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About Once in Every College Generation

About once in every college generation someone gets the idea that he can get the co-eds to split fifty-fifty with him on dates. This idea, as old as co-education, always seems new to the proponent of it, and so the college world has a succession of Dutch date epidemics second in virulence only to the periodic epidemics of cold in the head.

Such an epidemic has begun again. Whether it began at Minnesota, Northwestern, Washington, Ohio or Cal-ford no one probably knows, but before it reaches Oregon, we might glance with edification at the editorial comment it has drawn from our contemporaries.

At Oregon State: "The men at the University of Washington have persisted in training their debutantes in doing a certain thing and have won. In keeping with historical tradition, the conquered entertain the conquerors and in this instance the co-eds of the U. of W. entertain the men with a formal dance at which all expense is paid by the fair ones.

"At this same institution last year a girl even went so far as to start a young riot endeavoring to start the Dutch date idea by crying all over the place, 'Come on girl's let's start something.' If the men at the University of Washington can accomplish such a feat, why not the men of other sympathizing institutions, Oregon State included. So, the Washington co-eds battle-cried might be adopted and applied to this campus, as 'Come on fellows, let's start something.'—Barometer.

And on the other hand: "An attempt at Northwestern to establish a 'Dutch' system of dating where men and women would share equally in the expenses resulted in two poorly attended dances . . .

"Although women are getting more and more into salaried positions that make them partly or totally independent, it will be a long time before they will give up the security of having a man to fall back on when they tire of their work or develop a strong penchant for homes and babies. Letting the boy friend pay for the movie is one way of training the husband to pay the rent or taxes. Students at Northwestern were flying in the face of human nature. It is not surprising that they failed."—Iowan.

The esthetics of it: "Lancelot should never have started it in the first place. Except for Adam, he made more misery for mankind than any man in history. He was the great medieval authority on the etiquette of gallantry, and the deplorable institutions which he originated have left young men impoverished ever since. Where is the fair damsel of King Arthur's day who waited patiently for some knight errant to kill the dragon at her front door? She has been replaced on the scale of human evolution by a new type of femininity.

"The young woman of today has no time for ogres or dragons. She does not sit at home in the castle watching wistfully for the glitter of golden armor on the hilltop. Any young gentleman hoping to rescue her must use the telephone to find her and wrack the engine of his car to catch her. When he reaches her at last, he hands out his last 'five' for an evening's entertainment, and leaves her that night, to spend the rest of the week nosing around a hamburger shop for sustenance. This young man decides that it is absolutely imperative that he land a job. He applies for the position of elevator boy in a downtown office building, and learns that every position is filled by a girl. He seeks a job in a check room or a restaurant and discovers that women have taken everything everywhere.

"He reads in an economic textbook that 'any position which can be filled by a woman will not be filled by a man. Wages for women are lower, and a man can't underbid them.' He gives up hope and becomes a socialist and a woman-hater. He begins to think that some philosopher of the Stone Age must have thought out the oft-repeated phrase: 'It's the woman who pays.'"

"There is a movement afoot upon the campus for an equal sharing of expenses between men and women. The idea is no doubt commendable from the masculine point of view. But there is a taint of graft to the scheme which makes it esthetically wrong."—Minnesota Daily.

CAMPUS FORUM

To the Editor: It is only after much thought and consideration that I avail myself of this opportunity to present material for editorial consideration of the thoughtful intelligentsia of the campus. For almost four years I have considered the University of Oregon my home, and after this length of time I feel that there are several requisites of a home lacking in this august but stolid institution. The first thing which I would change is the condition of our library and its various branches. I believe that the students of this school should be not only allowed but forced to smoke in those buildings set aside for the dissemination of facts, figures, and portraits. It is generally agreed by those notables of the campus (names upon request) that I have been able to interview, that the installation of a commissary containing pipe tobacco, cigarettes, and Copenhagen in the lobby of each library would not only

satisfy present students but attract a desirable class of our youth in the future. Lack of space stops the further exposition of my latest idea. A petition will soon be circulated for signatures. Sincerely, G. ALLAN BELLONI.

Turning.. Back Pages-

In Campus History That Tell How The Collegians Used to Act.

Fifteen Years Ago
From Oregon Emerald, February 10, 1914
The average sophomore woman last year, gained 5.2 pounds in weight, 1.1 inches in height, and 18.8 cubic centimeters in lung capacity, according to measurements kept at the women's gym.

One thousand copies of the Oregon will be printed this year, and 400 of these will be sent to high schools, libraries, and other universities.

Two university students were arrested last night, charged with disorderly conduct. It is alleged that they threw fruit and vegetables at the members of the Basco Opera Co. on the stage of the Eugene theater.

