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STUDENT LIBERTY

When college students talk about personal liberty they don't know how much they really have. Below is a description of life at Oxford University as related in the Christian Science Monitor a short time

ago by an American student. The contrast between student life there and at Ne braska for instance is quite marked.

When it is remembered that Oxford University has produced more great men than any other institution in the English-speaking world it will be readily admitted that its customs merit at least casual consideration. Whether the regulations described below have been instrumental in any way in helping Oxford produce great men would probably be hard to demonstrate. But it is interesting to note at least that the students attending Oxford, and the graduates who control its affairs, have seen fit to maintain a strict system of discipline and regulation, quite in contrast with the freedom in American and continental universities.

My First Term at Oxford By An American Student

Seven years an American newspaper man and s graduate of an American college, I was wholly unprepared for the rules which unfolded themselves in one startling disclosure after another when I began residence at Oxford University, England, to work for a master's degree.

The first, or Michaelmas, term gave me the opportunity of studying the Oxford system of student regulation in actual working. As I began to be a part of the life of this great university and to live within the rules which seem so drastic, so sweeping on paper, I realized that the Oxford system of discipline, though founded on models centuries old, is none the less a live, growing thing of today. Perhaps it even explains why Oxford is able to control its thousands of students and to turn out men whose exploits have added names to the index of history.

The Oxford commandments are the following: I must not loiter in the streets, at the coffee stalls, or at the stage doors of theaters. I must not attend any public race meeting. I may not take the chair or

speak at any open-air meeting of a political nature, without special leave of the proctors. These proctors are the two police officers of the university. They are usually officials of one of the colleges.

I like to dance. But woe unto me. For I may not give a dance in a public room. I may not attend public subscription dances in or near Oxford. I may not attend private dances given in public rooms, except by written leave of the proctors. I may not, under any circumstances attend afternoon tea dances. If I did not know how to dance and wanted to learn, I could not take instruction in dancing, except from teachers licensed by the proctors.

England, you know, has no prohibition, and one can get all corts of liquor if one has all sorts of shillings and pence. But I may not visit the bar of any hotel, restaurant or public house, or use the lounge or other rooms of such places as a bar. I may dine only at restaurants or hotels approved by the proctors. I may not give a dinner party in any restaurant or hotel except by written leave of my college dean and the

Back in the States I drove various motorcars at various times. But here, during my first year at the university, I may not own or drive or hire an automo bile. Next year I may own a car, but I cannot drive it unless a proctorial license has first been issued to me. Even then I may not hire a machine for longer than an hour or take it farther from Oxford than five miles, without special leave from the college dean, and even when such leave is granted I must hire the car from a garage licensed by the proctors.

Several months before I arrived at Oxford I re ceived at my home in Cincinnati an announcement printed in large red letters informing me that I would not be permitted a machine at Oxford during my first year here. This applies also to a motorcyile.

Mixed social life I have found a negative factor at Oxford. In the States I was accustomed to a weekly round of social parties, and naturally I looked for a continuance of them here. But no. For parties of men and women undergraduates may not be held unless each woman undergraduate has previously obtained leave from the head of her college. And this leave is not given for mixed parties in motion picture houses unless there are at least two women in the party.

I have not been permitted to go on a motor ride with a woman undergraduate unless she has previously obtained the permission of her college dean and has another young woman with her, who has likewise secured such permission. I dare not, under any circumstances, enter the rooms of a woman undergraduate. She may come into my rooms, but only after a special leave has been obtained from the principal of her colege, and then she must have a woman companion with

If I desire to form a little social club of men and venuen undergraduates, the principals of the women's ocieties would first have to give me permission. And If I desired to hold a meeting of the group in a men's flage I would have to secure the written permission of he dran of the college, and then at least two women

All undergraduate clubs to which I belong must registered with the proctors. Our secretary is re red to supply each term to the junior proctor the of the officers and members of committees, the need of the undergraduate members and any other inon the processy may want to know.

dale such as are caused every once in a while States by the publication of questionable college to the animality obvious by the rule that every tal experied or edited by undergraduates must a toric with the prostors and the names of the respectible supplied each term to the junior proctor. A copy of each number, as issued, must be sent to the junior proctor.

