

# 'Speakers' Win Tournament

## Second Condon Lecture Tonight

Ralph Buchsbaum, professor of zoology at the University of Pittsburgh, will deliver the second Condon lecture on "The Sea and the Life Within" tonight at 8 p. m. in the Student Union ballroom.

This second illustrated lecture, "Man Studies and Understands the Sea," was originally scheduled for Thursday, Feb. 11 but was postponed because of illness of the speaker.

Buchsbaum's second talk, intended for the non-specialist as was his first, will cover the newer techniques of oceanography, and will tell the story of its development.

The Condon lecturer's first talk was entitled "Man Fears and Explores the Sea." In it he related the early ideas and myths about the sea and explained the beginnings of exploration and the growth of knowledge about the sea.

The Condon lectures were established in 1944 in honor of Thomas Condon, first professor of geology at Oregon, by the Oregon State Board of Higher Education. Each year since then, a series of two non-technical lectures have been presented at the University, at Oregon State college and in Portland.

Buchsbaum, formerly a professor at the University of Chicago, is the author of the book, "Animals Without Backbones" and received the Chicago prize for excellence in teaching in 1940.



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## Badeau to Talk On Near East

John Badeau, president of the Near East foundation in New York, will tell "What is at Stake in the Near East" at a University assembly Thursday at 1 p. m. in the Student Union ballroom.

Badeau's connection with the Near East dates from 1928, when he took up residence in Iraq as a member of the United Mission in

Army ROTC drill will be held Tuesday at 1 p. m. instead of Thursday because of the University assembly speaker scheduled for Thursday at 1 p. m.

All other classes which regularly meet Thursday at 1 will meet Tuesday at the same hour, so that students may attend the assembly featuring John Badeau, president of the Near East foundation.

Mesopotamia. He served as a builder for the Mission, having been trained as a civil and sanitary engineer. During his stay in Iraq, he began studying the Ara-

bic language, culture and history, being particularly interested in the problem of the Arab world's adjustment to Western civilization.

### Close Contact with Arabs

In 1938, while he was a member of the staff of the American University of Cairo, he was appointed dean of the college of arts and sciences. This post brought him into close contact with many Arab countries from which the University's students came.

On leave of absence from the university during the war, the speaker served with the United States Office of War Information as chief regional specialist for the Middle East. His work entailed a close knowledge of Eastern affairs, with control of the news and information program presenting America's war aims and effort to the Arab world.

### President of University

After the war, Badeau returned to Cairo to become president of the American university, a position he held until joining the Near East foundation in 1953.

Badeau's latest trip through the Near East was in the summer of 1953, when he traveled from Egypt to Iran, Syria, Lebanon and Greece.

When he left Egypt to become president of the Near East foundation, one of the oldest and best-known philanthropic service organizations in the United States, the new Egyptian government of General Mohammed Naguib decorated Badeau with the Order of the Nile in appreciation of his services to Egypt.

## First Sweepstake Trophy Since '51

The University forensic team piled up 57½ points at the annual tyro tournament at the College of Puget Sound in Tacoma last weekend to take their first sweepstakes trophy since the fall of 1951.

Points are awarded to teams on the basis of place winnings in debate and individual speaking events. Seattle Pacific college was in second place with 38½ points and Pacific university and Pacific Lutheran college tied for third with 38 points. Teams from colleges all over the Pacific Northwest competed in the annual tournament.

The Oregon team dominated debate competition by taking second place in both men's and

women's divisions and garnering third place in women's debate. Bruce Holt and Donna DeVries took second place in men's debate as a mixed team; Sue Shreeve and Pat Peterson took a second in women's debate, and Loretta Mason and JoAnn Hutchinson placed third.

## Traveling Actors Slate First Show

"Show Business, U of O", this year's University exchange assembly, will travel to Pleasant Hill school Tuesday for its first show. The production will play to the University audience Wednesday, March 3 in McArthur court.

Various phases of show business, night club, theater, television and movies are represented by songs, dances, monologues and magic acts.

The purpose of the assembly is to promote good will between the University and the colleges and high schools it visits, according to Gloria Lee, co-chairman of the show. This is the third year such an assembly has been given.

Co-directed by Miss Lee and Pat Henry, the cast includes: Donna Aaris, Donna Brewer, Keith Cameron, Earle Culbertson, Gary Donnell, Joanne Edstrom, Ann Erickson, Don Finlay, Sue French, Mary Dee Fulp, Barbara Johnson, Jim Jones, Scott Lehner, Donna Maulding, Patricia McCann, Bob McClain, Don Mickelwait, Rodger Middleton, Ann Moyes, Lyn Rohlfis, Howard Schureman, Larry Smith, Diana Starr, Doug Stobie, Mark Tapscott, Verla Thompson, Rod Vlasak, Carl Winans, and Marv Young.

### First in Impromptu

Miss Peterson also ranked first in women's extemporaneous speaking and impromptu.

