



No one means all he says, and yet very few say all they mean, for words are slippery and thought is vicious. —The Education of Henry Adams

Student Poll Seeks Answers

The feelings and opinions of Oregon Staters on major questions that have been perplexing both the administration and student government will be compiled in the series of student opinion polls to begin this term.

The student poll is being backed by the administration because it is felt that such an accurate and complete tabulation of student opinion will be a decided asset in determining policy.

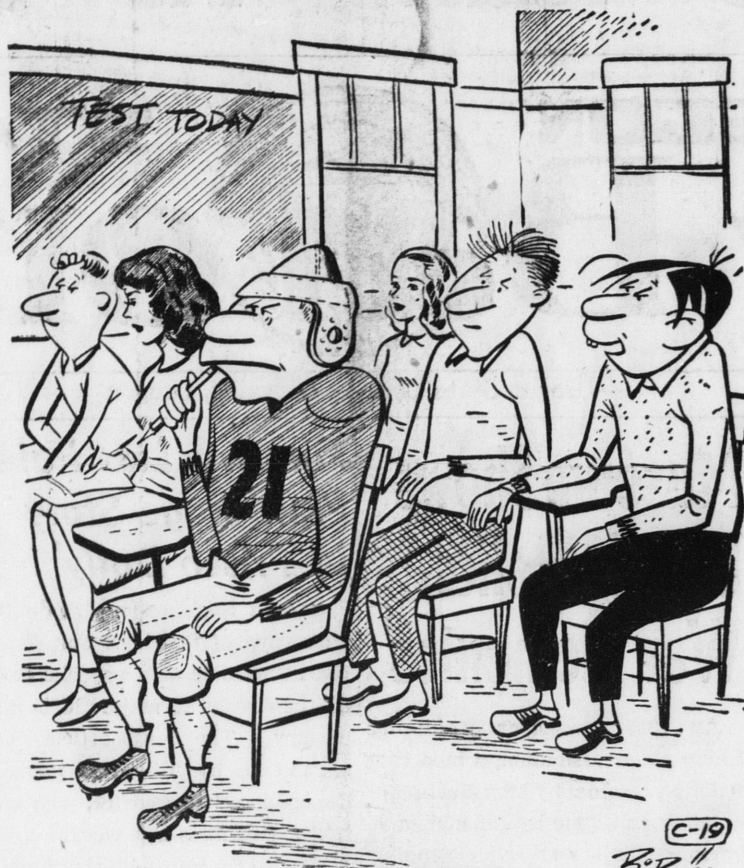
Bob Bates, '53, is chairman of the Senate service committee, which includes the presidents of the five service honoraries on campus.

Questions on the polls will cover a variety of subjects which the committee believes to be of current interest and importance to the administration and the student government.

How prevalent cheating on exams is and why, the basis of accusations in leading magazines as to the lack of spirit in today's youth, the place of intercollegiate athletics, and other timely subjects have been suggested for the first poll, tentatively set for a week from Monday.

The student opinion poll is a major step toward solving campus problems by obtaining an authentic report of how the student body thinks and feels.

Little Man On Campus—By Bibler



“He knows the season is over—but he's afraid ole Prof. Snarf will forget he's an athlete.”

Campus Comment

TO THE EDITOR:

Why are students on this campus reluctant to donate blood to the Red Cross? Is it because they are bothered with so many trivial things each day that the donation of blood has seemed equally unimportant to them, or is it because they do not fully realize the importance of time and some discomfort in order to fulfill the needs of those fighting men who are making the greatest sacrifice of all?

It is probably a combination of both. True, these shortcomings cannot be relegated to college students alone, but it seems that they should set the example in this regard.

Although co-eds won't be faced with defending their country on the battlefield, they also should realize their duty of giving blood. This is a vital part of waging modern warfare on the home front, and the victory or defeat of our nation could easily depend upon this.

Bart Williams

Movie Review Western Drama Stars Female Wagon Train

By Kirby Brumfield

“Westward the Women,” instead of being a he-man picture, is a real she-woman western. The drama is set in 1851, with Robert Taylor and Denise Darcel starring.

The woman-hating wagon master rules the caravan with a sharp tongue and a death-dealing six gun. Because of the drag-out battle between two of the women.

Denise Darcel, curvaceous French star of “Battleground,” gains entrance to the caravan by covering up her shady past. En route, she falls in love with Robert Taylor.

Comedy is supplied by a little Japanese cook and “Patience,” the oversized woman who looks after the other females.

