Behind the Footlights Soon





Portland German Consul Speaks Following Rites

Delta Phi Alpha

Has Initiation

Delta Phi Alpha, national German honorary, initiated 13 students recently with a banquet at the Anchorage cafe.

Those students initiated were Eugene Didak, Betty Jane Thompson, Martin Hoffman, Charles Hillway, Edyth Williams, Nannette Schumki, Aida Brun, Maurice Goldberg, Ruth Zimmerman, Robert Pettee, Wilbur Larson, Joe Amato, and Lorraine Gjording.

Preceding the dinner, George Bodner, president of the honorary, read the initiation ritual.

German Consul Speaks

The guest speaker of the evening was Mr. Robert G. Clostermann, German consul from Port-Mrs. Astrid Mork Williams, Dr.

George Lussky, and Mr. Walter Kraft, of the German department, were also there. Dr. Lussky and Mr. Kraft were among the after Oueer Noise

Succeeding the after dinner Annoys Social speeches, members of the sang numerous German songs while Mr. Kraft accompanied them on the piano.

Browsers Get Latest Books

A variety of new books has been placed on the new book shelf in the browsing room where students may look them over but not with-

A few of the books, published within the last two months, are "Breakneck Brook" by Flint; "If We Only Had Money" by Shippey, "Ararat" by Elgin Groseclose, "Uncle Fred in the Springtime" by P. G. Wodehouse, "The Brandons" by Angela Thirkell, and "Here Come the Clowns" by Barry.

On the more serious side are "Do You Want to Become a Doctor?' by Morris Fishbein, M.D., and "The Doctor Prescribes Music" by Edward Podolsky, M.D.

"Seven Against the Years" by North is the story of seven college friends and what happens to them after they graduate.

are "Toward an Understanding of sented at a meeting of the educa-Kein's Kamf" by J. Allen Smith, home of Marie Tinker, 1346 Alder. sport, with plans for a career in and H. G. Wells' "Fate of Man."

Another story about another More than one of the class of '43 has fallen the victim of the practinew freshmen might well be placed

freshman from Portland. tion from some of his fraternity

culty he finally completed his sched-

brothers Bob was told the name of ened. Really, it proved very em- Mary Elizabeth Thorndyke and "the most popular professor." In barrassing. It seems the name of Jean McMorran, Zeta Tau Alpha; ing celebration without display- and beaver. checking the courses he wished to the favorite instructor of which Geraldine Counts and Florence ing distinct allergies for each After all, Mother Nature is wise take he found that he could not Bob was told was "Staff." Amid Cooley, Alpha Xi Delta; and Doro- other. only get his favorite for one course embarrassment he quickly rear- thy Jean Johnson, Alpha Gamma

Cast of 'Arms and Man' No Amateurs, Scribe Says

You can't call them profession- play. als but they certainly aren't amateurs, these students who will present to campus and town audi- ers in "Emperor Jones" and as ences "Arms and the Man" No- Teeter in "With Fear and Tremvember 16, 17, and 18 in the Uni- bling." In "Arms and the Man" versity theater.

Bernard Shaw's play has had some past experience in campus produc-

part of Major Saranoff in the new bands Go" and also appeared in roles on its stage. "With Fear and Trembling," "Two Gentlemen from Verona" and was in the Very Little Theater show, 'Susan and God.'

As Catherine Petkoff, Charlene Jackson has had experience in before in such plays as "Emperor "Emperor Jones" and the musicale "With Fear and Trembling"

University theater fans will remember Ed Burtenshaw as Smithhe will portray Petkoff, an old Each of the actors in George army officer whose "bark is worse than his bite."

Making her debut to Eugene audiences as Louka will be Rose Ann Gene Edwards who takes the Gibson, although Willamette university from where she trans-

> Captain Bluntchli, the handsome fugitive Swiss officer who marries an enemy maid in "Arms and the Man" is played by Fred Waller, who has been under fire Jones," "With Fear and Trembling" and "Noah."

