



Portland Symphony to Play



THE PORTLAND SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
All this, and Stravinsky too

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Emerald Reporter

Igor Stravinsky, conducting the Portland Symphony orchestra in a program of his own compositions, will appear in McArthur court tonight at 8 under the auspices of the Eugene-University Civic Music association.

Admission to the concert is free to University students upon pre-

Science Honorary Sponsors Lecture

A. A. Benson of the radiation laboratory of the University of California at Berkeley will address a meeting of the Oregon chapter of Sigma Xi, science honorary tonight at 8 p. m. The lecture is scheduled for Science 30 and is open to all interested persons, according to George Gorin, chapter president.

"Photosynthesis," the process by which plants live, will be the topic of the lecture. The University of California radiation laboratory has done important work in this field in which Benson has participated, said Gorin.

Petitions Due Now For '55 RE Week

Petitions for 1955 Religious Evaluation week chairman are due Friday noon in the YMCA office, according to Russ Walker, YMCA executive secretary.

Petitions for committee chairmen will be called for later and planning for next year's RE week will be started this spring term.

Play Begins Friday; Tickets Available Now

Shakespeare's colorful historical play "Richard II" will open this Friday on the main stage of the University theater under the direction of Otilie T. Seyboldt, associate professor of speech. Tickets are now on sale at the theater box-office between 1 and 5 p. m. this week and next.

The play will run Friday and Saturday this weekend and Monday through Thursday next week.

Don Van Boskirk, senior in speech, and Bill Hathaway, junior in speech, have been cast as the two opposing forces, Richard and Henry Bolingbroke. Loanne Morgan, junior in speech, will play Richard's queen.

John of Gaunt and Edmond, duke of York, uncles of King Richard, will be played by George Harding, graduate in education, and Winston Rust, junior in

sentation of student body cards. Program for the concert had not been announced as of Monday evening.

Born in Russia, Composer-Conductor Stravinsky studied composition and instrumentation with Nicolai Rimsky-Korsakoff. Early compositions brought him to the attention of Sergei Diaghilev, for whom he composed a ballet, "The Firebird," which was produced in Paris when he was 28.

Following his association with Diaghilev, Stravinsky left Russia in 1910, living for a time in Switzerland and settling in France in 1920. In 1939 he came to this country and obtained his citizenship in 1945.

In honor of his musicianship Stravinsky was invited in 1952 to take part in the "Works of the 20th Century" festival in Paris, where all of his varied talents were displayed.

At the festival Pierre Monteux led the Boston symphony in his

"Le Sacre du Printemps," which Monteux had conducted in the same Paris theater 39 years before in its initial performance. Stravinsky himself conducted a program of his own works, his ballet "Orpheus" and "Oedipus Rex," with Jean Cocteau as speaker.

Groups Install Tonight in SU

New officers of WRA, AWS and YWCA will be installed tonight at 6:30 in the Student Union, according to Judy McLoughlin, outgoing AWS president.

All women on campus are invited to attend the installation, for which campus clothes are in order, said Miss McLoughlin. Officers will wear short silks and heels.

The ceremony will last until 7:30 p. m., and refreshments will be served.

'Show Business - UO' Plays Here Wednesday

"Show Business - U of O" will be presented in Mac Court Wednesday at 8 p. m.

The Oregon exchange assembly, composed of various types of student talent from dancers to a magician, is an annual variety show which travels to colleges and high schools throughout the state.

This year the theme is various phases of show business which are represented by the different talents

of the entertainment world.

"Running the gamut from the comedy of "Triplets" to the well-coordinated dancing of "Man Hunt," the exchange assembly has an act to please everyone," said Pat McCann, publicity chairman.

Oregon's traveling talent show has already been to Corvallis and Pleasant Hill, and is in Salem today. Next week they will visit Portland schools.

English Professor Schedules Lecture

Carlisle Moore, associate professor of English, will speak on two books, "The Rainbow" and "Women in Love" by the highly controversial author D. H. Lawrence at the Student Union browsing room Wednesday at 8 p. m. Moore selected Lawrence for the subject of his lecture because of "his original view of human nature."

Phi Beta Adds Seven During Rites Thursday

Seven new names were added to the ranks of Phi Beta, national professional fraternity for women in music and speech, during initiation services Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Irene Bryan, alumna.

The new members include Eva Jean Miller, Virginia Nye, Gloria Lee, Pat Adkisson, Janie Moore, Sharlene Stewart and Donna Peterson.

Ruz To Discuss Mexican Ruins

The adventure of "Palenque and Its Royal Tomb" will be relived at today's 1 p. m. University assembly in the Student Union ballroom by Alberto Ruz, the man who discovered the fabulous tomb.

