

Judges Pick Cover Girl From Leaders

One of six Emerald Cover Girl finalists—Virginia Howard, Mary Jane Dunn, Lora Case, Frances Johnson, Shirley Hicks, and Mary Arkley—will hold the spotlight in Friday's Emerald after being judged "most photogenic" by four persons from the school of journalism.

A total of \$11,996.56 in war bonds was netted by the contest, one vote being given for each one cent spent for war bonds or stamps.

Miss Howard, sponsored by Phi Gamma Delta, received the most votes amounting to 372,110, with runners-up Miss Dunn, Sigma Alpha Mu candidate, 371,231; Mrs. Case, Theta Chi, 178,125; Miss Johnson, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 112,875; Miss Hicks, Delta Upsilon, 99,813; and Miss Arkley, Beta Theta Pi, 74,050.

"The cover girl, who will be selected for photogenic facial beauty, will be entered in the national collegiate bond queen contest," said Betty Biggs Schrick, Emerald business manager.

Whoever this person is must be certified to Associated Collegiate Press, having the following requirements fulfilled: Send an 8x10 portrait of the winner and send a complete list of all entries in the local contest with the number of votes cast for each signed by the editor and business manager of the college paper.

Semi-finalists (5 per cent of the total entries) will be selected by a group of professional photographers on the basis of photogenic qualities displayed in the photograph submitted, according to contest rules from Associated Collegiate Press.

The Bond Queen will be selected from this field by the same judges, and she will be presented with a \$50 war bond by ACP and Collegiate Digest. Pictures of the semi-finalists will appear in Col-
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Crystal Ball Fails To Disclose New Registration Totals

Assistant Registrar Clifford L. Constance absolutely refuses to act as the University's fortune teller for another term.

"We are waiting with our fingers crossed," he says, "to see what the registration this time will be."

In the past, Mr. Constance has usually come near the registration figure, but last term he guessed before the reserves were organized and the draft boards got anxious. This term he is keeping mum.

However, he admits that there are very few new students entering, and that registration should be below the winter term's final mark of 2,593.

Registration begins today and officially continues until March 27. The fine for late registration is one dollar for each day the registrant is late, with a maximum fee of five dollars.



DR. PHILLIP A. PARSONS
... did not return from his spring vacation.

Dr. P.A. Parsons Dies in Florence

University faculty members today paid tribute to Dr. Phillip A. Parsons, who died at his summer home at Florence Sunday, March 14.

Said Dr. James H. Gilbert, dean of the college of liberal arts: "He was a teacher of recognized ability, with a breadth of viewpoint and a certain inspirational quality that left a lasting impression on his students. The community and the state will deeply feel his loss."

Dean Allen Pays Tribute
Dean Eric W. Allen of the school of journalism made this comment: "Dr. Parsons' strongest interest was in the development of the rural community. He believed the development of rural life might counteract the undesirable tendency of population to concentrate in the cities. He was a thoroughly good man."

Dr. Samuel H. Jameson, professor of sociology, said of Dr. Parsons: "We have lost a man of intense feeling for the future of mankind. He was hopeful amid the darkest clouds, optimistic in spite of current pessimism. Fertile in imagination, practical in procedure, cautious in utterance, Dr. Parsons will be long remembered not only by his colleagues at the University but throughout Oregon for his clarity of his vision and for his sincere endeavors for the betterment of society. His work with the state planning
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Omega Hall Damaged By Vacation Blaze

Vacation fires again struck the Oregon campus last week, although in a much milder form than usual.

Saturday night six boys staying over vacation at Omega hall noticed smoke seeping down the hallways, and quickly summoned the local fire department.

When two fire engines arrived, it was discovered that a cigarette had fallen onto a rug, burned through it, and burned the linoleum underneath. No water was used by local smoke-chasers, who merely threw the rug out of the window.

Damage was estimated at \$2.50 to \$3.00 by Mrs. Genevieve Turnipseed, director of dormitories.

Dr. Kossack Reports No Changes In Reserve Status of UO Men

Bureaucrat Resigns Job

Lyle Nelson, acting director of the University news bureau, left Eugene Tuesday, March 9, to drive to Washington, D. C., where he will work as civilian editor of publications from the army's ordnance department.

George Turnbull, journalism professor, will handle the news bureau part time in place of Nelson. Mr. Turnbull will also continue to teach reporting, elementary journalism, and copy editing laboratory classes.



