

# 'Island Interlude' to Keynote Dance

Spotlight of the weekend will be focused Saturday night on Dick Jurgens and the Senior Ball, scheduled for 9 p.m. in the Student Union ballroom.

Ball planners term this year's dance—"Island Interlude"—a "test case" for future "name bands," pointing out that a dance which turns out in the black may have some influence in enabling other groups to be permitted to take the financial risk involved in engaging an expensive orchestra.

## The Other Side

If, on the other hand, they assert, the dance fails to clear expenses, this could prove a powerful argument on the other side.

Formal dress—tuxedos or dark suits for men and formals for women—will be in order at the Ball.

Flowers are optional.

Decorations workers will be working full-time today and Saturday transforming the Erb ballroom into a South Sea scene. Taking charge of clean-up after the dance will be the members of Junior Inter-fraternity Council.

## Sales End Today

Ticket sales in the Co-op and Student Union will end at 4:30 p.m. today, with tickets to be on sale at the door Saturday. Price is \$2.60 a couple.

Jurgens brings his orchestra, which emphasizes sweet, danceable music interspersed with variety numbers for entertainment, for its second appearance on the Oregon campus. The Jurgens outfit played for the Senior Ball in the winter of 1948.

Jurgens' orchestra, which features Ray McIntosh, vocalist-trumpeter, and Al Galante, vocalist-violinist, has broadcast over all coast-to-coast radio networks and appeared at such ballrooms as the Palomar, the Aragon and Trianon in Chicago, the Claremont hotel, Berkeley; and the Statler hotel and Astor Roof in New York City.

## Some Background

Despite the heavy orchestra and radio schedule, Jurgens still supervises all the orchestra's full arrangements himself. Experienced as a composer and arranger, Jurgens has to his credit such tunes as "One Dozen Roses," "Careless," and "Elmer's Tune"—the latter written in collaboration with an embalmer, Elmer Albrecht.

The orchestra is something of a brother act, with Will Jurgens,

Dick's brother, manager. Like Dick, Will served with the Marines during the war.

## ... And the Guests

Honored guests for Saturday night's ball will be Chancellor and Mrs. C. D. Byrne, Dean and Mrs. W. C. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Donald DuShane, Mr. and Mrs. J. Alan Wickham, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hawk, Mr. and Mrs. Les Anderson, and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Williams. Official chaperones are Dean and Mrs. Sydney W. Little.

Committee chairmen for the Ball are Dave Rodway, class president, general chairman; Carolee Tate, decorations; Kay Moore, tickets; John Gram, promotion; JoAnne Hewitt and Lillian Schott, programs; Barbara Keelen, chaperones; and Gretchen Grondahl, publicity.



DICK JURGENS  
'Test Case' for Future

## Japanese Students . . .

... have some definite opinions about Gen. MacArthur, the peace treaty, and other problems affecting Japan. They tell some of these views in interviews with an Emerald reporter. See story on page 8.

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## Pre-registration Begins Monday

Advance registration for spring term will begin Monday, lasting through Friday for class enrollment and until Mar. 8 for other steps.

From 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday students may pick up registration material in the registrar's office, Emerald hall. Material may also be obtained Monday through Friday.

Other steps in next week's schedule are building of course programs with advisers and then enrolling in classes in department and school offices.

## Deadline Is Mar. 8

Students have until Mar. 8 to check with the office of student affairs (after completing foregoing steps) and, finally, to obtain fee assessments and pay fees.

If a student does not wish to pay spring term fees this term, he should file his cards in the registrar's office by Mar. 8, to be picked up for assessment and payment Mar. 31, Clifford Constance, University registrar, said.

Students who are unable to complete advance registration in the allotted time should check with the student affairs office before Mar. 8, according to Cy Ellingson, assistant director of men's affairs. This includes those who are uncertain about returning to school spring term.

## Tips to Veterans

Veterans on state aid have been reminded to check with the veterans' counter in the registrar's office during registration.

Lack of money for fee payments is not considered a valid reason for not completing advance registration steps, Constance pointed out, since fees do not have to be paid until Mar. 31.

## UO May File Phone Complaint

University of Oregon houses may file a complaint with the Public Utilities commission of their own against the pay telephones, Dick Kading, chairman of the ASUO telephone committee, said Thursday. Oregon State houses have given a formal complaint to their lawyer to be filed with the PUC.

