

# ERICKSON DOUBTED FOR STUDENT HEAD

### Star Athlete Independent Men's Choice; Spring Campaign Looms

From outward appearances students at Willamette university are listening to the birds sing and lastly basking in the springtime sun, but beneath the veneer of idleness, or rather idleness, it, the school politicians are waging the annual political campaign for student body officers.

The independent men, who organized for the first time last semester are now placing a candidate in the field. Their candidate is none other than Walter Erickson, all conference halfback for three years, and also heavy-hitter outfielder in baseball. Though Walter has been to none of the meetings of the group, he has consented to run for the office and the independents will push him.

Two of the three fraternities combined last year elected the student body president, together with the large sorority vote those Greek letter men were able to swing.

Each candidate must consent to be run and have 25 names on petition to be student body president by Saturday noon, April 16. Ballot will be cast Friday, April 22, with all who have paid their student body dues eligible to vote.

The offices to be filled by election now are: student body president, first vice president, second vice president, secretary of the student body, editor of the Willamette Collegian and editor of the Wallulah. The yell king and song queen for next year will be elected later this spring.

# CANDIDATES TO BE QUERIED ON PROHIBITION

A questionnaire aimed to probe all Marion county candidates on their specific stand on prohibition, will be sent each candidate if plans formed last night by the Brotherhood of the Jason Lee Methodist church are carried out. The group voted unanimously to appoint a committee of three to work with other local religious organizations in an attempt to get a general public statement from all candidates on present controversial issues.

On the regular program for the evening the men saw a demonstration of marionette work made by Myron Fouke. Sheldon F. Sackett spoke on current political problems, local, state and national. Kenneth Fleming, soon to contest at Pacific university in a vocal contest, sang two well-received songs while Dr. H. C. Egley directed the 50 men present in a number of songs.

# Under the Dome...

YESTERDAY was a busy day — "newscally" speaking. At the capitol there was a double state board of control session, a land board meeting and a series of conferences. In addition the Empire Holding company trial was going on at Dallas. The Masonic orders were in session here, and the Willamette river improvement group met, and there were others.

But before going into all that, a suggestion was made to the column that the state provide an office for W. W. Richardson, transportation supervisor and expense account checker. Although allegedly working for the board of control, he can move always be found waiting in the outer office of the state treasurer.

Well, the state board of control started something — something that will either fail or completion or a lot more will be heard about it for years and years to come. The board called for bids for a state-owned power plant which it was estimated could be constructed at a cost of \$150,000. The recommendation of Senator Burke and his committee was adopted.

This was done despite engineers' estimates, including that of the public utilities commission, that the plan was not feasible — despite the fact that no money was appropriated by the legislature for such a plant — and despite the fact that the plant, if constructed, must be built out of alleged savings over the present supply. Oh well!

The power plant, if constructed, would supply energy and electricity to 12 institutions, buildings and shops in and around Salem, all belonging to the state. Diesel engines would be part of the equipment. Senator Burke said bids would be called for the building, equipment and the distributing system.

Most people were at a loss Tuesday to explain the sudden disappearance of Governor "Alfalfa Bill" Murray, democratic presidential candidate. He was supposed to have left for the state trace was available until he reached Idaho Tuesday night. At that Murray developed into a bigger news story than was ex-

# Society News and Club Affairs

OLIVE M. DOAK, Society Editor

## Bridge Luncheon Will Honor Visitors

An attractive bridge luncheon of the week will be that for which Mrs. V. R. Griggs will be hostess this afternoon at 1 o'clock, commencing with her house guests, Miss Eugenia Pariseau and Miss Judith Welen of Seattle.

Luncheon will be served at Mrs. Godfrey's and following that the group will go to the home of Mrs. Griggs on Fairmount hill for an afternoon of contract bridge.

