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Wisconsin School Editors Meet at U. W. Oct. 11-12

Editors of tomorrow, more than 600 strong, will throng the University of Wisconsin campus next Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 11 and 12, as delegates at the 22nd annual Wisconsin High School Editor's conference sponsored by the School of Journalism.

Student editors, business managers, and staff members of high school newspapers and yearbooks from schools in all parts of the state will attend.

In 1940, 675 delegates from 80 schools in 62 Wisconsin cities registered for the conference. Some 107 teacher-advisers also attended.

Registration and all sessions of the conference will be held in the Wisconsin Memorial Union building and South hall, home of the Wisconsin School of Journalism.

Beginning Saturday morning at 9 and running to Sunday noon, a total of 41 different roundtable discussions will be held. High school newspaper editors and business managers will attend sessions on news writing, headlines, make-up, copy-reading, typography, sports news, features, circulation, advertising, photography, and other publication problems. Yearbook editors and managers will have individual conferences with yearbook specialists.

Prof. Curtis Merriman, University registrar, and Prof. Henry L. Ewbank, speech department, will address a general assembly in the Wisconsin Union theater Saturday noon. Teacher-advisers will lunch at the University club for the annual meeting of the Wisconsin Journalism Teachers' council.

The conference banquet will be held Saturday night. A special dance for the high school newspapermen and women will be held after the program.

Prof. Grant M. Hyde, director of the Wisconsin School of Journalism, is in charge of arrangements for the conference.

Announces Changes In Extension Staff

Recent changes in the staff of the extension workers in agriculture and home economics at the University of Wisconsin were announced by Warren W. Clark, associate director.

Laurence G. Holmes, formerly extension landscape specialist, who resigned to accept a position with a Minnesota nursery company, has been succeeded by Joseph S. Elfrer. Elfrer, a native of Manitowoc, who graduated from the University of Wisconsin in 1934, was recently assistant superintendent of parks at South Bend, Ind.

Janet Handeland, a native of Oregon, Wis., and a graduate of the University of Wisconsin in 1940, has been appointed county club agent of Dodge county. She was formerly home economics teacher in the Westfield high school.

Cicord Hardin, former graduate assistant of farm management, Purdue university, has been named extension economist and marketing assistant.

Miss Violet Schoeppel, formerly teacher of home economics of Walnut Grove high school, Illinois, has been named assistant home agent at large.

T. A. Becker, formerly assistant county club agent at Jefferson county, has accepted a position as erosion control assistant in southeastern Wisconsin.

Earl Sandelback, formerly assistant extension soil conservationist, who resigned to accept a position with the soil conservation service, has been succeeded by William Roper.

U. W. Enrollment Reaches 10,545

With the opening of classes last week, enrollment in the University of Wisconsin had reached a total of 10,545, Registrar Curtis Merriman announced.

U. W. Makes Plans for Colorful Homecoming Event Oct. 24-25

Preparations for the University of Wisconsin's 1941 Homecoming celebration Oct. 24 and 25, filled with alumni reunions, Homecoming ball, the traditional bonfire, and the Wisconsin-Indiana football game, are being completed on the State University campus by a student committee headed by Burleigh Jacobs, Wauwatosa, Wis., senior.

The official celebration will open at noon Friday, Oct. 24, with registration of returning alumni at the Memorial Union. From that time until late Saturday night, the campus will be filled with students, alumni, and friends of the University enjoying the biggest campus event of the fall.

Fraternity, sorority, and lodging houses and the University residence halls will be decorated in the 1941 Homecoming theme, "Victory for Wisconsin," and official Homecoming buttons bearing the theme and Wisconsin's colors will be sold all during the week before the Indiana game.

Huge Pep Rally

A huge pep rally on the lower campus at 7:15 p. m. will highlight Friday's program, followed by the bonfire. A University band concert in the Memorial Union theater and the "W" Club reunion in the Union Friday night complete the first day's program.

Saturday morning a tour of the campus has been arranged for alumni and visitors, and cross country and crew races also are on the program.

Haresfoot club, which annually

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67 Reports to Be Read at National Science Meet at U.

Sixty-seven reports on scientific work from university and private laboratory research men all over the nation will be read at the fall meeting of the National Academy of Sciences at the University of Wisconsin Oct. 13-15.

Over 100 of America's foremost physical and biological scientists will attend the meeting here in the University's Memorial Union, and will be at nine sessions to hear reports from laboratories as far east as Harvard in Massachusetts and as far west as Stanford in California. This will be the first time since 1925 that the academy has convened at Wisconsin.

