

### Dr. Wengert To Preside At Conference

Dr. E. S. Wengert, head of the political science department, has been invited to preside as chairman of a series of round table discussions to be held by the Northwest Political Science association at its annual conference at Whitman College in Walla Walla, April 23 and 24.

"The Report of the Hoover Commission" will be the subject of the round table group which Dr. Wengert will head. It is expected that the meetings will be informal, without the reading of set speeches, with the emphasis on discussion.

The Whitman college conference will attract instructors from Oregon, Washington, British Columbia, and Idaho. One of several regional meetings of the American Political Science association, the Whitman conference will create an opportunity to get together for members who would not be able to attend a national conference, Dr. Wengert said.

### Truman Speech Hit by Wallace

NEW YORK, Jan. 20—(AP)—Henry Wallace said tonight President Truman's inaugural address asked the nation to prepare for "a war against almost half of the people of the globe."

The former progressive party presidential candidate said in a statement that the president's address "comes closer to a declaration of war than the inaugural address of any peacetime president in our history."

### UO Speakers Win First, Second in Forensic Meet

Kelly Farris, sophomore in pre-law, won first place in the men's division of the state after-dinner speaking contest of the Intercollegiate Forensic association of Oregon held in Portland Wednesday. Second place in the women's division was captured by Dorothy Orr, junior in business administration, another Oregon student.

"How to Think Like an American Big Shot" was the title of Farris' winning speech. Miss Orr chose "There's No Parting There" as her subject. General topics for the ten-minute speeches were, for the men, "American Big and Little Shots" and "American Complexes" for the women.

During his freshman year Kelly took second place in the same Forensic association contest. He was state high school after-dinner champion before entering the University.

Holding the title of women's state high school oratory champion during her senior year in high school, Miss Orr has since won first places in the women's after-dinner speech contest of the Western Speech association at Whitman college and in the junior women's oratory tournament at Linfield college.

Second place in the women's division was taken by Priscilla Doble, Pacific college, and third by Barbara Lement, Linfield college. Kenneth Bates, Linfield college, took second and Hu Ellingsworth, Pacific university, third place in the men's division.

Accompanying the University speakers was E. R. Nichols, assist-

ant professor of speech, who is in charge of training speakers participating in the eight yearly Forensic association contests.

Forensic association members, other than Oregon, represented in the contest were: Lewis and Clark college, Willamette university, Pacific university, University of Portland, Pacific college, Linfield college and Oregon State college.

The Portland Rose Toastmistress club and the Gavel club of the Portland Junior Chamber of Commerce served as co-sponsors of the contest.

Judging the contests were one speech coach from each of the attending schools and panels from both the Toastmistress and Gavel clubs.

First prize was \$15. Second prize was \$7.50.

### GOP Selects Wahlers Prexy

The Young Republicans elected Art Wahlers, senior in business administration, president of the campus organization Wednesday.

Beldon Owens was elected vice-president, and Betty Lagomarsino.

Three new directors elected are Rod Dickenson, Bill Hempy, and Leslie Tooze.

Only one of the five standing committee chairmen was named at Wednesday's meeting, with Betty Lagomarsino appointed to head the publicity committee. Other chairmanships will be announced at the next meeting.

### Variety Offered On Radio Hour

Music, commentary and drama will be presented today at 4 p. m. on the University hour.

"Something For You," produced by Jesse Litten, will have Oregon student Stan Smith, a Burl Ives type ballad singer, for fifteen minutes of entertainment. Smith has a varied repertoire, and accompanies himself on the guitar.

In a 15-minute interview following "Something For You," Keith Harry will interview Dr. L. F. Beck, associate professor of psychology.

A drama in the vein of light comedy, produced and written by Helen Sigismund will be broadcast at 4:30 p. m. "I Only Follow" stars Anne McGeorge as Mary, and Marv Horenstein takes the male lead as John Peters. Norman Lamb, Jane Clark, Marjorie Truchon, and Tom Panages are also cast. Assistant producer in charge of sound and music is Jack Vaughn.

The plot involves the trials of two

### Radio Honorary Holds Meeting

The new campus radio honorary discussed future plans at its first business meeting in the Radio Extension building, January 19. An official membership card was made out, and it was decided that all students who entered the honorary winter term would be considered charter members.

Requirements for membership is a 2.5 grade point accumulative in courses allied with radio, and it was voted that all speech courses, radio advertising, radio newswriting, and radio news programming courses would be considered as "allied" with radio.

The group has not yet decided on an official name, and members have decided to wait until a larger group is assembled to vote.

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