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*Professors' Salaries: Pressing Problem*

Edit . . .

# FACULTY SALARIES

## THE PROBLEM

A 4,500 enrollment expected next year! That is the promise made with the latest developments on the housing front. Ground is being broken for the new science building site, and other class room additions and renovations are promised. A new physical plant building will soon be completed. A successful (that is our deliberated opinion) Student Union drive will start soon.

Yes, our University is growing. She is expanding to meet her responsibility to the State, the nation and to all qualified young people who seek educational opportunities on the Webfoot campus.

The responsibility is great. Four years, and in some cases more, of a youth's life will be devoted to the U. of O. environment. They deserve the best available teaching. Good faculty members deserve salaries that are comparable to salaries paid faculty members elsewhere. The University of Oregon may be in a preferred bargaining position in offering a city and state which faculty members prefer to those offered by many other institutions of higher education. But in education salaries, we—and Oregon education as a whole—has little to bargain with.

A general rise in the cost of living that started before the war has accentuated the faculty salary problem that was already bad on an institution comparison basis. Striking laborers are getting wage boosts all over the country as employers are promised higher prices to offset increased pay costs. The teacher salary problem promises to become more serious.

WITHOUT discussing the necessity of an over-all pay boost, we find two principal defects in the University salary system as it now stands. The first and principal one is the lack of range in the salaries of each of the several ranks. All the salaries of the associate professors, for instance, are grouped too closely around the median. A man entering the rank of associate professor can work only a small distance up the salary scale when he reaches the maximum for that rank. He has too little range ahead of him. Therefore, the University maximums for each rank should be raised.

A second defect is the size of the salaries paid. All of our salaries are lower than in most large schools, but the deficiency is most evident in the higher pay brackets.

In a survey taken of the mean salaries from the University of California, Illinois, Minnesota, Ohio State, and Wisconsin, all state universities, in the low 1939-40 pre war year, compared with present University of Oregon salaries, the following results were recorded: for the rank of dean, Oregon paid \$2,609 less per school year than did the other schools; for professors, \$982 less; for associate professors, \$357 less; for assistant professors, \$151 less; and for instructors, \$140 less. Not in one rank did the University's average salaries top or even equal the averages of those five other state universities, despite the comparison of U. of O. war-time salaries with the lower pre war salaries of other schools, which have been raised in many cases.

In another survey taken of fourteen state universities throughout the country, the following was learned: 13.3% of their deans are being paid more than our highest paid dean; 21.3% of their professors are above our top professor on the salary scale; 12.9% of their associate professors are over our highest paid man of that rank; and 5.5% of their assistant professors get more money each year than any at the University of Oregon. On the rank of instructor, we stood about even with the rest of the schools. Each one of those figures is the percentage of their men being paid higher than the very highest paid man on the University faculty of similar rank.

Our University can be truly on its way. We have picked up many opportunities to grow as quickly as many another university in the nation. But we must expand all around. A well-rounded growing university is great in all ingredients: student body, faculty and staff, and buildings and plant.

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EARLY last fall, before school began, your Old Oregon formulated a general editorial policy to fit into the major journalism responsibility of reporting news of interest to Old Oregon readers. Our editorial program covers the reporting of articles and opinions relating to the ingredients of a greater University. Thus, we have attempted to do our part in solving problems relating to housing, enrollment, student union, alumni and student activities, etc. Wherever needed, we shall continue to work for those things—without sacrifice of the news reporting job owed to all readers. Readers and editors alike are interested in the progress of the University

ON this page we discuss a University problem that many of us have talked about at one time or another. It is a problem that few of us have done anything about; and, measured by duty, the State and its Board of Higher Education have done least. They have been busy solving other education problems. This is not a complaint, but an earnest effort to seek solution before the faculty salary problem becomes acute.

In our editorializing on the faculty salary problem we have been handicapped by limited information. We have not in any way been prompted to write about faculty salaries, but after a complete survey of all available information, these recommendations are made:

1. The University Administration, State Board of Higher Education; and the State Legislature should recognize the faculty salary problem as one of the greater problems facing the University and Oregon education generally at this time.
2. One or more of the above agencies should institute a fact-finding commission to study the problem. This commission should secure all necessary data to report:
  - a. state to state comparisons,
  - b. institution to institution comparisons,
  - c. rising living costs comparisons, and
  - d. study of internal salary structure of the University in comparison to other institutions of higher education.

We neither condemn nor condone the rising tide of wages and salaries throughout the nation, or the resulting rising in living costs. That problem is too big for us to discuss, but we do comprehend the effect of that problem on our University and the problem of our University faculty salaries compared to other institutions of higher education. It is to those factors that we direct our attention.

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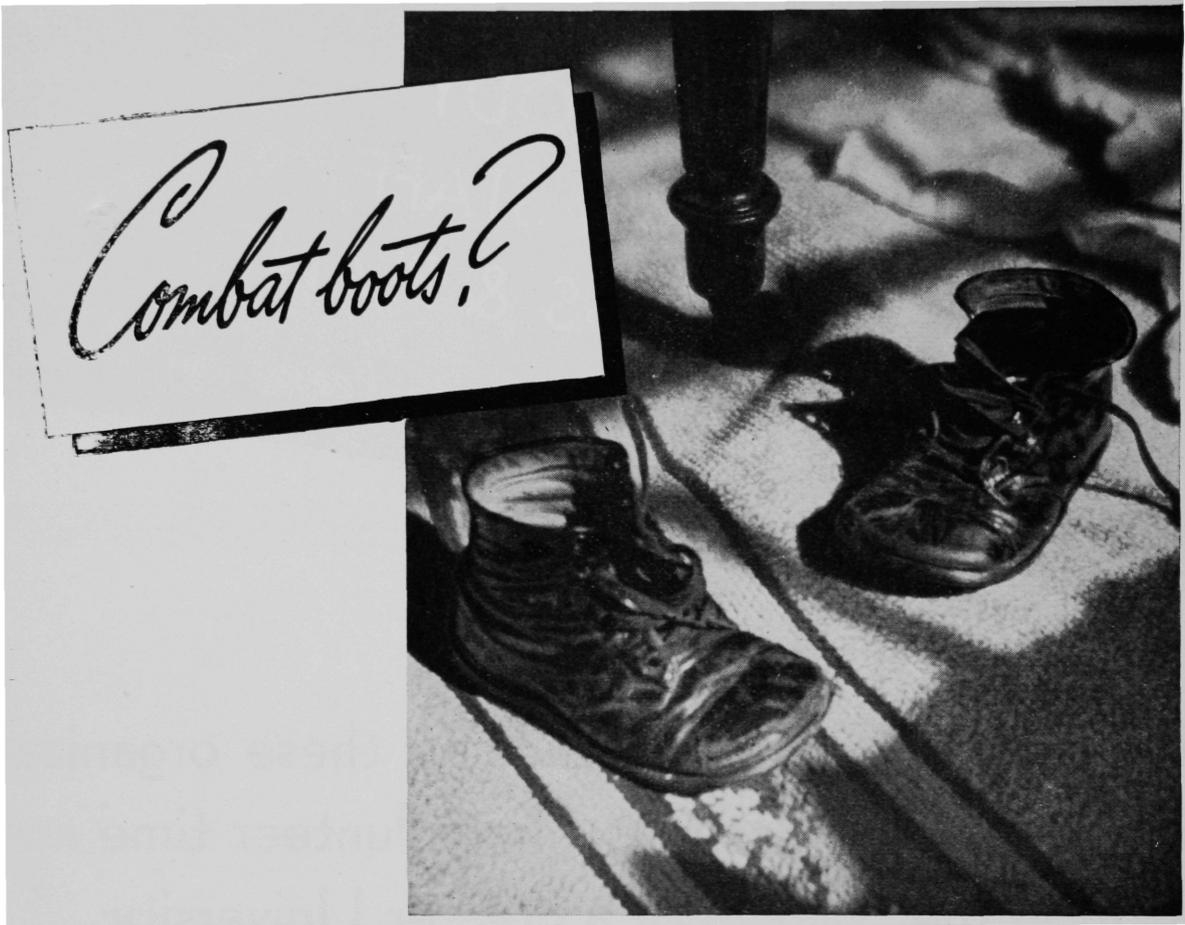
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## Cover in Words

Faculty pictures selected for this month's cover were picked at random from the various University's schools and departments. The cover was selected to run with this issue's feature editorial (see page two) on "Faculty Salaries". Faculty on the cover are, top to bottom (row by row) are: Harry J. Sears, medical school; George Hopkins, music school; Charles Howard, law school; E. G. Moll, English department; H. S. Hoyman, physical education department; Brownell Frasier, art school; H. R. Taylor, psychology department; N. H. Comish, school of business administration; E. C. A. Lesch, English department; Clifford L. Constance, assistant registrar; and Warren C. Price, school of journalism.

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## More Housing Predicted for Coming Year

**A**N analysis of the housing situation on the University campus given last month by Dr. Earl M. Pallett, University registrar, showed clearly two factors which now are the chief items in the problem.

These are: (1) the city of Eugene has not as yet, because of its swollen population, provided either as large a proportion or as great a number of private rooms as it did during the period of peak enrollment during 1940; and (2) some campus fraternities are still under lease to private individuals and organizations.

