

# Fifty Oregon Fathers Terminate Eventful Week-End on Campus

## Students And Dads Discuss Relationship

### Dean Onthank Encourages Extra Activities

### Personnel Division Exists To Help Organize and Guide Work Of Undergraduates

Student problems, ideals and theories of education, and the relationship of "dad" to the campus were topics of live interest at the two meetings of the executive committee of the Oregon Dads held during the week-end.

An intimate glimpse of university life was given the committee at its meeting Saturday morning by Karl W. Onthank, dean of personnel. The plan of the University for encouraging students to enter into extra-curricular activities to supplement their study programs was explained in detail. "The University believes that students should be guided and encouraged to set their own ideals and organize their own program," he stated. "For this purpose the personnel division exists. The organization aids in guidance, in personnel research, development of the health service, in placement activities and in the coordination of academic work with extra-curricular activities."

### Fine Arts Program Cited

Dean Onthank also pointed out the value of President Hall's program of development of fine arts. The aim of this has been to develop an appreciation for the better things of life in all students, rather than merely developing the talents of artists.

Pointing out the progress that the University has made, Burt Brown Barker, vice-president of the University, declared that one of the secretaries of a national association of higher institutions stated recently that no American university had come forward faster than Oregon, with but one exception.

The University of Oregon is outstanding for its theory of fine arts and that no institution has anything surpassing it, Mr. Barker said. The fine arts program covers music, drama, sculpture, painting, and related work. A student may forget his science, his economics, his history and other academic subjects, but if he is trained in such a way that he develops an ability to see beauty, he has obtained something which he never forgets and which is a joy to him throughout his life. Mr. Barker

indicated that the eastern foundations were taking an active interest in the University of Oregon because of its theory of education and theory of fine arts. This theory was started by Prince L. Campbell, formerly president of the University of Oregon, and Ellis F. Lawrence, dean of the school of architecture, but the idea was sold to the foundations by President Hall.

### Carnegie Grant Given

A few years ago the Carnegie Foundation made Harvard university a center of fine arts. This proved so successful that three years ago the board of directors of the foundation chose the dean of architecture of Cornell university to head up the work and assist in locating a second center. After visiting a number of institutions in the United States it was reported to the board of directors that the second center should be located at the University of Oregon. This was a great surprise to the directors and to everyone else because they had not previously heard of the University of Oregon and had no knowledge of its theory of fine arts education. Being conservative they appropriated only \$5000 to the University of Oregon for this work, but they made a study of the accomplishments of the University of Oregon and Harvard university by means of a questionnaire to the students. As a result of this study the \$15,000 available for this work was divided equally between Harvard and Oregon. In conclusion he emphasized that President Campbell and Dean Lawrence developed the idea but that President Hall was responsible for selling the idea to the eastern foundations.

### New Members Welcomed

At the meeting Sunday, at which new members of the committee were welcomed, Dean Earl discussed at some length the automobile regulation adopted by the state board. He pointed out that the regulation at first prohibited the use of automobiles by all students attending the University. He indicated that the students driving cars represent a cross section of the student body as a whole, and that they tend to distribute themselves insofar as need for cars is concerned according to the normal distribution curve. Five per cent of the students need cars badly, 20 per cent could use them to advantage, 50 per cent could possibly get along without them, 20 per cent do not need them, and five per cent would be far better off without them.

The 1936 class at Rutgers university is the healthiest class entered there in many years, according to the college authorities.

## Glances at Dad's Day

Publicity for "Dad's Day" this year was in the capable hands of Ed Stanley, enterprising member of the Emerald staff. For this Dad's day page, he was assisted by Peggy Chessman, George Callas, and Bernard Clark.

A. W. Norblad, of Astoria, former governor, and what is more important—former president of the Oregon Dads, found himself back in the "freshman" class this year. His son, Walter, graduated last year, but a daughter, Eleanor, came down this fall as a first-year student.

Another "first-year man" was Merle Chessman, of Astoria, who, however, made the executive committee. He is publisher of the Astorian-Budget and a graduate of the University.

Burt Brown Barker, vice-president of the University, who now draws the princely salary of 8 and one-third cents a month, was much in evidence, although he is now an "alum" dad. He spent part of his time in his official capacity, giving "fatherly" advice to the "dads."

The banquet this year was just that in every sense of the word. Real fried chicken, real pieces, too, pumpkin pie, mashed potatoes, and numerous other viands were served piping hot, with no waits, no delays, and a minimum of noise. Mrs. Genevieve Turnipseed, dormitory director, promised a good old-fashioned "feed" and she made good her promise!

One of the unsung heroes of the day was Paul R. Washke, of the physical education staff. To him fell the task of arranging all the hundreds of chairs in the dining room—and wonder of wonders—the loud speaker worked this time!

## Emerald Of the Air

The regular 12:15 broadcast of news will be followed in the evening at 7:15 by the weekly Emerald-of-the-Air dramatic program, under the direction of Mike Hogan. Tune in this evening for 15 minutes of entertainment by "Mr. Bill and the Stroubles."

