

Two Lower Classes in Frequent **Brolls Which Nearly Termin**ate in Serious Results.

**CLASS TROUBLES** 

Freshmen Unsuccessful in Spoling the '08 Hay Ride, But Come Out with Flying Colors, Later.

The smouldering rivalry between the Sophomore and Fresh men classes has at last broken out in untamed fierceness. The Sophs' hayride of Friday, a week ago, offered the occasion for the the four captured Sophs the week opening of hostilities, and the Freshmen gladly seized it. Thus far in the disturbances, if the Freshmen have had any the best of it, it has been because of their overwhelming superiority in numbers. The rivalry has been all in a friendly spirit notwithstanding its extraordinary strenuousness.

The Sophomores, on Friday, the 17th, had planned to meet at the Henderson home for their havride. The Freshmen learned of it and planned to play havoc with the '08 merrymakers. With resentment rankling in their bosoms on account of the recent Sophomore manifesto they made out a list of six Sophs whom they thought, (erroneously, however,) to have been the ringleaders in that affair, and these they determiaed to capture and take into the country. With the aid of an efficient secret service bureau the lower classmen succeeded in capturing McPherson, Mud-gett, Clay and Holman. These they took to a Freshman woodshed and placed under a guard of a dozen strong men. The rest of the '09s sallied forth and fell upon some Soph boys with their girls coming from the Dorm. The Freshmen greatly outnum-bered the Soph boys and attacked the party with the intention of capturing the remainder of around for good gains. Numbers their chosen victims. But the girls were not willing to stay neutral, and when the smoke of at center played a great game. battle lifted the Freshies were Coffin skirted the Sophs' right beating a retreat, with less hair end for a 23 yard run and a touch than at the start of the fight. down. Jewell kicked goal.

They returned to the woodshed **Preps Debate** where the captured Sophs were their failure. A ride into the debaters are busy working on the tan cities were all fortified. country, which the '09's had tryout for the Colfax High School Some were fortified with brick. been planning for their victims debate. The tryout will be held During one of these wars the was now given up, on account of on December 2, and the debate Persians invaded Sparta and an ivory ball, which was hollow the fear of the Freeking that the will take the will take the debate of the second with second with the fear of the Freshies that the will take place some time in Feb-four Sophs might freeze. The ruary. The question is that of Sophs claim it was on account of Ohinese exclusion. Wednesday 209 "cold feet ?? Last Thursday with the Bronowstown Debating where is your brick??" '09 "cold feet." Last Thursday night the Preparatory Debating where is your brick?" The Sparnight the lower classes again took Society was reorganized. Her- tan king in answer, pointed to the center of the stage. The bert Wadsworth was elected pres-his splendid army, drawn up in Sophomores, in order to have ident and Clarence Edmundson, battle formation ready to attack their turn in the affair, tried to secretary. A committee was aptie up three of the Freshies' ring- pointed to see about a time of brick." leaders, Barto, Savidge and Jew- meeting and to arrange the Colell, in order to keep them from fax debate. Proctor Perkins, head," is also of ancient origin. going to their class dance on Fri- Earl Foglesong, and O. Solibakke When making excavations in day night. To accomplish this constitute the program committee 1878, in the buried city of Hercuthe Soph's decided to capture of the society. The preparatory laneum, numerous coins were the three and take them to Pull- department is a member of the dug up; on one side of each coin received a lot of new apparatus man. The Freshies, however, Inland Empire Debate Leegue. | was the picture of a skull and for use in the laboratory.

smelled the rat and were pre-pared. The Sophs came around HENDRICKX AGAIN on Thursday night and captured Barto and Lefler. By this time the Freshies came around, released their classmates, turned the tables by capturing three of the Sophs, Mac, Morrow, and Whitehead. They took them out six miles in the country and there tied them all up, but Morrow, whom they took back a quarter of a mile and let loose to untie his classmates. Walking back the Freshies met a rig manned by "Fat" Foreman, who was put out and the Freshies rode back to town. The handcuffs are in possession of the Freshies. On the same night Jay Jelick, '09, was painted up with some chemical agent, in revenge for the liberal application of shoeblacking to

before. 15 FRESHMEN-WIN.

Plucky Little Team From the '09 Class

Out-Play the Sophomores. Saturday afternoon at the bal park the Freshman team defeated a team of Sophomores in football by a score of 6 to 4. The game was well played on both sides and was a fast, hard contest. The Freshmen scored a touchdown in the first half and converted. In the second half the Sophomores scored by a drop kick from the field.

