

## Emerald Staff Slates Meeting For New Workers

Looking forward to the daily publication of Emeralds rating All-American honors this term the staff of the University daily faces a shortage of workers in all news departments.

Returning students, especially those with newspaper experience, and new students interested in gaining valuable practical experience will be given the opportunity to join the Emerald staff at meetings for different departments scheduled early next week.

Suffering a serious shortage of manpower, the sports staff, at present headed by Sports Editor Leonard Turnbull, will meet with all students interested in writing sports news stories, articles, and features, at 7:15 p.m. Wednesday, January 9, in the sports room, journalism building.

Copydesk editors and all students interested in learning to write headlines, copyreading, and rewriting, will meet with Managing Editor Marguerite Wittwer in the news room, journalism building, 7 p.m. Tuesday, January 8.

News Editor Jeanne Simmonds will meet with all old reporters

## Today's World

**PRESIDENT TRUMAN** sharply berated Congress for "needless delay" on reconversion legislation and called upon the people to demand prompt action because "time is running out."

**A STRIKE AFFECTING 17,400** Western Electric company employees in New York city and New Jersey began, bringing a threat of a shut-down in national telephone service.

**THE DEPARTMENT OF Agriculture** announced that butter may be harder to find in some parts of the country during the first quarter of the year than at any time since early in the war when heavy military buying depleted supplies.

**IN CHINA, COMMUNISTS** accepted Generalissimo Chiang Kai Shek's offer to call in General George C. Marshall as mediator in China's civil strife.

**GENERAL MacARTHUR** ordered the Japanese government to clean its political house and to purge from public office and government service those persons who lead Japan into war.

and prospective reporters in the news room, 7 p.m., Thursday, January 10.

It is emphasized by all members of the editorial staff that only students willing to devote several hours weekly to Emerald work need apply for positions on the staff.

## Dr. Kratt Writes Of Teaching GI's

Telling of his experiences in teaching the GI's in the American college at Shrivenham, England, Dr. Theodore Kratt, formerly dean of the University school of music, wrote a letter recently to John Stehn, acting dean of the school of music.

Said Dean Kratt, "Our first term closed on September 26, with an impressive convocation held out of doors in military style. We are now well into the second term and have over 4,000 officers and enlisted men enrolled.

### Choral Union Still

"In addition to certain administrative responsibilities, I am again teaching two large classes in appreciation of music. I am also assisting with the directing of the instrumental and choral organizations. A radio station on the post enables us to broadcast our concerts throughout the United Kingdom and to the continent.

"There are about 400 student enrollees in the music courses. They are eager to learn, and are doing a good job of it. Representatives of the army 1 and E divisions in Paris, conducted a poll among the students of both terms and more than 90 per cent were favorably impressed with the SAU (Shrivenham American University) set up and what it had to offer. These boys are fine fellows and well selected. Besides acquainting them with good music, we are getting a great deal of joy and satisfaction in sharing their experiences and being able to help them in so many ways."

### Plan to Attend UO

Dean Kratt said that many of his students hope to attend the University of Oregon and that he is talking as many into it as he can.

"The SAU is in many ways like the average American college," he said, "We even have a football team and a baseball team."

Kratt told of his travels about England and his lectures on music appreciation. "I have had the chance to meet some of the United Kingdom's most outstanding musical figures," he wrote.

## Extension Courses Open

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the tsarist regime in the late nineteenth century, the revolutions of 1905 and 1917, and the Soviet Union since 1917 are also being offered.

In industrial arts, a course of methods in woodworking will be open. Special reference will be given to tool technique, applied design, and craftsmanship in new and individual projects.

Twentieth century music, the principal movements, realism, impressionism, expressionism, neo-classicism and neo-romanticism, and their representative composers will be under the direction of the music school as will public school music, a survey of methods and materials used in teaching music in the public schools.

### P. E. for Women

Body conditioning for women will be given by the physical education department. Included in the course will be body conditioning exercises and recreational activities such as swimming and volleyball.

Subjects to be offered by the department of romance languages will be elementary conversational Spanish, advanced conversational Spanish, and first year Spanish.

Designed for beginning students, a typing class is being offered by the department of secretarial science. It will cover the theory and practice of touch typing.

The sociology department is giving a course on marriage and family problems. It will cover comparative marriage and family customs; the American family today, its organization and disorganization; the sociological importance of the family as an institution of society; problems of husband-wife relationship and parent-child relationship; current solutions; and social, cultural and sexual aspects of successful marriage.

It has been strongly advised by the extension division that classes be attended the first meeting, since class organization will depend upon attendance. Payment of fees will be accepted at the first meeting.

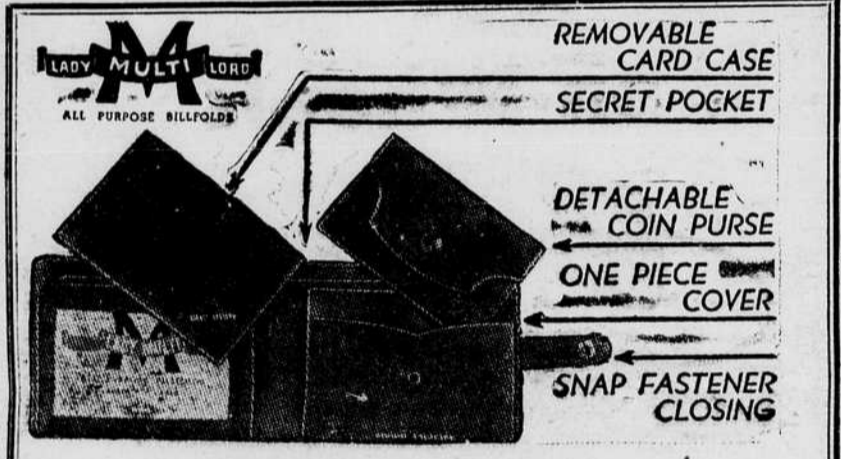
For further information regarding extension classes call Miss Mozelle Hair at 3300, extension 326.

## 'Y' House Council Members Named

The committees of the house council of the Y.W.C.A. for winter term were announced recently by chairman Virginia Tomkins.

The various committees are as follows: yard—Marcia Summers, chairman, Gloria Scarpelli, Norma Berg, Ruth Schneider, Dorothy Schaer, and Alma Lou Stubbert; inside of house—Norma Parpala, chairman, Bernice Johnson; telephoning—Audrey Kuhlberg, chairman, Barbara Blaesing, Lynn Renick, Margie Weeks, and Barbara Wood; magazine—Jane Grace, chairman, June Doak, Dione Hemanway, and Marjorie Tate; flowers—Pat Cooke and Page Leard, co-chairmen, Connie Newton, Beverly Clark, Leslie Palfrey, Dorothy White, and Suzanne Sullivan; bulletin board—Virginia Hammerquist, chairman, Barbara Hufford.

Virginia Tomkins asks anyone else interested in working on these committees to contact her by phoning 3869.



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Friday, January 4 3:00 p. m.

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