Mr. Hogan announces a meeting of the dramatic cast for rehearsal at 3 o'clock this afternoon in 104 Journalism.

## Campus Calendar

(Continued from Page One) room, third floor of Gerlinger hall, on "Arts in the World Tomorrow." Everybody is welcome.

Homecoming signs must be completed by 6 o'clock Friday evening, and budgets turned in.

All welcoming committees for Homecoming meet at 7:30 tonight at the Alpha Chi Omega house.

Skull and Dagger meeting, 7:30 tonight—104 Journalism building.

Tonqued social mass meeting tonight, 7:30 to 8:30, at Westminster house. All Eugene women invited.

Pi Lambda Theta will meet tonight at 7:30 at the Chi Omega house.

## Christian Council To Meet Tonight

As the fourth presentation of the Student Christian council in the series of discussions on "The World Tomorrow," John J. Landsbury, dean of the school of music, will be the leader of a discussion on "The Arts in the World Tomorrow." The meeting will be held in the usual place, the men's lounge of Gerlinger hall at 7 o'clock tonight. Besides Dr. Landsbury's presentation of his subject, there will be ample opportunity for discussion. Any interested students are invited to attend.

At the meeting next week, Fletcher Brockman, secretary for the committee on the Promotion of Friendship between the Americans and the Far East, will present the Orient as a part of the world tomorrow.

## FOOTBALL PLAYERS ROBBED DURING GAME

(Continued from Page One) fort would be made to round up the culprits and put a stop to further deprivations of this sort. This is the first time in recent years that any such violent transgression of the students' property has taken place.

## Dads Express Deep Interest In Fate of School Grab Bill

By PEGGY CHESSMAN

That the Oregon dads can think of little else than the Zorn-MacPherson school-grabbing bill was clearly expressed this week-end when the fathers of University students gathered at the various meeting places and houses for informal discussions.

From each father questioned about the regular school routine and campus life was received an evasive or very indefinite answer which immediately followed up with some long and enthusiastic discussion about the bill.

Whether a graduate of the University of Oregon or not, every one of them was as loyal a rooter for the school and its prosperity as any one of the workers on the campus.

It was at Saturday luncheon that I first attempted to get the dads' reactions to the phases of college life they had seen thus far. "Well," I asked, "what do you think of the life your sons and daughters lead here at the University?"

Naturally, there was a short pause, for none of them could say very much against it while I was in their midst. Then, quite in unison, they expressed their satisfaction of it they had been shown.

However, before I could even think of my next question, one of the dads started—I can't remember how, it all happened so suddenly—stating his views on the consolidation. Never before have I seen such a discussion as that one which followed. Each one of the men had some facts or statistics to contribute to the others about the action in his town or county.

Even when some of the dads were taken to the Campa Shoppe Saturday evening, the Zorn-MacPherson bill was the one note; even Abbie Green's orchestra could not distract from their minds. "The bill must not pass" was their password at every affair, and was not forgotten one minute during the celebration.

## MOVIE NOTES

COLONIAL—"Bachelor Affairs."  
REX—"Mata Hari."  
McDONALD—"The Blonde Captive."

Colonial  
Adolphe Menjou is the deborah hero of this sophisticated comedy—and if anyone thinks the bachelor's life is all roses, a dime well spent will convince him of his error. There are more complications to the minute here than in the disarmament conference, and much more beauty—Minna Gombel, Joan Marsh, Irene Purcell, and Don Alvarado contributing the blurbitude.

Beauty to the contrary notwithstanding, urbane Mr. Menjou is the Dime Night's main concern, and ours. His performance is as always, sure, easy and competent, although we might own a little prejudice, since it's been long since he has disappointed us. And for the attention of Promenaders:

## Y Group Studies Trade Problems

"How Eugene merchandise is put out" is the subject which the industrial group of Y. W. is now investigating under the leadership of Gwen Elsemore. This topic will serve as a basis of discussion for the rest of the term.

Study of conditions of manufacturing in Eugene will involve a study of the material put out, visits to the local wholesale houses, and the compilation of a local list. Under Miss Elsemore's direction the group has enlarged and improved its project to include several sub-committees. These will

be announced next week. Tea is served at every meeting, and any one interested in industrial problems of the times is welcomed.

## YWCA Cabinet Holds Lively Hallowe'en Party

A Hallowe'en party was given from 8 to 9 last night by the Y. W. C. A. cabinet for members of the A. W. S. and W. A. A. councils at the "Y" bungalow. Frances Rothwell, Betty Gearhart, and Josephine Waffle made up the committee for the affair. Real Hallowe'en spirit prevailed with spooks and ghosts to lend atmosphere. Songs were sung by the fireside. Delicious donuts topped off the evening.

