Ruby - Bug #13044

ruby unless bug with plural conditions

12/16/2016 10:09 PM - imran (Imran Ashraf)

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Assignee:

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Description

I am working on an app where I need to process various data-items based upon different ruby types. While setting up conditonal-checks, I discovered that "unless" fails to handle plural conditions.

Please consider the following example:

```
class ThingA end
class ThingB end
class ThingC end
# obj = ThingA.new
# obj = ThingB.new
obj = ThingC.new
# puts 'yes it is a ThingC' unless obj.is_a?(ThingA) && obj.is_a?(ThingB) # BUG
# puts 'yes it is a ThingC' if !obj.is_a?(ThingA) && !obj.is_a?(ThingB) # this works ok
# works ok with singular condition
unless obj.is_a?(ThingA)
 unless obj.is_a?(ThingB)
    puts 'yes it is a ThingC'
 end
end
Thanks.
```

Regards, **Imran**

History

#1 - 12/17/2016 01:52 AM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)

- Description updated
- Status changed from Open to Rejected

unless a && b equals to if !(a && b).

See https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/De_Morgan%27s_laws for more info.

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