I am allowed to be present only at those entertain ments or theaters in Oxford which have received the vice-chancellor's license. Late hours are an impossibility. If I am not inside the college gate by ten o'clock I am fined; after eleven I am fined an increased amount. If I am not inside by twelve o'clock I will probably be "sent down," which means suspension for a term, or even expulsion. I may, of course, climb over the ten or twelve foot wall, but this is sometimes an extremely uncomfortable alternative. After nine o'clock I must wear a gown on the streets to distinguish me from the ple theater at 11 o'clock. Much in- Lincoln junior chamber of commerce, you not covet the permission of

I have now lived with these rules for one term. I thought them strict at first. They discourage many forms of social life. They take the joy out of proximity to London. They restrict many diversions. But I have gradually seen these rules become a very intelligent group of pieces of fatherly advice to sons who are living away from home.

They may be strict, but they are none the less wise. They may seem stifling to the all-around development of the student, but in reality they are inspirational to his development along the right lines.

University students, we notice, are raising money to be used in China for the purpose among other things of obliterating that old custom of binding women's feet. Our cub reporter suggests such bandages might well be removed from feminine China's pedal extremeties, and placed over their mouths.

AG CLUB

The move to consolidate the department clubs of the College of Agriculture into one greater Ag Club, expresses another desire for less organization in the University. Its supporters feel that it is a move to take some of the "lost motion" and at the same time accomplish the same things through the unified effort of all men in the college. A similar organization of departmental clubs may be found in the College of Engineering, although this movement has not taken that as their example.

Opposition is expected of course. A few possibly feel that their influence may be less in the larger organization. Others think that Ag Club must have a more definite program before it can ask other clubs to

become a part of it. The future of Ag Club depends upon its ability sity of Oklahoma broadcasting stato life itself from the rut into which it has fallen. Since tion, will have their first opportunity the responsibility of Farmer's Fair has been taken away, Friday night, March 11, to pass judgit has had no definite program to follow. It has al- ment on a radio debate heard through ways awarded the judging team medals to men who the "Voice of Soonerland." The represented the University in intercollegiate contests, teams of the Kansas State Agriculbut this might just as well be done by the clubs of the tural college and the University of departments represented if that is the only purpose Oklahoma will go on the air at 8 of the Agricultural Club.

The whole question seems to be whether or not nine days in which to send in their it is possible for Ag Club to function to the interest of decisions on the results of the conall the departments within each college. The solution test. lies in the cooperation of each club in its attempt to All ballots must be in the hands of find a satisfactory plan which will be to the interests of T. M. Beaird, radio director, on or the whole college.

TOO LONG AND NO NAME

A 15 hundred word Campus Pulse contribution nounced as soon as they are detersigned only with initials was left on the editor's desk mined. The Sooners will be represen-Monday afternoon. If the author will claim it and boil ted in the encounter by Leonard Savit down to within hailing distance of the 3 hundred word age, McAlester; Leonard Sibel, Oklalimit, the letter will be published.

In Other Columns

Hell hath no fury like the woman so popular every- schedule.

body thought it was no use to ask her. -The Daily Texan

The Decline of Oratory On the campuses of most colleges and universities oratory is kept alive by artificial means, such as the out the country, the idea only reawarding of prizes and the engraving of names on plaques. At present among college students there is even less interest in oratory than there is in debating. question to be debated will be "Re-

The reasons for the decline of the art of Demos- solved: That congress should pass thenes and Webster in the days of Hearst and Marconi legislation embodying the principles are not hard to find. In spite of what we may call con- of the McNary-Haugen farm relief centration of economic population, there is a remark-bills." able diffusion of intellectual population. The radio and the newspaper have taken the place of the mass promptly at eight o'clock will be premeeting.

