

## POLITICAL POT AT STEAM POINT

### ELECTION OF STUDENT BODY OFFICERS TO BE TEAR-STAINED, FIRE AND BRIMSTONE BATTLE

Last Minute Rush By Belated Candidates To Have Petitions Signed Plasters Eaton Hall Bulletin Board With Quasi-Legal Documents

By EDWIN MINNEMAN

WITH official election speeches scheduled within the next 28 hours and with student-body elections scheduled for next Monday, 8:05 a. m., Thursday saw the bulletin board in Eaton Hall plastered with petitions presenting favorite sons and daughters for election to the various offices open.

Particularly desirable seemed to be the office of Editor of the Collegian with four petitions already on the board and rumors about school of more in the offing. Next in the order of desirability, apparently, were the offices of A.S.W.U. president and A.S.W.U. secretary. Three petitions for each of these offices were to be found on the board.

#### Two For First-Vice

The offices of first vice-president, 2nd vice-president and Wallulah editor rated even places, with two candidates running for each office.

Because of the fact that the Collegian copy must be in early Thursday morning, all those whose petitions are put up after 8:05 a. m. Thursday will not be published. For this reason only a list of names is given of those running for each office, and all mention of qualifications for the various offices is avoided in order that no one may be slighted.

#### Candidates Listed

For the office of president of the student body petitions signed by the following were found: (presented alphabetically) Ralph Gustafson, Melvin Viken, Bill Macadam; for first vice-president: Norma Fuller, Irma Oehler; for 2nd vice-president: John Kelly, Laurence Nunnenkamp; for editor of the Willamette Collegian: William Clumes, Chester Oppen, Bob Keuscher, Kay Thompson; for editor of the Willamette Wallulah: Basil Anton, Leroy Casey; and for secretary: Lunelle Chapin, Dolly Dingle, Jean Hollingsworth.

#### To Be Hot Contest

This year's election, with two independent candidates running for each of two offices, promises to make the contest a real popularity battle. As the constitution demands that the winning candidates must have a majority to be elected, Tuesday will probably see ballots out again for the highest runners for the offices of Collegian editor, president and secretary of the student-body.

### Dr. White Chosen For Research At Carnegie Session

Dr. Lyman C. White, head of Willamette history department, has been invited by the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace to attend the summer session on International Law at the University of Michigan, to be held June 28 to July 30, it was learned here today.

"The session will be devoted to a technical study of International Law. Prominent educational leaders and internationally recognized authorities on International Law will direct the Conference. Among the outstanding leaders of the session will be James Scott Brown, director of the Division of International Law, of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace," Dr. White said.

This summer Dr. White is planning to write on the future of Western Civilization, a subject in which he has become deeply interested. He says that his writing will take one of three forms: a textbook, a book of readings, or an outline study.

#### NOTICE!

Faculty members may get their reserve seat tickets for the Junior play May Week-end at Spark's office beginning Monday, April 19, and ending Friday noon, April 30.

### QUEEN GWEN I.



Queen Gwen I will rule court during the May-Day festivities of 1937. Princess Lucille and Princess Jane will attend her.

Chosen from as lovely a class of girls as ever graced the campus of Willamette were these three girls. This fact was well evidenced on Queen-election day. Many could not decide which girl to vote for, so they took the only alternative and voted for a boy. It is reported that several so-called "ladies' men" received a sizeable poll.

Coronation of the Queen will take place at 2:30 P. M. Saturday, May 1.

Escorts for the Queen and her attendants are: King George McLeod, Prince Joe Harvey, who will escort Princess Jane, and Prince John Kelly, who will escort Princess Lucille.

General Manager Art Lanka early this week made known a list of those who will help to make May Day, 1937 a bigger and better May Day. Junior girls who will wind the Maypole are: Ruth Bunzow, Mary J. Sargent, Lunelle Chapin, Barbara Crookham, Dorothy Dingle, Frances Faber, Norma Fuller, Charlotte Litchfield, Irma Oehler, Betty Taylor, Ruth Yocom, Marguerite DuRette. Junior girls who will hold the Maypole are: Lillian Hart, Melba Belle Savage.

The committee heads are as follows: assistants to the manager, Margaret Ayers and Marion Steigward; programs and invitations, Lunelle Chapin, chairman, Lloyd Riehl; Maypole, Marguerite DuRette, chairman; dances, Francis Fa-

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### SPEECH MEN PLACE IN PACIFIC COAST TILT AS FORENSIC YEAR ENDS

George McLeod Wins Second In Oratory, and Kester-Morley Team Reaches Finals In Debate to Lose to Southern California

By EDWIN MINNEMAN

Climaxing four years of inter-collegiate competition in oratory, George McLeod Thursday night of last week presented his final oration "Men Who Have Seen the Sea" and won second place in the oratory section of the fourteenth annual conference of the Pacific Forensic League. Since the beginning of his oratorical career, when in his sophomore year he entered the Keyes oratorical contest, McLeod has represented his school in eight contests, winning one first place, two seconds, and two thirds.

McLeod has also competed in inter-collegiate debate contests, reaching the semi-finals with Talbot Bennett this year at the Linfield tournament. Friends of McLeod and Coach Professor Rahe report that McLeod's last oration was by far the best oration in quality and sincerity of delivery that he has ever presented.

#### Second In Debate

To Willamette went also another second place in the Pacific Forensic League conference of this year. Lawrence Morley and Randall Kester gave their centennial debate as a four-year team and received second in the debate section.

Morley and Kester's record includes a first place in the West Coast Tournament at Pasadena this year, a tie for third place in the PFL last year, first in the Northwest conference at Linfield and at the Oregon State Tournament in 1935, and the distinction of reaching the finals in the Linfield tournament every year they have entered.

Morley and Kester traveled this year on the longest debate tour in the history of W. U. debaters. They covered a total of between 7,000 and 8,000 miles reaching points as far east as Bangor, Maine.

#### Winners Named

First in oratory for the Pacific Forensic League tournament last week went to Ray Siegenthaler from Oregon State, second to George McLeod from Willamette. First in extemporaneous speaking went to William Fifield from Whitman College and second to Sterling Livingston from U. of Southern California. First in debate went to the team of Livingston and Atkinson from U. of Southern California; second went to the team of Morley and Kester from Willamette. First in after-dinner speaking was awarded to Maurice Atkinson from U. Southern California and second to Mr. Mack from Oregon State.

#### Symposium Given

Symposium debates were given by six teams, three from the U. of Washington and one each from Stanford, U. of California, and Willamette. The symposium is a problem-solving type of debate and is destined to hold a larger place in contests of the future according to authorities.

Next year's PFL conference will be held on the U. of Nevada campus at Reno, Nevada, under the direction of Professor R. S. Griffin, head of the U. of Nevada speech department.

Professor Rahe reports that chief thanks for the success of the tournament goes to Marjorie Thorne and Constance Smart who were responsible for the management of the affair. Professor Rahe also desires to express his thanks to the student body and faculty of Willamette for the cooperative spirit shown throughout the contest.

Professor Rahe of the Speech Department wishes to thank the following coaches from schools not entered in the Pacific Forensic League tournament for their help in judging contests: Professor Carolyn Winger of Pacific University, Professor R. D. Mahaffey and his brother, Gene Mahaffey, from Linfield College, Robert Kutch and R. M. Murphy, coaches at Dallas high school, Norborne Berkley of Salem high school, and Professor Veva Garrett of Pacific College.

