

EMIL LUDWIG TO LECTURE IN WHITLEY JANUARY 31



Pictured above are the freshman class officers. Reading from the left, Wayne Taylor, vice-president; Joe Franks, president; Mary Elizabeth Wright, secretary; and Margaret Ann Clayton, treasurer. They will play host at the freshman reception tonight.

Topic, "What Kind Of Peace Shall We Make With Germany?"



Emil Ludwig. His books were burned at Hitler's command.

Emil Ludwig, national and internationally known German-born writer, will deliver a lecture on the subject, "What Kind of Peace Shall We Make With Germany," in Whitley Memorial auditorium Monday, January 31, at 8:30 p. m. He will appear under the management of the National Concert and Artists Corporation in New York.

Ludwig recently outlined for the Foreign Affairs committee of the United States Senate a program for administration of Germany and other enemy territories after the war. He is suggesting that Germany be divided, that we let the northern warrior race of Prussians be politically free from the southern part which gave the world such men as Beethoven.

Born in Breslau, Ludwig who began writing plays and verse at the age of 15, studied law and entered business. He was in his early thirties before he began writing serious prose. His first attempt was a biography of Bismarck, and since that time his analytical studies of lives and destinies of many international fame. Among his better known works are studies of Napoleon, Lincoln, Goethe, and Stalin.

Fled To U. S. In 1940

During a lecture tour of the United States in 1936 Ludwig predicted that a world war was imminent. After the outbreak of the war in 1939 he advocated a United States of Europe. In 1940 he returned to the United States to give his services for the defense savings program among the foreign language groups. Following the Pearl Harbor disaster, he undertook a dollar-a-year job in Washington to conduct propaganda to the Germans from the United States.

Students will be admitted to the lecture by their season pass books obtained from the business office. Admission for townspeople is fifty cents for adults and twenty-five cents for children.

S. S. O. HELPS THE

ELON RED CROSS

Once more the proverbial Elon Spirit has come to the foreground and shown members of the Elon community that Elon students can do. The Elon Red Cross was about to close its doors because of the lack of workers which made it impossible to fill the quotas. At a call meeting of the Students Service Organization, the problem was discussed. A new schedule for work at the headquarters has been made out which will be more convenient for the college students. The Red Cross room will now be open on Tuesday afternoon and evening and on Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

A large number of girls have begun work, and any others who would like to help prove that Elon is backing her men may see Ann Frink, president of the S. S. O. The two aims of the organization are "A Successful War Bond Drive" and "A patriotic spirit to back it up."

DR. JOHNSON'S GROUP TO

HAVE BANQUET FEBRUARY 14

Members of the Doctor Johnson Literary Society held their regular meeting Wednesday evening in Dr. French's class room. Earl Farrell, president of the organization presided over the meeting.

Following the usual business of the roll call and the secretary's report, plans were made for the banquet which will be held on February 4. Bob Gaskins and Don Miller were appointed to make reservations for the affair.

Freshmen To Entertain Sophomores At Reception Here Tonight

MUSIC STUDENTS GIVE RECITAL

Students of the Music Department gave a recital Thursday afternoon (January 26) in Whitley Auditorium. College students who participated on the program were Margaret Cox, Jeanne Hook, Edith Hall and Elizabeth Hill.

Junior students who appeared on the program were Sylvia Lottick, Dorothy Mae Dabbs, Karen Martin, Jane McClure, Mary Sue Colclough, Susan Randolph, Lavonna Barber, Sylvia Wyrick, Caroline Umberger, Joyce Phillips, Wanda Kerr, Emma Lou Sockwell, Becky Allen, Joan Newman Marguerite Hudson and James Cowan.

The next student recital will be held Thursday afternoon, February 3, at 5:00 p. m. The public is cordially invited.

HUSSA TO GIVE RECITAL

Madame Maria Hussa soprano, will give a recital Wednesday evening, February 9, in Whitley Auditorium as the second number in the Elon College Concert series.

