

'Death Penalty Doesn't Reduce Crime Rates'

By STEVE BROWN
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Oregon's ballot measure No. 4 came under the scrutiny of the YMCA Dialogue held Tuesday in the Bottom-of-the-Bowl.

Entitled "An Eye for an Eye?", the discussion presented Chapin Clark, associate professor of law, speaking for abolishing capital punishment and Daniel Pollitt, visiting professor of law, speaking for capital punishment, even though he does not personally support it.

Pollit has defended several Eastern capital punishment cases, and Clark has, in the past, spoken against the issue. Panel moderator was Phil Zahn, Dialogue student chairman.

Pro and Con

In beginning the discussion, Clark summarized several pro and con arguments about the death penalty. Both speakers agreed that statistics on capital punishment's value as a crime deterrent were inconclusive.

To prove this point, Georgia was presented as a case where capital punishment exists and the homicide death rate ties for first in the nation. In Michigan, a state without the death penalty, the homicide death rate is 15 to 20 times lower.

Clark added that studies do not indicate the death penalty gives police more protection from criminals. It was also pointed out that capital punishment cases are harmful to justice administration because of the "circus atmosphere" which exists in the courtroom and that they are expensive for the state to prosecute.

Discrimination of Poor

Discrimination by the death penalty of the poor, friendless minority who cannot provide adequate defense counsel was also mentioned.

Pollit, in defending capital punishment, emphasized that a criminal had "plenty of protection" from the death penalty, as based on the North Carolina legal system.

Using a murder case as an example, he first stated that a crim-

inal who pleads guilty to a capital offense cannot be executed. If he enters a not-guilty plea, the jury then determines whether the person is guilty of first degree murder, and if so, is authorized

to recommend life imprisonment. If the jury recommends death, the judge can reject the decision. If the death penalty is accepted, appeals can be made to (Continued on page 8)



FOREIGN STUDENTS and their 'friendship families' gathered in the SU Ballroom Tuesday night for a faculty-student reception in their honor.

Malik Speaks At Charter Day

The eighty-eighth anniversary of the University's legal recognition as an educational institution will be observed today, culminating with a revised edition of the annual Charter Day Convocation this evening.

Charles H. Halik, former president of the United Nations General Assembly and ex-Foreign Minister of Lebanon, will be the featured speaker at the 8 p.m. convocation in the Student Union Ballroom.

Several changes have been made in the eleventh annual observances of the day on which the State Legislature voted the University into being.

One of the major changes is the addition of a requirement

Distinguished Service Awards Given Today

By JOHN DAY
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As part of the University's annual Charter Day ceremonies, three outstanding Oregon citizens will receive the Distinguished Service Award.

This year the recipients are Tom Hardy, noted sculptor; Dr. William Kenneth Livingston, retired professor of surgery at the University Medical School; and Professor Charles McKinley, political science instructor at Reed College.

The Distinguished Service Award program began 11 years ago, and has honored three notable Oregonians each year.

A committee, consisting of the University president, the chairman of the Faculty Senate, the chairman of the Advisory Council, the Director of Alumni Affairs, the ASUO President, the Director of Public Service, the Dean of Administration and two faculty members chosen at large, accepts recommendations for recipients.

After careful consideration, three persons are nominated, and (Continued on page 3)

that persons attending the convocation obtain tickets beforehand. Tickets may be obtained at the Student Union main desk by students, faculty, or others interested in attending.

Problems with attendance necessitated both the addition of the ticket requirement and moving the convocation from McArthur Court, where it has been held in recent years.

Slated for Ballroom

University officials said earlier this month that the program was slated for the ballroom, which seats 1,100, instead of 10,000-seat McArthur Court because recent ceremonies in the huge basketball court had been marred by poor attendance.

"If you have only 2,000 people turn out at Mac Court you can hardly make a dent on the place," Dean of Administration William C. Jones said. "It's embarrassing to import a big speaker and then have all those empty seats staring him in the face."

The allotment of tickets was added to enable the administration to judge the response to this year's convocation. If all the tickets to the ballroom are given out and a demand still exists, the program will be moved back to McArthur Court to allow everyone to attend.

Moving to Evening

Another change has been the moving of the convocation from a morning to an evening time slot. One reason for this change was the fact that Malik was previously scheduled to speak at Stanford University in Palo Alto, Calif., Tuesday night, and was therefore unable to make it to Eugene for a morning speech.

Also, the processional of faculty members in academic regalia, which had been a part of the ceremonies since Charter Day's conception eleven years ago, has been eliminated.

