

# UO Women To Elect Officers

## Gerlinger Poll Opens at 12:30

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## Near East Topic Of 1 p. m. Assembly

"What Is at Stake in the Near East" will be the topic for today's university assembly at 1 p. m. in the Student Union ballroom. Fourth in a series of winter term lectures, the speaker will be John Badeau, president of the Near East foundation.

Badeau will also be presented at a coffee hour forum committee, a member of the coffee hour forum committee, has announced.

A resident of the Near East for 20 years, Badeau is slated to give a sympathetic interpretation of the problems of the area. Badeau assumed his present position last July, upon his resignation as president of the American university at Cairo, Egypt.

With the university since 1936, Badeau served with the United States office of war information on a leave of absence during the war.

He has also served on the Egyptian government's committee for private schools and committee to review university studies. He also was a member of the Egyptian association for social studies, associate editor of the Journal of Modern Education, occasional examiner for the Egyptian university and chairman of the Near East Christian council's committee on education.

The new government of General Mohammed Naguib decorated Badeau with the Order of the Nile when he left Egypt.

Possessing a comprehensive knowledge of Near Eastern affairs, Badeau saw the end of the British mandate in Iraq in 1932, as well as the Assyrian revolt which followed. He was also present when King Farouk ascended to the throne in 1936 when the Anglo-Egyptian treaty was signed. Badeau was at hand when the same treaty was denounced in 1951 and when the king was deposed in 1952.

## Senior Ball Sales Continue at SU

Tickets for the Senior ball will continue on sale at the Student Union main desk until Friday at 5 p. m., and will also be on sale at the dance, according to Bob Berry and Jack McClenahan, ticket co-chairmen.

Price is \$2 per couple for the dance, which is the first all-campus formal dance of the year. Dark suits or tuxes are in order for men and formal for women. Corsages are optional.

Music will be furnished by the "Jantzen Beach band" of Bill Becker, which has been house band there and at the Palais Royale and McElroy's in Portland. Becker's group has also played at many college campuses.

Following the theme of "Winter Wonderland," the ballroom will be decorated around a color scheme of blue and white, according to decorations co-chairmen Jane Flipper and Dick Briggs.

Anyone interested in working on the actual decorating is invited by the committee to go to the ballroom Friday, any time from 3 p. m. to 1 a. m. Decorating work will also be done Saturday from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

The dance will begin at 9 p. m. and last until 12:30 a. m. Clean-up following dancing will be done by members of Alpha Phi Omega, men's service honorary.

## ONPA Confab Begins Friday

The 35th annual Oregon Press Conference will open at 8:30 a. m. Friday with registration at the Student Union. The two-day conference, held on the U of O campus each year, is sponsored by the Oregon Newspaper Publishers Association and the school of journalism.

According to Carl Webb, assistant professor of journalism and executive secretary of the ONPA, all students interested in journalism are invited to attend any of the sessions of the conference.

Friday morning five German newspapermen, who are attending the University under the German journalism program, will discuss the meanings of the riots in Berlin last June.

The program events for Friday morning, all in the SU, are as follows:

- 8:30 a. m. — Registration
- 9:30 a. m. — General Session. Tom B. Purcell, Gresham Outlook, presiding.
- 9:35 a. m. — "Notes from a Copy Editor's Book" Warren C. Price, associate professor of journalism.
- 10 a. m. — "Berlin, June 17, 1953, and Its Meaning," presented by Eric W. Allen Jr., City Editor of the Medford Mail Tribune, and Herbert John, Franz Oexle, Hans Biesenberger, Jurgen Dobberke and Lothar Loewe.
- 10:40 a. m. — "Those First 100 Days as Publisher," Robert W. Chandler of the Bend Bulletin.
- 11:10 a. m. — "How a Senator Looks at Newspapers," State Senator Stewart Hardie of the Condon Globe-Times and Fossil Journal.
- 12:05 p. m. — Luncheon. W. Arthur Steele, Clatskanie Chief and ONPA President, presiding. "The Eternal Burden of Mankind," William C. Jones, executive director, Western Interstate Commission on Higher Education, Eugene.

## Board Rejects Addition Bids

All construction bids on the 300-man addition to John Straub dormitory were rejected Tuesday by the building committee of the State Board of Higher Education, because even the lowest combination of bids exceeded by \$75,000 the funds available for the job.

The lowest basic construction bid of \$818,654 was entered by the W. H. Shields Construction Co. of Eugene. Combined with other low bids on mechanical, electrical and cabinet woodwork, the lowest total bid received was \$1,184,522.

The matter will be referred to the entire board at its next meeting, March 8 and 9. Meanwhile the building committee will be studying possible means of raising additional funds or modifying plan on the dormitory project.

