



**The Passing Show**  
**Hitler, 84 Years Old**  
**Blockade Runner**  
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**British Tax Laws**  
 By PAUL DEUTSCHMANN

**Webfoot Nine Takes**  
**Linfield 8-4 in Spite**  
**Of Blustery Weather**

**Swastika Cake**  
 Celebrated appropriately with military decorated and a swastika decorated cake, Adolph Hitler, feurer of Naziland, appropriately passed his 84th birthday yesterday. Fourteen thousand soldiers, squadrons of planes, 275 tanks, 1,500 horses paraded the streets of Berlin, to receive the Nazi salute from their leader.

At the same time rumors suggested that Hitler would write a secret sequel to his "Mein Kampf" to be used as a guide for future leaders of Germany.

**Government Victories**

Battle-bound northern Basques held in Bilbao by surrounding rebel troops rejoiced yesterday with the arrival of the British steamer bearing 4,000 tons of food supplies. The vessel ran the blockade yesterday, found no evidence of rebel mines in the 11-mile channel.

Loyalists reported several victories in eastern Spain in the Teruel area. Nationalist territory, already under semi-dictatorship, was brought nearer complete domination by Franco following a decree Monday evening which increased his power and created a one-party authoritarian state.

**'Sacred and Binding'**

Right to collective bargaining, battle cry of labor for fifty years, was elevated to a "sacred and binding" state yesterday at a meeting of 27 employers and union leaders who agreed that the Wagner act was "the law of the land" and would be obeyed by employers.

Strikes continued in Canada, looked possible in England, and were evident throughout the United States. AFL and CIO continued their feud quietly. Both Green and Lewis attended the meeting.

**One-third of Profits**

England, laboring under a \$7,500,000,000 armament program, came forth with a new barrage of taxes yesterday in an effort to increase the national income. Profit increase will be heavily hit, if the bill, strongly supported by the national government, goes through. An increase in the income tax (Please turn to page two)

**H 2 Plus 7 Equals W Gives Solution For Newlyweds**

By BERNADINE BOWMAN  
 Impossible, incredulous, unbelievable!

Yet here it is. A mathematical formula for making a go of marriage. Martial happiness, according to professor of the University of San Francisco, is simply the solution of a mathematical formula. It's H 2 plus 7 equals W.

In plain language this means simply that at marriage the wife's age should be equal to that of the husband's divided by 2 plus 7. For example, if the groom is 28, the ideal bride would be 21. A man of 36 ought to marry a girl of 25, while a centenarian should lead a bride of 57 to the altar.

**COEDS NOW HANDY-MEN**

Montana co-ed is learning how to be "handy-men" around the house after they are married.

The girls are learning how to repair waffle irons, electric toasters, hair-curling gadgets, washing machines, irons and other household appliances.

Manufacturers have contributed \$5,000 worth of equipment for the girls to tinker with. They learn how to assemble as well as repair.

**PHOTOS THWART CRASHERS**

Going about getting rid of the gate-crashers in a most scientific manner the purchasers of tickets to the Junior prom at Purdue university recently had to have their picture taken and attached to the ticket. If the picture did not look like the person presenting it at the door he was not permitted to enter.

**STUDENTS CAN'T WRITE**

Henry N. MacCracken, Vassar college's president, says "College students produce two kinds of literature, neither of them good. Either they try revealing their own hearts, which are not very full yet, and which they are generally unable to interpret, or they decide to imitate some well-known author in describing artificial situations which they know even less well than themselves."

**PEA Raps Modern Education for Being Over Standardized**

**Teaching Is too Formal And Artificial, Claims Colorado President; Changes Needed**

**Hits 'Standpatters' College Students Unable to Read Intelligently, Says Dr. Frazier**

By BILL PENGRA  
 Protests against modern standardized education were voiced several times yesterday, during the various sessions of the northwest regional conference of the Progressive Education association, being held in Eugene yesterday and today.

