

**MILITARISM**

**Ehlers Chosen Ball Chairman**

**February 22 Set As Date for Annual Military Formal**

With George Washington's birthday, February 22, definitely fixed as the date for the Military ball, Lloyd Sullivan, captain of Scabard and Blade, military honorary, announced the appointment of Fred Ehlers as general chairman of the annual all-campus formal.

**Ehlers in Charge**

Ehlers, canoe fete chairman for the Junior Weekend festivities last year, stated that complete plans for decorations and orchestra will be revealed at a later date. Ehlers, a senior in journalism, is also a member of Alpha Delta Sigma, national men's advertising fraternity, and Ye Tabard Inn, writing society.

Leading the list of members on the general committee is Ehle Reber who will handle the Little Colonel popularity contest. The coed obtaining the highest number of votes at the dance is given the honor of leading the grand march followed by two "little majors" and two "little captains," runners-up in the voting.

**Committee Heads**

Heading other committees for the ball are: Maurice Hunter, programs, patrons, and patronesses; Jack Hannighen, alumni letters; Joe Rieg, orchestra; Eugene McGee, decorations; and Dan Mahoney, refreshments.

The change in the date of the Military ball, from January 25 to February 22, was made yesterday by the student affairs committee.

**Initiation for Four Planned by SDX**

Four new members will be taken into the local chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalistic fraternity, in a special initiation ceremony, Sunday, January 26, according to a decision reached by members of the organization at their meeting yesterday.

**Sixteen UO Students Complete Flight Test; Two to Get Licenses**

Sherman Wetmore and Hank Evans have completed their final flight test for the civilian pilot training class, under CAA, and now have the necessary number of hours in the air to be eligible for a private pilot's license. Fourteen other members of the class have also completed their final test in the air and can concentrate on the remaining weeks of ground school.

**Coed Hoop**

(Continued from page three) and 6. The gyms must be signed for at the cage in Gerlinger, and the practice periods will last for one half hour, according to Elise Older.

In order to participate in the games, each team member must have had a heart check. "Miss Thompson, examiner, will be in the corrective room on the third floor of Gerlinger on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday of this week from 4 to 5:30," stated the new basketball manager. "Girls are urged to have their examinations early, as only those names which are turned in by Friday will be allowed to play."

**WSC Conquered**

(Continued from page three) repulsing a Cougar invasion Friday night.

However, this cue seemed hardly necessary. Despite two fiery victories crowning pre-conference tuneups, Hobby has had his boys vigorously pounding the maple floors every afternoon following anticipating grueling competition in this season's five-cornered Northern division feud. And everything on the Q. T.

The somber Duck mentor admits that this year's squad is one of the best to sprout up at Oregon during his regime, and with no apologies, the top 10-man outfit he's been able to whittle out at the University. And there are many of the same opinion.

**READY TO START THE 'BALL' ROLLING**



Six seniors pictured above are looking forward to a happy time January 16 when the class of '41 presents its last official social function, the Senior ball, in McArthur court. Included in the picture are, left to right, Dick Clark, Aida Brun, Ken Erickson, Betty Ames, Lloyd Sullivan, and Betty Buchanan. Plans for the dance are under the direction of George Mackin.

**HEART QUEEN**

**Valentine Girl Contest Has Male Competitors**

By BOB WHITELEY

Oregon's latest contest, "The Ideal Valentine Girl" is really drawing the beauty of the campus. Already many names have been turned in to the judges, and the lucky winner will have her picture put in one of the forthcoming issues of Life magazine.

According to various people connected with the contest, everything was going along smoothly until late yesterday afternoon when a technicality in the contest nearly created a minor riot.

**Odd Choices**

Among those girls nominated, a new form of competition came into the central office when the names of Professors J. D. Barnett, head of the political science department, and Norman Erstast Wiener, future barrister, were submitted to compete for the title.

Technically they can't compete for the title, but still again their names have been turned in. It's a situation without precedent. It would prove highly embarrassing for a man to be the ideal valentine girl.

**Wiener Surprised**

Professor Barnett, better known as Professor Barnett, was not to be found for his views on this alarming situation, and could not be reached regarding a statement.

