Round 'n About

WITH WEN BROOKS

Certainly are a lot of folks who go through life fooling themselves. As long as they can get away with it, OK ... but sometimes these people are brought down to earth with a bang and the subsequent disillusionment is hard to take.

I suppose all of us fool ourselves, are living an act, part of the time . . . makes for variety . . . but too much of it makes for falseness and instability of character.

After all, what is a person as far as the world is concerned but a name? Your name stands for what you have or haven't done. You are recognized and known by your name. You may have wonderful ideas, ambitions . . . but if you keep them to yourself and never try to realize any of these you'll never be known for any of them. Ask yourself: what am I to date? Analyze your actions once in a while. Doing this while you are still in college may make a lot of difference in the final outcome . . . what you are when you're through school.

Enough of that for now. As a prognosticator I'm a failure. I said that one dog, the Chi Psi dog, wouldn't be on the campus after Sunday. Baron's still around. Ken Miller, who came up from California last weekend to get Baron, returned Sunday without his dog. Baron was nowhere to be found when Ken had to leave. Innocent brothers knew nothing of the dog's whereabouts. Now that Ken's back in California you might ask Fred Miller where Baron was Sunday night.

This 'n that: Frank Meek stranded in San Francisco last weekend after missing his train. Rumors have him seeking a personal attendant before he takes another trip south . . . Jens Hansen maybe is and maybe isn't. Even has cupid wondering . . . And the Kappa Sigs had some trouble with the Chi O door Sunday night, knocking it right out of its casing. The Pomeroy pin-planting was being celebrated rather late, I'd say . . . And Bob "Smoky" Whitfield with a "racket" complex . . . And rinse your eyes sometime on the Emerald city editor's technique as he corners some unsuspecting coed in the shack and proceeds to close in, slowly unfolding all the glamor of the news game. And do the girls go for it! Well, ask Bud "Wolf" Jermain.

Students kick at times about the Emerald with such remarks as, "There's not a thing in it but advertising," which fact is occasionally almost true. It might be well to understand a little more about the set-up.

This year, under the efficient managing of Hal Haener, the paper is in a better way financially than it's been for some time. The business staff is wellorganized and doing a good job . . . hence all the advertising.

The advertising is what makes possible the publication of the paper. Any extra money goes into a general fund for the ASUO, helping promote other student activities . . . programs for us, the students. Who's kicking?

Did you know that Mrs. Fleming, president Erb's secretary, has served in the capacity of president's secretary for nine years? That President Erb, as well as other members of the administration and faculty, prefer to be addressed as "Mister" though many of them have their doctor's degrees . . . an old custom on the campus? That construction on Deady hall began in May of 1873?

OSC SCORES AGAIN! Students at Corvallis have won out in their fight for a drum majoress and once again the question has arisen on this campus: why not a coed leading the band at Oregon? Might make

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some of the boys march with more snap if a high-stepping girl were at the front!

Friday night Oregon students will have a chance to mix with "staters" in Portland at a dance at Jantzen beach, Binford

Latest news from the love front has Henry Camp at last pinning Nancy Gardner. A week-end in Portland seems to have done the trick. And truth, like many a football coach, will out if just given time. Phi Psis learned just last night that Irving Johnson had pinned Chi O's Lois Hogan over two weeks ago.

When fellows at the Chi Psi lodge heard the phone ring eight times-finally to be answered by a sophomore, they were suspicious . . . and rightly. Freshmen walked out yesterday afternoon, leaving very unostentatiously. Haven't been heard from since.

W. A. Dahlberg, professor of personality in the speech department, should never have trouble filling his classes . . . not after coming out with a statement favoring apple-polishing such as he has in today's paper!

Wie geht's By V. GATES

With the traffic cops holding out their arms in a Nazi-like salute, the WPA projects displaying red flags, we're sure King George will get the wrong political idea of this country.

The Emerald tells us Mr. Sprague is a "cordial supporter" of the two state schools. This is too much of a political statement; does he mean he'll bet on both teams in the Oregon - Oregon State football game?

We're told personality is the right kind of character in the right kind of wrapper. Transparent cellophane, no doubt.

Diogenes, looking for an honest man, was born too soon. He should have had a radio so he could hear a candidate for an office telling about himself.

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Victorianism—Get Thee Behind Us

THE QUESTION has again been raised. Once again the campus vibrates to whispers, conversations and shouts of "Why don't we have a drum majoress?"

