

Speaking Voice Class To Present Anthology Soon

First Program Will Be Invitational Affair Friday Evening

Edgar Lee Master Poems To Be Offered

After two big successive week ends the drama department will take a half vacation this week, since the only thing planned is an individual program to be given March 2 by the speaking voice class.

"Spoon River Anthology" by Edgar Lee Masters will be staged by various members of the class under the direction of Miss Florence E. Wilbur, head of the department, Friday evening.

A once prominent lawyer tells all the stories which have been related to him by his many callers who have passed on some years ago. It will be a decidedly different performance, featuring the dreary and lonely episodes of the lives of heterogeneous persons.

The staging will lend a gruesome atmosphere to the program, since plans are being made to carryout the morbid and somewhat ghostly air lingering about the anthology.

This will be the first program or production to be given by the speaking voice class. According to Miss Wilbur, the advance drama students will begin soon on their lines for the coming play "Shall We Join the Ladies?" Some difficulties have occurred in securing the play, but within a few days Miss Wilbur expects to be able to begin work on it.

While the drama department is busy with the approaching events, plans are being made and details arranged for the repertoire to be staged early in April and the drama tournament which will be held here in May.

Bill Hayward Urges Houses To Present Track Entries Soon

With the preliminaries in the big final intramural track meet only four days away, Coach Hayward is renewing his plea for all house track representatives to get their list of entries in to him as soon as possible, in order that the various heats may be arranged. Each fraternity is limited to two entries in any one event, and each competitor may not be entered in more than two events.

Present plans are to have the preliminaries outside on Friday afternoon, if the weather will permit, and the grand finals in McArthur court on Saturday night. In addition to the events held in previous meets, the 220 has been added, due to the completion of the work on the new banked turns in the Igloo.

An accurate score will be kept of the points made by each fraternity. The winning house will receive the huge silver trophy which symbolizes supremacy in track for the year 1928.

University Hi Victor Over Eugene, 22-12

University High school won another basketball victory Friday night when it played Eugene High with a final score of 22 to 12. This still leaves University High a chance of winning the championship of this district, but it eliminates Eugene High. The three schools left in the race are University High, Albany High and Corvallis High. Albany still has to play Eugene and Corvallis, but Corvallis has just Eugene to play.

Reinhart

(Continued from page one) five-minute over-time contest. If that isn't a record to be proud of we'd like to have some one show us one better.

Gordon Howard Ridings, who has probably contributed more to Oregon victories this year than any one player, finished the season last Saturday night in Seattle with high point individual scoring honors. Scoring 12 points against the Huskies, Ridings wrested the lead from

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Captain Bill Barr of the Oregon Aggies who scored 110 points to Gord's 111.

Ridings should be selected on the mythical all-coast team. Already he has been selected on Coach Hec Edmundson's and Ralph Coleman's all-northwest fives. In addition to picking Ridings for a guard berth, Coleman would also appoint Ridings as captain of his quintet.

Coach Billy Reinhart paid a great tribute to Ridings yesterday when he said that the Oregon forward and captain was without a doubt the most outstanding hooper in the Northwest.

Yesterday saw the finish of football practice for this term and again the moleskins will be laid away for another month. Captain McEwan expects to have practice at the beginning of next term. With the conclusion of grid practice comes the announcement that practice for varsity baseball batterymen will be held today at four o'clock.

Donut Swimming Arouses Houses To New Interest

Ten Groups Enter Teams For Aquatic Contest To Be March 1

The Donut swimming meet which is to be held on the afternoon of Thursday, March 1, has aroused the interest of a number of groups on the campus and ten teams have already signified their intention of entering. These groups are Sigma Phi Epsilon, Theta Chi, Delta Tau Delta, Phi Kappa Psi, Alpha Tau Omega, Friendly Hall, Beta Theta Pi, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Sigma Chi and Alpha Nu.

Each man on the team is limited to any three events and no more than two men from each house may participate in any one race. Donut eligibility rules are to apply to the entire meet, which is to be held at 3:30 p. m., in the men's pool. The officials will be members of the varsity swimming squad.

