

Side Lines

Coaching Staff Unsettled . . .
Anderson To Lead Swimmers
No Tennis Plans Made . . .

By Harry Van Dine

WITH all the rumpus about the football coaching situation drawing the greater part of student interest at present, the conditions of two very successful minor sports have faded into the background. In neither of these sports has the selection of a coach been made, although the season for one is very near at hand. No use guessing—swimming and tennis are the sports concerned. No one will deny the fact that Oregon gained national recognition last year in each of these athletic activities, with Ed Abercrombie directing the destinies of each of them. The Webfoots won the coast championship in tennis and were second, only to Stanford in swimming. The Oregon racquet wielders met the University of Texas team, national intercollegiate title holders, and broke even. The members of the Oregon team then toured east and won many honors for their alma mater.

ABERCROMBIE'S swimming team was almost as successful and the Webfoots were predicted to be in the running for national honors this year. Now all those plans have faded, Abercrombie is no longer coach, and the Oregon squad hasn't even lined up a real schedule. It is true that swimming and tennis were never paying sports financially, but we hate to see them go into discard after the long period spent in building up good teams. Much of the success of the Webfoots last year should go to Abercrombie, who was himself a swimmer of national renown. He worked hard to place Oregon on the national map in swimming and tennis and he succeeded last year in doing this. When the prospects were very bright for the greatest season in Webfoot athletic history Coach Abercrombie was allowed to leave Oregon.

WE said that no coach has been selected for swimming and we meant that no full time coach had been chosen. John Anderson, the tow-headed water flash, will direct the destinies of the Webfoots this year and he is as good a leader as one could find in student ranks. However, with the prospects this year, we think the team should have a full time coach, who, like Abercrombie, would also serve in the department of physical education. Swimming was put on a major sports basis last year along with several other former minor sports, and it is one of the most popular sports on the campus. At the Northwestern meet last year hundreds of people were turned away from the gates when the seating capacity at the women's pool was exhausted. A major meet would draw as many people at any time. An effort will be made to bring the University of California water splashers here for a meet this winter.

NO action has been taken on a tennis coach for this year's team. Oregon should again place a strong team in the field with the veterans Sherm Lockwood and Stan Almqvist again ready for play. Brad Harrison, who has a string of titles a yard long, and Henry Neer, another veteran, will be sorely missed from the team this year, but there are several promising sophomores coming up to fill their places. Harrison is again in school but will not be eligible as he attended California a year and thereby lost a year of competition after he transferred. He knows tennis thoroughly and will be able to help the Webfoots in their training. As long as Oregon is going in for student coaches none better could be found in the country than Harrison.

Y. M. Sponsors Men's Discussion

The fraternity discussion groups sponsored by the campus Y. M. C. A. will be held January 14, 21, and 28, it was announced yesterday by Max Adams, executive secretary of the organization. The committee in charge, headed by Art Potwin, has secured a number of prominent men on the campus and in Eugene to lead the groups, according to Mr. Adams.

Each men's organization is to vote whether or not it cares to participate in the plan, and is to appoint a member to arrange the details for the group in case it desires to participate, according to the committee.

Assisting Potwin are Paul Lafferty, Charles Foster, Wallace Baker, and Walter Evans.

Y. M. C. A. OREGON SPORTS

Harry Van Dine, Editor
Jack Burke, Asst. Editor

Phil Cogswell, Beth Salway, Ed Goodmough, Jim Yergen, Bill Bowerman.

Webfoots Prepare for First Conference Game

Varsity Hoop Squad Points For Cougars

Reinhart Works Team To Smooth Its Defense Performance

Washington State Looks To Be Contender

With the opening game of their conference series but a few days off, and comparatively little time remaining to perfect their play, the varsity basketball team under Billy Reinhart, last night got to work in earnest to work towards removing the stigma of defeat at the hands of the Willamette Bearcats.

The game last Monday night was a real test of the Webfoot power as the Salem team had a capable five which showed exceptional scoring ability. The Oregon team did look a little weak in defensive play and it is expected that this department of the game will be stressed in this week's practice sessions.

Substitutes Used

Eleven men were used in the Bearcat game and it could be seen that the Lemon and Yellow coach was endeavoring to find a suitable combination which would function on the defense as well as the offense.

Vince Dolp and Cliff Horner who have thus far been the backbone of the Oregon team continue to show their ability in practice but the other members of the first five seem to be below their usual form.

Cougars Strong

Steve Fletcher, one of the substitutes rushed into Monday's game, showed promise of good work when he scored five points while he was in the game. He has been handicapped by a late start, due to being tied down with football duties, but he is coming along rapidly.