Mr. Wiener, who can be reached at any time was more than happy to make a statement on this oddity of the campus.

"Frankly, I'm quite undone," Mr. Wiener stated in between breaths, "I had no idea that my name, among hundreds of other males, would be linked with Professor Barnett's in representing the ideal—what was it girl? It was a girl, wasn't it?"

**Personality Kid**

"I will have to rely solely upon my personality and known oomph, which I will disclose later, to bring in the votes," Mr. Wiener continued, "and I will launch a barnstorming campaign immediately. 'In any situation such as this,' he concluded, 'I can always count on my brothers from Fenton hall to bring me through victorious.'"

**Shelton C. Ingle**

(Continued from page one) tains: Howard S. Allen, Aleck Cohen, Nathan W. Coleman, James F. Doern, Oberlin J. Evenson, Charles T. Frazee, Charles E. Hoagland, Robert T. Johnson, Samuel P. Knight, Jr.

George T. Mackin, Jack M. Metzger, Joseph M. Rieg, Robert R. Rogers, Leonard M. Ruecker, Estley D. Schick, John F. Skibinski, Richard B. Thierolf, Dean Vincent, Jr., and Frederick O. Waller.

Second lieutenants will be: William H. Kirkpatrick, Alfred W. Tyler, and Roy N. Vernstrom.

**Hulten Speaks**

(Continued from page one) dressing the group were: Lyle Nelson, editor; Jimmie Leonard, managing editor; and Kent Stitzer, news editor.

George Turnbull, professor of journalism, also made a few comments on the work the Emerald did in the past term and offered a few suggestions on news coverage for the terms coming up.

**Campus Calendar**

Tabard Inn will meet Thursday night at 7:30 in the men's lounge of Gerlinger hall. Important.

Emerald editorial board will meet today at 5 p.m. to discuss some editorial policies.

Master Dance will have its first regular meeting of the term tonight at 7:30 in the dance studio.

All-campus tryouts for one-act play both for men and women, 4 p.m. Thursday, 103 Johnson.

Bangs Records 371 Voices in Speech Program

Voice recordings made under the direction of Speech Instructor of Speech Instructor Jack L. Bangs totaled 371 during fall term. It was revealed today by the University speech division.

Students from 15 speech classes, voice science classes, and a radio production group were responsible for this total which exceeds by far the recordings of any previous term. These records are filed with class instructors and serve as aid in teaching. They also afford the students the opportunity of hearing their own voices as others hear them.

**Paintings by Art Center Youngsters In Library Display**

Paintings made by children at the Salem art center are on display this week in the circulation lobby of the library. The young artists, who are encouraged to tell stories in their paintings, range from the pre-school age of 22 months through the first five grades of grammar school, according to Mrs. Marian Field, manager of the art center.

Started in 1938 under a federal grant to develop arts and crafts in local communities, the Salem art center was the first in Oregon. Now it is under state control with local support. Three hundred students attend classes, more than half being adults.

Sculpture, pottery, weaving, commercial art, painting, and design are taught with two special groups for blind students.

**YW Announces**

(Continued from page one) p.m.—Bible lecture, Dr. J. R. Branton; Thursday, January 16, at 4 p.m.—Tea and Book Review meeting; at 5:30 p.m.—Foreign Foods group dinner; at 7:30—Sophomore Fireside; speaker, Mr. A. A. Vargas.

Sunday, January 19, evening—Lutheran students; Tuesday, January 21, at 4 p.m.—Freshman Fellowship; at 5 p.m.—Cabinet meeting; at 6 p.m.—Eugene Girl Reserve supper.

Wednesday, January 22, at 4 p.m.—Bible lecture, Dr. J. R. Branton; at 7 p.m.—American Youth Hostel group meeting.

Thursday, January 23, at 4 p.m.—Tea and Music committee meeting; Sunday, January 26, evening—Lutheran students; Monday, January 27, at 4 p.m.—China, Cupboard and Chest meeting.

Tuesday, January 28, at 5 p.m.—Cabinet meeting; beginning of World Student Service Fund drive; Wednesday, January 29, at 4 p.m.—Bible lecture, Edith Sage Armstrong; Thursday, January 30, at 4 p.m.—Tea and Sophomore Commission meeting.

