

# Orchestra Schedules Premiere

**Symphonic Concert To Feature Haydn, Beethoven and Bizet**

Tomorrow night the first University symphony orchestra concert of the school year will be presented under the direction of Dr. Edmund A. Cykler, associate professor of musicology. The concert will start at 8:15 p.m. in the music school auditorium.

The violin solo in Mozart's concerto in D major will be performed by Jane Shafer, senior in music, who recently played in a student recital. The concerto, which is the fourth of five violin concertos by Mozart, is also known as the Strasbourg concerto because of a folk-like melody in the last movement common to that area.

Other numbers on the program include Beethoven's "Prometheus" overture, Haydn's London symphony in D major, and Bizet's "L'Arlesienne Suite."

Next concert of the orchestra is scheduled for May 5, and will also be under Dr. Cykler's direction. Previous to that, the group will play the incidental music for "Midsummer Night's Dream" with Dean Theodore Kratt, of the school of music, conducting.

Although the orchestra contains many music majors, it is open to all students and Eugene residents.

# March of Dimes Hits Full Stride

The March of Dimes fund drive is now in full swing on the campus as the national campaign entered its fourth day. Kwama and Skull and Dagger, sophomore honoraries, will send speakers to individual living organizations Wednesday night and from there the collections will be turned over to the social chairmen of the respective organizations, according to Bob Christ, chairman of the campus drive.

The first big event on the program for the drive will be an essay contest sponsored by the Eugene junior chamber of commerce and will offer \$500 in prizes for the best 25 word essay on "Why I joined the March of Dimes." Special blanks for the contest will be placed about the campus. Prizes have been donated by local merchants.

The entire proceeds of Wednesday night's boxing card will go towards the polio benefit. The card will feature the Eugene boxing club and the Portland boxing club in 10 bouts at 8:30 p.m. in the Eugene armory. Admission has been set at \$1 for general admission and \$1.25 for ringside seats.

Plans for further campus activities are being laid by Bob Christ and his committee.

# Midnight Deadline Set for Candidates

Candidates for freshman offices must submit declaration of intention to run before midnight. Accompanying the declaration, designating the specific office sought, must be a certificate of eligibility signed by the respective deans. This must be submitted to ASUO president Stan Williamson at his McArthur court office or at the Sigma Nu house.

# Students' Presidential Choice: Stassen

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## The Weather

Saturday and Sunday: Night and morning fog. Partly cloudy in afternoons.

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## Bandle to Receive AFA Medal At Cadet Corps Formal Review



MELVIN R. BANDLE  
ROTC Medal Winner

Selection of Melvin R. Bandle, senior in business administration, as the winner of the annual air force association medal awarded to the outstanding senior air-ROTC student has been announced by Lieut. Col. John W. Watt, professor of air science and tactics at the University.

The medal will be presented by Col. Frank R. Maerdian, head of the military science department, at a formal review held on the ROTC drill field at 1:15 p.m. Thursday.

Bandle was with the army air force for two and a half years in the southwest Pacific. He is a four-point honor roll student and a member of Scabbard and Blade, the military honorary, chairman of the military ball committee, and Company A cadet company commander.

The medal is awarded annually by the air force association in order to stimulate achievement in air science and provide recognition of ability and accomplishment.

## General Holdridge Will Deliver Survey of American Militarism

Brigadier General Herbert C. Holdridge will deliver a comprehensive survey of the new American militarism from the point of view of one who has watched the developments from the inside, Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in room 3 of Fenton hall.

Under discussion will be the rise to power of the United States army from a small, scattered, paternalistic frontier force until the present time. Today, in General Holdridge's opinion, the army assumes a dominant role in national and international power politics.

## Senior Ball Ducats On Sale; 500 Left

Tickets for the Senior Ball will be on sale at the Co-op during the day, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, with the exception of the noon hour. Joyce Neidmeyer, treasurer in charge of tickets, urges students to buy tickets as soon as possible as there are only 500 left.

## Petitions Due Thursday

Petitions for the position of co-chairman of the annual Red Cross drive must be turned in to Geneva Davis, Red Cross president, by 4 p.m. on Thursday. Candidates for position must be men of sophomore, junior, or senior standings.

## Amazon Flat Workers Demand \$2 Per Hour

Work on nine two-story housing units at Amazon Flats housing projects, which will accommodate 72 families when completed, was stopped at noon Monday when 50 members of Carpenters' local 1273, AFL, left work in conjunction with a demand by the local for a 25-cent hourly wage increase. Carpenters

would receive \$2.00 per hour if the proposed wage hike is granted.

"If work is held up long, the units will not be ready for spring term as promised," was the statement of I. I. Wright, superintendent of the physical plant.

Wright said that the University is willing to pay whatever is agreed upon, retroactive to the date of the demand, but that the University cannot set the pattern for acceding to the increase, which is being fought by the contractors' association.

A. R. Major, business representative for some 1000 carpenters in the Eugene area, would give no comment Monday in regard to the walkout. His formal statement concerning the wage raise was given Saturday without further comment: "Beginning Monday morning, January 19, 1948, the wage scale of Carpenters' Local 1273, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America (AFL) will increase 25 cents per hour in all brackets."

E. W. Martin, director of veterans' family housing, said that between 450 and 500 persons are on the waiting list for housing, and that a continued strike would handicap the program greatly.

## Festival Heads Ask for Petitions From Aspirants

Petitions for chairmanships of the different committees of the International festival are now being called for by co-chairmen Dedo Misely and Laura Olson. The Festival will be held February 27 and 28.

The petitions and eligibility slips may be obtained at the dean of women's office in Emerald hall. The deadline is January 22. Petitions are to be turned into Lois Greenwood at the Y bungalow.

Twelve foreign countries were represented at the Festival last year. The co-chairmen announced Monday that lists of students from Oregon and Washington colleges and universities indicate an even wider representation this year at the two day affair.

All students are eligible to work on this event. Committee chairmen will be chosen from the sophomore, junior, and senior classes. Freshmen are asked to state the committees on which they would prefer to work.

Committee heads will be chosen for invitations, publicity, Gerlinger tea, costumes, luncheon, discussions, housing, hospitality, decorations, promotion and clean-up committees.

## Canadian to Speak At Straub Tonight

Mr. John Smart, member of the faculty at Emmaus Bible school, Toronto, Canada, will speak at the Intervarsity Christian fellowship meeting in the dining room of John Straub hall at 7 tonight.

Smart, who has been described as a "man with a message" by those who have heard him, is visiting on the Pacific Coast on leave of absence.

He is an internationally-known conference speaker, having spoken at the World Missionary conference at the University of Toronto in December, 1940, and more recently at a conference in Portland over the Christmas holidays.

## Building Annex Up for Approval

Plans for building additions to the music building will be taken before the state board of higher education when it next meets January 27, I. I. Wright, superintendent of the physical plant, announced yesterday. Preliminary plans for the new women's dormitory and additions to the library have been completed also he said.

Included in the building additions for the music building are studios, a dean's office, and class rooms. Improvements in the library will be contained in an addition on the south end of the building. It will house more stacks, the audio-visual department, and a study room consisting of individual cubicles. The additions to both the music school and the library will be financed by funds granted from the state board.

A less elaborate women's dormitory than had been previously planned will be built due to high costs, he added. The building will be minus some of the trimmings previously planned and will accommodate 333 girls instead of the original 234. Working plans will be drawn up along the lines of the practical model which was on display in the Mary Spiller living room last term, Wright said.