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SU Currents

SU Record Room Needs New Staff

Students interested in staffing the Peter Benson Howard music listening room are to contact Student Union Program Director Donna Buse in SU 301 by 5 p.m. Friday.

Student volunteers will be expected to work two or more hours per week, Miss Buse said. During this time they will play record requests.

The music listening room will be from 1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, and also during some weekend hours if possible, she said. Student workers will be able to use the room at any time.

An Open Letter to the Senate

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An open letter to: Tom Wrightson, Don Collin, Wes Ball, Don Crawford, Ward Cook, Bob Funk, Sally Hayden, Marilyn Parrish, Hollis Ransom, Tom Shepherd, Bob Summers, Paul Lasker, Elsie Schiller, Don Fisher, Jim Light, Len Calvert, Ann Blackwell, Bob Kanada, Jim Duncan, Sam Vahey and Janet Gustafson.

Dear senate members:

Tonight you will meet to begin the 1953-54 school year's business as Oregon's governing body. We sincerely hope that you will carefully consider the responsibility placed in you by the students in spring term's election, and the potentialities of your job.

As you know, the ASUO senate is the official representative body of the students, and as such has the power to act in their behalf. There are limits, of course, determined by that amount of control that is exercised by the University administration, and the faculty.

But, within those limits, there is much that you can do. (And responsible, earnest accomplishments and pushing on your part may help to remove some of the limitations on your area of action.)

As far as the students are concerned, you have a free hand. The Student Union board, the student publications board, and like bodies exercise certain policy-making jurisdiction in their particular areas, but even there you are free to investigate and advocate. You are the chosen spokesman for the student body.

Two years ago the senate joined the student fight for the removal of pay phones from campus living organizations. The fight was successful. The senate has worked on the millrace problem and the reconstruction of the "O"—although more could have been done in both cases.

You have already got the honor code program going pretty strong again. You can take on additional functions—such as better seating for students at Hayward field and more power and jurisdiction for the student court.

Senates in past years have been criticized by some as being meaningless. Many students don't give a hoot about the senate. This attitude is not completely unjustified. Apathy on the part of quite a few former senators, who didn't exert themselves very much (even to the point of seldom attending meetings), has done much to justify the feeling.

It's up to you.

Sincerely yours,
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Interstate Commission Helps Medical Students

The top floor of Johnson hall now houses the offices of a new higher education commission with jurisdiction covering eight Western states.

It is the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education, set up to provide education in medicine, dentistry and veterinary medicine for students from institutions not providing such education.

The commission's executive director is William C. Jones, who resigned as dean of administration (assistant to the president) of the University of Oregon in June, after H. K. Newburn's resignation as president of Oregon.

Organized under a compact of the states of Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah and Wyoming, the commission has three members from each state, appointed by the respective governors. Jones is the first full-time administrator for the three-month old organization;

many other academic fields the organization could feasibly enter. The answer is pretty uncertain, he explained, because of the youth of the commission.

The success of a similar commission of 14 Southern states, set up about five years ago, gave impetus to Western Interstate, Jones explained. However, the concern for such an organization was even greater in the South, because of the problems of segregated education there, he said.

Bowling Leagues Begin Next Week

Students interested in participating in the Student Union bowling leagues may sign up now at the recreation desk in the SU basement, according to Louis Bellisimo, recreation director.

Three leagues are being organized to bowl for seven weeks.

The fraternity league will begin Tuesday and the dormitory league Wednesday, both at 6:30 p.m. The all-campus mixed doubles, open to both students and faculty will begin Thursday at 7 p.m.

SU Petitions Held

Due to women's rushing, the deadline for submitting petitions for the Student Union committees has been extended to John Shaffer, personnel committee chairman. Meeting of petitioners will be announced later, he said.

UIS Meets Today

United Independent Students, campus political party, will hold an open meeting this afternoon at 3 in the Student Union.

President Hollis Ransom has invited all interested independent students to attend the meeting.

College Poetry Contest Open

The National Poetry association has announced its tenth annual poetry contest for college students. Any student attending either a junior or senior college is eligible, and there are no limitations as to size or theme.

