

## Community Sing, Open Houses, Radio Dances, Provide Fun For UO at Quiet New Year's Eve

By EDITH NEWTON

With classes as usual on Friday, University students will celebrate until 1 a.m. and see the New Year properly greeted tonight with a variety of entertainment planned for the evening.

Informal dancing with radio music will be allowed in living organizations, Nelda Christensen, president of heads of houses, announced Wednesday. Women may go to men's houses for dancing if chaperones are present, and punch may be served at all houses, according to the decision of the heads of houses. Rugs may be rolled back for dancing, but no special preparation is to be made for the New Year's eve celebrations.

### Open House

Open house has been planned at Westminster house, Wesley house, and by the Canterbury club. All students are invited to these places. The program planned at Wesley house, 1274 Patterson street, will end with a Watch Night service.

The YW-YMCA are planning programs for students. Open house at the YWCA will start at 8:30 and last until 10:30. The YMCA house will be open until after midnight and students are invited to come in and dance or use the recreation facilities such as the billiard table and table tennis equipment.

### City Sing

A city-wide community sing sponsored by the University and city YMCA will start at 10:45 at West Tenth avenue just off Wilamette. Mr. Hal Young will be master of ceremonies and leader of the singing. In case of rain the sing will be postponed.

The sing will end in time for students to see all of the midnight show, Mr. A. F. Horner, executive secretary of the YMCA said Wednesday.

Gerlinger hall will also be open for student use until after midnight, Mrs. Edith Siefert, hostess of Gerlinger hall, announced this week.

## Annual Dad's Day Continues Despite War and Rationing

Dad's Day at the University will be held as usual in 1943 despite war and rationing it was announced this week by Les Anderson, ASUO president. Chairman of the annual event will be chosen by the executive committee at its next meeting, January 7.

February 13 has been set as the date to honor dads, and all fathers are being invited to attend the annual celebration in their honor.

Students petitioning for the position of chairman should either give their petitions to Carolyn Holmes, ASUO second vice-president, or leave them at the educational activities office before 5 p.m. Wednesday, January 6, Anderson said Wednesday night.

Petitions for the position should contain the student's name, grade point, previous experience, and any suggestions he might have for the weekend program. Members of any class may petition.

Other members of the Dad's Weekend committee will be appointed by the chairman chosen by the executive council.

## Ration Causes Tighter Belts

Mrs. Genevieve Turnipseed, director of dormitories, is busy this week figuring out how much food dorm students eat. The reason for all Mrs. Turnipseed's figuring is the food rationing beginning February 1, 1943.

The director has been asked to give full information concerning the number of students eating at the dorm, the pounds of food consumed, the pounds of food the dorm has stored for future use, and the amount of board money received by the dormitories.

Mrs. Turnipseed is now busy figuring the weight of individual cans of various foods in order to derive the total weight of the food used in the dorms.

Mrs. Turnipseed is not at present certain of what procedure will be used in the dorms in relation to the new food rationing plan.

## Max Brown Resigns Junior Executive Post

Petitions of juniors wishing to fill the position of junior representative on the executive council will be accepted by Carolyn Holmes, second vice-president of the ASUO, at the educational activities office in McArthur court until Monday, January 4. The position was left vacant when Max Brown, elected to the office last spring, joined the air corps.

## Man-Shy Dorms Face Closed Units

The unexpected number of men moving into the dormitories this term has rather surprised Mrs. Genevieve Turnipseed, dormitory director, she said Wednesday. Until the end of the week she will not be certain about the number of dorm units to be left open this term.

Late registration has already increased the original number in the dorms, Mrs. Turnipseed said, but if a sufficient number of men do not move in, there is a possibility that one unit may be closed.

Mrs. Turnipseed has not decided which unit will be closed in case of a decrease.

# Coat Hanger Drive Rolls; Army Asks for 150,000

## Alum Secretary Gets Navy Post

Elmer C. Fansett, '28, alumni secretary for the University of Oregon since December 1936, will leave New Year's day for a naval training station, location unannounced, where he will enter service as a lieutenant junior grade.

The announcement came Wednesday, following his return from Portland, where he received his orders. Immediate plans to fill the alumni office are being worked out, to be effective until a successor can be named.

Concerning his departure, Mr. Fansett said, "It is with a mixed feeling of pleasure and sadness that I am leaving what has been the most pleasant association I have ever had, that with the University, its alumni, and its students. Since Pearl Harbor I have wanted to get into the service and to help. The sooner it is over the sooner I hope to return again to this association."

