

Library Busy Despite Many Distractions

Student Literary Taste Is Fine, Says Librarian

Rental Shelves at Co-op Stocked With Number of Good Books By Popular Demand

University students may display bad taste in their treatment of rebel campus politicians, but they still show excellent taste in selecting books for their recreational reading, Mrs. Elsie Belknap, Co-op librarian, said yesterday.

Placing another verbal bouquet on the heads of University students, the Co-op librarian stated that in spite of alluring attraction of the great outdoors which our early spring has brought, campus students are not neglecting their recreational reading.

Explaining the Co-op rental library's policy of constantly restocking its shelves with the newer books—yet at the same time keeping those books for which a demand continues—Mrs. Belknap stated that for the past school year University students have kept on her rental shelves a collection of books that would grace the library of a D. Litt.

Of this group of popular books a majority are non-fiction. Francis Hockett's "Biography of Henry VIII," Arel Muntze's "Story of San Michele," James C. Adams, "The Testament of Youth," Hervey Allen's "Anthony Adverse," Margaret Ayer Barnes' "Within This Present," and Hasty Carroll's "As the Earth Turns" are some of this group.

Rivalling the non-fiction books in popularity are the novels of John Galsworthy, Ernest Hemingway, Sigrid Undset, and D. H. Lawrence. The plays of Eugene O'Neill and Noel Coward also enjoy a continuous demand.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

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Tuesday at 4 p. m. in 105 Commerce. All students eligible to attend the meeting.

Sigma Delta Pi initiation banquet has been postponed from today until April 28. Particulars will be announced later.

Prizes for A. W. S. carnival booths will be distributed to house managers at the Oregon office Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5.

A girl will be in the A.W.S. office all day today to answer questions about the carnival.

Pi Lambda Theta and Phi Delta Kappa will hold a joint picnic supper at the home of Dean Jewell, 1826 Sunset drive, Monday evening at 6 o'clock. Bring your own cup, fork, knife and spoon.

COMMITTEE ON MILITARY GIVES LIST OF RULES

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granted automatically or if there is doubt, he files application. If the student is seeking exemption on conscientious grounds, he may file a petition at the registrar's office without first going to the military department.

The military department has been given delegated power to grant exemptions, but not to deny them. Petitions shall be refused only after a complete hearing by the committee at which the petitioner will be given an opportunity to appear.

History Recalled
On June 2, 1916, the board of regents of the University of Oregon passed an order adopting compulsory military training. February 8, 1934, the faculty voted to retain military training on a required basis, and that machinery be worked out for liberalizing the administration of it.

The following committee of seven were appointed to pass upon petitions for exemptions: Carlton E. Spencer, professor of law; Waldo Shumacher, professor of political science; Calvin Crumbaker, professor of economics; Frederick A. Barker, professor of military science and tactics; A. B. Stillman, assistant professor of business administration; Dan E. Clark, professor of history; Corwin Calavan, second year alw student.

Stafford to Describe Work in Talk Tonight

O. F. Stafford, professor of chemistry, who gained nation-wide prominence in connection with "heavy water," will talk on his work in that field tonight at 8 o'clock before the state convention of Oregon Amateur Radio association in McClure hall.

The Eugene group of the association, which is sponsoring the two-day convention, cordially invites all University faculty members and students to attend the lecture. Several Oregon State students, who are members of the association are coming down for the event. The visiting women will be shown through the Art building Sunday afternoon.

Operatic Performers in Portland



Many University faculty members and students are enjoying the performances being given in Portland by the San Carlo Grand Opera company. Above are three members of the "dollar opera" group. From left to right, they are Aida Doninelli, lyric soprano; Dimitri Onofrei, lyric tenor; and Dreda Aves, mezzo-soprano. Puccini's "Madame Butterfly" will be offered this afternoon, while Verdi's "Il Trovatore" is scheduled tonight. The San Carlo company will make its last appearance tomorrow, when it offers Verdi's "La Traviata" in the afternoon and Puccini's "La Boheme" in the evening.

JUNIOR WEEK-END QUEEN TO BE A BEAUTIFUL GAL

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sophomore was a Kwama and served as chairman of the A. W. S. vocational conference. At present she is women's editor of the Emerald, editor of the Murray Warner art section of the Oregonian, and publicity chairman for the Junior Week-end.

Virginia Howard, Sigma Kappa hails from Portland. She is that tall girl with the black curly hair and nice features who is vice-president of the A.W.S., who was chairman of the food committee of the Wiggle Waffle or Waffle Wiggle; who is chairman of the food committee at the A.W.S. carnival; who is chairman of the committee on patrons and patronesses for the Junior prom.

Miriam Henderson, Gamma Phi, withdrew from the contest.

Elaine Untermyer could not be reached last night in time for this edition of the Emerald.

