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TONIGHT SEE .  
"So Dear To My Heart" and short subjects at the Disney Family Night at 8 p.m. in CH Auditorium

# THE OCE LAMORON



THIS WEEKS . .  
Monday Night Movie will be "Executive Suite" on Monday, July 29, at 8 p.m. in CH Auditorium

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Oregon College of Education

## Assembly To Mark Diamond Anniversary

OCE's 75th anniversary celebration will be officially started Tuesday morning, July 30, in the Campbell hall auditorium at 11 a.m. by Governor Robert D. Holmes. Governor Holmes will deliver the main address at the convocation, and will be followed by President Emeritus Charles A. Howard. Dr. Howard will talk on the history of OCE and its contribution to public education in Oregon during its 75 years as a state supported school.

Dr. Roy E. Llieuallen, president of Oregon College of Education, will serve as master of ceremonies.

### Founded in 1854

Monmouth, named for Monmouth, Illinois, was founded by pioneers of 1854 as a home for a college sponsored by the Christian denomination. Early settlers agreed that proceeds from the sale of lots should be devoted to the establishment of a school to be known as Monmouth University. Oregon's territorial legislature on January 8, 1856, granted the institution a charter and a first session opened November 19, 1856.

Between 35 and 48 pupils were in attendance the first year and paid a tuition of \$5 a term for instruction in English and its branches and \$9 for higher mathematics, Latin and Greek.

### First Building

Ninety-seven years ago Monmouth University erected a school structure on a site that is now the College campus. In 1865 Bethel College, racked by Civil War dissensions and suffering from financial malnutrition, affiliated with Monmouth University. The combined schools took the name of Christian College.

Thomas F. Campbell became president of Christian College in 1869 and raised funds for con-



HON. ROBERT D. HOLMES  
Governor of Oregon

struction in 1871-72 of a brick building that is now a part of Campbell hall. Christian College offered classical and scientific courses and conferred degrees. A qualified person contributing \$10 to the library fund might receive a master's degree after one year.

### Financial Woes

Financial woes afflicted Christian College in the 1870's and in 1882 the grounds and buildings, debt free, were assigned to the State of Oregon for normal school usage. The state, however, did not accept the gift until 1890 and Christian College, meanwhile, continued to exist as a college department of the Normal school. Oregon's legislature made a first appropriation in behalf of the Normal school in 1893. Prince L. Campbell became president of the school in 1889 and completed the tower on Campbell hall. A north wing was dedicated in 1898.

In 1909 the state withdrew its

## College Dormitories To Increase Charges

A boost of about 7% was ordered in board and room rates at the various dormitories operated by the Oregon State System of Higher Education. Action to increase student living costs was taken at a meeting of the board in Portland on Monday.

Chancellor John R. Richards said that the increases would raise the charge for board from \$48 to \$51 per month and room rates will go up about \$5 per term. Total increase will amount to about \$39 a year for each student living in dormitories.

Richards said that the increases are needed to offset wage boosts granted dormitory employees. He pointed out that the dormitories are self-supporting and do not receive any state appropriations.

At the board meeting on Monday it was pointed out that because of constantly increasing living costs the tuition is becoming a relatively small part of the student budget.

Dormitories in the state system are paid for out of revenues and it was pointed out that they are now being paid for in periods much shorter than the life of the building. Suggestion was made that cheaper construction might be an answer with buildings aimed to last for 30 to 40 years rather than 100 as at present.

support from all normal schools (there were then four in Oregon: Ashland, Drain, Weston and Monmouth), but the Monmouth institution was maintained by faculty and community support. The school opened in 1911 as Oregon Normal school with J. H. Ackerman as president. In 1939 the legislature renamed the school Oregon College of Education and sanctioned four year courses.

During the 1956-57 school year 801 students were in attendance at Oregon College of Education and 860 are expected for the 1957-58 terms.

## Final Disney Night Program Tonight

Tonight will be the last Disney Family Night of this term. The program will consist of five Disney famous "shorts" and "So Dear to My Heart."

"So Dear To My Heart," is a full length feature using both animation and live action. The production presents the honest story of a boy and his deep love for an unwanted, black lamb. With a God-Fearing "granny" who teaches him basic moral values, Jeremiah (the boy) learns that sincere devotion to his lamb is far more rewarding than winning cash awards at county fairs. Eight song hits help to tell this delightful and heart-warming story that proves, "It's What You Do With What You've Got That Pays Off in The End."

