

Vodvil Leads, Men's Chorus Are Selected

Elliott Cause of Dispute Between Vodvil and Movie Producers

Betty Barnes Is Leading Woman

Parts Given to Siegfried, Clark, Normille Also

The leads of "Oh Dear," with the exception of the character of Jack, a somewhat naive freshman in the university, were announced last night by Paul Hunt, general chairman of Junior Week End. The men's chorus was also announced.

The leading characters are as follows: Mary Frances, a friend of Jack's, and also a freshman, Betty Barnes, of Oakland, California.

Bob, a traveling salesman and brother of Mary Frances, Billy Siegfried, of Hollywood, California. Polly, talkative sorority sister of Mary Frances, Marjorie Clark, of Hepner.

Mitzi, a show girl, Madge Normille, of San Diego, California. Two comedians, Homer Dickson, of Dunsuir, California, and Jack Jones, of Portland.

Debates on Parts

Verne Elliott, of Portland, who was selected to take the part of Jack, was also chosen to take the lead in the campus movie, which is now being produced. The discussion as to which show should have Elliott waxed quite warm between the two groups of directors for a time, and the matter was referred to Karl Onthank, executive secretary of the university and adviser of the movie. Onthank decided in favor of the movie on the ground that it was to be a more lasting production and hence should draw the best talent of the campus. So the Vodvil reluctantly relinquished its claim on Elliott and is now searching for a new male lead.

The men who will make up the men's chorus of the show are as follows: Morris Kinney, Jack Daut, Bud Williamson, Tom Dunham, Crosby Owens, William Hammond, Dan Maginnis, Frank O'Bryant, Mac Miller, Bob Cummins, Dan Chew, and Bill Gillette.

Nearly all of the leading characters of the show have had considerable dramatic experience, Hunt said. Betty Barnes had special training in dramatics in the East before coming to the university. Billy Siegfried has taken part in a number of Guild hall productions. Marjorie Clark was a member of the girl's trio of "Dream Follies," 1928 Junior Vodvil, and Madge Normille took a leading part in the same production.

Rehearsals Start

The tryouts for the specialty acts of the Vodvil were held in Villard hall last night, and as soon as these numbers are selected, the cast of the comedy will be complete.

Pony chorus number one of the Vodvil held its first rehearsal in Villard yesterday afternoon under the direction of Virginia Moore, dancing director of the production staff. The girls learned the first dance of the show at that time. The same chorus will hold its second rehearsal this afternoon in Villard at 4 o'clock. The members of the chorus are urged by Miss Moore to watch the campus bulletin of the Emerald for announcements regarding rehearsals.

Suitcase Defies Collegiate Hercules Husky Lad Wins in Unique Contest

Most any one would jump at the chance to walk off with a couple of suitcases containing \$10,000 worth of jewelry, but the average college male probably would not get more than four or five blocks with them, if tests conducted near the campus yesterday afternoon may be taken as a guide.

A salesman of a national firm called at a house on the campus yesterday afternoon, with two large black leather boxes of fraternity jewelry.

"Boys," he said, "these cases may not feel very heavy, but I won \$5 from an unfortunate Delt this afternoon, who was foolish enough to bet me that he could carry them six blocks." He pulled a \$5 bill from his wallet, and waved it exultantly in the air.

A chap who hails from up the McKenzie river, where men think nothing of strangling bears with their bare hands, lifted the cases, appraised their weight, and bet the salesman \$5 that he could

New Club House Ready for Faculty

Men's Group Prepares To Take Possession

A club house for the Faculty club that is being remodeled will be open for occupation early next week, according to S. Stephenson Smith, chairman of the board and president of the group. An informal reception will be held April 5.

Purchased by the university for the organization, the building is located at 1390 Emerald. Downstairs there are two club rooms, a dining room and a sun porch, decorated in modern style. N. B. Zane and Eyley Brown of the art department faculty had charge of the decoration plans. Dr. Ray P. Bowen, head of the romance languages department, is chairman of the house committee, in charge of the selection and purchasing of furniture and materials for decoration. Mr. Zane is assistant.

Dining room service will be from

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Campus Movie Splendid Work, Says President

Picturing Campus Life 'As Is' Approved By Dr. Hall

Onthank Praises Students For Their Initiative

Enthusiastically commending Oregon's campus movie as a splendid opportunity to acquaint the youth of the state with the better side of college life, Dr. Arnold Bennett Hall, president of the university, and Karl W. Onthank, executive secretary, recently expressed hearty approval of the undertaking and urged the entire student body to support it.

