which a player takes a defeat is to a high degree a measurement of his ability to make a success out of a seemingly would-be disaster. No one should be proud of or court defeat, as victory is the more to be desired, but if a defeat falls to one, then one can show the metal of which he is

made by the manner in which he receives the fall. The characteristic of jumping up when receiving a fall and going into the next game with the determination of playing a clean game and at the same time win if possible, has been made manifest by every member of the squad. With such characteristics we are assured that these men will make victory out of the past defeats. One should not treat defeat in a light manner, but instead so apply it that in time it will spell victory.

K. S. Latourette Addresses Christian Associations

Kenneth S. Latourette, formerly professor of history at Yale University in China, now at Reed College, spoke to the Christian Associations of the college Wednesday, February 24, on the subject "What Foreign Missions Are Doing for the Non-Christian World." He said, in part, that foreign missions attempt to make over whole nations. One of the greatest tasks is to transform character. "The only hope of China is character." They also establish Christian education, which is a great factor in progress, and maintain medical stations for the treatment of patients. Missions play a very important part in transforming moral standards in the non-Christian countries.

The missionary propaganda is a task that calls for the highest and best in manhood and womanhood, and is worthy of the most careful consideration.

Y. W. C. A.

The meeting of Feb. 17th was a Mission Study rally. A report of the Student Volunteer convention, which was held at Corvallis Feb. 5-7, was given and the plan for the classes of this semester was explained.

There are to be three classes, each with a student leader. The book to be studied is "Islam: A Challenge To Faith," by Samuel M. Zivemer. The course promises to be an interesting one and no girl can afford to miss it.

Feb. 19th Rev. Williams, the superintendent of the Methodist educational work in the Northwest, gave an interesting chapel talk on "The Ideal Educational Sunday School."

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LOCALS

N. D. Elliott, from Salem, visited Pacific Feb. 26.

Olive Ramsey spent the week-end at her home in Portland.

Prof. M. D. Hawkins attended the Peace contest at Corvallis Friday night.

Mary Bennett, Florence Wharton and Dorothy Chambers were visitors at Wood-Mar Hall Feb. 26.

Ross and Lyra Miles went to Salem last Friday evening to spend the week-end at their home.

Ledru Williams, who has been living at the dormitory, moved to the home of Pres. Pennington last week.

Mrs. Stella Crozer, who is a member of the visiting committee, came from Salem to visit Pacific Feb. 24th.

Mr. Springston, the Baptist Educational superintendent for the Northwest addressed the students at chapel Feb. 18.

A jolly time was spent at the home of Gladys Hannon, on Fifth street, where twenty college students gathered Saturday night.

Prof. Hawkins and Delbert Replogle again represented us at a council of the Independent Colleges of Oregon, held in Portland Feb. 20.

When you see someone standing in the middle of the street, seemingly gazing at empty space, don't think his mind is effected, but mark him as a member of the ornithology class.

Norma Harvey and Robert Dann attended the State Christian Endeavor Convention held at Eugene Feb. 19, 20 and 21. Pres. Pennington attended the convention long enough to act as toastmaster at the banquet Saturday.

Kennell S. Latourette, a returned missionary from China, spoke in chapel Wednesday. Although now a member of the faculty of Reed College and away from the field, he aids the cause by telling the people of America the great need there is in that great country across the ocean.

Thursday a luncheon was given at Canyon Hall in honor of Karl Lehman, the field secretary of the Christain Endeavor movement. With Pres. Pennington acting as chairman, impromptu speeches were made by Paul Lewis, on behalf of the student

body; Meade Elliott, on behalf of C. E. Society of the Friends church; Mr. Whitely, on behalf of the Ministerial Association, and Prof. Hawkins on behalf of the faculty. Mr. Lehman and Mr. Sprague, field secretary for Oregon, each spoke for a short time in response.