On the same bill is an exciting, fascinating medley of animal life representing years of patient and skillful camera reporting, "Beaver Valley." Here is the story of the beaver, great provider and family man; the fun-loving otters; the prowling coyote; and other inhabitants of the woodlands. The film is in Technicolor with a thrilling musical score.

"The World Is Born" is a highly entertaining film which depicts the start of our earth. It is extraordinary and unusual and is said to be a motion picture that will captivate.

Disney Family Night has been a bi-weekly feature during this summer session and has been met with much enthusiasm, particularly by the parents of small children. It has afforded an opportunity, not only of excellent entertainment for the younger set, but has given many an opportunity to see films that they may be able to use in their own schools during the coming year.

Disney Family Night is held in the auditorium of Campbell hall and the public is invited to attend. The program begins at 8 p.m.

## Touring OCE Students Thrilled By Scotch Lochs and Highlands

By Marjorie V. Knapp

Editor's Note: The author of this article is a graduate of Portland State college and is a Portland teacher.

Hoot Mon and greetings from the OCE summer tour group in Scotland!

### We Arrive in Glasgow

We arrived at Glasgow early in the morning and after breakfast disembarked from the Royal Ulsterman. We were met by our coach driver who drove us through Glasgow suburbs where we saw rows of identical houses and beautiful rose gardens, which reminded us of our own roses in Oregon.

The trip through the countryside was beautiful and we stopped frequently to take pictures of sites such as Buchanan Castle, Wallace Monument, Stirling Castle and the many lochs. Loch is the Scottish word for lake. The only lake here is Lake Manteith which was named after the Manteith family who betrayed William Wallace to his captors.

### Folklore and History

Scotland is full of folk-lore and history. Guides are ready to relate tales of clan battles, past history, and tales of Rob Roy, a Scottish hero similar to the English Robin Hood. We saw Aberfayle where Rob Roy was killed, and traveled through his country in the Highlands dotted with purple heather. Here also we saw the Highland cattle with long shaggy hair.

We were thrilled with our first sight of Loch Lomond, but were even more excited as we neared it. Some of our party even washed their hands in its cold, clear water.

### Edinburgh, a Unique City

Edinburgh, a city with a unique personality of its own, was our main stay in Scotland. There are numerous shops along Princess street where we spent

much time pondering over which tartan or souvenir to buy.

A tour of the city took us to many points of interest, but the main attraction was the Edinburgh Castle. Building is in progress here for the International Festival in August. From here we saw a panoramic view of the city which is the capital of Scotland.

### Traffic Problem

Traffic here is still a problem with us. People here cross when they can regardless of the police signals. We did not have much time for sightseeing while crossing streets, we were too busy looking for cars. Invariably we looked up the wrong side of the street for in the United Kingdom cars are driven on the left lane of the road.

### Kilts in Fashion

The kilt is in fashion here. It is not an uncommon sight to see a man wearing his kilt as street dress, or in business as our hotel manager wore one. It is pleasant to see this custom carried on and we were tempted to don our own favorite plaids.

We are adapting to European customs readily. We all are tea drinkers now and even stop for tea and crumpets at a nearby Scottish tea shop.

### Park Is Civic Center

The city park is a civic center and members of the group went to see Scottish dance exhibitions, talent tryouts, military bands, and Scotch bagpipers. Numerous flowers of every kind can be found here all beautifully arranged. One thing that impressed us was a large floral clock with a cuckoo that came out every 15 minutes.

As the sun goes down the city sleeps under the shadow of the historic castle on the hill and tomorrow we will catch our last glance of it as we leave for Bergen, Norway, and more adventure.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS

by Dick Bibler



"OH, COME NOW—YOU KNOW VERY WELL WHAT I MEAN BY AN 'ORAL' EXAMINATION!"

## Plans for 1957 Freshman Week Include Bonfire and Initiation

There has been a considerable change in the program for the 1957 Freshman Week at OCE. The major noticeable change is that the annual initiation and bonfire will be held Friday, September 27, the day prior to registration, rather than after the session has gotten under way. This is so planned due to difficulties that have arisen in the past and so that the Freshmen will not have to be facing an "ordeal" after school is in full progress.

There are many activities planned for this year's Freshman Week including movies, picnics, bonfire and initiation, pep assemblies, a football game on Saturday of registration and many meetings and organizational assemblies.

