



## State Editors To Meet Here On Thursday

### Osburn Banquet Big Event Of Annual Three-day Newspaper Conference

### U. of W. Journalism Dean to Be Guest Here

### Chamber of Commerce to Sponsor Dinner Friday

Arrangements for the entertainment of 150 newspapermen—editors, and publishers—attending the eleventh annual press conference to be held on the University of Oregon campus February 21, 22, and 23, were begun last night by a committee of chamber of commerce men, J. E. Shelton, chairman, E. W. Merrell and W. F. Gilstrap.

This committee has arranged to hold the banquet which is always one of the high spots of this annual affair, Friday night, the twenty-second. The banquet will be at the Osburn hotel, will begin at 6:50 and will end promptly at 8:30, to allow the newspapermen to attend the Oregon-Washington basketball game, which is being held until 8:45.

### Gleemen to Sing

Music for the evening will be furnished by the Eugene Gleemen, who acted in that capacity at the last banquet. The speaker of the evening will be Richard W. Montague, of Portland, well-known lawyer, whose performances at occasions of this kind has always been of the best. Another speaker will be Vernon McKenzie, head of the school of journalism of the University of Washington, who is to be a guest at the conference. Pod Sten, senior in journalism, will be heard as the student speaker at the banquet, and either President Arnold Bennett Hall or Burt Brown Barker, vice-president of the university, will give a talk from the college executives' viewpoint. It was announced by Eric W. Allen, dean of the journalism school, and toastmaster for the banquet.

### Good Stories Expected

Other speakers from among the visiting editors are yet to be chosen by Dean Allen. The usual flood of good stories, for which this affair has become famous, are expected to be forthcoming, according to those in charge.

Tickets for the affair are being sold by members of Professor Turnbull's reporting class. The entire downtown business section is being divided into blocks, with one business man in each block acting as chairman of a selling committee. Two university students will work under each chairman.

### Field Managers Guests

Field managers of three states will also be guests at the conference this year, according to Dean Allen. John C. Long is the representative for California, Fred W. Kennedy represents Washington, and Harris Ellsworth is Oregon's manager.

For the first time members of the conference will be entertained at a luncheon in the new men's dorm Saturday noon. Members of Sigma Delta Chi, journalism honorary fraternity, are in charge of this affair.

## Y. W. to Get Proceeds Of Frosh Commission Waffle Sale Feb. 20

Work is well under way for the waffle sale which is to be sponsored by the frosh commission February 20 at the Y. W. C. A. Bungalow, according to Virginia H. Smith, general chairman of the event.

The proceeds of the sale, which is a revival of a similar affair the commission put on two years ago, will go to the Y. W. C. A.

Elizabeth Kayser has announced the appointment of the following girls to serve at the sale: Myrtle McDaniell, Elaine Borthwick, Marie Myers, Dorothy Durlath, Esther Kayser, Beth Ann Johnson, Jeanne Knapp, Charlotte Simpson, Roma Gross, and Mary Janet Sheehy.

Instead of the regular afternoon meeting, the frosh commission will hold a supper Tuesday evening from 6 to 7 o'clock at the Y. W. Bungalow.

Margaret Edmondson is to lead the group in singing, and a very informal atmosphere will prevail. The purpose of the supper is to promote friendship among freshman women. Lois Nelson, president of the frosh commission, particularly urged that everyone come. The charge is to be 25 cents.

Helenarr Grissom is in charge of the meeting.

## Mission Worker Will Visit Campus

### Alice E. Gwinn to Give Talks During Stay

Alice E. Gwinn, who is on a leave of absence from Japan, where she is working on the American board of foreign missions, will be on the campus Sunday and Monday.

Sunday night she will give a talk at the Congregational church. Any student who is interested may attend the meeting.

Monday noon she will speak at a luncheon for both men and women at the Y. M. C. A. hut. Her topic will be "Present Day Missionary Attitudes in the Light of the Jerusalem Conference."

Miss Gwinn will be at the Y. W. C. A. Bungalow all day Monday and will be glad to give interviews to students who wish to talk to her.

## Frosh Swim Team Meets Rooks Today

### Varsity Leaves for South Tomorrow; Practice Today Last Before Trip

The Oregon freshman swimming team meets the O. S. C. rooks in a dual contest this afternoon at Corvallis, the first appearance of the freshmen in conference competition. They will swim with Salem high school next Saturday in the Woman's building pool.

