

Don't forget the Junior-Senior dance this Saturday night. It's an all-campus dance this year, and the last one of the term.

Put your vocal chords in order and prepare for the annual fun-fest at the Christmas Revels, December 15. Just before the strain.

Resume of Today's News

By Associated Press
DECEMBER 4

PROPOSE GOVERNMENT GIFT
WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—(AP)—A direct government gift of one-fifth of the cost of building homes for individuals was proposed today in high administration quarters as a method of opening a four billion dollar tap of private spending.

The plan called for the use of a billion dollars of federal funds in an effort to bring four times that amount of private capital into construction totalling five billion dollars. The government, through loans insured by the housing administration, would stimulate both the desire to borrow and lend.

SOVIET PLANS QUICK TRIAL
MOSCOW, Dec. 4.—(AP)—The Soviet government struck another blow at terrorism today by issuing new decrees to accelerate the trials of persons charged with offenses against the Bolshevik regime.

The move came as 71 "White Russians" arrested as an aftermath of the assassination of Sergie Kiroff, secretary of the central executive committee, awaited trial.

SAYS PROSPECTS HOPEFUL
WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—(AP)—Secretary Roper looked over the stacks of papers and books that crowded his desk today and said he found the prospects for business improvement encouraging.

With regard to other matters pressing for attention, he believed: Most persons feel the time has come to get off an emergency basis and back a permanent governmental program.

The extent of federal spending should be measured by the need, with a sharp line drawn between public and private endeavor in shaping a public works program.

MAY CHARGE MRS. NELSON
WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—(AP)—Attorney General Cummings tonight asserted authorities were considering a number of possible charges against Mrs. Lester M. Gillis, the wife of George (Baby Face) Nelson, one of them being "complicity in murder."

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—(AP)—Mrs. Helen Gillis, first unofficial woman public enemy, was a federal prisoner tonight.

The tiny widow of the notorious George "Baby Face" Nelson was seized here last Thursday, federal authorities announced, a little more than 24 hours after the shattered body of her husband had been found on a muddy prairie near Niles Center last Wednesday.

COL. ROOSEVELT ACTIVE
NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt Jr., asserted tonight the Republican party must build itself as a group of "constructive liberals" and forecast "disastrous" results unless the party were reorganized.

Addressing an open letter to members of the Republican national committee, the former governor or general of the Philippines declared "these are times when what is done or left undone may make or break our country and our party."

GOLD STRIKE PROFITABLE
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 4.—(AP)—A rich gold strike near Mojave, 80 miles north of here, has developed such possibilities that it may rival some of the West's most historic deposits, but it is not of the type to support a "gold rush" such as those in the days of yore, it was said today by authorities in touch with the situation.

Bishop Will Conduct Rehearsal for Carol Songsters Thursday

ALL those who wish to take part in the chorus of Christmas carols during the Christmas revels December 15, will meet at the Y hut Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

George Bishop, well known baritone, is in charge of the chorus. Any one regardless of previous experience is requested to turn out.

Hoover Linked With Arms Plot Declares Nye

Senate Committee Again Probes Gun Makers

1925 Coup Revealed

Attempt to Wreck Geneva Conference Is Charged At Hearing

By RICHARD L. TURNER
Associated Press Staff Writer.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—(AP)—A concerted effort by gun makers the world over to modify the 1925 Geneva convention for the control of international arms shipments was revealed today as the senate munitions investigation committee reopened its hearings.

The committee was told that high governmental officials, including Herbert Hoover when he was secretary of commerce, had talked with arms makers prior to the 1925 Geneva arms conference. No intimation was given, however, that officials knew of the effort to modify the convention.

Evidence Is Gathered
With three prominent arms and munitions manufacturers seated in a semi-circle before him, Chairman Nye, of the committee, by questioning and through the introduction of documentary evidence wrote these developments into the day's record:

Gun makers of many nations held a meeting in Paris four months before the 1925 Geneva arms parley to decide what changes they wanted made in the treaty as already drafted.

Mr. Hoover, as secretary of commerce, invited a representative of the Winchester Arms company to attend a conference on the economic phases of the arms conference.

H. F. Beene, manager of the Winchester Arms company had the help of Representative John Q. Tilson, then Republican leader of the house, in contacting interested state and war department officials.

