

## The Weather

Eugene and vicinity cloudy today with scattered light showers.



## Lineups

Team lineups for today's game with the San Francisco Dons on sports page.

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# Bluebeard Ball Set Tonight

## Freshman Enrollment To Diminish

### Possible Solution Lies in Lowering Out-of-State Bars

Enrollment trends at the University indicate a marked drop in student population next fall, according to Associate Registrar C. L. Constance.

Constance predicted that Oregon "might have as much as 10 per cent decrease in total enrollment next year."

The associate registrar's estimate is in contrast to an earlier report issued by the Pacific Coast Committee of the American Council on Education which indicated probable new record enrollments for Pacific Coast colleges in 1948-49.

### Factor Overlooked

Curtis E. Avery, University registrar, pointed out that the committee's report was based on probable total college-age populations, but did not indicate the percentage of these prospective students who would actually enter schools.

"During 1946-47 we may have reached the crest of the post-war return to college," Constance asserted.

### Gradual Growth

The trend of college population throughout the nation, excluding veteran enrollment, has been one of gradual increase, the associate registrar averred. The fact that we do have a crest in nation-wide college enrollment is due to the influx of veteran students, he asserted. Otherwise the trend would have followed the pre-war pattern of gradual growth, he said.

Constance based his University (Please turn to page three)

## Rope Barriers Confront Pigger

The Oregon tradition of men sitting on one side of the rooting section and women on the other will be enforced at today's game, according to Ed Dick, president of Order of "O."

"Too many students have violated the tradition this year," Dick stated, "and we are putting a rope to divide the men from the women."

Men will enter their section via the north gates and women by the south gate on the east side of the field.

A special crew of husky "O" men will police the stands and deal with violators.

Veterans and their wives will be allowed to sit at the north end of the rooting section.

"In past years living organizations have sat together as at basketball games. If each house would do this at the football game, we would not have to set up the rope barrier," Dick said.

Rog Wiley, letterman basketball player, will head the posse checking the violators.



## Summers Orchestra Featured

### Betty-Joe Voting, Stubble Judging Among Highlights

Bluebeard's Castle will provide the setting for tonight's Sophomore Whiskerino at McArthur court from 9 to 12 p.m. Music for the Castle event will feature Bob Summers and his orchestra.

Special features of the dance will include the judging of sophomore beards by Chuck Elliott, campus barber, and balloting to choose this year's Joe College and Betty Coed.

Voting for the typical college Joe and Betty will be done with ballots printed on the ticket stubs. Contest chairmen emphasized that balloting will end at 10:30 p.m. and urged everyone to plan to be at the dance by that time.

The ballots will be counted by sophomore class officers immediately after the polls are closed, and Joe and Betty will be announced and awarded cups by Mike Mitchell and Jim Wallace at the special late intermission.

### Whee—Free Shave

The most be-whiskered sophomore will be presented with a cup and a free shave during the first intermission. Also at this time the AWS will announce the winners of the Nickel Hop and present awards to winning houses.

Barbara Vowles and Mac Epley, decorations chairmen, have revealed that the traditional Whiskerino theme is being carried out this year by using Bluebeard's Castle as the central motif for decorations.

This idea is also being followed in the dance programs.

## Campus Service To Open Week

Religious Evaluation week will open at 6:30 p.m. with an all-campus community union service in the music school auditorium.

The Sunday evening program will start four days' activity on the campus during which eleven guest speakers will appear in forums, firesides, dinners, and skeptic hour discussions.

Rev. Wesley G. Nicholson will offer invocation Sunday evening, followed by a vocal solo by Phillip Green.

President Harry K. Newburn will then introduce the guest speaker of the evening, Dr. George Hedley, of Mills college, California. Dr. Hedley's topic will be "Religion: What It Isn't and Is."

Benediction will be given by Dr. Joseph R. Harris, pastor of the Fairmount Presbyterian church.

Student committee members will meet for breakfast at the Westminster house Monday morning to talk with the guest speakers.

## 'The Man' Proves Riotous Comedy

By LE JEUNE GRIFFITH

The years haven't dimmed the "surefire hit" quality of the riotous Kaufman and Hart comedy, "The Man Who Came to Dinner". Opening night of the play on the University campus Friday confirmed this belief.

Clifton James as the self-centered wit, Sheridan Whiteside, turned in his best performance of the past two seasons. Marie DiLoreto (Maggie Cutler) was a success in her first non-vamp role on the campus. Diana Barnhart made her debut on the University stage as the glamorous and seductive Lorraine Sheldon. Her first role shows her as an actress of promise.

Many smaller roles were exceptionally well played. Robert Over as Banjo (Harpo Marx) was a panic from his curly yellow hair, and lighted tie to his cap-toed shoes. Don A. Smith as Beverly Carlton (Noel Coward) was enjoyable, but it was disappointing to find him sans British accent after being hailed as "England's little Rover boy" and the "Piccadilly pen-pusher."

LaVorn Taylor as Maggie Cutler's love interest, Bert Jefferson, scored in his first role with the players. His drunk scene was especially well played.

Elton Allen as Dr. Bradley, Charles Boice as Mr. Stanley, and Geraldine Hettinger as Miss Preen were excellent in supporting roles. Emelie Jackull as the cook turned in a consistent, competent performance.

Settings for the play were designed by the new technical director, Gilbert M. Williams, who (Please turn to page eight)

## Newburn Backs Student Petition

President Harry K. Newburn will recommend a \$5 raise a term on the University's tuition fees at a meeting of the state board of higher education in Portland Monday and Tuesday.

The proposed raise would be levied for ten terms and the extra funds would go into the building fund for Oregon's much talked-of Student Union building.

The president's recommendation will be made as a result of the expression of student sentiment in favor of the move in a recent opinion poll of campus living organizations.

The proposal will go to the finance committee of the state board first, and they will bring their recommendations concerning the raise before the entire board for action.

## ISA Elects Officers

Two students were elected to office in the Independent Students association in the Thursday night meeting. They are Jeanne Nunn, treasurer, and Bob Davis, sophomore representative to the organization committee.

## Monday Broadcast To Feature Quartet

The University string quartet under the direction of Gerald Thomas, will appear on the Oregon radio workshop broadcast over station KOAC Monday at 8 p.m. Featured in this quartet will be George Boughton and Mary Kapp Allton on the violins, Edmund Cykler playing viola, and Milton Dieterich playing violoncello. The group will play Schubert's "Quartet in A Minor."

Oliver Larson, Paul Thompson, and Nancy Bedingfield from the University school of journalism will present a quarter-hour discussion. The program will be produced by Bert Moore.

Concluding the program will be Dean Victor P. Morris' discussion, "The World in Review."