

DIARY

— OF A —
College Girl

April 3 well, here it is the end of the second week of this here now spring term I've been hearing so much about and what have I done about it. nothing, no studying, no strolling aimlessly about in gay spring clothes, no love even. it just doesn't live up to advance publicity is all I have to say. people all year have been saying just wait till spring term and will you have fun. but shucks it's just like any other term except there's more rain. what a disappointment. I came back with a lot of flimsy—or is it filmy—spring clothes and I haven't been able to wear them and even except on Easter. and all I did then was go to church. but maybe things will improve. maybe the sun will shine. maybe I'll fall in love, who knows. other people do. April 4 I surprised myself today by going up and polishing off a bit of studying. the first this term, too. people tell me that it's easy to make good grades spring term, but all I have to say is who says so. it's practically impossible to make myself study—even when it rains. what it will be like when the sun shines I shudder to think.

April 6 well, things are

Senior Newspaper Woman Virginia Endicott Finds Time For Many Campus Activities

Tops in campus activities, and tops in the love of her heart, journalism—that's dark, capable Newspaper Woman Virginia Endicott.

Virginia will be graduated this spring from the school of journalism, after four years of stellar campus achievement. Among these achievements is four years of outstanding work on the Emerald, where she served as reporter, and in various editorial positions.

Virginia has worked on the Oregonian, and was for a time news editor of the Oregon Publisher. Campus activities in which she has had a part range from membership in the orchestra during her freshman and sophomore years to presidency of Mortar Board, senior women's service honorary.

Sets Journalism Awards

She was awarded the Emerald "O" for service on the paper, and was invited to Theta Sigma Phi's Matrix Table as outstanding sophomore woman in journalism during her sophomore year.

She was a member of Phi Theta Upsilon, junior women's service honorary, and now is president of Theta Sigma Phi, women's journalism honorary. She was active in Philomatele hobby group work, and

looking a bit better. In fact they looked so good today that I fared forth in my brand new suit and got soaked literally soaked. but I should care. it probably won't be the last time. during one of the brighter moments of the day I walked over to the race to meditate upon the first signs of spring greenery bursting forth and for the first time the thing really got into my blood. I feel now that perhaps all the things I have heard about this term might have some foundation in fact. I look about with more eager eyes and in my winter-worn soul there stirs a longing for adventure. and why not? it's spring!

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was leader of the music group. Last year Virginia was a candidate for presidency of AWS. She is affiliated with Chi Omega.

Has Other Interests

Besides these varied activities, Virginia is intensely interested in many others. She loves music, and plays the violin, though she admits ruefully, she hasn't had much time to play in the last few busy years. She likes sports of all kinds—swimming, golf, skiing, and is an enthusiastic mountain-climber. Tremendous vitality and dynamo-like energy permit Virginia to carry a heavy scholastic and activity schedule and still find time to do the things she enjoys outside of school.

Virginia—"Endy" to her associates in the Shack—believes the most important thing for a girl's enjoyment of her college life is finding an activity that interests her. However, she warns most emphatically against useless ones that waste time and energy, and bring no returns.

Activity Should Be Useful

"An activity that will have some bearing on a girl's life after she leaves school is the best and most useful for her, and one from which she will get the greatest benefit," Virginia remarked.

Virginia's plans for her life after she graduates this year are resolved simply into one ambition. Asked what she wished to do, she replied, with the infectious smile that is as much a part of her eyes as her mouth—"I want to be a newspaper woman."

Reporting of any kind is the field that appeals to her the most.

"I've been told that a newspaper's no place for a woman until I'm tired of it," she said firmly. "It's what I want to do—and I

can't understand why they didn't go. . . . it used to bother him because he remembered positively of having seen some of those very people in the audience. And yet next day when he'd ask them if they'd seen the show they shook their heads emphatically and hurried away.

"They're missing something big and fine," he thought seriously to himself. "How sad." And so when people told him that they hadn't seen his sterling performance in his latest show he'd grab them firmly by the buttonhole and say: "Why that's too bad. I play the part of the lover scorned. In the first act I . . ."

"You must have been wonderful," they'd murmur helplessly. "Colossal," they'd insist almost pleadingly. "Stupendous," they'd repeat.

It made him feel all warm and glowing deep inside. People adored him. He was the campus equivalent of a matinee idol. Definitely he was an actor.

And then one day as he was carrying his handsome profile down the street he ran onto a classmate, and he hailed him heartily.

"Hello there. You're just the man I want to see. Did you see 'Destination'?"

"Yeah," his companion admitted. "I saw it."

"Well," he insisted, "I want you to give me your honest opinion. What did you think of it?"

