



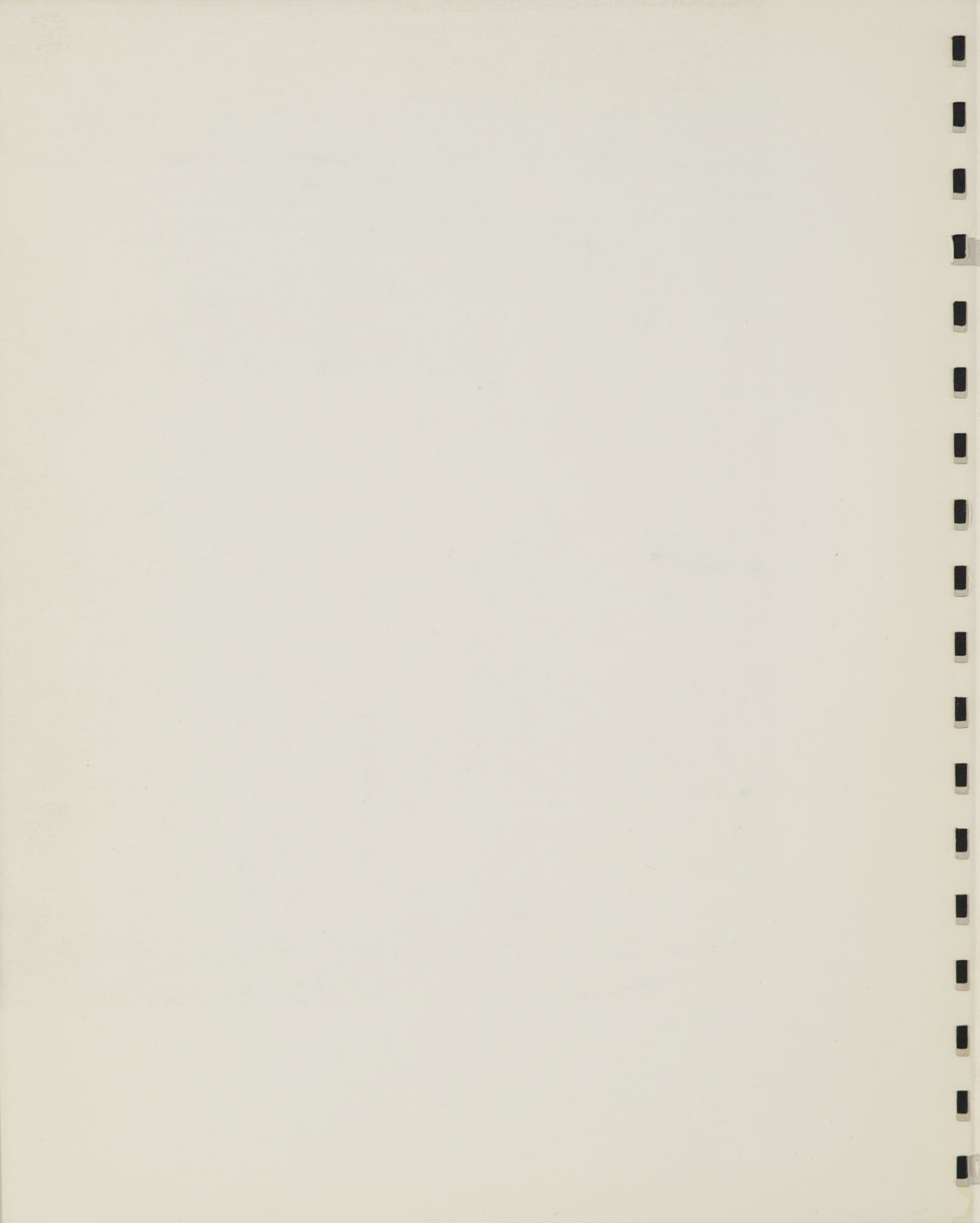
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**1950**

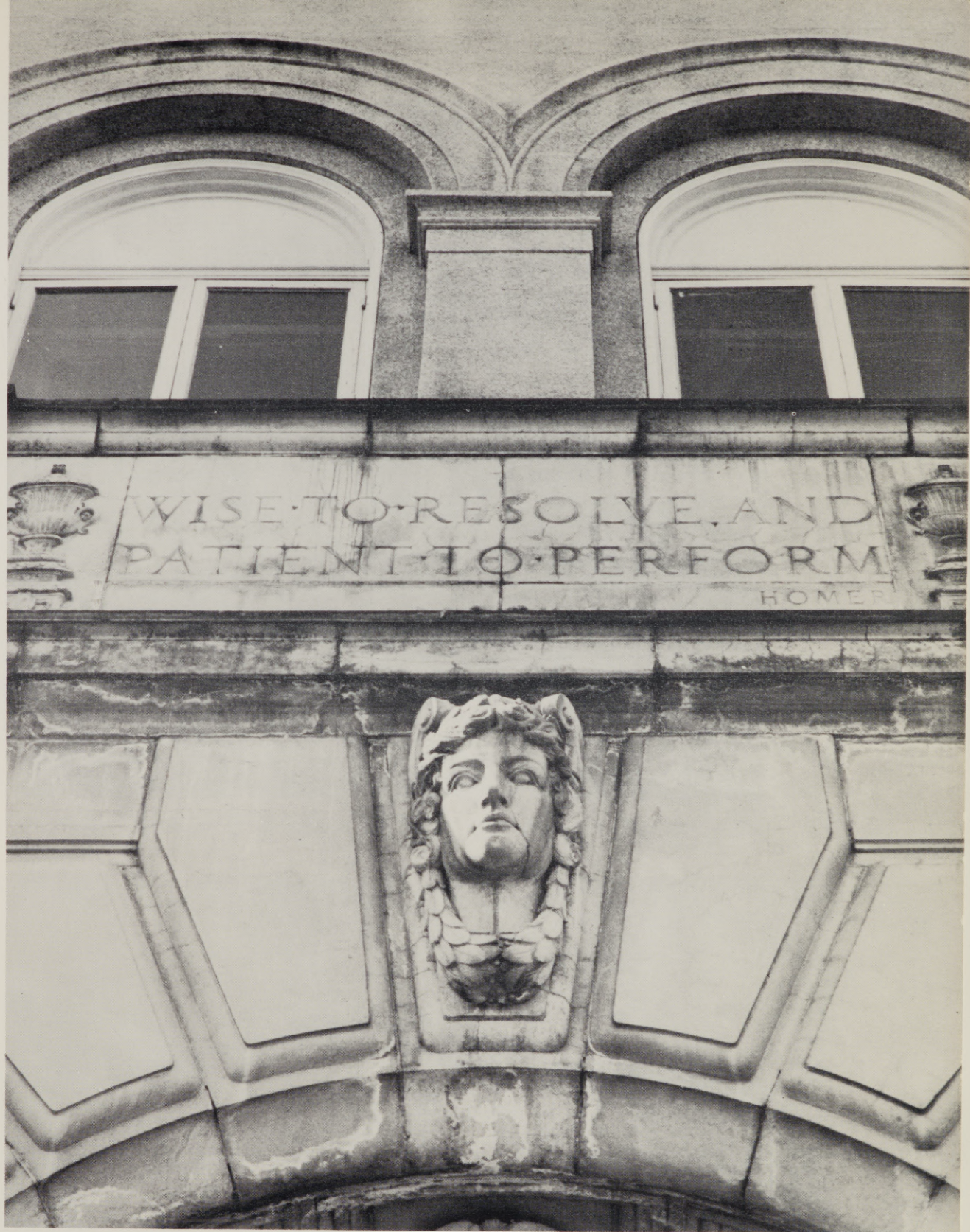
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FOREWORD . . . It has been the attempt of the Mountaineer staff to present a year-book of as wide a student interest and coverage as possible, presented in perhaps a different way than the conventional. In doing so we have asked the cooperation of the Art Department in the designing of the abstract division pages. The designs were chosen from those done by the art structure classes. Responsible for the designs are Ruth Barlow, cover; Marilyn Cook, Education; Ruth Casey, Science; Morris Richardson, Liberal Arts; Bob Cooley, Sports, and Roberta Peshall, Activities.

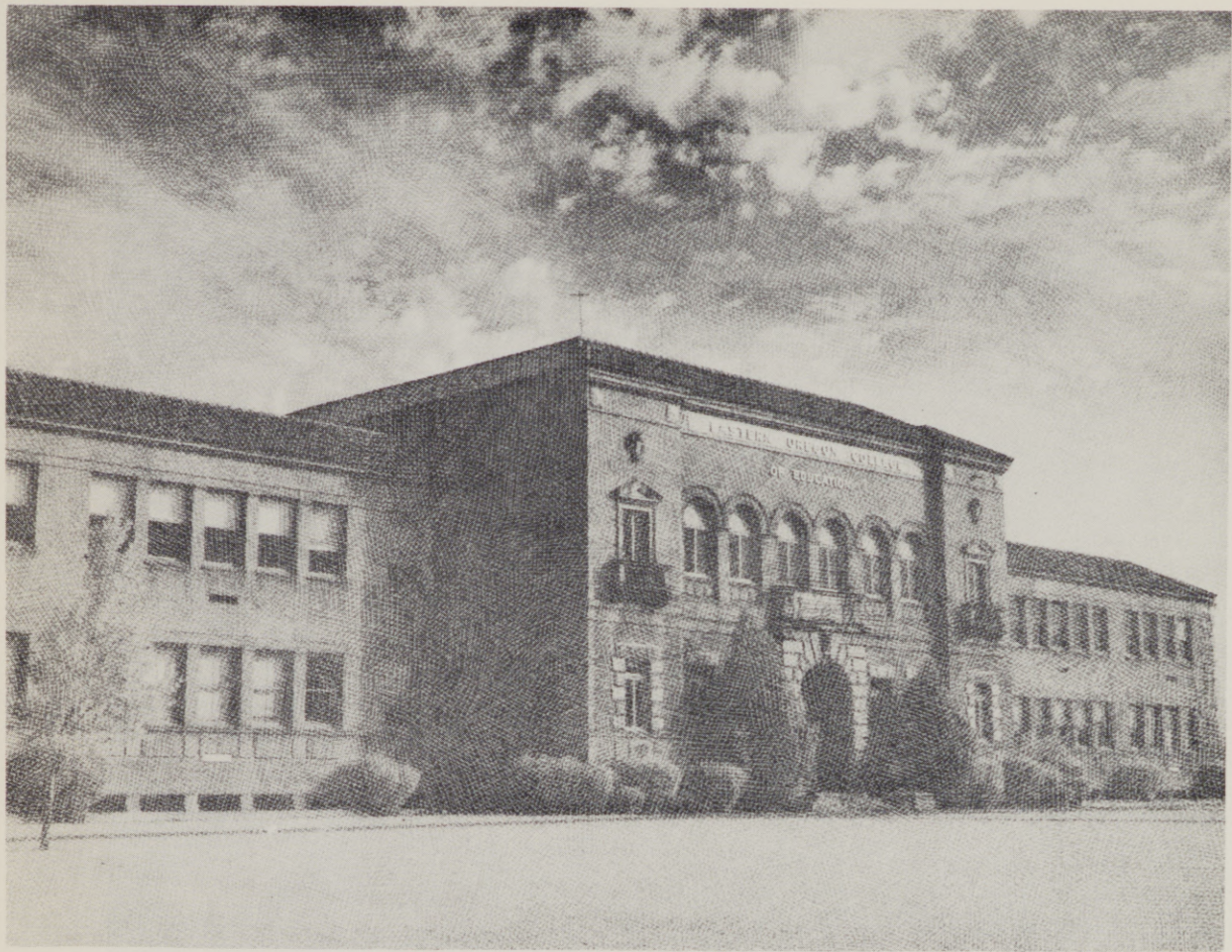




WISE TO RESOLVE, AND  
PATIENT TO PERFORM

HOMER

THE OLD AND THE NEW . . . Since Eastern Oregon College first opened its doors in the spring of 1929 (Eastern Oregon Normal School then), it has been characterized by a spirit of growth and expansion which has led to the realization of many of the dreams of those working with and for the College. It has grown from the single Administration Building to the large campus it now boasts, and it is still growing. The new Library Building under construction is to open for winter term 1951 according to expectations. This is the dream of many come true. And it is to this spirit and to those who dream that we dedicate this book — the 1950 Mountaineer.



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Dr. Roben J. Maaske, President of Eastern Oregon College of Education.

Under the guidance of Dr. Maaske the vision of expansion of Eastern Oregon College has grown and flourished. The new dormitories, Hoke Hall, the new athletic field and finally the new Library-Museum are steps toward the dream of full four-year college standing which we someday soon should attain.

J. H. Ackerman Training School provides proving grounds for student teachers under experienced guidance of supervisors. Hoke Hall houses classrooms, book store and the Hoke Lounge and Coffee Shop.



Dr. Roy L. Skeen, Professor of  
Psychology, Acting Registrar

Dorothy Worden Gernhardt  
Business Office Staff

Betty M. Peck, Secretary to the  
Registrar (fall and winter)

ADMINISTRATION . . . The offices of the President, Registrar, and  
Business Manager carry on the big job of campus administration.



Roberta Winters Leonard  
President's Office Staff

Betty Lou Tabor  
Secretary to the President



Della M. Ehrenburg  
Secretary to the Registrar  
(spring term)

Earl G. Meuli  
College Business Manager

Jean Haufle  
Business Office Staff



ASB officers at work. Below:  
 President, Robert Eddy  
 Vice-President, Herm Ziegler  
 Secretary, Carl Iseri

**STUDENT GOVERNMENT . . .** The affairs of the Associated Student Body are handled by the elected officers of the group with advice from the student council. Members besides the officers include Jackie Cyr, Frank Ellis, Lyla Hill, Don Brown, Eileen Barnes, Bill Meeker, Eleanor Reed, Roderick French, Class Representatives; Shirley Burns, Song Queen, and Gene Erwin, Yell King.



Stan Axen, Business Manager, (not pictured) carries the responsibility of dispensing and accounting for student body funds.





RESIDENCES . . . Dorion and Hunt Halls provide comfortable housing for resident students.



Valdez Bates  
President of Hunt

William Graham  
Instructor in English and  
Director of Men's Dormitories



Pierce Hall provides supplementary housing for men with Bob Lynch as hall president.



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House Mother at Pierce

Mrs. Wattenbarger  
Hoke Coffee Shop Manager

W. Al Wattenbarger  
Superintendent of Buildings  
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**SIGMA ALPHA CHI . . .** The women's scholastic honorary holds an active membership of those girls of outstanding character and achievement. Carrying an intensive schedule it holds luncheons during Homecoming, Dad's Day and Mother's Weekend, sponsors the unique Yule Candlelight Hour at Christmas, and with Theta Delta Phi gives a banquet prior to the Coronation Ball in the spring. Officers are Hisako Kido, President; Frances Gilfry, Vice-President, and Martha Colvin, Secretary.

Members: Row 1 — Dawn Steltenpohl, Eloise Saager, Barbara Ritchie, Donna Rees, Beverly Suitter, Hisako Kido. Row 2 — Dr. Zabel, Adviser; Barbara Johnson, Grace Houston, Unamae Stoyka, Varina Almack, Leona Hatwan, Alyce Wada, Loretta Cook. Row 3 — Carolyn Davis, Joy Keyes, Marilyn Cook, Dorothy Ambrose, Roberta Peshall, Ruby Bolles, Marjorie Tobias, Ruth Casey, Lyla Hill, Martha Colvin.

