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...opens this afternoon. Schedule and other details are found on today's sports page.

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15 Students Face Drinking Charges

Fifteen University students will appear in district court sometime this week on charges of illegal possession of beer. The group was arrested by sheriff's

Ticket Contest Begins Today

The University theater's annual season ticket contest starts in campus living organizations today and will continue through Friday. The first production, "Bernardine," opens Oct. 29.

The house selling the highest percentage of season tickets will be declared the winner. Each member will receive 2 free tickets to the Arena production. Since admission to the Arena production is not included on the season tickets, the winning members will actually be receiving two extra tickets above the season ticket.

By buying the University theater season ticket, the student is getting \$6 worth of performances for only \$5, plus the bonus attractions given for season ticket holders only.

University theater season tickets may be sold outside the houses to friends or interested people. These will not count on the house percentages, but will count on the individual salesman totals. The living organization representative who sells the largest number of tickets will be given an award at the annual Theater awards banquet in the spring.

Living organizations' representatives should contact Mrs. Gene Wiley at the University theater box office between 1 p.m. and 5 p.m. today for further information and receipt books.

Fall Enrollments Show Increases

The University of Oregon's enrollment has increased more than 200 over the number for the corresponding time in 1953, Charles D. Byrne, chancellor of the state system of higher education, has reported.

Every institution in the state system of higher education has surpassed its registration figures for the beginning of fall term last year, according to figures released over the weekend.

All but Eastern College of Education are already ahead of their final totals for fall term of 1953. This far surpasses any previous predictions made by officials of the state system of higher education, who expected rather small enrollment increases this fall, with greater increases occurring in the years, 1957-1963, eventually leading to double enrollments.

Reasons Varied for Increase

The high increase in registration has been attributed to larger high school graduating classes, return of Korean veterans, some slackening of college age work opportunities, expansion of teacher education programs at all of the state institutions and migration to Oregon.

While Portland State Extension center with 2213 students tops the percentage increase, both the University of Oregon and Oregon State college have already noted increases of more

than 200 students beyond last year's final total.

Oregon College of Education has registered 617 students compared with a total of 467 for fall term last year, and Southern Oregon College of Education has enrolled 644 compared with a total of 573 last fall.

ECE Above 1953 Figures
Eastern College of Education, in its fourth day of registration Friday, while not exceeding its total for last year, was above its registration figure for the same day last year, with 453 registered. Last year 395 had gone through registration at this time with 460 as final total.

Incomplete statewide registration figures are listed below: Last year's final total is in parentheses. University of Oregon, (Eugene campus), 4280, (4063); Oregon State college, 5066, (4868); Portland State extension center, 2213, (1629); Southern Oregon College of Education, 649, (573); Oregon College of Education, 617, (467); and Eastern Oregon College of Education, 453, (460).

The medical and dental schools registered students this weekend, but their enrollments are considered steady because of limited facilities. Students now enrolling for night classes throughout the state are expected to swell the public college enrollments by another 5900 students.

Tuesday Deadline For Petitioning

Petitions for senior class president and Homecoming chairman are due Tuesday in the ASUO president's office. Regular ASUO petitions may be picked up on the third floor of the Student Union and should be returned to President Bob Summers' office before 5 p.m. Tuesday.

Any student is eligible for the Homecoming post. The chairman will be in charge of activities during the Homecoming weekend Nov. 12-14.

Charter Day To Be Oct. 19

Over 300 invitations to the University's first Charter day have been accepted by delegates from colleges and universities in the United States and learned and professional societies.

Charter day will be held Oct. 19 in conjunction with the inauguration of O. Meredith Wilson as ninth president of the University of Oregon.

An academic procession formed by invited delegates and faculty members will cross the campus preceding the inaugural ceremony in McArthur court. Marshal for the procession will be Paul R. Washke, professor of physical education.

The March is scheduled for 2 p.m. Colors will be added to the procession by the hood colors of the representative institutions, of the degrees of the participants, and of the faculty.

Other Charter day events include an address by Dr. Julian Huxley, English biologist; the inaugural address by Dr. Clarence Faust of the Foundation for the Advancement of Education.

At the Charter day dinner in the evening, Dr. Zechariah Chafee, Jr., of the Harvard Law school, will speak.

