

# Voting to Start at 9 Tomorrow

## Oregon State Barometer

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### Activity Cards Will Be Shown At ASOSC Polls

#### Class Elections To Be Conducted In M.U. Ballroom

Associated student body elections will be Wednesday in the Memorial Union ballroom from 9 to 12 o'clock in the morning and from 12:45 to 6:30 in the afternoon, Marguerite Johnson, ASOSC president, announced yesterday.

Any student who has an activity card may vote, said Miss Johnson. Class elections will be conducted at the same time and place. Students must show their class dues receipts if they are to vote. Also, voting for the five junior prom queen finalists will be held.

Lynn Wilson, senior in secretarial science, is ineligible for candidacy for senior class sergeant-at-arms because of lack of credits, and was taken off the ballot by election committee yesterday. Dorothy Mitchell, freshman in lower division, was nominated by petition to the candidacy of sophomore class sergeant-at-arms.

#### Other Students Run

Other students running for office are George Dewey, senior in agriculture and M.U. president, ASOSC president; Betty Saun and Marian Carl, juniors in home economics, first vice president; Ruth Faubion, sophomore in lower division, and Cleo Belle Wakefield, sophomore in home economics, second vice president; Phyllis McMahon and JoAnne Hoare, freshmen in lower division, third vice president; Marge Saunders, junior in home economics, and Beth DePenning, junior in science, secretary.

Memorial Union president nominees are Stella Spears, junior in home economics, and Kirt Skinner, senior in agriculture.

Junior class nominees are as follows: President, Jean Barber, home economics, and Marie Ferraris, secretarial science.

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### Yerian and Shideler To Speak in Baker

Prof. Theo. Yerian, head of the department of secretarial science, and Fred M. Shideler, assoc. professor of journalism, left early Sunday morning, April 30, for Baker, where they planned to speak at the county extension secretaries conference this week.

"The Secretary and Her Job" was the topic of Professor Yerian's speech yesterday. This morning he talked on the "Essentials in Office Organization and Management."

Representatives from all the eastern counties are attending the meeting.

Professor Yerian spoke last Friday and Saturday to representatives of the western counties attending a conference at Oregon State.

## Pat Glenn, Marion Kierzek Recommended as Editors

### Georgia Gray, Violet McKee New Managers

#### Selections Subject To Final Approval Of Activities Board

Pat Glenn, junior in home economics, has been selected as the first woman editor of the Barometer, Percy Lacey, director of educational activities, announced yesterday. Georgia Gray, junior in education, has been appointed Barometer business manager.

Marion Jean Kierzek, junior in education, will take over next year as Beaver editor, with Violet McKee as business manager.

This, Lacey said, is the first time in the history of Oregon State publications that co-eds have held all the four top positions. They were selected last Friday from applications submitted.

#### Nominations Turned In

Recommendations for the women have been turned in by the publications committee to the educational activities board to be acted on later.

Miss Glenn was associate editor of the Barometer this year and next year's president of Theta Sigma Phi, women's journalism honor society. Miss Kierzek worked as associate Beaver editor and is next year's Theta Sigma Phi secretary. Miss McKee is the vice president of the OSC chapter of Theta Sigma Phi for the coming year and was Beaver section editor.

Miss Gray has already assumed the responsibilities of Barometer manager, as Virginia Carl, former manager, has left school. Miss Gray worked as assistant business manager this year.

The four positions each pay \$40 a month.

### Withcombe and Kent Hold Guest Dinners

Withcombe home management house entertained Assistant Dean of Men Dan Poling and Mrs. Poling and Prof. and Mrs. Glenn A. Bakkum at a dinner last Wednesday night.

Kent home management house entertained at a dinner last Friday night. The guests were Miss Melissa Hunter, director of dormitories; Miss Florence E. Blazier, professor of home economics education; Mrs. Sara W. Prentiss, professor of child development; and Miss Maud Wilson, professor of home economics research.



PUBLICATIONS HEADS for next year, recommended by the publications board Friday, are pictured above. At top, left is Pat Glenn, recommended for Barometer editor; top, right, Marion Kierzek, Beaver nominee; bottom, left, Georgia Gray, who has already assumed her position as Barometer manager; and Violet McKee, who has taken office as Beaver manager.

