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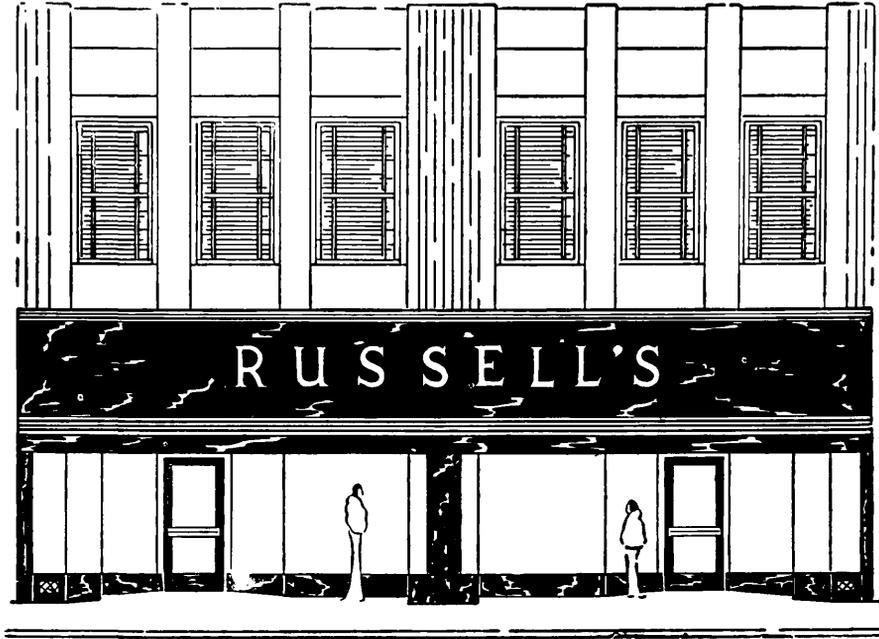


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# Rushing Brings Coeds

THE first most active indication of student campus life in the University of Oregon's first post war academic year was reflected in rush week for pledging of girls to sororities. Approximately 320 girls had registered for rush week activities from Sunday, September 9 to Friday, September 14. Members of the different living organizations returned to the campus during the week before to ready rushing plans and put final beautifying touches to their houses.

Two hundred and forty-two women were pledged as "rush week" came to a close. Established for the sororities was a quota system, based on housing capacity. This system limited the number of girls who could be pledged to the houses to the numbers that could safely be accommodated. The total of girls entering the Greek letter houses was higher by eight than the number pledged last year.

The University's fraternities are still inactive as a result of an interfraternity council ruling, made after the war started, promising that no houses would pledge for the duration. Fraternities had only a few members on the campus during war years, and some houses were without representatives. Last spring a group of the fraternity men from all houses rented one of the houses and gave new birth to fraternity life, but it remains for this year's Greek men to open the houses for the post war period. Whether this will be done depends largely on the number of members who will return as students, the total male enrollment and the interest of the returning members. Meanwhile, fraternity houses are occupied by University dormitory men, sorority groups that have taken over two houses, a church group providing student housing, private parties who are renting rooms and apartments to students and townspeople, and private families.

Approximately 650 women ordinarily live in women's Greek-letter houses. The majority of women students occupy University dormitory housing, cooperative student housing and private homes. The primary distinction between Greek and Independent students is that the Greeks subscribe to certain principles set forth in their rituals, wear the badges that identify them



Acting Dean of Women Golda Parker Wickham, a University graduate, greeted new students and went through her first rush week as well as theirs. She was formerly dean of women at Lincoln high school in Portland. Dean Wickham is a friend, champion, and advisor to all University girls.

as members of the organizations and live together while in the University. Greek houses provide comfortable university homes for their members and establish strong ties of friendship. Independent students are usually not so closely knit with their particular living organization. Student academic and activity leaders can always be found from both groups.

While home on a convalescent furlough of 90 days this summer, S Sgt. James W. Callahan, III, '44, attended summer school at the University. Sergeant Callahan served with the 9th army in the Aachen sector while overseas.



Rush period fun is shown in this typical rushing "afternoon date" garden party as sorority girls and their rushees relax, talk and enjoy themselves.

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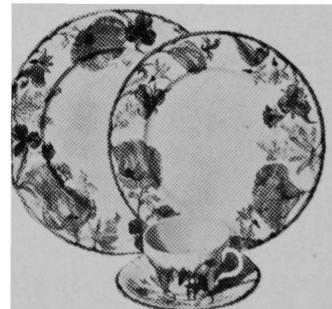
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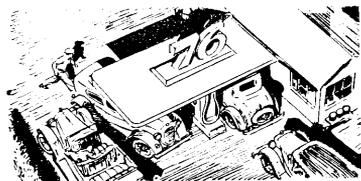
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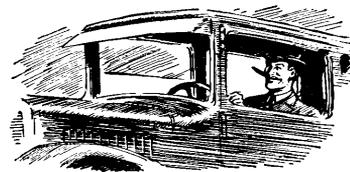
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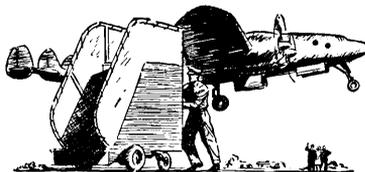
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# News of the Classes By RUBY ORRICK, '41

## 1909

1909—Merle R. Chessman, c/o Astorian Budget, Astoria, Oregon.

Earle E. Mayo, '09, is now one of the most distinguished engineers in the country. He is president of the Railway Engineers of the U.S. and chief engineer of the Southern Pacific company.

## 1911

1911—Mrs. Jessie Calkins Morgan (Mrs. Frank T. Morgan) Nyssa, Oregon.

Cecil J. Espy, '11, has been made an assistant cashier at the United States National Bank, Eugene. Espy has been principally identified with the bank's credit department. He has been with the bank since 1937.

## 1916

1916—Mrs. Beatrice M. Locke Hogan (Mrs. Cicero F. Hogan), 6423 Montgomery Pike, Cincinnati, 13, Ohio.

In recognition of exceptionally meritorious services during the Italian campaign, Lt. Col. William C. Munly, '16, of Wash-

ington, D. C., has been awarded the Legion of Merit medal. Presentation of the award, fourth highest war department decoration, was made by Colonel Earle Standlee, chief surgeon of the Mediterranean theater, who lauded Lt. Colonel Munly for his contributions as medical inspector for the office of the surgeon, Mediterranean theater of operations. In addition to this medal, the Washington officer also wears the world war I, army of occupation of Germany, ribbons, the American Defense Medal, the French Medal of Honor for epidemics and the European Mediterranean Service ribbon.

## 1919

1919—Mrs. Helen Jean McDonald McNab (Mrs. Wm. H. McNab), 815 Spruce Street, Berkeley, California.

James B. Faubion, '19, former journalism student at the University, died in Portland, September 4. He was a veteran of world war I, serving overseas until close of hostilities. He was a member of Willamette Lodge No. 2, A. F. and A. M. and American Legion Post, No. 101.

## 1920

1920—Mrs. Era Godfrey Banks (Mrs. Walter H. Banks), 2231 McMillan, Eugene, Oregon.

Brig. Gen. Lewis C. Beebe, '20, captured by the Japanese in the fall of Corregidor, was recently released from a prison camp in Manchuria. Brigadier General Beebe attended the University in 1916-17 as a special student.

## 1922

1922—Mrs. Helen Carson Plumb (Mrs. Herbert L. Plumb), 3212 Hunter Blvd., Seattle, Wn.

Lt. Col. Karl F. Glos, '22, inspector general of the 3d division, is back at home for his first visit since he went overseas with the "Rock of the Marne" division in October of 1942. The pride of the men in their outfit was so great that many left the hospitals to get back to their units. This outfit has been rated "first" among the divisions of the American army. Colonel Glos, who has twice been awarded the Bronze Star medal, expects to return to his Portland law practice when, and if, he is released from active duty.

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## Enrollment Jumps

Enrollment figures at the "Eugene campus" of the University of Oregon as of Tuesday night, September 25, showed a 47 per cent increase over last fall's enrollment of the same date. Two thousand four hundred and fifty-three students were registered by Tuesday compared to last fall's 1664. The male population jumped 134 per cent from 314 to 734. Women's enrollment

hit another all time high by increasing 27 per cent or from 1350 to 1719.

It is interesting to note the "permanent type" increase of women enrollment. This indicates the University's regular enrollment will be hitting all time highs as soon as veterans are released in greater numbers and more and more high school graduates find it possible to start their college educations. See editorial on page 9 for more permanent type housing plans.

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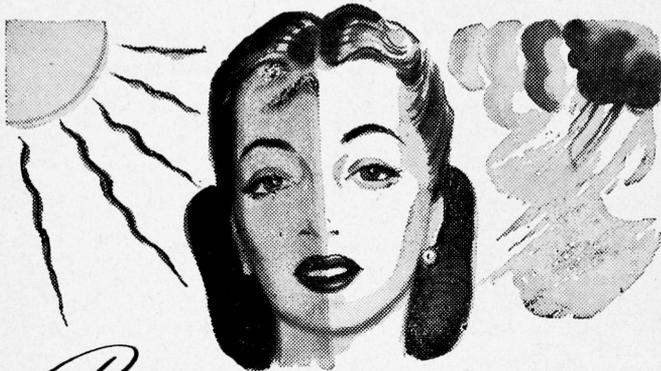
THE PEOPLE WHO PUBLISH OLD OREGON

**M**OST of the second 1945-46 school year *Old Oregon* magazine went to press a few days before registration of the University's first post war student body. This issue was published through the assistance of students Orin Wier, Sylvia Mitchell, Jack Craig, Ray Beeson, Ruby Orrick, Joan Hickey, and Winifred Romtvedt—on writing and editing. Several alums, faculty and University friends were helpful in providing additional story material; and, of course, our hundreds of "reporters" sent news items of interest from all parts of the world. Most of the latter type of news notes are included under "News Of The Classes." Personality news notes which arrived too late for the October issue will be run next month. Bob Brisacher, student, is chiefly responsible for most of the advertising layouts. Several new student staff members have already been added to the staff. Their names and work will appear in the November issue. Other students interested in working on news, business or office staffs of *Old Oregon* should contact the editor.

## NEW BIG THREE READERS ALL APPLAUD OLD OREGON

So many letters, telephone calls and personal congratulations have been received from alums, students and faculty—applauding the new policy of "big three readership"

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## Housing Problem Something for All Of Us to Work On

As *Old Oregon* goes to press, letters and wires and personal confirmation have been received from President Harry K. Newburn, Senator Guy Cordon, Representative Harris Ellsworth, the Eugene Junior Chamber of Commerce's president, Harold Wyatt, about work being done for provision of emergency and more permanent type housing for University students. *Old Oregon's* housing shortage editorial, published in the September issue, called attention to efforts being made by these and other interested persons in solving the student housing problem.

*Old Oregon* will boost its regular big three readership—alumni, students and faculty—by sending copies of this issue to a list of state government officials, the state's national officials and civic leaders of Portland, Eugene and other cities of the state. A special letter will be enclosed calling attention to the housing problem as being one of the most critical in relation to greatness in the three ingredients—student body, faculty and buildings—necessary for the development of a greater University.

"Big Ed" Greet's Frosh



Ed Allen, president of the University of Oregon student body, started student activities for the current year at a pre war tempo with a well organized activities introduction program for all freshman students at McArthur court September 19. "Big Ed" plays basketball, has been a successful leader in a variety of student affairs and has an excellent academic record.

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These quotations are from Dean Onthank's veteran's article which appeared in September's Old Oregon:

"The fact that the average grades of veterans run a shade better than that of all men in University is evidence that they are not doing so badly . . ."

"So much has been written about the difficulties veterans will have on returning to civilian life and to study that the colleges might be expected almost to fear their return. But at the University of Oregon we are glad to have them back. They not only get on well, but they add strength, stability, and an important element of leadership to the student body."

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# Housing Shortage Hits Enrollment

Writer for Old Oregon by  
SYLVIA MITCHELL, '48

FALL term registration hit an all time high since service and war work called many University students away from class rooms. With the war suddenly ending shortly before registration many students left war work to begin or finish school. Increasing numbers of veterans have returned and are returning to begin or finish their education as soon as possible. A larger percentage of high school graduates are entering college than during war years.

