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Memorandum to Athletic Board

The fact that May Day will be here in a week is not startling. But the fact that on May 1 the athletic board will meet and take up the matter of a trophy case for the ASUO is a bit startling, and furthermore, of great importance and interest to the general student body.

Of course, we are in no position to guarantee that the athletic board will take up the matter of a home for Oregon's time-scarred, battle-worn and dust-laden trophies. If past performances were taken as any indicator of what was to come, it might appear wise to be dubious; for the record shows that almost a month has passed since the championship basketball trophies arrived on the campus with action restricted to a very meager bit of tentative planning.

However, we, and the student body with us, are generally patient. Sometimes the student body is too patient; oftentimes it is just plain forgetful. As a result of this the question of a trophy case has gone unsettled these long years. It has taken a healthy prod like the winning of a national basketball championship to get action.

The first steps have been taken. The student executive committee, head of the ASUO set-up, have recommended that the athletic board take action. The members of the athletic board have looked at the cups. They have looked at the proposed sight of the trophy case.

It has taken better than a month to get this action. Perhaps we can be patient for another week, especially if we feel confident that the athletic board is all set to get the matter settled.

(Even if patience has never been included among the virtues of editors.)

A special relay race for portly fraternity men has been scheduled for the University of Vermont interfraternity track meet.

Brown university will award King George VI of England an honorary degree when he visits the United States this summer.

Two Go North To Alum Meet

W. A. Dahlberg, assistant professor of speech, and Elmer Farnett, University alumni secretary, left yesterday for Yakima to attend the Oregon Alumni association meeting tonight.

Mr. Dahlberg will speak and Mr. Farnett will show a group of colored pictures of the Oregon campus, the rally and reception given the returning national champion basketball team, and Bill Hayward and his track men.

After leaving Yakima, the two plan to visit Pendleton high school and the Pendleton Oregon Alumni association. Four University students will provide the program for the Alumni association. Barbara Ward will sing accompanied by Zoe Brassey, Walker Treece and Leonard Clark will hold a discussion on "American Values."

Girl Reserves to Hold White Elephant Sale

Girl Reserves of both local high schools will hold a white elephant party at the YWCA tonight. Mrs. John Stark Evans, executive secretary, said yesterday.

Miss Barbara Fulton, who succeeded Bettylou Stuart as adviser to the University high group, will be in charge of the party.

New Officers Named For Ad Men's Group

Election of new officers of the W. F. G. Thacher chapter of Alpha Delta Sigma, men's advertising honorary fraternity, was held yesterday. The men holding the new positions are: Glenn Powder, president; Charles Skinner, vice-president; Stan Norris, secretary; John Nelson, treasurer.

What Other Editors Believe

STATE BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION
"State Board's come to our house, of my law'sy daisy.
All the children round the campus is just a-runnin' crazy.
Fetched a cake for little Jake
And fetched a pie fer Nannie
Fetched a pear for all the pack—well, it's a fine system!
—James Whitcomb Riley (of course)

If we are too light hearted (and light headed) to resist the impulse to quote this old favorite on the occasion of the state board of higher education's visit to the campus of the University of Oregon, we hope we may be pardoned. As McGurk said the other night, from the hustle and bustle and stir of preparations on the campus you might almost get the idea that the state board had won a national basketball championship. It just happens, of course, that this April meeting in Eugene is the meeting for the fixing of budgets and salary adjustments and promotions. And this is a visit of state, a big official occasion. It is fitting that hands should play and that speeches should be made and that for all concerned the day should be memorable.

What we would like the gentlemen and the lady of the state board to feel, however, is that they are always very welcome in Eugene, whether they arrive in a body with a fanfare of trumpets or whether they just drop in to visit us. The University has never had much flair for "pomp and circumstance"; it has seemed at all times to be a little lacking in the art called showmanship; and it is a good thing for the University to "step out" a bit if only to prove that it understands these things.

But after the show is over, we hope board members will feel free for more intimate acquaintance with the University and its people than has been possible heretofore. The state board of education has accomplished some very fine things. It has quieted wars. It has restored higher education to the good graces and financial bounty of the legislature. Of necessity the board has had to strive to be absolutely impartial. But education in Oregon has lost something in vitality because complete impartiality also tends to be completely impersonal.

The differences between Oregon's schools do not end with divisions of funds and functions. They are different in history and tradition and outlook upon the world and its problems. Each has its pride. In each there is a quality which cannot be reduced to a pattern. There is a life which is not expressed in great football crushes or ceremonial gatherings or even in solemn rituals of commencement day. There is something which eludes all the formulas of buildings and budgets and "Administration."