#### SPEAKERS



George McLeod who won second in oratory in PFL tourney.



Randall Kester and Lawrence Morley who reached the finals in debate in the contest last week.



### Princess Jane



### Princess Lucille



—Cuts courtesy The Oregon Statesman

### High School Forensic Contest At Willamette Draws Over Fifty Speakers From Twelve Schools

By LAWRENCE GUDERIAN

An imposing array of approximately 50 high school extempore speakers and speakers specializing in interpretation will make their debut on the Willamette campus next week end when the Oregon High School Extempore Speaking and Interpretation Contests are held.

To date 12 Oregon high schools—Gresham, Salem, Dundee, Corvallis, Independence, West Linn, Franklin, St. Helena, Sheridan, Dallas, Parkrose, and Eugene—have filed entries for the contest.

The Oregon High School Extempore Speaking and Interpretation Contests are sponsored by Professor Herbert E. Rahe of Willamette. Tau Kappa Alpha, national forensic honorary fraternity and Theta Alpha Phi, national dramatic honorary fraternity.

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### Word Received of Gale Curry Trip

Word has been received from Miss Gale Curry physical education instructor at Willamette now on a leave of absence. She is now travelling in Europe.

Miss Curry spent the month of March studying at the Chelsea School of Physical Education in England. While there she worked with the director of the school in making a study of physical education in London.

From England she went to northern Sweden with a group of British girls for a skiing tour. Miss Curry also plans to visit Stockholm to study.

The last of April she will attend school in Finland. Other places Miss Curry will visit and study are Denmark in May, Berlin in June, Mary Wigman School of the Dance in Dresden in July, and France in August.

### Bashful Boy Brings Back Bacon By Bean Bagging; Pen Pusher Peeks, Presents Party Picture

By WARREN PETERS

Once again Willamette can proudly point to one of its sons and ask the whole world to take notice. The school that has given the Collegiate Hall of Fame such names as Grannis, Oravec, Weisgerber, and Bill Tull, can add further glory to the name of Richard Weisgerber.

In a copyright story by reporters Bill Waldron and Lee Canessa, the Collegian has released to the world this week by Amalgamated Press the fact that Willamette now has the State Champion in that most vigorous but virtuous sport—Beanbag Tossing. In spite of Weisgerber's modesty the two reporters were able to learn the details of his stirring match in the state finals with one Ethelbert Sugarbuss, unattached. To reach the finals our Richard had to out-toss five opponents, so that by the time he met up with Sugar-

buss he was silently suffering from muscle overstrain, which gave promise to develop into a hybrid of Charley-horse.

Spurred on by the cheers of his gallery, Weisgerber grimly gritted and grunted and set to with a purpose. It is not this paper's intentions to take away any glory from either contestant, but according to Messrs. Waldron and Canessa the score stood tied at three-all, until Weisgerber acted upon his suspicions and disclosed that Sugarbuss was throwing bags filled with strinbeans, and Weisgerber quoted rule after rule.

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## Local-Anesthesia Education

Impudent, presumptuous Joe College is at it again! Willamette students, not to be out-done by their contemporaries in other universities, inaugurate their own campaign of professor-panning and faculty-criticism. As is the case at other schools, this panning and criticism is directed against one particular member of the teaching staff. And, like their contemporaries, Willamette students pick on the man whom they believe to be the "driest" and the most boring lecturer!

Emblematic of a soft age is this student attitude! Raised on a diet of cream-puffs, "Mickey-Mouse" and "Road-to-Ruin" movies, Eddie Cantor radio programs, and the "Esquire" and "Coronet" magazine type of literature, the student of today demands a radio wise-crack in every sentence, the antics of Mickey Mouse in the professor's manner, and a style of speech that would make Ernest Hemmingway turn green with envy. Coupled with such sensationalism he demands that the professor outline the course in an A-B-C, 1-2-3 plan and pour it into his skull with use of local anesthesia!

To say that some students are too immature for college work is merely stating the obvious. To say that some will never reach the point of maturity where they can appreciate what is being offered them in a university curriculum is to antagonize a certain group of educational idealists. Be that as it may, it is certainly an obvious fact that a large number of Willamette students are not long enough out of the adolescent, not-dry-behind-the-ears stage to be able to weigh values. Confronted with the "problem" of a professor who is a recognized authority in his field but who fails to delight their senses with a flood of nonsensical "gags" and "cracks" they choose his lecture hour as the place to sleep, engage in a conversation, or study for the next hour's course!

"To teach a man anything there must first be a question in his mind," is an old axiom in education. Perhaps a professor is boring because his student is a boring listener! Perhaps there is no question in the student's mind!

So, we see, there are as usual two sides to the question. Shouldn't we, as students, be a bit tolerant and try to see ourselves through the eyes of professors? We venture to say that the sight would be an amusing and instructive one!

—E. M.

## The Pot Boils

The frothing, boiling political cauldron this week threatens to overflow in the last minute rush of candidates to have petitions signed and turned in. There is talk of vote-trading among the organizations of the campus, and log-rolling, the politician's favorite sport, seems destined to become an integral part of Willamette student-body elections.

Some candidates refuse to have any thing to do with such activities. Others feel that it is the only way to prevent incompetents from getting offices. We are tempted to side with the first group. Generally speaking, only upper-division students run for A.S.W.U. offices. If two years in school in which to make contacts and an election speech in chapel are not enough to let the students know who the candidate is, we feel sure that such a "Dark Horse" has no place in the political race.

The students, in our opinion, have a definite responsibility in regard to student-body elections. Much talk is heard in regard to the responsibility of the office-holders, but since the students have picked the candidates, it seems to us that the responsibility ultimately rests with the student-body.

The fund administered by the "Exec" council with the guidance of the graduate manager is approximately \$15,000. The office-holders appointed by the council include May-Day Manager, Wallulah manager, and Collegian manager. It seems then that quite a bit of serious thought ought to be given to making a choice of candidate for the positions on the executive council.

Consider the qualifications of each candidate and try to vote impartially!—E. M.

## Four Years of Work—and Fun

Last week saw the final inter-collegiate speech contest of the year for Willamette forensic men. It is considered a distinct honor to belong to the Pacific Forensic League, an honor somewhat analogous to the membership in the Pacific Northwest conference in athletics. Membership places Willamette in a select group of real "big-time" universities.

The contest last week was important because it marked the brilliant finish to the forensic careers of three Willamette men. George McLeod, who won second in oratory, has entered eight contests during his stay at Willamette. Randall Kester and Lawrence Morley together have given more than one-hundred debates during their four years of competition and by their 7000-mile trip have let the whole eastern part of the United States know that there is a school on the West coast by the name of Willamette.

Professor Rahe tells us that the Kester-Morley trip is not the last of its kind to be given forensic men. Prospective freshmen might do well to consider this fact when they make their choice as to which school they are going to attend. A trip across the United States is nothing to be "sneezed at," in the way of reward for work accomplished. Next year's PFL contest being held at University of Nevada will in itself

## TO BE SEEN ON THE SCREEN

### STATE

Friday and Saturday — "Night Waitress," starring Margot Grahame and Gordon Jones, plus the State orchestra and vaudeville.

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday — Full of Indian wars, romance and the development and hardships of the Old West is "The Plainsmen" which stars Gary Cooper and Jean Arthur.