Although enrollment does not exceed peace time years the University still faces a housing shortage. Why?

During the past few years housing available to the University students has decreased with the needs of a smaller war time enrollment. Many fraternities and spare rooms in private homes are being used by hospital nurses, Bible school students and Eugene's increased townspeople population, who are themselves faced with severe housing problems.

Normally the University could find sufficient additional housing in private homes near the campus. This year many homes do not need the added rental income or are busy with other work. Other Eugene homes find it more convenient to rent their rooms to city workers who are all-year occupants, while still others have already committed their rooms to townspeople, who could not find housing elsewhere if they did move out. The same situation exists with those fraternity houses which have not been taken over by the University or sorority groups, however, a number of men students are renting rooms in fraternity houses that have been leased to private individuals.

FALL term housing facilities for women on the campus consist of four cooperative houses; seven dormitory units; a fraternity house; three student living organizations sponsored by church organizations; 16 sororities; and rooms that could be obtained from private homes.

Women's housing facilities are being taxed to the limit. In order to house as many students as possible during this emergency period as many as six students are living temporarily in dormitory rooms planned for four and bunks are erected in recreation rooms. Sororities have crowded

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## ← Ad of the Month

The four Eugene theaters listed on the opposite page have followed their September's full page message to veterans with this story to veterans already in school and others intending to enter college as soon as they leave service.

## Housing Solutions

THE University administration officials, assisted by city and state officials, are to be commended in producing unusual results in meeting an emergency housing problem caused by the first post war increase in student enrollment. September's Old Oregon carried an editorial about this problem. It cited and named the work being done by various University, Eugene and state officials. Regular Old Oregon readers—alumni, students and faculty, as well as a selected list of interested persons who received the special issue—have all been working on the housing problem.

The housing article appearing on this page has to do with new emergency and available permanent-type student housing. It is to be kept in mind, that another long range problem has to do with providing housing for a larger regular student body in

the future. That which required immediate solution has been ably met on an emergency basis. But the University will have a continued and permanent increase in regular annual student enrollment. There is little prospect in securing adequate help, to meet this future housing problem, from private homes. Eugene will maintain a big percentage of war-industry population and will most likely grow and prosper from new permanent-type multi-million dollar industries and business firms. She has her own housing problem to meet, and although her cooperation with the University has been and undoubtedly will be most generous, the solution can not be fully met with that help alone.

It is to be noted that the University campus has a smaller percentage of state operated student housing than many another leading college. A big increase in men's

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## Don't You Know There's a Peace On?



A scene at one of the emergency housing quarters in the infirmary is shown in the cartoon above. This is only a temporary arrangement which will allow time to secure regular school term rooms for the University's overflowing student body. However, as more veterans—and prospective students who could not secure admission fall term due to the housing problem—return to class rooms, the problem may become acute with the beginning of each new term.



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Dr. Harry K. Newburn was honored as a young and capable new post war president by a more-than-capacity crowd of alums, faculty, staff and friends of the University who gathered at the grand ballroom of Multnomah hotel September 12. The new president has occupied every step of the ladder, from high school teaching to college deanship, in the ascent to the top position of a higher educational institution. His other experiences include playing three years of varsity basketball and football and high school coaching. Dr. Newburn was president only a few hours, as he took office last summer, when he recognized the housing situation as being one of the most critical problems.

**Newburn Talks  
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OVER three hundred alums, faculty, staff and friends of the University gathered at the Multnomah hotel grand ballroom September 12 to honor the University of Oregon's new president, Dr. Harry K. Newburn. Additional tables had to be set up as the 300 reservations were filled and many waited at the doorway seeking admission.

Prominent Portland attorney, Robert Mautz, '27, started the program in introducing the University's new York-bound singer, Margaret Zimmerman, '44. She drew the crowd's applause and best wishes for success in voice training in the East.

Easy-speaking Robert Mautz then introduced honored guests at the head table including Mrs. Harry K. Newburn; Judge James Crawford, representing Governor Snell, and Mrs. Crawford; Phil Metscham, representing the State Board of Higher Education; Earl Riley, major of Portland; Dean Orlando John Hollis and Mrs. Hollis; Mrs. Mautz; Chancellor and Mrs. Frederick M. Hunter and Charles H. Huggins, president of the Alumni Association, and Mrs. Huggins.

Toastmaster Mautz's comments that Dr. Newburn was probably the first University president ever hired sight-unseen—although not intended to be factually correct—could be understood when he introduced Mrs. Newburn. The toastmaster explained that when officials went to Iowa to interview the liberal arts dean they went directly to his home rather than to his office. Mrs. Newburn answered the door, and when they saw her, that was enough—Newburn was made president.

Dr. Burt Brown Barker, vice-president of the University was introduced. He in turn introduced his special guests: president of Oregon State College, Dr. A. L. Strand, and Mrs. Strand; and the presidents of the independent colleges of the state including Mr. and Mrs. Emmett W. Gulley, Pacific college; Rev. Charles C. Miltner, University of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Morgan S. Odell, Lewis and Clark College; Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Dillin, Linfield college; Mr. and Mrs. Peter H. Odegard, Reed college.

Judge James Crawford talked in behalf of the Governor and Chancellor Hunter introduced President Newburn.

President Newburn, who had just finished an Iowa-style dinner including corn on the cob—courtesy of the banquet's sponsoring group for the head table—accepted the chancellor's praise with a feeling of responsibility and deep humility. He spoke of the cooperation of alums and other citizens needed in working as a team for a greater university.

The president spoke with enthusiasm of the "exciting and challenging years ahead" and pointed out how the Newburns have fallen in love with the Oregon country and people. Although the president did not mention it in his speech, this brings to mind Dr. Newburn's description of a youthful and energetic Oregonian spirit when he spoke to Iowa friends at a farewell dinner: "It's the kind of state I want to grow with, and have my children to grow with. I've never seen a place where people believe more firmly in the future of their state. I consider it a real honor to have a chance to become an Oregonian."

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Other distinguished guests included John Snellstrom, state legislator; Paul Patterson, state senator, and Mrs. Patterson. Representatives from the newest unit of the state system of higher education, the University of Oregon Dental School, included Dr. Herbert C. Miller, Dr. Ernest E. Starr, Dr. Walter Redpath and Mrs. Ellen Crew.

## Housing Short

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more women in their houses. After desperate efforts made by University officials and with fine cooperation from local citizens and civic groups, a limited number of rooms have been obtained in private homes.

Women students do not face as critical a housing shortage as do the men and the married veterans. When the men left the campus in greater numbers the men's dormitory was turned over for women's occupancy. Last year two of the six units were returned to male occupancy. This year the men will occupy four units.

Formerly many men were housed in fraternities, but at the present time there is not a sufficient number of fraternity men from any one house to warrant opening the houses. Men students are being housed in four men's dormitory units, a fraternity house occupied by men as a dormitory, the second and third floors of Chi Psi lodge, the third floor of Phi Delta Theta and in private homes. There is also some temporary occupancy in rooms and beds at the infirmary.

**T**HE married veteran, at this writing, has only the private home facilities to turn to. Apartments are practically impossible to secure. The University intends to obtain adequate housing for married veterans before winter term through the procurement of fifty war plant housing units. Applications have been made for such houses but they can not be obtained, located, and serviced with water, lights, plumbing, and heat until sometime fall term. New faculty members without housing have access to seven pre-fabricated houses that have been procured for that purpose.

During ten days preceding registration students, who were making application for admission and who had not yet secured housing, were being urged to postpone their registration until winter term.

## Housing Solutions

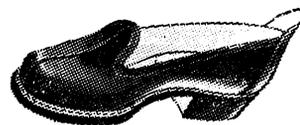
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and women's dormitory housing, to be constructed as soon as labor and materials can be secured, may be something for alumni, students, faculty and other friends of the University to urge at this time.

The first unit of a new women's dormitory, to house 200, appears to be the first step toward solution of the long range housing problem. It will be built "as soon as labor and materials are available."

A greater University has need of a greater student body. Studies based on population growth predict a much larger University student group. It's safe to predict the University administration will make every effort to build our strong faculty group even stronger. Construction of new class room facilities, a student union building, and many other changes and improvements all tend to draw larger enrollment. A greater student body requires a greater physical plant . . . more housing.

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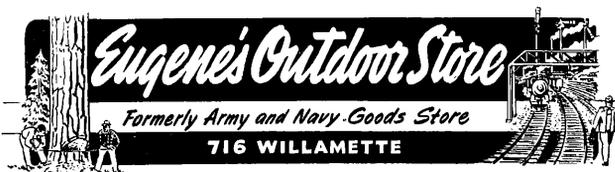
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# Law School Wins Hollis' Full Time Support as War Comes to End

**A**BLE and scholarly Orlando John Hollis carried the responsibilities of University president—with several other University and civic responsibilities—from January 6, 1944 to June 30, 1945, when he turned the president's cares over to Dr Harry K. Newburn to give his full time attention to the school of law of which he was dean.

When Orlando Hollis was acting president many described him as an efficient administrator, others noted his ability to deal with war burdened responsibility fairly and courageously. Perhaps the best description of his work as acting University president is noted by citing facts of his record. Higher education all over the country was faced with new and difficult problems throughout the war. There was little or no opportunity for continuing a pre-war program. Academic schedules were often curtailed. The University of Oregon did not suspend a single college, school or department during the war, and in many ways it rendered meritorious service to the war effort.

Orlando Hollis began as a good student and went on as a good student. He graduated from the University in 1926 with a B.S. degree and a cumulative grade point average just a hair below an A. Two years later he received his J.D. from the law school with an academic record that is probably the highest ever achieved in the

history of the University. In law school, from which the majority of first year law students usually drop out, due to high academic standards, Student Hollis emerged with all A's with the exception of three B's.

While at the University Orlando Hollis was elected a member of Phi Beta Kappa and the legal honoraries Phi Delta Phi and Order of the Coif. Friars, the senior men's service honorary, pledged Professor Hollis as an outstanding faculty member. A civic club has cited him for outstanding service to his community and good citizenship.

**F**ROM college Graduate Hollis went to the First National bank in Eugene where he was assistant trust officer. Banker Hollis was asked to devote part of his time to teaching law at the University from which he had just graduated. This he did, being professor to some of the students that were his class mates the year before. In 1931 Orlando Hollis accepted a professor's appointment to the University school of law. He was acting dean of the law school first in 1936 when Wayne L. Morse devoted part of his time to work requested by the United States attorney general. Orlando Hollis became acting dean when Dean Morse resigned in 1944 to be a candidate for the United States senate. That same year he became acting president of the University, following the death of Donald Erb. He was appointed dean of the law school in January, 1945, effective in July when Dr. Newburn arrived to handle the president's job.

As a law school professor Orlando Hollis became a world traveler. During summers before the war he traveled in Europe, the Orient and the Panama Canal zone.

The law school deanship is an unusually heavy burden in itself. Acting Dean Hollis has carried on as dean, taught the law courses of a regular full time professor and was acting president of the University all at the same time. His contribution to the war's demands for greater responsibility also included the secretaryship of Lane county's selective service board which met weekly and required additional hours of work during the week. Citizen Hollis had also served on the Eugene Water Board from 1931 to 1941, prior to heading the selective service board.

Orlando Hollis is also chairman of the faculty senate. He was recently appointed to be liaison officer for the Oregon State System of Higher Education in its relations with the veterans' ad-

ministration. Another of Orlando Hollis' public contributions started in 1940 when he was made a member of the athletic board of the University. He was appointed to the Pacific Coast Intercollegiate Athletic Conference in 1940 and won recognition for effective and fair interpretation of the Atherton code. His athletic conference record includes strong support of the successful proposal whereby all Pacific coast colleges participating in the conference program secure a percentage of Rose Bowl game receipts. This plan, in turn, strengthens the University's athletic department.

**T**HE University faculty honored Acting President Hollis at a banquet in June, 1945. Professor Ernest George Moll, who was elected to deliver a speech in behalf of the faculty spoke glowingly of the record Mr. Hollis had made as a student, professor, dean, president and citizen of Eugene and Oregon. A brief quotation from Professor Moll's speech conveys the faculty's respect for Acting President Hollis: "... he has, serving in many capacities

## The Chancellor Lauds Hollis for Outstanding Job

**D**R. FREDERICK M. HUNTER, who has been chancellor of the Oregon State System of Higher Education since 1935, is more qualified to describe Orlando John Hollis' year and a half as acting president of the University authoritatively than any other single individual.

