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## Oppenheimer Speaks To Overflow Crowd

By Kathleen Morrison  
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There are about two dozen objects about as elementary as electrons and protons, J. Robert Oppenheimer said Tuesday night in his first Condon lecture, "The Subnuclear Zoo."

Explaining the material of which atoms are built, he added that there is not one of these particles which cannot be changed into another.

A crowd of approximately 2500 people filled both the Student Union ballroom and fish-bowl. The ballroom has a seating capacity of 1100, according

to Si Ellingson, Union director. The speech was heard via the public-address system in the fish-bowl and downstairs area.

### Rules Never Change

Some of the rules governing the action of subnuclear particles never change, or change only partially, he said. These rules are called invariants. The most common example of this is the concept of electric charge.

The two most elementary parts of the nucleus are protons and neutrons, Oppenheimer said. The neutron will inevitably change into a proton and an electron, and a proton can be changed into a neutron and a positive electron or positron.

Before 1932, nuclear physics was not complicated, he said. This was because the scientists didn't know enough. Atomic theories were generally of Newton's theories and laws of electromagnetics.

### Two Theories Discovered

Two new theories brought about the development of nuclear physics as it is today, Oppenheimer said. One of these was the theory of relativity, which explained the relationship of mass and energy in respect to relative time and motion.

The second was Plank's constant, which tells the relation of energy content and wave frequency. "This theory explains most of physics and all of chemistry," he said.

Both of these concepts must be used to understand any atomic theory, he said.

Since many atomic particles exist for only a small fraction of a second, their discovery was not

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## Tryout Times, Finalists Told

The five women's houses whose skits will appear in the WUS vodvil show Friday night will be Kappa Kappa Gamma, Kappa Alpha Theta, Chi Omega, Pi Beta Phi and Delta Delta Delta, according to Darlene Leland, publicity chairman.

Themes for the winning houses were, in the same order, "Alexander's Ragtime Band," "Slaughter on Tenth Avenue," "If I Were A Millionaire," "Oregon's Way With Women," and "I Wish."

Tryout times for men's houses, as announced by co-chairmen Helen Johnson and Chuck Wingard, will be tonight in the Student Union at the following times:

Alpha Tau Omega, Sigma Phi Epsilon, Sigma Nu and Sigma Chi, 6:30; Beta Theta Pi, 6:40; Chi Psi, 6:50; Delta Tau Delta, 7; Phi Delta Theta, 7:10.

Phi Gamma Delta, 7:20; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 7:30; Phi Sigma Kappa, 7:40; Phi Kappa Sigma, 7:50; Campbell club, 8; French hall, 8:10; Delta Upsilon, 8:20; Lambda Chi Alpha, 8:30; Theta Chi, 8:40, and Phi Kappa Psi, 8:50.

## OSC Barometer Attacks Election

Campus elections have produced more than a few new officers at Oregon State this spring.

The Barometer, student newspaper at OSC, has taken a stand against the student body elections committee because of the committee's unwillingness to reveal the numerical returns in the student primary elections.

The campus primaries were held last Wednesday and when the Barometer asked the committee for the numerical results they were refused by the committee on the grounds that "publicly embarrass the losing candidates."

The Barometer staff, not approving of this policy, compiled some unofficial returns by contacting the individual candidates who were informed of the numerical returns. The paper printed its findings in its April 16 edition and also attacked the committee editorially.

In its editorial the Barometer said, "Is Oregon State college such an incubator that we have to protect student politicians from getting hurt even though in real life elections they know very well that their votes will reach the public eye along with those of other candidates."

The editorial went on to say that, "We think it would make a better election if these people were publicly embarrassed, and thought twice about running for office."

## Fifty-Five Candidates Compete in Election

By Bob Robinson  
Emerald Assistant News Editor

The hours of waiting are almost over for 55 candidates in the ASUO primary elections. The reason—today is election day!

By late tonight or early Wednesday all candidates will know whether or not they have been eliminated from the running or will remain in contention in the all-campus general election, May 4.

The voting booths officially opened at 8 this morning and will remain in operation until 6 tonight. There are eight booths, all located at convenient places on campus to facilitate ease in voting.

### Eight Booths

The booth locations are—Fenton hall, Friendly hall, the Men's Pool Commonwealth hall, the Student Union, the library quad, the Co-op and the area between Straub and Gerlinger halls.

All students can vote for ASUO officers, marking their ballots according to preference (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, etc.). Freshmen, sophomores and juniors then can vote for class officers next year in the section indicated by a number circled with red pencil.

After finishing with the ballot marking, voters should fold both the ballot they have marked and the blank one and turn them in

## Skull and Dagger Calls for Petitions

Skull and Dagger petitions for next year's members are due today at 5 p.m., according to President Doug Basham.

Pictures are needed with the petitions. Any freshmen may petition.

Petitions may be turned in to Skull and Dagger members or put in the petition box on the third floor of the Student Union.

to the poll clerk, being sure to specify to the clerk just which ballot is the marked one.

### UIS

Candidates in the UIS primary are:

ASUO president—Sam Vahey. Senator-at-large—Mary Claire Allen, Bob Biggs, Dick Frear, Dorothy Iler, Susan Lamb, David Lobb, Richard McDaniel, Chuck Mitchelmore, Kathy Morrison and Roger Sommer.