Lyle Nelson

While a student in journalism at the University, Nelson was editor of Old Oregon and The Emerald from 1940 to 1941, succeeded by Helen Angell. He won the Koyl cup for the most outstanding junior man in 1940 and acted as president of Sigma Delta Chi, men's journalism honoray in 1941. He was a member of Sigma Chi.

After working on The Oregon Journal in Portland, Nelson returned to the University for his master's degree and then took over the news bureau in September, 1942. He succeeded Cecil Snyder, acting director, who replaced George Godfrey, when Godfrey was called into the armed forces.

Mrs. Nelson, the former Corinne Wigner, accompanied her husband to Washington where they will live for the duration. She is a senior, president of Mortar Board, senior women's scholastic honoray, and past president of Orides, independent women's organization.

Ted Goodwin Wins Contest

For his dramatic war story, "The Defense of Tivorsk," Ted Goodwin, junior in journalism, has been awarded the annual Marshall-Case-Haycox first prize of \$50.

A second prize of \$35 in the short story contest went to Norris Yates, former sophomore in journalism, now a private in the army. Goodwin's story will appear on the literary page of this issue.

Charles Cunningham, sophomore in liberal arts, took \$15 third prize for his story, "Cost Plus." Honorable mention went to Morton Reichart for his story, "Those Things I Left."

Judges for the contest were: Mrs. Donald M. Erb, Dr. Frank Black, and Mr. W. B. Gard.

Professor W. F. G. Thacher, professor in short story writing, said he thought the entries this year were the best yet turned in.

ERC Students Must Return April 1 for Army Induction

Recent reports in other papers on the status of students in the enlisted reserve corps were compiled from conflicting reports and are not to be taken seriously, according to information received yesterday from Dr. Carl F. Kossack, campus military reserve adviser.

Assemble April 1

Latest information from army authorities indicates that these students will, with the exception of those assigned to special courses such as pre-medics, advanced ROTC, and meteorology, be called through the University and are to assemble on the campus on or about April 1. They will then leave as a group for their reception center, probably Fort Lewis.

It is not necessary, Dr. Kossack explained, for these students to register in the University spring term; they will, however, be required to report to the University on the day of their induction. Each student enlisted in this reserve will receive individual orders informing him of the exact day he is to report.

Address Available
"Students not returning or not registering in school for spring term should, nevertheless, be available at an address known to the government and should not go on any long trips during the next few weeks," Dr. Kossack said last night.

Navy and marine reserves will be allowed to continue through next term, according to present reliable information. These students will be called on or about July 1 and assigned to special college training programs at other universities.

Air Corps Reserve
Army air corps reserves will be called according to the needs of the service, Dr. Kossack announced. These students should re-register for next term.

"We are continuing to check the scholastic record of students in all reserves," said Dr. Kossack, "and those who made under a 2.00 for winter term will soon be called in to the military adviser's office for an interview to determine whether or not he should continue in school."

Ode to a
Substitute Poet
Moon, Spoon, June, Croon—
J.W.S. is on His Honeymoon.
—J. L. B.

Housing Regulations
Students who do not live with an organized living group or with parents in Eugene should clear with the housing secretary immediately, Mrs. Evangeline Morris, housing secretary, said Monday. This may be done at McArthur Court during registration, or at the office in Johnson hall after registration.

Scribes Petition
For Editorships
Deadlines on filing petitions for major positions on the Emerald and the Oregana were announced by Dr. Earl M. Pallett, chairman of the educational activities board.

Petitions should include the applicant's qualifications and the general policy the applicant will follow should he be appointed. Twenty minute interviews will be conducted with applicants by the board a few days after petitions are filed.

Petitions are due for the positions of business manager for the Emerald and the Oregana at noon, Saturday, March 27. Candidates will be interviewed Thursday, April 1, at 3 p.m.

Prospective editors of the Emerald and the Oregana must file petitions by 5 p.m. Thursday, April 1. Applicants for these positions will be interviewed at the regular meeting of the educational activities board Monday, April 5, at 7:30 p.m.

Interviews start 15 minutes after the meeting begins. Candidates will be taken in alphabetical order, Dr. Pallett said.

Other positions on both the Emerald and the Oregana are appointive. Appointments will be made later in the spring term by editors and business managers of the publications.