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Torgeson Pleas for Peace



Bending over in a significant V is Bob Pope, freshman offender against Homecoming traditions, while Jim Rathbun, Order of the "O" president who has declared that punishment will be meted out to all tradition breakers, applies the paddle. Lending moral assistance are Hope Hughes, Homecoming hostess; Bill Regner and Bill Carney, lettermen. First batch of offenders was punished Wednesday and the second group will meet with the lettermen today

Three Petition For Dads' Day Chairmanship

Three students have petitioned for chairmanship of the Dad's Day fete, schedule for February 14, according to Bette Morfitt and Lou Torgeson. They are Bernard Engel, Cecil Hunt, and Don Swink. They will be interviewed at 4 p.m. today in the ASUO of-

Since no petitions for chairman of the Love and Marriage series, which will begin some time winter term, have been received, Torgeson indicated that the executive committee may be forced to appoint someone to this posi-

Vernstrom Reports As Publicity Sergeant

Roy N. Vernstrom has reported for duty as publicity sergeant of the Portland marine corps, according to Major James B. Hardie, recruiting officer.

Vernstrom was transferred from the San Diego marine base following 10 weeks of basic training. While at San Diego he was awarded the recruit depot honor medal as outstanding soldier in his platoon.

Bitter End . . .

Gestapo's Terrible Purge Breaks Paddles and Men

At the expense of two broken paddles and 27 uncomfortable law breakers, the Order of the "O" yesterday noon publicly chastized the first of a four-day list of tradition violators on the steps of Fenton hall.

The "Gestapo," headed by Jim Rathbun "O" president, heartily entered into a 20-minute swing session before a crowd

Alpha Xis Pledge

Betty White, freshman in art,

pledged Alpha Xi Delta, accord-

ing to the office of the dean of

of 200 students who cheered lustily each time a husky letterman wielded the heavy paddle on the sinners who had "assumed the angle."

Double Doses

Five who failed to appear for punishment will receive a double dose today, Rathbun said. These are Bill Skibinski, Harry Warren, Dave Clulow, Jim Frost, and Jean Dutton, Lou Torgeson and Russ Hudson were excused from appearing yesterday, but will receive their reward at a later ses-

Steve Worth is to appear as guest of honor at the Friday slaughter. A "goon squad" will round up for the Friday gathering all who have failed to appear on the day assigned them, Rathbun announced.

Girls Safe

Girls will not be "dunked" in the fountain between Deady and Fenton, Rathbun said, last night,

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Report Great Business Boom

Medical Men

Infirmary business, pulling out of the post-holiday lull, was reportedly booming Wednesday. Abrasions, contusions, lacerations, pulled tendons, and "ituses" of varying sorts filled the regis-

The hospital roll jumped from Tuesday's 15 to 19, which included: Betty Rodgers, Helen Howard, Jean Norton, Helen Deedon, Leone LaDuke, Doris Larkey, Mrs. Glenna H. Piper, Eldon Jenne, Jean Dutton, Robert Walter Long, William McLennan, John Chaloupka, Harrison Churchill, Robert D. Payne, Philip B. George, Henry Carlson, Wallace Heider, Dick Larkin, and Robert B. Petersen.

Republican Youth Group Convenes Here

Dean Victor P. Morris of the school of business administration will conduct a forum discussion on international affairs at the state convention of the Young Republican clubs of Oregon December 6 in Eugene.

Governor Charles A. Sprague and Earl Snell, secretary of state, will be guest speaker on the program. Invitations have been extended to Leslie M. Scott, state treasurer, and other state dignitaries to attend the meeting.

The convention is expected to draw more than 300 delegates and alternates. The Lane County Young Republican club is host to the convention.

Dean Morris will speak tonight to the credit association at 6:15.

Four Put on Probation After Discipline Meet

Four students were placed on disciplinary probation by the student discipline committee at its meeting Monday, November 24.

Action was taken because of the students' becoming involved in various difficulties as a result of the use of liquor, announced Karl W. Onthank, dean of personnel administration. Dean Onthank acts as chairman of the student discipline committee.

'Avoid Battle' **ASUO** Head **Urges Ducks**

Urging Oregon students to "stay in their own back yard" this weekend, ASUO president. Lou Torgeson appealed last night to University students to avoid combat with Oregon State, both after the Saturday game and during the entire weekend.

Torgeson stressed student conduct at the game. He reported that he and Andy Landforce, student body president at Oregon State, had agreed to ask their schools to refrain from either attack or defense of goal posts. They also request that students refrain from grabbing rooters' lids or otherwise inciting a possible riot.

No Hostilities

Torgeson promised that no official actions during the game would be directed against the other school.

Wednesday noon Torgeson and Russ Hudson, Homecoming chairman, attended a rally at Oregon State. Torgeson, Hudson, and Landforce spoke, urging good conduct on the part of all parties.

Future Games Off?

Landforce, in his speech, reported that a member of the state. board of higher education had threatened to go before the board and recommend that future contests between the two schools be abolished, unless members of both schools refrained from rowdyism and rioting.

Torgeson last night said he felt. sure that visiting Oregon State students would behave themselves. He said, "As the hest school we can well afford to be courteous and friendly to all our guests, including Oregon State."

As many Oregon State students as can come have been invited to attend the Friday night rally here. A special train will arrive in Eugene at noon Saturday for the game, and a snowball rally will take place from the station to Hayward field.

Soap Box

Lou's coming speech reminds me, I would like the straight dope. Have YOU ever seen a "soap box" That was built just for soap.

—J.W.S.

Going, Going, Gone! . . . Auctioneers Will Pound Gavel Today

The cry of Don Swink and Hank Kemp, auctioneers, will open the annual AWS auction of unclaimed lost and found articles at 4 p.m. today in front of the Side.

About 300 articles will be put on the block, according to Mary Louise Vincent, head of the auction, who explained that each will be sold to the highest bidder. Ferty-one books will be sold, and there is a supply of pens, pencils, sweaters, hats, and "miscellany," she said.

System Explained

Swink and Kemp will auction the articles off. When the highest bidder has been determined AWS workers will deliver the purchased article to him and collect the money.

Swink said last night that the auction will begin about 3:50 p.m. to catch students leaving 3 o'clock classes, and would proceed as fast as possible.

Annual Affair

The articles which will be sold today have been turned in to the lost and found department in the University depot at the foot of University street and have not been claimed. It is an annual affair.

A problem that last night seemed insurmountable to Swink presented itself when the ASUO executive committee decided to interview candidates for Dads' day chairman at 4 p.m. Swink is a candidate. He said, however, that he would try to take part in both activities.