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WE ARE always complaining that our days are few, and acting as though there would be no end of them.—Seneca.

Long Live the "Little Americans"

LIBERTY magazine, that famed exponent of the higher jingoism, has paid its respects to the college professors who spoke out against American intervention in Nicaragua, thereby, no doubt, making its peace with the shade of Stephen Decatur.

Quite in keeping with the spirit of its guardian angel, whose words, "Our country right or wrong," adorn its editorial page, the magazine makes this comment:

"Our Little Americans, our Borahs and Wheelers, our professors, sentimentalists, and self-appointed wailers for the rights of smaller nations, all are upset over the intervention of the United States in Nicaragua."

There was no basis for such fear, the editorial points out, adding that the same type of persons protested without avail at the time of the Mexican war and the annexation of Texas.

Closing in a burst of chauvinism indicative of Liberty's too evident belief in the liberty of seizure, the writer, in referring to the Mexican war says:

"Our conduct was possibly vicious and depraved, morally—but it was progress. Destiny was at work behind the selfishness of immoral politicians. Destiny is still busy, and seventy-five years from now the inhabitants of Nicaragua, Mexico, et al, will be singing 'The Star Spangled Banner' and scoffing at the idea that anyone would return to the old governments."

Liberty forgot to add that Stephen Decatur will then be enshrined as the American tribal god, Liberty as the apostle of progress, and its equally nationalistic parent, The Chicago Tribune, as the American Bible.

Liberty must be credited with at least being openly imperialistic, which was more than our administration dared be. At the same time, it is fortunate that the greater part of the public press joined the "little Americans" in an attempt, the success of which is now in the balance, to check the government's activity in central America.

We do not propose to quarrel with

Liberty's imperialistic leanings. It has a right to its views. But we can't reconcile national moral depravity with progress as easily as it is done in Chicago.

If invasion of helpless countries is progress, let us have more reactionaries of the type of the despised "Little Americans."

Changing Procedure in Registration

THE numerous communications suggesting investigation of a graduate student's plan for unified registration seem to indicate widespread interest in the simplification of the present procedure.

Too much time and patience is lost in the present process, which, despite its supposed importance, grants little opportunity for necessary conferences, and adds only to the general confusion attendant upon the opening of the new university year.

Without committing ourselves, because of lack of information, to any particular plan, we none the less believe, now that the matter has been brought to attention, that registration can and should be simplified.

And in keeping with the general idea, it might be wise to adopt the high school method of making forecasts of courses that the student at least tentatively wishes to take during the year or semester to follow. It seems that the best courses always come at the same hours, with the result that the student is forced to regulate his schedule by the hours and not the subjects. This is a simple matter, but it means much. Forecasts would make it possible to schedule courses to suit the needs of the greater number of students.

Slowly, Indeed, But It's Growing

BIT by bit the fund for the Fine Arts building is growing, mainly through the efforts of a few ardent campaigners whose various and ingenious schemes for raising money are meeting with creditable support.

The \$450 profit resulting from the showing of "Faust" is a sizable addition to the much-needed fund. W. B. McDonald and the Heilig management, who made this source of revenue possible, should know that their very fine act is greatly appreciated.

behalf of the appointment service to aid the improvement of the system by keeping in touch with the persons who have been sent out by the school.

Superintendents and principals in various parts of the state were visited in order that a better contact between the service and the schools themselves may be furthered. The first week of Dr. Rainey's trip took him to Eastern Oregon, Ontario, La Grande, Baker, and Pendleton. During the second week he visited schools in the Willamette valley including Albany, Salem, McMinnville, Newberg, Forest Grove, Hillsboro, and Oregon City.

Dr. Rainey leaves today for Portland where he will speak on "Education and the Tax Burden" before the Progressive Men's Business Club at a luncheon which is being given today noon at the Benson hotel.

University Students Announce Engagement

Announcement of the engagement of Miss Beth Adele Sutherland, sophomore in the department of English, and Francis Cleaver, senior in the geology department, took place at the Alpha Delta Pi house last evening.

Two large red hearts, pierced with a gold painted arrow, suspended from the ceiling, and bearing the names of the two houses and

all, but the person who has taken so much delight in putting all the "Peaches" jokes on the board has had about enough fun now. I confess that some of them have quite a wallop to them, but when other people read my mail I am put to some embarrassment.