In an interview for the purpose of providing an introduction to this article, Chancellor Hunter noted the outstanding record of the late Donald M. Erb, who, as University president, accomplished unusual progress in many fields pertaining to advancement of the University. One of the most marked accomplishments was his notable success in uniting the faculty and staff into a cooperative team in support of the University program.

President Erb's sudden death left an enormous gap to fill. The Oregon State System of Higher Education, the University and the State were faced with the task of finding a man to meet the challenge, to prevent what had been accomplished from slipping back. The problem was made more critical due to the many burdens that war had added to higher education institutions. Orlando Hollis was asked to take the reins in this acute emergency.

Orlando Hollis was already far busier than the average citizen. He was acting dean of the law school, taught a regular full-time professor's law courses, headed Lane county's selective service board, was secretary and aggressive member of the Pacific Coast Intercollegiate Athletic Conference, and had a number of other duties.

Public-minded citizen Hollis agreed to shoulder the President's cares. His record, as the Chancellor put it, was one of "constructive administration." In fact, Acting President Hollis' regime not only "held the line" during the emergency, but was one of "greater than normal advancement." The Chancellor had much more to say about Orlando Hollis. Many of his thoughts are reflected in the article on this page.



Orlando John Hollis assumes full-time deanship of one of the nation's top-ranking law schools as a larger student body approaches pre war enrollment.

# News of the Classes

## 1923

1923—Mrs. Aulis Anderson Callaway (Mrs. Owen M. Callaway), 329 Sunset Lane, Glencoe, Illinois.

and with splendid energy, based decisions and given counsel and fashioned acts. In all parts of the University we have felt, and feel, his steady strength, and it is a happy thing to know that that strength rises out of intellectual competence, that it is the sort of strength a university should attempt to cultivate. . . . In turning to Orlando Hollis, Professor Moll said, ". . . you have served with great energy, clear insight, splendid skill and deep devotion."

Orlando John Hollis is the kind of faculty man students respect, talk about and remember. Students, particularly law students who get to know Mr. Hollis in closer class room associations, are always mentioning him in their 'bull sessions' in relations to jobs he could handle. He is most frequently cited as being of supreme court calibre. An interesting new view was stated by Lt. Gleeson Payne, '41, who wrote from Germany that "I still think that Orlando Hollis would make a fine general. He certainly has the personality for the job and I say that after seeing most of the 'big birds' in action."

Orlando John Hollis continues to serve the University as dean of the school of law. Oregon's law school is popularly known to have one of the highest academic standards in the nation. Six successive years of graduates who have passed the stiff Oregon bar exams 100 per cent is indication of the program's merit. This record is probably the highest achieved by any law school during those years.

Professor Moll's closing comments are most fitting in this first post war year as the law school's enrollment approaches pre-war levels. "Your strength has helped to keep us strong. And I want you to know, that, as this University faces the future, it is an inspiring thought to us who care for her that you are still her servant and that you will not fail."

## Alumni Executive Council to Meet

Charles Huggins, Alumni Association president, has called a meeting of the association's executive committee for Eugene, October 19. Several business sessions have been planned for the day, including conferences with President Newburn, the athletic offices, and *Old Oregon*. The day's conference will close with a business session at the Alumni offices. Attending will be Mildred Bagley Graham, Doris Hack, Ernest Haycox, C. R. Manerud, and Gordon Wilson.

## Oregana Grows

The University pictorial yearbook, the *Oregana*, is already under way, according to Jean Lawrence Yoder, editor. Paging is set at 360, an increase of 26 pages. The larger book will devote its increase primarily to return of football, additional housing and the University's new dental school.

## New Weekly

Hal Moore, '22, former journalism major, has announced his plan to launch a new newspaper centering in cultural activities. The publication will appear October 12 as "Moore's Oregon Weekly," and will cover such fields as music, education, books and writers, art and social problems.

Capt. Randolph T. Kuhn, '23, wound up his army career of two years as director of advertising and publicity, Oregon War Finance Committee, and re-opened his advertising agency in the American Bank Building, Portland, Oregon.

Appointment of Harold V. Simpson, '23, as secretary-manager of the West Coast Lumbermen's association was announced Thursday by the president. Mr. Simpson, a native of Oregon, has been in charge of the association's Washington, D. C. office since 1942. While in school, he was president of the senior class and a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity and Beta Gamma Sigma and Beta Alpha Phi honoraries. Mr. Simpson was active on the staffs of the "Scenes of Canyon Passage," motion picture based on a novel by Ernest Haycox, '23, are being filmed in the Diamond lake region at Medford, Ore.

Major Allan G. Carson, '23, was awarded the Air Medal for flying more than 100 combat hours on transport aircraft in the India-Burma theater. Major Carson is an infantry veteran of the Mexican border expedition and world war I. He has a total of 34 months in the service in world war II. His wife, the former Merle Hamilton, '19, resides in Salem.

## 1924

1924—Frank G. Carter, 1530 Willard Street, San Francisco, California.

2nd Lt. Margaret Ann Jackson, '24, has been promoted to 1st lieutenant at first Wac training center, Ft. Des Moines, Ia. Lieutenant Jackson has served as assistant chief of the military personnel branch since September, 1944. While on the campus, she was president of the Panhellenic organization. Col. George Horsfall, '24, has been ap-

pointed post surgeon at Ft. Story, Va. During his 17 years of service with the medical corps, Colonel Horsfall has served in the Philippines, China, India and various posts in the United States. He went overseas in December, 1943 and returned last July.

## 1925

1925—Mrs. Marie Myers Bosworth (Mrs. Harlan P. Bosworth), 544 Conger Avenue, Klamath Falls, Oregon.

An early September wedding was that of Miss Kee Buchanan, '25, to Frank W. Groves. After October 1, Mr. and Mrs. Groves will be at home in Lebanon, Ore.

## 1926

1926—Mrs. Anna DeWitt Crawford, (Ensign—SPARS), Captain of the Port Base, Tampa, Fla.

Word has been received of the assignment of Lt. Col. Thomas W. E. Christmas, '26, to the U. S. army general hospital at Camp Carson, Colo. A military surgeon, Colonel Christmas has a record of 19 years of army service, the outstanding administrative phase of which was his work as district medical director of the Caribbean defense command in Trinidad, British West Indies, from May, 1941 to 1943.

Dean Onthank recently received a letter from Col. Ted R. Gillenwaters, '26, from Yokohama, Japan. Colonel Gillenwaters arrived in Japan August 31 with the first advance group. They landed at Atsugi air-drome and then drove to Yokohama. He has already started his job—that of taking over the Japanese weather service.

John R. Bryson, '26, Eugene's justice of the peace, has received his discharge from the U. S. merchant marine and will resume his official duties as justice in the near future. While in the merchant marine, Bryson has traveled in various parts of the Pacific, going to Alaska, Hawaiian Islands, New Guinea, the Philippines, Guam and other islands.

## Third Year Law Class--200 Per Cent Increase



Reading from left to right Gerald Kabler, John Hathaway, and George Luoma make up a 200 per cent increase in the law school's third year class. Harry Skerry was the only graduate last year. The larger first and second year classes show similar increases over last year.

# A Leading Dental College Joins The University's Portland "Campus"

Written for Old Oregon by  
ORIN WEIR, '48

(Orin Weir, who authored this article, will be a University student fall term and then transfer optometry study. Orin received a medical discharge from the marines and spent part of last school year on the campus. He is an experienced campus publications man.)

**A** VOICE of approval and interest has been sounded throughout the state since the North Pacific College of Oregon became a part of our own University last spring as the University of Oregon Dental School.

The record of the new University dental school is one of brilliant history and great leadership under Dr. Herbert Miller, who, since the 1890's, has looked forward to the day when this school would become a part of a state institution of higher learning. There can be no doubt that the state's acceptance of this Portland school was a wise move for this dental college is the only one in the northwest and serves a larger territory than any other dental institution in the United States. In addition, more than seventy per cent of the dentists in Oregon and Washington have received their training at this college while numerous other graduates can be found throughout the states and in foreign countries.

This newest addition to the University "campus" was organized and received its first charter from the state in December, 1898, as the Oregon College of Dentistry. In 1900 it took over and absorbed the Tacoma College of Dental Surgery of Tacoma, Washington. In 1908 the scope of the college was enlarged and the school of pharmacy, which was dropped in later years, was established. Growth was rapid and the increasing number of students who applied for admission brought about a demand for larger and better facilities. Thus, the present location, Northeast Sixth avenue at Oregon and Pacific streets, was selected. This central location is within walking distance of the business district of Portland and was determined by the necessity for abundant clinical practice. The



Dr. Herbert C. Miller, founder and all-time president of the North Pacific College of Oregon, has retired from that position to be dean emeritus of the new University of Oregon Dental School at the age of 81. He is still active in this position and a booster of the school. Dr. Ernest E. Starr, long-time member of the faculty, stepped into the role of acting dean.

clinic now serves from 300 to 600 persons daily and is considered one of the finest in the United States.

**A**T the outbreak of world war II the war department appealed to the dental schools to adopt an accelerated program which could enable students to obtain a degree in dentistry in three calendar years. The dental school has adhered to this request without condensing or shortening its courses as all instruction has been continued on the basis of recommendations of the Council of Dental Education of the American Dental association.

Since 1938 the college has had an academic standard whereby any student applying for admission must have completed at least two years of pre-dental studies, thereby eliminating all those without the proper college background for the study of dentistry.

**F**ROM its inception, the dental school developed its organization so that when conditions were favorable it might become a part of the State System of Higher Education. The support of the state would aid in the procurement of gifts and bequests to be used in the field of research and in the establishment of endowment funds which would extend dental service to those who would otherwise be unable to obtain such service.

It was on March 9 of this year that Governor Earl Snell signed the bill under which the state accepted the gift—North Pacific College of Oregon became the University of Oregon Dental School, and one can well imagine the thrill which came to Dr. Miller, now dean emeritus, as he saw the fulfillment of his life-long ambition.

## Dental School Grads

**Lt. Comdr. William E. Turner, '29**, dental corps, has reported for duty in the navy dispensary of the Puget Sound navy yard in Bremerton, Wash., after five months of duty in Australia and New Guinea. His wife and daughter live in Seattle. Dr. Turner believes that, at one time, he was the youngest sailor in the U. S. navy. He spent his 15th birthday anniversary at sea.

**Lt. (jg) Roy A. Stalsberg, '45**, dental corps, has reported for duty in the naval dispensary of the Puget Sound navy yard, Bremerton, Wash. Dr. Stalsberg took undergraduate work at the University of Idaho.

**Lt. (jg) Floyd G. Mattson, '45**, dental corps, has reported for duty in the naval dispensary of the Puget Sound navy yard, Bremerton, Wash., where the mightiest war-ships of the Pacific fleet are repaired and overhauled. He is married and has a one-year old son, Lawrence.

**Lt. (jg) F. Ned Stickle, '45**, dental corps,



Dental students learn by observation study too. A professor is performing regular dental work as the students are seated semi-circle fashion.



The curriculum at the University of Oregon Dental School includes thorough training the making of plates and dentures.



Laboratory work in training of students; dental School.

## A Message From The Dean Emeritus Of the Dental School

**T**HE taking over by the state the dental school of North Pacific College of Oregon and making it a part of the Higher Educational System of the state is consummation of the ambitions of the founder and former dean of the school.

The moral support and financial backing of the state assures greater stability and efficiency as a health service profession. The work undertaken by this institution in the past can now be expanded with increased efficiency.

Many inquiries are being received from men in active service concerning the regular undergraduate course also from returning veterans regarding refresher and post graduate work.

The University of Oregon Dental School is prepared and will arrange courses to meet the requirements of these men. We have the class rooms, laboratories and equipment to meet the requirements of from five to six hundred students. A number of our former experienced teachers are being released from service and will soon be occupying their former positions. Several new teachers have been secured which will assure a staff sufficient to meet any reasonable demand placed upon them. Ernest E. Starr, B.S., D.M.D., F.A.C.D., was appointed acting dean to serve until such time when a permanent dean can be secured. Dr. Starr has been a highly valued teacher in the field of operative dentistry and special pathology for thirty-eight years.

