

Letters to the Editor

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liberty!" But remember, poor Winkelried was killed.

I am referring to the action of the faculty on the National Defense Act funds. This move, for which the courageous and crusading Emerald asks a vote of confidence, looks like a fine and noble thing. But I wonder if it wasn't a little petty and foolish.

It impresses one, at first, as a little like the affectation of some professors who, even though graduates of Washington State add an "r" to "idea" in emulation of their Harvard brethren. But beyond this there is something much more sinister about the action of the faculty. They have taken upon themselves the responsibility for a grave decision which is not really theirs. In attacking their little windmill, they have done a great injustice to those who they are supposed to serve, the people of Oregon.

Do not forget that the University of Oregon, unlike Yale, Reed, Amherst, and the other schools refusing federal aid, is a part of the state of Oregon. It has responsibilities to Oregonians in providing the best possible education for them and their children. I hardly see how rejecting the great resources available to the state through the National Defense Act is liv-

ing up to that responsibility. If denied these funds the people of Oregon must dig deeper into their pockets to provide what they could have had and what other states are having. Or they may do without. This is certainly a sorry choice. Yale and Harvard have their prime assets in the great wealth of their "alumni and friends." To make up her loss, the University of Oregon must fall back on the citizens of the state.

Perhaps it is healthy for the faculty to don their hair shirts and lament the tragic impossibility of accepting "such a good plan" if the Board of Higher Education acts as a restraint by considering the interest of the state as a whole. But if the policies of the state government are to be dictated by a minority with an acute sense of persecution, I suggest that the state is in trouble.

There are several other points on which the action of the faculty could be attacked, the most important of which is the fact that there is little actual or implied threat in that wicked and dreadful oath. But I think the point stressed above is sufficient cause for rejecting The Emerald's plea for a vote of confidence.

Robert Borden
Sophomore in
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Student groups to study in Europe

Five groups, each containing 25 selected American college students, will visit Germany, France, Austria and Spain next summer to study the language, culture, and civilization of these countries during an eight-week stay.

Designed for serious students who do not plan to see all of Europe, the program called Classrooms Abroad, tries to teach a seminar in area studies through a summer of actual living in the countries. All groups will undergo intensive language training during the trip by ship.

Cultural opportunities listed

Two visits per week to theatres, concerts and movies as well as visits to museums, libraries, factories, youth organizations and other points of interest are included in the program.

Students will live with German, Austrian, French and Spanish families, eat many of their meals with their hosts and share the activities of their sons and daughters.

The director of Classrooms Abroad is Frank D. Hirschbach, assistant professor of German at the University of Minnesota. Further information can be obtained by writing Classrooms Abroad, Box 4171 University Station, Minneapolis 14, Minn.

World News In Brief

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planes after a continuous flight of 80 hours and 36 minutes over a distance of 39,000 miles.

The six-engine plane flew a distance equal to more than one and one-half times around the world, although it never left the continental U.S.

The Air Force pilot and his crew of two eclipsed the previous 47-hour jet endurance record set in 1955.

Charge refuted

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The State Department has refuted Communist Chinese allegations that U.S. consular officials in Bombay, India had kidnaped a Red Chinese official.

It branded the charges as "absurd and fabricated." A department spokesman says the U.S. version of the incident is the full fact.

America says the Red Chinese kidnaped and beat a U.S. Marine in Bombay last week.

Winnie paid tribute

LONDON (UPI) — Winston Churchill's friends and political enemies paid him tribute in

Parliament Monday. The veteran statesman celebrated his 85th birthday with a short visit to the House of Commons, and ended it with a family-at-home party.

The man who defied Hitler some 30 years ago was described by a London newspaper as "The greatest living Englishman."

Cold wave hits south

MIAMI (UPI)—A record late-November cold wave has hit the south and has moved deep into Florida.

The cold caused moderate to heavy damages to vegetable crops in Florida. It has also claimed at least 13 lives in fires in Virginia, the Carolinas, Georgia and Alabama.

An infant froze to death in Mississippi. And a dozen highway deaths on icy roads have been blamed at least partly on the cold.

Troops out of Zone

PANAMA CITY (UPI)—Panamanian national guardsmen and U.S. troops have withdrawn from the Canal Zone frontier.

Border controls have been returned to civilian police

Prouty's changes store ownership

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Prouty's Old Book Store, located one-half block north of 13th and Alder streets, is a place familiar to most students interested in purchasing or browsing through old and new hardbounds and paperbacks, and used textbooks.

