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## BALLOTS TO DECIDE HONOR SYSTEM FOR COMMERCE SCHOOL

### Majors and Specials to Vote on Proposed Plan by Seniors Today.

## DEAN ROBBINS FAVORS ADOPTION BY STUDENTS

### Details of Experiment to be Arranged Later; Sponsors Are Optimistic.

Today the majors and special students in the school of commerce will decide by ballot whether or not the honor system will be used for students registered in all courses in commerce next term. Ballots in the form of pamphlets have been printed and partially distributed among those eligible to vote. The ballot box is located upstairs in commerce hall, and those who have not received their ballots may obtain them there or from instructors in classes during the day.

The ballot-pamphlet on which majors and specials will cast their votes contain an outline of the tentative plan for the honor system, although details such as the method of procedure for naming members of the honor commission, to which all reports of dishonest work are brought, has not yet been worked out.

### Dean Robbins Favors Plan.

Dean E. C. Robbins of the School of Commerce, has announced himself as in favor of the plan proposed. "The ultimate solution is the honor system," he says. "The only way I know to find out whether or not the school is ready for that solution is to give the plan a fair trial."

Although there has been some discussion whether other commerce students than majors and specials would be eligible to vote, no definite action had been taken to change the conditions late last night. Senior majors in the School expressed themselves as believing that the general vote would be conclusive of the resultant attitude of the students of the school, as majors and specials would be the ones most directly affected by the result, and should accordingly be those who should make the decision.

### Seniors Start Movement.

The movement for the adoption of the honor system in the School was started by a group of senior majors, prominent among whom are Neil Morfitt, Wilbur Carl, Don Davis, Jack Benefiel, Bill Steers, Ross McKenna, Barney Garrett, John Houston, Earl Leslie, Arnold Keopke and Ward McKinney.

Practically all of these men have expressed themselves as heartily in favor of the movement, and optimistic as to its adoption. "If we are to make good when we leave school, we must have made good upon our own responsibility here," says C. Carl Myers, a senior in the School. Barney Garrett believes that adoption of the system will mean the "stopping of unfair methods of obtaining grades that do not represent the amount of knowledge the student possesses."

### Believes It Good Step.

Johnny Houston believes that the action taken already will lead to adoption in other departments, and believes that the experiment will be a success. Ross McKenna believes that adoption of the system will automatically raise the standing of the School on the campus, and bind the students of the School more closely together. "If we are ever to have the honor system in the School of Commerce," observes Don Davis, "we must make a start." He adds that the present is the most logical time, since the School will soon move into new quarters.

The list of majors in the School of Commerce is the largest of any of the schools and departments on the campus. The vote on the honor system is expected to be quite heavy, as considerable interest has been aroused since the plan was first introduced.

### STUDENT PRESIDENT ILL.

Carlton Savage, A. S. U. O. president, has been ill in the University infirmary since Monday. It is uncertain how long he will be there, but according to Dr. Sawyer it will probably be for some time.

## Approaching Exams Cause Postponement of Concert

Because of the approaching examinations the Orchestra concert which was to have been held this evening in Villard hall has been postponed until Sunday, January 9. The proposed tour through southern Oregon has also been called off in favor of a trip for the whole orchestra to Portland and some of the valley towns during the spring vacation.

The main feature of the Sunday afternoon concert will be a Schumann concerto for piano played by John Stark Evans, assistant dean of the school of music, accompanied by the orchestra.

Plans are now in the making for the staging of a concert in Portland during the spring vacation. Instead of cutting down the number of members for this trip as is usually necessary, the whole orchestra will go. The tour will also include Astoria, Seaside, Vancouver, and some of the Willamette valley towns if satisfactory bookings can be secured. In this tour Madame Rose McGrew will accompany the orchestra as soloist.

Doctor John J. Landsbury was very enthusiastic about the proposed Portland concert. He said that the University Orchestra would compare very favorably with the Portland Symphony Orchestra.

The tour through southern Oregon was called off because of the difficulty of securing good engagements occasioned by the closing of many of the high schools during the week before Christmas.

The buying of instruments with which to augment the orchestra has been begun. A viola, and an organ have already been purchased and a bassoon is expected to arrive soon. The sum of \$127.00, proceeds from the Armistice Eve concert and dance, has been turned over to the orchestra with which to pay for these instruments.

The Cottage Grove high school has written asking that the orchestra give a concert there some time in January.

According to present plans, this invitation will be accepted.

