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MRS. NITALIA DOUILLET,
Teacher of Voice Culture.

COMMENCEMENT RECITALS BEGIN THIS WEEK

Under the Direction of Dean Douillet, the Conservatory Graduates Will Open. As Usual, the Commencement Exercises.

Friday Evening, April 20th, Seven of the Graduates Will Appear in Public Concert. . . .

The recitals this year will be arranged as usual in two divisions. The first recital will be given on Friday night, April 20, and the second recital will be given one week later, May 6. As there are no graduates this year, from the Violin Department, the Pianoforte and Vocal Departments will alone be represented. Dean Douillet has given special attention to the arrangement of the programs, and each recital promises to be a great success.

The students of the pianoforte who are to gain the degree of Bachelor of Music, have studied under Dean Douillet during their Junior and Senior years and they have completed the required amount of technical and other studies with great pride and satisfaction to themselves as well as to the Dean. They have also acquired the art of splendid sight reading and given much time to gain the knowledge and practice

of an accompanist. The students of Voice Culture who are also to gain the degree of Bachelor of Music have satisfactorily covered their work under the efficient instruction of Miss Nella Rogers or Mrs. Pierre Douillet.

All of these graduates have completed a four-year course in the study of harmony, which is the foundation of thorough understanding in music. Their meritorious efforts in all of the requisities for graduation have claimed wide attention and given the Dean of the Conservatory and all of the Conservatory faculty much satisfaction. Following is the program of the first recital:

1. Piano Solo with orchestral



PIERRE DOUILLET, Dean of the Conservatory.

- accompaniment — Capriccio Brillante (Mendelssohn)...
.....Miss Beulah C. Hunter
2. Vocal Solo—(a) "Who is Sylvia?" (Schubert); (b) "Haymaking" (Needham)...
...Miss Myrtle Estelle Stanage
3. Piano Solo—Sonata E. Minor—
I. Allegro moderato
II. Andante molto
III. Alla Menuetto, ma poco piu lento
IV. Finale. Allegro molto
....Miss Hanna Mocre Furst
4. Vocal Solo—(a) "Se," (Giordani); (b) "Calm as the Night," (Bohm); (c) "Thy Songs," (d'Hardelot)
....Miss Millen Ellen Winsor
5. Piano Solo—Andante Spianato and Polonaise E flat (Chopin);
...Miss Beatrice Cora Ferguson
6. Vocal Solo—(a) Flower Song from "Furst" (Gounod); (b) Wander's Night Song (Schubert)
...Miss Lena Avis Gibbs
7. Piano Solo with orchestral accompaniment—Concerto G minor (Mendelssohn)
....Miss Ada Elizabeth Bocks



MISS NELLA ROGERS, Head of the Vocal Department.

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EDITORIAL

The changes, which are to be made in the program Commencement Week, will undoubtedly be accepted by the Alumni as most desirable. Many inquiries have been made concerning the proposed present which this change suggests, and in so far as we are able to learn and to judge, the change is unanimously desired and in all probability a new present will be established. While the Societies have, heretofore, enjoyed a rivalry that made the Commencement a feature of personal Society glory which had its disadvantages as well as advantages, nevertheless such personal ambition is not the desirable potent factor necessary to promulgate adoration for your Alma Mater. Thus a change in the program is feasible if the students wish to be graduates of the University in spirit and loyalty rather than to place Society rank above University rank. The Seniors and Juniors will have the opportunity to draw up the new mode and we are looking forward with interest in their ability to frame the new present.

The visiting college teams are not all apt to take advantages of making merry while away from their own campus, yet a few cannot resist the temptation and thus the visiting team to our institution on Saturday took the privilege of trying to serenade the ladies in the Dormitory. They were decidedly out of place and very ungentlemanly.

With the closing of the present semester we must realize that there is considerable work to be done in all lines of our activities.

Each team should meet and elect its officers and become as closely unified as possible. Besides each team should plan some system of work for next semester. Outside this the various organizations should plan a campaign for next year to be adhered to by the different members and each organization should have a particular work to do. This is necessary as we expect a large class of students next year and they should be strongly impressed with the spirit that things are being done here in a business-like way and that they should fall into the existing order of things. In other words, we should have the moulds made so as to turn out good Pacific supporters from the raw materials that will come in next year, and not allow ourselves to be caught in the chaotic condition that we were in last year.

The registered alumni of Michigan University number 23,330, according to the Michigan daily. A new \$150,000 law building will be opened this month at the University of Iowa.

On March 8th, election day, the students of the Law Department at the University of Washington refused to attend classes, declaring that election day is a legal holiday.

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STUDENT BODY CONVENTION, THURSDAY, APRIL 28th.

On Thursday, at twelve o'clock sharp, the Students' Convention will be called to order by Pres. Kuykendall, in the Conservatory Auditorium. Nominations will be declared open at once, when the new candidates for the following offices of the Student Body will be nominated:

President.
Vice-President.
Secretary.
Treasurer.
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TO RAISE MEMBERSHIP FEE.

At the Special Meeting of the Associated Students Yesterday, There was a Unanimous Vote Cast for to Enrich the Student Body Treasury.

The Associated Students voted yesterday to raise the Student Body dues at the least twice as much as they are now. This action and will of the students will pend until the regular monthly session is in order, then the definite fee will be determined upon and it is possible that this assessment will be large enough to grant each student admission to all of the athletics. This is the only way to gain sure support for student activities and next year's athletics will not only be supported financially but enthusiastically.

President Guth Speaks at a Memorial Service in S. F.

At the San Francisco preachers meeting yesterday, Pres. Guth was numbered among several prominent speakers who held a memorial service for the late Prof. Borden P. Bowne, of Boston.