Neither of these hurdles is insurmountable, however, Dr. Pallett explained. In fact, there should be approximately 300 more rooms available to take care of increased enrollment Spring term, he stated.

The increase in Spring term enrollment will depend largely on how many students will be able to find their own housing facilities according to Assistant Registrar C. L. Constance. All available dormitory space on the campus has been promised to students who were first on the registrar's list of applicants.

**I**F the city provides some 330 units, it will have reached its 1940 mark and several city groups are at present working toward that end.

During the fall of 1940, Eugene provided 1821 outside rooms as compared to 1146 during this fall term and 1627 this winter term. One hundred thirty units of the latter figure, though, were provided by the University in the Skinner's Butte project, the trailer colony, and the prefabricated houses.

The Eugene city council recently authorized the block between 23rd and 24th streets and University and Potter streets for the erection by the University of 36 more housing units.

Although only 255 men are living in fraternities now as against 646 in 1940, many of the fraternities are being utilized by women, so that campus living space is actually cut down by only 200 to 250.

George Hall, assistant dean of men, recently revealed that he has 600 applications from married veterans for housing, of which 124 have been housed in the University projects.

About twenty-five per cent of the returning veterans are married, said Clifford Constance. "There are approximately ten times the married couples here now than before the war," he continued.

**O**REGON is not alone in the housing problem, however, as is shown by reports received from other schools. Wisconsin has two trailer villages with accommodations for 190, hopes to convert an old hospital and a "surplus" ordnance works into housing for some 500 married and 2,000 single students. MIT has set up 100 prefabricated units, but needs many more. Dartmouth is converting some of its old dormitories and has arranged to take over 35 government units 17 miles from the campus.

Chicago has purchased two apartment buildings and an old orphanage and has set up 190 portable units. Princeton has been

## Student Union News

REALIZATION of Oregon's dreams for a student union building moved nearer this month as Dr. Will V. Norris disclosed that the entire internal and external drawings have been completed. Awaited

\$11,250 have been appropriated to defray overhead expenses during the Student Union drive. Contributions have been made as follows: Alumni Holding company, \$5,000; Educational Activities Board, \$2,500; and University Athletic Board, \$3750. By setting up an expense budget and use of these appropriations, the Student Union campaign donations will all be entered to the credit of the Student Union fund.

momentarily was announcement of the name of the general manager of the looming fund drive.

Dr. Norris, full of enthusiasm for the long-awaited drawings, emphasized that those who have seen them are delighted. Copies will be circulated during the coming campaign to raise funds sufficient to permit the University to finance the remainder of the project by means of a bond issue. Over \$100,000 has already been subscribed. The State has authorized the University to proceed with the bond issue when this figure reaches \$400,000.

Dr. Norris allayed fears that the basic unit of the union building would be inadequate. "It will contain facilities for all the functions contemplated at the present time," he said.

Dr. Norris will go east next month to discuss the plans with experts Porter Butts of the University of Wisconsin and Michael M. Hare of New York City. Hare is architect for the American Association of College Unions.

Lawrence and Lawrence of Portland are the architects for the building, Abbot Lawrence being the principal designer.

able to house only 83 married students and that by converting three off-campus houses and one student eating club.

Oregon's original quotas of 54 trailer units and 29 prefabricated houses have arrived and are filled.

Good news came from Dr. Charles D. Byrne, secretary of the state board of higher education, when he announced February 17, that a new dormitory unit to house 469 veterans has been allotted to the University of Oregon as well as 24 apartment units. Dr. Will V. Norris, supervising engineer of the University, accompanied Dr. Byrne to Seattle for the conference with federal housing officials which brought about the allotment of additional housing for veterans. Governor Earl Snell appointed Dr. Byrne to work on the expanded veteran student housing program.

The entire cost of transferring the facilities to the campus will be met by the federal government; the board of higher education to furnish the site and bring the necessary utilities to the site. The buildings come fully equipped. The federal housing officials in Seattle gave definite assurance of additional apartment units for the University.

The new housing allotments made

## New Building To Be Ready For Fall of '47

PLANS for an \$80,000 science building, to be constructed as one of the first buildings under the postwar University expansion program, were okayed by the state board of higher education recently and detailed drawings should be available by summer.

The four story structure, designed by Portland architects Lawrence and Lawrence, will house the physics, chemistry, biology, and astronomy departments, providing lecture rooms, classrooms, laboratories, research rooms, photographic laboratories and animal houses. The building will feature a centralized office control for the departments and special lecture rooms which can be used consecutively by classes in different courses without disturbing special equipment.

The modern structure will have physics laboratories in the west wing, chemistry in the east wing and biology in the central section. Atop the center of the building will be a revolving dome enclosing a telescope for research in astronomy and a 30 x 80 foot greenhouse will be built above the west wing. An unusual feature for a campus building will be an elevator serving the four stories.

The building will be located on the corner of 14th and Kincaid streets and will face east toward the art museum.

Formulation of the plans began after Dr. Will V. Norris, professor of physics and supervising engineer, made an extended trip in the fall of 1944, visiting science buildings at colleges and universities throughout the country. If the finished drawings are completed this summer, construction should begin early next fall and the building should be open to classes by the fall of 1947.

At present, science classes are being conducted in Deady hall which was constructed in 1876 and was the University's first building, and in McClure hall, built in 1900. Both buildings are inadequately equipped, making the new building an essential addition to the campus.

through Seattle will not be installed in time for the spring term beginning April 1, when a new rush for housing is foreseen. Many rooms in private homes will be needed to care for students enrolling at that time.

DR. Harry K. Newburn, University president who has been very active in solving the veteran housing problem, stated the additional dormitory and apartment units allotted the University in Dr. Byrnes' February 17 report will enable the University to enroll 4,500 students next fall. "It is now apparent," he emphasized, "that our major problem will concern additional classroom facilities and a larger teaching staff."

Peak pre-war enrollment was 4,000. Anticipated normal growth (enrollment, but for the war) would place University enrollment at 5,900 next school year. (See page 18 Old Oregon, November 1945). Winter term enrollment this year went over 3,400, with housing strained to the breaking point, and many unable to register due to lack of housing.

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# UO Alumni Set Up New Exec Committee

Written for Old Oregon by  
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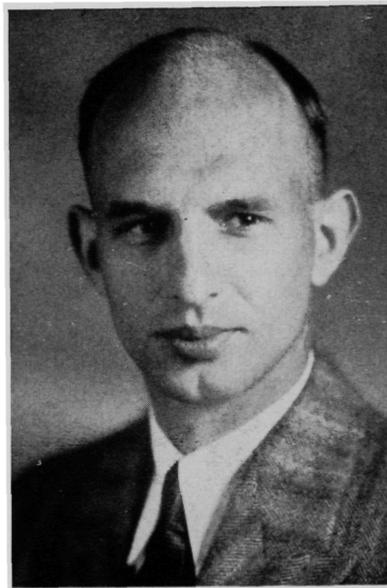
Just what is the plan of organization of this Alumni Association of ours. To answer this question the accompanying explanation is given.

LAST month *OLD OREGON* readers were introduced to the new officers of the Alumni Association. Next in importance is the executive committee which was first set up at the semi-annual meeting of the Alumni Association in June, 1945. For three or four years prior to that time it had been almost impossible to bring together a representative group of county directors (the governing body then) in successive meetings to handle the real business of the Association. It was no one's fault. There were bigger things going on in the country and it was the duty of everyone to give his time and attention to projects that would help win the war.

Yet, there were things here that needed attention too, because soon there would be a post-war period to think about and along with alumni groups of other colleges and universities, we looked forward to more useful activity in our alumni association in peace time. The answer to our problem was a committee of six composed of the officers of the Alumni Association and three members at large to be selected for their ability, interest and willingness to attend four or more meetings a year. Then, problems confronting the Alumni Association could be thought over carefully, discussed at length and satisfactory conclusions reached. The committee has already met once with several University faculty men and they expect to meet with others. In this way alumni activity in the future can be coordinated with the needs of the University. Too, the aim of the committee is to promote the

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## 1881

Mahlon Harlow, '81, died in Eugene, Ore. January 21. Mr. Harlow had been a resident of the Eugene community all his life and was one of the founders of the Eugene Fruit Growers Association. He had served as an officer and director of this association for 36 years.

## 1886

Miss Amy C. Adams, '86, native Oregonian and daughter of early Oregon pioneers, died recently in Portland.

## 1906

Drs. Cloan N. Perkins, '06, and Earl R. Abbett, '06, members of the first track team coached at Oregon by Bill Hayward, are practicing dentistry in Portland.

G. Homer Billings, '06, has disposed of his business, the Billings Agency, Real Estate and Insurance, in Ashland, Ore.

C. R. Reid, '06, field service engineer with the ninth service command, will be-

come a consulting engineer for the Bonneville Power Administration upon termination of his tenure with the service. Mrs. Reid is the former Edna M. Houston, '09.

## 1913

Mahlon Sweet, '13, was named first citizen of Eugene, Ore., for 1945 by the Eugene Realty Board.

## 1914

Thomas E. Burns, '14, is representing the University of Oregon at the inauguration of Arthur H. Compton who is being installed as chancellor of Washington University at St. Louis, Mo. Mr. Burns is assistant circuit attorney in St. Louis.