The events listed for the occasion are: 40 yard, free style; 40 yard, back stroke; 40 yard, breast stroke; 100 yard, free style; fancy diving and the 80 yard relay.

The diving will consist of four dives, three of which, the front, back, and front jack-knife, either running or standing, are compulsory. One optional dive will be permitted.

Oregonian Head To Visit Campus and Journalists Today

David Foulkes, mechanical superintendent of the Portland Oregonian, will be a visitor on the campus today and tomorrow, during which time he will participate in a number of events planned for his visit by officials of the school of journalism.

Tonight he will assist the regular night editors in the making up of tomorrow morning's Emerald. Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock he will speak in room 105, Journalism building, to students of the editing, reporting and advertising classes and any others who are interested in journalism.

Sigma Delta Chi, international honorary journalist fraternity, will entertain Mr. Foulkes at a luncheon to be held at the Anchorage Wednesday noon. William M. Tugman, managing editor of the Eugene Guard, will also be a guest at the luncheon.

Dr. H. R. Douglass In Eastern Oregon

Dr. Harl R. Douglass, professor of education, is in eastern Oregon this week for the appointment bureau looking up the records of the graduates of the University. He is incidentally looking for vacancies in the eastern Oregon schools for prospective teachers. His itinerary includes Ontario, Baker, La Grande, and several of the other larger towns in the eastern part of the state.

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University Men Plan Attendance At Y Conference

Rally at H. W. Davis Home Discloses Seabeck Program Plans

Nine men from the University of Oregon have tentatively decided to attend the annual Y. M. C. A. student conference, to be held June 9 to 17 at Seabeck, Washington, a check disclosed at a meeting of the campus Seabeck group held Sunday afternoon at "Horizons," the home of H. W. Davis, director of the United Christian Work on the campus.

Alson Bristol, chairman of the campus Seabeck committee, has appointed Bob Jackson to arrange transportation for the delegation, John Scribner to provide posters advertising the conference, and Shailer Peterson for inter-church work, it was announced at the meeting.

An impromptu but spirited debate on the question, "Resolved, That the opportunities for entertainment and recreation at Seabeck surpass those for education and religious inspiration," was decided in favor of the negative, upheld by Claude Addison and Singh Sadharia. Bob Fleming and Bob Jackson composed the affirmative team. Elmer Adams, Lawrence Mitchellmore, Jack Rice, and John Scribner, men who have not as yet attended Seabeck, were the judges.

William Schulze, president of the campus Y. M. C. A. and chairman of the Northwest Seabeck committee, spoke briefly on this year's program at Seabeck; the cost of attendance and other matters of information relative to the conference. It was announced that literature, now being prepared in Portland, will soon be available to those interested in Seabeck.

Commission

(Continued from page one) of conviction to arrests is actually less than half in all cities where data were available. In New York City the ratio for all felonies is but 20 percent; in Baltimore less than half; and in Cleveland, Ohio, but 30 percent. England will average well over 75 percent, and Canada 72 percent.

"Side-stepping" Railed Legal procedure, which permits criminals and those charged with crimes to escape through "side-stepping" is severely scored in the report. "Instead of a loosely-built rail fence through which criminals can break seemingly at will, what is needed, to use the language of a farmer, is 'a fence, horse high, bull strong, and hog tight,'" it is stated. A survey shows that there are no less than 19 of these "loop-holes." Some of them are failure to arrest, discharge want of prosecution, no true bill, failure to arraign, jump bail, conviction set aside on appeal, suspended sentence, new trial, and finally, parole and pardon after committed to penal institutions.

