

Senate To Study Mexico Aid Plan

The ASUO Senate will be asked tonight to sponsor a program investigating possibilities for aid to underdeveloped communities in Mexico.

Merritt Fink, one of the program's authors, will explain the proposed program at an informal discussion session at 3:15 today in the Student Union.

THE SENATE will be asked for \$300 to finance an organizational trip to Mexico during spring vacation. Fink and J. Spencer Carlson, association of students, plan to make the trip to investigate the areas needing aid around Mexico City.

The program, when completely formulated, will provide University students with the chance to live and work in Mexico for a summer. "We're not interested in any Peace Corps motives," commented Fink. "We want to allow students to communicate with Mexicans and to give enough free time to study some areas of personal interest."

"The purpose of this fact finding trip will be to see the particular possibilities. We are going to talk to a lot of people who will give us leads. We will then investigate these areas to see if they are keyed to our type of organization," explained Fink.

FINK SAID that he had several leads at present but needed further information before making concrete plans for the summer program. Some of the areas now being considered include a children's home which would need aid in recreation and in helping to teach English, a village needing help in practical areas such as constructing buildings, and a rural Mexican doctor who needs assistance.

The committee has been working with the University of Mexico, The Friends organization and various government officials and professors trying to determine which areas would be helped most by the aid which the University could provide.

Criteria for selecting students to participate in this program have not been clearly defined as yet. Fink explained that much of the criteria would depend on the type of aid to be provided. He stated, however, that there would definitely be a language requirement for participants. Fink felt that an interest poll, recently conducted among a few living organizations, has shown that students are apparently interested in the program.

"**WHILE RESPONSE** to these questionnaires is by no means complete, I feel that it shows that

enough students are interested to at least continue making plans," stated Fink.

The committee is trying to arrange agreements whereby students would be provided with room and board in return for their labor. Transportation would not be provided and, at present, no salaries would be paid.

Fink explained that he has received much aid from Carlson who will accompany him on the March trip as a faculty advisor. Carlson has planned similar programs in Mexico and is currently doing work for Ejido, a children's home near Mexico City.

THE COMMITTEE'S original plan was to adopt and sponsor a Mexican village. This idea proved impractical because of the structure of the aid program available through University students.

"We couldn't offer enough organization and assistance for a program like this," said Fink. He felt that the more specific areas, now being investigated, would benefit the most from the aid available through the students.

Fifth Stage . . .

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et year, it has openly embarrassed the University and placed President Flemming's credibility as a leader in serious jeopardy.

Who could possibly respect anyone in the fraternity system for allowing this to happen? And even sadder, from the point of view of emotional hygiene, is the widespread self-deception in the system. Everything is turned around—bad becomes good. When pledges are hacked, injured physically, and terrorized psychologically, we are told that it is done only to separate the men from the boys. The men can "take it," but the boys can't. The brutal mistreatment of individuals becomes the hallmark of leadership and "taking it" becomes the measure of manhood.

If there are any decent human beings left in the fraternity system, and I am confident there are, it is time for them to assume leadership and turn the system into something a little more recognizably human.

Dads' Lunch Will Be Held

University President Arthur S. Flemming will be the main speaker at the 36th annual Dads Luncheon, at 11:30 a.m., Saturday in McArthur Court.

The University Singers, under the direction of Max Risinger, will present musical entertainment at the luncheon.

Roy E. Lieuallen, chancellor of the Oregon State System of Higher Education, and the presidents of the Oregon Mothers and the ASUO will extend greetings to the dads.

Dads' President John Warren of Eugene, will also present University of Oregon blankets to the dad who comes the greatest distance to attend the event, and to the dad with the most children presently enrolled at the University.

Because of space limitations in seating all the visiting fathers and their sons and daughters, tickets will be sold for two luncheon arrangements: the first will consist of a buffet service and seat at a table on the main floor of the Court; the second, a special box lunch and view seat in the balcony. Tickets will be the same, (\$2.00), although tickets will be different in color and designation.

Dads may purchase tickets by writing to Oregon Dads, U. of O., Eugene.

Today is the last day for sons and daughters to buy tickets at the main desk of the S.U.

TODAY'S STAFF

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Meetings

- The Hillel Foundation Hebrew class will meet at 7 p.m. in room 117, Science Annex. All interested students are invited to attend.

