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The Virtue of Being Far-Sighted

George H. Godfrey

Oregon has not attempted such drastic action as might be considered expedient in many cases where traditions have been wantonly violated by students. At other institutions widely known and loved for their traditions which have formed a sacred bond of loyalty among the students and alumni, these same traditions have been preserved at all costs. Here at Oregon it has been plainly obvious during the past the arid, cackling laughter that rasps year that the real significance of traditions has not been given just consideration.

The Daily Illini, commenting on a case of tradition violations recently, says: "Illinois does not stand alone in her careful protection of traditions. While lawyers are advocating their exclusive right to University education at so much per carry senior canes, Michigan comes forward with an even more drastic action to insure the wearing of freshman spots. One freshman was recently dismissed from the University on the recommendation of the underclass conduct committee for his refusal to abide by freshman traditions."

The agitation to cast aside forever the hazing activities which swept over the colleges and universities of the country a few years ago has evidently failed if it has proposed a method to keep the observance of traditions sacred. There must never be a return to hazing methods in spite of this, for although effective in imbuing platform. Like most platforms, it is the freshman with a spirit of do or die, they did not stand on the garlanded with golden pomegranates, firm foundation desirable for the best results.

But tradition violators must be punished. An apparent disregard for traditions means the first step in a course which will mean the the following when you elect me: complete breaking down of an "esprit de corps" which has given Oregon a name throughout the world of college and university life. or such penalty as a court martial may Disgruntled individuals who have seized upon an opportunity to destroy traditions must be taught to recognize the value of preserving all candidates who go about shaking all that we now have. The spirit of friendliness and the human relationships which now exist in this University cannot be maintained if saving my other planks in order to these very bonds which hold them intact are to be broken and torn suit of votes. That is the conventional apart.

Oregon has not outgrown its traditions, for to outgrow them is to and other feminine lingerie. Perhaps lose every vestige of all that we now hold dear. No subterfuge should my heavy-brained antagonist sanctions, be countenanced where the questions of traditions are at stake. They If he does, the public should know the are the vitality of the spirit of this University, and no effort must be spared to preserve them. Where groups would destroy them, they PI PHI WINS IN BASEBALL must be censured and shown the narrowness of their vision, their inability to forsee the future of the spirit of a great University. And where individuals would disregard them, they must be dealt with in a manner which leaves no doubt as to the serious appreciation of tradition keeping on this campus.

A Word in Time

The Emerald has said that there can surely be no issues in a campus political campaign which will not stand the light of publicity. It stands firmly behind this statement and if any unworthy issues should creep in then the full light of this publicity will be thrown upon them. If individuals or groups must make questionable charges enter in,-questionable because they savor of narrow mindedness,-then they must be ready to back them up.

The heat of a political campaign cannot destroy the first duty of loyalty to the University. This loyalty must always be kept uppermost and the future as well as the present considered. The students are the custodians of the reputation of the University, and as such must share the adverse criticism as well as the praise,-and keep always at heart, a full realization of the responsibility imposed in them.

When the smoke of the political battle has cleared somewhat, the "lame duck club" suggested for the defeated candidates should do much toward the hasty forgetting of political enmity and promoting He is a member of the friendship coungood fellowships. There is no place on this campus for election feuds, and the organization suggested will do much to keep them out.

Party Will Be Given at Y. M. C. A. Hut Tomorrow Evening

"Endurance," by Fred Plurad, prom- and customs.

FOREIGN STUDENTS GUESTS | ises to be one of the features of the

These parties for foreign students have held quite a large place in the Y. M. C. A. program this year. Several of party into the Bohemia mining district, All foreign students of the Univer- them have been held, all of which have southeast of Cottage Grove, but a se sity will be entertained at a party at been very successful. They not only vere case of poison oak, contracted on the Y. M. C. A. Hut Friday inght, May give the foreign students amusement the recent trip of the University geol-The program includes several mus- and make them acquainted with each ogists into the Roseburg country, ical numbers, games, eats, and a few other, but also an opportunity to be caused the cancellation of the trip. reels of motion pictures. A piano solo, come more familiar with our language

By CARNY

"There are nine and sixty ways o composing tribal lays, And every single one of them is

right." If the author of that impressive halfruth could behold the profanation of poetry which appeared in yesterday's Emerald over the signature of E. J. H., he'd change his mind with vigorous unanimity. The Cynic tribe certainly needs a ballad monger who can at least sing without conveying the sensation of a skeleton throwing a drunken storm in Dance—There will be a student body

a china shop. As might be expected, E. J. H. shows just enough of education to misquote Noah Webster and me and other romanticists. With an assortment of vacuous, auxetic phrases, which are the common property of the rabble and of the proletariat, he proceeds to condemn what he cannot understand. If, indeed, I have wandered through the animal been seeking him in his lair in order to make an impression on the zoological gardens of his pseudotetrameral brains. Three years ago a friend of mine went into the lair of a mountain lion on a zoological expedition. To date he has not returned. Thus, it is no small matter to enter the kennel of a Cynic.