Appearing as Truman Meeker Lorraine Hixson, veteran of in "Noah" and also in "With Fear 'Stage Door," "With Fear and and Trembling" has given P. T. Trembling," "Gina Kirsten" and Chiolero the confidence and "Peer Gynt" will handle the in- knowledge to play the character genue part of Raina in the new part of Nicola, the family butler.

Flying Forty' Coeds Thrilled With Flight

Aviatrixes to See City When Pushed From Navigation Nest: Three Girls Are Optimistic Concerning Safety

By JIM BANKS

Three of Oregon's most sought-after co-eds, and if you don't believe they are just try to get an interview with any one of them, can hardly wait to try their wings when the "flying forty" takes to the air.

Rita Wright, Maxine Glad, and Blanche McClellan, the feminine counterpart of the predominantly masculine flying class, are thrilled with the prospect of soaring high over the city at the controls of a training plane when the promised

Science Class

Scrunch, Screeee!

The 18 members of the social science quiz class turned questioning eyes to the window, What appeared to be two men on a board rose noisily into view. Even if it was just 8, this was no dream. On the other hand it wasn't possible either and who ever heard of mirages in Chapman hall. The best thing to do was ignore it. Any way topographical maps are much more interesting.

There was a sweet silence of about five minutes, broken only by the low murmur of the teacher's voice. Then - scruch, scree. A few brave souls darted a quick glance toward the win-

two men industriously washing lective sigh of relief. Back to height.

Honorary Considers New Members

Suggestions for new members I don't think it will be so difficult," Also included in the new books to Pi Lambda Theta were pre- was Blanche McClellan's opinion. the U.S.S.R." by Florinsky, "Mr. tion honorary last night at the course for the fun of flying as a Marcia Steinhauser was co-hostess.

Freshman Bites - Hook, Line and Sinker - Oh Boy!

freshman!

cal jokes of upper classmen. The crown for the most gullible of all upon the head of Bob Fronk,

Seeking assistance in registrabut for almost every course in his ranged his schedule.

of boy, Bob thought that he should ferent instructor. With some diffiule. It checked very favorably with ing weekend, several sororities on

It was then that he was enlight- Alice M. Clark, Sigma Kappa;

drama, played Ronald in "As Hus- ferred this term, saw her in many

"some time in the near future" arrives and the fledglings get off the ground for the first time.

"Ground school is tough," wailed all three when questioned about the 72 hours of training in various ground courses that they must complete. "What girl knows anything about meteorology and aerodynamics and all that stuff?" Rita. who last year was Oregon's "Little Colonel" at the military ball, wanted to know. A very apt question, all males must agree. The girls must learn theory of flight, how to interpret weather, navigation, and all of the essential knowledge men pilots are expected to

Uncle Sam, the brute, doesn't take kindly to women flyers, limiting the number of girls allowed to take the course to about 10 per cent of the total enrollment. While it is generally conceded that the girls' external appearance is excellent, they had to measure up to rigorous specifications physically What a disappointment, just Regulation decrees that 115 pounds be the minimum weight allowance, windows. The class sighed a col- and 78 inches the absolute top for

Maxine Glad is the only one who has done any flying in an appreciable amount before, and then only as a passenger, but they all feel quite capable of handling a plane in flight. "It will be fun, but

All of them signed up for the aviation indefinite. "It all depends," was the way one of them put it. Maxine, 1939 Junior Weekend some 300 hours of flying is necessary to get a commercial license. putting that angle out of the picture, temporarily at least.

Sororities Announce

In spite of the rush of homecom-

how lucky he was to get the cam- Additions to wearers of pledge pus favorite as his instructor in all pins are: Doris Jean Taylor and hearing Oregon and Oregon State of a duck is a living example of Allean Bechill, Alpha Omicron Pi; students complain that it is im- what University authorities have



YWCA Cabinet Meeting Held

cabinet held their weekly meeting last night with Mrs. John Stark Evans as adviser at the "Y" bungalow to discuss group activities and hear committee reports.

