

Visitor Discusses Origins of Oxford

The Very Reverend D. P. Callus, of the universities of Oxford and London, wound up a two day visit to the university by lecturing in the Student Union Browning Room Wednesday night.

Speaking on "The University and the Colleges of Oxford," Callus told the listening group that "our information about the origins of the University of Oxford is at present very meager. We simply do not know exactly how it was started."

It did have a renowned legal school by the middle of the twelfth century, he said. And by the middle of the next century,

he stated, "there was a great tradition already established in law, theology, philosophy, and in the sciences."

Dwelling on Oxford's great scientific tradition, Callus cited Robert Grosseteste, the University's first chancellor, as perhaps its most influential founder.

The books of Grosseteste, left to his close friend and contemporary scholar, Adam Marsh, upon his death, contributed largely to the university, said Callus. Roger Bacon, he added, attributed much to the help he received from these manuscripts.

Callus also showed slides of the University, among them one of a building dating back to pre-Norman times and still in good condition.

Callus was introduced by Professor of History Quirinus Breen, who also led the post-lecture discussion.

Fete Pairings, Themes Set

Living organization pairings and themes for the Canoe Fete were announced Wednesday for the annual parade of floats on the millrace is "Styles in Sound." The Fete is scheduled for May 17.

Pairings and type of music which will be portrayed are as follows: Queen's Float—Campbell Club, Zeta Tau Alpha and Ordes; Classical—Theta Chi, Sigma Kappa, Philadelphia House, Carson 2 and 3.

Dixieland—Sigma Phi Epsilon, Gamma Phi Beta and Alpha Xi Delta; Old Time Favorites—Phi Delta Theta, Delta Delta Delta and Sigma Alpha Mu; Broadway Shows—Pi Kappa Phi, Beta Theta Pi and Kappa Alpha Theta.

Jazz—Sigma Nu, Pi Kappa Sigma and Kappa Kappa Gamma; Futuristic—Alpha Omicron Pi, Alpha Tau Omega and Highland House; Novelty—Alpha Chi Omega, Phi Gamma Delta and Pi Kappa Alpha.

Oriental—Chi Omega, Chi Psi and Hale Kane; Primitive—Delta Upsilon, Delta Gamma and Tau Kappa Epsilon; Light Opera—Sigma Chi, Alpha Delta Pi and Lambda Chi Alpha; Calypso—Ann Judson, Pi Beta Phi and Pi Kappa Psi.

Spiritual—Alpha Hall, Delta Zeta and Rebec House; South America—Alpha Gamma Delta, Delta Tau Delta and University House; Western—Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Alpha Phi and Kappa Sigma.

Subchairmen Jobs Open for Weekend

Petitions for subchairmen of the Junior Weekend Luncheon are due Friday at 5 p.m. on the third floor of the Student Union, according to Nora Walsh and Betty Bullock, luncheon co-chairmen.

Positions open include sub-chairman of food, tickets, decorations, arrangements, program and cleanup.

Letters

(Continued from page two) alternative service to the community. This service takes two forms:

1. I-A-O classification, which means non-combatant service in the Army. This is usually in the Army Medical Service—an opportunity to be shot at without shooting anyone.

2. I-O classification, which means a civilian service. This man performs two years of service to the community in a state hospital or an agency of national or international welfare. It may be overseas.

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Gordon Writes Story To Appear in Bulletin

A story titled "A Question of Style," by Robert C. Gordon, associate professor of English, has been selected to appear in the Spring 1957 edition of the American Association of University Professors' Bulletin.

The short story concerns an English professor who attempts to reform a special scientist's jargon usage of the English language.

Women's Rush To Open Monday

All women interested in rushing will have the rushing rules explained to them in the dorms this week. Open rush will begin in nine University sororities Monday, and will extend throughout spring term.

Sororities which may pledge new members are Alpha Delta Pi, Alpha Gamma Delta, Alpha Omicron Pi, Gamma Phi Beta, Sigma Kappa, Delta Zeta, Delta Delta Delta, Alpha Xi Delta and Zeta Tau Alpha.

Hawk Defends

(Continued from page one) the fraternities and sororities," Hawk said, emphasizing that the University had diverted men from dormitories to help fraternity membership problems, had purchased one fraternity's property to keep the house from "going under" and had allowed freshman men to live in the Jewish fraternity (Sigma Alpha Mu) one spring term to help "keep the house solvent."

McClain Adds Defense

Don McClain, president of the University Inter-fraternity Council, also spoke in defense of the deferred living program and maintained that in his four years as a University student and fraternity member he had seen no evidence of "unfair" treatment to fraternities by the administration.

