

## School Ring Chosen by UO Council

The University of Oregon now has an official ring.

The ASUO executive council Monday night put the official stamp of approval on the final plans for the ring. Arrangements for the ring have been made by the University Alumni association, which will also handle the sales.

Alumni Secretary Les Anderson was out of town yesterday and could not be contacted, but it is believed that the Alumni association will place an immediate order for the rings. L. G. Balfour company, well-known national makers of college and fraternal jewelry, has designed the ring and will be sole manufacturers.

Several different styles of rings for both men and women are planned. The prices will probably run from about \$10 to \$25.

The face of the ring will be set with a round stone, surrounded by the words "University of Oregon." A purchaser will have his choice of several different stones—black or green onyx, spinel, and sardonyx. On one shank will be engraved the Oregon seal and on the other a reproduction of Deady hall.

The rings will be available to all alumni of the University as well as students presently enrolled. Members of fraternities can at a small additional cost have their crests superimposed on the face of their rings.

Further details will be announced later by the Emerald.

## Men Rushing to Sign Dean's Slip

Men interested in spring term rushing should sign cards in the office of the director of men's affairs, Virgil S. Fogdall, according to his secretary, Mrs. Betty Heiken.

Transfer students now spending their first term on the campus may be pledged at any time after April 11; students who have been on the campus and have a 2.00 cumulative GPA may be pledged at any time.

## The Weather

Fair today and Thursday, high about 68.

## Dorothy McCullough Lee To Speak at YWCA Breakfast

Tickets are now on sale in the Co-op and women's living organizations for the annual YWCA sponsored Junior-Senior breakfast to be held in the Veterans Memorial building, 1626 Willamette street, Sunday morning at 9:15.

Included as a part of the breakfast program will be a talk by Dorothy McCullough Lee, mayor of Portland.

Chairman of the event is Joan O'Neill Foulon. Assisting her is

## Enrollment Slowly Climbs; Hits 5348

Spring term enrollment was still climbing Monday as registrar's office figures reached 5348.

In contrast to the situation at Oregon State, University registration is still running ahead of last year's figures at the same time. A Portland Oregonian story stated that at the beginning of registration OSC enrollment this year showed a 6% decrease over spring term, 1948.

## Vaudeville Acts Promise Talent, Originality, Fun

With postcards telling the theme and number of participants in each organization's act due in the mails today, Velma Snellstrom, program chairman for the All-Campus Vaudeville show, has received several original themes already.

Kappa Alpha Theta is rehearsing a Danny Kaye arrangement of "Farming", according to Miss Snellstrom. Orides, organization for off-campus independent women, has scheduled a performance of "Hammet," which is "probably an imitation of 'Hamlet,'" the chairman guesses.

"I've Been to Hollywood," say the Alpha Xi Deltas of their act, while the Kappa Sigmas plan to enter a quartet.

Church organizations, as well as living groups, are eligible to enter the competition for the April 15 show, proceeds of which will go to the World Student Service Fund. Friendly House plans to enter a magician, according to latest reports.

### Information Requested

"We have learned of several organizations which are interested in entering acts, but who have not appointed representatives or contacted me," Miss Snellstrom said.

"If an organization expects time in the eliminations Monday and Tuesday, they should let me know as soon as possible."

Eliminations will be held in Gerlinger Annex Monday and Tuesday, of next week. For the convenience of the entering groups, auditions will be held in three shifts, 6:30, 7:30 and 8:00 each night.

"Organizations are requested to observe their scheduled time for eliminations, in order to avoid wasting the entrants' time," Miss Snellstrom said.

