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Leap Year in Earnest

A MOMENT'S reflection shows that 1932 is plausibly divisible by four. That makes it Leap Year. The possibilities of the season were brought home to us yesterday when the Associated Women Students swung into action.

Twenty-two women's living organizations have decided to reverse the usual procedure for "Dime Crawl." Men's houses will hold "At Homes," while the women will make the rounds, paying a dime for the privilege of entering any one house to dance with one or more of the men waiting within.

In view of the present "courtesy campaign" being waged on the campus, it seems strange that the A. W. S. should not consider it necessary or even advisable to consult the men's houses before taking this drastic step.

Twelve hundred men found out yesterday that by imperial feminine decree they are ordered to be in their houses between 6:30 and 7:30 next Wednesday evening to receive the invading Amazons. By a single coup d'etat, they find themselves commissioned as gigolos, obliged to dance with any woman who has the price.

Murmurs of resentment and revolt ran round a score of fraternity dinner tables last night. In spite of the ruthless progress of feminism, the male is still a proud animal. He likes to be consulted before arbitrary disposition is made of his time and his social inclinations.

Once Again, 150 Women

ASSOCIATED WOMEN STUDENTS' mass meetings in the past have often proved misnomers with sometimes scarcely a quorum of co-eds in attendance. Last fall, to remedy the situation, Ann Baum, A. W. S. president, demanded that unless 150 women appeared for a meeting she would adjourn it. Her ultimatum was effective: 150 and more, by official count, were there.

Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Gerlinger hall, the A. W. S. will hold its only mass meeting of winter term. No decree for any set attendance has as yet come from Miss Baum, but we feel sure she is desirous of having a large turnout. And the meeting warrants one.

The appearance of Cameron Beck, personnel director of the New York stock exchange, and rated as one of the "big men" in his line as well as a splendid speaker, will make Monday's meeting particularly good. It is not often that a man of Beck's recognized leadership and ability is available on this campus for the benefit of students. His discussion of the vocational field for women will be one that should not be missed.

This Unsettled World

WHAT'S wrong with these pictures? A Redwood City, California, man married his mother-in-law.

The Prince of Wales, in a new suit, was heckled during a speech the other night by a number of young women.

A school of herring jammed the condenser on the engine coolers of a vessel off the coast of British Columbia. Thought it was a sardine can.

The naval affairs committee of the French chamber of deputies yesterday recommended the immediate construction of a 26,000-ton battle cruiser. The international conference on the limitation of armaments opens next Tuesday in Geneva.

Webfoots We Stay

DECISION of the executive council to keep the name "Webfoots" for Oregon's athletic teams—until a more suitable one could be found (if ever)—was the only logical action for the student body's supreme group to take.

Individual members of the executive council, we hear, are in favor of changing from "Webfoots" to something else, but what that will be not even they can say.

Two weeks ago on the day of a campus poll to sound out student sentiment on the name controversy, the Emerald warned, "Unless a name is proposed that clearly has an advantage over the one now in use, it would be foolish to make a change." We are glad to see that stand upheld by the executive council.

Again we say, we're still Webfoots.

Frosh Debaters Win and Lose in Two Encounters

Ohmart, Pursley Victors In Wordy Argument With Pacific

The freshman debate teams won and lost in the meeting with the Pacific university debaters here yesterday in a dual debate using the cross question type of argument.

Orval Thompson and Herbert Skaleit, upholding the negative for the freshman team lost to Byron Blakenship and Charles Ellwell of Pacific and Howard Ohmart and Theodore Pursley, the freshman affirmative team, defeated unanimously the Pacific negative team, James Yeomans and James Copeland.

This debate, the first of a series to be held this term, dealt with the question, "Resolved: That congress should enact some form of legislation providing for a centralized control of industry."

Reverend Ernest M. Whitesmith, pastor of the Unitarian church, Reverend Milton S. Webber of the Presbyterian church, and Mr. Nobles of Eugene were judges for the section of the debate in which the Oregon freshmen upheld the negative. V. L. Brookes, Reverend Clay E. Palmer, and Donald R. Husband judged the debate won by the freshman affirmative team.