- The SU Publicity Committee will meet at 7 p.m. in the SU. Room number will be posted.

- Phi Thetas will meet at 6:30 p.m. at the Side. Members not able to attend, please call ext. 1668.

- Frosh 200 will meet Thursday at 6:30 p.m. in the SU. Room number will be posted.

- Alpha Phi Omega will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Student Union. Mr. Wright of the Lane Memorial blood bank will speak.

- The Hiking Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the SU. All students going on the hike Saturday should attend.

- The Ski Quacks meeting will be held at 7 p.m. in 138 Commonwealth.

- The Alpine Club will meet at 6:45 p.m. in 337 Commonwealth.

- There will be an Angel Flight meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the SU. Room number will be posted. All absences must be excused by the commander, ext. 1894.

- The Philosophy Club will meet on Monday at 7:45 p.m. in the SU (room number to be posted), to hear Dr. Brendan Liddell present and defend a paper entitled "Kant and the Intuition of Duty." Anyone interested is invited to attend and participate. The meeting will also be open to nominations for a new treasurer.

- Chi Delta Phi will meet at noon in the Browning Room of the SU. All new members are requested to attend.

- The Baha'i Fellowship will meet at 8 p.m. Friday at 1458 Alder St. The public is invited for a talk on "Religion and Science." For information or transportation, phone DI 2-1034 or DI 2-1060.

- The University of Oregon Health, Physical Education, and Recreation Club will meet at 7:00 p.m. in the SU to approve the club's constitution and to present a slate of candidates for next year's officers.



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SYMBOLISM IS GOOD FOR YOU

What college students need is a game to play in their spare time. Since we are intellectually oriented, the game should be one in which we can use our intellects. It should also be a game that can be played by many people or just one person alone. Solitaire doesn't fit, really, because, as you might have noticed, a pack of cards feels pretty bulky in your pocket after awhile.

I have, therefore, invented a game for college students. It is called Symbolism. It is a game that cannot be copyrighted and, as one might expect coming from a college student, it is economically unproductive. It can be played anywhere and requires only watching and thinking. (Boys already do this, but this isn't exactly what I have in mind.)

The basic assumption of the game is such that it should gain some acceptance among English majors and Psychology majors. It assumes that things aren't at all what they appear to be, but that everything really is something else, or at least represents something else. Those in Philosophy should be cheered to know that the game is somewhat existential in outlook; that is, the player decides what stands for what.

It is true that Freud has provided us with some really fun symbols (as it were) but there are those who are becoming increasingly bold to say that Freud did not exhaust all the possible symbols. It must be admitted, however, that one could spend a long time and have a lot of fun reading Freudian symbols into various situations.

But enough explanation. You are doubtless champing at the bit to see an example of Symbolism in action. Okay.

As you might know, the Pioneer Mother faces the Pioneer Father. If you stand in front of the Pioneer Father, you can see (through Johnson's Hall's glass doors, darkly) the Pioneer Mother leering craftily at Pioneer Father and you. Now just suppose for the sake of the game that the Pioneer Father has been out in the woods all day Pioneering, and he wants to come home and do something lovely to the Pioneer Mother, like pat her head or scratch her back.

He'll never make it. He is doomed to stride forthrightly forever without reaching her because the administration (building) stands in the way of True Love.

You might assume, on the other hand, that he is coming back with some freshly killed game, say rabbit rather than baseball. Again, he'll never make it for the same reason—the administration (building) is in the way. Married students should get a kick out of that interpretation.

There are other things you can symbolize around the University. For example, stand on Commonwealth's Red square with your back to the library (storehouse of knowledge) and contemplate the fact that the Business Administration School is in the Right wing and Sociology and History are in the Left Wing. Consider, too, that the Co-operative book store is to the far left. Note that in the extreme center of Commonwealth there is nothing at all.

Or, consider the fact that Dairy Queens come in flavors to suit all types of personalities. There is pure white for people with pure white souls, chocolate for people . . . uh . . . Or there is cherry . . . Well, there are banana splits for schizophrenics anyway, and if you are merely a campus nut, you can have some sprinkled on top of whatever you are having, unless you are having a Pepsi or a hamburger or . . . Anyway, it's always in good taste because it tastes good.

There.

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