



ERNEST HAYCOX

A sponsor of the Marshall-Case-Haycox scholarship for writers, Mr. Haycox will speak on "Joe Doakes, Esq." at the 11 o'clock assembly this morning in McArthur court.

Author Who Will Give Talk At Assembly Praised by Professor

GI's Hunt Woman But It's Official

Attention all Oregon coeds! Are you an American girl who likes the doughboys? Are you single? Can you cook? If the answer is yes to all these questions, you are what the 175th infantry regiment has been looking for. This organization, "an old and historical one," is looking for its queen, according to a letter received by the Emerald. The requirements are simple; in fact you just read 'em, and Jack Blair, in charge of the contest, merely urges you "to strike a pose and send the results" to: Sgt. J. E. Blair, Artist and Historian, 175th Regt. Hq. U. P. A. P. O. 29, U. S. Army c/o Postmaster, N. Y., N. Y.

Ernest Haycox Will Speak on 'Little Fellow'

"As a general rule, professional writers are not good speakers, but Ernest Haycox is a definite exception to that rule," commented W. F. G. Thacher, instructor in short story writing. Mr. Thacher had "Ernie" in his classes when the now well-known writer was a student at the University some years ago.

"Joe Doakes, Esq." a humorous discussion of the life and problems of the common man, will be discussed by Mr. Haycox at the all-campus assembly today at 11 a.m. in McArthur court.

"He has appeared on numerous occasions and has established himself as one of the best public speakers in the northwest. I urge all students to attend the assembly," Mr. Thacher added.

The writer has appeared on the campus a number of times in the past, in connection with Dad's day celebrations and the Oregon Trail Centennial celebrations. A member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity and Sigma Delta Chi, national men's journalism honorary, he is the author of more than 20 western novels and 250 short stories. He has had a number of stories printed in Collier's magazine and the Saturday Evening Post.

Mr. Haycox is one of the sponsors of the Marshall-Case-Haycox short story writing contest.

Two Girls Tapped For Theta Sigma

Jeanne Simmonds, freshman, and Marguerite Wittwer, sophomore, have been chosen by the members of Theta Sigma Phi, national professional honorary for women in journalism, as the most outstanding members of the freshman and sophomore classes in the school of journalism, Anne Craven, president of the honorary, announced Wednesday.

They will be guests of Theta Sig at the annual Matrix Table formal banquet to be given March 2 at the Osburn hotel.

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'Cover Girl' Winner Held Secret Until Spring Edition

Seventeen candidates in the annual Emerald Cover Girl contest were announced Wednesday by Annamae Winship, business manager. The winner, to be chosen by three faculty judges, Bud Jermain, J. W. Teter, and L. S. Bee, will have her photograph published on the front page of the campus daily as the "most photogenic coed" on the campus. The winner of the contest will not be revealed until the Emerald spring edition hits front porch steps of campus living organizations.

The list released by Miss Winship includes: Suzanne Cook, Alpha Delta Pi; Virginia Bratfish, Alpha Phi; Evelyn Belgrano, Alpha Xi Delta; Mary Dixon, Delta Gamma; Pat Smith, Chi Omega; Betty Ditto, Sigma Kappa; Erna

Gawehn, Pi Beta Phi; Phyllis Van Petten, Kappa Alpha Theta; Jayne Kerns, Delta Delta Delta.

Sallie Timmens, Gamma Phi Beta; Greta Lindstedt, University house; Ida Pajari, Hendricks hall; Betty Lou Melby, Mary Spiller; Phyllis Kiste, Hilyard house; Bonita Hesse, Zeta hall; Mary Lou Helmer, Gamma hall; Bobbie Toncray, Alpha Gamma Delta.

All contestants must submit photographs to the Emerald business office before 5 p.m. today.

"This isn't a popularity or personality contest; the idea is to find the most beautiful and photogenic coed on the campus," said the manager. Five runners-up will be named and their photographs advertising new spring fashions at downtown stores will be published in the spring edition of the paper.

Ducks Blast Idaho, 67-47

The Ducks boosted their Northern division lead to a full game last night in McArthur court, as they rode over a scrappy, but hapless, Idaho Vandal team 67-47.

Oregon now has ten wins and five losses, against Oregon State's eight wins and five losses. The Idaho team moves on to Corvallis now, with games against the Beavers Friday and Saturday.

Dick Wilkins regained his scoring eye, after two low scoring games in succession, and provided the Webfoots with plenty of scoring punch as he carted away high point honors with 16 points. Eleven of Wilkins' points came during the first half.

Southpaw Bill Carbaugh, who garnered only six in the first game, came back strong to lead the Vandals with 16 counters.

Webfoots on the Ball

Idaho took an early lead on free throws by Overholser and Pyno, but the Webfoots quickly came back with a free throw by Hamilton and a basket by Wilkins.

