

Debaters Get Tie Verdicts During Tour

Judges Give No-decision In Southern Cal. and UCLA Meetings

Eugene Laird Replaces Potwin at Tucson

With two defeats at the hands of Southwestern university and the California Institute of Technology, and a number of no-decision debates to their credit, the University of Oregon debate team is continuing its forensic tour northward from Tucson, Arizona.

Arthur Potwin and Errol Sloan represented Oregon in five debates in California and in Arizona, and at Tucson, Eugene Laird, whose illness made it impossible for him to join the team at an earlier date, replaced Potwin, who will return by way of California. Laird and Sloan will complete the schedule with schools in New Mexico, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, Idaho, and Washington.

Judges Fail to Appear

The no-decision contests were held at Los Angeles, with U. S. C. and U. C. L. A., and at Tucson with the University of Arizona. The U. S. C. debate was to have been a decision match, but a lack of judges made it necessary to conduct the contest without a verdict.

The principal topic used on the tour is that of disarmament, with both the disarmament and the demobilization wording, of the question, and the team will have debated both sides of each of the two questions when the trip is completed.

The debate with the University of Arizona was on the question, "Resolved: That modern science tends to destroy theistic faith," and was delivered before a church audience, and at the same time was broadcast by the Tucson station.

Oregon Men Place

Sloan and Potwin were also the University of Oregon's entries in the Pacific Coast forensic contests staged at Tucson. Sloan entered the extempore division, and Potwin the oratorical division. Sloan placed fifth, and Potwin received fifth place in Division A. Pomona college won first place in the oratory meet, and Stanford took first place in the extempore contest.

Dr. Ralph C. Hoerber, debate coach, who was faculty representative from the University at the meet, returned yesterday.

Law Review Tells Of Insanity as Divorce Grounds

Marshfield Judge Writes On Its Use Also as A Defense

The April issue of the Oregon Law Review will appear April 15, it was announced today by Charles G. Howard, editor-in-chief and instructor in the law school.

The April issue, according to Mr. Howard, will contain some of the outstanding articles of the year, among them being an article by Judge James T. Brand, of Marshfield on "Insanity as a Defense," the report of the Oregon judicial council, and an article on bills and notes by Hugh E. Rosson, of the law school faculty.

Ten law students contributed discussions of recent cases and questions of law to this issue: Roland Davis, Walter Durgan, Lester Johnson, Leland Shaw, Theodore Conn, Carl Rodegerdts, William Berg, David Sandberg, Glen Hughes, and William Powell.

A new feature, an abstract of recent statutes, is also contained in this issue, one of the most interesting being the motion which provides insanity as a new ground for divorce. Oregon is the only state in the union except South Dakota which has such grounds for divorce, according to Mr. Howard.

Professors To Form Language Association

An initial session of a language association for faculty and graduate assistants in the departments involved is scheduled for this evening at 6 o'clock at the Faculty club, according to a faculty bulletin issued yesterday.

Following the dinner, a paper on "What Flaubert Meant by Style" will be read by Dr. Ray P. Bowen, chairman of the department of romance languages, and the formal organization will then be perfected. The attendance of all members of the teaching staff

in the departments of English, Germanic languages and literature, Greek, Latin, and the romance languages is urged by the committee in charge, consisting of Ray P. Bowen, Frederic S. Dunn, head of the Latin department, and S. Stephenson Smith, of the English department.

There will be a cover charge of 75 cents, according to the bulletin.

D. Hughes Takes Over Y.W. Head

Officers for Coming Year Are Installed

Daphne Hughes, senior in English, was installed as president of the Y. W. C. A. for the coming year at the installation ceremony which was held last night at 7:30 in the bungalow. Eldress Judd, retiring president, officiated at the meeting.

Other cabinet members who took office were: Vice-president, Lois Nelson; secretary, Lorena Wilson; treasurer, Marjorie Swafford; office assistant, Helen Chaney; finance, Eleanor Wood; membership, Marguerite Mauzey; service, Jessie Judd; community service, Ruth Johnson; conference, Dorothy Eberhard; interchurch, Elizabeth Scruggs; world fellowship, Mildred McGee; industrial, Ann Baum; frosh commission president, Lucile Kraus; frosh commission adviser, Edna Spenser; staff, Dorothy Hallin; social, Janet Osborne; teas, Louise Weber; chorus, Irma Logan; 5 o'clock vespers, Mildred Wharton; publicity, Elizabeth Painton.

The positions of office assistant to Dorothy Thomas, secretary of the Y. W., chairman of teas, and community service chairman, have just been added to the Y. W. cabinet, interviews for which were held during winter term.



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