### Barometer Staff Adds Members

Three new members have been added to the Barometer staff and three members to the editorial board, Jack Bolter, editor of the Barometer, announced yesterday.

Christine Skinner, sophomore in home economics, and Sharon Rogers, sophomore in home economics, were appointed day editors, and Bob Frank, freshman in business and industry, was appointed a night editor.

Students appointed on the editorial board are Jeanne Johnson, sophomore in education; Joan Mead, sophomore in secretarial science; and Jim Jackman, freshman in lower division.

### Members of VSC To Meet Thursday

The members of Oregon State's prospective Veterans Service club will meet Thursday night, May 4, in the M.U., room 217, at 8:30. At this meeting the members will draw up a petition which they will present to the student activities board for recognition as an official campus organization.

Among other important matters that to be discussed, the VSC's will elect officers and proceed with definite plans for the organization of their club. Any discharged men—army, navy, marine, or coast guard—who have not as yet attended any of the previous meetings are urged to attend Thursday's important meeting.

### Group Chooses Five Finalists For Prom Queen

#### Juniors Will Vote Wednesday; Paul To Play for Dance

Finalists for Junior Prom queen are Kay Blake, Alpha Delta Pi; Pat Cain, Delta Delta Delta; Beth DePenning, West Hall; Lottie McDonald, Sigma Kappa; and Marge Saunders, Pi Beta Phi, announced Ed Hendricks, junior in science and chairman of the selection committee.

Candidates were selected on the basis of beauty, personality, intelligence and suitability, claimed Hendricks.

Formal voting will be held Wednesday. All members of the junior class having paid class dues will be entitled to vote. Announcement of the queen will be made Saturday night at the dance.

Dick Paul and his orchestra will furnish music for the annual affair. Tickets will be \$1.60 a couple and will go on sale at 4:30 today.

The committee for counting ballots is composed of Eris Green, Marie Ferraris, George Dewey, Ray Walsh, Jo Hector, Markie Weatherford, Roxie Fredrickson, Bernice Schaad, Joyce Hamilton, Lorraine Harris and Nancy Austin.

### Industry Project Details Drafted

Final arrangements have been made for the students in industry projects to be held in Seattle and Portland this summer. The projects are sponsored by the Pacific northwest student YMCA-YWCA for both men and women.

Mrs. Mary Farquharson, ex-senator from Washington, has been appointed director of the Seattle project which will probably start June 12. The members of that project will live in a sorority house at the University of Washington.

Miss Ruth Haefner, of the Portland YWCA, will be the director of the Portland project, which will be held from June 18 to September 1 inclusive.

The registration fee will be \$15. Those who intend to apply should obtain a birth certificate immediately. If there are any questions about the projects, call Round Table office, campus 91.



HERE ARE THE FIVE PRINCESSES who will rule over the Junior prom next Saturday night in the Memorial Union ballroom. One will be chosen queen by juniors tomorrow in class elections, but she will not be announced until Saturday night. From left to right, the princesses are Kay Blake, Lottie McDonald, Beth DePenning, Pat Cain and Marge Saunders.

### Helen Traubel Prefers Everything American

By Millicent Evenden

Majestic, regal, goddess-like of figure, Helen Traubel, the new first lady of the Metropolitan opera, is a true American who is wild about western movies, twenty-five cent mystery novels, baseball games and food—American food.

A lover of all things pure, religious, and down-to-earth, this St. Louis-born artist is aglow with the love that is within her heart. Her radiating personality and sincere smile fills a room with warmth and happiness.

Miss Traubel's enthusiastic liking for the Pacific Northwest can be accounted for in her love of trees and flowers.

"I have never desired to do anything but sing," declared this reserved woman, "because then I am so close to nature and God."

Early in her childhood when Miss Traubel had an uncontrollable fondness for chocolate ice cream sodas made by her druggist-father, this American born and trained singer received voice training from her mother who was a concert singer.

"Miss Traubel has no favorite composer," explained her manager-husband, William Bass. "She chooses the music, not the composer, and refuses to sing anything she does not like."

