

JANUARY 11
PLAN SOCIAL SECURITY
WASHINGTON—The shaping of a vast social security program—designed eventually to aid the jobless, the aged and those too ill or young to work—was forwarded by President Roosevelt today at a meeting with congressional leaders and cabinet aides.

While details on the financing of the unemployment insurance and old age pensions remain to be worked out, and the amount of payments contemplated was not disclosed, those present at the white house conference indicated a federal outlay of \$100,000,000 for the initial year would be required.

BOLIVIAN DEFENSES HOLD
BUENOS AIRES—A fortnight of bitter, bloody fighting in the northwest Chaco tonight left Paraguay's and Bolivia's biggest armies, estimated to total 50,000 to 60,000 men, apparently in another of their periodic deadlocks.

CHAVEZ CONTESTS CUTTING
ALBUQUERQUE, N. M.—Dennis Chavez, Democrat, today made his last bid for the seat in the United States senate held by Bronson Cutting, Republican independent.

INDICT PICTURE COMPANIES
ST. LOUIS—Federal indictments against nine moving picture companies and six of their executives, charging conspiracy to violate the Sherman anti-trust law, were returned today after an investigation which promises more widespread action.

COCHRAN ARRESTED
RENO—Federal agents, moving swiftly in their drive to round up suspected aides of the late George (Baby Face) Nelson, today arrested Frank B. Cochran, widely known Reno aviator and garage proprietor, placed his wife, Anna, in technical custody, and then announced "others may be arrested later."

WAR COUNCIL MAPS PLAN
NEW YORK—The war council of business and industry mapped tonight its plan for putting the punch behind its program for economic recovery formed by the joint business conference recently in White Sulphur Springs.

Class Members Admitted
The advance sale of tickets has been very good, with the largest sale expected for today. Selling for 50 cents a person, tickets may be obtained in men's living organizations, or at the door tonight.

Members of the directorate handling the dance, under the direction of Don Thomas, general chairman, are Louise Ruegnitz and Dave Lowry, assistant general chairmen; Craig Finlay, welcoming; Al Wright, materials; Kermit Paulsen, tickets; Newton Stearns, publicity; Cecil Barker, programs; Louis Rotenberg, construction; Ben Grout, orchestra; Frank Nish, decorations; Harry Campbell, finance; Elizabeth Wising, refreshments; Margery Kissling, patrons and patronesses; and Betty Coon, secretary.

SKOPLYE, Yugoslavia, Jan. 11 (AP)—The Yugoslav government today outlawed bride stealing.

In an effort to halt the practice, authorities approved of plans for exchange of marriageable girls between south Serbia and Herzegovina.

A dearth of marriageable women in southern Serbia previously had caused professional "bride snatchers," white slave traders and even parents to sell eligible girls at such high prices that the newweds often faced many years' economic bondage.

In Herzegovina, on the other hand, husbands are scarce, available brides too numerous. Marriageable girls often go at prices less than those for goats or cows.

The government, therefore, has worked out plans for disposing of Herzegovina's surplus single women in southern Serbia where, owing to the excess of men, no girl over 16 goes long unwooed or unwed.

Thousands of girls, it was stated today, are being either sold or traded. The surplus would-be bridegrooms in south Serbia are delighted to pay \$25 to \$50 for brides from Herzegovina, instead of the normal prices in their district of \$500 to \$2,500.

For their part, the prospective brides gladly waive dowry rights, asking only to be assured of shelter and enough food. In Herzegovina food is scarce; in south Serbia even the poorest never go hungry.

Sophomore Garden Informal Flourishes Splendors Tonight

Fountain, Pool, Indirect Lighting Featured; Dierickx Plays

Bandstand Unique

Refinished Floor to Be an Added Attraction

The Sophomore Informal, the big event of winter term, presents itself for the approval of the entire campus when the doors open this evening on the garden party scene in McArthur court. The dance, consummation of many weeks of worry and hard work by the directorate awaits the opinion of the majority as to whether it has been properly christened, "the best decorated dance since the hey-days." Decorators were working last night and will be working all day today at top speed to get everything ready for the influx of dancers. A large bandstand and accompanying wall are extremely well-built and will lend "body" to the completed scene. The "garden" will be complete in every detail, using potted cypress trees, a realistic fountain and pool and indirect lighting.

Floor Refinished
The floor, refinished during the recent holidays, will be at its best for this evening's entertainment.

Jimmy Dierickx, with his complete aggregation of musicians will be on hand complete with all his trios, soloists, special arrangements and novelty numbers. Dierickx's orchestra, in its relatively few appearances in Eugene, has created an impressive following here.