In today's meet the freshmen will swim without the services of Tommy Blankenburg, Frank Walton, and McGowan Miller, who are ineligible for freshman competition. Members of the freshman squad who are leaving for Corvallis at noon today are: Hanson, Pratt, Edwards, Torrey, Lafferty, free style swimmers; Stevens, back stroke; Datson, breast stroke; Dirks and Ward, divers. Two managers, Hedlund and Peterson, will make the trip.

The Oregon varsity, consisting of 13 swimmers, divers, and water polo players, will leave tomorrow noon for California, where meets with four schools have been arranged in swimming and polo. Schedule of the trip is as follows: University of California, Tuesday, February 19; Stanford university, February 20; University of Southern California, February 22; U. C. L. A. (water polo only), February 23. Final team practice for the varsity will be held today. The swimmers will work at starting and turning and will practice water polo. Fast time tryouts in a number of events were held last night.

Mac Miller, one of the freshman ineligibles, swam the 220-yard free style event against time Friday and made the remarkable time of 2:21 in the event, which is nine seconds better than the coast record and only three seconds longer than the national mark held by Schwartz of Northwestern.

## Quartet Will Sing At Vespers Program

The vespers services tomorrow will include several features, among which will be a cello solo, "Ave Maria," by Schubert, which will be played by Roberta Spicer. A reading by the Rev. E. V. Stivers and several selections by a quartet composed of Arthur Hanson, tenor; Mildred Gibson, contralto; John McMullen, bass; and Winona Irving, soprano, will be featured.

This quartet will sing more or less regularly at all vespers programs held this year.

## Educational Profession Overpaid Declares Writer for Scribner's

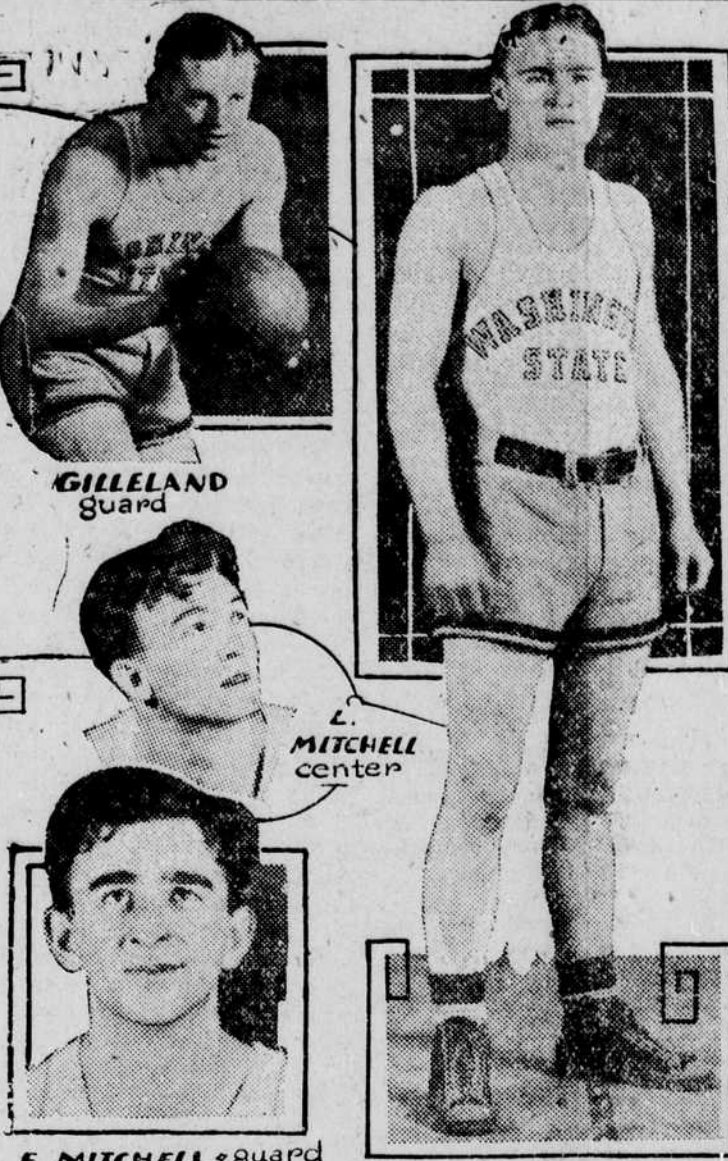
### Athletic Coach More Useful Maintains H. Whicker

The athletic coach may draw a higher salary than the college professor, but in most cases he is worth the difference, according to H. W. Whicker, a former professor, who writes for the February Scribner's magazine.

"There is at present not a more overpaid profession on earth than the academic or educational," he declares.

