

Model GOP Convention to Open Today

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McArthur Court will be the final battlefield of a five-month power struggle this weekend with the advent of the GOP Model Convention.

The University's largest academic activity for this year will be called to order at 7 p.m. today. Over 950 students will participate.

The purposes of the convention are to acquaint students with some of the political procedures involved in a presidential nominating convention and to stimulate interest in political activity. Students have been encouraged to participate regardless of political ideology or party affiliation.

Jones Optimistic

State delegations have been assigned to the various living units, and political analysts from each supposedly researched the current political feelings in each state so that the delegations can vote accordingly.

Jim Jones, general chairman, told The Emerald Thursday that he believes the convention will be a success in spite of earlier foreboding.

"Things are going fairly well

right now," said Jones. "I am very pleased with our speakers program and the platform resolutions committee. They have had a number of excellent discussions."

Goldwater Stand-in

Preconvention activity today will bring the descendant of a

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former President, Governor Nelson Rockefeller's nephew and a Washington state congressman to the campus.

Theodore Roosevelt IV, a lawyer from New York, and Lawrence Rockefeller, a 19-year-old Harvard student, will be speaking to students in the SU from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. today in support of Governor Rockefeller.

At 3:30 p.m., Representative Jack Westland of Washington's second district will speak on behalf of Sen. Barry Goldwater in the SU ballroom. All activities, including the convention, are open to the general public.

Permanent chairman for the convention is William C. Jones, dean of administration. The parliamentarian will be David N. Andrews, candidate for the Oregon House of Representatives from Lane County.

Tom L. McCall, candidate for state Secretary of State, will introduce the keynote speaker for the convention, Representative John V. Lindsay of New York.

Lindsay is serving his third term and is a member of the House Judiciary committee. He is considered a liberal Republican, and Life magazine has placed him among the one-hundred most outstanding young men in the United States.

Minority Reports

The entire platform is to be voted upon tonight before the first session ends. Thursday a resolution on civil rights sponsored by the Southern states

was rescinded after heated debate in the platform resolutions committee. A compromise resolution was drawn up, but the Southerners promised that there will be a minority report.

Other minority reports are expected, especially in the area of foreign affairs, labor, and welfare. Special resolutions covering other areas are also expected.

Balloting for the presidential candidates will begin at 10 a.m. Saturday and continue as long as necessary after lunch.

Rocky First

A vice-presidential candidate will also be chosen as soon as the presidential candidate is selected.

All the major candidates are represented for the presidential nomination. The "College Students for Rockefeller" under the leadership of Bill Pollock were the first to organize, followed by

Senator Barry Goldwater's organization, chaired by Dave Williams.

Steve McLaughlin is in charge of the Scranton drive, and the "Draft Lodge" movement got underway a few weeks ago under the direction of Bob Reid. Sen. Margaret Chase Smith has had very little support outside the Maine delegation.

Hatfield "Favorite Son"

It is expected that there will be several "favorite son" candidates. Late Thursday, the Louisiana delegation announced it would nominate once-defeated gubernatorial candidate Charleston Lyons.

The Oregon delegation will nominate Governor Mark O. Hatfield as a "favorite son" for vice-president.

The "Mock Rock," an informal dance, will follow the convention from 9 to 12 p.m. Saturday.



Forest of signs greeted students Thursday morning, official start of campaigns for primary election April 29. These are opposite Commonwealth Hall. Photo: Sands

And Struggles for Quorum

Senate Reconsiders NSA

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The ASUO Senate, struggling to maintain a quorum, discussed, approved, re-discussed, amended, re-discussed and re-amended measures regarding the National Student Association delegation Thursday night at a meeting starting 45 minutes late and lasting three and one-half hours.

The Senate took action in several other areas:

- Approved constitutional amendments that will appear on the May 6 ballot.
- Adopted motions for two new programs—a Freshman Seminar Program and Student Government Seminar Program.
- Voted to put questions regarding the Student Conduct

Code on the May 6 ballot.

- Elected a new Rally Board chairman, Greg Reed.

- Unanimously passed a motion for support of the State Ballot (Bond) Measure No. 1 in the May 15 primary election.

- Approved a cancer educational campaign for the week of April 27 through May 1.

- Tabled discussion on a Student-Faculty Committee on Student-Faculty Relations.

- Approved suggestions from the ASUO Academic and Cultural Committee for presentation to orientation (new student) week officials.

John Luvaas, senator-at-large, moved that the University's NSA delegation be limited to three for the summer session of 1964.

This was amended to four delegates when it was brought up by Jerry Rust, campus NSA coordinator, that four could be financed within the \$1250 approved for the budget request by the Senate at its last meeting.

But later, after considerable debate, the Senate decided to raise the budget request to \$1650 (which it had been before the reduction last week). The number in the delegation was then increased to six, and then it was decided to include six "or more", as finances permit.