The closing date for the submission is Nov. 5. Poems must be typed or printed on a separate sheet and must bear the name and home address of the student as well as the name of the college attended.

Manuscripts should be sent to the National Poetry association, 3210 Selby Ave., Los Angeles 34, Calif.

Campus Calendar

Noon	Sigma Xi	110 SU
	Phi Beta Cab	111 SU
	Drama Staff	112 SU
	Journ	113 SU
3:00	UIS	111 SU
	Oregana Open Hse	308 SU
4:00	Mt. Climbing Grp	112 SU
	RE Wk Exec	319 SU
6:30	IFC	112 SU
	ASUO Senate	334 SU
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WILLIAM C. JONES

his office is on the same floor of Johnson as the chancellor's offices, tentatively to remain there until June 30, but with no arrangements for changing, as of now.

High Cost Impetus

Because of the high cost of setting up schools of medicine, dentistry and veterinary medicine by states not possessing such schools, Jones explained, the compact was organized. Eight state legislatures ratified the compact, and a total of \$300,000 has been appropriated for contracts to exchange students between the states.

Students from Montana, Wyoming, Arizona and New Mexico will attend the Colorado medical school; students from Arizona will attend the Oregon dental school; and those from Oregon, Arizona and Montana, the Colorado A & M veterinary school.

Six From Oregon

This year six boys from Oregon are going to the Colorado A & M veterinary school, and six will attend next year. The commission pays \$1200 per boy to the Colorado school, and each student has to pay only the Colorado resident tuition fee.

The compact was originally planned for 11 states and Hawaii and Alaska. But the legislatures of the territories and the three other states, California, Washington and Nevada, have not ratified.

One question facing the new commission, Jones said, is how

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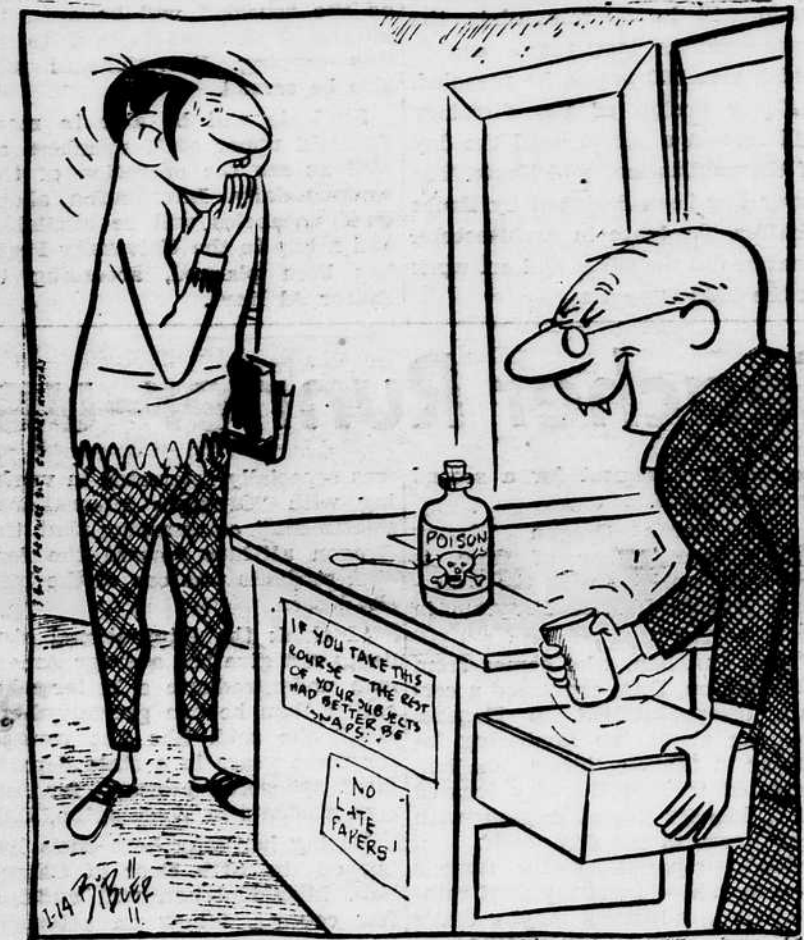
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