George H. Godfrey, director of the bureau of public relations, who discussed the movie with President Hall just preceding his departure for California, said yesterday that the administrative head regards it as a wonderful project. Its primary function should be to acquaint youth of the state with the better side of college life, the president told Mr. Godfrey. "President Hall thinks it will be a very fine thing to show over all the state and commends it not only as a dramatic effort but as one conceived and executed through student initiative," Mr. Godfrey related. "It has the highest support of the university and the administration will be glad to give assistance wherever possible," the president told the director of the bureau.

"It is a rare opportunity to show the real university life and certainly deserves the support of the students," declared Mr. Onthank who has recently gone over a good part of the scenario.

Both the president and Mr. Onthank stressed the fact that they believed the movie should picture university life as it is.

To Show Iron Movie

"Ingot Iron," a three-reel motion picture will be shown under the auspices of the department of geology in Villard hall from 2 to 3 this afternoon. The picture, released by the U. S. Bureau of Mines, will be of the same nature as the picture, "The Story of Steel," which was shown at Villard Wednesday evening.

Leading Actors In Campus Movie



Spring Football Practice Slated To Start Monday

Hagan to Assist McEwan In Coaching His Grid Machine Prospects

All varsity football practice will report for first spring practice of the term Monday afternoon, according to Captain John J. McEwan, head coach. Both regulars and last year's freshmen are expected to turn out as training in plays to be used next fall will be covered in this and subsequent practices. Spring football will last only a short time but will be used next fall to turn out as training in plays to be used next fall will be covered in this and subsequent practices.

Austin Colbert

About 45 linemen, ends, and backfield men are expected to report Monday. This is approximately the squad with which McEwan will start work next fall. Several of the varsity regulars who were not in school last term have registered again and will be out for the spring workouts. Austin Colbert and George Christenson, regulars at tackle last season, will be out as well as will be George Chappell, substitute to "Ban" Stadelman at center.

McEwan will be assisted by Merrill Hagan, three year letterman who will graduate this spring. Hagan will have charge of the linemen while the head coach will spend most of his time with the backfield and ends. Jack Erdley and Gene Tarbell, freshman ends, are among the outstanding aspirants for the wing position left vacant by the graduation of LaSelle Coles. Woodward Archer was the varsity regular in the other wing position last season.

Nelson Campus Agent For Airplane Rides

Airplane rides in ships inspected and supervised by the Hobi Airways, Inc., have been arranged for students of the university at reduced rates by John Nelson, business manager of the 1929 Oregon. Tickets for rides have been placed on sale at the associated students office in Friendly hall, Nelson announced yesterday.

Trips will be made in Travelair planes, against which no mishaps of any kind have as yet been recorded because of faulty construction. The route will follow the Willamette river for some miles and return in a wide circle to the campus.

R. O. T. C. Inspection Will Be Held April 17

Annual inspection of the University of Oregon's R. O. T. C. unit by Major E. C. Waddill, headquarters of the ninth corps area, will take place on April 17. The corps head stationed at the Presidio, San Francisco, will inspect the routine training carried on by the local unit, and no special formations will take place.

Major Waddill will inspect the Medical R. O. T. C. of the university's medical school at Portland April 18, after inspecting the unit at O. S. C. at Corvallis.

Sonia Wilderman Has San Francisco Position

Sonia Wilderman has resigned her position in the order department of the library and has gone to San Francisco, where she will take over the duties of librarian for the Commonwealth club of that city.

A successor to Miss Wilderman has not yet been chosen, according to M. H. Douglass, Oregon librarian.



The three leading actors who have been assigned definite parts in campus movie. Reading from the left they are: Norman Eastman, who plays the part of the rotund, jovial friend of the hero; Jewel Jovial, who plays the part of a sophisticated college student and is the room mate of the lead; Verne Elliot, the leading man who wins the college belle.

Princess Has Measles Snow White Postponed

Princess Snow White has the measles! And that's not the lines in the play, but an actual tragedy. With the cast of "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" ready to perform tomorrow morning at the Rex theater, the disturbing news began to circulate that Loleta Jaeger, the young leading lady, was stricken. Director Constance Roth grabbed a telephone, Leading Man Bob Guild made a lunge for the telephone book, the dwarfs, the maids of honor, the dukes and duchesses, all held up their hands in horror and waited for the news. Yes, it was right. The little princess was developing funny red spots on her snow-white countenance—in other words, the measles.