Because Miss Traubel believes that the classics should be brought closer to the American people, and that this lends to variety, she presents parts of her concerts in English. A Wagnerian specialist, Miss Traubel sings in French, Italian and German.

Tired after the concert, but with the carriage of a queen, Miss Traubel ascended the stairs of the Benton Hotel to her room.

"There was such an appreciative and attentive audience at the concert," she remarked, entering her room. "It has been a pleasure to sing at OSC."

When asked what color of dress she prefers to wear when singing, Miss Traubel hesitated, then said, "Black, because it is most becoming. I have a gold and white dress, but I wear it only occasionally."

Miss Traubel has never been out of the Americas. She was on concert tour in South America last summer and she has been to Canada several times. Mr. Bass said that Miss Traubel plans to make a tour of Europe after the war.

### Barometer Staff Sets Meeting for Tomorrow

A meeting of all Barometer upper staff members will be held with Percy P. Lacey, director of student activities, in Memorial Union 105 Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock, Jack Bolter, editor, announced last night.

Purpose of the meeting is to discuss problems and terms of the Barometer contract with the Gazette-Times. All members of the upper staff are requested to come unless they can present a reasonable excuse to Lacey, Bolter emphasized.

### Rally Try Outs To be Held Today

Three boys and three girls will be chosen today for the rally squad.

Try outs will be held in the student body office from 4:30 until 6 and 7:30 until 8:30, announced Peggy Mahaffy, junior in secretarial science and member of the rally committee.

Qualifications for rally squad members are that the student must have maintained a GPA of 2.00 or above and that he must have been on the campus for at least one previous term, commented Miss Mahaffy.

### Kent House Entertains

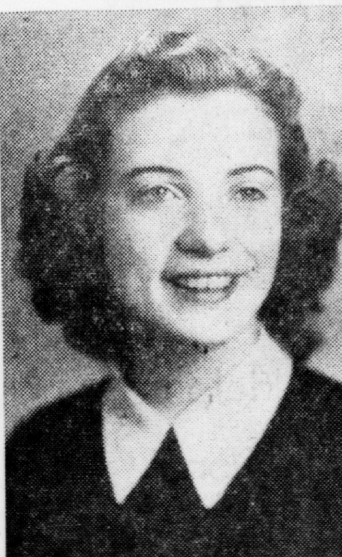
Kent home management house will entertain at a luncheon next Wednesday noon. The guests will be Mrs. Eleanor Spike Oehler, associate professor of household administration and director of home management houses; Mrs. Laura Olson, housemother at Delta Upsilon; Mrs. Dorothy Clear, chaperone at Chi Omega; and Mrs. Marian Prentiss.

#### For ASOSC President



GEORGE DEWEY — junior in agriculture, candidate for ASOSC president. Activities: M.U. president, president of the sophomore class, Blue Key, Alpha Zeta, Sigma Delta Chi. GPA 2.75.

#### For Memorial Union President



STELLA SPEARS — junior in secretarial science, candidate for M.U. president. Activities: Alpha Lambda Delta, Round Table, Etiquette Board, Phi Chi Theta, Mothers Weekend Guest Committee. GPA 3.34.



KIRT SKINNER — senior in agriculture, candidate for M.U. president. Activities: Thanes, Thane council, Alpha Zeta, chairman of M.U. mixer, vice-president of living organization. GPA 2.75.

#### For Senior Class President



JOAN BARKER, junior in home economics, is nominee for senior class president. Activities: winner of 1944 Danforth fellowship, president of co-resident, co-chairman of World Related week, vice-president and manager of house.



MARIE FERRARIS — junior in education, candidate for senior class president. Activities: Etiquette Board, Victory Center, Phi Chi Theta, chairman Women's Weekend, chairman War Bond Drive. GPA 3.3.

#### For Junior Class



JIM COLLINS—sophomore in engineering, candidate for junior class president. Activities: Co-chairman for Sophomore Cotillion, chairman of sophomore Whiskerino, Rally committee. GPA 2.7.