Freshmen are expected on the campus no later than 8 a.m. on Wednesday, September 25, and they should take both the math placement tests and the college aptitude test prior to registration. These tests will be offered

periodically throughout Freshman Week and the results from these will be used primarily in helping the students to plan their courses of studies.

All transfer students are expected on campus not later than Thursday afternoon, September 26, and they are also expected to complete the testing program prior to registration.

Friday, September 27, is the date of registration for all freshmen, and for the preregistration of all transfer students. Regular registration will be held in the OCE gymnasium on Saturday, September 28. The registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. for all returning students and transfer students whose last names begin with the letters "S" through "Z"; at 9:30 a.m. for all students whose names begin with "L" through "R" and at 10:30 a.m. for those from "A" through "K."

Regular fall term classes will begin at 8 a.m. on Monday, September 30.

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## Campus Calendar

### FRIDAY, JULY 26:

Disney Family Night, "The World Is Born," "Beaver Valley," "So Dear to My Heart," and 3 cartoons, CH auditorium, 8 p.m.  
 Gifted Child Workshop ends today

### MONDAY, JULY 29:

Science Education Workshop begins  
 Movie, "Executive Suite," CH auditorium, 8 p.m.  
 College Rec. Swims, 12:30 & 4

### TUESDAY, JULY 30:

75th Anniversary Assembly, Governor Robert D. Holmes, guest speaker; CH auditorium, 11 a.m.  
 Educational Film Previews, New Art Releases, MES auditorium. First showing, 1 p.m.; second showing 2:05.  
 College Rec. Swims, 12:30 & 4  
 Night Swims, faculty at 7 p.m. and college at 8 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 31:

Deadline for all "LAMRON" material, 4 p.m.  
 Graduate club luncheon, Todd hall  
 Graduate-Faculty Evening in Library Lounge, 7:30 p.m.  
 College Rec. Swims, 12:30 & 4  
 Public Family Swim. First session, 7 p.m.; second session, 8 p.m.

### THURSDAY, AUGUST 1:

75th Anniversary All-College Tea, Library Lounge, 3-4:30 p.m.  
 Theta Delta Phi, Todd hall luncheon  
 Volleyball in grove, 7 p.m.  
 College Rec. Swim, 12:30 p.m.  
 Women Students Swim, 4 p.m.  
 Faculty Club Dinner

### FRIDAY, AUGUST 2:

Graduate Oral Examinations  
 Last issue of the "LAMRON" distributed at 8:30 a.m.  
 College Rec. Swim, 12:30 p.m.

## New Teaching Supervisor Named



MRS. MARJORIE J. WHITE

Appointment of Mrs. Marjorie J. White as instructor in education and supervisor of student teaching at OCE was announced recently by Dr. Roy E. Lieuellen. The appointment is subject to the approval of the Oregon state board of higher education.

Mrs White comes to Monmouth from Eugene where she has been a graduate student at the University of Oregon. She has held the position of primary teacher at Hanford, Calif., and at Hays, Kansas. She has also been the teacher-principal of Stuttgart school in Stuttgart, Kansas.

Mrs White received her BEd degree from San Jose State college in California in 1952, and her MEd degree from the U of O in 1957. She has also studied at Washington State college, Fresno State college and Fort Hays, Kansas, State college. Her academic specialization has been in the areas of education and mathematics.

## Dr. Charles Speaks at Theta Delta Luncheon

The guest speaker at the Theta Delta Phi, national men's honorary, weekly luncheon this Thursday was Dr. Milton Charles of the OCE social science department.

Dr. Charles spoke on the topic of "The University Student in Medieval Universities." He outlined the evolution of the universities and colleges and described life and study of the students. He concluded with a comparison of the modern college and university with those of the earlier centuries and of differences and similarity of university life then and now.

Theta Delta Phi holds weekly luncheons each Thursday noon in the music room of Todd hall and all members and past members are urged to attend.



ROBERT SCOTT

Mr. Robert Scott, OCE assistant business manager, is presently convalescing at the Veterans' Hospital in Portland. Mr. Scott's illness has been diagnosed as Mononucleosis. It is hoped that he will be able to return to his position at the college by the start of the fall term.

## Small Decline Seen In Traffic Accidents

Nearly 24,000 traffic accidents occurred on Oregon streets and highways during the first five months of this year, reports the state department of motor vehicle's traffic safety division.

