

# Avery Says Grades Normal

Rumors that grading was stiffer, tests harder, and student performance poorer during the 1947 fall term were squelched today by Registrar Curtis E. Avery. He said the University scholastically was pretty much the same as in preceding terms.

Avery based his speculations on

the past term's honor roll of 277 students, which hit a new high numerically for the University. It was believed that other grading would compare similarly.

Last term's honor roll was derived from a student body of 5,905. It topped by only eight students the largest preceding honor roll, that of spring, 1947, when 269 of 5,286 enrollees received a GPA of 3.50 or above.

Out of slightly over 5,600 en-

rollees for fall term, 1946, 207 students were listed on the roll.

In connection with the rumor of increasing failures, Vergil Fogdall, dean of men, warned that students with pegged grades should prepare now to raise their grade point average above the peg in order to insure registering for spring term. He said that on the basis of the precedent of last semester, registration for spring term cannot be completed until the peg is made.

One of the main problems among men students, according to Fogdall, is outside work. He said as much outside work as possible must be cut or the class load reduced if they wish to pass.

"To be a successful student at the University of Oregon is a full-time job," Fogdall warned.

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## Delegates Set For OFCL Meet

Delegates for the Oregon Federation of Collegiate leaders conference at Oregon State college January 8 and 9 were announced yesterday by Stan Williamson, ASUO president.

The Oregon representatives are Barbara Johns, president of Associated Women Students; Howard Roseburg area.

Lemons, first vice-president of the ASUO; and Bob Frazier, Emerald editor.

Frazier will lead a group discussion on "The Relation of Publications Editors to the School."

Two years ago the OFCL conference was held on the University campus. Ed Allen, ASUO president at that time, was secretary of the organization.

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## Nimitz Urges 'Radar Screen'

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6—(UP). Adm. Chester W. Nimitz says the United States has "absolute" control of the seas, but he wants a "radar screen" to protect against another Pearl Harbor.

A report prepared by Nimitz before he retired last month as chief of naval operations, and released by the navy today, also called for carrier-based planes armed with atom bombs for floating air bases, and submarines capable of launching guided missiles.

Nimitz stressed that the Uni-

nor western Europe will be "in a position to endanger us for decades to come unless they pass under unified totalitarian control."

"The earliest warning of enemy air attack against our vital centers should be provided by naval air, surface and submarine radar pickets deployed in the vast ocean spaces which surround the continent," he wrote.

"This is part of the radar screen which should surround the continental United States and its possessions."

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