

## Little Colonel Dress Parade Struts Today

With the Military Ball in exactly one week and two days, January 30, prospective Little Colonels will parade in review before members of Scabbard and Blade and Company L sixth regiment at 4 p.m. today.

All coed candidates will meet in the downstairs lounge in Gerlinger hall. Campus clothes are in order.

### Top Five

The five finalists will be chosen without regard to class. Beauty, personality, and activities will top the list of requisites that the organizations will use to judge in the search for the Little Colonel.

All candidates' names have been turned in according to Bob Jones, chairman of the Little Colonel selection.

### House Line-up

The final selection of Little Colonel will be by popular vote of the dance goers at the ball. Her staff of two majors and two captains will also be according to student vote.

Captain Pat Cloud will decorate the Little Colonel and her staff during the intermission of the dance.

Tickets are now on sale for \$1.25, but after Wednesday, January 27 they will be \$1.50, announced Bob McKinney, ticket chairman.

## Military Men to Meet

All members of Scabbard and Blade must attend a meeting at ROTC barracks, 4 p.m. today, in uniform.



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". . . will decorate the Little Colonel and her staff."

## Yell Petitions Due Today

Petitions for the position of yell king must be turned in by noon today, according to Carolyn Holmes, second vice-president of the ASUO. Petitions may be turned in to Les Anderson, Carolyn Holmes, or the educational activities office in McArthur court.

The position of yell king has been empty since Ted Loud, who was chosen for the post last term, was declared ineligible.

The new yell king will be chosen this afternoon by the executive council, and the person selected will lead yells at the Friday and Saturday night basketball games in McArthur court.

Petitions must be accompanied by a certificate of eligibility, which may be obtained from the dean of men's office.

## Old Wax, Nylon Added To Metal Salvage Drive

By MARGARET MCGEE

New and old records, stockings, and tin cans will be among articles gathered by the war board salvage committee in Friday's scrap collection, Marge Curtis, co-chairman of the drive, said Wednesday.

In case of bad weather will the drive be postponed. In this event, no collection will be made and scrap is not to be placed outside.

Beginning at 2:30 p.m. Friday, all salvage material will be gathered under the direction of committee members. Special emphasis will be placed on the collection of tin cans, Marge stated. Cans will be stored on the campus until they can be melted down for use in making war materials.

Both good and broken records will be gathered in the campaign, as damaged pieces can be melted to make new disks for use in army campus and service centers.

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## Wendell Webb to Discuss Own Account of Pacific War At Igloo Assembly Today

Students will sit in on an account of the battle of Midway in the 11 o'clock assembly at the Igloo Thursday, while they listen to Wendell Webb, Associated Press correspondent, recently returned from the south-Pacific battle arena. Webb will give an objective account of the war immediately after Pearl Harbor from his observations and personal experience.

Eric W. Allen, journalism school dean, will introduce Webb to the assembly. The correspondent is attending the Oregon Newspaper Publishers convention, sponsored by the journalism school, January 22 and 23.

### Musical Number

James McMullen, baritone, will complete the program, singing "Thine Alone". His accompanist will be Betty Jean Taylor.

Webb will also speak at a public luncheon sponsored by the Active club and the chamber of commerce, as well as addressing the Oregon Newspaper publishers at the Anchorage, Friday noon.

Formerly of Iowa, Webb has worked for the AP in Portland, Marshfield, and San Francisco. He once was managing editor of the Coos Bay Times.

Dean Karl W. Onthank, chairman of the student-faculty assembly committee, commented that Webb should "certainly interest all students, since he has been outstanding in covering the southern Pacific war area."

## Tickets Now Available For 'Eve of St. Mark'

Tickets for the University production, "The Eve of St. Mark" will be on sale at the box office today from 10-12 a.m., and between 1 and 5 this afternoon, Keith Hoppes, business manager, announced Wednesday.

Production dates for the play are January 27, 28, 29, and 30, with all seats reserved. Price will be 55 cents, tax included. No season tickets will be sold.

## Kitchen Explains Proposal To Increase Browsing Hours

By ANNE CRAVEN

In order to give the students a voice in determining the library's policy and to keep the browsing room open in the evenings, an informal student library council has been formed with Jeff Kitchen, Oregonana business manager, its founder, as chairman and the presidents of the various campus organizations as members, Kitchen said Monday.

The main functions of this council will be to aid the University library staff in understanding student problems, make requests and adjustments, and help manage the interfraternity fund and loan library. The interfraternity fund is a fund established by the interfraternity council which the library can use to purchase books for the loan library which loans books to the various houses for a month at a time.