WOMEN'S LEAGUE TEA TO HAVE CLOGGING ACT

(Headline in yesterday's Emerald.) Most of our noses have been acting that way too lately.

"NOW OSWALD, QUIT FEEDING BABY PAPA'S SHAVING CREAM"

EMBARRASSING MOMENTS Loudly criticizing one of the players and then realizing that you are surrounded by several of his brothers.

ONE of MY professors WAS telling me YESTERDAY that WHEN he comes DOWN to breakfast IN the morning he ALWAYS thinks he IS going to a show OR a game or something BECAUSE his wife always GLANCES at his bald HEAD and shouts DOWN in front! AND I imagine MOST of you will THINK this is just AS rotten a joke AS I did when he TOLD it to me but THE reason I am RUNNING it is just TO show you that THERE are some PROFESSORS who like THEIR LITTLE PUN.

TABLE ETIQUETTE

If pea or olive seed gets in coat sleeve, raise arm to vertical position and with other hand catch illusive article inside of coat. Return to plate at first opportunity.

Gretchen's biggest worry now is about who feeds the Oregon seal.

"I'm going to see 'The Gold Rush' tonight."
"Oh I have, but I just want to see if they have changed it any since I was a boy."

TWO GIRLS HIKED TO SPRINGFIELD FOR BREAKFAST YESTERDAY MORNING. ONLY ANOTHER PROOF THAT THERE'S ONE BORN EVERY MINUTE.

CAMPUS STROLLING

Another rainy day and the girls get a chance to wear their oldest shoes under their galoshes. Francis Cleaver stepping just a little higher after the announcement at the Alpha Delta Pi house the other night. I wonder what house has the most engaged girls this year. Pod Sten talking to a group of girls. She is probably telling them about the new piano and phonograph that the Alpha Chis just bought.

HE WHO FOLLOWS IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF ANOTHER IS ALWAYS BEHIND.

Why doesn't someone make an investigation of the different kind of cigarette stubs found around the back doors of a sorority. Some company would pay well for the information.

The open-air cosmetic school will soon begin on the library steps if the warm weather continues.

FAMOUS LAST WORDS

"I just borrowed your tux shirt."

the last line of their sweetheart songs were used to announce the news. The center of the table was banked with smilax and tulips and streamers of red reached from the center to each place. Small red hearts as place cards gave the name of the couple.

Miss Sutherland is a member of Alpha Delta Pi and vice-president of the Normal Arts club. Cleaver has been a track man for four years. He was on the frosh track team the first year and has been a varsity man for three. He is president of the Phi Kappa Psi house.

"Y" Director to Give Reading at Vespers

Mr. H. W. Davis, director of the Y. M. C. A., will give the reading at this Sunday's Vespers. There will also be three musical numbers, the first of which will be an organ selection given by Frances Pierce, student assistant in the school of music. David John Jones, superintendent of the Eugene high school, will sing two compositions as the concluding number on the afternoon's program.



I welcome contributions one and all, but the person who has taken so much delight in putting all the "Peaches" jokes on the board has had about enough fun now. I confess that some of them have quite a wallop to them, but when other people read my mail I am put to some embarrassment.



Sigma Delta Chi-Theta Sigma Phi, joint meeting at the Anchorage, today noon. Important.

Social Swim Woman's building tonight 7 to 9. All students and faculty members invited.

Wesley Club skating party to be tonight instead of Monday night. All Methodist students invited. Meet at First Methodist church at 9:30.

Phi Delta Kappa sixth anniversary meeting at Congregational church, Saturday, 5 p. m.

Philosophy Club—Professor Raymond E. Baker on "Hegelianism in America," Monday, 7:45 p. m., men's room, Woman's building. Interested faculty and students invited.

Philippa Sherman '26 And Arthur Larsen '24 In Advertising Work

Two former University students who are apparently achieving success in professional advertising are Philippa Sherman, '26, and Arthur Larsen, '24.

Miss Sherman is connected with the advertising staff of Lipman, Wolfe and Company, a department store in Portland, and Larsen is head of the advertising department of Montgomery-Ward Company, replacing Harry Smith who is now employed by Lipman, Wolfe.

While in college, Miss Sherman majored in journalism, was feature editor of the Emerald, being the top-sergeant of the Seven Seers, a member of Pot and Quill, women writers' organization, and was on the Webfoot staff.

Larsen, while attending the University, was a major in journalism and a track athlete. He was a member of Ye Tabard Inn, local chapter of Sigma Upsilon, national men's writers society.

