

CAMPUS STARTLED WHEN ENGAGEMENT NEWS BREAKS

OREGON MAN IN NATIONAL DEBATE

Jack McGuire, State Winner, Goes to Los Angeles for Constitutional Contest

SEVEN PRIZES OFFERED

Federal Constitution to Be General Topic of Debate; Judges, Los Angeles Men

For the first time in the history of the state, Oregon has an opportunity to win a national intercollegiate oratorical championship when Jack McGuire, winner of the state and regional elimination contests competes at Los Angeles next Friday night, June 5, in the national Constitutional contest.

Large Attendance Expected

The orations will be delivered in the Philharmonic auditorium, the largest in the city, the building having a seating capacity of more than five thousand persons.

McGuire, as a result of defeating orators from six other states of the region west of the Rocky mountains, at Stanford university last Friday night, meets six other national finalists.

Requests that McGuire deliver his oration have been received from many civic and church organizations in Los Angeles. Many messages of congratulation for winning the regional championship in oratory last Friday have also been received from all parts of the country.

Coach Is Confident

Mr. Brown feels that the Oregon entrant in the national meet has an excellent chance of placing high up on the list next Friday. "It is my own opinion," he said yesterday, "that McGuire has the necessary vigorous personality on the platform and that he delivers his speech with wholehearted enthusiasm and sincerity."

RUTH AKERS DELIGHTS HEARERS WITH SPLENDID VOCAL PROGRAM

Before an appreciative audience, Miss Ruth Akers presented her senior recital, an ambitious and pretentious program. There are two kinds of criticism, constructive and destructive, in writing a criticism of such an ambitious program when presented by a student, one must take into consideration the nervousness of the debutante, immaturity, etc. The following is offered in a kindly and constructive spirit.

Daily Staff to See Program At Heilig As Climax of Year

A new feature of the Emerald banquet this year will be a trip en masse to the Heilig theatre, to view a special program put on by the California glee club. This show, which will be at 9:30, will include skits of college life, and others of unusual nature. The banqueters will proceed down town in a street car chartered for occasion, leaving the campus about 9:15.

All staff members are to meet in Alumni hall in time to enter the banquet room, which will be the sun parlor, at 6:20. At this time, several awards will be made, and Emerald "O's" given to those on the reportorial and business staff who merit them. A bound volume of the year's Emeralds will go the person having done the most for the paper this year; prizes will be awarded to the best day and night editors, the person handing in the most tips, the best news story writer, and the best feature story writer of the term; a set of Dickens' works, the gift of Fred Lockley of the Portland Journal, will go to the member of the editing class writing the best paper on journalism, and a cash prize of \$20, donated by Donald Skene, Paris correspondent for the Chicago Tribune, will be given to the member of the class who has displayed the best knowledge of foreign affairs during the past year.

R. BULLIVANT LEADS SENIORS IN GRADES

Martha A. Shull Second With 1.58 Average

Despite the fact that the scholarship of women on this campus surpasses that of the men, the highest average in the class of 1925, excluding those who are not four year Oregon students, is held by Rupert Reid Bullivant, of Portland. Mr. Bullivant, who is majoring in the law department, has attained a 1.54 average for his entire college career. This average does not include grades in physical education or military. According to Bullivant, he does not spend more than a normal amount of time on his studies, and his various campus activities seem to bear out that statement. He is a member of Sigma Nu and also of Phi Beta Kappa and Delta Theta Pi honorary fraternities. He held an important position on the Emerald staff his entire junior year, and a part of his sophomore year.

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COUNCIL FILLED FOR COMING YEAR

Students for Executive Posts Are Named By Incoming And Retiring Presidents

FEW POSITIONS UNFILLED

Greater Oregon Committee To Be Led By McCabe; Hayden Lecture Head

Members of the executive council and sub-councils, the chairman of the Greater Oregon committee and the Student Lecture committee were announced yesterday, after their appointment by Walter Malcolm, president of the A. S. U. O. and Randall Jones retiring student body president. Robert McCabe was named chairman of the Greater Oregon committee for next year. McCabe was chairman of Junior Week-end this year, captain of the varsity swimming team, a member of To-Ko-Lo and of the Homecoming committee last fall. Wilbur Hayden was appointed chairman of the Student Lecture committee. This committee works with the Free Intellectual Activities committee made up of faculty members for the purpose of bringing notable personages to the campus for lectures.

ELEVEN STUDENTS PASS LIFE SAVING TESTS

Eleven out of thirteen men passed the Red Cross life saving examinations given yesterday and Wednesday by Rudolph Fahl, swimming instructor, and a number of assistants. Those passing were Oscar Richards, 96 points; Eugene Richmond, 95 points; Donald Woodward, 95 points; Dutch French, 85 points; Robert Shenagin, 85 points; Lee Brown, 84 1/2 points; Ted Hendry, 81 points; D. Hedges, 81 points; George Hinkle, 80 points; G. A. Dodds, 80 points; and C. E. Crumb, 80 points. Eighty points out of 100 is the requirement for passing, while those making 95 or over are recommended as inspectors. The names of Richards, Richmond and Woodward will be sent in to headquarters for approval for the advanced designation. The test was extremely strenuous, according to Coach Fahl, and was designed to demonstrate without question the ability of participants to rescue drowning persons in perilous positions. One of the most interesting, oftentimes laughable events, was that requiring those taking the test to jump into the tank fully dressed with instructions to disrobe while under water. Emblems for bathing suits will be obtainable in about ten days, provided those passing have turned in a short essay on resuscitation to Coach Fahl within two or three days. A meeting of the corps will be held next Wednesday at the Woman's building tank when a discussion will be held bringing out the weak points shown in the demonstrations at the recent examination. Those passing are therefore particularly requested to be present. Elizabeth Lounsbury is the first girl in the University of Oregon to pass the master life saver's and master swimmer's tests. Fifteen girls signed up at the beginning of the term for this work, but so far only one of that number has been successful in passing the complete set of their kind ever compiled.