Nichols Is Quizzed
With Frank C. Nichols of the Colt Patent Fire Arms company, Beebe called on Allan Dulles, chief of the state department's near eastern division, and on Brig.-Gen. Golden L. H. Ruggles, who later was a delegate to the Geneva convention.

Beebe insisted to the committee that he then had no knowledge that Ruggles would attend the Geneva gathering as the representative of the United States.

The Paris meeting was revealed to have resulted in the preparation of a memorandum urging radical alteration of the arms control plan evolved by the League of Nations for action at the then approaching Geneva session.

N. K. Porter Discusses State Laws at Meeting

That the violation of a minor state law where political motives are concerned can be penalized by one to ten years' imprisonment was brought out in a discussion of the criminal syndicalism statute, led by N. K. Porter, at the Radical Club meeting in the Y hut at 7:30 last night. Members told of various syndicalism cases and convictions.

Also, the Radical Club discussed the desirability of a campaign on the campus to repeal this law.

Loan Fund to Get Help From Shop Proceeds

To raise money for the A. A. U. W. student loan fund, a certain percent of the proceeds from Mrs. Ruth B. Wheeler's Oriental Art Shop, 122 East Broadway street, will go to the American Association of University Women, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, December 6, 7, and 8. In the past the A. A. U. W. has been of great help to those in need of financial aid to attend the University.

These student A. A. U. W. loans are given out in Mrs. Alice B. Macduff's office, 109 Johnson hall.

Foes of Learning Flayed by College Heads at Meeting

Educators Attack Forces Opposing School Functions

Forces that have as an objective opposition to public education were soundly scored by leading educators at the annual session of presidents of state universities, held recently in Washington, D. C., it was stated here today by Dr. C. V. Boyer, president of the University of Oregon, who has just returned from the meeting.

Speakers told of noting signs of a movement, presumably initiated by people who feel taxes should be reduced through curtailment of education, and all persons interested in progress in education were urged to combat this movement wherever found. The achievements of university trained men and women, advancement made in science through research and progress made in community welfare were cited as ample justification of the institutions' existence.

State universities should exist in order to give all young men and women, regardless of personal fortune, a opportunity for education, it was declared by those present.

Every state university except California was represented at the meeting, Dr. Boyer said. Topics such as academic freedom, administrative methods and other phases of presidents' work were discussed.

Searchers Fail To Locate Lost Fliers in Pacific

Ulm and Two Companions Down in Vicinity of Honolulu

ABOARD COAST GUARD CUTTER ITASCA IN HAWAIIAN WATERS, Dec. 4.—(AP)—Completing a 40-mile sweep southward from Honolulu, the most alert lookouts on this coast guard cutter disconsolately admitted they had not been able to pick the "Star of Australia" out of the haze masking the horizon.

HONOLULU, Dec. 4.—(AP)—Patrol planes roared in wide circles tonight above 23 navy searching craft and scores of Japanese fishing sampans as darkness gathered over waters where Flight Lieutenant Charles T. P. Ulm's Honolulu-bound monoplane dropped when its fuel gave out.

Meanwhile, the liner President

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Dr. Rebec Speaks At Education Meet

Dr. Rebec, head of the philosophy department, spoke on the "New Social Order, Regeneration vs. Liberty," at the Educational Forum held at the Benson Polytechnic auditorium in Portland last night.

These forums, which are held each Tuesday night, are given by the League of Nations Association, Inc., American Association of University Women, League of Women Voters, Library Association, Oregon State System of Higher Education, Parent-Teacher association, Public schools and Reed college.

At the next meeting, Dr. Victor P. Morris, professor of economics at the University, will speak and Dr. Norman F. Coleman of Reed college will speak on Dec. 18. Clark M. Eichelberger, national director of the League of Nations association, spoke at the forum.

Where Is Our Duck? Location of Famous Mascot Is Unknown

ALL is not yet well with the famous Oregon duck, which was stolen by the Oregon Staters at the Portland game and recently recovered and brought back to the University campus. Although supposedly resting in perfect safety at the Alpha Omicron Pi house, reports have it that the migrating bird has flown the coop. Its exact whereabouts at the present time are just as much a mystery as they have ever been.

Appear Sunday



Above are pictured two of the men who will take a leading part in the Eugene Gleemen's first winter concert to be presented at McArthur court next Sunday afternoon. John Stark Evans, above, will direct the group, while George Bishop, former Oregon student, is one of the soloists featured on the program.

