

SOCIETY

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Phi Sigma Kappa Gives Bar Room Busts

Two dances were given by Phi Sigma Kappa Friday and Saturday nights in the form of Bar Room Busts. A real saloon which served beer and pretzels at an honest to goodness bar was a big feature and the walls were decorated with appropriate signs. Paper exchange was used for money to buy cigars and refreshments. The programs represented the door of a saloon, and the dancers wore appropriate costumes. The good old spirit of 1890 was restored both in the underclass party Friday night and the upperclass affair Saturday night. Even the orchestra members were in costume. Patrons and patronesses for the two dances were: Mr. and Mrs. W. F. G. Thacher, Mr. George Andriene, and Louis Artau.

Hall Freshmen Give Tea Sunday Afternoon

The freshman class at Susan Campbell hall honored their housemother, Miss Hilda Swenson, and Mrs. Alice B. Macduff, and Mrs. Genevieve Turnpseed at an informal tea given Sunday afternoon. Flowers decorated the rooms. Music was furnished by Edith Grim, Marie Neese, and Alice Holmback. Eleanor Wharton was in charge with Gladys Burns, Margaret Veness, Valberg Anderson, and Catherine Angland assisting.

Kappa Alpha Theta Gives Informal Tea

Honoring Mrs. Grace Russell, their chaperon, members of Kappa Alpha Theta entertained with an informal tea Friday afternoon at the chapter house. Hours were from 3:30 until 5 o'clock. Guests included faculty members of the campus, and chaperons of the other sororities. Mrs. Nelson Macduff poured.

Alpha Xi Delta Gives Alumnae Tea

The Alpha Xi Delta alumnae are planning to give a tea next Friday, May 20, to honor the housemother of the active chapter, Mrs. Charles A. Gray. Campus sorority chaperons and the Alpha Xi Delta mothers are being invited. The tea will be given at the home of Mrs. Thomas S. Wells.

Zeta Tau Alpha Entertains With Formal

Zeta Tau Alpha entertained with a formal dance at the Eugene hotel last Friday evening. Tables were decorated with yellow rosebuds; palms and yellow and rose flood lights decorated the room. Turquoise and silver programs carrying out the sorority colors were used, and Abbie Green's orchestra furnished the music. Patrons and patronesses were Mrs. Elizabeth Scaife, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Huntington, Dr. and Mrs. Harry Titus, and Mr. and Mrs. John Maxwell Adams. Eleanor Jane Ballantyne was in charge of the dance.

Exchange Dinners of This Week

Kappa Kappa Gamma will entertain Thursday with dessert and dancing for Alpha Tau Omega; Beta Theta Pi is being entertained this evening by Chi Omega; Alpha Gamma Delta will be entertained by Phi Kappa Psi Thursday with dinner and dancing, and Zeta Tau Alpha was entertained by Pi Kappa Alpha last Thursday evening.

Alpha Gamma Delta Tells Of Engagement

Alpha Gamma Delta entertained for Sarah Jo Dammasch at Sunday dinner in the form of an announcement party.

Miss Dammasch, a former major in art on this campus, announced her engagement to Max Carmen, Phi Sigma Kappa and a graduate in the school of business administration, at dinner.

Alpha Gamma Delta will entertain tonight with dessert and dancing for Phi Sigma Kappa.

Graduating Students To Be Honored

The University Wesley foundation will honor graduating students with a senior banquet, to be given at 6:30 Friday evening in the First Methodist church. The affair is in charge of Jack Bellinger.

The main address of the evening will be given by Charles G. Howard, professor of law at the University. Donald Saunders, president of the Wesley club, will act as toastmaster.

Ship Motif Is Used For Sport Dance

Beta Phi Alpha entertained last Saturday night with a sport dance at the chapter house. The ship motif was used as decorations.

The patrons included Mrs. Doane, the housemother, Mr. and Mrs. Warren D. Smith, Dean and Mrs. Wayne L. Morris, and Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Adams.

Miss Gilstrap Announces Engagement Tuesday

The engagement of Miss Elizabeth Gilstrap to Eddie Walker was announced at a special dinner last night at the Gamma Phi Beta house.

Miss Gilstrap is a junior in the University. Mr. Walker is a former student here and a member of Phi Delta Theta.

Hendricks Hall Gives All-Campus Tea

Hendricks hall entertained Tuesday afternoon with an informal all-campus tea from 4 to 5:30. Faculty members of the military science, physical education, household science and the graduate school departments and their wives were special guests.

