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Anniversary of a Radical

IN THE way of a congratulatory note to Reed college, which now is celebrating its twenty-fifth year, may we pass to them a bit of undergraduate scorn we've heard uttered frequently. It is the wise-crack inevitably vented by some sophomoric lout when a person has ambitiously sounded off on a topic of higher intellectual interest: "Lord, man, you should have gone to Reed!"

The Portland school may well take glory in being the butt of such a crack; for it denotes that Reed, through its uncompromisingly high standards of scholarship and through the methods of education it fosters, has become tagged as an institution that offers something several degrees above the ordinary in things intellectual.

Reed, in its opposition to the competitive idea in education and in the emphasis which it places upon the development of the individual, has now for a quarter of a century been waging a revolution against traditional educational methods.

OUIZZES, competition for grades, honor societies, the lecture system, policing of classrooms, strict moral regulation of students, and all the traditional trappings of education have been radically examined, and, where their presence or the emphasis placed upon them has been found unjustified, they have been abolished or reconditioned.

Chief pride of Reed is the absence of formality in the struction of its students. Students and teachers participate in a cooperative scheme of education. Lectures don't have the exclusive position that they have in other schools; instead they are employed merely to maintain a progressive continuity in the

courses, while the most fruitful work is done in frequent class discussions and in conferences with instructors. Quizzes are rare; in their place students undertake independent research upon tehir own initiative, with professorial advice and guidance.

No less is Reed proud of the individual attention which each scholar receives. Education is not a mass production process; every student is regarded as an individual seeking his own development, and his education is a process of individual treatment—he is not an object placed on an assembly line, so to speak, to which perfunctory touches are added.

AND THE success of Reed's educational revolution, at which academic fogies once snickered, cannot be doubted. Every other year since its establishment it has sent a Rhodes scholar to Oxford; in fact, the last four years successively Reed has achieved that honor. As a local touch, add to this fact the excellent performance of Reed students when they transfer to the University of Oregon's law school or medical school, a fact that is abundantly attested to in the praise that Dean Morse of the law school and Professor Sears of the medical faculty give to the Portland institution.

Reed may with ample justification pride herself, as she celebrates her twenty-fifth anniversary that she has persevered in her "revolutionary" ideals. She may also receive thanks from other western institutions of higher learning. Certainly, different conditions-size of enrollment, character and needs of students-call for different treatment, and perhaps other schools shouldn't go the whole way. But, still, it can be said that Reed has blazed the general direction.

Heard last night was praise of Duke Ellington's band as a relief from more elevated aesthetic delights .- tenors, ballets, symphonies and such. It was fun for a change, we admit, to go to a concert where one was expected to tap his feet.

Campus Comment

POOR DEARS

To the Editor: If the little dears cannot be honest in a competitive world, where are they going to be honest?

ERIC W. ALLEN. (Editor's note: Yes, indeed, where are they going to be honest? We accept your criticism that we missed the moral note called for. But, in our campaign of the past week, cheating was treated merely as the evidence of a faulty, competitive system of education for which we were trying to project a cure. We were by no means trying to find an extenuation for undergraduate dishonesty, painting a picture of unfortunate students caught in the meshes of an evil system and driven to cheating. What we were pointing out was not only a system in which a large percentage of the students cheat, but also a system which has an evil effect even upon those students with moral strength enough not to cheat.)

Hop's SKIPS & JUMPS By ORVAL HOPKINS

THE number of writers, news- and decide to quit. paper men, who have done about-faces during their careers is surprising. Some have had comparatively short periods in the pen that Walter Lippman, or any of and ink racket, some are long time

In recent discussions I have learned that several of our so-callearly to be the champions of tives. And I say it ain't right. democracy. Self-appointed champs perhaps they were, but at least the idea was there.

In later years we find these men, David Lawrence, Arthur Brisbane, some others, slowly turning their eyes from the vista of "truth, right, fairness" as their ears detect the jingle of swell of importance and pride that comes with authority.