In varsity competition, which does not go towards awarding of the sweepstakes trophy, Bill Cheek took first place in discussion and Don Mickelwait took first place in extemporaneous speaking. Cheek also made the finals in extempore. Trophies are awarded for each first place win, which makes a total of five trophies brought home by the University team.

Other place winnings included Leland Nee, second place in men's extempore and Loretta Mason, second place in women's interpretative reading.

Miss DeVries, only Oregon entry in lower division oratory, made the finals in women's oratory but failed to place. Holt also made the finals in impromptu speaking.

Other Oregon entries included: lower division, women's extempore, Miss DeVries and Miss Shreeve; women's impromptu, Miss Shreeve; women's interpretative reading, Miss Hutchinson and Miss Sheeve; varsity, debate, Karl Harshbarger and Cheek, Mickelwait and Nee; oratory, Harshbarger; and discussion, Miss Mason, Miss Hutchinson and Holt.

### 'Proud of Them'

"I'm very proud of them. For a group of beginners in college competitive speech, with little experience, the team certainly came through," Herman Cohen, assistant professor of speech in charge of forensics, said Sunday evening. Cohen and James Wood, graduate assistant in speech, accompanied the team to Tacoma. They returned to Eugene late Saturday night.

Several members of the squad are in Portland today and Tuesday to compete in the annual Portland Town Meeting. The meeting is on a competitive basis, with speakers participating in forum discussions before audiences of high school and college students and Portland civic groups.

## YWCA Announces Office Candidates

Mary Wilson, junior in speech, and Camille Wold, junior in English, will be candidates for the YWCA presidency in Thursday's election, Barbara Swanson, YW vice-president has announced.

Running for the position of second vice-president are Carol Cross, junior in business, and Joan Havland, junior in sociology.

Nominees for secretary on the YWCA slate are Hope Holgerson, junior in business, and Rose Warner, junior in physics.

Gail West and Meta Jean Frink, sophomores in business, are candidates for treasurer of the cabinet.

Sophomore commission chairman candidates are Nan Hagedorn and Betty Anderson, freshmen in liberal arts. Running for sophomore commission secretary are Annie Laurie Quackenbush and Jean Fay, freshmen in liberal arts.

YWCA elections, as well as Associated Women Students and Women's Recreation association voting, will be held Thursday. Announcement of the candidates for AWS and WRA offices is traditionally made the day of elections.

All women students are eligible to vote in the AWS elections, but only members of the YW and WRA may vote in their organization elections.

Appointive positions in the YW-

CA cabinet are assistant treasurer, junior and sophomore adviser, and chairmanships for program, worship, religious growth, public affairs, international affairs, membership, faculty-athomes, conference, promotion, publicity and service.

## Tickets for Senior Ball On Sale in Organizations

### World Wide Publicity

"Winter Wonderland," annual Senior ball sponsored by the senior class and open to everyone on campus, will be held Feb. 20 in the Student Union ballroom.

Tickets are now on sale in each of the men's living organizations. They are also available at the SU main desk. Price is \$2 per couple.

The dance is formal, with either tuxes or dark suits in order for men and formals for women. Corsages are optional, according to Paul Lasker, general chairman.

Bill Becker and his "Jantzen beach band" will play for the dance, to be held from 9 to 12:30 p. m. Featured vocalist with the band is Pauline Pauls, one of Portland's top song stylists.

A contest for ticket selling is being held among the house representatives. The contest was devised by ticket co-chairmen Bob Berry and Jack McClenahan.

All representatives selling 20 or more tickets will have their names placed on a pass list kept at the door, and will be able to attend the dance free. Also on the pass list will be names of all committee chairmen for the dance, according to Berry and McClenahan.

## Sororities Pledge Ten During Rush

Sororities have pledged ten women during the winter term formal rush period, according to the office of student affairs.

Pledges include Kay Hyatt, Alpha Chi Omega; Karen Kraft, Deloris Metzger, Glenna Pearl and Carole Adams, Alpha Phi; Maureen Hurley and Mary Egan, Gamma Phi Beta;

Mary Carr, Kappa Kappa Gamma; Beverly Lemmon, Sigma Kappa and Patricia Freeburger, Zeta Tau Alpha.



SURROUNDED by piles of teletype copy are Jack Lally, Senior ball promotion chairman; Paul Lasker, general chairman, and Anne Ritchey, publicity chairman. The three are planning world-wide publicity for the dance, scheduled for Feb. 20.

## Griffiths Voted 'King of Hearts'

Ron Griffiths, junior in business, was named "King of Hearts" Saturday night at the YWCA-sponsored Heart Hop, and was crowned by YWCA president Cathy Siegmund, at Chi Omega.

Griffiths, candidate of Chi Omega and Sigma Chi, was dunked on the Chi Omega front lawn in a small tub, immediately following the crowning ceremony. Performing the dunking ceremony were the other finalists, Bob Berry, Bruce Purvine, Dick Bruce, Wes Ball and Milan Foster.

Following the crowning, dancing was held at Kappa Alpha Theta, Pi Beta Phi, Chi Omega and Zeta Tau Alpha.