

Music to Add To Beauty of Dance Drama

Soloists and Chorus Will Accompany Features of Big Event Tonight

Girls' Quintet Trained To Sing for 'Dream'

Theatre Organist to Play; Whistler to Assist

The dance drama which will be presented by Orchestras at the McDonald theater this evening, contains a varied program of music which will accompany many of the features of the drama.

A quintet made up of Emma Scougal, Harriet Ross, Adelaide Johnson, Janet Pearce and Esther Wright has been trained by Madame Rose McGrew and will sing Mendelssohn's "Fairy Roundel" and "Through the House Give Glimmering Light", during a part of "Midsummer Night's Dream." Vivian Woodside will do the solo work for "Midsummer Night's Dream" in "I Am Titania."

Solo to Be Feature

H. C. Scougal, who has been soloist at the Christian Science church for the past year, will accompany the number, "The Song of the Bargemen" with a solo. The music which accompanies the feature is very beautiful, according to Miss L. L. Stupp, general manager, and the beauty of the dance which portrays a group of Russian peasants towing a boat up the river, combined with the music, makes this feature one of the most delightful of the entire program.

Alexander Will Play

Frank D. C. Alexander, organist at the McDonald theater, will play the opening overture and will also play other selections between various parts of the program. Between the first and second acts, Janice Larsen will whistle.

The main feature of the dance drama this year is "Midsummer Night's Dream," in which all members of Orchestras are taking part. The "Lake of the Swans," which is being repeated from the drama of last year, "Dabs from a Paint Box," "The Natoma Dagger Dance" and "Song of the Bargemen," are the other features of the program.

Zane Supervises Decorations

Stage decorations, arranged by N. B. Zane, assistant professor of architecture and allied arts, and Tokio Ueyama, a student in the art department, are complete, and a full dress rehearsal was held last night.

Turn in Tickets Today

Students selling tickets must turn them in before noon today. Tickets may be turned in to the secretary in the physical education department if it is impossible to see the business manager.

Eighteen Candidates Seek Master's Degree

Eighteen students are candidates for advanced degrees this June. Three of these, Charles G. Bluet, T. S. Liu and C. E. Lewis are preparing theses for their master's degrees in education; 12, Pat Morrisette, Father Odilo Ortmann, Ruth Nelson, Lucille Jeffery, Margaret Houck, Irene Whitfield, Audrey Montague, Alta Hoover, Kenneth Shumaker, George Helms, Ray Lapham and Charlotte Himoe are candidates for their master's degrees in English. Mrs. Margaret Rhoads Clark is writing her master's thesis in German; Mlle. Andree Pellion is a candidate for the advanced degree in the department of Romance languages and Julian Bulaon is studying for his master's degree in political science.

Mrs. Esterly Attends Women's Conference

Mrs. Virginia Esterly, Dean of Women, is leaving Thursday to attend the first biennial conference of the American Association of University Women for the north Pacific section to be held in Portland, April 2 and 3. She will return sometime Saturday.

Representatives from the leading western universities will be present. Miss Moselle Hair is president of the Oregon organization.

Genevieve Chase Wins Scholarship In Social Service at Columbia

Award One of Five in Nation, Carrying With it Two Year's Work and Master's Degree

Word was received recently from Columbia University that Genevieve Chase, prominent senior woman on the University of Oregon campus has been chosen one of the five beneficiaries this year in the United States of a two-year scholarship and fellowship in social service. The award, made on the basis of personality, scholarship, activities and capabilities, includes two years residence in a Neighborhood House in New York City, with half-time practical work in the slums and half-time graduate work at Columbia University. At the end of the two years a master's degree is granted. Tuition, board and room are covered by the fellowship.

"During the summer we will have a chance to take charge of a summer children's fresh air camp," said Miss Chase. "In this way we will obtain more experience along that line. The work is with foreign immigrant communities, and I plan to specialize with groups which I can find on the Pacific coast, for I hope to work in Western cities when I finish.

"Of course I am thrilled to get

it, for many girls have been trying for it. I have always had an ambition to go to Columbia, and I can hardly believe that the opportunity has come in such a wonderful fashion," she declared. "The scholarship was obtained through the National Board of Missions of the Presbyterian Church. A short time ago I went to Portland to see a Miss Lucy Dawson, who is a member of the Board which awards the scholarships. She came out to interview the girls who were applying. After her interview the scholarship was awarded."

Miss Chase will leave early in September for Columbia and will take up her work at the beginning of the fall term there. She has been very active on the Oregon campus, in Y. W. C. A. work and Women's League, has been on the Y. W. C. A. cabinet as Girl Reserve leader, took part in the recent conference on the campus on Religious education, and was one of the delegates from the University of Oregon to the Interdenominational Conference at Evanston, Illinois, which was held during Christmas vacation. In addition to this she stands very high scholastically.

