

Group Pictures
Pictures of both the editorial and business staffs of the Emerald and Oregana are to be taken today. Read the details.

Oregon Emerald

Complete Report
Emerald publishes the complete report of the student advisory committee today.

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STAGE of the WORLD

By Tex Thomason

A most interesting thing has been brought to my attention. It seems that the students of the University of Oregon are governed by a body which possesses a beautiful constitution, but no by-laws. The ASUO appears to be by-lawless, so to speak.

The story runs this way. Last spring Mr. Joe Renner, at that time student body prexy, and a committee chosen to work with him, got very industrious. Result: a new constitution, re-defining the object, membership, duties, etc of the ASUO. It was put before the students in the election of last spring. It carried. But no by-laws were included in that new constitution for the voters to accept or reject, and NO provision was made specifying that the by-laws of the old constitution were being voted on.

This scribe has heard from several sources that difficulties were being had. It seems that the administration of the ASUO has found it necessary on some occasions to revert to the old by-laws to find what their powers are, what they can "legally" do, the steps necessary before taking any actions, and so on. Then to act in accord with those non-existent laws. BUT THIS, IF CORRECT, IS UNCONSTITUTIONAL. You never voted on this. You never gave them the power to draw on that forgotten document. Then you have been governed in part by by-laws which you never gave the present ASUO administration power to govern you by.

Why no one has noticed this, or why, if they have noticed it they have said nothing, I am not in a position to say. The exact situation I do not know. But there is enough question to warrant my asking, as I understand it is the privilege of any member of the ASUO to do, for a decision from the judiciary committee as to whether the by-laws of the old constitution are a part of the new constitution, whether actions, if any, taken by the present ASUO administration hinged on those by-laws are constitutional, and what would the judiciary committee suggest or advise doing to remedy the situation, in every phase, if the by-laws are decided to not be a part of the present constitution. This is requested.

Campus Calendar

Tau Delta Delta will gather at Westminster house at 7:30 tonight to secure transportation to the home of Mollie Bob Small, where the meeting will be held.

Senior ball directorate will meet today at 4 o'clock upstairs in the College Side. Everybody come.

Freshman women are invited to be present at the first meeting of Marjorie Thayer's personality and biography group of the YWCA to be held in Gerlinger hall at 4 o'clock.

Order of the "O" will meet today noon at the Phi Psi house.

The prose and poetry group of Philomatheas will meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the women's lounge of Gerlinger hall. Miss Rose of the University library will give a review of books.

Skull and Dagger meeting tonight at 7:30, upstairs in the College Side. Very important.

Any person wishing to try out for two dramatic productions to be given this term should be at Guild hall between 1 and 3 Thursday, January 23. Those wishing to try out who are unable to attend Thursday should call Eleanor Pitts at 480-J or Edith Kronman at 1307.

Important Phi Beta meeting tonight at 7 o'clock in Gerlinger hall for actives and pledges.

Photographs To Be Taken For Oregana

Groups Are Scheduled To Be Photographed This Week; Individual Pictures Finished

With individual pictures for Oregana's 1936 "greater Oregana" completed, George Root, editor, announced yesterday evening that beginning this afternoon, group photographs will be taken for the book.

Those to be photographed include activity organizations, honoraries, and special groups. Time schedules are to be run in the Emerald during the remainder of the week and organizations are being warned by staff officials that they must adhere strictly to these announcements. Secretaries of groups have been asked to contact each member to be sure that the complete membership of the organization will be present.

Today's Slate Listed

The schedule today finds the Emerald and Oregana news and business staffs slated for the steps of Johnson hall. Pictures of the Emerald staff are scheduled for 3:15, and those of the Oregana staff will be taken at 3:30.

Oregana pictures for other organizations will be taken Wednesday, according to the following schedule: 11:40, Phi Beta; 12:30, Interfraternity council; 12:45, Pan-Hellenic council; 3:15, Theta Sigma Phi; 3:30, Philomatheas cabinet; 3:45, YWCA council; 4:00, AWS council.

Russian Singers Offer Rare Treat

Latvian Chorus Slated For Thursday Evening

The famous Latvian Russian singers will appear Thursday night at McArthur court as the second program in the winter concert series sponsored by the associated students.