(Not pictured: Anna Mae Ritchie, Agnes Gause, Lois Elam, Ruth Barlow Tillotson, Jackie Cyr, Mardi Salle, Frances Gilfry, Faye Carper, Marcella Twidwell, Fern Bay, Margaret Brown.)

**HONORS . . .**



THETA DELTA PHI . . . The men's scholastic honorary boasts the intellectuals of the male population of E. O. C. An active organization it sponsors luncheons during Homecoming and Dad's Weekend, the colorful Mardi Gras Dance, and in cooperation with Sigma Alpha Chi, the banquet preceding Evensong Coronation Ball. Club officers are Leon Bolen, President; Henry Hall, Vice-President; Dean Knight, Secretary; James Lockett, Treasurer. Faculty advisers are Dr. Joseph Gaiser and Dr. Lee Johnson.

Members: Row 1 — By Bender, Herman Lawson, Henry Hall, John Gernhardt, James Lockett, Danny Danforth, Bob Albritton, Dave Johansen, Morris Richardson, Kirby Wallace, Vernon Reynolds. Row 2 — Ivan Hansen, Phil Newitt, Walter Bray, Don McKee, Ed Crane, Jim Brewer, Wayne Metz, Leon Bolen, Valdez Bates, Phil Beauchamp, Max Ingerson, Donn Waldum, Carl Iseri, Bob Wilkins, William Taylor, Joe Rowe, Dean Knight. Row 3 — Dr. Joseph Gaiser, Adviser; Kleve Johnson, John Doherty, Vance Gritton, Rod Steen, Lee Wells, Herman Ziegler, Clayton Briggs, Steve Anderson, Reuben Moore, Art Bradley, Ted Moore.

Not pictured: Don Walter, Arlo Neiderer, Leo Case, Dan Jones, Dave Hall, Richard Graves, Sam Saunders, Jack Martin, John Camp, Fred Jarrard, Howard Bay, Frank Potter, Tom Crow, Fred Lloyd, Lee Schwendel, Jack Miller, Ted Anderson, Vard Boylen, Rod French, Floyd Holady, Bob Loy, Owen Allen, Ernest Beaver, Don Brown, Don Dunbar, Charles Como, Rod Johnson, Lloyd Jones, Bob Quinn Jr., Joel Richardson, Gene Rugg, Gerald Sherwood, Frank Walch, Paul Walker, Carl Waltz, Larry Wyman.

HONORS . . .

**SABERS** . . . The Women's Service Honorary is designed for those girls who consistently give time to service work such as ticket taking at games, plays and other activities. The membership limited to about fifteen girls. This year they helped with registration, the "Ask Me" Committee, Senior Career Day and Mother's Weekend. Officers are Lyla Hill, President; Janet Culp, Vice-President; Joan Hisler, Secretary. Miss Knelleken is adviser. Members are Alyce Wada, Marjorie Coiner, Joy Keyes, Barbara Johnson, Hisako Kido, Betty Keys, Dawn Steltenpohl, Rosalie Wilson, Jan Rader, Mardi Sallee, and Eileen Barnes.

**MOUNTAINEER KNIGHTS** . . . The Men's Service Honorary is limited to ten members, outstanding for service to the college. Chief duties of the group are to aid at school functions and provide entertainment at games. Officers of the group are Frank Ellis, President; Herman Ziegler, Vice-President, and Herm Lawson, Secretary. Adviser is Mr. Lewis. Besides the officers members include Dale Fallow, Leon Bolen, Bob Terry, John Gernhardt, Maurice Irons, Frederick Pruitt, and Floyd Langsev.

Knights in operation.



**HONORS** . . .



A. W. S. Officers: Betty Keys, Vice-President; Rosalie Wilson, Secretary; Alyce Wada, President.

**ASSOCIATED WOMEN STUDENTS . . .** The organization of women students on the campus each year sponsors the big Christmas Formal Dance and other parties for students. It is now affiliated with the Oregon Federation of Women, part of a national group.

**MEN'S CLUB . . .** This year the Men's Club did not organize as an active organization. However, in the past they have sponsored the annual Men's Weekend in the spring.

**STUDENT PUBLICITY COMMITTEE . . .** Under the direction of Mrs. Peck this group is responsible for the large amount of news copy which goes to the papers throughout the area. Members of the committee are Gene Rugg, Chairman; Sam Saunders, Ruth Barlow Tillotson, Danny Danforth, Rosemary Bean, and Amelia Jossi.

**CLASSES** . . . Students are listed by classes according to their fall registration (thus some changes are not noted) and are listed alphabetically within the class. Graduates are noted individually.

**CLASS OFFICERS:**

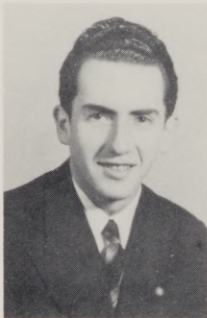
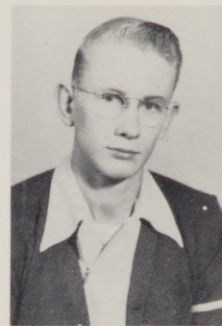
Freshmen: Pat Mulcare of Canyon City, President; Dave Mason of Dayville, Vice-President; Marjorie Ballantyne of Prineville, Secretary.

Sophomores: Doug Reinecke of Baker, President; Betty Keys of Fossil, Vice-President; Donna Rees of Cove, Secretary.

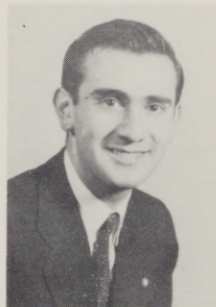
Juniors: Vernon Reynolds of Milton, President; Herman Ziegler of Grass Valley, Vice-President; Leona Hatwan of Freewater, Secretary.

Seniors: Byron Bender of Pendleton, President; Jim Lee of Pendleton, Vice-President; Jim Lockett of Athena, Secretary.

Honorary officers of the graduating class are Henry Hall, President; Bill Martin, Vice-President, and Hisako Kido, Secretary.



Katherine Altermatt, TE, Hermiston  
 Ruth Altermatt, TE, Hermiston  
 Ted Anderson, RE, La Grande  
 Mario Ascarrunz, JC, La Paz, Bolivia  
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 Marjorie Ballantyne, SS, Prineville

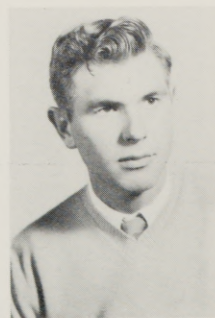
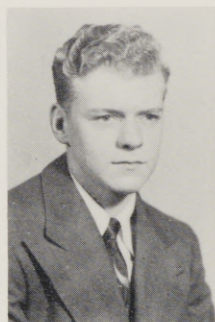


Glenn Barnard, TE, Afton, N. Y.  
 Eileen Barnes, SS, Vale  
 Charlie Bedregal, JC, La Paz, Bolivia  
 Naomi Brock, NE, The Dalles  
 Pat Brown, JC, La Grande

## Freshmen



Dolores Buckwalter, SS, La Grande  
 Frank Burns, JC, Condon  
 Shirley Burns, TE, Wallowa  
 Carol Carlson, JC, Freewater  
 Barbara Carper, SS, Cove  
 Joan Chlopek, JC, Bend

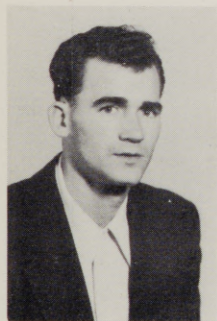
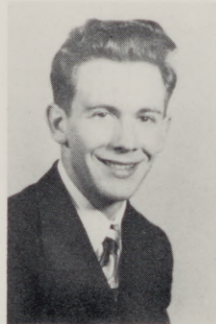


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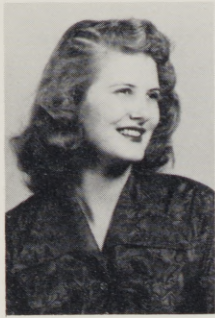


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 Jewel Emerson, TE, Richland  
 Gene Erwin, TE, Baker  
 Nancy Evans, TE, Enterprise  
 Winnifred Flowers, TE, Baker



Elizabeth Fox, SS, Elgin  
 Glenn Fox, JC, Freewater  
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 George Gabriel, TE, Rahway, N. J.  
 George Garrouette, RE, Stanfield  
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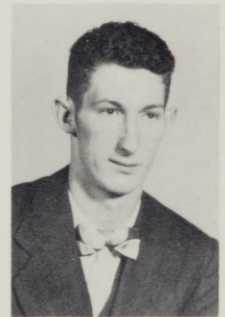
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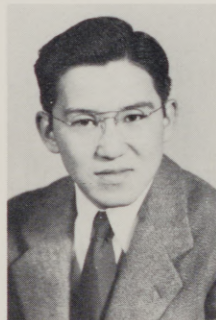
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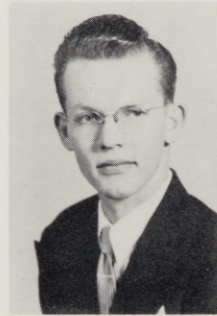
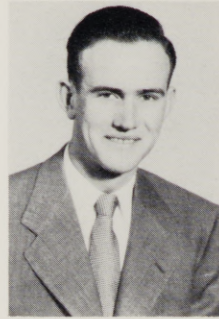
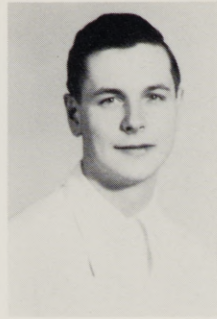


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 Marie Howard, TE, Prairie City  
 Lillian Hubbard, NE, Ione  
 Bert Huff, TE, Halfway



Doris Ingle, TE, Sumpter  
 Carl Iseri, Mdse, Ontario  
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 Bill Kenny, Mdse, Heppner  
 Alice Koefoed, NE, Lakeview

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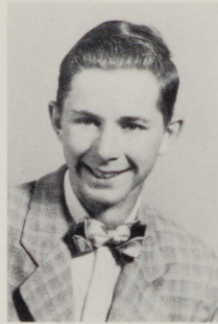


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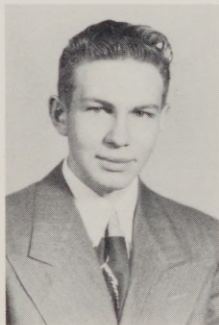
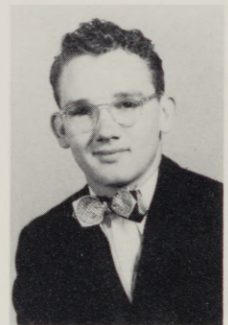


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 Hattie Massie, NE, The Dalles  
 Marian Mawhin, TE, Enterprise  
 Gladys Mink, JC, Cove  
 Pat Mulcare, JC, Canyon City  
 Betty Mulkins, TE, Dufur

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Darrell Muller, JC, St. Helens  
 Don Nation, JC, Pendleton  
 Wesley Olsen, TE, Brogan  
 Betty Palmer, TE, Harper  
 Jane Parr, NE, Nyssa  
 Norman Records, JC, Freewater



Eleanor Reed, SS, Vale  
 Lawrence Richardson, JC, La Grande  
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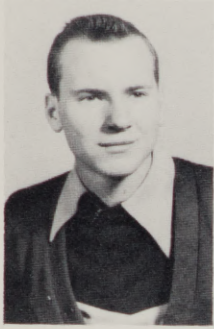
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 Wanda Thompson, JC, Vale



Roxa Tuttle, TE, Clarkston, Wn.  
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 Joyce Warnock, JC, Lostine  
 Dolores Watkins, TE, Hermiston  
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 Ellen Webb, SS, Mayville



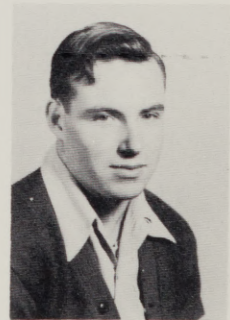
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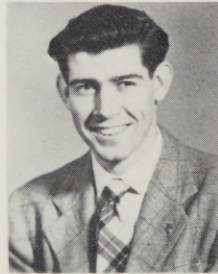
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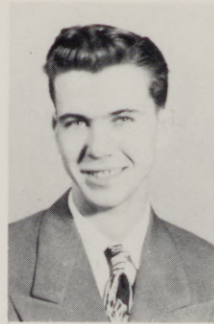
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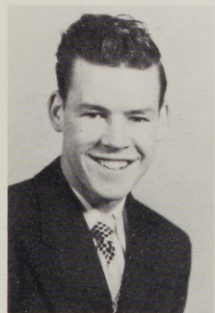
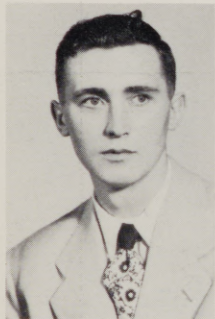
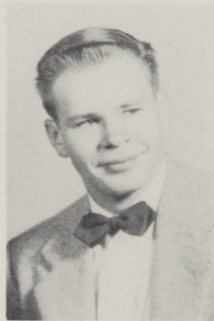
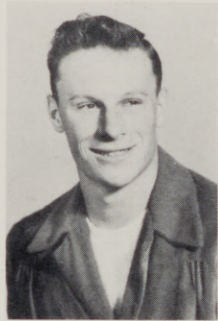
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 Assoc. in Science  
 Janet Culp, TE, Vale



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Carolyn Davis, JC, Union, JC Cert.  
 Jerry Deats, JC, Portland  
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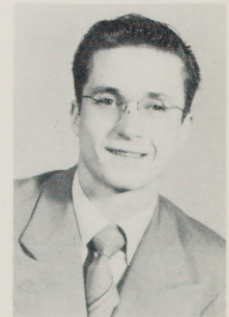
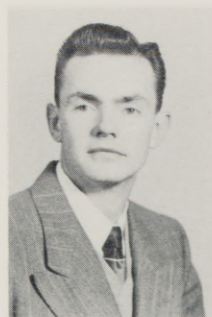


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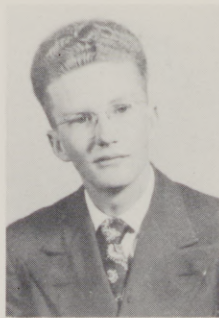


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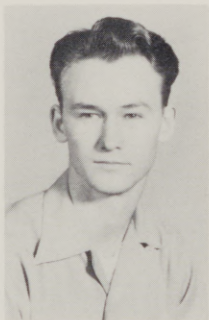


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 Bill Meeker, JC, Madras

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Mildred Miller, TE, Boardman  
 Vernal Moore, JC, La Grande  
 Richard Ober, JC, Pendleton  
 Nellie Patapoff, SS, Halsey  
 Doris Philbrick, JC, Portland, JC Cert.  
 Janet Rader, SS, Ontario



Donna Rees, TE, Cove  
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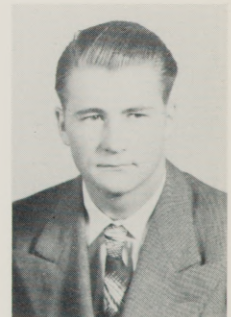
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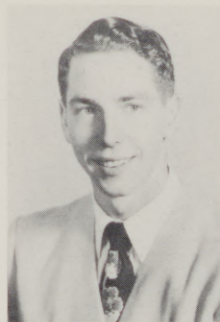
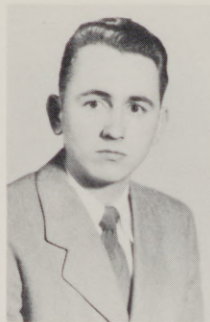
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Cheri Vincent, JC, Umatilla  
 Donn Waldum, JC, Blackriver Falls,  
 Wisconsin  
 Shirley Whitely, JC, Nyssa  
 Florence Webb, TE, Ontario  
 Carl Ziegler, TE, Grass Valley



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Bob Albritton, Elgin  
 Joe Baird, Halfway  
 Donald Brown, Pendleton  
 Marjorie Coiner, Cottage Grove  
 3-Year Cert. (Aug.)  
 Harold Cook, Baker, 3-Year Cert.  
 Loretta Cook, La Grande



Ed Crane, Baker  
 Jacqueline Cyr, La Grande  
 B.S. Degree (Aug.)  
 Roland Danforth, Freewater  
 Nan Dodds, Portland, 3-Year Cert.  
 Richard Harris, Helix  
 Leona Hatwan, Freewater  
 3-Year Cert.