Junior Class To Hear Plans For Week End

All Members Asked to Attend Meeting in Villard Hall Tonight

Reporting of plans and policies for Junior Week-end, consideration of a class picnic, discussion as to the advisability of doing away with customary spring term class dance and the setting of the date for junior class elections; these are some of the things that will be taken up and decided at the meeting of the junior class at 7:15 this evening in Villard hall, James Johnson, president of the class, stated yesterday.

This is the most important meeting of the year and the decisions reached by the class at this time will decide the action of the class and its policies for the rest of the term. For this reason every Junior is expected to turn out and attend the meeting.

Junior Week-end preparations are progressing rapidly and every member should be present to hear the reports on the work of the directorate so that they may know what is being done by these representatives of their class.

"This is your class and it is up to you to get behind the directorate with your support if you want Junior Week-end to be a success this year," declares Johnson. "You can prove your support by attending this meeting."

Cards have been sent to each member of the class and a full attendance is expected.

Dr. E. T. Hodge Collects Geological Specimens

Geological specimens were collected by Dr. Edwin H. Hodge, professor in the University, during the spring holidays. Goose Lake, located in Southern Oregon, and several counties in California were explored.

A study of the mountains on the sides of Goose and Silver Lakes was made. Dr. Hodge reports that these regions are practically unknown and that they are of great interest to geologists because of the variety of earth and rock formations. The area is believed to be of extreme importance economically.

Mary Jo Shelly Wins In Short Story Contest

Mary Jo Shelly, senior and part-time assistant in the physical education department, won the Edison Marshall short story contest prize of fifty dollars. Her story was "Stoic Episodes." Florence Jones, sophomore in the English department, won honorable mention. Both girls are members of W. F. G. Thacher's class in advanced short story.

First-Year Men To Meet Linfield Debaters Today

Federal Subsidies Topic For Cross-Question Style Contest

This afternoon the freshman debate team will engage in its first meet of the year, with the Linfield College freshman squad as its opponents. Roy Herndon, of Freewater; Avery Tompkins, Salem, and Melvin Johnson, Marshfield, alternate, compose the negative team, which will remain on the campus, meeting the Linfield affirmative at 3:30 o'clock in Villard hall.

The affirmative squad, made up of John Galey, Ashland; Joseph McKeown, Marshfield, and alternate, George Belloni, of Coquille, leave this morning by automobile for McMinnville to meet the Linfield negative. They will be accompanied by Robert D. Horn, coach of freshman forensics.

"Resolved: That the policy of federal subsidies accompanied by federal supervision be discontinued," is the topic of discussion. It concerns the advisability of centralizing the power in the federal government. Due to recent developments and legislation in the matter, Mr. Horn believes the subject especially appropriate. President Coolidge has displayed a vital interest in the situation.

"The team is prepared and enthusiastic," said Mr. Horn yesterday, "as this is their first affair of the year. The O. A. C. and Willamette debates previously scheduled were cancelled, and as a result, the men have had five months training on their arguments."

The cross-question, no-decision style of debate will be used in the event today. This innovation was developed by J. Stanley Gray, varsity debate coach, and was used with success in the recent varsity meet with the University of Utah.

This manner of speaking allows 17 minutes for constructive arguments of the first negative and affirmative debaters, 10 minutes for cross questioning by second members of each team, and a final 10 minutes for summarizing by each second opponent.

Donald Fraser Gets Teaching Position

An appointment as instructor in geology at Occidental College in Los Angeles, has been received by Donald Fraser, graduate student now assisting in the geology department on the campus.

Mr. Fraser will also do graduate work at the California Institute of Technology at Pasadena where he expects to get his doctor's degree.

The appointment was made by Dr. Smiley, of Occidental College, who is a friend of Dr. Warren D. Smith, head of the department of geology at the University of Oregon.

Labor Student To Be Speaker Of Assembly

W. Williams to Discuss Problems, Interests Of Workingmen

Visitor Gives Courses At Harvard, Dartmouth

Scholar Has Been Miner In Europe

"A gentleman, a scholar, an idealist, besides a good shovel-and-tongs wrestler." This characterizes Whiting Williams, student of the laborer and professor of short courses at Harvard and Dartmouth, according to those who know him. Mr. Williams will deliver the address at the assembly today at 11 o'clock in the auditorium of the woman's building.

"The Man by the Hour and the Man by the Day," will be the topic of Mr. Williams' lecture. The speaker is peculiarly qualified to discuss the problems and interests of the laboring man, having worked for several years as a journeyman laborer in mines and factories of America, France, Germany and Italy. Mr. Williams played the laborer's role to satisfy himself as to just what unrest, the war of capital and labor, class hatred, strikes, unions, internationalism, bolshevism and kindred "by-products" of the war and of the times—just what these things meant to the laboring man.

