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Kossack Spikes Rumors

Cupid Victimizes Lead In Tonight's Stageplay

By WILMA FOSTER

Romance in "The Eve of St. Mark," opening tonight, is true to life for Norma Baker, portraying Janet Feller, romantic lead. She is to be married in March to Sergeant Don Merrill.

Sergeant Merrill was a Sigma Chi while on the campus and is now attending officers' training school at Fort Benning, Georgia.

Post Office

One of the similarities between the play and real life is in the letters Quizz and Don write, according to Norma. There is one difference, however, Quizz puts the stamps on right side up, while Don doesn't.

Alan Foster, as Private Quizz West, reveals no outside romance. He said he finds it hard to portray a simple country boy, since he comes from Berkeley.

Dramatic Experience

During his freshman year, Foster played a servant in the production of "The Taming of the Shrew." The same year he had a part in "George Washington Slept Here."

As a sophomore last year, Foster was a sailor in "Wingless Victory" and had a part in "Of Thee I Sing."

This year he is on the theater stage crew. He was assistant stage manager for "Watch on the Rhine."

Student Sets

Stage designs for "The Eve of

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Lectures Open; 'Judaism' Topic

Explaining trends of Judaism in the world of today, Rabbi Adolph H. Fink, of Temple Emanuel, Spokane, Washington, will open the first of the winter term lecture series, January 27, in the faculty room of Friendly hall at 7:30.

The lecture will last until approximately 8:45, followed by an open discussion period. The public is invited to attend the address. No admission will be charged.

Rabbi Fink is an "interesting and informative speaker," according to Dr. Rudolph H. Ernst, lecture series committee head. He has lectured in colleges and universities throughout the northwest, in addition to holding a weekly broadcast on a Mutual statewide hookup.

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Houses Pledge Bonds to Boost Service Funds

The coffers of the service men's scholarship fund were considerably swelled Tuesday night with the pledges of 11 women's organizations which were contacted Monday. Several organizations had not been able to hold meetings yet to decide what they would contribute to the fund.

According to a report received last night the Alpha Omicron Pis and Sigma Kappas had pledged a bond every month. The Alpha Pis had asked to give a full scholarship instead of bonds. Each scholarship amounts to \$120.

A bond each term has been promised by the Alpha Chi Omegas, Alpha Delta Pis, Alpha Xi

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Allies Promised Ultimate Victory

President Franklin D. Roosevelt and British Prime Minister Winston Churchill promised the world an unconditional victory over the Axis if it costs the last resources of the United Nations, in a secret 10-day conference at Casablanca in North Africa, end-

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ERC Status Again Clarified; All UO Men to Finish Term

By TED BUSH

Rumors that all men would be called up immediately, that there would be no men in school next term, that the University of Oregon would be a seminary, are false, Dr. Carl F. Kossack, armed forces adviser, said Tuesday.

The latest rumor, that all ERC men would be gone by the end of the week, seemed to spring from a telegram received today by Dr. Kossack.

The telegram said:

College students in the enlisted reserve corps will be called to active duty at the end of the first semester, term, or quarter terminating after December 31, 1942, except as follows: All medical and pre-medical students including dental and veterinary; approved engineering course students who are classified as sophomores, juniors, or seniors; advance course ROTC senior unit students; students in the electronic training group; and aviation cadets.

Detailed instructions below.

KENYON A. JOYCE,
Major General U. S. A. Commanding
Fort Douglas, Utah

Interpretation

In his interpretation of the telegram, Dr. Kossack said that the exception noted as advanced course ROTC students, senior unit, would include both junior and senior college men in that group. The electronic training group would include some physics majors, and the aviation cadets would mean all men who are enlisted in the air corps for training as flyers.

The engineering course would affect few, if any, men at the University. The problem of the few students in this group is being studied, however, to see if any of them fall into the favored class.

All pre-medical students, including dental and veterinary, are to remain after the completion of the current term.

Dr. Kossack said that few men would be affected by the orders. He estimated that 175 men would be called up under the orders if executed now, but said that many men had transferred to, or applied for transfer to, the meteorology units, the ski troops, and aviation cadet training. All of these would be unaffected by the ERC order.

Transcripts

He further advised all men who are called out to take complete college transcripts with them when leaving school be-

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Two Assemblies Scheduled

Remington Adviser Tells Talks to YW Of China's Fight

Bishop William P. Remington of eastern Oregon will be the speaker Thursday afternoon at 4 when the YWCA presents its winter term assembly at the Bungalow with Janet Farnham in charge of the program.

A definite subject has not been named for the bishop's talk, but it will be in relation to college life, Abbie Jane White, president of the YW revealed.

Marjorie Junor, freshman in architecture and allied arts, will sing the Lord's Prayer at the assembly, accompanied by Maxine Cady, freshman in music. Frances Oram, junior in business administration, will read the devotions.

"Lots of people on the campus already know Bishop Remington and believe that he's one of the most inspirational speakers they've ever heard," Miss White stated.

"China's Fight for Freedom" will be the subject of Rev. George W. Shepherd, friend and adviser of Generalissimo and Madame Chiang Kai-Shek and special adviser on the Chinese New Life Movement, when he speaks at an all-campus assembly Thursday morning at 11 in McArthur court.

Thursday afternoon at 4 Mr. Shepherd will lead a forum discussion in room 204 of Chapman hall. Everyone is invited to this meeting.

Rev. Shepherd will tell the story of China as a country determined to fight on, in order to

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Farewell to Snow

Snow is lush,
As such,
But snow as slush
Ain't much.

J.W.S.



SIGMA DELTA CHI PLEDGES . . .

Photo by Connie Averill

. . . line up for inspection of their new pledge uniforms, to be worn all this week on the campus . . . back row, left to right, are Roy Nelson, Joe Miller, Fred Kuhl and Ted Bush; front row, left to right, are Keith Jandall, Kelly Snow, Jack Billings, and Charles Politz.

Neophyte Nonchalance . . .

While small children hide behind their mothers' skirts, girls drop books and swoon away in dead faints, and professors who thought themselves immune to collegianics look, then run screaming from their classrooms, 11 Sigma Delta Chi pledges stroll unperturbed about the campus in pledge uniforms.

Chuck Politz, designer of the

SDX pledge costumes, defends his creation vehemently, however.

Only the Best

"Our costumes are put out by the best stores in town. As a matter of fact, any place we walk into puts us right out again," he stated late Tuesday night.

And so it goes.

Fred Kuhl, Jack Billings, Joe Miller, Chuck Politz, Bob Pearson,

Ralph Kramer, Kelly Snow, Ted Bush, Fred Beckwith, Roy Paul Nelson, and Keith Jandall are the eleven pledges whose costumes are currently disrupting the campus.

Fashion Note

Aloysius Ruschnenick, author of "What the Well-Dressed Mad Hatter Will Wear," says, "The coming thing in men's wear is a

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