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## BUSINESS SCHOOL HAS NEW SYSTEM

### Department Honor Societies Will Assume Responsibility in Working of Mentor Plan

### HIGHER SCHOLARSHIP AIM

### Method Adopted With View to Helping Underclassmen to Surmount Their Difficulties

A new system is being put into operation in the school of business administration, whereby all members of business honorary societies, assume the responsibility of helping underclass students maintain the scholastic standards set by the school. A student assuming this responsibility is known as a "mentor," and the system as the "mentor system."

"The whole idea," explained E. C. Robbins, dean of the school, "is based upon the assumption, that a large number of the failures are due to preventable causes. We want to get at these causes and see if we cannot remove them."

"We have adopted this particular system, which, though new on the campus, is used in other institutions of higher education, because we feel that often times the upper-class students who have experienced the underclassmen's difficulties, and have surmounted them so successfully that they have been chosen as members of honor societies, have a better basis for personal and friendly interest than we of the faculty have."

### Societies Help School

The adoption of the plan came about as a result of the honor societies' suggestion last spring. These societies existing as, and performing the conventional work of honor organizations, believed that they were doing no work of direct benefit to the school and suggested the plan now in operation.

"It shows a splendid spirit on the part of the members of these organizations," said the Dean, "to be willing to assume such a responsibility, and I believe that they are going to be the means of bringing about an increased amount of interest in scholarship."

"The school of business administration has set certain professional standards, and having established them, we want to get in and bring the students up to our standards. We believe that the mentor system will help to bring this about by giving us a better point of contact with the students."

### Grades to Be Given Out

Dean Robbins explained that if living organizations will send in lists of their members who are taking courses in the department, the house will receive these members' grades every two weeks, without the mutual annoyance to instructor and student of having to go and get the grade.

He emphasized the fact that these grades will be carefully estimated.

A way in which the faculty keeps in touch with the students is by sending out letters to the students and to their parents regarding the work which is being done. Students whose work falls below par are notified, and conversely, to quote again from Dean Robbins—

"No student in this school in the last three years has done a remarkable piece of work or has gotten a splendid grade, without being notified of the school's pleasure, and in most cases his parents are also notified."

## All Campus Plays When Four Classes Hold Sway Tonight

From the oldest to the youngest, the University will bust tonight in four long reels with close ups of the four year "kids" at Commerce hall, the jazzy junior cords at the men's gym, the sophs getting all tangled up at the Campa Shoppe, and the freshmen getting to know each other better every minute at the Woman's building.

Each affair will be the best of the year. The wall flowers will all have been picked and the patrons and patronesses will just naturally have a desire to slumber on through the strains of "Take Me Back To Baby Land," while the "kids" play "peek a boo." In charge of the play-ground will be Dean and Mrs. Colby V. Dymont, Mrs. Virginia Judy Esterly, and Mrs. Anna Beck.

Participating in the christening of the three-year-olds, will be Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Benefiel, Miss Grace Edgington, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Miller, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Barnes, Prof. and Mrs. F. S. Dunn may have a hard time with the two year olds but they can call on Mrs. Esterly and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Walker who plan on seeing all four reels.

Starting the beginners out right will be the task of Dr. and Mrs. B. W. DeBusk, but help will probably arrive before the evening is over.

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## CONCERT TOUR PLANNED FOR MEN'S GLEE CLUB

### Ted Baker, Manager, Leaves to Perfect Arrangements

A concert tour extending through the western part of Washington and ending at Moscow, Idaho, is the first activity planned for the men's glee club this year, according to Ted Baker, manager of the club, who left Wednesday on a trip to arrange concerts in Walla Walla, Colfax and Pullman, Washington, Moscow, Idaho and possibly Pendleton, Oregon.

The date for the trip has not yet been definitely determined, but will be close to the first of November. The feature of the tour will be a joint concert with the Washington state college glee club at Pullman November 2, which is the night before the Oregon-W. S. C. football game there. In return, it is planned to have the Washington state glee club come here for a joint concert sometime during the spring term.

This trip will be the first one taken outside the state for several years, as every trip scheduled has had to be cancelled. It will not take the place of the regular trip taken during the spring term, as another will be scheduled later.

Baker, who is assistant yell leader, will also attend the football game with Whitman at Pendleton.

The glee club this year is composed of eighteen men, all but six of whom are on for the first year. Following is a list of the members: Dick Adams, Bert Holloway, Simon Muller, Russell Brown, Hugh Walton, Jack High, Charles Rhoades, Roy Bryson, Fred West, Henry Karpenstein, Ted Larsen, Charles Dawson, Robert McKnight, Will Kidwell, Edward Sox, Hal Lundberg, Aubrey Furry, Dale Cooley.

