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### A Plea for Fewer, Smaller and Quieter Dog Fights

Buoyed up by the success attendant upon the Emerald's recent crusade for soap in the men's gymnasium, another campaign is being launched with this issue for fewer and smaller dog fights in the Condon reserve library.

Where those dogs come from or where they are going or to whom they belong no one has ventured to prophesy. But the dogs are there. Practically any afternoon or evening, especially Sunday afternoon, dogs of every kind, shape, color, description and previous condition of servitude congregate in the main reading room at Condon. Small, brown canines; huge, woolly specimens; speckled, shaggy Airedales; fox terriers, bull-dogs, and police hounds—all are represented in the university's sacred shrine of study.

Usually the dogs troop in, sniff around, and lie down complacently at the foot of some conscientious seeker after knowledge. Sometimes they (the dogs) leave the building peacefully after surveying the situation. But often a fight is started when two or more flea carriers desire to occupy the floor space under the same desk.

Or silence will be reigning, the dogs contentedly dozing, and a stray member of the dog fraternity out on the street will pierce the stillness of the night or afternoon with a bark at the wheels of a speeding automobile. Shriek calls like these are heeded; every dog in the library either answers immediately in kind or assembles at double time, leaving a startled audience of scholars in nerve-frayed bewilderment.

Unless other suitable ordinances can be passed for the proper educational guidance of the dogs of this community, the Emerald recommends the immediate procurement of kennels and chains to accommodate them and make for the maintenance of peace.

### Commerce Fraternity Appoints Committee

To cooperate with the national committee of research sponsored by Alpha Kappa Psi, national professional commerce fraternity, the local chapter has appointed a chairman for a home committee.

Philip A. Livesley, of Portland, has been appointed as chairman of the committee. Livesley is a junior majoring in business administration. He has had considerable experience in committee work, stated Ralph Geyer, president of the local chapter of Alpha Kappa Psi.

The object of the committee is to prepare a report as to the kind of work high school graduates get and their remuneration, as compared with college graduates.

"It is believed," said Ralph Geyer, "that some interesting statistics as to the value of a higher education will be forthcoming from this research."

At the same meeting of the chapter, Frank R. Hallin, senior majoring in business administration, was elected as master of ritual, to take the place of Ronald M. McCreight, who left the university recently to accept a position with the Jantzen Knitting Mills of Portland.

### Italian Vocalist to Sing Solos for Oratorio Society

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the soprano soloist. She also appeared in "Elijah" last year.  
Bernice Alstock, also of Portland,

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## CAMPUS BULLETIN

Tabard Inn will meet tonight, 7:30, at the home of L. Kenneth Shumaker, 1369 Emerald street.

Pot and Quill meeting, 7:30 in the men's room of the Woman's building.

The German club will meet tonight at 8 at the Alpha Omicron Pi house. This is the last open meeting and all those familiar with German and interested in it are invited.

The make-up staff of the campus movie will meet in room 104, Journalism at 3 o'clock tomorrow.

Thespian meeting to be held tonight (Tuesday) at 7:30 o'clock.

Prof. A. E. Moore's class in elementary biology will have a lecture at the regular hour instead of a quiz.

Important business meeting of Sigma Delta Chi today at noon at the Anchorage.

Open meeting sponsored by Alpha Kappa Delta Thursday evening in Alumni hall. Sociology majors are invited.

Theta Sigma Phi luncheon at Anchorage today noon.

The Y. W. C. A. cabinet will meet tonight at 7:30 at the Bungalow.

Frosh commission is to meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Y. W. C. A. Bungalow.

Christian Science organization at University of Oregon holds its regular services tonight at 8 in the Warner Museum library, third floor of the Woman's building. All connected with the university are cordially invited to attend these services.

Mu Phi Epsilon and Phi Mu Alpha will have their pictures taken today at 4 o'clock in front of the old library.