Changes in curriculum were advocated which would take into consideration the differences of children, and which would tend toward training them along more useful subjects. Helping the children to find their places in the communities and in life, is the foremost purpose of education under the system proposed by the modern educators.

**Suggests Changes**  
 Formal and artificial education, such as exist at the present time, were decry by Dr. George Frazier (Please turn to page two)

**Ballard Is Chosen Speaker for Grads**

**Presbyterian Minister Will Deliver Message to Class At Baccalaureate**

J. Hudson Ballard, minister of the First Presbyterian church, Portland, has been selected to deliver the baccalaureate sermon, announced Dean J. H. Gilbert, chairman of the commencement committee.

His subject will be "Interpretation." Mr. Ballard will address the graduates, who will be attired in their academic costumes on May 30 at 8:00 in McArthur court.

Eugene Gleemen under the direction of John Stark Evans, fill out the program. The majority of the churches are dismissing evening services to attend, which assures a bigger percentage of townspeople. The baccalaureate has been changed for the first time this year from 11 o'clock for the convenience of people wishing to come.

Mr. Ballard is well known to students and townspeople, according to Dean Gilbert. In addition to his doctor of divinity degree, he has a Ph.D., A.B., A.M., and B.D. degrees.

**Women's Career Talk Postponed**

Miss Janet Smith, employment secretary, who was to speak tonight before University coeds, has postponed her talk until next Wednesday, April 28. No other changes will be made in her schedule, it was announced last night.

Miss Smith will talk on "Women and Careers," giving specific information on positions open to and held by women. She will use much of the material which she has available from her work with the employment bureau at the University.

This talk will be the third in a series especially relating to women which has been directed by Theta Sigma Phi, women's national journalism honorary. The first was given by Eric W. Allen, dean of the journalism school, who spoke on women's relationship to the news. The second talk was given by Victor P. Morris, acting dean of the business administration school, on women in the world of economics.

Tickets are being sold by members of Theta Sigma Phi for ten cents.

The final meeting is scheduled for the regular time, from 7 until 8 o'clock, and will be held in Alumni hall of Gerlinger.

**Shaw's 'Pygmalion' Slated May 14, 15**

**Helen Roberts and Jerry Smith Cast for Leading Roles in Play**

One of George Bernard Shaw's most popular comedies, "Pygmalion," will be presented by the Guild hall players on Friday and Saturday, May 14 and 15, in the University theater, directed by Mrs. Ottilie Turnbull Seybolt.

The theme of the play is the decadence of phonetics in English speech and the hero is a professor of phonetics.

Gerry Smith, head bundle of "Pursuit of Happiness," is cast as Pygmalion Higgins, the phonetic expert who bets that he can take a flower girl and by improving her speech, pass her off as a duchess. The little flower girl, Liza, is played by Helen Roberts, Smith's romantic team mate of "Pursuit of Happiness."

Higgins' friend Pickering, with whom he makes the bet, is to be played by Ethan Newman, and Liza's father Doolittle, who is a self-styled member of the under-serviced poor, is to be presented by Adrian Martin.

Other members of the cast are: Mrs. Pearce, Adelyn Shields; Mrs. Eynsford Hill, Alice May Seiling; Clara Eynsford Hill, Patsy Neal; Mrs. Higgins, Ottilie Turnbull Seybolt; first bystander, Ted Thompson; second bystander, Jack Lewis; and Freddie, Milton Pilette. A few minor roles are yet to be filled.

**Phi Theta Pledges Tagged by Posies**

Members of Phi Theta Upsilon, junior women's service honorary, visited living organizations at the dinner hour last evening and pinned pledge ribbons and corsages of Oregon spring flowers on their new pledges.

Headed by Martha Stewart, president, members of the honorary pledged the following sophomores: Pearl Jean Wilson, Kathleen McAlear, Maude Edmunds, Bernadine Bowman, Beulah Chapman, Margaret Goldsmith, Peggy Lee Reavis, Kay Staples, June Phelps, Mary Catherine Sorenson. (Please turn to page two)

**Wednesday Program For PEA Meet Has Curriculum Lectures**

Wednesday's program for PEA meet.

