

APPOINTMENTS MADE

Emerald Heads Announce Staff

Staff positions for the next term of Oregon Daily Emerald publications have been announced by editor Allen Johnson and business manager Gary Capps.

The new "regime" will serve through the spring term ASUO election, when the staff will again change.

Serving as managing editor will be Phil Hager, junior in journalism. Hager was formerly a reporter, feature editor and news editor.

William Cook, senior in journalism, will take over as editor of the editorial page. Cook has been a reporter, assistant news editor, associate editor and columnist.

New associate editors are Jack Wilson and Jerry Ramsey, both ex-sports editors. Ramsey, a junior in English, was also a sports writer and assistant sports editor.

Wilson, recently editorial page editor, has also been a sports writer, assistant sports editor and assistant news editor. He is a senior in journalism.

Pepper Allen, junior in journalism, is the new news editor. She has previous Emerald experience as a reporter, day editor, assistant news editor and night editor.

New assistant advertising manager is Ron Dodge, junior in business. He was formerly an advertising salesman.

Day editors will be Wally Slocum, John Lengel, Don Jepsen, Al Reynolds and Evelyn Olsen. Night editors will be Jerry Ramsey, Mike Forrester, Pat Treece, Barbara Stepper and JoAnn Shore.

Louis Parker, freshman in pre-law, is photography editor. He was an Emerald photographer during fall term.

Glen Graves and JoAnn Milligan will continue as advertising manager and assistant business manager, respectively.

Other staff reappointments include Kathy Cook, women's editor; Warren Rucker, classified advertising manager; Roger Gaffey, circulation manager; Kay Josselyn, religious editor; John Lengel, entertainment editor; and Erlene Whitehouse, accounting clerk.

Women's Rushing To Open Monday

Winter term open rush for women will begin Jan. 13 and will run through Jan. 31, according to Connie Kennedy, Panhellenic president. Women should sign up in the office of the dean of women by Friday.

Any woman is eligible to go through one formal rush period and two open rush periods. Women who have not previously rushed must pay a \$5 rush fee.

Houses open for freshman rush are Alpha Gamma Delta, Alpha Xi Delta, Chi Omega, Sigma Kappa, and Zeta Tau Alpha. Those houses open for upperclass rush are Alpha Chi Omega, Alpha Gamma Delta, Alpha Omicron Pi, Alpha Phi, Alpha Xi Delta, Chi Omega, Delta Delta Delta, Delta Zeta, Sigma Kappa, and Zeta Tau Alpha.

Law Students On Honor Roll

Five first-term law students are on the law school's honor roll for fall term, "the largest number from the class in many years," according to Dean Orlando J. Hollis.

Donald A. Bick of Coos Bay, was reported at the top of the first year class, followed by James D. McNair of Eugene; Arlen C. Swearingen, Eugene; John N. Hutchins, Grants Pass; and James F. Light, Jr., of Portland.

Leading the second-year students is William C. Wheatley of Mulino, with Joyle C. Dahl of Portland in second place. Top man in the third year class is John R. Faust, Jr. from Portland, with Joel B. Reeder, Eugene, second highest scholar.

Students placed on the law school honor roll must have a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or better in law courses, and must be carrying a full study program.

Friday Deadline for Oregon Pictures

Pictures of off-campus students will be taken for the Oregon today, Thursday and Friday only. Proofs of pictures must be returned by Friday, and must be paid for, or the pictures will not appear in the yearbook.

The photos are being taken in the Student Union basement.

Lindley Awarded Allen Fellowship

The Eric W. Allen Memorial Fellowship for 1958 has been awarded to Will Lindley, a graduate of the University of Oregon school of journalism. Lindley is currently working on his master's degree.

Lindley, a native of Portland, graduated in 1945 and received his bachelor's degree in journalism by correspondence in 1955. He worked for the Associated Press in Portland and Olympia, Wash., and was business editor of the Salt Lake Tribune and later assistant city editor of the Salt Lake Telegram.

In 1952 he became mining editor of the Spokane, Wash. Spokesman-Review, and later was assistant to the editorial page editor.

During his junior and senior years at the University, Lindley was a night editor for the Eugene Register-Guard.

He lives in Eugene with his wife and four children.

Allen Fellows are selected primarily on the basis of the service they may offer to the profession of journalism. The fellowship, supported by the Eugene Register-Guard, is named in memory of Eric W. Allen, the first dean of the school of journalism and a member of the University faculty from 1912 until his death in 1944.

Men's Informal Rush Begins This Week

Informal rush period for men will open at the end of the week and will continue all term until closed weekend, according to W. F. Denman, Assistant Dean of Men.

Men who are interested in rushing will register with the office of Student Affairs. They will then rush informally, visiting fraternities of their preference and making dates with them.

In order to be eligible for rush, men must have a 2.00 GPA.

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Nobel Prize Winner Talks on Meteor Origins

"Knowledge as to the origin of the solar system is based merely on theory," said Harold C. Urey of the Institute of Nuclear Studies at the University of Chicago during Tuesday's University assembly. "No one knows exactly how it was formed and there is no way to turn back the process to find out."

Urey, a 1924 Nobel prize winner in chemistry, spoke on "Recent Evidence in Regard to the Origin of Meteorites", explaining the theory that meteorites might possibly have played a great role in the formation of the planets of the solar system.

"A consistent view," he said, "is that meteorites were formed by the accumulation of objects from another object." Urey said that if the meteorites discovered had been twisted or mangled, we might believe they had broken from a larger object. But since these meteorites are not mangled in any way, a common theory is that they were formed by accumulation rather than dispersion.