Washington State, the Webfoots' opponents in their opening game, are conceded a good chance at the Northwest title as they finished well up toward the top in last year's race and have practically the same lineup this year. Jack Friel, the Cougar coach, is anxious that this, his second season, will be as successful as was his last, and is determined to make a good showing Friday night.

Geology Professor To Return From Trip

Dr. Edwin T. Hodge, instructor in the geology department, who has been on a year's leave of absence from the University, will return to Eugene the latter part of this month, according to word received by the geology department.

Dr. Hodge spent most of the year in Africa, studying geological formations there, and is now in Paris, preparing to sail for home.

Elsa Smith Takes Post In Circulation Library

Miss Elsa Smith, formerly assistant librarian of South high school, Omaha, Nebraska, is filling the position in the circulation library left vacant by Jacqueline Zurcher-Boyd, who now resides in Washington, D. C., since her marriage last month.

Miss Smith is not a stranger on the Oregon campus as she has attended two summer sessions here, last year taking the University summer school trip to Alaska.

Dean Landsbury Given National Music Honors

Dr. John J. Landsbury, dean of the school of music, has received a number of national honors. He has been appointed vice-president of the American Association of Schools of Music and appointed an extension member of the Schubert Memorial foundation which has four branches on the coast, in San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, and Eugene. This foundation sponsors young American artists.

Sports Editor Appoints Burke As His Assistant

JACK BURKE, sophomore in Journalism, has been selected for the position of assistant sports editor on the Emerald, according to an announcement made Tuesday night by Harry Van Dine, sports editor. Burke will fill the place left vacant by the resignation of Joe Brown, who has again turned out for the varsity swimming team.

Burke has taken an active part on the sports staff of the Emerald this year, having served on the sports staff during the fall term.

Phil Cogswell, Ed Goodmough, Jim Yergen, Bill Bowerman, and Beth Salway were reappointed to serve on the sports staff during the winter term. It is likely that two or three more staff writers will be chosen soon, according to Van Dine.

MANY ENROLL FOR PORTLAND CENTER

One out of every 77 adults in Portland is attending University of Oregon extension classes at the Portland Center. This statement was contained in this term's first issue of the Peripatetic Pedagogue, a journal issued by faculty members of the University Extension.

Other figures show that total individual registrations in Portland amounted to 2,950, which, with the 757 others registered throughout the state, makes a total of 3,707 registrations in the extension centers. One thousand, five hundred and fifty were enrolled at the end of the year in correspondence courses, and the total audiences for visual instruction were 169,455.

The Portland Center had an exhibit in the window of the First National bank from December 27 to January 4. It included novels and short stories written by former students, and handwork of the architectural and art classes.

BAKER SELECTS GRID ASSISTANTS

Although the head football manager for 1930 is yet to be selected, Russell Baker, senior athletic manager, has chosen five assistants to help with the gridiron sport next season.

The assistants are Fred Norton, Bandon; Bud Powell, Eugene; Robert Boals, Salem; Trevor Showcross and Henry Stratton, Portland. Alternates selected are Carl Greve, Portland, and Harold Moulton, Burlingame, California.

Five candidates for the position of head football manager are on the list at present, and one of these will be selected. Bob Miller, Portland; Tom Williams, Junction City; Nelson McCook, San Diego; Richard Lewis, Baker, and Mark Gill, Portland, are the candidates.

SWIMMING MEET COMES THURSDAY

The annual men's intramural swimming meet will be held on Thursday evening, January 16, in the women's pool, according to an announcement by Johnny Anderson.

Houses can make their entries any day between 4:30 and 6 o'clock at the men's tank. All entries must be in three days before the meet. One person will be allowed to enter only two events.

The program of events will include: 40-yard back and breast stroke; 40-yard free style; 100-yard free style; fancy diving; 160-yard free style relay.

Language Instructor Announces Marriage

Charles G. Howell, instructor of romance languages, and Miss Patricia Hatch, senior in English, were married at Santa Cruz, California, during the Christmas vacation. They are now living in the Wilder apartments. Mrs. Howell is a member of Delta Gamma, and Mr. Howell is affiliated with Phi Gamma Delta.

Oregon Matmen Seek Competition With Outsiders

Harry Elliot, Ex-champ. Will Be Coach of Revamped Team

For the first time in a number of years Webfoot wrestlers are going out to seek competition with other schools. Meets are being arranged with different northern colleges and O. S. C. will probably furnish competition in at least one of them.

Harry Elliott, all-around wrestling champion of the school for the last two years, is coach of the team.