The picture includes good desert scenery, human character studies, adventure, and a knock-down, drag-out battle between two of the women.

Inter-Varsity Plans Bible Discussion. Guest speaker for Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship today will be Alexander Sauerwein, pastor of the Kingwood Bible church in Salem.

Bulletin Bored—Biology Clubs to Meet. The Phi Sigma biological society and the Biology club will meet Tuesday, at 8 p.m. in Memorial Union, 207 Dr. L. S. Cressman, head of anthropology and director of the Museum of Natural History at the University of Oregon, will speak on “Early Man in Oregon.”

Club Starts Cider Sale. The annual apple cider sale, sponsored by the Food Technology club, started February 5 in the food technology building canteen.

Staff For This Issue. Night Editor: Lu Lono. Assistant: Andy Salmins. Day Editor: Marilyn Robe. Assistant: Barbara Lindfors.

Theta Sigs. Theta Sigma Phi will meet tonight at 5 p.m. in M.U. 101. Members and pledges please be present. Matrix Table will be discussed.

Leadership Shop. Because of the basketball game, Leadership Workshop will meet tomorrow (Wednesday) at 7:30 p.m. in Memorial Union 208, instead of tonight as previously announced.

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Alumni Ramblings

By TED H. CARLSON, Assistant Alumni Director

There was a great deal of work put into the recording session last week by the band and glee club and a word with the recording company engineers revealed that the whole project “turned out good.”

The band started out first and was assisted later by the glee club. They combined talents on the Alma Mater and Mighty Beavers.

Thursday the glee club took over in the music room in Benton hall from 1:30 p.m. until almost dinner time.

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Cooperation Works Both Ways

Every year at the beginning of each term, college officials and the police department ask the students if they will please cooperate with not only the campus police but also the city police, claiming that cooperation not only will result in benefits to the student, but also in better relations between the College and the townspeople of Corvallis.

Right now let it be said that we are all in favor of this and think it an extremely good idea.

But also, it might be added that this cooperation might have more than just one side. We think that the police should respect some of the rights of the individual.

Two or three weeks ago an Oregon State college student was arrested for traveling 45 miles an hour in a 25-mile zone at 12:50 a.m. The student was then further charged with resisting arrest when he refused to go to the police station, and insisted he had to get a girl home by 1 a.m. Bail on the two charges was set at \$70.

Without doubt, the student was wrong in speeding, and probably he was wrong in resisting arrest, possibly doing so in an antagonistic manner. But, as seems to be usual with the police in this city, the arrest was made with a highly superior attitude, indicating that the person stopped, regardless of who he is, is always wrong and the arresting officer is always right.

The arresting officer could have ascertained without too much trouble that the person he was arresting was a student by his student body card, and he further should have known that the closing hours for College women is 1 a.m. He should therefore have realized that even if the student tried to skip out without paying the fine, he could easily be traced by means of his records in the registrar's office.

And why should a violation of traveling 45 miles an hour in a 25 mile zone require the offender to go to the police station? A fellow worker of mine was bragging about how he got stopped for doing 60 in a 20 mile zone, and was then let loose with the admonition of “You shouldn't drive that fast,” when the officer recognized him as someone he knew.

We think that students should cooperate with the police, but also think that the police could do much better to elicit cooperation from the student if they would quit having such an air of superiority in everything they do and treat the students as human beings.

(J.S.)

Campus Events

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

- Agricultural banquet, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. ticket office
Canners and Freezers school, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Food Tech.
Toastmistresses, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. M.U. council room
Talons, 12 to 1 p.m. M.U. 209
M.U. dance instructors, 12 to 1 p.m. M.U. Spanish ballroom
Membership dues, Senior class, 3 to 5 p.m. ticket office
IVCF, 5 to 6 p.m. M.U. 105
Deseret club, 5 to 6 p.m. M.U. council room
Toastmasters, 6:15 to 8 p.m. M.U. 211
M.U. art lecture, "Goya," 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. M.U. 105
Phi Sigma, 7:30 p.m. M.U. 207
OSC vs. Idaho, 8 p.m. Gill coliseum

Negro Composer Continues Work Despite Song Hit

PITTSBURGH (UP)—Churchill Kohlman, a Negro cleaning plant night watchman who composed one of the current hit songs, credits the long hours he has spent patrolling his lonely rounds for the inspiration.

Kohlman said he planned to continue in his job even though his song "Cry," is near the sales top. Sixteen record companies have waxed the song and one company alone has sold almost a million copies.