The 1949 Homecoming, according to Emerald files, featured a "Deferred Living—NO!" chant at the Oregon-OSC game, distribution of cartoons portraying the administration as a dictatorship with the caption "Deferred Living is Undemocratic" and a number of Homecoming signs straying from the "Beat OSC" theme to emphasize "Can the Plan."

The "Plan" referred to was the deferred living program advanced by Donald DuShane, director of Student Affairs, in 1949. Student reaction developed around a complaint that the plan had been put through "without adequate representation of houses and dorms" and reached a peak in the 1949 Homecoming Weekend.

Prof Describes

(Continued from page one) Robinson continued that it isn't true that property values decline when Negroes move into a neighborhood.

"What makes them decline," he declared, "is that the White people get panicky and move out."

Need Government Support

Dr. William D. Morrow, Portland, said "many real estate dealers would like to alter their practices, but first they need the support of the government."

Robinson said that in Salem, a Negro can't find a place to live. Representing the National Assn. for the Advancement of Colored People, Lorna Marple, legislative chairman, said:

"The biggest problem and the worst blot on Oregon's civil rights is the difficulty minorities have to obtain good housing at fair prices."

Slalom Plans Set For Ski Meeting

Ski quacks will meet tonight at 6:30 in the Student Union to discuss final plans for the Mud Cup Slalom, according to President Dick Wood.

The Mud Cup Slalom will be held April 7, at Hoodoo Ski Bowl in the Santiam Pass. An entrance fee of \$1.50 will be charged all participants in the races, excluding Ski Quack members.

Other schools entering into the activities of the day include OSC, Portland State College, Willamette University, and various Oregon high schools.

Dick Wood also mentioned that a Technicolor movie featuring

Donner Pass in California will be shown at the meeting. He has extended an invitation to all interested persons to attend.

Zonta, Quota Offer Awards to Women

Any women interested in the full-fee scholarships offered by Zonta and Quota clubs may obtain applications at Mrs. Golda Wickham's office in Emerald hall. The final day for returning applications is April 1.

Tell Them Where You Saw Their Ads



NOW YOU CAN BE YOUNGER THAN SHE IS!

It's a scientific fact that girls reach emotional maturity earlier than boys. For this reason freshman girls decline to make romantic alliances with freshman boys.

Thus, the freshman boys are left dateless, and many's the night the entire freshman dorm sobs itself to sleep. An equally damp situation exists among upper-class girls. With upperclassmen being snapped up by freshman girls, the poor upper-class girls are reduced to dreary, manless evenings of Scrabble and home permanents.

There is a solution for this morbid situation—a very simple solution. Why don't the two great have-not groups find solace with one another?

True, there is something of an age differential, but that need not matter. Take the case of Albert Payson Sigafos and Eustacia Vye.

Albert Payson, a freshman in sand and gravel at Vanderbilt University, was walking across campus one day, weeping softly in his loneliness. Blinded by tears, he stumbled upon the supine form of Eustacia Vye, a senior in wicker and raffia, who was collapsed in a wretched heap on the turf.



"Why don't you watch where you're going, you squirt?" said Eustacia peevishly.

"I'm sorry, lady," said Albert Payson and started to move on. But suddenly he stopped, struck by an inspiration. "Lady," he said, "you're miserable because you can't get a date. So am I. So why don't we date each other?"

"Surely you jest!" cried Eustacia, looking with scorn upon his youthful head and body.

"Oh, I know I'm younger than you are," said Albert Payson, "but that doesn't mean we can't find many splendid things to do together."

"Like what?" asked Eustacia.

"Well," said Albert Payson, "we could get a third and play some one-o-cat."

"Bah!" said Eustacia, grinding her teeth.

"All right then," said Albert Payson, "we could go down to the pond and skip some stones and maybe catch a few frogs."

"Ugh!" said Eustacia, shuddering her entire length.

"How about some run-sheep-run?" he suggested.

"You are callow, green, and immature," said Eustacia, "and I will thank you to absent yourself at once!"

Sighing, Albert Payson lit a cigarette and started away.

"Stay!" cried Eustacia.

"Was that," she asked, "a Philip Morris you just lit?"

"What else?" said Albert Payson.

"Then you are not immature!" she cried, clasping him to her clavicle. "For to smoke Philip Morris is the very essence of wisdom, incontrovertible proof that you know rich, natural pleasure from pale, poor substitutes! Albert Payson, I am yours!"

And today they are married and run one of the biggest wicker and raffia establishments in Blue Earth, Minnesota.

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