Kitchen stressed the fact that this council is not attempting to

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## Dads' Day Pictures at 5

All committee chairmen of the Dads' Day meet at the news bureau today at 5 p.m., according to Jim Thayer, general chairman, to discuss future plans and have pictures taken.

Chairmen will be given lists outlining their duties for the remaining time before Dads' Day.

## Freshmen Plan Radio Dance

A no-date radio dance, for freshmen only, marks the "frosh mix" to be held Saturday night, January 23, after the Oregon-Washington game, according to Hank Doeneka, freshman class president.

Plans for the dance, which was proposed by Doeneka, were submitted to and accepted by the student affairs committee Wednesday.

It will last until 12 p.m., and will cost 15 cents per person.

Committee heads for the dance named by the new frosh president are the following: Buzz Beaudoin, refreshments; Kurt Olsen, tickets; Inez Potwin, publicity; Ted Loud, master of ceremonies; and Rolland Gabel, music.

## Editorial

The reserves are called for 45 Because throughout last term Their books grew old and dusty And they caught the social germ.

When the rest will go we do not know  
So listen here my buddies,  
Spend less time a'spreadin' rumors,  
And more time a'doin' studies.

—J.W.S.

## Pacific Correspondent Tells Midway Details

By ROBERTA BOYD and JACK BILLINGS

Perched atop an anti-aircraft fire control station half way up the foremast of a cruiser escorting the ill-fated carrier Yorktown, Wendell Webb, AP correspondent, who will speak today at 11 in McArthur court, had a ringside seat during the battle of Midway.

In an interview in his hotel room Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Webb presented a sweeping verbal picture of life before, during and after engagements with the enemy as well as an idea as to conditions at Pearl Harbor in the weeks following the fatal 7th.

### Sailed for Action

At 11:45 a.m., a few days after Pearl Harbor the correspondent received a telephone call at his Mill Valley, California, home from AP headquarters; at 12:05 he left for San Francisco to join the first wartime convoy to sail for Honolulu. He arrived at Pearl Harbor within a few days of the sneak attack and assumed his new duties as AP bureau head for the Hawaiian Islands.

Mr. Webb got his first start in journalism as a cub reporter for Waterloo Courier in Waterloo, Iowa. This, however, lasted but a few weeks. While covering a flood he got his canoe entangled in some poison oak weeds, post-

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## Oregon Scribes Hold Annual Meet

The twenty-fifth annual Oregon Press Conference sponsored by the University school of Journalism will begin activities Friday, January 22.

Program for the eventful two days is being handled by Professor George Turnbull, secretary of the Oregon press conference.

Expert speakers will be on hand to discuss war prices and rationing, censorship, army public relations, and advertising problems and their solution.

Every phase of the newspaper will be covered with special regard to the impact of the war on the press, and the Oregon Newspaper Publishers' Association.

Host to men attending is Eric

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## Dads Cancel Smoker Plans

Dads' Day Chairman Jim Thayer announced last night that the program for February 13 was too full of planned activity to permit the proposed smoker that had been previously scheduled.

The smoker was to have been held after the Oregon-Oregon State basketball game and would have included a jam session and short faculty skit. The Dads' day committee and University officials recommended that the smoker be saved for some date that was not quite so full.

Since the dads will have to take full advantage of this opportunity for visiting their sons and daughters in the Dads' week-end

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## Frosh Girls To Bug Eye As 'Operators' Expound

Freshman women and campus big shots will give each other the once over today at 4 o'clock when they meet at the Phi Theta Upsilon assembly in Gerlinger hall. The assembly is one of a series for freshman orientation sponsored by the junior women's service honorary.

"The men are very anxious to impress the freshman girls and to tell them what's going on in their various activities," Miki Campbell, assembly chairman, declared last night. "All our plans are now completed for an assembly that will be lots of fun for everybody, and we hope all the freshman women will turn out."

Helen Holden and Helen John-

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## SDX to Pledge Scribes At Meeting Tonight

Sigma Delta Chi, national men's journalism fraternity, announced last night at their regular meeting that the 11 men will meet tonight at 7 in room 104 journalism for pledging.

President Russ Hudson requested that all active members be present for the ceremony. To qualify for pledging to Sigma Delta Chi, a man must be a sophomore or upper class student in journalism, active on the campus, and have at least a two-point grade average. In addition,

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