one but also flawless. But while the

council is in the mode of suggesting

constitutional amendments, we beg

to hint that they would make an-

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TT IS error only, and not truth, that shrinks from inquiry .-Thomas Paine.

Two and Two Equal Four

WITHOUT asking anyone's permission, we shall present proof that two and two equal four, hoping to make our meaning so clear that it will be plain to everyone-and perhaps even to the would-be censors of the Emerald.

The freshman class meeting yesterday adopted, by unanimous vote, a resolution opposing transfer of Emerald editorial control to the publications committee, appointed by the A. S. U. O. president. At the same time the class took what will be the first step toward abolishing freshman hazing rules-unlast request as a reprisal for the first resolution.

Now, the student council, legislating in "the best interests" of the student body, decreed that hazing should remain. The Emerald, the council. The only negative vote

vote of its one black sheep it gave tion in proportion to its numbers? | tion. Can it honestly say that it repreerald spoke a lone opinion?

brand as unwieldly. But when they and stole him away while we slept"? fail to represent the students how may they be checked? How may the student president be checked? Emerald editor-recall.

Why should they be a law unto themselves? Why should the stu- the flowers and the fruits. dent body president be a law unto himself? Not content with this however much unsuspected, moves lications committee, the editorship to the Easter-rabbit and worship of the Emerald.

Beg your pardon, but we don't any more right to claim absolute the Emerald.

Why not be fair and grant the our joy in bright, new life. editor the right to act as censor

committee would not practice re- spring. straint on the editor. The point is "Awake, thou wintry earththis: the vicious power to do so exists, and may be employed by the Fair vernal flowers, laugh forth president, through hand-picked committee members, to make the Emand the council.

press, presenting honest criticism, cance of Easter-some kind of an maybe they wouldn't be criticized

the president and council, by the president and council, and for the president and the council." And if our meaning isn't plain, we'll say

it in this manner: We deny that the president and the council are necessarily representative of the student body. Sincere they may be, but they are assuming too much in setting themselves up as infallible and invariable reflectors of the wishes of those who have put them into office. The Emerald never has made college president, indeed. such exaggerated claims for itself. Reason is often of great value.

The Genius Of Easter

AND now comes Easter. Easter, that festival day so curious on our modern calendar. Three main strands of historic folk beliefs and customs are clearly distinguishable in its present day observance. Jewless the student council denies this ish, Teutonic Pagan, and Christian elements unite to make it a day truly congenial to our medley cul-

For the orthodox Jew who, faithful to his traditions, rejects Jesus as the Paschal Lamb and the Christ, which is accused of misinterpreting there is still the meaning of the student sentiment, disagreed with Passover. For the traditional Christian still passionately clingcast in council meeting was that of ing to the great hope for personal immortality-the great hope blend-Now will the council, composed ed of the Pagan Greek joy of life of 15 members, claim that by the and the Oriental rejection of the world-for him there is Easter with the freshman class due representa- its central meaning of the Resurrec-

And what of the Pagan multitude sented the students in the three which is content to leap through upper classes who likewise opposed life from immediacy to immediacy, their stand? Can it continue its blissfully unused to ask "what charge that on this issue the Em- then"? And what of the scarred, true heirs of the glory and the And these councilmen cry that scourge of man-his thought? What the Emerald is unrestrained and ir- of them that hear to the elders sayresponsible. The recall weapon they ing, "His disciples came by night,

Ah, but for them there is the gentle goddess of April and the spring. The life-reviving Eostre of Only by the same method as the the Norsemen. She who drove the long hard darkness and the gloomy vapours from the land, and raised It is the spirit of Eostre that,

authority, the council and the pres- our Teutonic spirit to pagan expresident would take unto themselves, sion at Easter-time. Out of the through the president-selected pub- sheer uncritical joy of life we hail him as the symbol of prolific life. "I don't think the Emerald edi- And on our breakfast table on tor has any more right to claim ab- Easter morning we look to the egg solute liberty in office any more as the great symbol of the mystery than the president of the student of life. And we color it with splenbody, or other officials," said Mr. did hues which bring to us the memory of the coming of the great |* I THINK goddess of light and life after the * IS THE BEST DRESSED MAN think the president of the student long, dark and dead winter. And, body or any other officials have urged on by our visible pagan consciences, the sellers of hats and liberty in office than the editor of robes, we deck our bodies anew in * HIS FAVOR. imitation of nature, and in token of

Yes, there is a most curious mingupon the president of the student ling of the many elements of our a communicant suggests culture in the outward and inward that the members of the committees We call the attention of our read- there is a deep union too in the ers to the messages from two Port- impulses and yearnings which give dent council have some really good land editors, printed on the first it expression. It is the will to live ideas on how to run the Emerald. page. They explain the "justice" -the joy of life. Life in the grace of the proposed amendment. It may of the Passover, life in the Resur- policies and then there would be no be argued that the publications rection, and life in the flowering of

Fling off thy sadness!