"All my life I've been chasing the songwriters' rainbow, but I didn't dream it would be like this," Kohlman said.

He sent more than 200 of the songs that came to him in the night to publishers without a single acceptance. In many cases the envelopes weren't even opened.

Then one night as he worked as watchman at the University of Pittsburgh, he heard a professor talking to his wife on the telephone. The wife wanted advice on how to quiet her baby, who was crying.

"He told his wife to let the baby cry; it would do her good to get it out of her system," Kohlman related. Before the night was over a song urging the world to "go ahead and cry" was lilting through Kohlman's mind.

The melody sounded good to him then. Now, hearing it from radios,

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### Job Openings Offered Grads

Four firms will interview students for jobs this week. Representatives of American Potash and Chemical corporation will be on campus today. Goodyear, Weyerhaeuser, and the National Bureau of Standards will interview later. Interviews may be arranged in Dearborn hall 109.

J. F. Phillips and G. E. Adams will interview chemists and chemical, electrical, and mechanical engineers today for American Potash and Chemical corporation. Graduates may obtain employment in the production, research, or engineering departments at the Trona, Cal., plant.

Representatives of the pulp division of the Weyerhaeuser Timber company will be here Wednesday. They are Dr. H. W. Bialkowski, Longview plant research department, and J. O. Julson, manager of the Springfield mill. Chemists and chemical engineers will be interviewed.

The National Bureau of Standards of Washington, D. C., will interview physicists, mathematicians, chemists, and electronic, electrical, mechanical, and radio engineers Friday. Research in the physical sciences is the bureau's primary job. Their laboratories in Corona, Cal., and Boulder, Colo., also offer opportunities.

Goodyear Tire and Rubber company wants students interested in product and process development, research, plant engineering, machine design, product management, and technical sales. W. J. Sharp, the Goodyear representative, will be here Thursday and Friday to interview those interested.

The Goodyear Aircraft corporation is interested in men for design and development work and to perform aerodynamics calculations. Sharp will conduct a group meeting Thursday at 10 in Physics 319.

### Gazette-Times Will Sponsor Writing Contest

An editorial writing contest for any Oregon State college student has been announced by the Corvallis Gazette-Times in connection with the approaching Red Cross drive.

Three cash prizes will be awarded for the best editorials dealing with the Red Cross program, according to Bob Ingalls, Gazette-Times editor and publisher. Prizes will be \$10 for first, \$7 for second and \$5 for third places. The winning editorial will be printed in the Gazette-Times.

Entries should be submitted to Fred Shideler, head of the journalism department, by February 23. Additional information may be obtained from Harold Whiteside, Red Cross campaign manager, in the Red Cross office in the Community Center building, Fifth and Madison.

### Morse Scoffs At Moral Scruples

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—(UP)—Sen. Wayne Morse, a former law school dean, scoffed today at educators' claims that universal military training would endanger young men's morals. He said 18-year-olds can find as much temptation on the campus as in the camps.

The Oregon Republican challenged Dr. Charles J. Turk, spokesman for the Association of American Colleges, to produce a "bill of particulars" to back his claim that UMT would "be morally hazardous and politically dangerous" and lead to military indoctrination.

Turk, president of MacAlester college, St. Paul, Minn., said he had no "particulars." He said he represented the beliefs of college presidents.

"Pure fear argument.... emotional sanction without any factual basis," said Morse who headed the University of Oregon law school before his election to the senate.

Assistant Defense Secretary Anna M. Rosenberg said on an American Broadcasting company program that towns near UMT camps may be asked to draw up special "rules and regulations" to assure a "decent, wholesome atmosphere" for the Umeets.

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### Soloist Sings Wednesday



HELEN KERN

### Helen Kern to be Vocalist For Music Dept. Concert

Helen Kern, '53, will appear as a soprano soloist at a concert sponsored by the music department February 13 at 8 p.m. in the College playhouse. She will be accompanied by the Oregon State college symphony orchestra.

Miss Kern will sing "Ave Maria," by Handel. The solo will be her first with an orchestra accompaniment.

She has studied voice at Oregon State college and appeared as a soloist in the OSC Christmas program last year. R. B. Walls, professor of music, said, "She has a very promising voice with high, clear tone and lovely quality."

Miss Kern has sung before many campus and church groups. She and Shirley Powell will give a recital April 24 at 8 p.m. in the music center in the Denton hotel.

Among her activities on the campus she is a member of a capella choir of which she is secretary-treasurer. She is also section leader of the sopranos.

