

## Insurance Man Arrives April 13 For Interviews

The personnel director of the Employers Mutual Liability insurance company of Wisconsin will be on the campus April 13 to interview men for positions as claim adjusters, safety engineers, fire sales engineers, accountants, auditors, and salesmen in fire and casualty insurance. Karl Onthank, dean of personnel administration made the announcement yesterday, in releasing a tentative list of company representatives for the coming term.

T. A. Duckworth, personnel director of the Employers Mutual, will also interview women for positions in claim clerical work, accounting, auditing and underwriting.

Dean Onthank revealed that the General Motors Acceptance corp. has an opening for a man to work out of Eugene. The job holds good prospects for advancement, the Dean said.

The Weyerhaeuser Timber co. has openings for men in accounting, at their mill which is being built in Springfield as well as elsewhere. There are opportunities for women as secretaries, accounting clerks, and for those who can qualify as accountants.

Other concerns tentatively scheduled to send representatives to the campus this term include the Firestone Tire and Rubber

## Norman Thomas Long a Political Figurehead For Socialist Party

By DON SMITH

Norman Thomas, who will speak on "The Price of Lasting Peace" next Tuesday in McArthur court, has had his finger in political happenings since the days he delivered Warren C. Harding's Ohio newspaper, the Daily Star.

Though never victorious in his own electioneering, Thomas and the socialists have had many of their policies adopted and put into legislation due to their campaigning.

In 1932 Thomas was defeated in the presidential election by Franklin Roosevelt. But in the following years of the depression Roosevelt incorporated many socialistic principles in his New Deal.

This borrowing was especially noticeable concerning Thomas's program for relieving unemployment. The public works program, unemployment insurance as a part of a general scheme of social insurance against old age and sickness, the shortening of the work week, and social security were all planks in the Thomas, Socialist, platform of 1932 and preceding years. Many liberals and radicals who had formerly found a home in

co., Los Angeles; Union Oil company of California, Seattle; Proctor and Gamble Distributing co., Portland; Prudential Insurance Company of America, Portland; and Sears, Roebuck and Co., Los Angeles.

the Socialist party were enlisted by the New Deal.

Whether Roosevelt or Landon won the 1936 presidential election was a matter of indifference to Thomas, who was, as usual, the Socialist candidate.

"The drift in either case is toward war and fascism," he told the public in relation to both the major candidates. "The issue this year is between socialism and capitalism."

The American people chose capitalism and Roosevelt, but Thomas, always the pacifist, was still warning the public of war and crying for peace in 1940. He went on record in July before the senate military affairs committee opposing

## Sports Meeting Set

There will be a meeting of all members of the Emerald sports staff at 7:30 p.m. tonight, in the sports room in the basement of the journalism building. All writers and desk men from fall and winter terms, along with anyone interested in working on the staff this term, should attend.

military conscription.

After his defeat in 1944, Thomas predicted a new third party would emerge to elect a president. In this the Socialist party would have an important, "even indispensable role as an educational factor."

His forecasts of the third party and his prediction of a third world war as a result of Roosevelt's policies abroad, have particular significance today.

Thomas will be introduced next Tuesday by R. D. Clark associate professor of speech and drama.

## Barricades Will Go Traffic Lights Stay

The barricades blocking Thirteenth avenue at University and Kincaid will be removed this term, but the traffic lights will remain to stop cars between classes, campus police announced yesterday.

The red traffic lights will shine from ten minutes to the hour until the hour from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily. Any driver ignoring these lights will be subject to the same fine imposed for going through any red light, police warned.

## Play Tryouts Set

Tryouts for the sixth drama production, to be directed by Gilbert Williams, will be held Thursday and Friday in room 1, Johnson hall at 7:30 p.m.

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