

Theta Sig Matrix Table Slates Invitations for 300

New Pledges Announced at Annual Dinner
Richard L. Neuberger Scheduled to Speak

Matrix Table, sponsored by Theta Sigma Phi, national professional women's journalism honorary, is scheduled for 6 p.m. Thursday at the Eugene hotel. Persons receiving invitations are to send their reply by phone or person to the journalism school immediately.

All junior and senior women in journalism are invited to Matrix Table, as well as the outstanding sophomore and freshman women in journalism. These two women will be announced at Matrix Table by Theta Sigma Phi President Marilyn Sage. New Theta Sigma Phi pledges will be revealed at the annual dinner.

The house presidents of all women's organizations and the outstanding senior woman from each living group will be invited to the banquet. The promotion committee headed by Joan Hickey will invite the girls during the dinner hour Wednesday.

Richard L. Neuberger, Oregon's foremost writer and lecturer, will be guest speaker at the Matrix Table. His subject will be "Freedom of the Press."

Neuberger, a former University student, edited the Emerald his sophomore year. His appearance at Matrix Table will precede a scheduled visit to Alaska. He has written several articles on the Oregon country for the Saturday Evening Post and Colliers.

Approximately 300 invitations have been sent throughout Oregon to prominent persons and to all Theta Sigma Phi members by Pat Webster and her committee. Matrix Table is a nationally-sponsored formal affair and is held by all chapters in the United States.

Art Students Plan Frolic For Friday

All art school students and faculty have been invited to the annual art school picnic scheduled Friday from 2 to 10 p.m. at Swimmers Delight.

Transportation is being arranged by George Bartholick, C. F. Wetherbee, Ken Wellenweber, and William Hixson. The program will include baseball, dancing, refreshments, and boating.

Sigma Delta Pi Slates Initiation Sunday at 3

Pledges to Sigma Delta Pi, Spanish honorary, will be initiated at 3:30 p.m. Sunday at the Chi Omega house, 2857 Van Buren street, Corvallis.

Members planning to attend the annual initiation are asked to contact Clarence Kraft in 214 Friendly.

UO Libe Receives Latest Book Of Riasonovsky, Russian Author

An autographed copy of Dr. V. A. Riasonovsky's latest book, "Historically Survey of Russian Culture, Part I," has recently been received by the University library.

Mrs. Riasonovsky, better known as Nina Fedorova, is also a noted authoress, having written the book, "The Family," which won the Atlantic Monthly prize of \$10,000 in 1940. The Riasonovskys are now residents of Eugene.

The family lived in Harbin, Manchuria, until the Japanese invasion, when they moved to Tientsin. In 1938 they were also driven out of Tientsin, and they came to the U. S.



MARILYN SAGE . . .
President of Theta Sigma Phi

47 Annual Late For Distribution

Distribution of the 1947 Oregoniana has been postponed to an indefinite date, probably some time next week, Robbieburr Courtney, business manager, announced Tuesday. The yearbook was scheduled for distribution today but the number of books in the hands of the educational activities office is not enough to warrant their present distribution.

"The Oregoniana was too big a book for the jobber to handle in the time we allotted," Mrs. Courtney said. This year's Oregoniana is 60 pages larger than the 1946 Oregoniana, and each page is 22 inches larger.

Roy Paul Nelson, Oregoniana editor, said that all deadlines were met by the staff and workers of the yearbook, and that all copy was in the hands of the printers by the specified time.

Distribution of the Oregoniana to students will be made from McArthur court at a date to be announced in the Emerald.

Alumni Banquet Scheduled June 14

Seniors being graduated in June may attend the alumni banquet June 14 in John Straub hall, Les Anderson, alumni secretary, announced Tuesday.

Tickets for the sale will go on sale at the alumni office around the first of June, Les Anderson said. Caps and gowns will not be worn this year as in the past.

The alumni banquet, primarily a function of the class reunions meeting at the University over the weekend, will have representatives of the class of '47. Tom Kay, ASUO president, will head the class of '47 delegates.

They selected Eugene, Oregon, as their home because of a typically Russian feeling for family. While looking over maps in search of a place to settle, Mrs. Riasonovsky's eye arrested the name of Eugene, in connection with the name of her sister, Eugenia.

Recently their son, Nicholas, was one of two Oregon students chosen to receive a Rhodes scholarship to Oxford. Another son, Alexander, is now in the service.

Since their arrival in Eugene, Dr. Riasonovsky has been busy on his book, which has just recently been published. It is in Russian, and will be put into circulation at the library soon.

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Contemporary Music Festival Opens Tonight; Prominent Artists to Appear

Music School Organizations Sponsor Event;
Tea, Concert, Lectures Planned for Weekend

Opening of the Oregon Festival of Contemporary music is scheduled for 8 p. m. this evening at the School of Music auditorium.

The festival is sponsored by the School of Music, educational activities board, lectures committee, Phi Beta, Mu Phi Epsilon and Phi Mu Alpha. Theodore Kratt, dean of the school of music, will preside at the opening program.

Among the outstanding guests of the affair are Roger Sessions, professor of music at the University of California; Edmund Cykler, associate professor of music at Occidental college, Los Angeles; and Robert U. Nelson, assistant professor of music at the University of California in Los Angeles.

The tea in honor of the visiting music celebrities, originally planned for May 16 at 4 p. m., in Gerlinger hall, will be postponed until immediately after the Friday evening concert.

Dr. H. K. Newburn, president of the University, will open tonight's program with his welcome address, followed by Roger Session's lecture on "Trends in Contemporary Music in the United States."