The store, which bears the name of its first owner, Cyrus Prouty, was established in 1952. Prouty had just retired from 30 years service in the Army when he opened the store for a hobby. In 1957 Prouty died.

New owner in 1957

Del Smith, 26, the present owner, bought the store from the Prouty estate two years ago when he was a first term junior at the University. Smith, who is married and has two children, planned to operate it in order to help meet school expenses.

During his ownership, Smith has completely remodeled the store, doing all the designing and construction himself. Smith has organized the store to handle new and used hardbounds, new paperbacks, magazines, text books, and school supplies.

Smith states goals

"My ambition," Smith said, "is to have the best all around book

store in the Emerald Empire." He said his goal is to stock 10,000 new and used hardbounds, every paperback in print, and a good selection of magazines and school supplies.

Smith plans to offer trade-ins on used text books. Students may sell their books to the store at 50 per cent new book value, or may trade them at a 60 percent value. Smith plans to issue a trade slip which can be applied on any item in the store or which may be redeemed at any time at the originally agreed cash price.

Campus Calendar

- AWS Scholarship board will meet today at 6:30 in the SU. Mr. Carlson, counseling director, will be speaker. Each woman's living organization should be represented.

- A general freshman class meeting will be held Wednesday in the SU Ballroom. Fresh class officers, advisors, and the year's program will be introduced.

- Dr. Luce Sharnell will speak in 138 Commonwealth Thursday 8 p.m. in observance of National Belial Week, which takes place from Nov. 29 to Dec. 5. His topic will be "Toward Belial Horizons." All students are invited to come.

- All pre-nursing students are reminded to attend the department assembly today at 1 p.m. in room 207 Chapman. Misses Lola Thompson and Ann Packard, U of O pre-nursing students will speak. Other interested students are invited to attend.

- A meeting of all interested in discussing this year's World Affairs Week program will take place in the Institute of International Studies, Room 102 Commonwealth at 4 p.m. today.

- The School of Health and Physical Education will hold their annual school convocation on Tuesday, Dec. 1 at 1 p.m. in the SU. Harold Beall, superintendent of public schools in Springfield, Oregon, will speak on the topic, "Current Practices and Trends in Physical Education and Athletics in Russia." Beall has just returned from a five-week tour in Russia. All major and graduate students in health, physical education, and recreation should be in attendance.

- The Northwest Review will be on sale Friday in the Co-op and SU.

- The Order of the O will meet at the Phi Psi house Wednesday noon.

NEW OUTDOOR SPORT!

One of our less popular friends who is addicted to the semi-popular indoor sport of drinking was caught mixing a Dairy Quirker (gin and D.Q. with just a tad of vermouth). The catcher eyed the man, then yelled, "No, no, no, don't put gin on there, you rummy!" Nowadays, gin rummy is even more popular especially with a D.Q. from 13th and Hilyard.

A Campus-to-Career Case History



Dick Petzold discusses time charges for a customer's telephone installation with an administrative assistant.

How to avoid a "dead end" career: read Dick Petzold's story

While a senior at the University of Maryland, accounting major Richard G. Petzold made some definite decisions about his future. "I wanted to work for an established company," he says, "but I didn't want to get lost in a 'dead end' job."

Dick joined the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company in Washington, D. C., right after graduating in June, 1956. Following three months of orientation, he became a supervisor in Revenue Accounting, where he continued training in a productive capacity, with 15 people reporting to him. Here, he suggested a number of methods improvements which were adopted.

Far from a "dead end" career, Dick's took him into many operating areas:

- to General Accounting, where he handled market research projects, includ-

ing a Customer Opinion Survey for four Bell System companies...

- to Disbursements Accounting, for IBM-equipment training and, later on, the supervision of Payroll Deduction procedures...

- to Personnel Relations, where he coordinated a special, four-company "absentee" study and presented findings to an important, top-level conference...

- to Disbursements Accounting again, where he is now Supervisor, Labor and Material, with an administrative assistant and 10 clerks under his guidance.

"The telephone company brings out the best in you," says Dick. "I've developed new skills, acquired self-reliance, and learned how to supervise and work with people. What's the opposite of a 'dead end' career? Well, I've got it!"

Dick Petzold earned a B.S. degree in Accounting while in college. He's one of many young men with varied college backgrounds who are finding rewarding careers with the Bell Telephone Companies. Learn about opportunities for you. See the Bell interviewer when he visits your campus—and read the Bell Telephone booklet in your Placement Office.



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