The programs follow closely the garden theme of the dance in having covers in the form of miniature gates. There will be programs enough to supply 500 couples, those arriving early being most sure to receive them.

Unanimous support of the Informal by the sophomore class was voted at a meeting called by Al Davis, president, Thursday evening. Davis urged every sophomore to be present, pointing out that it will cost them nothing and is really their own dance.

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The advance sale of tickets has been very good, with the largest sale expected for today. Selling for 50 cents a person, tickets may be obtained in men's living organizations, or at the door tonight. All sophomores in good standing will be admitted free of charge upon presentation of their class cards.

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Oriental Art Museum Lists Visiting Hours

Beginning with this term the museum containing the Murray Warner oriental art collection will be open to the public from 2 until 4 o'clock on Wednesdays and Thursdays, and from 3 until 5 on Sundays.

This week two new cases are being installed in the throne room for the purpose of protecting two of the pieces of old embroidery. Students are invited to visit the museum.

Campus Calendar

House mother's meeting Monday at 1:15 in 110 Johnson hall.

All committees on the freshmen will meet at the YCWA at 1 p. m. today.

Westminster forum will have as guest speaker Dr. Warren D. Smith, who will lead discussion on the topic, "Planning for Civilization." The meeting will start at

Emerald Ad Solicitors Scheduled for Meeting By Thuemmel in Igloo

All old and new advertising solicitors of the Emerald are asked to meet in the business office in McArthur court at 11 o'clock today.

Phi Mu Alpha Will Present 2 Artists in Benefit Concert

Martin Thacher Will Aid Music Scholarship Fund Drive

Eugene townspeople and students will have the opportunity of hearing Mrs. Gertrude Graves Martin, soprano, who will be the guest artist in a concert recital which is being presented Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the University of Oregon music auditorium by Phi Mu Alpha, men's national music honorary. Mrs. Martin of Portland, Oregon, is well known in the East and has received much recognition as an outstanding soprano concert singer.

Mrs. Jane Thacher will accompany Mrs. Martin on the piano and is also giving several piano solos. Mrs. Thacher has appeared in several previous concerts here in Eugene. Dr. John Landsbury, dean of the school of music of the University stated: "Mrs. Thacher is undoubtedly the finest woman pianist on the Pacific coast."

The fund received from this benefit concert will provide for five high school scholarships for the University of Oregon in the five departments in the music school. These departments include: piano, voice, organ, violin, and wood winds.

The scholarship will be awarded fall term after selection by the board of music faculty members.

Admission for the musical will be 35 cents for townspeople and 25 cents for students.

Tickets are obtainable at McMorran and Washburne store and the University Co-op.

Program is as follows: Vaghissima Smbianza...Donaudy Caro, Caro il mio Bambin...Guarnieri Die Mainacht...Hugo Wolf Masfalten-Spruchlein...Hugo Brahms Scriabine—Two preludes from Opus 35 Allegro Scherzoso Scriabine...Etude in F sharp minor A capriccio con forza Debussy...Gold Fish From a group of the "Images" Mrs. Thacher Aria—Air de Lia (L'Enfant Prodigue) Debussy Hue Si tu le veux...Koechlin Ma Poupee Marie...Severac Mrs. Martin Chopin...Waltz in A flat Chopin...Ballade in G minor Mrs. Thacher Waltz to the Children...Rachmaninoff Shoes...Manning Down in the Glen...Warren Midsummer...Worth Mrs. Martin

PURCELL VISITS CORVALLIS
Bardell Purcell, freshman Delta Upsilon pledge, intends to spend Saturday night and Sunday at the Oregon State chapter of D. U. at Corvallis after attending the Web-foot-Beaver hoop argument tonight.

Soviet Plan To Be Topic Of Nearing

Success of Russian Plan Is Subject of Traveler

China, Russia Seen

Radical Club Is Sponsor of Former Professor

A picture of the modern Russia will be presented by Scott Nearing tonight when he addresses an audience in Villard hall on the topic, "The Economic Significance of the Soviet Union." The speaker has just returned from a long visit in the U. S. S. R. and will present first-hand information on the condition of workers and the comparative success of the communist experiment under Lenin and Stalin.

As a sociologist, Nearing gained national recognition many years ago. He has acted as an instructor and later a professor of economics in many of America's leading institutions. During the past several years he has been traveling throughout the world studying economic conditions in different countries.

Travels Extensive
He has been in Russia and Mexico twice. His experiences in China and his comment on its political future have been embodied (Please turn to page 2)

Miss Brockman Is Featured Soloist With Symphony

Local Violinist to Appear At Symphony Concert In Portland Sunday

Frances Brockman, violinist, senior in music, will appear Sunday, January 13, with the Portland Symphony orchestra as the featured soloist on their program.