The Sophomore team had in its line-up three first team men who played in the back field. These men-played the best game for the Sophs. They, however, were unable to cross the goal line and reverted to a drop kick for their score. This was made from the 20 yard line by Thomas, who had previously made several drop kicks in games.

There were no first team men in the ranks of the Freshmen but they had several first team substitutes and one who played in a first team game. The particular stars were the two half backs, Numbers and Coffin. Both these little fellows tore through and and Pauls were always there in playing defensive. Stokesberry

The Learn d Divine Entertains at Assembly-Astronomical **Question Discussed.** 

The Auditorium Was Filled with Eager Auditors Who Cheered at Each Witty Remark.

The students were again entertained during the assembly hour last week by Father Hendrickx. His subject, this time was the, "Astronomical Question Box," and its nature was directly opposite to that of his discourse of last week. His object was to amuse more than to instruct.

The question box has been in vogue in the Eastern citties and universities for several years. It has proved to be of great value in helping both professor and scholar. Father Hendrickx has kept a question box for eleven years and during this time has answered, in round numbers, 27,000 questions.

Although the question box is called the "Astronomical" question box, there were very few questions asked that related to astronomy, many of them relating to politics and society and some were very foolish. These were answered with laconic answers, the speaker holding up the questioner to ridicule and keeping the students in a constant uproar by his witty answers. Some of these questions were

particularly interestiong. In one the speaker was requested to illustrate the distance from the earth to the sun. Should we board a trian that traveled at a rate of 30 miles an hour and travel continuously until We reached the sun it would take three hundred thirty-eight years, five months and twenty days to reach our destination.

When requested to explain the the speaker promptly complied: "He is a brick," "He is a dead head," "He kicked the bucket." The first of these about the city. With a guide and a control who was with him through-The first of these phrases orig-inated in Sparta before the time of Ohrist. The Persians and the Sparatne were continuelly the started out to see the town. "Canton," said the speaker, "is the greatest shopping place in the world ?? The shopping of Ohrist. The Persians and the place in the world." The shops ments. The arrival of the new place in the world." The shops apparatus has given every pos-gaged in-bloody wars. The Spar- toniching cheepings that it is battle formation ready to attack the Persians and said "He is a The phrase, "He, is a dead head," is also of ancient origin.

cross bones. He who possessed cross bones. He who possessed one of these coins was permitted to go to the theatre free. Hence to go to the theatre free. Hence he was called a dead head, because he possessed a dead head coin and because he was a dead one as far as revenue was concorned. The phrase maintained the same usage to the present

day. "He kicked the bucket," originated in Massachusetts. shoemaker, wishing to end his life, stood on a bucket, tied arope supsended from above, around his neck and kicked the bucket from underneath himself. From this unique way of committing suicide has arisen one of our frequent slang phrases.

Many of these questions of general interest were asked all of which where ably answered. After the talk Prof. Rugers played a flute solo and as an encore played, on the piano, a piece that he has composed and one that he has dedicated to the "students of the University of Idaho." Professor Rugers will later compose orchestra parts for the piece.

### TALKS ABOUT CHINA

Lieut. Steunenberg Entertains Websterians with an interesting Account of His Visit There.

Before the Websterians, at their meeting one week ago. Lieut. Steunenberg gave a short but very interesting account of a visit which he paid to China a few years ago.

He landed at Hong Kong, which he described as a decided British town. It is situated on a steep hillside, the part next to the water being taken up with business houses and the heights back of that being the residence portion. The Lieutenant said that he found very few Americans in the city and was struck with the prevailing lack of friendliness for them. After a short stay in Hong Kong he took a Chinese riverboat and went up to Canton, which 'he found to be strictly Chinese. The streets were narrrow, crooked and dirty. The Oaptain of the boat advised him to take a

tonishing cheapness that it is difficult for tourists to stop buying. He showed to his audience and pierced with several small openings, inside this were five other balls. The whole piece of work cost hardly a tenth of what an American would have demanded for it. While in Canton Lieutenant Steunenberg also visited a Ohinese court and he described very vividly the brutality and tortures inflicted on the accused who refused to plead guilty, and the cool, businesslike, cruelty of the frequent executions. The Physics department has

After Hard Contest.-Fast Game on a Muddy Field.

Down the Strong Normal Eleven

Small the Best Ground Gainer for Preps while Guinn Brothers Play Ster Game for the Normal.