## RULING TO REQUIRE PROMPT PAYMENT

### Bills at Residence Halls Due Before Tenth of Month.

Notice of a new ruling of the residence committee have been sent to the students in the residence halls of the University, requiring the payment of board and room bills for each month on or before the tenth of that month. It has been found necessary to make this ruling because of the necessity of paying the residence hall bills promptly. The residence halls are run on a strictly cost of maintenance basis, the initial expense of the buildings being furnished by the University. The University also charges no rental for the grounds on which the buildings stand, and consequently the privileges of the halls are given to the students for less than cost.

The new ruling also provides that all bills for extra service and guest accounts must be paid before the tenth of the month next following the date of service. The penalty for not observing the new rules will be immediate withdrawal of the privileges of the rooms and of the dining halls or cafeteria.

The rates for the remainder of the school year is figured on the basis of \$6.00 a week for board and \$2.00 a week for room at Friendly hall. Board, room and furnishings fee at Hendricks hall and Susan Campbell hall is \$8.00 a week. Any student engaging rooms or board must finish out the full month, as no reductions will be allowed for absences except in case of complete withdrawal from the University and for vacations between terms.

## SIGMA DELTA CHI WILL INSTALL AT CORVALLIS

### Professor Frank Thayer of W. S. C. to Act As Presiding Officer; 7 to go From Oregon.

Seven members of the Oregon chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, national professional journalism fraternity, will go to Corvallis tomorrow to help install a chapter of the fraternity at the Oregon Agricultural College. O. A. C. was granted a charter earlier in the fall but it was found impossible to install at an earlier date.

Professor Frank Thayer, Sigma Delta Chi of Washington State, and a former national officer of the fraternity, will act as installing officer. One representative from the University of Washington has been asked to be present. Members of the Oregon chapter making the trip are Alex Brown, John Dierdorff, Gene Kelly, Harry Smith, Raymond Lawrence, Warren Kays and Carlton Logan.

### STETSON TO SPEAK ON BOYS.

"How to handle boys" is to be the subject of a talk that will be given by Professor F. L. Stetson, of the education department, at a meeting of the Parent-Teachers association of the Patterson school this afternoon. The meeting will start at 3 o'clock and will be held in the school building.

## FELLOWSHIPS GIVEN AMERICAN WOMEN

### Money Offered for Graduate Study or Research.

Seven fellowships are offered to American women by the Association of Collegiate Alumnae Fellowships for the year 1921-1922, according to Karl Onthank, who just received notice of this fact from the New York office.

The first is the Alice Freeman Palmer Memorial Fellowship for research, and is open to all American women holding the Ph. D. degree. It is for \$1000. The Sarah Berliner Research and Lecture Fellowship is for graduate study or research in Europe and is for \$1000. The Gamma Phi Beta Social Service Fellowship and the Anna C. Brackett Memorial Fellowship are for \$500 and \$700 respectively. Another \$1000 fellowship is the Rose Sedgwick Memorial Fellowship and is open to British women.

Probably the most unusual of the fellowships is the Latin-American fellowship and is only open to natives of Latin-American countries. The holder of this fellowship is given \$750 to carry on her work.

The A. C. A. European Fellowship gives \$750 and is for American women who have a degree in arts, science, or literature, who have completed at least two years of graduate study.

Further information concerning these offers may be obtained at the executive secretary's office.

### 5 FIRE ON RIFLE RANGE

#### To Complete Preliminary Practice; One Perfect Score Made.

Five men reported on the target range Saturday morning for long range target practice; two of whom completed their preliminary firing. The two completing the preliminary firing were Sgts. Lasselle and Holmwood. Lasselle's averages were: Slow fire 44½ and rapid fire 34½ while Holmwood's averages were: Slow fire, 39.4-5 and rapid fire 37.

Dean Heard and Charles Robertson fired three ranges with the respective averages of 46 1-3 and 44 1-3. Heard was the only man who made a perfect score.

### Y. W. WORKER SPEAKS

#### Alice Brown Tells of Conditions Met in Business World.

Students in the midst of their campus life should take time to think of and consider the conditions that they will meet when they have to go out into the business world, declared Miss Alice Brown, northwest student executive of the Y. W. C. A. at a dinner given in her honor by the local cabinet at the Anchorage Tuesday night. Her appeal was based on a letter received from a former student executive worker who is at present actively engaged in business. She described some of the conditions which one encounters and which she felt that students should know about and prepare for.