Herbert C. Miller.

has reported for duty in the naval dispensary of the Puget Sound navy yard. His wife and daughter are with him in Bremerton.

**Lt. (jg) Earl A. Neuru, '45**, dental corps, has reported for duty at the Puget Sound navy yard. Dr. Neuru entered active duty in the naval reserve in August, 1945, just before reporting to the navy yard. His wife is with him in Bremerton. Dr. Neuru has a B.S. degree from Washington State college.



The University of Oregon proudly added a bit of Portland to its campus March 9, 1945 when the governor signed a bill by which the North Pacific College of Oregon was accepted as a part of the state system of higher education and the name changed to the University of Oregon Dental School. The school has had three homes, the present building, shown above, was designed and built in 1910 as a dental college.

### Bill Cox Visits Campus

**Lt. (jg) Whitson (Bill) Cox, '43**, visited the campus and his Eugene home in the early summer for the first time since leaving the states for the Pacific area 18 months before.

He graduated with a B.S. degree and as a trainee in the navy V-7 program. He is a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity. After graduation the lieutenant attended officer's training school at Columbia university.

**Marine 2nd Lt. Cleon E. Nesbitt, '40**, was home recently on furlough after receiving his commission at Quantico, Va. Lieutenant Nesbitt attended the University of Oregon prior to entering service in July, 1943. He has reported to Camp LeJeune, N. C. for a six-weeks' extended course.

### Newburn Sees Bright Future

In an off-the-record talk to the Portland District Dental society, meeting in the Medical-Dental auditorium September 18, Dr. Harry K. Newburn, president of the University, gave his views on what is needed by the University of Oregon Dental School. Dr. Newburn was optimistic over future of the newest school of the University of Oregon, which is the only dental school in the northwest.

Dr. J. E. Rossman of the dental advisory council appointed by Governor Snell, who was also chairman of the meeting stressed the need of a research department for graduates and postgraduate work, and for additional equipment in the dental school. He urged greater cooperation between medical and dental professions.

Dr. E. E. Starr, acting dean of the University of Oregon Dental School, told of efforts to keep the overcrowded school running smoothly until such time as a permanent dean is appointed.

Com. Collister Wheeler, recently discharged from the navy, told of difficulty in finding office space in which to resume practice. Dr. Samuel A. Brandon, president, promised to appoint a committee to assist returning dentists. Dr. Fred A. Ebel was elected to membership.

The next meeting will be held October 16 at Barnes General hospital where dentists will visit war casualty cases in the afternoon and will join in a program by patients in the evening.

**Robert M. Turnbull, '47**, fireman 2/c, has served as a gunner aboard an LST boat while overseas.



Work in histology is part of the preclinical dentals at the University of Oregon Den-



A student at work in the Dental School clinic. Special attention is given to children's dentistry by instructors familiar with the latest methods.

# News of the Classes

By RUBY ORRICK, '41

## 1927

1927—Anne Runes, 3203 East Burnside, Portland, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paulen W. Kaseberg, '27 (Margilee Morse, '27), are the parents of a baby daughter, Alice Neale, born March 18. Alice is the third child in the family, there being two older brothers.

Leland B. Shaw, '27, has recently been promoted to lieutenant colonel. A former Beaverton attorney, Colonel Shaw was a captain in the 81st infantry reserve and was called into federal service soon after Pearl Harbor. He is also a veteran of world war I.

Aaron Touhey, '27, was married to Jane Griffith on August 1, 1945. Mr. Touhey is an attorney in Portland, Ore.

Mrs. Gwendolen Lampshire Hayden, '27, has received word from the Pacific Press Publishing association of California of the acceptance of four juvenile stories which will appear during this last summer and this fall in one of its publications for children. Mrs. Hayden is president of the local Pen-woman's club.

## 1929

One of those who established the southwest Pacific wing of the air transport command is Major Fred J. Stevens, '29. Major Stevens flew with General Alexander and Colonel Ricks to Australia in August, 1944 to establish the wing command post. He is now stationed in Manila.

## 1930

1930—Mrs. Eleanor Poorman Hamilton (Mrs. Alfred E. Hamilton) 6 East 82nd Street, New York, New York.

Lt. Com. Ralph H. Millsap, '30, has been named to serve as communications officer of the U.S.S. Macon, the navy's newest 13,000 ton heavy cruiser which was formally commissioned August 26 at ceremonies in the Philadelphia navy yard. The Oregon officer previously served 43 months aboard the light cruiser Richmond in the south Pacific and Aleutian areas. His wife and two children, Betty Ann and Robert, are now residing in Long Beach, Calif.

Major George William Jackson, Jr., '30, was recently awarded the decoration of knight officer of the order of the crown of Italy for outstanding services with the 2698th technical supervision regiment in Italy. The award was made in person by Italian Prince Umberto at an informal ceremony within the prince's study at the royal palace in Rome. The major's wife, Mrs. Nancy Luckel Jackson, '30, and their daughter are residing in Portland, Ore.

## 1932

1932—Mrs. Hope Shelley Miller (Mrs. Robert T. Miller), 2145 Potter, Eugene, Oregon.

Dorothy M. Sherman, '32, received her Ph.D. degree on August 31 from Ohio State university.

Major John H. Wilson, '32, is the air inspector at La Senia air base, Oran, Algeria, in the north African division of the air transport command. Le Senia air base is one of the key bases in the north African division, the all-year, all-weather route to China, Burma, India and the south Pacific. It is Major Wilson's job to conduct routine investigations in the various departments on the base to see that the departments are functioning as efficiently as possible. Prior to entering the service in November, 1942,



Lt. John Dick, '40, has transferred to the ranks of the regular navy from the US NR. Lieutenant Dick was student body president and member of Oregon's 1939 national champion basketball team.

he was employed as assistant cashier for the First National Bank of Eugene. His wife, the former Katherine Briggs, '34, and their two children live in Eugene.

## 1933

1933—Mrs. Jessie Steele Robertson (Mrs. George H. Robertson), 6425 S.E. 40th, Portland, Oregon.

Major John E. Londahl, '33, recently completed a course in coaching at the central sports school in Rome sponsored by special service, Mediterranean theater of operations. Major Londahl has been overseas five months and wears the American Defense Ribbon and Mediterranean Theater Ribbon with two battle participation stars.

Bob Adelsperger, '33, and John Forrester, '37, have recently purchased the Loggers Supply Company of Coos Bay. Mr. Adelsperger married the former Lucille Ostlund, '35, and Mr. Forrester married the former Lucia Davis, '38. The Adelspergers have one daughter, Lynn, age ten, and the Forresters have one son, John Jr., age five. Both Mr. Adelsperger and Mr. Forrester are affiliated with Beta Theta Pi, their wives are Kappa Alpha Thetas.

Lt. (jg) Edward T. Wells, '33, has been serving on an aircraft carrier in the south Pacific since January, 1945, as a naval intelligence officer. Lieutenant Wells received his training at Dartmouth college, the University of Ohio and Quonset Point, R. I.

Miss Elma Doris Havemann, '33, was at home the last part of the summer from Washington, D. C., where she served as secretary to Sen. Wayne L. Morse.

Mr. Wallace W. McCrae, '33, principal of the Vernonia union high school for the past eight years, became director of research for the Oregon State Teachers' association September 1. Mr. McCrae and family plan to make their home in Portland in the near future.

## 1934

1934—Mrs. Frances Johnston Dick (Mrs. William G. Dick), 260 East Wilson Street, Salem, Oregon.

Fred S. Buell, '34, has joined Phil Bartholomew as a partner in the Bartholomew mortuary at Springfield. Buell, who has been associated in the mortuary business in Eugene for the past year and one half, formerly was at Tillamook and Portland.

## 1935

1935—Miss Pearl L. Base, 5732 N. Interstate, Portland, Oregon.

John F. Schenk, '35, superintendent of Corvallis schools, died August 9 in the veterans' hospital in Portland. Mr. Schenk had been connected with schools at Grants Pass, Gervais, Ore., Uniontown, Wash., and Ridgeway, Wash.

William E. Phipps, Jr., '35, Associated Press, was correspondent, is in Bombay, India, handling the Associated Press India service.

## 1936

1936—Miss Ann-Reed Burns, c/o The Journal, Portland, Oregon.

Maury Van Vliet, '36, former football and baseball star, has taken a position as professor of physical education and director of athletics at the University of Alberta, Edmonton, Canada. Mr. Van Vliet was formerly with the University of British Columbia.

Lloyd M. Green, '36, was the 27th Dep. Rep. Squadron, U. S. army air corps, at Finschhafen, New Guinea, reports he is recovering from an attack of malaria. He has been overseas about eight months.

Robert Lucas, '36, associate editor of the Astorian Budget, resigned September 15 to become editor of the Yakima Daily Republic and the Yakima Morning Herald.

Capt. and Mrs. Alfred J. French, '36, are the parents of twin sons born September 11. The little boys have a small sister.

## 1937

Capt. Douglas M. Pelton, '37, is back at his desk as chief of the Alaska division, Seattle district, U. S. army engineers after taking a special course at the army command and general staff school at Ft. Leavenworth, Kan. He resides with his wife and young son in Seattle.

Major Roy M. Morse, '37, who was a cadet colonel in the University ROTC program, is on his way to Ft. Lewis for final termination examinations. He has served three years with the army in Alaska. Major Morse's wife and son will live with him in Eugene, where the major will go into business with his father.

Lt. J. David Hamley, '37, is now communication officer at the U. S. Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Corvallis, Oregon. He served with Fleet Air Wing 2—Staff for 19 months and arrived back in the United States on December 1, 1944. Mrs. Hamley, the former Jean Frazier, '35, is also living in Corvallis.

## SAVE THIS SCHEDULE→

You'll find this football schedule convenient to use for marking scores of games as they are played, and as a handy reference to all northwest conference games.

# See Oregon FOOTBALL

## 1945 Pacific Coast Conference Football Schedule

Date	OREGON	CALIF.	WASH.	W. S. C.	U. S. C.	U. C. L. A.	O. S. C.	Idaho
Sept. 22		St. Mary's			U. C. L. A. (Sept. 21)	U. S. C. (Sept. 21)		
Sept. 29	Wash. at Seattle	So. Calif.	Oregon	Idaho*	Calif.*	S. D. Navy	Camp Beale at Corvallis	W. S. C.
Oct. 6	Idaho at Eugene	Wash.	Calif.*	O. S. C.	St. Mary's Pre-Flight	Oct. 5 - nite College of Pacific	W. S. C.*	Oregon*
Oct. 13	O. S. C. at Corvallis	U.C.L.A.*	W. S. C.	Wash.*	S. D. Navy*	Calif.	Oregon	Farragut N S
Oct. 20	W. S. C. at Eugene		O. S. C.* at Portland	Oregon*	Pacific	Oct. 19 - nite St. Mary's Pre-Flight	Wash. at Portland	Montana State at Moscow
Oct. 27	U. C. L. A. at Los Angeles	Nevada	U. S. C.	Idaho	Wash.*	Oregon		W. S. C.*
Nov. 3	Wash. at Portland	W. S. C.	Oregon* at Portland	Calif.*	St. Mary's		Idaho	O. S. C.*
Nov. 10	W. S. C. at Pullman	U. S. C.*	O. S. C.	Oregon	Calif.		Wash.*	Farragut N S*
Nov. 17	California at Berkeley	Oregon	Idaho	O. S. C.*		St. Mary's	W. S. C.	Wash.*
Nov. 24		U. C. L. A.	W. S. C.*	Wash.	O. S. C.	Calif.*	U. S. C.*	
Dec. 1	O. S. C. at Eugene	St. Mary's Pre-Flight			U. C. L. A.	S. Calif.	Oregon*	

\*—Team at top travels.

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# Football All-Season Prospects Improve With Increased Staff, More Players

Written for Old Oregon by  
JACK CRAIG, '46

**A**S this article goes to press the possibility of a successful football season for the ducks rose much higher than pre-season speculations, although the odds were against us in the early first game against University of Washington—who had football throughout the war and are fortified with a strong service-men's turnout as well as a regular turnout larger than Oregon's. Washington was further given the edge on the September 29 game due to six weeks of summer practice which the new duck squad lacked.

