

Tabu . . .

# Perfume Prowler Seeks Scented One

By MARGERY SKORDAHL

It all began when he asked the beautiful (naturally) young coed what kind of cologne she was wearing. "Follow Me!" she breathed and did something tricky with her eyelashes. "Gladly," he said. But she was a clerk and there was a small matter of a counter between them.

"Come with me," he said. "It's 4 p.m. on the loveliest April day we've ever seen. There are birds and flowers in Central park and two mounted policemen."

### The Bird

The floor manager prowled past and the sweet young thing said, "That's Indiscreet," pointing to a swan-shaped bottle.

"Oh no, it isn't. It's the only way to act on a spring afternoon," the young man protested gaily. "Let's fly away, my little Skylark."

She ducked under the counter and emerged with one-tenth of a gram of something in another bottle. She murmured, one oblong eye on Muscles, the manager, "This is all we have left of the Skylark. But there's always Tweed."

Hurt to the quick, the millionaire's cousin accused her, "Tweed! It's much too late in the season to wear tweeds. Don't you know it's too heavy?"

"Try Chanel No. 5," someone murmured, "It's light."

### Verboten

Mademoiselle had graduated from kindergarten—with honors, and she didn't understand this kind of talk. Firmly she ultimated, "Sir, I'm sorry to inform you that further conversation twixt the twain of us is strictly tabu."

"That's it! That's what I want," he gurgled happily. "Why didn't you say you had some Tabu?"

Sadly she rustled her pink curls and regretted, "We haven't Taboo, sir. Could I interest you in Shanghai?"

"But now we're getting off the subject, cherie. It's still April although it's 4:25 p.m. and I will not be shanghaied. Are you coming with me?"

"Mais Oui!" she consented. "But yes."

A large lady puffed up. "Did you say you had Mais Oui?"

"It's not Worth it!" the young man said and rushed out into the spring afternoon.

# Suit of Hearts

Although engagements and weddings are done in wartime style this year, we seem to find more and more romantic news. With graduation and furlough time uppermost in lots of minds, many couples frantically are trying to arrange their "I do's" in accordance with Uncle Sam's time schedule. It looks as though the fraternity pins have been put up in moth balls for the duration. (We say this with all due apologies to those who are lucky possessor's of such items.)

### Diamonds

The Thetas were one surprised bunch Monday night when Terry Watson announced her engagement to last year's ASUO prexy, Les Anderson. Les, now with the U. S. army, was a DU on the campus. Tri Delt freshman Marge Allingham years a ring from Paul Mateju of Portland. Can't say when this happened, but what difference does that really make??—From California comes news that Pi Phi alum, Hope Hughes of Eugene, recently announced her engagement to Lt. (jg) Charles Pressman, former Sigma Nu at Montana and Oregon universities. They will be married sometime this summer.

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# Fashion Flashes

In the spring a young man's fancy may turn to thoughts of love, but the girls all start thinking of that new spring wardrobe.

Noticed **Marilyn Hill** making a lush violet wool crepe dress—gathered in front, and **Barbara Smythe** working on a white wool dress with short sleeves and new oval neckline.

**Bee Lee Barnes** looks lovely in grey silk with her fuschia accessories and shoes.

**Dorothy Vandenevnde** wears red accessories with her grey silk.

Black is still topping the list for date dresses as **Joanne McCready** wears a new square-necked dress trimmed with net—sequins.

**Lorraine Davidson** looks smart in a black silk dress with marquisette yoke and sequins.

**Peggy Hoard** has a new brown stitched wool sport dress. **Connie Fulmer** wears red wool trimmed with gold studded buttons.

**Sharkie Older** sports a tailored apple green suit.

### Suits

**Joyce Jordan** left for California in a new three-piece green suit trimmed with fur. **Patti Van Hooscar** has an original Hatti Carnegie suit. It is double breasted.

Even with spring, we still have those cold mornings. How about **Altha Paul's** pea-jacket to keep out the cold. **Marian Schaefer** and **Louise Brundage** keep their ears warm with fuzzy white earmuffs.

A cute idea is **Joan Raphael's** habit of matching all her sweaters and hair-ribbons with tricky little earrings. Novel, isn't it?

—By Jeanne Hall.

University of West Virginia radio plans include programs to be broadcast simultaneously over WAJR, Morgantown, and WMMN, Fairmont.

# Shoe Prospects Brighter; Heels Still in Order

By M. M. ELLSWORTH

Remember way back when? . . . when buying new shoes was the event of the season and you walked down the street breaking your neck to see the shiny new toes? . . . Well, last year at this time, with only one ration coupon, the shoe purchase was just as important . . . if for different reasons.

Today the situation has changed for the better . . . Shoe manufacturers have used their imaginations and dreamed up shoes outwardly as good looking as those of pre-war days and inwardly as patriotic as war bonds . . . no critical materials used.

### Aspect Brighter

We were told last spring that from then on only black, brown, and white shoes would be made . . . Today we can have non-rationed shoes in any color of your wardrobe.

We were told high heels were out . . . Today heels can be found high as high . . . and no coupons asked . . . things are looking up.

Play shoes that double for dating can be bought for a song (and no coupons) in any color . . . heelless and toeless, ankle straps, ties . . . and a dozen other styles.

From south of the border they're still sending us the ever-faithful huarache . . . as comfortable and sturdy as a booth at the "Side" . . . all leather and not rationed.

Sandals, pumps, the new ankle strap . . . all non-rationed . . . for dress . . . are the answer to wartime shoe problems . . . they're practical, colorful, and have nine lives in their plastic soles.

For that one and only coupon, if you need campus shoes, it's Oscar Austad's new wooden shoe with the black and white cow hide uppers . . . or the old faithful golf shoe made for April showers with a wooden sole.

No coed's wardrobe is complete without the ever-loved saddle . . . all white this year . . . and better than ever . . . rationed . . . but well worth your stamp.



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