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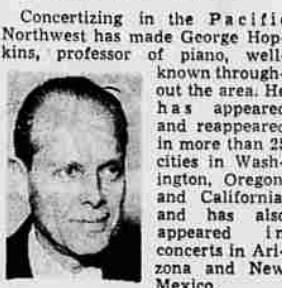
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News of the University of Oregon

Hopkins Slates Piano Concert

First Appearance Here in One Year



The Oregon musician will appear in recital here Tuesday night, Feb. 12.

Concertizing in the Pacific Northwest has made George Hopkins, professor of piano, well-known throughout the area. He has appeared and reappeared in more than 25 cities in Washington, Oregon, and California, and has also appeared in concerts in Arizona and New Mexico.

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For the first Eugene appearance in a year he has prepared a program of music by Western Hemisphere composers. The program is dedicated to the idea of music as a means of communication and closer understanding between peoples of different countries.

Composers whose music will be played by the pianist Tuesday night include MacDowell, Griffis, Gershwin, Elmer and Hopkins of the United States; Ginastera of Argentina; Lecuona and Nin of Cuba; Chavez of Mexico; Soroc-Barriga, Chile; and Villa-Lobos, Brazil.

The concert is open to the public. It will be in the music auditorium on the campus at 8:15 p.m.

Theater Needs More Thinkers, Largest Drama Meeting Told

Registration for the University-sponsored Northwest Drama Conference reached 545 this year—the highest total to date—thereby making it the largest conference of its kind held in the nation. The final session Saturday closed a three-day meeting.

The featured speaker was Sawyer Falk, president of the National Theatre Conference and head of the Syracuse (N.Y.) University Drama Department. He spoke at a general session Friday and told delegates that "what the American theater needs at the present time is more thinkers and theorists as opposed to materialists and practitioners."

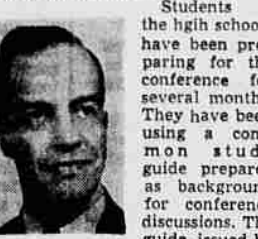
Students to Eye Foreign Policy

Regional meetings of the National Theatre Conference and the American Educational Theater Assoc. were held concurrently with the Northwest conference.

"I have no fear that the theatre will go under," Mr. Falk continued, "for there is a need in the United States for it. However, any attempt to revitalize the theatre will fail without a study into the wonderment and amazement the theatre of ancient times held for audiences. An introduction to these conditions to theatre-goers of today would be of great benefit."

250 Are Expected From High Schools

America's foreign policy will be discussed on the University campus next weekend when some 250 delegates from 40 Oregon high schools meet for the fifth annual Oregon High School International Relations League conference.



W. Tomlinson

Students in the high schools have been preparing for the conference for several months. They have been using a common study guide prepared as background for conference discussions. The guide, issued by the University of Oregon and the International Relations Committee of the Oregon Education Assn., was prepared by Profs. John Swarthout and Kline Swygard of the Political Science Department of Oregon State College.

William C. Jones, University dean of administration, officially will open the conference Friday morning. Warren E. Tomlinson of the College of Puget Sound, Tacoma, Wash., will give the keynote speech, "Refitting Germany into Europe." After this talk, Prof. Swarthout will speak on "Major Factors of Our Foreign Policy."

A panel discussion, which will include the two morning speakers and Prof. Earl S. Pomeroy of the University History Department, Charles P. Schleicher of the Political Science Department, and Charles T. Duncan of the School of Journalism, also will be featured Friday. A panel Saturday will include the speakers, except for Prof. Pomeroy, who will be replaced by Prof. O. S. Pinckney of the History Department.

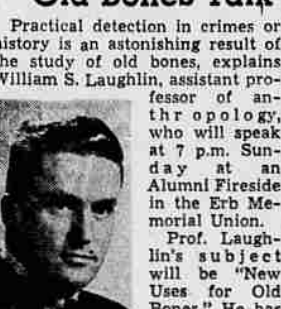
Sponsors of the conference are the University and the Oregon Education Assn. Arrangements have been made by the association's International Relations Committee under the chairmanship of Mrs. Veola Wilnot, social studies teacher in Eugene High School.

Other members of this committee are: Prof. Schleicher, executive secretary of the committee; Alexander McDonald of Medford; Fred Quale, Corvallis; Mrs. Rita Simmons, Fossil; Mrs. Fern Trull, Grants Pass; Dean Anderson of the General Extension Division of the State System of Higher Education; and Richard Bars, editor of the OEA Journal.