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### PLEDGING ANNOUNCEMENT

Delta Theta Phi, law fraternity, announces the election of: Fred W. Byrd, John R. Bryson, J. F. DuPaul, Hesen Metcalf, L. F. LaLonde, Rupert Bullivant, Donald R. Husband.

## WOMEN'S DO-NUT DEBATES PLANNED

### Preliminary Contests to be Staged November 20 and 21 Finals Will Come on the 27

### CUP TO BE GIVEN WINNERS

### Question Selected is Same as One for Varsity's Tri-meet With Willamette and O. A. C.

Seven women's organizations were represented at the meeting held in Villard hall last night for the purpose of making plans for this year's do-nut debate work. It was decided that the preliminary do-nut contests should be held November 20 and 21, and the finals on November 27. The finals between the men's and women's leagues will not be staged until some time in December.

"Resolved that Oregon should have a severance tax on timber," is the question which has been selected for the women's debate league. "The women are particularly fortunate in having this question, as that is the same subject selected for the women's varsity contest with Willamette and O. A. C.," said Elam Amstutz, forensics manager.

### Zeta Kappa Psi Offers Cup

Zeta Kappa Psi women's national debating society awards a silver cup each year, to the women's organization winning in the do-nut series. The trophy was last year won by Susan Campbell hall.

In the men's league a debating shield offered by Tau Kappa Alpha, men's national forensics fraternity, is given to the organization winning in the campus contests. Phi Gamma Delta now holds this shield permanently, having won it for three years. A new shield will be offered this year.

### Seven Groups Enter League

The women's organizations which have decided to participate in the do-nut work and which were represented at the meeting last evening, are Delta Delta Delta, Hendricks, hall, Delta Zeta, Sigma Beta Phi, Alpha Delta Phi, Oregon club and Susan Campbell hall. It is expected to be forensics heads that several more of the women's houses will enter the league next week.

In the men's league twelve houses have definitely decided to participate. They are: Phi Sigma Pi, Beta Theta Phi, Delta Theta Phi, Bachelordon, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Kappa Delta Phi, Alpha Beta Chi, Delta Tau Delta, Delta Chi, Chi Psi, Phi Delta Theta and Friendly hall.

### Men Work Starts Earlier

Those heading the do-nut work are hoping more organizations will enter the league. The men's contests start November 14 and 15 and will be finished by November 23.

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## MARGARET SCOTT WRITES

### Former Emerald Reporter Interviews Movie Hero in California

Margaret Scott, a former journalism student, is now a reporter on the Morning Herald at San Luis Obispo, California, according to word received from her recently. Miss Scott was prominent on the campus and a member of Theta Sigma Phi and Phi Beta Kappa.

In speaking of her work she says, "I do like my job and am getting some excellent experience, which is the reason I am willing to come down here."

Her work includes interviewing and special writing besides covering the court house and a regular beat down town. She mentioned in particular an interview with Eugene O'Brien, the film star. She says, "He looks exactly like his picture, and has a marvelous voice. He introduced me to the rest of the cast who were playing with him in 'Steve,' and was very friendly. It seemed as though we were old school chums."

The paper on which Miss Scott is working is one of the large dailies in San Luis Obispo. She says concerning the staff, "It is a whooping big staff. I haven't the nerve to count it."

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## FRESHMAN-CHEMAWA GAME IS CALLED OFF BY INDIANS

The freshmen will be deprived of the privilege of facing the Chemawa Indians today because the Indians are so badly crippled as a result of the Mount Angel game that they will be unable to put a full team in the field Saturday. An effort was made to get a game with Linfield college for that date, but arrangements could not be made.

# OREGON BEATS WHITMAN 21-0

## WOOD PROCESS IS PROVED A SUCCESS

### Corporation Using Chemical Invention Enlarges Plant and Increases Capitalization

### MUCH WASTE IS UTILIZED

The process discovered and perfected by Prof. O. F. Stafford, head of the University of Oregon department of chemistry, for the utilization of waste wood in the production of charcoal and wood distillation products has proved so successful that one of the two big corporations utilizing this method on a commercial scale has increased its capital stock from \$2,500,000 to \$3,000,000 in order to enlarge its plant and increase its timber holdings.

This company is the Tennessee Eastman corporation, a subsidiary of the Eastman Kodak company. The plant, which is located at Ingsport, Tenn., has a capacity at present of 200 cords daily. The operations at the plant will be doubled with the new equipment and additional timber holdings.

Prof. Stafford and the firm of Boston engineers behind him demonstrated that his process was practical commercially. A plant was constructed at Ingsport, and there has been a marked industrial development since the corporation began to utilize the Stafford process.