Senior class president — Kip Wharton.

Senior class representative—Sam Frear.

Junior class president — Carl Groth.

Junior class representative—Beverly Bellarts, Charlsie Parker and Joanne Reed.

Sophomore class president — Dale Bajema.

Sophomore class representative—Doris Allen and Samuel Whitney.

### AGS

On the AGS ticket the following are candidates:

ASUO president—Bud Hinkson.

Senator-at-large—Louie Blue, Brian Booth, Darrel Brittsan, Travis Cavens, Walt Ching, Ann Erickson, Nan Hagedorn, Bill Hardin, Bob Kubus, Linda Lundy, Marcia Mauney, Bill Moore, Jerry Pool, Anne Ritehey and Rob Roy.

Senior class president—Martin Brandenfels, Bob McCracken and Ev Stiles.

Senior class representative — Patty Fagan and Bob Maier.

Junior class president—Doug Basham and Barkey Herman.

Junior class representative — Molly Carr and Sally Jo Greig.

Sophomore class president — Jim Lynch, Jim Perry, John Ramentos and Gordon Summers.

Sophomore class representative—Dick Allen, Elliot Carlson, Betty Herrman, Jim Hilands, Shirley Parmenter and Richard Urie.

## Judge East to Give Freedom Lecture

"Free Trial versus One Free Press" will be the topic of the weekly browsing room lecture held tonight in the browsing room of the Student Union. Circuit Judge William G. East will be the speaker.

East was recently recommended by the United States Justice department for a judgeship in the Portland federal district court. This was the second time that East had been recommended for the post.

Long an out-spoken advocate of the lawyer's viewpoint on the battle between the "robe and the reporter," East has spoken on the subject several times, one of the most recent being at the Oregon Broadcasters association convention here the first of April.

Discussion leader for the 7:30 p.m. talk will be Dr. Charles G. Howard, professor of law.

## Essay Deadline Today at 5 P.M.

Today at 5 p.m. has been set as the deadline for submission of entries in the ASUO-Senate-sponsored essay contest on student government. Entries may be turned in to the ASUO office

## SU Board to Meet ASUO Candidates

The Student Union board will meet today at 4 p.m. Items on the agenda include:

● Discussion of the policy on solicitation in the Student Union.

● Interview of Lucia Knepper and Dick Gray for positions as junior members at large.

● Interview of Lolly Quackenbush for sophomore member at large.

● Discussion of University Singers home concert.

● Reports on directorate petitioning.

● Discussion of Student Union passes.

on the third floor of the Student Union.

The winning entry in the contest will be awarded \$20, with prizes of \$10 and \$5 to be given the second and third place winners.

A part of the Senate's public relations program to create an interest in student government, the contest subject is "The Role of Student Government on the University of Oregon Campus."

The winning entries will be selected by three faculty members of the Senate: Donald L. Shane, director of student affairs; R. D. Horn, professor of English, and Victor P. Morris, dean of the school of business administration.

All students regularly enrolled in the University are eligible to enter the contest. The entries should be from 1000 to 5000 words in length, typewritten, double spaced, and on one side of the papers.

The first place entry will be printed in the Emerald, according to John Whitty, contest chairman.

## All-Campus Vote Will Decide Court

Five junior girls will be elected to the Junior Weekend Court tomorrow. Voting will be done throughout the day at the Student Union and the Co-op. The Court will be announced during the intermission at the Vodvil Friday night.

Students must present student body cards to vote. The final voting for queen will take place later.

The final six candidates for Junior Weekend Queen are:

### Phyllis Pearson

Phyllis Pearson, sponsored by Alpha Chi Omega, Beta Theta Pi, Carson 3 and Lambda Chi Alpha, is from Portland. Miss Pearson is majoring in elementary education, and is a member of Phi Theta Upsilon, secretary of the Student Union Board, and president of her sorority.

### Jackie Robertson

Jackie Robertson, put up by Phi Kappa Sigma and Pi Beta Phi is from Portland, also. Miss Robertson is majoring in elementary education, and has served on the Bon Marche college board. She was also co-chairman of housing of Dad's Weekend and pledge adviser for her sorority.

### Jean Singleton

Jean Singleton, sponsored by Alpha Omicron Pi, is from Bak-

ersfield, Calif. Miss Singleton is majoring in business administration. She transferred from San Jose State this year, and has been active in Amphibians and the Student Union dance committee.

### Sue Smyth

Sue Smyth, Delta Gamma, claims Portland as her home town. Miss Smyth is a history major, and has been active in the YWCA, serving as Junior Adviser and on the cabinet. She is also secretary of her sorority.

### Gail West

Gail West, nominated by Alpha Delta Pi, is also from Portland. Miss West is majoring in elementary education. She is vice-president of Phi Theta Upsilon, president of heads of houses, and chairman of the WUS drive.

### Barbara Wilcox

Barbara Wilcox, sponsored by Sigma Kappa, Susan Campbell and Theta Chi, is from Riddle, Oregon. Miss Wilcox is an advertising major and is chairman of the Bon Marche college board. She is also a member of Phi Theta Upsilon, and co-chairman of promotion for Junior Weekend.