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## BARN DANCE IN GYM TONIGHT

In the first get-together of the 1947 summer session, faculty members, students, and friends of Willamette university will don old duds, prehistoric shoes and campus smiles to attend the "Pop" Grary-"called" barn dance tonight at 8 o'clock in the university gym.

The Mitchell old-time orchestra which has "hoo-downed" and "square-danced" its way into the hearts of

Willamette students in previous years will again be in there swingin' and swayin' with special summer session old time tunes according to Lestle J. Sparks, professor of physical education in charge of the event.

Due to a shortage of summer session female attendance, an invitation is extended to all regularly enrolled university women in Salem and vicinity to

attend. However, it is strictly a "no-date" affair and all friends of the university are also invited. Don Douris, summer session social activities chairman announced.

Refreshments will be obtainable "on the premises" and a check room will be in operation for those who wear too many old clothes to carry onto the dance floor, officials said. Officials also expressed the opinion that street shoes would be frowned upon, but that work shoes, high-top boots, army "hikers" and navy "foul-weathers" would be just right for tripping the light fantastic (and your partner) on the barn dance floor.

According to Walter Erickson, summer session director, "this is the" get-acquainted event of the summer session." It's the chance for all of the students to get acquainted and learn more about the varied activities coming during the nine week session ahead.

So come on out and promenade, you guys and gals! The time is set for a bang up party with "Pop" Grary and all the gang tonight from 8 to 11 o'clock in the old gymnasium hayloft. Wear all the old clothes you can find, and some old shoes, too! Admission is free! For a real rousin' Western good time you can't lose on this one.

## REGISTRATION INCOMPLETE, FIGURES SHOW 223

With a total enrollment of 223, 179 men and 44 women, reported last night, and with still more coming in this morning, complete registration figures for summer session students, are still not available.

For this all-time high enrollment for the summer session, 36 instructors are to be on the campus with six visiting professors to be here, before summer session is over.

Dr. Arthur Burton of the university of Idaho is instructing in psychology; Dr. Ernest W. Hawkes of Glendale college, Calif., biology; Frank R. Strong of Ohio State University, law; Reginald S. Williams, Marion county deputy district attorney, law; L. R. Taylor, Linfield College, chemistry, and Dr. Charles

McLaughlin of Detroit, Mich., education. Williams will not begin instruction until the last five-week session.

## EAGLES TO DRILL TONIGHT

Highlight of the public entertainment to be staged by the Eagles during their convention here will be the annual pageant and the drill team and drum corps competition on the campus Sweetland field at 7 o'clock tonight, weather permitting.

Trophies, valued at \$2,750, will be given to winners of tonight's competition, officials said. Preliminary drills and music were held yesterday.

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## Dorm Named Baxter Hall

The new dormitory under construction will be known as Baxter Hall as a memorial to Bishop Bruce Baxter who died in Portland Fri. June 20.

Willamette University had the services of Bishop Baxter as President from 1934 to 1940 when he was elected bishop of the Portland area of the Methodist church, however continuing on as acting president for another year.

At a special meeting of the University's board of trustees the decision to name the hall after the late president and bishop was made. Dr. G. Herbert Smith paid tribute to Bishop Baxter's contribution to Willamette University.

"Bruce Baxter's Contributions and his leadership are stamped for all times to come in the life of Willamette University, but it is most appropriate that there should be on the campus a living memorial to his memory and service."

Cost of Baxter Hall will be in excess of \$750,000. and will house 224 men students. It will have four wings occupied by fraternities and a central section that will accommodate 100 independent men.

## 'BEGGAR'S OPERA' SELECTED FOR SUMMER PRESENTATION

"The Beggar's Opera" by John Gay has been chosen by Mrs. Margaret Ringnalda and members of her drama class to present during summer session.

The play is a comedy of manners and is one of the wittiest plays written during the 18th century.

The plot is woven around highway men thieves and beggars. It is a satire which turns society completely upside down. It is frank and full of broad lusty humor which is handled swiftly and with a certain amount of lightness.

The stage settings will be greatly effected by the lighting and music

## School Picnic Suggested

Though no all-school picnic has been scheduled for the summer session, Don Douris, activities chairman, suggested this week that perhaps such a get-together might be arranged for later in the summer. Dates open for such an event would be Friday, July 11, following the educational tour of Salem, conducted by Dr. Gabko; Friday, July 25, preceding or following an ice-skating party which is now being considered, or Friday, August 22, when no event has been scheduled.

Suggestions pertaining to time, place and type of picnic should be presented to Don Douris personally or given to the activities office.

which serve as a strong background and bring the mood forward. The music will be furnished by the music dept. with the assistance of Dean Goist.

On the stage of the American theater this play has been well received. It is full of irresistible English airs.

Anyone interested in doing drama presentations contact Mrs. Ringnalda this week.

## Vets Warned On Leave Pay

All veteran students who desire leave pay under the G. I. bill will be required to apply at least 30 days in advance during any school term ending after July 31, Wayne F. Smith, veterans' Administration training officer here, announced today.

In explaining this new ruling, Smith pointed out that for school terms that end on or before July 31, the ex-GI student may yet apply as in the past, at any time before the term ends, for his accrued leave. Willamette student veterans, therefore, who are attending the summer session and who want leave pay from the end of the summer session on August 30 to the beginning of the fall session in September should apply for their leave as soon as possible at the local VA office, at 167 So. High Street.

## Church School Workers Housed At Lausanne

The sixth annual Laboratory School for Church School Workers is being held June 22-27 at the First Methodist Church. This laboratory is sponsored by the Oregon Conference Board of Education of the Methodist Church. It is an observation practice school giving practical help to workers of the nursery, kindergarten, primary, junior, and intermediate departments. The workers are being housed at Lausanne Hall during their stay here in Salem. There are over 100 workers and 50 pastors now attending.