This famous singing group was organized shortly after the Russian revolution in 1905. Its members were principally from the teaching groups—professors and teachers of colleges and conservatories who were forced to flee to western Europe for their lives.

As a cultural outlet from the hardships of manual labor they gathered to play symphonies. Over half of the original chorus was killed in the world war and the present group is made up principally of descendants and relatives of the original group.

The first part of the program, entitled "An Evening in St. Petersburg, 1910," will include four numbers by Tschaiakowsky. Another part will be "A Evening in the Ruins of a Monastery" and will form a tableau with a complete Russian altar, incense, a priest in robes, candle light, an invisible choir, and ecclesiastic costuming used to make the picture authentic. Their complete program will be announced later.

Y Mass Meeting Wednesday Night

Seabeck, summer conference camp of the YW and YMCA, will be the main theme of a mass meeting of all Y students Wednesday evening, January 22, in the alumni room of Gerlinger hall. Stella Scurlock, northwestern regional secretary of the YWCA, will speak.

A program to serve as a background to Miss Scurlock's contribution includes a skit to be directed by Edith Clark, and a group of 16 singing girls directed by Theda Spicer, who will render Seabeck melodies.

Other chairmen include Ruth Weber, Seabeck chairman, and Doris Mable, refreshments. Elaine Sorenson, president, will preside. All students interested are invited, as well as advisory board members of the YW and YMCA.

House Presidents To Make Lists for Dean's Office

Presidents of all sororities are asked to turn in to the dean of women's office lists containing the following information:

1. Names of all girls living in the house.
2. Names of all girls who live out.
3. Activities of all girls in the house.
4. Names of girls who will be initiated this term.
5. Names of girls who failed to make their grades fall term.

Student Union Chapter to Be Formed Here

Progressive Leaders Sought; Group Will Replace SLID and NSL Organizations

A chapter of the new American Student union will be formed on the University campus within a week or two, according to officers of the old Student League for Industrial Democracy and National Student league chapters.

The Union will probably include many prominent campus leaders who have never before done active work in progressive organizations. Leaders are being sought among fraternity and sorority members, in an endeavor to make the new Union a truly representative body of progressive students, rather than dominated by those of any one political belief.

Will Replace SLID, NSL

Oregon's chapter of the Union will replace the SLID and NSL organizations, and may absorb other progressive groups on the campus.

The Student union was formed in Columbus, Ohio, during the Christmas vacation, by 427 students, representing 76 colleges and 37 high schools. Oregon's delegates were Fred Gieseke, president of the University YMCA, and John Luther Luvaas, leader of the Lutheran students and member of the Student Christian council.

A five-point program was adopted with practically no opposition.

1. Freedom: Defense of the right of students and teachers to

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Yeomen Leaders Meet Wednesday

Yeomen plans for the term will be discussed by the Yeomen executive council when that body meets Wednesday at 3 o'clock in the Y hut.

Tentative arrangements call for a Yeomen smoker featuring amateur bouts with probably a star scrapper from Portland or elsewhere in the top spot. Also on the independent's schedule will be a dance and a Washington's birthday party.

Decisions on continuing the Yeomen dances held twice a week will also be made by the council at its meeting tomorrow. At present the dances are held Monday and Thursday nights for an hour and a half at Gerlinger hall, but there is a possibility that the Thursday night dance will be changed to Friday night, when it will be scheduled for 9 to 12.

George Hall, freshman member of the Yeomen, was recently elected as class representative to the council.

Jane Thacher Gives Concert in Portland

Jane Thacher, professor of piano at the University, gave a soiree in-time concert Sunday at the Neighborhood of Woodcraft hall in Portland. Gertrude Graves Martin, soprano, of Portland, sang several selections.

The audience was very appreciative, and especially responsive to Mrs. Thacher's playing of Chopin's Sonata.

Professor and Mrs. Thacher returned to the campus Monday.

Split Decision Says Sigma Nu Must Pay \$15; Verdict Accepted

Complete Report Of Advisory Body Lists Evidence From Both Sides

GIST OF REPORT

Sigma Nu is not guilty on three charges because of lack of evidence and irregularity of proceedings involved.

Sigma Nu is guilty on two counts on both of which conclusive evidence was brought to light and the charges admitted.