Our latest discussion was on Walter Lippman. A Harvard graduate and one of the acknowledge "brains" of the newspaper game, he came in for a good share of praise, much of it warranted. He was the energetic one, the thinker, a driver, and, of prime importance, an excellent writer. He slashed away all the excess foliage from facts and set them up there where everybody could see.

people. But after some years as how Hearst fixed that. a writer he changed. He began to It stands to reason that the litcrawl back over to where the dough the man has a case. You can't just was. He began to see that if the ignore that many people as if they jack were distributed somebody weren't there. And they themselves

might get part of his little stack. are not, for the most part, in posi-So far in our discussion we were tion to defend themselves where not condemning Lippman for the somebody will hear. That's what a member of Alpha Xi Delta.

still keep in there throwing them up. Some said he saw the light after a few years, that he was wrong as a young man and right as an older man; that he saw the futility of knocking his head against the side of the gas house

YOW what I have to say (as usual, take it or leave it) is Janet Johnson, John Allen, Wil- through the door after the chief these others we've mentioned, have no business quitting as the "champ- tin and Lois Othank were taken to squealed. ions of democracy." They start as surgery at the Sacred Heart hosed big name writers have started liberals and wind up as conserva- pital.

how many jolts a man can take and

The real liberal in this country, to my mind, is the guy who walks around the street asking day after day for a job and no go. Weeks and months, sometimes for years, he looks for work and can't find it. Now this man can't quit-he just can't do it. If he does, what?

On the other hand your Walter Lippmans get a good slice of the coin of the realm to defend liberalism and after a few years with them they decide they better quit. They got too many knecks, they can't take it any more. So they lie down and collect their healthy stipend from the other side and on the the strength of the name they have built up as liberals.

The most glaring and notorious instance of this turncoat type was the late Arthur Brisbane. When He was another who started in he started out (or so I'm told) to fix everything for the common Brisbane was the most righteous attend any of the speeches they ed aged. man. He was going to give his all cuss that ever came round the hill. for democracy and for clean gov- But the world in general and ernment and for the vote of the newspaper men in particular know

Campus Calendar

Bailey, Betty Brady, Ray Jeffcott, building." Tom was the first one lined with a real dark black?" Haines, and June Lienkaemper are on his sleeve. in the infirmary today. June Mar-

There will be an interfraternity pushed through a pair of swinging council meeting at the Beta Theta doors and outside. No one was on hung up. His face wore a doleful Pi house Wednesday evening.

The propeller club will meet Wednesday, February 17, at 7:30 in the women's lounge of Gerlinger hall. Entertainment will consist of motion pictures.

Mortar Board will hold a meeting at 4:30 in Gerlinger hall.

Final Orientation

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Freshmen of Pi Beta Phi, Kappa motor and the whine of second Chinese Editor Kappa Gamma, Chi Omega, and gear as the car sped away. When Alpha Xi Delta are invited to this she reached the end of the alley,

The fourth speaker scheduled to around. talk tonight was unable to do so. Independents and members of sor- fice, anxiety was beginning to tell Reconciliation he became intimateorities not mentioned above may on Honey Lorraine. Her face look- ly acquainted with the radical and desire, Miss Emery said.

a year boys won't do it, for that small sum, who in God's name

ing part time in Dean Karl On- thing before long." thank's office as student counsel-

Tom, my Tom." change. The question came up as to the press is for. But if the \$60,000 Get a shake at TAYLOR'S, adv. Guard was lying on Bargeman's Get a shake at TAYLOR'S, adv.

Hooking Lines On Liner For Last Ride

Ready for her last voyage into the air is the giant Los Angeles-San Francisco liner as Diver Bill Rasputin in their broadcast to- been requisted. Under existing Reed completes his task of hooking lines around the crumpled fuselage so that a derrick can raise it onto a barge. Reed is shown in his diving togs rising to the surface as a part of the fuselage appears Oakie will play host to Cliff Edin view. The plane sank in 20 feet of water. Coast guardsmen were also needed in the task of raising wards and George Givot, unofficial

···· BLACK MENACE



and Bargeman's head poked out.

came the officer's order.

she pleaded with the chief.

Honey's lips quivered and she

"Around the side . . . Hurry!"

