

University of Oregon News

Journalism Dinner Will Hear Cousins

Norman Cousins, the distinguished editor of The Saturday Review who will give the guest address at the annual Journalism Dinner at the University of Oregon Tuesday night, April 8, has recently returned from several months in India as a representative of the United States State Department. His talk Tuesday on "A Positive

Men Capture Top Speech Tournement Spots

Eleven high school students, all men, were rated top speech students of the state in the finals of the Oregon High School Speech League tournament Saturday. The contests held on the University of Oregon campus Friday and Saturday ended with a banquet Saturday night, where awards were presented.

The students, 157 of them from 44 high schools of the state, completed in nine fields. Finalists were seven students and two debate teams.

Richard Goheen and Bruce Holt, Eugene's University High School debate team, came through with top honors in B league debate.

Other top winners included: Class A debate, Salem High's team of Ray Cook, Robert Riggs, and Paul Ward; Impromptu and extemporaneous awards, Alfred Cave of Grants Pass; radio, Stephen Nye to Medford; persuasive speech, Richard Dickenson of Medford; poetry, Noel Kitching of Jefferson High School, Portland; after-dinner speaking, Tack Goodell of Jefferson High; humorous speaking, Paul Ward of Salem High; discussion, William McDonald of Marshfield High, Coos Bay.

Dr. K. E. Montgomery, associate professor of speech in the University and executive secretary of the speech league, handled arrangements for the tournament.

Business Talks Set Next Week

The 1952 session of the Student Business Conference will be held on the University campus April 15, 16 and 17 under the sponsorship of the School of Business Administration. Dr. Victor P. Morris, dean, has announced.

Businessmen from Eugene, Portland and other Oregon cities will meet with student groups to discuss problems in the various areas of business.

Representatives of insurance, banking, merchandising, real estate, accounting, secretarial work and other fields will be present to discuss their personal experiences in their chosen fields. Certain specialized work, such as the lumber industry and public utilities, will also be analyzed.

The sessions will be open to all students and local businessmen. A. B. Stillman, professor of business, is chairman of the committee planning the conference.

Mass Meeting For Civic Club

SANTA CLARA — All members of the Santa Clara community are welcome to attend a meeting at 6 p.m. Thursday, April 10, at the school, to organize a Santa Clara Civic Club. The meeting has been set by a group of interested residents of Santa Clara, who feel that many are interested in starting such an organization for the purpose of studying the problems of the community, such as parks, water supply, lights, etc.

Mrs. Lester Beath announces that the weekly civic square dance will not be held Good Friday, April 11, but will be held Saturday, April 12. The school, where the dancing is held, will be used Friday, April 11, for the Good Friday service of the Our Redeemer Lutheran Church.

FRENCH BOMB BARRACKS HANOI, Indochina — (AP) — French bombers heavily attacked barracks and other Vietnamese military establishments along the fringes of the Red River delta Saturday.

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Students Slate French Play

Students in the foreign language department at the University will present their annual French play under the auspices of Pi Delta Phi, French honorary, April 10 through April 12 in the experimental theatre in Villard Hall.

THE PLAY, "Le Medecin Malgre Lui" (The Doctor in Spite of Himself) by Moliere, seventeenth century French playwright, is a farce in three acts and is the third Moliere play to be given by the foreign language students, according to Dr. C. L. Johnson, associate professor of Romance languages and advisor of the play.

In Moliere's plays the humor can be understood even if one couldn't understand the language, he said.

The role of the "doctor" will be played by David Eakin of Albany. Others in the cast include: Catherine Black, Rodney Calvert, Orville Collier, and William Vi-

brans, all of Eugene; James Blue, Robert Lucas, and Robert Luoma, all of Portland; Coralie Nelson, Maplewood; Alice Garrigus, McMinnville; and William Wallace, Newberg. A prologue will be given in English by Professor R. D. Horn of the English department.

JEAN GUEDENET, assistant professor of Romance languages, will direct the production.

Besides the evening performances, there will be a matinee performance Friday afternoon, April 11, and on Saturday, April 12, during the annual conference of the Northwest Association of Teachers of Foreign Languages, being held on the university campus this year.

Burglars Take Checks

Eugene police Saturday were investigating a breaking and entering at the R. L. Kirk and Sons office at 150 N. Blair St. sometime Friday night. A window was broken to gain entry and the office was ransacked, but police said the only things missing were 98 blank checks drawn on the First National Bank of Eugene and one check protector.