Colliers Publishes Findings

His findings, published in Collier's Scribner's, in book form, and (Continued on page four)

Women Athletes To Add Members In Drive Today

Association to Keep Stand Open at Library for Six Hours

The membership drive of the Women's Athletic Association will be held today under the direction of Dorothy Evans. A stand will be kept open at the library steps from 9 to 3, and any girl who has made 100 points this year or previously is eligible for membership. Dues are fifty cents a year and must be paid at the time one is joining.

No points on sweaters will be allowed to students who are not members of W. A. A., and today will be the only chance to join. Regina Davault, Nellie Johns and Nellie Best are assistants on the committee.

Students eligible for W. A. A. membership are: Beth Ager, Bertha Alm, Dena Alm, Mildred Baker, Edith Barthell, Dorothy Brown, Ruth Burcham, Vida Bucher, Ina Bullock, Mary Conn, Eunice Daniels, Lucille Dillard, Una Eldridge, Susan Elliott, Susan Gasman, Melva Hattan, Isabelle Hawkins, Fern Hayes, Hazel Heine, Dorothy Henderson, Vida Hileman, Margaret Humphrey, Katherine Kershaw, Virginia Lounsbury, Marjorie Landru, Maude Moore, Mae Mordoff, Mae Moore, Elaine Mobley, Darr McLean, Lois McCook, Mildred McAllister, Melba Macy, Charlotte Newhouse, Helen Nobes, Ida Nielson, Mildred Nichol, O'Brien, Lois Ralston, Ruth Sullivan, Marion Sten, Eloise Smith, Julia Wilson, Dora Williams, Sonia Willer, Vera Wilbur, Harriett Wiedman, Roma Whizant, Ruth Wheeler, Lela Wade, C. Wade, Louise Stora, Thelma Stephens, and Maxine Paulson.

Three Students Edit Issue of Ashland Daily

Unassisted by any members of the regular staff of the Ashland Tidings, two freshmen and a sophomore from the school of journalism took over the paper for one day during spring vacation and successfully put it out.

The three students divided the work among them. Edith Dodge acted as city editor. Her work consisted of editing and making up the paper, which included writing all the heads, reading copy, and arranging the stories. Vernon McGee and Paul Wagner brought in the news and Vernon McGee wrote the editorials.

Oregon Song Week

PLEDGE SONG

Old Oregon we pledge to thee
Our honor and fidelity
Both now and in the years to be.
A never-failing loyalty
Fair Oregon, thy name shall be
Written high in liberty.
Now, uncovered, swears thy every son
Our pledge to Oregon.

SONG WEEK OPENS ON CAMPUS TODAY

Regents and Council Vote Steel Pavilion

Construction of Permanent Nature; Work to be Complete by Fall

A concrete, steel basketball building, the plans for which have been approved by the executive council of the University and the board of regents, will be erected this year and will be ready for use by next fall, according to present plans.

The building is to be erected on the corner of University and 18th streets, will cost approximately \$224,000 when completed. During the construction of the first part which calls for an expenditure of \$190,000 immediately, the gallery will be omitted, as will several incidentals, thus lowering the cost until later when more funds will be available.

Fifty thousand Dollars

Fifty thousand dollars of the \$190,000 will have been paid by the students through the building fund by May 1 when construction is expected to be started. The rest, \$140,000 is covered by a bond issue which was sold to the Lumberman's Trust Company, Schneelock and Company and Ferris and Hardgrove companies of Portland. The Marine National Bank of Seattle was a very close bidder and the contract was awarded only after both companies had appeared before the executive council and board of regents. Six per cent bonds were purchased to be sold at \$98 on the \$1,000 bond.

Plans for building the basketball building were approved and bids for the construction of the building will open at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, April 21.

Handball Courts Authorized

During the meeting of the board of regents, construction of four additional handball courts in the open air gymnasium for men was authorized. These courts will take the place of the basketball court in that building which will not be needed with the new basketball building.

Grading was authorized for a field for freshman baseball to be done immediately and which will be used this spring. This field is to be constructed just west of the Varsity baseball field on the athletic field for men.

The completion of the surfacing women's athletic field south of the Women's building was authorized and various repairs and improvements of campus buildings were authorized.

Edward D. McAlister Graduate of Oregon Receives Fellowship

Edward D. McAlister, who received his master's degree in physics from the University of Oregon last year, has recently been elected Whiting fellow at the University of California where he has been working for his Ph.D. as teaching fellow in the physics department there. The holders of the two Whiting fellowships, which are awarded at the University of California, may have all of their time for their own research, and need not teach or assist. The fellowships are usually awarded upon application, but McAlister was elected without his application.