"Danny" Reed has again, after a lapse of eight years, consented to assume the duties of head coach of the Cornell football team for 1910. Mr. Reed was Cornell's head coach in 1901 and 1902, and was active in his interest in the "Big Red" team all during last season.

BASKETBALL. LAST GAME OF THE SEASON.

In a game that was hardly up to the expectation that we had of it, the Reno girls took the second game from the U. P. girls by a score of 29 to 27, April 18th.

High-standard basketball was not played by either team in spite of the closeness of the score. On the other hand every player on the floor realized her position and fought the game of her life.

Our guards were rushed considerably by the Nevada forwards and this counted for the running up of the score in the second half. We would have made a good many more points had the Nevada guards not over-guarded so much. This seemed to be the aim of the guards at every opportunity that the U. P. forwards had for making a goal.

The game was close and hard fought and everyone in the big crowd was satisfied that they had received their money's worth of fight anyway.

IMPROMPTU PROGRAM AFTER THE GAME.

After the game the East Hall men entertained the students. Paul Cadman and the Young brothers made a hit with "I ain't got no use for sleep." A number of other selections given by the Young brothers were well received.

Miss Beaver kindly consented to give the "Yale Harvard Boat Race," at the conclusion of which she was heartily applauded for an encore. Her selections always take well and her style of reading is very popular.

After the program refreshments were served.

The Track Meet on Saturday last was a victory for St. Mary's. They had good men on the field and proved also that they had been under strenuous training. That our boys need to put more time on track work is evident and that they need the stimulus of Student Body enthusiasm is still more evident. A few students cannot carry on athletics and it is time a few more among us realized that fact and gave their support to aid, and especially aid, track work.

A list of thirty-odd scholarships available to graduates of Colleges or Universities has been announced by the graduate school of the University of California. Ten fellowships, yielding \$400 each are open to matriculates in the college of letters, sciences and engineering. Scholarships and fellowships in nearly all other departments are available, yielding \$200 to \$650.

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A Party of Fourteen Visit

Mt. Hamilton on Saturday.

At two o'clock on Saturday a number of students left the campus for Mt. Hamilton. The party which consisted of Misses Cox, Stanage, Gerry, Ring, Ward, Stanley, Haskett and C. Wythe, and Messrs. Bernard, Lambert, Guy Needham, Hogg, Burdick and Professor Cook, arrived at the observatory at about nine o'clock, having stopped at Smith's creek for luncheon. Through the kindness of Professors Curtiss and Aitken the visitors were shown through the halls and rooms of the building, after looking through the large and small telescopes. They observed Jupiter and three of its satellites through the large instrument and the moon through the twelve-inch. After tramping about to see the various buildings connected with the observatory and the homes of the instructors, they started back and arrived on the campus at four o'clock Sunday morning.

MISS MACOMBER

RECITES IN CITY.

Miss Esther Macomber, principal of the department of elocution, took part in a program which was recently given at the Palace Hotel in San Francisco. This entertainment was given under the auspices of the Hotel Association, which is making a tour of the United States.

SOPHOLECHTIA -EMENDIA JOINT MEETING.

A joint-meeting of the two ladies societies was held in the Conservatory parlors on Friday evening. The presidents of both societies, Miss Mary Wythe and Miss Ruth Beard presided jointly.

A short, but very pleasing program was rendered, which consisted of the following numbers: Piano Solo . . . Miss Nell Shank Essay . . . Miss Mildred Ring Vocal Solo . . Miss Millen Winsor Recitation . . Miss Marion Beaver Piano Duett, Miss Beulah Hunter and Miss Bea Ferguson.

RHIZOMIA AND

ARCHANIA.

The joint-meeting between Rhizomia and Archania, which was dated for Friday evening, April 22, was unavoidably postponed. Another date has not been definitely decided upon, owing to the fact that the Committee upon Student Affairs have scheduled every night up to Commencement Week, that can be given over to Student functions. We are hoping some arrangements can be made to allow this splendid meeting to take place.

LOCALS

Mr. Paul Cadman enjoyed a visit from his brother a few days last week, while on his way south.

Miss Evelyn Slater, of Berkeley, and Miss Ruth Kretsinger, of Oakland, were the guests of Miss Ethel Slater the fore part of last week.

Chester Coffin, a former U. P. student, was down from Stanford to see the basketball game on Monday night.

The Reno basketball team was entertained in the Ladies' Dormitory during its stay here from Sunday evening until Tuesday morning.

The birthday of Mr. R. S. Kuykendall, '10, was recently celebrated by a dinner given in his honor by his mother at their home on University avenue.

Miss Bessie Erhardt, '12, Conservatory, left suddenly yesterday morning for her home in Sacramento. She received a telegram at an early hour which contained the sad news of a friend's death and a brother's serious injury which occurred in an automobile accident.

Mr. Giedon Berger, '12, fulfilled the M. E. Church pulpit at New Almaden on Sunday.

The Misses Winsor, Meese and Ferguson assisted in the Mount Hermon rally services which were held at Centella Church, San Jose, on Sunday afternoon.

The Misses Ora and Eva Brown were called to their home in Dixon on Saturday last, owing to the death of the grandfather.

Dr. J. Cluver Hartzell, Professor of Geology and Chemistry in the University of the Pacific, attended the following meetings held in San Francisco: March 2nd, the Seismological Society of America; March 12th, the American Chemical Society; March 25 and 26, the Geological Society of America. Dr. Hartzell is a member of these learned societies. At the Geological Society he presented the following papers: "The Conditions of Fossilization (second paper), and "The Geology of the Santa Lucia Range in the Big Sur Region." The national meeting of the Chemical Society will be held this year in San Francisco and Dr. Hartzell has been appointed on the finance committee and the entertainment committee. The meeting will be held July 12-15.—From the Calif. Christian Advocate.

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