According to word reaching the Oregon campus, the increased capitalization of the Eastman corporation is not only for the purpose of financing the purchase of new timber tract, but for increasing the woods operations as well. These operations are being carried on at a number of different points, principally in Virginia and North Carolina, and a total force of between 150 and 175 men is being employed in the timber tracts supplying the plant's enormous demand for wood. The increased timber operations is made necessary by the increased production at the plant.

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## PROSPECTS BRIGHT FOR VARSITY WRESTLING

### Turnout Not Large; Last Year's Vets on Football Squad; Season Starts Winter Term

Wrestling prospects are fair this year, says Earl Widmer, coach of the varsity wrestling team. According to Widmer the turnout has been light so far as many of the men are engaged in football. Estel Akers, Ike Mills, Ed Kirtley and Jens Tergeon are men of varsity caliber who are out for football. Chatburne, Robertson and Sumpton are light, but have a strong chance to make the team.

Widmer has two sophomore classes in wrestling at this time with about twelve students enrolled. As most of the men are green at the mat game, the greater part of the time is being devoted to fundamentals. This plan will be adhered to until Christmas when "the men will" get more of the finer points of the game. These classes are open to all men who are interested in wrestling.

The intercollegiate season will open February 9, when Oregon tackles the mat team from O. A. C. February 15 the team will take a northern trip and will meet Idaho, W. S. C. and Washington. March 6 is the closing meet of the season, with O. A. C. as the opponent.

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## ART LIBRARY LITTLE USED

### Pauline Potter Memorial Collection Has Many Valuable Books

Up in the little balcony above the circulation desk in the library is a room most people don't know about. Here the lover of art will find three or four hundred art photographs, several paintings, art and architectural pictorials and the three cases of the Pauline Potter Homer memorial collection.

The memorial collection consists of copies of valuable, beautifully illustrated books by some of the best authors. The collection was established several years ago in the memory of Pauline Potter by her parents. Miss Potter was a former member of the library staff.

Although the books and periodicals in this little mezzanine art room are not circulated, anyone is privileged to go up and browse about.

## Varsity Backs Prove Powerful in Attack on Borleske's Line

### Chapman With Yardage of 86, Plays Stellar Part in Battle at Pendleton; Shy's Men Make 17 First Downs Against Four by Fighting Missionaries

### By EP HOYT Former Emerald Sports Editor

PENDLETON, Ore., Oct. 19. — (Special to the Emerald). — This day the Round-Up city saw a real football team do its stuff as Oregon turned back game little Whitman by a 21-0 score. The Webfooters scored in every quarter but the third and after each touchdown Hal Chapman kicked goal with uncanny accuracy. Whitman put up a game fight, but the Varsity was too strong, and having matched the Missionaries' speed, had them bested on weight and ability.

## W. F. G. THACHER URGES SONG COMPOSERS ON

### Committee Desires Classical Serious Type for Oregon

Last spring the matter of more and better Oregon songs was presented to the student body, and in an effort to procure them a committee with Prof. W. F. G. Thacher, of the school of journalism, as chairman, was appointed and authorized by the student council.

It was decided that to possess the honor of being the composer of an Oregon song would be sufficient inducement without awarding a prize.

The type of song desired by the committee is one of the serious classical type, preferably the hymn type, but it is glad to have Oregon songs of any kind, sentimental parodies, topical songs celebrating any doing of interest, and even songs at the expense of the faculty will be welcome.

The most popular Yale song was written to the Die Wacht Am Rhein. During the great war it was brought into disrepute, and a prize of \$1000 was offered for a song to take its place. One hundred and sixty-eight songs were turned in, and none were considered, so Oregon should not be discouraged by the fact that so far the committee has not seriously considered any of the songs turned in.

There were only three songs received by the committee, and this is considered by Mr. Thacher as depicting a lack of interest in the contest. Two of the songs were composed by Ronald Reid and one by Vincent Engeldinger, and the other composer was evidently too modest to have his name in print, for he signed it Anonymous.

The contest is still open, and it is hoped by the committee that a new and greater interest will be revived, and that in a short time a rally wonderful Oregon song will be written. The contest will remain open until a suitable song is turned in, so it is up to everyone to begin right now, and work for Oregon in probably a different way than they ever have before, by writing a lasting memorial to his Alma Mater.

Professor Thacher said, "I would consider the honor of writing the Oregon song of first importance, and the composer of that song might reasonably expect to have a statue placed on some conspicuous point on the campus in his honor."

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## 'SCANDAL' SHEET PLANNED

### Registrar's Office Gets Sheet Ready for Grades After Exams

Plans for the fall issue of the "scandal sheet" are already well under way according to Carlton Spencer, registrar. A copy has been made of the names of all the students registered in the University along with the subjects in which they are enrolled. These, the printer sets up and then when the grades come in after examinations, he fills in the necessary I, II, III, IV, V, or F, in the space after each subject.