Among the workers that are here are Mrs. Laurence Burdette, The Dalles, Ore., who has charge of the nursery Department; Miss Rosemary K. Roorbach, Nashville, Tenn., ass't Editor of Children's Publications of the Methodist Church, who has charge of the kindergarten department; Mrs. William Bray, primary; Mrs. Mildred Crakes, teacher in Junior High School and in First Methodist Church School, Eugene, Ore. Intermediate Dep't. Rev. Ralph G. Kleen, Ore. Conf. Director of the New Life Movement, will teach the course, "The Superintendent and His Task"; Miss Ruby Peregrino, M.A. in religious education from Boston Univ., Director of Christian Education of Westminster Presbyterian Church, Portland, will teach "The Use of Visual Aids in Christian Education," officials said here yesterday.

## BARCLAY TAKES OVER AS PUBLICITY DIRECTOR

Charles Barclay, well remembered around the campus as May Day Mgr. last spring will be the new Director of Publicity this coming fall for Willamette University. Mr. Barclay at the present time the Executive Secretary of the Alumni Association will be representing the University at a meeting of the Alumni

Council in San Francisco next month.

After spending two years at Oregon in '35 and '36 he followed up by working on the KOIN radio staff and serving as production manager for Jantzen Beach in Portland.

Barclay was a member of the First Infantry Division during the last war.

## Miss Fowler Resigns Post

Constance Fowler, head of the WU art department, has offered her resignation, effective immediately, according to the president's office. When interviewed, Miss Fowler gave no reason for the resignation and has not announced her future plans.

Dr. Smith said that he has no statement at this time, except that he is considering a number of prospective art professors and that there would be a replacement by next fall.

## LIBRARY, CAVERN SET NEW HOURS

Library, Beareat and the book store hours were set this week by their respective operators, who all agreed that they wanted to stay open the hours most convenient for summer students.

Dan Graves, librarian, has set library hours from 8 to 6 weekdays and from 8 to 12 on Saturdays.

Suzanne Newell, Beareat

## STORK BRINGS NEW YORK

Passing out "scoogars" this week from his office at the end of the hall in the law school building is Professor Kenneth H. York, presently instructing in Labor Law and still a bit bewildered by the laws of nature.

The occasion--the birth Sunday, June 22, at 10 a. m., of a son, 7½ lb., and christened John Kenneth, to Mrs. York at the Salem General hospital.

Prof. York's present plans, he said yesterday, will keep him on the campus for the first 5 weeks of the summer session, after which he will leave with his family for George Washington university in the east for the balance of the summer. He will return in the fall for further assignment in the law school, he said. The proprietor said the cavern would be open weekdays from 8 to 5.

Mrs. Delia Larson, book store manager, will open the store from 9 to 1 each day, she said.

# MEET WILLAMETTE'S COACH LILLIE

To those of you who are wondering who the man is with the dark Hawaiian tan strolling about the campus, let us introduce Gerald Lillie Willamette's new football and track mentor.

## INTRAMURAL STARTS MONDAY

Los Sparks, head of the summer session intramural athletic program has announced that the softball league play will open this coming Monday at approximately 12 o'clock.

At present the league consists of three teams, one representing the faculty, one the physical ed. majors and one for Alpha Hall. Bob Dorovar, who has been appointed as head of the league is trying to form a fourth team made up of men living in residence other than Alpha Hall. Monday's contest will be between the Faculty and the P.E. majors.

## TENNIS T. T. TIME

Though singles and doubles tennis sign-up lists have been posted in Eaton Hall, only two men have put their John Henry's on the sheet. The two, Paul Cockingham and Hilt Baum apparently have frightened away all competition and unless more enthusiasm in the sign-up is shown the two may have to fight it out for the singles title instead of teaming up in the doubles competition.

Mr. Lillie only recently made the long jump from Hawaii to the mainland to assume his coaching duties at Willamette.

## NEEDS HOUSE

At present Lillie is dividing his time visiting prospective Bearcat footballers, finding jobs for them, and also looking for a residence that will suitly house himself, wife, and three children. If anyone wants to sell a house of this size and will sell only for what it is worth, Mr. Lillie is the man to see.

While in the islands last year Lillie took over coaching duties at Unahou Prep, which is a private school that was founded one year before Willamette in 1941. Previous to this he was track and football boss in the '45-'46 season at Ellensburg, Idaho where he won the track title and coached the town's baseball squad in his spare time.

## STARS AT GRANT

However Coach Lillie is probably best known for his eight year stretch in football and track at Grant High in Portland from 1937 to 1945 inclusive. During this period his pigskinners never finished lower than third in Portland's tough eight loop circuit. The long stretch was highlighted in 1943 when his charges won the city championship and went on to capture the state title.

Even more impressive

than his pigskin record is Lillie's track showing. In seven successive years his thinclads never failed to cop the city title and usually walked away with all the honors.

## BROKE IT WITH ST. HELENS

Looking further back in Lillie's history we find that his success story began as early as 1931 when he started his career at St. Helens where he won three basketball titles in five years in their particular league. Lillie figured he would have won more if it hadn't been for the Anet-Johanson teamup at Astoria which later achieved national recognition at U. of O.

Between his St. Helens and Grant High experience Lillie spent one year at Bend in 1936 where he tutored the Lava Bears to an undefeated league title.

## ICE SKATE PARTY LOOMS

Arrangements are under way for an ice-skating party for Friday, July 25, as another event in the social activities for summer session students. Don Douris, activities chairman announced yesterday.

Douris said that he will contact the local ice skating rink this week about reservations for the party and asked that those who are interested in participating contact him.