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THE GONE AND LOAFED CLUB.

"It is better to have gone and loafed than never to have gone at all," as recently paraphrased by a college senior, is the motto of a great class of college students who spend four years of their youths at the expense of state and parents enjoying the social activities of college life, and accumulating only such knowledge which is unavoidable in their association with real students.

The president of an eastern university some years ago made the astounding assertion that it is, or should be, to study and learn that a young man goes to college. From the prominence given athletic and social activities by the daily papers we would judge that the honorable president had been deluded.

By succumbing to the various attractions incidental to a college course, by forgetting that the achievement of the muscle is only ephemeral, while the work of the brain adds another bit to the great coral reef of civilization, many college students "pass thru" college only to demonstrate the fact that they are immune from education. Purposeless youths of means, money-squandering youths who should have stayed home and helped pay off the mortgage on the old homestead, young ladies who go to college to bathe in the social environment, are all charter members of the "Gone and Loafed Club."

It is very improbable that there is a student at Oregon that has been sent here for any other purpose than to study and learn. Great sacrifices at home have made it possible for many of us to attend this University. We have been sent here with the hope that contact with thinking men and women and the stored knowledge of all ages will make us better citizens and more efficient leaders in the onward march of humanity.

The action of coast conference officials in refusing to admit U. S. C. into the conference was the best action that could possibly have been taken. Those who are familiar with the southern institution say that the standard of the school is none too high, and is far below that of other members of the conference, not alone in scholarship, but in athletics as well. The officials are to be congratulated on their move, which will tend to keep coast athletics clean.

HARDING, COX, NOW SIGMA DELTA CHI'S

Journalists Hold National Convention at University of Oklahoma November 18, 19, 20.

President-elect Warren G. Harding and Governor James M. Cox of Ohio were elected unanimously to membership in Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalistic fraternity, in the sixth national convention held November 18, 19, 20, at the University of Oklahoma, at Norman, Oklahoma.

The chapters at the University of Oregon and the University of Washington were represented by Byron H. Christian, a former editor of the University of Washington Daily, now president of the Washington chapter. Delegates were present from all of the 34 chapters of the fraternity.

The convention is an annual affair, and the next gathering will be at Iowa State College at Ames, Iowa. Plans were made to hold a Founder's day ceremony April 16, at each university where there is a chapter of Sigma Delta Chi.

National officers for the fraternity were elected as follows: Willard G. Bleyer, of the University of Wisconsin, national honorary president; Lee A. White of the Detroit News, president; H. W. Sprowl of the University of Kansas, vice president; H. H. Herbert of Oklahoma University, second vice president; H. W. Holgate of the Detroit News, secretary; and N. J. Rader of Indiana University, treasurer.

SHIP MODELING, ESSAY CONTEST ANNOUNCED

Portland Ad Club Offers \$250 in Prizes To Stimulate Interest in Foreign Trade.

The Portland Ad Club is staging a contest which should attract great interest to the commercially inclined students of the University. It is in the form of a ship modeling and foreign commerce essay contest for students of the schools of Oregon.

Prizes of \$250 are to be distributed for the best models of ocean going ships accompanied by 500 word essays giving a detailed description of the model and its equipment.

The purpose of the contest, according to Mr. E. N. Strong, president of the Portland Ad Club, is to create an interest in the development of American Foreign commerce.

In order to give all an equal chance the students are to be divided into four classes; \$100 is to be given for the best model and essay presented by a college student, \$75 for the best model and essay presented by a high school student, \$50 for the best work offered by a student from the fifth to the eighth grades, and \$25 for the best work of a student from the first to the fourth grades inclusive.

All who wish to enter the contest may obtain information from the Ad Club in the Oregon building, Portland, Oregon.

Rules governing the contest are posted on the commerce building bulletin board.

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Announcements

Faculty.—A meeting of the faculty will be held in Guild hall Thursday at 4:15.

Student Council. — There will be a meeting tonight in Dr. Gilbert's room in the library at 7:30 p. m.

Sigma Delta Chi.—Sigma Delta Chi will meet Wednesday noon at the Anchorage.

Crossroads. — The regular meeting of Crossroads will be held tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Home Economics Club. — Important meeting of the Home Economics Club at 5 o'clock this afternoon in Miss Tingle's office in Mary Spiller Hall.

Law School. — Smoker scheduled for Thursday, December 2, will be postponed until sometime during the winter term, exact date to be announced later.

State Aid. — All state aid men must file their November attendance report and expense statement at window 19 in the Administration building on or before December 7.

Y. W. C. A.—Regular meeting Thursday at 4:45 p. m. at the bungalow. It will be in charge of the social service committee headed by Elsie Marsh, Professor P. A. Parson, of the extension division will speak. There is to be special music.

Oregana Pictures. — All pictures for the Oregana must be taken as soon as accommodations can be secured at the three studios, Tollman's, Sunbeam and McKune's, and proofs returned immediately in order that the work of mounting may begin right away. These pictures include those of juniors, seniors and all organizations which are listed in each studio.

Forum

WHAT A DOLLAR WILL DO.

To the Editor:
In this morning's Oregonian I read the story of a Canadian infantryman, who lay in a Portland rooming house, sick almost to death, from ancient wounds. Apparently he knew no one in the strange city. But according to the story, he was able to whisper the name of the Red Cross, and to ask that it be notified.

The story said no more; for the story was old. The reading public knew that the Red Cross would come, and that in time through the ministrations made possible by its nurse, the soldier would be put on his feet again.

If the Oregonian were to contain daily all the stories of human interest and human tragedy that end with, "The Red Cross was notified," it would hold little else. Naturally few of the stories see print, but those that do, serve as reminders of the great silent work the "Mother of Men" is doing. Some it does under our noses; some in the uttermost reaches of the world—the Mother of Men knows no bounds of distance or religion or race.

This is Red Cross membership week on the campus. For \$1.00 a year, men and women may become partners in the relief of suffering. One would hope that all who can will hasten to join.
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WHAT THE OLD GRADS ARE DOING.

Condon R. Bean, a graduate with the class of 1903 and a major in electrical engineering while on the campus, is now stores manager of the Western Electric Co., Inc. in Los Angeles. For two years after leaving college he was with the Portland Railway Light and Power Co., then he was assistant purchasing agent for that company for a number of years. In 1907 he was given the position of city salesman for John A. Roebling's & Sons Co. in Portland, and a year later was sent to Spokane as local sales agent for the same people. Finally he was made office manager of the Western Electric Co. in Portland and some time ago promoted to his present position. He is married to Anna Anderson, a graduate of the U. of W.

Condon's father is Judge R. S. Bean, who graduated from the University in 1878 with the first graduating class of Oregon. Judge Bean has just resigned the presidency of the board of regents because of his federal court work. Dr. Harold Bean of Portland, Orman R. Bean, who is associated with Dean Lawrence in Portland, and Robert Bean, are all Condon's brothers and are all Oregon grads. He was president of the Frosh class and of the Juniors, was manager of "The Webfoot" in his senior year, belonged to the Laurean Society, and is a member of the Sigma Nu fraternity.

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