Rose Himmelstein was hostess, assisted by Ivy Walkem. Mrs. Virgil

Graduate Students Must File Blanks Before Saturday

ALL graduate students must have application cards for degrees filed in the graduate office by next Saturday, May 21, it was announced yesterday by Clara L. Fitch, secretary of the graduate school.

Failure to do so will prevent awarding of degrees, Mrs. Fitch said.

Guild Production To Show Modern Influence in Sets

One Performance Friday, May 20, Scheduled For Student Play

"Gay Ninety" manners and settings have been redecorated with the sophistication of the modern era in "Lady Windermere's Fan," Guild theatre production of Oscar Wilde's popular comedy to be given Friday, May 20.

Setting for the play will be different from any presented so far to the campus, George Andriene, director promises. The new expressionistic trend in stage decor will be carried out by using as few properties as possible. Black drapes take the place of walls and room furnishings are suggested to the audience through outlines rather than details. Don Outley is in charge of stage construction.

Costumes and script have been modernized, likewise. Although written in 1892, the English comedy of manners still holds a popular place in collegiate dramatic revivals. This same play was produced by student players at the University of Washington last month.

Only the one performance is scheduled by the Oregon players, Dorothy Clifford, business manager, announces. Ticket sales will begin Thursday, when the box office at Guild hall opens at 9:45. It will remain open until 5:15 both Thursday and Friday. All seats are to sell for 35 cents.

Oregon Yeomen Name Candidates for Office

The Oregon Yeomen, independent men's social organization, will elect officers for the coming year at a meeting Monday evening. Ethan Newman and Roger Pfaff have been nominated for the presidency; and Theodore Pursley and Brittain Ash will vie for the secretaryship. A three-way race for the treasury position will be run by Rex Faust, Myron Pinkstaff, and Howard Ohmart.

DOCTORS EXAM SCHEDULED

Perry E. Woods, graduate student in romance languages, will take a doctor's examination in Spanish and French, Saturday, May 21, in room 4 Oregon building. All examinations of candidates for Ph.D. are open to the public.

Earl poured. Crystal Stewart, El-drid Wold and Gwen LaBarre served.

Mimnaugh Dose Not Get Key, Not Even Phi Beta Insignia

By NICK CARTER (A Defective Detective)
Probably you think Brian Mimnaugh was given a key at the student body assembly Thursday morning. You do, do you? What do you know about it? Who told you? Well, I have an announcement to make. There was NOT a key in that box Mimnaugh received. Not even a Phi Beta Kappa, nor a door key, nor even a mon-key.

There was nothing in there except Mimnaugh's cuff-links. Now, does that make you mad? Up to a late hour last night no blame for this hoax had been placed at police headquarters, but Detective Carter is still on the job and expects to make an arrest in the immediate future. (Detective Carter is me.)

Here's the situation, as Mimnaugh described it when put to the third degree: He had to be giving something and the key was not

on hand. They tried every door key on the campus and none of them fitted. Something had to be done, so Mimnaugh hurriedly walked home and procured his cuff links and placed them in the box. Thus he was given his own cuff links as a memento of his term as student body president.

Now the matter is to be brought before the grand jury and a demand is to be made that Mimnaugh does not need a key, even should the key arrive from Yale, where it was taken out of a lock. The case will be prosecuted by Heza Legree, representing the state. Mimnaugh will be defended by Omar Palmer, the poison-oak kid.

When interviewed by reporters in his cell last night, the handcuffed Mimnaugh said, "Well, they was good cuff links, anyhow." Although no definite announcement was made, the case probably will be brought up along about January, 1937.

Common Action of Churches Commended by U.O. Pastor

Brought about by the united efforts of Roman Catholics, Jews and Protestants toward the solution of common problems, the next 25 years will see one of the most significant movements of the Christian era," Max Adams, University pastor, stated yesterday.

At a recent meeting on the U. C. L. A. campus which Rev. and Mrs. Adams attended, the leading members of each religious group and university administrators on the Pacific coast gathered to consider their common problem of the function of religion in higher education. The occasion of the gathering was the dedication of the "University Religious Conference," a building in which the activities of all Protestant denominations, Y. M. C. A., Roman Catholics and Jews on the campus center.

Presiding at the dedication was Cecil B. DeMille, who produced "Ben Hur," "King of Kings," and "The Ten Commandments." Pointing to the group of books which had been presented to the library by each of the groups represented as typical of their faith, Mr. De-

Mille commented that these books now lying side by side had in times past caused the bitterness of religious wars, and hailed the spirit which brought them together as the herald of a new day in the history of religion.