Dr. Delbert C. Stanard, '14, on terminal leave as a colonel in the army, has reopened his offices in Eugene, Ore.

## 1919

Harold B. Say, 19, is director of the travel information department of the Oregon State highway commission. He has just returned from four and a half years in the navy.

Miss Virginia Smythe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. Smythe, '19, (Erma

## Old Oregon Artist

Margaret P. Rauch, freshman in art from San Carlos, California, is the artist who drew the new department headings featured in this month's Old Oregon magazine. (Line cuts for: (1) News of the Classes; (2) Month on the Campus; and (3) News of the Current Classes.) Margaret's art work can be seen somewhere on the University campus at almost any time. She also has made a number of charts and signs for Old Oregon and will continue to do art work for the magazine in the future.

Zimmerman, '19) died recently in Santa Cruz, Calif. Mr. Smythe is doing geological work in Central Africa.

Edward (Doc) Brosius, '19, is now with Georgeson & Co., Wall Street, New York. Georgeson & Co. is a nation-wide organization specializing in corporate finance.

## 1920

Comdr. William J. Reinhart, '20, former basketball coach at the University, has been named athletic director and head football coach at the U. S. merchant marine academy at Kings Point, N. Y.

## 1921

Ray E. Vester, '21, president of the Mutual Loan Co., Portland, Ore., was elected national president of the American association of small loan companies recently.

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Phi Delta Theta grabbed the casaba championship by winning both the "A" and "B" leagues from their rivals with unblemished records. The fraternity lads roared home in the "A" division with six victories and then went on to take two playoff games, clinching the pennant with a 24 to 18 win over the independent Bums quintet.

## Members of Executive Committee . . .



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# A Story Set to Music . . . Composed by Faculty and Students

Written for Old Oregon  
By CARLEY HAYDEN

THE year 1886 saw the beginning of a long and meritorious career for the University of Oregon Music school. At that time, a Department of Music was established. The first classes met in the building which is now used by the Radio and Extension departments and concerts were held in Villard Hall auditorium and the Methodist Church.

Running competition with passing trains was not the ideal setup for budding musicians and it was with great satisfaction that the School of Music was organized in 1902 and moved to its present location at the south end of the campus. The deanship at this time was held by John Landsbury.

The new building was specifically planned for musical instruction. The walls are of double construction and padded to mini-

mize sound interference. The right wing contains ten studios with Steinway grand pianos, thirteen practice rooms with upright pianos, a lecture room with a seating capacity of eighty, an ensemble room and offices. In the left wing is an auditorium with a seating capacity of 600 and a stage accommodating 275 persons. It is equipped with a Steinway grand piano and a four-manual Reuter organ. Also included in this wing are a lounge, a sunroom and an enclosed promenade.

ONE of the most interesting rooms of the building is the music library available to all University students. It contains a Steinway grand piano, a Capehart reproducing machine, 824 records, 251 scores and 129 volumes of musical biographies which were given to the school by the Carnegie corporation. This last year, "Pipes Collection of Chamber Music," a rare collection, was acquired by the school.

At designated hours during the week this room is open to all interested students.

Opportunities are given to the students not only to hear good music, but also to enjoy the experience of public appearances. These are given in numerous student recitals presented throughout the year.

"The University of Oregon undertakes, through the School of Music, the professional and cultural training of talented young men and women in the field of music. The curricula includes not only systematic and progressive instruction in the structure, history, appreciation, and practice of music, but also instruction in those branches of higher learning which bear most directly upon music and without a knowledge of which, success in the higher domain of music is impossible," stated Theodore Kratt, dean of the school.

Instruction is offered in organ, piano, violin, cello, harp, orchestral and band instruments, voice, instrumental and choral conducting, composition, structure, history and appreciation of music, and public school training. The curricula is so fashioned as to provide a substantial foundation upon which to build a professional career. All the requirements are set up in the various fields to meet the high standards of the National Association of Schools of Music, of which Oregon's school is a member.

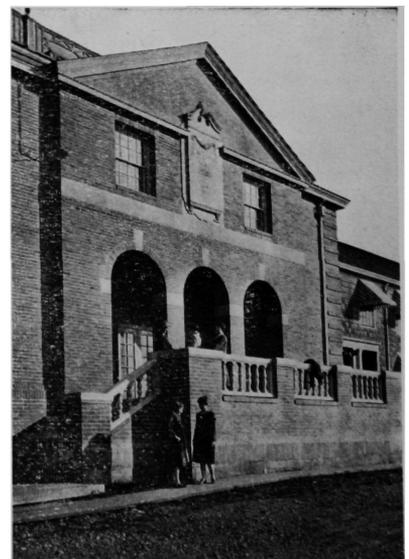
## *Music Dean Since Thirty-nine . . .*



Theodore Kratt, dean of the University School of Music, has been largely responsible for the excellent position the Oregon school holds today among national colleges and universities. He has been at UO since 1939.

HONORARIES of the school include Mu Phi Epsilon and Phi Beta. The Nu Chapter of Mu Phi Epsilon was organized on the Oregon campus in 1911 to promote interest in music. Phi Beta is the National Professional Fraternity of Music and Dramatic Art for women. This year it com-

## *Music Building*



The University School of Music supplies studios, practicing rooms and a music library for Webfoot students.

pletes its 17th year on the Oregon campus. Organized in order to give any interested woman student the opportunity for the development of musical and dramatic ability, Phi Beta grants musical tuition scholarships to outstanding students.

A man largely responsible for the growth and popularity of the school is Dr. Theodore Kratt. In 1939 Dr. Kratt returned to his native Oregon from Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, where he was Dean of the School of Fine Arts from 1929 to 1939. At that time, he became Dean of the University of Oregon School of Music and Director of Music for the State System of Higher Education. He is a member of the executive board of the National Association of Schools of Music and Examiner on the Board of the same organization.

The complete staff includes Dean Kratt; Rose E. McGrew, voice instructor; Sigurd Nilssen, former opera and concert singer and now professor of voice; Maude Garnett, teacher of public school music; Donald Allton, theory and choral union instructor; Louis Artau; Arnold Elston; John Elston; John Stehn, who was acting dean during six months that Dr. Kratt recently spent in Europe; Doris Calkins; S. L. Green; Naomi Kellis; Ralph Briggs; George Boughton; Winifred Colton; Gladys Hay, secretary to the dean; and George Hopkins, professor of piano. Jane Thatcher, Rex Underwood, and Mrs. Rex Underwood are now on leave of absence. Special instrument instruction is given by Dr. Segreist, Dr. Ridout, and Miss Balzhiser.

Oregon's School of Music boasts an imposing list of prominent alums who have become well known to the music world. Only a few are named in this article.

**M**ARIE Rogndahl, '45, was a member of Phi Beta, Mu Phi Epsilon, Pi Delta Phi and Delta Zeta sorority while on the campus. With only three years of University training behind her, she reached success in the musical world when she won the General Electric contest for "the undiscovered voice of America" and a contract to appear on the "Hour of Charm" for thirteen weeks. She is now under contract with the National Artists Corporation of

America and is appearing as guest artist on various radio shows. She is scheduled for a national concert tour next season.

Margaret Zimmerman, '44, was a member of Phi Beta, Mu Phi Epsilon, vice president of Delta Phi Alpha, a member of Delta Delta Delta, and soloist for Choral Union while on the campus. After graduation she traveled to New York where she is now studying Wagnerian operatic roles under Ernest Knoch.

Robert Garretson, '38, member of Phi Mu Alpha, Delta Phi Alpha, University Orchestra and Y.M.C.A. cabinet is now featured as a pianist in Ken Murray's "Blackouts of 1946" playing at the El Capitan Theater in Hollywood. He has also worked with many prominent musicians as accompanist, played in an orchestra, conducted an orchestra, and has had his own radio program.

Gifford "Buck" Nash, '33, was a member of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity while on the campus. In 1934 he sang in a New York show starring Lillian Gish and the next year joined the cast of "The Show is On." He has had songs published and has also done radio work. A lieutenant in the infantry, he was wounded in the Normandy invasion. He is now spending the winter in Oregon.

William Ray Leonard, music school graduate of 1943 is now in Europe where he will make several appearances on a concert tour. He was recently discharged from the navy as an ensign. He is a member of Delta Upsilon fraternity.

Oregon's School of Music has long-range plans for the future. Performances will be given by a proposed Opera Workshop for the purpose of producing complete operas and famous acts from notable operas with an organized orchestra accompanying. The music building will be wired to broadcast from the studios as well as the auditorium.

This year, various music students are appearing in musical programs in communities throughout the state and it is the hope of the music school that the influence of music will widen until it becomes an indispensable part of education.

## U. O. Alum Helps in Japan's Rehabilitation

Written for Old Oregon  
 By WARREN D. SMITH

**T**HE greatest pleasure a teacher can have is in learning of the successful achievements of his pupils. Back in the '20's, a young fellow came to our department who impressed all of us, both faculty and students, as "having something on the ball." Hubert G. Schenck later became a graduate assistant and has "gone places" since then.

In 1920, I went back for two years to my old job in the Philippines as chief of the Government Division of Mines, and I took young Schenck to the Islands as an assistant. He spent some weeks in Japan visiting his brother who was in business in Tokyo.