Madame Hussa has been associated with the Metropolitan and Chicago Opera Companies of this country, was a member of the State Opera in Berlin for two years, and of the State Opera in Hamburg for six years. Madame Hussa has given numerous concerts with the great composer Richard Strauss, at the piano, and has sung before Queen Wilhelmina of Holland, as Eva in "Die Meistersinger" and as Sieglinde in "Die Walkure." Madame Hussa has sung roles in thirty-seven operas and thirteen oratorios. Beverly Watts will be the accompanist.

All students will be admitted to the recital on their student activity tickets.

TAU ZETA PHI SORORITY GIVES TEA

The Tau Zeta Phi sorority entertained members of the student body Saturday evening, January 22 with a tea dance in the reception hall of West Dormitory. All students and cadets with dates were invited. Coffee and doughnuts were served. Dean Kraft, Mrs. J. D. Messick, and Mrs. D. D. Vickery were chaperones for the occasion.

Members of the freshman class are planning a gala affair to entertain the sophomore class at the annual Freshman-Sophomore reception tonight in Society Hall at 8:00. The highlight of the festivities will be the crowning of the King and Queen of the sophomore class, their identity to remain undisclosed until the time they are crowned.

The freshman class has worked diligently making plans for the affair. At a recent meeting of the class the committees were selected. They include Dot Williams, George Davis, Basil Steed, Etta Hooper, George Ramseur, and Athleen Buckner, decoration committee; Marion James, Alice Cross, Bunk Satterfield, Lucile Morgan, Janie Murphy, and Dot Holland, refreshment committee; Eva Carpenter, Jack Sunburn, Fred Register, Maxine Jackson, Tom Horner, Joyce Matthews, and L. W. Riley, program committee.

All upperclassmen are invited to attend the party, but it was decided by the class that no cadets would be permitted to come. Girls are to come dressed in their formals. It is the desire of the class that all students attend the reception and help make it a success.

WEST AUTHORITY TO RECEIVE REPORTS ON UN-AMERICANISM

Captain D. D. Vickery, commanding officer of the 325th College Training Detachment, has issued a request that anyone, soldier or civilian, hearing anything un-patriotic or un-American, or seeing anything suspicious report it to the proper authorities immediately. Since the beginning of the war over ten thousand enemy agents have been seized within the country. It is necessary to the defense of our country that this element be eliminated as nearly as possible.

Lt. Mercer E. West, intelligence officer, has been designated as the authority to receive such reports in this vicinity. Hiss office is room 204 in Mooney Hall and his phone is 100.

JAP ATROCITIES ANGER OUR NATION

The release by government authority of the news that the men of Bataan and other war prisoners of the Japanese have been starved and murdered in remorseless and inhuman manner has struck suddenly home to us. Most of us were fearful that such news might come, but we had hoped against what our judgments foreboded.

Reaction the nation over is a mighty surge of anger; but the anger is tempered by a reasoned coolness. Since this is what we must fight, we know what to do. The enemy is beyond the pale. Yet we shall pursue our war plans as our trained military men shall with cool and reasoned strategy direct. The enemy has shown more of ignorance and barbarity than we had thought possible; but the results to date show him to be, in reality, less strong than he thought himself. We have reason to place complete confidence in McArthur, Halsey, Chenault and Stillwell, and in the men they lead. Our task is now both sterner and clearer. The menace to civilization demands that we meet ruthlessness with an equal ruthlessness. From now on, there will be little quarter given. Yet we are still resolved not to degrade our people. Where justice and mercy remain a human possibility, we shall not be lacking.

Immediate steps have been taken to see that our own prisoners of war, including the Japanese, are protected and treated as in the past, according to international law. It will be difficult, perhaps, to keep hot blood from demanding reprisals; but this we are bound by our national honor to do. We shall not for one moment consider a return to barbarism. In battle and in war not of our making, we shall return destruction to them a hundred-fold. And there will be justice for war criminals in the end.