The star wrestler on the squad is diminutive Art Riehl, 125 pounds, who was runner-up for the championship of the 1928 Olympics in his weight. Riehl was Pacific northwest champion for three years and won third place in the national meet both in his own class and in the next above him. Although Riehl started school here, he transferred later to the University of Illinois. He is back again, and is eligible for competition.

Those turning out regularly for wrestling are: Louis Feves, Art Johnson, Robert Otto, Lloyd Huff, Fred Smith, Willie Pleustian, Aarne Pomet, Floyd Bowers, Carl Klemm, Clare Meisel, Art Markewitz, Jerry Van Dervulgh, Spencer Raynor, and Barney Berensen.

Freshmen out are: Ed Bloom, Emerald Braaten, John De Wilde, Cecil Esby, Stanley Stark, and Sherwood Billings.

MORRIS TO TAKE DOCTOR'S DEGREE

Victor P. Morris, assistant professor in economics, with Mrs. Morris left for the East at the beginning of the examination week in December, to take the examination for his Ph.D. degree. After visiting with relatives in Georgia, the Morrises went to Washington, D. C., where Mr. Morris attended the annual meeting of the American Economic association.

They are now in New York City, where the Oregon professor will take his examination for his doctor's degree at Columbia university today. Professor Morris was a graduate student at Columbia from 1920 to 1922. His thesis on "The Operation of the Minimum Wage Law in Oregon" is being published in the Columbia series of history, economics, and public law. The paper was written under the direction of Henry R. Seager of Columbia university, considered one of the highest authorities on labor problems in the United States. Dr. Seager praises Professor Morris's work very highly.

Prof. and Mrs. Morris will return about the middle of the month. Edward G. Daniel, graduate assistant in the economics department, is taking Mr. Morris's classes during the latter's absence.

University Press Releases Works

The University Press released four publications during the holidays, two scientific pamphlets and two monthly magazines.

The pamphlets are "Strength Tests of Old Douglas Fir Timbers," by E. H. McAlister, professor of mechanics, and "The Jurassic and Cretaceous Rudistids of Oregon," by Ralph L. Lapher and Earl L. Packard.

The magazines are the December number of Oregon Exchanges and the January issue of The High School.

SALE OF PLAY TICKETS GETS START TODAY

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Delta Epsilon, Henry Levoff; Delta Tau Delta, Carl Greve; Kappa Sigma, Freeman Young; Phi Delta Theta, Robert Miller; Phi Gamma Delta, Harry Brock; Phi Kappa Psi, Wendell McCool.

Phi Sigma Kappa, Richard Schroeder; Psi Kappa, Bruce Tittus; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Larry Wiggins; Sigma Chi, Bart Siegfried; Sigma Nu, Tony Peterson; Sigma Phi Epsilon, Wright Esh-

elman; Sigma Pi Tau, Aldon Shields; Sigma hall, Neil Taylor; Theta Chi, Carvel Nelson; Gamma hall, Paul Biggs; Sherry Ross hall, Jim Hynd, and Alpha hall, Clarence Veal.

In the women's organizations: Alpha Chi Omega, Ellen Sersanous; Alpha Delta Pi, Dorothy Jean Murphy; Alpha Omicron Pi, La Wanda Fenlason; Alpha Phi, Ruby Hayes; Alpha Xi Delta, Jean Williams; Chi Delta, Mary Edith Winter; Chi Omega, Virginia Moore; Delta Delta Delta, Dorothy Esch; Delta Gamma, Jewel Ellis; Delta Zeta, Eleanor Wood; Gamma Phi Beta, Freda Pahl; Zeta Tau Alpha, Mildred Dobbins; Kappa Alpha Theta, Marian Camp; Kappa Delta, Avis Selnes; Kappa Kappa Gamma, Alice Morrow; Phi Mu, Lova Buchanan; Pi Beta Phi, Myrtle McDaniel; Sigma Kappa, Betty Skyles; Hendricks hall, Renee Grace Nelson; and Susan Campbell hall, Celene Lauterstein.

General business manager for the play is Marshall Hopkins, and the publicity is being handled by Addison Brockman.

REINHART GIVES EXTENSION WORK

An extension course in civilization and art epochs is being conducted this term in Albany by Dr. Kurt F. Reinhart, assistant professor of Germanic languages. The course, according to Dr. Reinhart, corresponds to a class in the department of architecture on the campus, and is a continuation of the course which was offered in Albany last term for the first time.

About thirty students enrolled in the course, which met for the first time Monday evening, mainly high school teachers and students from Albany college. The study of this subject, says Dr. Reinhart, gives a survey of the development of art and civilization through the ages and especially tries to demonstrate the mutual relations between art and civilization and to give a description of the different styles in the history of art.

