

Davidson Gets Oregana Post

Weather . . .

Fair and continued warm weather Thursday and Friday. Low last night 35 degrees; high today 65 degrees.

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Faculty Cancels Credit Grants For Veterans in Military, P.E.

Motion Does Not Effect GI's Now Enrolled in School

The faculty yesterday approved a motion abolishing the granting of health, physical education, and military science credits to veterans of World War II. The action was taken at the faculty meeting yesterday.

The motion does not effect veterans now enrolled at the University. Those who entered the service prior to March 31, 1949 are likewise not effected.

The statement issued by George Kelknap, secretary of the faculty, read:

"The faculty approved the following motion: that, in order to return the status of credits in military science and in physical education to the basis accepted prior to World War II, no credit shall be allowed for any military service entered upon after March 31, 1949."

Belknap, in explanation, further commented: "Since the war we have granted six hours credit in health and physical education. Veterans were exempt from these two courses and the basic course in military science.

"In addition we granted on a sliding scale 6 to 24 hours in military science."

The approval of the motion means those who entered military service after March 31, 1949 are normally required to take six hours military training, one hour of health education, and five hours of physical education courses to obtain their junior certificates.

Col. F. R. Maerdian, head of the military science department, told the Emerald just before attending the faculty meeting, that he approved the new proposal. He declared that he believed the present training in the service was not on the college level and does not adequately equip the men for military service.

"Younger men are coming in now," he said. "Most of them are high school graduates and some of them are only grade school graduates. They haven't had the preliminary training nor the educational background that the soldier should have."

This was the only action taken by the faculty at yesterday's meeting. They voted to postpone action on a motion which would allow graduate students to register in University courses for less than the minimum number of term hours listed in the catalog.

Vernon Nash Speaks Tonight 'World Peace'

Dr. Vernon Nash, national vice-president of the United World Federalists, will be on the University of Oregon campus this afternoon and tonight to discuss world government and world peace.

Highlight of his visit will be a talk tonight at 8:30 in the music school auditorium. It is to be sponsored by the Student Federalists and the International Relations club.

Dr. Nash will also be a guest at a shop talk sponsored by Sigma Delta Chi, journalism fraternity,



in the journalism building at 5 p.m. This informal session is open to SDX members only.

He will be interviewed on KORE and will address the Eugene Active club in the afternoon. A banquet is scheduled in his honor at 6 p.m. by the Eugene Council on World Affairs and the United World Federalists of Eugene.

No Swimming Caps!



THIS VIEW of a one corner of the men's pool, taken earlier this week, shows that most of the swimmers are not wearing bathing caps. Girl at top right (inset) has hair whose length State Board of health says clogs drains and creates unsanitary conditions. Four male law students were recently barred from the pool because they did not have bathing caps. (Photo by Kirk Braun)

Investigation Reveals Swimming Minus Caps

By Kirk Braun

A clean-cut case of discrimination against University students in general and law students in particular, was revealed this week when investigation uncovered the fact that outside groups are being allowed to swim in the men's pool without bathing caps.

The investigation was prompted by a letter to the Emerald recently in which four students of the law school protested that they had been prohibited from swimming in the pool without first donning swimming caps.

Earlier this week, a group of some 40-odd students from the Cresswell grade school, most of whom were girls, spent an evening swimming in the men's pool. Half of them wore bathing caps. A life-guard, employed by the University of Oregon, was on duty at the time and made no move to enforce the regulation.

The State Board of Health, which has the power to regulate swimming pools, specifically states that "women entering public pools must wear bathing caps." Reason is given that stray bits of women's hair, due to its length, clogs the drains in pools.

As to the regulation regarding the wearing of swimming caps by men, a local rule, the physical education department claims this is a precaution against "hair oil which floats on the water and clogs up the drains."

Quake Raps at Door to Catastrophe

SEATTLE—(AP) — The earth shrugged today beneath the feet of the Northwest's frightened people, killing seven, injuring scores and causing damage in unguessable millions.

It was the worst earthquake in the region's 138 years of settlement.

Frightened thousands fled swaying buildings to be sprayed by tumbling bricks and shattered glass. It hurled two small, unoccu-

pled houses into Puget Sound from Fox island, near Tacoma, Wash. It tumbled chimneys from near the Canadian border south into Oregon.

Sixty miles south of Seattle the capital city of Olympia took the brunt of the shock. A woman died of a heart attack; a man was smashed down by falling bricks. Tumbling bricks also killed a school boy of Tacoma and a collapsing corner of a school building

New Business Manager to be James Sanders

Larry Davidson to Assume Editorship Of Yearbook Next Fall

Larry Davidson was named 1950 Oregana editor by the Educational Activities board last night. The junior in journalism will replace Trudi Chernis, this year's editor.

The board also appointed James A. Sanders, junior in history, business manager of next year's Oregana.

Davidson began work on the annual in his freshman year on the layout staff, became assistant editor of schools last year, and is now managing editor. A member of Druids and Skull and Dagger, class honoraries, he has been active on Junior Weekend, Red Cross, March of Dimes, and other committees.

The new editor has had considerable experience in the journalism field as editor of the Molalla high school paper and of a weekly news sheet in the service. He is a member of Sigma Delta Chi, men's national journalism fraternity. The 24-year-old is affiliated with Tau Kappa Epsilon.

There will be no radical changes in next year's format as it has become somewhat standardized and traditional over the years, Davidson reports, but he plans to introduce some new ideas. He hopes to have more pages in the 1950 annual.

Sanders served on this year's Oregana staff as advertising manager. He has also worked on sales and circulation for the yearbook.

The new business manager was recently elected president of McChesney hall for next year.

Also petitioning for the position of business manager was Henry Panian, junior in history.

Radio Carries Dieterich Hymn

Religious music written by Milton Dieterich, University instructor in cello, will be broadcast from the rim of the Grand Canyon in Sunday morning Easter services over radio station KGW in Portland and other NBC stations from 5:50 to 5:30 a.m. PST Sunday.

Presented as a portion of the traditional Easter service will be "Joy That Overflows the Heart," a religious anthem written by Dieterich last year. The Arizona state college choir, directed by Eldon Ardrey, will perform the number.

The anthem will also be sung in Eugene Easter morning by the St. (Please turn to page eight)

wall crushed the life from a boy in Castle Rock, Wash. The front of a building fell on a man in Centralia, Wash., crushing him fatally.

Scientists at the University of Washington said it was a quake of No. 8 intensity—Next door to catastrophe on the scale which rates no. 12 as total destruction.

A woman was so frightened she leaped into the Duwamish river, (Please turn to page eight)