**Class Rooms Moved To Suit Press Meeting**

Because of the press conference, which is being held on the campus, the following English classes, scheduled to meet in the journalism building, will be moved, for one day only, Friday, January 10, to rooms in other buildings.

The one-day schedule is as follows:

Eng 217 Business English, C 5, moved to room 101, Oregon building, 8 a.m.

Eng 217 Business English, C 7, moved to room 203, Chapman hall, 1 p.m.

Eng 217 Business English, C 8, moved to room 203, Chapman hall, 2 p.m.

Eng 102 Survey of English Literature, C 5, moved to the faculty room, 12 Friendly hall, 9 a.m.

Eng 202 Shakespeare, C 4, moved to the faculty room, Friendly hall, 10 a.m.

**Hargis Surveys Radio Production**

Students of the University radio production class spent over 305 hours in the preparation and presentation of radio programs during the fall term, according to Mr. Don E. Hargis, instructor in speech.

Actual broadcast time over stations KOAC and KORE amounted to about 18 hours. These University-sponsored programs included news broadcasts, interviews, plays, quiz programs and educational dramatics.

The announcing, sound effects and part of the technical work as well participation in the presentations was done by between 130 and 150 University students.

Tomorrow evening will mark the start of the winter term series of programs under the direction of the speech division.

**Assembly at YWCA Bungalow Today**

All girls interested in the YWCA are invited to attend an assembly at the YW Bungalow this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

A program has been planned by Pauline Pengra, which will include musical selections by Jerry Walker, pianist, and Jane Young, violinist, and will feature a discussion entitled, "Christianity and Its Place in a Coed's Life." Members of the discussion group are Lois Nordling, Betty Plankington, Alice Luvass, Elizabeth Steed, and Michi Yasui.

**Infirmiry Belles Fight to Get Title Run Nose to Nose**

Things were really picking up at the campus infirmiry yesterday, when the daily roll call was taken. A total of 19 patients are now conscripted, four more than yesterday's census. Most of them are suffering from the well known irritation of the nasal passages and bronchial tubes—in other words—colds.

Eadie (glammer gal) Bush and Evelyn LeMasters are running neck and neck for the title of "Beside beauty queen." Both are deadlocked at two votes apiece.

Starting from left to right, the total includes such luminaries as: Billie Wade, Bernice Wheeler, Dorothy Gelman, Betty Boe, Jane Axtell, Eadie Bush, Celesta Booth, Marion Merritt, Mary Beltz, Evie LeMasters, Rex Roberts, Verne Sellin, Wallace Clark, Gerald Bowerly, Jim Hoover, Bob Moller, Bob Lovell, and Ernie Wilson.

**Gordon Link to Give Psychology Speech**

"The Factor Analysis Method in Psychology," is the title of a speech to be given by Gordon Link, graduate assistant in the psychology department, in a psychology research symposium meeting Monday, January 13. The group meets in 324 Condon hall at 7:30 p.m.

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**Dr. Parker to Talk At YWCA Hut Tonight**

Dr. Earle Parker will open the quarter's discussion at the first meeting of the frosh commission of the YWCA at 8:00 tonight in the Y hut.

Clifford Matson, chairman of the frosh commission representing that group of the student executive cabinet, announced last night that all interested freshmen are invited.

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in  
"BOOM TOWN"

**Short Story Contest Opened to Students**

Opening of the Marshall-Case-Haycox Short Story contest was announced yesterday by Professor W. F. G. Thacher, of the English and advertising departments of the University.

The contest, an annual one, is open to all regularly registered undergraduate students, with offers of a \$50 first prize and a \$25 second prize to the winners. Deadline for the contest is set as February 15. Only one manuscript and its duplicate (may be a carbon copy) may be submitted by each contestant. The name of the writer must not be on the manuscript itself, but enclosed in an envelope with the title of the story on the face.

The donors are all well-known writers, and Oregon graduates: Edison Marshall, Robert Ormond Case, and Ernest J. Haycox. Mr. Marshall originally started the contest, which is the second oldest on the campus, and three years ago Mr. Case and Mr. Haycox joined him.

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