

Stovall to Speak On English Author

Assistant Professor J. C. Stovall will be the Browning Room lecturer Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Student Union. He will discuss "Climate and the Energy of Nations," a book by the English author, Sydney F. Markham.

Stovall calls the book "an interesting analysis of physical environment." He will analyze and discuss the principle accepted by Markham that a kindly climate is favorable to the growth of a culture.

The point of Markham's book is that climate is a deciding factor in causing the movement of centers of civilizations away from areas where they had formerly flourished.

Stovall will discuss in particular Markham's theory that the Pacific Northwest provides the best environment, climate-wise,

in which a civilization can rise to its greatest heights.

G. E. Martin, assistant professor of geography, will lead the discussion period after the lecture.

Billboard Bill Dead Sen. Gore Hopes For Compromise

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. Gore (D-Tenn.) said today the administration's bill for control of billboards on the national super-highway network is dead but he still hopes for a compromise measure.

Sen. Neuberger (D-Ore.) said in a separate interview that it is "do or die" in the 1957 session because "if some of these highways are built with billboards on them, we'll never be able to take them off."

Gore is chairman and Neuberger a member of the Senate Public Roads subcommittee which last week completed extended public hearings on billboard control legislation.

Gore told a reporter that before his group meets to try to hammer out a bill in closed session he hopes that a compromise can be worked out with the administration. He said he does not know of a single member of the subcommittee in favor of the control bill originally submitted by Secretary of Commerce Weeks.

Under this measure, states which failed to go along with billboard regulation measures would lose 5 per cent of their share of federal funds for the 41,000-mile interstate system.

The 1956 highway bill requires the federal government to pay 90 per cent of the cost of the interstate system. Weeks proposed an 85-15 matching basis for states that failed to go along with the billboard plan.

Neuberger, who has his own billboard bill before the subcommittee, said he believed that it met Gore's specification of an incentive measure.

Under it, the federal government would pay 90 per cent of the cost of acquiring easements along the right-of-way of the interstate. On the strips of land covered by the easements, the states could establish billboard regulations.

The Oregon senator said his proposal would not make it certain that billboards would be barred "but I believe it is as far as we can go in view of the state's rights sentiment in Congress."

"If the garden clubs, the conservationists, the Audubon societies, and the various women's groups could not persuade the states to go along with billboard control once my bill became law, then so be it," he said.



SHAMEFUL WASTE. This forest area once provided fun and recreation for vacationers, campers, hunters. Now it is nothing but a shameful wasteland, shameful because this fire, like 9 out of 10 forest fires, was caused by someone's carelessness. A discarded cigaret. An abandoned campfire. This year, let's all be doubly careful. Will you help to save our forests? Remember, only YOU can prevent forest fires.

Letters to the Editor

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was also shown in the recent discussion of the freshman girls' regulations. This is American democracy in action.

As I stated in my last letter, I came here to observe your behavior as well as to study my academic subject matter. Whatever I observe here in this country may have an influence upon the future international relations. I congratulate your sincere democratic action towards the elimination of racial and religious discrimination on this campus.

Yasumasa Kuroda
Graduate in
Political Science

Emerald Editor:

I note with interest the letter of Mr. Fendall, a graduate in journalism that Graduate Students in Political Science "have all the answers." THIS IS TRUE.

Also, I find his interest in discrimination against dogs by Ku Kluxers in the Student Union most commendable. Indeed a crusade against homophobia against man's best friend would be a crusade worthy of the graduate students of journalism.

The challenge of proving that the pen is mightier than the sword in protecting the inalienable rights of stray dogs is a cause worthy of the department that launched an Oregon Senator on a career that was to find him in a mighty struggle to protect the inalienable rights of squirrels against Republican golfballs.

Who knows, if Fendall et al could win against "dogism" in the Student Union journalism might graduate to bigger and better crusades.

George M. Boyet
Graduate in
Political Science

Emerald Editor:

Your editorial entitled, "Special Privilege Myth" in the April 3rd issue of the Emerald stated "and the city has its traffic meters hungrily operating in front of our Student Union."

In order to have the record clear, I'd like to call to your attention that these meters have been installed at the request of the University administration to provide parking spaces for visitors on an economical basis as is possible and in conformity with practices downtown.

J. O. Lindstrom
Business Manager

Officers to Revue AFROTC Cadets

The annual revue and inspection of 650 Air Force ROTC cadets will be conducted by officers from AFROTC headquarters at Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama, during the drill period on April 23.

The inspecting officer and two assistants will arrive at the University on April 22 and leave April 24 in their inspection of college and university AFROTC units throughout the country.

In addition to the inspection of drill procedures, these officers will check class instruction, administration and all other AFROTC activities.

Art Museum Director Lectures in Washington

Wallace S. Baldinger, director of the University Museum of Fine Arts will speak April 13 in the American Association of University Women at Longview, Washington.

"Arts of the Japanese Home" will be the topic of Baldinger's lecture.

Campus Calendar

Monday		
Noon	Soc Staff	110 SU
	German Tbl	111 SU
	Spanish Tbl	112 SU
	Biol Lnc	113 SU
	Ins Lnc	214 SU
1:00	For Service Ofer	315 SU
2:00	Hds of Hses Tea	
	Gerl 2nd Flr	
4:00	Sr Class Meet	Ballrm SU
7:00	Orides	Gerl 3rd Flr
	Yeomen	Gerl 1st Flr
7:45	Co-Ed Hsing	111 SU
8:00	EUCMA Concert	Mac Ct
7:30	Friends-Jackson Lect	
	Dadsrm	SU

Quaker Representative To UN Speaks Tuesday

Elmore Jackson, Quaker representative at the United Nations, is scheduled to address University students at Tuesday's 1 p.m. assembly on the subject "The United Nations as Peacemaker." His address will be given in the Student Union Ballroom.

Jackson will also be the guest speaker Monday at 8 p.m., in the SU at the American Friends Service Committee's fortieth anniversary meeting of the Eugene Young Friends.

Jackson was a personal assistant to Frank Graham, the UN mediator in the Kashmir dispute in 1952-53. Before that time, he was a consultant to the Secretary-General on the problem of Palestinian refugees. He has also made two trips to the Middle East in connection with Quaker projects in that area.

Since 1949, Jackson has headed an international delegation of Quakers attending sessions of the UN General Assembly. Quakers are accredited observers, and

have had the privilege of communicating with delegates and participating unofficially on the work of the UN.

Jackson is from Idaho, was graduated from Pacific College in Newberg, Ore., and he received his B.D. degree from Yale Divinity School. Since 1936 he has been associated with the American Friends Service Committee.

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