A program for the Red Cross drive and plans to have guest speakers at various committee meetings were the two most important topics of discussion.

In conjunction with the Red Cross drive, there will be an important meeting of the Community Service group at the "Y" bungalow today at 4 o'clock. Mrs. Elsie Miller, house mother

at Hendricks hall, will speak on "Table-Setting and Its History," at a meeting of the China, Cupboard, and Chest group tonight at 7 o'clock in Hendricks hall.

guest speaker, will speak to the religious discussion group on "Methodism" at their meeting tact to American owners which Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the "Y" bungalow.

Future events were outlined by Bettylou Swart, YWCA president.

Russian Consul Serves Country

The Russian consul in the Berkeley area called up the city editor of the Daily Californian to discuss a headline in said journal which ran as follows: "Germans take U. S. Ship to Soviet Port, Steamship reported near Omsk."

"Inside dope!" speculated the journalist as he picked up the

"If this statement is true," the consul explained, enunciating carefully, "it is varrry interrrresting. From my acquaintance with Russia, Omsk is three thousand miles inland."

UCLA Profs Say: "I like reading. The library steps are so interesting."

"Button your lip!" "I don't know why God gave me these teeth instead of to a

-Daily Bruin.

Birdie with a yellow bill

Hopped upon my window sill Cocked his shinging beak and "Get up, you dope, you'll be

late for your eight o'clock."

-Silver and Gold.

versity of Oregon, now on a schol- ville type. arship at the New York university, has been elected president of the graduate class, according to Estienne types on a Strathmore queen, reminded the reporter that word received by Dr. N. H. Comish, paper. professor of business administra-

Notable Guests Throng DU Hut, Says Freshman

Some enterprising freshman in the Delta Upsilon house, upon being questioned by a reporter concerning prominent weekend guests volunteered the information that Edgar Bergen (and Charlie McCarthy, or course), Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg of Michigan, and Charles Evans Hughes of the supreme court are weekend guests of the DUs.

Charlie must have been a dirty boy, for Edgar was giving him a bath, or it would have been possible for Mr. Bergen to come to the phone, said the wise DU dopester. For some reason, Chief Justice Hughes was absent at the time and Senator Vandenberg had just gone out for an

Could it be that the freshman was absent-mindedly rehearsing his pledge lesson for the week gleaned from his manual to any willing ears? It could be, all right, and considerable stress laid on the "absent-minded" part of the explanation.

Background Nineteen girls of the YWCA Book in Libe

A new book which gives the background for an understanding of John Steinbeck's "Grapes of Wrath" has just been received by the circulation department of the library. The book is called "Factories in the Field" and was written by Carey McWilliam.

McWilliam was appointed by Governor Olson as commissioner of immigration and housing and had an opportunity to gain first hand information about the subject of the California migratory workers.

The book tells about fascism in California where, it is claimed, brown-shirted vigilantes ride herd on 145,000 unfortunates in 3500 Mrs. Charles Funk, a second labor camps. McWilliam explains how the huge feudal empires of the Mexicans were transferred inbrought on a condition whereby Chinese, Japanese, Filipinos, and Mexicans were exploited in their turn before the poor farmers from the dust bowl were forced west and were utilized by the landown-

The book has been well received by critics everywhere. Charles A. In Novel Manner Beard says "Here is the economic setting for understanding Grapes of Wrath'." The New York Times Book Review states that the story is "Masterfully told. chronologically and factually. It is the David to Mr. Steinbeck's Jonathan."

Miss Bernice Rise of the circulation department says that "The Grapes of Wrath" is still the most popular book in the library and suggests that those who want a fuller understanding of the situation brought forth in that book read "Factories in the Field."

Library Gets New Books

Pauper press at Mount Vernon. New York, are three new books for the Pauline Potter Homer memorial collection of beautiful books in the University library browsing room.