## DOUGHNUT LEADERS TO MEET CLIMBING OWL QUINTET TODAY

### Contest Scheduled for 5:00 p. m. This Afternoon in Outdoor Gym.

## BACHELORS AND S. A. E. WIN GAMES YESTERDAY

### Sigma Chi and Phi Delt Teams Bow Before Onslaught of Fighting Opponents.

Standing of the Teams.			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Fiji	8	0	1000
Owl Club	10	1	909
Kappa Sigma	5	1	833
S. A. E.	7	3	700
Sigma Chi	6	5	545
Beta	5	4	555
Delts	5	5	500
A. T. O.	5	5	500
Sigma Nu	4	4	500
Bachelordon	4	4	500
Phi Delt	3	7	300
Oregon Club	3	7	300
Friendly Hall	2	7	222
S-Maralda	2	9	181
Delta Theta Pi	0	5	000

What promises to be one of the most interesting doughnut games played so far this season will be the contest to be staged this afternoon at 5:00 when the league leaders, Phi Gamma Delta play the runners up, the Owl Club. The game promises to be a fast contest, as so far this season the two teams have not met. The fast Owl quintet has been beaten but once, just before Thanksgiving vacation, when the Delt five took a close game.

The game will be played in the outdoor gym according to the schedule announced, and considerable interest has already been evinced in the contest. The Phi quintet has so far been unbeaten, winning eight straight contests, but the Owl clubbers have won ten out of eleven games, giving them second place on the percentage column.

### Two Games Yesterday.

In yesterday's games, the Bachelordon team trounced the Sigma Chi five 20 to 9, and the Sig Alph contingent won a close game from the Phi Delt, 10 to 7.

Black guard, for the climbing Bachelors, proved himself to be one of the classiest guards in the league, annexing eight points for his team besides playing his position in topnotch style. Guldager, center for the winners, hooped three field baskets, while Clark, forward, played a stellar game throughout throwing four points.

Douglas, guard, played his usual brilliant game for the losers while Wilsey got going in the second half shooting two field baskets and converting a free throw.

### Kays Stars for S. A. E.

In the S. A. E.-Phi Delt game Kays, forward, was the principal point getter for the victorious S. A. E. quintet, hooping two field goals and converting two free throws. Moore, forward, and Ford, center, also contributed a field basket each.

For the losers Latham, center, and Gavin, guard, made all the points, Latham making four points and Gavin three. Today's games:

### Indoor gym, 4 p. m.

Delts vs. S. A. E.

Bachelordon vs. S-Maralda.

### At 5 p. m.

Kappa Sig vs. A. T. O.

Beta vs. Oregon Club.

### Outdoor gym at 5:00 p. m.

Owl vs. Fiji.

Sigma Nu vs. Friendly Hall.

## FRENCH PICTURES SEEN

### Stereopticon Views Explained at Club By Mrs. Fayard-Coon.

Stereopticon views were shown at the meeting of the French Club Tuesday night in Villard hall. Mrs. Jennie Fayard-Coon, instructor in French, gave an informal talk on the pictures as they appeared, telling something of the life customs and manners of the French people. The play, "Le Medecine Malgre Lui," is to be given by the club soon after the Christmas holidays. The cast is made up of Marion Gilstrap, Joe Ingram, Raymond Burns, Verne Blue, Don Zimmerman and Vernon Fudge.

## SPECIAL MUSIC WILL FEATURE ASSEMBLY

### Student Committees to Offer Reports. Orchestra and Glee Club Will Be On Job.

Special music from Rex Underwood's proteges and from a mixed glee club, reports from the various Associated Student committees, announcements relative to the coming all-college dance in Portland and the University of Oregon-Princeton debate during Christmas vacation, will mark the student last assembly of the year which will be held today at Villard hall. So says Johnny Houston, vice president of the A. S. U. O., who will preside because of the illness of Carlton Savage, president.

If Marion McClain, graduate manager, has completed his "figuring" by today, he will make his annual financial report on the football season, continue Houston. Among other things, plans will be outlined for this year's "Greater Oregon" committee, which is expected to "get in a few links during the holidays." Houston urges a large attendance, as the meeting will be extremely important, he says.

## FRIDAY AFTERNOON MATCHES ANNOUNCED

### First of Interclass Elimination Boxing Series Arranged by Charlie Dawson.

The first bouts, included in the new interclass boxing contests, have been arranged for Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. A series of elimination fights will be held for the freshman and sophomore classes. The bouts, as scheduled by Charlie Dawson, boxing instructor, were announced last night.

The list of entrants has almost been doubled during the last two days, and according to Dawson, judging from the spots of blood on the floor during yesterday's workouts, the bouts will be hotly contested.

After the holidays the rest of the elimination contests will be held for each class. Class representatives in various weights will be picked and final matches held to determine the University champions.

The bouts to be held Friday night follow:

### Freshmen—135 Pounds.

K. H. Waters vs. R. B. McConnell.

Acie Merrifield vs. M. F. Saunders.