Juniors



Wilma Hatwan, Freewater  
 Grace Houston, Ontario  
 Ellen Herrman, Nyssa, 3-Year Cert.  
 Lyla Hill, Princeton  
 Warren Jones, Summerville  
 B.S. Degree (Aug.)  
 Carl Knighton, La Grande



Henry Lind, Vale  
 Barbara McCanse, North Powder  
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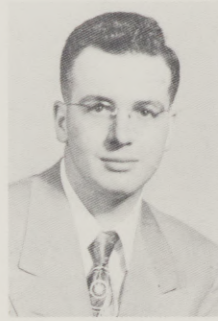
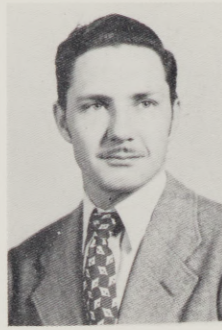
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 Dawn Steltenpohl, Richland  
 3-Year Cert.



Beverly Switter, Huntington  
 B.S. Degree  
 Harry Trump, Elgin  
 B.S. Degree (Aug.)  
 Alyce Wada, Wapato, Wn.  
 Herman Ziegler, Grass Valley



## Juniors



Valdez Bates, Baker, B.S. Degree  
 Walter Bray, Umatilla, B.S. Degree  
 Jim Brewer, Freewater  
 B.S. Degree (Aug.)  
 Clayton Briggs, Union  
 B.S. Degree (Aug.)  
 Richard Earl, Grass Valley  
 B.S. Degree (Aug.)  
 Robert Eddy, Union, B.S. Degree



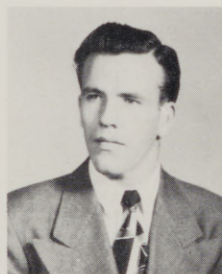
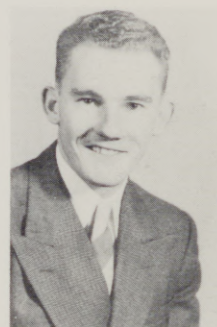
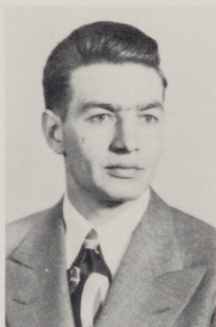
W. Dale Fallow, La Grande  
 B.S. Degree  
 Janis Friedly, Helix, B.S. Degree  
 James Shaw, Pendleton, B.S. Degree  
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 B.S. Degree  
 Amelia Jossi, St. Helens, B.S. Degree  
 James Kenny, Heppner, B.S. Degree



## Seniors



Joy Reed Keyes, Pendleton  
 B.S. Degree  
 Hisako Kido, Nyssa, B.S. Degree  
 Charles Langsev, Silverton  
 B.S. Degree (Aug.)  
 Melvin Lepper, Salem  
 B.S. Degree (Aug.)  
 James Lockett, Elgin, B.S. Degree  
 William Martin, Portland, B.S. Degree



Phil Newitt, Ely, Nev., B.S. Degree  
 Frederick Pruitt, Springfield  
 B.S. Degree  
 Joe Rowe, Pendleton  
 B.S. Degree (Aug.)  
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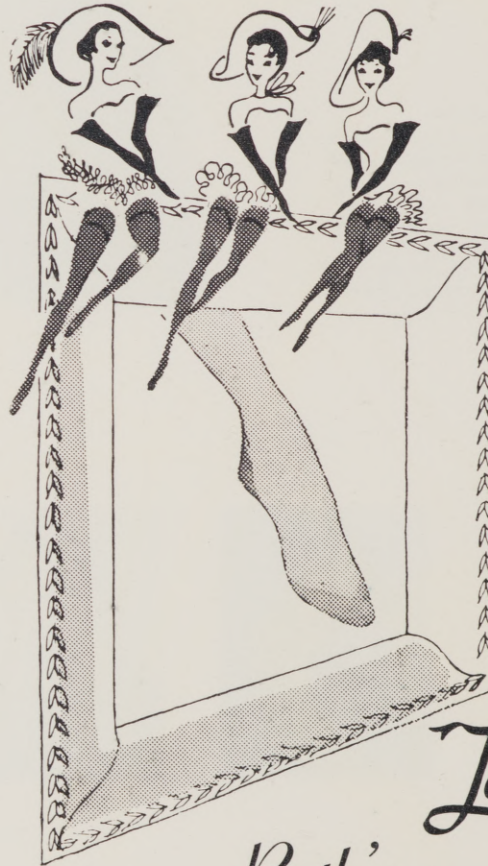
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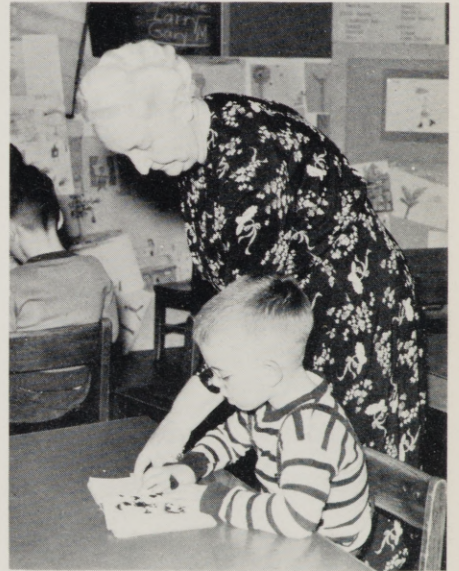
It is the function of the education department under the direction of Professor John M. Miller, Director of Teacher Education, to provide tomorrow's teachers with skills and techniques that they will need in the elementary school field. The J. H. Ackerman Laboratory School gives the students in education and its auxiliary classes an opportunity to observe the procedures used in teaching of various subjects. It provides an opportunity to observe the teacher in his selection of materials needed within a certain field, gives the student an overview of the curriculum and procedure used in the model elementary school, and provides for the students completing their education actual practice in teaching children. Students who wish to do some specialization in such fields as music, art, and physical education have the opportunity to visit classes of children and to do student teaching in these fields. All students participate in directing the reading activities of children in the modern elementary school library.



John M. Miller, Professor of Education,  
Director of Teacher Education.



Betty Ryan, Supervisor of Teaching  
(Grade 2).



Edith Darby, Supervisor of Teaching  
(Grade 1).

Student Teachers Kirby Wallace  
and Alyce Wada.





First Grade reading with Miss Darby



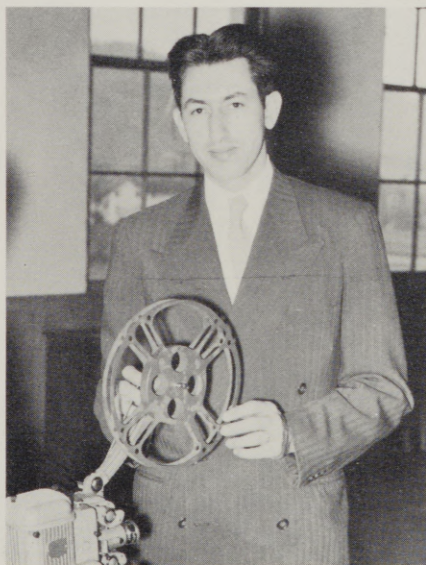
Mary H. Roop, Supervisor of Teaching  
(Grade 3)

Elizabeth H. Harris, Supervisor of Teaching  
(Grade 5)

Simon Chavez, Supervisor of Teaching  
(Grade 6)

Eva M. Wear (not pictured)  
Supervisor of Teaching (Grade 4)

Floyd C. Hill, Supervisor of Teaching  
(Grade 7)





Dr. Martha L. Addy, Professor of Education and Psychology.

The F. T. A. gives a monthly radio program on the different aspects of teaching, has developed and maintains in Ackerman School a picture file for student teachers, gives a Christmas program for pre-school children, meets with the high school seniors and sponsors a high school F. T. A. Usually the group sponsors one dance each year. This year they entered an excellent float in the Homecoming parade.

## FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

. . . The Future Teachers of America is the largest organization on the campus, with a membership of 112; and E. O. C. is on the national honor roll. Members of this group are junior members of the National Teachers' Organization and also of the Oregon Educational Association. The F. T. A. advances the interest of the future teachers and develops their ideals and powers. It gives the students experience in professional organizations of which they will become a part.

F. T. A. Officers Hisako Kido, Jim Brewer, Jim Kenny, Marjorie Coiner, Ellen Herrman.



A Representative Group from F. T. A.



**PHI BETA SIGMA . . .** Phi Beta Sigma is a national honorary education organization. Membership invitations are given to those men and women who have maintained a high scholastic rating, fulfilled a specified number of term hours, and have the personal qualifications of successful teachers. The purpose of the group is to develop and foster an interest in the educational spirit of students and teachers after they have finished school.



Officers and Advisers: Janis Friedly, Treasurer; Art Bradley, President; Alyce Wada, Secretary; Mr. Carter, Mrs. John Miller, Mr. John Miller, Advisers; (not pictured: Leon Bolen, Vice-President; Mrs. Ryan, Adviser).

The members serve their school through participation and cooperation with one another, and by encouraging and maintaining high standards of scholarship and conduct while at school. The national headquarters of Phi Beta Sigma are in La Grande with Professor John M. Miller, national secretary.



Eloise Saager, Grace Houston, Una Mae Stoyka, Marjorie Coiner, Ruby Bolles, Frank Ellis, Jim Kenny, Mr. Charles Carter, Jim Lockett, Mel Lepper, Valdez Bates.

Joy Keyes, Dawn Steltenpohl, Varina Almack, Leona Hatwan, Barbara Johnson, Ferman Warnock, Vernon Reynolds, Ed Merriman, Ellen Herrman, Hisako Kido, By Bender, Robert Eddy.

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## PHYSICS AND MATHEMATICS

. . . The departments of Physics and of Mathematics are handled by Professor Ralph E. Badgley. At the present time, both department are placing great emphasis on atomic developments. The majority of students are science majors, and to earn their degrees, they must take two more years in their chosen field after leaving E. O. C.



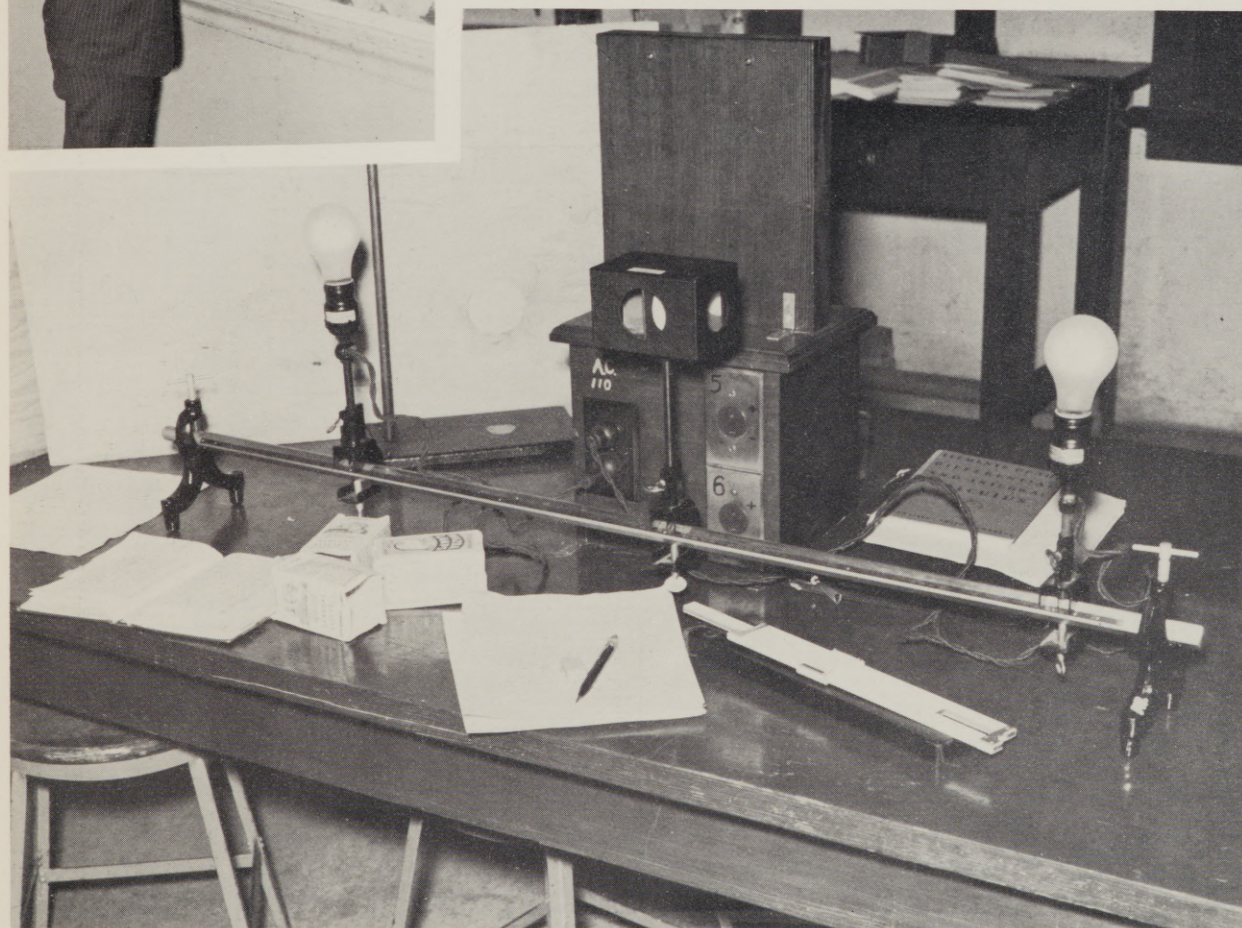
Ralph E. Badgley, Associate Professor of Science.

