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SENIOR BALL TONIGHT

The Senior Ball! The big dance of the year. This will be the last dance together for many students. Music by the Red Bird's Orchestra. Know anybody that isn't going? I don't. Those on the Fellowship Committee for the dance are: Ian Thornton, Chr; George Gregory, Herb Inskip, Ray Clary, Ronald MacMillan, Melvin Pinkham, Vada Hall, Lois Cottrell, Helen McKeehan, Leno Koll, and Edwina Melanson.

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BACCALAUREATE SUNDAY

The Baccalaureate services for the graduates will be held Sunday, June 1, in the Presbyterian Church at 8 o'clock. Rev. C. E. Farrar will give the sermon. A program of vocal music will be given by the combined glee clubs under the direction of Miss Esther Sather. The numbers to be given are "Lift Up Your Heads"—Ashford, and "Gloria—Twelfth Mass"—Mozart. The graduates will wear their caps, and gowns, and will meet together before the services.

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NEW PRESIDENT WELCOMED

Mr. Arthur S. Gist, who will take office as president of the College on July 1, and who is now director of practice teaching at San Francisco State Teachers College, was welcomed by the faculty and students at a special assembly last Tuesday. Mr. Gist has had a great deal of experience in elementary school work; he is the author of "Elementary School Supervision", "Administration of Elementary Schools", and "Clarifying the Teacher's Problem". He should prove an ideal executive for Humboldt.

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SEE YOU TONIGHT AT THE SENIOR
BALL. RED BIRDS ORCHESTRA.

SENIOR BANQUET TONIGHT

With the Senior Banquet and the Senior Ball, a rather large evening is ahead for the graduates. The tentative program for the Banquet is:

Speech----Marjorie Harper
Speech----Miss Sholty
Piano Solo----Fae Clarke
Singing----Led by Miss Sather
Speech----Miss Herron
Solo----Helen McKeehan
Speech----Dr. Swetman

Homer Spellenberg will be toastmaster.

Committees for the Banquet are: Program committee, Teresa Giacomini, Chr; Helen McKeehan, Kenneth Brantly, Fern Cooper, Robert Hayes, Food Committee, Ella Kneeland, Chr; Geraldine Wilson, DeEtte Williams, Dorothy Smith, Alice Goff. Decoration committee, Ernestine Clendenen, Chr; Lynda Sleeper, Clifton Brandstetter, Alice Degnan, Ed Nix, Fae Clarke and Alvin Burns.

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ELECTION RESULTS

In a rather close final election, the following people were elected to Student Body offices for next year:

President, Glenn Waldner
Vice-president, Jimmie Spiering
Secretary, Mildred Moe
Publicity Manager, Wayne Keltner
Ed. of Control, Edith Carlson
Editor, Joe Stringfellow

Runners up were: Ethel Sweet, Evelyn Perry, Hazel Christensen, Karl Cooperrider, and Gail Clary.

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COMMENCEMENT JUNE SIXTH

The Commencement speaker has not yet been selected. Representing the graduates, Homer Spellenberg will speak on behalf of the Teachers College Students and Dorothy Johnson will speak for the Junior College students. Each graduate is entitled to reserve four seats. Tickets may be secured from Alta McElwain.

SENIOR PROGRAM

The feature attraction of the annual Senior Day program was the one-act comedy, "Town Hall Tonight". The characters were
 Spencer Trott, property man
 Alvin Burns
 Henry Hicks, Orchestra Leader,
 Homer Spellenberg
 J. Hanley Booth, Director
 Max Thornton
 Imogene, character actress,
 Marjorie Small
 Little Josephine, Child wonder,
 Esther Stewart

For the school, it is unfortunate that these people are graduating; the college will lose a lot of talent June 6. Other numbers on the program were: a violin solo by Lois Hepler and a girls quartette. There were just three members on the quartette, Lois Hepler, Bethel Munn, and Fae Clarke, but they made a very good quartette just the same.

Dr. Swetman explained the changes that will be made in the faculty next year, and introduced the faculty members who are leaving each one making a short talk. The assembly was closed with singing led by Miss Sather.