YM, YW Sponsor Foreign Dessert

An International Dessert for all foreign students in the University will be held Tuesday at 8 p.m. in Gerlinger Hall.

This will be one of the few chances which the international students will have to meet alone and get acquainted, according to Elton Engstrom, chairman of the event which is being sponsored by the YMCA, YWCA.

Students Plan Annual Dinner

A dinner for all non-affiliated students will be held today at 6 p.m. in Gerlinger hall. Guests of honor will be Mrs. Golda P. Wickham, dean of women, and Donald Du Shane, director of student affairs.

The dinner is an annual event sponsored by Orides and Yeomen, off-campus organizations.

The first meetings of the 1954-55 school year of Orides and Yeomen will follow the dinner. All off-campus students are invited to attend the meeting.

Sport suits and casual dress are in order.

Whiskerino Needs Committee Heads

Petitions for chairmen of Sophomore Whiskerino committees are due Tuesday at 5 p.m. in the Student Union, according to Harriet Hornbeck, sophomore class representative.

The deadline for petitions was originally set for Friday, but had to be moved up because of the small number of petitions received, Miss Hornbeck said.

Chairmen needed for the event are: beard growing contest, Joe College and Betty Co-ed selections, entertainment, ticket and invitation committees.

The decoration and publicity committees also need assistants.

Traditionally, sophomore men must grow beards for the event. Joe College and Betty Co-ed will be chosen from the sophomore class. Last year's titlists were Phil Lynch, Alpha Tau Omega, and Phyllis Pearson, Alpha Chi Omega.

Greek Houses Pledge 627

Oregon's 21 national fraternities and 16 sororities closed one of the most successful rush weeks in recent years this weekend. The Interfraternity council reported Saturday that 356 men had pledged, and the Panhellenic office reported Sunday that 271 women had pledged.

Both IFC and Panhellenic officials had expected successful rush periods as record numbers signed up last week for both men's and women's rushing.

A total of 417 men began rush week, an increase of 27 over the 1953 total. In 1953, 332 men pledged fraternities. The 1954 figure represents a substantial increase over 1951 and 1952, in which 131 and 170 men, respectively, pledged Oregon's 21 fraternities.

Beta Theta Pi, with 29 men, had the largest pledge class among fraternities.

The 271 women who pledged Oregon's 16 sororities represent an increase of 35 over last year. A total of 219 women pledged in 1952. This year, 389 women signed up for rushing, as compared to 305 one year ago.

The number of men pledging has shown an increase each year since the deferred living plan for men was adopted, after decreases in the first years of the four-year-old rule.

356 Men

Following is the list of the 356 men who pledged Oregon's 21 social fraternities during rush week:

Alpha Tau Omega: Gordon Bradley, Terry Burke, Richard Cross, John Eskildsen, Leo Graham, William Houston, Eli Morgan, Thomas Ordman, Robert Pfeister, Bruce Titus and David Wanaka, all of Portland; James Theuring, Coos Bay; Milton Blevins, Grants Pass; James Lynch, Lakeview; Norman Chapman, Medford; James Albert, Fred Jaeger, and Ronald Taylor, all of The Dalles; James Moore, Sacramento, Calif.; David Mackin, San Francisco, Calif.; James Cobb, Elko, Nev.; and Martin Swan, Vancouver, Wash.

Beta Theta Pi: James Barnett, Charles Kay and Edward Meihoff, all of Portland; George Hemphill, Glen Knowlton, William McDougal, Wallace Russell and Thomas Siegmund, all of Eugene; Robert Cooney, Boyd Harris and Kay Wilkins, all of Condon; Jerry Wick, Forest Grove; Rob Roy, Pendleton; Terry Green, John Humphrey, Courtney Kurtz, James McKibben and Larry Smith, all of Salem; Kent McCreight, Tigard; George Simpson, Burlingame, Calif.; Steven Hall, Kentfield, Calif.; William Miller, Lafayette, Calif.; Roger Hopkinson, and Frank Mazzola, both of Los Angeles, Calif.; John Raventos, Menlo Park, Calif.; Robert Morrell, Lewiston, Idaho; Thomas Young, Cincinnati, O.; George Twidwell, Vancouver, Wash., and Ronald Dodge, Olympia, Wash.

