

Religion Study Group to Meet Here Monday

Sociology Dean Parsons To Present Survey

Leaders in Religious Education of Pacific Coast Area Plan Three-Day Meet

Dr. P. A. Parsons, dean of the sociology department, will present a survey of religion in higher learning institutions on the Pacific slope before a number of religious authorities who will attend the second annual conference of the Pacific division of the North American board for the study of religion in higher education, to be held here Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday.

This survey, which deals with the effect of religion in higher institutions, has been made recently by Dr. Parsons, who is chairman of the conference. Questionnaires were sent to four groups in each institution studied: to faculty, student leaders, religious leaders, and the student body in general. The survey was made in the University of Oregon, Oregon State college, University of California, Stanford university, Idaho university, Montana university, Montana State college, University of Arizona, agricultural extension of University of California, and in one institution outside the Pacific district, the University of Iowa.

All groups to whom questionnaires were sent were very interested and cooperative, said Dr. Parsons. About 7500 students replied, 5500 of their answers being used in the survey.

The conference will open Monday with a business meeting, and continue until Wednesday morning, at which time officers will be elected. Delegates to the conference will go to Portland Wednesday in time for dinner and a meeting, to sum up the work done.

Several famous authorities in the field of religious education will attend the conference. Dr. M. Willard Lampe, head of the school of religion in the University of Iowa, and Dr. O. D. Foster, executive secretary of the North American board, are both nationally recognized.

Alpha Kappa Psi To Have Pledging

Alpha Kappa Psi, men's professional honorary in business and commerce, held a meeting yesterday to discuss the pledging of new members. Formal pledging will take place next week.

At a recent meeting of the honorary, Dr. J. E. Richmond, a Eugene dentist, spoke on "Dentistry as Related to Business." The subject was open for discussion by the members.

Charles Gillespie, senior in business administration, is president of the honorary.

Ex-Oregon Professor Now at Smith College

Dr. Walter C. Barnes, professor of history at the University of Oregon from 1920 to 1931, is now a professor of history at Smith college at Northampton, Mass.

Professor Barnes, who recently made an extensive visit to Europe, has just completed the manuscript on the "History of Revolutionary Russia." Many history students and teachers are interested in the book as it deals with the recent changes in Russia and the results of her governmental experiments.

His wife, Mary Watson Barnes, was a former instructor in the English department here.

ROUSTABOUTS NOMINATE MORSE AS PRESIDENT

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fullest. The first appointment promised was that of chairman emeritus of the music committee—Julian Prescott, starting his third decade as a student. (This was done to insure good publicity in the Emerald.) Sen. Morse stated that he himself would launch the music master on his third decade by presenting him with a bottle of Pluto water.

The post of chairman emeritus of the athletic committee will be Howard Jones, who informed the Roustabouts last night that he was resigning at U. S. C. and would arrive in Eugene next week. This was not confirmed, however. Mr. Jones is said to have had some experience as an athletic coach. Bud VanDine, John (Fiji) Day, and Ike Donin will get the posts on the committee when they have lined up 50 votes each.

Jim Gemio, linguist and eminent political science expert, will be ambassador to China. Bob Johnson has been promised cleanup chairman for the Senior ball.

Dick Neuberger and Bill Reinhart were read out of the party for their "Regarding Basketball" activities. No explanation was given. Figure it out for yourself.

Campaign platforms will be announced next week.

Sleep tight, you lucky people.

To Discuss University Budget



Above is pictured the Higher Board of Education, which will meet next week to discuss the drafting of budgets and election of board officers. Members of the board are B. F. Irvine, E. C. Sammons, C. L. Starr, C. C. Colt, F. E. Callister, F. C. Pease, Herman Oliver, Albert Burch, and Mrs. Walter Pierce. The appointments of George B. McLeod and C. A. Brand will be confirmed at this meeting.

SOCIETY

ELOISE DORNER, Editor

Music Society To Entertain Sunday at Tea

Members of Tau Delta Delta, underclass music honorary, will entertain Mu Phi Epsilon, upper-class music honorary for women, Sunday afternoon from 4:30 till 6 o'clock at tea at the Sigma Kappa house. Spring flowers will decorate the rooms. Mrs. A. E. Roberts and Madame Rose McGrew will pour. Maxine Hill, president of the organization, is in charge.

Patronesses who will be present are: Mrs. Jennie Burrows, Mrs. John Stark Evans, Mrs. Jane Thacher, Madame Rose McGrew, Mrs. Aurora Potter Underwood, Mrs. A. E. Jameson, and Mrs. A. E. Roberts.

