

SOCIETY

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Although fewer house and organization dances and affairs were scheduled for the past week, everyone must have been kept unusually busy attending the many functions that occupied the time. Foremost among these, for the seniors, was their Leap-Week, which started on Wednesday and continued through Saturday. During this time a number of events were held, including the open house on Wednesday evening, a Bow-Bow Brawl given by Delta Delta Delta and Alpha Chi Omega on Thursday afternoon, the Bohemian dance for which members of Alpha Phi and Chi Omega were hostesses on Thursday evening, the annual Kappa Koffee on Friday, Hendricks Hall's Bar Room Bust that evening, and ending up with a skate at the rink Saturday afternoon.

Hilda Chase was chairman of the committee on arrangements for the week, while other members were Claudia Broders, Gertrude Butler, and Penelope Gehr.

The formal dance of Phi Kappa Psi Saturday evening in the Woman's building was the completion of the events arranged for the delegates to the District convention of the sixth district which was held here Friday and Saturday with the members of the local chapter as hosts.

The programs for the dance were grey leather and in the shape of card cases with the crest of Phi Kappa Psi embossed in gold.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley E. Meserve, Dean and Mrs. Colin V. Dymont, Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Youngston, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Sturgeon, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Effinger, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. G. Thacher, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ables and Mr. Frank A. Dunn were patrons and patronesses.

Of interest to a wide circle of friends is the news of the engagement of Cleo Base to Andrew Koerner, which was made known at the Delta Gamma house Sunday at dinner and at the same time at the Kappa Sigma fraternity by Mr. Koerner.

Red and yellow tulips with matching candles formed the table decorations at the Delta Gamma house when the engagement was told by the bearer of a huge box of candy that contained the cards telling of the betrothal.

Miss Base is a member of Delta Gamma, Kwama, Tre Nu and Thespian. Mr. Koerner, who graduated from Stanford university with the class of 1917, besides being a member of Kappa Sigma, was affiliated with Phi Alpha Delta, national law fraternity. During the war he was a captain in the 362nd infantry and at present, he is practicing law in Portland. The wedding will take place sometime in June.

Friday evening the Anchorage was decorated to represent an old-fashioned garden, the scene of the Thespian informal. Palms, ferns, cherry blossoms and cut flowers were used to carry out the effect.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Earl and Colonel and Mrs. W. S. Sinclair were patrons and patronesses.

A benefit dance to raise funds for the new \$300,000 art museum was held Friday evening at the Woman's building, under the direction of Mrs. George Gerlinger, who is at the head of the drive.

In connection with the dance was the musical in Alumni hall while several features afforded entertainment for the dancers throughout the evening. Among these were the feature dances under the direction of Miss Lillian Stupp.

Patrons and patronesses were Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Newell, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Elsie F. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. George Gerlinger, Miss Maude Kerns, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schreff, and Mr. and Mrs. Noland B. Zane.

The committee included Mrs. Charles Hardy as chairman, Mrs. W. G. Hale, Mrs. Sam Bass Warner and Rev. Frank Fay Eddy.

Miss Mildred Kybniz, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Alfred A. Kybniz of Eugene became the bride of William Wienn of Eugene on March 29, at 2 o'clock at the Presbyterian church.

Rev. E. L. Winterberger of the Fairmount Presbyterian church performed the ceremony. Mildred Pike was the bridesmaid and Charlotte Spiekler flower girl. Theodore Zehring acted as best man.

The couple have returned to Eugene after a wedding trip of a few days and Mrs. Wienn has resumed her work in the normal arts department.

PLEDGING ANNOUNCEMENT
Kappa Kappa Gamma announces the pledging of Barbara Sheridan of Berkeley, California.

FOUR ENTERING FRESHMEN GAIN EXEMPTION IN ENGLISH A TEST

Re-enforcement of Grammar Foundation is Aim of Course Required of Students Who Fail in Quiz

Having passed the examination held Saturday afternoon at Villard hall, four of the freshmen who entered the University this spring will be exempt from English A. These students are William Baker, William S. Klein, Jane Hanvahan and Kenneth Patterson.

The test consists of five sections: 1. Ten sentences to be punctuated. 2. Ten rules of grammar and ten sentences in which these rules have been violated. The student states, in each case, which rule has been violated. 3. Twenty sentences containing words misused, the correct word to be written at the right. 4. A list of fifty words, a few of which are misspelled, for the student to correct. 5. A theme of from 300 to 500 words on any of a list of assigned subjects. This is the most important part of the test, indicating to the instructor how far the student's knowledge of English functions in his practice. Those who did not pass will be required to take English A for one term, or until they make a satisfactory showing.

Kenneth Shumaker, teaching fellow in English, is in charge of English A and brings up to standard the freshmen who fail in the entrance examination. He has recently compiled data on the sub-

ject and found that, in the examination given at the beginning of the school year of 1924-25, 47 per cent, or 338 students, failed and 52 per cent, or 370 students, passed. Students graduating from schools in the state of Oregon showed a better average, 39 per cent failing and 43 per cent passing, in relation with the whole group.

The average number of errors per paper in the entire group was 27.45. The examination is, of course, as fair as possible, but students are often under a nervous strain and consequently do not make as good a showing as they might if they were allowed to become better adjusted to conditions in the University before required to take the test.

"Our idea in English A," said Mr. Shumaker, "is to get behind set rules for grammar and punctuation and to do this, we take up the reasons for the various uses of the English language."

"The best way to become familiar with good English is to go to literature," he continued. A reading list is given and reading is done in connection with the course.

