

## Wet Snow. . .

...is forecast for part of this morning by the weatherman. Partly cloudy with showers is the forecast for the rest of the day.

# Students Propose Literary Magazine

Four students petitioned the Student Publications board Thursday for the right to begin a campus literary magazine.

The proposal was submitted by Catherine Black, senior in liberal arts; Gerry Pearson, junior in English; Roscoe Wright, graduate in English; and Bill Feeney, graduate in English.

## USA Committee Changes Plans

Members of the interim committee of the United Students association voted Tuesday night to abandon the presidential convention section of their proposed election plan. A committee will be appointed to continue work on the rest of the plan.

The interim is still in favor of the primary election plan in the original proposal which called for a direct election to nominate the candidates for ASUO offices in the general campus election. The convention would have been only to choose the party candidate for student body president.

Virginia Wright, USA interim chairman, stated that it was the "general consensus of opinion in the group" that the primary would accomplish its purpose of greater participation and interest on the part of the students and that the convention proposal was "administratively unwieldy."

The original plan with the convention part included as devised by the USA committee, has been presented to the ASUO senate which voted last week to send it to committee for study.

A motion was also passed to the effect that "those who are eligible for membership in any other campus political party, but wish membership in USA," may register with Helen Jackson, USA secretary, or Dick Paul, USA treasurer.

## Saturday Deadline For Open Rushing

Open rushing season for men will officially close Saturday at noon. In accordance with Interfraternity council regulations, any man who is still planning to pledge must have registered at the Student Affairs office by last Saturday noon. Fifty-five men were registered for open rushing by that time.

"The University fraternities are in a lot better shape on pledge class manpower this year than last," Ray Hawk, director of men's affairs, said Tuesday.

Hawk observed that fraternity members and alumni who have criticized this year's poor turnout for rush week have failed to observe the large number of non-freshmen who pledged outside of rush week. This year 58 boarders and 39 upper classmen pledged during fall term while 120 freshmen pledged during rush week.

Combining these figures with the freshmen who have pledged thus far during open rushing, fraternities have gotten about 250 pledges this year in contrast to their 309 pledges at this time last year. But 110 men who pledged during last year's fall term rush week failed to make their grades, so this year's figures give the fraternities 51 more pledges this year than last year, Hawk pointed out.

## Preparations Set For Senior Ball

With only four days remaining until Saturday's Senior Ball, featuring Oregon's first "name band" since 1949, committee preparations are rolling into high gear.

All-campus ticket sales begin today, with ticket booths in operation from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the Co-op and Student Union. Booth sales will continue through Friday. Tickets now on sale in men's living organizations will be collected Thursday night. Tickets, at \$2.60 a couple, will also be available at the door Saturday night.

### Dick Jurgens Featured

The annual ball, sponsored by the senior class, features the music of Dick Jurgens and his orchestra. Dress is formal, with tuxedos or dark suits for men and formals for women. Flowers are optional.

Dance time is 9 p.m. in the Student Union ballroom.

Promotion Chairman John Gram and his committee are preparing stunts to tie in with the Ball's "Island Interlude" theme. A Co-op window display, pictures on the Student Union bulletin board and hand-painted and printed posters feature Jurgens and the South Seas-Hawaiian theme.

Flying speeches, complete with ukeleles, are now being given in living organizations by the YWCA. Tuesday drama commission. Radio spot announcements on stations KERG and KASH are being handled by Jim Watkins; poster distribution, Roger Zener; poster-making and bulletin board display, Sue Hamilton; flying speeches and window display, Carolyn McLean.

Artistic talent was put to work by Jeanese Crist, Mary Ann Trebin and Martha Weirick in making posters. Signs were also prominently displayed at the Oregon-Oregon State games over the weekend in order to give our northern neighbors the news of the dance.

This year's Senior Ball will mark Jurgens' second appearance on the Oregon campus, but his first in the memory of the present college generation. Jurgens' orchestra played for the Senior Ball sponsored by the class of 1948 in February of that year. Oregon's last "name band" appearance was that of Les Brown in the fall of 1949 for the Sophomore Whiskerino, sponsored by the class of 1952.