MYSTERY ON CAMPUS; PREY FEARED LOST

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mystery yesterday. "Tom's sister was married at Chiloquin yesterday," he said, "and Tom acted as best man. I think we can expect to see him paying his registration fee Wednesday. Meanwhile we are doing our best to prevent anarchy from breaking out in the student government till Tom can take charge again and restore his safe and sound government, with liberty and justice for all."

The Ambler

YESTERDAY WE SAW: BOB BISHOP acting high hat in the College Side. CHUCK REED embarrassed. VIOLA MORGAN looking solem. KAY NEIL writing a love letter home. PHILIP CARROLL smoothing his auburn locks. NORMAN EASTMAN trying to carry a little weight. DAY FOSTER AND STAN BROOKS looking important. LUCILLE CARSON shuffling her brogues through hell lane.



Swimmers Begin To Show Ability; Anderson Coach

Practices Held Daily and Material Includes Real Stars

With varsity swimming practice now a daily affair and the opening of the season almost at hand it will soon be known who's going to swim what.

Workouts start at 4:30 in the men's tank and consist of 30 minutes of swimming practice in perfecting strokes followed by an equal period of water polo. All is under the supervision of Johnny Anderson, well known Oregon swimming ace, who is acting as coach.

The 160-yard relay team will have Anderson and Harold Hatton back from last year's squad and candidates for the other two places are Al Edwards, Harry Hanson, Bob Hoogs, and Rosser Atkinson.

Paul Lafferty and Ron Louis are the leading breast stroke.

In the 440 yard distance event Chuck Silverman, northwest champion, will be certain of one place and the choice of who will swim with him lies among Foster, Bishop, and Hanson.

In the sprints Anderson, who is Pacific coast 40 yard champion and northwest champion in 50 and 100 yards, and Edwards will probably handle the competition.

Bill McNabb, besides being the likely goalkeeper for the water polo team, will probably swim the 150 yard backstroke.

Three veterans from the water polo team, Floyd, Gillette, and Creech, are gone but there is a lot of material out to take their places. In fact the outlook for the water polo team is very bright with Anderson, Silverman, Lafferty, Bishop, Atkinson, Edwards, Hanson, Foster, and Hoogs to make it up.

Divers out include Don Neer, eighth ranking national amateur diver, and Len Thompson, veterans, Sam Nigh, one time inter-scholastic champion of New York state, Joe Brown, and Mike Marshall.

MCEWAN RETURNS TO EUGENE FOR MEETING

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the attention of the "bleacher coaches" in this, their off season. Andy Kerr, who successfully established Pop Warner's system at Stanford and who since has been out at Washington and Jefferson and Colgate is another one of the "possibilities."

Reinhart Has Support

If the new coach is selected from the second category it is unlikely that he will be "imported" as sufficient material in this field may be found on the present

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Local Sociology Magazine Issues Special Number

Periodical Founded in '16
By Late Dean Young
Is Released

A special memorial number of the Commonwealth Review, sociology magazine of the University of Oregon, honoring Frederic G. Young, late head of the department of sociology, has just been released.

This magazine was founded in 1916 by Dr. F. G. Young who had presided as its editor until his death, January 4, 1929.

The purposes of this issue are to review the activities of Professor Young, and to present illustrations of current scholarship on social, political and economic questions written by his colleagues.

Articles on the life and work of Professor Young were written by John H. Mueller, H. D. Sheldon, George Goodall, Leslie M. Scott and Reta Ridings. Problems in current social theory were covered in articles by James H. Gilbert, John H. Mueller, Andrew Fish, Donald M. Erb, and Dan E. Clark.

MU PHI EPSILON INITIATES NINE

Nine women were initiated into Mu Phi Epsilon, national women's music honorary, Saturday afternoon at the music building, with Mrs. Prudence E. Clark conducting.

The new members are Ann Maller, graduate, supervisor of public school music in Marshfield, Mrs. Rose Stacks, principal of the Patterson school in Eugene, Patricia Lieualien, junior, of Pendleton, Esther Saager, of Freewater, senior in music, Pauline Guthrie, of Eugene, Charlotte Winnard, graduate of Eugene, Bernice Zeller, of Eugene, Margaret Skavian, graduate of Eugene, and Irene Moore, senior, Eugene. Sarah Addelman of San Francisco, was to have been a member of the group, but had not returned from California Saturday.

Professor Dunn Talks On Damon and Pythias

"The Legend of Damon and Pythias," was the subject on which Professor F. S. Dunn, head of the classical department, addressed the Eugene lodge of the Knights of Pythias last night. The talk was given in conjunction with the installation of officers of the lodge and was open to the public.

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