April 23 and 24 brings Cary Grant and Mary Brian in a refreshing comedy, "Romance and Riches."

### HOLLYWOOD

Thursday — "Rhythm on the Range," with Bing Crosby.

Friday and Saturday — Edmund Lowe in "Seven Sinners" and Three Musketeers in "Roaring Red."

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday brings Metro Goldwyn-Mayer's latest jungle adventure romance "Tarzan Escapes," to the Hollywood theatre, starring the original Tarzan, Johnny Weissmuller and Maureen O'Sullivan. The picture, the story of love in the jungles of Africa and the hardships under which it endures, is packed full of jungle thrills. Savages and wild animals all play their part in making the picture worth seeing.

### GRAND

Simone Simon emerges as the screen's greatest star in the role she was born to play, with James Stewart in "Seventh Heaven" starting at the Grand today. She surpasses your greatest hopes, rouses your wildest enthusiasm, brings your deepest tears, as the little street wail, Diane, who was afraid of happiness. James Stewart, tall laughing, gray-eyed, lifts her heart to the stars—and yours too—as Chico of the valiant spirit and the shy, yearning love, in this the tenderest love story of our time.

## Elkburger Feed Big Attraction

That biology labs are not all seriousness and dissection was proved Friday, April 2, when the students in the embryology lab of Dr. Mary Erickson threw or rather consumed an elkburger spread. About 3:30 that afternoon delicious odors of frying meat wafted over the campus and even attracted some uninvited guests from the gymnasium. The aroma became so strong in the general biology lab across the hall that lab instructors Orwig and Crookham had difficulty maintaining order and indeed later themselves succumbed and slunk across the hall for an elkburger. Paul Burger, whose father shot an elk during hunting season, furnished elkburger patties which were fried by Miss Mabel Tucker. The bun problem was amply taken care of by Sam Hughes who toasted several dozen on his electric plate. Miss Tucker and Mr. Tyler also joined in making coffee. Those attending the feed were Paul Burger, Ray Lower, Sam Hughes, Ralph Thompson, Ivan Kenney, Al Perry, Charles Versteeg, Mable Tucker, Fred Gregorius, Ken Peterson, Frank Tyler and honored guests, Miss Erickson, Miss Orwig, and Miss Crookham.

give a chance for someone in Willamette to get a glimpse of some foreign scenery.

We believe it was Doctor Doney who once said when referring to speech making that if "that is not preparation for life, then I do not know what is." Certainly it is enlightening to notice the number of men whose names now appear in *Who's Who* who have at some time in their life studied speech or competed in college speech contests.—E. M.

## A Gift of Time and Talent

Starting this week a series of deputations will go out to the various high schools to give programs and talks before the student-bodies. The time and talent for these invitational deputations are purely a matter of donation on the part of the students who go. With the Songmen away on a tour, Willamette is still able to scare up enough very fine talent to make up several of these groups.

To our notion, the Willamette student-body of approximately seven-hundred has in it an abundance of talent. It is only when we find ourselves looking for entertainers to take on tours and deputations that we really discover what a wealth of material there really is. Why could not more of this same talent be made use of in chapel programs? A musical program, in our opinion, offers just as much in the way of cultural advancement as a speech by a boring visiting speaker. And such programs might also be used to cut down on the time allotted to a boring speaker, might even tend to inspire him to say something worth hearing.—E. M.

'Sense it pleases!—for writing so many editorials, but the editor is gone on the Songmen tour, and since we aren't running for editor next year, we had to make up for a whole year's work in one issue! Why not run for editor? Well, we suppose most students have heard the old story of the donkey who was stranded between two large piles of hay because he couldn't make up his mind which pile to start eating from. He starved to death. There is such a thing as entering into enough activities to broaden one's personality; then, again, there is such a thing as entering into so many activities that one's personality broadens until it splits. A split personality is about the most useless thing we can think of at present.

## Campus Clubs

By Margaret Taylor

Saturday, April 3, the International Club held its annual Beach Trip. Neskewin Beach was chosen for the scene of the picnic. An almost complete rainbow over the blue ocean encouraged the crowd after the wet bushes and soggy looking sand.

The earliest arrivals rented a cabin and had breakfast started. And what a breakfast! Enough to make our Farmer Bill shudder, but it all disappeared—bananas, eggs, fried potatoes, rolls, coffee, everything.

After a lively game of soft ball on the beach, the group broke up into exploring parties. Some of the less cold blooded took off shoes and socks and waded a stream to explore the very interesting Proposal Rock which almost hangs over the ocean. So far as is known, there were no proposals, but the brave ones were rewarded with an unusually lovely view of the grand Pacific, the hills to the north and the cliffs to the south.

The cliffs were the next object of explorations. Those who joined this party found growing sea life in abundance and most of them found the rocks slippery and the water wet. It was really quite funny to see Ray Johnston flat flat just as a wave came in to almost cover him over.

There was an abundance of seaweed on the beach and it made ideal skipping rope. Tots and Bill did very nicely, too; but Jim Pyke simply couldn't get through without being hit.

After every one had more or less dried out, dinner was served in the community kitchen. And Bill McKinney certainly can make stew.

By the time dinner was over it was raining and there didn't seem to be much chance of any more clear weather for the day. So everything was packed in and all roads led to Salem.

As Chresto Cottage was in use, the party went to the home of one of the members for a lively supper and a jolly end to the day.

Miss Dahl, Miss McHirron and Mrs. Luther accompanied the group. Among the other guests were Ardene Troxell, Lucile Neery and Raymond Johnston. The members who made the trip were Martha Jane Hottel, Evelyn Welch, Beth Hall, Marie Bonfick, Olive Clemes, Muriel Jones, Barbara Jones, Alice Midwood, Helen Ridley, James Pyke, Bill McKinney, Eugene Hibbard, Toraura Yada, Jack Ferguson and Grant Ridley.

## Final Tryouts Of Year At Meeting Of Little Theatre

Last tryouts of the year were held by Little Theatre April 5, and the following were pledged: Hilla Davidson, Enid Winningham, Kay Ringe.

It was decided to put on some one-act plays for May Day. Miss Josie Acklin and Miss Melba Ripelle will direct them.

Plans were discussed for putting on one-act plays on May 14. A new rug was voted to be purchased with the funds made on "Twelfth Night." The rug will be put on the floor of Little Theatre.

The next meeting of Little Theatre Guild will be held April 19.

## COLLEGIATE QUOTES

By Gene Hill

Do you laugh at High school jokes? Then read the following one found in the Hermiston High Weekly.

"Oliver was careless about his personal effects. When his mother saw his clothing scattered about on the chair and floor, she inquired, 'Who didn't hang up his clothes when he went to bed?'"

A muffled voice from under the covers muttered, "Adam."

A reporter for the Reed College Quest heard some interesting news about a future lawyer.

Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., intends to enter the University of Virginia Law school next fall, he has informed Acting Dean George B. Eager.

Indications from the South are that the California legislature will soon be presented with a bill proposing that the name of San Jose State be changed to "California State College." The idea, it seems, is to give the teachers more prestige.

Meanwhile on that campus students are meeting distinguished visitors as the following item suggests:

"Lloyd C. Douglas, author of 'The Magnificent Obsession,' and 'The Green Light,' tentatively has accepted an invitation to speak in Morris Dailey auditorium on May 20, at which time awards will be made to winners in the Phelan contest."

