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College Participation In Debate Brings Its Reward

Two firsts in debate at the Linfield intercollegiate tournament, a second in extemporaneous speaking, a third in oratory and other awards. Something again for CPS to be proud of. And even though College of Idaho took the sweepstakes cup for the best all-around record, our debaters took the above awards and took home more than these.

The Congress of Human Affairs held as a part of the tournament also provided an aid to the all-too-few who participated in it, in that it was an attempt to prepare these young people for a life of active participation in a living democracy.

Our College has gained also as it has in past years through these and other tournaments. "For here, "they can say, "is a progressive college."

This year's tournament was attended by three debaters and Prof. Edwin H. Paget of North Carolina State college who came to demonstrate the direct clash type of debating used first this year in the Pacific Northwest.

We, debaters and college, have won more in this tournament than mere trophies. We have gained experience for our students and very likely the thought in the minds of others and, true—the more for these recent accomplishments, "Here is a progressive college."

'Take a Look and Bring a Book' Is Suggested Slogan for Victory Campaign

One of the many things that college students can do in this nation-wide war effort is to support the book drive. Our soldiers, many of them the same age as the men of the College, are far away from home in army camps or with the fleet at sea.

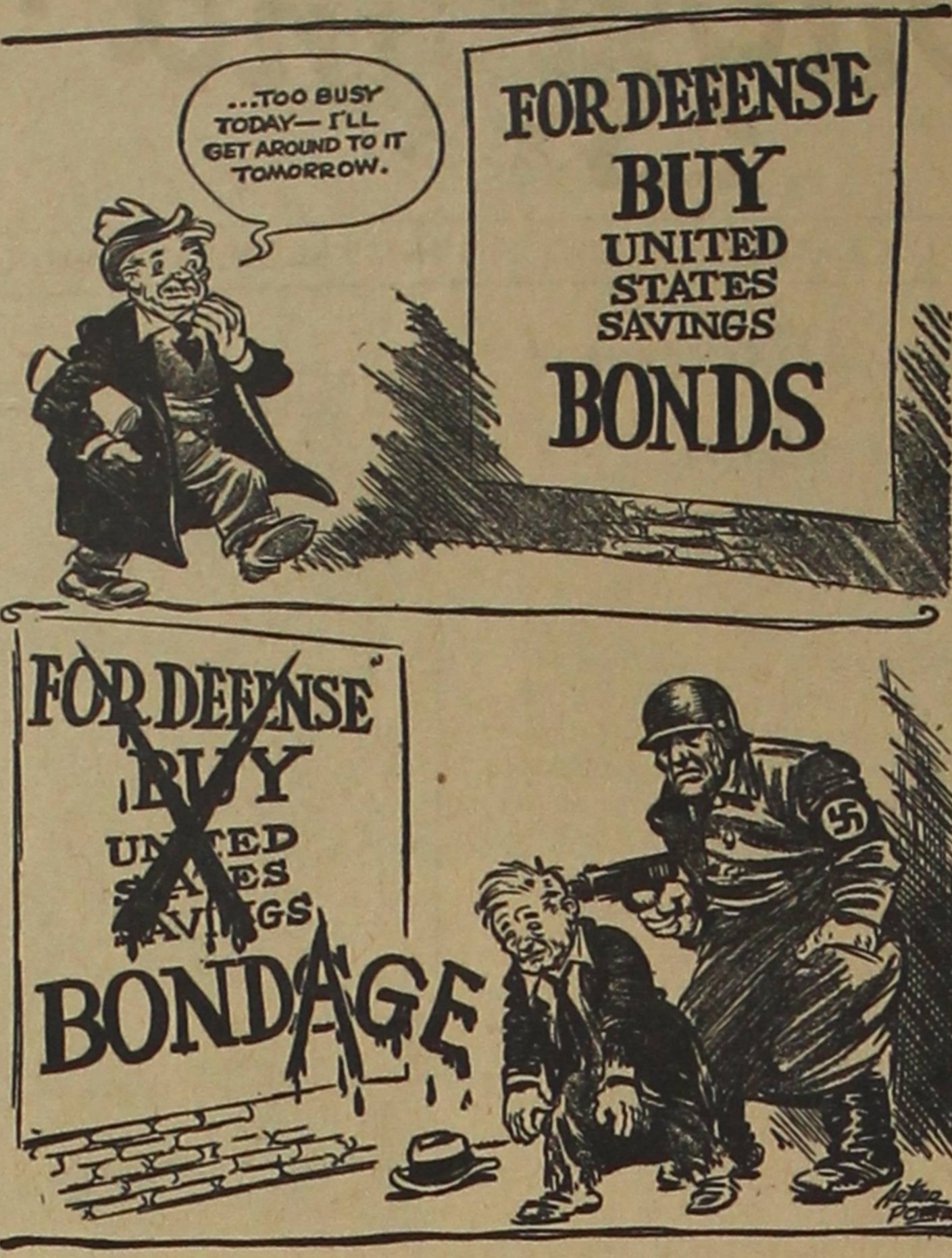
And so, the students and people of the nation have been asked to contribute books in order to relieve this condition in our armed forces. They aren't asking that you break up your own library or buy a lot of new books.