In 1921, he returned to Oregon and finished his work for a master's degree.

After taking his doctorate at California, he became instructor at Stanford, finally rose to a professorship and today is one of the leading micro-paleontologists of this country.

**W**HEN World War II came on, he soon volunteered his services and was sent to Harvard for special training in Civil Administration and because of his previous experience in the Far East, he was soon sent out to that theatre.

My last letter from him came from Tokyo where he was chief of the natural resources section with the rank of lieutenant colonel. A little later I received a letter from another old student, Corporal Bozorth of Eugene, and with it was the editorial page of a Japanese-English paper, "Mainichi," edited by a Japanese. Under date of November 23, the editor refers to the report of Lt. Col. Schenck in an editorial entitled, "Way Out for Japan."

And so the former Oregon geology student is now on General MacArthur's staff laying the physical foundation for the rehabilitation of Japan. We cannot help but recall another graduate of Oregon, Yosuko Matsuoka, who had a lot to do with that country's present unhappy plight.

## Music Alums Prove School's Worth . . .



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# Webfoot Sports

## Hayward Starts Track Training

**C**OLONEL Bill Hayward, veteran track and field mentor, faces the toughest assignment in Oregon track history this spring, when an inexperienced and untried track squad enters conference competition after a two year leave of absence. During his 43 years of coaching Oregon track champions and Olympic titleholders, Col. Hayward has always had a host of returning



lettermen and experienced harriers to form the nucleus of cinder material for succeeding seasons.

As the Webfoots near competition this season, the outlook is not too bright. In the six weeks of light workouts and body conditioning thus far, only two lettermen of former years have responded to the urgent call for track material. Jake Leicht and Jim Beifuss complete the roster of experienced material. Forty-seven hopeful thinclads have turned out for the spring sport and if early improvement is any indication of the future, the Webfoot harriers may field a first division squad.

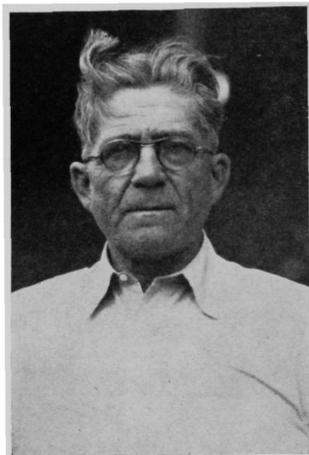
Oregon's All-American candidate of the gridiron, Jake Leicht, indicated he would run the century event again this season. Leicht, a .09:6 man on the cinderpath, is the brightest spot on the horizon in the sprints. The Lemon and Green harriers are now preparing for their forthcoming relay meet with Oregon State, April 13.

Jim Beifuss, an outstanding high jumper during the 1941 season, turned out early in January when the outlook was almost hopeless.

**O**REGON and OSC face the unfavorable situation of having to start from scratch where Washington, Washington State, and Idaho will continue where they left off last spring.

State discus titleholder in prep ranks, Bob Anderson, four year letterman at Scapoose high and first string end on the Webfoot varsity turned out winter term, but his services will be lost this spring because of the draft. Anderson claims a record throw of 153 feet 10 inches in the discus in the prep finals at Corvallis last year. He was also expected to team-up with Curt Deskins in the shot-put.

Two holdovers from last year's third place cross country squad, Hugh Stapleton and Harold Wright, have added strength in the distance events. One of the weakest positions on the squad was strengthened considerably with the addition of broad jumper Clifford Johnson, a 23 foot 6 inch man from Centralia, Washington. The pole vault event has failed to attract any applicants thus far. The Colonel continues to call for turnouts but the re-



Col. Bill Hayward, perennial University track mentor, is set to turn out another championship squad this season.

sponse has been small and only time will tell as to the men in this event.

**V**ACANT positions and lack of experience aren't the only problems Hayward is having to cope with. It seems that the army has left an unfavorable effect on former GIs now turning out for the varsity. The problem is one of correct running, the army having produced a tendency to run on the heel, whereas, track is exactly the opposite.

Most of the squad members are lacking in experience; however, rapid improvement has been shown and with continued workouts the squad should show well. At present the roster for individual events shapes up as follows: 880—Bob Chapman, J. Scott, Paul Smith, and L. Erickson; 440—Dick Shelton, Walt Donovan, Evans Cantrell, and E. Schauer; sprints—Jake Leicht, Jack McCracken, Don Gruening, Dave Goss, Frank Holm, Al Johanson, and Howard Coffey; mile—Bob Merrifield, Steve Warren, Hugh Stapleton, Harold Wright, George Hammock, D. Porter, and J. Joakins; shot put—Bob Anderson, Curt Deskins, Don Keller, B. Frary; high jump—Jim Beifuss, Merve Spaulding, Tom Gerity; hurdles—Otis Freeman, Bob Oas, D. Edwards, and Jack Meeck.

University coach Howard Hobson announced opening of spring baseball with a meeting held March 5, 4 p.m. in the Physical Education building. Baseball last ended in 1943 with the University holding three consecutive Northern Division championships, including a third year tie with OSC in which no play-off game was held.



## Duck Mermen

**R**EVVED up from a slow start by the untiring efforts of Coach Vaughn Corley, the 1946 edition of the Webfoots swimming team speeded ahead as the season progressed with an object in mind of annexing second place position in the northern division race. An expert tank crew from the University of Washington waded through competition early in the season for the first place spot.

At the beginning of the year only two hard-working lettermen, Daniel M. "Cub" Callis and Robert "Bob" Prowell, were present daily in the men's pool on the campus to work out with the neophyte watermen. Coach Corley, football line mentor, joined the squad late and the workouts assumed a time-cutting regularity.

Co-captain Cub Callis, a Long Beach, California, boy, had rejoined the squad after a tour of duty as a lieutenant with the Marine air corps on Pacific operations. The former fighter pilot assumed a leading role in his first meet since the 1942 season, as he splashed to first place in the 60-yard freestyle and the 150-yard backstroke events for scoring honors against OSC.

Sophomore Co-captain Bob Prowell, of Parkdale, Oregon, showed a well-founded knowledge of the proper swimming technique. He leads the Duck mermen in the opening laps of the two relay events and teams with Callis for a one-two combination in the backstroke event.

**J**OINING the squad late, Bob Hiatt, class of '47 from Portland, Oregon, is continuing a long series of trophy winnings in water competition. The husky free-style expert has accumulated over 30 trophies, most of these collected while with the Portland Aero Club's swimming team during 1937-42.

Returning veterans abound on the aqua squad. Val Robbins of Portland, Oregon, Dick Tretheway of Canby, Oregon, Harold S. Mayer of Emmett, Idaho, and others, were all recently discharged from one of the services. Robbins served as a pilot with the naval air corps in Pacific areas. He performs on the 10-foot board, and counts the titles of the Northwest junior champion diver and a position as third in the Olympic trials held in Portland among his many laurels.

Harold "Pug" Mayer, free-style relay man, is a navy veteran who joined the squad late. He is a former combat air crewman on a PBM in Pacific action, and is a member of the class of 1949. Another navy dischargee, Dick Tretheway, specializes in the distance races for Coach Corley.

**G**EORGE V. Moorhead and Alden Sundlie are both freshmen from Salem, Oregon, and both compete in the 100-yard freestyle race. A home-town pair is composed of breastroker Cliff Brooks and Manager John McGee, both of Eugene, Oregon. Manager McGee swam with the short-handed Webfoots in the first meet of the season against the visiting Oregon State mermen and pulled down points in the 440-yard free-style race.

The Ducks opened the season with a smashing win over the Beavers by the score of 64 to 10. Times rolled up were unimpressive, but all the lemon and green swimmers proved superiority over the visitors.

The season ended with the Ducks taking second place in the northern division race won by Washington.

## Duck Club . . .

THE Oregon Duck club in its first year of operation since the war, boasts an active membership of over 100 members.



Established in 1937 as a booster organization for support of the University athletic teams, the club became a war casualty after four years of operation.

The president in 1937 was Thomas Stoddard, '30, and he was followed by Omar C. "Slug" Palmer, '32. C. Cliff Codding, '35, took over the leadership in 1939 and Erwin G. "Biff" Nilsson, '35, guided the club in its last prewar years.

At the Oregon-Washington football game in Portland last year the club was re-organized and the following officers were elected: Chuck Holloway, '35, president; Ron McCreight, '29, vice-president; and Craig Povey, '37, secretary-treasurer. The initial meeting for 1945-46 was attended by 125 men with Dr. Harry Newburn, Anse Cornell and Dick Reed as special guests.

During the football season, meetings were held each Monday afternoon and since the first of the year, meetings have been set on the first Monday of each month. Guests at the meetings have included the entire coaching staff as well as other prominent alumni interested in athletics.

Dues amount to 50 cents per year and Duck club officers are hopeful that membership can be increased to 200 before the start of the next football season.

Those interested in the Duck club can get further information by contacting Chuck Holloway, 1703 N. W. 16th, Portland, or Craig Povey, 210 N. W. Broadway, Portland.



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## Nelson Gets New Post

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Nelson came to Boise from Washington D. C. where he was associated with the Bureau of Reclamation. Prior to being there, he was with the army ordnance department for two and one-half years in the training publications field.