People We've Seen The Campus Barrymore

By MARTHA STEWART He was one of deep artistic temperament. . . . an actor to be exact. He had been in all the college productions of Broadway hits, and he had done nobly, if he did say so himself. He'd played all the parts that are coveted by the actors of the world from buffoon to tragic figure, from juvenile lead to aged King Lear. He'd run the gamut of emotions from A to Z. He'd played Hamlet in the bard's immortal play. Campus wits prophesied that one day he'd be offering to be "Mourning" in "Mourning Becomes Electra."

Like all great men his success came from a small beginning. He made his debut in a more or less famous gang picture, playing the part of one of the innocent bystanders shot down by machine-gun fire. He was the third one from the left. The one with the hole in the sole of his right shoe. The applause was tremendous.

Now as a senior his desire to become famous as an actor was fulfilled. The campus was at his feet. People pointed to him with pride just as they did to the new library or to the university perennial who had been an undergraduate for eleven years.

"See that man," they'd say, and his manly chest would swell with pride. "He is the college Barrymore." And then they'd list his theatrical triumphs.

He enjoyed it so much that he sort of fell into the habit of prompting people just a little if they failed to make some comment on his achievements when he thought they should.

Of course he was very subtle about it. That is, he was at first. "Oh, I say," he'd remark casually when conversation lagged a bit. "Did you see The Little Green God?" If the answer was "yes" his next question would come eagerly.

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Oregon Students Set Weddings for Early Summer

Announcements of marriages and engagements increase in number with the advent of the spring and summer season.

June 19 was named as the wedding date of Margaret Ann Smith to Dr. Donald Barclay Slocum. Miss Smith was graduated from Oregon last year. She was outstanding in campus activities, and affiliated with Kappa Alpha Theta. Dr. Slocum is a graduate of Stanford and the Oregon medical school at Portland. He is affiliated with Chi Psi.

Miss LaFollette to Wed

Helen LaFollette announced her engagement to Willard Morgan at a dinner at the Tri-Delta house Monday evening. Announcements were concealed in tiny silver bells tied on pastel ribbons.

The wedding date has been set as June 3. Miss LaFollette will be graduated from the University this spring. Mr. Morgan attended Oregon State college where he was graduated in 1935. He is affiliated with Alpha Sigma Phi.

Scoville Engagement Told

Miss Virginia Scoville recently announced her engagement to Kenneth C. Smith of Portland. Miss Scoville is affiliated with Sigma Kappa. The wedding date is June 19.

Miss Curtis to Wed

Bettie Curtis, a former Oregon student affiliated with Gamma Phi Beta, announced her engagement at a breakfast Sunday to Ray Hall of Eugene, also formerly an Oregon student.

Announcements were concealed in corsages of spring flowers, and the table decorations carried out the spring motif. The wedding will take place May 4.

Y Advisory Board Is Honored at Tea

Members of the advisory board of the campus YWCA were entertained yesterday afternoon at a tea given after their monthly meeting by the sophomore commission from 3:30 to 5 o'clock in the YWCA bungalow. President Harriet Thompson and vice-president Vir-

"Do you want my honest opinion," the other asked incredulously, "or do you want me to tell you what you want to hear?" "Your honest opinion," he insisted generously. "Just tell me what you really thought of the play."

"It was lousy," his classmate said emphatically. The actor's eyes popped out, and he gasped in startled surprise. "What," he asked unbelievably, "did you think of my performance?"

"It was lousy." His classmate said for the second time. He gasped again.

"W-what did you say?" he stammered weakly.

"I said that it was lousy," his companion repeated.

"Lousy," he murmured. "Yes, that's what I thought you said. Lousy."

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ginia McCorkle assisted the commission in serving.

Thursday evening from 6:30 to 7:30, the sophomore commission will entertain members of the old and new cabinets and the freshman commission at a dessert party. Marion DeKoning is in charge of arrangements for the affair.

Send the Emerald to your friends.

Social Events Open Spring Term Whirl

Desserts, dances, and top spot of the social week—the Sigma Delta Chi spring informal, featuring the music of Jimmy Dorsey's famous orchestra comprise this week's social calendar.

Tuesday Sigma Nu entertained Kappa Kappa Gamma, Phi Gamma Delta, and host to Kappa Alpha Theta, and Alpha Gamma Delta entertained the Phi Psi.

Chi Psi was host to the Tri-Delta Wednesday, Beta Theta Pi had Delta Gamma over, Alpha Chi Omega entertained Sigma Chi, Phi Psi was guest of Alpha Phi, and Theta Chi entertained at a dinner for seniors at McCrady's cafe.

Thursday Pi Kappa Alpha was guest of Alpha Omicron Pi, and Gamma Phi Beta entertained Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Deltas Have Dance

Delta Tau Delta will entertain at a spring informal Friday evening at the Anchorage.

Men will wear dark suits, and women will wear long informals to the Sigma Delta Chi dance Saturday evening in McArthur court. A list of distinguished patrons and patronesses were invited to the dance by miniature newspapers sent to them containing news of the dance, and asking them to be present.

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