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OREGON MOTHERS

ONCE again the University plays host to Oregon mothers. This year's Junior Weekend promises to be especially enjoyable for the visiting guests, since an appreciable degree of peace characterizes the state educational front. Partly through the efforts of the Oregon mothers, dissension in the high ranks of the state educational system has been settled, and Oregon's higer education has taken a deep breath.

We wish to extend a cordial welcome to the Oregon mothers and sincerely hope that the activities planned for their pleasure will find their favor. More than a 100 students have planned and worked hard during the last few weeks, in order that the campus may be at its best for the Junior Weekend. The mothers have a standing invitation for all the events-the campus luncheon, teas and a reception, the water sports, the Junior Prom, the Mother's Day banquet, and, the climaxing pageant, the "Stardust" canoe fete.

Although Oregon mothers, and dads too, are welcome on the campus at any time, the pressure of books and classes permits but a little play during the year. Junior Weekend is a concentrated effort to make up for all that. In three days, cramped full of activities from morning till night, daughters and sons wish to say to their parents in their own way-"we think you're swell, and here's a little something in return for your constant giving. We realize it isn't too much, but it's our best, and we dedicate this campus tradition, the Junior Weekend, to you."

Because of president and vice-president complications, the junior class got off to a late start with its Weekend this year, but it has worked well and admirably on the plans and deserves a vote of thanks from the student body.

Even the playful Oregon weather has smiled on the efforts of the juniors and sent sunshine to dry the well soaked campus.

To the juniors, congratulations; to the queen and her royal court, our bow; to the weather, thanks; and to the Oregon mothers a WELCOME!

RESPECTABILITY OF THE STRIKE

F there is anything more forlorn than a student body without teachers, it is a body of teachers without students. Very forlorn must have been the faculty of Washington State college vesterday when the 3200 students of that institution walked out in a mass demonstration against their deanery's "blue law" regime.

Workers, appreciating the chagrin of an employer without employees, found the strike an efective weapon of protest years ago, but it has received wide social sanction only within the last two or three decades. Its use has spread, with one protesting group after another delighting in its

Just last year the militant femininity of an eastern city struck against the high price of mea? and picketed shops until the butchers gave in. Not long ago students in an Oregon grammar school struck against the removal of a teacher. And a few week ago, when service workers in New York buildings went out on strike, society women joined the picket lines with elevator operators, janitors, and charwomen. Quite likely the last instance was just a stunt for notoriety on the socialites' part, but it all goes to show that the strike has become respectable. It is not beyond prebability that we shall see even university professors out on strike some day.

Whenever the mass of any group finds author-

The Marsh

Comes it now the best prac-

It seems that the phone in a

local fraternity house gave forth

ringing sounds at a late hour

Wednesday night, and a charm-

ing feminine voice chirruped,

Almost at once it developed

that Mollison was there, So, un-

thinkingly, the young man went

to the phone. "Yes?" he queried.

"Are you Van Mollison?"

The following conversation

Mollison admitted that he

"Well, how would you like to

Mollison quivered. He paused

for breath, then ventured, "Sure

thing, Toots. What's your

"Why Van, don't you remem-

ber Dolores? Surely you re-

member me. How could you

Se Mellison, fearing to lose

have a date with me tomorrow

"Is Van Mollison there?"

ensued.

was such.

night?"

name?"

forget?"

"Dolores."

"Dolores what?"

Of Time

tical joke of the term.

ity unreasonably oppressive or unfair, the modern nostrum is a strike. Frequently the strike is misemployed, for in its essence it is mob action, easily started, yet hard to control. Often it has proved a tool of demagogery. But, for all that, the mere existence of such an instrument is well worth

Any pronouncement on the strike at Washington State must be based on several considerations: are conditions at the college really as oppressive as the students aver in their protests; what appeals were made to university authorities before the strike was called into effect; was there any reasonable proposal for a conference between faculty and students at which the difficulties could be ironed out?

But, if conditions are such as the students describe in their protests, if the administration actually polices the campus by such loathsome means as the use of "stool pigeons," if restrictions on campus social life are as narrow as it is reported-if all these complaints are true and the administration has still been unbending, then the students had every reason to walk out. For young men and women of college age don't fancy being treated like grammar school kids. And who can blame them?

College days are not a period of suspended social animation. College students should live a normal active life, and they should be treated as the mature young men and women that they are.

Miscellanything Being Stuff From Heah and Theah

(Editor's note: The following letter was written to the editor of the Michigan Daily and concerns a topic much discussed on college campuses all over the United States-hell week.)