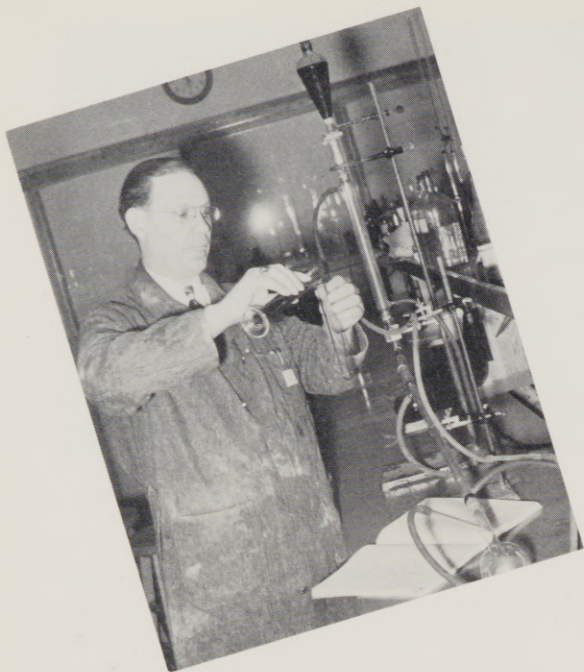
Students graduated from these courses hold positions as chemists, telephone company employees, workers at the atomic plant at Hanford, and as college engineering instructors.



Robert A. Oesterle, Instructor in Mathematics and Engineering Physics.

Physics Lab Experiment Apparatus.



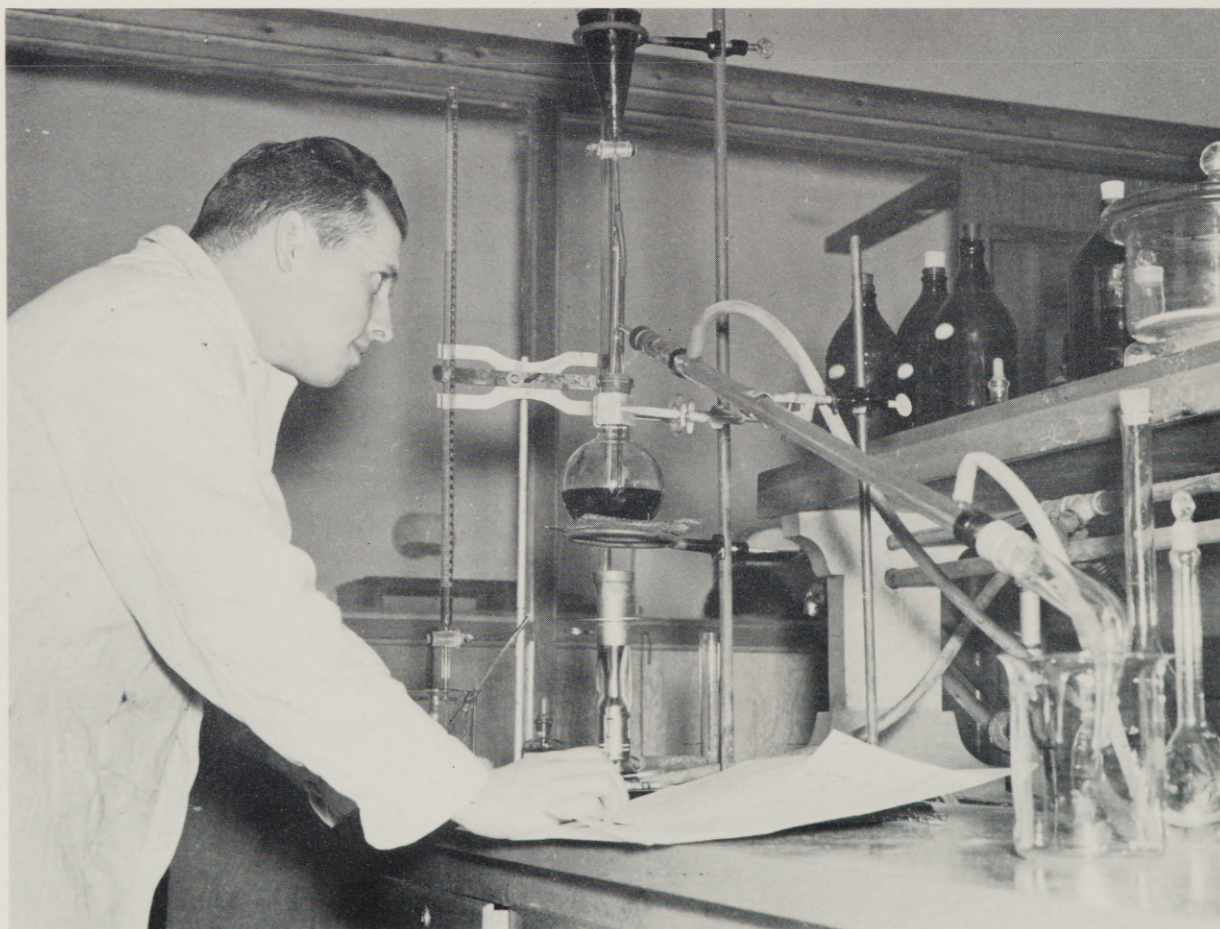


**CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT . . .** The chemistry courses of EOC — including general chemistry, qualitative and quantitative analysis, and introduction to organic chemistry — are planned to give students majoring in chemistry or engineering a substantial foundation. The courses also give full preparation for students in pre dentistry, pre nursing (for those in the four-year nurses' training), agriculture, geology, and forestry; also there is a special course for two-year nursing students.

Held under Professor Virgil A. Bolen's instruction, the classes consist of lectures, discussions, and laboratory experiments. The freshman class is also divided into special interest groups which meet from time to time for lectures and discussions by specialists in their own fields.

Virgil A. Bolen, Associate Professor of Chemistry.

Chemistry Lab Set-Up.

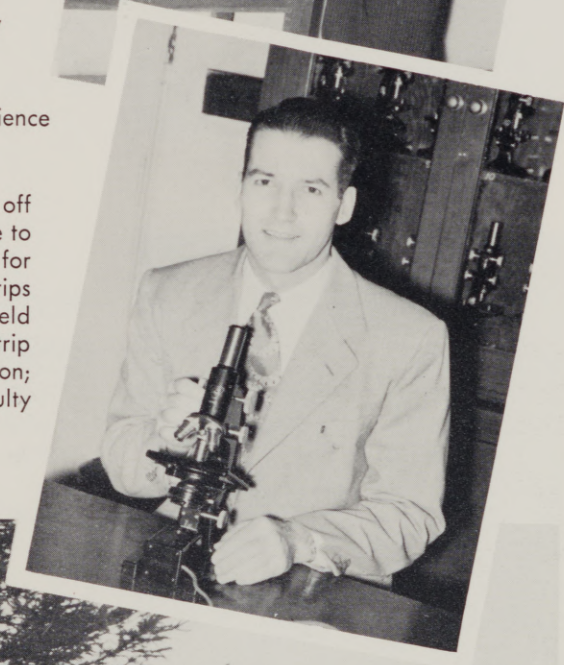
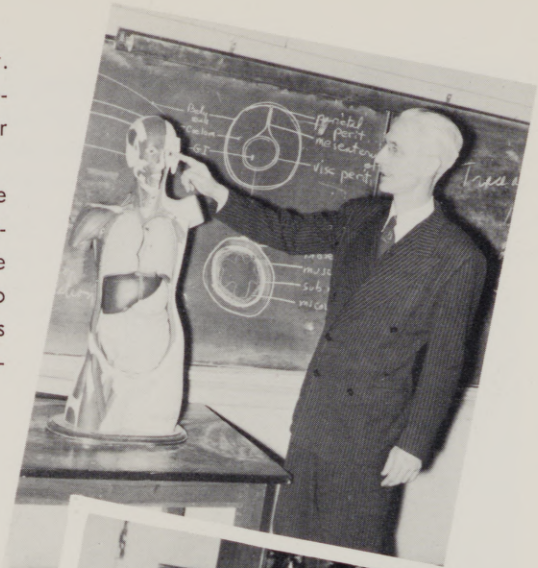


**BIOLOGY DEPARTMENT** . . . Under the direction of Dr. Quaintance, the biology department offers courses for those who will become teachers, nurses, biologists, or enter any of a number of other professions.

In the spring, the students in the biology and zoology classes choose interesting activities like raising a family of wild ground squirrels, constructing a coyote skeleton, or studying heredity in fruit flies. A student committee arranges to exhibit these projects during the week before Mother's Day to Union County grade school children. On Mother's Day the students' parents come to see the exhibits. Students are justified in their feeling of deep satisfaction for having completed this tangible evidence of learning.

Dr. Charles W. Quaintance  
Associate Professor of Biology

Dr. Ernest C. Anderson  
Assistant Professor of Biological Science



**BETA KAPPA** . . . The nature club of the college started the year off by winning second prize for its float in the annual Homecoming parade to add to the first prize which it won the year before. The theme chosen for this year's activities was, "Know Eastern Oregon." One of the field trips taken by the group was a trip by way of Summit to Mt. Emily. Other field trips include visiting the strutting grounds of the rare sage grouse and a trip to the world-famous John Day Fossil Beds. Officers: President, Ross Wilson; Vice-President, Alan Buchanan; Secretary-Treasurer, Marcy Pierce. Faculty advisers: Drs. Anderson and Quaintance.

Beta Kappa Members



**NURSING** . . . The education of nurses began in the war years with the Cadet Nurses Training Corps. Hundreds of girls have taken their anatomy and physiology, microbiology, and chemistry courses here, and many of them have since successfully completed their work for the RN degree at such hospitals as The Dalles General, St. Anthony's, St. Elizabeth, and the Deaconess.

Edith Compton, R.N., Supervisor of the Health Service.



**PSYCHOLOGY** . . . An active program in the field of psychology is carried out under the direction of Dr. Roy Skeen and Mr. Charles Carter. Besides the classroom program with lab experiments and educational trips to the mental hospital at Pendleton, there is an individual testing program for students to aid in developing to the fullest their innate capacities and talents.

Charles C. Carter, Instructor in Psychology and Education.

Aptitude testing in the psychometric lab.



**BUSINESS EDUCATION . . .** In the field of Business Education, under the direction of Dr. Leonard F. Good, three specific two-year curricula are offered. Completion of any curriculum of these three entitles the student to the Associate in Science Degree. Secretarial Science, Medical and Dental Assistants, and Merchandising are the three curricula designed to train students for positions in the business field. Close contact with current business practices and developments is maintained and, during the spring term, in the Merchandise Apprenticeship and Medical Dental Apprenticeship work the students spend a part of their regular college time in on-the-job experience in local establishments.

**COMMERCIAL CLUB . . .** The Commercial Club is open to all students enrolled in the curricula of Secretarial Science, Merchandising, and Medical and Dental Assistants. Students not in these curricula, but taking any of the business subjects, are also eligible. Educational and social meetings are held throughout the year with frequent discussions on topics of current interest led by outside speakers.

Commercial Club Officers: Martha Colvin, Reporter; Sarah C. Stein, Adviser; Donna Gordon, Secretary; Gene O'Brien, Vice-President; Dr. Good, Adviser; Stan Axen, President.



Dr. Leonard F. Good

Associate Professor of Secretarial Science





Sarah C. Stein  
Instructor in Secretarial Science

Student Office Practice.



**RADIO-ELECTRIC . . .** The first-year students in the radio and electric courses of EOC, under Professor Carlos E. Easley, study the fundamentals of electricity, mathematics, and radio theory to gain the necessary background for the more specialized courses of the second year. For the students in radio, this second year consists of a study of radio mechanics and service, which will enable them to obtain the Federal Communications Commission license to become radio announcers, operators, or broadcast technicians. Students in electricity receive training in inside wiring, telephones, motors, and so forth through direct work in the industrial-electric shop.



Carlos E. Easley, Assistant Professor  
of Radio-Electric Service





**ENGLISH AND LITERATURE . . .** The English Department at EOC continues its policy of offering courses which provide training in the skills of the four types of communications: writing, speaking, reading, and listening. Besides the traditional courses in composition, speech, and creative writing, students find special opportunities for development of such skills in journalism, radio, and dramatics.

The literature courses offered include world literature, American literature, English literature, contemporary literature, and Shakespeare. In addition to an excellent collection of books in the library to supplement the text-book material, a supply of audio-visual equipment in the way of records, slides, and films is being built up for the use of the English Department.

The recent movie, "Hamlet," shown in a La Grande theater, provided an excellent chance to study that play.



Dr. Amanda L. Zabel  
Professor of English and Literature



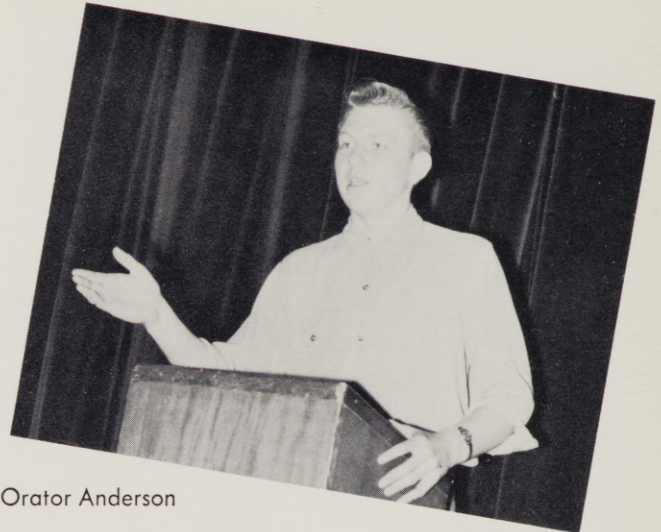
Dr. Geraldine Hammond  
Associate Professor of English and Literature



Alvin R. Kaiser  
Associate Professor of English and Dramatics

**SOCK AND BUSKIN PLAYERS...** The chief purpose of the Sock and Buskin, a service club organization, is to produce plays to be enjoyed by the student body. It presents one major play each term.

Any member of the student body is eligible to become an apprentice member of Sock and Buskin as he displays the desire and interest in the club by attending tryouts for the plays. All members are privileged to attend the social affairs of this organization.



Student Orator Anderson

**ALPHA PSI OMEGA . . .** Any person who is a member of Sock and Buskin may become eligible for an invitation to join Alpha Psi Omega, a national dramatics organization. Membership is based upon work done for Sock and Buskin, either as an actor or as one affiliated with producing the plays. The Alpha Psi Omega is a nationally recognized group having over two hundred chapters established on college and university campuses, seven of which are in Oregon.

Sock and Buskin Officers: Herman Ziegler, Vice-President; Lee Schwendel, President; Sally Smith, Secretary; Alvin R. Kaiser, Adviser.



Sock and Buskin Members.



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**JOURNALISM** . . . An intensive program for those interested in journalistic practice is given with staff membership on the EOC Beacon.



This year the Beacon began operations under editorship of Lee Schwendel but due to circumstances editorship shifted to Danny Danforth's capable shoulders. Throughout the year the Beacon has carried a fine job of reporting student activities and opinions.

Beacon Editor Danny Danforth.

Staff Members, Vern Shellum, Editor Danforth, Adviser Kaiser, Steve Anderson, and Lee Schwendel.





**MOUNTAINEER STAFF** . . . Alyce Wada, Art Staff; Larry Wyman, Layout Editor; Katherine Altermatt, Chronolographer; Loretta Cook, Art Editor; Ruth Altermatt, Chronolographer; Mr. Graham, Adviser; Jerry Deats, Advertising Editor; Shirley Burns, Associate Editor; Marcy Pierce, Sales Manager; Carolyn Lane, Art Staff; Ruth Barlow Tillotson, Editor.

