

## STAGE of the WORLD

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### Vote 'JA'

The world is flabbergasted. It is awed, overcome, taken completely by surprise. You see, Hitler polled only a 98.79 per cent majority in Sunday's election, and huge sums are changing hands in every corner of the globe. Odds-on bets were being offered that the mustachioed-one would get 100 per cent of the voters to scratch X, or "Ja." He has failed. 542,898 completely insane voters had the gall to try to find a place on the ballot to mark "Nein." Of course there wasn't any such place, and it is extremely doubtful that if there had been one, 500 and some odd thousand Germans could be found who would vote against the Fuehrer. Prison camps and executioner's axes are very distasteful even to the Germans. But foreigners had to be convinced that the election was the pure McCoy, and so we see that Boss Tweed's dream-man has 1.21 per cent of the people opposing his policies.

For that was the object of the election, you know. There were no candidates opposing the "Great One," as they were all killed in the not-so-distant blood purge. It was simply an election to give Hitler's subjects a chance to approve his remilitarization of the Rhineland and his subsequent denunciation of the Locarno treaty. Of course there were slightly over a thousand candidates for the dissolved reichstag, but they were Nazi-approved. Of these the "Boss" will hand-pick about 700, but because they have no duties they really shouldn't be considered.

### Method

The method employed by Hitler's Ja-men was very novel in its application. Novel in that it worked before all the voters were prostrated by nervous exhaustion or killed by marauding storm troopers. At crack of dawn the Hitler youth organization was in the streets bleating on some trumpets; taxi-cabs were prowling around flaunting stickers that the hack-drivers' union was 100 per cent for the Reichleader; and laying down a continuous horn-barrage loud enough to awaken even the sleepers in Flander's field and get them to the polls. This was successful in getting everybody up and out, and when they had voted a button labeled "Freedom and Bread, March 29, 1936," was successful in spotting for the storm troopers everyone who had not yet balloted. This was a great aid in intimidating the proper people, for everyone had to vote and to not do so made them a Class-B traitor. A class-A traitor was one who insisted on using a voting booth. The logic ran that anyone who was endorsing his Reichsfuehrer should be proud to do it in public; and if he used a booth he wasn't endorsing, which of course made him a traitor.

Now to assume that there were 542,898 traitors is foolish. Traitors are executed, and there aren't enough executioners in Germany to lop off that many heads. So they are obviously only feeble-minded; any German is who disagrees with Hitler. If this is the case it would seem that the best step that the "Great One" could take would be to tighten up his sterilization laws. Procreation by these people is an intolerable menace to the supremacy to the Aryan race!

## Students Lack Book Interest Says Prof. Noble

Noting an obliviousness on the part of University students to the importance of buying and accumulating good books, Harold J. Noble, associate professor of history, declared in a class lecture yesterday that the University of Oregon ranks, along with the University of Oklahoma, lowest of any leading United States college or university for the amount spent on this item. Mr. Noble's statement was based on statistics compiled by S. Stephenson Smith, professor of English, who recently made a study of

## Junior Class Election Set For Today

### Officers to Be Elected By Holders of Cards At YMCA Hut

The junior class, after writing in the coils of political combines, for many weeks, will attempt to settle its difficulties today when it will go to the polls to elect a president eligible to appoint Junior Weekend committees. The Y hut doors will be open to voters from 9 this morning until 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Jack McGirr, lone nominee for president, has been conceded the election, although the shrewdness of politicians in the third year class has led observers to believe that anything might happen. Starla Parvin, likewise, is the only name on the ballot for vice-president.

To vote, a junior must possess both a student body and class card.

### Morris Made Chairman

Although it could not authentically be determined, it was known yesterday that Dave Morris had been made chairman of the Junior Prom as he had made several subcommittee appointments. Who appointed Morris was not known. Likewise, it was learned last night that Henry Minger, class treasurer, had been appointed by probable president McGirr to serve as finance chairman for the event.

McGirr, when called, said that he would make no appointments until he was officially president of the class. If he is elected, the appointments will appear in Wednesday morning's paper.