Lavender guests in compliment to Miss Pariseau and Miss Welen include Mrs. Louis Lachmund, Mrs. Otto Johnson, Mrs. Wayne Loder, Mrs. Harry Hawkins, Mrs. David B. Hill, Mrs. Roy Simmons, Mrs. Chester Cox, Mrs. Paul Wallace, Miss Edna Steig of Seattle, Mrs. W. E. Scandling of Portland, Mrs. H. G. Matson, Mrs. William Mott, Mrs. Jerrold Owen, Mrs. John Elliott, Mrs. P. C. Macdonald, Mrs. Curtis Cross, Mrs. J. Callaghan, Mrs. Dan Fry, Jr., Mrs. A. A. Groning, Corvallis, O. C. Locke and Mrs. W. H. Lytle.

## Music Week Proclaimed

With Music Week coming shortly Mayor P. M. Gregory has proclaimed the event to Salem in the following proclamation:

Whereas, National Good Music Week, May 1 to 3, has come to be observed throughout the nation.

This splendid effort to encourage an increased interest and appreciation of Good Music is worthy the serious and enthusiastic cooperation of all citizens generally.

Therefore, as Mayor of the City of Salem, I call on all people of our city to join in this common cause, that out of the seed of inspiration and beauty planted during Good Music Week, a harvest of good will and noble aspiration of our civic duty and responsibility may spring.

P. M. GREGORY.

## Public Music Program Tonight

In line with the policy adopted some time ago whereby the Salem Music Teachers' association presents a group of young musicians of Salem each week in a public concert, the group will present tonight a group of these young people in the lobby of the Y. W. C. A.

Those to appear on the program include Maxine Goodenough, violinist, accompanied by Eileen Goodenough on the piano; Helen Purvine, violinist; Maxine Case and Adella Diekmann, pianists, and Joy Hill, vocalist.

The program will begin at 8:15 o'clock and the public is cordially invited.

## Occurrences and Gossip at the center of Oregon's state government

pected when he left his Oklahoma capitol.

The Associated Oil company finally was awarded the contract to supply the state with about a million gallons of gasoline, but at a price a half cent a gallon lower than their first bid. The state will pay a top price of 10.33 cents a gallon for its gas. The Union Oil company was awarded the road oil contract.

The press boys report progress relative to the opening baseball game in Portland. George Alexander of the state police will take the boys to Portland to see the game, while the governor professed seats. Now if they can only get someone to furnish the lunch next Tuesday noon, everything will be set for the newshounds.

It is adverse from the usual when an official act is taken against the incarceration of an individual in a state institution. But that is what the board of control did about Vernon Levey of Portland. The unanimous vote of the board refused the youth admission into the state training school for boys.

Why should they want him back? It was Vernon Levey who caused all the trouble which eventually resulted in the ousting of W. H. Ballie as superintendent. Ever since Portland took Levey out he has been in trouble, and now they want him back in there again. The best recommendation would be to turn him over to Jim Lewis.

Warden Lewis of the state penitentiary wasn't present at the board meeting yesterday to which institutional heads were invited. Jim is getting along fine since the convict made an attempt upon his life, but is not back to normalcy yet. Jim's friends — and he has many of them — are glad to hear he is very much on the job all the time.

Miss Winifred Graham, secretary to C. A. Howard, was called as a witness in the trial of Keller of the Empire Holding company at Dallas yesterday. She was called because she is a notary public before whom signatures to something or other were sworn to. The trial at Dallas is unceasing rapidly.

## SOCIAL CALENDAR

**Wednesday, April 13**

Dorcas society of Christ Lutheran church, monthly meeting, in church parlors; important business meeting.

Woman's Guild of American Lutheran church, business session, and kitchen shower at church; program of music.

Lincoln Parent-Teachers association, 7:30 o'clock; election of officers; Miss Clara Belle Neg, speaker.

Sweet Briar club with Mrs. Sarah Patrick, Wallace Road.

Philanthropic class of First Evangelical church, business and social meeting, 8 o'clock; with Mrs. Harriett Montgomery, 580 North 17th street.

Woman's Home Missionary society, Jason Lee church, with Mrs. M. A. Marcy, 1097 North Winter street; 2:30 o'clock.