### 145 Pounds.

A. R. Loomis vs. P. M. Strowbridge.

E. H. Kelly vs. M. M. McClair.

C. Millard vs. K. Cooper.

### 150 Pounds.

C. F. Vallentyne vs. H. Covatt.

### Sophomore—135 Pounds.

C. M. Carlson vs. D. F. Woods.

R. P. Doddridge vs. V. E. Hullock.

### 145 Pounds.

J. May vs. H. Bonebrake.

F. M. Claks vs. F. M. Sherman.

## TRI DELT GIRL ENGAGED

### Announcement Made for Maebelle Ramont and Phillip Johnson.

The engagement of Maebelle Ramont, of Modesto, Cal., member of Delta Delta Delta women's fraternity, and Phillip Johnson, of Marshfield, Sigma Chi, was announced at a dinner at the Delta Delta Delta house Tuesday evening. A number of alumni members of the sorority were present besides the chapter girls.

Miss Ramont is a senior in the University this year, having spent the first three years of college at University of Southern California. She came to Oregon during last school year. Miss Ramont is a member of Delta Psi Kappa, national honorary physical education fraternity for women. Mr. Johnson is working with his father at Marshfield this year.

## COSMOPOLITES TO MEET

### American-Born Students Also Invited to Gathering Tonight.

All foreign born and American students are invited to attend the meeting of the Cosmopolitan Club, to be held in Villard hall on Thursday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. "Christmas Customs in France," will be discussed by Miss Germain Dew, a student who was born in France. A speech also will be given by Miss Henriette Gony, instructor in French. Officers will be elected and plans will be discussed for the club. Refreshments will be served.

## MEN'S GLEE CLUB TO MAKE COOS BAY JAUNT IN HOLIDAYS

### Four Concerts Will Be Given in Southern Part of State.

## MEMBERS WILL REACH HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

### Program for Concerts to Include Classical and Some "Stunt" Songs.

The Men's Glee Club will leave the Monday after examinations on their Christmas trip. The boys will sing at North Bend on the twentieth, Coquille the 21st, Myrtle Point the 22nd, and their last engagement will be at Marshfield on the 23rd, leaving the members time enough to get home for Christmas. Some changes in this schedule may be made, according to Warren Edwards, president of the Glee Club, but this is the plan at present.

The personnel of the Glee Club this year is as follows:

First Tenor:—Warren Edwards, Cottage Grove, president of the Glee Club; Curtis Phillips, Portland; Ralph Poston, La Grande; Carroll Akers, Wasco; Wallace Cannon, Prineville; Eugene Short, Long Beach, California.

Second Tenor:—George Hopkins, Claremont, Calif.; Cecelia Farris, Eugene; Joseph Ingram, Portland; Wayne Akers, Wasco; Nelson English, Portland.

Baritone:—George Stearns, Prineville, manager of the Glee Club; Charles Huggins, Hood River; Glen Morrow, Eugene; Richard Gray, McMinnville; French Moore, Eugene.

Base:—Harris Ellsworth, Eugene; Maurice Eben, Joseph; Howard Tate, Eugene; Edgar Kama, Hillsboro; Carl Newberry, Medford.

The program for the concerts on the trip will include classical and "stunt" songs, and is as follows:

- Oregon Pledge ..... Evans
- Winter's Song ..... Hawley
- Glee Club
- Shores of Sighing ..... Chafin
- Glee Club
- Baritone Solo ..... Mr. Morrow.
- Love Symphony ..... Damrosch
- Glee Club
- Piano Solo ..... Mr. Hopkins.
- This Is She ..... Rogers
- Glee Club
- Just a Song, Little Pickinny Kid....
- Banjo Song, De Sandman.

Medley ..... Glee Club.

Three Surprises ..... Oregon Songs

Quartet and Glee Club.

## STAFFORD PLANNING COMMERCIAL PLANT

### Oregon Faculty Man in Tennessee Perfecting His Process of Wood Distillation.

Professor O. F. Stafford, head of the chemistry department, who has been away from the University for three school years on a leave of absence, is in Kingsport, Tennessee, working on his new continuous process of wood distillation. In a letter to Dr. F. L. Shinn, of the chemistry department, Professor Stafford said he has been very busy for the last month getting the plant started, but at the time he wrote it had been running for 87 hours, using one cord an hour of waste wood.

The process is destructive and wood in the retort is decomposed forming carbon from which wood alcohol, acetone, acetic acid and by special process, shinglestain and turpentine are made. Much heat has always been lost by cooling the wook and then re-heating while in the retort. By Professor Stafford's method the process is continuous, and a spontaneous heat caused by action on the wood is used to heat the wood coming in. The retort is better than he expected, Professor Stafford said and the drying process gave the most trouble.

Plans are now under way for a commercial plant that will use 100 cords of five-foot wood a day.