Douglas, a popular novelist, is a close friend of Dr. Lou Emily Pearson of the English department. His appearance here is being sponsored by Pegasus, college literary society and will be the English department's contribution to the Jubilee celebration which will be in progress.

The clergymen now engaged in writing and lecturing has written many novels including, "Forgive Us Our Tresspasses," "Precious Jeopardy," and "Those Disturbing Miracles." — Sparton Daily.

At Maine University they regret their lack of a song-fest or a Freshman Glee.

"A feature of the commencement season at some other colleges is an interfraternity or inter-class sing which is the occasion for a great deal of rivalry among groups competing for the winning trophy. At one mid-western college the fraternity groups, carrying torches, march one by one to a large platform where each renders its selection, usually a fraternity song, in the long twilight of the spring evening. On at least one occasion this sing has been broadcast over a national radio net-work."

At Williams there is an inter-class sing held on the steps of one of the buildings following the tapping of the honorary Gargoyle society (which corresponds to our Skulls), during the commencement season.

Such a tradition would be a rich addition to the Commencement exercises here at Maine.—Maine Campus.

The following Professor's Lament was found in the Washington State Evergreen:

There are times, in desperation, I grow eloquent, or clown. But loquacity or humor. Indignates a drowsy frown. Undisturbed, they settle lower; To repose they fairly leap; Oh, it's very disconcerting But my classes always sleep.

I have vainly sought devices Their alertness to increase. But it seems these all contribute To an air of restless peace. Now old Morpheus is artful, And to curious spots will creep; But I'll never cease to wonder Why my classes always sleep. —M.L.S.

## High School Forensic

(Continued from Page 1) of schools having an attendance of over 500 students. These schools may enter two representatives in each contest.

Special entertainment is being provided for all the guests by the speech department and the different fraternities and sororities on the campus.

Starting Friday afternoon, April 16, the registration for the tournament will take place, followed by the preliminary contests that will continue on into the evening.

Saturday morning, April 17, the semi-final speeches will be held and Saturday afternoon the final speeches to determine the outcome of the contests will be delivered. Trophies will be given to the winners of each contest and cups and medals will be awards for second places.

The Oregon High School Contests are an annual event at Willamette and are one of the many projects that the speech department handles.

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## Bashful Boy

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In retaliation, Ethelbert Sugarpuus, noticing the queer antics of Mr. Weisgerber's Beanbags, stated that Our Richard was making use of Mexican Jumping Beans. Weisgerber coolly submitted his weapons to the judges, who found them to contain only Chile Beans, and thereupon awarded him the trophy—A Mug of Boston Baked Beans.

In conclusion, Messrs. Waldron and Canessa admit that Weisgerber is recuperating from his ordeal with spasmodic visits to the beaches, and that anyone who even so much as says "Beanbags" in his presence will be promptly bearded. Thus it has always been.

## May-Day

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## Two Teaching Positions Given This Year's Grads

Word was received here this week that Billy Sutton and Charlotte Kallander, both of whom will graduate this year have signed contracts for teaching positions for the next school year.

Charlotte Kallander is to teach typing in the commercial department of the Ashland High school. Billy Sutton will teach physical education and coach basketball at Shedd high school in Portland, Oregon.

Kallander and Sutton are the first of this year's crop of graduates who have received positions for next year.

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## Delta Phi's Give Annual May Breakfast

On last Sunday, April 11, Delta Phi's entertained with their annual spring breakfast at the chapter house. Excitement was provided by the announcement of the wedding date of Rosemary Huffman and Joe Felton, to be June 13. The announcement was made on tiny parchment scrolls tied to long yellow ribbons which led to the place card of each girl. The long U-shaped table carried several bouquets of daffodils and jonquils; placecards were yellow and pink pigeons on nests of green shredded paper. The other rooms were decorated with daffodils, grape hyacinth, and yellow violets in crystal bowls. After breakfast the girls and their guests attended church or packed picnic lunches for an afternoon at Silver Creek Falls.

Hostesses were: Mrs. F. A. Well, the Misses Cathrin Hendrick, Rosemary Huffman, Winifred Gardner, Annette Jordan, Carolyn Hunt, Vivian Noth, Enid Winingham, Margaret Ann Kells, Martha Herman, June Brasted, June Johnson, Jean Bartlett, Verna Vosper, Marian Smith, Lillian Hart, Kay Ringe, Helene Trulsen, Lois Burton, Margaret Hauser, Wanda Landon, Esther Black, Dolly Dingle, Jimmie Tompkins, Betty Howe, Virginia Moore, Virginia Pugh, June Charbonneau, Naida Carroll, Marian Steigerwald, Roberta McGilchrist, Olive Clemes, Vivian Willing, Eleanor Sherman, Eleanor Perry, Loye Bogardus, Melba Rlopelle, Barbara Chapler, Frances Faber, Barbara Crookham, Mary Jeannette Sargent, and Gwen Gallagher.

Guests were: Joe Felton, Guy Helms, Talbot Bennett, Bill Miller, Don Lane, Doug Sharp, Verdel Ragsdale, Bill Fisher, Bill Anton, Cecil Quesseth, Cal Ritchey, Bronc Williams, Lawrence Morley, Mel Viken, Leroy Casey, Jack Ansley, Larry Nunnenkamp, Gordon Randall, Ridge Miller, Dwight Aden, Randall Kester, Verne Rierston, Tommy Hazlett, Jim Johnson, Stan Neuens, Buzz Hagedorn, Charles Perry, Rex Pierce, Ty Gillespie, Jim Pyke, Bob Anderson, Harold Hutchinson, Roger Baker, Lloyd Riehl, Rod Winston, Doug Olds, Henry Frantz, Willard Petre, Graden Fisk, and Ralph McCullough.

## Shower Honors Miss Durkee

Mrs. Stanley Satchwell and Mrs. Clinton Standish were hostesses Saturday evening for an informal shower honoring Miss Dorothy Durkee, whose marriage to Wilbur Harris will be an event of next Saturday, at Battle Ground, Washington.

The guest list included the Misses Dorothy Durkee, Mary Jeannette Sargent, Barbara Crookham, Roberta Mills, Gwen Hunt, Doris Unruh, Winifred Gardner, and Mrs. S. V. Hall, Mrs. Standish, and Mrs. Satchwell.

## BX Serenade Follows Formal

Members of Beta Chi serenaded the living organizations of the campus last Saturday following the Lausanne Hall formal. An informal dance was given before the serenade, with Miss Phyllis Phythian in charge of arrangements. Mrs. F. A. Elliot acted as chaperone.

Hostesses included the Misses Marjorie Thorne, Irma Oehler, Lucille Brainard, Marguerite Clark, Dot Ellinger, Charlotte Eyre, Ruth Bunzow, Julia Philp, Melva Belle Savage, Margaret Moulton, Phyllis Phythian, Jean Hollingsworth, and Carol Smith.

Escorts included Harry Mosher, George Abbott, John Kelly, Louis Stett, Frank Pemberton, Bob Patton, Forest Robinson, Max Hauser, Lloyd Claggett, Hillis Davidson, Oscar Specht, Ralph Nohlgren, and LeRoy Casey.

## Dinner Honors Group Saturday

Miss Victoria and Miss Helena Schneider were hostesses for an informal dinner party at their home on Jefferson Avenue Saturday night, April 3, in compliment to a group of the university set. The evening was spent informally.

