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## Science Heads Plan Annual Open House

This year's Open House will feature the application of technical training to the community and everyday life. Open House will be held in Howarth Hall on March 17, with the different departments having special displays to show the relation of science to the home and the industries.

The home economics department is planning to show block prints, rugs, applique and other art work. From the foods section there will be displays of foods showing the nutrition values of each.

Elaborate preparations have been made by the physicists of the school, who hope to have an interesting and instructive display. An x-ray machine, spectrographs, telescopes, telescope lens, a short-wave receiving set, and a C.T.R. Wilson alpha ray track machine are but a few of the many exhibits the department has set up for Open House.

Millikan's famous oil drop experiment will be performed. The oil drop experiment is one whereby it is possible to tell the amount of electricity in an electron. Experiments in spectrographic analysis will be conducted by the guides, who are to show the visitors around the department.

One room has been specially darkened for the light and spectrum experiments. The alpha ray machine is one that shows the paths of the disintegrating ions from a deposit of radium salts.

## Debaters Meet California Team

Fresno State College of California will debate College of Puget Sound tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in Jones Hall. The regular war debt question will be debated and Art Linn and Frank Heuston will uphold the negative. The Fresno team is making a tour of the North and CPS is one of the many scheduled stops.

## ALUMNUS ATTENDS PEACE CONFERENCE

John Robinson, of the class of '32, now at Boston University, where he went on a scholarship from the College of Puget Sound represented the Boston University School of Theology at a students' peace conference held in Boston last week.

In a letter to his parents telling of his appointment, he said that he had met and talked at some length with Edwin Markham, the American poet. Robinson was editor of the *Tamanawas* during his senior year.

## CENTRAL BOARD CALLS ELECTION

### Consider Constitutional Revision by Special Ballot

To vote on the revisions to the constitution a special election will be held, according to the decision of Central Board at the meeting last Monday. However, the date of the election will be indefinite, coming 14 days after the constitution is made up. The main changes will be to eliminate the student treasurer, letting the Bursar handle all funds. A centralized purchasing committee or agent composed of the book store and faculty advisors will be appointed.

The student judiciary will be changed to a standing committee between the students and faculty. At present it is a dead body as far as the students are concerned. The new committee will take care of all constitution trouble which arises.

A meeting of all managers and faculty advisors of activities was held to work out a uniform plan of nominating student managers. No definite action was taken but it was generally agreed that managers be appointed with the consent of Central Board, this will eliminate the election of these officers by the student body at large as there is generally only one candidate nominated.

## PROF. ALCORN RECEIVES BID

In honor of the research work done by Mr. Gordon D. Alcorn, he has been asked to join Sigma Xi, national honorary fraternity for research in science.

Professors James Slater, Siegfried Herrmann, Raymond Seward and Arthur Martin are also members of Sigma Xi.

## Students Give Tolstoy's Play

### Serious Drama Presented In Chapel

"What Men Live By" a serious play by Leo Tolstoy was given in chapel Friday by the Dramatic department and under the student direction of Warren Mahaffay.

The story is built around an episode in the life of a poor, Russian cobbler and his wife. He befriends a fallen man who is a messenger of God. The man smiles three times in the course of events and is summarized in his last answers to questions from Simon, the cobbler and Matrena his wife.

Those taking part were: Paul Wagley as Simon, Jane Bennetts as Matrena, Franklin Larson as Michael, Jack Morelock as Trofinoff, Margaret Bradfield as Anna Maloska, Virginia Callson as the Angel, Marjorie Barnum as the Devil, Art Linn as the Baron, Eugene Bush as Thedka, Harriet Rosenweig as Sonia Ivanich, and Marjorie Maris and Evelyn Ferrier as the twins.

## BREAKDOWN DUE TO OVERWORK

Due to overwork, Elsie Korpela, prominent senior, collapsed Thursday afternoon, March 2, in the Kappa Sigma Theta room. According to Dr. Herman, who was called, she is suffering from a nervous breakdown, but her condition is not serious. She is expected to return to school in about a week, after a much needed rest.