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## Norblad Trophy Taken by Chi Psi Lodge This Year

"Persistence always wins" seems to be the slogan of the Chi Psi fraternity after winning the A. W. Norblad trophy for the largest proportion of dads over the Dad's week-end. Last year it was tied for third place with Alpha Phi, but this year traded places with Sigma Kappa, winner last year. The Chi Psi lodge had a percentage of 54.5 per cent, or 18 out of a possible 33 dads.

Kappa Alpha Theta, a close second, was awarded the Paul T. Shaw prize with percentage of 50.0, or 17 dads of possible 34. Last year the second prize was won by Phi Mu. Sigma Kappa was third with 46.7 per cent, or 7 out of 15 dads.

The O. Laugaard trophy, given for the first time for the largest proportion of "Freshman Dads," was won by Kappa Kappa Gamma with a percentage of 70.0, or 7 dads out of possible 10. Zeta Tau Alpha was second with 66.7 per cent, 2 dads of possible 3. Third place went to Phi Kappa Psi with 55.6 per cent, or 5 of possible 9 dads.

## Employment Secretary Summarizes Activities

University students are finding many varieties of work to assist them in meeting their expenses, Miss Katherine Kneeland, employment secretary, revealed yesterday.

Students seek part-time work doing such things as: radio repairing, waxing floors, cleaning rugs and windows, putting in wood or other fuel, splitting wood, stacking wood, carpentering, painting, roofing, housework, tutoring, cleaning autos, waiting tables, washing dishes, tending furnaces, gardening, mowing lawns, running errands, taking care of children, planning meals, plain and fancy cooking.

A science laboratory employs a student for washing dishes and cleaning other laboratory materials. Miss Kneeland received a call for a trained barber, at another time one for a trained carpenter, and again for a student to clean a chimney.

One of the most unusual calls received came during a storm, when a lady telephoned for a student to cover her chrysanthemums for the night.

Jobs for room, board, and odd jobs such as putting in wood and doing housework led in the number of students employed. This is the first year that employment facilities for men and women have been combined.

## Visiting Dads Told Of School Life Saturday

### Deans Schwering, Onthank Explain Activities

### Thompson Retains Presidency for Second Year; Tongue New Vice-President

By GEORGE CALLAS  
"Oregon Dads" were enlightened on social and other activities of students at the mass meeting held at Johnson hall Saturday morning, and they learned of these phases of University life first hand from Mrs. Hazel P. Schwering, dean of women, and Karl W. Onthank, dean of personnel administration.

Dean Schwering explained that by making it necessary for every girl to have some outside activity other than the regular class work a special interest is aroused in each individual. In answer to a father's inquiry concerning the regulation of the students' pleasure-seeking activities, Dean Schwering stated that the amount of activity allotted to each girl limits the time left for herself.

Dean Onthank spiked any and all possible rumors of habitually irregular conduct of men students of the school. He explained the work of the dean of men's office in connection with the men of the school and also the significance of the student leaders' organization. Carlton E. Spencer, chairman of the committee for automobile enforcement, stated that the use of cars has been modified considerably even after the ban was removed.

New officers were elected at the meeting as follows: Thomas H. Tongue, Jr., of Hillsboro, vice-president; Earle Wellington, American Bank building, Portland, secretary; Earl M. Pallett, University of Oregon, executive-secretary. Members of the executive committee are Palmer L. Fales, Platt building, Portland; Charles C. Hall, 114 1/2 Grand avenue, Portland; Merle R. Chessman, Astoria Budget, Astoria; Arthur C. Fields, 41 Grand avenue North, Portland; Edgar W. Smith, 690 East 20th street, Portland; Carl Haberlach, Tillamook; Roy T. Bishop, 542 East 15th street North, Portland; R. S. Hamilton, American Bank building, Portland; and Kenneth Beebe, 783 Talbot road, Portland. Since the president is elected for a period of two years, W. Lair Thompson will remain in the presidency for the coming year.

## A.W.S. Sponsors Annual 'Mum' Sale For O.S.C. Game

It's chrysanthemum time again. The biggest sale will be held for the biggest game—the Oregon-Oregon State annual battle next Saturday at Corvallis.

Edith Peterson, in charge of the mum sale, which is sponsored by the Associated Woman students, has announced that orders will be taken as usual in the living organizations and also at the Co-op every day this week from 9 to 5. See that your mum is an A. W. S. mum—the bigger and better kind and thus help support the student loan fund.

## Tonqued To Hold Social Meeting

Tonqued, organization of Eugene women attending the University, will hold a social mass meeting tonight from 7:30 to 8:30 at Westminster house.

All Eugene women at the University are invited to attend. Ruth Griswold will play the piano for dancing and Dorothy Parks will sing.

Kathryn Liston has appointed Catherine Coleman as director of all mass meetings during the term. Lois Margaret Hurt will assist her with refreshments and entertainment.

Hostesses will be Helen Garrison, May Masterton, Bernice Ingalls, Kathryn Liston, and Thelma Nelson.


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