Elizabeth Bendstrup, Alpha Chi Omega, lives in Astoria. She is a tall, slender brunette, and is good-looking. She is chairman of the All-Campus Luncheon to be given Junior Week-end. She was chairman of the A.W.S. "Coed Capers" last term. She was a member of Kwama. She is a Phi Theta Epsilon. In her sophomore year she was sergeant-at-arms of the A. W. S. She has been a member of the A. W. S. council. She belonged to the Homecoming directorate. She modeled at the Gamma Alpha Chi fashion dance. She was chairman of the Y. W. C. A. Waffle Wiggle. She served on the A. W. S. Masked Ball directorate. And to top all that, they say she is quite attractive.

Maryline New is a Pi Phi from Portland. She is a small blond, with blue eyes and a perfect figure. She aided with the Matrix Table, served on the Junior Shine day committee, was active in sophomore class activities, and modeled in the fashion dance last term. They say she is very alert, a shrewd little sort.

Lucy Ann Wendell, Phi Mu, lives right here in Eugene. She is a blue-eyed blond, five-foot-three, slender and very graceful. She is a member of the Master Dance group. She is an art major, which accounts for what they say of her—that she knows how to wear her clothes. She has a nice smile which she flashes in the intermissions when she is singing with the Phi Mu trio. She belongs with the W. A. U. She served on the A.W.S. speaking committee. And she is a member of Phi Beta, the music and dramatic honorary.

Lucille Stewart, Alpha Xi Delta, was out last night, and nothing could be learned of her—except that she is a nice-looking girl.

A parade will be held next Tuesday, in which the girls will be seen moving about the campus in open decorated roadsters.

Y Regional Secretary Tells of More Interest

"During the past year there has been an upturn in interest in YMCA activities on college campuses," Dr. Raymond B. Culver, regional secretary, told the University's newly elected Y cabinet at an informal luncheon yesterday. Dr. Culver met with the group to discuss plans for next year's Y activities on the campus. In the afternoon Dr. Culver met with the Y's Seabeck committee to make arrangements for sending a delegation from the University to the conference.

Series of Radio Talks Begun by Dr. Leighton

Dr. R. W. Leighton, executive secretary of research, began a series of lectures over KORE last Wednesday night. The lectures are subsidized by the Carnegie foundation.

Last Wednesday he introduced the talks. At 7:15 o'clock next Wednesday he will talk on the study of the appreciation of the beauties of Crater Lake national park.

The Student Church

By HELEN DODDS

THE world has a thousand creeds, and never a one have I:

Nor church of my own, though a million spires are pointing the way on high.

But I float on the bosom of faith, that bears me along like a river,

And the lamp of my soul is alight with love, for life, and the world, and the Giver.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox—Heresy.

Westminster House
The morning discussion group, which meets at 9:30 under the leadership of J. D. Bryant, will hold its meeting on Victoria Heights if the weather is fair; otherwise it will meet at the regular place.

Rev. Clay Palmer of the Congregational church will be the guest speaker of the meeting to be held at 6:15 at Alumni hall. Palmer's subject will be "Is Christianity Unique Among World Religions?"

Christian Science
"Doctrine of Atonement," lesson 7, will be the subject of both the 11 o'clock service and the evening service at 8 o'clock. Sunday school is at 9:30.

Methodist
"Religious Values in Modern Poetry" is the topic for discussion in the young people's group, which meets at 9:45 in the morning.

At 11 o'clock, Rev. C. F. Ristow will speak on the subject of "The Mission of Christ to the Modern World." In the evening, pictures dealing with training in childhood and youth will be shown under the direction of Rev. Ristow. The latter meeting will be at 7:30.

Catholic
8 and 10:30 mass will be held.

Baptist
"The Abundant Life" is the subject on which Rev. Wilson will deliver a sermon at 11 o'clock. At 7:30 Wilson will speak on the topic "Five Tests of Marriage." A special choir under the leadership of Robert Gould will also be heard. There will also be the regular young people's meeting at 6:30.

Presbyterian
At the 11 o'clock service Rev. Weber will speak on "The Cloud of Witnesses." An informal meeting at 7:30, for which no topic has yet been announced, will constitute the evening service.

ALPHA DELTA SIGMA MEMBERS REVIEW FILMS

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heights and the hero and heroine strolled down to the senior bench while the party went on.

Relics of days now past were all the "broken tradition" scenes, so touching when the picture was first shown. Points that never would have been noticed unless Godfrey had mentioned them were that the villain didn't know how to handle a canoe, neither the heroine nor the rescuing hero knew how to swim, and that the charming comedienne could not drive even the ancient Ford more than a few feet.

"If I could only have picked the cast," sighed Godfrey. "But all the boys who had anything to do with the production had girls who just had to be in it." Which doesn't mean that the boys weren't pretty good pickers. The coed of 1929, according to this show, was an excellent prospect for the Real Silk hosiery man—or at least that seemed to be the consensus of opinion among the Alpha Delta Sigma members.