Musical selections include "Partita for Viola and Organ" by Walter Piston, with George Broughton at the violin, Eric Cooper at the viola and Donald W. Allton at the organ; "Piano Sonata" by Aaron Copland, with George Hopkins as pianist; and George Broughton at the violin, Milton Dietrich at the violin-cello and Saga Collin Broughton at the piano will play Halsey Stevens' "Trio No. 3."

The three-day festival, which will close Friday evening, is the first affair of its kind on the Oregon campus.

Educational Movie Cancelled This Week

There will be no free movie this week sponsored by the educational activities board, according to Dick Williams, educational activities manager.

Mary Hoch Plays Bergman Role In University 'Joan of Lorraine'

"Joan of Lorraine," next University theater production which will open at Guild hall May 23, features the drama in which Ingrid Bergman is now playing on Broadway as Joan. On the campus, Mary Hoch, sophomore in music, will play Joan, and Bill Countryman, sophomore in liberal arts, will co-star in the role of Jimmy Masters.

Seven years ago Ingrid Bergman made her first appearance on the New York stage. She had recently arrived from Sweden and had one American film, "Intermezzo," on her record.

Some six years after her opening in "Liliom," Ingrid Bergman returned to Broadway with the most brilliant of film records. She had selected Maxwell Anderson's "Joan of Lorraine" for the vehicle of her belated Broadway comeback. The production was declared an immediate success after its opening on November 18, 1946, and the critics predicted interest as long as Bergman played Joan.

Kappa Retains Red Cross Cup

Campbell Club, DU
Tie for Second Place

Kappa Kappa Gamma, contributing \$3.28 per girl to the campus grand total of \$3064.83 in the 1947 Red Cross annual drive, are the proud possessors of the Red Cross cup, having won it for the third time.

In the men's division, the Campbell club won a hotly staged contest from Delta Upsilon. Final tabulation gave the Campbell club men a \$597 donation each as compared to \$596 for the DU group. Runner-up in the women's division was Gamma Phi Beta.

Geneva Davis, chairman of the Red Cross unit on the campus, expressed her appreciation for the support the campus has given the Red Cross and stated that all who had contributed should be commended for making the Red Cross service activities here and abroad possible.

Barbara Johns and Dave Dimm, cochairmen of this drive, were equally enthusiastic about the response to the call for help. They remarked that contributions such as these were the type that aided the people of Texas City in their recent disaster.

Actress's Own Selection

Although the play is the actress's own selection, it is not adequate to employ her limitless talents. The dual role of Mary Grey, a well-known but not celebrated Broadway actress, and Joan of Lorraine, a misunderstood French peasant girl who has declared herself a savior of her nation and faith, does not include the emotional characteristics and versatile qualities in which Bergman excels and holds her claim to fame.

Mary Grey herself is the saint's counterpart. She feels that the playwright has made Joan too weak and too willing to compromise with the evil of her time. The actress threatens to leave the cast unless Director Masters (played by Sam Wanamaker in the Broadway production) allows her to interpret Joan as she wishes.

Nevertheless, the critics declared "Joan of Lorraine," now in its seventh month of production, a success, describing Bergman's performance "radiant," "inspiring," and "wonderful."

Emerald Readers

Discovered, Absent

At the University of Oregon, nearly everyone reads the Emerald. This was proved by the social science department yesterday, when Victor P. Morris, dean of the school of business administration came to his War and Peace class.

The dean, whose proposed trip to St. Louis was printed in the Emerald, changed his plans and attended class instead, to be greeted by a classroom with many empty seats. The absentees, obvious Emerald readers, had stayed away while the dean attended.

Honor Groups To Hear Dean

Initiation to Feature Speech by Dean Little

Sidney W. Little, dean of the school of architecture and allied arts, will speak May 19 at 8 p. m. on "Humanities and Architecture" in 207 Chapman hall, under the co-sponsorship of the Oregon chapters of Phi Beta Kappa, national scholastic honor society, and Sigma Xi, national science honor society. The public address will follow the annual joint initiation dinner of the two chapters to be held in the Osburn hotel.

New Members Initiated

Sixteen new Sigma Xi members will be initiated with the 20 new initiates announced last week by Phi Beta Kappa. Two faculty members and one graduate student have been elected to active membership and 13 students have been named as associate members. Active members are elected on the basis of completed research of scientific importance while associate members are students who show promise in scientific research.

New active members are: Paul Delahay, visiting research associate in chemistry; Hans Heymann, assistant professor of chemistry, and Howard K. Zimmerman, American Chemical society fellow in chemistry.

Associate Members Elected

Elected to associate membership were: Earl K. Yost and Eloise McCord, graduate assistants in mathematics; Helen C. Clucas, graduate in mathematics; Carl Pride, assistant in mathematics; Walter M. Gilbert, senior in mathematics; Dorian K. Gillispie, graduate assistant in biology; Ruby F. Ramey, graduate student in biology; Donald M. O'Connell, senior in biology; Frank M. Jacobson and Berian Lemon, graduate assistants in psychology; Roger D. Whealy, graduate assistant in chemistry; Della M. Martin, senior in chemistry; Carl L. Huffaker, graduate student in anthropology.

"O" Men Elect Officers;

New officers of the Order of the "O" for the 1947-48 year were elected Tuesday at a luncheon meeting at the Sigma Nu house.

They are Ed Dick, president; Marvin Rasmussen, vice-president; and Walt Kirsch, secretary-treasurer.