"The number of people who drift into college, year after year, without one quality of manhood or womanhood is amazing. In some mysterious fashion they drag through, finding the stuff suitable for their wits not in history, not in the sciences, not in the arts, but in the department of education, where, in

## Cougar Foes Play Oregon Tonight



Four Washington State college basketball players who will probably see service against the Webfoots in McArthur court tonight. Oregon played the Cougars at Pullman in January and were defeated by three points, 31-28. Billy Reinhart's men were in a playing slump at that time, but since their return to their home floor have won three games, beating O. S. C. twice and also taking Montana into camp.

## Stream Pollution Conference to Be Held on Campus

### Problems to Be Discussed; March 21 Date for Meet; Dean Bovard in Charge

About 30 state representatives are expected to attend the conference to be held on the campus March 21 and 22 to discuss problems arising from stream pollution in Oregon. The members on the committee arranging for the conference are Dean John Bovard, head of the school of physical education, chairman; James D. Barnett, of the political science department; Warren D. Smith, of the geology department; Dr. A. R. Moors, of the animal biology department; O. F. Stafford, of the chemistry department; and Dr. William Levin, of the state board of health.

The conference will be for the discussion of the general problems in connection with stream pollution. Those attending the meetings will represent organizations in the state which are particularly interested in the question, such as sporting clubs, canning companies, fish and game commissions, the state board of health, the Portland chamber of commerce, the federation of labor, and lumbermen's associations.

## Mozelle Hair to Show Slides to Girl Scouts

Miss Mozelle Hair will entertain the Girl Scout organization of Eugene with a series of lantern slides this afternoon in the auditorium at McMoran and Washburne's, starting at 2:30. The slides will portray outdoor subjects of general interest.

Miss Hair is a member of the executive council of the Girl Scouts.

## Architecture Dance To Be at Anchorage

### Gardner Picks Committees Plans in Finished Form

The architecture club has scheduled an informal dance to be held at the Anchorage next Wednesday night, February 20, from 6:30 to 10:15. Some clever features are promised by the "Thundering Four" quartet. The decorations committee, with the true artistic and architectural sense, has made big plans to transform the Anchorage into a place of art for art's sake.

Glen Carter, president of the club, has appointed the following committees for the dance: decorations, Harlow Hudson and Keith Maguire; finance, George Wardner and David Foulkes; music, George Tebbets and Virginia Paris; features, Pat Trulove and Camille Harris; refreshments, Clarence Wick and Hilda Walker.

The patrons and patronesses for the dance are Dean Ellis F. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. R. Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. Eiler Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Nowland B. Zane, John Warkquist and Percy Adams.

All house presidents are urged to allow their architecture majors to attend the dance. The dance will be \$1.25 per couple.

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## Council Puts Water Polo on Year's Trial

### Question of Major Sport Rating Must Wait Until Probation Time Served

### Campus Movie Gains Officials' Approval

### No Obligations Assumed By Associated Students

Water polo is temporarily withdrawn as a major sport, and will serve a probationary period of at least a year, at the end of which a new formal declaration as to its ranking must be made, according to a resolution drawn up and passed by the combined executive and student councils last night. Another resolution was made, favoring the idea of the campus movie as a private enterprise, but stating clearly that the student body assumed no responsibility or financial obligations.

The argument was brought up that though water polo is required in all swimming meets, it is an individual sport and as such has not served the probationary period required of other sports made major events. This year is the first in which there has been a coast conference meet, and not until next year, when the game will be played here, will the campus have an opportunity to witness contests. Water polo at Oregon is still in the pioneer stage.

### No Letters Yet

The period of probation required does not effect the southern trip that starts Sunday. Men will not get their letters, however, until formal recognition of the councils places the game among major sports.

Since a clause in the constitution gives the councils jurisdiction over campus entertainments, the question of the campus movie was considered. Jim Raley explained the organization of its directorate and the condition of its finances. He said that it was a privately-owned project, with several university students holding stock in the company at their own risk. If profits accrue from the enterprise, only the stock holders may benefit. If the movie is a failure, only the stock holders are held liable.

### Resolution Adopted

Under these conditions the council drew up the following resolution:

"Resolved, that the A. S. U. O. grants permission to the directors of the campus movie to produce a motion picture with the provision that the A. S. U. O. assumes no financial or other obligation. It is understood that the production is to be a private enterprise and is in no way a student activity. However, it is considered of such value to the university, if successful, that permission is given to sell tickets for screen tests and otherwise to operate among university students.