TOPICS OF THEORY

Today is Senior Day, if you don't believe it, look at all of the caps and Gowns wandering about. It is hard to believe that these dignified personages are the same kids we have known. It has been suggested that these robe effects be made in pastel shades so there will be less of a funereal appearance around.

We see Berny Jensen about the school. We'll bet Marjorie isn't a bit peeved.

The present one is the largest graduating class on record. It will tear a terrible hole in the school's attendance unless everyone cooperates to secure a large Freshman class next year.

Teacher: Define the words, Cynic and Stoic.

Willie: A cynic is the place where one washes his hands, and a stoic is the bird that brings the babies.

And then there was the fisherman that married the girl, because she had worms.

CHANGES IN FACULTY

The College will lose, for a time at least, nine of its Faculty. Miss Theta Harrison is leaving to continue her work at Stanford. Mr. Cluxton will be gone on a leave of absence for the first half of next year to study in Colorado. Miss Belle Dickson will be on leave of absence the second half of next year. Mr. Carl Bowman has secured a years leave of absence to study for his Doctor's Degree.

Dr. Fernand Cattelain will go to the Arizona Teachers College in Tempe. He will probably help Dr. Swetman with the Spanish or Mexican situation. Miss Flora Walker, who has been taking Mrs. Doris Kildale Gillespie's place for the last year will be gone next year. Miss Grace Burton will be away on a leave of absence to study at a School of Librarianship.

Dr. Dorothy Schilling has secured a leave of absence to attend Oxford University, England. The College feels quite honored to have a faculty member who has been selected to attend Oxford, since it is most difficult for anyone, especially a woman to enter this renowned University. Miss Ruth Alden Riley, office secretary, will resign next July to culminate a college romance.

Last, but not least, the school will lose its president, Dr. Ralph Swetman. Since he has been here, Dr. Swetman has built up the College wonderfully. We are sorry to have him leave, but we wish him all of the success in the world at his new position in Tempe, Arizona.

Customs Officer: What have you to declare?

Tight: I declare that this is the best stuff I ever tasted.

HUK!!!!

Was it my fault if
 I stepped into a doorway
 To light a cigarette,
 And if in the same doorway
 A very pretty Miss
 Was standing
 In
 Quite a becoming pose
 Removing a piece of chewing gum
 From one of her heels,
 And
 She looked up and said "HUCKLE",
 Just like that.
 I said, "So are mine",
 Was it my fault?

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FINI LA GUERRE!

Now that the Rooter has completed its first year of existence, ye Editor wishes to express his thanks and appreciation to those people whose support and assistance have made this paper possible. First thanks belong to the Student Body, the fundamental supporters of the paper. Lanita Jewett who organized the publication deserves special credit. Members of the editorial staff, P.J. Sallee, Bessie McConnell, Ethel Sweet, and Milton Tackitt, who have faithfully cooperated to get the paper out, deserve a load of acknowledgement. Honorable mention goes to the contributors who have worked so steadfastly.

The success of the paper has also been largely due to Jimmie Spiering and George Gregory, Business managers. Special thanks are due to Dorothy Pierce, who aside from doing most of the work of printing the paper, has offered many valuable suggestions. Though the Rooter is but in its infancy, we feel that it has been definitely established at Humboldt, and in such a school, if given time, it will develop into a worthwhile publication.

--The Editor--

QUESTIONNAIRE

1. What is a dhow?
2. Are finals going to be hard?
3. What is the Sudan?
4. What grades are we going to get?
5. What is a caparison?
6. What are we going to do this summer?
7. Who was the wife of Sampson?
8. Who is going to the Senior Ball tonight?
9. From what opera is the "Barcarole"?

What is the name of the

ALOHA OE

A week from tomorrow, some 80 students will receive degrees, credentials, and certificates of various kinds from this institution of learning. June 6 will be the climaxing date of many happy days spent here. It will perhaps be with mixed feelings that these people leave Humboldt; though Commencement has been a long looked for goal, it will be somewhat hard to leave the old school they have come to know so well.