Then they all sat down, the director, the cast, the stage manager, and the costumers. They all sat down and looked solemnly at each other. Not even the wicked Queen Brangomar or Witch Hex laughed. At length Constance Roth decided there was only one thing to be done. The play must be postponed, for without Snow White there wasn't much plot. So "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" will not be presented to the public for another two weeks.

Miss Jaeger is not seriously ill and will soon be well, according to all reports, and the court physician says neither the lovely complexion nor the sweet disposition of the little princess will be harmed.

First Hockey Practice For Women Monday

Hockey practice will start next Monday at 5 o'clock when freshmen will turn out at the Woman's building. It was announced yesterday by Miss Louise Hodges, coach, and Ruth Burcham, senior, head of hockey.

Freshmen will practice from 5 to 6 Monday, sophomores at the same hour Tuesday, juniors at the same time Wednesday, and seniors at the same hour Thursday.

The regular practice schedule will be announced the following week. "We want to urge both beginners and experienced players to turn out," said Ruth Burcham yesterday. "This coming week a great deal of time will be devoted to the new players."

Committee Heads Meet

Jane Cochran, chairman of April Frolic, has called a meeting of committee heads at the Chi Omega house today at 5 o'clock. The Frolic, scheduled for April 20, will be an entertainment by university women with each class presenting a stunt, and with musical numbers given. A smoker will be held the same evening for all university men.

SERIAL INSIDE

The Emerald's serial satire on Collegiana, "Stude's Progress," will be found on the editorial page of today's issue. The story started in Wednesday morning's paper and will continue in regular installments for the next month.



Oregon Program To Be Broadcast Over KORE at 8

Weekly Sport Talk Tonight Promises Great Interest, Says Joe Pigney

Tonight's radio program sponsored by the Oregon Professional Sport Writers' association over KORE every Friday night at 8, promises to be the best of the series, according to Joe Pigney, secretary of the organization, who is in charge of the event.

Don Moe, captain of the Oregon golf team, will be the principal speaker.

Moe, Oregon state champion and prominent throughout the country for his sensational playing in national tournaments, will describe some of the big meets he has competed in during the last few seasons. Moe is acquainted with many of the outstanding golfers in America and will give his first hand impression of them.

Then Oregon golf captain is particularly interested in the rapid growth of intercollegiate meets. Until recently college tournaments attracted little attention, but now they are becoming as important as most sectional meets. Moe is coaching the candidates for the varsity, and will tell of Oregon's chances in the Pacific coast conference championships at Seattle, May 15 and 16.

Sam Wilderman, director of publicity for the A. S. U. O., will review the past week in sports. Esther Saagar, winner of the Schroeder music scholarship, will sing over KORE in conjunction with the weekly sport program. She will be accompanied by Harry Lamb at the piano.

District Winners Vie In High School Debates

District winners of the Oregon high school debate league, competing for the state championship, have been decided and inter-district debates are now in progress. The district winners were Seapooose, Sheridan, Dallas, Roseburg, North Bend, Ashland, The Dalles, Hermiston, and Lostine.

Inter-district debates have been arranged in two series, one for eastern and one for western Oregon. Winners in each section will debate for the title on the Oregon campus in May. Ashland high, by winning the DeCou cup for three years, now has permanent possession of it, so Professor E. E. DeCou, head of the university mathematics department, has decided to donate a new cup for competition this season. Burt Brown Barker, vice-president of the university, will award silver cups to sectional winners.

Presbyterian Students Will Hold Breakfast

Presbyterian students will hold their annual Easter morning breakfast at Westminster, 1414 Kincaid, Sunday morning, March 31, at 7:30 a. m. All students on the campus are invited to attend, said Max Adams, student pastor, last night. Those interested are asked to notify Mrs. C. Carter at the house.

New officers for the Westminster forum, the student discussion group will also be installed at that time. Those nominated are: Carl Moore, president; John Gale, vice-president; and Helen Holt, secretary and treasurer. Previous to the breakfast a short communion service will be conducted by Mr. Adams.

Oregon to Debate Stanford April 4

Question to Be Argued Over Station KEX

A radio debate to be broadcast over KEX, Portland, will be held next Thursday. The University of Oregon will meet Stanford university on some phase of the French question, probably the cancellation of the French war debt to the United States. The debaters will not be informed of the question nor of the side which they will be expected to defend until two hours before the contest.

Avery Thompson and Harvey Wright, juniors, will comprise the Oregon squad. The men have but a week to prepare the general subject.



A. Thompson

Dr. V. G. Blue Gets Summer Trip to Japanese Cities

Present Conditions in Educational Circles To Be Studied

Mrs. Murray Warner to Finance Expenses

Verne G. Blue, professor of social science and oriental history, will be sent to Japan by the university this summer to make a study of present day conditions in Japanese educational and political circles. His expenses will be paid with money provided by Mrs. Murray Warner, director of the Murray Warner oriental art museum.