Substantiating our viewpoint in duck stock we find a number of aspects which favor an optimistic appraisal of Oregon's 1945 grid season: 1. Tex Oliver's coaching staff has been unexpectedly strengthened by the return of veteran line coach Vaughn Corley and the volunteering of Dick Reed, former Webfoot and professional lineman, of his coaching services. So as it stands now "Tex" has, with the services of "Honest" John Warren, assistant coach, line coach Vaughn Corley, volunteer coach Dick Reed, and hard working trainer Bob Officer. This is a strong coaching staff to whip the duck team into shape. 2. An unexpected turnout of players which has fluctuated between 45 and 60 men. 3. Favorable weather conditions which have permitted "Tex" to work his boys out twice a day, at least until school work cut the schedule to once a day.

4. Return of 170-pound veteran Jake Leicht, who is rated by Tex Oliver and sports critics as All-American material; and hefty, experienced center Elliott Wilson, 225 pounds, have boosted prospects. Athletic offices informed *Old Oregon* Wednesday, Sept. 26, that Leicht had not yet arrived, but was expected very shortly.

There are two holdovers from the 1943 squad who never had a chance to show their ability, because of the football fold-up. They are Gil Roberts and Dale Hargett.

Coach Tex Oliver, returning to Eugene, after serving three years in the navy, has little to say regarding the potentialities of his first Oregon team since 1941. Players turning out are definitely not up to the speed of his last Oregon eleven, let alone his 1942 St. Mary's preflight airdevils and his navy all stars that defeated the army 14-0 in last New Year's classic at Pearl Harbor.

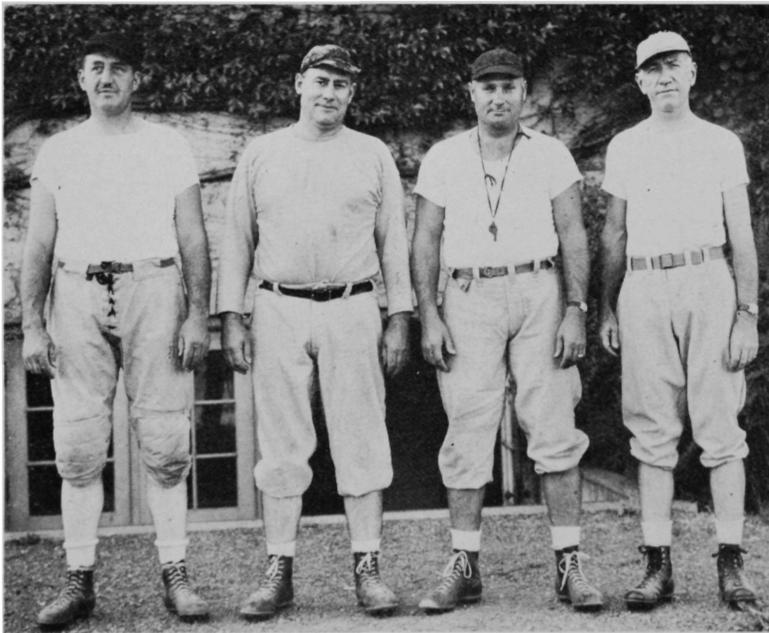
**A**MONG the 1945 Webfoot candidates reporting were a surprising number of war veterans, many of them with decorations for bravery and service as pilots in the air corps, combat infantrymen and sailors. Tex Oliver is confident returning war veterans will play an important part in 1945 football because of their long dreamed-of desire to play football and the competitive spirit gained while serving in the armed forces. Tex said that he was more than happy to have so many veterans turn out for the team and would welcome any others on the campus who wished to try out.

If beef means anything toward winning games, and it usually does, Oregon should do quite well for themselves this year. For example there are five men on the squad who tip the scales over the 200 pound mark. Another eight of the squad are not far from the 200 mark and many other candidates are not far behind. A statistical average made of all the players on the squad shows that the average player (everyone turning out) weighs 182 pounds and measures 71.41 inches—practically six feet. These figures vary as workouts reduce weight and candidates fluctuate.

**O**REGON'S squad this year, so far, seems well balanced from the standpoint of positions, although somewhat dominated by 20 backfield men. There are four centers, fifteen ends, nine tackles and ten guards. The majority of players are from Oregon, led by 12 Portlanders, and many another city of the state being represented. There are also ten Californians on hand. Two come from Washington, one from Pennsylvania and the only other out-of-state player comes from West Virginia.

Lieutenant Vaughn Corley, who has been until recently with the U. S. naval reserve, returned in time to begin the first week of Webfoot ball practice as line coach of the varsity squad, under G. A. "Tex" Oliver. Coming to the Oregon coaching staff during the 1939 season, Corley is the only Webfoot coach with an "undefeated" record. He was appointed duration head coach during the winter of 1942 when Oliver entered the navy as a lieutenant commander. He was head coach for a matter of weeks—until he was commissioned in the navy and John A. Warren, now assistant coach, very ably carried out his duties as "duration" mentor and coached the 1942 team.

Trainer Bob Officer left the University early in 1942 to become a civil service employee of the U. S. navy and was assigned a trainer for Tex Oliver's St. Mary's preflight team at Moraga. Later he applied for admittance into the navy proper, in hopes of getting active duty. He was accepted and became a chief specialist. He was assigned to North Carolina pre-flight as a trainer of the grid squad there.



Oregon's football coaching staff has been bolstered by the addition of two new members since September's *Old Oregon* reached readers. The full staff, shown above, reading from left to right are: Dick Reed, former Webfoot and professional lineman; "Honest" John Warren, assistant coach; Vaughn Corley, veteran line coach; and Chief Coach Tex Oliver.

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**Dec. 1st**

## Football Candidates

### OREGON FOOTBALL SQUAD CANDIDATES AS OF SEPTEMBER 18, 1945

#### CENTERS

Anderson, William C., 190 lbs., Long Beach, Calif.  
Martin, Don A., 185 lbs., Portland, Ore.  
Neer, Lawrence A., 159 lbs., Eugene, Ore.  
Thompson, Donald R., 190 lbs., Portland, Ore.

#### GUARDS

Byers, Melvert, 170 lbs., Portland, Ore.  
Cusic, Glen, 191 lbs., Coquille, Ore.  
Diess, Neil E., 186 lbs., Oakridge, Ore.  
Hapeich, Louis S., 186 lbs., Portland, Ore.  
Kauffman, John H., 200 lbs., Long Beach, Calif.  
Maclay, Robert W., 156 lbs., Eugene, Ore.  
Mezzer, Steve A., 178 lbs., Petaluma, Calif.  
Ohmer, John, 180 lbs., Beverly Hills, Calif.  
Reiton, Harold M., 218 lbs., Portland, Ore.  
Vernonia, Tony, 164 lbs., Petaluma, Calif.

#### TACKLES

Brown, John G., 190 lbs., Marin City, Calif.  
Edwards, Harry A., 210 lbs., Santa Cruz, Calif.  
Keller, Don, 190 lbs., Portland, Ore.  
Luck, Herbert S., 204 lbs., Portland, Ore.  
Morin, William L., 190 lbs., Coos Bay, Ore.  
Neuman, Daniel J., 199 lbs., Albany, Ore.  
Pease, Oliver, 207 lbs., McMinnville, Ore.  
Roberts, Gilbert H., 230 lbs., Portland, Ore.  
Alexander, Ted E., 175 lbs., Hood River, Ore.

#### ENDS

Allbright, R. Gordon, 163 lbs., Springfield, Ore.  
Allumbaugh, Clarence L., 176 lbs., Eugene, Ore.  
Anderson, Robert, 190 lbs., Scappoose, Ore.  
Belloni, John, 160 lbs., Myrtle Point, Ore.  
Calbom, John E., 148 lbs., Longview, Wash.  
Fulps Bill, 175 lbs., Eugene, Ore.  
Hathaway, Mark H., 195 lbs., Eugene, Ore.  
Marion, Joe, 175 lbs., Oakland, Calif.  
Pickens, William L., 200 lbs., Yamhill, Ore.  
Porter, Roy, 175 lbs., Coquille, Ore.  
Rice, Wayne K., 154 lbs., Oakland, Ore.  
Roberts, Don C., 165 lbs., Portland, Ore.  
Schmitt, Larry R., 162 lbs., Blachly, Ore.  
Warberg, A. Dale, 167 lbs., Eugene, Ore.  
Buckley, Claude E., 177 lbs., Hood River, Ore.

#### QUARTERBACKS

Abbey, William L., 168 lbs., Klamath Falls, Ore.  
Metcalf, Terry E., 165 lbs., Vancouver, Wash.  
Puffenberger, Jack W., 163 lbs., Sacramento, Calif.  
Wardwell, Robert, 156 lbs., Crescent Lake, Ore.

#### HALFBACKS

Crites, Ronald, 158 lbs., Coos Bay, Ore.  
Deskin, Curtis X., Jr., 190 lbs., Bluefield, W. Va.  
Donovan, Walter E., 170 lbs., Santa Ana, Calif.  
Ellison, James O., 160 lbs., Portland, Ore.  
Grasle, Reid W., 173 lbs., Portland, Ore.  
Hargett, Dale L., 162 lbs., La Grande, Ore.  
Johnson, De Wayne, 180 lbs., Silverton, Ore.  
Kotnik, Louis J., Jr., 175 lbs., Pittsburg, Pa.  
Lake, Jerry, 150 lbs., Springfield, Ore.  
Mathews, Francis L., 185 lbs., Dexter, Ore.  
McKee, Harold, 168 lbs., Hubbard, Ore.  
Reynolds, Robert S., 185 lbs., Portland, Ore.  
Weber, Robert L., 179 lbs., Salem, Ore.

#### FULLBACKS

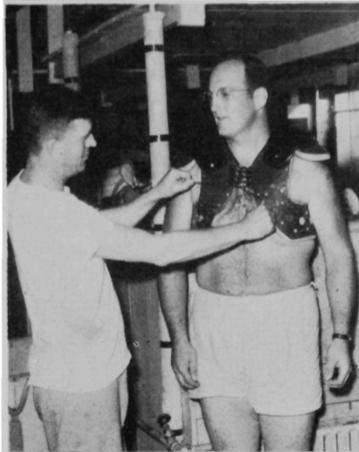
Bodner, Andrew, 164 lbs., Eugene, Ore.  
Bond, Dean, 192 lbs., Eugene, Ore.  
Taylor, Donald, 180 lbs., Lakeview, Ore.

## News of the Classes

### 1937

Major Vernon G. Buegler, '37, has been awarded the Bronze Star for battle participation in the central European and Rhineland campaigns. Major Buegler has been assigned to the ninth air disarmament group. This unit of the ninth air force service command has been responsible for disarming and neutralizing the German aeronautical industry.

Lt. Col. Del Bjork, '37, was on leave recently in Eugene. Bjork, as an officer in the infantry, led two beach-landing invasions—Attu and Leyte. He wears the combat infantryman's badge and a chest full of campaign ribbons, seven battle stars, the Silver Star with three oak leaf clusters and arrow,



Experienced trainer Bob Officer has returned from navy sports assignments to resume his pre war duties with the Web-foot football team. He is shown here fitting shoulder pads on tackle Gil Roberts, who remains big even after working off 25 pounds during summer time voluntary workouts.

the Distinguished Service Cross and the Bronze Star. While attending the University, he was an outstanding ROTC man and football player. During the 1936 season he was captain of the team and all-coast guard. Bjork was coaching in Pendleton when called into the service.

### 1938

1938—Mrs. Gayle Buchanan Karshner (Mrs. Don W. Karshner), Box 76, Arcata, California.

Lt. Col. Robert E. Goodfellow, '38, is on leave from Okinawa.

Thomas T. Grava, '38, pharmacist's mate, 3/c, is a member of a photofluorographic unit at Pearl Harbor. This group has been instrumental in saving the lives of 500 sailors by discovering active tuberculosis through chest x-rays. Prior to his present duty he was stationed at U. S. naval training station and hospital corps school in San Diego and later at Puget Sound naval hospital.