That is why we hope these Olympian exercises will convey to the board something more than a formal welcome. We hope board members will feel that we want them to share with teachers and students come to feel, which is—well, it's a sort of faith. Here on this campus, men and women have dared to have brave ideas; here tradition has made an Oregon shrine for the great American doctrines of tolerance and liberty; sometimes at the great risk of unpopularity and misunderstanding, opinions have met here in the free atmosphere of a University. Here there has been, is now and we hope always will be unrest and impatience with a very imperfect civilization.

When ceremonies have been satisfied we hope board members will come again and talk with students and teachers and partake of high hopes and healthful "heresies."—Eugene Register-Guard.

Sales Methods to Be Pictured by Speaker At Show Tonight

A recorded sales demonstration will be presented by E. K. Roth, general agent of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance company of Portland, tonight in room 105 Commerce at 7:30, according to Mr. C. L. Kelly, professor of B.A.

Following the demonstration Mr. Roth will tell the audience how to adapt the principles given in the recording to their own salesmanship. Pictures will be shown with the demonstration. Seniors who will be looking for jobs, and selling themselves to an employer, will be especially benefited by the information, Mr. Kelly stated.

Independents 'Buzz' Friday

The "Bumblebee Buzz" radio dance in all the style of spring keyed with flowers and informalities will be held for the independents of the campus by the Yeomen and Ordes Friday night in the AWS room of Gerlinger hall.

Contrary to the usual Yeomen-Ordes dances the "buzz" will be a date affair, stated Jack Newton who with Frankie King is a co-chairman of the dance.

Members of either of the men's or women's campus organization will be admitted free, but non-members will pay 25 cents per couple.

Sports clothes are in order.

CELLIST, HARPISIT TO GIVE JOINT RECITAL THURSDAY

Howard Jones, cellist, and Neva Barber, harpist, will be presented in joint recital Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the auditorium of the University of Oregon school of music. The public is invited.

Jewett Entries Due Friday

April 28 is the final entry date for the W. F. Jewett poetry contest, stated Professor J. L. Casteel yesterday. The preliminary tryout of contestants is planned for May 2 at 3 o'clock in Friendly.

The lyric and sonnet section will meet in room 111 Friendly, the narrative group in room 108, and entrants in the reading of biblical passages in room 107.

From 4 to 6 persons will be selected to enter into the final competition from each group of contestants. Mr. Casteel said. It is planned to hold the finals in Gerlinger hall May 3 at 3 o'clock. Tea will be served following the speakers readings.

Prodinger Re-elected Buyer-Manager Of Campbell Co-op

Carl Prodinger, senior in education was re-elected chief buyer-manager of Campbell Co-op, men's cooperative living association, in a meeting of the Campbell Co-op executive council Monday night. Marvin Elle, junior in BA who was this year's secretary-treasurer, was also re-elected.

House managers named by the council were: Kenneth Rolfe, Campbell Co-op No. 1, and Martin Hoffman, Campbell No. 2.

Other officers of the organization were elected as follows at the individual house meetings: Campbell No. 1—president, Ken Erickson; vice-president, Ray Grant; secretary, Bob Clever; and member-at-large, Ralph Gillmer. The Campbell No. 2 officers are: president, Charles Hillway, vice-president, Floyd Bowling; secretary, T. Winston Smith; and member-at-large, Chris Madera.

The Show-Off

Congrats!... "I've Found Something New in You," hit tune from "With Fear and Trembling," was played by Phil Harris on Jack Benny's Sunday night spot. Immediately after hearing the coast to coast broadcast, Wilfred Roadman, composer of words and music, thinking his hearing was inspired, phoned his director, Horace W. Robinson. Robinson had also heard the broadcast and according to reports he and Roadman spent the rest of the Sabbath celebrating.

Thoughtful!... Perhaps marking a new trend in the patron-patroness situation for house dances was Mrs. Alice B. Macduff's request when asked to attend the Kappa dance Friday night. Mrs. Macduff asked that she be regarded as a guest, not a hostess. Thus relieving some couple of the necessity of worrying about what to say when their turn came to sit out a dance with the chaperons.

Glee!... We've heard a great deal of favorable comment about the Frosh Glee. Especially praised were the decorations for which Cy Nims was largely responsible. Clever was the draped green paper which seemed to change the Igloo into a very realistic ballroom. All was well until Johnny Callahan began banging the drums. We hope the Junior Weekend dance committee will, in comparison, hire a GOOD band.