Letter to President of College Tells Appreciation for Work of 131 Girls

Dr. Edward H. Todd, President, College of Puget Sound, Tacoma, Washington. Dear Dr. Todd: Would you be so kind as to express on behalf of myself and the members of my staff our sincere appreciation for the services which the girl students of your College gave to their nation on the occasion of the Third Registration Day, February 16, 1942.

WALTER J. DeLONG, Colonel, Infantry, The State Director.

TOMORROW MAY BE TOO LATE



Williston, Battin Expected to Trade Jalopies for Bicycles

Those gay, unforgettable "nineties," Those days of stiff collars, button shoes, and of course those bicycles built for two. "Them" were the days, according to the older generation, and who knows they may come back again (at least as far as the bicycles are concerned) if this war keeps gobbling up all the tires in sight.

SUB Ways

Not very much advantage has yet been taken of the new bulletin board. Not only should all organization notices be posted there, but also they should be read.

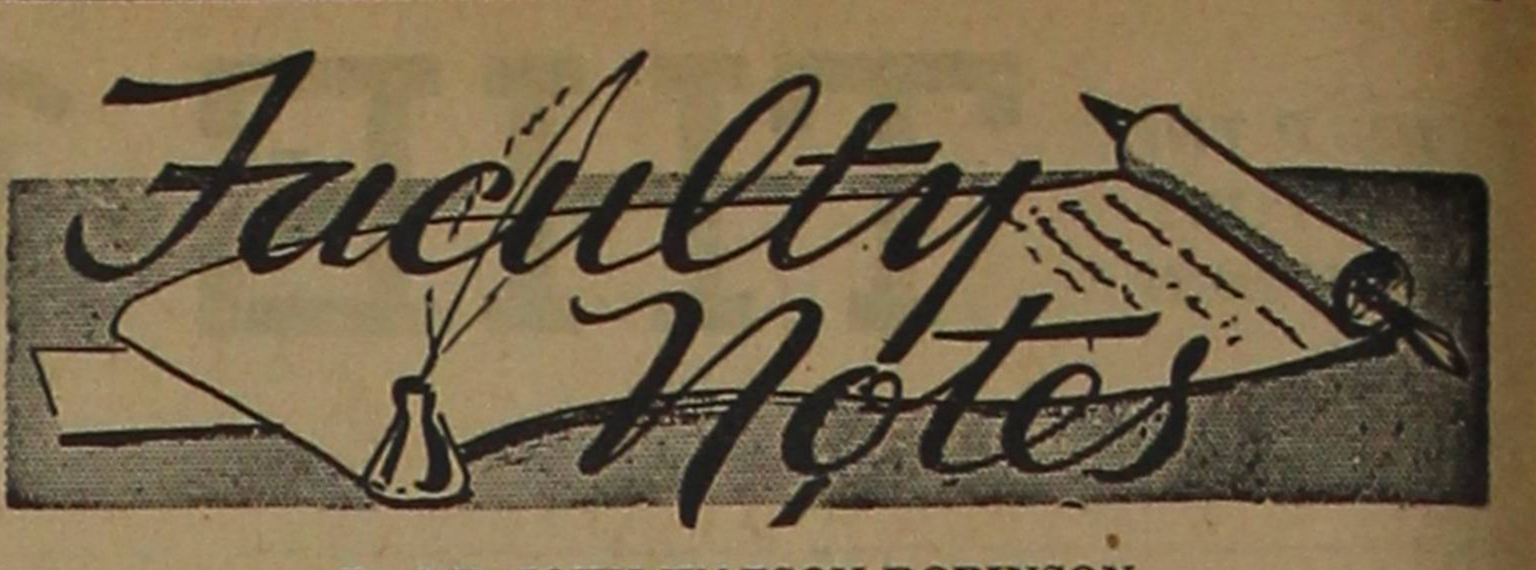
Esther Mann still wants to know what records you would like to hear on the Wurlitzer. Again we urge you to tell her the name of your favorite number, so that we may know which ones to get.

