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The Boxcars and the University

A study on the effect of the recent boxcar shortage in Oregon on the state's lumber industry is being made by five graduate students of the school of business administration. In this project there is a worthwhile and healthy coordination between the University and the state government.

The five, Philip Draper, Robert Fick, Delbert Lee, Dennis Davies and John Davis, are working under the directorship of Charles F. Ziebarth, associate professor of business administration, in making the study. Ziebarth is a member of the Governor's emergency transportation committee, which requested the study.

The public utilities commission has sent out 500 questionnaires to lumber and plywood mills asking them to give their own situations in relation to the car shortage. The five students are now processing the results of these 500 questionnaires. They will then project the tabulations to a general picture of the state lumber industry and present their conclusions to the transportation committee.

We don't know just what conclusions will be drawn up by the students or just how worthwhile they will be but we are sure of one thing—that cooperation such as this

between the government and the University is a good thing.

It is indeed encouraging to know that Ziebarth and the transportation committee have confidence enough in University students to entrust them with such a project. And we hope that the "committee of five" will be of real aid to the Governor's group. —(B.R.)

Coincidence

The local Democrats are planning a powwow for the night of Nov. 18, the night that Senator Richard L. Neuberger is in town. Is it by design or by odd coincidence that the party will be going on at the same time as the University's Homecoming noise parade?—(Eugene Register-Guard)

Footnotes

Signs reading "It's 'Base' to beat the Beavers" can be seen throughout the halls of Hendricks. We understand that "base" means "basic" but one woman who was not hep on the modern connotation added an amusing note: "Then we revel in our 'base-ness'."

With all of their other activities this week, the rally board seems to have missed the most logical form of promotion: a snowball rally.

Future Plans



—OR THERE'S FORESTRY—I MAY DECIDE TO GO INTO THE LUMBER BUSINESS!

INTERPRETING THE NEWS

Political Pool Barely Ripples At Stevenson's Announcement

By J. M. Roberts
Of the Associated Press

Adlai Stevenson's announcement he again will seek the Democratic presidential nomination creates hardly a ripple in political affairs. He's been running all along, and there is no doubt he is at present the leading candidate.

More titillating is the expressed reaction of Averell Harriman, governor of New York, formerly a highly prescient member of the Democratic team of international experts and the apple of some important Democratic eyes.

Harriman said Stevenson had done well in 1952, and would do well again, with the full support of New York "if renominated." Earlier in the

day Harriman had said anybody who wanted the nomination would have to work for it. "I'm not going to work for it," he said.

He didn't issue any orders to stop against those who have been doing the work for him.

As for the other man who has been mentioned among the Democratic "big three" possibilities Estes Kefauver's friends went right ahead watching, listening and working, too.

But much time has passed since he was the popular chairman of the much-televised Senate crime investigating committee, and he is from Tennessee, sometimes called a border state, but still farther south than any major party candidate has come from in modern times.

As for the other hopefuls, their major reliance was on the possibility that the top men would block one another out of the game.

Stevenson's statement is a modest one, but representing an attitude far different from the one he displayed in 1952, when he waited for his party to draft him.

Now he has nine months of campaigning before the convention, and will probably enter a number of presidential primaries.

Even though Harriman is probably not as reluctant as he sounds, this creates a possibility which might be used to further complicate Republican troubles.

Stevenson is a widely respected man on a nonpartisan basis. When President Eisenhower was believed practically certain to seek renomination, nearly all Democrats were willing to let Stevenson have the honor of trying to unseat him. Against a lesser Republican figure, many others decided they might have a chance. This produced talk of a wide-open convention.

Now that Stevenson's determination is clear, there could be some changes of heart. Not only because of the formidable Stevenson, but also for the sake of party unity, now that many observers are discounting another Southern secession movement.

There is already widespread talk that, lacking Eisenhower, the Republicans are going to have a very rough time putting over anyone less than Chief Justice Earl Warren, who has issued an unequivocal rejection of the idea.

If the Democrats should produce great signs of unity before their convention, you can expect a lot more "draft Warren" talk.

WHEN THE SMOKE CLEARS

Morale Will Decide In UO-OSC Contest

By Bud Hinkson
ASUO President

Homecoming is a time of great tradition. It embraces the ideals of competition and nourishes the will to win.

More than any other thing this Saturday, I want Oregon to blast Oregon State out of the stadium; potentially we can out fight their team on every play and end up on top, but there is a positive way to lick these milkmen. It is obviously not the job of our team alone, but rather of every student here at Oregon.

Oregon is host in this meeting and we must maintain our reason if not our composure. "Upon occasion this game has resulted in excessive damage to the name of the University. An

individual, on the other hand, suffers only a few bumps or bruises. However, he should stop to consider the entire result of his actions. Steps are being taken to see that certain individuals do not exceed their responsibility as members of the student body.

Both Order of the O and OAC's Varsity O will protect goal posts while the bands and the white shirt sections of both schools are also attempting to maintain order.

The physical activity, then should be limited to the field of play. This does not, however, keep us from participating. Half of the victory in any battle depends on morale. Any University student who doesn't leave that game hoarse has not done his part Saturday afternoon. If you want to fight for Oregon, do it that way, because that will help Oregon most. We can beat those Beavers any day of the week, but only if you remember, to compete with your voice instead of your fists.



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Letters to the Editor

Emerald Editor:

The current fad of 'hanging' football coaches must be getting completely out of hand when a man of Leonard Casanova's caliber is included.

I've been acquainted with Cas since he coached Sequoia high school in Redwood City, Calif., during the 1930's and from integrity to ability through personality and likeability, they just don't come any better.

Go ahead and send Cas south. We in this neck of the woods will be more than glad to take him. I think in this case a few student effigies are in order.

Dave Leonard
Monterey Peninsula Herald

Emerald Editor:

The University is fortunate indeed to have so many international neighbors, such as Naushaba Husain of Pakistan, on the campus. It is to be hoped that the rest of us are making every effort to know these fine people better. They have done

Oregon the honor of coming long distances to learn from us and about us. The least we can do as hosts is to learn, in friendly fashion, all we can from them.

"The very right to live accrues to us only when we do the duty of citizenship of the world," said Mahatma Gandhi. To be a citizen of the world one must know the people of the world. The chance to begin is now—and is here.

E. P. McKEAN-SMITH
Special Student

Emerald Editor:

The Phi Sig's view of the Emerald's view of the Phi Sig's saga:

Second verse
Same as the first
A little bit louder
A little bit worse
Guess again boys.

The Members of
Phi Sigma Kappa
P. S. Please keep us posted. It's so nice to get first hand information.



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