"Our rural areas have no police," declares the report, and then it declares emphatically that the systems in use in small towns and rural areas is "but a decayed and attenuated survival of ancient systems which England had at different periods of its early history. Today our sheriffs are elected locally and are never the strongest men in the counties, and are usually paid an inadequate salary. Not a single sheriff so far as we know has creat-

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Smith, Packard And Hodge To Go To Geology Meet

Papers on State Research To Be Read by Oregon Representatives

Dr. W. D. Smith, head of the geology department, will attend the annual meeting of the Geological Society of America to be held at Berkeley March 8, 9, and 10. Professors E. T. Hodge and E. L. Packard also will represent the University. The meeting is especially that of the cordilleran section and will deal with the regions west of the Rockies.

Dr. Smith, the only professor in this state who is a member of the National Research Committee, will present several papers. He will talk on the Wallowa mountains, the Owyhee dam, and the diatomite deposits in eastern Oregon. Professor Hodge will have a paper prepared on his work in the Deschutes region and Professor Packard will report on his research work in the John Day district.

Smith will be gone at least 10 days. From Berkeley he will go south to the mountains about 100 miles east of Los Angeles, where he will look over the mineral deposits there. He also intends to inspect the newly perfected seismograph at Pasadena, a duplicate of which the University of Oregon hopes to have some day. The meeting at Berkeley will consist mainly of research and progress reports and papers on the geological features of the west coast, Dr. Smith said.

where methods of dealing with criminals could be studied, is a vital need in this country, the committee declares. The introduction of scientific methods is held to be the only solution to the present situation, of which the committee says in conclusion, "Science has as yet gained little foothold in the work of protecting society from crime."

Pledging Announcement Phi Chi Theta, national honorary commerce fraternity for women, announces the pledging of Allison Wilder, of Bend, Oregon.

The committee declares that the grand jury system has little or no justification, and it recommends that the responsibility for this part of the procedure be put directly upon the prosecuting attorney. The grand jury has already virtually been abolished in 24 states, it is cited. One way of cutting cost and avoiding delay, that most fruitful cause of defeated justice, is through a reduction in the number of jury trials. "This can be accomplished as it is at present in Maryland, where the accused has the right to elect whether he shall be tried by court or jury. Actually, 93 percent of all cases in 1925 chose the court, it is stated. An actual research laboratory,

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Ph.D. Degree Granted Ethel I. Sonburn at Stanford University

Miss Ethel I. Sanborn, instructor in the department of plant biology in the University of Oregon, who has been studying at Stanford University since last September, passed her examination for Ph.D. there last Friday, according to a telegram received here Saturday by Professor A. R. Sweetser of the botany department.

Her major thesis was on the hepatic mosses of Oregon and her minor work was on the fossil plants of Oregon. She is collaborating with Dr. Chaney, of the Carnegie Institution of Washington, in the preparation of a paper on the paleobotany of Goshen and the neighboring region.

Miss Sanborn is a member of Sigma Xi, honorary scientific fraternity, and Alpha Xi Delta sorority.

Revue Singers Will Be Told Place for Last Tryouts Today

Aspirants for singing parts in Junior Revue who successfully passed the first tryouts will be informed individually today concerning the place for the final appearances. Up to a late hour last night Boone Hendricks and Madge Normie, of the music committee, were unable to secure a place.

There is still need of more talent, according to Hendricks, and anybody interested is asked to come. They may be informed of the place by calling either member of the music committee.

Those passing the first tryouts are: Marvin Jane Hawkins, Kermit Ragain, John Mohl, Gretchen Kier, Stella Fishburn, Lucile Edwards, Alice Edwards, Catherine Miller, Cecile Coss, Reba Powers, Marjorie Clark, J. A. Woodworth, Bud Christensen, Bill Schaefer, Chown Phillips.

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Yale Officials Name Grad Football Coach

(By United Press) NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 27.—Yale athletic authorities chose Tad Jones' successor tonight and picked a pupil of the famed mentor to carry on the work.

Marvin Allen Stevens, star half back on the team of "Menthis Bill" Mallory and back coach at the University since his senior year, 1925, was selected at a meeting of the board of control of the Yale Athletic association. In making the announcement of Stevens' election, Professor George Nepleton, chairman of the board, stressed the fact that he was a "resident member of the University Community."

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