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NBC MEETS SIMPSON

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In an effort to defend the honor of NBC, our basketball team will meet Simpson Bible Institute's team in the "biggest game of the year."

Greenwood Boys Club Gym will be the scene of the struggle. Our athletic department has made arrangements to play the game at the Boy's Club, because of its adequate room for spectators. This game will be one of the highlights of the basketball season.

The last game with Simpson, played at SPC, our ball club bowed to SBI, but on Saturday night the 16th, NBC's "boys" are out for the winner's crown.

NBC's line-up will be, as disclosed by Coach Leid earlier in the week: Ron Reems, Loyd Hinkle, Dick Strum, Frank Young, Elmer
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FOREIGN STUDENTS IN OREGON

The first day of Christmas vacation found five students heading south. Una Cain, Jean Shah, Dorothea Thompson, Murine Henry, and Carl Douglas were the guests of Mr. Kerr at Brookings, Oregon.

Sister Coleman started them off with breakfast at 4:30 AM. Carl said that it rained all the way down and some of the roads were slightly flooded. At nine that evening Mr. Kerr became worried and contacted the police.
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DON'T BE A S.W.S.S.

Here they come, all of the S.W. S.S.'s surrounded by a large black cloud of pessimism. They are here, there and everywhere dispelling their black sunshine. Are they blotting out the bright and cheery actions of our group? Not yet, and they need not for the best way to dispell darkness is to flood the area with light, then the darkness will disappear and light will replace the gloom.

Who are these gloom-carriers-- these S.W.S.S.s? They are the STUDENTS WITHOUT SCHOOL SPIRIT!!! A fine group of students, yet just intellectual shells. Within they are empty of school spirit. Their school life is an 8 'til 12:30 proposition. They are here for chapel and rarely miss classes, but they are never to be found when there is the task of holding up the school's name. Or, if they are there, the words that they speak wouldn't do any school good. This motley group is composed of students who "just can't find the time" to support their school, their class, or any of the social functions; students who repeat only the degrading things of the student life, those everpresent, everhuman mistakes we all make; students who have a good word only for the things
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LOOKING INTO THE FUTURE

Jan. 23, 8:30 A.M. All-school Snow Party.

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WEDDING BELLS RING!

NBC extends congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene William Winn who were united in marriage December 31st at Faith Temple Assembly, Seattle, Washington. Mrs. Winn is the former Dorothy Bender.

BAND DISPLAYS APPRECIATED

The results of many hours of hard work were seen in the Missionary Band projects in the Main Auditorium during this Missionary Week.

The student body would like to thank the Missionary Council and the individual bands for making these displays to give us a better insight into the activities of the missionary bands of our college.

Those who prepared the displays are:

AFRICAN BAND--Nancy Linn, Al Stivala, Paul Chastagner, Al Gisselberg, and John Weaver.

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ERLANDSON ELECTED ASB SEC.-TREAS.

Congratulations to Linnea Erlandson on her election to the office of Secretary-Treasurer of the ASB.

Linnea's victory on Friday was the climax of years of preparation, under the direction of the Lord. Several years ago Linnea yielded to the desire of the Lord to mold and make her life.

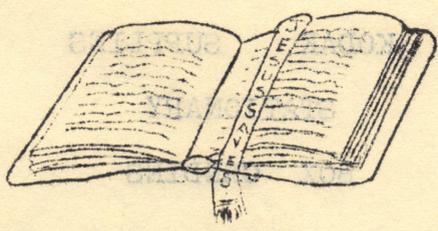
She was first introduced to extra-curricular activity at NBC in her Sophomore year when she joined the Courier staff as a reporter. This year she is the Layout Editor for the Karisma, and a member of the active social committee of the Junior Class. Now as Sec.-Treas. of the ASB, her "spare time" will be at a minimum.

As Sec.-Treas., her desire is that through her new office she "might be a blessing and an inspiration to the student body."

JUNIORS TAKE HOLIDAY TRIP

Members of the Junior class enjoyed a day of skiing at Stevens pass, where some learned to ski and others to put their first aid to use, but all to endure soaking wet clothes. Just to clasp the tow rope once was enough to cause

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SCRIPTURAL INTERPRETATION

MESSIAH WILL COME IN TEN YEARS!

Such was the pronouncement flashed by High Priest Isaac Herzog of Jerusalem to the Jewish communities throughout the world during the Passover of 1948--the same year that Israel again became a sovereign nation for the first time in 2,500 years.

The Jews believe that now that they again have a homeland that their Messiah will come. According to Evangelist Harold W. Gretzinger in his booklet, The Return of the Jew and The Coming of Messiah, they may well be right for Israel is often symbolized in Scripture by the fig tree.

If we turn to Matthew 24:32-34 we see a Christian prophecy concerning the fig tree which may throw new light for us on the role the return of Israel to Palestine plays in the Second Coming of Christ. In this passage Christ has been speaking about His Second Return to earth. If we interpret the nation Israel to be the fig tree of Christ's discourse, we can see how this has a tremendous message for we who have seen Israel again become a sovereign nation for the first time since the hordes of Nebuchadnezzar swept them into captivity in 606 B. C.