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**ART** . . . Under the direction of Dr. Nightingale, the art department specializes in general art training with emphasis upon those activities, materials, and techniques suitable for public school teachers. Consideration is given special interests in such classes as painting, crafts, outdoor sketching, puppetry, etc. The department cooperates with the commercial department in training students in lettering and commercial design. Much interest has been shown the past year by the townspeople in the evening classes in pottery, clay modeling, and metal crafts. The department has sponsored the cooperative art exhibition in which five communities of Eastern Oregon participated. New equipment has provided an opportunity for a broader program.



**ALPHA RHO TAU** . . . Alpha Rho Tau, the Art Honorary Society of EOC, elects to its membership students who have attained an "A" or "B" grade in art for one quarter, students who present a major creative problem in art, or students who have a good cultural background in art.



Dr. George Nightingale  
Associate Professor of Art Education

Joseph Mast  
Instructor in Art Education



Alpha Rho Tau sponsored a number of exhibitions this past year, including a collection of Japanese prints, a group of water colors by A. B. Wertz, and other water colors and drawings by well-known Oregon artists. Purpose of Alpha Rho Tau is to bring to our campus works of outstanding artists, and thus advance general art interest as a part of campus life. Officers: President, Allen Matthews; Vice - President, Loretta Cook; Secretary-Treasurer, Beverly Switter. Faculty Advisers: Dr. Nightingale, Mr. Mast.

E. Walfred Erickson, Librarian  
and Dorothy H. Bliss, Assistant Librarian

**HISTORY AND SOCIAL SCIENCE . . .** The involved problems in the field of human social relations past and present are handled by Dr. Joseph Gaiser and Dr. Lee Johnson. Vivid pictures from the past of our own nation present a lively background for the evaluation of present trends and situations here and elsewhere in our complex world. Discussions, panels and reports as well as motion pictures on timely points add zest to the classroom where clash of opinions is frequent.

Dr. Lee C. Johnson  
Assistant Professor of Social Science



Dr. Joseph H. Gaiser  
Professor of Social Science



**INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS . . .** For those whose special interests is in the field of social affairs and problems, the International Relations Club provides effective means of broadening one's outlook on the world scene. Radio panels, and panels for various local clubs and discussion groups keep members busy and up-to-date. Club officers include Wayne Metz, President; Roy Benedict, Vice-President, and Frances Gilfry, Secretary. Wayne and Roy represented EOC at the annual Northwest Regional Conference this year.

I. R. C. Members: Wayne Metz, Beverly Suttter, Frances Gilfry, Dr. Gaiser, Roy Benedict, Phil Newitt, William Taylor, Ivan Hansen, Rod Steen, Bob Wilkins, and Phil Beauchamp.



**RELIGION** . . . Although no special department curriculum is devoted to religion, special emphasis is given to the field of faith on the campus. "Go to church Sunday" at the beginning of the school year plus the religious conference winter term gives special inspiration to students. Campus groups such as the Interfaith Fellowship, Newman Club, Canterbury, and Wesley Foundation provide fellowship and social functions in connection with La Grande churches.



College Interfaith Council: Carolyn Davis, Ardith Gorham, Donna Rees, Betty Keyes, Marjorie Coiner, Frank Walch, Rod French, Frances Gilfry, Leon Bolen, Jerry Deats, Virgil A. Bolen, Adviser; Clifford Towle, Art Bradley, and William Taylor

**INTERFAITH FELLOWSHIP** . . . Calling all students members, Interfaith Fellowship is active in adding inspirational events to campus life. Retreats and devotional breakfasts have brought surprisingly large turnouts for fellowship and food. The club sponsors the Religious Emphasis Conference each year, inviting outstanding speakers on spiritual topics. The council which directs activities does a splendid job of organizing affairs of interest and worth.

**NEWMAN CLUB** . . . For the special interest of Catholic students is the college Newman Club, advised by Father Joseph Hayes of Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church and Simon Chavez of the college faculty. Meeting twice monthly it features social meetings with devotional talks by Father Hayes. Newman Club this year took top honors for its Homecoming float, and sponsors a special Christmas banquet for members. Cooperation with the Interfaith group is a keynote of its program. Club officers: Joan Hisler, President; Jim Lee, Vice-President; Doris Lay, Secretary, and Betty Keys, Reporter.



**CHOIR . . .** The college A Cappella Choir under the direction of Dr. John L. Bishop is an organization of seventy selected voices which carries on the tradition of good music in our school. It presents a formal concert each quarter and makes appearances in La Grande and neighboring communities. Officers: President, Frances Gilfry; Vice-President, David Johansen; Business Manager, Harold Cook, and Librarian, Martha Jane Colvin.



Dr. J. Lynn Bishop  
Professor of Music Education



Sopranos: Joann Chlopek, Martha Jane Colvin, Peggie Comrie, Jacqueline Cyr, Gloria Nan Dodds, Lois Elam, Frances Forbes, Frances Gilfry, Ardith Gorham, Donna Gordon, Margaret Greene, Hisako Kido, Donna Rees, Helene Saager, Mardi Sallee, Julia Beth Searcy, Lois Stofft, Evelleen Towne, Evelyn Ann Wattenbarger, Pat Brown, Hazel Christensen, Janet Culp. Altos: Shirley Burns, Marjory Coiner, Ruth Courtright, Maurine Gerards, Jean Hoover, Ellen Ruth McCormick, Gladys Mink, Barbara Ritchie, Eloise Saager, Joyce Shiro, Marjorie Schmidt, Joan Skeen, Jacklyn Stareo, Juanita Swett, Marjorie Tobias, Roxa Tuttle, Helen Walter, Velma Weir, Mary Snider.

Tenors: Leon Bolen, Harold Cook, Frank Ellis, Richard Gardner, David Johansen, James Kenny, Dean Knight, Robert Loy, Ted Mangun, Wayne N. Metz, Harold Munsey, Norman Peters, Rudolph Sherwood, Larry Swanson, Phil K. Ward, Don Nation. Basses: Stephen Anderson, Vard Boylen, Everett Chrusoskie, Gordon Green, Charles E. Good, Dale H. Hastings, Dick Hesselgesser, Max Ingerson, David Lindsay, Don McKee, Delbert O. Olsen, Bob Quinn Jr., Doug Reinecke, Bob Spencer, Norman K. Sowards, Edward S. Sullivan, Bob Terry, Ester Wilfong, Norman Records.

Florence L. Miller, Instructor in Voice.  
E. Lyle McMullen, Assistant Professor of Piano and Languages.



**COLLEGE-COMMUNITY SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA** . . . The College-Community Symphony Orchestra under the direction of L. Rhodes Lewis gave a joint concert with the Choir, December 15, 1949. The Spring Concert was given April 11, 1950, in the form of a "Pop" concert. The soloist on the "Pop" concert was Dr. John L. Bishop. The orchestra has grown from approximately twenty-five pieces to a symphony orchestra of fifty-five to sixty pieces. About one-half of its members are from the community and the other half from the college.

The addition of new instruments this year greatly increased the efficiency of the orchestra. During the year all types of music, including Handel, as well as Roy Harris and the modern idiom, have been played. The orchestra performed at the college commencement activities and made its final appearance of the year at the Evensong ceremony. Officers: President, Loretta Cook; Manager, Dan Jones; Librarian, Roxa Tuttle.



First Violins: Dick Lindsay, Helen Walter, Anita Pipes, Max Ingerson, Andrea Feik, Genevieve Pidcock, Norma Noyes, Evelyn Hamilton, Margaret Greene, Marcia Stringham. Second Violins: Florence Miller, Simone Moore, Marie Howard, Barbara Stringham, Shirley Justice, Terry Thornburg, Alroy Rasmussen, Caryl Hug. Violas: Otto Weigel, Jacqueline Cyr, Dale Vaught, Roxa Tuttle. Cellos: Marcia Miller, Frances Gilfry, Bob Wilkins. String Bass: Wayne Gilfry, Donald Otten, Janet Heisler, Allen Johnson. Oboe: Ellen McCormick. Flute and Piccolo: Maurine Gerards. Flutes: Eloise Saager, Bob Loy. Bassoon: Joyce Gerdes. Clarinets: Clark Ruckman, Loretta Cook, Helene Saager. Alto Saxophone: Dan Jones, Carolyn Davis. Tenor Saxophone: Betty Smethurst, Rush Fitzgerald. French Horns: Don Nation, Ruth Courtright. Trumpets: David Johansen, Bill Hug, Allen Johnson. Baritone: Ted Mangun. Trombones: Norman Peters, Larry Winters. Tuba: George Schultz. Tympani: Doris Philbrick. Percussion: Bert Hall, Arlon Harvey, Doris McGee.

L. Rhodes Lewis, Instructor in Music and Strings.



**CONCERT BAND . . .** The College Concert Band, with a membership of forty pieces, under the direction of Mr. L. Rhodes Lewis, has been active this year on the campus and in the community. The band has contributed to the football games, pep rallies, basketball games, and assemblies. The dedication ceremony of the new La Grande National Guard Armory on February 4 was the outstanding appearance of the year. Two out-of-town trips were made during the 1949-1950 season; to Whitman College at Walla Walla, Washington, for the final Eastern Oregon College football game of the season; and to Pendleton for the basketball game with Vanport College. Officers: President, Dan Jones; Vice-President, Dave Johansen; Librarian, Maurice Gerards; Manager, Don Nation.

**BRASS CHOIR . . .** The College Brass Choir consisted of all the brass horn players in the band and orchestra. This group was very active at concerts during the Christmas season. It played for the American Legion Auxiliary and at the Neighborhood Group on December 18. Members of this choir were David Johansen, Don Blacker, Robert Quinn, Boyd Dausener, Norman Peters, Roxa Tuttle, David Mason, Martha Jane Colvin, Ted Mangum, Charles Good, and Don Nation.

Row 1 — Loretta Cook, Doris Lay, Joe Wasson, Rush Fitzgerald, Elizabeth Smethurst, Lawrence Richardson, Eloise Saager, Maurine Gerards. Row 2 — Patricia Hershiser, Harold Cook, Helen Saager, Ray Hobbs, Coleen Presley, Betty Mulkins, Carolyn Davis, Dan Jones, Ellen McCormick, Ruth Courtright, Don Nation. Row 3 — Shirley Van Horn, Coleen Martin, Dale Vaught, Jerry Franz, Robert Quinn, Allen Johnson, Joe Rowe, Dave Johansen, Ted Cook, Leonard Good, Ted Mangun, Ted Shaver, Martha Colvin, Roxa Tuttle, Norman Peters. Row 4 — Bert Hall, Marie Howard, Doris McGee.

**MALE QUARTET** . . . After their first appearance under the direction of Dr. John L. Bishop, at the homecoming banquet, the men were in constant demand to entertain at both school and community functions. In the spring quarter they made a tour of communities throughout Eastern Oregon, singing at the high school in each community. Members: First Tenor, Frank Ellis; Second Tenor, Leon Bolen; Baritone, Gordon Green, and Bass, Don McKee.

**TRIOS** . . . Under the direction of Mrs. Florence L. Miller, the Dorion Trio and the Song Sisters Trio have appeared many times at clubs, churches, and social functions in La Grande and vicinity this year, as well as at campus functions. They appeared in the Winter Term Concert, March 15, 1950, and made a tour of Eastern Oregon high schools during the spring term.

Members of the Dorion Trio are: Eloise Saager, Shirley Burns, Helene Saager, accompanied by Nancy Evans. Members of the Song Sisters Trio are: Frances Gilfry, Roxa Tuttle, Joan Skeen, accompanied by Marilyn Skeen.

**THE LOST CHORDS** . . . Under the direction of Dr. John L. Bishop, a group of eight college men were organized into a double quartet and chose to call themselves "The Lost Chords." They supplement the college quartet, functioning at entertainments for various groups in La Grande and have added a touch of comedy to several assembly programs.

The members were Bob Loy, Norman Peters, Dick Gardner, Larry Swanson, Max Ingerson, Stan Axen, Norman Sowards, and Steve Anderson.

Many soloists have been featured on concert programs this year and are in constant demand as performers for church and social functions. Receiving especial notice this year were Larry Swanson, piano, and Don McKee, vocal, who walked away with first and second billings in the La Grande Mid-Century Amateur Show.

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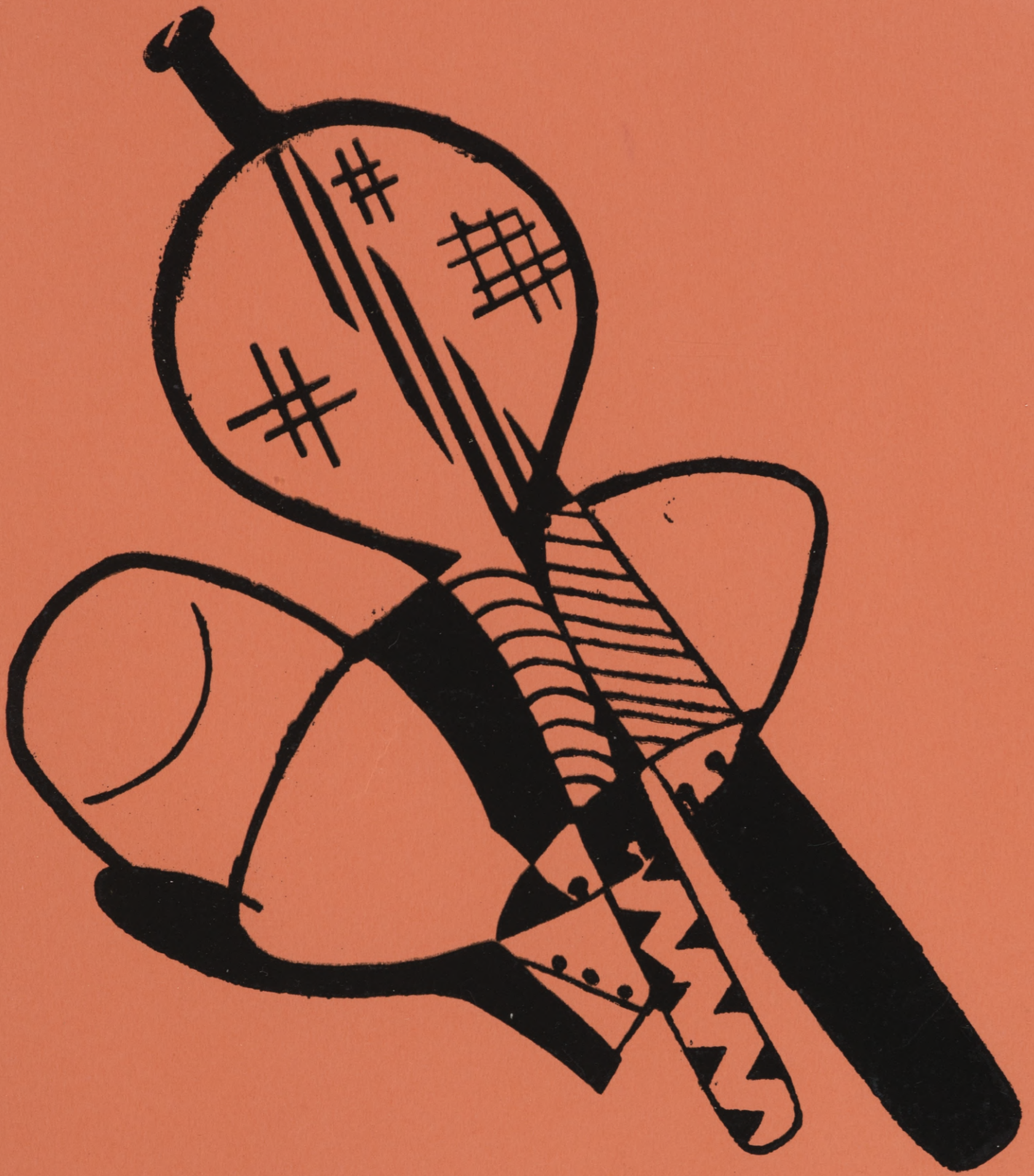
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**FOOTBALL . . .** Though the season was not particularly successful from the win-loss standpoint the squad experienced periods of coordinated teamwork which marked it as quite acceptable. Much material of merit will be available for next year.