The Preparatory football team closed-their-season last Saturday by again defeating the fast Lew iston Normal team. They added one more victory to the long list that Idaho has won this year. The goal line of an Idaho team, either 'Varsity, second team, or Prep., has not been crossed this year.

The visiting team was heavier than the Lewistonites but the Normal was coached down to a fine point and were stronger in team work and speed. The solitary score was made by Smith. who captured a fumble at the beginning of the second half and carried it over for a touchdown. Small kicked goal.

For the Normals the Guinn brothers put up a great defensive game. The smaller one played at quarter and ran his team like a veteran. Krengel, Stephens, Oleveland and Bashor did the best work for them at carrying the ball. Small was the particular star for the Preps. and frequently made sensational gains. Solibakke and Smith played well in the line and opened up great holes. Horton played his usual steady quarter and was a star on defense.

The boys are loud in their praise for the treatment which they received at Lewiston and think the Normal girls are "too sweet for any use." It is reported that Hercules met a Venus while there and it was with difficulty that they could bring him home.

### Basket Ball.

The baskets have been put into shape and pactice has begun for the coming season. Everything about the gymnasium is in shape for good developments. The arrival of the new wishing to train. A few players have been out the preliminary practice. for But if Idaho is going to have a representative team all in the University must get into the gymnasium and demonstrate their abilities. There should be two good teams, one of boys, the other of girls, to contest in behalf of the honor of Idaho. The teams will be chosen by the coach in a few days. It therefore behooves all desirous of making the team's, to get out immediately. Each of the classes will probably putout a strong team, and some lively inter-class contests are promised.

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Lack of space last issue prevented the publication of the Junior-Senior football game. Sophomore strawride, notice of Professor J. M. Aldrich's new book and many other short articles. We are trying to make amends this week.

Last week's Argonaut said that Idaho's goal line had been crossed only once this year. This needs correction. Idaho's goal line has not been crossed and the team has been-scored-on-only-once.-This was a safety made by the Lewiston High School team.

The Mining Building is the scene of much activity. Fully Professor Thor van Pyk at presone-fourth of the male students of the University are taking work of the University are taking work he has a large class. The pro-there. Beyond question it is fessor will be in Moscow two days one of the most important places out of each week and will spend at the University. Yet it is one the remainder of the week in of the two places which is in a Spokane. Professor Thor van Pyk measure isolated from the outside | will have charge of all vocal world. Many occasions arise in organizations of the college. He which it is very necessarry that will take charge of his work imthere should be telephonic com- mediately after the Thanksgiving munications with the School of holidays. Mines. But that instituiton is not supplied with the much needed modern improvement.

dents who paticipate in the inter-collegiate contests should be neu organisiert. Dir Einrichtung awarded some token of remem- der Prorgammen fuer dieses Jahr brance. The members of the ist ungleich jener ertstes football team have worked hard Jahres. Die Programmen zu den all season and have had no trips. Versammlungen fur They surely deserve something. Jahr aus Schriften um welche A small gold football charm Pharen der Deutschen Literatur would be quitean appropriate bestehen werden. Diese Schriften present. For other athletics oth- werden aufs Deutsche gesrchieben er suitable tokens could be se- und gelesen werden. cured. Those taking part in de- Versammlungen werden bates and oritorical contests vergehn Tage zusammen kom-should be presented with the men, die erste regelmassige

pleasure to announce to the stu- erste Rede geben. Es ist auch dents that a department of vocal dir Absicht der Gerellschaft am music has been instituted. This is Ende des Schuhl-Jahres ein a department that we have cer-deutches Schauspiel zu geben tainly needed and hoped for. Anstatt einer regelmassigen The head of this department will doubtless build up a strong musi-cal organization which will add heits rechte, Offizere, u. s. w.

with library regulations at the University. This innovation appeared to have the approval of the entire student body. At any rate it was a source of convenience to many, but for some reason unknown to many the feature has become obsolete. This feature was the opening of the library at 8 a. m. It frequently occurs, that students wish to consult some reference books, or wish to study before the first recitation period. But with the library closed the students are deprived of this privilege. They are compelled to stand around the corridors. Any one can testify to the inconvenience the cor-

