



## Preliminary Meetings Scheduled For Today

Preliminary meetings with advisers and the traditional Hello Dance will highlight today's new student activities.

Transfer students will hold their second meeting of the week at 3:30 p.m. and at 7:30 p.m. All new students will meet with their faculty advisers and arrange for their first individual conferences.

The dance will be held in the Student Union ballroom between 9 p.m. and 12 midnight. The dance is sponsored by the SU Board under the chairmanship of Don Peck, dance committee chairman.

## Open House Date Changed to Wed.

The Oregon Daily Emerald, campus newspaper, will hold open house in the new "Shack," 301 Allen, Wednesday evening from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., instead of next Tuesday as listed in the new student week program.

Staff members will explain the operation of the campus daily to interested new students. Persons interested in working on the Emerald may apply for positions at that time.

The next edition of the Emerald will be Friday. Regular five times a week publication will begin Monday under a fall term publication schedule calling for 49 editions.

Distribution of the Emerald will be shortly before noon at campus living organizations, the Co-op and the Student Union.

## ASUO Insurance Plan Has 24 Hour Coverage



MARY LOU GLASS, Eugene freshman, buys the first ASUO insurance policy from Bob Summers, ASUO President, and Doug Johnson, chairman of the insurance committee. This is the second year the accident insurance plan has been offered on campus.

The ASUO insurance plan, now being offered for the second year, will pay up to \$500 on any accident, Bob Summers, ASUO president announced today.

The plan, started on the campus last year, will cover University students on a 24-hour basis for all student activities except interscholastic sports.

Students may sign up for it during registration week at a cost for the 12-months period of \$4.50. Cost for one term is \$1.50.

The dance is an informal no-date affair and open to all students, with a special invitation to new freshmen, according to Sandra Rennie, SU program director. Music will be by Darryl Renfro's band.

Wednesday's schedule of events includes the Duckling picnic at 5:30 p.m. on the lawn west of Straub hall and the Oregon Daily Emerald open house from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

A meeting of transfer students at 1 p.m. will open Thursday's activities. At 3 p.m. the Associated Women students will hold a dean's tea in Gerlinger hall. Campus clothes will be in order, and new women students will have an opportunity to meet Mrs. Golda P. Wickham, dean of women.

The SU and the YMCA will hold open houses from 7 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.

The President's reception will be held in the Dad's lounge of the SU between 8:30 p.m. and 10 p.m.

On Friday Oregon's 16 sororities will hold open house from 10 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1 to 3 p.m.

Saturday's football game with Stanford at Multnomah stadium in Portland will end the week's activities.

The Oregana will hold an open house Wednesday, Sept. 29 at its office in the Student Union. New students interested in working on the yearbook may meet with the editor, business manager and staff.

Thursday, Oct. 7 has been set for the joint YWCA, AWS, WRA New Student Tea. The tea will be held in Gerlinger hall from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m.

## Ellingson Named Director of SU

New director of the Student Union is Si Ellingson, former counselor for men.

Ellingson replaces Dick Williams, who resigned Aug. 17 to accept the position of personnel manager for the new Bon Marche department store in Eugene.

Ellingson, an Oregon graduate in history, returned to the cam-



SI ELLINGSON  
New SU Director

pus in 1949 as a graduate assistant and accepted a fulltime position with student affairs in 1951.

Bradford Blaine, a Stanford graduate, was appointed this summer to replace Ellingson in the Office of Student 2 Affairs. Freshman counselling, programming and dormitory assignments are handled by Blaine. He will also assist Ray Hawk, associate director of student affairs.

## Prof. Snarf Back

Worthal and Professor Snarf are back! Dick Bibler's popular cartoons, "Little Man on Campus," begin their sixth straight year in the Emerald with the publication of today's issue.

Bibler features service of Elkhart, Kansas, is only supplying 80 cartoon mats this year, with the result that the Emerald will not be able to publish a cartoon daily. "Little Man on Campus" will be a three-times a week feature of the campus daily, however.

## Senior Class President Post Vacated by Glass

ASUO President Bob Summers announced Monday that Bob Glass, senior class president, will not return to school this fall. He will attend the University of Oregon Dental school at Portland.

A replacement for Glass will be chosen by the ASUO senate at its first meeting of the 1954-55 school year Oct. 5.

Other vacancies to be filled by the senate are on the student-faculty assembly committee and the rally board. Geri Porritt, who was appointed to the assembly committee last spring will study in Mexico this year. Maeua Hair, rally board member, is not returning to school this fall.

The senate will also select a general chairman for homecoming. Petitions for the homecoming chairmanship must be turned in prior to the senate meeting.