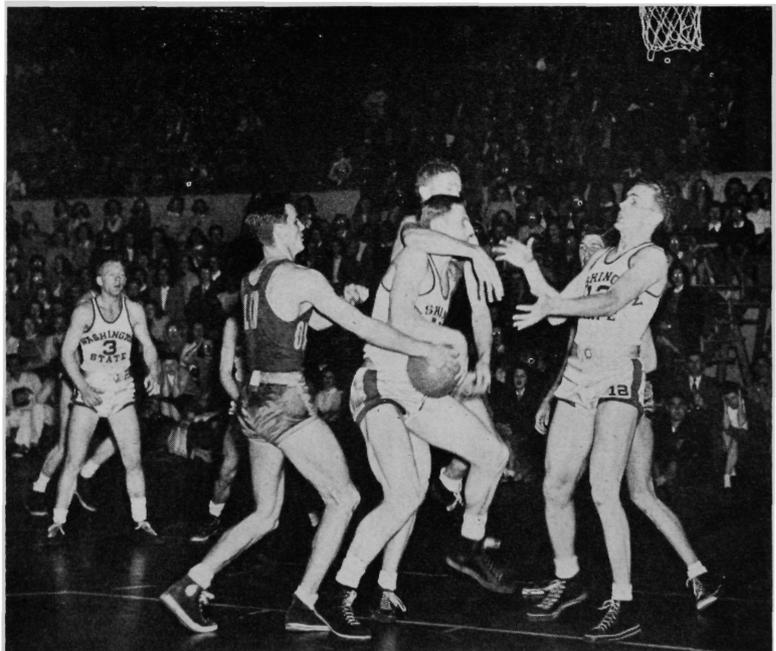
Beside being Emerald and Old Oregon editor, Nelson was director of the University news bureau for a year. He was also on the city staff of the Oregon Journal for almost two years.

## Swimmers Talk Strategy . . .



Co-captains Bob Prowell and "Cub" Callis are shown talking the season over with Coach Vaughn Corley beside the Oregon pool. Both Prowell and Callis are former lettermen and have proved consistent pointgetters this year. Oregon ended the swimming season a strong second behind Washington.

## Final Home Game Won . . .



Dick Wilkins, stellar Oregon forward, steals the ball from Washington State's Gale Bishop in the last home game the Webfoots will play this year. Despite Bishop's 22 points, the Ducks caged the Cougars 69-65. Idaho captured this year's Northern Division crown as the Webfoots knocked OSC out of the race in a one-point overtime victory.



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This is the first of a series of Student Union pages supported by campus living organizations.

# A Month on the Campus



Written for Old Oregon  
By JANET WATTS and Staff

FRED Goodspeed, '49, representing the Independent party, was elected president of the freshman class, with James McClintock, Greek candidate, as vice president. Colleen Mariott and Joan Williams are filling the positions of secretary and treasurer, respectively.

Skull and Dagger, sophomore men's honorary, at the Oregon-Washington basketball game, presented the Oregon 1919 Pacific Coast championship basketball team, who were in Eugene for their 26th reunion. The team included Carter Brandon '20, Francis Jacobberger '21, Herman Lind '20, Eddie Durno '23, Dr. Ned Fowler '20, and Nish Chapman '21.

Couples and stags alike turned out for the first semi-annual "Rooter's Rat Race" sponsored by the rally squad. The dance was held in Gerlinger Hall, Friday, February 1, after the Oregon-Washington basketball game. Highlight of the evening was a prize dance for jitterbugs only, which was judged by student applause.

LES Anderson, ex-'43 and former ASUO president, spoke at an assembly held January 23. He related many of his experiences as a lieutenant in the infantry, serving in France, Luxemburg, Germany and Belgium, and discussed the attitude of the Russians and Austrians.

Edward C. Sammons of Portland addressed the nineteenth annual business meeting of the University of Oregon dads. He emphasized that the United States will have to go "back to the constitution" or over to one of the "isms."

Various other problems were presented to the Dads. The proposed student union building was voted wholehearted support. The problem of housing facilities for veterans was discussed and a committee was appointed to investigate this, as well as plan for newer and larger executive buildings.

Enrollment has now reached 3,405. This is an 81 percent increase over last year's total of 1,884 and a 20 percent gain over the fall term enrollment of 2,847. The ratio is approximately nine men to ten women now with 1,612 men and 1,793 women on the campus.

"Oregon Newspaper Centennial," the 27th annual Oregon Press conference, was held on the campus February 8 and 9. William D. Chandler, associate editor of the San Francisco Chronicle, as principal speaker, forecast the second hundred years of journalism on the Pacific coast.

Topping the fall term grade list was Delta Delta Delta with a house GPA of 2.782. Alpha Gamma Delta placed second with 2.752 and Highland House third with 2.689. The all-University average was

2.446, including 2.515 for all women and 2.286 for all men.

COLORFUL booths of fun and skill filled the Gerlinger midway at the annual WAA carnival. First prize for the most original booth went to Omega Hall, who called carnival goers to "ring the live duck" Kappa Alpha Theta was judged as the best drawing card when their pretty co-eds were the object of pie throwing experts.

Although the properties, musical scores, and costumes didn't arrive for the presentation of the opera, "Carmen," on February 5, members of the San Carlo opera company entertained their audience with a spontaneous variety show. The program included selections from several operas, presented in arias, choral ensembles, and orchestral transcriptions.

Dr. Stefan Osusky, former Czechoslovak ambassador to France, predicted to University students at an assembly February 7, that the birth of a new Russian world in Eastern Asia will be the evidence of the Soviet's increasing global influence.

EVEN a raid en masse by the male sex did not more than momentarily interrupt the hilarity of the Oregon coeds' own show in Gerlinger hall, Coed Capers, February 8. Following the theme, "The Coed Schemes for the Man of Her Dreams," house costumes ranged from bakers' hats to cold cream jars. Hendricks Hall won the cup for the best costumes, and the freshman class carried off honors with their skit, "The March of Time, or Oregon's Plan to Snag a Man." Blonde Beverly Pitman was selected UO Dream Girl.

Setting their trade into effective practice, Gamma Alpha Chi and Alpha Delta Sigma, advertising honoraries, put their heads together, launched a colossal advertising campaign, and presented the Krazy Kopy Krawl in McArthur court February 9.

The 1946 Love and Marriage series opened on the campus February 12 with an assembly at which Dr. Roy E. Dickerson, nationally known authority and lecturer in the field of social hygiene, spoke on modern sex tendencies. Other plans for the series include talks at the houses by professors concerning various phases of love and marriage.

TRENDS in postwar education was the theme of the conference of educators from throughout the state held on the campus during the week of February 11. The conference was sponsored by the state department of education, the University school of education, and the department of superintendents of the Oregon State Teachers' association.

The curtain went up on the third Theater Guild production of the school year February 14, with the presentation of Moliere's musical comedy, "School for Husbands."

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## Coeds Frolic at Annual Capers . . .



A bunch of the girls were whooping it up . . . a view of the crowded floor of Gerlinger gym the night of Coed Capers, February 8. Even an attempted masculine invasion couldn't stop these coeds from having a good time.

# News of the Classes

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Everett H. Brandenburg, '21, was discharged from the Marine corps recently.

## 1922

Dr. E. Leroy Gilson, '22, is practicing dentistry in Modesto, Calif.

Eugene E. Marsh, '22, is one of a state committee of seven working on the selection of two illustrious citizens for places in Statuary Hall, the national hall of fame.

## 1923

George R. Gochmour, '23, has for the past eight years been with the Idaho State Unemployment Division and Employment Service, and is field supervisor for the 10 southwestern counties of Idaho.

## 1925

Albert I. Langrell, '25, died suddenly October 31, 1945, on a Union Pacific train in Idaho while enroute home to Coos Bay, Ore. after being in the east. Mr. Langrell was president of the Coos Bay Logging Co. of North Bend, Ore., with whom he had been associated for 23 years.

## 1926

Col. Theodore R. Gillenwaters, '26, will

revert to inactive army status May 12 at the end of a 95 day terminal leave.

Col. Eugene V. Slattery, '26, has been awarded the Legion of Merit for exceptionally meritorious combat in performance of outstanding service from December 20, 1941 to January 1, 1946.

James G. Harding, '26, has been associated with the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co., Portland, Ore. for the past year and is manager of Pension Planning service for underwriting employee benefit plans.

Dorian E. Patterson, '26, has recently been discharged from the navy and has returned to his position with the Portland, Ore. post office. Mrs. Patterson is the former Vera E. Henderson, '22.

Orlando J. Hollis, '26, was one of the lecturers for the recent Oregon State Bar School of Review held in Portland, Ore. from January 7 to March 1.

Walter E. Kidd, '26, is teaching part time in the English department at the University of Iowa and continuing his study toward a Ph.D. He has completed revision of his poems which will be published next winter under the title of *Slow Fire*. Mrs. Kidd is the former Nancy Pendleton, '27

## 1927

Peter J. Ermler, '27, will return to his former duties with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., Portland, Ore., after completing a five weeks' refresher course. He has just received his discharge as a captain in the army.

Robert D. Clapperton, '27, recently discharged as a lieutenant commander in the navy, will resume his practice of law as a member of the firm of Clapperton & Schallhorn.

