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Text Books and Legislators

A MID much hectic speculation about power bills, a more sober note has been sounded, during the opening days of the state legislature at Salem, in the direction of the proposed free textbook law.

For those who have burnt up a lot of energy, in past years, working toward the passage of a bill to provide free books in Oregon grade and high schools, news of preliminary efforts of the lawmakers will be sweet music.

More than a third of the senators and representatives have already made known their approval of the bill—and this, with the session still slightly up in the air from the opening excitement—is considered unusual initial support.

What's more, the bill has had a bright and early start, going before the house Tuesday of this week.

It now remains to be seen whether so constructive a measure as this can keep its head above water in the midst of other bills that seem, at the moment, more exciting. IF THE OREGON LEGISLATORS CAN RECOGNIZE THE CONSTRUCTIVE WORK TO BE DERIVED FROM ITS PASSAGE, AND CAN PREVENT ITS BEING LOST IN A JUMBLE OF MORE INSIGNIFICANT MATTERS, THEY WILL SHOW THEMSELVES TO BE A MORE ENLIGHTENED BODY THAN CONGRESS HAS DISPLAYED ITSELF TO BE IN THE PRESENT SESSION.

The demand for free text-books in the state is very wide. Hundreds of Oregon citizens—men who struggle to maintain their families at salaries of less than \$100 a month, are vitally concerned with the bill. When such families have three or four children in school, the text-book problem is as important as the purchase of eight-cylinder cars for the wealthy.

State organizations that represent the laboring man have been working for free text-books for a number of years. The Oregon State Teachers' association went on record, in its annual meeting in Portland last month, in favor of the measure, just as it stands.

OREGON HAS LAGGED BEHIND MANY OTHER STATES IN THE ADOPTION OF A POLICY THAT EDUCATORS HAVE SHOWN TO BE THE MOST SATISFACTORY AND MOST ECONOMICAL METHOD OF PROVIDING GRADE SCHOOLS AND HIGH SCHOOLS WITH TEXT-BOOKS.

The lawmakers have their chance to make amends. May they use it for the best.

Foreign Work---Real Service

WITH announcement that the award for this year's Murray Warner essay contest will be a trip to Japan and a summer at the Oriental Summer Culture college in Tokyo, attention is once again directed to the contribution Mrs. Gertrude B. Warner, of Eugene, donor of Oregon's oriental art museum, has made for a number of years in the field of international relations.

The contest this year will be of greater importance to the University in that one of Oregon's students will have the opportunity to make a distinct contribution in the furtherance of intelligent relationships between the Pacific coast and Japan.

The Emerald can express the gratitude of the student body to Mrs. Warner for the opportunities she has presented. But it is an empty pronouncement if it cannot be shown that Oregon students do take a critical interest in the work that is being done to better relationships between this country and countries of the Orient.

Hollow professions of good will and generalities about "better understanding" will solve no problems. BUT A SINGLE PIECE OF GOOD WORK AND STUDY INTO SOME PHASE OF THE FIELD COULD BE OF REAL SERVICE. It remains to be seen whether the student who is chosen to go to Japan can make the trip one of actual value. It remains to be seen, also, whether the campus will regard the trip as a mere demonstration of courtesy or as an important endeavor.

In the results of the summer will lie the real appreciation of Mrs. Warner's work.

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The WETFOOT

"All the News That's Foot To Print"

"MY FEES ARE TOO HIGH," AND OTHER COMPLAINTS OF THE DAY. SPEAKING OF FEES AND LUCRE, ETC., HAVE YOU EVER SEEN AN ARTIST WHO COULD DRAW WAGES? THAT'S NOT SO GOOD, BUT THEN WE ALL CAN'T BE VEGETARIANS (PRONOUNCED "ROTARIANS" SOUTH OF THE MASON AND DIXON LINE). BUT SERIOUSLY SPEAKING LITTLE SHYLOCK SAYS THAT HIS GIRL MAY BE ONLY A TAXIDERMIST'S DAUGHTER, BUT SHE CERTAINLY KNOWS HER STUFF.

EPITAPH

Strumming a harp, Is Angus McGool; He prefaced each remark, "When I was in high school—"

Quick, Olaf, the boiling pitch. We just asked our roomie when he expected to get his sheepskin and he said whenever his family thought it was cold enough weather to ship it to him.

What's this we hear about Lois Nelson showing the campus something new and different by receiving the honor of being invited to one of the local cinemas by Mil-



stein, the famous violinist. Lois says violinists are fascinating. Yoo-Hoo, girls, we just completed our ten piano lessons by correspondence, and haven't had a haircut for a month.