Miss Brockman will play a Violin Concerto, by Tchaikovsky.

She came to Eugene about five years ago and since that time has been studying her instrument under Rex Underwood, violinist and director of the University orchestra. According to Underwood, she showed marked talent from the time of her arrival on the campus and has been steadily improving her technique through study since then until now, she has been selected for an honor which comes to very few musicians throughout the state of Oregon, either professional or amateur.

A special appeal is being made for all students who are going to Portland this weekend, to make it a point to attend the Sunday afternoon concert. Many are already planning to go and it is hoped there will be a large representation of students and people from Eugene.

Two Heating Tunnels To Be Dug on Campus

Approved \$50,000 worth of relief projects approved yesterday by the state emergency relief administration, \$46,000 was given to the University for the construction of an underground heating system here on the campus.

Current Flu Epidemic Said to Be on Decline

The infirmary listed only six patients Friday compared with the previous day's total of 11. This is regarded by the health service as an indication that the influenza prevalence is on the wane. The visiting ban in force at the infirmary during the past few days is expected to be raised soon.

Ducks Face Beavers For Race Lead

Pace Setters of Northern Division Play Tonight

Both Defeat W.S.C.

Dope Places U. of O. Five Even With O.S.C.

Starting Line-ups for Tonight's Game.

Oregon State Sanford F. Hibbard Gemmel F. Palmberg W. Jones C. Folen B. Jones G. Lyman Liebowitz G. Bergstrom

Comparison Difficult
Oregon State's pre-season record was disappointing. The Orange five split even with the Multnomah club and lost two out of the three encounters with the Oilers. But, with a startling come-back drive, the Beavers swept clean a two game series with Washington State, 25 to 19 and 38 to 28.

On the basis of respective pre-season records, Oregon would be favored in tonight's scrimmage. But on the basis of comparative showings against Jack Friel's unhappy Cougarmen, odds would favor the Orange. Oregon managed to edge out W.S.C. by a bare hairbreadth in the last few minutes of play in both Cougar contests, while Oregon State held the Washingtonians under thumb for the greater (Please turn to page 2)

Campus Greeks Pledge 37 Men Have Small Lead

Phi Psi Ahead With Five; Two Sororities Tie With 3

Fraternities and sororities pledged 37 new members during winter term rush week. Phi Kappa Psi leads the men's houses with five pledges and Alpha Xi Delta and Alpha Gamma Delta tie for first place among the women's houses with three pledges each.

The pledge list for the girls include: Alpha Delta Pi, Dorothy Fern Rog, The Dalles; Geraldine Thayer, Eugene; Alpha Gamma Delta, Mildred Chapman, Eugene, Maxine Martin, Grants Pass, Wahnita Powell Mills, Eugene; Alpha Omicron Pi, Margaret Reeves, Oak Grove, Helen Mitchell, Murphy; Alpha Phi, Lydiabell Crider, Los Gatos, Cal.; Alpha Xi Delta, Marjorie Gearhart, Astoria, Clara Lou Helfrich, Portland; Kappa Kappa Gamma, Ruth Mary Scovel, Portland; Sigma Kappa, Marjorie Merrick, Portland; Zeta Tau Alpha, Fern Tellefson, Eugene.

The pledge list for the fraternities includes Chi Psi, Angus Beckett, Portland; Beta Theta Pi, Richard Mieth, Portland; Phi Kappa Psi, Sam Kroeschel, Medford, Ed Haas, Rudy Monte and Hampton Hoge, San Francisco, Oscar Williams, Eugene; Sigma Phi Epsilon, Ross Ragland, Modoc Point; Phi Sigma Kappa, Thurston Skie, Portland, Robert Cannon, Salem, Larcme Huckstep, Pendleton, Donald Bailey, Grants Pass; Phi Gamma Delta, Larns Wheelon, Portland; Delta Upsilon, Bardell Puncell, Portland; Phi Delta Theta, William Ireland, Colton, Frank Goodin, Willows, Cal.; Kappa Sigma, William Johnston, The Dalles, Vernon Pomeroy, Portland, Robert D. Colburn, Alameda, Cal.

Rosson Names Ralph Schomp Assistant Graduate Manager In Startling Expansion Move

Essay Contest Gives Writers Chance at \$30

Social Science Is Topic For 5,000 Word Competition

Title Is 'Individual Liberty Or Social Justice'

An opportunity for University of Oregon students to win a prize of \$30.00 while at the same time augmenting their knowledge of social science is offered in the Philo Sherman Bennett essay contest, just announced by the journalism and literary division of the committee on awards.