The other day I published a feeble, decrepit bit of levity concerning the status of the R. O. T. C. It was one of those selections of insipid, archaic humor of the type that gives vent to in the wake of the average Y. M. C. A. joke. Any intelligent human being would have called me on such graybearded wit. E. J. H. had never heard of the joke. Next, he'll be telling us that the school of business administration publishes Lemmy and dispenses accounts payable.

Now that I have jarred the Cynic from his kurdaitchas (if he doesn't know what these are, I might explain that they are shoes shaped so that one cannot tell in which direction the wearer has gone), he has admitted that he is a candidate for something. I do not wish to claim any undue glory, but I might point out that I was the first litical ambitions.

Now he has announced his chameleon willy-nilly by the first breeze of opposition. Therefore, in order to make clear my own stand, I promise to do

1. To make the wearing of golf sox on the campus punishable by hanging,

2. To banish to Siberia or O. A. C. hands before election time.

This, then, is my platform. I am way of doing business. Perhaps I have taken a radical stand on golf sox terrible truth.

Delta Gamma Defeated in Doughnut Series; Two Games Tonight

Pi Beta Phi defeated Delta Gamma with a score of 24 to 7 in the women's doughnut baseball series yesterday afternoon at 5 o'elock. Kappa Kappa Gamma is scheduled to play Oregon club and Delta Delta Delta meets Hendricks hall tonight at 5 o'clock.

Yesterday's lineu	ip:
Delta Gamma	Pi Beta Phi
Morrow P	La Roche
Hoover	CColeman
Holman 1	stBrown
Tillingast 21	ndPearson
Daugherty 3:	rdClark
	RSCalkins
Alexander I	S Davis
Bonderant 1	RFLeavitt
Lyons	OFDouglass
	LFGiesler
Hamiles Duck H	

Scorekeeper-Emily Perry.

CANDIDATE CROP GROWING

(Continued from page one)

She is a member of Hammer and Coffin and of Delta Gamma

Price Sullivan, the third candidate in the race for sophomore representative on the Council, is a member of the freshman baseball team and played on the soccer team during the past season. eil of the Y. M. C. A. and of the Oregon Knights and Phi Gamma Delta.

GEOLOGISTS' TRIP POSTPONED

The proposed field trip of the geologists for this week-end has been postponed. Dr. E. T. Hodge, of the geology department, was to have taken the

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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 proving the control of the con

Pre-engineering-All students majoring in pre-engineering are invited by the Technical society to go on their picnic to visit the city power plant at Walterville. Leave the Administration building steps Friday afternoon at 2:00. Food and transportation provided without charge. Students requested to sign with Dr. Caswell or McLean on campus.

dance at the new Armory at 8:30 Friday night. Admission 50 cents. Troubadours will play. Ice cream bars will be sold as refreshments.

Lame Ducks-Meet at the east entrance to Villard hall before assembly this morning. All men and women who have been defeated in a student body election are eligible.

world with Noah it is because I have Women's League Meeting Thursday at 4 o'clock in Alumni hall. Mrs. Milton B. Higgins, national president of the Parent-Teachers association, is to

> State Aid Men-April report and expense statements must be filed at window 19, Administration building, on or before Saturday, May 6.

French Club-Meeting in Y. W. C. A. bungalow at 7:15 this evening. Dues payable. Nomination of officers for election next meeting.

Foreign Students—Party at "Y" hut Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Music. games, movies, eats on program.

Agassiz Club-Meets Thursday at 7 o'clock in room 303 of Deady. All members urged to attend.

Oregon Knights - Important meeting Thursday night. Election of officers will be held.

ness meeting, the Anchorage, Thurs-Theta Kappa Phi-Meeting in Woman's

Phi Mu Alpha-Regular monthly busi-

building at 7:30 this evening. Very Beta Alpha Psi-Meeting at 7 o'clock

this evening in Commerce building. one to discover that E. J. H. had po- Crossroads will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 in the Woman's building.

> 7:30. Election of officers. Ye Tabard Inn-Luncheon at the An chorage today noon.

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