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## The Sinner's Graduation

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Once in a damp but otherwise rather pleasant forest located somewhat south of Highway 99, there lived an assortment of animals, including a large, furry animal called an Administration; a small, uncombed animal classified as an Undergraduate; and a strange, belligerent animal known as the Sinner. The Sinner had originally been known as the Senior; time and reputation had altered the word.

These three animals lived in a more or less neighborly fashion, grubbing about under stones and logs for small morsels of Knowledge and Good Times, which comprised their diet. If one could have chosen which of the animals one was to be, one would have chosen to be the Administration. The Administration was the largest and furiest, and was usually thought of as Boss. Certainly one would never have chosen to be the Undergraduate; not if one had ever seen the Undergraduate, even from a distance.

And probably one would not have chosen to be the Sinner. The Sinner was a great problem to everyone, everyone being the other two animals.

At first everyone tried not to notice the strange way the Sinner was acting, outrageous as it was. To begin with, the Sinner began refusing to do its Part. Just what one's part was in this forest no one quite knew, but everyone did agree that one should do one's Part. One morning the Sinner refused to get up at seven. At ten it said a bad word to the Undergraduate, who attempted to rouse it.

At one p.m. it shambled over to where the Administration and the Undergraduate were just finishing off a really nice snack of Knowledges and Good Times which they had gathered, and complained about there not being anything to eat.

"The early bird gets the Knowledge," remonstrated the Administration, gently.

"Early to bed and early to rise," began the Undergraduate obnoxiously, but before it could finish the Sinner took its paw and shoved it into the Undergraduate's mouth. It was quite impolite.

Later that week the Sinner had some shattering experience with the opposite sex, and the Undergraduate and the Administration began to find empty brown battles strewn about labeled "Heart-balm." On Saturday night the Sinner sat up all night, carousing, surrounded by bottles of Heart-balm, singing what only the Sinner could have thought was a song.

Finally it became Too Much for everyone. The Undergraduate and the Administration had a board meeting, and the Administration, as chairman of the board, appointed itself a Standing Committee to Investigate the Unfortunate Behavior of the Sinner, and Report Tomorrow. There was another board meeting Tomorrow, which was as it happened the next day.

When the meeting got as far as Committee Reports, and Administration rose grandly. The Undergraduate clapped.

"I have been considering this matter very seriously," said the Administration.

"Hear, hear!" shouted the Undergraduate enthusiastically.

"And I recommend to this body that it is time to get rid of—er, encourage the Sinner to go Elsewhere." And at this time the Undergraduate gave the Administration a Standing Ovation, which fairly shook the forest.

"Therefore, as chairman of this committee I move that the Sinner be given a Diploma, in lieu of an invitation to Green Pastures." And after the Undergraduate and the Administration had passed the motion, and had had a small parade around and around a tree, the Administration sat down and scrawled "B. A." on a piece of bark with its toenail.

That night, the Administration and the Undergraduate approached the Sinner, who was just about to open another bottle of Heart-balm, and presented it with the Diploma. The Sinner looked at it, upside down, and after coughing politely the Administration read it to the Sinner, and gave a short speech on its Significance.

A strange light came into the Sinner's eyes, and for a moment it looked almost pleasant. Then, carrying to bottle if Heart-balm in its teeth, it walked out of the forest toward San Francisco. The Undergraduate and the Administration accompanied it to the edge of the forest, whistling "Pomp and Circumstance."

After that, everything was different. Everyone (everyone was still just two) did his Part. No one sat around all night carousing and drinking Heart-balm. No one got up at noon and wondered why all the Knowledges were eaten.

But for all that, it was rather lonely. The Undergraduate went to visit the Administration, and on weekends the Administration went to visit the Undergraduate; and they had parties, of a sort. But on quiet evenings the Administration would wander to the road and look sadly down toward San Francisco, and wonder; and the Undergraduate would climb a particularly tall tree from which he thought he could see the lights of San Francisco (it was really only Drain), and he would wonder, too.

And every once in a while they would get together and have just a small sip of Heart-balm, in remembrance of the Sinner, B.A.

## Service Group Holds Initiation

Twenty sophomore women were initiated Thursday into Phi Theta Upsilon, junior women's service honorary. Officers for next year were elected.

New Phi Theta officers are Shirley Wendt, president; Sue Fuller, vice-president; Sylvia Wingard, treasurer; Yvonne Holm, secretary, and Janet Wick, historian.

Initiated into the honorary were Donna Trebbe, Rosemary Hampton, Laura Sturges, Mary Wilson,

Lois Powell, Nan Mimnaugh, Bobbette Gilmore, Nancy Randolph, Gloria Lee, Marian Cass, Jackie Wardell, Dorothy Kopp, Ann Blackwell, Tina Fisk, Mary Whitaker, Miss Wendt, Miss Holm, Miss Wick, Miss Wingard and Miss Fuller.

Initiation took place at the Delta Gamma house, with a banquet at the Lynwood cafe after the ceremony for the old and new honorary members.

## Suede Tall Tales KWAX Feature

Prof. Ned Suede of the University anthropology department will tell of his latest adventures in the Amazon tonight on Lem-on Punch, according to KWAX announcer Thorne Briar. The show, which will be heard at 6:15, was recorded in South America where Suede went in search of 8 foot tall Amazon women for the University's hockey team.

