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"Cynicus," Likes Us Not.

In a communication to the editor in the last issue of The Emerald, a person who dubs himself "Cynicus" takes a shot at things in general. Now in the first place it must be made clear that "Cynicus" is a member of the faculty. In the second place we must confess that we are not sure of what "Cynicus" is getting at. It may be subtle sarcasm for the class of news which The Emerald is at present publishing.

Taking the latter explanation as the basis for this answer to "Cynicus" we are going to make a few things clear to him. Now it so happens that The Emerald is a publication known as the official organ of associated students. It prints the news which it knows the students are interested in. If the writer of this communication does not believe that the story about the Kappa Sig ducks was read by the students then he should trade places with us. In fact we ask the writer to trade places with us for a little while, temporarily,—no, not definitely.

In past months and years, on repeated occasions, reporters for The Emerald have come back time after time when they were sent to certain members of the faculty, with the reply that these instructors were too busy to see the reporter, or that they had no story for The Emerald. Perhaps if better cooperation from some of these offenders could be secured then there might be a few more stories of the angle that "Cynicus" evidently desires.

The students are interested in stories which can be given out by the faculty. For instance let us recall a story in the issue of October 19, in which Dr. Harry Beal Torrey, professor of Zoology, discussed the research work which is being carried on by his department to battle cancer. This was a clear, concise story and it was written by a faculty member. Lets have more of these!

The Emerald believes in publishing a fair balance of campus news. Each department is apportioned and news value then determines the additional space the department receives. Furthermore, dear "Cynicus", The Emerald believes in publishing and commenting on the matters of student interest, and matters on which student opinion is being formed. Perhaps this answers the reason for the comment and news stories carried recently in regard to the election of coaches and the payment of salaries to these coaches.

He came, he saw, he conquered, might easily be applied to Hugo, Bezdek, football coach extraordinary, who was our guest yesterday. The great strength of character which Hugo Bezdek possesses is exemplified in his every action and word. It was truly a grand homecoming for Oregon's old coach, and it was a truly great appreciation which he expressed to us for that homecoming reception.

OREGON CLUB SMOKER BRINGS NEW MEMBERS

Seventy-five Men Join Club Saturday; Many Plan to Attend Dance Scheduled for Jan. 14

At the Oregon Club smoker in the Y. M. C. A. Hut Saturday night, about 75 new members were signed up. Emerald Sloan, president of the club, expects to find in these members material of sufficient quality to enable the club to make a good showing in all doughnut activities. The club is represented in every activity, in most of them having two teams, and ranks well up among the contestants.

A dance for Oregon Club members is scheduled for January 14. A number of those present at the smoker signified their intention of attending, and judging from that showing, an attendance of a hundred is not improbable.

Boxing, wrestling, and other such contests furnished the entertainment. One of the events was a battle-royal, with the four contestants blindfolded. Cigarettes were passed around during the evening. The refreshments consisted of cider and doughnuts.

SPORT PLAN OUTLINED

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State—and Bez is known to be mighty partial to the Pacific coast and to want to return here some day—is a position somewhat analogous to that

of Walter Powell at Stanford. Powell was Stanford's head coach a year ago, then was promoted to be director of athletics and Gene Van Gent engaged as coach. Powell still supervises football, but Van Gent is in direct charge of the team.

The alumni members would like mightily to have Bezdek at Oregon as director of athletics. And it certainly would be a wonderful thing for Oregon if he could be induced to come.

The following statement was made by the football committee here last night:

"The football committee does not yet know what recommendation it will make to the executive council, but it will make a recommendation of some sort as early as possible in December. Meanwhile the five members of the committee have agreed to make no statement other than that they intend to report to the council as soon as they possibly can, and that they are working in entire harmony."

"Y" TO HAVE NEW FURNISHINGS

With the aid of the money made by the chrysanthemum sale during Homecoming, the Y. W. bungalow will boast new curtains and rugs after the Christmas holidays. About fifty dollars was netted by the sale and this fund will be stretched to its fullest extent and if possible more chairs will be included in the new furnishings.

Students read the classified ads; try using them.

BULLETIN BOARD

Notices will be printed in this column for two issues only. Copy must be in the office by 4:30 o'clock of the day on which it is to be published and must be limited to 25 words.

Students in Commerce—All students majoring in business administration are urged to assemble on the steps of the commerce building Wednesday, December 7, at 12 o'clock. Group picture will be taken for the Oregonians at that time.

Pre-Engineering Students—Herbert Nunn, chief engineer of state Highway commission is to give an address in the Oregon building at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, Dec. 7. Pre-Engineers and all others interested urged to attend.

Condon Club—The Geological and Mining Society of American Universities will hold a program meeting Thursday evening, 7:45, Room 4, Johnson hall. Hubert Schenck will speak on "Experience in the Orient."

Disarmament Forum—Dr. J. H. Gilbert will discuss the "Financial Questions Involved in Disarmament," at the Y Hut Tuesday evening at 7:30. This is the second of the series of forums on the disarmament conference.

Friendship Council and "Y" Cabinet—Eat tonight at the Hut at 6:00 o'clock. Last meeting of the year. Through by 7:30. The "Y" is putting out the meal.

Sculpture Club—Meeting Tuesday 4:15 p. m. in the sculpture studio. All members are urged to be present as important plans are to be discussed.

Woman's League—Tea today from four to six in the Woman's building. Vocal solo by Ruth Akers, piano solo by Camilla Lorenz.

French Club—Meeting of French Club tonight, Y. W. C. A. bungalow. Business meeting and short program. Dues payable.

Physical Ability Tests—For all those who have not passed will be held on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 12 noon, sharp.

Pi Lambda Theta—Meeting of Pi Lambda Theta, this evening, 7:30, Woman's building.

Frosh Meeting—A meeting of the class a. m. on Ad building steps. of '25, Wednesday night, 7:30. Important.

Chamber of Commerce—Board of directors meeting, Tuesday, 5 p. m., seminar room, Commerce building.

Beta Gamma Sigma—A meeting of Beta Gamma Sigma will be held at noon today at the Anchorage.

Alpha Kappa Psi—Important meeting. Commerce seminar room; today at 4 p. m.

Frosh Pictures—A picture of the class of '25 will be taken, Thursday, 10

RICHARDSON RESIGNS AS O. A. C. STUDENT MANAGER

"Jimmie" Will Guide Destinies of Seattle Baseball Club; Was With College Almost Three Years

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Dec. 5, 1921.—(Special to the Emerald)—The resignation of James J. Richardson as general manager of student activities, was accepted by the board of control in meeting Friday. This action was taken at the request of Mr. Richardson to enable him to accept a position as business manager of the Seattle club. A vote of appreciation was extended by the board to the retiring manager.

ELECTRIC BULBS MISSING

Penalty of \$10 to be Inflicted Unless Frosh Return Articles

During the construction of the freshmen bonfire, two large electric light bulbs were obtained or "borrowed" by members of the class to help them in their midnight labors.

The president of the class has just received notice from the Standard Oil company that on their books they find charges for two 500 watt lights. The president asks that whoever is in possession of the missing articles turn them over to him immediately. Unless this is done the class will be out about \$10, it is asserted.

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