## 400 Hear Pomona Glee Concert

### Program Proceeds of \$80 Is Added to Browning Room Fund

Before an audience of nearly 400, the Pomona college women's glee club gave a delightful and varied concert Saturday night at the music school auditorium. The net proceeds, \$80, was donated to the improvement of the Browning room in the new library. The concert was sponsored by the sorority alumnae groups in Eugene.

"Hail, Pomona, Hail," Pomona college song, was well received. Several voice and piano solos were included in the program. An interesting feature was the reading "A Name for a Boy," given by Frieda Peycke.

The group sang without the aid of a conductor in order to better show its ability.

## Rae Tells Plans For OSEA Meet

Selection of media and advertising plans and activities of advertising promotion, are among the featured topics on the program for the 1936 spring meeting of the Oregon State Editorial association advertising department, to be held in Portland, April 11, Arne C. Rae, manager of the association, announced today.

Advertising managers from all parts of the state will attend the convention at the Multnomah hotel in Portland. Students interested in advertising problems are invited.

## Theologist Visits



Above is John Bennett, professor of Christian theology at Auburn Theological Seminary, who discussed "What Is Christianity" on the campus yesterday as guest at the Faculty club luncheon and the YW and YMCA dinner.

## Prof. Bennett Talks on Campus

### Westminster House, YMCA, And Faculty Club Hear Visiting Speaker

Prof. John Bennett fulfilled his engagements on the campus yesterday by speaking at the faculty club at noon, at Westminster house at 4 o'clock, and at a dinner given in his honor at the YMCA at 6 o'clock last night.

Professor Bennett has been traveling among universities of the United States for three months giving interpretations of problems of thought and civilization and also raising a latent interest in religion.

A professor at Auburn Theological Seminary, Professor Bennett is on a term leave of absence. He was recently at Oregon State college and will go next to the University of Washington.

At Westminster he combined the topics "An Approach to Religion" and "What Christianity Means to Civilization."

## Gamma Alpha Chi Takes 13 Pledges

### Choices Made at Fashion Dance Saturday Night in McArthur Court

With the appropriate setting of the annual Fashion Dance, Gamma Alpha Chi, women's national advertising honorary, pledged 13 new members Saturday night in McArthur court.

Those chosen by the group are Carol Pape, Marjorie Gearhart, Arlene Reynolds, Patsy Neal, Betty Jane Barr, Jane Lagassee, Betty Jane Burnitt, Alice Kettle, Gerorgette Wilhelm, Jane Bogie, Frances Johnston, Ellen Hill, and Vivian Emery.

As a special feature of the dance, 12 coeds modeled clothes of different women's wear shops of Eugene. For decorations displays resembling store windows were arranged around the floor with different types of clothing.

Maude Long and Betty Coon were co-chairman of the dance. Miss Coon was mistress of ceremonies and announced the models as they paraded across the stage. Buck McGowan's orchestra furnished music for the dance.

## Company Starts 'Hall o' Fame'

If you are asked to pose for a photograph, don't run away or wonder what it's all about. It's only Stan Bromberg and "Zollie" Volchok, campus representatives for Philip Morris and Co., taking pictures for the company's "Hall o' Fame" contest currently running on the campus.

Each Wednesday, Philip Morris and company will run an ad in the Emerald in connection with a photograph of five students. Those identifying themselves and the other students in the photograph will be entitled to a carton of 200 cigarettes. Identification is to be made at the Claypool-VanAtta Pharmacy.

## Sale of ASUO Cards Negligible

### Students in ASUO Activity Must Own Cards; Total Reports Not Yet in

Although no figures on ASUO card sales were obtained Monday, officials in the graduate manager's office reported that sales were negligible. No houses have yet reported to either Fred Colvig or Roberta Moody, co-chairmen, that they have subscribed 100 per cent in the term's drive.

Student leaders yesterday expressed a hope that first-of-the-month allowances would result in the purchase of cards by many more students.

The executive council, at its last meeting, decreed that all students working on publications must secure a student card. A notice to this effect was posted in the Emerald news room yesterday. All students in activities must have cards.

## Student Crushed Beneath Horse; in Serious Condition

Robert Wagner, freshman in pre-law, is in a serious condition at the Eugene hospital, having been crushed beneath a horse Sunday afternoon while riding on a street near the campus.

His condition last night was said to be not critical, although it will be several days before the extent of his injuries can be known.