#### For Sophomore Class President



ALPHA WHILLOCK — freshman in business and industry, candidate for sophomore class president. Activities: executive council of living group, Barometer. GPA 3.3.



MARGE SUTHERLAND — freshman in home economics, candidate for sophomore class president. Activities: Barometer-Beaver secretary, Fusser's Guide salesman, Home Economics committees. GPA 3.4.

## ... And May The X's Fall Where They Should

Despite the small amount of corruption that inevitably creeps into any election, the election this year is destined to be cleaner than any other election that Oregon Staters can recall. Outwardly, all corruption is gone. The only place that politics have penetrated is in the selection of the nominees and the repercussions of same.

The one political party—which still remains unnamed for some reason or other—selected candidates with a minimum of difficulty—compared to the strife in past years, that is. Their selections ran almost true to predictions and varied only occasionally from the students best qualified for the positions.

It is far too early to boast yet, but elections appear to be much more purer than those from the southern branch where the straight Independent and Greek parties continued to cut each other's throats. It is not boastful to say, however, that strides have been made at OSC in crumbling party walls and consolidating the two old parties. It is the only sensible thing to do in wartime.

With but 241 men available on the campus this term—and no more than a smattering of them certain of returning next year—selection of satisfactory nominees first appeared difficult. But enough qualified candidates for most positions were mustered up.

The age-old editorial cry before elections still holds water—this year more than ever. Selection of only the best candidates is the ideal goal but unachievable. If the majority of students, however, vote on the basis of candidates' qualifications and potentialities in the various positions, a satisfactory group of officers would result.

A person's conscience—not his prejudice—should be the governing factor when he places his X's in elections tomorrow.

## Time Will Tell . . .

GPA trends are significant and it is interesting to note the various changes in the status of the various groups on the campus as compared with last year's. The men, as a general rule, have higher GPA's this year than last—2.68 as compared to 2.53. The women have slightly lower—2.62 compared to 2.65. The women in sororities have increased their grades slightly while independent women are lower—2.72 compared to 2.67 and 2.52 compared to 2.62, respectively.

With the departure of most of the army contingent on the campus, many professors prophesied that grades will go up this next term since the women will have nothing to do with their time but study. Others say that grades will descend to a lower level since "morale" will be lower among the women. Maybe one way, maybe the other, but it will be interesting to watch and find out.

## Campus Comment

To the Editor:

I was all set to congratulate politicians and the junior class for keeping politics at a minimum in elections and junior princess selection until this week. And then news reached me of what I believe to be more corrupt than anything in peacetime. In addition, the fact that it does come during a war makes the engineers of the corruption even filthier.

I refer to the single candidate for the position of junior class president—who by accident NO doubt—is a fraternity brother of this year's class. Not even a girl was placed on the ticket against the single candidate in spite of the fact that many qualified co-eds are available.

The second bit of corruption is probably unparalleled in the history of junior prom princesses. Out of the four persons who were almost a cinch to be chosen, only one of the candidates was selected. I do not think the selection was controlled by any house, but almost assuredly by the queen selection committee. It is this committee—probably the chairman more than any other one person—that is responsible for spreading dirt of the entire junior class. It is a clear-cut case of one or two people's prejudices going too far on a committee such as this.

I honestly think the five girls who have been selected are nothing but tops. But the absence of one of two others certainly appears fishy somewhere!

— D. W. C.

To the Editor:

Isn't it too bad that treacherous acts have to undermine even a college campus? Doesn't it seem to you that one election and even a JUNIOR PROM could come off without having a few immature individuals, seeking excitement by getting involved in a vigorous campaign, ruin the whole purpose of school events?

While the fellows are away fighting for us, why do we have to sit at home fighting each other?

Just how can we expect our nation and other nations to get along if on a small college campus a few supposedly educated students are selfishly inventing some excitement that tears down our Oregon State standard of fair play and the true spirit of competition!

For gosh sakes, fellow students, use your heads and be fair!

—Disillusioned Junior.

## a-musings of the editor

The politics that are apparently missing from the elections this year seemed to have made their way into the selection of Junior prom princesses.

Center Dahl, last term's ASTU clown, poked his nose into the Barometer office for the first time this term last night. The sprained wrist he has is the result of helping send off rookies at Camp Adair—he says.