Twenty-five Years Ago
From the Oregon Weekly, February 17, 1904
Societas Quirinalis met in Deady hall last Tuesday.

Dr. Thomas Condon will address assembly this week.

Oregon meets Willamette at basketball next Friday in a game which Oregon is doped to lose by a large margin.

THEATERS

MCDONALD—"The Patriot," starring Emil Jannings, Florence Vidor and Lewis Stone. Also Johnny Marvin in "Strummin' the Blues Away," Vitaphone.

COLONIAL—Charlie Chaplin in "The Circus." Also "High Strung," comedy.

REX—Zane Grey's "The Water Hole," with Jack Holt. Also Felix comedy.

HELLIG—Taylor Players, "Saintly Hypocrites and Honest Sinners."

Padding on Library Steps Wrong, Say Faculty Members

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the geology department. "And while we are on the subject, I think that 'hell week' should be abolished, too, or at least shortened to one night, as some of the organizations have done recently."

Doctor Smith says he enjoys speeches made by Sigma Delta Chi initiates from the steps, but believes that they should be given at a time other than just before assembly.

The assistant dean of men, Hugh Biggs, is not in favor of the library steps practice.

"The ceremony is outgrown by the university which is seeking to raise its standard of thought and conduct," he said.

"Library steps initiations are in the same class with all of the other forms of campus horse-play," said Dr. Harry O. Stafford, of the chemistry department, "and belong to an age when it was considered more or less proper to put a pig in the belly or a cow in the chapel. The only place left for such practices might be in high schools, but not in colleges that are supposed to be out of the hick stage. I don't think they do such things at the University of Chicago."

Oregon Seeks Second Victory Over Beavers

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against and a much more spectacular system from the standpoint of the spectator. He has included a fast break which speeds up the game and provides a great deal more action.

Red Ballard, forward on the Beaver team, is the player on whom the Webfoots will have to keep the closest check. Ballard already has a total of 47 points credited to him in the scoring columns of the northern section of the Pacific coast conference. The Oregon guards, Dave Epps and Cliff Horner, will be plenty busy watching Ballard.

No Change in Lineup
There is no change in Oregon's starting lineup tonight. Reinhardt believes the combination discovered last week insures the Webfoots the greatest possible strength both on the offense and the defense. Jean Eberhart will be at center, Ridings and Milligan, forwards, and Cliff Horner and Dave Epps, guards.

Ridings and Milligan, the only two year veterans, have both been troubled by illness this year. They are in good shape now, and Reinhardt expects them to play their best game so far this season.

DUCK SOUP

PEOPLE WE HATE: GIRLS SELLING JUNIOR SHINE TICKETS WHO FORCE THEIR WAY INTO OUR DINING ROOM WHEN WE HAVE A SORORITY OVER FOR DINNER.



What can a fellow do but buy tickets for himself and the girl he has with him? It's good salesmanship and all that, but 'er, well.

Now we know why Bagpipe & Kilties, Scotch fraternity, keeps all doors locked during meals.



Anxious Voice: (Calling University Library) "Do you have 'The Iron Woman'?"

Miss Helliwell, circulation department: "Yes, we do."

A. V.: "Please send it over to O. S. C. right away. They are looking for it."

HERE IS THE BIG NEWS WE HAVE BEEN PROMISING. THIS IS THE LAST PUTRID PUN—"helmet"

To helmet putrid puns. At last we know the name of Bobby Reid's home town. It's "Hoek." At least that's where she leaves her fur coat.

TODAY'S LIMPING LIMERICK
Our frat brother's name is Kooch, He bought a big bottle of hooch, I'll drink it," he said, Now the poor fellows dead, And his dying breath poisoned our "pooch."

TODAY'S HEART THROB
Trembling to the innermost fibre of his huge frame, the big football hero was on the verge of collapse. He had stood the nerve-racking suspense as long as he could. Before him was a shiny array of sharp instruments. He must go on with it. A mistake and he would be an out-cast. But the deed must be done, so he reached down and grasped one of the shiny tools. And then he ate his ice cream with a salad fork.

JESSE DOUGLASS: "Say, where is my fraternity pin?"

AGNES PALMER: "Oh, it's up on my chiffonier."

JESSE: "Er, well, be sure and take it off, before you send them to the laundry."

WE WONDER IF THIS YEAR'S JUNIOR CLASS WILL BE AS BIG HEARTED AS LAST YEAR'S.

Last year they dyed your sox along with your shoes, and didn't charge a bit extra.

You would expect Junior Shine day to hurt the regular boot blacks on the campus, but it doesn't. The boot blacks have their big day tomorrow. Students will be dropping in to have the Junior Shine cleaned off.