## McArthur Resigns from Eugene Water Board

JOSEPH W. McArthur, '08, has resigned as general superintendent and secretary of the Eugene, Oregon, water board, a position he has held for 14 years. McArthur, whose resignation was accepted by the board at his own request, will continue to serve in an advisory capacity for as long as needed.

L. D. Pierce, president of the board, said upon McArthur's retirement, "We're very grateful for the splendid service Mr. McArthur has rendered and it is only through his own request that he is being released."

## 1928

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Wilson, '28, are the parents of a son, John Curtis, born November 4, 1945. There are four other children in the family, two boys and two girls.

Lt. Col. William B. Adams, '28, has been released from active duty with the army and is returning to the practice of law. Colonel Adams spent 43 months in the service as an executive director of personnel and is the recipient of a commendation given to him by the war department in recognition of outstanding services.

## 1929

Arthur J. Anderson, '29, has been named business manager of the Eugene, Ore. hospital.

## 1930

Dr. Ellery L. Landers, '30, has entered the office of Dr. A. L. Mount, Oregon City physician, as a partner. Dr. Landers was in the naval medical corps, serving in the south Pacific for 25 months, and at the naval hospital in Astoria for the past year. Mrs. Landers is the former Carrie B. Skells, '33.

Arden X. Pangborn, '30, former managing director of KGW, was named business manager of The Portland Oregonian recently. Pangborn has been with The Oregonian since 1925 as general reporter, city editor, executive news editor and managing editor. While on the campus, Pangborn was editor of the Emerald, and is a member of Friars, Sigma Delta Chi and Sigma Upsilon fraternities.

Miss H. Betty Hughes, '30, and Cpl. George L. Stone, Jr. were married January 22.

## 1931

Harvey S. Benson, '31, now has his law offices in the Public Service Bldg., Portland, Oregon.

Miss Deborah A. Smith and Cecil Snyder '31, were married November 19, 1945, in Washington, D. C.

Major H. J. Kinzell, '31, is now commanding the army recruiting station at Holyoke, Mass.

Richard F. Gordon, '31, recently discharged as an army major serving with the 5th fighter command in the Pacific, has been named director of Red Cross Pacific area disaster service.

## 1932

Capt. Brian Minnaugh, '32, is home on terminal leave after 21 months with the ATC in China.

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## Heart Throb . . .



Marv Rasmussen, '49, is crowned King of Hearts at the Alpha Chi Omega house during the Heart Hop, February 14. Because of the lack of water in the Mill Race, Marv had to take his traditional dunking in a barrel.

# News of Current Classes



1946

Sigma Delta Chi, men's journalism honorary, tapped the following new pledges: Leonard Turnbull '46, sports co-editor; Tommy Wright '48, Emerald sports editor in 1941-42; Byron Mayo '46, co-Ductation



Al Putnam, '48, is president of the intrafraternity council. Other officers are Don Mayne, '48 vice-president, and Dick Savinar, '48, secretary-treasurer.

and Caroline Brockway, '46, corresponding secretary.

Bernard Engel, '46, was named recently as chief city editor of the Emerald. He supervises the organization of the copy desk and instructs all workers.

Fred Samain, '46, has been appointed business manager of the Oregana.

Establishment of the Gerald Huestis award for the outstanding independent freshman was announced last month by Anne Van Valzah, '46.

Anita Young '46, Winifred Romtvedt '47, and Marguerite Wittwer '47, Theta Sigma Phi pledges, were in charge of style show arrangements for the Oregon Press Conference.

Judges picking the semi-finalists for the title of King of Hearts were Mary Margaret Ellsworth, '46, Louise Goodwin, '46, Christiane Lamoreaux, '48, Phyllis Kiste, '48, Mary Lou Hill, '49, and JoAnne Holstad, '47.

Appearing on a half-hour broadcast over

Nancy Hoerlein, '48, was officially appointed to head the News of the Current Classes section of Old Oregon at the beginning of the term. She and her assistant, Dorothy Habel, '48, present to the students and alums a picture of student activities at the U of O each month.

KOAC given by Mu Phi Epsilon, women's music honorary were Marian Saltness, '46, violinist; Johnette King, '47, pianist; and Mary Louise Stone, '48, vocalist. Accompanists were Betty Bennett, '46, and Berta Reische, '48.

Lois McConkey, '46, was chairman of the senior skit for Coed Capers.

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writer; Carl Cluff '49, sports staff worker; and Danny Mandelovich, Oregana art editor.

Seniors helping with the Beaux Arts ball were Bob Springer, '46, advisor; Walt Brown, '46 and D. Lu Simonsen, '46 tickets; Ben DiBenedetto, '46, publicity; B. Lu Dundas '46, and Earl Curtis, '46, murals; Charles Politz, '46, technical chairman; and Anne Budlisilick, '46, art chairman.

Members of the committee in charge of the love and marriage lecture series held during February were Anita Young, '46, Dorothy Godknecht, '46, and Gil Roberts, '48.

Chuck Politz, '46, designed the set for the musical comedy, "The School for Husbands," Theater Guild play presented February 14, 15, and 16.

Members of Mortar Board who arranged the annual smarty party for freshmen coeds receiving a 3.00 GPA fall term, were Janet Douglas, Bernice Granquist, Phyllis Evans, Signe Eklund, Mary Corrigan, Charlotte Sabin, and Louise Montag, all '46.

Helen Wohler '46, president of Phi Beta, music honorary, introduced patronesses at a tea held in Gerlinger. Iris Duva, '46, sang, Janet Shafer, '48, played the violin, and Sylvia Killman, '48, played the piano.

Entertainment planned for the Dad's Day luncheon included: Iris Duva, '46, and James McMullen, '49, vocal solos, with Sylvia Killman, '48, as accompanist.

Ed Allen, '46, and members of the student congress committee, including Jack Craig, '46, Marguerite Wittwer, '47, Anita Young, '46, and Robert Campbell, '48, held an open discussion of the proposed new ASUO constitution at an assembly.

Officers elected at a recent meeting of Pi Lambda Theta, national women's education honorary, were Shirley Anderson, graduate assistant, keeper of the records; Margaret Murphy, '46, recording secretary;

## Dads Club and Leaders Help U of O . . .



New president of the Oregon Dads is William Hazeltine of Portland (right), who was elected in place of retiring president Gene Vandeneynde of Salem (left), at a business meeting of the Dads on the University campus, February 2. The meeting was a feature of the annual University Dads Weekend celebration.

Lt. Lester E. Anderson, '43, former ASUO president, is on terminal leave from the service and plans to return to the campus spring term to complete his credits for graduation. Lieutenant Anderson was awarded the Purple Heart and two oak leaf clusters, and the Bronze Star while overseas.

### Pipes Resignation

Resigning this month her position as librarian of the Oregon Historical society, Nellie B. Pipes, honorary master of arts degree, '43, is now making plans to enter research.

For more than a quarter of a century Miss Pipes held the position of librarian to the historical society and has helped provide material for almost every book written on the northwest during the past twenty years.

Miss Pipes was awarded an honorary master of arts degree from the University of Oregon in June, 1943, for outstanding public service.

## News of the Classes



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Thomas J. White, '32, was reappointed chairman of the Portland Chamber of Commerce foreign trade and shipping committee recently.

William G. East, '32, and Sidney A. Milligan, '38, have reopened their law office in Eugene, Ore. after being discharged from the service recently. East, who was a captain in the army, was in the service for three and one-half years, two of which were spent in Europe as a military government officer. He was awarded four campaign stars, the combat infantry badge and the Purple Heart. Milligan, a lieutenant colonel, was executive officer of the Victorville army air corps field in California during most of the four and one-half years he was in the service.

Lt. Col. Willis A. West, '32, is the prosecutor at the Japanese atrocity trials in Shanghai, China.

James H. DeMers, '32, great Oregon javelin thrower, is a policeman at Redondo Beach, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Batchelor, '32, are the parents of a boy, Bret Alan, born December 2, 1945.

### 1933

Jack N. Bryant, '33, is now with the organization of Richard Lytel and Associates as an associate architect, with offices in the Securities Bldg., Seattle, Wn.

### 1934

Arthur N. Muller, '34, has opened Muller's Tractor and Implement store in The Dalles, Ore. and will be the J. I. Case machinery dealer for Wasco County.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Needham, '34, are the parents of a son, Thomas, born recently in Salem, Ore.

T-Sgt. Maurice D. Stauffer, '34, has been cited for the soldier's medal and unit commendation ribbon for saving the life of a fellow soldier in Yukon territory.

Miss Genevieve Dunlop, '34, and John H. Holland, PM1c, USNR, were married

The date for class reunions and alumni day has been set for June 15 on the University campus.

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1906—40 years—Camille Carroll Bovard, 10457 Ashton Ave., Los Angeles, Calif. Class Secretary.

1916—30 years—Beatrice Locke Hogan, 6423 Montgomery Pike, Cincinnati, 13, Ohio, Class Secretary.

1921—25 years—Jack Benefiel, Waldport, Oregon, Class Secretary.

1926—20 years—Anna DeWitt Crawford, 2210 N.W. Everett, Portland, Oregon, Class Secretary.

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1935

**Capt. E. Burke Tongue, Jr.**, '35, has been assigned to the Far East air service command headquarters, Manila. This command

is responsible for the supply, repair, maintenance, salvage and disposal of all AAF aircraft and equipment in the Far East.

