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Let Tomorrow Come

THAT "lost feeling" which students have been unable to explain of recent weeks will vanish somewhat magically today.

The blonde which almost "got away" will be tracked down and caught to the last telephone digit and house number.

In fact it will be a pretty general campus "hurrah" which greets appearance of the 1941-42 Student Directory as it makes its "debut" this morning.

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THIS year's Piggers' Guide is a complete book of the "bigger and better" in campus names and figures. An entirely new section presents lists of officers for men and women's living organizations, instruction for scheduling house dances, the year's social calendar, members of the educational activities and athletic boards, associated student officers, publication staff officers, and leaders of 15 other campus activity groups. The extra section was added to save many a fruitless hour spent in search of information which otherwise "refuses to be found."

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THE book, contrary to general rise in costs, goes on sale at the Co-op and in living organizations for the usual price of 25 cents. The worth of the Guide is readily admitted for its handy supply of essential information in local as well as home addresses.

Its appearance is timely as well as auspicious in the light of world events, which place Sadie Hawkins day tomorrow, November 8.—R.J.S.

Encore, Please . . .

FOR lo, these many fall terms, the campus has asked and pleaded for afternoon-rally dances. Several organizations have investigated the possibility of such events and judging it a too "risky venture," vetoed it.

Last year's Kwamas and Skull and Daggers hesitantly invited the student body to rally a dance to welcome the basketball team back from Hawaii. They were probably as much surprised as the maple floor fans when the box office registered "success."

"Aiming to please," the combined sophomore service honoraries this year decided to establish the custom of rally dances. Their first "mix" was inspiring . . . so many couples . . . fellows cutting in on one coed after another.

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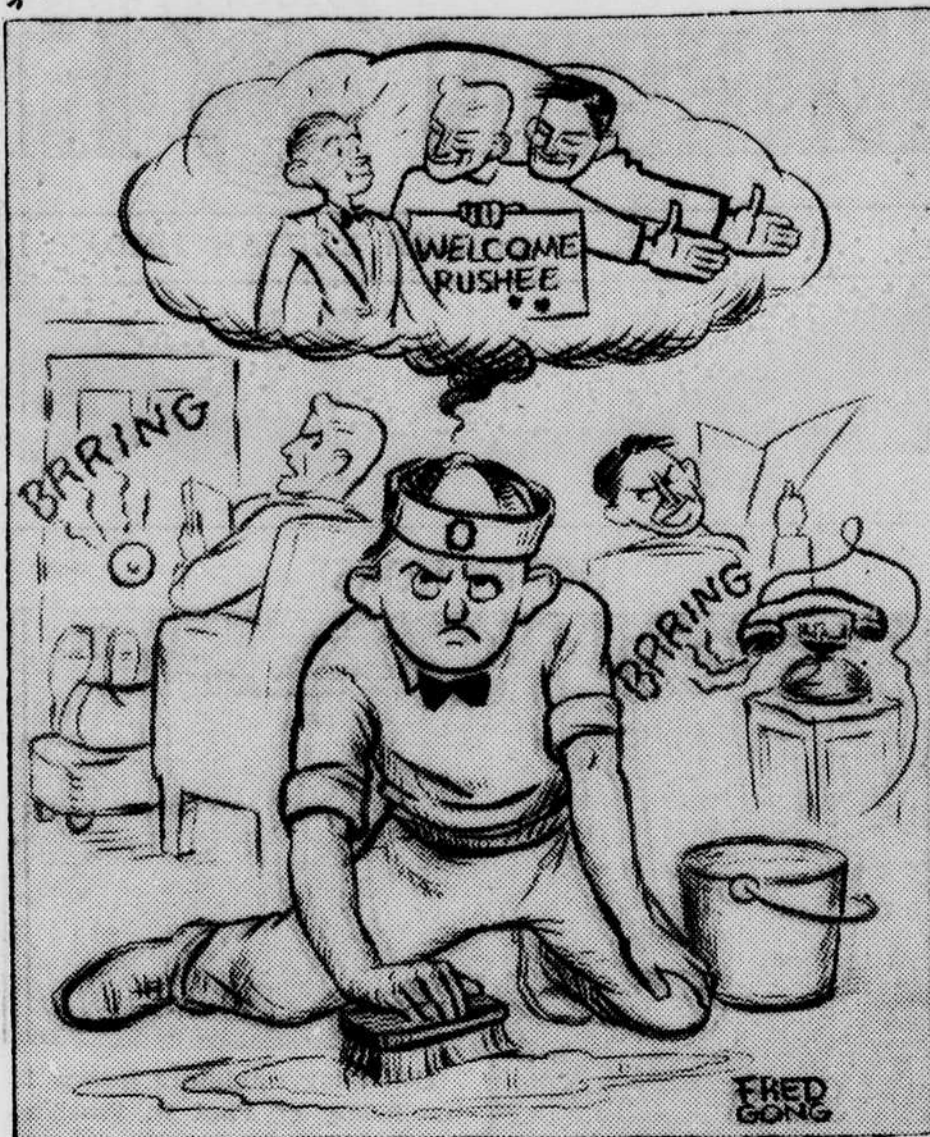
A repeat performance was staged for the Washington State game. Due to perhaps a weak link or two in the organization of the affair, the dance did not run so smoothly. Male Webfoots there were in plenty. The girls — even sorority pledges — were discouragingly few.

It takes work to put on a campus event. It takes a good many dimes to add up to the orchestra's "do-re-mi." While the Kwamas and Skull and Daggers aren't trying to turn student body spirit into a money-making venture, their budget is limited and demands they break even.

Obviously both honoraries are rushed by a crowded program of activities and too busy to bother with failures—but why not give the campus another chance? After all the score is two out of three in their favor and we're assured that the Olivermen aren't quitting Tuesday with a .500 count against them.—B.J.B.