It would appear that the marines have landed and have the situation well in hand—well, at least they have landed. They presumably set many hearts to beating over the weekend. Open houses were a particular attraction for the marine air corps men, for they swarmed like OSC co-eds do around a man this term.

A write-in campaign for Marge Christopher sprung up this week for next year's junior class president, but came too late for circulation of a petition. Jim Collins is the single candidate up.

Wonder if my readers have heard the story of the three eggs, one of which was good.

You haven't? Two bad!

Joyce Holberg has one of the tannest jobs of sunburn on the campus. Some have even mistaken her for a GYPSY.

See you next after election time.

## ROLLING DONUT

By Bud Hoover

Things have come and things have gone. Oregon State is still going; as is her politics. The Donut as of past years seeing the news and feeling as many others of the campus, feels that his robe of retirement must be laid aside for this crisis.

As of years past the junior prom and the picking of its queen seems to always hold the place of the grand finale of all string-pulling and all political back stabbing. To ye old timers perhaps this year seems just the start of another old routine. But perhaps if you stop and analyze further, you may see the plot behind the curtain.

Years gone by have brought out a certain custom of procedure in the selection of the five princesses. Following this selection a certain procedure of voting was followed. Far be it of us to question this procedure because what procedure could be questioned that always allowed the program committee to have the queen's name first on the list of princesses. Strange to all; all programs I ever helped order had to have all the printing turned in days in advance rather than a couple days before the prom when the votes were counted.

Even so things ran along smoothly in those years before. Strangely enough things usually ran smooth and election committees received loads of congratulations, etc. Now we come to this year. Looking at it from the view point of an old timer at OSC and being able to understand the old

dirty politics it looks fishy. Fishier than usual . . . in fact, suspicious.

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## AS ONE CAMPUS . . . TO ANOTHER

By Margaret Anderson

### Pool Tourney Takes Cues from Campus Men

Pool tourney takes cues from campus men. Oklahoma university men students (apparently there are still some there) have been watching while women took over the Union game room. Pool was the sport under consideration.

This special interest in pool was the preparation for the pool tourney between campus coeds.

## CAMPUS BULLETINS

Christian Science organization will meet on Thursday evening at 7:30 in Memorial Union 105. All students, faculty, and alumni interested in Christian Science are cordially invited.

The meeting of Junior Hostess captains to discuss matters pertaining to the Junior Hostess program will meet Wednesday noon instead of Tuesday noon as previously announced, in the Memorial Union tea room. All captains will bring their lunches.

Chaperone cards for the weekend events are due in the dean of women's office today.

All Women's Weekend committee heads are asked to be at the Wednesday noon meeting promptly after 11 o'clock classes as pictures are to be taken. Everyone please be there.

Talons will meet tonight at 7:30 in Memorial Union 217. Everyone is asked to be on time as important matters will be discussed.

Students who took first aid may receive their standard certificates in the men's gym, room 220.

Miss Marie Sellars, a representative of the General Foods corporation, will speak Wednesday, May 3, at 1 o'clock in the home economics auditorium. Her topic will be some phase of commercial foods. All students and interested persons are invited to attend.

Any girls interested in working on the Beaver index may report to the Beaver editor's office between 4 and 6 Tuesday or Wednesday, or call Mildred Winchester, 667.

The skating party Friday night sponsored by Westminster will cost 65 cents, which includes transportation, skating and refreshments. Reservations must be made by Thursday. All are invited.

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## By The Wayside . . .

By Harvey Sachs

### A NIGHT AT THE LIBRARY

Six-thirty in the evening. The doors of the library reference room swing open and in strides a tall young man carrying a notebook and a yellow covered textbook at his side. He saunters across the room past the information desk to his left and turns right and down the center aisle. Taking a quick glance at the ceiling he chooses a desk under one of the chandeliers. His books hit the table top with a bang that resounds throughout the almost lifeless room. After thumbing through the almost lifeless room. His books hit the table top with a bang that resounds throughout the almost lifeless room. After thumbing through the almost lifeless room. His books hit the table top with a bang that resounds throughout the almost lifeless room.

