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## A Tribute to Character

A well-deserved tribute was paid to Dean Straub by former students of the University, in Seattle, when they provided the expenses for him to go to the Oregon-Washington game and honored him with a banquet. Seattle alumni are only representative of former students in all parts of the West in the common desire to honor the "Grand Old Man" of the University.

The Seattle Journal of Commerce, in an editorial which is here partially reprinted, terms it "A Tribute to Character."

It is not common for former college students, long removed from campus activities, to choose to fete a professor. The professor who has so lived, taught, and acted that his students year after year learned to love him and now seek to make known to him their affectionate esteem surely must be worthy of that benediction.

What is this quality which draws 72 former students and graduates of the University of Oregon together around a banquet given by them in honor of Dean John Straub of that institution? Wonderful character readily accessible through a charming personality—that is the answer.

Ten college generations have come and gone from the Oregon campus during the 43 years which Dean Straub has been associated with Oregon's university, and he is beloved by all.

Seattle persons, at one time students at the University of Oregon, have united to bring the "Grand Old Man" of the Oregon institution to Seattle to witness the football game and to attend a banquet given in his honor—a well merited tribute singularly unusual.

When Dean Straub came to Oregon there were 167 students registered, and all but 40 of them were taking high school work. The first graduation was held the year before he came, but he has a part in all since that time.

Beyond a doubt Dean Straub is the best-loved college professor in the West. Ever since he has been at Oregon he has been the friend and protector of the freshmen, and as the students become older and have taken their leave, their respect for the dean has increased. From every corner of the West come assurances that the memory of Oregon without the kindly figure of Dean Straub would be incomplete indeed.

No tribute, no honor is too great for Dean Straub. His service to the University is immeasurable. Far above any motives of personal gain, he has given the best years of his life to the cause of education. Oregon would not be Oregon without him.

## MEETINGS ARE SCHEDULED PI PHI TEAM VICTORIOUS

Girls' Do-Nut Basketball Game Ends With Score of 9 to 7

The Pi Phi basketball team was victorious over the Alpha Chi Omega hoopers yesterday in a hard fought game which resulted in a score of 9 to 7. All games which have been postponed from the scheduled date of playing must be played before examinations, said Grace Sullivan, head of basketball. Tomorrow Alpha Phi will play Oregon Club at 5 o'clock.

The lineups for yesterday's game were as follows:

Pi Phi Alpha Chi Omega  
F. Janelle C. H. McCormick  
L. Prudhomme C. S. F. Jagger  
J. Woods G. C. Broders  
M. Coleman G. M. Dustin  
N. La Roche F. W. Brown  
D. Verdinius F. L. Stephens

## Y. W. SALE IS SUCCESSFUL

Orders for Armenian Handkerchiefs Taken at Bungalow

The sale of hand-made Armenian handkerchiefs is being conducted with great success on the campus. They are being displayed each day at the different women's organizations, at noon and in the evening.

Only a small number were ordered so it will be necessary for those who want these handkerchiefs to put in their orders soon. These articles can also be seen at the Bungalow. Helen

Anderson, the chairman of the World Fellowship committee is in charge of the sale of these handkerchiefs.

## GREGORY RECEIVES TESTS

Northwestern States Send Returns of Co-operative Measurements

Reports on the co-operative testing program have started coming in regularly from all parts of Oregon, Washington, Montana, California and Idaho, according to Professor C. A. Gregory, of the school of education, who, with Professor F. L. Stetson of that department, has charge of these tests.

Mr. Gregory says that the work is progressing nicely, and that the class in Educational Measurements is devoting a large part of the afternoons in checking the data received.

## DR. REBEC NOW AT OXFORD

Former Professor of Philosophy Will Go to Paris

The present address of Dr. George Rebec, formerly professor of philosophy at the University of Oregon, who is now studying at Oxford, has been recently received in the president's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Rebec are living at No. 6 Haymarket Square, London, very near Oxford.

Before returning to the United States, Mr. Rebec is planning to study in Paris with the famous French philosopher, Bergson.

## CAMPUS BULLETIN

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

Ye Tabard Inn—Initiation Wednesday at the Anchorage, 6 p. m.

Theta Sigma Phi—Meeting in the Shack at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

The Sculpture Club—Will meet Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock in the Studio.

Chemists Club—Business meeting, McClure hall Thursday at 7:15 p. m. Important.

Oregon Club—Meeting of the membership committee and all aspirants to doughnut teams at "Y" hut.

Physical Tests—Last Physical Ability test will be given Wednesday noon. Be sure to sign up beforehand.

Inter-fraternity Council—Meeting Wednesday evening, December 13, 7:30, room 101, Commerce building.

Normal Arts Club—Meeting Wednesday, 5:15, Women's League room. Important all Normal Art majors out.

Cosmopolitans—All members requested to meet outside library Wednesday promptly at 12:40 for taking of pictures.

Soph Dance Committee—All bills incurred by any Soph dance committees must be turned in to treasurer by noon Friday.

Women's League Meeting—Tomorrow, Thursday, in Guild hall, at four-thirty. Christmas program by Freshman Commission. All women come.

Order of "O"—Meeting Wednesday evening, 7:30, men's smoking room, Woman's building. Address by Dean Dymert; important business meeting

Philosophical Club—Meeting Wednesday third floor of Woman's building at 7:30. Dr. Edmund S. Conklin will read a paper entitled, "Prolegomena to a Future Esthetics."

Friendship Fund—Will the girls who were appointed on the Friendship Fund committee take charge in their organizations in the collection of Friendship Fund pledge cards.

## COMMUNICATIONS

Letters to the EMERALD from students and faculty members are welcomed, but must be signed and limited to 250 words. If it is desired, the writer's name will be kept out of print. It must be understood that the editor reserves the right to reject communications.