Eugene Gleemen To Feature Folk Songs of World

Similarity to Don Cossack Chorus to Be Shown In Number

Similarity to the Don Cossack chorus will be brought out by the Eugene Gleemen in their featured number Sunday, December 9, at McArthur court. "Autumn" by Gretchaninoff will be sung by six contra-bass voices with the remainder of the chorus joining in on a soft high accompaniment.

John Stark Evans, professor of organ at the University school of music and director of the Gleemen, has secured a very different arrangement of "The Campbells Are Coming," Scotch folk song. This will be included in a group of folk melodies from many lands presented by the Gleemen.

The concert will begin at 8 o'clock. Tickets are now on sale at McMorran and Washburne's and may be purchased through Saturday. Reserved seats may be obtained. Proceeds from the concert will go to the Welfare League for the aid of needy residents of Lane county.

Those performing the contrabass part are Charles Moore, Hugh P. Currin, Orey Hendershott, George N. McLean, Earl M. Pallett, and the Reverend Cecil F. Bristow.

Campus Calendar

Auction sale on the old library steps at 10 and 11 at which will be sold unclaimed lost and found articles.

Sigma Delta Chi will meet for a business meeting today at 4 o'clock in room 104 Journalism building.

Alpha Delta Sigma lunch at the College Side today at noon.

Fresh discussion group leaders will meet at Betty Hughes', 1126 Hilyard at 7:30 tonight.

The Dill Pickle and Question Mark clubs will hold forth in joint meeting in the "Y" hut at noon today.

Hilarious Mardi Gras Ball Near; Race Scalps Scooper

By TOM McCALL and BOB LUCAS
(Special Emerald Despondents)
Imagine—the glamorous, whirlig, scintillating Mardi Gras, exalting the prosaic atmosphere of every day campus life to a peak, before the plunge into the abyss of exam week.

The last campus dance of the year, the Junior-Senior riot, is the most dignified riot of the term. The Osburn hotel is the setting for the gay revelment.

Whereas previous Junior-Senior dances have not been ALL CAMPUS affairs, this year's struggle has been thrown open to all "pupils of the academy."

This dance is to be an informal affair. The admission tax is ONE hunk of wampum which in this country is equal to ONE potato.

The committee has been working like a Georgia chain gang to make the occasion as effervescent as a freshly opened bottle of booze.

The excuses for crashing the dance are on sale at the Oregon Pharmacy, the Co-op, the Falcon, the University Pharmacy, and the College Side Inn.

Several of the better bands of the state are being eyed wolfishly by the committee, but as yet the ax has not fallen. Of course the ax has nothing to do with this dance, but it may have something to do with the band, or those who wear tuxedos.

Already the atmosphere of the gaiety of the Mardi Gras is pervading the cloisters of venerable Oregon. Campus chit-chat leans to the spirit of the thing. For example, to wit, and viz., our secret correspondent, hanging in the vines of Deady hall overheard the babbling of two willowy, waspy, wampus babies discussing the impending holocaust.

One of them purred in a low voice, so well modulated as to

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Co-op Offers Prize for New Sticker Design

Winning Sticker to Be on Sale at Co-op Before Christmas

"A prize of \$10 cash will be given to the student who draws an appropriate design for a new University of Oregon sticker by noon, Saturday, December 8," announced Mr. M. F. McClain, manager of the Co-op, yesterday. "We believe that this school deserves the best sticker on the coast and that there is enough talent on the campus to get it," he declared.

Anyone may enter this contest. Mr. McClain explained that for quite some time the Co-op has been considering the idea of a University transfer-sticker made by Oregon students. He wants to know the suggestions of the artistic people on this campus.

The drawings must be in yellow and green colors and approximately 4 times 6 inches or in proportions that will reduce to those dimensions. The designs should be taken to the Co-op, where they will be judged by one faculty member, one alumnus, three students, and Mr. McClain.

The type of design is left to the imagination of the contest-competitor. The judges reserve the right to reject any or all drawings submitted. If one is accepted, it will be on sale at the Co-op before Christmas, and the winner will be announced on Tuesday, December 11.

Combs to Be U.O. Speech Delegate

Avery Combs, winner of this year's W. F. Jewett after-dinner speaking contest, will represent the University of Oregon at the state meet to be held at Albany college December 13 and 14.

