

Audio-Visual Dept. of Service To Many Campus Organizations

By PAT KING

The fledgling audio-visual department, under the direction of Don L. Hunter, has been growing by leaps and bounds since its beginning last September and will soon outgrow its present location in room 4 of the library.

In order to provide a campus-wide service in motion picture films, slides, recordings, and related materials, the department catalogs and lends materials for classroom and research purposes. It also provides study facilities in the library building for individual student and faculty use.

Pronunciation Learned

"Right now I would say the language department is making the most of our facilities," Hunter said. "Students studying Spanish come in to listen to Spanish records which supplement textbooks so they can get correct pronunciation and better understand the spoken language.

Wednesday evenings members of German classes record their voices and listen to the playbacks to help improve their pronunciation.

There are now three cubicles available for listening to records and the department expects to expand to 28 or 30 cubicles when the new library wing is added.

Earphones to Come

By next year there will be 12 listening tables with earphone sets for students to listen to different music at the same time and yet allow other students to study in the same room. The room will be located on the third floor of the library. The school of music is planning to move its library of records to the department for music students.

The tape recorder, a recording machine which plays back sound that can be "erased" and the tape used over again, is in great demand and is currently being used by the radio department.

"It is a valuable aid for students to hear their own voices and then pick out their own mistakes," pointed out Hunter.

Psych Classes Use

The tape recorder has also been used for cutting and editing background music for hypnosis experiments in the psychology classes.

The department, which makes colored slides and develops film, has been turning out approximately 500 slides a month for the architect school.

With silent, slide, and motion picture projectors, audio-visual also has a film library which contains about 50 films. Books from the library of congress are recorded on microfilm which can be shown on individual screens and read like pages of a book.

Government Sends Film

The government recently has

Religious Council Names President

Emphasizing that the import of her remarks was not how to be a fossil but, "how each of you can remain alive," Mrs. Edmunson Norton, regional secretary of the YWCA, Junior-Senior luncheon Saturday. Held in the Eugene hotel, the luncheon is an annual affair honoring all graduating women seniors.

Elaborating on her topic, "Lifetime Exposure: Graduation Is Not Enough," Mrs. Norton said that to remain alive, "We must be better mothers, better teachers and better social workers. We can do this by giving time to our home, community and nation," she said.

Problem Religious

She observed that one of the paramount problems facing individuals today is whether they regard human beings as infinite works or think that they many existed for the exploitation of the few. "The problem is essentially religious," she continued, "and part of religion is a willingness to sacrifice."

She declared that college provides each graduate with intellectual curiosity, emotional maturity, a sense of values, and a sense of responsibility for the community in which they reside.

Graduates Equipped

"If you have had a lifelong exposure to these things, you can adapt yourselves to the new work," she said. "You are equipped to relate yourself constructively to the things of life."

Mrs. Norton concluded with this toast to the seniors: "This is not a toast to better fossils, but to you, may you live all your life."

Bjorg Hansen, YWCA president, was toastmistress. A greeting to the visiting seniors was presented by Gloria Cartozian, former cabinet member, in the absence of Marjory Skordahl, past president of the YWCA. Grace was given by Beryl Howard, worship chairman. Background music was furnished by Mary Margaret Dundore.

been sending several films on atomic energy, Hunter said.

As bibliographical aids, the audio-visual library will be catalogued and cards will be filed in both the general library catalog and a special catalog in the department.

As an aid to students in study and research, the audio-visual department is expected to take a valued and important place in all phases of University work.

Law School Asks Applicants to File

All students desiring admission to the school of law at the beginning of fall term 1947 must file an application form in the law school office not later than 5 p.m., May 27, according to Orlando J. Hollis, dean of the school of law.

Students who fail to file their applications by that time cannot be assured of accommodation in the law school next fall, he said.

Application forms may be secured from the law school secretary, room 219, Fenton hall.

Free Movies to Include Several Alaskan Films

Free movies sponsored by the educational activities board tonight will include expressionistic films produced by Maya Deren, and a group of films on Alaska including "Birthplace of Icebergs," "Journey to Denali," and "Alaska—Reservoir of Resources." There will be two continuous showings between 7:30 and 10:30 at 207 Chapman hall.

Chess Champ Visits Campus

Arthur Dake, internationally recognized chess expert, was the guest of the University chess club yesterday under the sponsorship of the educational activities board.

Dake, who currently resides in Portland, had represented the United States in three world championship chess tournaments. In the recent Russian - United States match he was one of three Americans to win a game and was the only U. S. player to win all of his games.

He holds the further distinction of being the only living man to ever defeat Alexander Alekhine of Poland who held the world's chess championship. There is no officially recognized champion at the present time.

Last night Dake played all members of the chess club simultaneously as well as playing one game blindfolded against Hugh Noland, club's number one player. Six players from the Eugene city club also competed against Dake.

At the regular chess club meeting Dake lectured on opening plays in chess and gave a talk on his trip through Russia and an account of his games there.



ARTHUR DAKE

AWS Tea Petitions Due at Noon, May 25

Sophomore and junior women may petition for chairmanship of the AWS tea to be held during Freshman week next fall, Barbara Johns, AWS president, announced yesterday.

All petitions must be turned in to her by Monday noon, May 25, at the Delta Gamma house.



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