Covers were placed for Miss Jane Fisher, Miss Marian Averill, Miss Jeremy Upston, Miss Victoria Schneider, Miss Helena Schneider, Joseph Harvey, Winthrop Henderson, Asa Lewelling, Max Taggart, and Bob Hart.

Miss Muriel Ingham was hostess for a delightful house party, at her home on Nebraska Avenue, from Friday to Sunday. The week-end was spent informally in hiking, eating, and attending "Maytime." Those bidden by Miss Ingham were Miss Cornelia Hulst, Miss Marguerite DuRette, Miss Lillian Potter, Miss Jean Cone, and Miss Betty Taylor.

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## Lausanne Hall Formal Given Saturday Night

THE outstanding event of last week-end was the Lausanne Hall semi-formal dance at Hazel Green, Saturday night. The hours were from 8:30 till 11:30. The music was furnished by Franklin Moore and his Portland orchestra.

Patrons and patronesses were Mrs. J. A. Mills, Miss Helen MacHirron, Dean and Mrs. Frank Erickson, and Professor and Mrs. Jones.

The spring motif was carried out in the decorations. Large baskets of spring flowers and greenery were placed about the hall. Clever programs were presented to the guests.

General chairman for the affair was Miss June Brasted. Assisting here were Miss Janet Powell, Miss Alene Fairclough, Miss Muriel Stewart, Miss Ruth Davis, Miss Irma Calvert, and Miss Mary Taylor.

Present were the Misses Marie Bendixsen, June Brasted, Lillian Briggs, Barbara Chapler, June Charbonneau, Margaret Coan, Ruth Davis, Ethel Denham, Harriette Foster, Beth Hall, Rae Hungerford, Norma Leek, Margaret Macy, Vivian Pittenger, Genevra Pond, Janet Powell, Dorothea Kietzing, Elise Sharp, Evelyn Sher, Betty Zook, Willetta Smith, Lucille Neary, Muriel Stewart, Maravene Thompson, Vivian Willing, Maxine Beagle, Virginia Beas-ton, Leone Burdick, Jean Bartlett, Irma Calvert, Olive Clemes, Margaret Engdahl, Alene Fairclough, Charlotte Goplerud, Betty Howe, Ariss Jones, Hannah Kaufman, Betty Lou Lacy, Marian Smith, Myrtle Martin, Virginia Moore, Au-

drey Reid, Betty Savage, Helene Trulsen, Verna Vosper, Enid Winingham, Carolyn Woods, Peggy Goebel, Dorothy Wright, Ardene Troxell, Elizabeth Sears, Marjorie Tiedeman, Marjorie Herr, and Dorrine Wilson.

Escorts were Chester Varnes, Douglas Olds, Al Tebault, Wallace Turner, Buzz Hagedorn, Bob Howe, Bill Snyder, Talbot Bennett, Bud Jones, Raymond Johnston, Charles Bieker, Louis Hersherberger, Al Klausen, Tom Gabriel, Clayton Wheeler, Ivan Keeney, Bob Ramp, Harlan Sheldon, Al Stevens, Frank Shepard, Verdel Ragsdale, Mark Neary, Ed McWain, James Barnett, Stan Eland, Leonard Donaldson, Jerry Sherman, Bob Burkholder, Oliver Glenn, Bill Fisher, James Pyke, Gilbert Heald, Oren McDowell, Harlan Moe, Tom Hazlett, Ray Lower, Bill McReynolds, Jim Jarvis, Lee Page, Don Sells, Jim Johnson, Ward Wieneke, Bob Hart, Jack Ansley, Bob Clark, Doug Sharp, Bob Brown, Darr Mennis, George McLeod, Carol Drew, Bill Wagner, Wayne Doughton, Neil Shaffer, and Frank Guerin.

## Announcements Tell Future Wedding Dates

Of special interest to Willamette students are the engagement announcements of two former students at the university.

Miss Rosalind Van Winkle, daughter of Attorney General I. H. Van Winkle, announced her engagement to E. Roane Melton, son of Mrs. Bessie Melton, of Houston, Texas, at a bridge party for which Mrs. Dan Schrieber was hostess. The marriage will take place Saturday afternoon, June 12, at the Van Winkle home.

Miss Van Winkle was a member of Beta Chi and Pi Gamma Mu. Following her graduation from Willamette, she spent a year at Columbia University, where she received her Master's degree. She taught at La Grande and is now on the faculty of Parrish Junior high. Mr. Melton is a graduate of the University of Maryland and is chief engineer and director of research for Seismic Explorations, Inc., of Houston, Texas.

Miss Florence DuRette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. DuRette of Gervais, announced her engagement last week to Francis Saalfeld, of Gervais.

Miss DuRette graduated from Willamette last June. She was a member of Beta Chi and Cap and Gown, and is on the faculty at Central Point this year. Mr. Saalfeld graduated from Gervais schools and Sacred Heart Academy and resides now in Gervais.

## Cabinet Takes Trip to Beach

Members of the old and new Y. W. cabinets "retreated" to Neskowin last Friday afternoon, to spend the week-end and plan the following year's work. Dean Dahl, Mrs. Paul Ellis, and Miss Stella Scurlock, regional secretary of the Y.W.C.A., were special guests. Miss Helen Burdick was in charge of the affair.

Members of the new cabinet include the four elected officers, Miss Mary Jeannette Sargent, president; Miss Suzanne Curtis, vice-president; Miss Leone Burdick, secretary; and Miss Olive Clemes, treasurer, and the different committee heads, including the Misses Ariss Jones, Marguerite Smith, Patience Priesting, Barbara Chapler, Betty Taylor, Helen Trindle, Martha Okuda, Lunelle Chapin, Echo Johnson, and Ardelie Yaden. Members of the old cabinet who attended were Miss Julia Philip, Miss Marian Wakefield, Miss Helen Purvine, Miss Julia Johnson, and Miss Helen Burdick.

Alpha Psi Delta announces the pledging of Jack Ferguson, of Victoria, B. C.

## April Fools Party Given

The freshman members of Delta Phi entertained their older sisters and guests at the chapter house Saturday evening, April 3, with a backwards party. Hostesses called for and delivered their young men and all were constrained by Mrs. Well to enter the back door. The first order of entertainment consisted of the refreshments, after which Bronc Williams and Dick Weisgerber conducted an insane auction, selling their articles for beans. Almost every one was wearing some part of his clothing backwards and as the men had chosen this part to be their shirts the party was plentifully sprinkled with divines.

Verna Vosper was in charge of the party and helped by Enid Winingham and June Brasted, she conducted several group games, relay race and charades. Helen Woodfin led several rounds of school songs, while the last game was a race to collect the left-handed signatures of everyone present. Although all were urged to collect as many as possible, the prize was given to the individual with the shortest list. Afterwards tag dancing was enjoyed till midnight both downstairs and in the upstairs party room.

Hostesses were: Mrs. F. A. Well, the Misses Mary Jeannette Sargent, Anna May Unrath, Barbara Crookham, Marian Steigerwald, Frances Faber, Wanda Landon, June Johnson, Verna Vosper, Vivian Willing, Jean Bartlett, Barbara Chapler, Shirley Chapler, Lorene Tompkins, Melba Rlopelle, Enid Winingham, Josie Acklin, Eleanor Sherman, Margaret Ann Kells, June Brasted, Ruth Pemberton, Eleanor Perry, Lillian Hart, Dolly Dingle, Betty Howe, Ruth Tscharnar, June Charbonneau, Helene Trulsen, Virginia Moore, Helen Woodfin, Lois Burton, Kay Ringe, and Harriet Childs.