Past Presidents club, W. R. C. with Mrs. Bessie Martin, 1116 South 14th street.

Woman's Foreign Missionary society, First Methodist church, hostess to university girls of church, reception and program, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Woman's Home Missionary society, with Mrs. M. A. Rhoten, 1595 South High street.

Presbyterian Women's Missionary society, in church parlors; regular monthly meeting.

Missionary meeting of Knight Memorial church, with Mrs. V. H. Ritchie, 184 South 18th street, 2:30 o'clock.

**Thursday, April 14**

Open meeting for Artisans at Fraternal Temple, 8 o'clock program and dancing. All members and friends invited.

Regular meeting of Maccabees; C. D. Robinson, state manager, present for first visit; all Maccabees urged to be present.

**Friday, April 15**

Women's Missionary society of First Baptist church with Mrs. F. M. Hoyt, 753 North Winter street, 2:00 o'clock.

Sewing club of B. & P. W. with Miss Clara Uriah, Royal Court apartments.

**Saturday, April 16**

Regular meeting of Order of Rainbow for Girls, Masonic temple, 7:30 o'clock; dancing and cards to follow regular meeting.

American Association of University Women, Silver Grille of Gray Belle; Dr. John H. Mueller, department of sociology, University of Oregon, speaker.

## "Prosperity" Parties Jolly Series

Dr. and Mrs. George Lewis are entertaining with a series of "prosperity" parties which have proved most enjoyable events for the guests. The guests have been asked to come in costume and the results for amusement have been successful.

The last of the series will be an event of tonight at which time Mr. and Mrs. John Marr, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Conley, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Odum, Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Marsters, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, and Dr. and Mrs. Frank Vought will be guests.

Saturday night marked one of the series of fun parties and at this time guests included Mr. and Mrs. Marion Curry, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Acton, Mr. and Mrs. H. Pedersen, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kletting, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. McMILLIN, Mr. and Mrs. Bryson Lachmund and Prof. and Mrs. Herbert Rahe.

## Alpha Phi Alpha Mothers Entertained

Mrs. Russell Catlin entertained members of the Alpha Phi Alpha Mothers club at her home Tuesday afternoon. A delightful afternoon of informal conversation and sewing preceded the tea hour at which time a large number of the sorority women called as special guests.

Mrs. Carl Gregg Doney and Mrs. E. E. Edwards presided at the tea table. Mrs. Frank Spears assisted Mrs. Catlin in serving.

Present for the afternoon were Mrs. S. Del Smith, Mrs. John Ulych, Mrs. W. B. Kirk, Mrs. Mary Johnson, Mrs. Ed Rosteln, Mrs. George Allen, Mrs. B. E. Edwards, Mrs. Carl Gregg Doney, Mrs. James Taylor, Mrs. H. M. Broadbent, Mrs. George Pearce, Mrs. E. C. Cross, Mrs. Frank Spears, Mrs. Lloyd Drorbaugh, Mrs. B. F. Adams, and Mrs. C. P. Breithaupt.

## Ilahaee Country Club Plans Dance

The Ilahaee country club will dance Saturday night at the clubhouse amidst a gay atmosphere of spring. This note will be suggested by a profusion of flowers and greenery.

Guests are being invited for this affair. Dancing will begin at 10 o'clock and will be enjoyed until one o'clock. Chairman of the committee in charge is Gordon Wilson.

## Brush College—Mrs. Andrew Haers and her daughter Miss Sylvia Haers were honored Sunday afternoon by a group of friends who called to wish them many happy returns of the day. The occasion was the mother's and daughter's birthday.

Among those calling during the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Erickson, Ernest Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Goplerud, Charlotte Goplerud, Walter Goplerud, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Storrust, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Larson.

## PRESSURE-COOKING MAKES NEW SHREDDED BISCUIT TASTIER

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The biscuits are then toasted a light golden brown on both top and bottom — not just one side. This makes them much crisper and crunchier.

Economy has not been overlooked either. Instead of the usual dozen, you get 15 biscuits to the package. Incidentally, the biscuits are a new, convenient size—two just fit the cereal bowl.