George Bennett, who had general charge of the debate, and Robert Oliver, graduate assistant in the speech department, were chairmen of the debates. The debaters were judged on the effectiveness of the arguments presented and on the manner of presentation.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

Pi Mu Alpha initiation will be held Sunday evening, January 31, at 8:30 in the Music building. All members must be there.

Alpha Tau Delta meets Tuesday evening at 8 in the women's lounge of Gerlinger for a business and social hour.

Charm School of Philomelete will meet at the Westminster house Tuesday, February 2, at 8 p. m. S. Stephenson Smith will speak on "Conversation." Each one will kindly bring her 50 cents fee.

Westminster forum meets tomorrow evening at 6:30 o'clock at Westminster house. A social half hour begins at 6.

John L. Casteel of the speech department will speak Sunday morning at 9:45 at Westminster house on the subject, "What Are the Greatest Values in Life?" Students interested are invited.

Students planning to hear Dr. Bowman's lecture Monday night at Westminster house on "Love and Marriage" register their names with Mr. or Mrs. Max Adams, as the group is to be limited to 150.

Pi Lambda Theta will hold a luncheon Tuesday noon at the Green Lantern inn.

Education club will meet at 7:15 Tuesday at the Education building.

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The STUDENT CHURCH

International questions still head the lists of topics for discussion by the student church organizations. Economical and political conditions of foreign countries as well as missionary relations with them are being studied by the various groups.

Methodist
"What Is Hinduism?" is this Sunday's phase of the study of India which is being conducted by R. E. Porter, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., for the meeting of the University class at 9:45.
Phillip Gale will talk on "Toyohiko Kagawa" at the Wesley foundation meeting at 6:30. The devotional services will be led by Marguerite Davidson. The Fellowship social hour begins at 5:30.

First Christian
The lesson for the Loyal Bear class will center around a discussion of the "Splendor and Weakness of the Hebrew Monarchy." This is a continuation of their study of Solomon's reign. The class has set an attendance goal of 100 for their meeting at 9:45.
The Young People's Christian Endeavor are having a special missionary meeting, with Margaret Hedden in charge. "The Church's Service for Christ" is the topic to be discussed. Special features have been arranged including a candle light service as the closing ceremony. Those taking part in this are Beulah Aydelotte and Miss Hedden.

Baptist
The C. O. S. class meets at 9:45 with Miss Mildred Johnson as teacher. The devotional services will be led by Miss Imo Ruyle.

"Rural Churches" is the topic for the B. Y. P. U. meeting. Harold Ayers, president of the group, is in charge and is being assisted by the other members of the cabinet. Caper Wood is the main speaker for the evening. Special music will be a harmonica solo by Charles Devereaux. The devotional exercises will be held in the chapel of the church at 6:15 with the discussion meeting scheduled following this in the club room which has been decorated to represent a rural church.

United Lutheran
The Luther league will consider the topic, "Lutheran Missions Over the World." The meeting will be led by Mrs. Frank S. Beistel. The group will assemble at 6 for a social half hour, the discussion meeting commencing at 6:30.

Community Liberal (Unitarian)
The Young People's group are again meeting with the forum of the church at 7:30. Mrs. Vera Todd Crow will address the combined groups on "Internationalism."

Episcopal
The Student council is continuing its study of "Sin" with a round table discussion of the subject. The meeting is scheduled for 7 o'clock in the men's lounge of Gerlinger hall.

Central Lutheran
The young people's meeting is not being held this Sunday. The group is, however, taking part in the choir concert at 7:30.

Congregational
The Student forum will devote the meeting time to answering these questions: "Is Repression of Our Instincts Harmful? What Is Religious Repression? What is the Cause of a Religious Revival? The meeting starts at 6 o'clock with a social gathering at which refreshments will be served.

Presbyterian
John L. Casteel, assistant professor of speech, will tell the freshman and upper class groups what he thinks are the most important things in life.

