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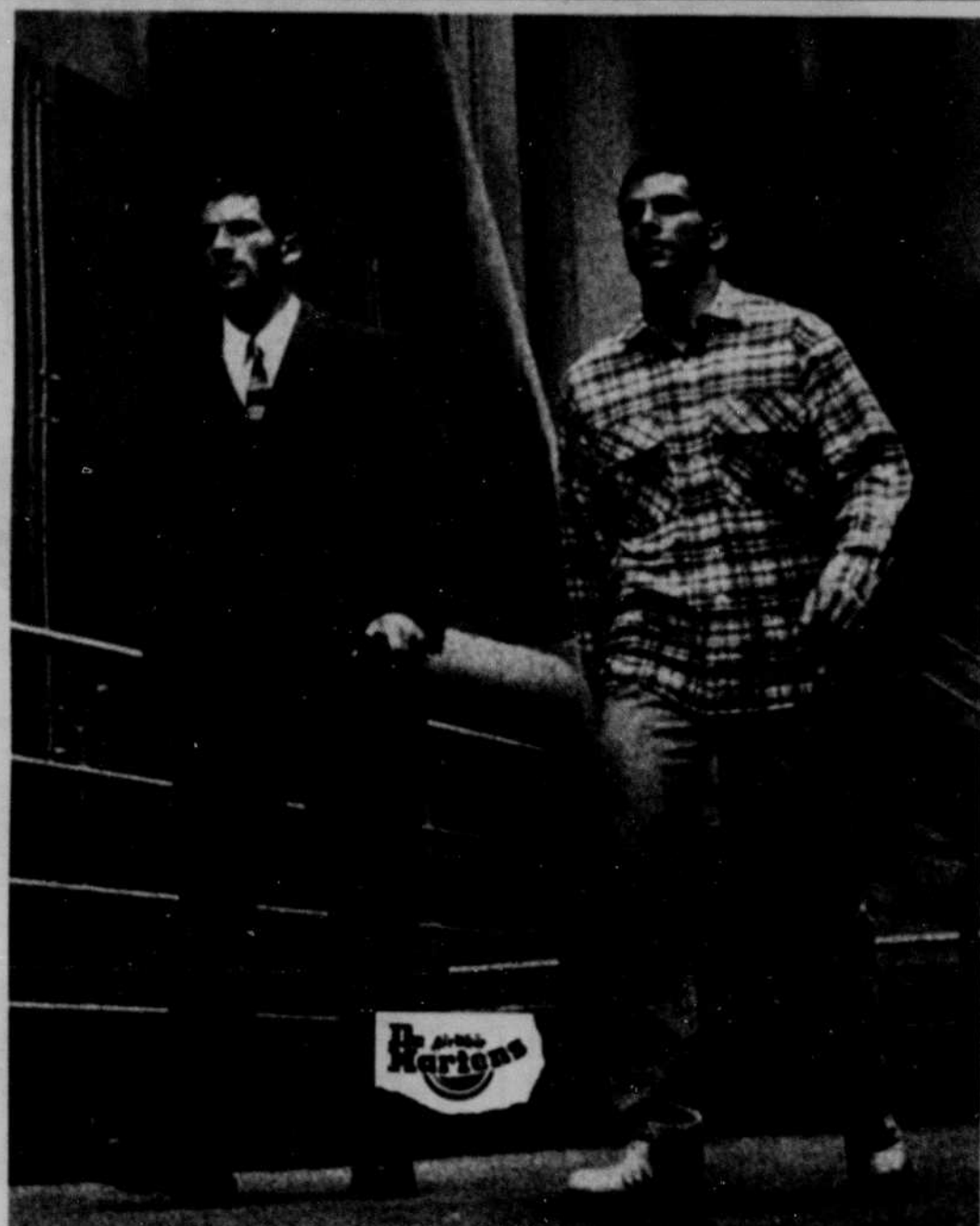
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Have you considered changing the direction of your life, wondered whether behaviors and/or coping strategies you have acquired are enhancing or diminishing your daily experiences or long-term goals? Have you been interested in finding options for creating healthy relationship dynamics, achieving and maintaining a sense of well-being?