Your ancient gladness! Christ is risen again."

erald the rubber stamp of himself Sings an old Easter hymn half pagan, half Christian in mood. It The issue is: shall we have a free testifies to the universal signifi- thing that goes in the Emeraldor shall we have an Emerald "of Easter-to all who are men .- B. J.

Commun- direct the policies of the Emerald has already been suggested. Now what we need is a group of com-



the most industrious yesterday morning. Consequently their candidate, Harold Brumfield leads the the student body president. In

This ballot and the one tomorrow morning will decide the leading five, and next week the ballot will

be much shorter.

This is how it read at 6 o'clock That is to (1) require the president last night: H. BRUMFIELD FRANK MAYER .1340 with a copy of the president's GRUELICH 760 speech, should always accompany BOB VAN ORMAN WENDELL GRAY 410 anything out of his speech or add 330 anything to it that the committee Advertising Assistants: Flossie Radabaugh, Roderick LaFollette, Maurine Lombard, TOM GRAHAM Charles Reed, Bob Moore, Bill Hammond, Oliver Brown. 290 did not authorize. Thus neither any 240 unscrupulous editor of the Emerald 210 or any radical student body presi-RUSS JARBOE 200 dent will ever have any chance to FRANK GERMAN JERRY GUNTHER JACK RENSHAW SAM KINLEY WESTERGREN CLIFF POWERS FRANK RIGGS LAURENCE SHAW BILL BAKER ED CROWLEY MARIAN MILLER

> There's always something to take the joy out of life. It's time to pay fees right now.

"The president intends to spend some time on the campus handling the internal problems of the University." (Oregon Daily Emerald.) Strange and unusual behavior for a

Little Jack Horner, Stood on the corner, Eating political pie; He stuck in his thumb For a nice juicy plum

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And said, "What a good boy am

STUDENT MORALS AT OUR shivers. GREAT UNIVERSITY: Virginia Judy Esterly (dean of women) requests that all women

students wear coats to cover their riding habits while they are on the



BILL JAMES and HAROLD BRUMFIELD standing along by the Lib giving everyone a good look at their freshly pressed and sponged

FAMOUS LAST WORDS: SAVE YOUR COUPONS FOR

* ON THE CAMPUS, AND * * WISH TO CAST THIS COU- * * PON, WORTH TEN VOTES IN

SEVEN SEERS.

show of this day of Easter. And did exactly as they were told to do. Perhaps the members of the stu-Maybe they can write a book of need at all of an editor. Just clip an editorial from the book each day

and send it to the press. Then to carry the idea further, why not write several dozen form stories and abolish the staff of re-

It's really too bad that the Student Council can't censor everyso much then.

Indignantly,

Proposed Road to Panacea

other suggestion, if it is not too late, of equal importance as the one already suggested; that is, to provide for a check on the freedom of other words, a committee should be appointed by the editor of the Emerald whose duty would be, to control the president's speech-policy. to write down all of his speeches, 2670 which he is to make in interest of the student body, and submit them 1810 to this committee for censorship; 1350 (2) a member of this committee,

180 err at the student body's expense. All we can do now is to arrange 160 for a sunrise prayer meeting and 140 pray for the dawn of this Golden 130 Era when there will be no more 120 controversy or difference of opinion, 110 but we will all be living peacefully 100 and gayly waiting, as children do 100 for Santa Claus, for some one to 60 come to put knowledge into our minds.

him to see that he does not leave

When this day comes, let us not forget to reward the student council for its proposed road to Panacea. C. LOUKAS

For an Unmuzzled Emerald To the Editor:

Let us rally, all who agree with me, to the support of an unfettered Emerald. There is evidently an attempt on the part of the student council to put a muzzle on the next editor of the Emerald by appointing an editorial chaperone.

Some of us, it seems, never get over our high-school mentality and wish to be spoon-fed all the time. Honest criticism, individual thought, anything different from what they were tanght in their home-town high school siares them and gives them

I think the Emerald under Ed Miller had assumed a commendable and worthwhile policy which has been courageously carried on by Sol Abramson, the present editor of the Emerald. The Emerald has sponsored and made possible the student report which resulted in the new program of the Junior College, the plans for which are now being developed by faculty committees. The most prominent educators the nation over are watchful for further developments.

The editorials in this year's Emerald have been thoughtful, serious and stimulating, most always dealing with some important problem facing the students and the university. If the campus opinion has disagreed with anything stated, the correspondenhe solhmns have ali correspondence columns have always been open, thus giving ready expression to campus sentiment.

No editor, or any other group of men, can or will represent the student opinion as a barometer does atmospheric pressure. If you disagree with me, as your fellow student's opinion on how wise it was to build a basketball pavilion.

We want an Emerald free of tenare to any council or committee, independent, intellectually stimulating, representing as it does now all aspects of a great university. Yours for an unmuzzled Emerald,

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mittees to tell the committee men To the Editor: on these other committees how they | The student body's council's sugshould stand on this or that meas- gestion for an amendment to the ure. Then, of course, in order to be constitution, of the Associate stusure that there would be no foul dent body of the U. of O., to check play we would have to appoint an- the freedom of the editor of the

DAN CHENEY