

IRL to Debate China In UN at Conference

The eighth annual conference of the Oregon High School International Relations league convenes here today for a three-day meeting on the theme "The UN—Problems and Prospects."

An exhibition debate on "Should Red China Be Admitted to the UN?" will be the feature of the first session, which will be held this evening at 8 p.m. Debaters are Don Mickelwait, senior in liberal arts; Leland Nee, junior in art and architecture; Wynn Dahlgren, graduate in political science, and Bertram Collins, graduate in political science.

The first roundtable discussion of the conference will begin at 8:30 Friday morning, with a second meeting set for 10:30 in the school of music auditorium. At this session, University Presi-

dent O. Meredith Wilson will welcome the students, and Surindar Suri, Indian journalist, will speak on the conference theme.

The second roundtable discussion is scheduled for Friday afternoon, and will be followed by a banquet at 6:30 p.m. University foreign students will be guests and will provide entertainment for the banquet.

A panel discussion and election of new IRL officers will be held Saturday morning. Included on the panel will be Suri, E. S. Wengert, head of the political science department; Rev. Wesley Nicholson and Ruth Widmayer, assistant professor of political science, who will act as moderator.

About 300 high school students will be on campus for the conference, which ends at noon Saturday.

'Architecture Is Greatest American Art' Says Ross

Architecture is our greatest art in the United States, said M. D. Ross, associate professor of architecture, in the browsing room lecture Wednesday night.

Ross said that "the 19th century architecture was the most interesting period in American architecture." He based his lecture on a quotation taken from Lewis Mumford's book, *The Golden Day*. It stated that three aspects of the American are the puritan, the pioneer, and the inventor-business man. He showed architecture as portraying these three aspects of the American.

Ross stated that "the painter of American architecture often sees simplicity." George Washington was responsible for the first great American front porch, that which he built on Mount Vernon. Thomas Jefferson was the first person to put a modern building in temple form. The U.S. capitol served as an inspiration for almost every state capitol in the United States.

Ross used colored slides to illustrate his talk.

Ross has been assistant professor of architecture at Tulane university and assistant professor of fine arts at Pennsylvania State college and the American Institute of Architects. He has traveled in Mexico, Europe and Central America.

John E. Stafford, Eugene architect, was discussion leader for the lecture.

"The American Heritage in Aesthetics" will be the topic for next week's browsing room lecture. Dr. Stephen C. Pepper, chairman of the department of philosophy of the University of California, will be the lecturer. Discussion leader for the lecture will be Dr. Bertram Jessup, professor of philosophy.

● The Young Republicans will meet tonight at 7 in the Student Union. The annual spring College League conclave and the Hell's Canyon controversy will be discussed following some recent College League research.

Over 90% of all heart disease can be attributed to rheumatic fever, hypertension and arteriosclerosis.

California has the largest number of licensed doctors—1581. New York is second with 1292.

Renfrow to Furnish Music at 'Squeeze'

The traditional Lemon-Orange Squeeze will be held Saturday night following the Oregon-OSC basketball game in the Student Union ballroom.

Darrel Renfrow and his band will provide the music for the dance, which is sponsored by the SU dance committee. Entertainment will be featured at intermission. The acts will not be announced until that time.

Decorations will follow a modern theme featuring the traditional ducks and beavers.

Admission to the dance is 25 cents per person and campus clothes are in order.

Campus Briefs

● Because of a highly contagious influenza, 19 patients have been confined to the infirmary Wednesday for medical attention, according to hospital records. These patients are: Nancy Johnson, Carol Sue Mattson, Barbara Wilcox, Charlie Parker, Jane Fisher, Carolyn Wiley, Carole Mohr, Sally Irwin, Delsie Rice, Carol Berg, Diane Delziel, Edward Jackson, Donald Robinson, Milford Schierboltz, Doug Basham, Dean Highlander, Philip Richter, Camille Wold and Eileen DeWilde.

● Rides to Portland Friday at 3 p.m. are available through the YMCA ride pool. For further information, contact Dick Allen at the YMCA.

● Scabbard and Blade will meet tonight at 6:30 in the Student Union. Main item of business will be a discussion of the coming Military Ball.

● Ye Tabard Inn will meet this evening at 6:45 at the Side. All men interested in becoming charter members are invited to attend.

● There will be a brief junior representative meeting today at 4:30 p.m. in the Student Union.

Winning Quartet Competes Again

The University barbershop quartet champions from Campbell club will go after more honors this weekend when they participate in the annual All-Northwest Barbershop Ballad contest at Forest Grove.

Two northwest championships, five trophies and 1350 silver dollars will be the prizes in the festival which will start tonight and continue until the final program and presentation of awards Saturday evening.

Defending men's quartet champions are the "Forceps Four" from the University of Oregon medical school.

An additional attraction at this year's contest will be the first women's quartet contest in history of the event. The women's competition will be held jointly with the men's contest.

Judging for the quartets will be based mainly on technique, blend, pitch, tonal quality, diction and precision. Also influencing the judges' votes will be barbershop

style and showmanship of the individual quartets.

The Forest Grove contest, which started just after World War II and has been an annual affair ever since, is recognized as one of the top such events of its kind.

Friends Director Talks on Germany

Miss Betty Collins will speak today at 4 p.m. in the SU to the YMCA-sponsored discussion group on "Germany Today."

Miss Collins is director of the Mittelhof Quaker Neighborhood center in Berlin.

She was born in Ireland, has taught for ten years, and speaks several languages. Since the war Miss Collins has worked with the Friends organization. She has helped Spanish refugees and directed the Quaker student center in Freiburg, Germany. Since 1950 she has directed Mittelhof.



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