W. U. Entertained

Last Friday evening, Feb. 26, a reception was given the visiting Willamette University basketball team by the students of Pacific College at Pres. Pennington's residence. The rooms were artistically decorated with ferns, pussy-willows and daffodils, and presented a very pleasing appearance. Several games were played in which everybody got acquainted and enjoyed a jolly time. After this Pres Pennington gave a talk welcoming the visiting team, and after him Coach McMinn spoke a few words of welcome. Refreshments of ice cream and maccaroons were served. The affair was very well planned and was carried out successfully. This is the first time in several years that P. C. has met W. U. in basketball and this did much to further the good feeling between the schools. The social committee was Gladys Hannon '15, chairman; Lyra Miles, '17, Mae Moore, '18, Clarence Jones, '17 and Delbert Replogle, '16.

Willamette Wins Close Game

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27 to 26. From the start the teams were evenly matched and neither team could gain a safe lead. At one time Willamette was five points ahead, which was the largest difference in the score of the two teams at any time during the game. Every man was working hard and fast, and from the spectators' standpoint the game was all that could be asked for. First one side would gain a small lead and then the other which held the interest to the highest pitch.

The first half ended 12 to 11 in favor of Willamette. At the end of the regular time both sides had 24 points to their credit. Under the Intercollegiate rules a tie game is played off in a five minute extra period. In this period Colcord caged two free throws. Then Jewitt threw a field basket for Willamette. This placed the teams even again.

Pacific fouled and the basket was thrown by Shisler. With one minute to play Pacific could not score. Shisler was high point man for Willamette, making five field baskets. Replogle made five for Pacific also. This was the last game which Haworth and Benson will play for P. C., as they graduate in June.

The line-up:

Willamette	Pacific
Jewitt	F Hinshaw-Edwards
Shisler	F Replogle
Adams	C Benson
Crawford	G Haworth
Bagley	G Colcord

On to McMinnville

The state oratorical contest will be held Friday, March 12, at McMinnville. In former years P. C. has had a large representation. Let us have a good showing at the contest this year.

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Alumni Notes

Wm. Round, from Long Beach,
 Oregon, a former P. C. student,
 is in Newberg visiting his parents.

Mrs. La Nora Parker Pember-
 ton, '06, of Salem, spent the
 week-end with the home folks in
 Newberg.

Mrs. Bernice Woodward King,
 '06, of Portland, has been visit-
 ing with her parents in Newberg
 the past week.

Olin Hadley, '14, who has been
 engaged in work with the Ameri-
 can Sunday School Union since
 last summer, recently took up
 advanced studies in U. of O.

Notice was received several
 days ago of the birth of Roy
 Lewis York, son of Mr. and Mrs.
 Herbert R. York. Mr. York,
 who was a member of last year's
 graduating class, is teaching at
 McMurray, Wash.

Marvin Blair, '03, returned to
 his old home near Newberg on
 Thursday, Feb. 25th, after a few
 weeks in a Portland hospital.
 Mr. Blair does not seem as robust
 and energetic as we have seen
 him, but he is fast regaining his
 strength.

Claude Lewis, '12, who is a
 member of the Junior class of the
 University of Oregon Medical
 College in Portland, was seen at
 the Willamette-Pacific basketball
 game Friday evening. There is
 no better stimulus for a basket-
 ball team than a liberal sprink-
 ling of alumni in the crowd.

The report comes that Clarence
 Brown, '07, is prospering in the
 practice of law in New Castle,
 Ind., where he holds the office of
 city attorney. Mr. Brown has
 successfully handled several cases
 in the State Supreme Court.
 Those who heard him as a debater
 while he was in college will feel
 assured of his keenness, energy
 and forcefulness in handling
 a case.

Coming Events

March 3—Harmony Concert Co.,
 Wood-Mar Hall.

March 12—State Oratorical Con-
 test, at McMinnville.

March 13-14—Oregon-Idaho, Y.
 M. C. A. Conference, at New-
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March 26-28—State Y. W. C. A.
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