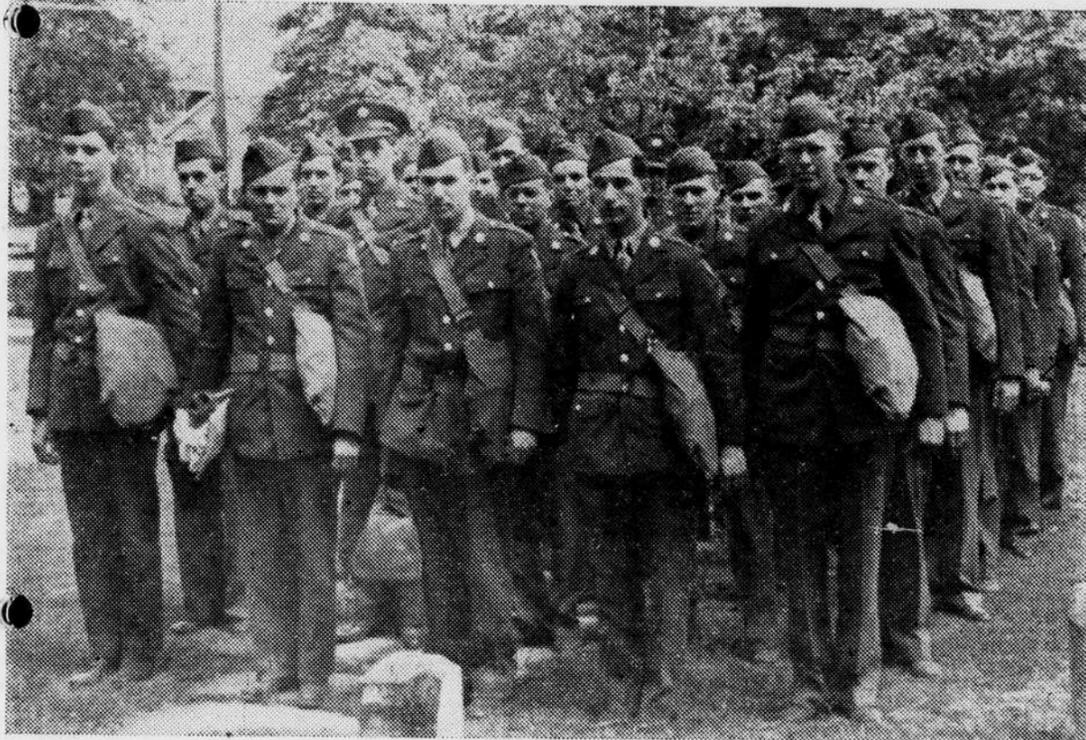


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A GROUP . . .

Photo by Ted Bush

. . . of about 20 newly arrived students from Kern Field, Utah, line up for their commanding officer near their new quarters. Each of them carry gas-masks and a tired look, but by now they are rested up, cleaned up, and ready to go.

Seniors Walk Last Mile

By ROGER TETLOW

Six hundred students will end their University careers Sunday, May 30, when they march through McArthur Court to receive their degrees as graduates of the class of '43. Among these the outstanding seniors will receive advanced degrees. A feature of this commencement will be the granting of five honorary degrees to men and women distinguished in science, journalism and civic affairs.

Dr. Donald M. Erb, president of the University, will deliver the commencement address, "Wars Also Teach." Edgar W. Smith, official representative of the state board of higher education, will carry a message from the governing body to the graduating class, and Chancellor Frederick M. Hunter will give his parting message to the outgoing class of 1943.

Baccalaureate services will be held at 11 Sunday morning in McArthur court. A patriotic note

will run through all the events of Commencement day. The music, which will be under the direction of Dean Kratt, will strike a patriotic chord, and the address will be given by Dr. Williston Wirt, chaplain in the army air force, stationed at Mather field. He will talk on "The Church, the Chaplain, and the Soldier."

Commencement weekend will begin on Friday, May 28, with the annual tea given in the browsing room of the library. The event is for the benefit of the Pauline Potter Homer Memorial Book collection.

Saturday, May 29, will be crowded with alumni events beginning with the annual meeting of the State Association of University Alumnae. Following the semi-annual meeting of the Alumni association in Guild hall at 11, will be the University luncheon at 12 in John Straub hall. Seniors will be admitted free, but all others planning to attend must

get tickets at the alumni office.

Admission will be 65 cents. The classes of 1913, 1918, and 1933 will reunite at the luncheon, and each of the reunion classes as well as the class of 1943 will have a spokesman.

Saturday evening, the reunion classes will meet for reunion dinners. Event of the evening will be the Failing-Beckman-Jewett contest for oratory.

Seniors to Meet

Seniors will gather Tuesday, May 18, in 105 Commerce hall at 7:30 p.m. for the last official function of the senior class before graduation, Ray Packouz, senior class president, announced this week. All seniors are urged to be at this short meeting since several important matters will be discussed.

Business before the meeting will include determination of the use of class funds and election of permanent class officers.

Doris Jones Fills ISA Presidency

Independent students elected officers and cabinet members of the Independent Students association Friday, the presidency going to Doris Jones, junior in psychology.

Charles Politz, sophomore in journalism, was elected vice president and will preside over the ISA senate composed of students from each house.