"Of even greater significance, however, than a united approach to the problems of religion in higher education is the united approach which is now being made on outstanding social questions of the day," Rev. Adams said. "The three religious bodies are increasingly recognizing that their objective is one—the enrichment of human life in accordance with the divine will for men—and their common enemies are nationalism, war, economic injustice, profit motive, racial prejudice and the wholly materialistic philosophy of life.

"However, it is not necessary that these three groups agree on the method of achieving this goal or dealing with the problems. Organic unity is impossible at the present time, even if desirable."

Startling Story Is Related by Curtis In Lindy Probe

Newspapers, Film Company Named by Shipbuilder In Confession

By FRANCIS A. JAMESON (Associated Press Staff Writer)
HOPEWELL, N. J., May 17.—(AP)—A startling confession by John Hughes Curtis, the Norfolk, Va., "intermediary," that he perpetrated an "enormous deception" in the search for the slain son of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh was made today to police.

The 44-year-old boat builder sat down to a typewriter just before dawn and tapped out his own story of faking mysterious contacts with the supposed kidnapers of the child.

The boats and all the people to whom Curtis has been referring were creations of his own mind, police were told by the manufacturer, who so captured the confidence of Colonel Lindbergh that the latter was with him the night the child's body was found.

"I honestly believe that for the last seven or eight months I have not been myself due to financial troubles," Curtis said in his signed confession.

"I was apparently brought back to my senses by my telephone conversation with my wife this afternoon when she told me of the troubles she was having and how the children missed me, also by my conversation with Inspector Harry Walsh."

He declared representatives of two newspapers, one of which he named as the New York Herald-Tribune and the other as the News, and the Fox Film company had offered him money for his "knowledge of the Lindbergh case or picture of the baby."

The New York Herald-Tribune denied it had made a definite offer to Curtis. Officials of the Daily News said an offer to buy Curtis' story was made by Richard Lee of the newspaper staff. The offer, they said, was made in the belief Curtis' story was based on fact. The offer provided that Curtis produce the child and allow news photographers to take pictures as well as give the newspaper Curtis' own story of his negotiations. A federal official said tonight it

would be possible to charge the Virginia shipbuilder with "defrauding the government of its functions."

Conviction would carry a maximum fine of \$10,000 and a maximum prison sentence of two years. In Norfolk, Dean Dobson-Peacock at first expressed surprise over the development, but later flatly denied Curtis' statement that he (Dobson-Peacock) could

Tickets Go on Sale For Friday Night Guild Production

TICKETS go on sale tomorrow morning at 9:45 for "Lady Windermere's Fan," Guild theatre production to be presented Friday night, Dorothy Clifford, business manager, announces.

The box office in Guild hall will be open until 5:15 on Thursday and Friday. All tickets will sell for 35 cents.

have prevented the deception of Colonel Lindbergh.

But from a variety of other sources sprang statements indicating the climax of the most bizarre of the fantastic circumstances cloaking the whole case was not unexpected.

Governor A. Harry Moore had "felt all along that not much credence should be placed in Curtis' story"; the coast guard said the confession bore out conclusions they reached because of discrepancies in Curtis' description of the boat used by the supposed kidnapers and because a search by boat and plane was futile; police in Norfolk said the confession coincided with information uncovered there since the baby was found murdered.

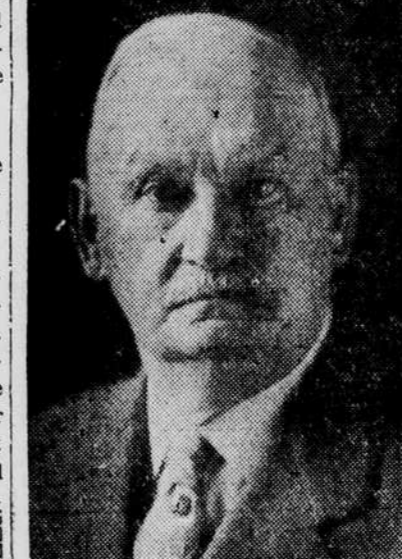
Police became suspicious, the governor related, because the notes Curtis used in telling his story were in manuscript rather than memorandum form.

"It did not seem possible," said Moore, "that a person making hasty notes, as would be expected, would be so careful in writing them. He would make quick notes. That made police suspicious."