In this way a great deal of time is saved and it is possible to publish the paper about a week after the grades are sent in.

Not that little Whitman did not threaten and give the large crowd some thrills. It did. In the second quarter and in the fourth Borleske's Missionaries looked very capable as they marched down the field only to be stopped. In the final canto after Oregon had shoved over a touchdown on four straight downs, covering 56 yards in 17 plays Whitman started its fireworks. A brilliant aerial attack carried the ball to the Webfoot 6 yard line and there Oregon held for downs.

### Backfield Looks Good

The Oregon backs showed themselves powerful on the attack. Seventeen first downs were rolled by Oregon against four for the Missionaries, while the Webfoot backs made 252 yards from scrimmage against 85 for the sons of Marcus Whitman. Big Hunk Latham booted the pigskin for a 37 and one half yard average. The Oregon backfield looked mighty sweet in the game today. Individual yardage gains were: Chapman 86, Latham 65, Sax 53, Terjeson 52, Kirtley 6.

The Oregon line looked good, too, but showed its inexperience and did not present the finished play exhibited by the backs. The first touchdown came after 12 minutes of playing. Taking the ball in midfield, Chapman made a beautiful pass to Moe Sax who got away for 20 yards. Then the Oregon backs alternated and smashed the remaining 40 yards in quick time.

### Latham Goes Over

Hunk Latham went over for the touchdown in one mad lunge from the three-yard line and Chapman kicked goal. Oregon scored again in the second quarter on straight football, using the criss-cross to advantage, and again in the fourth on a series of smashing line plays that bore down the Whitman forwards and smashed through the secondary defense for 5, 10, and 15 yard gains.

### The Line Up

| Oregon     | Whitman |             |
|------------|---------|-------------|
| Williamson | LE      | Dean        |
| Reed       | LT      | Conley      |
| Mills      | LG      | Hatton      |
| Sinclair   | C       | Walther     |
| Bailey     | RG      | Ratchford   |
| Vonder Ahe | RT      | Actor       |
| Risley     | RE      | York        |
| Chapman    | Q       | Corrun      |
| Terjeson   | LH      | Bartholomew |
| Sax        | RH      | Blakeney    |
| Latham     | F       | Hall        |

Oregon scoring: touchdowns, Latham 2, Chapman.  
Points from try after touchdown, Chapman 3, place kicks.  
Referee, Sam Dolan, Notre Dame.  
Umpire, Ruzick, Michigan.  
Head Linesman, Bennion, Utah.  
Time of periods 15 minutes each.

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## GIRL RESERVES TO MEET

### Groups of Pupils from High Schools to Have Party at Bungalow

The girl reserves in Eugene, two groups from Junior high school and two groups from the Gerry school, will meet at the Bungalow this afternoon for a get together party. From 2:30 until five the girls will play games, have music and get acquainted.

The groups were formed by the Y. W. C. A. for the enjoyment and benefit of the girls of high school age and under. A new group will be formed next week, according to Miss Florence Magowan, secretary of the Y. W. C. A. This group will be at the University high school, and the leaders for it are not yet chosen.

## Love of Launch Life Lures Lads to Leave City for Lake

"How do you get the boats down from the rim to the lake?"

"What makes the lake so blue?"— These are the two stock questions always asked by tourists when visiting Crater Lake, according to Darrell Larson, who, in company with three other University students, Dinty Moore, Jack Rivenburgh, and Jack Boyd, spent 85 days running launches on the lake. To hold a job one must not only be able to oil the motors, but provide four separate and distinct answers to the above questions.

An answer to the first one is: "We put them in when it's spring and the lake is full," and to the second, "If you stayed here all year you'd be blue, too." The other three answers to each Mr. Larson refused to divulge, as he is thinking of having them copyrighted.

By rescuing two damsels in distress Dinty Moore proved himself a hero. Seeing the two ladies stranded on the Phantom Ship, the rock out in the

middle of the lake, he excitedly demanded,

"How the hell did you get up there?" "We thought you'd say that," they replied, although they did not know him very well.

One early morning exercise was the daily descent of 1000 feet in 1.2 miles carrying ten gallons of gasoline to the launches. As guides the men proved highly successful, though once when the steering gear got stuck, and the launch was going round and round, a lady's money had to be refunded to quiet her nerves.

For indoor sports the two Jaeks and Dinty took fascinating flappers to Fort Klamath to dances, while Darrell (he said so himself) stayed at the lodge by the fireplace, toasting his toes and reading Shaw and Taussig, Anatole France and Galsworthy.

Anyway, there were no casualties, and all got safely back to college with nothing more serious than a coat of tan.