### Captures Two Events

Los Angeles city college co-ed, Katie Manly, won the only two swimming events for women in the Southern Pacific Athletic Amateur union meet at the Los Angeles athletic club. She won both the 200 yard free-style for women and the 100 yard breast stroke.

### Beer Promised

A smoker at the U of Oregon was to have had as its setting a barrel-lined German beer hall of the type of 1932 BH (Before Hitler). Permission has been obtained to smoke in McArthur court.

### Sinatra on Run?

After several women fainted in his class, no doubt one of the professors of the department of journalism at Kansas began to wonder is he a second swooner-crooner like Sinatra or what! The "or what" explanation is preferred by women students who tell the prof that his assignments, causing them to remark, "I Couldn't Sleep a Wink Last Night," rather than his vocal rendition of the hit parade favorite, are what get them.

### Department Heads Honored at Banquet

Mrs. Jessamine C. Williams, head of the department of foods and nutrition, and Miss Lillian C. Taylor, assistant professor of foods and nutrition, were honor guests at a formal banquet held at the Corvallis hotel Thursday night, April 27, by home economics staff members.

The guests included members of the home economics staff, extension workers, and others doing related work.

Tribute was paid to Mrs. Williams and Miss Taylor for their excellent work at Oregon State college.

Mrs. Williams has been a staff member for 21 years and will continue as a part time instructor of foods and nutrition. Miss Taylor, a staff member for 23 years, plans to live with her sister in Los Angeles, Calif.

## Classifieds

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## College Board Girls To be Interviewed

Mrs. Elizabeth Kempton, personnel director, and Miss Turner, representatives from Lipman Wolfe and company, are planning to be in Corvallis, Friday, May 5, to interview girls for positions on their college board and also girls interested in permanent retail careers.

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### Fee-Mail



The marines have landed and the situation is . . . exciting! The men in "beige-blue" are nothin' but well trained. Witness these tactics: immediately upon coming into town they went on reconnaissance ALL OVER college hill, eagle eyes alert and Montezuma! they even called the sororities and on strength of friendships with "sisters" on other campuses asked for a "welcome."

Good to see these fellows back; Bud Hoover, Terry Elder, Al Flake, Jim Hahn, Rex Lantis and Bill MacCluskey who are waiting for re-assignment to OCS. At present they're bivouacking in Poling trying to dodge the pillow volleys from the ASTRP's!

Come on gals—send those excerpts from the GI lines you get from former Beavers in camps and on the front lines! The box IS on the Victory Center desk this week.

At last we have HOW ADAIR YOU, or "crawling the swamps with Genter."

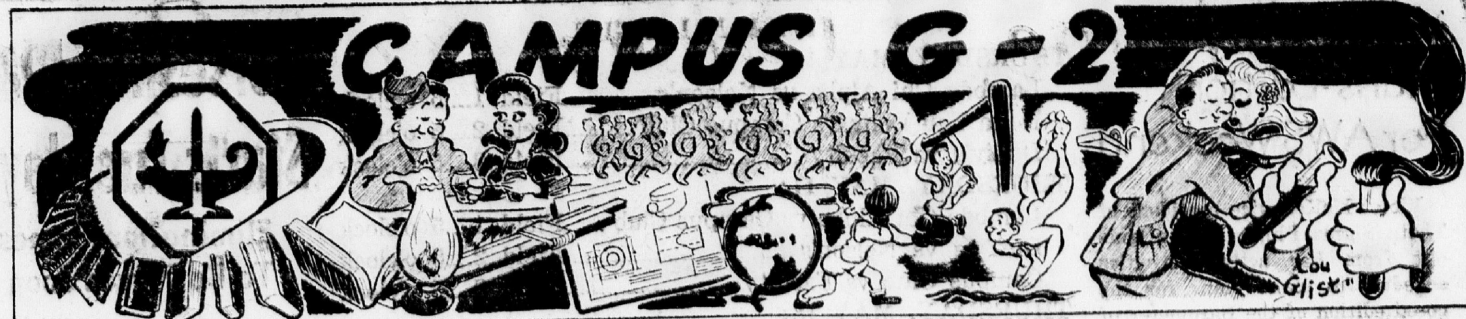
That's all the campus critique for this week . . . and gee, gals, remember—he true to the khaki and navy blue, too, huh?