Chi Psi: Allan Forester, Donald Pack, Edwin Snow and Jack Wilson, all of Portland; David Mendenhall, Coos Bay; Richard Porter, Springfield; William Saunders, Berkeley, Calif., and William Wiswall, Vancouver, Wash.

Delta Tau Delta: Lon Bryant, John Childs, William Costentini, Walter Henningson, Dar Luken, Max Olsen, James Perry, and Thomas Waldrop, all of Portland; James Erdman, Eugene; Kenneth Gilmore, Brownsville; Len Hogan, Grants Pass; Frank Ingram, Pendleton; William Starned, Redmond; Ivan Adams, Henry Booth, Ken Sipelle and Wayne Medford, all of Roseburg; Jack Baker and Fritz Collett, both of Salem; William Boggs, Los Altos, Calif.; Richard Berg and Dennis Lenhart, both of San Gabriel, Calif.; and Ray Smale, Santa Ana, Calif.

Delta Upsilon: Richard Lindsay, Portland; Donald Kernutt, Eugene; Thomas Skiens, Klamath Falls; Robert Burnett, Lakeview; Larry Kenyon, Lebanon; Willis Sell, Myrtle Point; Allen Douglas, Nehalem; James

271 Women

The following is the list of the 271 women who pledged Oregon's 16 sororities at the conclusion of rush week:

Alpha Chi Omega: Pat Alexander, Balboa Island, Calif.; Sue Bahorich, San Francisco, Calif.; Connie Becker, St. Helens; Gloria Begenich, Beverly Chamberlain, Gail Gunderson, Virginia Lamb, Jean Lincoln, Carole Mattson, Loretta Patitucci, Rosalind Richardson and Diane Toolson, all of Portland; Jo Eggleston, Springfield; Anne Hjort, Vancouver, Wash.; Marian Hoskins, Gaston; Helen Huse and Silver Sparks, both of Eugene; Kathryn McFadden, Corvallis, and Joanne Rogers, Independence.

Alpha Delta Pi: Janice Arneson, Cherie Cheney, Joyce Niedringhaus and Irene Simmons, Portland; Claudia Dudley, Sweet Home; Barbara Espey and Frances Fey, The Dalles; Georgene Hammermaster and Shirley Parmenter, Eugene; Sally Hopkins and Karla Kuhley, Seattle, Wash.; Sharrel Houfek, Albany; Sharon Kaiser, Sacramento, Calif.; Helen Knight, Honolulu, Hawaii; Betty Pletsch, Altadena, Calif.; Frances Wolin, San Francisco, Calif.; Priscilla Herrington, Salem, and Ann Baakkonen, Los Angeles, Calif.

Alpha Gamma Delta: Priscilla Bollman and Diane Brown, Portland; Nancy Brailsford, Hagerman, Idaho; Marcia Cameron, Alice Dormer, Joan Finlayson and Martha Quam, Eugene; Mary Ann Crosbie, Glendale, Calif.; Carol Cutchin, Medford; Georgi-lee Gayer, Menlo Park, Calif.; Roberta Mack, Oswego, and Mary Qualls, Klamath Falls.

Alpha Omicron Pi: Elaine Becker, Patricia Mills and Claire Thompson, Eugene; Beverly Hall, Marie Keller, Donna Krauspe, Marilyn Moore and Jeanette Dimit, Portland; Nancy Marston, Arlington; Marianne Muir, Kellogg, Idaho; Marian Olson, Klamath Falls; and Anne Ritchey, Salem.

Alpha Phi: Joan Bailey, Albany; Barbara Barker and Shirley Jone, Eugene; Barbara Berwick, Burlingame, Calif.; Nancy Borquist, Mary Lee Derrah, Molly Gilbert, Beverly Haller, Mary McCroskey, Jean McPherson, Mollie Monroe and Marilyn Walker, Portland; Arlene Clark, Lakeview; Shelley Doggett, San Anselmo, Calif.; Bobby Harris, Coquille; Judy Holmes, Beaverton; Karen Johnson, Salem; Karen Kruse, Oswego; Ann Morris, Camp Sherman, Annette, Rowland, Tacoma, Wash., and Gerri Sabey, Seaside.

Alpha Xi Delta: Donna Beckwith, Klamath Falls; Diane Davies and Linda Olson, Longview,

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