The Commons would like all the sorority rooms which still have chairs and tables belonging to the dining room to return them, as they are needed.

Interior Display Now Being Shown In Howarth Hall

Miss Blanche Stevens, professor of Home Economics, wishes to call attention to the new display in the showcase of Howarth hall. The exhibit comes from the Lorenzo Mansfield Studio of Interior Decorating and includes a collection of Dresden, a French mirror, a French camode, two French antique vases, two Portuguese figurines that appear to be Dresden, but are not, and Damask drapes of French pattern.

Sigma Mu Chi announces the pledging of four men. Sigma Mu Chi announces the pledging of Glen Nedervold, Don Lause, Jack Gallacher, and Nick Anch.



By DR. JOHN WATSON ROBINSON, Professor of Philosophy and Religion

During recent weeks of world-shaking significance, many students have approached me personally and posed the question, "Now, as a philosopher, how do you think I ought to face this problem?"

To every one of these my answer has been the same and I am glad of this opportunity to put it into writing, although limitations of space prevent my dealing with more than one point in my common reply.

The answer to the problem then, is, in part at least, a determination to continue to seek the basic values whether you are in college, in the army, in the factory, or in the field. Continue to study and develop along the lines of your chief interests and values.

CPS Athletics - Win or Lose, We're Still For Maroon and White All the Way

Whenever the word athletics is mentioned in connection with the College of Puget Sound, some feel inclined to joke, for the situation at this school has become a source of ridicule with too many witty young fellows.

It is basketball season now, and their hoop squad rests at the bottom of its league's standings. Whereas they won the city football crown, we seem destined to cop the hoop title.

Then comes track. Here is one place that the loyal Logger followers can beam with pride for here is athletic supremacy. In three years, Puget Sound has lost only one dual track meet, that to Whitman in 1939.

Ten Million Books Wanted For Victory Book Campaign

Of the many drives and campaigns to which students of the College have been asked to contribute, few have received such weak support as the current Victory Book Campaign, the quota of which is ten million books for men of the U. S. armed forces.

The College library, together with libraries throughout the nation, public and private, are now participating in the Victory Book Campaign, sponsored jointly by the American Library Association, the American Red Cross and the U. S. O.

Budget Cutters Aided By Donation of Trail

Because of the reduction in ASCPS funds, and the cutting of all departmental budgets to the bone, the Trail has decided to publish on a bi-weekly (every other week) basis for the rest of the 1941-42 year.

Thetas Initiate Formally; Betas Give Theater Party

Wednesday evening Alpha Beta Upsilon honored pledges with a potluck supper and theater party, and Kappa Sigma Theta with formal initiation rites, climaxing the short period of spring rushing activities of last week.

Mrs. Charles Ogden opened her home for the annual Beta potluck supper and theater party given for pledges by their big sisters. Kay Evans was chairman for the affair and on her committee were Betty Jane Pyle and Vera Healy.

Honored girls for the evening were Helen Pat Beem, Robbee Lee Roberson, Anne McCarthy, Joan Sterrett, Thelma Smith, Ruth Herrington, Jean Sulley, Jean McDougall, Jane Thompson, Jean Sloop, Muriel Spofforth, Harriet Green and Betty Jones.