E. Robert Quinn, Associate Professor of Physical Education and Geography.



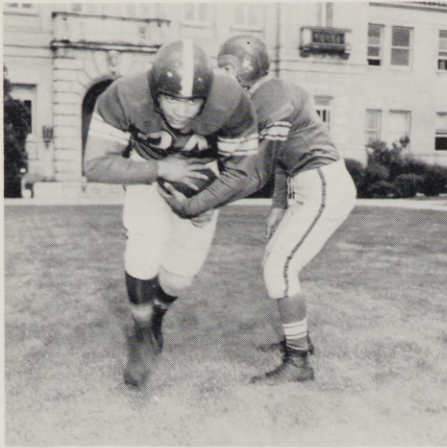
Pictured: In front, Ivan Orr, Manager; Hollis Fait, Bob Quinn, Bob Oesterle, Coaches; Jim Redmond, Manager.

Row 1 — Dick Hesselgesser, Bob Terry, Jim Bailey, Ferman Warnock, Lou DeLoretto, Ester Wilfong, Owen Allen, Harry Winston, Bud Dausner.

Row 2 — Jim McAlister, Harold Long, Bob Quinn Jr., Ray Walter, Herm Lawson, Bob Cooley, Lowell (Pink) Winters, Willard Schilling.

Row 3 — Guy Henderson, Gene O'Brien, Hank Lind, Donn Waldum, Jerry Sherwood, Hank Sherman, Jim Courtney, Golden Yeske.

Row 4 — Bob Wilkins, Trainer Gene Rugg, Phil Ward.

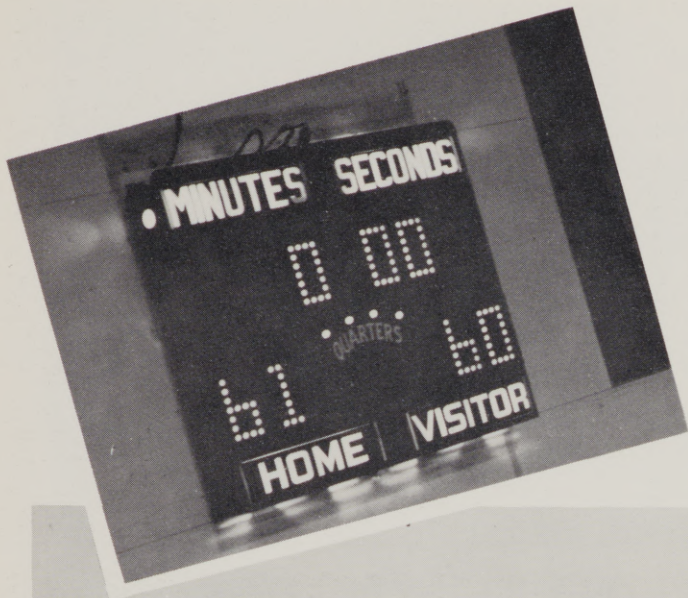


Terry takes a handoff.  
Field scene.  
DeLoretto and dummy.



Field fight.  
Tense moments.  
Mr. Oesterle, Assisting Coach.

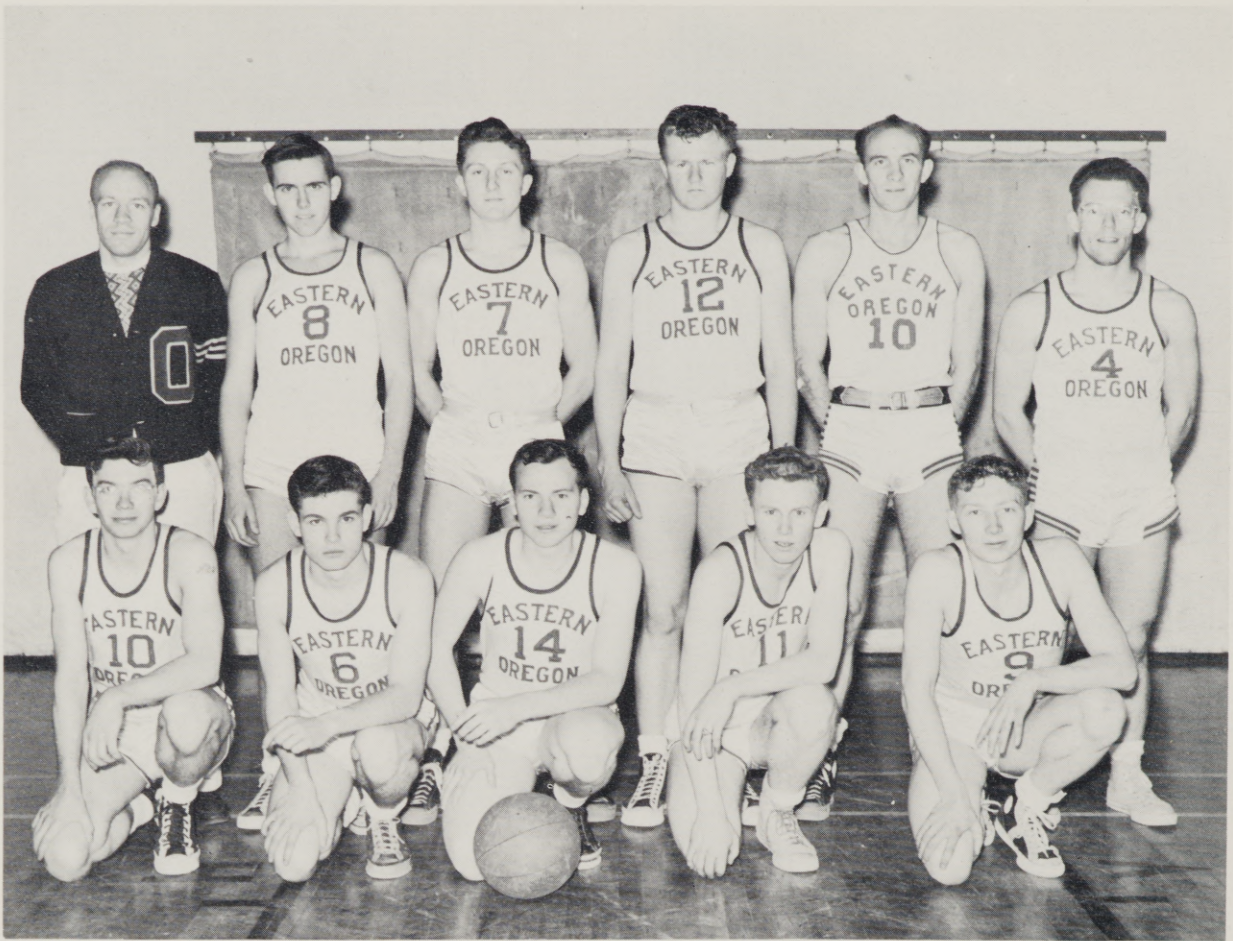




BASKETBALL . . . Final minutes and seconds have played a significant part in this year's cage season, when a win or loss hinged on a point one way or the other. With a fair record behind them the team expects the return of a number of lettermen to spark next year's squad.



Front row, left to right: Jim McAllister, Harry Winston, Bob Green, Ed Merriman, Norm Records, Gordon Green. Back row, left to right: Tom Taylor, Mike Irons, Bob Saling, Eldon Lilly, Jerry Sherwood, and Coach Bob Quinn.

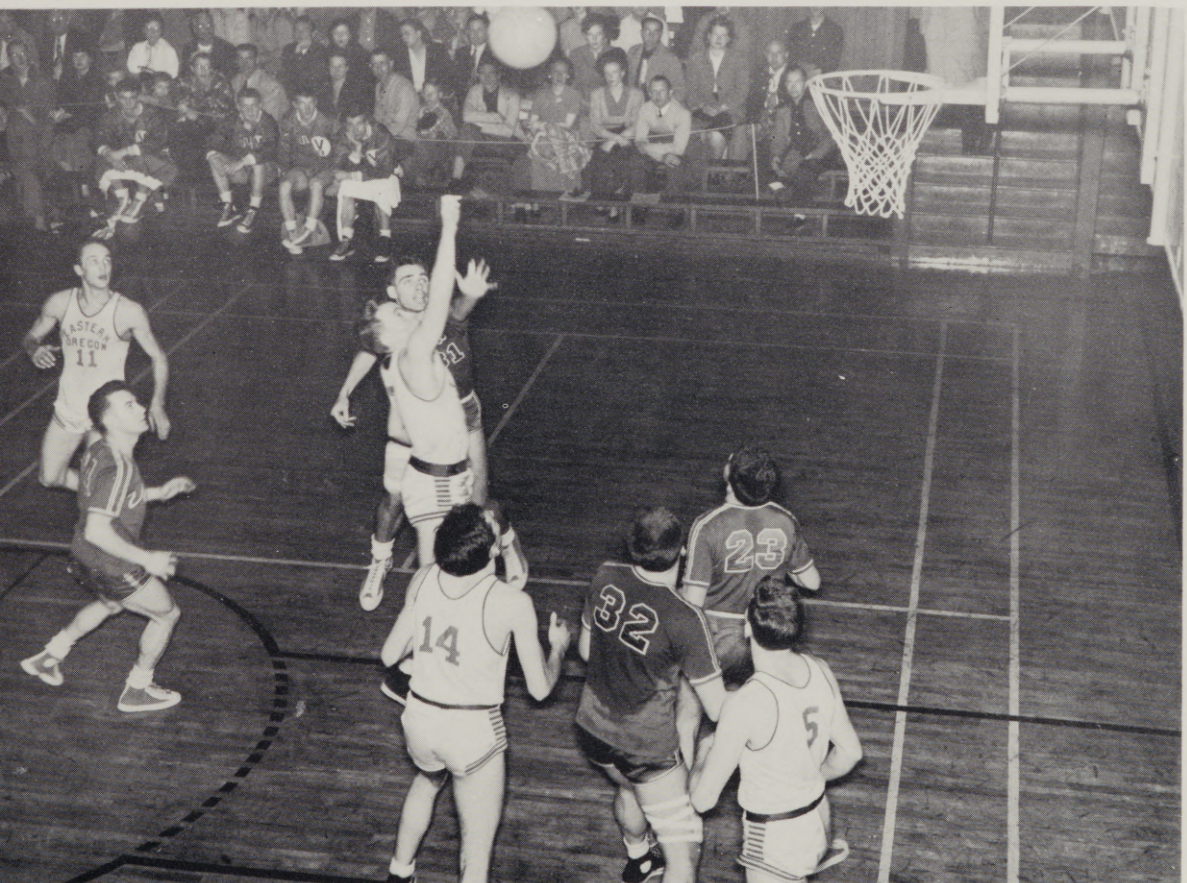
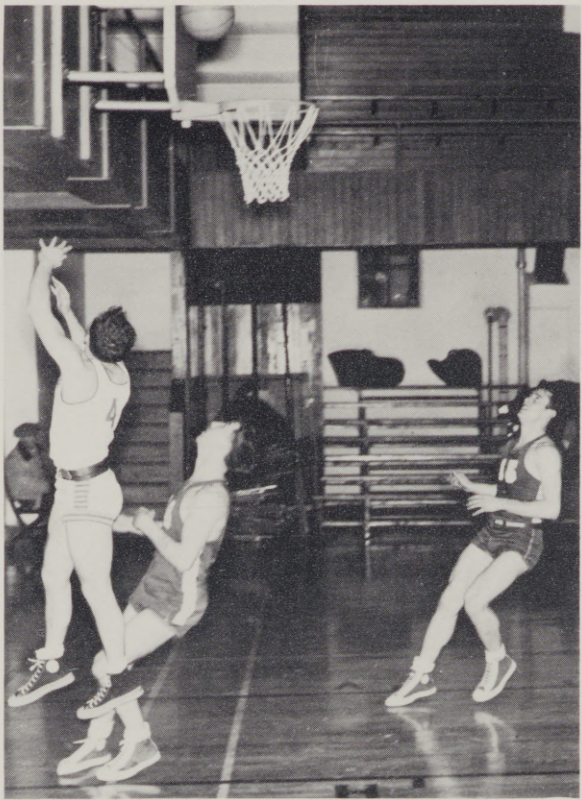


FROSH . . . The frosh squad coached by Floyd (Pop) Langsev gave an acceptable showing as prep grounds for some of next year's varsity. Pictured: Stan Thomas, Don McCardle, Elvin Webb, John Lawrence, Glen Jones, Coach Langsev, Darrell Muller, Bobby Quinn, Ray Walters, Dick Swanson, Harry Winston.

In an exhibition half-time game the college pros tackled an intramural team with hilarious results. Pictured: Mr. Carter, Dale Fallow, Mr. Hill, Herm Ziegler, and Mr. Oesterle.

(opposite page)  
Lilly shoots.  
Winston high in air.  
Action against Vanport.





BOXING . . . Going into its third year the college boxing program under direction of Hollis Fait was very successful producing some fine boxers individually and as a team.



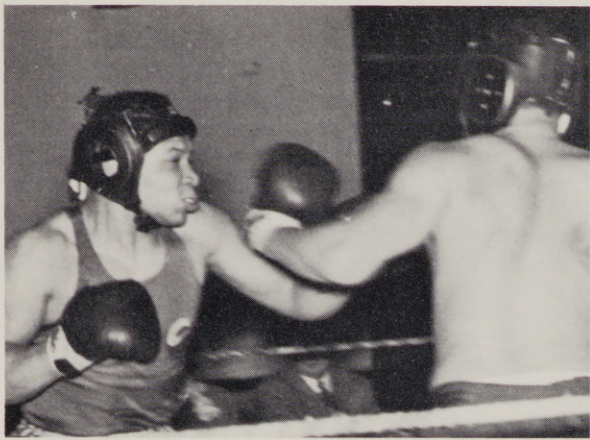
Hollis F. Fait, Instructor in Physical Education.