One is an edition of "Odes of Keats and Shelley" and is printed in Baskerville types on ivory Vic-

orian paper. Another is an edition of Lewis Carroll's "The Hunting of the Shark-Being a Poem in Eight Fits," cleverly decorated by Cob-Ed Burkitt, graduate of the Uni- | bledick and also printed in Basker-

The last addition is a copy of "Persian Fairy Tales," printed in

The books will be on display in

Duckbilled Platypus Sets of boy, Bob thought that he should take at least one class from a difMore Recent Pledges Style for School Merger

his "white book" and he returned the campus had time to pledge it; why can't Oregon? Mother Nato his house to tell his brothers more members into their groups, ture is a wonderful woman and

to prove that peace could be es- the duck half in front,

The duckbilled platypus can do tablished and lo and behold a miracle emerged in the form of the duckbilled platypus.

This weird little creature with she is, no doubt, very weary of the body of a beaver and the head possible for them to get together been trying to promote for years in the same town for a homecom- - a happy combination of duck

as well as wonderful and she dem-

This Beaver Could Swim



The Kappas had the idea all right when they put up the sign shown above. The only trouble was that the Beaver is an amphibian.

"Ah Choos" Rack Campus; Dr. Hayes Suggests Rest

By ELLIE ENGDAHL

Snuffle, snuffle, hear the little cold. It seems the whole cold fam- ular time, according to Dr. Marian tion would be a near impossibility ily is distributed about the cam- Hayes, head of the infirmary there for the ordinary cold. Dr. Hayes pus, gleefully harrassing many of is nearly always a deluge of the states that if a student is running us. "Oh why, oh why, hasn't my common cold right after home- a temperature he should go to bed. little cold gone!?" would be a fit- coming. ting theme for those on the honk, toot, and sneezey list.

into the why and wherefore of the are quite a help to Mr., Mrs., and prevalence of colds at this partic- Junior Cold, of course, but isola-

and close association of students firmary, pronto!

....... 'Arms and Man' Crew Needs Pipe Called 'Hooka'

They don't know how to spell it, but members of the stage crew for "Arms and the Man" know how to pronounce it. And above all, they know that they

"It" is a hooka (correctly spelled). It is a water-pipe used by smokers in India and Persia. The play just can't go on without a "hooka," and they can't find one in town or anywhere, the crew declared.

Anyone who can produce a "hooka" will be the rescuer of the play. A lot of over-wrought, desperate people will be greatly calmed, too, the crew's spokes-

The possessor of a "hooka" who is willing to loan it will find a cordial welcome awaiting him if he will take it to the drama department, it was declared.

If the cold seems to be more than The congested living conditions the sniffle variety, go to the in-

There's No Great Mystery



THERE ARE FOUR TYPES

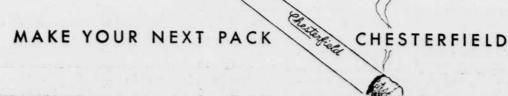
of tobaccos found in the more popular cigarettes, namely...Bright, Maryland, Burley and Turkish.

ALL THESE TOBACCOS except Turkish (which is bought direct from the planters in Turkey and Greece) and Maryland (which is bought through sealed bids under government supervision) are bought at public auction, just like any other auction where you might have bought in a table or a chair.

AT THE AUCTION SALE the tobacco is piled in baskets weighing from about 100 to 500 pounds and each purchaser buys all of his tobaccos by competitive bidding for the particular piles he wants.

THE CHESTERFIELD BUYERS buy the best of these mild ripe tobaccos for the Chesterfield blend. And it is Chesterfield's Combination . . . the right amounts of Burley and Bright ... just enough Maryland ... and just enough Turkish-that makes the big difference between Chesterfield and other eigarettes.

IT IS BECAUSE of this combination that Chesterfields are COOLER, have a BETTER TASTE and are DEFINITELY MILDER. They are made of the world's best cigarette tobaccos. You can't buy a better cigarette.



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