Lt. Ellen Smith Hightower, '38, Wave personnel officer stationed at Seattle, was recently promoted to full lieutenant. Lieutenant Smith received her officer's training at Smith college in Northampton, Mass.

Sgt. Alonzo B. Scott, '38, has been receiving medical attention at Barnes general hospital at Vancouver, Wash. Sergeant Scott has served in New Guinea, Biak, and the Philippines as a member of the air corps. He has been awarded the Asiatic-Pacific theater ribbon with two battle participation stars and the good conduct ribbon.

### 1939

1939—Perm. Class Officers: President, Harriet Sarazin Peterson (Mrs. Clarence G. Peterson), 3316 S.W. 12th Avenue, Portland, Oregon; Jean Homes, Harold Weston, Mrs. Mary Norville Didrickson (Mrs. Ragnar Didrickson), Wallace A. Johansen, Zane Kemler, Mrs. Elizabeth Stetson Edwards (Mrs. Raymond E. Edwards), Harold F. Haener, Ruth Ketchum.

An autographed copy of "Sometime Again," first book by Major George L. Hall, '39, was received by Mrs. Genevieve Turnipseed, director of University housing. Major Hall is a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity and won the Failing-Beekman prize his senior year. "Sometime Again"

was published by the Superior Publishing Co. of Seattle.

Sgt. Wayne Harbert, '39, former news editor of the Register-Guard, has been with Major George Godfrey, '29, at "College Neerlandais, Cite Universitaire de la Universite de Paris." Sergeant Harbert will leave for Biarritz where there will be an army university and where he will work on a GI newspaper.

Lt. Frank B. Price, '39, has recently been discharged from the army. Lieutenant Price was returned to the United States in September, 1944, following 22 months duty overseas. He was assigned to an ordnance unit. Price is a member of Delta Upsilon fraternity.

### 1940

1940—Perm. Class Officers: President, (Cpl.) Phil Lowry, Route 4, Medford, Oregon; Secretary: Roy Vernstrom; Mrs. Robert Stackhouse, Mrs. Margaret Van Matre Burgess (Mrs. Wilfred Burgess); Alice Rogers Sheetz; Leonard Jermain, Ann Frederickson, Scott Corbett.

Robert C. Ingle, '40, has been at Barnes general hospital in Vancouver. He expects to return to his home in Corvallis on leave shortly.

Eric L. Waldorf, '40, is serving with the armed forces in India as an American Red Cross club director. Until his Red Cross appointment, Waldorf was a teacher and coach at Jefferson high school, Portland, Ore.

Recently promoted to the rank of first lieutenant, George B. McGill, Jr., '40, is a navigator on a B-24 liberator bomber with the 13th AAF's famed "Long Rangers." Lieutenant McGill has participated in 40 combat missions with a total of 407 hours. His wife, the former Adelaide Huston, and son, Gary, live in Eugene.

George E. Brockman, '40, recently was promoted to navy petty officer rating. Brockman is on a naval supply ship operating in the Philippine area.

T-15 Paul Deutschmann, '44, is somewhere in the Pacific now, and has been running a small mimeographed paper for the ship. In a letter to Dick Strite he writes that despite the heat the boys play softball or basketball whenever they get the chance.

Lt. and Mrs. James K. Neill, '40, (Bettylou Swart, '40) are the parents of a son, James K. Neill, Jr., born September 8. Lieutenant Neill is serving with the navy in the Pacific.

Lt. B. C. Ingle, '40, is now at home in Corvallis with his wife and daughter. He is on sick leave from army hospitals where he has spent the past two and one-half years. Lieutenant Ingle was a pilot of a B-25 liberator bomber and spent time in Egypt and Libia in 1942.

Capt. Hubert E. Totman, '40, has served six months overseas with a headquarters battery of the 413th AFA battalion, 20th armored division, in central Germany. He wears the Bronze Star medal. Prior to going into the service, he was manager of Safeway stores at Springfield junction.

Capt. Robert Holmes Pettee, '40, has returned from overseas after having served 31 months as a member of an infantry unit in the European theater. While there Captain Pettee was awarded the Purple Heart, the Bronze Star for meritorious achievement, the Distinguished Unit citation, the Combat Infantryman badge and the European campaign ribbon with seven battle stars.

Lt. James Gerow, Sr., '40, has reported for duty at the naval dispensary of the Puget Sound navy yard, after 19 months with a marine division in the Marianas and Ryukyus. He has been on active duty since September, 1943.

# New Portland Alumni Officers Named



The Portland Alumni association of the University has elected (left to right) George Mimnaugh, '27, president; Robert S. Miller, '35, vice-president; Donald K. Moe, '33, treasurer, Ruth Zehntbauer, '36, whose picture was not secured in time for publication, was elected secretary. The Portland Alumni association is getting off to a new start after nearly three years of inactivity caused by war time conditions.

## News of the Classes By RUBY ORRICK, '41

### 1940

Lt. (jg) **Kenneth B. McCubbins**, '40, who piloted a carrier-based Avenger on 39 combat missions while attached to the torpedo bomber squadron of air group 17, won his wings in April, 1943. He is a wearer of the Distinguished Flying Cross and has been awarded the Air Medal for the third time. He is a member of Sigma Nu fraternity.

**Capt. Allen H. Murphy**, '40, has been re-assigned to headquarters near Paris. He was attached to the photo interpretation section of intelligence with Patton's third army.

While a prisoner of the Nais for 18 months. **Lt. C. R. Stafford**, '40, became quite a culinary expert. His favorite recipes included a sort of fruit cake a la stalagluft, hot cakes, whipping cream and pie crust. Lieutenant Stafford was shot down during his eighth mission as a flying fortress copilot over Schweinfurt, October 14, 1943. His camp was liberated by the Russians in May, 1945.

**Miss Betty Ann Parker** and **Gerald R. Krutzler**, '40, were married June 9 in Eugene. Mr. and Mrs. Krutzler are at home in Eugene.

**Miss Vivian Grace Byers**, '40, and **Frank B. Carothers**, '41, were married June 19 in Los Angeles, Calif.

**Chester L. Tunnell**, MS '40, is principal of the Dallas high school. For the past two years he had been school superintendent at Adams and prior to that, taught in West Linn.

### 1941

1941—Perm. Class Officers: President, **Bob Keen**, (Lt.), 3143 N.E. 18th Street, Portland, Oregon; Sec-

retary, **Mrs. Majeane Glover Werschkul**; **Lloyd Sullivan**, **John Cavanaugh**, **William F. Ehrman**, **Gleeson L. Payne**, **Mrs. Grace Irvin Glang**, (**Mrs. William Glang**), **Barbara Pierce**, **Mrs. Betty Buchanan Wyatt**, (**Mrs. Wendell W. Wyatt**).

For outstanding leadership against the enemy in Mindanao, **Max N. Peabody** of Portland, Oregon, was promoted from 2nd to 1st lieutenant. He went overseas 16 months ago as a Pfc and has been serving with the 31st infantry division. He is a member of the Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

**Lt. Richard Romane**, '41, is now serving in the transportation corps. Former brakeman with Southern Pacific railways, he received his officer's training and commission at New Orleans army air base, department of transportation corps school.

**Lt. (jg) Kenneth A. Erickson**, '41, has been doing personnel work with supply corps officers since going overseas. He has been seeing quite a few alumni, including **Dick Williams**, '41, former Educational Activities Manager, and **Johnny Luvaas**, '39. His wife is the former **Lois Nordling**, '42.

**Betty C. Lewis**, S 1/c, '41, was a recent visitor at her home. She is stationed at Port Hueneme, Calif., where she is a business machine operator in the personnel office of the navy at this construction battalion center.

From Seattle, Wash., comes news of the wedding there August 18 of **Miss Barbara Hyde** and **Lt. Dean Vincent**, Jr., '41. After a motor trip east, the bride will return to Seattle to live while she awaits the return of Lieutenant Vincent, who will return to duty in France.

The wedding of **Miss Irene Gresham**, '45, to **Major Warren E. Smith**, '41, USMC,

was held August 5 in Piedmont, California. Major Smith recently returned after 27 months' duty in the south and central Pacific. Among his service ribbons he wears a citation ribbon from Admiral Nimitz. He is now stationed in the Department of the Pacific in San Francisco. While on the campus, Major Smith was prominent in campus athletics and is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity. Mrs. Smith was very active in campus activities and is a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority.

**Emil E. Ek**, '41, was commissioned an ensign in the naval reserve and designated a naval aviator recently at the naval air training bases, Pensacola, Fla. He has completed his intermediate training at the "Annapolis of the Air," and will be ordered to duty either at an instructor's school for further training or at an operational base.

**Sgt. Delbert Lane**, '41, has seen action in New Guinea, Leyte and Luzon. He wears the Asiatic-Pacific campaign ribbon with two bronze stars, the Philippine liberation ribbon with one bronze star and the good conduct ribbon.

**Ernest E. Detlefsen**, '41, was recently promoted to the rank of first lieutenant while serving with the seventh army in Germany. He went overseas in June, 1941.

**Major Harold V. Larson**, '41, is being discharged from Ft. Lewis. He served in the Air Corps overseas and was stationed in Mitchell Field, New York before being sent to Ft. Lewis.

**Nanette Echmuki**, '41, is with the social security department and travels in the northwestern part of the state. Her home office is in the postoffice building in Portland.

# News of the Classes

By RUBY ORRICK, '41

## 1941

**Virginia F. Miller**, '41, of Parma, Idaho, is a Red Cross hospital recreation worker at the naval hospital at Corvallis. She taught school at Clatskanie, Ore., and later was an assistant occupational therapist at Santa Barbara general hospital. At Oregon she was a member of Alpha Omicron Pi.

## 1942

1942—Perm. Class Officers: Chairman, Bob Lovell, 3316 Olsen Avenue, Milwaukie 2, Oregon; Louis S. Torgeson, James William Frost, Mrs. Hope Hughes Pressman (Mrs. E. Charles Pressman), Mrs. Winnifred Green Silver (Mrs. David A. Silver), Betty Workman, Elizabeth Steed, Patricia F. Lawson, Carl Holmes, Frank McKinney, Dorothy Johnson.

**Carolyn Sue Stacy**, '46, and **Duane Mellem**, '42, were married August 26 in Moorhead, Minn. Mr. and Mrs. Mellem will be at home in Eugene, where Mr. Mellem is assistant coach at Eugene high school.

**Ensign and Mrs. Edward L. Wiseman**, '42, (**Margaret Betts**, '42) are the parents of a son, **Edward Lee, Jr.**, born August 5 in Portland, Ore. Mrs. Wiseman and baby are making their home with Mrs. Wiseman's parents in Gladstone, while Mr. Wiseman is serving as a communications officer on an LST in the Pacific.

Among the graduates of the 6th transport service course at the school for personnel services at Lexington, Va., in July was **James Hickey**, '42. Lieutenant Hickey will accompany troops aboard transports bound for overseas theaters and returning to the United States. Lieutenant Hickey will conduct informational, recreational and personnel activities aboard ship.

**Don G. Swink**, '42, was recently promoted to the rank of captain. As information and education officer of the 9th tactical air command, Captain Swink will supervise the establishment of the army educational program for thousands of air corps personnel. Shortly after graduation, Captain Swink entered the army as a second lieutenant, having received his commission in ROTC. His wife is the former **Ann Howard**, '43.

The chapel at the Coffeyville, Kans., army air field was the setting for the marriage of **Miss Alice Luvaas**, '42, to **Tech Sgt. Delbert M. Milholland** on August 5. Mrs. Milholland attended **Horace H. Rackham School of Special Education** of Michigan State Normal college and the University of Michigan after graduating here. **Tech. Sergeant Milholland** studied at Western Washington College of Education and was graduated from the Nazarene college at Nampa, Idaho.

A son was born August 20 at West Palm Beach, Fla., to **Capt. and Mrs. Robert R. Stafford**, '42. He has been named for his uncle, **Sgt. Richard Henry Stafford**, '45, serving in France. Captain Stafford was a junior at the University here when he left to enlist in the army air forces. He is now serving in the fifth air force on Luzon. Mrs. Stafford is making her home at West Palm Beach during his absence.

**Capt. Nelson A. Hodges**, '42, marine, has been awarded the Bronze Star medal for heroism in action on Saipan. Captain Hodges's wife, **Virginia James Hodges**, '41, lives in Portland, Ore.

