

YMCA Worker To Talk of War

Tracy Strong, general secretary of the World Alliance of the YMCA, who personally directs YMCA prisoner of war work in internment campus throughout the world, will visit the campus Saturday to tell how the YMCA prisoner of war program is being carried on, at the request of the warring nations and in keeping with Geneva international treaties.

Strong will be the guest speaker at a pot-luck supper at the YMCA house Saturday at 5:45. This early hour is necessary in order that transportation connections can be made for the speaker.

This talk will explain what actually does happen to a prisoner of war, and will give the truth of how the Axis forces are treating our prisoners in their prison camps.

Strong's program includes visits in Eugene, Salem, Portland, Seattle, Everett, Tacoma, Yakima, and Spokane in less than six days.

Anyone interested in attending the Saturday meeting to hear this speaker from Geneva, Switzerland, should inform the arrangement committee at once. Supper will be pot luck, and coffee will be furnished. Further information is available by calling 805 or 3300 extension 266.

Public Discussion Team Schedules Salem Jaunt

The University of Oregon symposium group will make its first out-of-town appearance at the Salem high school Friday, January 22, according to its director, Dr. R. B. Huber, assistant professor of speech and dramatic arts.

Students making the trek to Salem will be Rollin Wood, Norman Bradley, and Sidney Seymour.

Big Feet Flop To Nickel Hop

It has been estimated that if all the people who are going to the Nickel Hop tonight were laid out on top of each other, the guy on the bottom would get mad. The rest of the guys, however, would talk about shoes. Now there are big shoes and there are little shoes and the sizes are staggered in direct proportion as the people who wear them.

Two thousand pairs of shoes and the respective feet within are about to be part of one terrifying, death-dealing blow.

No matter what happens, you lose. The minute you let your feet in any one of the several alligator dens tonight you will find five people using them. The sensation you experience defies description. Perhaps it is most like crawling through an Underwood typewriter with a pillow between your teeth. When the music comes to a slower tempo you aren't even relieved. It just means that they step on your face in a different rhythm. Then some one drops a record on the floor and you find yourself chewing the introduction to "Waltz of the Flowers" with the label already digested.

(You have just read the twenty-second propaganda release from the office of the "We'll-get-your-money-somehow" committee. Come to the Nickel Hop.)

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President Erb to Discuss Congressional Problems

Dr. Donald M. Erb, president of the University, spoke to the Eugene League of Women Voters at a meeting Wednesday. His subject was "Some Economic Problems Facing the Victory Congress."

President Erb will speak in Portland today to the Portland Realty Board at a luncheon. His subject at the Portland meeting will be "History and Destiny."



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SDX Plans Dad's Ringside Rally

Sigma Delta Chi, men's national journalism fraternity voted this week to sponsor a Dads' Day smoker in cooperation with committees for the weekend gathering next month.

The smoker will include the best boxing talent on the campus with some of Oregon's beefiest boys slugging it out in the finals. Plans are still in the development stage with Lee Flatberg chairman of the honorary's committee.

Proceeds from the smoker will go to the student service fund for soldiers returning to school. This is the first boxing card to be presented on the campus within the memory of the oldest students.

The definite date will be decided for a time that will not conflict with other scheduled entertainment for the dads, it was announced. Dads' Day Promoter Charles Politz is launching a campaign that is expected to bring a large number of Oregon fathers in spite of gas rationing.

UO Red Cross Gets More Help

By DOROTHY ROGERS

More and more bandages are rolling off the assembly lines as volunteer workers at the Red Cross center increase in number and in proficiency. When the whistle blows Friday afternoons at 3 o'clock and Saturday mornings at 9:30, the Chapman hall center is filled with women doing their part in the war effort.

As the plain gauze squares roll through the production line, they are folded according to a pattern into the desired shapes, checked for any faults, counted, and tied in bunches for delivery to the warehouse, the Eugene Red Cross center.

First on Coast

According to the latest reports this thriving industry, a project of the student war board, was the first of its kind to be established on any campus on the coast and was followed by a number of similar industrious units at other schools.

Superintendent Carolyn Holmes announces that last year this miniature factory turned out more bandages than its 2000 per month quota, and received suggestions from headquarters to raise the number for this term. Foremen Arliss Boone, Barbara Younger, and Jean Smith keep the production line well in hand.

Then at the next whistle, the swing shift swings off for the day to resume their duties the next week.

Ex-Student Trains As Army Bombardier

Aviation Cadet George Melvin Rolander, former student at the University of Oregon, is training to be an army air force bombardier at Ellington field, large pre-flight training school for bombardiers and navigators.

Cadet Rolander, 26, resides at 7038 North Mobile avenue, Port-

Novelists May Try for \$1500

A cash prize of \$1500 for the best novel submitted from the Northwest has been offered in the first Lewis and Clark Northwest contest. The competition is open to all authors from Washington, Idaho, Oregon, Montana, or Alaska. Half the award will be given on acceptance of the winning entry and the other half on publication.

Manuscripts should not be less than 50,000 words in length, although this rule may be disregarded if the judges believe a shorter manuscript deserves the prize.

Dean Powers Judge

The contest will close June 1, 1943, and the winning manuscript will be published as soon thereafter as is practical.

This district's judge for the sectional contest is Dean Alfred Powers, from the Oregon state system of higher education. His offices are located at 521 Oregon building, Portland. Complete information on the contest may be obtained from Dean Powers.

land. Before joining the service he was employed at a Portland warehouse firm.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

A social swim for men and women will be held Friday evening from 7:30 to 9 in Gerlinger hall. As a special feature of this swim, all girls will be allowed to bring and wear their own bathing suits. Unless this swim is patronized more than those during last term, it will be the last social swim of the year.

Girls' basketball scorers and timers will meet Friday at 4 p.m. on the second floor of Gerlinger hall. House basketball managers will meet Friday at 4:30 in Gerlinger. At 5 p.m. a meeting will be held for all girls interested in becoming officials.

Westminster will hold open house Friday nights from 8 to 12, with refreshments, dancing and games included in the program. All those interested are invited to attend. Campus clothes will be in order.

(Please leave all items for the Campus Calendar with Margaret McGee or leave them with Marjorie Young in the Emerald news office.)

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