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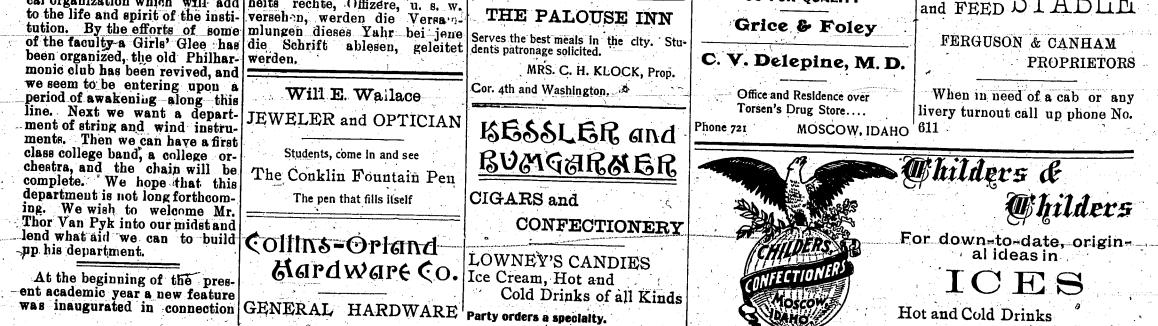
structor Secured. Professor Thor van Pyk, a noted vocal instructor of New York, has been secured by the department of music to give vocal lessons at the University. ent is located at Spokane where

### Deutsche Gesellschaft

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### Where is Maud?

Arthur Rogers went to Lewiston-Friday. - manual front

Birdie Ransom is in school again after a long siege of illness. "Teddy" Roosevelt and Middleton are visiting the white pines.

the Auditorium on Sunday : at 4 o'clock.

The new librarian, Miss Sweet, assumed the duties of office last Thursday.

Amanda Moerder was ill last Wednesday and did not attend her classes.

Georgiana Gilbert war out of school Thursday and Friday on account of a severe cold.

The "Wave" of the University of Washington will hereafter appear as a four page sheet.

Lyman, ex-'07 was married on the 11th of this month to Miss Grace Kelsey, of Lewiston.

A life and death football game between two featherweight teams is scheduled for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Judson and Mrs. Young entertained some of their city friends at the home of the former Friday afternoon.

The Sophs had a class meeting on Thursday to make arrangements for having their pictures taken for the Annual.

"Stub" Leonard had two of the asteries in his hand cut last Thursday night by pushing his hand through a window pane.

The Beta Sigmas were at home Saturday afternoon at Miss Edna

Sophs waxed poetic and the bers by the cooings. The two Freshies found posters on their young Romeos, G. and W., sadly doors, Saturday morning.

The Websterians and Amphictyons teams are working hard on the inter-society question and the debate which will take place December 15 or thereabouts promises to be a hard fought contest.

a farewell party in honor of Con- ments in the chemical departgressman B. L. French and W. E. Lee at their house Monday. Mr. French and Mr. Lee left for various classes separated. Washington D. C. to assume the duties of their offices when Congress opens.

much pleased with the results The soloists are Miss Sonna she is obtaining. 'The personnel and Professor Eldridge. Miss of the club is about completed. Forney will be piano accompanist.

Maud! Maud! Maud!! Maud!! Every student in the University

Freshman party. Clair Stevenson had an attack

Vesper services were held in not attend classes since Wednesday.

A large number of chairs have been purchased by the University for use in the Administration Building.

The mining department has recently received several large and valuable specimens and mineral exhibits which were at the Lewis & Clark Fair.

W. G. Turley, '05, has gone to Santa Fe, New Mexico, in the hope of finding steady employment. Herregards that field as affording better opportunities than North Idaho.

Finally the apparatus for the gymnasium hàs arrived. Complete equipment for making the gymnasium a modern instution in all respects will be in place within the next two weeks.

The Senior and Junior classes in mining made an excursion to the Moscow Mountains, Saturday in quest of mineral specimans. While out they studied the formation of the district and inspected the workings of several mines among them, the White Cross, the Blacksmith and the Golden Gate.

Two young couples were standing outside the door late in the evening of Sunday November 12. They were cooing the love language of the doves. Suddenly Moore's, to their girl friends, the faculty ladies, and their friends among the town ladies. There was a rough house at voice was that of an elderly lady the dorm Friday night. The who was aroused from her slumwended their way home ..

The chemical laboratory for the beginning classes in chemistry are completed and will be ready for use in a few days. Thus far this year the work has been carried on by lectures and demonsromises to be a hard fought con-est. The Kappa Phi Alpha's gave provement. The new improvement will give ample convenience for all classes and will keep the

Tuesday evening November 8, at 8 p. m, the English Club will render its first regular pro-The Glee club is progressing gram at the University Auditor-rapidly. Regular practices are um. At this program Tennyson's beng held and Miss Sonna is ("Maud" will be presented.