A CORRECTION

We wish to retract a statement made a couple of days ago to the effect that a certain bravny, blue-eyed member of the Journalism faculty turned in a false fire alarm. We just discovered that it wasn't him at all, but his side-kick, Harry Tonkon. The faculty member says that he doesn't mind us connecting him with the misdeed if we'll only give his theatre a little publicity. The theatre happens to be the Colonial.

We know we shouldn't steal the ad department's thunder, but a

We Suggest:

The following as this week's solution to the "Friday problem"

- Halibut Timbales Baked Potatoes Lettuce and Thousand Island Dressing Buttered Carrots Fruit Cup Coffee

- HALIBUT TIMBALES 3 qts. boiled or steamed halibut, finely minced. 3 qts. thick white sauce. Juice of 2 lemons. 1 teaspoon lemon juice. 6 eggs beaten separately. 6 teaspoons Worcestershire Sauce.

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free theater ticket's a free theater ticket. Tonkon blushingly admitted that the reason he did the alarm turning was because he wanted ideas for poster designing, and you know what girls' pajamas are like.

OUR DAILY ADVICE Dear Wetfoot: Something's wrong with me. In Portland where I used to live there used to be lots of alley cats who'd serenade me to sleep every night from the back yard fence. Up here there are no alley cats and it's so quiet I can't sleep. How am I going to keep in trim for swimming?

Yours truly, Charlie (Red) Foster. Dear Charlie (Red): Your complaint is a very common one and, we may add, a very simple one to remedy. We are going to suggest a cure that has worked in innumerable cases of this sort. Simply hire the Kappa tria to come and sing an hour each night outside of your windows. If this doesn't work, why write us again and we'll sing ourselves.

Little Alec just came bursting in frothing at the mouth with joy. When asked the cause of this sudden outburst he exclaimed that the winter recital and concert season was now in swing and at last he would have some place to go and sleep when it got too noisy around the house, or the prof lectured too loud in class.

Thanks, Alec, we were just wondering where to go ourselves now that Condon libe has grown impractical, due to the bridge games, bull fests, etc., for that purpose.

IN PRAISE OF ANYTHING

A little poem Light or solemn, Is nice to finish Out our column.

Don't look for meter Sense or rhyme; We'd have 'em But we ain't time.

This is the end, Sorry to bore ya, Hoopla, good-bye, See ya in Peoria.

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Shopping Column Offers Free Passes to Movie

"Sez Sue," women's shopping column, will hold special interest for the campus for included in its items will be published the name of some prominent girl student who will be entitled to two passes to the Fox McDonald theatre, Harriette Hofmann, in charge of the column, said yesterday. The added feature will begin in this morning's issue of the Emerald and will continue every Friday.

Winners may procure their tickets by calling at the theatre box office not later than the following Sunday evening. The passes are being offered by Russel Brown, manager of the McDonald.

A Decade Ago

Friday, January 21, 1921 Professor A. H. Schroff is working on the mural decorations in the main room of the Woman's building.

Shaw's "Pygmalion" is well received at opening night.

Modern governments to be taught by Dr. James D. Barnett will be offered for the first time next fall.

Edison Marshall is visiting on the campus. "The Strength of the Pine" will be his next short story.

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CAMPUS CALENDAR

OREGANA PICTURES

(The following pictures are to be taken at the east end of Condon hall.)

Today Noon 12:40—Co-op board. 12:45—Alpha Kappa Psi. Scabbard and Blade and cadet officers will meet at 12:40 at the R. O. T. C. barracks to have their pictures taken for the Oregana.

Social swim from 7:15 until 9 tonight at the Woman's building.

Phi Beta meeting at 6:45 tomorrow in the women's lounge of the Gerlinger building. Very important.

Nature group of Philomelete will meet Sunday at 5 p. m. in the men's lounge of the Women's building. All those interested are cordially invited. Members please bring dues.

Prose and Poetry group of Philomelete will meet Sunday afternoon at 2:15 at 984 Patterson street. Members and others interested please be present.

Lutheran Student association will meet Sunday at 4:30 at the United Lutheran church at 13th and High, instead of at the Cen-

tral Lutheran church, as formerly announced.

MURDERERS GO FREE TOO OFTEN, SAYS MOLEY

(Continued from Page One) their minds as to what they really want the public officials to do.

Dr. Moley pointed out the publicity seeking methods of prosecutors, blaming this on the public. "As long as we tell public servants that we want them to do that what else can be expected?" he asked.

Dr. Moley spoke before the students and faculty of the law school at a luncheon at 12:30 yesterday at the Anchorage.

The problem of crime can be studied in two ways, scientific research and statesmanship, depending upon the type of crime, he told the group.

"The function of a lawyer is one of leadership in the community, and the law school should be not only a place for vocational training, but has a public obligation as well," he said at the luncheon.

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