He said that the presence of diamonds and graphite in meteorites might show that iron meteorites were once under extremely high and low pressures, since it is necessary to have a high pressure to produce diamonds and a lower pressure to produce graphite. The pressure needed to produce diamonds is nearly the same as the pressure found at the center of the moon.

With the aid of slides Urey outlined a theory of the role of meteorites in the origin of the solar system, concluding with the idea that these meteorites accumulated to form the objects in our solar system.

Urey received the Nobel Prize in chemistry in 1924 for his discovery of "heavy hydrogen." He will join the staff of the University of California in June as a professor at large.

The Arts, Economics Slated for Winter Browsing Room Series

Nine Browsing Room lectures are scheduled for winter term, beginning tonight at 7:30 in the Student Union with E. G. Ebbighausen, professor of physics, discussing "Nature and Uses of Earth Satellites."

The next week, Jan. 16, E. S. Wengert, head of the political science department, will give a report from the Philippines with some impressions of United States foreign policy. Color slides will illustrate his talk.

R. F. Mikesell, economics, will lecture on "Trade, Aid and National Security," Jan. 22.

Other lectures in the series include:

Jan. 29, "Inflation — Advent and Outcome," Dr. C. Ward Macy, head of the economics department; Feb. 5, "A New Approach to Sculptural Creation," Tom Hardy, lecturer in art, University of Calif.; Feb. 12, "Progress and Painting," David McCosh, professor of art.

Feb. 12, "Composing with Sounds: some historical examples"

The first Browsing Room lecture of the term tonight at 7:30 will feature a discussion of "The Nature and Uses of Earth Satellites" by E. G. Ebbighausen, professor of physics.

Ebbighausen has been a member of the University faculty since 1946. He is a coordinator of the Oregon Center of the Science Teaching Improvement Program of the American Association for the Advancement of Science. In 1955 he spent a year at Harvard university doing advanced research work.

R. R. Huestis, professor of biology, will lead the discussion following the lecture.

of music in progress," Edmund A. Cykler, professor of music.

Feb. 26, "The Painter in Contemporary Society," Jorge Elliott-Garcia, Whitney-Fulbright lecturer in Spanish American literature and civilization; Mar. 5, "Thomas Mann: the Neurotic as Hero," W. A. Leppmann, assistant professor of Germanic languages.

After each lecture a discussion will be held. Faculty and students are invited to the lectures.

The series is sponsored by the Association of Patrons and Friends of the University of Oregon Library, an informal society of booklovers who are interested in promoting the welfare of the library.

Carnival Nominee Selection Begins

Nominees for the University's candidate in the Winter Carnival queen contest must be turned in by Thursday noon, according to the queen selection committee.

Men's and women's living organizations may select one candidate each. The names may be phoned in to Sharon Meyer at DI 4-7515.

Candidates must have a 2.0 GPA and be a University student. The Winter Carnival will be held Feb. 8 and 9.

Chi Omega Pledges Top Fall Grade List

Chi Omega pledge class topped the fall term house grades list with a 2.868 average, it was announced by the Dean of Women's office, Tuesday.

Other pledge grades were: Alpha Chi Omega, 2.800; Sigma Kappa, 2.692; Pi Beta Phi, 2.632; Alpha Phi, 2.622; Delta Delta Delta, 2.597; Alpha Omicron Pi, 2.5937; Kappa Kappa Gamma, 2.5930; Kappa Alpha Theta, 2.463; Gamma Phi Beta, 2.407; Alpha Xi Delta, 2.342; Delta Gamma, 2.325; Alpha Gamma Delta, 2.319; Delta Zeta, 2.246; Alpha Delta Pi, 2.178; Zeta Tau Alpha, 2.160.

The Year's News: Highlights Of 1957 Told in Roundup

By PHIL HAGER

Emerald Managing Editor (Ed. Note: The following is a wrap-up of the highlights of a year's news — from January-December, 1957).

January

Howard Hong, chairman of the philosophy department at St. Olaf college, opened Religious Evaluation Week with a speech on "The Place of Religion in Business and Economic Life Today." Theme of the Frosh Snow-Ball was "Fantasy in Frost"; Jerry Van Hoornissen and his Mello-Blues furnished the music.

Emerald editor Bill Mainwaring was chosen by the publications board to remain at his position for the next term of office, through April. Ken Niehans was appointed business manager. Sam Vahey, Dotty Griffith and Diana Scott were selected by the senate to fill vacant spots. Dick

Stables was appointed Yell King by the senate. The State Board of Higher Education decided that beginning in the fall term of 1958 high school graduates would need a C average to enroll in Oregon institutions, without taking a special examination. The new requirements were designed to "raise academic standards at the University and other state-supported schools."

February

Women in all residence halls were charged for half of the damages resulting from snowball throwing fall term at some of the women's dorms. An estimated 10,000 books tumbled to the floor in the library after nine stacks "fell" in the third floor annex. Martin Schmitt, acting librarian, said he doubted it was "an act of God." Sue Walcott was selected AWS president; Kathy Thurston, YWCA

president, and Margaret Holman, WRA president, in women's elections. Larry Brice, Campbell Club, was named King of Hearts at the annual Heart Hop. The Hi-Lo's, male vocal group, performed in the Student Union.

March

Chuck Mitchelmore was named new Emerald editor and Gary Capps for the new business manager for the May-December 1957 term. "Revolution Sweeps Campus," "Teamster Probe Strikes at IFC," "Coeds Storm Men's Dorms," these were the headlines in the April Fool's edition of the "Ephemerald."

April

Tom Waud, Sigma Chi, was elected president of the IFC. Jim Lynch was elected ASUO president in one of the most hotly-contested political races in years. Lynch beat Don Kalberer, Ore-

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