Malik's address on "The Struggle for Peace" will highlight the convocation.

Others taking part in the program will be Rabbi Joshua Stampfer of Portland, who will give the invocation; the University's Symphonic Orchestra, which will provide musical entertainment; and

KWAX, 91.1 mc., will broadcast the Charter Day Ceremonies live from the Student Union Ballroom beginning at 7:50 p.m. tonight. The broadcast will continue until the conclusion of the presentation of the Distinguished Service Awards. Dave Jordan, Emerald associate editor, will be the commentator.

University President Arthur S. Flemming, who will present the Distinguished Service Awards (see story on page one of today's Emerald).

Long Record

Malik has a long record of participation in international affairs. He was chairman of the Lebanon delegation to the United Nations from 1946 through 1955, and served on the United Nations Commission on Civil Rights for two years.

He also served as Lebanon's ambassador to the United States from 1953 to 1955. In the course of his career in international politics he has been decorated by more than a dozen governments, and has been awarded honorary degrees by 40 colleges and universities around the world.

Lived In Oregon

Work Ends For Herbert Hoover

By IRMA DAWN MOAR
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His "Magnum Opus" won't ever be finished.

Herbert Clark Hoover died Tuesday before his book—a history of the years since 1930—was complete.

The nation's thirty-first chief



HERBERT C. HOOVER

executive died in his New York Waldorf-Astoria suite after a long illness.

In Deep Coma

His condition took a turn for the worse Saturday and two hours before his death a medical bulletin said he had lapsed into a "deep coma." He was stricken with a massive internal hemorrhage of the upper gastrointestinal tract.

Hoover's two sons—Herbert Jr. and Allan Henry—were with him in his 31st floor apartment when he died.

Service in Rotunda

The former President's body will lie in state for two days in Saint Bartholomew's Episcopal Church on Park avenue, then after memorial services will be taken to Washington for a service in the Capitol rotunda.

Hoover will be buried in a national park at the site of a small cottage in West Branch, Ia., where he was born in 1874. Born of Quaker parents on Aug. 10 of that year, he was orphaned at age ten. For the next seven years he lived with Quaker relatives in Iowa and then in Oregon.

He worked his way through Stanford University, holding various jobs on the campus, and became a top-flight mining engineer and a wealthy man at 28.

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While at Stanford he met and married Lou Henry. She died in 1944.

The former chief executive was the only United States President (Continued on page 3)

Miller Analogies Test Announced

Graduate students wishing to satisfy the Miller Analogies Test requirement may do so on Thursday, Oct. 22, at 3:30 p.m.

Registration may be made at the Counseling Center, Room 150, Susan Campbell Hall, at least one day prior to the testing date. Upon registration the fee of \$2.50 may be paid.

UO Receives NSF Grants

Two grants totaling \$223,700 from the National Science Foundation will be made today to the University.

The funds will be used to help high school teachers improve the quality of their teaching by spending an academic year in the full-time study of their field.

The University mathematics department will receive \$118,400, and the biology department will receive \$105,300.

The mathematics grant will establish a new academic year institute, under A. F. Moursund, to provide advanced training for approximately 20 high school teachers. The money will provide scholarships, including living allowances for dependents, while the teachers, in most cases, work toward master's degrees.

The biology grant, to Sanford S. Tepfer, is to continue an existing institute program which provides similar training for science teachers.

Frosh Petition Deadline Today

Petitions for freshman class offices, graduate student representative and foreign student representative are due at 5 p.m. today in the Student Union. The deadline has been extended to this time.

So far Denny Dodge, Michael M. Donahue and David G. Itzen, are the only students to petition for frosh president.

Those petitioning for frosh vice-president so far are Gayle Dunning, Perry Owens, Paul Tuttle, Dick Jones, Ronny Terpening, Dave Bohlman, Paul Crogan, Sid Christie, Rich Eymann and Lenie Semas.

Stephen Marks has petitioned for graduate student representative.

Peter Majne has petitioned for foreign student representative.

Petitioning for men's dorm representative are Enno Poersch and Robert Repp.

Patty Soule, Lauri Saunders, Penny McLaughlan and Shary Potter have petitioned for women's dorm representative.

Petitioning for frosh senate representative are Tom Ayrea, Jack Ferguson and Lee Neuman.

Petitions may be obtained on the third floor of the Student Union. A \$15 filing fee must accompany all petitions.

A meeting for all candidates will be held at 7 p.m. today. Campaigning will begin at midnight today.