**Lt. Oliver K. Smith**, '42, now stationed in Czechoslovakia, has been promoted to first lieutenant. He was graduated from officer's candidate school at Ft. Benning, Ga., and went overseas in July, 1944. He has

been awarded the bronze star and the purple heart.

**William J. Carney**, '42, has recently been promoted to lieutenant (jg). While on the campus, Lieutenant Carney was an outstanding baseball player and was captain of the 1942 championship team.

**Col. Gerald R. Johnson**, '42, the 5th air force's leading ace, recently piloted the first rescue plane to reach a Japanese prison camp near Yokkaichi, where 194 American prisoners had been working in heavy industries.

**Mrs. Jack Coleman**, the former (**Evalyn Kirchhofer**, '43) has just moved to Redwood City, which is about 20 miles south of San Francisco. Her husband, **Jack**, '39, has just come home from Guam for the first time in three years. He had never seen his daughter Janet. The Colemans plan to be in California for some time, since Jack has now been stationed there.

**Lt. Hank Anderson**, '42, former varsity basketball center, has been released from the army air corps, and plans to go back to coaching as soon as possible. Prior to entering the service, Lieutenant Anderson was coach at Baker high school.

**Chevron**, the official U. S. marine paper, reports that **Pvt. Wellington "Wimpy" Quinn**, '42, former baseball player at the University, is cutting a fancy figure in the Pacific service baseball league, batting .361 and charged with only two errors in 40 games.

**Mrs. Patricia Parker Speer**, '42, has accepted a position in the office of the Bureau of Municipal Research at the University. Mrs. Speer's husband, **Ensign Gene Speer**, '42, is in the Philippine Islands.

**Lt (jg) William H. Skade**, '42, has seen action as a commanding officer on one of the seventh fleet's PT boats. In four action-filled days, two PT's swept into the mine-infested Marudu bay area of North Borneo, shot up enemy buildings, shore installations and destroyed four small Jap barges and launches. He received his PT training at Melville, R. I.

**Lt. (jg) William F. Campbell**, '42, was killed in action, April 6, 1945 on Okinawa by a suicide plane. He had seen 27 months active sea duty in the Pacific, and was in the battles of Kiska, Attu, Marshalls, Gilberts, Biak, Hollandia, Admiralties, Leyte, Luzon and Okinawa.

**Sgt. Buck Buchwach**, '42, was recently appointed to the staff of Stars & Stripes, the army newspaper. Buck, co-sports editor of the Oregon Emerald in prewar days, was one of a group of brilliant young newspapermen who made that paper unusual in the college field. He was home for a brief visit the last part of the summer before leaving for the Pacific and the new job.

**Miss Doris Smeed**, '42, and **Bernard Meyer** were married June 11 in Eugene. They are at home in Seattle where both are employed by Boeing Aircraft corporation.

**Marine Major Jefferson D. Dorroh, Jr.**, '42, who became an ace overnight by shooting down six Jap planes in a single Pacific action, was returned to the United States this summer for reassignment and a leave. Major Dorroh, a fighter pilot, got the six enemy planes while patrolling north of Okinawa. On that hop his squadron intercepted about 30 Jap suicide dive bombers that were headed for allied shipping. He and his buddies downed 24 enemy planes.

**Cpl. Margaret Muhr**, '42, was given the opportunity this summer to take a one week's course at St. Andrew's university,

55 miles northeast of Edinburgh, Scotland. There were about forty there for a week, and it was a colorful group with royal air force blue, the Scotchman with tams and the Australians with broad-brimmed hats.

**Don G. Swink**, '42, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Swink, Portland, has been promoted to the rank of captain, it was recently announced by Ninth Air Force headquarters. Captain Swink will supervise the establishment of the army educational program for thousands of Air Corps personnel. As planned, both duty and leisure time will be devoted toward an extensive educational program. Time in occupied Germany which might otherwise become monotonous, is thus turned to good advantage. Captain Swink is married to the former **Ann Howard**, '43, also of Portland.

**Mrs. Isabella A. Nagurna Conroy**, wife of **Major Raymond C. Conroy**, '42, is planning to enter the University this fall. She is the daughter of a Polish army colonel. Major Conroy, in charge of ocean traffic for the Persian Gulf Command, and Mrs. Conroy were married last January 24 in Teheran, Iran.

## 1943

1943—Perm. Class Officers: President, **Ray Packouz** (Lt. (jg) USNR); Secretary, **Mrs. Nancy Lewis Moller** (Robert F. Moller), 2261 N.E. 32nd Avenue, Portland, Oregon; Alfred W. Larsen, **Marjorie Dibble**, John A. Buserud, **Wesley Sullivan**, **Don Treadgold**.

**Mrs. Don Galbreath**, (the former **Nan Lengwold**, '43) is expecting husband **Don**, '42, to come home at any time, having served more than two years as marine officer aboard the carrier, U.S.S. Belleau Wood in all their operations. He has received orders to return for a 30-day leave and then to report to Camp Pendleton at Oceanside for further assignment.

**James P. Nugent**, '43, aviation electrician's mate 1/c, was home on a 30-day furlough recently following three and a half years' duty in the British Isles. Two and a half years previous to his enlistment in the navy, Nugent was employed by the Lockheed Overseas corporation in Ireland, his job taking him to all parts of the British Isles. He enlisted in May, 1944, at Londonderry, Ireland.

**Lt. (jg) Ray Cook**, '43, will be coming home on leave soon, after 22 months overseas. He is married to the former **Blanche Svoboda**, '45. Ray met **Leighton Platt**, '43, in Ulithi about a month ago. He also ran into **Jim Rathbun**, '43, who is on a tanker.

**Miss Mary G. Bohnenkamp**, '43, has joined the national staff of the American Red Cross as a hospital recreation worker and is assigned to the station hospital at Camp Roberts, Calif. Prior to joining the Red Cross staff, Miss Bohnenkamp was supervisor of music at Irvington school, Portland.

**Jake Leicht**, '43, is a member of the fourth air force flyers football team. He is one of three backfield men who can do the 100 in less than 9.8. Leicht was the No. 1 ground gainer for the Randolph Field Ramblers, 1944 service champions.

**Sgt. Mary Margaret Beltz**, '43, and **Sgt. John W. McGee** were married August 12 in Eugene. Mrs. McGee entered the women's army corps in January 1943 and is now stationed at Camp Atterbury, Ind.

**Miss Marguerite Campbell**, '43, and **James G. Driscoll**, USN, '44, were married March 27 at Portland, Oregon. Mr. Driscoll is a veteran of over two years of service in the Pacific.

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# News of the Classes

1943

Don Kirsch, '43, veteran of the European war, has been named basketball coach at Hillsboro union high school. He was on the basketball and baseball varsity teams at the University for three years and captained the basketball squad in 1943.

Mildred Wilson, '43, and Benjamin O. Wohler, Jr., '44, were married August 5 in Eugene. Ensign and Mrs. Wohler are at home in Pensacola, Fla., where the fier is stationed.

Lt. Ed. Moshofsky, '43, visited Portland and Eugene recently and was to report to Louisiana in the middle of August.

During the Okinawa campaign, Capt. Floyd C. Kirkpatrick, '43, sent four enemy divers flaming into the sea and shared in the destruction of another. He flew with a fighter squadron in the south Pacific during the early stages of the war against Japan.

Miss Kathryn Yount, '43, has been awarded a Volker fellowship by Wayne university for graduate study in public administration. Miss Yount is a member of Alpha Omicron Pi sorority and Phi Beta Kappa. For the past year she has been junior examiner in the civil service department for Seattle, Wash.

Daughter of an army officer who has been a prisoner of the Japanese since the fall of Bataan, Marjory G. Sult, '43, recently received her commission as 2nd lieutenant at Ft. Des Moines, Ia. She has been stationed at Ft. Devens, Mass., Ft. Des Moines, Ia., Camp Grant, Ill., Washington, D. C., and

Portland army air base before attending OCS.

One of the men assigned to the Hawaiian sea frontier command, a unit of the fleet, is John H. Schaefers, sound man, 2/c, USNR, who has been attached to the activity for 23 months. Schaefers' duty is the operation of sound gear aboard ship. Before entering the service in June 1942, he was employed by the Oregon State highway commission.

Lt. Thomas G. Wright, '43, is a battalion information and education officer in the army's educational program for soldiers overseas. Wright was wounded four times while in action in Italy.

Marine Cpl. Doris A. Shoemaker, '43, has arrived in the Hawaiian Islands and was assigned to duty at the marine corps air station with the communications office.

Major Arnold W. Seeborg, '43, has been awarded the Bronze Star for his services with the fifteenth air force service command in Europe.

T/Sgt. Edwin L. Sorensen, '43, has been awarded an oak leaf cluster to his Bronze Star Medal for leading his men in an assault that routed a Japanese force from entrenched positions. Sorensen is a member of Sigma Nu.

Cpl. and Mrs. Kay Chin, '43, (Madeline E. Chin, '43) are now in Biloxi, Miss. where Corporal Chin is an artist with Keesler field visual aids unit.

From Madrid, Spain comes the latest news of Spain's first "world series" baseball conference. An American team, "Tos Yankees" (The Yankees), composed mainly of amateurs from the U. S. embassy colony holds the lead. Melvin Alter, '43, is catcher and one of the managers of the team.

Mrs. Mary Staton Krenk, '43, has assumed responsibility for the release of all radio programs of the University of Oregon campus for the year 1945-46. Her husband, Lt. Marvin A. Krenk, instructor in speech and dramatic arts in the University, on leave for military service, is stationed in the Philippine Islands.

A prisoner of the Japanese since early in 1942, Pvt. Roy H. Dobell, '43, has been officially listed as dead. He was one of those aboard the Japanese freighter which was carrying more than 750 American prisoners and was sunk by an American submarine September 7. Only 83 prisoners are known to have survived. Dobell was a junior in architecture at the time of his enlistment, and a member of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity.

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# News of the Classes By RUBY ORRICK, '41

1945

Jean Miller of Baltimore, Md. and Lt. Randall S. Caswell, '45, were married June 14 in Baltimore. Mrs. Caswell recently graduated from Goucher college. Lieutenant Caswell is stationed at the Aberdeen Proving Ground, Aberdeen, Md. The couple is at home at 613 Bourbon street, Havre de Grace, Md. Several local folk were present at the wedding, including Dr. and Mrs. Caswell, Lt. and Mrs. Dwight Caswell, '43, (Helen Rayburn, '45) and Lt. and Mrs. William Maltman, '43, (Mary Elizabeth Earl, '43) all of Washington, D. C.

Jean Mellies, '45, and Wayne G. Hubbard were married September 8 in Eugene. The couple will be at home in Corvallis where Mr. Hubbard will attend Oregon State College this year.

It's back to familiar territory for Joseph W. Morris, Jr., '45, pharmacist's mate, 2/c, in the coast guard. He has been reassigned to duty in Ketchikan, Alaska, after attending pharmacist's mate school in Groton, Conn., for three months. He plans to follow pharmacy after the war. His wife lives in Junction City.

Lt. (jg) Rodney C. Jensen, '45, was killed in an airplane crash while on a routine training flight at Chincoteague naval auxiliary air station. He was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for "heroism and

extraordinary achievement" while participating in an aerial flight against the enemy at northern Formosa on January 9, 1945.

Miss Barbara C. Dorris and Eugene W. Miller, '45, were married September 4 in Portland. The couple will make their home in Eugene where Mr. Miller will take graduate study at the University.

Miss Helen Luvaas, '45, left recently for New York to enroll at the Eastman school of music at Rochester. She has a tuition scholarship for one year at this school which she chose from six similar scholarships offered her. Miss Luvaas plans to major in music literature and also intends to do as much work as possible in choral music. While on the campus, she was a member of Mu Phi Epsilon, music honorary, Phi Beta Kappa and Pi Delta Phi, French honorary.

A perfect record for graduates passing the Oregon state bar exam has been maintained by the University of Oregon law school for six consecutive years. This year for the sixth time the record was held when Harry A. Skerry, Jr., '45, came through with flying colors. Harry received more good news recently when it was learned that his father had been released from a Japanese prison camp. Peggy Skerry, '46, a sister, will graduate this year. She is president of Pi Beta Phi sorority.