There is also news in the fact that the Kellogg biscuit is so rich in food value that the Medical Arts Laboratory of Philadelphia certifies that it is a "most desirable" and "most nutritious" food. Mothers are welcoming this improved and healthful cereal. They find it equally delightful for breakfast, lunch, or children's supper—serving it with hot or cold milk or cream, and sometimes adding fruits or honey.

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## Local Institute Is Successful Event

The local institute of the Salem W. C. T. U. held at Union hall Tuesday proved a successful affair, with about 60 people in attendance.

In addition to devotions by Rev. S. Darlow Johnson and solos by Rev. Quibley and Mrs. Charles Fessenden, several interesting talks were made.

Mrs. Helen Prescott, president of the Marion county W. C. T. U. spoke upon the importance and reasons for institutes. Dr. M. R. Rogers spoke interestingly of the scientific research which has been carried to further knowledge concerning the harm accomplished by narcotics and alcohol.

Mrs. Jessie H. Cole of Orville, Cal., whose she has been state director of social morality for many years in the W. C. T. U., spoke concerning the medal contest work.

It was announced that a medal contest will be held in Union hall May 4 under the auspices of the North Salem W. C. T. U. of which Mrs. Nevia Buck is president.

The state director of the Tuesday institute included a membership committee composed of Mrs. Beulah Ratcliff and Mrs. Lena Listic; and literature, Mrs. S. Poole.

Mrs. Sarah Oliver, many years president of the Marion county union, led the acent prayer which preceded the nohest luncheon.

The afternoon was taken up with addresses and was opened with devotions by Mrs. Beulah Ratcliff. Mrs. J. J. Nunn talked on the value of the official W. C. T. U. paper, "Union Signal," stating that the facts given were always verified before being printed and "thus it furnishes an authentic source of information."

The state director of narcotics for the union, Mrs. Jennie Pressnell, spoke briefly of the work and regretted the advertisements by radio, movies and magazines which place undesirable material before the young people of the land. It was noted to send a protest to magazines which are worst offenders in this sort of information.

Mrs. Helen Prescott announced the Crusade anniversary for 1934. States will be separated into groups and classified according to the various states. The anniversary celebration. The west will be in the Soraida Wallace group, the namesake being a prominent member in the fight to win women's rights at the polls. This is the 60th anniversary celebration.

Mrs. Prescott announced five new unions in the county.

Miss Daisy Fredericks, returned missionary from Africa, spoke interestingly of the W. C. T. U. work there. She told of the welding together of the interests of the various races through the common aim of the W. C. T. U. and also described in vivid manner the conditions which had to be fought and rectified by workers there.

Rev. P. W. Eriksen spoke of the work of the W. C. T. U. and the vast changes made from the days of the open saloon in comparison with present-day freedom from such influence. Rev. Eriksen deplored the ill effect of the press, radio and movies in contributing to the delinquency of youth. He concluded that there were "too many politicians and too few voters."

Mrs. Jennie Martin was appointed in charge of the committee to arrange transportation of the Salem group to the Woodburn convention April 27.

Mrs. M. A. Marcy will entertain members of the Women's Home Missionary society of Jason Lee church Wednesday at her home, 1097 North Winter street.

## Masonic Women Visitors Feted

The women who have accompanied their husbands to Salem to attend the state convention of York Rite Masons have been complimented with many and diversified affairs by the wives of Salem Templars.

Monday social activities began with a luncheon at Mrs. Godfrey's and this was followed by a visit to the school for the deaf where the activities of the school were displayed and later a program given for the visitors by the school students. From here the guests were taken for a drive through Salem gardens and state institutions and in the evening the visitors were entertained with a line party.

Hostesses for Monday were Mrs. Ellis Von Eschen, Mrs. W. Carlton Smith, Mrs. Joe Bernard, Mrs. Van Weider, Mrs. Clara Viker, and Mrs. Wayne Henry. The visitors were again entertained with a luncheon at Mrs. Godfrey's and the afternoon was spent at the school for the deaf where an attractive program was given, and this was followed by a drive through the cherry orchards and tulip fields near Salem.