Assembly

(Continued from page one) with them, in their adventures. You can get a thrill out of the search for knowledge if you have the desire for it. Adventure is vision, imagination, courage, and perseverance.

Adventure some Spirit Inherited "We in America are the inheritors of the youthful spirit of adventure of the Pilgrim ancestors. The oldest of the party on the Mayflower was but 32 years of age. We in the Northwest are also inheritors of the pioneer spirit of the founders of this country. For did they not let their wagons down precipices with the aid of ropes tied to trees? Dull must be our hearts if we do not respond to the spirit of adventure that has given us this country."

Dr. Hall, president of the University, introduced the speaker. "The duty of a university is to develop a concept of the spiritual realities of life as well as it is to train the intellect," he said. "We are glad to have the assistance of a man who is anxious to make his contribution to the development of the spiritual life on the campus."

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McDONALD: Second day: "Sweet Rosie O'Grady," a delightful comedy-drama of mirth, music and pathos, combining the hearty laughter of "Cohens and Kellys" and the heart throbs of "Humoresque;" based on the immortal song that has thrilled millions, and with a great cast of favorites, headed by Shirley Mason, Cullen Landis, William Conklin and others; atmospheric prologue, "Roses" featuring Kathleen Powell, Eugene's favorite contralto, in conjunction with Sharkey Moore and the Merry-Macks, tonight at nine; another of those clever comedies of campus life, "The Collegians," with George Lewis; Frank Alexander in marvelous musical setting; Kinetto Movie Review, "Favorite Friends."

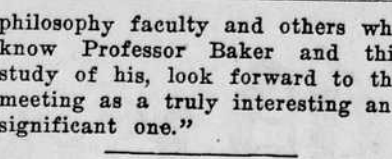
REX: First day: Zane Grey's most fascinating novel, "Man of the Forest," with Jack Holt and Georgia Hale in a spirited romance of the great forests of the west, bristling with action and adventure, and unusual love drama; also, Arthur B. Reeves' new short story, "The Radio Detective;" International News events; John Clifton Emmel at the organ.

Raymond E. Baker, Candidate for Ph. D. Degree, to Give Talk

Professor Raymond E. Baker, of Albany college, will speak on "Hegelianism in America" before the philosophy club on Monday evening at 7:45 in the Woman's building.

Professor Baker is working for the doctor of philosophy degree from the University and has been making extensive researches in the field of Hegelianism. In his researches, he is said to have discovered much which has never before been generally known or at least made into a coherent story.

"The material has been so abundant," said Dr. George Rebec, dean of the graduate school, "that Professor Baker's problem has been markedly one of selection and coordination, but his work has proceeded so far towards completion that he has consented to put some of it before the University philosophy club. The members of the



A University of Oregon co-ed was named by Theodore Cronck, 19-year-old youth being held by San Francisco authorities for alleged blackmail, as the prospective bride for whose sake he attempted to extort \$3000 from Mrs. Henry St. Goar, San Francisco society woman, according to reports received here yesterday.

Cronck, the son of a clergyman of

philosophy faculty and others who know Professor Baker and this study of his, look forward to the meeting as a truly interesting and significant one."

Pledging Announcement

Alpha Omicron Pi announces the pledging of Luola Bengo of Heppner, Nebraska, was working as a theater usher at \$18 a week when he wrote to Mrs. St. Goar demanding \$3000. Police arrested him when he was receiving a fake bundle, and he admitted his guilt, the report stated.

"I was not only unable to make ends meet but I was starving," Cronck said. "I was trying to save up so that I could marry a University of Oregon co-ed, but every time I got a letter from her I would get the blues."

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On Registration

Dear Editor: The scheme for unified registration, proposed by Christ Loukas, is much more efficient than the existing one. One advantage is that his plan will save time if the alphabetic order of matriculation, which he suggests, is followed. Especially the sorority and fraternity houses will be benefited because the members will know when their turns come to register. They may use the time, that they waste by waiting in congested lines under the present system, to visit, study, or work at the necessary fraternal chores. I am in favor of the Emerald's sending reporters to all the living organizations and faculty members for their opinions of Mr. Loukas' plan, which is worth serious investigation.

Yours truly, HAROLD WAGNER.

Dr. H. P. Rainey Back From Extended Tour

Dr. Homer P. Rainey, of the school of education and director of the appointment bureau, has just returned from a two week's trip in