Dr. Blue expects to sail from Seattle between the first and the tenth of June. He will spend most of his two and a half months' stay in the larger cities, including Tokyo, Yokohama, and Kobe.

"I shall spend as much time as possible around the large Japanese universities, especially the Imperial university at Tokyo," he said yesterday. "I want to let the faculties and the students know what we are doing at the University of Oregon to promote friendly relations with the orient, and to find out what attitudes they have toward our common problems of the Pacific."

"I also wish to inquire into the extent of radicalism in Japan and into the growth of their Labor party, and to find out how the Japanese are meeting political problems similar to those of the occident."

'Old Oregon' Features College Merger Bill

The feature of the March issue of "Old Oregon" was an article on the passing of the merger bill at the Oregon legislature. "The new law promises a thorough study of higher education," it declared, and "there is a real opportunity here for the board to render service to the state." It also contained pictures of the new directors of higher education and the length of their terms.

The magazine editors have decided to offer a prize of \$1 for the best joke submitted each month printed in the "Lemon Extract" section. Art Schoeni's "Ode to a Flapper" received the reward for March.

Candidates for Track Team Wanted

Events Need All Sizes and Shapes

By WILLIAM L. HAYWARD

"What event shall I try for?"

This question comes to every candidate for a track team. It is not always right to suppose that a man must be of a certain build or type before he can be successful in his chosen event just because so-and-so, who is a champion, is of model proportions.

It is true that certain types of men do have an advantage in certain events. But do not let that keep you from trying. That your physique and general makeup does not tally up to that of some one you know who has been successful, means very little.

A good big man is considered better than a good little man, every thing else being equal; for instance, a 190-pound shot-putter is better qualified than one weighing 150 pounds, and a six-foot high-jumper has a better chance of developing than one measuring five feet five inches. Yet—I have known small

Piano Recital Presented by G. P. Hopkins

Faculty Member Opens First Meeting With Classic Music

Old and Modern Selections Played

New Kwama Initiates Attend Concert

By MARYHELEN KOUPAL
Students and townspeople were treated to a pleasing piano recital by George P. Hopkins, member of the school of music faculty, at the first assembly of the term Thursday, in the Woman's building. He gave a program consisting of old and modern selections.

In introducing himself before his recital, Mr. Hopkins recalled his first appearance before the University of Oregon assembly, when he was a freshman in the university. "It made a lasting impression," said Mr. Hopkins. The assemblies were then held in Villard hall, and as there was no stage entrance he seated himself on an end seat in the front row. The front row was composed of seniors, each one had his right arm on the back of the chair. At some unknown signal all of the said arms contracted, and George Hopkins found himself on the floor.

"Ballet music from Rosamunda" by Schubert was particularly rhythmic. It of course appears in "Blossom Time," the musical comedy. Another selection of which the classical rhythm stands out, only of a much slower tempo, was that of the "Rondo Capriccioso" by Mendelssohn.

Mr. Hopkins played two pieces by Rachmaninoff, "Melodie" and "Prelude in G Minor," both very beautiful tunes. He also played two pieces by Grainger, "The Cradle Song" and "Shepherds Hey." "Shepherds Hey" is an English dance tune, which has a bit of jazz rhythm.

The two most modern of his selections were "May Night" by Palmgren and "Rush Hour in Hong Kong" by Chasins. They were two modern impressionistic pieces.

Mr. Hopkins' own composition was exceedingly well received. The title is "Scottish Gavotte." It has a hint of jazz rhythm, which gives it a particularly delightful tilt. His concluding number, "Turkey in the Straw," he left for the audience to guess the name.

Kwama Initiates Present

During the assembly members of Kwama, women's sophomore honorary society, escorted in their newly chosen members: Carol Hurlburt, Florence Jones, Lucille Catlin, Donna Gill, Carolyn Haberlach, Bernice Woodard, Muriel McLean, Bernice Hamilton, Kathryn Perigo, Erma Logan, Barbara Mann, Alice Wingate, Dorothy Jean Murphy, Helen Chaney, Lois Nelson, Virginia H. Smith, Betty Shipley, and Ann Stange.

Dean Faville Going East

Dean David E. Faville, of the school of business administration, will leave for New York the latter part of April, he announced yesterday.

While in New York he will attend the national convention of collegiate schools of business.

The convention is scheduled for May 2 and 4.

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