Furthermore, the youth of today is too far sub- to allow the radio fans to tune in on merged in realism to enjoy the concection of glowing the station. The wave length of phrases and luscious metaphores. Oratory is in a way WNAD is 254 meters. the poetic avoidance of calling a spade a spade and consists in idealization and ornamentation of a modicum of thought, all of which young people of today as a Talks of eating at the whole detest, or at least profess to detest.

-University of Colorado Silver and Gold

The Defferential Attitude Says Thea Grazella, Berlin newspaper woman, seeking "atmosphere" in America:

"Wherever I have gone, I have found a respectful even deferential attitude on the part of American husbands toward their wives."

The unsophisticated Berliner uses the wrong adjectives. The American husband is less deferential and Dinner-"When Do We Eat?" respectful than fearful and cringing. America has taught the world a lot of useful things,

but it has taught the American woman the use of the whip-hand-and that is probably Uncle Sam's greatest contribution to mankind, if any.

The American woman not only knows what she wants when she wants it-but she gets it!

The rush for economic supremacy in Americaand we speak of the so-called and widely-advertised congested centers of population-is not so much to satisfy a lust for the mere piling of gold and negotiable bonds as it is to obey the feminine impulse for power, more and more and more of it.

In America the favorite summer and winter pas time is "Keeping Up With The Joneses" and back of the Urge, dear Miss Grazella, stands the Woman. Nebraska City News-Press

There are a few instructors on the Hill who need a referee to call time for them when a class is over.

They sit placidly in their chairs, lecturing on, disregarding the warning of the whistle, the shuffle of feet in the hall as other students go to their classes and the fact that they are infringing upon the rights of every student in the room.

In the meantime, the victims slip to the edge of their chairs, guiltily put on coats, scarfs, and gloves and eagerly wait for that phrase, "You are dismissed."

Students hear little, if any, of the lecture that an instructor thrusts upon them after the whistle has blown. So the instructor gains nothing, is robbing the student of the allotted time between classes and is probably causing him to be late in another instructor's

If ten minutes were not a reasonable time to allow between classes, it would not have been accepted by the University senate. Of course, the instructor has the last word, that of handing in the grade, so students are at his mercy, but he hardly commands the respect of his students when he does a thing of that sort, and it is just as easy for him to acquire the habit of punctuality as for his students, from whom he expects

(To be continued)

1325 P

Lincoln Minister Gives Third of PROGRAM IS TODAY

Musical Program by Instructors in The School of Fine Arts Will Be Presented in Temple

by the large attendance of Fine Arts on the ministry as a vocation. students and many townspeople.

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Mendelssohn-"My Song Shall be Always Thy Mercy" from Hymn of Praise. Maunder-"The Blushing Fruits"

Augusta Upton and Homer Compton. Handel-"Where'er You Walk." Coleridge-Taylor-"Onaway Awake"

Debate Will Be Broadcast Over WNAD, Norman

lomer Compton.

Norman, Okla., March 7 .- (Special)-Radio fans of WNAD, Univero'clock, and the fans will be allowed

before March 20, it was announced. These ballots must be signed by the listeners and the results will be anhoma City; and Robert Harbison, Eldorado, while the Kaggies will send Forest Whan, George H. Davis, and Harold Hughes to uphold the colors of the Manhattan school. The debate is on the regular Missouri Valley

Tried for First Time

This is the first time in the history of the station trat a debate has been decided by WNAD listeners throughcently having been inaugurated by a Chicago broadcasting station. The

The debate, which is to begin ceded by ten minutes of announcing



A contributor to The Daily Nebraskan not long since pre-faced his (or her) complaint with the very pertinent inquiry, "When Do We Eat?"

