

Oregon Undergoes Painting, Clean-up

Heading the list of maintenance and repair work handled through the University physical plant this week is the painting and clean-up work being done in Oregon hall.

Work of this nature was done in past years during summer vacations when only small portions of the University facilities were in use. Now that the buildings are being used full time on a capacity basis, all remodeling and repainting must go on while school is being conducted.

The maintenance painters will go over other campus buildings in need of a new coat of paint when they complete the job now under way at Oregon.

Veterans to Have Recreation Center

The University YMCA should prove to be a place of activity on Friday evenings in the near future when the buildings will be taken over as the veteran recreation center which is provided by the University and the YMCA. The first festivities are scheduled for Friday, April 26, when all student veterans and their wives are invited to attend the grand opening.

Mrs. Alma Heikkola, president of the Dame's club, expressed her desire for a large turnout which would give the prospective organization a good start on the campus.

The sewing machines, provided

by the Red Cross, arrived yesterday at the YMCA building, so that they are now available for all the veterans' wives. It will be open every afternoon and those who wish to take advantage of them should call at the office for the key. Everyone using the machines is asked to register with the office so that the idea might be enlarged according to popularity.

Atomic Talk Aired Over KOAC Today

Control of the atomic bomb and the British loan are among the pertinent questions to be discussed today when V. P. Morris, dean of the school of business administration, interviews Lois McConkey and Lloyd Frese over Station KOAC from 4 to 4:15 p.m.

Miss McConkey and Mr. Frese were the representatives from the University at the College Congress held at Reed college recently and this broadcast is part of their report to the student body. The program will be informal and unrehearsed and will replace Dean Morris' regular Tuesday broadcast, "World in Review."

Whether or not the University of Oregon sends a delegate to the UNO meetings in New York will depend, in part, on the interest in world affairs which can be aroused on the campus. In the near future a poll will be held to determine student reactions to the Pacific Northwest College Congress. The percentage of students participating in the poll will be the basis for choosing the winning school.

Speech League Winners on Air

Division winners of the 1946 Oregon high school speech league tournament were presented in a radio broadcast over station KOAC at 8:30 Saturday evening after they had been introduced at a banquet at the Fairmount Presbyterian church at 6 that evening.

Nearly 120 students were on the campus for the three day tournament Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. High school speakers representing 40 Oregon schools were present.

Eugene high school placed second in the debate contest. The topic for debate was: Resolved, that every able-bodied male citizen of the United States should have one year of full-time military training before attaining the age of twenty-four.

Winners of the events were: Discussion: Thomas Bartlett, Salem, first; Mary Louise Weston, Corvallis, second; Elwin Paxson, Beaverton, and Rosemary McCraigler, Cottage Grove, tied for third.

Humorous Readings: Wesley Pynter, Hillsboro, first; Mary Louise Allen, Corvallis, second; Donna Seigman, Junction City, third.

Oratory: Dorothy Orr, Hillsboro, first; Marian Williams, Sheridan, second; Tommy Huffman, Dayton, third.

Radio speaking: Fred Gleason, Corvallis, first; Bill Epps, Corvallis second; Patrick Wilkins, Klamath Falls, third.

Poetry Reading: Mary Louise Allen, Corvallis, first; Gloria Bates, Hillsboro, second; Jackie Tetz, Pendleton, third.

Debate: Salem team, first; Eugene, second; Medford and Beaverton, tied for third.

Funeral Services Held for Dr. Moore

Funeral services for Dr. R. U. Moore, assistant professor of education, were held Friday afternoon at the Veatch-Hollingsworth mortuary, with Dr. Leavitt O. Wright, professor of Romantic languages and faculty associate of Dr. Moore, officiating. Dr. Moore died suddenly Wednesday evening at a Eugene hospital.

In tribute to the late professor, who also served as principal of University high school, Dean J. R. Jewell of the school of education, said, "The remarkable thing about Dr. Moore is that, after more than 25 years as a high school principal, he was still able to look at life through the eyes of the boys and girls of high school age. He had the same emotions and the same reactions that high school boys and girls have. He always accompanied the athletic teams on their trips and played an active part in student activities. Because he enjoyed the same things they did, the students enjoyed having him with them. He got a great deal of fun himself out of being young with the boys and girls.

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Margaret Ray Article in Portland Paper

Margaret Ray, class of '38, has recently written a feature, "Willamette Valley Project: Its Worth Already Proved," which appeared in the Sunday Oregonian for April 14.

Miss Ray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ray of Eugene, graduated from the University with a B. A. in journalism, and is now employed on the staff of the Portland Oregonian. While attending the University, she was a member of Sigma Kappa, and winner of the Sigma Delta Chi scholarship award.

Background for the recent article was obtained in 1938 when she collaborated with W. D. Smith, head of the geology department, in writing a pamphlet, "Geological and Geographic Elements in the Willamette Valley Project."

Emerald Literary Editor Appointed

Gloria Smith, sophomore in journalism, was recently appointed literary editor of the Emerald by Louise Montag, editor of the publication. Miss Smith, who has worked on the Emerald as reporter, head writer, and night staff worker, will handle weekly Saturday page presenting a cross section of student poems, short stories, and literary work.

"We plan to run one short story a week, several poems, and possibly a book review or essay, depending on what the students are writing," Miss Smith said. Any student interested in submitting original material for publication may contact the literary editor at Extension 353 (the Emerald office).

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