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Today's World

THREE DAYS of fighting and capture of more than one-third of Iwo Jima has cost 3,650 casualties according to a report by Fleet Admiral Nimitz. So far the losses have been higher than those of the entire campaign at Tarawa, or the Marshalls and Tinian invasions. U. S. marines have reached the borders of the second and last airfield on the island.

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FURTHER GAINS have been chalked up in the Moselle valley sector by Patton's 3rd army leading some western front observers to predict a breakthrough such as Patton's troops accomplished at St. Lo.

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THE INTER-AMERICAN conference on war and postwar problems opened Wednesday in Mexico City to adjust hemispheric needs and international cooperation.

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ADOLF HITLER'S mountain retreat of Berchtesgaden has been hit for the first time by Italian-based bombers. No news of damage done has yet been reported.

Gremlins? Or Just a Too Zealous Janitor?

The ROTC isn't exclusive in its possession of gremlins, members of classes which meet in the back drafting room of the architecture and allied arts building discovered yesterday morning. They found that their 5' by 7-foot drafting tables, affectionately known as "baby grands," had been shifted around.

Travel was detoured and life sidetracked as the "artists" struggled past the once symmetrically arranged tables. But life was made interesting by the riddle of what Oregon man was brawny enough to toss them around like that . . . especially to get three stacked on top of each other in the corner.

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Students May Dance Both 'At' And 'With' Glee

"No student can afford to miss this year's Frosh Glee because it should be one of the best in Oregon's history," stated Estelle Shimshak, co-chairman of the dance Wednesday. "The committees have spent a lot of time and effort in perfecting their decorations and program, and a large crowd is anticipated."

The dance is scheduled for Saturday night, February 24, from 9 to 12 at Gerlinger hall.

Working around the theme "Holiday Inn," Janet Hicks has planned large murals, depicting holidays, to line the walls of Gerlinger. The frames will be in relief to create the third dimensional effect, and an enlarged calendar is planned for the center.

Entertainment will be presented under the direction of Ann Burgess and as yet her plans are to remain "strictly hush hush."

Tickets are being sold by social chairmen of all living organizations and will be available during the noon hour on Thursday and Friday in the Co-op. Social chairmen should phone Dorothy Habel or Barbara Borrevik at Hendricks hall for additional tickets.

Clavichord Music Given on Program

Sixteenth and seventeenth century music was played by George Hopkins, professor of piano, on an authentic clavichord, Wednesday afternoon at the lecture room at the music building. The unusual concert was played on an instrument belonging to Miss Maude Garnett of the music school faculty. She purchased the clavichord in 1935 from the Neupert museum, Nuremberg, Germany.

Music played by Hopkins included: "Estorale" by Scarlatti, "The Cuocuo" by Daquin, "Prelude in Fugue" by Bach, "Toccatto" by Paradisi, "Sonata in D Major" by
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'Trojan Women' Features Modern Choral Group

Intensifying some of the great dramatic moments of "The Trojan Women" now in rehearsal by the University theater, will be four musical compositions by Dr. Arnold Elston, assistant professor of the University department of music.

"The pieces were written specifically as theater music and are fairly modern in character," Dr. Elston remarked, adding that in treating the music in a modern, rather than atmospheric, manner he has tried to make it "as much a part of us, as a part of the Greeks."

Two of the compositions, a prelude serving for the prologue, and a sarabande which accompanies the funeral rites of the murdered Trojan prince, are entirely instrumental and will be played by a wind ensemble from members of the band.

Those included in the ensemble, as announced by Band Director J. H. Stehn, are: Bernice Gray, flute; Jean Girts, oboe; Julia Wunn, Carl Gutmann, and Betty Jo Miller, clarinets; Lewis Vogler, French horn; Darle West, bassoon; Parks Wightman and Mary Bea Hall, trumpet.
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'Coke Day' Yields \$100 to UO Drive

Oregon's blue-sweated coeds sold war stamps at the College Side totaling \$100 Wednesday to be added to the campus war board stamp and bond drive. From 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. students and faculty members bought stamps with each purchase at the Side.

Bob Stiles, sophomore, paid \$4 in war stamps for a banana split and other students paid \$1 and up in stamps for one package of cigarets. The feature attraction of the program was the singing of Orin Weir, Bob Moran, and Leon Williams who gave out with "Old Mill Stream" and "The Devil Sat Down and Cried."

Emcee Evans Sax wound up the 4 o'clock program throwing cigarets over the balcony to those fortunate enough to be within reach. On behalf of the chairman of "Coke Day," Martha Thorsland, he reminded everyone of the fact that war stamps will bring the day of victory closer.

Phyl Perkins was in charge of the stamp sales and was assisted by Dedo Misley.

Moursund Picked As Faculty Group Head

Dr. Andrew F. Moursund, head of the mathematics department, was elected president of the University men's faculty club at a recent meeting of the board of directors. Other officers elected are: vice-president, W. A. Dahlberg, director of speech and dramatic arts; secretary, Dr. Waldo Schumacher, professor of political science; and treasurer, J. O. Lindstrom, University business manager.