The NSA delegation will include the ASUO president, one senator recommended by the president and approved by the senate, and four others elected by the student body.

Necessary to Change

Because fewer than 25 percent of the student body voted on the proposed constitutional amendments in the April 15 elections, it was necessary to change

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UO Student Member Proposed for Council

A proposal to place a student representative on the Eugene City Council as a non-voting member was presented to council members Thursday.

The proposal, submitted by ASUO Senator-at-large John Luvaas, was referred to a committee after being favorably received by the councilmen.

Dean of Men Ray Hawk, also a Eugene city councilman, commented that he was favorably impressed with such student interest in city government. He repeated, however, the caution of City Manager Hugh McKinley who warned the council that it might get caught in disagreements between students and faculty or administrators if a student seat were opened.

Difference of Interests

"We must clearly define just whom the student would be representing," said Hawk. He added that difference between the interests of the ASUO and the administration should be clearly defined.

Hawk used the example of a hypothetical stand on parking meters. He pointed out that a senate stand on parking meters might be in direct opposition to policies of the Campus Planning Commission.

Luvaas said that although the idea of a student representative on the council had been suggested to the senate several times in the past it had never been taken to the council. He said he favors having the representative appointed by the student body president but said such procedure would have to be decided upon later.

Hawk commented that in the

past he has seen Emerald staff members and senators at council meetings from time to time.

Students have gone to the City Council in the past to discuss a proposed bridge over the millrace, the "O" on Skinner's Butte, the removal of trees on Patterson street and placing parking meters on Kincaid street between 13th and 14th streets.

Luvaas said that since one-sixth of the population of Eugene is students, student representation seems logical. He said he feels the flow of information between the council and students would be beneficial to both groups.

Final 'Consul' Tickets on Sale

Tickets for the final two performances of "The Consul," the Giano-Carlo Menotti opera now at the University Theater, will be on sale at the UT box office today and Saturday.

Proceeds from the tickets will go to the Kennedy Memorial Fund, established by the ASUO Senate. Tickets are \$2 each.

Some parts in the modern musical drama have been double cast. Tonight's cast consists of Robert Campbell, Martha Hill, Margaret Gates, Sandra Olsen, Carol Hansen and Sally Benson. Saturday night's cast will be Don Lev, Sabine Phelps, Nina Cutler, Dennis Barger and Sally Benson.

Both performances are at 8 p.m.

Prexy Hopefuls To Clash Today

ASUO presidential hopefuls John Luvaas and Ron Cowin will debate at 4 p.m. today at the Free Speech Platform in front of the Student Union.

Luvaas issued the debate challenge to Cowin Thursday afternoon. He described the debate as "an opportunity to bring my own as well as Mr. Cowin's past positions and views into the open."

In accepting the challenge Cowin called the debate "a chance to air our views and accurately interpret them to the student body. I challenged John (Luvaas) to a debate some time ago and I am very happy that he is accepting."

Luvaas said he was prompted to issue the challenge because of "numerous charges which are very unfavorable to my position as a candidate." He said that several people had accused him of "being against" the student conduct code, against the National Student Association (NSA) and against "anything generally progressive."

These charges "are absolutely false," Luvaas said. The debate offers a chance to correct misstatements "on my positions as well as bringing Mr. Cowin's into the open," Luvaas said.

Cowin said he has made "no charges against Luvaas. My campaign is based on issues and my concept of the direction student government should take during the next year."

Architecture Lecturer To Discuss Planning

"The Crisis of Professionalization in Planning" will be discussed by a guest lecturer of the School of Architecture and Allied Arts at 4 p.m. today in 123 Science.

John W. Dyckman, an authority on land development and urbanization, will be the speaker at the public lecture. He is chairman of the Center for Planning and Development Research and professor of city and regional planning at the University of California at Berkeley.

He is also a consultant to the Arthur D. Little Co. in San Francisco, the California State Development Plan, and the Division of State and Local Planning of the State of Illinois Board of Economic Development.

Dyckman was on the faculty of the University of Pennsylvania before accepting his present position at Berkeley. He was also a visiting professor at Berkeley and Stanford and has lectured and given short courses at Harvard, MIT, the Philadelphia Museum of Art, the University of Oregon and Dartmouth.

He has been a consultant to agencies including the New York City Planning Department, Michael Reese Hospital in Chicago, National Park Service, and American Council to Improve Our Neighborhoods (ACTION).

He is co-author of "Capital Requirements for Urban Development and Renewal," a volume in the ACTION series in Housing and Community Development.

DST to Begin This Weekend

Oregon and much of the nation will go on Daylight Saving Time this weekend. The time change will begin at midnight Saturday. Clocks should be moved forward one hour.