Back of the revival of interest in Oregon's drum majoress problem has been an interesting little drama in Corvallis. Last week the Beavers were mourning their loss of two drum majoresses who were banned from appearing in short dresses and bare legs. The moans grew into a roar of student disapproval until just before the Homecoming game the official edict was rescinded and the girl baton-twirlers appeared.

Oregon backers of the drum majoress proposal watched events with interest. When the Beavers came out victorious their whispers grew louder, until last night they were loud enough for all to hear.

BANNING OF the Oregon majoress last year revolved around an opinion that by permitting a girl to march before the band the campus was indulging in the "exploitation of womanhood." Exploitation is the "selfish or unfair utilization" of an object or person, usually with the idea of gaining thereby. The drum majoress who was desposed last year was willing and eager to perform. The gain of her performance was improved appearance of the band, added pep and color, which today would fit excellently in the theme that "Oregon is Going places."

If this action is selfish, if it is unfair, if the gain from it is not a general gain to the University-then logic and reasoning have no place in this institution of higher learning.

A LETTER WRITER to the Barometer editor, joining in the general protest at Corvallis, raised another point which should be of interest to Webfoots. In his plea for the return of the OSC majoresses he said: "We want to show the Oregon band a thing or two when our fine band meets them on Multnomah field at the Oregon game, and our girl drum majors plus superior marching and playing ability are just the things that can do it . . . "

Such an expression should not remain unchallenged. If

Colorful Dictator Horthy of Hungary Seems More Impressive, Picturesque Than Rivals, Emerald Scribe Says

comfort of a Pullman sleeper.

Hitler led his march of triumph down Berlin's Wilhelmstrasse in a sleek limousine.

Place alongside these singularly unimpressive tactics of all-conquering dictators the showmanship of Nicolas Horthy de Negybanya. Resplendent in his admiral's uniform of the Austro-Hungarian navy, Horthy came riding into Budapest on a prancing white charger, leading his troops as a commander should. Barely twenty-four hours had elapsed since the last Rumanian soldiers had departed the Magyar capital. It was November, 1919, as Admiral Horthy took over the magnificent Danubian palace which he occupies to this day. A handsome and dashing figure, the naval chief of a land that no longer had so much as a yard of coastline knew how to impress the crowds at the outset of his long career in demagogy.

Keep Your Eve on Horthy

Today Admiral Horthy comes into new prominence. The success of Hitler's "drang nach osten," his drive toward the east, will depend in large measure on Hungary's friendship. To reach the fabulously rich oil fields of Rumania, Der Fuehrer will be forced to march through Czechoslovakia or Hungary, and it is reasonable to believe that he will take the easier route through the latter country. Thus the good will of Dictator Horthy is highly to be desired by Hitler and company.

To pave the road to an understanding, Horthy visited the third reich last August, and was most royally entertained. It must have done his old heart good to reviwe the German fleet at Kiel, to have his charming wife christen a new German cruiser "Prinz Eugen," after his own flagship, and to watch a stupendous parade of armament in his honor. It certainly did the Nazis no harm to lavish affection on Harthy, and it may lead the way to a Mitteleuropa such as Bismarck and Kaiser Wilhelm never dared hope for.

Meet the New Champ

Nicolas Horthy now holds the modern long distance championship of the dictatorship league. by virtue of Kemal Ataturk's recent withdrawal from the race. He is seventy now, and cannot last many more years, which may be an incentive for Hitler to speed up his plans. Nicolas cooperated with Adolf as long ago as 1922 and until the futile pitsch of 1923. As a dictator he has always

Mussolini entered Rome in the becushioned been anti-Semitic, and in the early years of his regime he sponsored a reign of terror which compares favorably with Hitler's own. This makes for a community of interest which a succeeding ruler

of Hungary may not have with Der Fuehrer. During the early '20's it was taken for granted that Admiral Horthy intended to set himself up as King of the Magyars. Yet Horthy remains the elected regent for a monarch who has never been named. He is not of noble birth. Dozens of families have more hereditary right to the throne of Hungary than he, and someday one of them may be chosen. But for nearly two decades the son of a fairly prosperous Magyar squire has cracked the whip over an asembly elected by open ballot.

He Played the Fiddle for the Emperor The admiral had a brilliant career in the

Austro-Hungarian navy before and during the war. He was aide de camp to the Emperor Francis Joseph for several years. As a naval officer he had to speak German, and it is interesting to note that he still uses Hungarian with a German dialect.