The soft glow of candle light on the white formals of installing officers was the setting of the formal initiation service of the Thetas Wednesday evening. New members were welcomed by Helen Folsom, president, and four pledges were presented with pledge pins. Anne Louise Winship was in charge of arrangements for the buffet supper following the ceremony. Assisting Ann were Elizabeth Pugh, Dorothy Selden and Vicky Hansen.

New members of the sorority are Dorothy Hager, Lois Rasmussen, Sherley Day, Mary Lou Fulton, Jean Hallen, Maxine Lister, Irene Fern and Dorothy Backlund. Girls recently pledged to the sorority are Helen Marie Walker, Peggy Lawes, Marilyn Gilstrap and Priscilla Newschwander.

Models Chosen, Plans Started For Style Show

"Beautiful girls and beautiful clothes make a lovely picture," is the comment of prominent college men and women. This adage will be proven at the annual style show, sponsored by Women's Federation Thursday, March 12. Betty Heaton, Evelyn Decker, Mary Cornell and Janet Robbins are in charge of arrangements for continuity, music and models.

At recent tryouts the following models were selected, two from each sorority and from the Independents. They are Mildred DeSpain, Mary Cornell, Janis Elsenhower, Betty June Hows, Mary Frances Johnson, Bev Berlie, Esther Sandstedt, Blanche Haynes, Jean Hallen and Marijane Lewis. Girls will model clothes from Peoples store and Miss Davis from the store will act as commentator. Tickets will be on sale at a future date.

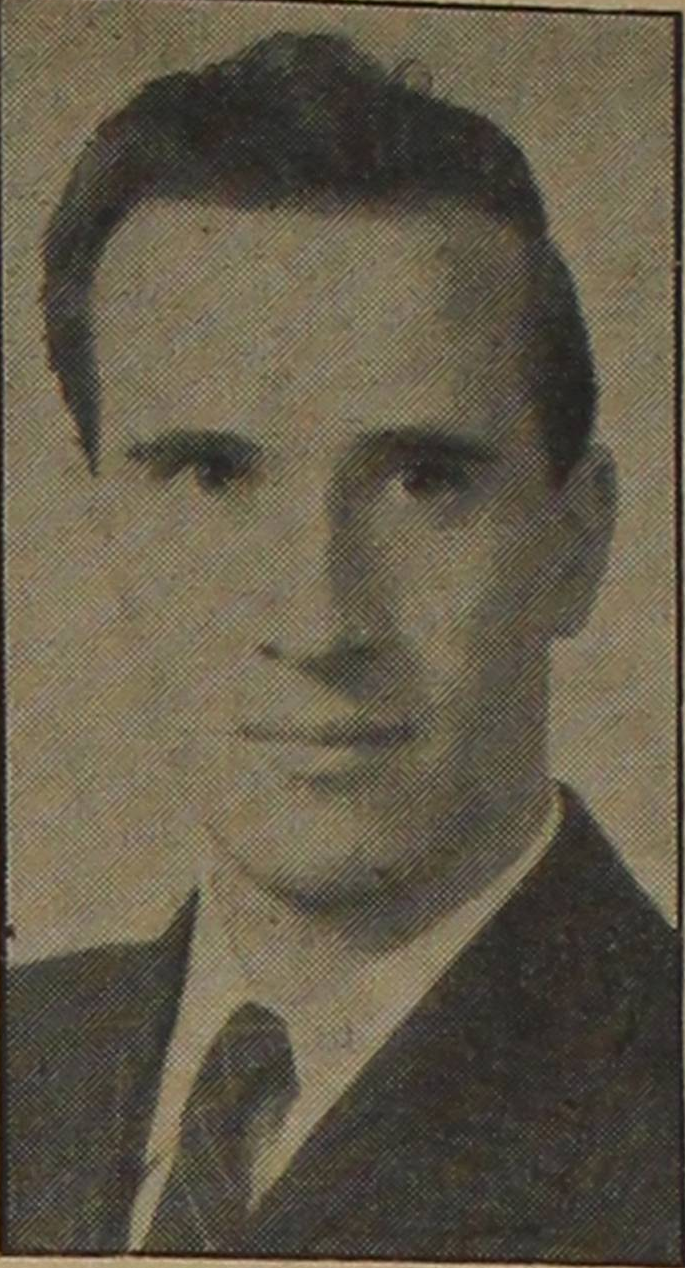
Preceding the affair will be the annual Otlah tea, honoring guests and friends of the College.