Summers said that he had not received definite notice, but he

## UO Fall Term Admissions Up

An estimated 2,000 new students will be encountering Oregon's registration lines for the first time this week as 1954 Orientation week gets into full swing.

Director of Admissions, J. Spencer Carlson said that preliminary admissions figures are up 25 to 30 percent this fall. The estimate of 2,000 new students includes some 1,300 freshmen and the remainder transfers, graduate students and special students.

If Carlson's estimate proves accurate, there will be 254 more freshmen entering the University this year than last fall when the frosh numbered 1,046. Carlson said that he expects total enrollment to exceed 4,000 by the end of registration week. Enrollment at that time last year was 3,919.

Tests will take up most of the new students' time during the first part of the week. Examinations started Monday and will continue through Wednesday. New students may pick up registration material in the Student Union any time during the week.

Registration material for old students will be available Wednesday. Saturday is the last day to pay fees without penalty.

The first registration step after securing the cards and filling them out is to build a study program with the help of the faculty adviser. Preliminary meetings with advisers will be held tonight.

After the study program has been filled out and approved by the adviser, it is necessary to fill out an instructor's card for each course and take it to the appropriate department office. The department will stamp the registration card of the student. If changes in the approved program are necessary they should be made and approved by the adviser before the completion of registration.

The next step is to fill out the student affairs card, the news bureau card, and the multiple set of cards. The student is then ready to deliver his registration material to the student affairs desk in the registration line.

Students who have automobiles on campus must register with the ASUO traffic court.

When the above steps are satisfactorily completed, the student will be given a fee assessment card. Final step is payment of fees in Emerald hall.

## Summer Job Accidents Claim Lives of Students

Two University students were killed in summer job accidents only one week apart. They were Doyle Higdon, 20, killed August 13 in a dynamite explosion near Cottage Grove, and Don Lewis, 20, drowned when the tug boat on which he was working sank below Bonneville dam August 20. Both men would have been juniors this year.

Mr. Higdon was working as a logger in the woods 15 miles

northwest of Cottage Grove, when he and a companion, Paul Hausotter, 34, were killed by a dynamite blast. Mr. Higdon had planned to quit work and return to the University for football practice the following week. He would have been a guard on the 1954 team.

In addition to playing guard on the football team, Mr. Higdon threw the javelin for the track team and had played frosh baseball. He had an academic scholarship to the University and was a member of Phi Eta Sigma, freshman men's scholastic honorary. He also was an ASUO senator-at-large in 1953-1954, a member of Druids, Skull and Dagger, Command Squadron, and was rush chairman for his fraternity, Beta Theta Pi. He was an economics major and had planned to enter the law school. A graduate of Cottage Grove high school, he was valedictorian of his class.

Mr. Higdon was buried in Douglas, Kan., and is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Higdon, and two sisters in Cottage Grove high school, Phyllis and Sue.

Mr. Lewis and four other employees of the Larson Construction company of Astoria were killed when their 47-foot tug was sucked into the turbulent waters below Bonneville dam. One man, Merle L. Tobias, 49, survived.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewis of Portland, Mr. Lewis had attended the University two years and was a liberal arts major. He was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon and had participated in intramural sports. Lewis' father formerly was resident engineer at Bonneville dam for the corps of engineers.

Lewis was buried at the Portland mortuary. He is survived by his parents and a sister, Jean, a 1953 graduate of the University of Oregon school of journalism now living in Portland.

## New Allen Hall To Open for Class

Eric W. Allen hall, the new home of the University's school of journalism was completed earlier this summer and will be open for fall term classes. It is the newest building on the campus.

Named for the first dean of Oregon's journalism school, the \$600,000 building is one of the few in the United States designed and built for journalism. The brick-faced structure can accommodate 517 students.

Business and editorial offices of the Oregon Daily Emerald are located on the third floor of the building.

Formal dedication of Allen hall is scheduled for October 9, according to Gordon A. Sabine, dean of the school of journalism.

## Dubin, Pomeroy, Clark Begin New Departmental Duties

Three new department heads will take over their assignments this week.

Robert Dubin, formerly professor of sociology and management at the University of Illinois, will begin his duties as the head of the sociology department. Dubin replaces J. V. Berreman, professor of sociology, who served last year as acting head of the department. Dubin was graduated from the University of Chicago and received his M.A. and Ph.D. degrees there.

Earl S. Pomeroy, professor of history, will serve as acting head of the department of history in the absence of Gordon Wright, who will teach at Columbia university this year.

Robert D. Clark, professor of speech and assistant dean of the college of liberal arts, will be the new head of the speech department. Clark replaces Roy McCall, who left Oregon this year to become president of the Modesto college, Modesto, Calif.