He is suffering from a broken pelvis and is practically paralyzed from the waist downward. The broken bone cannot be set for several days until the inflammation lessens, doctors declared. An operation may be necessary.

Wagner, an inexperienced rider, was using an English saddle, which has no horn. As the horse reared into the air, the youth pulled back on the reins, bringing him to the ground upon him.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wagner, 6423 S. E. Nineteenth street, Portland, were notified of Wagner's accident, and will remain in Eugene until he can be removed to a Portland hospital, they said. He will be confined to his bed for several months.

## Junior Symphony To Play Tonight

Rex Underwood, professor of music, will conduct the Junior Symphony in their second concert of the year tonight at 8:15 in the music school auditorium.

Features of the program will be the solo to be played by Charles Granzer, 13-year old harpist, and the selection by the younger members of the second violin section. Dorothy Rosenberg, 11 years old, will direct the violins.

The orchestra's membership is made up of grade and high school students of the city, assisted by a few University students.

Tickets can be purchased during the day at the McMorran and Washburne store.

## Alpha Xi Delta Gives Dinner for President

Alpha Xi Delta entertained with a faculty dinner Monday evening in honor of Mrs. Dorothy Bryan Dench, national president of the sorority, who arrived from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Sunday, March 29. Mrs. Dench will remain in Eugene until Thursday, April 2. She will next visit the chapters at Corvallis and Seattle.

Guests for the dinner were: Chancellor and Mrs. Frederick M. Hunter, Dr. and Mrs. C. Valentine Boyer, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Schwering, Mrs. Nelson F. Macduff, Dean and Mrs. Karl W. Onthank, Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Sheldon, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Stetson, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Casteel, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Crumbaker, Miss Lenore Casford, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. George Turnbull, Mr. and Mrs. George Hopkins, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Perlich.

## Non-Resident Fee Due April 7; Fine For Late Payment

The \$40 non-resident fee will be due April 7, according to E. P. Lyon, University cashier, and must be paid by then to avoid a 25c a day late-payment fee. Payment may be made on the second floor of Johnson at window 4.

## OSF Meeting Set For 7:30 Tonight

### Program Committee Men To Gather at DU House This Afternoon

To complete plans for the Oregon Student Federation meeting tonight at 7:30 on the third floor of Gerlinger hall, the program committee headed by Richard Halley, will meet at 4:30 in the Delta Upsilon house. Program and business to be discussed at the evening meeting will be arranged, according to Paul Plank, president of the federation.

Definitely scheduled for the meeting is the report of Don and Robert Thomas, John Luvaas, and Kenneth Phillips on the question of compulsory versus optional ROTC. Selection of a faculty adviser will also probably take place at this meeting, it was learned from Plank.

Other topics which may be considered at the meeting are: a graduated student body card system, campus political situation, or support of the Associated Student body drive. These topics have been suggested at past meetings.

## 'Outward Bound' Dates Changed

### Mystery Play to Be Given April 10, 11, 13, 17 by University Theater

Playing dates for the University theater production of "Outward Bound," popular mystery play, have been changed to April 10, 11, 13, and 17, in cooperation with the University social calendar, which has an all campus affair scheduled for Saturday, April 18.

Friday, April 17, has been selected as one of the nights of performance to accommodate delegates to the meeting of the Oregon Speech association, Ottilie Turnbull Seybolt, director of the play, announced. A broken week-end run of Friday, Saturday, and Monday proved a popular schedule during the presentation of "Street Scene" earlier in the season, and the procedure will be repeated with April 10, 11, and 13 for "Outward Bound." While the performance on the following week-end, April 17, is booked especially for Oregon Speech association delegates, a limited number of tickets will be available to the public.

All seats are reserved and will be placed on sale at McMorran and Washburne, the University Co-op and the Guild theatre box-office in the administration building at a later date.

## Campus Calendar

There will be a meeting of the Skull and Dagger at the Kappa Sigma house at 10:30 tonight.

Phi Beta meets tonight at 7:00 in Gerlinger hall.

Scabbard and Blade will meet at the College Side at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

To complete plans for the Oregon Student Federation meeting tonight, the program committee will meet in the Delta Upsilon house at 4:30 this afternoon.

WAA council meeting and installation of officers will be held in alumnae hall, Gerlinger, at 7:30 Tuesday.