Officers of the high school International Relations League are: William McAllister, Medford, president; Susan Sandell, Jacksonville, vice-president; Jackie Jones, Salem, secretary-treasurer; and Don Zinnicker, St. Helens, historian.

Prof. Michael Flach, visiting lecturer in political science, will discuss "East-West Conflict" in the weekly lecture-forum series in the Erb Memorial Union at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday. His talk will concern political conflicts between the Western powers and the Soviet Union. Martin Kroll, instructor in political science, will lead the discussion period.

Anthropologist To Explain 'How Old Bones Talk'



W. S. Laughlin

Practical detection in crimes or history is an astonishing result of the study of old bones, explains William S. Laughlin, assistant professor of anthropology, who will speak at 7 p.m. Sunday at an Alumni Fireside in the Erb Memorial Union.

Prof. Laughlin's subject will be "New Uses for Old Bones." He has been making a special study of bone for several years. He will explain how an individual's age, stature, sex, personality, occupation, illnesses and other interesting facts are revealed in the human skeleton. He disputes the phrase, "Dead men tell no tales." The bones of dead men tell a great deal, he says.

A graduate of Willamette University, Salem, Prof. Laughlin received the doctorate from Harvard University. He has spent a number of seasons in the Aleutian Islands for the Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C., and the Peabody Museum of Yale University; and, most recently in 1950, for the University of Oregon, the Arctic Institute of America, and the Office of Naval Research. He has specialized on the ethnology of the Aleutians natives.

University alumni and friends are invited. An informal coffee hour follows the talk.

OREGON'S "KING OF HEARTS" was James Harding, Portland, who was crowned Friday night at the annual YWCA-sponsored Heart Hop. Ann Darby, Portland, president of the campus YWCA, crowned Harding.

SOLDIER ARRIVES HOME Pfc. Louis Dunlap, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Dunlap, Bailey Hill Rd., Eugene, arrived home Friday on leave from Camp Rucker, Ala., where he is a member of the 47th Division. He has 15 days.

Student Union Served 23,713 in January

January kept the staff of the Erb Memorial Union on the jump because it proved to be the busiest the Union has yet experienced. Some 258 organized groups used the building during the month and brought into the Union 23,713 people.

The big ballroom was in use 21 out of the 31 days. Some days, said R. C. Williams, Union director, the ballroom was in use three and four times.

Since July, 1951, some 80,000 individuals have been in the building for approximately 1000 meetings.

THE BEST 100 books published in Scandinavian countries during 1950 are included in an exhibit now on display in the circulation lobby of the University Library. Sent through the courtesy of Einar H. Bourman, director of the Sweden Shop in Los Angeles, Cal., the exhibit will remain through February. The books have been selected for their merits in printing, binding, typography, and illustrations. Included are 25 from Sweden, 25 from Finland, 15 from Norway, and 30 from Denmark.

String Trio, Guests To Present Concert

A public concert at 4 p.m. Sunday in the Music Auditorium will bring two guest players to the campus and will present the University String Trio. The guests are Lillian Pettibone, teacher of piano in Portland, and John Strub of Eugene, a former flutist with the San Antonio (Tex.) Symphony.

Members of the University String Trio are George Boughton, associate professor of violin; violin; E. A. Cykler, professor of music, viola; and Milton Dietrich, assistant professor of music, cello.

The concert will open with two numbers by Miss Pettibone. These will be "Visions Fugitives," by Prokofiev; and "Allegro Barbaro," by Bartok. Reger's "Serenade for Flute, Violin and Viola" will be played by Strub, Boughton, and Cykler. The concluding number will be Mozart's "Vivertimento," by the trio.

"THE STUDY OF Rocks in Thin Sections" will be discussed by J. C. Gair, assistant professor of geology, in a lecture at 8 p.m. Monday in the Erb Memorial Union. Prof. Gair, a specialist in rock structure, petrology, and petrography, will speak under sponsorship of Sigma Xi, national science honorary society. His talk will be open to the public.

Party Men for Truman Campaigns Once More

A majority of party leaders believe President Truman will run for re-election.

State Sen. Richard L. Neuberger, however, said there was no real enthusiasm for any candidate evident, except possibly Eisenhower. He said that if an effort is made to build up a Democratic candidate in Oregon, he believed Gov. Stevenson of Illinois has the best potential.

Taft, Stassen Up for Test In West Virginia Race

WASHINGTON—U.S. Sen. Robert A. Taft and Harold E. Stassen entered the West Virginia primary Saturday, setting up a fifth test in their fight for the Republican presidential nomination.

The West Virginia vote May 13 is merely a "popularity" contest. But Taft claimed he will get "almost all" of the state's 16 votes at the Republican national convention.

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