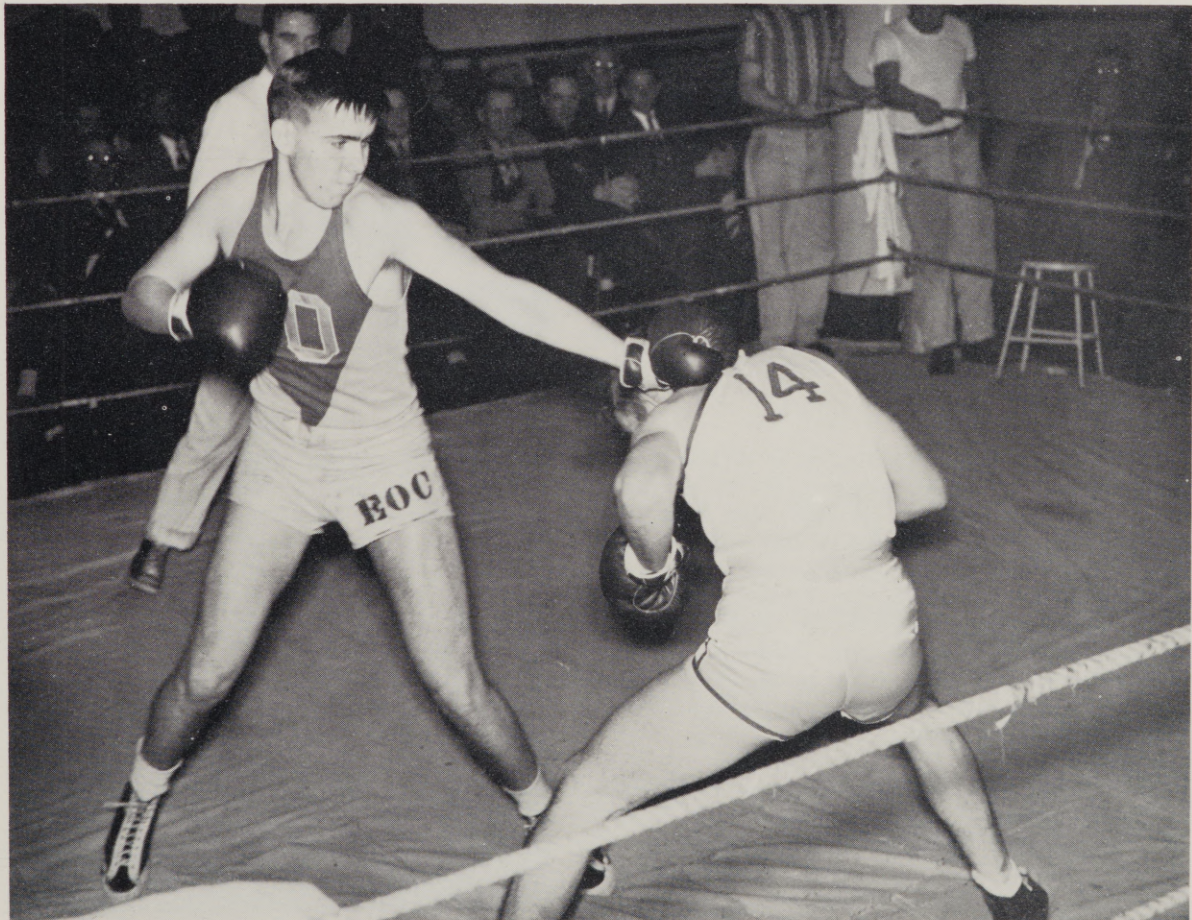
Regular Squad Members: Everett Chrusoskie, Heavyweight; Walter Sweet, 175; Roscoe McGraw, 175; John O'Keeffe, 165; Gaylord Salter, 165; Dick Hesselgesser, 155; Vern Hargett, 155; Myron Steel, 155; Mat Doherty, 155; Jim Lee, 145; Bill Meeker, 145; Bill Kenny, 145; Tom Gibbons, 135; Gene Louthan, 130; Fred Pruitt, 125.

Terry, Steele and Chrusoskie in action.





Terry blocks.  
Hesselgesser in corner.  
Muller lands one.



**BASEBALL** . . . Prospects for the baseball season proved very good with seven returning lettermen. Squad members include lettermen Herb Hungerford, Herm Lawson, Pitchers; Grant Saunders, Catcher; Bobby Green, 2nd Base; Mike Irons, Shortstop; Floyd Langsev, 3rd Base, and Fred Pruitt, Outfield. Outstanding freshman prospects were Norman Records, Harry Winston, Gene Fox, Dave Johansen, Jim McAlister, Dick Gardner, Larry Sweet, George White, Bob Quinn Jr.

**TRACK** . . . Entering their third year of track competition the college thinclads scheduled two three-way meets in which they plan to place. Two lettermen returned this year — Eldon Lilly, Sprints, and Don Brown, High Jump. Besides these are the following turnouts: Tom Taylor, High Jump; Jay Hoover, Distance; James Walter, Distance; Max Ingerson, Javelin and Sprints; Vernon Dodson, Darrell Doering, James Courtney, Sprints; Arthur Homan, Distance; Ted Mangun, Javelin; Walter Beerli, Bob Terry, Weights; Earl Miller, Allen Johnson, Distance; Dennis McLeland, Javelin; Jerry Franz, Weights; Roscoe McGraw, Distance; William England.

**LETTERMEN** . . . The organization of athletes boasts a large membership. Its activities include selling frosh beanies, sponsoring the Whiskerino, and handling concessions at games. Officers are Herb Hungerford, President; Mike Irons, Vice-President; Bill Meeker, Secretary-Treasurer, and Everett Chrusoskie, Historian. Each year the club awards the Leon Peavy Trophy to the outstanding athlete. This year the award went to Mike Irons. Members are Don Brown, Tom Taylor, Eldon Lilly, Jerry Sherwood, Hank Hall, Ester Wilfong, Jim Bailey, Chuck Langsev, Dean Knight, Bob Wilkins, Phil Ward, Herman Lawson, Ferman Warnock, Lou DeLoreto, Willard Schilling, Bob Terry, Golden Yeske, Biz Pruitt, Dusty Allen, Bob Green, Jim Lee, Ed Merriman, Floyd Langsev, By Bender, Donn Waldum, Bob Cooley, Jim McAlister, Bob Quinn, Ray Walter, Harry Winston, Jim Courtney, Grant Saunders, Jim Redmond. Advisers are Bob Quinn and Hollis Fait.

WOMEN'S P. E. . . . An interesting program of women's athletics is carried on under direction of Miss Knelleken and Miss Morris. Folk dancing, bowling, tennis, volleyball, social dancing are a few of the varied activities.

Gertrude L. Knelleken  
Instructor in Women's Physical Education



Margaret Ruth Morris  
Assistant Professor of Physical Education  
and Health



W. R. A. . . . The Women's Recreation Association carries on an intramural program in volleyball and basketball as well as other sport events. Officers are Alyce Wada, President; Doris Lay, Vice-President; Wanda Thompson, Secretary-Treasurer.

Volleyball Champs: Marilyn Davis, Roberta Peshall, Shirley Justice, Nellie Patapoff, Juanita Swett, Betty Fox, and Jan Heisler (not pictured).

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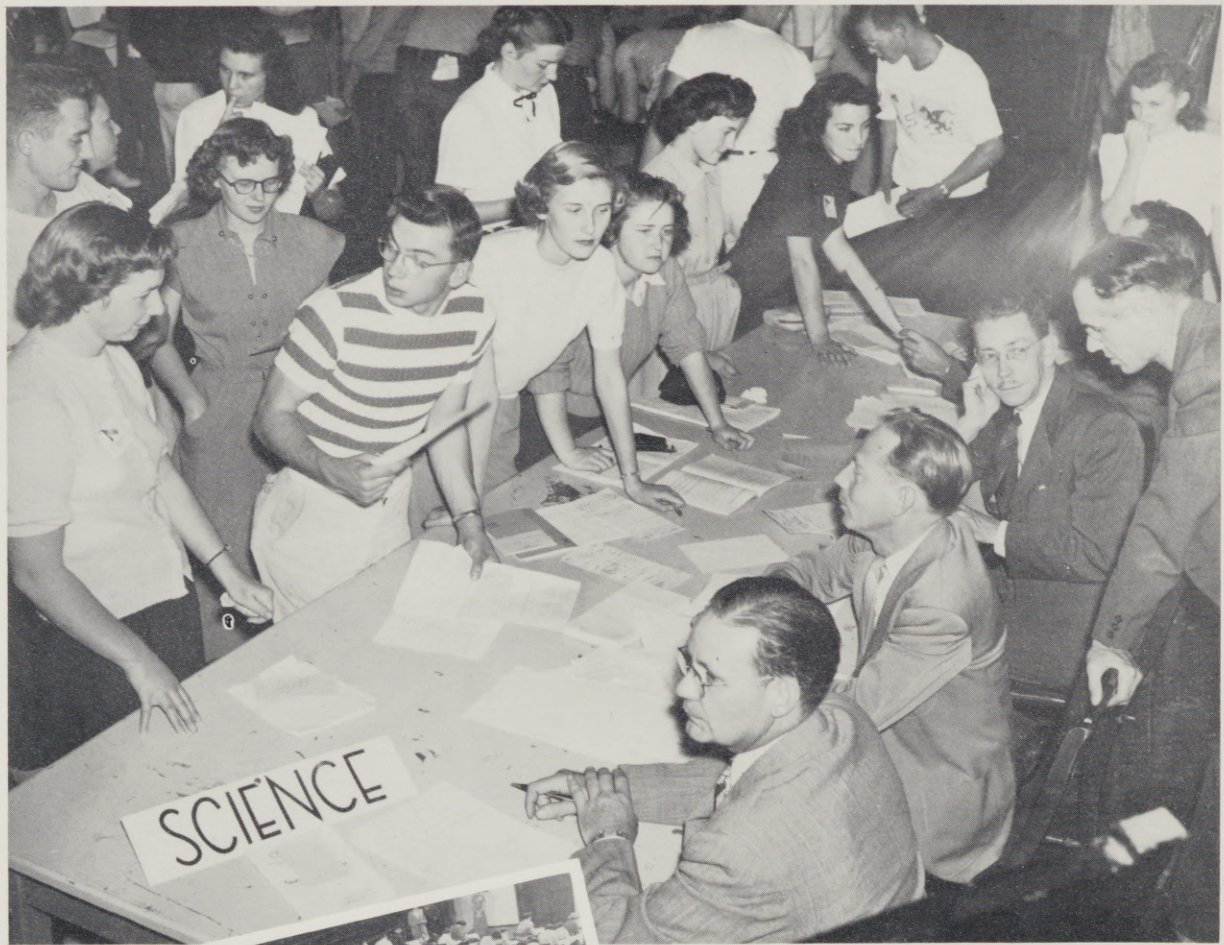






"Autumnal frosts enchant the pool . . ."

—Stevenson



FRESHMAN DAYS . . . Guided by a special "Ask Me" Committee, new and transfer students get a preview of college life before final fall registration. Aptitude tests give a better understanding of student potentialities. The faculty is formally presented and registration is completed.

Registration line.  
Aptitude testing.  
Slight confusion.

FALL MIXER . . . Informal dance sponsored by the "Ask Me" Committee and directed by Miss Morris helps students get acquainted.

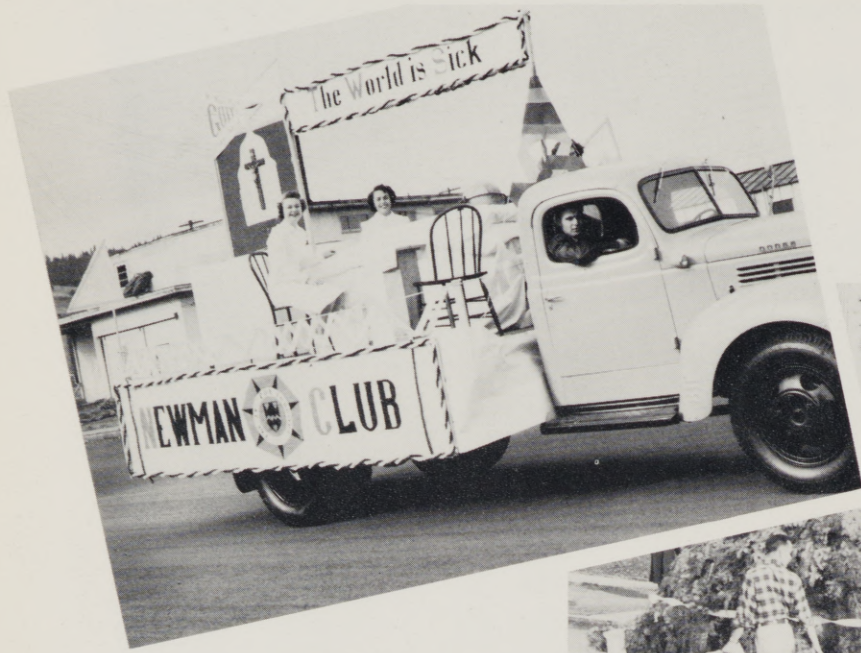
Mixer Fun.



FACULTY RECEPTION . . . The faculty greet new and old students in formal surroundings each year before studies begin in earnest.

Formal greetings.  
Refreshments.

"HANDS ACROSS THE YEARS"



Prizewinning floats.

The Homecoming Parade started off colorful proceedings. Taking top honors was the Newman Club Float followed by Beta Kappa in second place.



Winston passes.  
Tug-O'-War.



The Homecoming Game turned out to be fun even if we lost. Frosh and sophomores staged a halftime tug-o'-war.



## HOMECOMING ROYALTY

Queen Rosalie Wilson, La Grande (center), poses with her court, Princess Marian Mawhin, Enterprise (left), and Princess Mardi Sallee, Nyssa.



Theta Delta Phi and Sigma Alpha Chi  
luncheons.  
Interfaith breakfast.  
Alumni dance.

Traditional luncheons by the honoraries  
and the big alumni banquet, at which Hugh  
Bunten was elected alumni president, set  
the stage for the formal dance.





Father and Jenny.  
Jenny with Michael.



Owen experiments.  
Michael inspects.

## "Jenny Kissed Me"

Another season of successes for the Sock and Buskin players was opened with the production of "Jenny Kissed Me," a comedy in three acts, presented by the Eastern Oregon College Theatre on three consecutive nights, November 10-11-12, 1949. Outstanding roles were played by Stephen Anderson, Darrell Doering, Sally Smith, Roxa Tuttle, Bob Loy, Virginia Birdsong, Betty Anson, Leona Hatwan, Bob Albritton, Barbara Beacon, Pat Balcom, Evelleen Towne, Evelyn Miller, and Evelyn Wattenbarger. The play was written by Jean Kerr and produced under the direction of Mr. Alvin Kaiser.



SADIE HAWKINS . . . The annual girl chase boy costume affair is sponsored each year by WAA. Set in "Dogpatch," complete with "Schmoos" and "Kegmies," the dancers are awarded prizes for best costumes.



Daisy Mae and Li'l Abner.  
Dogpatch special.  
Mammy and Pappy Yokum.



**YULE CANDLELIGHT HOUR . . .** One of Sigma Alpha Chi's major events each year is the beautiful Candlelight Hour — an hour of pleasant fellowship during the busy Christmas rush. Master candle is lighted each year by an alumna, this year Margaret Davis Stewart, and present Sigma Alpha Chi girls complete the candlelighting.



Margaret Stewart lights the candle. Candlelighting.



**CHRISTMAS FORMAL . . .** The first formal dance of the year is the lovely Christmas formal sponsored by AWS. Decorations follow the winter theme with fir boughs and snow scene.

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**WHISKERINO . . .** The annual battle of the beards ends with the big dance when champions are named in the various divisions. Both students and faculty engage in the competition.

Faculty poses.  
 Students with and without.  
 Champs: Dick Karther, Phil Beauchamp, Gordon Green, Mr. Graham, Val Bates, Bob Lynch, Carl Knighten.  
 The Kaisers.





**SKI WEEKEND** . . . Sponsored by Bretter Storke Ski Club, the ski weekend has become an annual event. Held at Spout Springs near Tollgate the snow session attracts many of the lovers of the great outdoors. In the evening there was folk dancing and games at the lodge, or night skiing beneath flood lights. Transportation to the ski area was by college bus. Sunday the group observed the Pacific Northwest Ski Association's Patrol and First Aid Races.

Slide — Slide — Slide.  
Cards at the lodge.