Theater Passes Won
Howard Kessler and Reinhart Knudson, reporter for the Emerald, won passes to the Colonial theater for the highest number of stories for last week. Miriam Elchner was winner of the theater pass given for the greatest number of tips.

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Last Day for Payment Of Second Installment Comes; Rush Expected

At noon today the business office windows in Johnson will be closed to students paying second installments of their spring term fees. After this time, a daily fine of 25 cents will be charged against delinquent payees until Saturday noon, April 28, the final deadline for payment. Non-resident fees are also due today.

The majority of students who have yet to pay are requested to visit the business offices early this morning to avoid the rush just before 12 o'clock.

England Student Desires to Study Drama at Oregon

Assistantship Requested; Holds References From Australian And British Educators

A letter received from the southwest of England recently by the graduate division office in Johnson hall, contains a request for a research assistantship or a teaching fellowship in English from one R. C. Bald, who desires to undertake the reading for a study of the decline of the English drama during the 17th and 18th centuries, especially in relation to diction and sentiment.

Although teaching in Exeter, England, with a special assistant lectureship, Bald is a citizen of Australia by birth, and received his honors degree from the University of Melbourne. He has had several books, pamphlets, articles and reviews published, among them "Literary Friendships in the Age of Wordsworth," and "Donne's Influence in English Literature."

Bald holds references from prominent educators in Australia and England, either former professors of his or colleagues in his eight years of teaching in his native country and in Cambridge and Oxford colleges in England.

Since the University budget has made allowances for very few fellowships this year, due to the straightened finances of higher education in Oregon, the reply to Bald's application has been written to that effect.

Scanning the Cinemas



Alice Faye, Rudy Vallee's best girl in George White's "Scandals," coming to the Mac Sunday. Rumors link the two in real life. The gal sings and dances, and is beautiful, so the publicity says.

McDonald—"Jimmy the Gent," James Cagney, Bette Davis, Alan Dinehart. Also "As the Earth Turns," Jean Muir, David Landau, Dorothy Peterson. Sunday, George White's "Scandals," and "Come on, Marines," Colonial—"Forty-Second Street," Warner Baxter, Ruby Keeler, Dick Powell. Also "Only Yesterday," Margaret Sullivan, John Boles, Jimmy Butler. Sunday, "The Bowery."

By J. A. NEWTON
Pair of Aces

The thing about this "Forty-Second Street" is that it doesn't make the stage production business a job for any tender souls or any physical weaklings. Dance director Warner Baxter drives the

chorus girls until they can hardly stand, and he spares himself the least of all.

It is so realistic that one practically feels the exhaustion of Ruby Keeler as the chorus girl who steps into the star's role and must rehearse all day preceding the opening performance, and of Warner Baxter, the driving, relentless, machine-like director.

Ned Sparks, the old original sour face, is the ever-present pessimist who always cries "It can't be done!"

"Only Yesterday" introduced Margaret Sullivan, a girl from the stage. And she may stay in Hollywood for good as far as I'm concerned. Not only is she an attractive girl, but she can act, and very excellently.

In "Jimmy the Gent" James Cagney plays the smart guy with the fast New Yorker lingo on his

KOAC Broadcasts Spanish Course

Prof. W. G. Beattie, acting manager of radio station KOAC, reports that the course in Spanish which is being broadcast by Prof. Melissa M. Martin, of the State college, on Monday, Wednesday and Fridays, has an enrollment of nearly 100 students.

When the course was first announced the staff expected an enrollment of quite a number of students, but they were surprised when after two preliminary applications, they had received 50 or 60 applications. The course began the second of April, and nearly 100 people are now enrolled. Lessons begin at 10:05 and continue until 10:34. The course will end on June 8.

tongue. He's just an uneducated guy with a heart of gold, and a tendency towards the crooked, the exciting and the lucrative.

Bette Davis is the blond stenog who gets tired of Jimmy's unaffectioned toughness and leaves his rather old-fashioned office to help in that of Alan Dinehart, where they serve waiting clients tea, and where the general design is very modernistic.

Jimmy drops in just to see how it is done, and decides to do it himself, as he wishes to impress Miss Davis. He does it. Hence, "Jimmy the Gent."

Contains a number of rowdy laugh gags. Alan Dinehart is good in the humorous villain role. Allen Jenkins, as usual, is the dumb assistant.

"As the Earth Turns" presents the troubles of a small and interlocked group of farmers in Maine. It is a serious effort at an artistic movie, but doesn't seem to hit the spot.

David Landau has a pretty good part. He's one of these featured players who are fine actors. There are lots of them.

There's also a very attractive young lass named Appleby, of all things, who plays the wanton and entertainingly attractive young daughter of one of the families. When I saw it, the picture was suddenly stopped just as it got interesting. This girl and one of the young men neighbors were at the lake side. She was dangling her legs over the low bank, kicking up ripples with her little white toes. A curse upon the censors.

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