### The Ambler

Yesterday we saw:  
BOB KNOX biting the end of his fountain pen... ALIDA THIRLWELL loaded with books... PATRICIO PASCUA showing his gold tooth in a wide grin... EVAN HUGHES and his butterfly tie... AGNES STALSBERG carrying a towel... CARL KLEMM snubbing a relative... GWENDOLYN SHEPARD, her mouth full of sauté-wich... OLGA SADILEK skipping up the steps of the Ad building... BERNICE LUND winking at a friend... MERLYN MAGER reading during a lecture... JACK RICE telling another fib.

### Emerald Reporters Search For the Elusive Aimee

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the dining car," remarked the porter, whose bribe had evidently not been sufficient.

"But you can't come on this train," reiterated the conductor.

The girl ran back to the lighted cars. There was no one standing at the door to the kitchen car. She dashed in; ran through the ears; chicken, potatoes, and negroes; then into the diner. No one there looked like Aimee. Then into the Pullman. "Did you," she gasped to an unsuspecting woman, "see Mrs. MacPherson?"

"Why yes," the woman answered.

### A FRESHMAN WALKED IN

the Anchorage the other day and said "Gee, I didn't know this place was here. Why didn't someone tell me." We hope there aren't many like that.

The ANCHORAGE

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"She is here in one of these drawing rooms."  
There were two compartments. One of them A and one of them B. The naive reporter knocked on B. "Come in," said a man's voice.  
As far as it was known, Aimee wasn't travelling with a man. The wrong compartment.  
The reporter lifted her hand to knock on the next door. She looked up and saw the conductor. He took her by the shoulder. "You are disturbing the passengers. You will have to get off." His hand was a firm one. The girl got off.  
The four reporters met outside. "The brakeman said that she was in ear 40," said the scholarly boy.  
"This is the window of her compartment," gasped the girl and tried to reach it, but she wasn't tall enough. The boy with the wide grin rapped on the window; he rapped and rapped. Aimee refused to "open up."  
Then the train moved. It dived into the night. The flag showed its red light; then turned to green. Aimee was gone.



**By OSBORNE HOLLAND**  
The old reliable crook drama has been resurrected once more and presented in a new form in "The Midnight Taxi," now playing at the McDonald theater. Rum runners, hijackers and gem thieves combine to furnish a thrilling picture of underworld aristocrats matching wits with each other.  
Antonio Moreno has raised a brand new soup-strainer especially for "The Midnight Taxi" and is excellently cast as a wholesale liquor dealer who turns out to be the hero. William Russel and Myrna Loy, who are fast becoming the standard pair of crooks, have again run away with high honors and stolen the leading roles.  
Plenty of comedy is provided by the antics of Tommy Dugan, fresh from the Bowers, whose unusual gags give rise to many a hearty laugh. Although the picture is brimming over with romance and action and very well directed, it somehow falls short of being a really big production.  
**This Week's Program**  
McDONALD—Tuesday, Antonio Moreno in "The Midnight Taxi," Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, "The Patriot," starring Emil Jannings.  
COLONIAL—Tuesday, Florence Vidor in "Doomsday," Wednesday and Thursday, George Bancroft in "The Dragnet"; Friday and Saturday, Charlie Chaplin in "The Circus."  
REX—Tuesday, "The Outcast," starring Corinne Griffith and Edmund Lowe; Wednesday and Thursday, Esther Ralston in "The Sawdust Paradise"; Friday and Saturday, "The Water Hole."  
HEILIG—Tuesday and Wednesday, the Taylor Players in "The Family Upstairs"; Thursday only, Association vaudeville road show; Friday and Saturday, the Taylor Players in "Saintly Hypocrites and Honest Sinners."

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## Tickets for B. A. S. A. Dance on Sale Today

### February 8 Is Date of Hop; Novel Pasteboards 75c

Tickets for the Business Administration Student Body association dance scheduled for Friday, February 8, in the Woman's building, are now on sale, Ralph Geyer, chairman of publicity, announced yesterday.



