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# **FBI** Agent Will Discuss Lawlessness

#### **Pieper to Present Detection Methods** At Assembly

When N. J. L. Pieper, special Federal Bureau of Investigation agent, addresses the University student body tomorrow morning in Gerlinger hall, he will bring with him not only a verbal picture of scientific crime determining methods but also actual life illustrations, the Oregon personnel office, announced yesterday.

Mr. Pieper is in charge of the San Francisco field division of the FBI at the present time, and will speak on "Crime vs. Americanism." He will discuss many of the methods used by federal men in tracking down criminal suspects.

In years of service Mr. Pieper has come in contact with serious combinations between crime and underworld groups, Karl W. Onthank, dean of personnel stated, and his talk will point out some of the things individuals can do to meet such problems.

The speaker was for over a year and a half administrative assistant to John Edgar Hoover, national G-man head, and has also served as agent in charge of the Buffalo, New York, FBI office.

Stars Again

Charlene Jackson, who plays the lead in the last University theater production of the year. The romantic comedy "High Tor" is scheduled to open May 22.

Oregana Snaps To Get Another Mauling Today

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The campus luncheon played havoc with hearts.

All those Oregana shots of the favorite football heroes or campus queens lay unsold on the table as coeds were rushed dishing out pickles and sandwiches and the fellows were busy evading the "dunkers."

# Mortar Board Will Feature New Kwamas

### **Future Members To Get Ribbons** From Mrs. Macduff

The pledging of the 19 outstanding freshman activity women to Kwama, sophomore women's service honorary, will be the outstanding intermission feature of the year's social finals, the annual Mortar Board ball, Saturday night.

Marching to the stage beneath crossed sabers at intermission time will be the outgoing Kwamas and their new pledges, tapped during the preceding dance. Each will carry the red carnation typifying membership.

In the absence of Dean of Women Hazel P. Schwering who is in New York, Mrs. Alice B. Macduff, assistant dean, will pin the pledge ribbons on the new girls after they are introduced by Kwama President Helen Angell.

The new girls are selected on the basis of outstanding activity records during their initial year, scholastic rating, and democratic spirit in their associations.

Ticket sales for the dance were already moving rapidly in campus living organizations yesterday, as women prepared to take on the job of entertaining the fellow for one night. As is traditional, the whole evening will be reversed, with the girl paying the bill, and providing the entertainment and transportation. Decorations are under the supervision of Dale Mallicoat, and will carry out a strictly formal theme. Art Holman's orchestra will play.



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Benny Goodman will be the main attraction of the late school year, for the clarinet expert and his band are scheduled to play for the Frosh Glee May 25.

## **Goodman Dance** To Be Informal

Frosh Glee to Have **Pie-Eating Contest At Intermission** 

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# Senior Class Will Hold Last Meeting

### **Graduation Plans** To Be Completed; Gift to Be Chosen

It will be a wind-up meeting for the senior class of '41 Thursday night, when they meet for the last time in politically-popular Villard hall to discuss final activities before commencement. Business to be considered in-

cludes: 1. Discussion of a farewell gift

to the University.

2. Election of a permanent governing board to give the class continuity.

3. Laying of final plans and explanation of instructions for graduation, June 9.

The meeting, to be handled by Class President Phil Lowry, is open to all class members, whether they possess class cards or not, it was announced last night.

Verdi Sederstrom has been named chairman of the gift committee, and will report on proposed plans at the meeting Thursday. Working with him in proposing suggestions are Peggy Robbins, Margo Van Matre, Bud Jermain, and Roy Vernstrom.

A group of 15 candidates have been nominated by the class nominations committee for the nine-man directorate which will act as permanent governors for the class after graduation. Other nominees may be placed on the ballot by petitions signed by ten class members presented to Lowry by 7 o'clock tonight.

#### **Course in Business** Law by Mail Open For Registration

Applications for registration in a new correspondence course in business law are being received this week by the general extension service, it was announced by W. G. Beattie, assistant director of the service. The course, prepared by W. P. Riddlesbarger, carries four hours of credit.

The second term's work is now in the process of preparation and will be followed by a third. When completed this course will be comparable to the regular year's course of twelve hours which is taught on the campus by Professor Riddlesbarger. It will be available to the people of the state through the correspondence study department of the general extension division.