### Orchisis Members To Dance in Albany

A small group of Orchisis members, modern dance honor society, have been requested by the Albany high school Mother's club to give a demonstration next Monday at 3 o'clock.

The Mother's club has been studying music and has become

interested in modern dancing. Dancers appearing before the group are Miss Betty Lynd Thompson, associate professor of physical education, Miss Madlyn Stearns, assisting Miss Thompson; Jo Hector, junior in secretarial science; Eris Green, junior in home economics, and Jeanne Polivka, junior in home economics.



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### Ex ASOSC Prexy, John Gallagher Is Lt. Colonel

Major John H. Gallagher, president of the student body here in 1937 and now Director of Training Section at Geiger Field, Wash., was recently promoted to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

Col. Gallagher graduated from Oregon State college in the school of engineering with the class of '38 of which he was president. In addition to this and other activities he was a four-year letterman in tennis. He later returned to school here to study law.

In civilian life, Col. Gallagher was a civil engineer and held a part interest in his father's firm, the Corvallis Sand and Gravel company, where he was a general contractor.

Col. Gallagher is a cousin to Lt. James A. Gallagher, OSC graduate of '41 now in New Guinea, who is mentioned in G. I. Lines elsewhere on this page.

Investment purchases of American life insurance companies were over \$5,720,000,000 in 1943.



JOHN H. GALLAGHER, '38, who was recently promoted from the rank of Major to that of Lieutenant Colonel, is pictured at his desk performing his duties as Director of Training at Geiger Field, Wash.

### On Reserve . . . .

Material for this column is being written under quite different conditions than last week. Yes, some thirty odd men of Company "B," if you didn't know already, were kindly requested to remain on the campus over the weekend—no passes, no nothing; just studying, the usual amount of "foolin' around," and the burden of reporting every hour. Well, it was a chance to catch up on our home work!

What really put a dent in our social activities was that we had to leave every fifty minutes in order to report on the hour as ordered. It was really a kick to see the fellows come running in from all directions and then leave immediately to get back to their girlfriends before the marines took over. Ah, yes, the marines! Sweet fellows!

Those few sunny days last week brought something more than looks of amazement on the faces of the native Californians. You guessed it; in the true Hollywood fashion several of the Cauthornites dragged out their neglected glass-eyes and began sporting their distinctive dark glasses.

BOB ZWEBER, a sax player in dance bands around the Los Angeles region, received a letter last week from "Earl Carroll," the well-known night club in L.A., offering him an audition for an opening in the band at about 80 bucks a week! What a chance he missed! Yes, this army life is great!

You can never tell what the army is going to do from one day to the next. Witness the example of Pvt. GRAY, YELMAN and STOHR. All of them took the college qualifying test for the A-12 or V-12 in March after they had already taken and passed the test in November. Several days ago they received letters from the army that they had passed the test, but were not entitled to enter the college program because they were too old! Meanwhile they continue their merry (?) ways as privates here at OSC.

Spring fever—or something—is creeping up on old Cauthorn hall. This prevalent fever, which leads to sleeping in classes, has claimed many a man lately. However, it doesn't always give the person the rest he thought he was going to get. Last Saturday in the math class Pvt. JACK CORLEY was deeply engrossed in "sawing wood" when two of his playful chums gave him the time-honored "hot foot." Moral: Don't sleep in class. Beat the talkative fellow's head with a shoe at night so you can sleep then—that is, if he is smaller than you.

Top ranking sport between the men of "A" and "B" companies is the race at each meal to see who is first in the chow line. Number 1 "chow-hound" is ERNIE HERTEL of "A"; however, some of the younger souls in "B" are beginning to outrun him. Maybe he had better move his Pepsi machine over to the M.U. and set up residence.

The burning of coal was prohibited in London in 1306 because of the smoke it produced.

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### How Adair You!