## Le Veque, Fox Win Student Body Elections

Casting a record number of ballots, College of Puget Sound students elected William Le Veque president of the Associated Students to succeed Herman Mattson. The vote was Le Veque 299, Sprenger 176. Out of 565 eligible to vote, 484 cast their ballots. This is the largest percentage to vote in the history of CPS.

The secretary's position was won by Elizabeth Fox after a hot battle of ballots over Dorothy Foxwell by the vote of 231 to 226.

Pat Steele took 276 as opposed to 162 for Davidson to gain the office of senior representative. Mark Whitman received 269 votes and Phil Keyes 285 for junior and sophomore representatives, respectively, while their opponents Gerald Hanson and Evelyn Mellinger took 157 and 161 votes respectively.

Five candidates were unopposed. They were Kathryn St. Clair, vice-president; Charles Thomas, business manager of the Trail; Kenneth Powers, dramatic manager; Dick Zehnder, business manager of the *Tamanawas*; and Frank

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## Instructor Forms Unique Collection

Newspapers containing world-important events have a unique fancy for Dudley C. Gordon, English instructor at Los Angeles Junior College.

Included in Gordon's collection are newspapers dealing with the San Francisco earthquake of 1915, the signing of the Armistice, the death of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, and a copy of the "Stars and Stripes," an oversea publication.

An excerpt from an issue of the London Daily Mail, published aboard the liner *Mauretania*, states, "Captain Charles A. Lindbergh, known in air mail circles as 'Lucky Lindbergh' of St. Louis, flew his plane and is satisfied that it is ready for the cross-Atlantic trip."

## GAMMAS HAVE NEW MEMBERS

### Kappa Sigma Theta Has Formal Pledging

Formal initiation for Delta Alpha Gamma was held at the First Congregational Church Wednesday, March 1, with Miss Pearl Disher, president of the group, officiating. The ceremony was followed by a dinner at the home of Miss Betty Smallridge. The girls initiated into the sorority include Misses Hannah Kaufman, Ruth Helen Evans, Bernice Miller, and Helen Roberts.

Kappa Sigma Theta sorority had formal pledging at the home of Marjorie Campbell, Wednesday, March 1. Miss Elsie Korpela, group president, presided. The new pledges are Misses Peggy Scudder, Grace Camp, Kathryn Watson, and Margaret Anderson. An informal dinner followed the ceremony.

A business meeting was held by the Alpha Beta Upsilon sorority Wednesday and Miss Geneva Kenway gave a talk. Further plans were made for a party which is to be held March 18, with Miss Mary Jane Wilkison in charge of the affair. Lambda Sigma Chi sorority had a business meeting Wednesday March 1, with Miss Charlotte Cook, head of the organization, presiding.

### Miss Montgomery Speaks on Hobby

A talk by Miss Louise Montgomery on her hobby, music, was the feature of the regular meeting of the Otlah club, Friday, March 3, at the home of Mrs. Drushel, dean of women.

### HENRY ILL WITH FLU

A sore throat and a mild attack of flue have kept Professor G. F. Henry from his classes during the past week. He expects to return today.

## OLSON FIRST IN COMPETITION

### Select Design For Tamanawas Cover

The cover design contest for the Tamanawas closed Friday with Don Olson, freshman, chosen as winner of first place from twelve entries.

A copy of the print which is a picture of the school within a Gothic cloisture, is on exhibit on the student bulletin board in Jones Hall and this design is to be used for the annual.

As Mrs. Ida Cochran aided to a great extent in suggestions for the project she relinquished her position as judge to Miss Rowena Lung. The other three judges were Professor Julius P. Jaeger, Delmore Martin and Mr. Frank Miller.

Two designs which were submitted by Ward Alvord tied for second place.

Because of weather conditions the snapshot contest, which was to end today, will be prolonged for another week closing next Monday.

### Students Inspect Bird Eggs

The last of four field trips taken by Mr. Gordon Alcorn's two bird classes was taken at the Ferry Museum last Monday. The classes inspected the J. Hooper Bowles collection of bird eggs. This collection is one of the finest in the United States.

