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## TALK BY LAWYER

### Mayor of Moscow Speaks Before Students Body at the Last Assembly.

Explains Relation of Client to Lawyers and the Need for Greater Confidence in Counsel.

Attorney Wm. Morgan, mayor of the city of Moscow, was the speaker at assembly, last week. Mr. Morgan spoke upon the "Relation of the Lawyer to his Client." The address was a very interesting one and the audience gave strict attention to the discourse.

The speaker discussed the relations that should exist between lawyer and client, both moral and legal. He said that a great many people make a great mistake by not trusting their attorney. He pointed out the futility of the case where a lawyer is to give advice and is unable to secure the facts bearing upon the case in question.

Mr. Morgan said, "If you need legal counsel go to an attorney with honesty of purpose in your heart. Tell him the truth. Relate to him the facts bearing upon your case, and when you have received his advice pay him for it. This is the only way in which a client can derive the benefits he hopes to receive by legal counsel." Mr. Morgan then told of the strict and binding oath that every attorney must take when admitted to the bar. The attorney upon admittance takes an oath "to be true to his client at all hazards." He swears that he will not divulge any secret entrusted to him by his client and that he will do all in his power to support the cause of his client. The lawyer upon breaking this oath is subjected to a double penalty, imprisonment and disbarment from practice.

Mr. Morgan mentioned some peculiar cases that sometimes come into the courts. He gave several illustrations of embarrassing positions in which a lawyer is often placed. He compared the lawyer to the soldier, insignificant, worthless, when all is peace and quiet, a gentleman when trouble is in sight.

A quiet sense of humor pervaded the entire discourse. The audience was entertained by the numerous little anecdotes that lawyers always have at ready command.

After the address the cadet officers were presented with their commissions, by Lieutenant Steunenberg. The program was closed with a vocal solo by Clyde Oakes.

## LITERARY AFTERNOON.

On Thursday afternoon in the auditorium the English club committee, of which Thos. Galloway

is chairman will give a literary entertainment on the subject of the Elizabethan Stage. The program will consist of informal discussions of various features of the drama and its presentation in the sixteenth century. Several Shakespearean lyrics which have been set to music will be rendered, in addition to other musical numbers. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

## TRACK TRAINER SECURED

Vander Veer, Recently of Union College, and U. of W. to Have Charge of Idaho Athletes this Spring.

After corresponding for several weeks with various trainers the Athletic Board has secured the services of Ohas. W. Vander Veer to train and coach the Idaho track team during the coming season. Mr. Vander Veer has had twenty-seven years of experience training college athletes and has earned a splendid reputation. He has developed some of the speediest performers on the path and several of his well-known athletes have gained national reputations.

Mr. Vander Veer did his last training at the University of Washington, and resigned his position as trainer at the latter institution in June, 1904. While at Washington he developed four champion all-round athletes; John McManus, Don Palmer, Glen Calkins and Joe Pearson, the latter being the fastest man on the coast from 1 to 600 yards. Other speedy athletes developed by him while at Washington were Fred Chester, Dick Huntoon and Murford. His relay teams were never defeated.

Before going to Washington Mr. Vander Veer was at Union College where there were five ten second men in the 100 yard dash. Other good records made by his athletes are: 220 yard dash, H. V. Phillips, 21 4-5 seconds; one-half mile, W. J. McNulty, 2 minutes; high jump 6 feet and broad jump 22 feet 11 inches, B. J. Mulligan. These are only a few of the fine performers developed by trainer Vander Veer during his career.

The new trainer is daily expected in Moscow and will immediately start active training. Captain Matthews and several of the candidates were out last week doing light work. It is expected sixty men will report to trainer Vander Veer when he issues his call for track men.

## Freshmen Meet; Elect Officers.

At a meeting of the Freshmen class, Tuesday, the following officers were re-elected for the second semester: Pres. Roy Barto; vice pres. S. L. Savidge; secy. Edna Dewey; treasurer, L. Gerlough. By unanimous vote the office of class historian was created. It is planned to have all class functions—everything of interest to the class—recorded, and, at the end of the four years bound into a neat volume for individual members. O. P. Darwin was elected to this position. A committee was appointed to draw up a constitution for the class.

## SORORITY DANCE

### The Club House Decked in a Profusion of Pennants Colors and Flowers.

Alpha Delta Pi Girls Entertain in One of the Winter's Brilliant Social Functions.