Ruz will use colored slides to emphasize the beauty of Mayan art in the sacred city of Palenque. The speaker is a member of

Thursday Rally Set for Wilson

A student welcome rally for O. Meredith Wilson, president elect of the University, will be held Thursday at 10:45 a. m. at the Student Union, according to Sally Stadelman, rally board chairman.

A request to have classes called off between 10:30 and 11 a. m. Thursday still had not been granted by Acting President Victor P. Morris Monday night, but the rally will be held even if classes are not cancelled, Miss Stadelman said.

Wilson is scheduled to arrive in Eugene at 10:25 a. m. Thursday on a United Airlines flight from Portland, according to Les Anderson, administrative assistant.

Although a group from the University administration and the local press will be at the airport for Wilson's arrival, the main welcome for the new president will be handled by students, under the direction of the rally board.

Tentative plans, according to Miss Stadelman, include meeting Wilson, his wife and their six children at the airport, escorting them by car to the Student Union and presenting the new president and his family to students at the rally. Two bands have also been tentatively scheduled to appear at the welcome rally.

Wilson, ex-Ford Foundation executive, will deliver his first official address to University students at an assembly March 30 in the SU ballroom. He will take over his official duties March 15.

Jr. Weekend Petitions Due

Deadline for Junior Weekend committee chairmanship petitions is 5 p. m. today, according to Jim Light, Junior Weekend chairman. Petitions may be turned in at Student Union 303 or the ASUO's petition box, SU third floor.

"Any student interested in working on Junior Weekend preparations may petition," said Light. "It is not necessary to be a junior to be eligible for a chairmanship."

Chairmanships open are for the all-campus luncheon, cleanup, terrace dance, all-campus sing, float parade, junior prom, queen contest and coronation, sunlight serenade, traditions, promotion, radio publicity and publicity.

Theme ideas have also been requested by Light. Deadline for any theme suggestions is Wednesday, March 10.

Mother's Weekend

Petitions for Mother's Day weekend chairman are due at 4 p. m. Thursday in the ASUO office, Student Union 304.

As in past years, Mother's weekend will be held in conjunction with Junior Weekend and is scheduled for May 14 and 15. The Mother's weekend chairman works in cooperation with the Junior Weekend chairman, but is chosen by the ASUO senate.

Interviews of the petitioners will be held at the senate meeting Thursday evening. The 4 p. m. deadline is necessary in case there are five or more petitioners. An ASUO screening committee will interview applicants first in that case.

the staff of the National Institute of Anthropology and History at the Mexico's national museum in Mexico City.

Native in a Pyramid

This discovery of a tomb within a pyramid is described as "one of the most important discoveries of the new world," by L. S. Cressman, head of the anthropology department. This is the only case in the western hemisphere where a native ruler has been found buried within a pyramid, Cressman said.

Ruz made his discovery when he located a secret stone door in the floor of a temple in the sacred city of the Mayas in southern Mexico. The temple had been built on a stone pyramid which, until Ruz's discovery, had been believed to be solid stone and rubble.

Four Year Clearing Job

The passage under the stone door had been filled with rocks, and it took four years to finally clear out the passages. Deep in the center of the 1300 year-old pyramid, Ruz found a beautifully carved 5 ton slab of stone. Under this slab, Ruz found the remains of an ancient Mayan ruler.

Ruz will also be guest at a coffee hour forum at 4 p. m. in the Student Union, according to Bob McCracken, Student Union coffee hour committee.

On Thursday, Ruz will deliver a lecture on "The History, Culture and Art of the Maya" in the Student Union ballroom at 8 p. m.

Authority on Mayans

Ruz, a noted archaeologist and authority on Mayan civilization, has charge of national monuments of Yucatan. He is also a member of the Mexican society of anthropologists.

A Cuban by birth, Ruz has held several positions with the Cuban government. He was with the consulate of Greece in Havana from 1929 and was minister of the interior in Havana in 1933.

Ruz is now a naturalized citizen of Mexico. He is sponsored by the University assembly and lectures committee and by the Failing Distinguished Lecture fund. Tuesday's lecture will be his first in the Pacific Northwest.

Worker Petitions Due for Preview

Petitions for Duck Preview workers are due Monday at 5 p. m. in the ASUO petition box, third floor of the Student Union, according to Jerry Farrow and Don Bonime, Duck Preview co-chairmen.

Committee chairmen, sub-chairmen and committee workers are all needed for the senior visitation weekend, the co-chairmen said. Petitioners may obtain ASUO petitions on the SU third floor.

Chairmanships open are for promotion, program, hospitality and housing.

Subchairmanships to be filled under promotion include invitations, publicity and campus promotion.

Program subchairmen needed are for vodvil, orientation assembly, educational exhibits, exchange dinners and dance.

Open under hospitality are sub-chairmanships for registration, transportation and program.

Housing subchairmen include men's housing and women's housing.

"Duck Preview committee work during this term will be entirely organizational and actual arrangements will not begin until spring term," said Bonime and Farrow.