Heard!... That actors in "Confessions of a Nazi Spy" who have relatives in Germany or other Nazi-controlled nations, will be billed under phony names on the film's cast sheet... That to please censors and the public, MGM has changed the title of "Infidelity" — the forthcoming Joan Crawford film — to "Fidelity"... That Glen Gray's waxing of "Heaven Can Wait" and "Sunrise Serenade" for Decca is one of his best. Incidentally, "Heaven Can Wait" was number one on Saturday's Hit Parade... That one Screen Guild airshow on April 30 will have Irene Dunne, Cary Grant, Walter Connolly and Herman Bing in "Alone in Paris," directed by Leo McCarey.

LAW LIBE GETS BOOKS

Frederick H. Drake, a Portland attorney, recently presented the University law library with a gift of about 800 volumes, it was announced yesterday by Lois I. Baker, law librarian.

Included in this gift are many textbooks and treatises and several hundred volumes of supreme court records from New York, Massachusetts, and California. Many of the textbooks are different editions from those now in the library.

JOURNAL TO HIRE HAENER

After graduation, Hal Haener, present business manager of the Emerald, will have a position on the advertising display department of the Oregon Journal. At present three former Oregon students are connected with the Journal. They are Tony Peterson, circulation manager; Robert Allen, and Thomas Clapp, national advertising department.

Nerve Fails

(Continued from page one)
a string attached to the buzzer allows a weight to fall on a mouse trap. This springs, and jerks two strings. One string pulls the stopper of the alarm clock, shutting off the din, and the other jerks open a switch on the radio, which has been tuned to a station that broadcasts dance music at the students' hour of arising.—Auburn Plainsman.

Definition

A monopolist is one who gets his elbows on both arms of his theater chair.—Alabamian.

Where's His Keeper?

I am a college boy. I enjoy college immensely. I have the best room in town by far. In my spare time I study continuously. I like all the lectures because they are so interesting. Term papers are a lot of fun to write. Exams are like a great big game. I do them because of that. I do anything I want. I am Napoleon.—Villanovan.

Twenty-five per cent of the Holy Cross college student body are studying Greek in the original.

Beaverton Man Donates Iris To State System

Gaily colored iris, the finest in the West, will in the future do their part in beautifying the various campuses of the state system of higher education, as the result of a gift proffered by Howard E. Weed, proprietor of a famous iris garden at Beaverton. The gift was accepted by the board at its meeting on the University of Oregon campus today.

One plant of each variety in the Weed gardens will be sent to the department of landscape architecture. From these, Mr. Weed points out, more can be produced until within a few years an amply supply will be available for any need on any campus.

Mr. Weed has propagated 18 new varieties of iris, in addition to improving a number of others. The varieties he will donate will fill a plot about 50 feet by 50 to start. They will be planted this summer, and will include both fall and spring blooming varieties.

Hargis to Attend Washington Meet

D. E. Hargis, University speech instructor, will attend the spring conference of the Washington Speech association this week in Ellensburg. He plans to participate in two panel discussions.

Mr. Hargis will also be a representative from the Oregon State Speech association of which he was elected president at a conference held April 14-15 in Portland.

The Daily Scholarship club will hold its regular meeting and luncheon at the Anchorage at noon Thursday.

ROTC Cadets Set for Parade

500 Will March In Demonstration, If It Doesn't Rain

Approximately 500 University ROTC students will mark and drill on the parade grounds just southeast of the barracks today, before a crowd of interested spectators who are expected to turn out for the second spring parade of the year. That is, of course, if it doesn't rain.

First call for the parade will be at 4:40 and assembly will be at 4:50. All military students who do not attend or who do not have a good excuse will receive a regular class cut.

Four companies will drill under the watchful eyes of Major A. L. Morris, assistant professor of military science, who is in charge of the parade; Jack Gavin, reviewing officer; Edwin Welsh, commanding officer of troops; and Adjutant Arthur Murphy.

The companies which will take part in this afternoon's parade and their commanders are: Company A, Donald Childers; Company B, Luther Seibert; Company C, Robert Speer; Company D, Thomas Wiper.

Bodner, SAM Prexy, Shimshak Manager

At Sigma Alpha Mu house elections Monday evening, George Bodner was elected president for the forthcoming year; he will succeed William Frager, who is graduating this term. Other elections were Jack Shishak, house manager, and Bill Ehrman, recorder. The new officers will go into office May 15, first Monday after Junior weekend.

Japan Trip Is Contest Prize

Oregon would-be writers were invited last week through President Donald M. Erb to try their talents in an essay contest on Japanese relations, by the Japan Tourist bureau in cooperation with the San Francisco Exposition heads.

Any University enrollee may enter the essay-writing contest before May 20, when entries must be in to the exposition committee. Five questions dealing with Japanese economic questions and American-Japanese relations are presented to be briefly discussed in the essays.