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Foreign Aid Cut Certain

Hearings Completed On Money Bill

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Two senators agreed Saturday the administration had made out a good case for its 7.9 billion foreign aid program, but both said cuts in the amount are certain.

Veteran Sen. George (D-Ga.) told a reporter the bill "certainly must be cut by at least a billion dollars."

Sen. Sparkman (D-Ala.), said in a separate interview he felt government witnesses supporting the measure "made an excellent case and did a fine job."

"But," he commented, "it would be unrealistic to suppose this will go through without any cuts."

BOTH SENATORS are members of the Foreign Relations Committee which completed taking of testimony on the big bill Friday after 17 days of hearings.

The bulk of the money—all but about two billion dollars—would go to Western Europe.

Sparkman said he believed reductions in the program would be much smaller now that the detailed case for it has been heard.

WHEN PRESIDENT Truman first sent the bill to Capitol Hill, a few lawmakers demanded that it be cut in half.

But Sparkman said Saturday "I doubt very seriously if there will be the urge for as deep cuts as there was before the testimony was presented."

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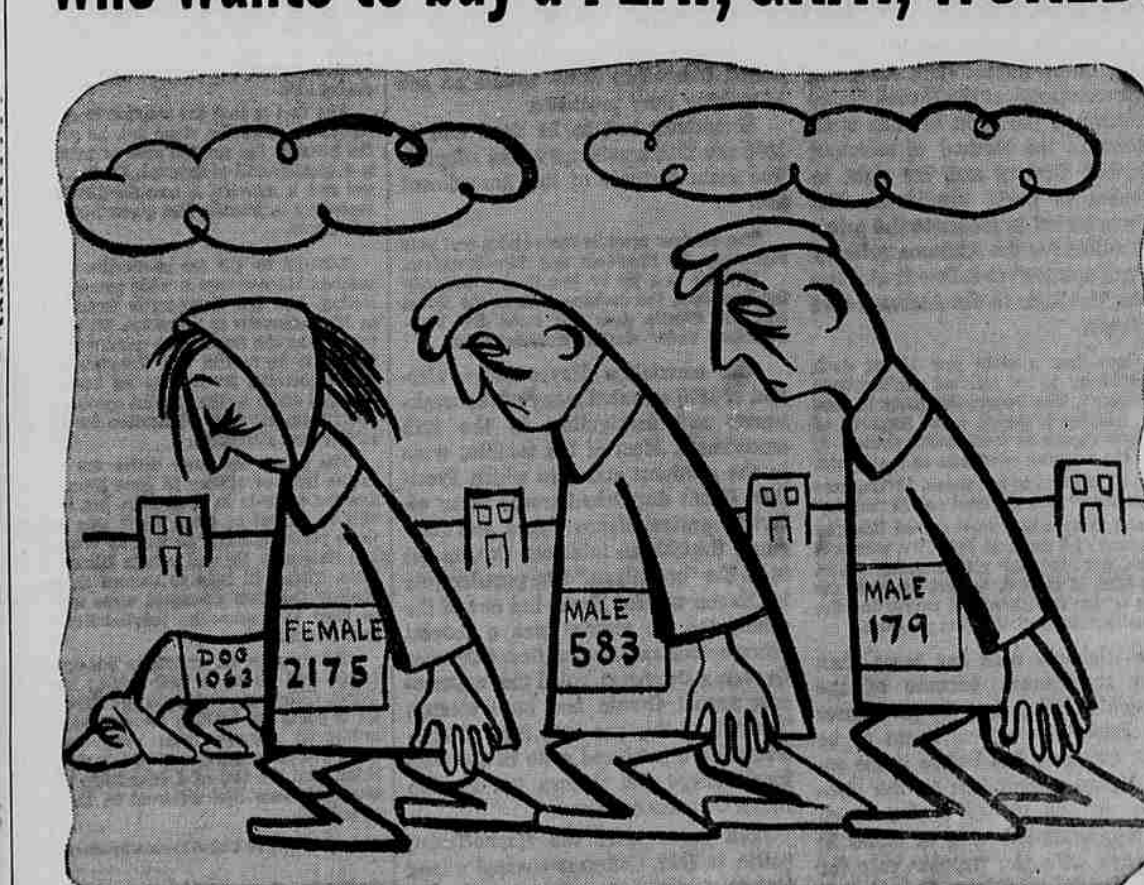
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