To the Editor:

It has been with considerable interest that a Report of the SAAC unber of us have read in the daily papers articles number of us have read in the daily papers articles about Hell Week and the difficulties some of the national fraternity chapters are having in Ann

As one gets older he is apt to be more critical of the actions of younger people and although we speak of the "Men of Michigan," at times you get the impression that the undergraduates are pretty much like school kids, with very little cultural background.

To my mind, Hell Week, as far as it applies to fraternities, is unnecessary and a very foolish kid notion of trying to discipline freshmen.

Practically all fraternities were founded on brotherly love, friendship and fairly high ideals and why any group should want to destroy the feeling on the part of the new members that they are joining something worth while, by acting like a lot of hoodlums, is beyond me.

I know that when I was pledged and initiated into the Michigan chapter of Alpha Tau Omega that we had no Hell Week. The nearest, during all the time that I was in school, to such a thing was one night just prior to initiation when the entire chapter, with the new members, gathered in the living room and the freshmen were made to entertain the rest of the chapter by eitner reciting. singing songs or doing various stunts, and being somewhat heckled in their efforts.

This was a lot of fun and even though it might have been a little bit embarrassing to the performers, there was nothing malicious about it and certainly no physical hazard or humility.

As one representing quite a large group of fraternity alumni from Michigan, we would be almost willing to go on record that any fraternity chapter in Ann Arbor or any other school that so degraded itself as to have a Hell Week, which the name implies, should be forthwith disbanded.

Perhaps I am treading a little bit on my own chapter as it is constituted at the present moment, however, I do not believe so and do know that from a national standpoint, the Alpha Tau Omega fraternity opposes Hell week.—Carl L. Bradt, The Equitable Trust Co., Detroit.

> Guys who smoke and pet and drink, All end up in hearses: But guys who don't end up the same, Or else by writing verses.

> > -Stanford Daily.

Crime and punishment are exemplified at Colorado university by a students being forced to attend Sunday school for three years if he is caught drinking.

the date, fied like a trooper. "Oh, sure sure, I remember YOU Dolores. Where can I pick Willamette. you up tomorrow night?" "Well, you can find me at

the corner of Broadway and Willamette."

Once again Mollison quivered.

"Broadway and Willamette." "Oh. Broadway and Willamette. Yes, sure." Mollison was

beginning to perspire. "And how about bringing along another handsome lover for my girl friend?"

By this time Mollison had lost five pounds and was beginning to pant, "How about Louis Larson ?"

"I don't know him. Is he pretty hot stuff?" "He sure is."

"Drag him along then. See you tomorrow night, baby."

Mollison hung up the receiver, snaked across the street and Zeb, Zeke ordered a lemon coke and three

Now, then, the pay-off. The doubt it.

feminine frosh downtown, they planted them at Broadway and

Presently comes it along the aforementioned Mollison and his companion in love, Louis Larson. They drove their coupe up to the corner, took a glance at the disguished frosh, and stopped. Sticks it Mollison his head out the window. "Hello," he chirrups in best picking-up baritone. "Are you Dolores?"

"Dolores" acted coy, and didn't say anything.

party with us?" queries the

And so it was done. Not until Dolores climbed into the car did the twin Romeos discover the deception.

Moral: That's what college boys get for picking up girls from off street corners.

(Continued from page one) least expectin' us, an' don't ye

conspiring fraternity brothers Yestiddy Zeb fell off of thet of the twin gigolos got a bunch bridge, er wire, as thet telegram of rouge, lipstick, etc., and fixed sed in yer paper we just read sed. up a pair of freshmen in bor- He fell 389 feet down onter the rowed dresses, pumps, coquet- rocks along the banks of this here tish hats and all the trimmings, river and broke his stilts. We'll Then, taking the charmingly be acomin' down yer way agin as

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The University shall employ two or three specialists in vocational adivce, who shall maintain offices in Eugene and Portland, as under plan number one, to advise as many students as possible before the opening of the school year. If necessary, these offices may be occupied only during the summer months.

At the beginning of each term, the present advisory system shall operate, with additional time being allotted for conferences with lower division students. During the term, the advisors shall attempt to meet their advisees several times for informal consultation. It will be necessary that faculty members who have a vital interest in advising be chosen to make these contacts.