The governor said he did not know under what charge Curtis could be held. In response to inquiries Colonel Schwarzkopf announced Curtis has not yet been placed under arrest.

As possible charges, the governor suggested seeking to obtain money under false pretenses or "hampering the ends of justice."

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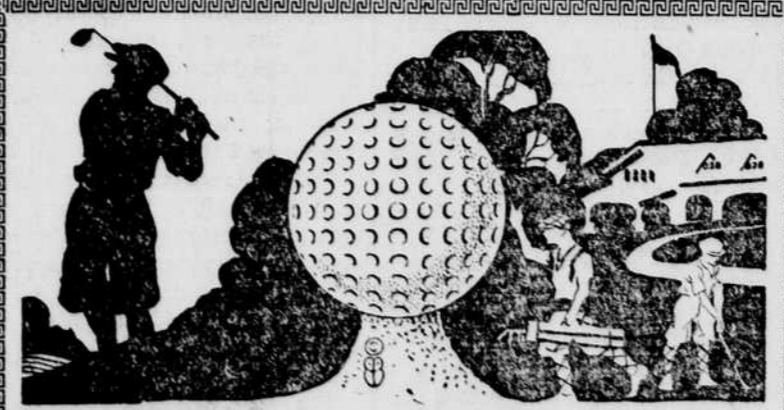
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Colonial—"The Front Page." Pat O'Brien, Adolph Menjou, Mae Clark, Mary Brian. First night.
Rex—"The Guardsman." Alfred Lunt, Lynn Fontanne. First night.



Miriam Hopkins and William Collier Jr. in "Dancers in the Dark" at the McDonald Friday only.

Another Blonde
Mrs. William Powell, whom you all know as Carole Lombard, plays the part of a young lady who marries a wealthy man in order to get things the other wealthy girls have. Heard it before?
Chester Morris is the man, poor but honest, who gets left. But he comes across with a marriage too. Which makes it quite mixed up. Then they have to extricate themselves. That makes "Sinners in the Sun."

See This!
It's "The Front Page" and is being sponsored by Sigma Delta Chi, national journalism fraternity. It was one of the crack pictures of last year and was also very popular as a play.

There is plenty of fast action, and some humor bordering on propriety, as usual in a Howard Hughes film.

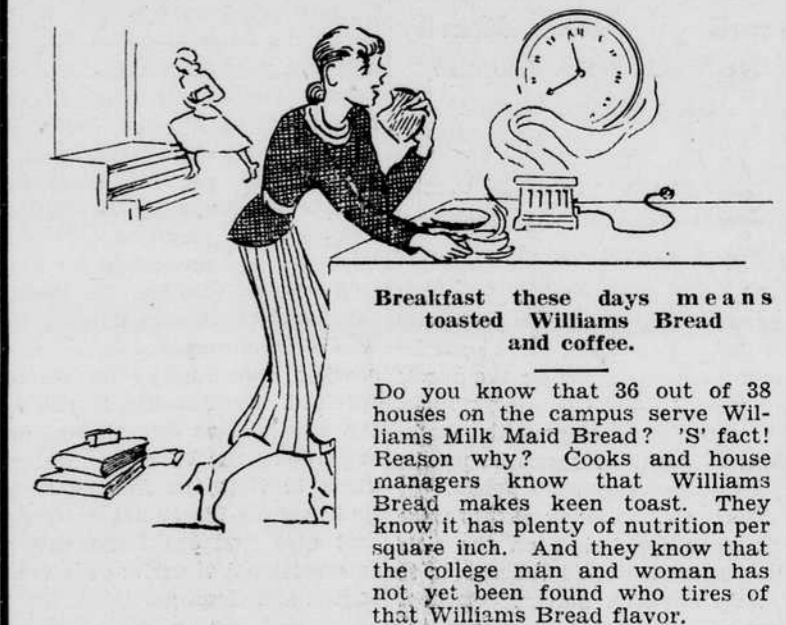
The story centers around a managing editor who gets the news no matter what happens to the rest of the world. He even uses a questionable means to keep his star reporter, played energetically by Pat O'Brien.

Excellent work by the whole

cast, including Mae Clark and George E. Stone. Guaranteed entertainment.

Sophistication rears its head again in "The Guardsman" at the Rex. Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne, a pair of the most popular stage people on Broadway, make a screen debut in this one.

They don't seem to be making another picture, so grab your chance to see this one. Story about a husband who goes about making love to his wife in a disguise, and he gets her, too. The reverse of Cecil B. DeMille's "Madam Satan." Smart stuff.



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