Alpha Delta Pi sorority entertained at dancing at the club house, Friday evening. The function was a brilliant affair and eclipsed all similar events in the annals of 'Varsity social events of recent years. About one hundred invited guests were present to enjoy the hospitality of the sorority girls. The Freshman members of the sorority Ruth Broman, Edna Dewey, Florence Anderson, Edith Watson and Francis Butterfield met the guests at the door and escorted them to the receiving line. In the receiving line were Mrs. Warren Truitt, Miss Ethel Moody, Winifred Calkins, Martha Semper, Constance Henderson and Mary Hall, and Mr. Walter Balderston. Before the grand march started the orchestra played several overtures. Meanwhile the guests were being received and becoming acquainted.

The line for the grand march was formed promptly at eight thirty, led by W. K. Roosevelt and Mrs. Warren Truitt. Then followed the senior girls and their escorts. As the guests marched down the center of the hall, programs were given to them by three little girls dressed in white, Lilian Carithers, Majorie Zumhof and Lucile De Mot. Each time the column encircled the hall its front would be widened, until, as they marched down eight abreast, the music livened and a two-step was begun.

From then until early morning the spirits of the guests were never allowed to ebb, while the sorority girls were almost smothered by congratulations and compliments upon their excellent success in planning and managing the affair. This event will long be remembered.

The ballroom was richly decorated. The walls were decorated solidly with sorority colors, green and white. Streamers of the colors radiated from the ceiling of the room to sides, forming a perfect web through which glimmered the pale lights. In the patronesses corner oriental rugs were on the floor, sofa pillows were banked behind the chairs, college and fraternal pennants ornamented the walls. Japanese lanterns were suspended from the ceiling at short intervals. The orchestra corner looked like a jungle. The orchestra was almost hidden from view by a dense growth of palms and house plants. Large bouquets of white carnations added the daintiness to the these

elaborate decorations.

The dining room was decorated with cut flowers and plants. Here, also, was a fine display of college pennants. Refreshments were served during the dance, about one third of the party going at each call. The edibles were delicious and were nicely served. During the dance punch was served by Gretchin Zumhof and Linda Rae.

## WASHINGTON COMING.

Hard Contest Assured for March 29—Student Enthusiasm Needed.

The two teams chosen to meet Oregon and Washington are hard at work preparing for the triangular debates. They have the most important public question of the year for discussion. The railroad rate question is at present the subject of daily debates in the Congress of the United States, and President Roosevelt is the moving spirit of the affirmative discussion. Thus the coming contests will be of deep importance to every person in the Northwest who desires to keep informed on the status of the railroad rate problem. The final outcome will represent the work of eighteen of the trained thinkers of Oregon's, Washington's and Idaho's student bodies.

The form of the contests is another factor in making them of the highest importance. Last year saw the birth of the first triangular league ever organized among universities when Cornell, Columbia and Pennsylvania organized on that plan. Thus far in the east there has been but one other similar league organized—between Brown, Dartmouth and Amherst. The compact between Oregon, Washington and Idaho is the first of the type in the West. Its features are well known. Each University puts out two teams, one debating the affirmative at home, and the other the negative away from home. These two teams meet each other in frequent practice debates. Finally, the three big debates, all on the same night, will represent the sum of work of the eighteen men for weeks previous.

Idaho's contest with Washington will take place at Moscow. Two years ago Idaho defeated Washington here, and it is much desired that there shall be a like outcome to the approaching debate. The event should arouse the greatest interest in every Idaho student, and if the contest receives its just due of appreciation, and Idaho spirit again mounts to the occasion, as was the case during the football season, no student, from senior to prep will stay away from the debate.

## Amphictyons.

The meeting of the Amphictyon Society Saturday evening was well attended. The program consisted of speeches by Martin, Hunting, Johnson and Yothers, and a debate upon International Arbitration between Burley, Jelick and Gerlough, and Montandon, Keyes and Culver.

## TO TALK FOOTBALL

### California and Stanford Will Debate on Football's Effect on University Ideals.

Pennsylvania Denied Ranking as One of the "Big 4"—Chicago Students in France Next Summer.

The University of California has submitted the following question to Stanford for the spring debate: "Resolved, That the American game of Football has done more harm than good to the ideal for which Universities should exist." Stanford has the choice of sides.

Relations between Harvard and Pennsylvania have been anything but peaceful for the past few years. Harvard has several times refused to meet Pennsylvania in contest. That Harvard is determined to break with Pennsylvania is apparent from the following taken from one of our exchanges: "Harvard has recognized Pennsylvania as a member of the 'Big Four,' for more than ten years, and also as a worthy rival. In track, football and baseball she has honored men contesting with the Quakers with the 'H,' but now the 'varsity men' will not be given their prize letter and Pennsylvania has been relegated to the class occupied by Brown, Dartmouth, Holy Cross and other minor colleges of the East.

The Y. M. O. A. of the University of California has joined the Anti-Profanity Society of the World, an organization to aid in purifying the conversation of men and women—Student Record.