Two trips were previously taken to the South Tacoma swamps where between 15 and 20 species of winter birds were found.

## STUDENTS GIVE VARIED RECITAL

### Musicale To Include Voice, Instruments

The second student recital will be presented Friday, March 10, at 3:30 p. m. in Jones Hall by the Conservatory of Music.

The musicale will consist of trombone, voice, piano, trumpet and organ solos.

The program is as follows:

#### Trombone:

Song of the Sun—Edward Barroll

Carnations—H. C. Vandercook  
Lola Sanders

#### Voice:

Ballad of Little Billee—O'Hara  
Wilton Vincent

#### Piano:

Waltz, D flat Major—Chopin  
Country Gardens—Grainger

#### Voice:

Lovely Spring—Coenen  
Annabelle Zigler

#### Trumpet:

Dewdrops—H. C. Vandercook  
Romance—De Lameter  
Lorraine Sanders

#### Voice:

Stars with Golden Feet—Grabben-Hoffman

All Through the Night—Folk Song  
Maxine Baickley

#### Organ:

Toccate from Suite—Bollman  
Von Zanner

### International Club Meets

The International Relations club met at Dr. Frank D. Williston's home Tuesday, February 28. The Reverend E. M. Hegge of Central Lutheran Church spoke on the Japanese-Chinese situation.

Club members are helping with work on a peace conference to be held in Tacoma next April. They plan radio broadcasts over stations KVI and KMO.

## PLEDGES ARE INITIATED

### Sigma Mu Chi Has New Members

With Bob Raleigh, president of the Sigma Mu Chi fraternity, presiding, seven men were formally initiated into the organization Wednesday evening at the Emanuel Presbyterian Church. The men initiated include Frank Bannon, Dayton Finnigan, Carl Kuhl, Ed Harrigan, Clarence Johnson, Stanley Cummings and Truman Bishop.

### Alpha Chi Nu

At the Alpha Chi Nu fraternity house five men were formally initiated into the organization Wednesday, March 1. William Le Veque officiated. The new members include Jack Fewell, Ray Robbins, Robert Williams, Roy Alsbury and Emil Gehri.

### Rev. McClure Is Y.W. Speaker

The Reverend H. F. McClure of the African Methodist Episcopal Church was the speaker, Tuesday at the Y.W.C.A. meeting and his subject was "The Place of the Negro." Mrs. A. M. Johnson was heard in vocal numbers accompanied by Miss Wiletta Heuston. The program was arranged by Miss June Larsen.

### SPANISH CLUB EATS

Members of the Spanish Club held a supper in Science Hall on Tuesday, February 21, adjourning in time to attend the program at Jones Hall.

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## Loggers End Hoop Season

Holding an early lead throughout, the Logger hoop quintet crushed the Albany Pirates 45 to 34 here last Monday. The tilt closed the basketball season for Puget Sound and brought the Logger's percentage to .500 in the conference standings.

### Play Last Game

Frank Bower, forward, and Ed McCoy, guard, wound up four years of collegiate basketball competition and will be seen no more on the mapleboards for the maroon and white.

Stan Bates easily led his teammates in the individual scoring honors. Jim Knotts, Bates' opponent at the pivot position, gave the Logger center the greatest run in individual scoring. Bates chalked up 12 and Knotts 11 counters. Bower, Park Gagnon, and Brooks Lewellen each scored seven.

### CPS Breaks Even

The Albany conflict marked the finish to the 1932-33 conference schedule of eight games. The first two games were taken from Pacific during closed period of last semester. Journeying to Walla Walla the second week of this semester, the local boys dropped a pair to Whitman. The following week the Willamette Bearcats invaded the Logger lair and took home a brace of victories. The first Albany game was taken two weeks ago on the Oregon trip and last week's win gave the College of Puget Sound five, four wins and as many defeats.

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## Call Off Sport Night Program

The annual Sport Night program scheduled for March 24, has been called off, according to Harold Dabroe, chairman. In order to safeguard the participants against any accidents, an attempt was made by those in charge to secure insurance. This was unsuccessful and as a result it was thought best to call off the program entirely. Lack of proper training facilities was also instrumental in calling off the event.