Mrs. Fansett will remain in Eugene and continue to teach at Eugene Business college.

## Record Concert Features Dvorak

Symphony "From the New World," the third movement, by Anton Dvorak, will open the first of the recorded concerts in the library Sunday. The work is played by the Rochester symphony orchestra, Jose Nturbu conducting. The concert will begin at 4 p.m. in the browsing room.

Also on the program are the E-flat major by Beethoven, played by the London Philharmonic orchestra conducted by George Szell, with Benno Moisevitich as soloist, and Mendelssohn's "Scherzo" from his octet, opus 20, played by the Minneapolis symphony orchestra conducted by Dmitri Mitropoulos.

This is the first concert in the new series of recorded concerts. The series is being sponsored by the patroness group of the Mu Phi Epsilon, music honorary.

## 'Calling Dr. Miller' Baffles Infirmary

Drs. Fred N. and Marian G. Miller returned to the health service for winter term after a six-day wedding trip to Waldport and the Oregon coast.

The former Marian G. Hayes, M.D., became the bride of Student Health Service Director Fred N. Miller, M.D., in a morning ceremony December 13. The couple were married at 9 o'clock in Dr. Hayes' apartment at the infirmary. The wedding breakfast was served at the groom's apartment.

Dr. Fred, as his patients and staff call him to avoid confusion, has been head of the health service since 1925. Dr. Marian accepted her position there upon completing internship in 1931.

## Army Chaplain Tells of Need; UO War Board Helps in Hunt

By BETTY LOU SIEGMAN

A plan for the campus to collaborate with several organizations of the city of Eugene in the collection of 150,000 coat hangers for soldiers at Camp Adair is scheduled for the opening defense drive of winter term, Len Barde, chairman of the student defense council, announced Wednesday.

### Heads War Board



LEN BARDE . . .  
Heads campus War Board,  
outlines term's work.

## Late Arrivals Decrease Drop

Winter term registration is now 19 per cent below the figure reached at the same time last winter term, Clifford L. Constance, assistant registrar, said Wednesday.

The second day of late registration added 166 more students to the enrollment to bring the total to 2189 students. Last winter term 39 students enrolled on the second day of late registration.

A charge of \$1 for each day of lateness is charged for late registration. The maximum late registration fee is \$5.

## Celebrate New Year's? Half of UO Says 'Sure!'

By JUNE TAYLOR

Classes or no classes, an exact half of the students interviewed in a symposium Wednesday declared they would spend Thursday evening celebrating the second new year of the war, regardless of the draft boogie staring at all eligible males.

As one sophomore woman phrased it, "I really should study, but—; well there's a good show tomorrow night." Thus 50 per cent of the students surveyed, guiltily shelved their texts to, attend shows, dances, parties, or other sources of entertainment.

### Travelers

Three students intend to travel for their celebration, one attracted to Portland, and some unpatriotic

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The student drive is sponsored by the campus USO under the direction of Betty Bevil, University USO chairman.

### Inadequate Materials

The idea was presented to the war council by Chaplain Vohe from Camp Adair, who expressed how important the project is—since the government cannot obtain the necessary materials to supply the camp with an adequate amount.

According to Miss Bevil, the exact time for the drive has not been set; but it is expected to take place during next week.

### Student Cooperation

"Students should give full cooperation toward such a drive even though the article collected seems relatively unimportant; and with the combined help of local high schools, clubs, USO, and other city organizations, should be able to supply the quota," said Barde.

An outline of several scheduled drives for winter term of different departments of the board was presented Monday by the following council heads.

### Red Cross Work Resumed

Carolyn Holmes, campus Red Cross chairman, announced that Red Cross work in sewing and surgical dressing will begin Saturday in Chapman hall.

There is an important meeting for all Red Cross house representatives at 4 p.m. today at the Side, according to Miss Holmes.

### Eligible for Veils

She also announced the following names of eight girls who completed 12 hours of bandage wrapping and are thus eligible for Red Cross veils: Bonnie Uhl, Florence Cooley, Esther Griffith, Doris Hoiland, Barbara Barlow, Carline Pelly, Caroline Wicke, Rhoda Harkson, and Carolyn Holmes.

Bill Lilly, co-chairman of the

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### New Year's Note

Now is the time when all good men  
Change the pads on their desks,  
and then  
Hope their insurance men are  
sure  
To send the latest calendar.

—J.W.S.