While this figure falls short of the number of accidents reported for the same period a year ago, safety officials said it is "only tentative" and may have to be revised upward if delayed reports are received.

Injuries during the first five months of the year totalled 6042, also a slight decline when compared with the same period in 1956.

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## Clifford Norris Named New 13C Superintendent

Clifford Norris of Roseburg has been selected by the school board as superintendent of the district 13C schools. Mr. Norris was one of six recommended to the school board by a screening committee of leading educators of the Willamette valley.



CLIFFORD NORRIS

Mr. Norris is a graduate of Montana State college where he was active in student activities, serving as captain of the football team during his senior year. He earned the ME degree from Washington State college. He also attended EOCE, OCE and the UofO.

Mr. Norris is presently principal of the junior high school in Roseburg and has been assistant to the superintendent during his tenure there from 1953 to 1957. Prior to that he was assistant superintendent of schools at Centralia, Wash, for two years, assistant superintendent and director of elementary education at Hermiston for five years. He was a high school teacher and coach in Alaska and in Montana for eight years after graduation from college.

Mr. Norris has been active in

the profession, having served as president of the Eastern Oregon Region of Elementary Principals, Vice-President and President-elect of the state elementary principals. He is a member of Phi Delta Kappa, the Oregon Education Association and is a life member of the National Education Association. Mr. Norris has had training and experience in all levels of school work including varied experience in school finance, curriculum, building planning and construction, and with school personnel. He holds the elementary principals, the secondary principals, and superintendents credentials.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris have four children, Lee Ann 16, Peggy 13, Cindy 9 and Barbara 6. Mr. Norris who is 44 years of age, has been active in civic and community activities in all of the communities in which he has worked. He was a member and president of the Rotary club, a scoutmaster for 10 years, and is an elder in the Presbyterian church. He comes highly recommended and the board feels fortunate to secure his services for the district. He replaces Henry Tetz who resigned to accept a position with the OCE staff.

## OK Preliminary Plans For OCE Building

Preliminary plans were approved for the new general arts multi-purpose building at OCE at the meeting of the Oregon State Board of Higher Education in Portland Tuesday. Cost is set at \$230,000. Final plans are expected to be approved at the September meeting of the board.

The building will be located east of the Administration building and Library building where a parking lot and the Smith apartments are presently located. Bids are currently being called for by the college to move the apartments to the college owned land north of the old Monmouth high school building.

The state board re-elected its three officers for the coming year. They are: Dr. R. E. Kleinsorge, Silverton, president; Henry F. Cabell, Portland, vice-president; and Lief S. Finseth, Dallas, member-at-large.

## "Mouse" Davis Gets OCE Football Place



DARRELL "MOUSE" DAVIS

Darrell "Mouse" Davis, former standout athlete at OCE, has been named assistant football coach for the Wolves' 1957 season, according to Bill McArthur, head coach. "He is still in the navy, serving aboard the aircraft carrier USS Lexington," McArthur added. "But he finishes his military service on September 5, which is just right as our practices won't start until Sept 9."

Davis, 25, was a standout athlete at both Independence high and OCE. He earned 11 prep letters including three in football and basketball, four in baseball, and one in track.

At college here he lettered in football, basketball and baseball, and was named to the Oregon Collegiate Conference all-star team as a halfback. Upon being graduated, he taught at Henry Hill school in Independence before being called into the service.

Davis replaces Andy George, the Salem Senator pitcher who

## "Executive Suite" Is Monday Movie

The movie feature for Monday night, July 29, is "Executive Suite," starring William Holden, June Allyson, Barbara Stanwyck, Frederic March, Walter Pidgeon, Shelley Winters, Paul Douglas, Lotis Calhern and Dean Jagger.

The plot is the story of a big business dynasty and the men and women who are enmeshed in a web of intrigue and conflict, when the head of the corporation dies. The film is based on Cameron Hawley's best-selling novel of the skyscraper jungles of American "Big Business."

During the Monday night movies this term \$95 has been collected for the student scholarship fund. This is enough to pay one full tuition scholarship, and one part-time tuition scholarship. Collections from the three remaining movies this term may make two full tuition scholarships available.

The movie which will be held in CH auditorium, will start at 8 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

assisted with the OCE football coaching duties last fall. The Wolves are scheduled for daily-double workouts, starting Sept 9. Their first game is at home on Saturday night, Sept 21, against the Seattle Ramblers.

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