

**La-de-da...**

# Surprising Remarks Uttered by Faculty, Wives at Sunday Afternoon Tea

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The Emerald is now up in high campus society.

We have just crashed the Sunday afternoon faculty tea, an exclusive affair for faculty members, wives and graduate students. We heard business professors talk about business, graduate students talk about professors and wives talk about hats and how lovely each other looked.

A professor's wife admonished her husband to please not drop his cup, as he did during an earlier tea, and embarrass them both.

A graduate student was overheard to say: "If professors would only look at the student point of view... but most of them live so far in the past they can't interpret their lectures in terms of the present." No names mentioned.

**Faculty Viewpoint**

Then there was the faculty point of view:

"I can't understand why some students come to college," said one bespectacled gentleman. "They are more interested in who will win the football game than in who will win the war." No mention of basketball.

Another professor had something to say about freshman girls. He called them overgrown high school freshmen.

We shook hands with the President.

"We've met before, haven't we," said Mr. Newburn. We wondered if he flattered all the students that way. We had the honor before, however.

The sandwiches were delicious, dainty as they were.

A professor's wife complimented another professor's wife on how lovely the latter's hat looked. The reply was, "My you look younger every day, dear."

About women's hats. Some were dandies. The wide-brimmed one which was knocked out of place every time the wearer brushed it against a man's broad shoulders was the most curious.

Also overheard: A foreign student complain about the Oregon weather.

A business professor explain corporate income tax to a bewildered graduate student.

A worried professor's complaint that his students weren't comprehending his lectures on the theory

of something or another.

**Attendance Record**

We learned that Sunday's turnout at the tea broke all previous attendance. The supply of sandwiches caused some concern, but turned out to be adequate. Maybe they knew we were coming.

An economics professor of our acquaintance questioned our graduate student standing. Having just barely reached senior standing, we had to let him in on the secret.

In any event, although the faculty-grad student affair has been honored by our presence, we are still speaking to all our undergraduate friends.

John Straub was hired by the University in 1878 as a tutor in Greek and modern languages. He was the only faculty member who had not previously taught in some Oregon college and was the youngest of the six members on the staff. He remained at Oregon until 1930. John Straub dormitory for men is named after him.

A Texas hen laid 304 eggs in 377 days just like a Broadway show season.

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All movies are a gamble says a producer. Those that win always do so on a full house.

Girls have now gone from ice skating to roller skating or dancing, in order to sit this one out.

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