## Zetes Lead Hoop Chase

### "B" League Begins Play

INTRAMURAL STANDINGS			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Sigma Zeta Epsilon	5	0	1.000
Alpha Chi Nu	4	0	1.000
Delta Pi Omicron	3	1	.750
Sigma Mu Chi	2	3	.400
Peter Pugets	1	2	.333
Barbarians	0	4	.000
Delta Kappa Phi	0	5	.000

### SCHEDULE

Tuesday: Alpha Chi Nu vs. Delta Pi Omicron; Barbarians vs. Peter Pugets.

Thursday: Sigma Zeta Epsilon vs. Alpha Chi Nu; Delta Kappa Phi vs. Barbarians.

### "B" League

Tuesday: Whistle Punks vs. Delta Pi Omicron.

Thursday: Alpha Chi Nu vs. Sigma Mu Chi.

In the feature game of last week's basketball play the Sigma Zeta Epsilon team was "hot" and downed the Delta Pi Omicrons by the score of 35 to 16 last Thursday.

### Smith Stars

Otto Smith, former Broadway High flash, was the big gun for the winners, scoring a total of 19 points. Smith sank shots from all over the floor while his teammates were held to a few points each. Minnitti, Omicron scoring ace, was "off" and only accounted for one basket in 19 shots. The Zetes took a lead at the beginning and were never headed, holding

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## Women Slate Gym Jubilee

Gym Jubilee plans have been made for March 29 by the Women's Athletic Association, in cooperation with the Associated Women Students of CPS. The program, announced by Miss Pernina Collins of the physical education department, will include basketball, tumbling, and various stunts.

### Women's Inter-Sorority Basketball Schedule

Lambda-Theta: Monday, March 6  
Gamma-Independent: Wednesday, March 8  
Lambda-Beta: Friday, March 10  
Theta-Gamma: Monday, March 13  
Independent-Lambda: Wednesday, March 15  
Theta-Independent: Friday, March 17

the Omicrons to one field goal in the first half.

In the second game Thursday the Omicrons downed the Barbarians by the score of 28 to 17. This was the second game of the day for the Omicrons as they previously had played the Zetes.

### Upset Occurs

In one of the games played Tuesday the Peter Pugets staged a minor upset and downed the Delta Kappa Phi fraternity by the score of 19 to 12. The Peter Pugets played an inspired brand of ball and were too much for the Delta Kapps.

The Sigma Zeta Epsilons had a comparatively easy time in downing the Sigma Mu Chis who, after a poor start this season, have showed a much improved game. The score was 35 to 17 with the Zetes leading all the way.

A schedule has been prepared for a "B" league in the sport in order to give more men a chance to play. In last Tuesday's encounter, the Zetes walloped the Mu Chis 46 to 4 and on Thursday the Chi Nus nosed out the Delta Kapps 34 to 30 in an overtime game.

## Spring Grid Work Begins

### 23 Candidates at Opening Session

Five weeks of spring football opened last Monday when 23 men turned out for Coach Sandberg's initial practice. In his spring session Sandy is emphasizing fundamentals of football. Especially is he drilling blocking and tackling into the new men.

### McConnell Moved to Guard

The major change in the tentative lineup is the shifting of Coke McConnell. He goes from the half-back post, where he subbed last year, to running guard to fill Bob Hurworth's shoes. Other changes are being made, but are yet indefinite.

A new feature will appear in the Loggers' attack next fall—a modified shift. Sandberg declined to comment on his new shift except to say, "It is designed to bring about a more versatile attack, and will be an improvement over last fall's offense." Despite the vigorous work on fundamentals the squad has learned new plays which are livened by the use of the new shift.

### 31 Suits Issued

31 suits have been issued to spring candidates. Men now turning out include: Gagnon, Kimball, Ennis, Hass, Stewart, Grant, Bourke, Sterling, Akam, Burkheimer, Erickson, McConnell, Sprenger, Post, Lindquist, Sifford, Briles, Shaatz, Havel, Pollen, Smith, Brooks, Alsbury, Williams, Skirving, Jezek, Dickinson, Davidson, Thomas, Church, and Winterhouse.