Christ says that the generation which sees these things come to pass shall not pass away till all these things are fulfilled. Now we know that both Jew and Christian are expecting the same person--only we know who He is.

Lester D. Cleveland

TELL IT!

God is supernatural today, as he was in Moses' time, and in the time of Christ. His power is not limited by human weakness and frailties. It surpasses human comprehension and is available to all---a glorious reality. Why not tell someone about it?

A dirty, vile sinner hears the gospel and repents, becoming a saint. Is this not a miracle? Why not tell others about it?

Sickness and disease rob us of health and happiness. They place the body in positions beyond human help. The prayer of faith brings supernatural healing results. Try telling someone of it.

Financial strain causes worry and defeat. Again the prayer answering God sends finances unknown, confounding human faculties of reason. The story should be told.

Yes, on and on the story goes of God's manifestation daily to us and yet we fail to make it known. Sing it and tell it, and as the Psalmist says "Let the redeemed of the Lord say so."

ASB President
Don Ostrom

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"Say Jim! Did you hear what the president said about the secretary-treasurer having so much work to do?"

"Yes."

"I've been wondering. I thought all she had to do was take down some minutes now and then and to know how much money is in the treasury."

"It isn't quite that simple, Bob. In addition to keeping the minutes, she must look after the student body records and official documents."

"In other words she is the custodian of the ASB records."

"Yes. But her office entails more than that. She has to be an A-1 bookkeeper, also. She has charge of the student body funds, Gospel Team funds, and the Station Wagon Fund. She has to write out checks and make financial statements."

"Guess she is one busy person then, isn't she?"

"Definitely!"

NBC EAGLES' SCORES

Eagles vs. City Light	40-51
Eagles vs. Federal Reserve	
	Bank 36-25
Eagles vs. NW Mutal Insur.	37-23

TOURNAMENT BEGINS

The table tennis tournament is now under way. Athletic director, Harry Leid is well pleased with the good response. He reports that thirty-nine boys and eighteen girls have signed up for the tournament. This is representative of more than one-fourth of the student body. The elimination games are to be played before the 25th of January. At this time the best four players will play off in the semi-finals and the two winners will meet in the championship round. These final games, for both boys and girls, are to be played the evening of January 25th. (Cont. on next column)

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While Jean was phoning Mr. Kerr just after arriving in Brookings, a policeman came up to Una's window and shone his flashlight inside. Una said nothing and did nothing except look back until someone asked her to roll down the window. Instead, she opened the door, and at the same moment Mr. Kerr arrived to rescue them.

The students had charge of several services. Carl spoke in the C.A. service and Dorothea in the evening service. As a quintet they sang "Jesus Saves".

The next day they saw Dorothea off to Los Angeles from Arcadia, Calif., by air.

Mr. Kerr took the students through the redwood groves, myrtle groves, and a plywood factory. They were also the guests of Mr. Kerr at the Rotary Club dinner.

On the way back north Una Cain stopped at Depoe Bay for the Christmas holidays.

The foreign students expressed their appreciation for the interesting time given them by Mr. Kerr.

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ning of January 25th.

Your attendance is urged and your cheering will encourage each player to try harder for the championship.

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SIGNS OF THE TIMES

The new red and blue signs in our building are the handwork of our Public Relations Manager, Allen Munger.

Each instructor has his name on a red sign on the door of his office. There is also a red directory in the lower hall. President Butterfield, and Dean Aasen have blue signs with their names on their office doors. This has been a great help to many students as it is so much easier to locate the right person, in the right room. The library, and the bookroom are also marked.

Thanks to Mr. Munger for a splendid job.

COVENANT FOR REVIVAL

"If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sins, and will heal their land."

II Chro. 7:14

NEW YEAR PRAYER

Dear Master, for this coming year
 Just one request I bring;
 I do not pray for happiness,
 Or any earthly thing-
 I do not ask to understand
 The way Thou leadest me,
 But this I ask: Teach me to do
 The thing that pleaseth Thee.

I want to know Thy guiding voice,
 To walk with Thee each day.
 Dear Master, make me swift to hear
 And ready to obey.
 And thus the year I now begin
 A happy year will be-
 If I am seeking just to do
 The thing that pleaseth Thee.

---Author Unknown

"DISTASTEFUL KITCHEN"

It seems that Sister Perks did not like the "taste" of the kitchen! She and other members of the faculty eat their lunches there daily. The color was drab and very distasteful, so it has been arranged to do a "cover-up" job. Johnny Butterfield is again "the man behind the brush." The colors have not been definitely decided upon so if you have suggestions, talk them over with Johnny!

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 one's mittens to literally drip. Nevertheless all the comments were "can't wait 'til we can go again!"

In Everett a nice warm house, a change of clothing, and a chilli feed relaxed the tired Juniors to the point of sleepiness while watching a Christmas story on television.

Chuck Craver, who had completely lost his voice and looked as though he was in a state of shock (glossy eyes etc.) dragged himself up and out to brave the stormy evening and drive back to Seattle. But his last words were "I'm, I'm f-i-n-e....."