H. RIDEM RAGGED

"On Death's Trail"

(What has gone before: Tem Masters is held for the murder of Col. E. V. D. Brophy. Chief Bargeman is questioning him when a strange voice breaks in on the police broadcast to predict the death of Din Toomas, who is also in the office.)

When the ominous portent of the whispered radio message bills passed by Congress. In our Allen will have more than just a finally made itself clear to the unfriendly gathering in Bargeman's office, all eyes turned toward Toomas. There was no the majority party tries to change Out pet gripe today. . . Lucky Need Reorganization?" was the trace of fear in his voice, however, as he struck a characteristic the laws to suit its purposes. And Strike's addito of 15 more minutes topic of a talk, given by Herman pose and said, "Bargeman, this is an outrage—an atrocity per- their decisions. So we should depetuated by some campus fiend on an innocent victim. What cide whether we want to keep our have I ever done wrong?"

The question went unanswered. Bargeman had hurried tion." through the door into the next desk. A scareline announced: office, stood there glaring savage- BLACK MENACE ON LOOSE.

ly at the radio for a minute, then Toomas picked up the paper. deciding that the speaker was not hidden inside, turned on his heel he said, at the same time glowerand raced back through the door. ing at Cuddelly. Cuddelly smiled ferring with various authors of Subscription only \$3.00 per year. "Out the front way, somebody," dryly.

he shouted. "Grab anyone that "Red is your favorite color, it Dorothy Reburn, William Jack- looks suspicious. That broadcast seems," he addressed Toomas. "Or on, Winogene Palmer, Charles was made from right here in this would you rather have your coffin

To Honey Lorraine, an eternity liam George, Joe Goding, Bob and Honey Lorraine was hanging passed between every tick of the big clock on the wall. "I'm going, too, Tom," she

The telephone rang. Bargeman grabbed at it, barked hello, listen-Bargeman bounded up a flight ed attentively, without saying a of steps leading to the next floor word for a long time. Honey Lorand the broadcasting room. Tom raine was on the edge of her chair. Bargeman said goodbye and the street. He looked up at the expression as he lifted his eyes.

lighted window of the broadcasting "What is it? Was it about room. A second later, it opened Tom? Tell me!" Honey shrieked. Bargeman only stared at her blankly.

A half dozen long strides (WHAT SAD MESSAGE HAS brought Tom to the corner. Just COME OVER THE PHONE TO a glimpse he caught of a fleeting CHIEF BARGEMAN? IS IT black figure before it was swal- ABOUT TOM MASTERS? DON'T lowed up in the darkness of an FAIL TO READ THE NEXT INalley across the street. Honey STALLMENT OF BLACK MEN-Lorraine was left standing at the ACE IN WEDNESDAY'S EMcurb. She saw Tom run into the ERALD.) alley, heard the roar of a starting

(Continued from page one) all was quiet and Tom was not one of China's humblest and most devoted Christians. While working Hours later in Bargeman's of- with the Chinese Fellowship of communist group in China and has "Why don't you do something?" helped to meet and interpret their program and their criticism of "We can do nothing but wait Christianity. At present, Mr. Wu now. Miss Lorraine. Every man on is chairman of the national comthe force, all three of them, are out mission on "The Faith and Mission Gladys Calet Hansen is work- on the case now. We'll hear some- of the Chinese Student Christian Movement."

lor. She graduated in 1928 and is said over and over again, "My Send the Emerald to your friends Subscription only \$3.00 per year

Boyer, Hollis

With regard to Roosevelt's contention that "those nine old men" should be put on a shelf, President Boyer commented, "we know many distinguished elderly jurists who have kept their liberal ideas after passing the age of 70 years."