Yesterday the former ASTU's of Oregon State college graduated from the PRTC and were spread—literally spread—all over the 70th Division. Some were sent to the artillery, some to the engineers, some to ordnance, and some to quartermaster. The largest number and by far the "luckiest" of the boys were sent to the infantry. There were no HUBA HUBAS.

There have been no HUBA HUBAS for a long time from our C. A. quarters. The first few days were memorable and HUBA HUBA's were heard all over the place, but then Big Joe cracked his whip. Only the bolder ones would gather in the darkest corners of the latrine after the lights had been turned out and behind locked doors would shout HUBA HUBA in guarded whispers.

Our first week of training consisted mainly of marching, running the infiltration course, marching, and running the infiltration course. To clear up false impressions right away I would like to explain that you really don't RUN the infiltration course, you CRAWL it. That is why it is called running the infiltration course. You have to crawl through miles of barbed wire, and while hanging limp and tangled, machine guns shoot wildly and dynamite charges go off all around. It's even more romantic at night under the stars!

The second week's training consisted mainly of marching, crawling, marching, creeping, and marching. We also received instruction in the hardest way to dig a foxhole. This was forced upon us despite the fact that many of the men complained, claiming that foxes were very capable creatures and were able to dig their own holes!

In the common vernacular the third week was a pipero! It rained like Helen Highwater all week long and the idea of the thing was to see how long we could lie in the rain and mud without getting pneumonia. By the end of this week even the most hardy creatures had given up saying HUBA HUBA. Life was just one blasted raindrop after another.

Well, all the boys managed to survive the PRTC in some fashion or other, and for them yesterday was D day. It was 4 day and they left for their permanent homes while they were at Camp Adair. All of us still look back at our days at OSC with fond recollections, and we are looking forward to our future date at camp with you-know-what!

Sgts. Ray and Mason Ordered to New Posts Two more of SCU-3900's non-coms, Sgt. Irving Ray and T/Sgt. L. J. Mason, have received transfer orders.

Sgt. Ray is being sent to the medical replacement center at Camp Grant, Ill., and Mason will become part of the ordnance replacement pool at the Aberdeen proving grounds of Maryland. Mason and Ray will leave this week.



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Spring arrived at OSC last week, and with it came the usual fever. The weather was so beautiful that even my Brooklynite roommate was moved to remark (for the first time in nine months): "This weather's superb." We all hope that the Oregon rain has gone south to California for the rest of the term.

TRADITION: "Say hi to you go by" is supposed still a tradition here at OSC. How about it OSCods? A pert smile and sweet hello is a pleasant way to start a long morning or weary afternoon . . . Dick Paul's band is really going to sound sweet at the Prom this week according to Dick Barton, the leader. Dick wants everyone to know that he plays a guitar . . . not a banjo . . . Very red-faced were the GIs who dashed onto the gym floor last Wednesday, bustling right into some kind of election rally they were gayly met by green-ribboned freshmen and quickly made their retreat . . . One of the foreboding rumors floating around is that of marine officers to be housed in Waldo or Snell . . .

CAT DEPT.: Quite a ticklish situation at the Theta Chi open house last Friday. Seems that early in the evening there were

about three GIs to every girl. Consequently, the ATO and Fiji were called upon for some spare dancing partners. Later in the evening, however, the Theta Chis mysteriously appeared en masse while some of the GIs had strategically left the then coed-short affair. The Fijis and ATOs were doing all of the dancing and the Theta Chis most of the mental knife throwing . . .

POEM: 20 minutes, 20 more minutes to go. And there they sat with morale so low. 15 minutes, 15 more minutes to go. They were EE's asleep in servo. And there as peacefully as a doe, Slept great Sam in the back row. And there was Sam and his unshod toe. 5 minutes more and they passed so slow. But shoelless Sam could not go. Now the bell did ring so sweet and low. And 7th termers their backs to the room did show. But there sat Sam, that GI Joe. For up in front in lax repose, sat his shoes tied in a bow.

JOKE OF THE WEEK: "The offspring of a single rat," said the biology prof, "is almost 10,000 per year." "Wow," came the exclamation from the rear, "think what it would be for a married rat!" —Pfc. Irving A. Marder

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