Miss Kern is majoring in home economics. Originally from Tucson, Arizona, but now from Pendleton.

Other soloists on the program will be Larry Bails, '53, tenor; Ed Terriere, '52, baritone; Joanne Dwyer, '53, pianist; and Glenda Cotton, '54, violinist.

**Locker School to Meet**  
The Oregon State college food technology department's annual locker school will be held March 24 and 25 in the new food technology building. This school is a cooperative project between the Oregon Frozen Food association and the food technology department.

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### Lipscomb Will Speak At Annual Ag Dinner

Col. T. H. Lipscomb, Portland district army engineer, will speak at the Ag banquet February 14 in the Memorial Union ballroom. His topic will be "Power Development and Flood Control in the Northwest."

Colonel Lipscomb has been Portland district engineer since June 1, 1951. He succeeded Col. Donald S. Burns who was named division engineer of the South Pacific division of San Francisco.

Before his appointment to the Portland district, Colonel Lipscomb was assistant engineer of the North Pacific division. As assistant engineer, he was concerned principally with development and prosecution of the large scale military construction program.

Upon graduation from West Point in 1934, Lipscomb entered the army. He received his master's degree in engineering at Cornell university in 1938.

During World War II, Colonel Lipscomb was an instructor at the engineer school at Fort Belvoir until the fall of 1942. He then spent



COL. LIPSCOMB

### Ranks Offered Qualified Men

The United States air force is now offering commissions to 800 qualified technical specialists who will accept direct reserve commissions and immediate active duty. Approximately 350 second lieutenants, 325 captains, 125 majors, and eight lieutenant colonels will be obtained, announced the reserve information office, fourth air force.

Four hundred college graduates in the field of communications, psychological warfare, procurement, weather, and auditing are needed. Psychological assistants, comptrollers, air police, intelligence specialists, cryptanalysts, map reproduction personnel, and laundry officers are also needed.

Approximately 200 commissions exist in specialties calling for a master's degree in the field of aero mechanics, civil and industrial engineering, meteorology, electronics, physics, armament, advanced management, psychology, and business administration.

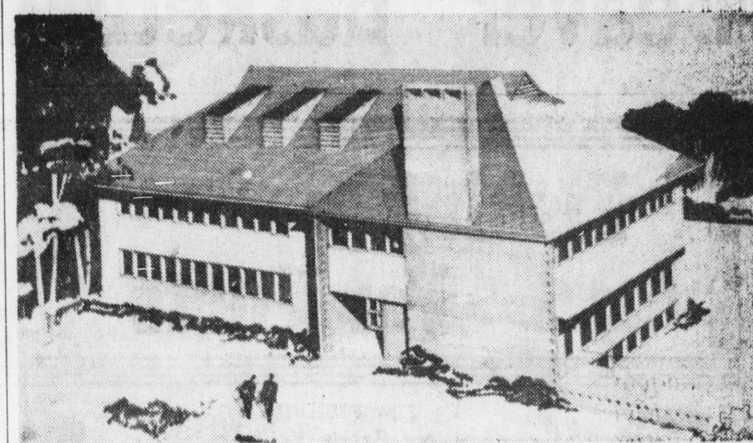
Detailed information on requirements may be obtained from headquarters, fourth air force, Hamilton air force base, Hamilton, Cal.

### Cop Locks Door

PEABODY, Mass., Feb. 11.—(UP)—Police Chief Raymond F. Kirwin after a long tussle with rusted hinges an dbalky lock action managed to close and lock the door of the Peabody police station today—the first time the door has been locked in 84 years.

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### Proposed AGR House



### Fraternity Breaks Ground For New Chapter House

Ground was broken yesterday for the newest Greek chapter house on this campus, the first new fraternity structure since 1929. The new house is being built by Alpha Gamma Rho, national social fraternity, on a lot 135 by 125 feet, at 331 North 26th street.

Contract for the 50-man, \$100,000 structure was signed Friday, February 8, with H. L. Shields and Son of Eugene, who just completed the new Corvallis Clinic north of the hospital.

**Kitchen to Be in Basement**  
Architect firm for the job was Gathercoal and Jeppsen of Corvallis. Herbert R. Sinnard, professor of architecture and agricultural engineering, was the final consultant. Landscaping will be by Doertler and Sons of Salem.

The new building will be combination frame and brick construction. A unique "daylight" basement will contain a kitchen with a walk-in refrigerator; dining room; game room; and cook's room. The main floor will hold a living room, den, four study rooms, president's room, manager's room, and provision for a housemother.