The general topic for all the talks will be "American Gastronomy." Contestants will draw for sub-topics three hours previous to the time of presentation, which will follow a banquet at 6 o'clock.

Representatives from Oregon, State, Willamette university, Pacific university, Linfield college, and Albany college will participate for the two prizes of \$20 and \$10.

Attends Conclave



Herman Kehrl, director of the Oregon bureau of municipal research on the campus, is on his way to eastern Oregon today where he will attend regional meetings for city officials at Pendleton, La Grande, and The Dalles.

Rosson, Howe Will Aid in Arranging Football Schedule

Two Leave This Week for Coast Meeting at Palm Springs

Hugh Rosson, graduate manager, and H. C. Howe, professor of English, are to leave for Palm Springs, California this week-end to attend the meeting of graduate managers and faculty representatives to be held there December 9, 10, and 11. The purpose of the conference will be to formally adopt the 1935 football schedule of the Pacific coast conference.

The University of Southern California has extended to the delegates an invitation to attend their homecoming banquet Friday night, December 8 and the Notre Dame-Southern California grid tilt the following Saturday afternoon.

Professor Howe plans to leave early and overtake the football squad and officials in El Paso, Texas and to accompany them as faculty representative to Louisiana. He will also return home with them.

URSCHEL CASE CONTINUES

PORTLAND, Dec. 4.—(AP)—In seeking the removal to Oklahoma of persons charged with conspiracy in the Charles F. Urschel kidnapping case, the government today introduced as evidence more than \$7000 reputed Urschel ransom.

Numerous witnesses identified the "hot" money as that found in wallets belonging to Alvin H. Scott or dug up on the premises of the Medford, Ore., house occupied by Scott and his housekeeper, Miss Margaret Hurtienne.

'Orphan' Sale to Give Chance To Get Much for Much Less

LOOKY here! Looky here! Gather 'round, ye chisellers, if ye want to get gyped! Gather 'round and see what we have brung ye . . . umbrellas! . . . slightly torn but still usable . . . a thought for the future . . . gloves, by the piece or by the pair, pens and pencils, purses and pins . . . here, a manicure set . . . endure those shaggy nails no longer . . . name your own price . . . Gather 'round ye chisellers!

The lost and found auction sale to be held on the old library steps today at 10 and 11 o'clock will be handled by a merry crew of selections from the rally squad. With Eddie Vail acting as chief auctioneer, assisted by Jack Mulhall and Jack Campbell, the sale of the season promises to squeeze the last musty nickel from campus pockets.

It is being sponsored by the AWS and is under the direction of Patricia McKeon.

Here's your chance to buy presents for the folks. Here's your chance to replenish that depleted wardrobe. Here, indeed, is opportunity knocking at your door. Curiosity mongers, what am I offered for this genuine lady's purse? We sell them direct to you.

Pallett Issues Call for SERA Applications

End of Year Terminates Appointments

Committee at Work

High Grade Point Average Will Be Required Of Workers

Earl M. Pallett reported yesterday afternoon that the committee on federal emergency relief for students is investigating the needs of workers employed at the present time, and expects to make a list of all those who must have assignments for next term. Students who can possibly get along without assistance must inform the committee at the earliest possible date so that others may take their places.

All fall term appointments terminate December 31, 1934. Students, and members of the faculty employing F.E.R.A. workers, are reminded that under no conditions are they to participate in advance employment for January. Students appointed for the month of December must work only the hours assigned for December.

Students to Be Notified

As soon as the committee's investigation is completed these students will be notified that they undoubtedly will be reappointed if they make a certain grade point average on their fall term work. In all likelihood old students will be required to make a grade point average of 1.75 and new students a grade point average of 1.25 in order to be automatically reappointed.

"New students" are those who were not in any college last spring term. Students thus notified, who fail to make the proper grade point average, will be considered for reappointment along with other students of similar needs and similar ability.

Students who have an application on file at the present time do not need to file another. Those who have no application on file with the committee and must have work next term, should file one at once with Miss Smith, employment secretary, in the Y hut.

ELM TREES PLANTED

Thirty elm trees have been transplanted recently in the parking space on the west side of Agate street between Fifteenth and Eighteenth avenues. The project was made possible by the allotment of SERA funds.