UNIVERSITY COUPLE UPON THE MATRIMONIAL ROCKS



Exclusive Emerald Photo Baker and Woodward

Fourteen Classes To Hold Reunions At End of Term

Fourteen classes will hold reunions during commencement this year. Under the Dix reunion plan, it is arranged that classes who were in school at the same time can meet together at reunion time. Each year sees a twenty-five year and a ten year reunion as well. The twenty-five year reunion of the class of 1900 will be held this June. Mrs. Mary McAlister Gamber, permanent secretary, is planning the reunion for her class. Bert Gerard is the permanent secretary of the class of 1915 which is planning its ten-year reunion. The other classes holding reunions are: '83, '84, '85, '86; 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905. Students on the campus now will have a chance to visit old friends when the classes of 1921, 1922, 1923, and 1924 meet this year, also.

LIST FOR BREAKFAST AMENDED AND POSTED

One page which was missing from the Senior Breakfast list posted at the library has been inserted. Miss Magowan urges any one who was unable to find her name to look again and secure a ticket as soon as possible. Reports have not been made from several of the houses, Miss Magowan announced and she requests that these be made today. Many of the girls residing in town have not procured their tickets at the Bungalow, either. It is imperative, purchased today so that plans may be continued for the Breakfast, Saturday morning.

SENIORS ATTENTION! Your dues are paid for your first year's membership in the Alumni association. But unless you have filled out your questionnaire, "Old Oregon" will not be sent to you. The questionnaires are both in the alumni office and the registrar's office. Fill them out immediately.

Lillian Baker Says "Yes" to Don Woodward

Limited Extra Edition of Daily Distributed at Delta Delta Delta, Theta Chi and Annual Emerald Banquet "Scoops" Contemporaries; Shock Strikes Toastmaster Allen Speechless

By the "Two Culprits"

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, May 29.—(Special to the Emerald)—Simultaneously at the Delta Delta Delta and Theta Chi houses, and the annual Emerald banquet, news of the engagement of Miss Lillian Ward Baker and Donald Lambert Woodward was announced here this evening. An extra edition of the Daily, limited to 200 copies, was distributed by news boys just before the dinners were served and carried a full account of the event with an exclusive photo of the betrothed.

The affair came as a complete shock to students of the University and particularly to members of the staff, as it was not known the principals were acquainted with one another aside from the necessary contacts incident to working on the same publication.

Close friends, when questioned, declared they had always understood there was a strong aversion between the two. It was stated that Miss Baker had often been heard to assert she had no use for the Editor, and that she always made it a point to conduct any necessary business concerning the Emerald through the Associate Editor or the Managing Editor.

While the Editor often commented to his associates about the good writing done by his A. S. U. O. reporter, he always refrained from any enthusiastic raptures when her personal traits were mentioned, aside from admitting, if hard-pressed by some insistent advocate, that "Yes, she is a nice girl, all right."

Many students and faculty, chagrined at not anticipating the report, declared they had been unwilling victims in the surprise. Edward Miller, newly-elected editor for next year, said, "The courtship was most subtle and secret. Had I but seen them together once, as in walking between classes, I would not have been so overcome as I am. I cannot but feel, however, that the method followed by my predecessor in this matter has had a constructive effect upon the press, still sourly economizing because he mistook a \$10 bill for a five spot of a 'progressive Hearst' make-up."

Professor George Turnbull, apologetic and embarrassed, mourned, "I have known and advised Don intimately, almost paternally, since he entered the school of journalism an infant freshman four years ago. I had not anticipated this, even though I was entertained at dinner with the couple several weeks ago. I should have thought my influence would have kept him from this—rather that he would not have allowed himself to stray from the path which I, myself, have so carefully followed."

Eric W. Allen, dean of the school, after blessing the happy twain, hurried into his den, picked up the roll of his editing class, his lips drew into a shrewd and Kewpish smile, and he ran his pencil happily through the name of "Baker, Lillian."

The couple, when questioned about their plans, were rather indefinite. "Don is going back to Columbia for a year," said Miss Baker, "and I have one more term to take here before I will be graduated."

"As Lillian says, we are a little hazy about our exact plans after next year," answered the Editor. "However, two years will be the very longest if we have to stake out a tent and take in washing. In that event I have promised to turn the wringer and help with the ironing."

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CALIFORNIA GLEE CLUB TO APPEAR AT HEILIG

The University of California glee club and Chris Quayle and Joe Kelly, student comedians, will be at the Heilig theatre Friday and Saturday nights. A 14-piece orchestra will accompany them. The two men have worked up an act that has earned for them the headline place on the glee club show, their act consisting of clever patter, songs and dances.

PLAYERS TO APPEAR LAST TIME IN COMMENCEMENT PRODUCTION

"Beau Brummell" has been selected as the play for the annual commencement presentation by the members of the dramatic department, according to a report received last night from instructors of that department. The action of the board of regents makes this the last time that the campus actors will have a chance to present their work in a combined effort under the direction of Fergus Reddie.

The play, by an American, Mr. Clyde Fitch and was conceived by Richard Mansfield, written for him and produced first at the Madison