**Capt. Erwin G. Nilsson**, '35, former Portland attorney and veteran of the Italy campaign with the famous 10th mountain division, has returned to his home in Portland, Ore. He plans to resume his law

practice with the firm of Pendergrass, Apackman & Bullivant.

**William E. Phipps, Jr.**, '35, has been appointed an account executive for the Simon & Smith advertising agency, Portland, Ore. Phipps recently returned from 15 months overseas

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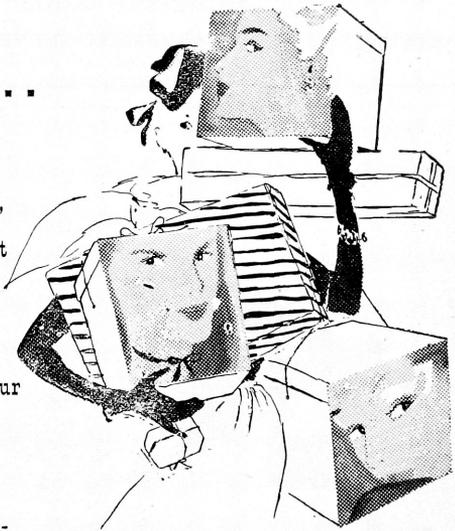
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*News of the Classes*



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**William K. Shepherd**, '35, has returned to his law practice in Portland with Collier, Collier & Bernard. He has just recently been discharged as a major in the army.

**Dr. Lloyd Humphreys**, '41, has been appointed associate professor of psychology at the University of Washington.

**1936**

**Miss Dorothy McCall**, '37, and **Capt. George E. Chamberlain**, '36, U. S. Medical Corps, were married January 29 in Redmond, Ore. Captain and Mrs. Chamberlain will be at home in New York, where Captain Chamberlain has a residency at the New York Eye and Ear infirmary.

**Miss Lydia M. Smith**, '37, and **J. Maurice Adams**, '36, were married January 26 in Portland, Ore. Mr. Adams is principal of Rainier Union high school.

**1937**

**Capt. Howard A. Bennett**, '37, is now stationed at Bellows Field near Honolulu, where he is in charge of officer's recreational activities.

**Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Perry, Jr.**, '37, (**Charlotte Perkins**, '41) are the parents of a daughter, **Barbara Anne**, born January 29, 1946. Mr. Perry is an orchardist in the Hood River Valley.

**Mary Graham**, '37, is a staff sergeant in the Women's Army Corps and is stationed in the public relations department at Manila, P.I.

**Lt. (jg) Hale G. Thompson**, '37, was discharged from the navy recently at thirteenth naval district headquarters in Seattle.

**1938**

**Clyde L. Keller**, '38, has returned to his position of assistant operations manager of Norris, Beggs & Simpson, property factors, Portland, Ore., after 34 months overseas as a lieutenant with the amphibious engineers.

**Miss Marjorie Gearhart**, '38, and **Lt. Thomas M. Bolton**, USA, were married October 27, 1945.

**Lt. and Mrs. William P. McKenna**, '38, (**Lois Spaniol**, '43) are the parents of a baby girl, **Michelle Jean**, born December 27, 1945.

**Walter Vernstrom**, '38, is back with Hicks Chatten Engravers after three years in the army as a lieutenant.

**Miss Rene Jenkins** and **Robert McCullough**, '39, were married February 14 in Portland, Ore.

**Mr. and Mrs. Gordon M. Connelly**, '38, are the parents of a son, **Timothy DeWitt**, born February 9 in Denver, Colo.

**Mr. and Mrs. John Amsberry (Jessie R. Atwater)**, '38) are the parents of a baby girl born in December.

**1939**

**E. B. Burkitt**, '39, has been added to the staff of Richard G. Montgomery and Associates as an account executive. He was recently discharged as a Lieutenant (jg) in the Navy.



Palmer Hoyt, '23, prominent University alum who recently left the Portland Oregonian to become editor-publisher of the Denver Post, keeps in touch with the campus and his University friends by reading Old Oregon magazine.

## Hoyt Leaves Oregonian; Now Edits Denver Post

WHEN news reached the University campus of the selection of E. Palmer Hoyt, '23, as new editor and publisher of the Denver Post, the Oregon Press conference, on February 8, passed the following resolution (excerpts) honoring the noted Journalism school alumnus.

"New honors having come to Palmer Hoyt, former president of the Oregon Newspaper Publishers' association, and of the Oregon Press conference, these two organizations of newspaper men and women, acting jointly with the University School of Journalism, . . . felicitate him upon the recognition of his great ability and influence that has come with his being selected editor and publisher of the Denver Post; regret, with a sense of loss to Oregon journalism, to have him relinquish his . . . post as publisher of the Oregonian . . . and felicitate the Denver Post for having been able to attract his talents, personality, and energies.

"In the twenty years of his association with The Oregonian, Mr. Hoyt has risen from the ranks to a place of outstanding state and national influence as the directing head of that newspaper. . .

"With these and other similar sentiments, coupled with a fond recollection and appreciation of his work among us, members of the Oregon Newspaper Publishers' association and of the Oregon Press conference resolve to wish Palmer Hoyt continued and brilliant successes, for himself and for the work to which he has already endowed much."

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Miller, '39 (Janet Hall, '37) are the parents of a daughter, Pamela Ann, born December 10 in Eugene, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward R. Volkstorf, '39, (Phyllis Atwater, '30) are the parents of a baby girl, Susan, born in November. noted to major in the army medical corps. Major Nakadate, now on terminal leave, served at a battalion surgeon during combat with the 17th airborne division, receiving the Bronze Star for heroism and the Purple Heart with clusters. Later he served with the 82d airborne division which was assigned as occupational troops in Berlin.

Major Claude C. Hockley, Jr., '39, has been discharged from the service and has been appointed to head the business development department of the Bank of California, Portland, Ore. While in the service, Major Hockley worked with the develop-

ment of Chinese troops for use in the fighting in China and Burma.

## 1940

Henry E. Nilsen, '40, has been discharged from the service, and is now football coach at Bend, Ore. high school.

Miss Oloanne Dykeman, '40, has been appointed librarian of the Corvallis, Ore. public library. For the past two years she has been doing library work for the army.

Miss Olga Yerkovich and James D. Mount, '40, were married January 19 in Portland.

Richard H. Olcott, '40, is now with Foster & Kleiser Advertising Agency in Portland. Olcott was discharged last fall after five years with the AAF in the European theater of war.

## 1941

Major Robert M. Mitchell, '41, of the 11th airborne division, has reverted to inactive duty and returned to Portland, Ore.

Major Robert E. Douglas, '41, has been assigned as base operations officer at Stewart Field, Newburgh, New York. A veteran of duty in the Pacific and European theaters, Major Douglas has been awarded the Silver Star, Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal, Purple Heart, presidential unit citation and the Croix de Guerre from Belgium.

Miss Franny Maier, '47, and Lt. John Dick, '41, were married February 12 in The Dalles, Ore.

Carl Christensen, Jr., '41, has been discharged from the service and is now employed as a teller at the First National Bank, Eugene, Ore. Mrs. Christensen is the former Norma Coulter, '43.

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Dorothy Jean Carter, '44 . . . killed in plane crash.

## Portland Alum Killed

DOROTHY Jean Carter, '44, a United Airlines stewardess, was killed in a plane crash in Wyoming last January 31.

"Deej," as she was affectionately known on the campus, was a member of Highland house while attending the University and majored in English.

She had written a number of poems, several of which were in the hands of a publishing firm at the time of her death. She had been a stewardess since October, 1945.

Lt. (jg) John E. Wellnitz, '36, was recently discharged from the navy at Seattle.

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**Major Vernon Kullowatz**, '43, of the army chaplain corps, is on terminal leave after being overseas since June, 1944. Major Kullowatz has been awarded the Bronze Star with oak leaf cluster, and the Silver Star.

**Capt. James W. Frost**, '43, is information-education officer for a replacement depot in the Pacific.

**Lt. (jg) William C. Loud**, '43, was recently discharged from the navy at Seattle.

Miss **Dorothy C. Tittmore** and **Ens. Kelley V. Holbert**, '43, were married recently in Springfield, Mass. Ensign Holbert was graduated from the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis in June, 1945.

**Mr. Joe G. Lebenzon**, '43, is attending the College of physicians and surgeons, San Francisco, Calif. He has been discharged from the navy after four years of active service.

**Lt. Suzanne Brogan**, '43, is on terminal leave from the Army Nurse Corps after service with the 7th and 3rd armies in the European theater of operations.

**1944**

Miss **G. Ilene Anderson** and **James L. Haines**, '44, were married January 25 in Eugene, Ore.

**Aileen Brown**, '44, is now teaching at Coos Bay, Ore. High School.

**Doris A. Bruce**, '44, is working for the Multnomah County Welfare Commission in Portland, Ore.

**Arnold "Duke" Iversen**, '44, is in Okinawa with the 2nd marine air wing. He is in charge of special services and has had a very successful season coaching a football team. Mrs. Iversen is the former **Elizabeth A. Jessen**, '44.

