

# Army general to visit UO ROTC detachment

Lieut. Charles Day Palmer, Commanding General of the 6th U.S. Army, will be here Thursday to meet University officials and to inspect University Army ROTC facilities and training.

As 6th Army Commander, General Palmer commands all troops and installations located within the states of Oregon, Washington, Montana, Idaho, Utah, California, Arizona and Nevada.

The operation of the ROTC program within civilian universities is not new to Gen. Palmer as he served as Asst. Professor of Military Science and Tactics at Harvard University beginning in 1932.

General Palmer, a 1924 graduate of West Point, has held many positions of command and staff responsibility prior to his present assignment. During WW II he served as chief of staff of the 11th Armored Division; 2nd Armored Division; and the 6th U.S. Army Corps.

**Assumed command**  
At the outbreak of hostilities in July 1950, Gen. Palmer accompanied the 1st Cavalry Division to Korea and assumed command of the division in Feb. 1951, remaining in Korea until July 1951.

He was serving as Deputy Commanding General 8th U.S. Army and Commanding General U.S. Army Japan when announcement of his present assignment was made by the Department of the Army on Jan. 15, 1958.

General Palmer has been awarded the following decorations: The Distinguished Service Medal (twice), the Silver Star (twice), the Legion of Merit (twice), the Distinguished Flying Cross (twice), the Bronze Star Medal and the Air Medal with twelve clusters.

He has also received recognition from foreign governments and has been awarded the French Legion of Honor, Officer and Chevalier, and the French Croix de Guerre.

## Pauling to talk...

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tant book in 1958 was "No More War." The lecture will be based on this book. Booklist Magazine says this of the book: "A powerful plea that international agreements be made to stop the testing of nuclear weapons and that the world work toward peace, rather than nuclear warfare."

Booklist continues, "The author, a Nobel Prize winning scientist addresses himself to the layman and leaves no doubt about the terrible power of nuclear weapons; the effects of fallout; the correlation between radiation, disease, and heredity; and the nature of a nuclear war."

The mention of appeals for peace made by leading world scientists, reveals that the author's convictions are shared by many who, like him, know whereof they speak. Appeals by Einstein and Schweitzer appear among the appended material," Booklist states.

At 3 p.m. in the SU, a worship workshop will be held.

The Rev. Maurice McMahon, Rabbi Edgar F. Magnin, and Dr. John Magee will give brief talks concerning their religion's viewpoints toward worship. Father Ellis of Canterbury Club will be moderator. An open discussion will follow.

A coffee hour forum will be held at 4 p.m. in the Dad's Room in the SU.

# Pauling says nuclear problems 'responsibility . . .

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door of society. I don't feel that scientists should make decisions for the people of the world. I do not believe in an obligaracy of scientists."

Pauling went on to say that the problems of nuclear power were the responsibility of everybody. It is the politicians, he explained, and not the scientists who tend to exploit nuclear power. Scientists are told to "stay in the lab and keep their mouths shut," he commented.

Pauling also added some thoughts in this same vein by saying that scientists are merely trying to find out knowledge and facts about the world.

**'Formulated definition'**  
"Knowledge itself is not evil, it is the mis-application that is evil" Pauling said. Here again, Pauling emphasized the need for individual concern among the people of the world for the moral use of nuclear power.

On the question of a definition of morality, Pauling declined to make a "formulated definition" of it.

"It is more immoral for 10 million persons to be killed as compared with the killing of a few people or a few hundred. For morality in general, it is quibbling to give a definition. A definition doesn't cover border-line cases. It is up to the people of the world to work on these border-line cases."

Pauling had some provocative remarks about Red China. "The people of China are better off now than before the Communist Revolution. I don't know if it will continue to be a better place. As far as I'm concerned Free China can go down the drain. The U.S. made a mistake with Chang and the Nationalist government."

Pauling felt that Red China should be admitted to the U.N. in return for being turned in a demilitarized zone. Weaponless Red China would be reassured that if attacked by the U.S., the U.S.S.R. would come to stop the aggression of the U.S., and if Russia were to attack Red China, the U.S. would come to her aid.

Pauling also made pertinent remarks about the commune system. "I have not seen the communes in Red China, however I have seen them in Israel and they are wonderful organization. The people farms are generally happier than the independent Israeli farmer. For many people in the world communes could be thoroughly satisfactory."

"I have often wondered what medical men have thought of my projects in medicine, however that doesn't stop me from doing them," Pauling said.

When accused of meddling in people's affairs because he had discouraged persons off bad biological stock not to marry, Pauling said that he was not interfering in their lives, merely advising them in the light of his knowledge.

"As a scholar, if I may use the term, I have spent a great part of my life studying. Many people have spent a small part of their lives in study, and I am just giving my advice. It is every person's duty to decide whether or not the world is to be destroyed in the next few years. I am only doing my duty as a man... my duty as a person."

## Tiling scheduled for Men's pool

I. I. Wright, Director of the Physical Plant said Monday the tank in the new Mens Pool has been filled and the concrete walls are now being checked for possible leaks.

As soon as the checking process is completed and the ceiling is finished the tank will be drained again and the contractors will begin to do the tiling.

Wright said the contractors expected to begin the tile work this week and that the entire pool would probably be completed by late March or early April.

## California biologist to lecture at UO

Dr. Hans A. Went of the University of California will speak on the subject, "Some Immunochemical Studies of the Mitotic Apparatus of the Sea Urchin" at a seminar on Jan. 23 at 4 p.m. in Science 16.

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