

Women's and Society Page of the Oregon Emerald

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Senior Ball Scheduled Saturday at Gerlinger

The main social event of winter term, the Senior ball, will be presented by the senior class on Saturday evening, February 4, at Gerlinger hall. The affair will be strictly formal for both men and women; and a formal reception will be held preceding the dance in alumnae lounge honoring the patrons and patronesses.

The decorative motif will be artistically formal. The hall will be overhung with a deep-black canopy. Stately white pillars upholding

Phi Beta Gives Dessert Party Tuesday Night

Varied Musical Program Part Of Entertainment at Delta Delta Delta

Members of Phi Beta, women's national professional fraternity of music and drama, entertained informally at a dessert party Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at the Delta Delta Delta house, in honor of their patrons and patronesses.

At the head of the different committees in charge of the affair were: Mrs. John Jay Rogers, Mrs. Howard Taylor, Mrs. Earl Pallett, Mrs. Kenneth Shumaker, Miss Frances Brockman, Miss Kathleen Hughes, Miss Dorothy Esch, and Miss Betty Rhame.

Miss Helene Ferris, Miss Mary Jane Burdick, and Miss Patricia Sherrard served ices and coffee. Following refreshments a half hour program was given.

The program was as follows: "Arabian Melody," by Glazouff, and "Le Con Con," violin solos played by Vivian Malone; "Dance of the Flame Fairies," from play "Cinderella," interpreted by Ida Mae Nichols, Gertrude Winslow, and Elinor Fitch; Betsy Salee gave a vocal solo, "Toyland"; Elinor Fitch and Virginia Hartje portrayed a "Court Ball Waltz," from "Cinderella"; Janet Fitch gave two piano solos, "Romanza," by Schumann, and "Etude," by Scriabine; the court orchestra presented selections from the musical play, "Katinka and the Firefly." The orchestra included violins, Frances Brockman, Vivian Malone, and Barbara Jane Allen; saxophone, Helen Gould, cello, Roberta Spicer Moffitt; piano, Betty Wilson, and Janet Fitch.

The Eugene patrons and patronesses of Phi Beta are Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Kerr, Mrs. Murray Warner, Dean John J. Landsbury, Alice Henson Ernst, Jane Thacher, W. F. G. Thacher, Rex Underwood, Arthur Boardman, Dean and Mrs. Eric Allen, Dean and Mrs. J. H. Gilbert, Earl Pallett, Roy Bryson, Ottilie Turnbull Seybolt, Virginia Walker, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Zane, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jenkins, and Mrs. Genevieve Turnipseed.

On Wednesday Alpha Omicron Pi had members of Phi Gamma Delta for dessert, and Alpha Xi Delta had members of Phi Kappa Gamma entertaining for Sigma Pi Tau; Zeta Tau Alpha for Phi Delta Theta; Phi Kappa Psi for Kappa Alpha Theta; Phi Sigma Kappa for Gamma Phi Beta; Alpha Chi Omega for Alpha Tau Omega, and Sigma Phi Epsilon for Sigma Kappa.

Upperclass members of Kappa Kappa Gamma were entertained at tea at the home of Miss Elizabeth Thacher at 20th and University last Friday afternoon.

Owen-Taylor Nuptials

The marriage of Miss Zona Owen to Marshall Kellogg Taylor was an event of November 23, at Palo Alto, California. Mrs. Taylor was head resident of Hendricks hall last year. Both are graduates of Stanford university. They are residing in San Francisco.

Three national officers were guests of Sigma Kappa last weekend. They were Miss Bertha Willcox Stutz, grand treasurer; Miss Lilly Nordgren Edwards, district president; and Miss Betty Thompson, district councillor.

A formal banquet was held Saturday evening at the chapter house honoring the three guests and new initiates of the sorority.

AMERICA EXPECTING TOO MUCH IN WAR DEBTS

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As to the practical side of the question, it is worth bearing in mind that America's advances to the Allies and other European nations, most of whom were born out of the collapse of the Hapsburg, the Hohenzollern and the Romanoff empires, during and immediately after the war, aggregated about \$9,500,000,000. Against this sum, the Allies and the other nations referred to expended within the United States close to 14 1/2 billion dollars. The difference was made up of the proceeds from the sale of American securities which Europe, notably Great Britain, had been accumulating for many years, and of the shipment of gold to us. In other words, for every dollar of credit advanced, there was spent in this country \$1.45.

Let us assume that the total purchases in the United States, the profits accruing to the American people aggregated 30 per cent, which is not excessive a rate considering the pronounced rise in the price of commodities and manufactured goods supplied by us. That is to say, we profited from dealing with our allies to the extent of close to \$5,000,000,000. This reduces our original advances to 4 1/2 billions.

Total receipts, including payments made under the funding agreements, prior to funding, and on certain unfunded war debts, amount to more than \$2,600,000,000, reducing further the amounts advanced originally, presumably for a "common cause" to less than \$2,000,000,000.