The topic selected for this year's contest is "Individual Liberty or Social Justice." Essays are to be of approximately 5,000 words and not to exceed that length.

The committee emphasizes that the essays must be original work on the part of the writer. Each must be accompanied by a bibliography. One original and two carbon copies are to be in the hands of the committee not later than April 15.

The committee reserves the right to withhold the prize if no paper submitted reaches a reasonable standard of excellence. Intending contestants are asked to notify some member of the committee, made up of the following faculty members: Dean Virgil Earl, E. G. Moll, Miss Mary H. Perkins, W. F. G. Thacher, L. O. Wright, George Turnbull. Completed essays are to be turned in to any one of this group.

Judges for the contest will be selected later, and their names will not be made public before their decision has been announced.

Parliamentary Team Gives Demonstration

The parliamentary team, consisting of Avery Combs, William Hall, Tom Binford, Orville Thompson, and Minoru Yasui, appeared before the Willakenzie grange last Saturday, it was stated by John L. Casteel, director of speech.

Casteel said that the demonstration was attended by a large audience which took an active part in the program. The objective of these exhibitions of the form of parliamentary procedure is to illustrate the actual operation of "Robert's Rules of Order" as they should be applied to meetings. Numerous questions were brought out in the sham meetings which are settled according to the correct rules for the enlightenment of the members of the audience.

Applications, however, must be accompanied by the approval of absence by the president of the university for undergraduates and the approval of the local committee for the undergraduates and graduates.

Appointments will be made for periods throughout the year for terms of three months or longer. Partial, full and special scholarships are available.

Student Internships Offered by Institution

Prof. James D. Barnett, chairman of the local committee, announced that an unlimited number of candidates from any college may now apply for "internships" in the national institution of public affairs.

Prior to this announcement, four candidates: William Bruce, John Caswell, Jack Stipe and Walter Thacher, were selected from the University of Oregon to compete for scholarships to the institution. Under the present ruling anyone may apply.

Although the campus is lousy with dogs of all denominations, from what have you to the bulky Bruno—it is hoped that the canine friends of the students will not take it upon themselves to appear at the concert of Jascha Heifetz when he plays in McArthur court January 19, as an insignificant little fox terrier once did during a concert of the artist in Manchuria.

Heifetz tells of the amusing experience that happened in Harbin during one of his recitals. The program ran on as usual through the opening sonata, he relates. But when he lifted his bow to begin Schubert's "Ave Maria" he noticed a restless stranger in the audience.

All Men Barred As Co-eds Frolic At Annual Capers

Mary McCracken Is Head Of Annual Party on January 31

The annual Co-ed Capers, sponsored by A. W. S., will be held on January 31 this year, under the supervision of Mary McCracken, assisted by Portia Booth. The general plans have already been begun, with major appointments made and the committee chairmen are beginning their actual work.

The Co-ed Capers is one of the two all-campus functions restricted to women, and gives ample opportunity for every woman to drop her usual sophistication and revert to her adolescent days.

Each class presents a skit for the Co-ed Capers which is judged by various prominent women. A cup goes to the class judged as having the best skit. For the past two years the name of the class of 1936 has been engraved on the cup.

Women in charge of the various class skits are Eleanor Stevenson, senior, Reva Hens, junior, Starla Parvin, sophomore, Betty Bean, freshman.

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Has Active Career
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Schomp's duties will be to assist student publications as well as to take charge of all ticket sales and to promote and handle all concerts and the lecture series that are yearly arranged by the University. He will also head all student activities and the detail routine work of the graduate manager's office.

Fred Carlson Granted Athletic Participation

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Bob Austin, independent freshman, left for Portland yesterday to spend the weekend with his parents and friends. He will return on Sunday evening.

A.S.U.O. Reorganization Draws Approval From Executive Council

Stoddard Remains Old Assistant to Promote Athletic Program

Coming as one of the most important developments in the program of student government of the University of Oregon in recent years was the announcement last evening of the appointment of Ralph S. Schomp, ex-'35, as assistant graduate manager in charge of student activities other than athletics, and the placing of Thomas Stoddard, assistant to Graduate Manager Hugh Rosson, in charge of athletic relations of the University.

The announcement made by Stoddard speaking for Rosson, came as a dramatic climax last evening at a banquet given by Alpha Delta Sigma, professional advertising fraternity, in honor of Schomp on the eve of his intended departure from the campus, after one of the most active careers of any one student in recent years. The affair was turned from a leave-taking event into a congratulatory banquet in honor of Oregon's new addition to the staff of the office of the A.S.U.O.

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