One-Act Rhythm Play Presented At Gig Harbor

To the South Kitsap Union high school in Port Orchard and to the Gig Harbor high school went members of the Choral Reading division of the Campus Playcrafters on Wednesday, February 25, with a program of selected poetry and a one-act rhythm play. Transportation was furnished by a school bus from one of the schools which took the CPS students first to Gig Harbor for a program in the morning and to Port Orchard for a program in the morning and to Port Orchard for a program at afternoon assembly.

The Women's College League, which is holding its annual meeting at Anderson hall this afternoon, will be entertained by the group which is under the direction of Miss Martha Pearl Jones.

The cast of the one-act play will include: Wilbur Balsinger, judge; Dorothy Howard, Jane; Doris Wiltren, Mother; Chuck Swanson, policeman; Frank Hanawalt, clerk; George Lutz, detective; Norman Anderson, Mason; Willard Bellman, Steve.



WILLIAM HOPPEN

As one of the top-ranking students in Columbia University School of Law, William Hoppen, CPS graduate, has been elected to the editorial board of the Columbia Law Review, one of the country's foremost legal publications. Hoppen entered the Law School as holder of a regional scholarship one of 30 awarded by geographic areas of the United States to outstanding graduates of accredited institutions. The present announcement cites him as one of 19 outstanding second-year students. He is active in student affairs, being chairman of the Student Council and a member of several honoraries.

Beta Pledges to Entertain for Members at Tea

Shamrocks, green and orange colors and spring flowers will permeate the air with the novel enchantments of nature providing appropriate decorations for the Saint Patrick's day tea to be held Wednesday, March 4, in the sorority room of Alpha Beta Upsilon by pledges in honor of members. Directing the affair is Ssther Sandstedt, pledge mother.

This is a new idea for turnabout week, giving the pledges the experience and responsibility of being hostesses. The tea will probably be an annual social function.

Betty Jones will sing. Others performing are Helen Pat Beem, Jane Thompson, Thelma Smith and Ann McCarthy.

Those on the refreshment committee are Betty Jones, chairman, Thelma Smith and Harriet Greene. Assisting Jane Thompson, chairman of invitations, are Jean McDougall and Jean Sulley. Jolafearn Torgerson and Phyllis Wilson are working on the game committee.

Dixie Bullard is chairman of the clever wheel-barrow favors. A striking centerpiece will be arranged by Jean Sloop and Joan Sterrett.



RICHARD WILLIVER

First alternate for entrance to the United States Military academy at West Point is Dick Williver, former CPS student and member of Sigma Mu Chi. Williver, son of the state civilian defense director Major W. A. Williver, was appointed last week by Congressman John M. Coffee. He is now a student in engineering at the University of Washington and a member of the R. O. T. C. artillery unit there.

Novel Theme For Omicrons Tomorrow

Saturday night at 9 o'clock the Chattanooga Choo Choo will pull out (or arrive) at the Student Union building with Delta Pi Omicron members, alumni and guests aboard. The theme of the sport dance will be "Railroad Ramble" and will feature major railroad lines in America and music by Wurplitzer. The dance programs will be in the form of railroad tickets with the dances listed as "Itinerary," and poster displays of the railroad lines, donated by local ticket agencies, will decorate the dance hall. During the intermission the Snack Bar will be open for refreshments.

The committee chairman is Ted Johnson and working with him are Donald McCort, Richard Musser and Paul Raymond. The conductors of the train will be Dr. Lyle S. Sheldmidline, and Dr. and Mrs. Marvin R. Schafer.

Alumni who will attend are Jack Enright, Garth Dickens, Jack Kimball, James Hicks, Bill Lundberg, Richard Bron, George Wisner, Robert Bjorklund, Patrick Steele, Frederick Brown, and guests.

Hosts are William Stewart, Phil Raymond, Paul Raymond, Walter Berg, Edward Winskill, Melvin Roalsvig, Richard Musser, David Powels, Warren Holmes, William Stute, Wilbur Tinkom, Theodore Johnson, Edward Francisco, Donald McCort, Herbert Ehrlicke, Dale Markham, Ray Rummung, Robert Garrison and Earl Hansler.