Is it too much to ask the United States which, after all, was as much at war as Great Britain and France and Italy, even though theoretically not for the same reasons, to contribute to the "noble experiment" the sum of two billion dollars? Instead, we ask our former allies to continue to pay for two generations sums aggregating more than 22 billions, or \$2.25 for every dollar advanced.

Social Secretary For First Lady To Continue Post

NEW YORK. (AP)—When Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt goes to Washington as the next first lady of the land she will take with her as her official and only secretary Miss Malvina Thompson of New York.

Miss Thompson has been Mrs. Roosevelt's secretary for about seven years. Before that she was for three years with the women's division of the Democratic state committee, in whose activities Mrs. Roosevelt played a prominent part. During the war she was with the American Red Cross.

"Tommy," as the Roosevelt's affectionately call her, has gone through three national campaigns and a half a dozen state campaigns with Mrs. Roosevelt. She has been all over the state with her more than once. She was also at the Democratic national convention in Chicago last June, working with the Roosevelt forces, and she made the entire western trip with the governor's party.

In private life, Miss Thompson is Mrs. Frank J. Scheider. Her husband teaches in a New York vocational high school.

Two Engagements Announced Recently

The recent announcements of the engagements of three ex-University students have appeared in the Portland papers. Miss Miriam Anne Stange of La Grande has announced her engagement to wed George William Decker of Los Angeles. Miss Stange attended the University and was a member of Delta Gamma.

The engagement of Miss Glady Joy to Fred J. Stevens, Jr., of Eugene, was announced at the home of Mrs. Allan Joy of Portland. Miss Joy was a member of Chi Omega. Both were graduates of the University. The wedding has been scheduled for the early spring.

"Tommy," Social Secretary for Roosevelts



Malvina Thompson—"Tommy," the Roosevelts call her—will have a full desk of responsibilities when she moves into the White House with them. Appointments for dinners, such as the one where Mrs. Roosevelt is seen with Lady Astor, and varied other engagements that keep the first lady busy will be part of her job as secretary.

Co-Ed Capers Stunts Not To Be Presented

The presentation of the Co-ed Capers stunts scheduled to be given at the Colonial theater on Friday and Saturday evenings has been postponed for a few weeks. Inability of several members of the casts to be present for the performance has necessitated the postponement.

Louise Webber, president of the Associated Women Students, and Emma Belle Stadden, general chairman for Co-ed Capers, state that the A. W. S. will definitely sponsor the show in the near future.

Ray-Goebel Wedding Event of New Year

The wedding of Miss Janeth Ray, daughter of Mrs. Loretta Glascock, to Richard E. Goebel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grover G. Goebel, was solemnized at the Grace Memorial church in Portland on New Year's Eve.

Mr. Goebel attended the University of Oregon where he was prominent in campus activities, serving as promotional manager of the Emerald last year. He was affiliated with Phi Delta Theta. The couple are residing at the Corte Madera apartments in Portland.

Frosh to Frolic At Campa Shoppe Saturday Night

While the upperclassmen dance in stately formality at the Senior ball, the freshman class will hold their fast-becoming traditional consolation dance at the Campa Shoppe Saturday evening with Robert Welch in charge of arrangements.

The frosh commission is sponsoring the dance this year, and it is planned to be a "get-acquainted" affair.

Aid in City Doughnut Sale Asked by YWCA

Anyone interested in working on the Y. W. C. A. city doughnut drive is asked to call at the "Y." The Eugene doughnut drive, which has formerly been held at the same time as the campus sale, will be held in about two weeks. There will be no campus sale at the time.

Catherine Coleman is to be in charge of the city sale, with Louise Barclay and the directorate who managed the campus drive assisting her.

Fraternities to Hold Two Social Events

Only two social events have been scheduled for this week-end by living organizations because of the conflicting Senior ball.

On Friday evening Theta Chi will entertain with an informal dance at the chapter house. There will be no particular motif; the house will be flooded with soft lights as the sole decoration.

Patrons and patronesses will be Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Schwering, Dean and Mrs. H. L. Hoyt, and Mr. and Mrs. Russ Cutler. Chick Burrows and Bob Ferguson are in charge of arrangements.

Upperclass members of Kappa Sigma will hold a formal dinner at the chapter house on Saturday evening, preceding the Senior ball, and honoring their guests.

Tonqueds to Give Benefit Bridge Tea For Scholarship

For the purpose of raising a scholarship fund with which to pay a Eugene girl's first year at this University, the Tonqueds, an organization of Eugene women attending the University, are sponsoring a benefit bridge tea on Thursday, February 9. The council of the group sanctioned the project, and Bernice Ingalls, social chairman, has completed the arrangements.

