

## Chess Students Meet at 'Side'

For a picture of intense concentration drop by the meeting room of the "Side" some Tuesday at 7 p. m. when the University chess club is in session. Recently organized to promote interest in the game and to offer an opportunity for those smitten by the "bug" to get together with fellow sufferers, the club now has 20 members.

The club officers are: Hugh Noland, president; Bill Tassock, secretary-treasurer; George Swift, tournament director; Ted Odland, social chairman; and John E. Laxson, publicity manager.

A round-robin tournament is now in progress to establish a rating system whereby handicap tournaments can be held.

Chess is played at Oregon State and Washington State, and it is the hope of the local club that competition with the other clubs on the coast may be arranged.

All students who are interested in the game are invited to attend the meetings. They are requested to bring their own set of chessmen since there may not be enough to go around.

## Peddle a Corpuscle To Up That Income

At \$20 a pint, blood can afford to be thicker than water. That is the opinion of many University students who have decided to supplement their government and/or home income by a little blood, or, pin money on the side.

These enterprising students, male and female, have discovered that one of the downtown doctor's offices will list them, type them, and occasionally call them to donate the precious fluid, provided they are over 18 years of age and weigh more than 120 pounds. And, provided the student is not a victim of malaria or tuberculosis, \$20 a pint is a lot of cash for a corpuscle.

## Pastor to Talk Monday

Dr. Vance H. Webster, pastor of the First Baptist church, will speak on the "Importance of Prayer in the Life of the Victorious Christian" Monday at 7 p.m. in the YMCA hut. He will be presented under the sponsorship of the University fellowship.

In 1915, California and Stanford had only Rugby football teams.

Basketball appeared at the U. of O. in 1912.

## Vets Forum

By DALE HARLAN and JOHN JENSEN

The Vets' Forum pointed out last Saturday that a conference was being held in Washington in an attempt to agree upon legislation to be submitted to congress to increase subsistence allowances paid to veterans attending school under the GI bill. Present at that meeting were education officials, leaders of vets' organizations, and representatives of government, industry, and labor.

All hope of a combined and united demand on congress by vet organizations and educators for a boost in the \$15 and \$90 monthly subsistence allowances went glimmering with that conference. Nevertheless, there is still reason to believe that some upward adjustments will be made.

As a result of the conference the American Legion came up with absolutely no stand—publicly, that is. It seems to be operating true to its usual chameleon-like characteristics.

Of the other veterans' organizations the American Veterans Committee (AVC) is holding out for a flat \$35 a month increase; the VFW has taken no stand, and Amvets was not represented at the conference.

Even with all the talk about labor legislation and so on, the burn-

ing question on Capital hill still is: To what extent will congress go along with President Truman's recommendations on vet legislation? In his "State of the Union" message the president said that "except for minor adjustments, our program of benefits for veterans is now complete."

Senator Robert A. Taft (R., Ohio) is certainly one of the biggest men in Washington today as far as veterans' affairs are concerned. He is chairman of the labor and welfare committee which will certainly handle the biggest share of vet legislation in the senate.

Taft is not sympathetic to present agitation to boost the subsistence allowance payable to vets. He feels that it is "debatable" whether intent of Congress was to provide full support for the veterans in training. He insists that the government already is providing vets with "free education."

## Stormy Weather Robs Skiers' Sunday Trip

The University Ski club canceled its scheduled bus trip to Santiam Pass Sunday because of poor road conditions. Tickets will be refunded by contacting Maxine Jamieson at the Alpha Chi Omega house.

Among the University's more active honoraries are Sigma Delta Chi, Alpha Delta Sigma, Beta Alpha Psi and Phi Delta Kappa.

## Deutsche Gesellschaft Plans Reorganization

The Deutsche Gesellschaft will hold its annual reorganization meeting at 7 p. m. on the sun-porch of Gerlinger hall on February 11. An election will be held at this meeting which will include a short program. Officers elected will serve until spring term, 1948. Committees will also be organized.

Those interested in helping the membership committee should meet with Owen Rhoads in room 102 Friendly hall at 7 p. m. Tuesday.

All persons having any pictures concerning Germany during the last ten years are asked to send their names, addresses, and a brief description of the type of their pictures on a postcard to Mr. O. R. Rhoads, c-o German department, Friendly hall, University of Oregon.

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