Humboldt lacks many advantages of the large universities, but its opportunities for friendship, mutual cooperation and self expression are unexcelled. These graduates can feel that the time they have spent here has been worth while. Clothed in the traditions and training of Humboldt, they may well go forth, seeking new worlds to conquer.

NOTICE

All persons wanting Senior group pictures must order them before tomorrow.

Senior announcements are here. Call for them at the Bookstore.

Cram! Cram! Cram!

With an open book they sit,
Thinking of the days gone by
and the time when all of us were
having fun.
Now their wailing starts anew
Study hard is what they do
For those hard old cramming days
have now begun.

Chorus

Cram, cram, cram, the studes are
cramming,
When did they ever look less gay,
Study hard and study late,
If you dont, you'll get the gate,
For examinations arent so far
away.

The above space represents a
Senior's mind the night before
exams begin!!!

WATCH OUR GIRLS GO!!!

The W.A.A. held their final meeting of the semester Wed. noon. They cleared up all old business and transacted some new business. Under new business they discussed the possibility of awards for the girl athletes after they had won their sweaters. It was decided that a girl, after winning her sweater and letter, would be awarded a star for every two hundred points made thereafter. This means that she will have to compete on two varsity teams or their equivalent. Just to show you the spirit of our girls--they are going to have a real hospitality committee to welcome the newcomers next fall on their very first day here--when they come off the train or stage. New officers were elected as follows: President, Alice Renfro; Vice-Pres., Hazel Christensen; Sec., Marie Adams; Treas., Evy Fielding; Publicity Chairman, Leone Beebe; Song leader, Alyce Finne; Yell leader, Squeal Winters.

These new live wire officers are not only going to keep up the good work of this years officers, but are going to make bigger and better business. Just watch our girls go!

Jokes make you laugh, at least make you grin,
If you don't like our jokes,
Try handing some in.

A student notices one of the college professors walking towards him with one foot on the sidewalk, and one foot in the gutter. "Good morning, Mr. MacGinitie. How are you this morning?"

Absent kindred prog: "Er-r-ah, I was all right this morning when I got up, but for the last two blocks I've been limping."

DO YOU SUFFER FROM CORNS?

We wish to call your attention to a painless tonsil and corn remover which one of our students, H. Cousins has perfected. It is also valuable for removing paint from woodwork.

--Adv't.--

HOKEY, and MORE of it

And what has become of our professed woman hater? Yes, soaks, I mean folks, Little Allan has fallen at last. Now for the dope. She's a blonde, plays the piano, lives in Eureka, likes Allan, and stayed home last Sunday so that little Allan would have a chance to give the natives of Eureka a treat. All kinds of bribes were offered by the gentleman in question to keep this out of the paper, but the author being strictly honorable (Allan being too Scotch to make the bribes worth while) refused to yield to temptation, so folks you have all the dope.

Hadley thought this car had a better pick up than it has. We saw him get turned down by no other than our little blonde. Too bad.

Grace Palmgren thought she had us fooled. Grace, however is wrong, we know she goes with a Ferndale High boy.

Pinky is happy again. Miss Walker told him that he could take his girl friend to the Oregon caves.

Oh, yes, P.J. has "An Adorable" picture of her boy friend. It is on display over the radio at her aunts house.

If Cooperrider and Clark dont stop being absent the same periods we'll begin to think that they're cutting.

NOTE

Ben and Lois attended Chatauque

P.S.

Helen Logan bought her boy friend a wrist watch for graduation, also she had it engraved with "From Helen to Art-1930". Some Class.

TAKE HEED MEN!!!!

There was a young fellow names

Strauss,
Who got on a terrible souse.
He had the right key in the keyhole
you see,
But the keyhole was in the wrong
house.

Preacher:- Do you swear to love, to honor and obey?

Voice from the rear:- Do you know you're swearing your young life away?

But the poor old grebe could only smile and say---I do! I do!

Prof--Here, my boy, is the 50¢ I owe you.

Stude--Keep it Prof, and get yourself a haircut.