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# H. H. Newburn Named UO President;

## Freshmen Announce Candidates

## Helen Steele, Pat Geil, Fredrickson, Marshall Picked [to Run] Friday

ISA and Greek bloc leaders Monday officially revealed their nominees for offices in the forthcoming freshman elections. ISA President Alice Harter stated that the independent candidates for office are Eddie Marshall and Patricia Geil; Robert Schott, leader of the Greek faction, confirmed the nomination of Floyd Fredrickson and Helen Steele.

As was announced in the Emerald last week, the blocs accepted the plan presented by Audrey Holliday, ASUO president, which provided that freshmen affiliated with both of the campus political parties were to be allowed this year to nominate candidates without coaching from the upperclassmen or pressure from the blocs. The Independents renominated Friday, January 12, in accordance with the new scheme.

At a Greek meeting last night the floor was turned over to a charman chosen by freshmen representatives from each of the sororities and nominations were presented their own cases for their candidates.

Two Portlanders

Helen "Sis" Steele, Pi Beta Phi, the ticket, is an Emerald reporter member of the freshman skit. She the dance. is a graduate of St. Mary's academy in Portland where she was

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### Valentine's Day Will Be Marked By Heart Hop

The Heart Hop, annual house-tohouse dance, sponsored by the YWCA, is tentatively scheduled for February 14. All upper class women including sophomore members of the YWCA interested in the chairmanship must turn in petitions taken only from freshmen who to Joan Dolph, president of the group, at the Chi Omega house by 5 p.m. Friday.

A traditional all-campus girldate-boy affair, the Heart Hop is chosen for number two position in held in three living organizations. A campus-wide contest is held to and recently took part in Coed determine a King of Hearts and Capers as costume chairman and two knaves, who are crowned at

Freshman girls interested in working on the dance may petition according to Phyllis Evans, chairbusiness manager of the school for chairmanship of subcommittees, paper, worked on the yearbook and such as: tickets, finance, decoravarious other committees. Miss tions, living organizations, King of Floyd Fredrickson, a prelaw ma- Hearts contest, publicity, and pro-



DR. HARRY. H. NEWBURN News of the appointment of Dr. Newburn, of Iowa, as president of the U. of O. was received here Monday afternoon. He will assume his new position July 1.

#### Coed Capers Nets Sum Above That Of Former Years

This year's Coed Capers, sponsored by the AWS, made a profit which topped any of former years. man. The exact amount, however, has not yet been compiled.

Kappa Kappa Gamma was awarded the prize for the best costume, and the prize skit was given by the juniors.

Dorothy Conrad, sponsored by Sherry Ross hall and now living in Mary Spiller, was proclaimed "Oregon Dream Girl" when she was led to the stage by Professor H. C Franchere and Professor Horace

Finalists competing for the title (Please turn to page four)

Today's World

THE RED ARMY has plunged

into battle along a 600-mile front

from Budapest to the Baltic.

The newly-reopened drive in the

central eastern front is aimed at

AS GERMAN TROOPS re-

treated from positions in the

shrinking Belgian bulge to Sieg-

fried line fortifications, the Am-

erican 1st and 3rd and British

2nd armies overran scores of

ON LUZON, 6th army forces

have crossed the Agno river 88

miles from Manila and extended

their lines in three directions.

The American beachhead now

covers 45 miles of coastline.

Poland and East Prussia.

towns and villages.

#### **Sunday Concert of Joseph** Szigeti Thrills Audience

Opening with the great D minor sonata of Brahms, Joseph Szigeti, violinist, played to a spellbound audience in McArthur court Sunday afternoon. Mr. Szigeti gave dignity and academic polish to the Brahms work, an unusual opening number. The allegro was played with full melodic line as Mr. Szigeti wove

#### Navy Film Billed On Triple Feature

navy release will be one of the strument. Rhythmic irregularity films shown Wednesday, 7:30 in was well handled in the little 207 Chapman. Also included in the scherzo. In the presto Mr. Szigeti program will be "Life Line of the Nation" depicting the history, de- and versatile technique. Much may A "March of Time" on India is the third main feature.

shorts, will include "Report on An- dent in Mr. Szigeti's interpretazio Beachhead," "Chapel in the tion of the Veracini "Largo." This Jungle," "Screen Magazine," "Story of Dr. Jenner," and a cartoon with SNAFU.

gram is part of the series of such events scheduled for each Wednesday night by the educational ac- most technically difficult numbers tivities board.

the modulatory passages and themes with incredible smoothness and delicacy.