**Lt. and Mrs. William H. Lilly**, '44, are the parents of a girl, Ann Elizabeth, born February 11 in Portland, Ore.

**1945**

**Mr. and Mrs. Bennett M. Welsh**, '44 (**Carol Ann Evans**, '45), are the parents of a daughter, Antonia Suzanne, born February 2 in Portland, Ore.

**William M. Stratton**, '45, is taking an 8 weeks' course at the Bairritz American University overseas. He is looking forward to entering the University of Oregon when he returns.

**Helen L. Sandberg** and **Alvin A. Gould**, '45, were married January 12 in Oregon City.

**1946**

**Miss Marie L. Sutton**, '46, and **Lt. Richard J. Bates**, AUS, were married recently in San Francisco.

**Miss Barbara A. Meyer**, '46, and **Gilbert L. Schroff** of Lincoln, Neb. were married recently in Portland, Ore.

**Miss Dorothy J. McNair**, '46, Waves petty officer, and **Lt. Colin W. Ackerson** were married recently in the chapel at Ft. Shafter, Honolulu, where both are stationed.

**Miss Marilyn J. Adair**, '46, and **William J. Hetzler** were married recently in Washington, D. C.

**1947**

**Virginia B. Murphy**, '47, has been named to the secretarial staff of the veterans' administration guidance center on the University campus.

**1948**

**Stanley K. Storkersen**, '48, died January 19 in Portland. A sophomore in business administration, Storkersen was active in intramural sports while at the University.

**Lt. Henry G. Carr**, '42, has been reported as killed in action by the war department. Lieutenant Carr disappeared when on a

"shadow" mission to watch four Japanese destroyers in the Buna area of New Guinea, December 2, 1942.

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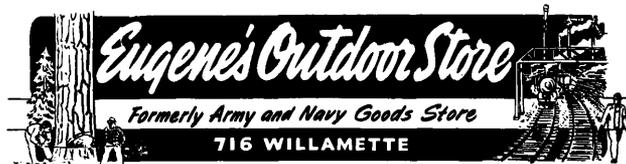
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# News of Current Classes

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Recipients of the AWS scholarships as outstanding college women were LaVerne Erickson, '46, Winifred Romtvedt, '47, and Phyllis Kiste, '48.

## 1947

Joyce Utz, '47, president of the women's business honorary, was chosen representa-



Beverly Pitman, '49, was elected Oregon's 1946 Dream Girl at the annual Coed Capers.

tive to the national convention to be held June 27-30 at French Licks Springs, Indiana.

Byron Mayo, '47, has been appointed assistant managing editor of the Emerald.

Helen Tims, '47, talented music major held one of the leading roles in the Theater Guild play "The School for Husbands," by Moliere.

Elizabeth Pollock, '47, was recently selected as a pledge of Mu Phi Epsilon, music honorary.

Mary Margaret Lucas, '47, played the role of a saucy French maid in the Theater Guild drama, "The School for Husbands."

## 1948

Dorothy Habel, '48, chairman of Dad's Day appointed the following committee



Fred Goodspeed, Independent candidate, was elected president of the freshman class. Other officers include Jim McClintock, vice president; Coleen Mariott, secretary; and Joan Williams, treasurer.

heads: Trudie Chernis, '49, and Barbara Johns, '48, publicity; Bill Knapp, '49, Bob Miller, '48, and Dick Kaegi, '48, hospitality; Barbara Borrevik, '48, promotion; Helen Hicks, '48, and Dedo Misley, '48, campus tour; Tom Kay, '47, awards; Ann Burgess, '48, and George Alexander, '49, registration; Edith Goldstein, '47, housing; Bob Merrifield, '49, transportation; and Margaret Rauch, '49, posters.

Barbara Wells, '48, and Virginia Harris, '47, coedited the Piggers Guide supplement which was issued the second week in February.

New pledges of Mu Phi Epsilon, music honorary, are Virginia Burt, Joyce Davis, Gloria Fletcher, Margaret Holm, Lena Lou Pope, and Joan Tweet, all '48.

Speaking for the University symposium

team on Pan-American relations were: Geneva Davis, '48, Nancy Peterson, '49, Sam Benveniste, '48, Ann Brady, '49, Robert Van Vactor, '49, Floyd Hinton, '48, Shirley Hough, '48, Karen Martin, '48, Bob Reeves, '48, Kenneth Neal, '49, and Barbara Wells, '48.

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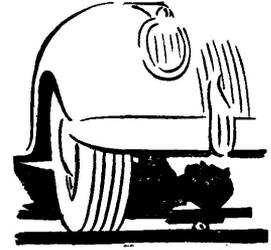
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Eugene speaking on the "Columbia Valley Authority." They included Barbara Bozorth, '48, Dedo Misley, '48, Ray Johnson, '48, Caroline Jacobs, '47, and Leland Cramer, Donald Dole, Arnold Porter and Lewis Knight, '49.

Winston Carl, '48, and Jimmy George, '49, were appointed co-chairmen of the "Rooters Rat Race," a dance sponsored by the rally squad.

Chairmen for the men's organizations in the March of Dimes drive were Jim Ellison, '48, Charlie Reynolds, '49, and Sam Benveniste, '47.

New voices appearing with the University Vesper Choir this term include Hazel Northrup, Lois Raymond, Margaret Holm, Patty Boyer, and Joanne Twedt, '48; Roberta Zeiger and Jeanne Winters, '49; and Grace Krants, Betty Holemann, '48, and Lane Roff, '49.

Members of the cast of "Ask Aunt Mary," a comedy play presented on the Thursday afternoon University hour, were Mary Lucas, '48, Mary Hock, '49, Dick McCoy, Al Dunn, '49, and Lambert Reed, '49.

Sophomores serving as committee chairmen for the recent Coed Capers were Pat Jordan, Alice May Robertson, and Ann Burgess.

**1949**

Mu Phi Epsilon, music honorary, pledged seven freshmen recently, including Mary Margaret Dundou, Helen Hudson, Athadel John, Clare Lewis, Virginia Lindley, Helen McPetridge, and Dorothy Schaer.

Gertrude Chernis, '49, was elected freshman woman representative on the Independent Students association's executive council.

Dick Logan, '49, was elected president of the Newman club, Catholic organization on the campus.

Newest member of the Duck rally squad is Jimmy George, '49.

Mary Hoch, '49, played one of the leading roles in the Theater Guild play, "The School for Husbands."

Speaking at the first meeting of a French club organized this term on the campus were Vincent McBride, '49, and Delbert Hoffman, '49, both of whom were stationed in France during the war.

Equipment and construction chairmen for the Beaux Arts ball were Del Parker and Vinc Scotta, '49.

Trudi Chernis, '49, was general chairman of the annual Frosh Glee. Committee heads working with her included Kinnaird Gregg, Prudy McCroskey, Kathryn Dobson, Janet Beigal, Donald Dole, Mary Jane Reeves, Barbara Blinco, Janice Hansen, Beth Basler, and Ann Woodworth, '49.

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*A Month  
on the Campus*

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under the direction of Otilie Seybolt, associate professor of speech and dramatic arts.

Celebrating the 25th anniversary of the incorporation of the Co-op store, an all-campus birthday party was held February 14. Dancing, sleight-of-hand tricks, juggling, singing, several door prizes including a portable typewriter, and refreshments attracted a large crowd.

Valentine's Day gave Oregon coeds an opportunity to ask the man of their dreams to the YWCA-sponsored Heart Hop. Because of insufficient water in the Millrace, Marv Rasmussen, '49, elected King for 1946, was dunked in a barrel.

**New Alum Execs**

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general purpose of the Association by encouraging the mutual acquaintance and good fellowship of the membership.

Charles H. Huggins, '22, president of the association in 1945 was favorable to the idea of establishing an executive committee and is largely responsible for putting the plan into action. The original committee was composed of Mr. Huggins, president, Mildred Bagley Graham, '12, vice-president, the acting alumni secretary, and three members at large: C. R. Manerud, '22, appointed for a one year term, Gordon Wilson, '25, appointed for a two year term, and Ernest Haycox, '23, appointed for a three year term. Terms were staggered at the start to permit the expiration of one and a new appointment each year with two appointments holding over.

**T**HEN, at the annual meeting of the association at Homecoming, December 1, 1945, Ernest Haycox was nominated for the office of president and later elected to that office. According to the amended constitution, any member of the executive committee or the board of alumni directors who becomes an officer, relinquishes his former position, and a new appointment is made to fill his unexpired term. In this case John Houston, '22, of Klamath Falls, has been appointed to serve the remaining two years of Mr. Haycox's term and C. R. "Skeet" Manerud has been appointed to a new term.

The new president saw fit to include on the executive committee the immediate past president so that the committee is now composed of seven members and will have the benefit of the preceding year's experience of the past president. The new executive committee (their first business meeting was held on the campus March 1) now includes Ernest Haycox, president and chairman, Georgia Benson Patterson, '24, vice-president, Doris Hack, '41, acting alumni secretary, Charles H. Huggins, immediate past president and members at large, Gordon Wilson, John Houston and C. R. Manerud.

Their main consideration now is the building of a larger alumni membership. The evolution of the executive committee will in no way diminish the need for the board of county directors. In next month's issue of *OLD OREGON*, the place of the county directors in the scheme of alumni organization will be discussed.

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