Guests were: Graden Fiske, Roger Baker, Dean Wright, Burtis Preston, Rex Pearce, Dick Weisgerber, Carl Rhoda, Ridge Miller, Cal Ritchey, Bronc Williams, Gordon Willaimson, Bill Anton, Merle Turner, Cecil Quesseth, Verne Rierston, Stan Eland, Everett Gary, Paul Hauser, Bob Brown, Sam Sherrill, Ed McWain, Mel Viken, Otto Wilson, Harlan Sheldon, Mervin Brink, Buzz Hagedorn, Guy Helms, Jim Johnson, Ralph Gustafson, Laurence Nunnenkamp, Erwin Potter, and Kenny Brunkow.

Spending Sunday at Neskowin were Miss Suzanne Curtis, Miss Mary Jeannette Sargent, and Miss Helen Purvine, and Charles Neville, Graydon Fisk, and Joseph Blanchard.

Miss Hilda Crawford is among the new pledges of Delta Delta Delta at Oregon State.

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## Cap and Gown Group Honored

Dean Olive Dahl and members of Cap and Gown motored to Corvallis Monday night, as the guests of the Oregon State Chapter of Mortar Board. They were entertained at a dinner given in the Memorial Union Building and then attended the Lyceum program, a performance of Ted Shaw and his troupe of dancers. Dean Jamison of Oregon State was a special guest at the dinner.

Later in the spring, the Mortar Board group of Corvallis will be the guests here of Cap and Gown at its annual pledging chapel service, at which Miss Mary Mahoney, personal director of Meier and Frank Co., will be the speaker.

## Buffet Supper Given Sunday

Alpha Psi Delta fraternity was host for an informal buffet supper Sunday, April 4, at the chapter house on Chemsoketa street. The affair began at 3:30, and supper was served later in the afternoon. Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Vazakas and Dr. and Mrs. Chester Luther were the chaperones. The guest rooms were decorated with large bouquets of daffodils and other spring flowers. Louis Hersherberger was general chairman of the affair. Henry Franz, Dan Moses, and Cecil Quesseth in white mess jackets served.

Guests were Miss Helene Trulsen, Miss Lillian Briggs, Miss Anna Mae Unrath, Miss Esther Black, Miss Mona Starbuck, Miss Charlotte Kallander, Miss Margaret Ayers, Miss Marguerite Smith,

## Picnic Supper Given Friday

Friday night, April 2, members of Alpha Phi Alpha entertained with a picnic supper at their North Summer Street home. Dancing and games were enjoyed during the evening. Mrs. Charles Willson, housemother, acted as chaperone.

Present were Miss Bellrol Malloy, Miss Echo Johnson, Miss Betty Lou Hansel, Miss Jeanette Brown, Miss Alleen Moore, Miss Kay Thompson, Miss Lunelle Chapin, Miss Barbara Kurtz, Miss Janice Murray, Miss Annabelle Cooter, Miss Helen Peterson, Miss Antoinette Irish, Miss Margaret Engdahl, and Miss Doris Hayes.

Bill McReynolds, John McNeese, Harlan Sheldon, Wilbur Curry, Dale Smith, Everett Clark, Bruce Carlin, Bob Smith, Morrill Cray, Wilmer Willis, Francis Schmidt, Pat Crossland, Gilbert Heald, and Neil Shaffer.

Miss Dorothy Burger, Miss Jean Bartlett, Miss Lucille Brainard, Miss Mildred Muller, Miss Julia Philp, Miss June Johnson, Miss Harriet Foster, Miss Marian Wassam, Miss Eleanor Perry, Miss Eleanor Sherman, and Miss Barbara Crookham.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sturges, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Criswell, Guy Helms, Louis Hersherberger, Warner Crow, Dwight Aden, George McCallister, Bob Yeo, Art Lamka, George Billings, Hal Cattley, Bill Anton, John Kelly, Ernest Mosier, Max Hauser, Cal Ritchie, Bob Jones, Corliss Berry, Walter Rugh, Robert Brown, and Fred Sanders.

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Lineup Puzzle

Weather conditions permitting, Willamette's baseball nine will play its first contest of the season, Friday, at Corvallis, when the Bearcats, defending state intercollegiate champs, take on Slat's Gill's Oregon Staters in a double-header. The teams will play a second twin bill the following day on Sweetland field.

The locals have been greatly handicapped in their pre-season workouts by the constant rainy weather. Two sets of tilts with Oregon have been washed out as well as the annual contest with the State Prison outfit.

Unable to get outside, the players have taken to the gymnasium to get what little value a program indoors affords. However, when the team takes the field Friday, it will be a completely untried squad that takes up the battle.

Six hurlers are on hand and all may see service. Fagan Weaver and Jerry Gastineau, the only veteran starters, are sure to assume starting roles. Jack Criswell, a rook and the only southpaw, Bill Anton, who has shown improvement, Tom Hagar, freshman fast-ball chucker, and Larry Nunnenkamp, who saw some service on the firing line last year, are the other moundsmen.

The remainder of the lineup is still a puzzle because the weather broke up practice sessions before any of the candidates had a real chance to show his wares. Probable starters are: Beard or Weisgerber, catchers; Rex Pierce, first; Bill Sutton, second; Lee Shinn, shortstop; Roy Orren, third; Dwight Aden, Verdell Ragsdale, and Gordon Williamson, Buzz Hagedorn or Dwight Catherwood, outfield. The last three named are freshmen as is Shinn.

Beard, while lacking experience, has looked good behind the bat, a post he held in high school days. The receiving staff will be strengthened soon by the addition of Hal Moe, out with a broken arm.

The Beavers will present a strong mound staff headed by Ralph Takami, sophomore star from Lincoln high of Portland. Bill Kalibek and Cramer, regular last season are also on hand as is Arnold Fenger, another Portland soph, who has played in numerous semi-pro leagues around the Rose City.

The infield is made up of Earl Conkling, Art Merryman, Fred Lewis, and Rudy Kappel. In the outfield are Jay Pleasant, Ike Wintermute, and Del Gwynn will catch.

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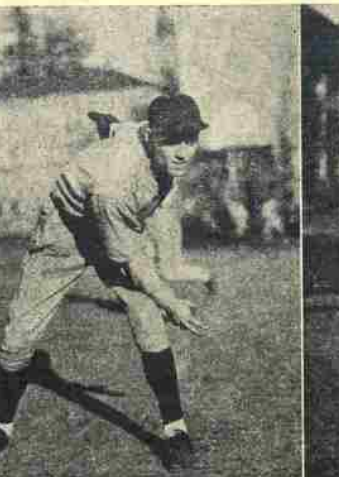
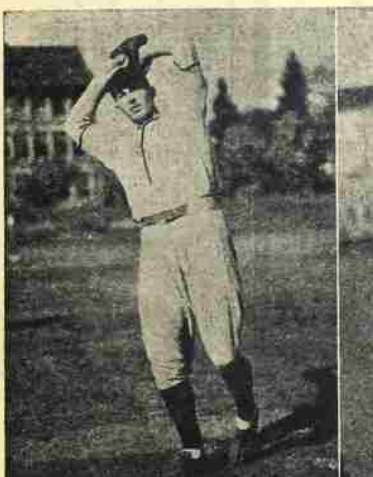
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## SEXTET OF VETERANS RETURN FOR BASEBALL TEAM



Top, left to right, Verdell Ragsdale, Dick Weisgerber, Harlan Moe; below, left to right, Bill Beard, Jerry Gastineau, Lawrence Nunnenkamp. Here are six returning veterans for this year's baseball aggregation. Moe and Weisgerber are catchers, Gastineau and Nunnenkamp, pitchers, Ragsdale, an outfielder, and Beard, an infielder. The latter, however, has seen some service behind the plate in recent practice sessions and may become one of the regular mitt-and-mask men.