"The price," said the chairman, "is the lowest ever charged for a campus dance. Just six bits."  
Representatives to handle ticket sales were appointed as follows: Grace Griggs, Roma Whisnant, Harvey Robertson, Ralph Geyer, Delbert Richmond, and Margaret Barratt.  
Tickets may also be purchased at the library in the Commerce building, Geyer stated.

Commerce is reflected from even the tickets for this dance, the first social event of the association. They are printed in the form of a balance sheet with the outstanding features entered as debits and credits.  
Assets are entered as:  
Goodwill, patents and processes .....\$1.00  
Hall, plant and equipment .25  
Orchestra notes receivable .40  
Operating punch .....10  
Total .....\$1.75  
Liabilities:  
Notes payable .....\$.75  
Contingent good time profits .....1.00  
Total .....\$1.75

### Records Are Broken in Saturday's Swimming Meet

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the 200-yard event. Miller, Blankenburg, and Edwards were the swimmers.

A crowd taxing to capacity the seating arrangements of the Woman's building pool was present at Saturday's meet. A hundred or more were turned away.

One of the events at the meet expected to set new time was a wash-out as far as records were concerned. The 100 yard free style time was 58 seconds, the Pacific coast short course record being held by Johnny Anderson at 56 seconds. Anderson himself was third, placing behind Mae Miller, freshman, and Chet Floyd, his varsity team mate.

Summary:  
160-yard relay—varsity, first; freshmen, second. Winning team, Floyd, Sharp, Hatton, Anderson. Time, 1:19.4 (Pacific coast confer-

once record is 1:19.2 held by Stanford).  
200-yard breast stroke—Blankenburg, freshmen, first; Lafferty, freshmen, second; Sharp, varsity, third. Time, 2:36 flat. (Betters unofficially national intercollegiate record of 2:36.5).  
40-yard free style—Walton, freshmen, first; Floyd, varsity, second; Anderson, varsity, third. Time, :19.4.  
440-yard free style—Silverman, varsity, first; Hanson, freshmen, second; Creech, varsity, third. Time, 5:38. (Betters unofficially Pacific coast conference record of 1:49.5 held by Anderson).  
150-yard back stroke—Walton, freshmen, first; Torrey, freshmen, second; Allen, varsity, third. Time, 1:45.2. (Betters unofficially Pacific coast conference record of 1:49.5 held by Anderson).  
100-yard free style—Miller, freshmen, first; Floyd, varsity, second; Anderson, varsity, third. Time, :58.  
Fancy diving—Thompson, varsity, first; Dirks, freshmen, second; Marvlatte, freshmen, third.  
Medley relay—Freshmen, first; varsity, second. Winning team, Miller, Blankenburg and Edwards. Time, 3:31.4.

### Chinese Art Reports Read at Club Meeting

The Domestic Arts club met Monday afternoon, February 4, in the Porcelain room in the Woman's building. Two papers on Chinese art were special features on the program at this meeting. Mrs. Mabel F. Whitton Swaford read a paper on the history and use of Chinese pottery, speaking especially of the Ming blue and white, the Ming red, and the "peach-bloom" pottery; and Mrs. R. H. Pierce read one on "Underglazed and Overglazed Porcelain."  
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### COMING

## Emil Jannings in THE PATRIOT

It Comes Tomorrow at the McDonald

## INQUIRING REPORTER

Today's question: Do you think that house grades should be compiled on a comparative basis?  
Ruth Helms, senior in history: "Yes, I think it makes the students work harder for grades when they are trying to raise the standard of their house. If a house doesn't have a high standing otherwise, it will work for a high grade place on the grade sheet."  
Forrest Finley, sophomore in English: "Surely. There can't be any fair standards that are removed from a competitive basis."  
Elise Schroeder, junior in journalism: "When they decided not to have a scandal sheet any longer they did it with the idea of not giving the individual grades publicity. The way it is now it is little better than the old method, and I believe the matter of grades should concern the individual instead of the organization. It causes hard feeling between the houses, too."  
Scott Milligan, senior in journalism: "I don't think they should include law school grades because they carry fewer hours and points are hard to get. Their average is usually about a point lower."

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