Our sympathies and those of the nation go to Maywood, Illinois, and to Harrodsburg, Kentucky; two companies of men, almost entirely recruited from these small communities, were on Bataan.

COLLEGE BAND PLAYS FOR MOVIES

The College Band, E. F. Rhodes, director, played several selections Friday evening as an overture to the movie "Stage Door Canteen." This is the third public appearance of the Band this season.

An orchestral ensemble has been newly formed under the directorship of Prof. Bartley. At present the organization consists of French horn, two clarinets, violins, alto saxophone and piano. The purpose of this organization is to play music for various occasions such as entrance music for dramatic productions and the like.

ORCHESTRAL INSTRUMENTS FILM PRESENTED ON JANUARY 18TH

A film showing orchestral instruments was presented Tuesday, January 18th, in Whitley Auditorium. Excerpts from symphonic music were played, such as Schubert's Unfinished Symphony and Ballet Music from "Rosamunde." William Tell Overture, "Tannhauser" Overture and Mendelssohn's Violin Concerto.

The percussion and wood wind sections of the orchestra were shown last Tuesday night.

BIDNIGHT TO BE OBSERVED ON MARCH 18

Members of the four Greek letter sororities, Delta Upsilon Kappa, Tau Zeta Phi, Beta Omicron Beta, and Pi Kappa Tau will observe the second bidnight of the year on Saturday night, March 18, according to a report from the Pan Hellenic council.

It was decided by the Pan Hellenic council that those students making their averages at the end of the winter quarter will be eligible for membership in a sorority.

The Pan Hellenic council is composed of representatives from the four groups, with Dean Kraft, Dean Messick, and Dr. Smith as advisers. The members are Virginia Jeffreys, Goldie Morris, Grace Towery, and Frances Gunter. Complete plans as to hours and other regulations for the occasion have not yet been made.

PANVIO GROUP TO WEAR EMBLEM

Edna Reitzel, president of the Panviolet Literary Society called a special business meeting of the group Tuesday, January 25, at 7:00 p. m. in Society Hall.

It was decided by the members of the organization that the new Panvio emblem, a red scotty dog, should be worn by the members, with the red and white Panvio colors, on Wednesday. Also at this meeting, three new members, Ann Strader, Janie Murphy, and Inez Johnson, were taken into the group. These three will be the first members who will be required to undergo initiation, which is to become a new custom for the society.

Plans are now underway for a Valentine program to be given during the February meeting.

S. C. A. ENTERTAINS WITH PARTY

Under the direction of Lucille Blacklock, chairman of the social committee, the Student Christian Association gave a party in the reception hall of West Dormitory Friday night, January 21. Special guests for the occasion were the members of Flight E of the 325th College Training Detachment.

Leon Gibbs, directed the games and dancing. Mr. Apel, business manager of the college, introduced an "ice-breaker" which proved fun for all and livened the party.

Chaperones for the occasion included Dean Kraft, Mr. Apel, Mrs. D. D. Vickrey, and John Westmoreland.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

January 31, 8:30 p. m.: Lecture in Whitley Hall, Emil Ludwig.
February 4, 8:30 p. m.: Board of Christian Education.
February 5, 8:30 p. m.: Mid-year Alumni Association meeting.
February 8, 8:30 p. m.: Board of Trustees meeting.
February 9, 8:30 p. m.: Madame Hussa (Concert Series).

Weekly Meetings:

Monday, 7:15 p. m.: Band rehearsal; 8 p. m., Ministerial Association.
Tuesday, 8 p. m.: Senate.
Wednesday, 8 p. m.: Dr. Johnson Literary Society; Panvio Literary Society.
Thursday, 9 p. m.: S. C. A. Cabinet.

Movies

Whitley Auditorium
January 28-29: "Stage Door Canteen."
February 4-5: "Dixie."
February 11-12: "Squadron Leader X."