The members of the faculty who assume these duties shall be rewarded. This may be done in several ways. The advisors shall receive increases in pay if they are expected to continue thir normal teaching and research loads, or they shall be relieved from a portion of their teaching hours. Exceptional advising jobs shall receive the same recognition as excellent pieces of original research work, or as highly-stimulating teaching. The business of advising shall be treated as a definite academic and scholarly field. (The committee believes that men qualified by human experience and warmth of personality for this position are as rare as exceptional teachers, and probably more difficult to find than men capable of doing acceptable research.)

In connection with the problems of vocational guidance and academic adjustment in the lower division, the committee investigated the advisory system of the upper division. There the committee found that it was the practice for most students to seek out the faculty members whom they most trusted for advice on personal, vocational, and academic problems, even though the formality of assigned advisors continued on into this period. The committee also found that upper division students made more frequent use of the opportunities for advice provided by the per-

The committee recommends that upper division students be left free to choose their own advisors, and that they be encouraged to do so by the administration. The committee believes that the present system of upper division advice, if combined with the first proposal for the lower division, would adequately care for the problems of upperclassmen.

It is the finding of the committee that some system of vocational placement is needed by the University. Many seniors are completely ignorant of opportunities for employment, and after graduation, drift into whatever work happens to appear. The graduating senior who wishes to continue his academic work, and needs some form of student aid, has no service available for use in this connection. Many students with one or two years of training are unable to secure work that will make it possible for them to return to school.

There are at the present time a number of agencies doing placement work within the University. The committee recommends that, wherever possible, these agencies be coordinated with the division of vocational guidance and placement, and that the service be enlarged and equipped to carry on a program of placement for graduates, for summer work, and for advanced study.

The committee report should not be considered in any sense a criticism of the work being done at present by the personnel division, the placement service, or the lower division advisors. The report is rather a proposal to extend the functions of those groups and implement them so that they may be more effective. The committee does not recommend the abolition of these services, but rather believes that their duties should be coordinated with and included in the division of guidance and placement. The committee realizes in making its proposals that the administrative details and coordinations must of necessity be determined by administrattive officers who are better qualified to do so than is the committee. (End of Part One)

Petitioners Active

Washington headquarters for the

can Student union chapters, many

because of the organized support it

soon as he makes hisself a new pair. Why don't ye build yer bridges wider in these here parts? At Washington An what's more, Zachary swal-"Would you like to go on a lowed two bees the other day and they got to fittin' and buzzin' optional military training initiative around till the only time we got this week declared 1,000 active any peace was when Zac was workers are in the field in that asleep and then his snorin', which state, rounding up the 50,000 sounded nateral-like, drowned them names necessary to put the meaout. Well, Zac was kitin' past a sure on the ballot, pasture and some jackass reared The measure has been endorsed up and kicked him in the haid. Now by the Commonwealth Builders we got ter pay the many for his the state organization of student jackass cause he had to shoot it Christian associations, the Ameri-

> You just tell them people in bodies of organized labor and thet Unceversity o' yours that larmers, and the Young Communwe're agoin' to be there this week- ist league. end to do our part and if any fool Robert Shaw, head of the Washcommittee tries to stop us, by gum ington movement, announced 100.we'll take 'em out and give 'em 000 petition blanks are now in cirsome good of mountain medicine. culation. He expects the measure Zeb, Zeke, and Zachary, to succeed in both states, he said.

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Hardy Males Accept Challenge To Log Rolling

campus is not to go down beneath the dainty feet of feminine con- challengers do in any way default querors. Not if Bill Reese and on their publicly posted challenge, Bruce McIntosh have anything to we, the acceptors of the challenge, say about it. For these gentlemen will take it upon ourselves to imhave come forth bravely, and have merse the bodies of the challengaccepted the challenge offered to ers beneath the chill waters of the the campus by log-rollers Mary millrace prior to the expiration of McCracken and Jean Stevenson.

In case you don't remember, the aforementioned McCracken and Stevenson have challenged anyone on the campus to a log-rolling contest Saturday morning at the water carnival.

The acceptance which was made to the challenge follows:

"We, the undersigned, being of sound mind (supposedly), and being free, white and students at the University of Oregon, do hereby accept the challenge of Miss Mary McCracken and Miss Jean Stevenson to a log-rolling contest, said contest to take place during the water carnival this coming Saturday morning, May 9, in the year of our Lord, 1936.

We do further agree to abide by such rules and regulations as said Mary McCracken and Jean Stevenson shall determine to govern the contest, providing that said rules and regulations apply to both

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Ha! The masculine honor of the of the contesting parties equally. "We do further state that if the

the junior weekend festivities.

Signed and sworn to in the presence of reliable witnesses. "Bill Reese.

"Bruce McIntosh." So that's that!

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