9:00 a.m.—Sectional meetings. Evaluating the Intangibles of Progressive Education, Dr. Ralph Tyler, University music auditorium.

Initiating a program of Progressive Education, Drs. Carson Ryan and George Frazier, University high school auditorium. Meeting the needs of adolescents through the curriculum, Dr. Caroline Zachry, room 4, Education building.

10:30 a.m.—Sections meetings; School activities and emotional development of the child, Dr. Daniel Prescott, music auditorium.

Educating for tolerance in a democracy, Dr. Rachel Davis DuBois, University high auditorium.

Problems of schools in undertaking new programs in education, Dr. Caroline Zachry, room 4, Education building.

1:30 p.m.—General session, Dr. Daniel Prescott, music auditorium. Subject: Re-thinking the problem of classroom motivation.

3:00 p.m.—General session, Dr. Ralph Tyler, music auditorium. Subject: Significant developments in current experimental secondary schools.

**Oregon's Forest Shown In New Maps at Condon**

The Condon museum has just received a set of lithograph maps of the state of Oregon which show the types of forests in the different parts of the state. They are the gift of the Pacific Northwest experiment station. They are large-scale maps, being one inch to every four miles. Besides showing the different types of forests, the burned-over areas are also included.

All parts of the state are shown except the northeast section, which maps will be here soon.

**Various Museums Located In University Buildings Boast Assorted Collections**

(Editor's note—This is the fifth of a series by Lucille Finck which will tell the story behind interesting "landmarks" on the Oregon campus and which will appear in the Emerald from time to time.)

Fossils, birds and mammals, plants—Oregon, too, has its museums, some containing collections of not. Many of the collections are gifts of people who made a life work of their collection.

The herbarium, a botanical museum located in Condon hall, has specimens from Oregon and the Pacific Northwest, with several thousand from the eastern states and the Philippines. The Leiberg collection of botanical specimens was presented to the University by John B. Leiberg in 1908. There are 15,000 sheets of specimens collected principally from Oregon, Washington, and Idaho, but including some from other states.

The Cusick collection has 7,000 specimens. They were donated by Edmund P. Sheldon, Martin W. Gorman, and Kirk Whitehead. The latter is made up of plants collected mostly in Oregon. The Sheldon Herbarium is made up of about the same number of plants gathered by Edmund P. Sheldon in the mid-west state. Mrs. A. M. Spang-

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**University Women Will Attend Playday at Reed**

Plans for University WAA women to attend the annual play day given each year by Reed college in Portland the first of May, were discussed by members of the WAA council at their meeting held last night.

Gretchen Smith, president, stated that the names of the girls who will attend have not been handed in yet, but these will be decided upon soon.

Reports of various committees were also given.

**Tennis Courts or Library Terrace Scene of Dance**

Re-kindle Oregon's school spirit! With this in mind co-chairmen Frederica Merrell and Wayne Harbert are making plans for the coming ASUO political dance to be held Friday, April 30, from 3 to 5:30 p. m. The dance is free to all student body members, and will be a no-date affair, it was announced. Weather permitting, the dance will be given at the tennis courts. If the weather is bad, arrangements are being completed to hold the dance in the terrace of the new library, Harbert said. Decorations will consist mainly of political banners and cartoons. Candidates for ASUO officers will be introduced during the intermission.

Campus clothes will be in order, and both dated couples and stags will be welcomed. The terrace will be cleaned and waxed for the dance if it is secured.

**Oregon Retailers Will Meet Here**

**Fair Trade Practice Acts In State to Be Discussed At Conference May 3**

Fair trade practice acts will be discussed here May 3 by Oregon merchants at the first annual conference of the Oregon Retail Distributors' association. Consideration will be given to the Oregon fair trade act of 1935, the anti-price discrimination act of 1937 and the Robinson-Patman act.