"English is anything but a 'pipe,'" asserted Mr. Shumaker, "but it is certainly worth while to those who have a weak or unsteady foundation in English principles."

EXPERT ON VOCATIONS COMING NEXT WEEK

Miss Florence Jackson to Talk to Campus Girls

Miss Florence Jackson, one of the foremost experts in the country on vocational guidance, will visit the campus on Monday and Tuesday of next week, April 13 and 14. Her visit is under the direction of the University; but her conferences will be under the auspices of Mortar Board. While here she will be the guest of one of the halls.

Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock Miss Jackson will hold a mass meeting for all girls on the campus at the Y. W. C. A. bungalow. In the evening she will speak at Hendricks hall. Invitations will be sent to the senior women from half of the houses on the campus. On Tuesday evening she will speak to the senior women from the other half of the houses at Susan Campbell hall.

All day Tuesday private half-hour conferences can be held with Miss Jackson at the Y. W. C. A.

At the Theatres

HELLIG—Tonight: "Fear-bound," Western thriller. Coming: Wednesday night, Western Vaudeville, which always provides Orpheum and Keith acts of high quality; Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Rupert Hughes' great farce film, "Excuse Me," one of the season's screams. Stereoscopic films on this bill are of particular interest to psychology students. Seat sale dates for "The Greenwich Village Follies" will be announced in a few days. This greatest of all musical shows is bringing Gallagher and Shean, noted comedians, and a great cast. Set aside April 28.

THE REX—Second day: Zane Grey's great American epic, "The Thundering Herd," the real romance of the winning of the west, when the dauntless spirit of the pioneers of '76 crossed the plains to link the east and west forevermore; produced on a tremendous scale, with the same players who brought "The Covered Wagon" and "North of 36" to the screen, the cast being headed by Lois Wilson, Jack Holt, Noah Beery, Raymond Hatton and Charles Ogle; presented with an original Rex prolog, "Westward Ho," featuring Johanna James and Aubrey Furry singing American Indian songs with special setting, at 7:20 and 9:25 p. m.; a new crossword puzzle movie; International news events; LeRoy Devaney in atmospheric prelude and accompaniment to the picture on the mighty Wurlitzer.

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bungalow. Arrangements should be made as soon as possible at the office of the dean of women for the time desired for conferences.

Mortar Board will entertain the visitor with a luncheon Tuesday noon at the Anchorage.

Miss Jackson is director of the Women's Education and Industrial Union of Massachusetts. Before coming to the University of Oregon she will have visited various institutions in Missouri, Oklahoma, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, and California. From here she will visit the University of Washington and Washington State college.

F. S. DUNN WILL GIVE ILLUSTRATED LECTURE

Professor Frederic S. Dunn, head of the Latin department, will give a stereopticon lecture on the scenes of Passion Week, to his Sunday school class of University students, at the Methodist church Sunday. Professor Albert R. Sweetser, of the botany department, will give a stereopticon lecture to his class on the same day.

Pictures shown by Professor Dunn in the course of his lecture will be the Betrayal, the Last Supper, the Trail before Pilate the Entombment, Easter Morning, the Empty Tomb, and the Crucifixion.

INTER-CLASS ARCHERY IN PROGRAM OF SPORTS

Thirty women have signed up for archery this term. Practice has begun in preparation for inter-class competition on next Field Day, which will be set soon. Class teams consisting of two members each may match marksmanship in both target and distance shooting on that day. Whether or not distance shooting will be scheduled for class competition will depend upon the ability and progress of the classes.

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NO CANOE FETE QUEEN, ANNOUNCES CHAIRMAN

Surprise Feature Promised For Junior Week-end

There will be no queen for the canoe fete this year, according to an announcement made by Clarence Toole, chairman of the canoe fete, at the meeting of the Junior Week-end directorate last Friday.

Plans which were being formulated for the selection of a queen will not be carried out, as was originally planned. The committee in charge of a feature for the fete is working out a surprise for the audience. Special music will also be played by an orchestra during the fete.

Margaret Vincent, chairman of the campus luncheon, made a report on the work done by her committee. As yet, no definite menu has been decided upon.

Paul Ager, athletic chairman, discussed some of the plans for the publicity of the events scheduled for Junior Week-end.

Paul Krausse, Vodvil chairman, made several announcements. Three performances will be given, which will include one matinee and two evening performances. The dates for the acts are scheduled for May 8 and 9, and as there is only about a month before Vodvil, he expressed a desire that each house create an interest in the affair; for there is a need for all of the campus talent available.

Kenneth Stephenson, chairman of campus day, said that a good feature was being carefully worked out for presentation during the luncheon hour. Music will also be provided while luncheon is being served.

PLEDGING ANNOUNCEMENT
Tau Nu announces the pledging of Mildred Baldwin of Eugene.

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ART PATIO DOLLED UP WITH COLORFUL TILES

With the campus assuming an air of springtime gaiety by blossoming flowers and bright dresses, the famous patio of the Art building, not to be outdone, attires itself in a gaiety of brilliant tiles. These tiles are the work of the class in tile making which has been working on them during the winter term. They are made of cement and colored a vivid blue, buff and yellow.

They are being cemented into the hollow panels of the pillars of the patio and being of Moorish design give the court a decided oriental aspect.

LATIN WILL BE INCLUDED IN SUMMER SCHOOL WORK

Latin will be included in the summer school curriculum this year for the first time since 1917. It was only a sporadic instance in 1917, as Latin courses had not been offered in summer school for some years previous to that time. Three courses are to be offered at the University by Professor Frederic S. Dunn, head of the Latin department; and one course will be given in Portland by J. E. A. Johnstone, also of the Latin department.

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