"We'll probably be called in anyway when the OSC hearing is

## Press Conference Opens



CHARLEY A. BROADED  
An industrial relations expert . . .



GEN. ROBERT A. MCCLURE  
. . . and an authority on psychological warfare.

## Pope, Broaded, General McClure Are Main Speakers

The 33rd annual Oregon press conference begins on campus today, with all of the day's events, beginning at 9:15 a.m., held in the Student Union. Saturday the conference will move to the Eugene hotel.

Brig. Gen. Robert A. McClure, chief of the army's psychological warfare branch, will give tonight's

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banquet address on "Army Psychological Warfare" in the SU ballroom. This afternoon the two other out-of-state speakers, James S. Pope, executive editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal, and Charley A. Broaded, director of industrial relations for Fisher Flouring mills in Seattle, will talk.

## Banquet Tonight

The banquet will begin at 6:45 p.m. Pope will give the annual Eric Allen memorial lecture (honoring the late journalism school dean), and Broaded will speak on "Developing Good Employee Relations."

Also included on the two-day program are:

A talk on the Korean war by Donn Bonham, ex-war correspondent and now editor of the Sweet Home New Era.

A panel discussion of world journalism by Durga P. Bhutani, India; Wolfgang Meyer, Germany; and Wilhelmus A. Van Ekeren, the Netherlands; all foreign students in journalism.

## Labor News

An address on labor news coverage by a labor publication editor.

A talk on "Ethics and the Law" at today's luncheon.

A panel discussion on the teletypesetter, a machine which makes it possible to replace a linotype (type-setting) operator with a specially-trained typist.

Talks on isolated paper, future profits and newspapering in the past.

Ralph P. Stuller, publisher of the Coquille Valley Sentinel, will preside over the conference.

## Optimism on Racial Issue Isn't Practical--Bingham

Just because immediate tension doesn't exist is no reason for holding an optimistic attitude toward racial minority problems in the Northwest.

That's what E. R. Bingham, instructor specializing in Northwest history, told a Wednesday afternoon meeting of students and faculty members in the Student Union. At the meeting further steps were taken toward reactivating the University of Oregon chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

No immediate agitation against negroes such as exists in the Midwest is present here, largely be-

cause of the small number of negroes in Oregon, Bingham said. But we should be concerned because their number is increasing and the problem always becomes more acute when negroes come in competition with other groups, he said.

He cited previous instances of racial discrimination in Oregon against Japanese, Chinese, and Indians. Vestiges of prejudicial attitudes remain, he said.

"We hope that we can learn from the experiences of the Midwest and Southern California in dealing with the problem," the speaker stated. "This is not only a local problem, but a global one. I believe reactivation of the campus chapter of the NAACP is a step in the right direction."

At the business meeting, it was decided to delay election of officers until the next meeting in order that more interested persons might be able to attend. Chairman Charles Aull, graduate student in mathematics, appointed a nominating committee consisting of Sherman Merrill, Philip Moore, Chet Holloway, Carolyn Coffee and John Simmons.

In discussion of the chapter's program, Kenneth W. Porter, vis-

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## Walter Reuther, Labor Leader, To Speak Here

"The Common Dominators of Democratic Survival" will be the topic of Walter Reuther's speech to Oregon students in assembly at 1 p.m. Tuesday in the Student Union ballroom.

Reuther, who is president of the United Auto Workers union, an affiliate of the Congress of Industrial Organizations, is coming to Oregon as part of the University's 75th anniversary celebration under the sponsorship of the University assemblies committee.

## Presents Labor's Views

Reuther's talk will be the first of two talks by outstanding leaders in labor and management. Eric



WALTER REUTHER  
UAW's 1st for OU's 75th

Johnston, president of the Motion Picture Association of America will speak for management sometime in March or April.

Reuther was active in labor's fight for employer-financed pensions and health insurance. He was instrumental in negotiating the first such program with Ford Motor company in 1949. Since that time more than one-million members of the UAW-CIO have been covered by pensions wholly financed by employers and by health insurance plans for which the employer at least pays half.

## 'Vacation' Given Student Senators

ASUO senate did not meet Thursday night, giving the student senators their first "vacation" since the senate convened this term.

A loaded agenda has kept that body busy since Jan. 17, but said Bill Carey, ASUO president, it was time to get the meetings going the once-every-two-week basis which is called for in the constitution.

Next senate meeting will be Thursday at 6:30 p.m. in room 334, Student Union.