In the evening the group attended the formal and very beautiful Knights Templars ball for which in addition to the many guests already in Salem many more from Portland and other points on the special train Tuesday night.

Mrs. D. X. Beecher, Mrs. Charles Pratt, Mrs. M. C. Petters, Mrs. Carl Pope, Mrs. Percy Kelly were hosts for Tuesday. A number of town visitors for the Tuesday luncheon included Mrs. Riley of Albany; Mrs. Cal Weaver, McMinnville; Mrs. E. P. Lewis, Marshfield; Mrs. Dawson, Albany; Mrs. Traak, Corvallis; Mrs. Dunn, Astoria; Mrs. Elkington, Astoria; Mrs. Sanford, Astoria; Mrs. Rand, Portland; Mrs. Reia Portland; Mrs. Cochran, La Grande; Mrs. Morgan, Portland; Mrs. Cheney, Portland; Mrs. H. L. Toney, McMinnville; Mrs. Cornell, Portland; Mrs. McCallan, Astoria; Mrs. S. J. St. Clair, McMinnville; Mrs. Scott, La Grande; Mrs. Snodgrass, La Grande; Mrs. Brock, Mrs. Trege, Mrs. Sallenect, and Mrs. Jones all of Portland.

Today will be the largest of the affairs for the guests and will close the social activities of the session. This will be a bridge luncheon at the Marion hotel. Hostesses for this include Mrs. Milton Meyers, Mrs. Henry, Mrs. Ellis Von Eschen, Mrs. David Wright, Mrs. Rex Davis, Mrs. J. O. Russell, Mrs. J. D. Sears, Mrs. E. Lee Steiner, Mrs. D. X. Beecher, Mrs. B. B. Flack, Mrs. M. C. Petters and Mrs. Walter Winslow.

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# The Call Board

By OLIVE M. DOAK

Warner Bros. Capitol Today — Thomas Meighan in "Cheaters at Play."

Friday — Walter Huston in "The Boat of the City."

Warner Bros. Elsinore Today — William Haines in "Are You Listening?"

Friday — Buster Keaton and Polly Moran in "The Passionate Plumber."

The Hollywood Today — Ruth Chatterton in "Once a Lady."

Friday — Hoop Gibson in "The Gay Buckaroo."

The Grand Today — Charles Starrett in "The Viking."

Friday — Buck Jones in "The Deadline."

A young and ambitious crook determined to steal a priceless emerald necklace, and who cold-bloodedly makes love to a girl in order to further his plans—only to find, when the opportunity comes, that Cupid has tied his hands!

This is the colorful characterization given by William Bakewell in "Cheaters at Play," the exciting story of adventure and mystery which opens today at the Capitol.

Barbara Weeks plays the unsuspecting girl, with Charlotte Greenwood as her nouveau riche aunt and Thomas Meighan as the reformed crook who furnishes many of the thrills in breaking up the schemes of the various criminals.

"Are You Listening?" now at the Elsinore is a dramatic romance based on J. P. McEvoy's magazine story of radio broadcasting. The story, laid behind the

Silverton—The members of St. Paul's sewing society are completing plans for the autumn bazaar to be held next fall. Every winter and early spring the women devote considerable time to preparing for this bazaar. All plans will likely be completed at the next session of the sewing society which will be held at the home of Mrs. T. A. Reiling on April 25. Mrs. George Uphoff is chairman of the sewing committee.

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with CHARLOTTE GREENWOOD  
Linda Watkins-Barbara Weeks-James Kirkwood

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source of a national broadcasting station, gives William Haines his first dramatic role in which he abandons his more familiar comedian as a radio exploiter whose happiness crashes about his ears as the result of an unfortunate marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Griggs and Major General and Mrs. George A. White were among the patron and patronesses for the Scabbard and Blade ball given by the chapter at Oregon State college Saturday night.

Mrs. A. S. Mulligan is recovering from a serious operation in Salem General hospital.

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