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# FRESHNEN BEWARE!

All ye Freshies of Lindenwood College Hearken to the Sophomore's words of Knowledge To disobey these regulations beware--Lest from the padded cell you sadly fare.

# **COMMANDS TO THE LUNATICS!**

1. Clad your slinking carcass in a pair of black gym bloomers. Around the bottom of each bloomer leg gather a ruffle of black cambric reaching to the ankle. Over this unsightly outfit place a short-sleeved gingham dress, reaching four inches above the knee. Envelope your scrawny grasping appendages with a pair of dark stockings, which are to be removed only upon entering class rooms and the dining room.

2. Around the circumference of your diaphragm three inches below your floating rib tie the apron which will be given you. Be sure the bow will not sink the rib.

3. On your understanding pedal extremeties wear a pair of lowheeled hob-nails and a pair of black cotton stockings.

4. Over the weakest part of your anatomy place a skull cap fashioned from the top of an old black stocking tied at the top with a brilliante green ribbon, symbolizing the unripeness of your fertility. 10. Every Idiot must have one or more Moronic Companions. Each one according to his histrionic ability must walk pigeontoed and in single file.

11. Nit-Wit Monier is responsible for the behavior of the inmates of the asylum.

12. Due to the mental deficiency of the aforesaid Simpletons each must inveagle a Sophomore to accompany her to the Tea Room to supervise the dumbdora's diet.

13. All Lunatics must enter Roemer by the South Entrance. The south stairs are to be used entirely by the numbskulls. Standing back with the utmost respect these dimies will allow the faculty and every upper classman to get her mail before entering the Post Office.

14. Stand at Formal Attention when the Sophomore Song is sung.

5. All hair must be placed under the skull cap leaving your ears mulishly prominent.

6. Black your right optic. If you fail to do this, we will do it for you. Also black one of your front teeth. No other cosmetics are to be used on your imbecilic faces.

7. Under this ghastly garb you must be fully and healthfully attired.

8. On the end of a two yard string, tie one peanut. Drag this with you wherever you go.

9. Keep on the ground driveways! Since the grass and sidewalks are reserved for those of Superior Intelligence. 15. Whenever you meet a Sophomore bow low and say, "Wise and Superior Sophomore I AM a Simpleton."

16. In the dining room eat entirely with your right hand.

17. At all times wear the expression becoming one of your inferior intelligence.

18. At 6:45 sharp each morning report in front of Jubilee for Inspection and Flag Raising.

19. Breakfast is compulsory for all Freshmen.

20. Permission must be secured from the Sophomore President before any singing by the Freshmen is done.

21. During the services in Chapel the Freshmen must be quiet. As a body they must obey the word of the Sophomores. Their word is law.