All Yeomen interested in softball team meet at Y hut at 4 o'clock today.

## Fraternities Pledge 16 In Final Rushing

### Spe's and Pi Kaps Lead 6 Organizations With 4 Students Each

When spring term's rush week ended, 16 men were wearing small pledge pins in their lapels symbolic of their affiliation with one of six fraternities. Displaying the square red and gold pin of Sigma Phi Epsilon are: John Pastega, Klamath Falls; Clifford Morris, Reedsport; Clifford Strom, Bend; and Willard Graham, Grants Pass.

The diamond shield of Pi Kappa Alpha is seen in the lapels of Elton Owen, Eugene; Kenneth Reeve, Warrenton; Eugene Wilhelm, Portland; and Jim Clinton, Albany.

SAE Pledges Three  
Theta Chi's red and white oval is being displayed by Homer Cooley, Pendleton; and Jack Davidson, Ellensburg, Wash.

Two men, Jack Heummer and Bob Haines, both of Portland, wearing the black and silver square of Chi Psi lodge.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon's tiny blue pledge button has been pinned on: Porter Underwood, Portland; Don Barker, and Cecil Walders, both of Grants Pass.

Walter Miller, and Wendell Wyatt, Portland, are the possessors of Beta Theta Pi's shield.

## New AWS Officers To Be Entertained

### 1936 Women's Heads Will Banquet at Theta House This Evening

Martha McCall, new AWS president, with her retinue of 1936 officers, will be entertained tonight by Margaret Ann Smith, outgoing president, and the executive council at the Kappa Alpha Theta house with a banquet. Preceding the banquet, the formal installation will be held at alumni hall in Gerlinger this afternoon at 4:30 as the program of a regular meeting of the AWS.

Others who will take part in the installation are: Helen Bartrum, who is taking over the duties of the former vice-president, Virginia Younie; Gayle Buchanan, as secretary in place of Starla Parvin of last year; Elizabeth Ann DeBusk, who steps into the treasurer's office left vacant by Helen Bartrum; Martha Felsheim, elected to sergeant-at-arms, the office filled by Gladys Battleson last year; and Laurene Brockschink, who will be reporter in place of Betty Rosa of the previous year.

Margaret Ann Smith is anxious to see the new officers get a good start, so she is urging all members of the AWS to come to the installation.

## E. J. Failing Dies At Portland Home

E. J. Failing, widely-known native of Portland, died Saturday. Mr. Failing was born May 11, 1881, and was educated at Portland academy and Yale university.

His daughter, Jean, graduated from the University in 1934. She was president of the Associated Women Students during her senior year and is now teaching at the Centralia junior college.

Mrs. Failing, the former Marjorie Holcomb, is an ex-'13 of the University.

## Mrs. Hunter Gives Dessert for AOPis

Mrs. Frederick M. Hunter, alumna of Alpha Omicron Pi, entertained active and alumnae members of the sorority at a dessert party held at her home Monday evening, March 30.

Mrs. Herbert Bacchus, alumna of Sigma chapter at the University of California, who spent the past week in Eugene and Portland as guest of Chancellor and Mrs. Hunter, also attended.

At 8 o'clock a meeting of the alumnae chapter was held.

## Emerald Positions Applications in Full Requested at Once

Applications for positions of editor and manager of the Emerald and editor and manager of the Oregon should include qualifications, experience, and plans of the applicant, Ralph Schomp, assistant graduate manager, said yesterday. Petitions should be submitted to the graduate manager's office immediately. Business experience of the applicant, how situations would be handled, what improvements would be instituted, and general policy should be stated in the petition, Schomp declared.

## Work on AWS Carnival Begins

### Houses to Pair for Booths With Prizes Awarded for Best Efforts

With the sororities and fraternities paired off for work on the booths, concentrated effort will begin this week to make the AWS Carnival on April 18 a larger success than it has been in past years. Jean Stevenson, chairman of the booths, urges the houses to start working on plans for their booths immediately. Prizes will be awarded for the two best ones. Not more than \$5 may be spent on any booth.