Suede received his BA at Co-burg City college and then did further study at North Goshen Tech where he received his L.L.D., PhD and 3-D. One of Suede's achievements is the translation of the native tom-toms. During the recording, he translates a very mysterious message pertaining to the use of Feenamint. Suede also tells about the perils of the trip and how he was very lucky in not losing more than 18 native boys a day on the expedition.

## Local Gleemen To Sing Tonight

The Eugene Gleemen, directed by Theodore Kratt, dean of the school of music, will appear in their annual concert for associate members in the music school auditorium at 8:15 p.m. tonight.

The special concert, which is not open to the public, will consist of request numbers sent in by the members.

In addition to Kratt and Stacey Green, associate professor of music, who is accompanist for the group, there are a number of University alumnae and faculty members singing with the Gleemen.

## Mrs. Carlson Head Of Oregon Mothers

Mrs. C. Elmer Carlson, Portland, has been elected president of the Oregon Mothers club for the coming year. She succeeds Mrs. John Caughell, Salem.

Mrs. M. N. Dielschneider, The Dalles, was elected vice-president of the organization. Other officers elected at the annual meeting of the organization include Mrs. F. Douglas Wright, Portland, secretary; Mrs. W. D. Miller, Klamath Falls, treasurer; Mrs. James T. Walton, Salem, financial secretary; and Mrs. Manning Barber, Eugene, corresponding secretary.

The new board of directors will include Mrs. Roy Perry, Mrs. Frederick Hartung, Mrs. R. J. Jones, and Mrs. E. Stanley Goodell, all of Portland; Mrs. Homer Parrish, Oswego; Mrs. Kenneth Moore, Mrs. Dean Micklewait and Mrs. Melvin Gustafson, all of Eugene; Mrs. Douglas White, Coos Bay; Mrs. W. W. Wilkins, La Grande; Mrs. F. Clinton Hart, North Bend; Mrs. Charles Briggs, Roseburg; and Mrs. John Carson and Mrs. Ralph Hamilton, both of Salem.

Local chapter presidents named included Mrs. C. L. Badgely, Portland; Mrs. O. K. Burrell, Eugene; Mrs. Melvin Alvey, Coos Bay; Mrs. Lowell Kaup, Klamath Falls; Mrs. Marie Wilkins, LaGrande; Mrs. Milton Nou, Lakeview; Mrs. George Vawter, Lebanon; Mrs. Charles Briggs, Roseburg; Mrs. T. R. Hobart, Salem; and Mrs. H. Wright, San Francisco.

## Unusual Corsages Required For Ball

Corsages will be mandatory for men attending the Mortar Board Ball Saturday, according to Phyllis Pearson, traditions chairman. A prize will be awarded for the most outlandish specimen during the intermission, Miss Pearson reports.

The women are to make the corsages for their escorts. Suggested themes for the corsages include something in line with the man's interests, personality, or chosen occupation. Size is also of importance.

Tickets for the dance are on sale now at the Co-op and at the Student Union for \$1.80, according to Lloydene Hurt, tickets chairman. They will also be available at all women's living organizations and at the door.

## Irrigation 'Feed Lines' Installed

The recently-installed pipe running north and south along the walk between the journalism and science buildings and across 13th Ave. is one of the main feed lines for the campus irrigation system, according to W. U. Olsen, physical plant engineer.

The new cast-iron permanent pipe will replace a light-weight temporary pipe purchased as war surplus after World War II. In the near future, two four-inch feed

lines will be installed to aid in the irrigation of the old campus.

## History Lecture Due Tomorrow

Gordon Wright, head of the history department, will speak on "The State of France" in the Student Union browsing room Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

A specialist in French political history, Wright spent 1950-51 in France studying French peasant politics. From 1945 to 1947 he was vice-consul and third secretary of the American embassy in Paris with special duties as a political analyst. During 1944 he was retained by the state department as a specialist on France.

Discussion leader for the talk will be Chandler Beall, professor of romance languages.

## 3 UO Coeds Run For Miss Eugene

Three University coeds entered in the Junior Chamber of Commerce-sponsored "Miss Eugene" contest are Joice Balch, Loanne Morgan and Jean Singleton.

Competing against two Eugene residents, Kathleen Edmunds and Evelyn Devereaux, the girls will attend a Junior Chamber of Commerce luncheon late this month, be interviewed over KUGN Friday on the "Black and Blue" show and enter the city finals on June 4 at the McDonald theater.

Miss Balch, a junior in liberal arts from Longview, Wash., is sponsored by Kaufman's, with Russell's sponsoring Loanne Morgan, a Eugene sophomore in speech. Jean Singleton of Bakersfield, Cal., is a freshman majoring in art.

Winner of the "Miss Eugene" contest will compete for the title of "Miss Oregon" at Seaside on June 17-19.

In 1913, Oregon's Sigma Delta Chi chapter became the first professional honorary fraternity on the campus, the second chapter on the coast, and the thirteenth in the nation.

### MR. HUGH HARDYMAN

of the Southern California Peace Crusade, businessman, author and lecturer, American delegate to the Asian and Pacific Regions Peace conference held in Peking, China in Oct., 1952, will give a public lecture at . . .

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#### Wednesday, May 20th

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