Even the dogs had to move to the corridors of the library this week as 3500 frenzied students suddenly decided mid-terms indicated something besides "six weeks 'til Christmas," or "next week is Thanksgiving."

THE SECOND GLANCE



Columnist Interprets

'Coming War' Almost A Fact

By WILLIAM E. HAIGHT

Thomas Mann, brilliant German exiled novelist wrote in 1937: "The meaning and purpose of the National Socialist state is this alone and can be only this: to put the German people in readiness for the "coming war" by ruthless repression, elimination, extirpation of every stirring of opposition; to make of them an instrument of war, infinitely compliant, without a single critical thought, driven by a blind and fanatical ignorance. Any other meaning and purpose, any other excuse this system cannot have; all the sacrifices of freedom, justice, human happiness, including the secret and open crimes for which it has blithely been responsible, can be justified only by the end—absolute fitness for war. If the idea of war as an aim in itself disappeared, the system would mean nothing but the exploitation of the people; it would be utterly senseless and superfluous."

Tomorrow Frightful

The "coming war" is today a frightful realization. The record of the German people determines the truth they are "infinitely compliant, without a single critical thought, driven by a blind and fanatical ignorance." There is no appeal to a people so obsessed.

The German government insists that they have no interest in South America or North America. Remember — Sudetenland was their last territorial demand.

Their past would indicate whenever they assert no interest in a nation they are about ready to trump up an excuse to use military force against that nation.

They have interfered in South American governments, they are spending tremendous sums to propagandize the Nazi doctrine in all the countries south of the border.

Only One Choice

It is to our self-interest to repudiate by every means at hand the Nazi extensions of power. If we can stop Hitler with arms, tanks, airplanes in Russia we are lucky, but more than likely we will have to send an A.E.F. to aid Russia.

By his actions Hitler has shown he will strike against North and South America when he has the time—his time.

We must examine his past record, examine the reports of South American intervention, examine the FBI reports on German propaganda and sabotage in the United States and remember that his followers are unquestioning fanatics. We must weigh the advantages of full aid to nations fighting on our side without waiting until he is ready to strike against us on our own shores.

A note from the "baby" of the family, who is a member of the R.A.F., in fact, the skipper of a bomber most of the time somewhere above France or Germany. "They say this is a short sweet life; I can vouch for the sweetness of it and have seen a lot of why they say it is short."

This One's On You

By AL LARSEN

Student Delirium

"I think I'll take a whole month off," he said as he happily reached up and tore the month of October from the calendar.

Psychic

"Did you go to the game?"

"Gee, no."

"Well, why not?"

"Oregon lost."

Hale—1941 Sample

"If only I had more than one life to give—then I'd give one to my country."

Number Please

Miss Aubrey Cromwell refused to respond to a cordial invitation to attend a tea at the Oregon chapter of Phi Chi Theta. What's more he wants his name scratched off that mailing list.

Science Repealed

Laboratory experiments reveal that in actual measurement it takes less than two pints to make one cavort.

Status Quote

Ah, what tools U.S. mortals be!—Shakebergh.

White Lies

By WHITELY

Sadie Hawkins day is tomorrow . . . to heck with the invasion of the U of O campus . . . and besides, Sadie Hawkins day is a heck of a lot more fun. You know the story, the gals go running after the boys, and if they catch them before sundown, "they're hern'."

After a tough battle, the title of "Daisy Mae" of the campus went to Marge Pemberton, and the coveted title of Li'l Abner went to J. D. Barnett. Mammy and pappy Yokum are Normie Weiner and Mary Bentley, and Hairless Joe is ATO's "Baldy" McKim . . . Bets are being taken now, to see who is going to survive this contest of contests, and let's throw all bashfulness aside and match up a few of the campus luminaries in this "dogpatch style of wooin'."

Contestant No. 1 . . . Cecil Wright has a head start on Thea's Marge Dibble, and Cece is trying to hide in one of the Oriental vases at the museum . . . Odds: 2 to 1 she gets him.

Contestant No. 2 . . . Phi Delt's Bernard is trying to hide in the hay left over from the law school dance last weekend . . . Pifi's Ruth Kilkenny is trailing him. Odds: 3 to 2 she doesn't get Bernard, or the cig. . .

Contestant No. 3 . . . Gamma Phi's Betty Kincaid and Chi Psi's Ep Hoyt. Ep got wind of this debauchery, and fled to New Orleans with Buchwach on last train . . . Odds . . . unlimited. You're safe, John.

Contestant No. 4 . . . Slim Wintermute is sprinting out to Walt's for a breather . . . Shirley "The

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Trade Last . . .

By MARY WOLF

Oregon State College — Engineering Student council voted Hedy Lamarr, the glamorous dark-tressed star of the cinema, the outstanding designing engineer for 1941. The move was made because of her work in inventing a remote-control device which the government, according to Time magazine, termed secret and promising.

"Miss Lamarr's work was recognized because of her thorough knowledge of figures," said Ross Mudge, senior in mechanical engineering and president of the council.

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Brigham Young University — Freshie quoth blithely, "Coeds are here for the same reason that the mounted police exist."

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University of Washington — Professor W. J. Osborne offers a shot in the arm for lagging grade points through his remedial reading classes. Cynics would say that the best way for a student to bring up his G.P.A. is to study. But most students do study and a great many do so with small result because they don't know how to read properly. In the classes, students are taught a skill they should have learned in the primary grades, but which they have failed to integrate properly with their other school work.

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University of Nebraska — Actives of Alpha Tau Omega are still wondering which of their pledges answered the telephone the other night and when asked if it was the Alpha Tau Omega house, said: "I don't know, but anyway it's ATO."