The committee is firmly convinced that an organization for regulation of fraternities is necessary and suggests compulsory membership.

The committee suggests revision of procedure in cases brought before the council's tribunal.

Both groups accept decision with apparent satisfaction.

Statement of the Case

All of the Greek-letter fraternities on the University of Oregon campus are organized into an interfraternity council which has adopted rules and regulations affecting various matters which concern relationships between the different houses. Among these is an elaborate code of fair practices regarding the conduct of the houses, their members and their representatives during the period of rushing. Under this code a variety of matters are covered, such as pledging prospective candidates for membership before actual registration takes place, the notification to their houses of pledging and release from pledging, penalizing the offense of inducing a man to break his pledge, or making uncomplimentary references to other fraternities in which the prospective pledge may be interested, and finally fixing legitimate hours for various events during the period devoted to the entertainment of new students.

Although these regulations cover a wide variety of possible offenses only one rule, namely, that which forbids entertainment of all rushes later than 10:30 in the evening, was involved in the charges preferred against the Sigma Nu fraternity. Five violations in all were charged and approved to the satisfaction of the tribunal representing the Interfraternity council and the Sigma Nu fraternity was fined a total of \$45.00. This fine was imposed.

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Houses Pledge 34 New Men

Fraternities pledged 34 men during the first two weeks of winter term, with Sigma Alpha Epsilon and Sigma Chi leading with five new men each. Portland claimed 10 of the men, and three came from Eugene. Pledges follow:

Alpha Tau Omega: Edward Haas, San Francisco; Everett Strohle, Pendleton. Delta Upsilon: Archie Parrott, Portland; William Zimmerman, Portland. Delta Tau Delta: George Hall, Ashland. Chi Psi: Gordon Jameson, Milwaukie; Stephen Cook, Portland.

Howell Pledges Kappa Sigma

Kappa Sigma: Wardlow Howell, Ashland. Phi Kappa Alpha: Allan Finke, Portland. Phi Gamma Delta: Jack Casey, Portland; George Cornwall, Portland.

Phi Sigma Kappa: Carol Olsen, Woodburn; Jerry Sweasy, Klamath Falls; Harold Hebard, Umpqua. Phi Kappa Psi: Bob Parks, Portland; Thurston Skei, Portland. Sigma Alpha Epsilon: Ron Husk, Portland; Jack Levy, Milwaukie; Don Edwards, Eugene; Jim MacDonald, Glendale; Jim Jacobsen, Eugene. Phi Delta Theta: Curtis Cunningham, Seatte; Bruce McClelland, Berkeley; Joseph Hillis, Klamath Falls.

Sigma Chi Pledges Five

Sigma Phi Epsilon: Richard Watson, Medford; Wilbur Greenup, Eugene. Sigma Chi: Neil Jackson, Nyssa, Bill Marshall, Portland; Bernard Nelson, Hood River; Howard Nelson, Hood River; Rex Applegate, Roseburg. Sigma Nu: Dee Phelps, Hood River; Bob Colvig, Medford. Theta Chi: Dallas Norton, The Dalles.

Beaux Arts Ball Is Huge Success

Kletzer, Perkins Winners of Couple Prizes

As promised, the Beaux Arts ball Saturday night was a success. Through a myriad of costumes the judges, chosen from the art school faculty, chose the winners in the contest for original and outstanding costumes.

The winners, chosen by couples, were Norris Perkins and Constance Kletzer, each receiving a \$1 merchandise order on McMorran and Washburne. Second prize went to Halley Johnson and Margaret Reynolds. The first prize winning masquerades were dressed as Haile Selassie and his wife; the second winners came gradbe as Mark Anthony and Cleopatra.

The costumes were of a large and conglomerate variety with everything including the satanic majesty himself to the very angels from the upper world.

About 80 couples attended the festivities. Skull and Dagger took charge of the clean-up.

University High To Present Opera

The University high music pupils will present Gilbert and Sullivan's "Princess Ida," one of the best of that famous duo's light operas, either the latter part of March or early in April in McArthur court.

This will be the premiere performance of "Princess Ida" in Eugene, and promises to be one of the most attractive presentations of the year. There will be 72 voices, including principals and chorus. The group will be accompanied by an orchestra and will be professionally costumed.

"Princess Ida" will be directed by Anne Landsbury Beck.