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ishing or controlling the check comical stuff" to cover up his the six proposals submitted to the that the federal judiciary has on search. . . . If you listened to Jack state legislature's ways and means the social legislation, Professor Benny Sunday night you heard committee by Chancellor Freder-Hollis said, "That court is there what Benny thought of the Allen ick M. Hunter. This would be our to rule on the constitutionality of tribe, we'll bet a plugged nickle that way of alleviating the condition." country the constitution protects minutes silence in honor of the the minority of the people when Benny's in return. . . . politics don't matter greatly in of the same tunes week after week. fundamental rights which are bills being introduced into both the Del Rey cafe Friday noon. guaranteed only by the constitu- houses, to see what features he

girding for the battle in congress trol the reins of the third and last when the senate attempts to study opposing branch of government. "Black nothing. Red, I'll bet," the retirement-with-pay bill. At the same time the president is con-

Tune 'er $\mathsf{Out} \ldots$

By JACK TOWNSEND

Comes the revolution! Yes, sir, after listening to lots of comments we have decided what we need in this column is a little more local interest in this daily stint. So here's what we have thought up. Why not run a weekly poll on radio programs? This week's will be on favorite dance orchestras. . . . results Saturday.

To lead off with we find the Alpha Chi's vivacious little Texan, Juanita Ball, takes a shine to Guy Lombardo and to heck with the state budget. This second reducrest of the mugs. Leo (Little Caesar) Marlantes, next year's foot- of \$508,000 from the millage apball manager, also picks Guy Lombardo because of his scintillating the state. rhythym.

To Lloyd Tupling goes the orchids for his answer of, "I'll take anybody except the Lucky Strike bands." (personally we don't blame him). 'Buz' Bowman, Emerald exchange editor, says that for her the real orchestra is Paul Whiteman. Maybe so, maybe so. . . .

Look out we'll spot you on the campus and ask each and every one of you, well at least some of you, so get your nominations ready, hurrryyy, hurrrryyyy.

Now for some radio note: Con-Morgan Manner will also grace the Tuesday night programs-KGW- situation." 8:30. . . . Fred Astaire and Charlie Butterworth find Charlie's nag exponent of goodwill from Greece, ed to replace the decrease in the as he likes to call himself, on the state funds since preceding bien-6:30 KOIN spot. . . . Mother-inlaws will take a ribbing in to- and exhaustion of the balances. night's Death Valley Days program on KGW at 9:00. . . . "Yeah Man" Martha Raye, will be with Al Jolson tonight at the Cafe Tro- is being requested for the restoracadero over KOIN at 8:30 tion of salaries and wages. snuff said.

Charlie Butterworth has the glibest of all adlib lines on radio at the present time. Whenever he enactment, total \$330,400. messes a line or loses his place on the script he drawls very Concerning the question of abol- solemnly, "Let's get back to the

will include in his own court re-Meanwhile, separate forces were form proposal to take under con-

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Hunter's Six-Point

(Continued from page one) eral retrenchment was made in the tion took the form of a diversion propriation to the general fund of

this millage diversion has been replaced to our funds, but so far it has not all been brought back," Dr. Boyer continued. Because of the shrinkage in

"Since that time an amount of

assessed property valuations the millage income for higher education during the coming biennium is estimated to be more than \$1,-00,000 below the millage income in the biennium 1929-1930.

Enrollment at Peak

"Along with this came an added increase in enrollment," said Dr. tinuing with the Philip Morris pub- Boyer, "and now with enrollment licity we find that Music in the at its all-time peak, we are faced with this unfortunate financial

For the biennium of 1937-38, \$5,218,850 in appropriations have night over KGW at 6:30. Jack laws the millage income will amount to \$3,570,518. An amount of \$312,012 is requir-

> nium due to shrinkage in millage Advancing prices and the large increase in enrollment requires \$224,340. An amount of \$781,580

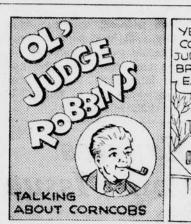
The continuing appropriations for federal and cooperative extension and agricultural experiment stations, which do not require re-

"The solution of this immediate problem, as the state board sees it," concluded President Boyer, "is

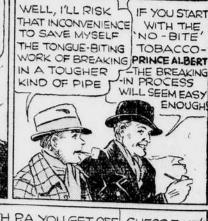
KERHLI SPEAKS

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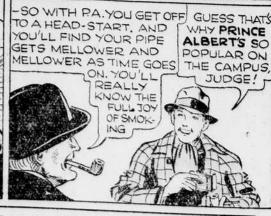
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