At the ski-tow.  
Night skiing under the lights.



**SWEETHEART BALL . . .** Due to unfortunate circumstances pictures of the Dorion Sweetheart Ball are not available. Reigning over festivities was Queen Naomi Brock and her court, Princesses Betty Keyes, Ellen Herrman, Wanda Thompson, Evellen Towne, and Shirley Everett.

**TALENT ASSEMBLIES . . .** Residence Halls Pierce and Hunt presented a review of their talents early in the term. Pierce sponsored a "Doctor Arthur Stein" Quiz Show with added attractions by Larry Swanson and Announcer Vance Gritton. Hunt showed the inside life at the dorm with numbers by Dave Johansen, Lee Wells and Leo Morales and interesting comments by the radio.

Town boys presented a variety show of much hilarity, featuring famous name impersonations and scenes from life with a large cast of entertainers.

"Swancert"

"Daddy, Please Come Home"

"Mule Train"





**RELIGION IN LIFE . . .** Ninth Annual Religion in Life Conference was held on the campus this spring sponsored by College Interfaith Fellowship. Guest conference leaders making up the Interfaith team were Rabbi Saul B. Applebaum, Beth Israel Temple, Portland; Dr. Gertrude Boyd Crane, Head of the Department of Religion and Philosophy, Pacific University, Forest Grove, Oregon; Dr. George Tanner, L.D.S. Institute of Religion, University of Idaho Campus, Moscow, Idaho; Father M. J. McMahon and Father Joseph Hayes of the Lady of Our Valley Catholic Church, together with La Grande city ministers and their congregations.



Banquet Tickets.  
Rabbi Applebaum speaks.  
Interfaith Banquet.

Father Joseph Hayes.



# DAD'S DAY . . .



Getting Dad acquainted with the college is an annual affair planned to give an overview of college activities.

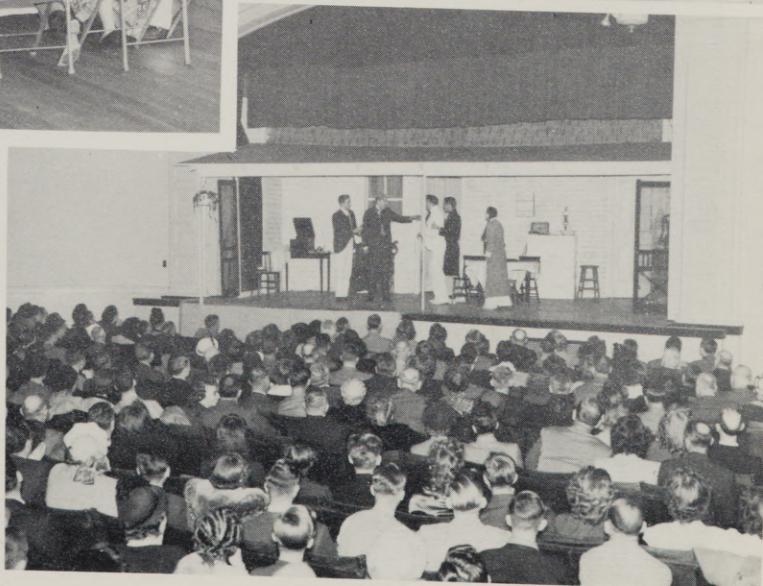
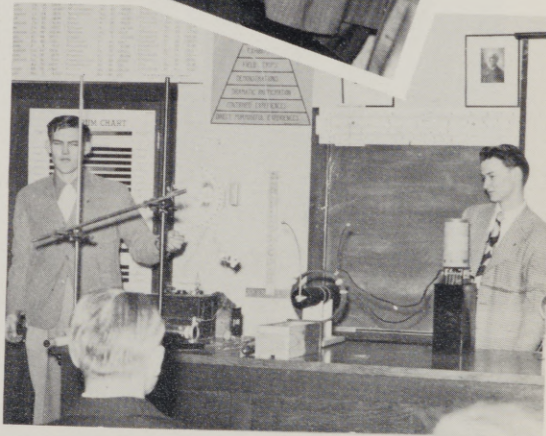
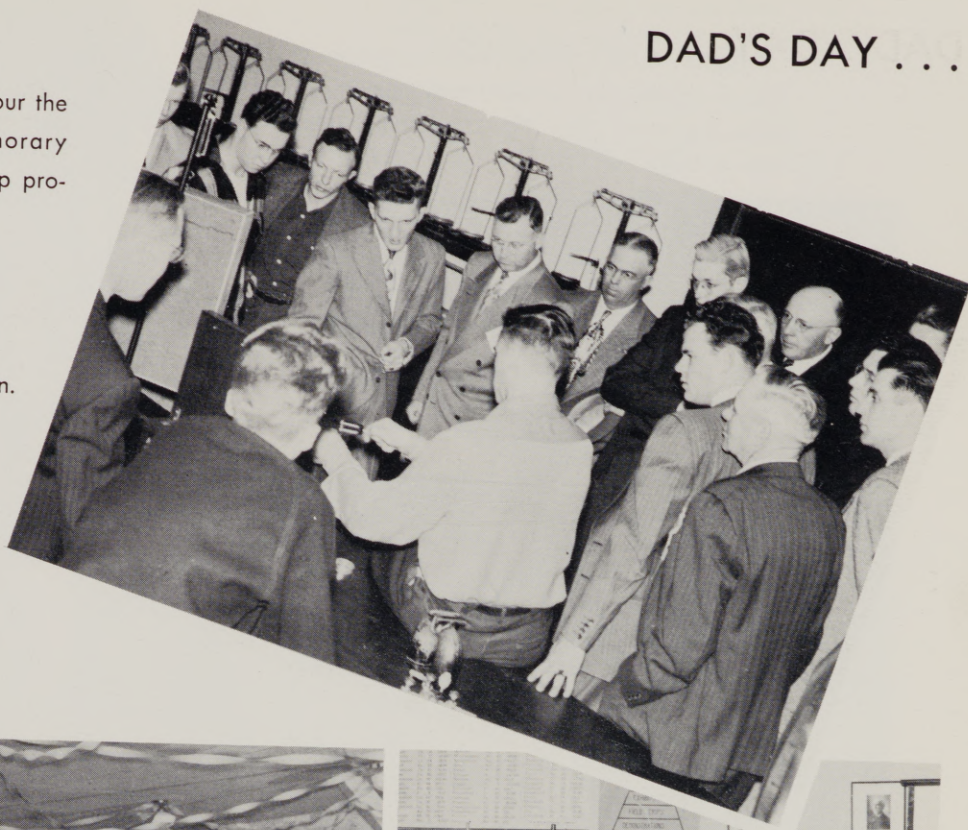
Planners Shaw, Reynolds and Lockett.  
Dad's Association Officers: G. W. Saager, Freewater, Secretary; Bernard Frost, Nyssa, Vice-President; Walter Bean, La Grande, President.  
Senator Austin Dunn, banquet speaker.  
Large banquet attendance.



# DAD'S DAY . . .

Following registration the Dads tour the campus, visit classes, attend honorary luncheons, the banquet and wind up proceedings with the college play.

Lab experiment.  
Sigma Alpha Chi, Theta Delta Phi luncheon.  
Demonstrations.  
The play.



"NOW AND FOREVER" . . . With unique staging and excellent characterizations, the winter play "Now and Forever" was a huge success. The story centered about the struggle between Ellen and the family which had made her a martyr to their cause.

Doris Philbrick as Ellen.  
The climax.



Lawrence Richardson  
Shirley Burns  
Vance Gritton  
Larry Swanson  
Patricia Hershiser  
Ruth Barlow  
Kenneth Armbruster  
Don Nation  
Joy Hayes  
Doris Philbrick  
Steve Anderson



"DREAMER'S HOLIDAY" . . . The Junior Prom featured spring and dreams as main theme for decorations and background.

Dreamers.

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—Coleridge

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MOTHERS'  
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SCENES FROM  
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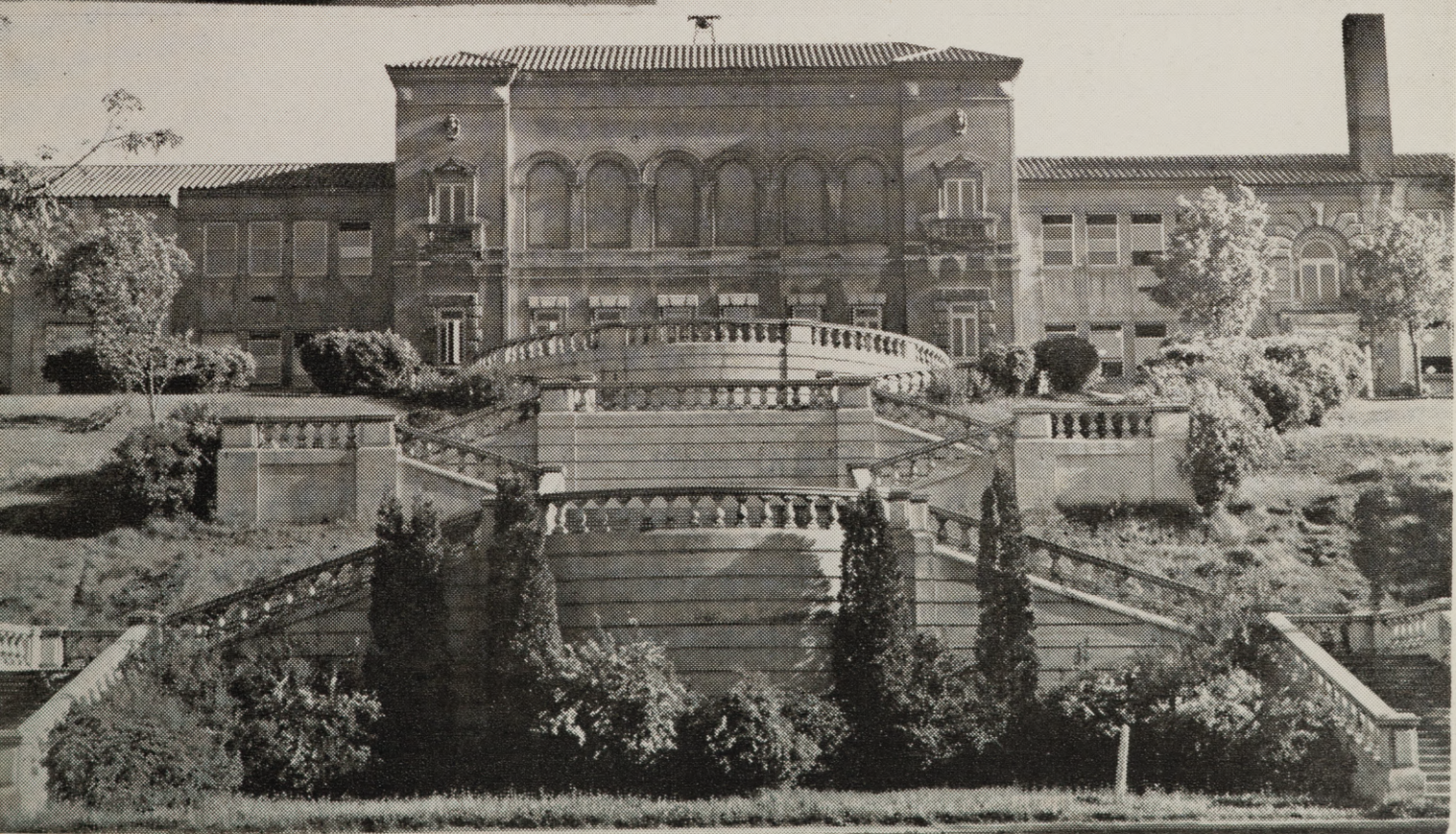
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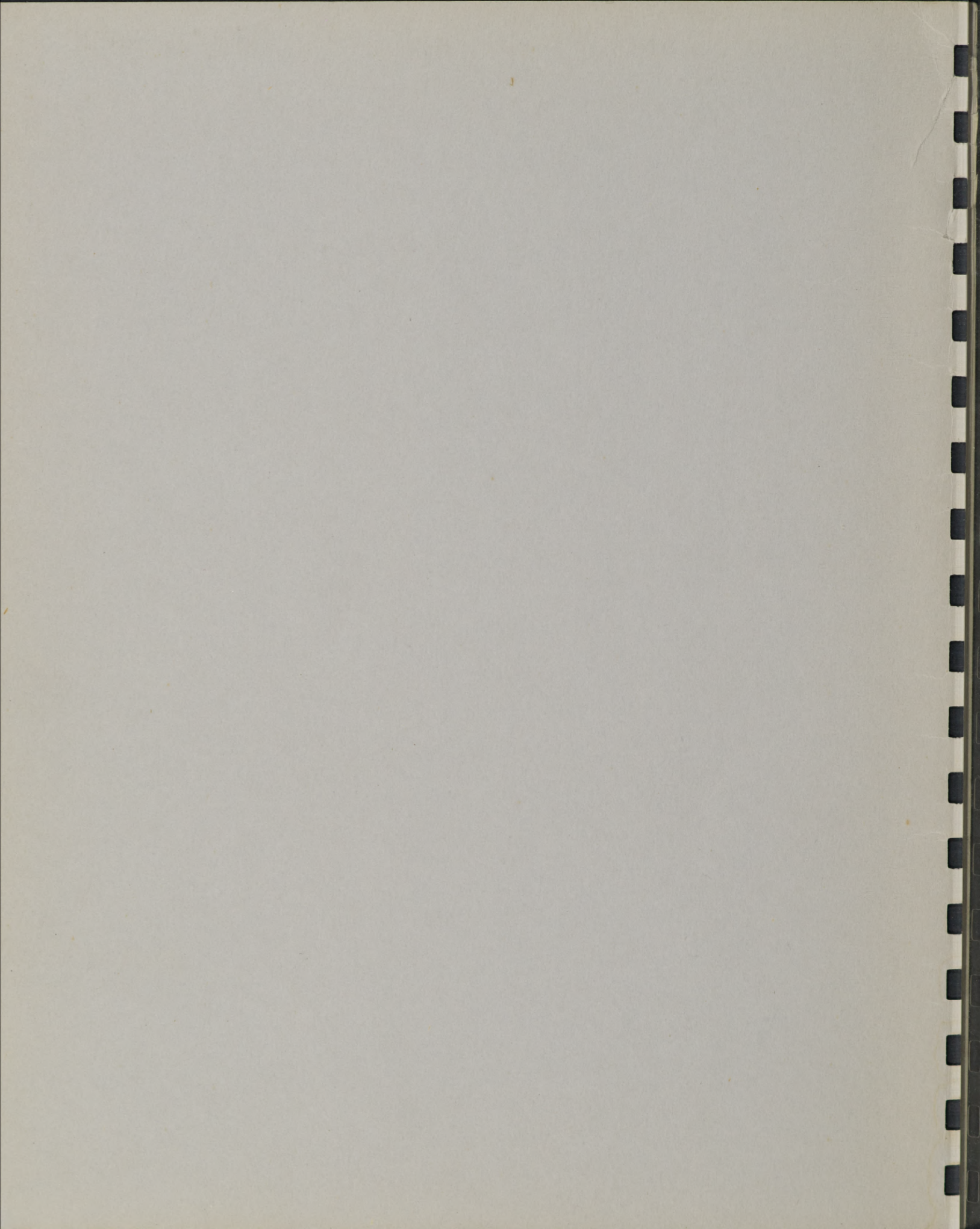


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