

Japan Forms Synthesis Of Western Ideas—Naff

Japan is the only non-Western nation to form a synthesis of Western ideas and culture, according to William E. Naff, assistant professor of oriental languages.

Naff discussed Japanese liter-

ary movements during a Browning Room lecture Wednesday night.

"Twice in its history Japan assimilated parts of an alien culture," Naff said. The first time was in the sixth through eighth centuries, and the second time was in the early 20th century, he said.

English romantic literature taught in mission schools in Japan was the source of Japanese romanticism, Naff said. These protestant, non-denominational missions were made outposts by local forces, and the students were disassociated with Japanese society. The students were Christian romantics of taste, thought and action.

Unaware of Romanticism

The Japanese society was still unaware of European romanticism and the only interesting and meaningful discussions held among the students were with teachers and fellow students.

"Japanese society did not reject the ideals to which the young romantic writers were so passionately connected, they simply were not aware of them," Naff said.

A naturalist movement followed romanticism in Japan. Three

major forces in the development of this type of literature were traditional Japanese literature, Japanese romanticism and the Japanese social order, Naff explained.

Of these, the social order was the fundamental force. The family dominated the individual, and society was limited to small local groups, according to Naff.

Writers' Struggle

The struggle of young writers for personal identity was furthered by their separation from society due to their mission and essentially romantic educations.

This period of "high national endeavor" along with the personal struggles was probably the "root of Japan's future problems and disasters," Naff concluded.

Naff has been at the University since 1962. He received his master's and doctorate degrees in Japanese language, literature and history at the University of Washington.

He spent four years in Japan, where he was sent by a Ford Foundation area training fellowship for private research.

Aesthetic Society To Meet at UO

Professors and students from colleges and universities throughout the Northwest will be at the University Friday and Saturday for the annual meeting of the Northwest Division of the American Society for Aesthetics.

From 50 to 75 participants from Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana are expected to attend the meeting.

The meeting will feature an address, illustrated with slides, on "Reality, Formalism, and Aesthetic Distance" by Lester D. Longman, chairman of the art department of the University of California at Los Angeles at 7:30 p.m., Friday, in room 106 Lawrence.

Participants will hear and dis-

cuss papers about art, art history and criticism during the annual meeting.

Private Line 3

"Engine at the Door" . . . Last in the "Computer and Mind of Men" series asks the \$64 question—Will machines ever run men? . . . 7-7:30 p.m.

"Poet's Eye" . . . Nature is the subject for tonight's performance . . . 9-9:30 p.m.

Petitions Due

Homecoming petitions are available on the third floor of the Student Union. They are due at 4 p.m. on Friday.

Correction

The Cosmo Club will not be meeting Friday, as was reported in Wednesday's Emerald. No meeting has been scheduled by the executive committee.

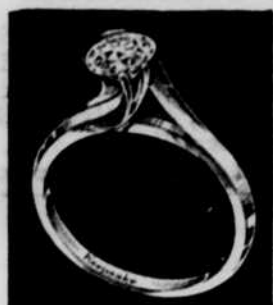
As reported, the club's picnic will take place Saturday, beginning at 10 a.m. at Armitage Park. Cars will be leaving from the SU turnaround at 10 a.m. Food will be provided. Any interested University student may attend by paying the \$5.50 fee.

The club has scheduled its first annual semi-formal dance for May 22. There will be a live band. Admission charge has been set at \$2.50 per couple.

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Campus Briefs

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Chi Delta Phi meets today at 4 p.m. at the Coffee House. New members must have their dues paid.

An important meeting for all members of the freshman tennis court dance decorations committee will be held tonight at 7:30 in the Student Union. Room number will be posted.

Angel Flight will meet today at noon in 109 Nestor.

Students interested in playing marathon basketball for a world's record May 15 and 16 should write Box 5315, Eugene. There will be a \$5.50 fee for expenses.

Student Union Committee applications will be available today and Friday for those students who have served as members of committees this year. The applications may be picked up in Room 301, SU.

Alpha Phi Omega will meet tonight at 6:30 in the SU. Room number will be posted.

Amphibians will meet from 5-7 tonight in Leighton Pool.

WRA executive council will meet at noon today in the SU. Room number will be posted.

There will be a recorded jazz concert tonight from 7:30-9 p.m. in the SU, room 206. "Flutes and Vibes" will be featured.

The SU movie tonight in 150 Science will feature "The Red and the Black." There will be only one showing, and it will begin at 7 o'clock. Admission is 50 cents per person.

The deadline for entry blanks for the all-campus water ski tournament is May 17. The forms are available outside Room 301, SU. The tourney will be held on Sunday, May 23. Any additional information may be obtained by calling Sheri Quisey at ext. 2288.

Students exhibiting objects in the Mother's Weekend art sale should pick up their work and checks by Friday anytime from 8 through 5 in Room 301, SU.

Young Americans for Freedom, conservative political group, will meet tonight at 7:30 in the Student Union. Stay in Viet Nam petitions will be discussed.

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