In 1900 Horthy became a naval lieutenant, and the next year he married the daughter of a wealthy farmer. Her beauty, intellectual qualities, and simple nature, it is said, have contributed greatly

At the start of the World War Nicolas Horthy commanded a cruiser. For nearly three years he frittered away his days without coming to grips with the enemy. Then, on May 15, 1917, our brave commander went into action. He broke through the Allied blockade with three cruisers and two destroyers, and attacked the enemy fleets in a terrific sea encounter near Otranto.

A Horthy Never Retreats, Sir!

For seven hours Horthy battled five British battleships and eight Italian and French vessels, His flagship was crippled, but Horthy fought on. Shells were screaming and falling on all sides of him, but Horthy fought on. His cruisers were capsizing to the right of him and to the left of him, but did Horthy run away? Not Horthy! Our hero fought on and on.

Suddenly a sliver of steel was thrown up at the commander. Too late he saw it and ducked. Too late to avoid the messenger of death.

"I'm shot!" he gasped, (in German, of course), and clutched at his breast.

(To be continued.)

Oregon State can have two bare-legged drum majoresses, can there is no reason why Oregon cannot rise to the occasion with a fitting reply.

THE AGE when "knees were always covered and referred to in a hushed voice as limbs" is gone. The age when young ladies dropped handkerchiefs and fainted on appropriate occasion left with handle-bar mustaches. The age when women were restricted to their "proper" activities in the drawing room and kitchen passed with the livery stable.

Women have been emancipated. Their capabilities have been recognized and accepted. There is no need for a continuation of Victorianism on the Oregon campus.

A Joint Reputation Grows

REPUTATION is an clusive character. It grows and changes; is added to and detracted from. Reputation is an important thing for an individual-no less important for an institution.

Therefor the plaudits just received by the Oregon chapter of Sigma Delta Chi are important to the University. The men of the journalism honorary may be congratulated not only because of their personal success but success of their contribution to the fame and honor of Oregon.

Behind the announcement that the local chapter placed highest among the 43 chapters of the society with the recordbreaking score of 96 points in the efficiency contest is a long story. It is a story of service to Oregon and journalism. It contains a list of achievements that have been going on quietly under the direction of able leaders.

SIGMA DELTA Chi has had a long and colorful career on the campus. It has aided in high school and state press conferences, it has managed contests for the betterment of journalism, it has improved the abilities of its members through contacts with noted men in the newspaper profession.

The men of Oregon chapter of Sigma Delta Chi have exemplified their creed. They have truly evidenced talent, have utilized it with energy, and have guided their activities with the light of truth. Journalism in Oregon stands improved and honored by their activities.

In the Mail

NO JOKING

To the Editor: Having recently regained personal contact with my Alma Mater I have had an opportunity to make mental note of a number of things-good and bad alike-and the letter column of November 9th's Emerald seems to indicate that others have similar thoughts.

It occurs to me that there is a noticeable lack of cooperation of the latent power and strength of the great mass of former Oregon students. Is it is it a case of everyone not giving a whoop-except the small minority who prefer a "status quo" for some reason or other? If it is the latter then we have no one to blame ing our prerogative - alumni

I attended class reunion and parisons. If the several exam-"dry rot" in the timber structure of the good ship "Old Oregon" and it is about time we do some dry-docking and see what

is wrong. To assist in bettering our organization I recommend this: 1. Ask and allow constructive criticism through Old Ore-

gon and the Oregon Emerald. 2. See that the paid secretariat organizes and follows up on local alumni chapters. (If such is being done I find no comment on it either in the alumni publication or from inquiries.)

Let's quit "joking" and hear what others have to say-we might get a few surprises that have been long delayed and badly needed.

Del Monte, Ex-class of '28.

MORRIS SPEAKS ON KOAC Dr. Victor P. Morris, dean of possible that we have a small the BA school, spoke last night group who form alumni poli- over station KOAC on "The cies without asking for com- Jews." His talk mainly concerned ment or suggestion or who dis- the Jews of Germany and their regard them when offered, or present situation in that nation.

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Four terms of eleven weeks are but ourselves for not exercis- given each year. These may be taken consecutively (graduation in three and one-quarter years) or three terms may be taken each homecoming this year and since The entrance requirements are inyear (graduation in four years). have been forced to make com- telligence, character and three years of college work, including ples of alumni organizing which the subjects specified for Class A I have seen recently are typi- medical schools. Catalogues and cal of other work, then I be-lieve there is a bad case of application forms may be obtained from the Admission Committee.