## Sparks Uncertain About Willamette Team For Relays

Whether Willamette would enter the University of Portland relay meet, scheduled for Friday afternoon on the Pilot cinder track, was still undetermined today.

With weather conditions extremely unfavorable Coach Sparks' proteges have had little chance to condition themselves. He is undecided whether he should enter an untried team against the competition expected to compete in the second annual invitational meet.

Linfeld's strong team, Portland, the host, Pacific, and Oregon Normal will be represented.

Just who would make the trip if the team was entered is also a question. John Kelly, Dext Russell, Harlan Sheldon, Gene Hubbard, Bob Brown, and Norm Hagedorn are the experienced men out.

## Tennis Team Wins At Normal, Loses Webfoot Matches

Willamette's tennis squad has managed to squeeze in two matches between showers this spring, winning from Oregon Normal and dropping a shutout decision to Oregon's powerful Webfoot racquetters.

The match with the Teachers went to the locals by a 3-0 count when rain halted play. The Webfoot trounced the Bearcat courtmen 7 matches to none.

Rankings of the Willamette players is judged by a ladder tournament. Bill Clemes is playing number one at the present.

## Second Volleyball Program Planned

The Y.M.-Y.W. organizations of the campus will sponsor their second night of volleyball play, in the gymnasium, Friday night, April 23, from seven to eight.

This is the second program of this kind. The first drew a large crowd and provided exercise and entertainment for everybody.

## INTRAMURAL SPORTS

By  
DAN MOSES

The intramural league softball season finally got under way last Wednesday after waiting for two days because of bad weather. The P. E. Staff, Law School, and Alpha Psi Delta proved themselves to be outstanding contenders for the school championship by virtue of victories scored in the first week's play.

The games which were scheduled for April 16—Sigma Tau vs. Law School, and the Independents vs. Alpha Psi Delta—have been postponed until next week if the weather permits. Games scheduled for Monday and Tuesday of this week will be played today and tomorrow, weather permitting.

Although the Kappas and Sigma Tau got off to bad starts, both teams promise to have stronger outings as the season progresses.

The P. E. Staff got off to a flying start with a 25 to 4 victory over Sigma Tau and a 14 to 10 win over the strong Independent aggregation which team shows prospects of going places in the race for the championship. Les Sparks, Norris Joyce, "Bunny" Bennett, and Stockwell were the P. E. staff stars.

In its only league start thus far Alpha Psi Delta showed a world of terrific hitting power as they slugged out a 41 to 4 victory over the Kappas in what is believed to be a new league record for runs scored by one team in one game. Among the Alpha Psi heavy hitters were Cece Quesseth, John Kelly, Curt Johnson, Bob Jones, "Manly" Guerin, George Billings, and Wayne Brainard.

The Law School under "Black Dan" McAllister have lived up to expectations by producing a number of home run hitters, among whom are Bronk Williams, Ralph Nohlgren, and Warner Brown, each of whom hit two home runs as they defeated the Kappas 16 to 5.

Batteries and scores for the first week's games are:

... R. H.  
P. E. Staff.....25 21  
Sigma Tau.....4 4  
Stockwell and Schmidt; Klee; J. Harvey and Shepard.

... R. H.  
P. E. Staff.....14 12  
Independents.....10 9  
Stockwell and Schmidt; Hubbard, Ferguson, D. Smith and McRae.

... R. H.  
Alpha Psi Delta.....41 35  
Kappa Gamma Rho.....4 8  
Keuscher, Moses and B. Jones; Mohr, E. Morley, B. Nelson, Fisher and Wedell, E. Morley.

... R. H.  
Law School.....16 19  
Kappa Gamma Rho.....5 4  
B. Williams and Llewellyn; Rierston and Wedell.

In practice games played before the league play opened last week, Alpha Psi Delta defeated Sigma Tau, 11 to 3, and the Independents 13 to 0. In the first game yours

## P. E. Association Appoints Sparks

Leslie Sparks has recently been appointed as chairman of the committee on district organization for the Oregon State Physical Education Association. This committee is responsible for promoting the development of smaller working units for health and physical education within the state. Mr. Sparks' duties as chairman are: the setting up of machinery for developing greater individual responsibility for promoting physical and health education in local communities; the determination of problems which exist within communities and a study of these problems; collection, compilation, and development of pertinent materials to assist in solutions; the fostering of cooperative relationships between state physical education association and district organizations.

At the spring meeting of the association Mr. Sparks spoke on the relationship of high schools to colleges and universities. The topic for the meeting was, "How can our facilities exemplify our philosophy of physical education?"

Mr. Sparks is now president-elect of the association and will therefore serve as president in 1938.

## MAJORS TAKE TRIP

The physical ed majors enjoyed their senior orals at the beach last week-end. Leaving Friday afternoon, they motored to Agate Beach and remained until late Sunday. Those making the trip were Rosemary Huffman, Anoka Coates, Rachael Vocum, Anna Mae Unrath, George Erickson, Walter Commons, Bill Sutton, and Charlie Versteeg.

truly did some chucking, and since Joe Harvey, Sigma Tau pitcher, who was the first batter to face your correspondent, hit a terrific home run on the second ball pitched, bystanders reminded yours truly to be "sure and put it in the paper"; here it is. But in the second game with the Independents yours truly hit a home run, a double, and a single, out of three trips to the plate, so thought that he should include this fact also in the story.

Next week's schedule calls for games on one day only, Monday, with the P. E. Staff meeting Alpha Psi Delta, and the Independents playing the Law School. As a result all postponed games from last week and this week will be made up on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday of next week, weather permitting.

Yours truly,

## INTRAMURAL SOFTBALL

	W.	L.	Pct.
P. E. Staff.....	2	0	1.000
Alpha Psi.....	1	0	1.000
Law School.....	1	0	1.000
Independents.....	1	0	1.000
Sigma Tau.....	1	0	1.000
Kappa G. Rho.....	2	0	1.000

## KOLUMN \* KOMMENT

By BOB KEUSCHER  
(Collegian Sports Editor)

Old Jupiter Pluvius has certainly over-worked himself this spring at his usual task of making life miserable for spring sports addicts, athletes and coaches of the various lines of endeavor. From over the state one hears grumbles about the blow the weather has dealt the spring sports calendar. Here at Willamette the situation has been unusually bad. The baseball team has been able to stage but one or two honest-to-goodness workouts, and, even then, the weather was far from right for the national pastime. The track team, with the cinderpath a virtual lake, has been equally handicapped. The tennis team has had but little better success.