The auditorium at McMorran and Washburne's store has been chosen for the bridge tea. It will last from 2 until 5 o'clock. Students and faculty members are invited as well as Eugene residents.

Miss Ingalls is being assisted by Jean Lewis, Gertrude Lambe, Marjorie Scobert, Mae Schnellbacher, Lois Howe, Charlotte Hewitt, and Rosalind Gray in making the arrangements.

Other committees that have been appointed are: entertainment—Joe Ramsey, Katherine Mishler, Ruth King, Ellen Hill; publicity—Genevieve Dunlop and Margaret Bean; tallies and prizes—Margaret Ellen Hill, Ellen Endicott, Frances McDermott, Claire Bryson, and Helen Tillman; tickets—Helen Garrison, Lucille Stewart, Ruth Osborn, Beatrice Faulkner, Dorothy Parks, Catherine Coleman, Lois Margaret Hunt, Margaret Nebergall, Helen Gould, and Mae Masterton.

Benefit Card Party Planned by YWCA

The advisory board of the Y. W. C. A. is planning a benefit bridge Friday afternoon from 2 to 5, with Mrs. Percy Brown in charge. There will be about 20 tables.

The advisory board officers are Mrs. Fred Meller, president; Mrs. Charles Howard, vice-president; Mrs. A. H. Norton, secretary; Mrs. Katherine Stofield, treasurer. Tea will be served from 3 to 5 by freshman girls. Helen Gould is in charge of the service.

Widening Horizons

J. L. S.

Frances Perkins, industrial commissioner of New York, is practically assured the position of secretary of labor in President-elect Roosevelt's cabinet. If appointed, she will be the first woman to ever hold a cabinet post.

The demise of the chaperon for mixed social affairs is an economic rather than a moral revolt, the Oregonian says in a recent editorial. "It is a sorrowful duty to destroy the illusion of the young ladies to the effect that they were the ones who overthrew the chaperon custom. . . . This was one case in which the boys were the adroit ones, though they permitted the girls to believe themselves the revolvers. . . . they might insist they wished to be alone, but it also happens that dinner and the theater for two costs considerably less than dinner and the theater for three."

Upper class women of the Philippine Islands still retain their artistic native style of dress, rich with hand work and skillful embroidery.

By act of the present congress the civil code of Colombia, South America, has been so amended that a wife can alienate and administer or manage her own property during marriage. This and similar acts are largely due to the efforts of President Olaya who has consistently worked in the interest of greater recognition for the rights of women in his country. Mrs. Olaya is also a leader in activities of the women of Colombia through her work in the Red Cross.

Two trading posts in Alaska, one at Teller and the other at Igloo, are managed and owned by women. Mrs. Tom Peterson and Mrs. Bill Marks are their respective managers.

A group of society women in Pasadena, California, have organized a movement to foster the manufacture of beautiful and useful articles at home. Mrs. Frederick H. Seares is director of the movement. These homemade articles may in time supplant the cheap machine-made souvenirs that are offered tourists at the present time.

YWCA Will Continue Cabinet Interviews

What is the matter with the Y. W. C. A.? What are its greatest contributions to the campus? Individual answers to these and other such questions are wanted.

Every girl who is interested in doing executive work at the "Y" next year, whether or not she has had previous experience, is invited to give her criticisms and evaluations of the "Y" in an half-hour interview with Mrs. Margaret Norton, "Y" director, and one senior member of the "Y" cabinet. These interviews, which are really informal chats, discuss the girls' opinions of the "Y" and her possible position in it.

The interviews, begun last Monday, have proved so popular that they will be continued for another week. Everyone interested is urged to sign up at once. Fifty or sixty girls have already been interviewed, and as many more have signed up for later conferences.

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Rolla Reedy Appointed Editor of Group Organ

Rolla Reedy, senior in education, has been appointed by the Intercollegiate Student Council of the League for Industrial Democracy associate editor of the group's organ, "The Student Outlook," published in Chicago.

In this capacity Reedy will be a contributor to the magazine and also direct its editorial policy. The magazine, which is an intercollegiate socialist review, has a nationwide circulation and may be bought on all news stands.

It is published six times a year; the features for the February issue include, "The Challenge of Technocracy," by Paul Blanchard; "The Day Before the Revolution," by Lewis Mumford, and "The Blessing of Unemployment," by Felix S. Cohen.

Dr. Crumbaker Talks Before Eugene Lions

Dr. Calvin Crumbaker, professor of economics, spoke before the Eugene Lions club at its meeting yesterday afternoon at the Eugene hotel on the subject of "Rights of Property Holders Under the Constitution."

Dr. Crumbaker pointed out the almost unlimited power of cities and states in taking private property for public use through the exercise of eminent domain, taxation or police power and said that should the state of Oregon decide to levy for \$65,000,000 to go into the power business the United States supreme court would not interfere. He cited many examples of the taking of private property for public use.

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