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## COLLEGE PARROTS

Our University, like so many other colleges and universities of the day, is placing too much thundering emphasis upon grades. The factual side of college has come to mean only a residence of a large group of students so that facts, be they specific or general, may be forced down the throats of those in attendance at lectures—facts that are given to us like so many dry, choking cracker crumbs until we frantically gasp for a gulp of water to wash them down.

Certainly high grades are to be desired, but they are not to be obtained at the sacrifice of originality. Dean Arps of the Ohio State University College of Education has humorously called modern college men who have managed to swallow the factual crumbs of education (and have not choked to death in the process) "college parrots." They can rattle off a series of facts and be duly compensated with an 80 or 90, but their education is nothing more than a list of assumed truths.

Many of our professors, products of the parrot system, are, themselves, monotonously droning on and on, day after day, in the same manner in an effort to produce a standardized group of undergraduate parrots. Now if we are to start a pet-store of large-scale production with one group of yellow canaries labelled "Bachelors of Art," with another group of monkeys marked "Bachelors of Science" and still another group of parrots called "Bachelors of Engineering," if we are to do this in America, and we sincerely hope that it will not be done, then American Civilization, if there is one as yet, is certainly to be of little value and undoubtedly of short existence.—The New Hampshire.

## WAA REVISES REQUIREMENTS

Revised sweater requirements were announced at the Women's Athletic Association meeting Thursday noon in the gymnasium. Under the new system, 1200 points are necessary for a sweater, with

an extra stripe for each additional 600 points. Not more than 100 points may be earned in any one sport a semester. In hiking 50 points will be given a semester for attending three out of five group hikes. A system of inter-class tournaments in tennis has also been devised, and archery teams will furnish more points.

## GAMMAS WIN HOOP TILTS

A strong Gamma team dominated inter-sorority basketball last week, defeating the Thetas 23 to 18 and swamping the Betas 57 to 2. The Independent-Beta game ended 47 to 0 for the Independents. Jane Porter was high scorer with 26 points.

For the Gammas the Sanders twins proved an invincible pair of forwards, Lorraine converting 19 points in the Lambda game and Lola making 30 points against the Betas. Jean Raleigh led the Lambda shooters with 12 points. Anna Lois Hertzberg made the lone basket for the Betas.

Today's game will see the Thetas in action against the Lambdas, at 12:15 in the gymnasium.

## Students Serve Meals

A series of three dinner parties last week gave women in Foods courses of the Home Economics Department actual experience in entertaining guests at dinner. Covers were laid for the guests in the dining room of Howarth Hall.

Helen Robbins, Margaret Banfill, and Dorothy Best invited as their guests Monday evening Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Weir. Tuesday's dinner was served by Dorothy Dews, Lois Martin, and Marjory Barnum for Professor Francis Hanawalt and Senator Walter S. Davis.

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## STUDENT BODY ELECTIONS

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Heuston, debate manager.

Fred Stockbridge with the vote of 69 lost to Arthur Linn who polled 402. Delmore Martin received 340 to win over Rudolph Anderson with 110.

Ward Alvord with 335 received the greatest number of ballots automatically becoming Yell King. Dayton Finnegan with 307 and Bob Pollen with 285 will be dukes. Don Shaw the only other candidate for the post polled 250.

Lorraine Sanders was elected music manager over Eunice Allen by the vote of 304 to 139. Elsie Korpela was chosen May Queen with a vote of 265. Edith Gustafson with 238 and Charlotte Cook with 136 will be her attendants. Other candidates polled as follows: Ruth Carter, 103; Pearl Dishner 83; Margaret Irwin, 58.

In 1932, only two voting machines were used as compared with four for this year. Previously the machines have been placed back of the auditorium stage but for this election they were located in the Jones Hall entry. Only 391 students voted in 1932 as compared with 484 for 1933.

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