The diamond squad, facing the most strenuous conference schedule in years, is far behind the form hoped for this date. The first double-header with Oregon and the tilt with the State Prison team were rained out. In order to make up for the games lost on account of the April deluge the team faces a tough schedule between now and the first league engagement.

One thing that makes the conference slate so tough is the fact that four games will be played with each of the western division teams—Albany, Pacific and Puget Sound. These contests will be played as double-headers with the aid of twin bills arranged in each case for consecutive days. Such a program calls for at least four dependable starting pitchers. The Bearcats boast two vets from last year—Jerry Gastineau and Fagan Weaver, but whether two more can be found is still a big question. Bill Anton, Larry Nunnenkamp, Tom Hagar, and Jack Criswell are possibilities.

While Willamette's hopefuls have been limited in practice, other teams have fared somewhat better. Where the starting lineup here is still a matter of conjecture, most of the other coaches have listed at least tentative groups.

Down Albany way, Coach Don Faber, finds his biggest weakness lies with the mound corps where he has Tubby Manning, ex-Albany high star; Jimmy Myers, from Lakeview, a fast-ball chucker; Mel Miller and Lefty Gebhardt. At first base are Lee Russell and Jim Garland; at second and short, respectively, are Bob Derr and Henry Pate, said to be a classy fielding pair; at third is Marion Huggert. In the outfield are the hard-hitting southpaw, Bob Arthur, Chuck Croston, George Harland and Allen Peterson. Hermie Cook, Gene Decker and Don Lehman are the catchers listed.

At Pacific, Coach Pete Miller

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## Art Club Pledges Formally Initiated

One by one each member of "Paint Spots" went into candle-lit Chresto Cottage to be formally initiated into the organization at an impressive ceremony Tuesday afternoon of last week.

Sixteen candidates were ushered individually to the flower-covered table where the club pledge was taken and the long anticipated membership pins presented.

Cornelia Hulst, president of the organization and presiding official, read the pledge and handed each new member a white carnation to wear for the initiation.

On the mantel piece red, blue and white candles illuminated a palette bearing a spot of three like colors of paint.

After all members had been initiated, the advisor, Miss Fowler, was presented with a large corsage to express the gratitude of the organization for her services in the past.

When the formalities were over, all the members and pledges were entertained at a tea. Honorary members, Mrs. S. B. Laughlin and Mrs. Bruce Baxter, were present for the initiation and the tea. Rae Hungerford played several numbers on the violin, accompanied by Jean Rasey at the Piano.

"Paint Spots" will meet again on next Tuesday afternoon for a regular business meeting.

also ranks hurling his weakest spot. Orval Olsen, star last year, will be out all season with a badly sprained back, leaving only Walter Riess as a seasoned performer. Three frosh, Seaborn, Diericks, and Lieualen are on hand. Catching should be good with three capable men, John Seim, "Moke" Gearin, and "Pete" Petrasso, out. First base also will be strong with a trio scrapping for the post—Swede Sickstrom, George Racette and Mel Alter. Vern Cook, a vet, is the shortstop. Ed Ellertson, is listed at third base, and Marcus Wickman and Kappel, a rook, hold down outfield berths. Second base and the other outfield spot are still open.

Up north comes word that Coach Joey Mack has one of the strongest teams C.P.S. has boasted in years. The Puget Sounders expect to outdo even such a remarkable record as was established by last year's great nine.

Over in the Inland Empire, "The Old Fox" Nig Borleske has another of his great teams, and conference coaches have little hopes to rank any better than second best to the mighty Missionary nine. Borleske's outfit has everything—power at bat, plenty of good pitching, fielding finesse, and baseball brains. There are five hurlers, Pete Jonas, the fast-ball ace, completely recovered from the appendicitis operation that took him from the team in mid-season last year, Clint Rhein, a slow-ball artist, "Cheesy" Schneidmiller, the most effective chucker thus far, Doug Duff, a lefty, and Lee Cline, a rookie from Pomeroy and supposedly the weakest man of the quintet but already the possessor of a no-hit, no-run game this year. Cline got his perfect game against the Touchet, Wash., town team. Two capable catchers are on hand, Scotty Cummins and George Edwards, both remembered for their performances on the grid last fall. Leading hitter on the team is Captain Bill O'Brien, first sacker. Larry Papin, at second. Ned Stickle, last year's slugging shortstop, and John Bury, at third, complete the infield. Jed King and Hal Halcomb, a rook, are reserve infielders. In the outer-gardens, Mike Reser, Jack Snoddy, and Bobby Alf, all vets, are sure starters with Phil Langford on hand for relief duty.

## Student Groups Give Programs At High Schools

Beginning Monday of this week a group of deputations will begin a series of trips to the various high schools to entertain the students with short programs and extend invitations for the May week-end festivities at Willamette. These deputations are headed by the following people: John Kelly, Lillian Graham, Art Lamka, Bill Clemes, Randall Keister, Lawrence Morley, and Dwight Aden.

Included in the list of those who will accompany to give entertainment are the following: Lausanne Hall Trio, Marion Averill, Dalbert Jensen, Mary Virginia Nolgren, Earl Potter, Clayton Wheeler, Russell Beardsley, and John Lindbeck.

The itinerary includes the following high schools: Silverton, Molalla, Gervais, Woodburn, Canby, Estacada, Aumsville, Stayton, Mill City, Seilo, Lebanon, Sweet Home, Dallas, Willamina, Sheridan, West Linn, Oregon City, Milwaukie, Rickreall, Bethel, Perrydale, Falls City, Independence, Monmouth, Amity, Parkrose, Gresham, Sandy, Sherwood, Tigard, Beaverton.

The students who make these trips have been very generous in donating their time and talents, according to reports.

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Whitman, likewise, looms as the strongest of the track squads. Against the best kind of opposition at the Inland Empire Carnival at Spokane the Missions garnered 22 points. Linfield, last year's conference champs, got three. Puget Sound reports make known the fact that the Loggers expect their strongest cinder team in years. Pacific and Willamette appear woefully weak. Albany and Idaho are non-committal.

ODDS AND ENDS—Mike Reser, the sensation of Whitman's great hoop squad in 1935-36, will play again next season. He has been appointed captain. Every man on this year's team will return. . . . Pacific University has great hopes for next year's football eleven. Every letterman returns. . . . Linfield has served notice on other colleges of the vicinity that she expects a great football team next year "what with so many vets returning and a big list of freshmen stars planning to enter." Wonder if they have iron-clad guarantees that the latter will register? . . . All four of Oregon's baseball hopefuls who went to Modesto, California, to train with the Oakland team of Coast loop, have been placed on professional teams. Vinnie Harriman, Willamette's sensational shortstop of last year, and Bobby Baer, second baseman, of Grant high in Portland and an ex-teammate of Buzz Hagedorn and Gordy Williamson, rook members of this year's nine, will play for Vancouver, B. C., of the Western International league. The Ken Wentling new class B circuit. North Manning, Bearcat first sacker last year, and Bill Bevans, Hubbard high hurler, have reported to El Paso of the Arizona-Texas, class D, loop. . . . When a partial list of coed athletes was presented in this column in a recent issue, it was by no means meant to be complete. However one name that should rank very near the top was overlooked. The girl is Lorene "Jimmie" Tompkins. Lorene is a participant in nearly every sport the W.A.A. sponsors, but swimming takes most of her attention. Though that sport is listed under Mrs. Royer, Lorene officially supervises the classes in the Y.M.C.A. pool.

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