

# Her Highness Pat I to Rule 'State Fair'

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## Coronation Set for Picnic; Four Princesses Chosen

Royal Court Plans First Appearance On Float  
During Parade from Downtown to University

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## 'Dear Brutus' Scheduled for May Production

First University theater production of the spring season is to be the late James M. Barrie's "Dear Brutus," which will open May 3. Ottilie T. Seybolt, associate professor of speech and dramatic arts will direct the play which has been a favorite among college and community players for years.

First introduced to the United States in 1922 when Helen Hays and William Gillette played in Barrie's beloved play, "Dear Brutus" proved to be Miss Hays' first big success and literally launched the new star. Her part of Margaret, the "might-have-been" little girl, will be played by Shirley Peters in the University play. William Gillette's role will be performed by Clifton James.

### Re-take Wish

The play itself is a realistic fantasy drawing from make-believe and developing the age-old theme of the human desire to do something over again. "The fault, dear

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## Ag Films Scheduled

"The Plow That Broke the Plains," a dramatic exposition of the social and economic history of the Great Plains; "The River," a panoramic story of the Mississippi River Basin; and "Farming," a March of Time edition, will be offered tonight in 207 Chapman hall from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m.

These free films are under the auspices of the educational activities board, and offered weekly to students, faculty members, and townspeople.



A full house of beauties was dealt into the hand of the "State Fair" committee with the selection of the carnival queen and her court last week. Smiling graciously in their first group picture are Princess Dorothy Dixon, Princess Marilyn Rakow, Her Majesty Pat Metcalf, ruler of the 1946 spring term jamboree, Princess Doris Spearow, and Princess June Johnson.

—photo by Don Jones

Hail Queen Patricia I!  
The veil of secrecy has at last been lifted and the members of the royal court for the 56th annual Junior Weekend celebration announced: Patricia Metcalf, Alpha Chi Omega, will rule as queen over the "State Fair" festivities planned for May 10 and 11.

The four members of Queen Patricia's court will be June Johnson, Chi Omega; Marilyn Rackow, Delta Delta Delta; Mary Dixon, Delta Gamma; and Doris Spearow, Hendricks hall. The queen and her court will be crowned at the all-campus picnic at 5:30 p.m. May 11.

### Eight Finalists

Queen Metcalf and her four princesses were elected from a group of eight finalists by an all-campus vote held Friday at the Co-op. The other finalists were Gay Edwards, Kappa Alpha Theta; Barbara Pearson, Kappa Kappa Gamma; and Selby Frame, Pi Beta Phi. Ballots were counted by members of Phi Theta, junior women's honorary.

The royal court will make their first official appearance in the float parade scheduled May 11. Members of Druids, junior men's honorary, will construct the queen's float. At 4 p.m. the parade will proceed south on Willamette street, turn on Eleventh avenue, north again on Alder street, and conclude at the entrance to the old campus.

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## YWCA Secretary To Attend Meeting

Leaving Thursday for Portland to attend a meeting of all YWCA staff in western Oregon will be Lois Greenwood, executive secretary of the University YWCA and Mrs. Helene Hoffman of the Eugene Community YWCA. They will meet Dr. Kathlyn MacArthur, who will be visiting the campus next week and addressing various campus organizations.

## Newsboy Success Story ...

## Odeon to Feature Jan Kok UO's New Music-Maker

Holland-born Jan Kok, who won first prize in the National Composers Congress contest in 1944 for his "Choral Suite" composition, will be featured on the Odeon program Sunday at 8 p.m. in the music school auditorium.

Kok left his homeland in 1938, following his graduation from high school, and came to the United States with a friend who had been here before. During the

time of his one-year visitor's permit, Jan sold papers and washed dishes in Los Angeles to pick up American slang; he was then 18 years old. War broke in Europe just as his permit became void, so he remained in Los Angeles and soon became an American citizen, after getting his immigration papers in Mexico.

### Rains in Cal., Too

Jan completed six months of a civil engineering course at Los Angeles City college, but then his parents arrived from Holland and they all moved to Seattle. "My folks didn't like the dry California climate at all," he said, "and, after checking with the chamber of commerce throughout the country we

decided that the Northwest would have the most desirable weather." Visiting Californians will be appalled to learn that it rains more in Holland than it does in Oregon, according to Jan.

### Ah, La, La

The University of Washington claimed Jan for four years, where he majored in general studies, mainly psychology, mathematics, and music. It was while he was at Washington that Jan wrote the "Choral Suite," which later netted him first prize in the first contest sponsored by the National Composers Congress. The suite was written for a small chorus and piano, and introduced a new idea in choral work by having no words.

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## Harris Ellsworth Slates Speech Here

"How I Put In My Time As A Congressman" will be the title of the speech to be given by Harris Ellsworth when the representative from this district appears before the ASUO assembly in McArthur court at 11 Thursday.

This talk will replace the all-student talent assembly originally scheduled for Thursday. The student show has been postponed until May.

Ellsworth is a graduate of the University in the class of '22. While on the campus, he was a member of Kappa Sigma, Sigma Delta Chi, Sigma Upsilon, and Phi Mu Alpha. He was editor and one of the founders of Lemon Punch, then an independent humorous publication and now a part of Oregona.

The congressman has served as publisher of the Roseburg News-Review. He was president of the United States Editorial association in 1928 and 1929, and is past president of the Oregon Newspaper Publishers association.

Ellsworth is in Astoria today dedicating a monument to the late James Mott, representative from Oregon.

## Lovly to Look at ...

## Gay Pat Metcalf Elevated To 'State Fair' Royalty

By MARYANN THIELEN

"It's pretty wonderful!" exclaimed petite Patricia Metcalf upon being asked how it feels to be the ruler of the 1946 Junior Weekend "State Fair" festivities.

Queen Pat first heard the news of her election when Marilyn Sage, Junior Weekend co-chairman, phoned the Alpha Chi Omega house late Friday night. "I thought it was about corn-

received her ring, the Alpha Chi's found Lowell, securely wrapped and crated, in their front yard. Asked what Lowell thought of her being elected queen, Pat replied, "He didn't say much . . . he showed his happiness in other ways." The resulting laughter from her sorority sisters after this remark brought a blush to the pretty queen's cheeks.

### Corvallis Beauty

Pat was born in Corvallis and attended high school there. She came to the University so that she could major in music as she is very interested in piano and has been playing since she was four years old. "My mother taught me until

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