The wedding of Miss Esther Mayo, '45,

and Cpl. Sidney Vines was an event of August 14. The couple is temporarily at home in Blythville, Ark.

Pfc Duane Marshal, '45, returned home early this summer after several months in a German prison camp. He can recommend a reducing diet that really works for he lost 65 pounds as proof. He worked 12 hours daily in a railway section gang at a German "commando" or work camp.

Marine Lt. Stephen E. Bristol, '45, visited Eugene recently after having received his commission at Quantico, Va.

## Your Old Oregon

*(Continued from page 6)*

announced in the September issue—that we deem it fitting to repeat a few words from the September issue so this program will be known to all our new subscribers:

"A full page announcement of *Old Oregon's* "big three" readers is printed on page six. They are alumni, students and the University faculty and staff. This circulation policy will in no way interfere with the magazine's responsibility to University alumni, but on the other hand will broaden our opportunity for service. News about alumni, students, faculty, alumni association activities, student campus activities and official University activities will be reported as thoroughly in words and pictures as always. The big three's *Old Oregon* readership interests center around the University. In addition, each group is specifically interested in news about themselves and in their relation to the University. These interests overlap considerably and make for a common interest in all *Old Oregon* news and pictures, and, they are interested in reading about each other. Strong *Old Oregon* student interest and readership assures a wider student's perspective of the University to which he belongs, and a stronger continued understanding and interest as an alum after graduation. Faculty, too, are naturally interested in their University, students, alumni—many of whom were their students, and news about themselves."

By the way, last month we added eight pages to *Old Oregon's* usual 16, and this month an additional four.

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# News of the Classes

1945

Lt. Malcolm F. Hutchinson, '45, has received the Air Medal for "courageous service to his combat organization" in the southwest Pacific.

1st Lt. Franklin M. Lockwood, marine air corps, '45, was a crew member of the plane that crashed on the slope of Mount Whitney near Lone Pine, Cal. The crash occurred in January of this year, but it wasn't until July that the wreckage was discovered. At the time of his death, Lieutenant Lockwood was training for the naval air transport service.

Marine 1st Lt. George W. Dodson, '45, was awarded the Air Medal and two gold stars shortly before returning to the United States from the Pacific theater of war.

Lt. (jg) Rodney C. Jensen, '45, piloted a navy Avenger torpedo-bomber plane from the deck of the famous "Fighting Lady" in raids against the Philippines, Formosa, China, French Indo-China, Chichi Jima and Iwo Jima. The flyer, awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for action over Formosa, has recently been home on leave in Eugene.

Pfc Edward Atiyeh, '45, is back in the United States after being held prisoner in Germany for four months. He was captured in the Ardennes forest during the German counteroffensive in December, spent Christmas in a boxcar. Pfc. Atiyeh and his twin brother, Richard Atiyeh, '45, were captured the same day and interned at different camps. Richard has been liberated but has been delayed in returning home.

Donald Charles Chadbourne, '45, was recently commissioned an ensign in the naval reserve and designated a naval aviator at the naval air base at Pensacola, Fl.

Participation in 160 flights in the Pacific totaling 17,890 nautical miles has won for Lt. (jg) Donald B. Richardson, '45, the navy commendation ribbon.

1946

Phoebe Hafstad, '46, is a member of the WAVES and is now stationed in the transportation office at Farragut, Idaho. After completing her first training at Hunters college, New York city, she was sent to A and M University in Oklahoma for further Yeoman training. She is now a Yeoman 3/c.

The Silver Star has been awarded Sgt. James O. Goodwin, '46, husband of the

former Gloria Malloy, '46, for gallantry in action against the enemy on March 25 in Germany.

Home on leave after a tour of duty with the 15th air force in Italy is 2nd Lt. Don E. Crouch, '46. He has been awarded the Air Medal and one oak leaf cluster for outstanding service as bombardier on a B-24 liberator bomber. With Lieut. Crouch in Portland is his wife, the former Caroline Cordon, '46. Lieut. Crouch will report to Santa Monica, Calif., for rest and reassignment at the end of his leave.

The marriage of Miss Jewel I. Copenhagen, '46 to S/Sgt. Francis H. Hitchcock, USMC, took place September 9 in Santa Ana, Calif.

In from Okinawa for a few days recently while his APA transport was in drydock was John Miller, '46, S 1/c. Miller was on the 1942 Oregon basketball team and plans to continue in school after he is discharged.

Posthumous award of the Silver Star medal to John L. Stobie for his son, Pfc James Stobie, '46, was made recently. Private Stobie was killed in action on Luzon on January 25. The Silver Star was awarded for gallantry in action.

Miss Marjorie Jensen, '46, and Clarence E. Hover were married August 14 in Eugene. The couple are at home at 727 Euclid street, Tucson, Ariz.

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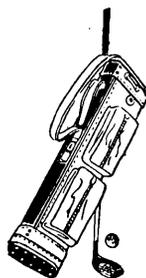
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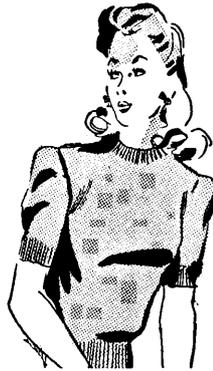
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Pfc. Howard A. Hall, '46, is on guard duty at Saaburg, Germany with the seventh army. He went overseas in October, 1944, and was awarded the Bronze Star

Pfc W. Lee Reeder, '46, has been on combat duty with the Chinese combat command, the United States army organization working in the field with the Chinese army to increase their effectiveness against the Japanese invaders.

Three Portland marines recently were commissioned second lieutenants after graduating from platoon commanders' school at Quantico, Va. They are Kenneth C. Hume, '46, Harry Saltzman, '46, and Robert E. Santee, '46.

Lt. William J. Pengra, '46, was awarded the Air Medal this summer for "meritorious achievement" while serving as pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress during sustained combat operations over enemy territory.

Robert W. Gurley, '46, recently graduated from the Naval Air Training Bases, Corpus Christi and was commissioned an ensign in the U. S. naval reserve.

Ens. Henry L. Doeneka, '46, wrote a while back that he had seen Kurt Olsen, '46, SAE, Jim Griswold, '44, Wally Rogers, '46, and Frank Smith, '46, in Hawaii. He saw Lt. Bill Peterson, '44, on Guam recovering from wounds received from mortar fire on Iowa Jima.

Sgt. Robert L. Tramp, '46, is reported missing in action over Japan, March 25. He was a gunner on a B-29 with the 20th AAF.

Three members of the class of '46, Robert E. Santee, Harold Saltzman, and Kenneth C. Hume, have received their commissions as second lieutenants in the marine corps from the platoon commander's school at Quantico, Va.

Pvt. Peter N. Tugman, '46, Eugene, was wounded in action on Okinawa. He was a member of the Oregon swimming team.

Pfc Eugene I. Fulop, '46, has been awarded the Bronze Star for outstanding services and heroic conduct during the battles of the crossings of the Roer and Rhine rivers in Germany.

1947

Vic Huffaker, '47, is a private stationed in Belgium with the 258th engineers combat battalion. Vic has been in the army since December 1943.

Sam Allen Miller, '47, Seaman 1/c, now is serving as a signalman with the amphibious forces in the Pacific. He was sent overseas last September.



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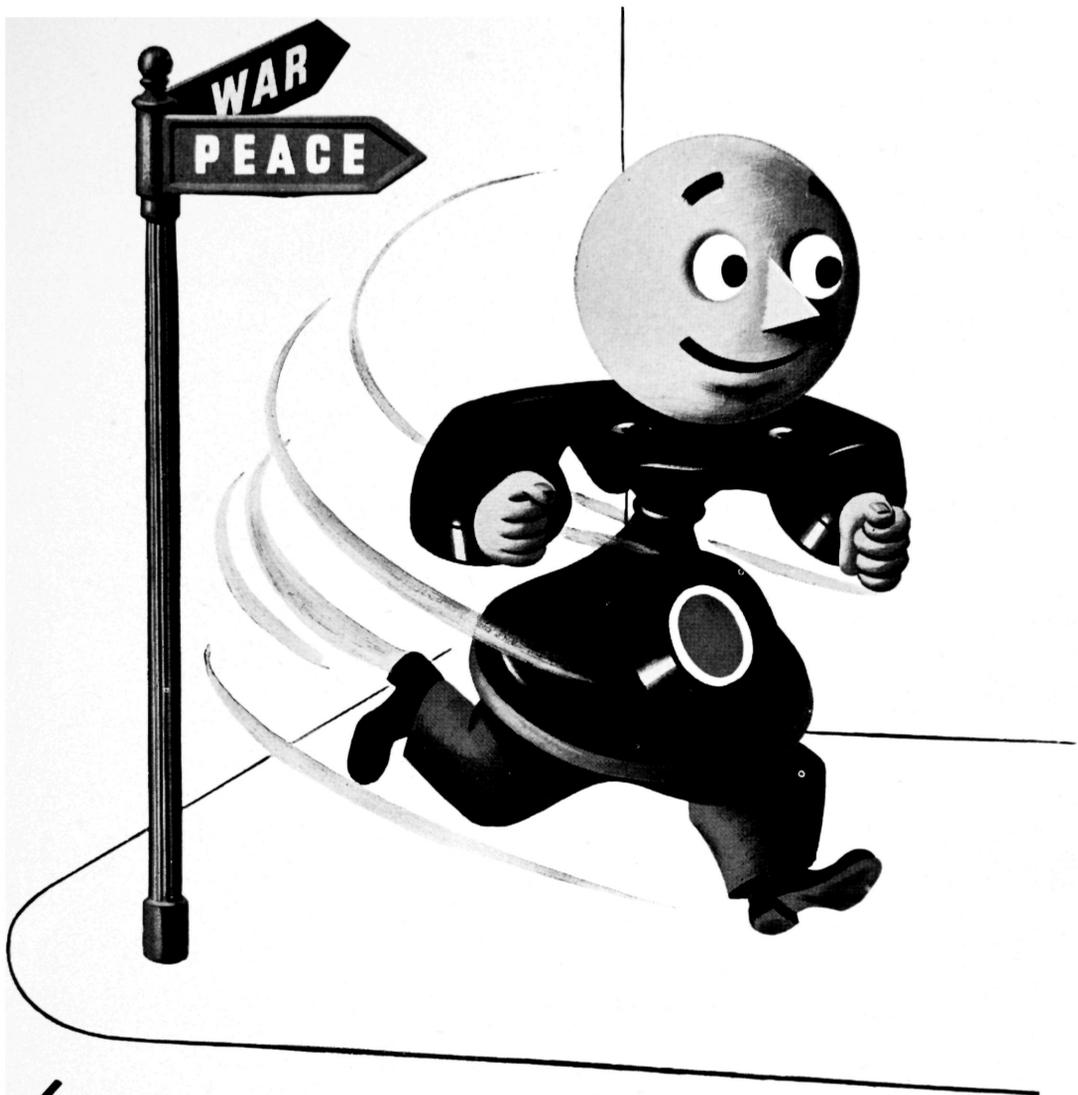
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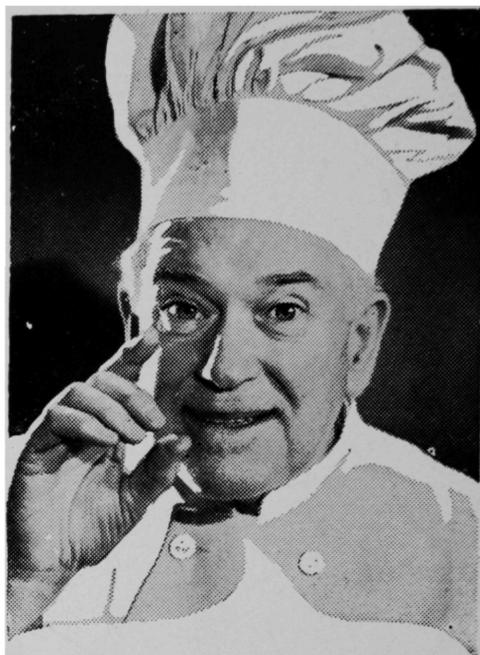
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