McAlister is the son of E. H. McAlister, head of the department of mechanics and astronomy on the University of Oregon campus. He received his B.S. degree in that department in June, 1923. He is a member of Sigma Xi, national honorary scientific fraternity.

Tennis Material Shows Well In Spring Practice

First Match Scheduled for April 10 With Reed College

With an attractive schedule and bright prospects as an incentive, Oregon's tennis aspirants are working daily on the campus cement with Ed Abererrombie, new coach, in charge.

Practice work has been decidedly informal, consisting of limbering up exercises, which savor of Ellinger's tactics, and a rehearsal of the broader phases of the game with the principal attention being given to volleying, net work, and back hand play, as well as serving and combination doubles to develop team play.

George Mcad, Roy Okerberg, and Bill Adams, the three lettermen, must maintain their prestige against two sets of aspiring youngsters. Herb Henton, Tom Cross and Harry Coffin, expert racket swingers from the smooth courts and perpetual sunshine of California from the old group of new men, and Bill Powell, Melvin Cohn, and Hal F. Technison, the younger coterie. This is not a complete list of the men in the running, but represents those who will appear most frequently in spring matches.

Powell is regarded as a fine prospect. He is a lean player of the Oberberg type, with a good knowledge of tennis craft, and considerable stamina and skill. Melvin Cohn, a dark-haired lad from Portland, has the knack of "hitting 'em where they ain't", and will probably break into the first five. Hutchinson, a half-pint performer, jumps about the court like a flea, and stops many a hard smash labeled for points. Harry Coffin won the inter-class tournament last fall which included the lettermen, so must be reckoned with. Cross and Henton are also capable players.

Reed College will furnish the first competition here April 10. A match with Maltonah of Portland a week later may be followed with a return meet in Eugene May 1, but this latter match is still tentative.

O. A. C. plays here on May 8, with a return tilt in Corvallis May 15. A match with Washington May 22 at Seattle caps the season, except for the inter-collegiate which will be run off later.

The fresh schedule has not been filled out yet. But one contest is assured—that with the O. A. C. rocks on May 8. Grant and Jefferson high schools of Portland have signified their desire for matches, however. The freshmen appear able to take care of themselves, with Henry Neer, a brother of the Neer who holds the Pacific coast inter-collegiate singles championship, Clarence Hartman and Ben Southern on hand. All these boys hail from Portland, and have almost lived on the tennis courts for years.

Seniors to Give Stunt

As a special feature members of the senior class promise to startle the campus with an original stunt. Organists at the Rex and McDonald theaters will play medleys of Oregon songs during the next two weeks. The Oregon Aggravators will put some of the songs to ragtime.

Grass Frogs Received At University Depot

A shipment of two dozen large grass frogs from Chicago, Illinois, was received at the University depot Tuesday for the department of zoology. These frogs are not found in the west, and are shipped from the east on an average of every 15 days during the school year. Mice, rats, and turtles are also sent to the zoology department for experimental work.

Leaders Aim To Make Event Annual Affair

Practice to Commence at Assembly, to End April 8

THE first song week in the history of the University will be initiated today at the assembly hour when practice will be held in preparation for the inter-fraternal contests to be held in the near future. The song leaders and representatives of all living organizations on the campus who met last night to make final plans for the week expressed the hope that the event would become a tradition on the campus.

The idea of having a Song Week resulted from action taken by the traditions committee and the student council last term when radical changes in Oregon songs were made, the most important being the adoption of the Oregon Pledge Song as the official Alma Mater song.

At the time these changes were made the committee realized the lack of interest in singing University songs, and the evident ignorance of the words of some of the most beautiful ones.

Event Outstanding

Among most of the leading Pacific coast colleges and universities and elsewhere, Song Week is one of the outstanding events of the school year. The committee hopes to establish the tradition on the Oregon campus by making this initial event a success.

Starting today at assembly, practice week will continue until April 8. During this time all organizations will be practicing and learning the old and several new songs in preparation for the following week when the contest will take place, ending April 15.

Songs to be Distributed

At noon today copies of all Oregon songs will be distributed at the houses and halls. The judging committees will be announced later, and it is rumored that some of the campus celebrities are to be included. There will be four judging groups, two men and one woman will be on each of the committees to judge the singing at sororities and two women and one man on those judging the men's efforts.

Prizes to be Given

After the four houses making the best impressions are chosen a grand finale will be held in which the prize group will be selected and appropriately awarded. The nature of the prize remains a secret but the committee believes that it is well worth working for.

Thursday, April 8, the entire assembly hour will be devoted to singing which will be led by a high power director. Special musical numbers of an interesting character are being planned for this event.

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The committee in charge of the program is composed of Chairman, Fred West; Mary Benson, Audrey Harer-Lane, Walter Cleaver, Alan Smith, Frances Hare and Beatrice Peters.