Those who will participate in the musical program are: Norma Zinser, Margaret Ellen Hill, Lois Howe, Catherine Mishler, Madeline Beidler, Loree Laird, Elizabeth Rix, Dorothy Howell, Jeanette Turner, June Yates, and Maxine Hill. A program of piano and vocal numbers. An instrumental trio and a vocal sextet has been arranged.

A happy co-incidental found two recently married couples, sorority sisters on the same boat headed for China for their honeymoon. Lenore La Porte of Eugene and George Hammond of Portland were recently married in Portland. Mrs. Hammond graduated from the University last June. Rose Conroy and George Webber were the other newlyweds; they both graduated from the University last year. Mr. Webber is a member of Phi Sigma Kappa, and both Mrs. Webber and Mrs. Hammond are affiliated with Kappa Delta.

Fashion Luncheon Saturday for Group

A fashion luncheon for members of the Charm School group of Philomela will be held Saturday noon at the home of Mrs. Alice B. Macduff. Sport clothes, dinner dresses, and formals will be modeled by Louise Barclay, Helen Larson, and Jane Burke. Jeanette Thompson will entertain the group with piano music, and spring flowers will decorate the tables.

Mrs. John J. Rogers, a patroness of the group, will also be present at the luncheon. Ruth May Chilcote is in charge of arrangements.

Westminster association held open house Friday evening at the Westminster house. Edith Grim and Bill Gearhart, who were in charge of the affair, arranged for an evening of dancing, bridge, and games. Refreshments were served to the guests.

Westminster guild will have an open Chinese dinner next Wednesday evening, April 26, also at the Westminster house. As part of the program, Jean Lewis will review "As It Looks to Young China." This dinner is the culmination of two terms' study of China by the group. Margaret Sprague is in charge of the affair.

Delta Zeta entertained Friday evening with a sport dinner dance at the chapter house, chaperoned by Mrs. Lillian Eldridge. Spring flowers will decorate the rooms. Kamilla Klekar was in charge.

Kappa Delta seniors entertained the rest of the sorority at dinner Friday evening.

Two Dances Close Senior Social Week

Senior Leap Week activities came to a close this evening with the annual Mortar Board ball. This is the only affair of the week-end to which the whole campus is invited, and it is to be held at the Eugene hotel.

Patrons and patronesses for the affair are: Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Schermer, Mrs. Alice B. Macduff, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Norton, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Payne, Dean and Mrs. Wayne Morse, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Spencer, Miss Clara Smerenko, Mr. and Mrs. David Graham, Dr. and Mrs. Edgar E. De Cou, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Schumaker.

Several sororities on the campus are entertaining their guests to the ball with formal dinners before the dance. Among these are: Kappa Kappa Gamma, Chi Omega, Sigma Kappa, Phi Mu, Alpha Delta Pi, Phi Mu, and Zeta Tau Alpha.

The Farewell Folly held at Hendricks hall yesterday evening was enjoyed by a large representation of the senior class. The decorations very cleverly carried out the idea of a school room with black boards on which the work of the prominent seniors is displayed. Dunces caps on which the programs for the dance were written in crayola were a special feature for the gingham-clad girls and the school boys.

and Screen." Short reels on China, Japan, the South Seas, and other parts of the Pacific will also be shown. An added attraction will be a Disney animated cartoon in technicolor. The price will be but 15 cents, and others as well as those attending the institute are invited, according to Glen Godfrey, manager of the Colonial. Two shows, one at 7 and another at 9, will be given.

Smith To Lead
Prof. Warren D. Smith will lead the first of the series of discussions, speaking on "The Economic Geography of the Pacific." Prof. Victor P. Morris will lead a symposium on "Social and Industrial Development in the Far East," Rev. Clay S. Palmer one on "Religious Trends of the Far East," and Prof. Harold J. Noble another on "The Sino-Japanese Conflict."

With the many recent developments in the conflict between China and Japan in North China, interest in Oriental affairs is high, and many visitors from other parts of the state are expected to attend the institute. The status of the two "independent" governments, Manchoukuo and Lwantung, probably will be one of the topics taken up by Dr. Treat in his talk on "The Possibilities and Facts in the Far East."

The faculty committee which is making arrangements for the institute is composed of Dr. Victor P. Morris, Dr. Harold J. Noble, Dr. Warren D. Smith, and Dean Karl W. Onthank. The original sponsor of the plan for the institute was the campus International Relations club, of which Dr. Morris is the faculty adviser.

STERLING GREEN VOICES SOME OF HIS POLICIES

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from Jefferson high school in Portland and was the first editor of the school paper there.

For sports he participates in soccer and swimming and is an ardent track fan. His favorite pastimes, he stated, are sleeping and cutting classes. His middle name is Frazier, Frazer, Frasier, and Fraser, according to the whims of the user. Around the "shack" he is known by the staff as Sterling (Emerald) Green.