**House to Have Oil Heat**  
The second floor will contain study rooms and the third floor will be the sleeping area. The new house will also contain full mahogany panels in the dining room, and a new heavy-oil type furnace.

Alpha Gamma Rho has been on campus since December 6, 1924, and has been occupying 2500 Monroe street. The old structure had a capacity of 32 men.

Because of a plan which the actives and alumni of the chapter have been formulating since 1948, the AGR's will be able to move in next fall with a total monthly house bill of between 67 and 68 dollars, about average on campus now.

**War Caused Delay**  
Due to war conditions, the building of a new house has been postponed a twice, but this time construction is going ahead, members said.

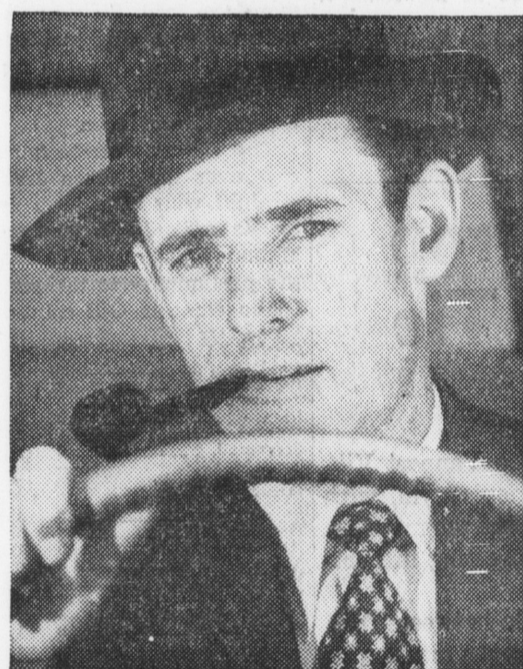
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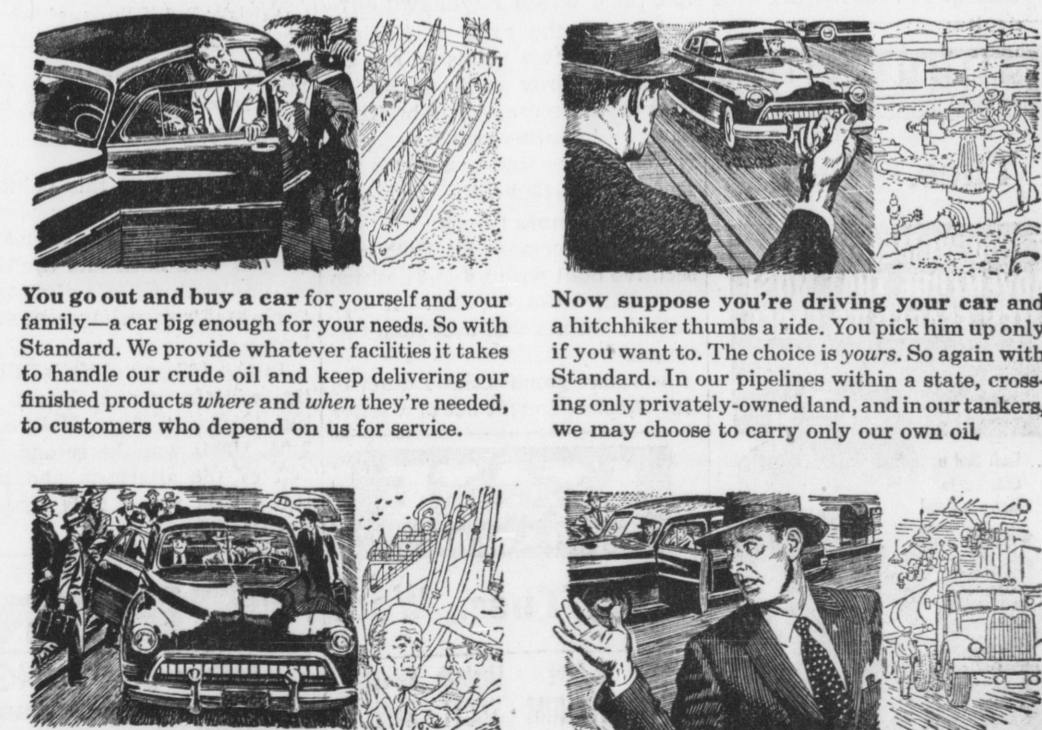
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