The Westminster forum meets at 6 o'clock for a social gathering, followed by the discussion meeting at 6:30. The worship service will be led by Valborg Anderson, and Allen Proctor will conduct the discussion of "What Should We Do About Customs and Conventions That Irritate Us?"

LOAN FUND AID ASKED TO HELP U. O. STUDENTS

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middle of the year, for it will make it much harder for them to return later and pick up where they have left off. For these reasons I want to appeal to people of Oregon who may have some funds on hand to

donate to this cause, and send it to us to add to this sadly depleted fund."

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The student loan fund committee at the University is headed by Dr. Hall, and is composed of Karl Onthank, dean of personnel; Paul Ager, comptroller; Mrs. Alice Macduff, assistant dean of women, and Mr. Earl.

EMERALD of The... AIR

A varsity debate between Whittier college and the University of Oregon will be presented during the Emerald of the Air at 4 this afternoon over station KORE. The debate, on the subject, "Resolved, that congress should enact legislation providing for the centralized control of industry," will be one hour in length. No decision will be given.

Oregon, debating the negative, will be represented by Walter Evans and Hobart Wilson, both varsity debate veterans. The Whittier college team is making a 4000 mile tour, starting and completing the trip at Whittier, California, sent of that college; and indications are that the visitors will be well prepared for this afternoon's forensic invasion.



OREGON GRIPE

QUITCHER CRYIN, WE DON'T LIKE THIS SATURDAY MORNING BUSINESS ANY BETTER THAN YOU DO.

We have been tempted to petition the state to install Simmons Beds (Pd. Advt.) in all 8 o'clock class rooms. Of course that would necessitate the installation of amplifying systems to get above the nasal uproar, but then, as the murderer said, accepting his sentence, "Such Is Life."



Line in yesterday's Emerald:
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WITH MUSICK, STELLAR, BYLONSDRZ MAN CM CM I) AT LEFT SHRDLU?

Seeing as how they're putting a tot in "The Trojan Woman," we see new possibilities looming on the horizon. The following is a little skit which is liable to take place in Guild hall one of these days.

Time: Out.
Place: Kick.
Dramatis Personae: The director, the leading man (age 2), the leading lady (age 1 1-2) and the villain (an elderly gentleman of 4.)

"THE ETERNAL TRIANGLE" (Or What the Well Dressed Baby Will Wear)

Director: Coe on, there, Johnson,



crawl out of that crib and get behind that screen upstage. And you, Smith, how many times have I told you not to chew on that rattle while you're giving your lines. I know you're teething, but we can't hold up the show for you.

Smith: Okay, Coach. Say, Coach, when Dolores and I do that love scene, in the second act, is my line "Ga-Ga" or "Goo." I left my script home.

Director — (Thumbing book). Let's see. You advance and say "Sweetheart. Glug-glug-goo." Then Dolores turns and falls on the couch and cries. You fall on your knees and say "Darling, ika ika bup." That makes her mad and she crawls haughtily from the room.

Smith: I get ya.
Director: Come on, there, Johnson

TODAY!
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ter you exit left, you must wait there for your cue to enter, as Jones here strikes your lover and they fight. And Jones, watch that fight. The last time you broke that nursing bottle over his head, and bottles cost money.



crawl off? If I'm gonna lie there, I gotta have a pacifier or something to chew on.

Director: Okay, Jones. I'll have one of the prop boys get you one. All ready everybody? Let's go.

AND WILL ALL THE BRETHREN JOIN IN ON THE SECOND STANZA OF THAT GLORIOUS



OLD TUNE, "MY GAL WEIGHS 200 POUNDS. SHE WAS BUILT WHEN MEAT WAS CHEAP."

Annie wants to know who this fellow is called "Phil Omelct." All we can say is that he must be an awful egg.



"DONT SHOOT!" cried the willowy Winona

"And why not, my gal?" demanded Josephus Universitas (Joe College), thrusting his classic chin against her heaving bosom.

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