Alumni Secretary Attends Conference

Richard D. Smith, field and alumni secretary, is serving with John C. Burtner of Oregon State college, as co-chairman of a joint conference of District 8 of the American Alumni Council and District 13 of the American College Publicity association, being held in Spokane today and tomorrow. George F. Heighway, national president of the American Alumni council will speak at the conference.

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Otlah Tea for Mothers Mar. 12

Otlah, women's scholastic honorary of the College of Puget Sound, will sponsor an annual tea Thursday, March 12 for all mothers of students attending school. Tea will be served before the spring style show.

Mrs. Irene Creso is general chairman of the function. Those pouring are Mrs. Olive Seward, Otlah adviser, and Mrs. Lyle Ford Drushel, dean of women.

Officers working on committees are Dorothy Ann Brenner, president; Ruth Pauline Todd, vice president and Betty Troxell, secretary and treasurer.

Chamber Musicians Play in Seattle

Members of the Puget Sound Chamber Music society had an interesting time on Thursday of this week when they journeyed to Seattle to play a concert there.

Leaving at six in the evening from the College they traveled by chartered bus to the First Methodist church in Seattle. Here they played a concert of classic chamber music.

The occasion was one of the regular concert series of that church, in which they present different talent groups, and the college group was chosen to appear.

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Annual Ski Day at Mountain Reveals Antics of Colleagans

"Successful" was the comment made by the thirty some ski fans who made the jaunt to Paradise this last week end for the annual CPS day at the mountain. Dr. "Tommy" Tomlinson bravely flaunted mitened hands to the elements, as he stood at the foot of the racing course calling time to the score keepers. Novices and first timers, Lois Rasmussen, Don Hersey and Bob Graham shivered and grinned and later proudly told of their attempts to slide down the hills. Experienced skiers like Chuck Swanson, Dick Steele and Bob Dodds chuckled gleefully as they expertly executed polished "Christies" in the deep snow.

Ann Louise Winship was feted at a birthday party on Saturday evening, celebrating her 21st year and was presented with a toy pistol, jacks and top, among other things. Kay Woods and Elinor Upper proved to be highest among the women skidders and Marijane Lewis, after falling through every slalom gate, got an "A" for effort. Kay Copeland and Mary Maruah were very lovely lobby skiers in their sleek outfits, while Fozzy Vaughn was the picture of ice-cool dejection, as he waited at the foot of "practice hill" for his two hours of ski instructions.

Bev. Velton put Paul Heuston to work towing her about by her ski poles, claiming "I'm too tired to do anything else." Gwen Roach's red hair looked flamingly beautiful against her green ski parka, and Helen Argue managed to look cool and comfortable for all three days.

An incomplete list of reservations for the weekend showed Bev Bird-sall, Harriet Cline, Joan Bonnell, Anne Barlow, Betty Slegle, Marian Wilkinson, Chuck Pratt, Jack Hungerford and George Miller.

Those who came up for the day were Jane Hudson, Weldon Rau, John Hine, Jim Frank, Dick Steele, Stan Burke, Bob Moles, Dorothy Backlund, Connie Coleman, Bud Jonas, Mel Blanchard, Irving Woodworth, Asa Maylott, Dorothy Howard and Bill McMaster.

Chinese Display In Howarth Case Lent by Student

The display in the show case in Howarth hall is authentically Chinese and lent by Alice Clay, who brought it—the headdress, gown and slippers—with her from China a few years ago. The gown is the one worn by the modern Chinese bride when she is married and the headdress is especially made for it.

At first glance the dress seems pink and the headdress to clash, but if you look more closely, the threads of the gown are woven with a red identical to that in the headdress. The gown is of pure silk and the headdress is made of what we might call pip cleaners. The red slippers are typical of the Chinese footgear. The dangling ornaments of the headgear signify long life and happiness.

Willard Gee Resigns

"Retirement" of Willard Gee as business manager of The Trail becomes effective with the next issue, Don McClain taking his place. Willard is resigning because of outside work and other school activities.

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