Taxation and retail reform will also be studied at the conference, according to announcement made today by Dr. N. H. Comish, professor of business administration and secretary of the group.

The conference will also serve to complete organization of the new association. Presiding will be Harold Wendel, manager of Lipman, Wolfe and company of Portland, and association president.

"How Oregon's First Fair Trade Act (1935) Works," will be the topic of an address by Frank Nau, Portland, at the morning session of the conference. Edward F. Bailey, counsel for the Home Owners' Loan corporation, will speak on "What Oregon's 1937 Anti-price Discrimination Act Is"; while "Retailing Under the Robinson-Patman Act" will be discussed by E. A. Tibbitts, Portland.

Featured speaker at the banquet at night will be P. J. MacAuley, advertising manager of Meier and Frank company, Portland. He will have as his topic, "Trends in Retailing."

**New Editor Calls Yearbook Staff**

Students interested in Oregon staff positions for the 1938 book are asked to attend the meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock in room 104 Journalism, stated Wayne Harbert, 1938 editor, last evening.

Preference of positions will be handed in after the meeting by those desiring places on the staff, Harbert said. Previous experience is not needed.

Work on the next year book was begun this week as staff the University campus as it appears in the spring.

A series of pictures, taken chronologically, of all large campus events will feature next year's book of informality, state Harbert. A series of this type of photography will be taken of Junior Weekend.

Students interested in taking pictures for the book are asked to see Harbert. Films will be paid for and developed at the expense of the year book, Harbert said.

**ROAD SURVEYORS HERE**

Thomas M. C. Martin, assistant economist of the U. S. bureau of public roads, and D. W. Keefe, director of the fiscal survey for state highways, visited Tuesday morning at the University. They spent the morning conferring with H. Kehrl, director of the bureau of municipal research, concerning the study of expenditures for streets and highways, a study that is taking place in 40 states.

**Oregon to Join War 'Protest' At 11 Thursday**

**Buell, Farquharson Are Visiting Speakers on Peace Demonstration Program**

Tomorrow at 11 more than 1,000,000 college and high school students will stage the annual protest against war. Oregon will be more before, leaders of the local demonstration declared last night.

Between 1500 and 2500 participants are expected. Principal R. U. Moore of University high school announced yesterday that school will be dismissed at 11 o'clock and the student body will be urged to participate in the University demonstration.

**Speakers Named**  
 Heading the demonstration program tomorrow will be Raymond L. Buell, president of the Foreign Policy association, and Prof. F. B. Farquharson of the University of Washington. Student speakers will be Harold Barton and Charles Paddock.

Also scheduled is music, the student version of "Men of the Soil." Exchange greetings with the student bodies of Reed college and Willamette university will be heard. A representative of organized labor will bring greetings.

Muster of ceremonies is Gilbert Schultz, president of the student body. The steps of the old libe, scene of one previous anti-war demonstration, will provide the rostrum for the protest and strike if weather permits.

**Difficulties Ironed Out**  
 Internal clashes of opinion over whether or not Oregon should strike seem to have been ironed out. The central strike committee is sponsoring a "protest and declaration of intention to strike when war comes." Two or three of the groups consider themselves as striking now, without waiting for war danger to become more acute.

Representatives of the American Student union, Wesley Foundation, and Young People's Socialist league, declared they are striking in solidarity with the national strike, because they feel students (Please turn to page two)

**Proportional Plan to Select ASUO Heads Up for Committee OK**

**Preferential Voting Held to Eliminate Gravy in Politics; Insure Minority Representation, Hall Says**

By LLOYD TUPLING  
 A detailed plan for proportional representation in student body politics, an oft-sought reform for selecting ASUO officers, will be submitted to the student executive committee for approval today. A student committee, headed by Barney Hall, drew up the plan.

Under the new plan nominees would not run for any designated offices, all candidates would be up for election to the executive committee. The candidate receiving the greatest total of first choice votes under a preferential ballot would be named president. Other officers in the executive council would be selected from the remaining list by the same process, Hall explained.

