

The Weather

Eugene and vicinity: cloudy today with occasional showers. Little temperature change.

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Living Costs

Another survey in the 'Cost of Living' series appears on page three of today's Emerald.

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Chairman Announces Contest

Committee Opens Contest for Junior Weekend Theme

A contest to choose the theme upon which the events of Junior Weekend will be built opens today and student suggestions will be accepted until next Tuesday, Hank Kinsell, general chairman of the Weekend, announced yesterday.

The theme, together with the winners' names, will be announced next week. The prize for the best entry is \$10; second prize is \$5.

Plans for adapting the theme to the Junior Prom and other Weekend events may be submitted with the suggestions. Entries will be accepted by Hank Kinsell at the Chi Psi lodge, and Beth Basler at the Delta Delta Delta house.

The Junior Weekend committee chairman will judge the suggestions on the basis of originality and adaptability to the Weekend functions. Last year's winners suggested a Gay Nineties weekend, and a Diamond Horseshoe Junior Prom carried out the theme.

Work Resumes At Amazon

Strike-delayed units at Amazon Flats housing project are moving toward completion, I. I. Wright, superintendent of the physical plant, announced yesterday. Some are already finished, and 16 units will be completed by the first of next week. The first family is scheduled to move into a completed unit Friday.

Some carpenters have been working for the past week, with the crew numbering 17 carpenters on Tuesday, Wright said. He explained that this crew was made up of some of the University crew supplemented by non-union men hired through civil service.

Work was halted when union carpenters went out on strike for an increase of from \$1.75 to \$2 hourly. The strike has continued since then with no tangible indication of a settlement yet in sight.

Of the 72 units in the new project, 28 have already been completed, plus the 16 which will be ready by Friday. Superintendent Wright expressed the belief that another group of eight will be ready in a few weeks.

Infirmary Names Twenty Patients

Twenty patients found their way into the infirmary this week. They are: Joanne Baldwin, Eva Moore, Mercedes Hadley, Lorraine Harris, Margaret Knighten, Thelma Bailey, Evelyn Clay, Beverly Wadsworth, Estella Allen, Mrs. Don Leslie, William Wallace, Alfred Staples, Frank Brownwell, Nevella Johansson, Donald Miller, William Walker, Walter Buchanan, Lloyd Hickok, and Seminary in Berlin. Since

Can't Forget These Dates, Laura



Dedo Misely, left, and Laura Olson are shown checking the dates of the International Festival. But neither is likely to forget since they are co-chairmen of the YWCA event.

Foreign Country Folk-Dances Featured in International Tea

Dances from different foreign countries will be featured entertainment at the Gerlinger tea, part of the YWCA International Festival, Saturday beginning at 4 p. m. Gerry Arnold, woman commentator from radio station KUGN, will be mistress of ceremonies for the afternoon, and will describe and co-ordinate the dances.

The Monday commission will perform an Irish St. Patrick's Day dance. Tuesday's commissions will represent Mexico and Greece; the Wednesday group will present a Norwegian spring festival; and the Thursday commissions will present Dutch and Chinese dances.

Campus Sing Heads to Meet

Living organization representatives for the All-Campus Sing will meet at 6:30 p. m. Thursday to receive instructions and recommendations on their selections, Jordis Benke announced yesterday. The meeting will be at the Pi Beta Phi house.

Miss Benke and Jerry O'Leary, co-chairmen of the annual event, have asked that the living organizations select their songs by next week.

They also issued a call yesterday for petitions for work on the sub-committees of the All-Campus Sing. Applicants need not necessarily be juniors, according to the co-chairmen. The sub-committees are publicity, decorations, tickets, and invitations. Petitions may be submitted to Miss Benke at the Pi Beta Phi house or to O'Leary at the Beta Theta Pi house.

YWCA Membership To Close at Finals

YWCA membership will be closed from the end of winter term until the second week of spring term, President Bjorg Hansen has announced.

She has requested all women to join the YWCA to do so now. Only members will be allowed to vote in the elections April 6.

Increased Fee Rumors Declared Premature; Termed 'Last Resort'

UO Officials, Executive Council Studying Methods for Increasing Athletic Revenue

By JIM WALLACE

There will be no raise in student fees this year or next to increase the athletic budget, administrative officials announced yesterday. It was emphasized that although various methods for raising athletic revenue are under consideration, a tuition boost at any time in the future would definitely be a last resort measure.

In explaining the situation that had given rise to the tuition-booster rumor, Leo Harris, director of athletics, said that the department's expenses had exceeded the income for the past two years. Methods of balancing the budget, either by increasing revenues or cutting down expenses are being studied and must be found, declared Harris.

Emphasized by both administrative and athletic officials was the fact that any tuition increase, if and when it came, would have to come from the students.

Williamson Denys Claim

Stan Williamson, speaking for the executive council, declared that no such proposal had even

See story page 7 for explanation of athletic department expenses and other possible methods of raising revenue.

been suggested by that body. He also stressed the fact that if such a proposal were made, it would be the result of student demand rather than council action.

The main interest of the council, said Williamson, is presenting to the students the problem of the athletic budget with its various consequences and letting the student body decide which course it wishes to follow. He agreed with the administration that any fee boost is now a last resort consideration.

Harris continued his explanation of the athletic budget by saying that he would willingly appear before any group and explain, but not advocate, any proposal to increase athletic revenue. He said that his job was to operate the athletic department on what the University, and in the ultimate view the students, allot him.

Harris Cites Choice

The choice, asserted Harris, lies between raising more money for athletics or cutting down on expenses. If the cut comes, he continued, it will mean, among other things, sending traveling squads second-class, sending smaller squads, and less participation in the minor and non-paying sports.

Harris said that although the 1947 football season made money there would be a deficit of about \$15,000 in the athletic budget by the end of the year. He added that a similar condition existed in 1946. Action must be taken to balance this budget in some way, he continued.

Forger Suspended

Forgery of his name to a University dining service meal ticket has led to the suspension of a University of Oregon student, revealed Vergil S. Fogdall, acting dean of men. This is the second of such offenses.

'Brotherhood' Speaker



Rabbi Leo Trepp

Rabbi to Open Special 'Week'

Rabbi Leo Trepp of the Sinai temple of Tacoma will inaugurate Brotherhood week on the University campus today, when he delivers the first lecture of the three-day observance. He will speak on "The Philosophy of Saadya" in alumni hall, Gerlinger at 4 p. m. today.

He will give a second lecture, "The Philosophy of Martin Buber, a Modern Jewish Mystic," Thursday at 7:30 p. m. in room 207, Chapman hall.

French Philosophers

Dr. Trepp received his education at the Universities of Wuerzburg, Frankfurt, and Berlin. His thesis for Ph.D. degree was "Three French Philosophers and Their Concept of God."

He was ordained in the Rabbinical Seminary in Berlin. Since coming to America, he has been affiliated with the Jewish Theological Assembly of America.

Week Jointly Sponsored

Brotherhood week is sponsored by the University religious council, the University lecture series, and the department of religion. National Brotherhood week was established by President Truman in an effort to see that some sort of observance was carried out on each college campus in the nation.

The Rev. Francis J. McConnell, bishop of the Methodist church in the Portland area; and Father Leo J. Linahan, J.C.D., of the chancery office of the archdiocese of Portland, will speak on the campus Thursday and Friday.

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