James Lightbody and Hugo Friend, the two great Chicago track men, have been extended invitations to go to Athens, Greece in April and compete as members of an all-American track team.—Daily Maroon.

Clarence Martin, Victor Zednick and Harlan Trumbull compose the Washington team to meet Pacific in debate on April 20.—Wave.

The Sophomore Class at California voted \$25 to their Hop Committee. The Daily Californian regards this action as an insult to the committee, since it was in return for work that ought to have been looked upon as a labor of love.

The University of Chicago will offer a course, next summer, of vacation study and travel in France. The language, institutions and government will be studied. Those who take the course will get the usual credits.

The Electrical Department has received a Direct Reading, Watt Hour Meter from the Diamond Meter Co., of Peoria, Illinois. This makes the fifth meter presented to the University.

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Upon further information the Argonaut wishes to correct a statement made last issue. The ball given by W. S. O., Feb. 22, 1906, was the third annual Military Ball, instead of the first as published.

Robert O. Jones is this week added to the Argonaut staff. He has consistently worked and well for several weeks, although various obstacles have consumed time in such a way as to make the task difficult for him. There are many other places yet to be filled on the staff and all who wish to try for the positions will be welcomed.

Another student activity which might well be accorded a place at the University is the student book store. Such an institution is successfully conducted at many colleges and universities and proves to be beneficial and convenient to the students. The financial saving to the students is the most commendable feature. It is a well known fact that many of the text books used by the students cost them, when ordering through the dealers, from 10 per cent to 25 per cent more than the list price. A student book store would be able to procure books at dealers' prices, and to sell them to the students at such cost price. That price would be much below the list price. It is safe to say that such a course would save the students an average of 25 per cent upon all college books. The Argonaut hopes, within a couple of weeks, to be able to set forth the workings of the student's book store at other Universities. Any comments by the students at the University will be gladly received and given space in the Argonaut.

The Wave of Feb. 20, contains an able editorial upon the interstate relations of Oregon, Washington and Idaho. The Argonaut heartily approves of the efforts for closer relations among the named institutions. To these efforts, the Argonaut thinks, Idaho is lending her full support. She was instrumental in bringing about the triangular debate. If she mistakes not the Argonaut believes that Idaho initiated the movement for that arrangement of debates among these state universities. Equal credit is due to Washington and Oregon for their untiring efforts in bringing about a perfecting of the arrangements for the contests. In the efforts for the triangular track meet Idaho has heartily co-operated. As it is now under-

stood, the triangular track meet is agreed upon by the three institutions. All that remains is to secure the field at the desired time. Idaho is also doing her share in the efforts to secure triangular relations in baseball and football. Of course some difficulties in a financial way may be encountered. The distances between the institutions are great, and the expenses in some cases, will be large. In so far then as patronage of all these contests limit these large undertakings, the institutions will be limited in their arrangements, for the contests. Idaho can be depended upon to do all in her power to further the movement to bring the state institutions into closer relations.

### MEET DAVENPORT H. S.

Preps to Debate Davenport in April.—  
Team Chosen Last Saturday Afternoon.

Six Preparatory students contested, on Saturday, for places on the team which is to debate against Davenport, Wash., High School, probably in the latter part of April. The contestants were Workman, Charles Dean, William Solibakke, Griner, Bessee and Proctor, Perkins, Perkins, Wm. Solibakke and Chas. Dean, made the team, ranking in the order named. Perkins was poor in delivery but made up the deficiency in sound argument. Solibakke's argument was good, but poorly organized. He has a very easy and forceful delivery. Chas. Dean won third place by virtue of a well outlined case. Of the unsuccessful contestants, Workman was the best, with Griner and Bessee good rivals.

### Websterians.

The Websterians held a very interesting and well attended meeting Saturday evening. The question debated was, "Resolved, That the Hepburn Rate Bill is Unconstitutional." The debaters were J. H. Frazier, for the affirmative and T. E. Smith and McKeen Morrow for the negative. B. D. Mudgett gave a very well prepared speech on the "English Cabinet."

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Professor H., in class, for once admitted he was in the wrong.

Louis G. Peterson, '05, came into Moscow from Lewiston, Thursday.

Wm. Roosevelt made a flying business trip to Lewiston last Monday.

George Wyman returned Monday from Lewiston where he had gone on business.

The Deutsche Gesellschaft is contemplating giving a German play early this spring.

J. S. Hogue, of Gilbert, Idaho, is visiting his son Frank, of the Preparatory Department.

Prof. French returned on last Thursday from Stites, where he attended a dairy convention.

Arthur Thomas has been confined to his room for several days on account of sickness.

John Middleton went to Lewiston last Monday on legal business and returned Tuesday morning.