It appears that a number of students who are employed part time as assistants or instructors paid in State warrants which are discounted at the banks at rates varying somewhat inversely to the amount of the warrant, the little fellows bearing the heaviest burden relatively.

It would seem that the adverb in the question quoted is not exact. "How Much Do We Eat"? would more nearly fit the facts. For if you go to the Central Cafe at 1325 P Street, you may eat at any time, night or day.

Of course, if your State warrant be discounted 3 per cent, then the answer to the amended question might be: "We can't eat more than 97 per cent."

It is deplorable that any servant of the State, or anyone else who renders service, should be paid in depreciated dollars-in dollars worth 97 or 98 or 99 cents in the market; but this is only a passing phenomenon and will be corrected in no great length of time.

However, the prices for food at the Central Cafe are so rea-sonable—when you consider the quality of the food and the ser-vice—that the discount on your State warrant can be recouped by eating there. Why not try it.

Vocational Guidance Radio Talks The Rev. Paul C. Johnston, minis-preacher is a sought-for companion

Monday afternoon. This was the third has entered and where I tried to be New Jersey. Wonder if they couldn't The Fine Arts weekly convocation ranged for high school tudents by street, to be a co-partner in the feliwill be held this morning in the Tem- the committee on education of the city of a wedding ceremony. Would terest is being taken in these convo-cooperating with the University of founding homes and stating the cations, an interest which is shown Nebraska. Reverend Johnston talked touths that lie so deep in the holy af-

The programs are mostly musical, in what association, past and present, You are building up the nation. You with talent by instructors in the School of Fine Arts. Following is the program:

In what association, past and present, any one who chooses the ministry as a calling casts himself. Men of the various fraternal orders point with our civilization rests. And then to just pride to those of their number exercise a spiritual overlordship of who have attained a famed promin- the family you helped to ordain, to ence. But what of the fraternal order bless its continuances, to baptize its of the Christian preachers of the centuries! What a gathering of minds! No king, nor emperor, nor people's idol ever ranked above the princes of the pulpit. Augustine built an African church; but his diocese was the world. And men from that day to from Song of Thanksgiving. Vera this have learned their spiritual letters at the feet of this mountain-

minded personality. "Other men, whose names are legion," the minister continued, "have from Hiawatha's Wedding Feast. graced the sacred rostrum through-Smith - "By Wandering Waters". out these centuries, and have built into themselves and their people noble aspirations and achievements. that only faith could compass. Does any young man seek a more resplendent fellowship? The world can dis play none like to it."

Reverend Johnston said that the

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ter of the Westminster Presbyterian "In doubt and perplexity, in joy and church of Lincoln, broadcast a radio in sorrow," he said, "I have often address from the University studio gone from a home into which death been introduced in the assembly of of the vocational guidance talks ar- an emissary of comfort, across the fection of those who pledge them-"Will you observe for one thing, selves at the altar of matrimony?

influence of a finer education and lofty purpose—who can discount that privilege?"

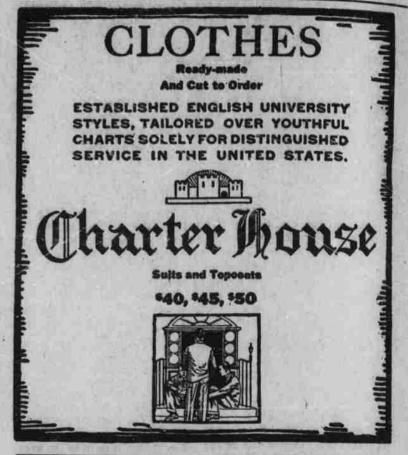
A bill to permit the throwing of hand grenades at saxophones has include a few other instruments?

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At other times departure is on hour and half hour, Last through from Lincoln 11:22 P. M. Last through from Uni Place 11:00 P. M. Sunday Service starts 1 hour later and discontinues 1 hour earlier

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