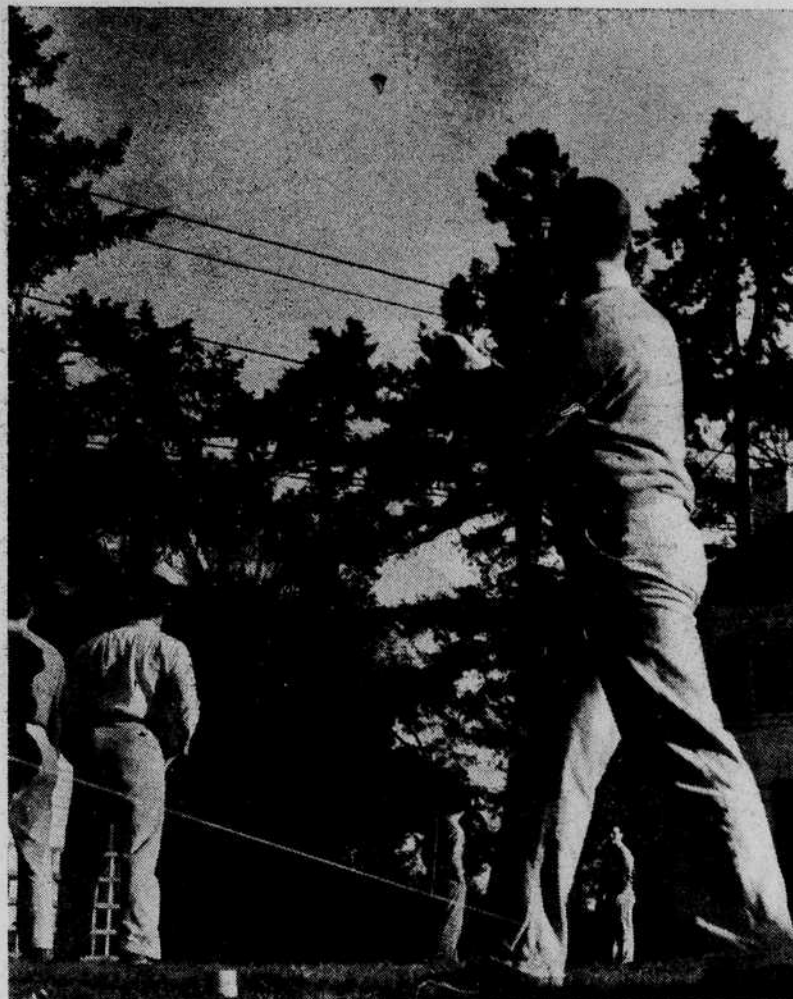
### Ticket Sales Begin

"House representatives will start selling tickets in their living organizations tomorrow, and a booth will be set up in the Co-op Friday

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## Oregana May Be Out This Term

Ah, to Be A Boy Once Again



Students take advantage of sunshine to revert to boyhood recreation. (Photo by Mike Mitchell)

## Publication Still Possible With 3 Week Strike

Whether or not Oreganas will be distributed this term depends on the duration of the lithographers' strike in Portland. The strike, called Saturday, is over a dispute between labor and management concerning a welfare plan for workers.

The Oregana could weather a three-week strike and still be distributed spring term, but if it lasts longer than that the yearbook will have to be mailed to students during the summer.

There is no indication as to the possible duration of the strike, according to Dick Williams, educational activities manager, who spoke with Arthur J. Markewitz, general manager of Bushong's in Portland yesterday morning.

Nearly two-thirds of the Oregana is completed, leaving about 100 pages to be run off. Two Portland firms—Irwin-Hodson, in charge of lithography, and Bushong's, which has the contract for color insert and cover—each have about 10 days work on hand. Both these businesses are being picketed by the lithographers.

Oregana Editor Trudi Chernis expressed confidence that the yearbook would be distributed this term, since all editorial work has been completed and is in the hands of the printers. As soon as the lithographers' strike is over, the yearbook can be readied for distribution.

## French Play Brings Pleasing Contrast

By Barbara Hollands

Guild theater's venerable stage was host to something different in dramatic production Monday night when the French department and the University Theater presented Moliere's "Le Bourgeois Gentilhomme."

Performed entirely in French, the seventeenth century comedy-ballet by the famous French playwright was comprehensible, amusing, and very well done. Under the direction of Dick Rayburn, with R. L. Picard, assistant professor of romance languages, in charge of production, the small cast of French students did an excellent job of a difficult assignment.

Ed Van Natta played the leading role of Monsieur Jourdain, about whom the amusing satire revolves. Jourdain, a wealthy bourgeois, employs a number of tutors, and in his obsessive desire to simulate "the people of quality," he is unable to realize that he is being swindled. The climax is reached when his daughter is married to one whom he but is, in reality, the commoner to whom he has denied her hand.

Coralie Nelson, Beverly Rohrer, Nancy Morgan, Bill Wallace, Glenn Morgan, Jim Eakin, Ann Thompson, Jim Blue, Jo Ann Jarvis, Julian Hoffman, and Bill Johnson play the other principal roles.

A French atmosphere was maintained throughout the production by original seventeenth century music played by a small orchestra composed of students from the school of music, and the French-speaking ouvreuses and vendeurs des programmes. Robert D. Horn, professor of English, presented the English prologue.

## Free Tickets For Recital

Starting this morning, faculty, and student wives, and University employees may get free tickets to a special Friday afternoon recital.

Presented by prominent members of the Minneapolis Symphony orchestra, the recital will be held at 4:15 in the music school auditorium this Friday. The program, conducted by Dimitri Mitropoulos, will be one hour.

Would-be listeners may receive tickets at the Educational Activities office in McArthur court from 8 to 12 a. m. and from 1 to 5 p. m. today, tomorrow and Friday, or as long as the limited number of tickets lasts.

Concert Master of the Minneapolis symphony, Louis Krasner, is head of the select group. Commonly called the Krasner Chamber Music Ensemble, they have frequently appeared together in major cities.

This recital is in addition to the full concert to be given Friday night at 8:15 by the entire Minneapolis symphony orchestra. The evening concert will be in McArthur court and students will be required to show registration cards.

## Mothers Club Asks Members From California

For the benefit of all Oregon students from the bay area, the Emerald has been asked to print the following letter from Mrs. J. B. Norcross of San Francisco.

"The California branch of the University of Oregon Mothers' club will hold a luncheon meeting on Wednesday, April 27, at the Hotel Claremont, Berkeley, Calif. We will be very happy to welcome any mother who has a son or daughter at Oregon, or any former student or graduate.

"We meet only three times a year and there are no dues.

"Will all California students from the Bay area please send this invitation home to their parents or guardians? For reservations please phone or send postal not later than April 20 to Mrs. J. B. Norcross, 39 Wawona St., San Francisco 27, California."

## Young Demos Meet

Young Democrats will meet Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. at the YWCA.

The purpose of the meeting will be to further the plans for the state convention of Young Democrats to be held in Eugene on April 23 and 24.

All students and faculty interested are invited to attend.