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OREGON DAILY EMERALD

Wednesday, November 15, 1950

Oregana Schedule. . . Oregana picture schedule:

Wednesday: Phi Beta Phi,

Off-campus students A

Alpha Hall, Delta Upsilon, Al-

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University House, Zeta Tau Al-

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Thursday:

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Honorary Takes Lecture Marks 7 New Members Poet's Memory

Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, men's music honorary, pledged seven new members in a ceremony Monday night at the SU.

Pledged were Ray Johnson, sophomore in music; George Boughton, assistant professor of violin; Edmund A. Cykler, associate professor of music; Eorest Durland, junior in music; Glen Garrett, junior in music; Robert Nye, associate professor of music education; and James Crakes, senior in history.

"Wordsworth, the Struggle for

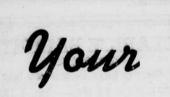
Poetry," a lecture commemorating the English poet's death 100 sor of English.

Chapman, is open to all students, faculty members, and townspeople. This is the third presentation sponsored by the University Lecture Series.

'Last Chance' Sale Of Oregana Now

The 1951 Oregana's "Last Chance" sale ends at 5 p.m. today when the printing schedule for this year's book will be set.

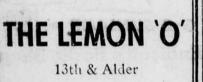
Over half of the books sold during the late sale drive have been purchased under the partial payment plan, in which a student pays \$3 down and \$3 at winter term registration, according to Business Manager Bob Schooling. "We urge any student who wants an Oregana and is short of cash to place \$3 down now in order to be sure to receive his book this year,"Schooling said. Books are on sale in the Co-op and Student Union.



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years ago, will be given at 8 p.m. Thursday by E. G. Moll, profes-The lecture, to be held in 207

New Rush Dates **Available Today**

Some 237 rushees, mostly freshmen, were having their first dates with 21 fraternities Tuesday, and are scheduled to find out today from 3 to 5 p.m. in the Student Union whether any of their dates with fraternities have been dropped.

Rushees whose dates have been cancelled by houses will have an opportunity then to make new dates with other houses. After their last dates tonight, rushees will go to Gerlinger Annex where they will have an opportunity from 10:30 to 11 to break dates which strict grading program for freshwere tentatively made Monday night.

Houses will break dates when they lose interest in the rushees. and rushees will break dates when they lose interest in a particular house. This procedure will be followed again Thursday, enabling rushees and houses to get together with the view of pledging after preferences are filed Friday.

'Last Call' Sent Out For Snappy Yells

Short, snappy yells, to be used at the Oregon-Oregon State game on Nov. 25, should be turned in to the ASUO President's office no later than 5 p.m. today, yell king Ron Symons announced.

Symons said that this year the rally squad would start up the usual "spontaneous" yells, which one or more students generally start. The reason for this, Symons stated, is that the overall effect is more unified and spirited.

Inquiring Reporter **Campus Poll Opinions Vary On Grading** By Larry Hobart

Grades as a help or a hindrance was the object of comment by Oregon students in today's poll. Students were asked whether they favored the use of a grading system at college level or desired abolishment of the compul-

sory evaluating plan. A program calling for a strict grading system since 1939. for freshmen and sophomores and the abolishing of grades for the surviving juniors and seniors also questioned.

Milt Hagan-junior in journalism—"I don't think that grades should be eliminated. However, there is too much emphasis placed on grades by instructors. If grades are to be cut out they should be dropped throughout the school, not for senior and juniors alone."

Burr Boutwell-sophomore in architecture-"I think grades are played up too much in school today. The abolishment of numerical grades would place greater emphasis on individual worth. A men and sophomores with nogrades in upper division work is a good idea although total abolishment would be more satisfactory." Hattelou Thompson-freshman in music-"Grades are necessary, as they help a student strive for a higher goal, but they're certainly hard to get. If a person makes a high GPA in his lower division years he will probably continue to do so and grades shouldn't be required during his final two years."

Phyllis Fartridge-freshman in pre-nursing-"There have to be grades so that students will know where they are going. I think weekly grades would be a good idea. No grades for juniors and seniors wouldn't be too satisfactory as transfer students might enter the school without the period of strict grading behind them which would insure their capabilities."

Cece Daniel-junior in business administration-"I'd like to see all the courses set up on the pass or fail plan. Students who don't work shouldn't be in school anyway."

Norma Hultgren-sophomore in English—"I think grades are necessary, but they seem to be completely over-emphasized on the Oregon campus. There does have to be some kind of a goal for students. Grade standards should be the same throughout the four classes. Upper-division students also need a goal to work toward." Merle Mass-senior in journalism—"They shouldn't have a rigid system of grades with A, B, C, and so forth. Grades aren't indicative anyway. A pass or fail system would be the best plan. Some sort of an entrance examination which would weed out the people without the necessary ability is to be desired. As a compromise, grades for lower division students sounds fair." Ann McLaughlin-freshman in liberal arts-"I feel very strongly that grades should be abolished. Students should be working for an education rather than a grade. The temptation to cheat would be eliminated." Jim Givnan-sophomore in business administration-"Grades are certainly no indication of one's ability. I don't think stiff grade reguirements for freshman and sophomores with no grades for seniors and juniors would be a good plan. People who-scraped through the first two years would probably not work during their upper division years."

Schleicher Handles Speech Scheduling

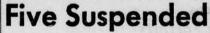
All arrangements for speaking engagements by foreign students will be handled by Charles Schleicher, professor of political science, instead of by James D. Kline, foreign student adviser, it was announced Tuesday by Kline's office.

Any group wishing one of the foreign students as speaker may contact Schleicher at extension 273.

Friday Speaker

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In 1927 he received the Gladstone Memorial Prize and honors in History at the University of received the consideration of those Birmingham. He completed his Master of Arts degree in 1928 on a University Research Scholarship, and received the Commonwealth Fund Fellowship to the John Hopkins University the following year. Dr. Taylor studied history at Harvard in 1930.



(Continued from page one) Straub section where only law students, graduate students and special students live.

Blinds Down

Blinds of the fourth floor room were pulled, he said, and the group was singing. During the evening about 20 students came and went from the room.

"There were only about nine bottles to begin with," he declared, "and several of the guys had a swallow or two. Nobody had enough to get drunk on."

About 1:45 a.m. (Sunday), Associate Director of Student Affairs James D. Kline passed the dormitory and heard the singing.

Kline entered the dormitory and opened the door of the fourth floor room. There were several students in the room. Five were detained by Kline, who took their names and interviewed them further Sunday. Oral suspension followed.

Missing Classes

The five have not been in classes this week, under terms of the oral suspension, the student said.

The law students were fearful Tuesday that a one-term suspension in their cases would be equal to a full year's suspension, since law students cannot begin school in the middle of the year.

They were even more fearful for the foreign student since he is here on a scholarship, they said, and since his visa is contingent upon his going to school.

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"Holiday in Havana" and "Prison Warden"