Two Counts Are Upheld, Three Dropped; Phi Sig Fines Still Out

Affirmation of two of the original decisions against Sigma Nu fraternity bearing \$15 in fines and exonerated of the fraternity on three other counts was announced in the report of the student advisory committee released Monday afternoon.

Fines amounting to \$45 were levied against the fraternity by the tribunal to the council more than three months ago for alleged dirty rushing, and these fines were later upheld at the appeal session of the tribunal.

Fenwick, McCall Pleased

"We're perfectly satisfied and will accept the fines in the cases which were upheld by the advisory committee," Ed Fenwick, Sigma Nu president, said last night. "The house feels that it received a square deal from the committee. I hope that next year revision of the council's methods in regulating rushing will eliminate any possibility for such conflict."

Fenwick was joined by President Tom McCall, Interfraternity council leader, in expressing his satisfaction with the decision.

McCall Hopes for Unity

"I feel both participants in the case should be satisfied with the decision," the council head said. "I am glad the Sigma Nu fraternity will be with us to make a stronger council."

Jurisdiction in the enforcement of the findings of the student advisory committee was given to the faculty committee by the report.

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Freshmen Women To Hear Lecture

Talks on College Life Scheduled for Tonight

Lectures on college life and adjustment for freshman women will be continued Wednesday evening, Dean Karl W. Onthank announced yesterday. All lectures except the Ordes' will begin at seven.

Mrs. Wendel Van Loan will speak to freshmen of Delta Delta and Alpha Phi at the Pi Beta Phi house. Florence Alden of the physical education department, will meet at the Delta Gamma house with freshmen of Alpha Omicron Pi, Sigma Kappa, Alpha Gamma Delta, and Zeta Tau Alpha.

Mabel Wood, professor of home economics, will speak at the Chi Omicron Pi, Sigma Kappa, Alpha Phi Alpha, Theta, and Phi Mu.

Gamma Phi Beta, Alpha Xi Delta, Alpha Delta Pi, and Alpha Phi freshmen will hear Virgil Earl, dean of men. Dean Onthank will speak at Susan Campbell for freshmen from there and Hendricks hall.

Ordes will hear Lester Beck of the psychology department in the AWS room, Gerlinger hall.

Campus Building Plan Outlined

Sometime in the far away future the Oregon campus will be able to boast of a building quadrangle. This formation will face Thirteenth street with the new library as the head of it.

It will consist of Condon hall with an addition on the south side and a companion building east of it on the other side of the quadrangle. Another addition will be made on the south side of the Murray-Warner art museum with a companion building opposite it on the quadrangle. The whole scheme will be set off by the new library building that will face the north when it is finished.

The landscaping of the quadrangle will consist of a cinder walk on each side and a lawn and banks of flowers and shrubs in the middle.

This plan will be carried out when it is possible for the University to get a sufficient allotment of money to proceed with the plans.

Cashier Reports Non-Residents Behind on Fees

Eighteen non-resident students have not paid their \$40 fees which were due Friday, January 17, E. P. Lyon, cashier of the University, announced Monday. A fine of 25 cents a day will be charged this week for students still behind in payment.

After this week students still in arrears for out of state fees will be subject to suspension from school.

Two Faculty Members Will Cross Ocean

B. B. Barker, Dr. Clark To Attend Conference At London in July; To Tour in Europe

The University of Oregon will be represented at the Anglo-American historical conference, to be held in London July 6 to 11, by Burt Brown Barker, University vice-president, and Dr. R. C. Clark, head of the department of history, it was announced here today by Dr. C. Valentine Boyer, president.

Both Mr. Barker and Dr. Clark plan tours of Europe during the summer, and will be able to be present for the London meeting. The conference, which has been held every five years since 1921, is regarded as one of the most important sessions in the field of history to be held anywhere, and only highly qualified historians are admitted as delegates.

Both Are Authorities

Dr. Clark is an authority on American history, particularly history of the West. His published works include "Beginnings of Texas," "History of Oregon," "History of the Willamette Valley," and biographies of notable pioneers. He was president of the Pacific coast branch of the American Historical association in 1921.

Mr. Barker, since he became an official of the University in 1928, has devoted considerable time to historical research, both in America and in Europe.