The five winning writers will leave June 29 for a free round trip to Yokohama and will return August 27.

Further contest information is available from Dr. Robert D. Horn, associate professor of English.

Sales Talk Contest Goes to Heilig; Carter Takes Second Place

First place in the annual life insurance sales contest sponsored by Eugene insurance firms went to George Heilig, junior BA student, at the final session of the contest which was held in Portland at a meeting of the Life Underwriters association Thursday, according to C. L. Kelly, professor of BA. Robert Carter and Robert Duncan placed second and third respectively.

The three winners of the contest were chosen from the group of 22 competitors during the first part of the contest last term. The contestants were required to give 10-minute sales talks representing a particular life insurance company.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

There will be a meeting of Beta Gamma Sigma in room 208 Commerce Thursday at 3:45 to elect new members and officers for next year. Members are urged to attend.

The YMCA cabinet will meet this evening at 6:45 o'clock at the hut.

The Book Review club will meet today at 4 o'clock in the YWCA hut.

All girls interested in publicity, meet in the Y hut at 4 o'clock this Thursday.

Duck Splashers practice tonight at Gerlinger at 8:30, for girls only.

SEVENTEEN IN INFIRMARY

Abed because of colds or other minor illnesses, seventeen students were confined to the campus hospital yesterday. Those who were in the infirmary include: Therese Blanke, Moore Dwight, Mary Bailey, Alice Eastie, Melbourne Davis, Donna Hanton, Wendell Hendrickson, Mary Louise Gates, Don G. Swink, Doris McMinder, Robert Berghan, Saville Riley, Harry Kettering, Dorothy Kesterson, Joe Frizzell, Jean Hurley, and Eunice Edwards.

CASTEEL ON COMMENCEMENT

Professor John L. Casteel will give the commencement address before the graduating class of Milwaukeee union high school May 26.

DR. R. C. CLARK TO SPEAK

Dr. R. C. Clark, head of the history department, will speak on the military history of Oregon on the radio school of the air over KOAC this morning at 11:15 o'clock.

Enjoy this week's Post

"Am I in love"

...or is it just that sea air?"

HOLLYWOOD SCOUT Gavin Hare, on his way back from a fruitless European talent hunt, and on the lookout for the movie "find" of 1940.

SOCIETY GIRL Gillian Archer, lovely—and will single. "Lots of men think they're in love with me. But I still haven't found what I want..."

DOCTOR David Sutton, brilliant young neurologist and brain surgeon, determined that no woman was ever again going to play a part in his life.

ACTRESS Kingsley Campion. "What you need is to fall in love again," said her maid. "You're always successful when you're in love."

IN THREE PARTS
Twenty-first Crossing, West
by ELIZABETH DUNN

NO DOUBT ABOUT IT—a ship at sea does something to your private life! These four people meet on an ocean liner racing from Southampton to New York—and within twenty-four hours find the whole course of their lives suddenly entwined, dramatically changed. On page 5 of your Post, start the first installment of this exciting new three-part novel in the modern tempo.

HOW STALIN HAS BEEN COURTING HITLER

STALIN AND HITLER ENEMIES? "A myth!" says this former head of Stalin's secret service in Europe. In the Post this week he reveals Stalin's strategy. Also in this article: first world publication of the secret German-Japanese pact, how it was negotiated, and an outline of its terms. A Post exclusive. Read Stalin Appeals Hitler.

by W. G. KRIVITSKY
Former General in the Red Army

IS BIG-LEAGUE BALL DAMAGING COLLEGE PLAYERS?

And what's it doing to college coaches? USC's coach speaks out frankly on what he terms "the least savory side of baseball," shows where baseball might well take a tip from pro football's experience. Page 20.

Baseball Gets 'Em Too Young
by JUSTIN M. (Sam) BARRY
Baseball Coach, University of Southern California

And "THIS GUN HAS ONE MORE JOB TO DO!" said Skid Bolio. "It thinks for me." A good plan for a jailbreak—until the gun did start to do its own thinking. Royce Howes tells the story in *Instinct Ain't Thinkin'!*

—TELEGRAM!

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For the full details, see *Who's Running This Sales Department, Anyway?* by William Hazlett Upton, Page 10.

P. G. WODEHOUSE brings you a new serial. Turn to *Uncle Fred in the Springtime* and start the second of six riotous installments.

SHE MARRIED A NOVELIST—and then her hubby fell for a "heroine" next door! A short story, *Writers Believe Their Stories*, by Ruth Rodney King... PLUS: articles, editorials, humor and plenty of cartoons. All in this week's Post.