All meetings of the academy except the Monday morning business session will be open to the public. Topics have been divided into various classifications for each of the daily gatherings.

Seventeen universities and laboratories are sending speakers to the meeting. University of Wisconsin staff members are responsible for 20 of the papers listed on the program.

Monday, Oct. 13, in the forenoon, the program will be of general interest, according to Dr. B. M. Duggar of the University of Wisconsin biology department, chairman of the Wisconsin arrangements committee. Pres. C. A. Dykstra of the University of Wisconsin will deliver an address of welcome, and business of the academy will be transacted.

The business session will conclude at 10 a. m. and the public program will ensue. Physiological, psychological, and medical research will be presented in seven of the Monday papers, while Dr. E. A. Birge, president emeritus of the University, and his colleague, Dr. Chancey Juday, will describe their well-known work in limnology in the eighth talk.

The afternoon meetings will be devoted mainly to physiology, in one session, while a second group will hear eight talks on biochemistry. Monday night Dr. Zay Jeffries of the General Electric Co., a pioneer in the field of fluorescent lighting, will discuss the new electric discharge lamps in a Wisconsin Union theater lecture.

Tuesday the physiologists will again be heard at one of two morning sessions. During another morning period, chemists will lecture on their work. Tuesday afternoon, a piano recital by Prof. Gunnar Johnson of the University of Wisconsin music school is listed, and after the concert academy members will inspect the backstage area of the Wisconsin Union theater, visit the campus, and tour the United States Forest Products laboratory.

Wednesday morning's closing sessions will be devoted mainly to physics and astronomy in one session, and to medicine and biology in the other.

In spite of the draft and the appeal of more or less lucrative defense jobs, this figure represents a decrease in State University enrollment of only seven per cent under the registration figure of 1940-41, when 1,397 students were enrolled.

University authorities had expected an enrollment decrease of at least 10 per cent or more, as universities and colleges throughout the nation, opening earlier than Wisconsin, suffered drops in student registrations from 10 to 20 per cent.

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tours the state with a musical review and boasts "all our girls are men, yet every one's a lady," is planning a reception for its returning alumni at 10 a. m. Saturday in the Memorial Union. It will be the first Homecoming rally ever arranged for Haresfoot men.

Clay Products Industry Committee, Washington, D. C., \$1,000 to establish a fellowship for research in structural clay products.

Four Scholarships

Oscar Mayer and Company, Madison, \$200 to establish four \$50 scholarships for farm short course students this year.

Universal Oil Products Company, Chicago, Ill., \$600 to set up a fellowship in chemical engineering this year for research in chemical kinetics involved in hydrogenation of iso-actene and iso-octane.

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Sixty gifts to aid research at U. W.

Sixteen gifts and grants totaling \$28,025, including a \$10,000 memorial grant for research related to the purposes of the University arboretum were accepted last week by the University of Wisconsin Board of Regents.

The \$10,000 grant came from the estate of the late Charles W. Bunn, St. Paul, Minn., a Wisconsin graduate.

Mr. Bunn's son, Charles, is a professor in the University Law school.

Other interesting gifts included \$1,200 from Eli Lilly and Company, Indianapolis, Ind., to continue an industrial fellowship in biochemistry for the study of assaying the vitamin B content of foodstuffs and determination of the vitamin content of food products. The work will be supervised by Prof. C. A. Elvehjem.

From the National Cheese Institute, Inc., of Plymouth, Wis., came \$3,000 to establish an industrial fellowship in economic entomology for a study of insect control in cheese factories and warehouses. This work will be supervised by E. M. Searls, associate professor of economic entomology.

Study Food Vitamins

The Rockefeller Foundation, New York, gave \$1,500 for establishment of a scholarship in the division of general university service for 1941-42. From General Mills, Inc., Minneapolis, Minn., came \$1,200 to establish a second industrial fellowship in biochemistry to study methods of determining the vitamin content of foods.

The study of nutritive value of various fats and technical problems associated with use of fats in animal rations will be continued under an industrial fellowship of \$5,500 from Lever Bros. Co., Cambridge, Mass.

This work will be supervised by Dr. Harry Steenbock.

Other grants were:

The Pure Milk Association, Chicago, Ill., \$200 for four \$50 scholarships to aid farm short course students this year.

Difco Laboratories, Inc., Detroit, Mich., \$1,000 for an industrial fellowship in biochemistry to study microbiological assay methods of B vitamins, under the supervision of Prof. F. M. Strong.

Field Seed Institute of North America, Madison, \$600 to continue an industrial fellowship in agricultural economics, to study the methods of measuring supply, demand, and price relationships of agricultural seeds.

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