## "LEMMY" IS SQUELCHED

To the Editor:  
I have read with some interest the article entitled "Blue Sundays" which appears in the latest issue of Lemon Punch and, although I am official spokesman for no one, I cannot help but comment on it.

Leaving the moral issue out entirely this article seems to me to contain a very startling confession. If the writer is correct, by far the greater part of our students, those who are looked to to uphold the honor of our school, our state, and our country tomorrow, are so absolutely devoid of individuality that one day a week on which they are deprived of their movie and their dance becomes (I use the writer's own phrase) the "bluest of all days." If we have thus far lost our personal initiative and our sense of the real values of life we are indeed in a bad way.

However, I believe that this article is merely a presumptuous editor's statement of what "we" think and that the situation is really not as bad as this.

Respectfully submitted,  
E. H. HENRIKSON.

## COFFEE CUSTOM REVIVED

President of Cornell Meets Students in Public Tavern

Cornell, Dec. 9.—President Farrand of Cornell University meets any interested student of the institution at a downtown coffee house during certain stated times of the month.

A table was dedicated to the president on November 15, when he inaugurated this custom of informal gatherings, where the students could meet him, or other members of the faculty, several of whom have already indicated that they would occupy the president's table on dates to be announced later.

## TWENTY CO-EDS SIGN UP FOR BOXING AT UNIV. OF ILLINOIS

U. of Illinois, Dec. 5.—Twenty women of the University of Illinois have signed up for boxing. The classes will be held out doors, and the coach, Miss Irene Streed, plans to divide the class into three groups, one of which will box while another will be running, and the third group will be doing calisthenics. "Exercise is the motive back of the whole idea," says Miss Streed.

## ROSENBERG BOOKS HERE

Louis Conrad Rosenberg, former assistant professor of architecture in the University of Oregon, is the author of a valuable new book which was this week added to the library of architecture. "The Davanzati Palace of Florence, Italy, A Restored Palace of the Fourteenth Century," is the title of the volume.

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## CHEMIST WRITES BOOKS ON GOLD AND ALCOHOL

Former Professor, H. I. Cole, Compiles Works on Industries of Philippine Islands

Professor Howard Irving Cole, formerly an instructor in the chemistry department of the University and now connected with the bureau of science at Manila, Philippine Islands, recently wrote two works, one on the scholastic industry of the islands and the other on the detection of gold. The first article is entitled the "Manufacture of industrial alcohol and alcoholic motor fuel in the Philippine Islands." It deals with the sources of raw material used in the production of alcohol, including palms, especially nipa palms, molasses, various cereals, cassava, bamboo and other cellulose products; alcoholic mixtures as fuel for internal-combustion engines; and the manufacture of alcohol ether motor fuel. According to Professor Cole alcohol with ether is one of the best substitutions for gasoline.

The second article on the "Use of textile fibers in microscopic chemical analysis," discusses the detection of gold by means of stannous chloride and pyrogallal with viscoso silk fibers. In this work Professor Cole says viscoso silk fiber dyed with stannous chloride and pyrogallal gives a very sensitive method of detection of gold; that the test fibers are stable, as there was no decrease in the sensitiveness at the end of six months; and that a drop of solution containing 0.000,022 milligrams of gold gives a positive test for gold by this method.

Most of the research work for the articles was done by Mr. Cole, with some readings on the subject. A copy of each of the articles is at the office of the geology department of the University. Professor Cole taught in the chemistry department in 1919-20.

## EMERALD TO INSTALL INFORMATION SERVICE

File System to Be Used; Staff Will Be Chosen from Persons Trying Out for the Places

An information service is to be established in the Emerald office at the beginning of next term. This system, which the Emerald had two years ago, is a part of the organization of every large newspaper.

A catalog file system is planned in which all articles printed in the Emerald will be cut out and placed on file under the heading to which it belongs. A record of the statistics of each department in the University will also be kept so that reference can be made at any time to the history of the schools of the University.

The staff will be organized on the same plan as the present news staff, but will probably be smaller. The personnel will be taken from those trying out for the news staff at the present time. This system will give an opportunity to non-journalists to secure a position on the Emerald staff.

## "MIDSUMMER MADNESS" AT REX

Prominent authors whose works are adapted into motion pictures frequently complain that their stories are mutilated in the transition. Their brain-children fall into unsympathetic hands, they assert, and they, the authors, have nothing to say in the matter.

The result was that when "Midsummer Madness" was completed and Mr. Hamilton, upon his return to New York, witnessed a showing of the picture, he sent Mr. De Mille an enthusiastic telegram praising the production to the skies.

Perhaps patrons of the Castle theater when they see "Midsummer Madness" today, will be inclined to do likewise.

## NO STAMP DRIVE THIS YEAR

The annual sale of Red Cross stamps for holiday letters and packages commenced throughout the United States Monday, December 4. This year, the sale of the stickers will not take the form of a drive on the campus, but all students are urged to buy as many as they possibly can.

## STUDENTS DO PRESSING

Eddie Smith and George Pellon, both of the '25 class, have opened the Economy Cleaning and Pressing company on Willamette street. According to Smith, student's trade especially is solicited, work being called for and delivered. The two students are members of Delta Tau Delta.

## Hedley THEATRE

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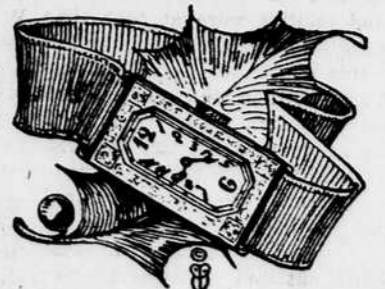
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