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WPA Painters Invade Deady

Sniff! There's a smell of fresh paint and zoology specimens in the air! Many of the walls of old Deady hall will receive a new coat of paint within a few days.

Contrary to other professions, the WPA painters have started at the top and are working down. The rooms are being entirely rewired, also.

During the past weekend work in zoology storerooms and the photographic room on the third floor has been started. Following these Professor F. P. Sipe's office will be painted and rewired.

The zoology laboratory on the second floor will also receive its repainting. The ceilings and walls are being done in a light of cream color. The base and woodwork is being painted in a steel gray.

Enrollment Totals At 2590 Mark

Registration for winter term had reached 2590 by Monday evening, Clifford Constance, assistant registrar, announced, making a decrease of 151 students from fall term, when 2741 were registered.

Last winter term 2413 were enrolled in the University, showing a substantial gain for this year. Seventy-seven graduating seniors are among the total registered for this term.

January 2, the first day of registration, 2013 students enrolled. Eighty-two entered the following Monday, and 101 registered Tuesday, January 7. Students wishing to register now must petition to the academic requirements committee of the faculty for admittance.

New Infirmary To Open in Fall

Concrete pouring for the new infirmary will start tomorrow, according to Will V. Norris, chairman of the building committee of the state board of higher education. Excavation has been completed for the basement after two weeks' work.

The infirmary, which is being built on Thirteenth and Onyx, will have a complete basement and two stories. Ross B. Hammond, Portland contractor, is building the infirmary, which, according to Mr. Norris, will be finished in six months and ready for use at the beginning of next fall term.

State Printer Strikes Blow At Lab 'Plants'

Hobbs Condemns University and OSC Printing Plants As Uneconomical

Branding the maintenance of state-owned printing plants at the University of Oregon and Oregon State college as "uneconomical, extravagant, and unnecessary," E. C. Hobbs, state printer, last night struck sharp blows at the printing establishments of both schools in a survey report which will be placed before the board of control at Salem. This news was carried in an Associated Press story from Salem last night.

Hobbs, who made the report and study at the request of Governor Martin, who is chairman of the board of control and the state printing board, advocated the curtailment of the activity of the two printing plants, other than for purely laboratory work.

Advocates Salem Printing

He concluded that the large volume of work could be done by the state printing plant at Salem at a great saving. The detailed report will be discussed at a later meeting of the board by the governor, secretary of state, and state treasurer.

No statements on the report were forthcoming from University men vitally concerned last night. Dr. Frederick M. Hunter, chancellor of higher education, is out of town. President C. Valentine Boyer and Dean Eric W. Allen of the UIO.

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Co-eds to Caper On January 29

Annual AWS Affair Promises Great Fun

Gaily costumed girls will frolic to lilting music at the annual Co-ed Capers, one of the two big events of the year sponsored by AWS, to be held Wednesday, January 29, from 7:30 to 10:30 in Gerlinger hall. The music will be furnished by Jack McCarthy's ten piece orchestra. Admission is 15 cents.

Competition will run high for the most original costume and the best skit. Each class, as well as the faculty and Senior Cops, an organization of 13 outstanding senior girls, will present skits, the winning group to have its name engraved on a cup.

There will be dancing also, and during the course of the evening, caramel apples and ice cream bars will be sold.

Jerry Chessman will be in charge of the freshman skit, Vivian Emery of the sophomore skit, Pearl Johansen of the junior skit, Dean Hazel P. Schwering of the faculty skit, and Dorothy Bergstrom of the entertainment by the Senior Cops.

Patronesses and judges will be Alice B. Macduff, Mrs. Frederick Hunter, Betty Robb, Mrs. R. H. Ernst, Janet Smith, Astrid Williams, and Mabel A. Wood.

Helen Bartrum is general chairman. Assisting are Genevieve McNiece, refreshment, Frances Schuapp, orchestra, Patsy Neal, stage and props, and Ruth Lake, publicity.

Cement Pouring On Libe Delayed

Pouring of the cement for the second floor of the new library has been delayed because additional steel work had to be done. This reinforcement consists of long steel rods three-fourths of an inch in diameter placed in the form before the cement is poured. Usually six such rods are used in each column.

It is expected that this work will be finished by tonight so that the main pouring will start Wednesday.