C. E. Convention To Be in Eugene From April 27-30

Chancellor Kerr and Dr. Morris To Address Delegates at State Meet

Over a thousand young people from all parts of Oregon are expected in Eugene next week-end, April 27 to 30, for the state Christian Endeavor convention. Nearly 600 registrations have already been received. Students who have friends coming or who have been Christian Endeavorers are invited to register for the convention.

Chancellor W. J. Kerr and Dr. Victor P. Morris are to give two of the principal addresses of the convention, the first Friday morning at 9:45 and the second Sunday evening. Dr. Levi Pennington, president of Pacific college at Newberg, and Dr. Perry C. Hopper, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian church in Portland, are also to address the delegates to the convention.

Several students are helping with arrangements for the convention, the sessions of which will take place in the First Christian church. Two students who are on the Eugene general committee are Sterling Cash, sophomore in architecture, and Elinor Henry, junior in journalism.

Housing the Endeavorers from outside Eugene will be the problem chiefly to be considered next week, as about 400 applications for "bed and breakfast" have already come in. Women have been appointed in all Eugene churches to have charge of hostess cards to be filled out by those who are willing to furnish one or more delegates with a place to sleep and with breakfast.

Sororities on the campus have promised to care for two delegates apiece, and 12 will stay at the men's dormitory. Students who wish home-town friends to stay with them are urged to telephone Christian Endeavor headquarters at the Christian church, phone 686, or Mrs. R. M. Day, housing chairman, phone 423-W.

It is estimated that from 390,000 to 400,000 calves are born annually in Tennessee.

Mice That Defy Highest Laws Are Found by R. R. Huestis

Mice which defy the highest laws of mouse-heaven, and turn white in winter, are to be found in Dr. R. R. Huestis' research shack, back on Onyx street.

These strange mice were captured in Ochoco, in the pine forests of central Oregon. During the summer they are grey, commonplace mice, with nothing to show that they differ from all the rest of the race; but in the fall their coats begin to turn lighter, until at the height of winter they are almost completely white.

At present Dr. Huestis has several of these mice, which, having been white all winter, have begun to grow darker. He stated that by the time spring has really arrived, their coats will be as grey as ever.

There are a number of animals who naturally become white every winter: a certain kind of weasel, the lemming, the snowshoe rabbit, and the ptarmigan—a partridge-like bird. However, it is very unusual for any species of mice to become white, their coats usually

darkening a little during the winter.

The fact that there exists a kind of mice which has this characteristic is notable, according to Dr. Huestis, because it suggests that such a tendency might be a family possibility, and in time might spread to all of this certain species of mice.

It is very probable that the special quality of some animals to develop white coats during the cold season began in this way, with only a few of the species showing the characteristic. The white-coated animals surviving better, they had more offspring, and their kind increased until now every member of that species has a white coat each winter. It is possible that this kind of mice found in Ochoco, a few of which now turn white each year, may eventually all develop this characteristic, and that at some future date we may have a species of mice which all develop white coats during the cold weather.

Speculation Rife at Infirmary About Cause of Strange Odors

By PAUL EWING

Speculation was rife at the infirmary yesterday morning. Strange odors wafted about the place on gentle breezes, causing consternation among those doomed to stay and "take" it. They "took" it, but not in silence. As the sun rose higher and the heat increased, so did the odor. And as the odor increased, scandalized patients accused each other of everything from halitosis and B. O. to fetid feet.

The nurses were appealed to but had to retreat before the stench. They refused to say definitely whether or not halitosis could reach such huge proportions but thought that possibly some new form of that social bugbear had made its appearance.

Finally, however, as the sun

climbed toward the zenith, some bright soul conceived the thought of getting some non-technical advice on the matter. Donald Lewis, superintendent of grounds and buildings, was immediately called for. He arrived on the scene with one or two stalwart helpers and after a few preliminary sniffs decided that the odor was coming from under the infirmary rather than from the inside.

A little exploring was done, which soon disclosed a very deceased cat. With said cat's removal and liberal applications of disinfectants, the place returned to a normal existence. Friendships, broken by suspicion, were patched up, and except for a few rankling charges and a heavy odor of disinfectant everything was peaceful.

The Open Road

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Advertisements put you on the open road to satisfaction

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"Influencing 3,500 Moderns"

'Done Wrong'



Mac West coming to the McDonald theatre Sunday in the motion picture, "She Done Him Wrong."

FAR EASTERN CONFLICT TO BE TOPIC OF MEET

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ture on "Manchuria Today" will help to make up a program entitled "Around the Pacific via Stage