"It is also understood that the picture is to be produced under the direction of the university and the financial program to be approved by the committee appointed by President Hall for this purpose."

## Clarence Craw Has Operation in Portland

Clarence Craw, junior in journalism, returned to the campus yesterday afternoon after having spent two weeks in icy Portland for an operation on his nose.

## Professional Photographer Gives Advice to Campus Movie Directors

### Americans Demand Films With a Happy Ending

"I came up here supposedly on a vacation," laughed James H. McBride, late of Hollywood, California, "and look what I got into! Mr. McBride is the general supervisor of the Campus Movie, and is giving the production directors, Carvel Nelson, James Raley and Bea Milligan, much valuable advice in the ways and means of motion picture making.

McBride has been connected with Cecil DeMille, Hollywood director, for eight years, in the capacity of photographer, and has taken part in such productions as "King of Kings," "The Volga Boatman," "Feet of Clay," "West Point," and "The Goddess Girl."

He has also sold scenarios, or rather ideas, for that is all com-

## Webfoots and Cougars Ready for Conference Tilt at Igloo Tonight

### Washington State Basketball Team Is Eager to Defeat Oregonians for the Second Time in 1929 Hoop Season

### Reinhart, Coach, Makes No Changes in Lineup; Vandals and Huskies to Play Here Next Week

By JOE PIGNEY

The Oregon basketball team, nearing the end of the 1929 season, plays Washington State at McArthur court tonight at 8:00 o'clock. The Webfoots already have been defeated by the Cougars, but the chances for a comeback are far from impossible.

Throughout the season the Oregon team has shown remarkable power of recuperation. After having lost all four games on the northern road trip, Oregon returned to Eugene and began its assault on the first division of the northern section of the Pacific coast conference by defeating Oregon State at Corvallis.

### Probable Lineups

W. S. C.	OREGON
Buckley	F. Bidings
McDowell	F. Milligan
Mitchell	C. J. Eberhart
Gilleland	G. Horner
Van Tuyl	G. Epps
Referee:	Bill Mulligan, Epps
Kane;	umpire, Bob Mathews, Portland.

The first conference victory of the year encouraged the Webfoots and four days later they trounced

Montana on McArthur court. The team was beginning to find itself, and soon after the Montana contest, scored its second victory of the year over Oregon State college.

A victory over the Cougars tonight will shove Oregon up to a 500 per cent

standing in the conference. Washington State, unlike Oregon, apparently spent all its energy at the first of the season. For a time, the Cougars topped the standings with three wins, while Washington, the present leader, was running a close second with two victories.

Since then, however, both Idaho and Washington have pulled away from the Cougars. Washington is way out in front with six wins and no defeats and practically is assured of representing the northern section in the play-off with the California champion. Idaho has reclaimed second place, and still clings to the hope of gaining a tie with Washington for the leadership of the north.

### Oregon Stages Comeback

Oregon is hopelessly out of running for the title, and has been from nearly the first of the season. The Webfoots, however, are trying to make good their threats at a comeback, and so far have succeeded. If they can win all three of the remaining games, they will finish the season in second or third place, which will be an excellent showing considering the poor start.

There will be no change in the Oregon lineup tonight, and the same combination which has won the last three conference games will start against the Cougars tonight. Jean Eberhart will be at center, Gordon Bidings and Scott Milligan, forwards, and Cliff Horner and Dave Epps, guards.

### Two More Games on Schedule

The sensational recovery of the Oregon team has been the talk of the conference. Washington tonight will find the Webfoots in better form than when they were in Pullman. The situation now is exactly reversed. The Cougars are now on their road trip, playing on unfamiliar territory. Their game with Oregon State at Corvallis last night was a hard one, and they may show the strain just as Oregon did at Pullman after the Husky game.

Two more games remain on the Oregon schedule after the game tonight. Idaho will be here Monday and then Washington Friday. The Webfoots lost to both these teams in the north, but are eager to make amends this time.

## Games Will Precede Meeting of Wesleyans

Four students will have charge of the meeting of the Wesley club, student organization of the Methodist church, at its meeting at 6:30 Sunday night at the church on Willamette street. The subject to be discussed is, "What is the Matter with our Representation of Christ?" The four who will speak are: Jessie Winchell, sophomore in education; Helenarr Grissom, freshman in nurses' training; Francisco Tubban, sophomore in education; Carl Knowles, who was a sophomore in biology here last year.

A half hour of games, beginning at 6, will precede the meeting. Ruth Johnson, sophomore in physical education, is in charge of the games. Every student interested is invited to attend.

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