AUNT DUCKLIE
Dear Aunt Ducklie,
We are two nice girls who have been highly incensed by cheek to cheek dancing. What shall we do about it? It's hard on make-up too. Hoping you are the same. —AL & LU

Dear Al & Lu,
You two (only I think you are one) certainly have an awful time. Silly, there is only one thing to do. Dance with men who are a head taller or shorter than you are. —AUNT DUCKLIE.

TODAY FROM SCOTLAND
News of two Scotch children shooting their parents so they could go to the orphans' picnic!

SMASH THE ICE OFF THE TOP OF THAT MILK CAN, FROSH, AND LET'S HAVE BREAKFAST.

Yesterday at high noon we saw

a gob of Kappa Deltas out in the front yard washing their teeth to the edification of the gasping collegians.

We'll bet that four out of five of them didn't have IT.



TRUE CONFESSION
I sure got my money's worth yesterday when I got my shoes shined. The guy with the polish put a liberal coat on my sox and shined them too.

P. S. It was a good thing I wore garters like Oscar Wagner or he would have shined my leg along with the shoes and sox.

THE COOK

Students to Seek Parental Aid for Legislative Bills
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new buildings at this legislature does not keep the administration from asking for other necessary appropriations, according to Mr. Barker. However, Mr. Barker made it plain that the university was not trying to advance its needs at the expense of any other institution.

Mimographed copies of the bills and an explanation of them by President A. B. Hall that are to be sent to the parents may be secured at the Co-op, the dean of men's office, or the A. S. U. O. office, as well as at all the living organizations.

SALEM, Ore., Feb. 8.—(Special)—"Oregon Dads," from Salem, and from all over the state are planning to be on hand next Wednesday evening, February 13, at the capitol building here, when a hearing on all appropriation bills for higher educational institutions will be held before the ways and means committee.

Aroused by the cold fact that the enrollment in student load at the university has increased 93 per cent since 1920, while the income from the millage has increased but 13 per cent, members of the Oregon Dads plan to be on hand for the hearing to support appropriation bills for the institution now before the legislature.

Bills now before the legislature which will be ardently supported by the "Dads" include that of \$60,000 for the extension division; \$7,500 for a crime survey; \$5,000 for an elementary school research project; \$5,000 for foreign trade research; \$7,000 for an annuity system for professors, and one or two other small research requests.

"The university is not asking for funds for buildings, for a joint agreement with O. S. A. C. prohibits this," says Bruce Dennis, of Klamath Falls, president of the "Dads," in urging a good attendance at the coming hearing here. "But we have learned that the institution now not only needs buildings, but is in urgent need of funds for its day to day maintenance. The institution at Eugene has never had a continuing appropriation from the legislature, and would need none had the millage increased as it was expected to. We must back these bills and see that the legislature passes them if we are to have the right quality of education for our children."

"Oregon Dads" are expected to meet at dinner preceding the hearing for a social get-together. Several hundred members from all parts of the state have already signified their intention of being present.

INQUIRING REPORTER

Today's question: Why are college students not interested in national politics? Paul Laub, junior in pre-law: "I think they are too much interested in local affairs to be interested in national politics."

Florence McNerney, junior in English: "I don't think they know enough about politics and about the actual mechanism of politics. The parties are so thoroughly controlled by 'bosses' that it is hard for a young person to see his way of getting into any job of importance."

Eugene Calhoun, freshman in social science: "It just isn't being done! The average college student is too interested in more personal affairs."

Margaret Harbaugh, junior in English: "I think it is because they are too engrossed in their studying and campus activities and that makes them self-interested."

Noel Thomas, senior in mathematics: "The outstanding feature of politics is the presidential election, which occurs once every four years. Even though it is a very important event it doesn't happen often enough to hold their attention. However, Uncle Sam will make a bigger splash in the puddle with his 16 new cruisers."

Oregon Faces Aggie Team in Water Today

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Sharp, Anderson; 100-yard breast stroke—Fletcher, Lewis; 40-yard free style—Hatton, Sharp; 100-yard back stroke—Anderson, Allen; 100-yard free style—Floyd, Hatton; fancy diving—Neer, Thompson; 300-yard medley relay—Anderson, Sharp, Floyd.

CAMPUS BULLETIN

Dial will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Maxine Pearee Swartz at 1311 Emerald.

All sections of the Art Appreciation classes meet at regular time Tuesday February 12, and Thursday, February 14, in the Murray Warner museum.

Don't forget the Episcopal dance tonight immediately after the game. Everybody invited. Seventh and Olive streets.

The following groups sponsored by Phi Theta Upsilon will meet as follows Sunday: Play group in front of Woman's building at 9:45 a. m.

International Relations group in Alumni hall at 5:00 p. m. "Woman in Her Sphere" group at 5:00 p. m. in men's lounge of Woman's building.