### **Electrical Association**.

The Electrical Association held will then be able to get the nec-) their regular meeting last Friday essary exercise. afternoon. Schultz, '07, gave a Roland Smith changed his tie talk on the manufacture of elec-four times to take a flitt to the tricals for underground circuits.

The time and day of, meeting was changed at the business of la grippe last week and did meeting to Wednesday, at 3:50, after the drafting period, in order to give the Freshman and Sophomore engineering students an opportunity to attend >the meetings.

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 6. Matthews will give a paper on poly. phase motors. Goble and Keefe will give reviews on some of the latest electrical engineering ma gazines.

The Telegram, Portland, November 21, says that on paper at least, the University of Idaho is entitled to the intercollegiato championship of the Pacific northwest in the way of football. If the scores are to be considered there is no other course to follow. Oregon won the state championship by defeating both the Wil-lamette and O. A.°O. Washington was defeated by Idaho early in the season. Then Washington played Oregon and a tie score resulted. This must mean from the "dope" that Idaho has the best team.

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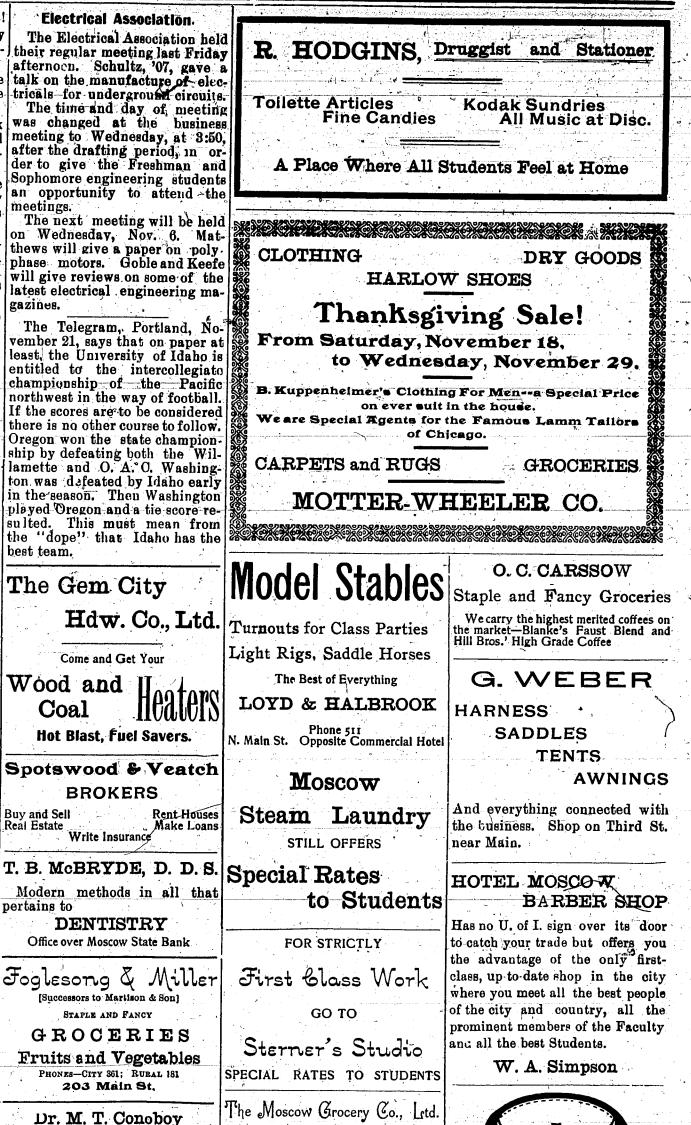
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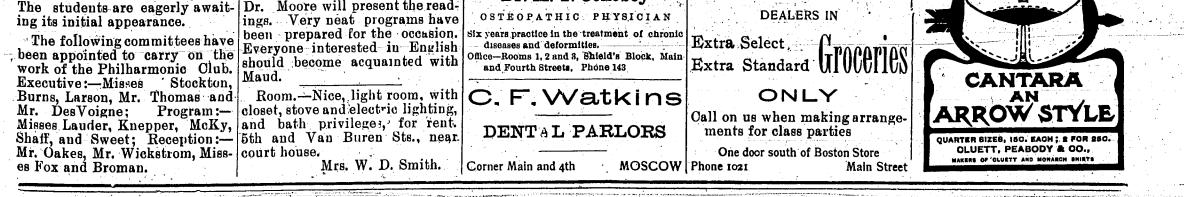
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