## Family Relations Speaker Lists 'Three R's' of Dating

A date who enjoys telling off-color stories, or sometimes displays a superior attitude, isn't the sort of person who will be a good marriage partner, according to the Rev. Fred G. Scherer of the Fairmount Presbyterian church.

At Tuesday night's initial Marriage and Family series lecture in the Student Union, Rev. Scherer declared that respect, mutual recreational interests and religion are the three fundamental factors in establishing a happy marriage.

He described respect as an "affirmative view" towards the other person, adding that the feeling should be mutual.

### Analysis

By analyzing the ingredients of a pleasant evening, a couple can see whether or not they share mutual, wholesome recreational interests, he said.

Regarding religion, Rev. Scherer declared that a couple must elevate the idea of marriage to a spiritual level, thinking of themselves as

## OSC Houses Sign Formal Complaint On Dime Phones

A formal complaint, signed by three Oregon State college Greek houses, protesting the legality of the proposed installation of pay phones there, is in the hands of Peter Gunnar, Salem lawyer for the OSC pay phone committee, and will be filed immediately with the Public Utilities commission.

Norm Goetze, chairman of the Co-op Managers' association at OSC, which has been leading the anti-pay phone fight there, delivered the complaint to Gunnar Tuesday. It was signed by the presidents of Kappa Delta and Alpha Gamma Delta sororities, and Alpha Sigma Phi fraternity. The PUC is required to set a date for a formal hearing within 10 days after it receives a complaint, Goetze said.

### "Oregon... Will Be Invited"

"The University of Oregon and Willamette will undoubtedly be invited by the PUC to participate in the hearing," Goetze said. "Usually, all parties interested in such a dispute are invited." He explained that any action taken in regard to the OSC houses would also be applied to sororities, fraternities and co-ops here.

OSC Greek and co-op houses do not have pay phones at this time. They succeeded in stalling the phone company when an attempt was made to put in coin boxes this fall.

The situation here is different, with pay phones already in the houses; but if OSC succeeds in permanently stopping installation in its own houses, the pay phones would also have to go out at Oregon.

If the OSC group is successful in its protest, the University of Oregon administration has stated that it would ask that pay phones in the dormitories be removed also, in order to assure all students equal telephone service.

### End of Campaign

This news from OSC climaxes a six-month on-again, off-again campaign to remove the payphones or the threat of them from both campuses. The telephone company

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## Soggy Toothbrushes. . .

...interfere with the happy life of the contented college student. See Robert Funk's column on page two of today's Emerald.

## Robbins, Seamen To Discuss UMT At 4 p.m. Today

Universal Military Training will be the topic of a pro and con discussion sponsored by the YWCA sophomore cabinet at 4 p.m. today in the Student Union.

E. C. Robbins, instructor in economics, will speak for the bill, which will be brought to Congress in March. Opposing him is Reverend David Seaman, of the Wesley foundation.

The Universal Military Training bill is separate from the present draft legislation, and was proposed in the House of Representatives last June. It provides for induction of 18-year old men for a six months training period.

This subject has been studied for the past month at weekly Y sophomore cabinet meetings. Sam Saunders, president of the Wesley foundation, spoke against the UMT two weeks ago for the cabinet.

All students are invited to today's debate, and will be able to present their personal opinions at the conclusion of the speeches, announced Marilyn Patterson, chairman.

## Visiting Editor Talks Thursday

James S. Pope, executive editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal, who will be on campus this weekend for the Oregon press conference, is scheduled to speak to several classes and meetings for journalism students Thursday.

All journalism and pre-journalism students have been invited to hear Pope discuss "What Does Journalism Hold for You?" at 7:30 p.m. in the Dad's Lounge of the Student Union.

He will speak to the copy editing class at 9 a.m. Thursday on "Techniques of Journalism," emphasizing desk work. The graduate and foreign student class will hear him at 3 p.m.

## Speech by Bingham Set for Tonight

E. R. Bingham, instructor specializing in Northwest history, will speak at a 4 p.m. meeting today in the Student Union at which first steps toward reactivation of the University of Oregon chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People will be taken.

Reorganization of the unit, which ceased to function last year, was voted at an open meeting of interested students and faculty members last week.

Bingham, a graduate of the University who received his doctorate in history at UCLA last year, will trace the history of attitudes toward racial minorities in Oregon.