The committee, composed of Barney Hall, chairman, Bill Pease, member of the ASUO committee, Gayle Buchanan, AWS president, and Fred Colvig, Emerald editor, will submit the plan to supplement a recent ASUO by-law to take "gravy" distribution out of politics, it was pointed out.

**Minority Representation**  
 "The plan insures minority representation, and every vote is effective in selecting officers," Hall claimed. "It works in with a recent by-law to eliminate gravy in politics, because it will make certain that the executive committee will be a representative body."

The proportional representation plan with preferential selection is now employed in New York City, Cincinnati, Ohio, Columbia university. (Please turn to page two)

**We Change Little States Minister**  
 Speaking in a fast-moving, staccato style, O. H. Holmes, Forest Grove minister, related humorous incidents from American history and his own early life at a University of Oregon assembly this morning in Gerlinger hall and kept the audience of nearly 800 students figuratively "rolling in the aisles" with amusement.

Mr. Holmes' topic was "And It Reminds Me." In the closing minutes of his short talk he connected and gave point to the seemingly unconnected stories which he had told by changing to a serious vein and pointing out the similarities between these incidents of several decades ago and present-day events and using these as basis for an appeal to uphold the institutions and government which were founded by our forefathers.

"We don't change much during the ages," Mr. Holmes declared. "We today think the same as our father did; we do the same things as our fathers did. We have inherited from them priceless institutions which are as valuable to us as they were to them, and we should carry them on in the same devoted spirit they did."

Bill Hayward, Oregon's veteran track coach, also spoke briefly, and (Please turn to page two)

**NBC to Broadcast Junior Weekend**

**Highlights Will Be on Air Over Two Networks; Orchestra Uncovered;**

Junior weekend highlights will be broadcast over the red and blue networks of the National Broadcasting company, it was announced last night by Zolite Volchock, Junior weekend publicity manager. Volchock, Ralph Schomp, educational activities director, and Sam Fort, Junior weekend chairman, returned last night from Portland where arrangements for the broadcast were made with Carey Jennings, station manager of KGW.

Final negotiations are being made to secure an orchestra, according to Howard Overback, chairman of the orchestra committee. Benny Pollock's sophisticated orchestra, which is now playing at the Trocadero in Los Angeles, is among those being considered.

Coronation of the queen, canoe fete, and the Junior prom will all be broadcast. The events are to be scheduled to work in with Eastern daylight saving time schedule.

Tentative arrangements have been made through A. Finklestein, district manager of Fox west coast theaters, to bring a news-reel camera man here.

**Frosh Psych Examinations Show Possibilities, Don't Limit Entrance, Says Taylor**

By MARGARET RANKIN  
 Very definite truths concerning an individual's psychological possibilities and intellectual qualifications are exposed in psychology exams given to entering freshmen, although applicants are never denied entry if they fail to pass the examinations, Dr. H. R. Taylor, professor of psychology, pointed out yesterday.

The psychological exam is an example of the student's ability to do abstract thinking and verbal symbols. The mathematical tests and

electric tests are used to find out if the student can think logically and reason out problems, Dr. Taylor said.

These exams are used in this country to show the psychological possibilities in a person before he is admitted to the school.

**Take All Comers**  
 The University of Oregon accepts any high school graduate who can meet the entrance requirements and do not refuse admission because of these tests. Schools such as Stanford and Columbia, who want their students to get the most out of facilities and feel that they must have a high degree of intelligence because of this, these (Please turn to page two)

**Washke Slated to Arrive Back on Campus May 9**

Paul R. Washke, intramural sports director, is expected to arrive on the campus May 9 from the annual Physical Education Convention held this year in New York City.

Mr. Washke intends to meet Oregon's tennis team in Moscow, Idaho, where they will meet University of Idaho. He will travel with the squad to Pullman, Washington, where Oregon plays WSC.

He will not return with the team, but will arrive on the train later.



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