Elected to the cabinet were: Marianne Blenkinsop, senior representative; Betty McFayden, junior representative; and Esther Griffith, sophomore representative. The freshman member of the cabinet will be chosen fall

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Drive for 'Weeds' Still Going Strong

The campus cigarette drive has passed the \$80 mark, and the money is still coming in. Barbara Younger and Charline Pelley, co-chairman of the campaign, expressed themselves as being well pleased with its results.

The first \$75 will be used to purchase 1500 packs of cigarettes for soldiers in Australia. All money over \$75 is to be used for cigarettes for the meteorology trainees on the campus. Leading women's house was Kappa Kappa Gamma with \$5.55, and top men's house was Theta Chi, which collected \$4.25.

Under campus war board direction, the drive was sponsored by Gamma Alpha Chi.

Emerald Chiefs Announce Staffs

Announcing the new 1943-44 Emerald staff before the annual Emerald banquet at the Eugene hotel Wednesday night, Marjorie Major, next year's editor, disclosed that the new sheet would be practically a woman's world.

The new staff is headed by Marjorie Major as editor, assistant editors, Joanne Nichols and Charles Politz; managing editor, Marjorie Young; news editor, June Taylor; co-women's editors, Betty Ann Stevens and Carol Greening; co-sports editors, Phyllis Lloyd and Marty Beard; army page editors, Dorothy Rodgers and Betty Lu Siegman; literary

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UO to Greet Army Trainees In McArthur Assembly at 11; Soldiers to Swing With Coeds

By ANNE CRAVEN

"This is Oregon," an all-campus assembly summarizing the events at the University during the past year, will welcome the new pre-meteorology students to the campus this morning at 11 in McArthur court, it was decided at the executive council Thursday.

Nancy Ames, president of the ASUO, will open the assembly, followed by a welcoming speech by Dr. Donald M. Erb,

president of the University. First Lieutenant Charles D. Cable, commanding officer of the training detachment stationed here, will also speak.

Fred Beckwith, sophomore in journalism, will be master of ceremonies for the program depicting University activities during the year. Alpha Gamma Delta sorority, winners in the women's division of the all-campus sing, will sing "Blue Skies." Marie Rogn Dahl, sophomore in music, will sing a solo and the "Four Knights and a Dream"—Charlotte Gething, Eugene Cecchini, Don Bridenstine, Frank Sardam, and Paul Beard—will sing, tentatively, "Time Goes By," "Daybreak," "My Buddy," and "I'll Never Smile Again."

Yells will be led by Ted Loud, yell king, and Jack Olin, freshman in business administration, will provide special piano effects. Leo Ghormley, director of the winners of the men's division in the all-campus sing, will lead the assembly in community singing.

Edna Fisher and Phyllis Taylor, sophomores in music, will play a piano duet, "Scaramouche," by Milhaud.

"USO," a play written by Mary Louise Vincent, senior in English, will be presented by Mrs. Ottilio Seybolt's drama group.

Members of Phi Theta, Kwama, and Skull and Dagger will usher.

The program was arranged and written by Beckwith and Don Shanahan, freshman in liberal arts.

Marion Harris, hospitality chairman of the campus war board, is

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ROTC Parades For Governor

In its final parade for the duration, the University reserve officer's training unit will present a drill and inspection before Earl Snell, governor of the state, on Thursday, May 20, on Howe field, according to Colonel Charles L. Sampson, local commandant.

Cadets and officers will assemble at 1:20 p.m. to begin drill and inspection. Following inspection, students of outstanding accomplishment in military science will be decorated and introduced before the governor.

Graduating seniors will receive orders to report for active duty to the infantry officer's candidate school at Fort Benning, Georgia. In the past the annual review was marked by the graduation of seniors and their presentation with second lieutenant's commissions, but this year they depart directly for school.

Colonel Sampson has announced that the review will be open to the public. The University band, John Stehn directing, will lead the review and furnish music.

War Tempo Brings New Social Life

By BETTY LU SIEGMAN

Changes effected by wartime conditions in next year's program for dormitory students, fraternities, and dates of rush week and registration were announced yesterday by campus officials.

"The University will provide housing next year for all students who live in dorms," said Hazel P. Schwering, dean of women, in view of the fact that it is unlikely that the dorms will be operated for students next year.

It is a University plan to arrange operations of several fraternity buildings to house both men and women who would normally live in dorms and fraternities.

No Fraternities

"It is unlikely that fraternities will be able to operate next year, and it is probable that many will be taken over by building corporations, that is, alumni groups of each chapter," said Virgil D. Earl, dean of men. "It is also possible that the dorms might be taken over by the armed forces."

Women's co-ops and sororities will operate as usual next year, and it is expected that one men's co-op will be in existence.

"The rumor that California and other out-of-state students will not be able to come back to Oregon should be stopped at once, because it is not true," said the dean of women.

Frosh Week

Next fall freshman week will begin Wednesday, September 29, with registration October 1 and 2 and classes beginning October 4, announced Karl W. Onthank, dean of personnel administration.

Rushing periods of Greek letter organizations for next year beginning Monday will be more or less combined with Freshman Week, it was announced from President Erb's office, following action by the Freshman Week committee.

Regular placement and physical examinations will be given on Wednesday and Thursday, Sep-

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Oreganas Out May 21

Oreganas will be distributed from the Co-op store starting at 8 a.m., Friday, May 21. The 1943 edition will be mailed to the home of ERC men and men who have gone into the service if they have paid for the book.

Distribution from the Co-op will continue on Saturday until noon.