Norman Adkison, while engaged in a friendly boxing contest with Rodney Small, Friday afternoon, broke several bones in his right hand.

The Deutsche Gesellschaft held its regular meeting last Monday evening. The program consisted of Goethe's life, by Miss Winifred Calkins and the reading of some of his most famous short poems by Miss Mary Hall.

Edward M. Murphy, '05, has been elected captain of the Y. M. C. A. track team at the Schenectady Electrical Training Institute, of New York. "Spud" was captain of the Idaho track team for several years and made quite a reputation as a hurdler, jumper and pole vaulter.

Prof. H. T. French went to Boise Friday to confer with Dr. Roach in regard to the establishment of the auxiliary Experiment Station in South Idaho. It will be the purpose of this station to carry on experiments under irrigation. This work is badly needed and it is hoped to have it under way within a short time.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Steunenberg gave a reception to the officers of the battalion Thursday evening in honor of Major Davidson. The Major, being in a reminiscent mood, gave interesting accounts of his many and varied experiences in the Philippine Islands. The entertainment was concluded with a lunch of lobster salad served in good old army style.

### Beta Sigma Sorority

The Beta Sigma Sorority gave an "at home" reception to its gentlemen friends on Saturday evening at the residence of Miss Gertrude Jenkins. This was one of the neatest social functions of the year. The rooms were artistically decorated with the Sorority colors, purple and white and pennants were hung in profusion.

One of the many features of the entertainment was the progressive sewing contest. George Wyman's adaptability with the needle enabled him to win the handsome Beta Sigma pillow. Professors Eldridge and Hulme rendered several solos during the evening. Dainty refreshments were served and, early Sunday morning, after the rendition of several good old college songs the crowd dispersed "each happy and thankful."

### Y. W. C. A.

The Y. W. C. A. is planning for an interesting course of addresses on "Life Works for Girls." These meetings will occur on Sunday afternoons at four o'clock. All young women are cordially invited to attend them and it is hoped that many will take advantage of them.

The following schedule has been arranged for the next three Sundays: On March 11, Miss Sweet, librarian of U. of I. will talk on "Library Work;" on March 18, Mrs. Eldridge will speak on "The Home." Mrs. Little's address on "Settlement Work," will come on March 25. On the following Sundays it is hoped to secure addresses on "Teaching," "Nursing," and other interesting topics.

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University Authorities in Tangle of Red Tape Over Cannon on the Campus.

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It leaked out that the University is really entitled to two modern field pieces rather than pair of a battle scarred relics of the Civil War. Mr. Jenkins and Lieut. Steunenberg worked this fact for all it was worth and presently ran onto another still more surprising piece of intelligence. It seems that cannon like those on the Idaho campus are used at the Presidio, San Francisco, for hitching posts and other humble offices. When this became known the military man at San Francisco was placed in a still more inconsistent position.

The upshot of the matter is the introduction of a bill in the senate by Senator Heyburn directing the secretary to turn the two condemned cannon over to the University as campus ornaments.

When the two modern field pieces arrive, Capt. R. W. Claye

will take charge of them, and he expects to raise that branch of the science to its fitting dignity.

### Debate Council.

The Debate Council last week received from Whitman the question for the debate which occurs at Walla Walla, April 20. Whitman defeated Pacific University on the same question, which she has sent to Idaho. Idaho can therefore expect a strong fight with Whitman. The victories thus far have been divided equally between the two institutions, and this debate will be the last. For this reason there will be a stubborn contest, for the determining victory of the series of debates. The Council hopes to have at least fifteen enter the tryout.

The debate of the Watkins Oratorical Contest was set for March 9. Thus far only two have signified their intention to enter.

### Freshman Debaters Busy.

The debate between the Freshman team, composed of Jones, Mason and Kincaid, and the team of the Lewiston Normal will take place in Lewiston on the 17. The "Freshies" are working hard for this contest, and, under the excellent coaching they are receiving, should win a victory.

Of even more interest to the Freshmen, is the coming Freshman-Sophomore debate, which will be held on the railroad question about April 6. Probably the strongest debaters in both classes will meet at this time. These annual contests between the lower class men always excite keen interest, and the one this year will be no exception.

Bert George, '08, pleasantly entertained a crowd of his student friends one evening last week.

Lieutenant Wanamaker is down and out with the measles.

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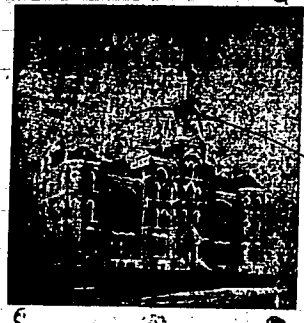
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