The four story addition to John Straub is to be financed through bonds and the sale of trailers previously used for temporary housing.

The addition, to be built of reinforced concrete with brick veneer, will cost an estimated \$3,800 per man for 300 men.

## Circus Characters to Swim As Aqua-gals Stage Pageant

by Mary Alice Allen  
Emerald Reporter

Circus animals, trapeze artists and clowns will invade the men's pool tonight and Friday at 8 p. m., when Amphibians, women's swimming honorary, stages its annual water pageant.

Tickets for the event cost 80 cents and may be purchased from any Amphibian member who is in the show or at the booth outside the pool on both performance nights.

"Under the Big Top" is the theme of the pageant, which will be a water version of a real circus. Decorations will create the effect of a huge circus tent with elephants and fluffy cotton candy for added detail, according to Sally Stadelman, Amphibian president and general chairman for the event.

"Popcorn and Lemonade" will open the show, which will include ten acts, intermission entertainment and the grand finale. A merry-go-round will be featured in the second number. Some of the other numbers will include "Lovely

Lady," "Be a Jumping Jack" and "Picnic in the Park." In the latter act the swimmers will characterize monkeys.

Master of ceremonies for the event will be a side show barker played by Scott Lehner, sophomore in speech. Lehner will "call" the audience to each act. Exhibition divers and clowns will entertain during the intermission.

## Preview Chairman Petitioners Wanted

Students interested in petitioning for general chairman of the annual Duck Preview weekend, April 23 and 24, have been asked to contact Donald M. DuShane, director of student affairs, for information about the weekend.

Deadline for submitting petitions for the chairmanship is next Thursday at 5 p. m., Tom Wrightson, ASUO president, has announced. Petitions are to be turned in at the ASUO office, Student Union 304.

Officers for three women's organizations on campus will be selected today in the annual winter term women's election day. Voting for the officers of Associated Women's Students, Women's Recreation association and the campus YWCA will be held from 12:30 to 6 p. m. today in the lobby of Gerlinger hall.

All University women are eligible to vote for the AWS officers. Only active members of WRA and the YW can vote for officers of those groups. In addition, WRA members will be voting on a new constitution for the organization.

An assembly to introduce the candidates will be held at 12:25 p. m. in Alumni hall of Gerlinger. Open nominations for AWS officers may also be made at this time.

### Slates Announced

Prepared slates of candidates for the offices have already been released by the three women's groups. Of the two candidates for president in each organization, one will be elected president and the other will become vice-president.

Nominated for AWS presidency are Janet Wick, junior in history, and Rosmary Hampton, junior in speech. WRA presidential hopefuls are Sally Stadelman, sophomore in sociology, and Nikki Trump, junior in business. Mary Wilson, junior in speech, and Camille Wold, junior in English, are candidates for the YW presidency.

Other candidates for AWS office are: Jane Bergstrom, sophomore in art, and Sally Ryan, sophomore in pre-journalism, nominated for secretary; Olivia Tharaldson and Margaret Tyler, both freshmen in liberal arts, sergeant-at-arms; Valerie Hersh and Marcia Mauney, also both freshmen in liberal arts, reporter; and Edna Humiston and Donna Hill, treasurer.

Judy Counts, sophomore in liberal arts, and Doris Liljeberg, junior in physical education, are running for WRA secretary. Seeking the WRA treasurer position are Prudence Ducich, sophomore in art, and Charlotte Martin, sophomore in physical education.

Other WRA candidates are: Darlene Hammer, sophomore in physical education, and Delores Schleichert, sophomore in liberal arts, nominated for custodian; and Carol Harrison, junior in physical education, and Kathleen Morrison, freshman in liberal arts, sergeant-at-arms.

### YW Candidates Named

Running for second vice-president of the YW are Carol Cross, junior in business, and Joan Havland, junior in sociology. YW secretarial candidates are Hope Hoegerson, junior in business, and Rose Warner, junior in philosophy.

Other YW candidates are: Gail West and Meta Jean Frink, sophomores in business, nominated for treasurer; Nan Hagedorn and Betty Anderson, freshmen in liberal arts, sophomore commission chairman; and Annie Laurio Quackenbush and Jean Fay, freshmen in liberal arts, sophomore commission secretary.

## Jr. Weekend Planning Set

The first step in the 1954 Junior Weekend planning will begin Monday at 4 p. m. when houses' representatives will meet with Jim Light, junior class president and chairman of the event.

Light has requested that all living organizations have representatives present, preferably juniors. The representatives will act as a liaison between the junior class officers and their living organizations, Light said. Petitions for weekend committee will also be distributed at this time.

Approximately 200 workers will be needed to handle all the details of the weekend, Light reported.



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JANET WICK