The adagio contained heartwarming tone as Mr. Szigeti seemed to draw his notes from the "We Said We'd Come Back," a very depths of his Guarnerius infurther demonstrated his brilliant velopment, and contribution of the be said also of Harry Kaufman's railroad to our economic system. brilliant accompaniment on this number, the two working as a perfect team. All the dignity and The GI Weekly, a group of beauty of the Italian style was evipoignant melody completely won the audience.

The playful and repitious "Rondo There will be two continuous in D Major" of Schubert arranged showings of the films. This pro- by Friedberg followed. Paganini's "Caprice No. 24," variations in A minor for violin alone, one of the

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THE FIRST China-bound motor convoy from India arrived in Myitkyina Monday over the new American-built Ledo road.

## **lowa State Dean To Assume Post** On Campus July 1

Dr. Harry H. Newburn, dean of the college of liberal arts at the State University of Iowa, has been named president of the University of Oregon, the Eugene Register-Guard reported Monday afternoon. At the same time Chancellor Frederick M. Hunter said the board had not taken any action and he could not confirm that report.

Dr. Newburn was named president at an executive meeting of the state board of higher education in Portland Monday, according to the story. He will take over his duties July 1. Dr. Newburn was 39 years of age on January 1.

Since the death of Dr. Donald M. Erb in December, 1943, Orlando John Hollis, acting dean of the law school has served as acting president of the University.

Dr. Newburn was appointed associate dean of the college of liberal arts at the State University of Iowa, July 1, 1941, and was made dean September 1 of that year. One of his activities there has been the direction of a study, supported by the Carnegie foundation, relating to the selection of teachers. In 1938 he visited England and Scotland for a study, under Carnegie auspices, of English secondary schools as well as teacher-training programs of Great Britain, Recently ho completed a reorganization of the curricula of the liberal arts college at the Iowa institution.

The educator is a graduate of the Western Illinois Teachers college. Macomb, Ill., 1928, and received his master of arts and doctor of philosophy degrees at the University of Iowa, taking the doctorate in 1933.

His educational career began in the Illinois public schools, where he served as teacher, athletic coach, township high school principal, and superintendent of schools for five years. In 1931 he became part-time principal of the University high school. After receiving his Ph.D. degree he was made a full time staff member, serving as principal and later as director of the high school. As an assistant professor, and later as an associate professor in the University school of education, he taught graduate courses in secondary education, directing these in that field, and supervising the undergraduate teacher-training program in the university.

Dr. Newburn was married June 16, 1928, to Wandalee Brady, and they have two children, Jacqueline, 14, and Robert Lee, 12.

He is a member of Phi Delta Kappa and Kappa Delta Pi, national education honoraries, and Kiwanis clubs.

#### Law Students Abandon Studies for Term Frolic

By GEORGE LUOMA

The school of law student body, headed by President Harry Skerry, Jr., during a lengthy meeting Monday afternoon voted to forego the prewar type of law school winter term social

function. In later conversation among the students in an unofficial capacity, tentative plans formulated to provide a reasonable facsimile for the abandoned social program. The plans for this term's "unofficial" social meeting were directed toward next Saturday night, with

Several law school members have acquired designated duties to per-(Continued from page two)

#### Tryouts for 'The Trojan Women' Set Tonight

Tryouts for "The Trojan Womhall. Those wishing to try out who pha Chi Omega, \$2.30; Alpha Omirange for trying out another time. Delta, \$1.60.

Six major parts for women and

#### Chi Omegas Take Dime Dinner Lead

By donating \$12.15 in Monday, suitable reservations at the Persian night's dime dinner, Chi Omega. sorority topped all living organizations on the campus, reported Jean Watson and Martha Thorsland, cochairmen. Kappa Alpha Theta was second with \$6.25, and Pi Beta Phi third with \$6.16.

Other houses reporting included Alpha Delta Pi, \$5.20; Delta Gamma, \$5.10; Alpha Gamma Delta, \$4.60; Hilyard house, \$4.00; Kappa Kappa Gamma, \$4.00; Delta Delta en" are tonight at 7:30 in Guild Delta, \$3.65; Alpha hall, \$2.60; Alcannot do so tonight should see cron Pi, \$2.30; Alpha Phi, \$2.20; Ottilie T. Seybolt, director, and ar- Rebec house, \$2.00; and Alpha Xi

Representatives from each orinnumerable small parts are avail- ganization are to meet Thursday, at 4 p.m. at the Side.