Groups working together are Alpha Chi Omega, Kappa Sigma; Alpha Delta Pi, Sigma Chi; Alpha Gamma Delta, Phi Kappa Psi, and Zeta hall; Alpha Omicron Pi, Phi Gamma Delta; Alpha Xi Delta, Sigma Phi Epsilon; Alpha Phi, Beta Theta Pi; Delta Delta Delta, Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Delta Gamma, Theta Chi; Gamma Phi Beta, Omega hall; Hendricks hall, Alpha Tau Omega; Kappa Alpha Theta, Chi Psi and Sigma Alpha Mu; Kappa Kappa Gamma, Phi Sigma Kappa and Phi Kappa Alpha; Phi Mu, Sigma Nu; Pi Beta Phi, Beta Theta Pi; Sigma Kappa, Delta Upsilon; Susan Campbell hall, Sigma hall; Chi Omega, Delta Tau Delta. As there were more men's groups than women's, it was necessary to have three houses work together on three of the booths.

Members of the directorate for the carnival are Elizabeth Turner, chairman; Josephine McGilchrist, assistant chairman; Frances Johnson, raffles; Jean Stevenson, booths; Isabelle Miller, tickets; Kay Coleman, clean-up; Gladys Battleson, recording secretary; Jane Lagassee, secretary; Molly White, dancing; Betty Reich, AWS booth; Phyllis Adams, publicity; Vivian Emery, basket social; Marjory Kissing, promotion; and Elizabeth DeBusk, finance.

## Alumni Art League Will Exhibit Work

The University Alumni Art League will exhibit the work of its members at the Portland museum of art from April 6 to 29. This exhibit is an annual affair and is prepared by graduates of the University school of architecture and allied arts.

## In England 'A Homely Woman' Is a Compliment

"Ten per cent American" was the subject of the speech given by S. Stephenson Smith, professor of English, before the Eugene Kiwanis club last night. That is the degree to which Professor Smith believes that American English differs from British English. Differences in usage which exist between the two were dealt with at considerable length by Professor Smith. He gave numerous examples of divergent usages in the two countries, many of them humorous in nature. A "homely" woman means in England a woman who puts her guests at ease and keeps a fine, comfortable home. The practical result of this difference was brought home by the example of the Englishman who attempted to compliment his American hostess by calling her a "homely" woman. In England, Professor Smith said, one does not use the word "bug" in the drawing room. This is, explained, due to the fact that

## Stienen Opens Term's Speech Slate Today

### Noted Sociologist Talks At Assembly Set for Gerlinger at 11

Edward Alfred Stienen, an immigrant boy who became one of America's most prominent sociologists, will be presented today in the first general assembly of the term in Gerlinger at 11 o'clock. He will be introduced by Dean Jewell of the school of education in the absence of President Boyer.

Discussing "The Conflict Between the Old and New Generations," Dr. Stienen will contrast the present situation in Europe with the state of the continent during his boyhood. It is expected that he will present what he considers possible means of solving the present war-like state by peaceful means.

Authority on Immigration  
An immigrant who came to the United States in the steerage, Professor Stienen is well acquainted with immigration problems and with immigrants themselves. He is well known for his volumes dealing with immigration.

A member of the faculty of Grinnell college, Grinnell, Iowa since 1903, Professor Stienen has made several speaking tours of the United States but has never spoken at Oregon. He is at present on a tour of middle western colleges as well as those on the Pacific coast and will come here from Portland where he arrived after making a series of addresses at the University of Idaho and Whitman college.

Guest of Douglass  
During his short stay on the campus, the speaker will be the guest of M. H. Douglass, University librarian. He will leave almost immediately after the assembly for Portland to visit a son who is a minister there.

## Eight Will Enter Jewett Contest

### Three Prizes To Be Given; Poetry Contestants Will Read From Memory

Eight contestants have entered the annual W. F. Jewett poetry reading contest to be held some time during the week of April 20-24, John L. Casteel, speech director, announced last night.

John Luvaas, Howard Ohmart, Stanley Bromberg, William Cottrell, George Bickman, Wilhelmina Gerot, Don Edwards, and David S. Eisenberg have signed up in the speech department for selections they will read from each of three types of poetry: lyrics, sonnets, and blank verse.

The aim of the contest is to stimulate the appreciation of poetry through effective oral reading of verse. Poems are read from memory, and the contestants may (Please turn to page four)