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To Change Or Not to Change?

A proposal to move up the date of Junior Weekend and Mother's Day one full week so it will no longer coincide with national Mothers' day is on the agenda for the Student Affairs Committee meeting this afternoon.

The proposed change would move the traditional spring term observance from May 7, 8 and 9 to May 14, 15 and 16.

Faculty members of Student Affairs spent the last two weeks polling various campus groups for student reaction to the change. Results: Heads of House, the Student Union board and the house social chairmen, both men and women, cast almost unanimous votes in favor of changing the date. When the suggestion went to the ASUO Senate, the members voted against the change.

What are the pro and con issues involved in this change of dates?

The honored guests of the week-end—Oregon Mothers—first suggested the switch through their executive council. Seems that some mothers would like to be home with the rest of the family for national Mothers' Day. The present arrangement allows most mothers a sometimes harried week-end with only one member of the family.

Another pleasant thought, switching dates might confuse the weather prophets enough to we'd have fair skies for the week-end's big events.

Taking a closer look at the planned social calendar, we begin to see some indication of why house officers voted in favor of the proposal. Duck Preview, with the Vaudeville, entertaining high school guests and WSSF drive climaxe, is slated for April 23 and 24.

Leaving the date as scheduled allows two weeks between the biggest events of spring term. Those two weeks are naturally crammed with work on the all-campus sing and plans for house floats. The proposed change would lengthen the recovery and recuperation period to three weeks.

Heading opposition arguments is the natural tendency to balk at a change in tradition. Mothers' Day has for years been the time for the big week-end and it's hard to accept a change.

We've also heard that it's a little unfair to a student who is an only child and would like his mother on campus for the national holiday.

It might possibly take a little of the meaning out of the observance of Mother's Day in conjunction with Junior Weekend if the national observance and campus celebration remain so close, chronologically speaking.

Even with the strong pull of sentiment and tradition, the move appears to be a step towards a more organized and well spaced program of activities for spring term.

Granted that there will be no closed-door revelations to the deciding board, it seems now a clear-cut case of student opinion asking that Student Affairs vote in favor of change.—(E.S.)



UO Anthropologists Back Theory Group To Discuss Education Topic

New anthropological specimens will soon be added to the department of natural history, as a result of excavations made this summer in Katmai National monument, Alaska, by James Leech and Wilbur A. Davis, graduate students in anthropology.

Their findings in the Valley of Ten Thousand Smokes, the site of an Eskimo village covered by volcanic ash, seem to bear out the department's theory of a one time relationship between the Eskimos and Aleuts. Similarity in design and workmanship of the stone knives, adzes, lambrets and har-

poons, form the basis for this conclusion.

Reasons for this similarity between these tribes has been theorized in a statement by Leech. "These tribes (Aleuts and Eskimos) are both believed to be descendants of a pre-Eskimo tribe, who probably came across the Bering sea from Asia 4500 years ago," he said.

The influence of the Russian traders who occupied this territory from 1741-1867 has also been uncovered. However this influence has not been found to be pronounced, the Indians of both tribes preferring to follow the customs of their ancestors.

Plans are underway for further excavation of this area next year, Leech said.

CAMPUS BRIEFS

Paul S. Dull, associate professor of political science and history who was a Fulbright scholar in Japan last year, will speak to the Social Science club at its first meeting of the year Monday evening. Dull's topic will be "Some Dynamics of Japanese Politics."

All items for the Campus Religious Notes column should be turned in to Mitzi Asai at the Emerald shack by 5 p.m. today.

House librarians will meet at 4 p.m. today in the SU browsing room, according to Hollis Ransom, treasurer of the group. Representatives from all living organizations are requested to attend.

The freshman social council will meet at 4 p.m. today in the office of student affairs in Emerald hall, according to Si Ellingson, counselor for men, and Virginia Kempston, assistant to the director of women's affairs.

Amphibians, women's swimming honorary, will hold tryouts tonight at 7 p.m. in Gerlinger, according to Sally Stadelman, president.

