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Tommy Dorsey Contract Nears For Big Homecoming Weekend

Whisker Band In Debut Today

George Carey and his 14-piece University orchestra, who will play at the Sophomore Whiskerino Saturday night, will be heard for the first time on the campus today at an assembly at McArthur court, starting at 11 o'clock.

The Whiskerino will mark the first major engagement of the Carey band and will last from 9 until 12:15.

Typical Students

Entertainment at Saturday's affair, the first all-campus dance of the year, will consist of presentation of the winner of the beard-growing contest, and the selection of the sophomore boy and girl most typifying Joe College and Betty Coed.

Contestants from each living organization for Betty Coed and Joe College will meet at Gerlinger hall tonight, where a committee will narrow the list down to four candidates. Men contestants are to appear at 7:30 p.m. and women at 8:15.

Finalist Committee

The committee for selection of finalists consists of Lyle Nelson, head of the University News Bureau; Dick Williams, educational activities director; and Ed Walker, head of the University ticket office.

All tickets for the Whiskerino must be turned in to Phyllis Horstman at the Delta Gamma house tonight. Thereafter they will be on sale at the educational activities office and at the door the night of the dance.

P.J. Serpentine Rallies Friday

Students at the rally Friday night before Saturday's Idaho game hope to decide once and for all what the best dressed man wears to bed, according to Clint Paine, chairman of the rally squad. He announced Wednesday that the rally will be a pajama serpentine, starting simultaneously from the Chi Psi and ATO houses and converging in front of the Johnson hall steps.

A nightshirt will be awarded to the owner of the most original costume along with a special reward from a girl from the rally squad whose name will be drawn.

Possible donors are Betty Biggs Schrick, Mickey Mitchell, Roberta Madden, Brimmino

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Sophomore Petitions

Sophomore representative for the ASUO executive council petitions must be filed with Carolyn Holmes, second vice-president of the student body, at Alpha Chi Omega, before noon today.

Pep Assembly To Rock Igloo

To determine which class has the most "pep appeal," seating at the 11 o'clock assembly in the Igloo today will be according to classes. Seniors will sit downstairs in the front, juniors downstairs in the back, sophomores upstairs on the right, and freshmen upstairs on the left. Yell King Earle Russell, as his last official act before retirement, will lead the class cheers, introduce the candidates for the new yell king, and deliver his farewell address.

Senior Class President Ray Packouz will address the students, and ASUO President Les Anderson will present scrap drive awards to the winning combination, Gamma Phi Beta and Delta Tau Delta.

Yell king petitions are to be handed in to the secretary at the educational activities office at McArthur court between 8 and 10:30 a.m. Thursday, October 22. Applicants should be present at the educational activities office at 10:30 a.m., where they will receive instructions prior to the assembly.

On the musical side, six living organizations—Gamma Phi, Delta Gammass, Pi Phis, Fijis, Sigma Nus, and Phi Deltas—will sing. Marvin Brown is to present a ban-

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Houses, Hostesses Plan For Homecoming Rush

By ROBERTA BOYD

Patriotic and pretty are words symbolic of this year's Homecoming Hostess, Martha Jane Switzer, who will greet all visiting alumnae coming to their alma mater for the annual fete. Assisting Martha Jane as official "hello girls" are Carolyn Loud, Gaynor Thompson, and Phyllis Horstman.

With the announcement of the official hostess by Patsy Palmer, hospitality chairman, came the appointment of Jean Taylor as sub-chairman of registration.

Committee

The committee in charge of registration under the direction of Pat and Jean are Connie Fuller, Mary Riley, and Arliss Boone. This committee will contact the various women's living



TOMMY DORSEY . . .

. . . who may bring his world-famous band to play the UO Homecoming dance at McArthur court, November 7.

Dr. Kossack Clarifies Enlisted Reserve Status

Students in the enlisted reserve corps received clarification of their status with respect to induction in a release received Wednesday by Dr. Carl F. Kossack, armed force representative on the campus.

The release states in part, "Upon graduation from the institution, students who are enlisted in the Enlisted Reserve corps, and who are physically qualified, will be assigned to active duty as follows: a. Those who are members of the ROTC advanced course and who properly qualify for appointment will be commissioned in the Officers' Reserve corps of the army in accordance with faculty regulations.

Active Duty

b. "Those who are not active members of the ROTC advanced course will be ordered to active duty and sent to the nearest replacement training center of the arm or service of the army for which they are qualified. Upon completion of the normal course of training thereat, and if otherwise qualified and selected, they will be ordered to proper officer candidate schools. Upon successful completion of this latter course they will be commissioned as second lieutenants in the army of the United States."

Dr. Kossack interpreted this as meaning that all lower division students who enlist in the enlisted reserve corps are classified as "unassigned." At the completion of the sophomore year, those who

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Famed Band Yet Unsigned Despite Story

By JOHN J. MATHEWS

"Tommy Dorsey will probably play for the Homecoming dance," announced Dick Williams, educational activities manager late last night. Ending two weeks of conflicting rumors, Williams' statement was that negotiations are still under way, and that a final announcement should be available not later than tomorrow.

Supporting the possibility that the famed Dorsey band will headline the dance are placards placed in local stores by George Durgan, advance agent for the orchestra. Williams emphasized, however, that no one can possibly know the outcome of arrangements still in progress.

The dance scheduled for the second day of the annual Homecoming celebration, will be the night of November 7, after the Oregon-UCLA grid clash.

"We will be very lucky to sign Dorsey," said Pat Cloud, Homecoming chairman. The chief value in securing a name band will be in having an attraction big enough to eliminate the necessity of expensive and time consuming decorations."

The entire weekend has been so planned as to require a minimum of student preparation, Cloud pointed out. He reminded that, since these are serious war times, the University is fortunate to have any Homecoming celebration at all, and said the committee in charge is determined not to abuse its privilege.

Prep Scribes Arrive Today

Delegates to the 18th annual Oregon High School Press association conference will invade the campus tonight, fully prepared for a weekend of serious business crowded in with activities and entertainment galore. Approximately 126 representatives of 49 high school newspapers are expected to be on hand for the confab.

Highlight of the conference will be the contest in which awards will be presented to the outstanding high school newsheets of the state. Awards will be given for the best all-around paper of the state, the best paper in

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Yell King Petitions Due

The deadline for yell leader petitions has been extended from 5 p.m. Tuesday to 10 a.m. today. Petitions must be submitted to Les Anderson, student body president, in the ASUO room in McArthur court or at Delta Upsilon.