Music group at 5:00 p. m. in Alumni hall of Woman's building. Drama group in Woman's building at 5:15 p. m. Phi Theta Upsilon will meet Sunday evening at 6:00 at the home of Miss Hazel Prutsman, 1774 Alder.

The Ambler

Yesterday we saw: GRAHAM COVINGTON and that pipe of his . . . KENNETH KIENZLE inspecting a rifle . . . ROGER HOUGLUM avoiding the shiners . . . DELMAR THOM curled up in his overcoat . . . ROBERT ORR telling stories . . . HAROLD KELLEY shining JO RALSTON'S shoes in the middle of the street . . . BENJAMIN LEE feverishly writing his French lesson . . . FLETCHER UDALL handshaking Prof. Howe . . . JOE MCKEOWN trying to get his name in the Ambler.

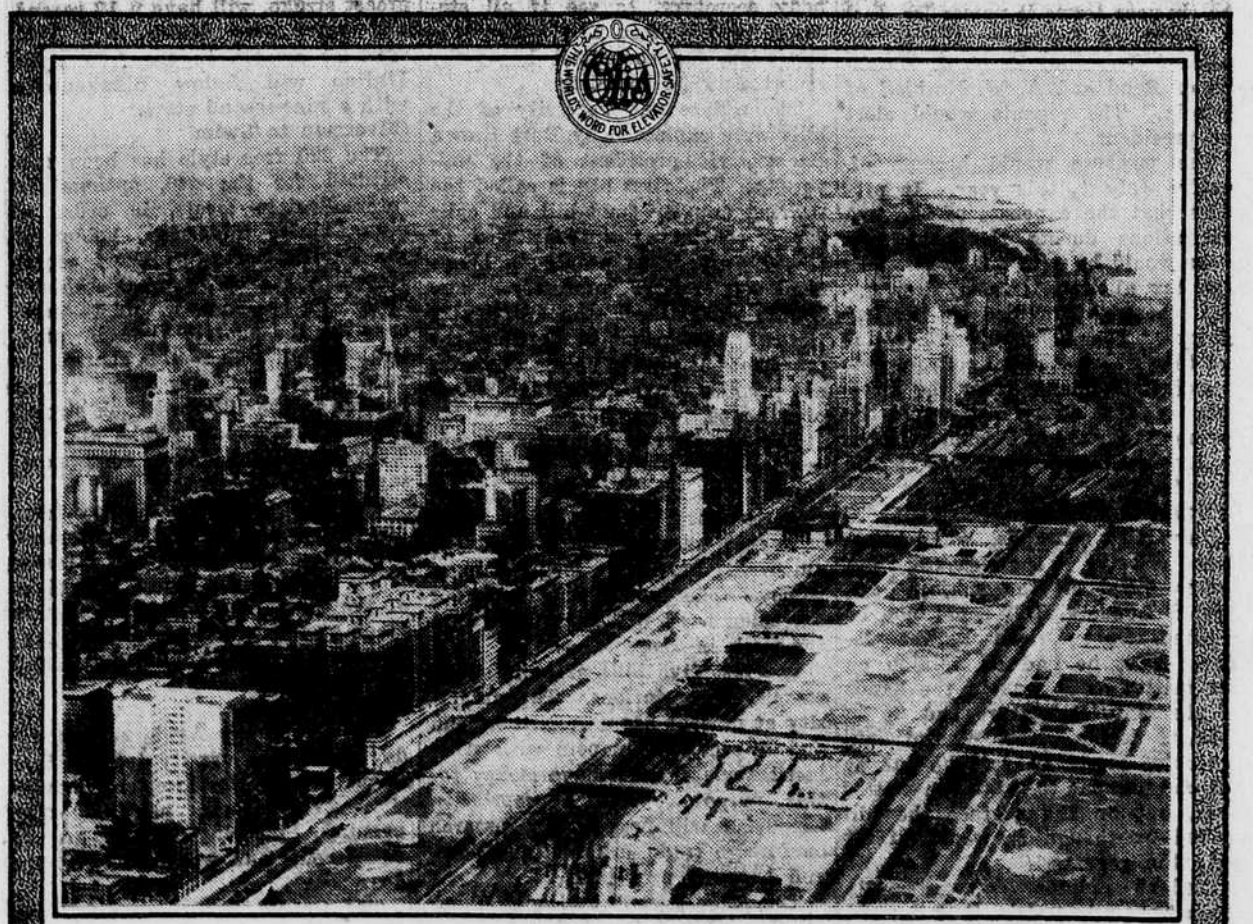
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LOST—Baueroff—"Tilson" tennis racket. Left either in men's gym or cloak room of men's dorm. Return to university depot. Reward. 2-9-12

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