Alpha Kappa Delta, sociology honorary, will elect new members during a meeting tonight at 7 at the home of J. V. Berreman, head of the sociology department, 1379 E. 21st. The group will also hear a report from Walter Martin of the department who spent last year in research, according to Pat Ward, president.

More petitions are needed for the various Homecoming committees, according to Bob Pollock, general co-chairman of the week-end. Sophomores, juniors and seniors with committee experience are especially wanted, Pollock said.

Deadline for submitting Religious Evaluation week petitions is 5 p.m. today. They may be turned in to Barbara Swanson at Carson hall or to the YMCA office in the Student Union.

All living organizations are to send a representative to the meeting of the house librarians at 4 p.m. today, according to Hollis Ransom, treasurer of the organization. The meeting will be held in the Student Union browsing room.

Alpha Phi Omega, men's service honorary, will meet in the Student Union at 7:30 this evening, reports Jerry Froebe, president. The organization recently installed a chapter at the Southern Oregon College of Education.

All members of Theta Sigma Phi, national women's journalism honorary, are to meet in the Student Union at noon Friday, according to Kitty Fraser, president.

All Emerald staff members should attend the general staff meeting tonight at 6:30 in the shack next to Deady hall, according to Managing Editor Jackie Wardell. The meeting is an important one as financial problems and general procedures will be discussed, Miss Wardell said.

Springfield, Junction City, Cottage Grove and Eugene area members of the Oregon Dads club will meet at 8 p.m. today in the Student Union, according to Leroy Erdman, president.

Group To Discuss Education Topic

"Does Our American Educational System Educate?" is the topic for a foreign student coffee hour discussion today at 4 p.m. in the Student Union.

First of a series on American culture, history and government, the discussions are being sponsored by the Eugene Foreign Student Friendship Foundation.

Discussion leaders are E. G. Ebbighausen, associate professor of physics, C. P. Schleicher, professor of political science, William C. Jones, executive director of the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education and Joan Hutchins.

Tentative dates and topics for the next three discussions are: Oct. 22, "As We in the U.S. See Ourselves"; Nov. 5, "As We View the World," and Nov. 19 "How You Saw the U. S. and How You Now See It."

Campus Calendar

10:00 Advisory Coun	315 SU
Noon Phi Beta Cab	111 SU
RE Wk Exec	319 SU
3:00 Whiskerino Comm	334 SU
4:00 Foreign Stu Coffee Hr	110 SU
Mt. Climb Gr	333 SU
Stu Affairs Com	337 SU
6:30 IFC	333 SU
7:00 Phi Delta Phi Gerl 1st Fl	
Delta Theta Phi	
Gerl 3rd Fl	
7:30 Alpha Phi Omega	334 SU
Lane Co Dads Ballrm	SU
8:00 Educ Dessert	110 SU

Lit Professor Edits Journal

Chandler B. Beall, professor of romance languages, announced Tuesday that the fifth volume of the journal, "Comparative Literature," has been released from the press.

Beall is editor of the publication, which is issued by the University of Oregon in cooperation with the Comparative Literature Section of the Modern Language Association of America.

Listening In ... On KWAX

- 880 kc
- 6 p.m. Sign On
- 6:03 Piano Moods
- 6:15 Sports Shots
- 6:30 News
- 6:45 Four for a Quarter
- 7 University Hour
- 8 Gai Paree
- 8:15 UN Story
- 8:30 The SU and You
- 9 Kwaxworks
- 10:50 News Headlines
- 10:55 Tune to Say Goodnight
- 11 Sign Off

Money Allocated For River Work

(P) - Oregon Senator Guy Cordon says that enough money has been allocated for the Army Engineers to maintain the Columbia river channel from Portland to the sea at a full depth of 35 feet and full width of 500 feet. Cordon indicated in a report today of President Carvel Linden of the Chamber of Commerce that the work will be completed soon after the first of the year.

Linden says that in recent years the Columbia channel project has not received enough money to maintain the channel at proper depth and width.

Tax Group Names Macy as Member

Ward C. Macy, head of the economics department, has been named to the committee on resolutions and recommendations at the annual meeting of the National Tax association of Louisville, Ky.

Macy presented a paper on "Property Tax Equalization" at the conference.

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