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Oregon recruit invited to try for U.S. team

Jenny Mowe, the Oregon women's basketball team's most decorated recruit is one of 25 high school juniors and seniors who has been invited to the 1996 USA Women's Junior National Team Trials, USA Basketball released Tuesday.

Mowe, a 6-foot 6-inch center from Powers, and the state of Oregon's 1A Player of the Year, is one of 19 Parade All-Americans and nine USA Today High School All-Americans invited to the trials. Only four invitees are from west of the state of Texas, with all four headed to Pac-10 schools.

The trials will take place June 20 to 23 at the U.S. Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs, Colo. To be eligible for the USA Junior World Championship Qualifying Team, an athlete must be currently 18 years old or younger (born on or after Jan. 1, 1978).

Following the trials, the team will reassemble Aug. 6 in Colorado Springs to prepare for the COPABA Women's Junior World Championships Qualifying Tournament that will be played Aug. 27 to Sept. 3 in Cancun, Mexico.

Rene Portland, head women's coach at Penn State University, will coach the USA National Junior Team.

Women's track team signs four top recruits

A trio of Oregon high school state champions and a Washington state meet scorer are among four women who signed national letters of intent with Oregon according to the Ducks' head coach Tom Heinonen.

Hilary Holly, a three-time state champion from Woodburn High School, heads the list,

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which also includes 1996 Oregon state high school pole-vault winner Karina Elstrom and 1995 champion Holly Speight.

In addition, the Oregon women have signed Kirkland, Wash., standout Maureen Morrison, who finished second in the state 4A discus and fourth in the Washington state meet's shot put.

Holly captured the Oregon 3A 100-meter title each of the past two years in addition to claiming the long jump crown as a junior.

She also gained second-place finishes in the long jump and triple jump her final prep season and placed third in this year's 200-meters.

She has accumulated personal bests of 12.16 in the 100-meters, 25.5 in the 200, 18-7 3/4 in the long jump and 37-0 in the triple jump.

Elstrom established the 4A state meet pole vault record of 11-4 in winning the event two weeks ago for McMinnville High School after finishing second last season. She established her personal record of 11-6 as a junior.

Speight, whose personal best in the pole vault is 11-6, was this year's 4A state runner-up for Salem's Sprague High School after claiming the state championship in 1995.

Morrison accumulated personal records of 152-7 in the discus and 41-10 in the shot put at Lake Washington High School this year.

The women's pole vault has yet to be added to the list of events at the collegiate level but is scheduled to be contested at the 1997 World Championships and the 2000 Olympic Games.

DeYoung: Sports writing had good, bad moments

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There was nothing that the editorial page could publish that was on my side. On the other hand, only one of the hate letters I received was good enough to publish.

On the bottom of one letter, it actually said "Written and edited in a 50-minute lecture." I guess the guy assumed this would impress me. It didn't.

There was only one e-mail I considered to be well-written, and it wasn't even from a student.

After I wrote a column saying Oregon would never be a sports powerhouse, a coach made sure to write to me to say "Save your unwarranted opinions for another medium and promote our program instead of dismantling it."

I had really respected what she said until I came to this line. I realize the Emerald is partially funded by student fees, but that money is not even enough to cover our printing costs.

Our paper may be student run, but our goal is to write about what goes on around campus, not dedicate the pages to putting the University of Oregon on a pedestal.

If someone at the Register-Guard had written a similar

column, would this coach have been so irritated?

But despite all my recent controversy, being a woman on the sports staff has not been all that bad.

During basketball season, Jerry Green once exited the post-game interview room while saying "Thanks guys and gal." Since I was the only woman in the room, I assumed I was the gal.

I have been in the middle of big, crushing crowds during post-game interviews and had men offer to hold my tape recorder for me. I declined because I didn't want to seem like someone who couldn't handle the crowd, but it was a nice offer.

This past year has been interesting, to say the least. Either I'm a masochist, or I had a good time because I'll be back next year.

So if you hate me and my opinions, you might want to avoid the Emerald for another year. If I am still on your good side, I guess I have another year to piss you off.

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