When the Romeos and female admirers awoke to the fact that the luncheon was over and the chances to get their "secret love's" picture was gone, a petition was turned in immediately to the Co-op to "please put the photographs on sale again."

Co-op officials agreed and it was decided today and tomorrow would be the last chance to get the original pictures appearing in the Oregana, with sale tags on them starting at five cents and going upwards.

#### Two Men Pledged

Spring term fraternity pledges reached a total of 25 yesterday when the dean of men's office announced names of two more students who signed Greek letter houses.

Latest pledges are Lyle Nelson, Eugene, Sigma Chi; and Henry Carr, Portland, Delta Tau Delta.

### Miss Hanson Given Senior BA Award

Doris Hanson has been selected by Phi Chi Theta, business women's honorary society, as the outstanding senior girl in the school of business administration. This annual award is given for high scholastic standing, activities, and leadership, in form of a

scholarship key. Miss Hanson, with Michi Yasui, plans to attend the Japanese-American student conference in Tokyo, Japan this summer. She will leave for the Orient June 10. Following the conference she will visit China and Manchurcia and will return to the United States by the Hawaiian Islands, arriving here before school commences this fall.

#### **Chapter Four**

A certain Mr. Peiper Of the U.S. F.B.I Says he will talk of crime and things Come Thursday morning nigh.

Noting other speakers We have heard in terms before, We simply wonder how he'll state His version of the war.

Entertainment — not of the slapstick variety-but definitely on the informal side will be offered Oregon students in large quantity May 25 when Benny Goodman brings his orchestra to the campus for Frosh Glee.

In addition to dance music furnished by the "king of swing," Ray Packouz, specialties chairman, announced yesterday a between-intermission program in the form of a pie-eating contest between representatives of 25 men's houses.

Eliminations will be "run-off" in each of the organizations for the coming week, and the 25 will meet in the finals. A prize, as yet undecided, will be given the person to dispose of his allotted pie in the shortest time.

Schedule for interhouse competition is as follows:

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#### Glover, Ashley, **Barkley Chosen** To Head Honorary

Majeane Glover, junior in bustness administration, was elected president of Gamma Alpha Chie women's advertising honorary, for the 1940-41 school year, at a meeting last night.

Marilyn Ashley was elected vice-president and Dorothy Barkley will be secretary-treasurer, it was announced.

Betty Jane Biggs and Lois Hulser were appointed by Nelson yesterday to head the Emerald picnic invitations committee.

## *High Tor' to Feature* Guffaws, Grins, Tears

A plot calling for actors to draw chuckles, grins, guffaws, and a few tears from the audience is the ambitious task set by the University theater players in their last drama of the season, "High Tor," to be presented April 22, 23, and 24.

All eighteen members of the cast have had previous experience behind footlights, with the top leads being held by Guild hall members, Fred Waller as Van Dorn and Charlene Jackson as Judith.

Other students who were chosen from the campus at large to appear in "High Tor" are: Lise. Rose Ann Gibson; Indian, Adrian Martin; Biggs, Henry Korn! Skimmerhorn, Ethan Newman; Asher, James Parsons; Pieter, Bob Hecker; Dewitt, Frank Calhoun; Dope, Gerald Bowerly Elkers, Charles Boice; Buddy, "Dimples" Butzin; Patsy, Parken McNeil; Budge, Jack McCliment, Senior, Major H. L. Barrett; and sailors, Jerry Lakefish, Ludd Schmidt, and Al Weinstien.

Presents New Play

Very Little Theater

#### By DOROTHY KREIS

The curtain fell on a successful opening showing of the Very Little Theater's "Anna Christie" last night, under the direction of Marvin Krenk, speech professor, with outstanding performances being credited to the entire cast. The portrayal of he old Swedish barge capain by Robr D. Horn, English professor, was especially realistic.

Two more nights, Wednesday and Thursday, he will step into his seaman's clothes and rave at

that "old davil sea." Twice more, also, will Anna, Mary Staton, come to visit her father to fall in love with the sea-and Matt, the Irish seaman, who is Gerry Smith in private life.

Ethel Sawyer did justice to the part taken by Marie Dressler in the movie version in which Garbo first "talked." Miss Sawyer was the old waterfront companion of Chris who lived on the barge with him until Anna came from Minnesota.