# THE UNIVERSITY ARCONAUT 

## Address by Phodes

State Secretary of $Y$ : M.C. A. In Oreson and Idaho Talks In Gym. Wednesday Evening

Address Presented Striking Argumen or the Consideration by College Forelgn Field

Mr. Ivan B. Rhodes, state secre tary of the Y. M. C. A's of Oregon and Idaho, who came to Moscow from Walla Walla, along with the Idaho delegates from the Bible Study Institute of Whitman, delivered an address Wednesday evening at the Gymnasium on the subject: "Work in Foreign. Fields." An audience of about thirty five men and women of the University gave the speaser's remarks close attention. The the missionary's calling on college men and women. Some of the speaker's statements wére surprising in their character, to the minds of those who had never interested themselves in his topic.
Mr. Rhodes' address was, in part, as follows: "The only true kasis on which a Christian man or woman can settle the plan of his or her life is that of service. These talents we prize so highly were not meant to be used for self alone but for changing the moral life of this world.
'I want, then, to speak of the claims of foreign missionary service on college students. It has, first, claims on our time. College people are tremendously busy, but as a matter of fact, they have all the time there is, and to a part of this time foreign missions have a claim. They have a claim on the college student's time because there is no greater movement in sociology, or in economics than
this extension of the kingdom of this extension of the kingdom of Jesus Christ through th:e world. We ought to be moved to pray for Kingdom of God
'Missionary enterprise has claims on our material resources.' We have in college, a small income and a large outgo, but we ought now to form the habit of giving. It is an important fact that the church in North America does not now average $\$ 1.00$ a year per capita for the support of this the greatest enterprise on earth.

This enterprise, moreover, has claims on our life purpose. What are we, as college men and women, going to live for, when we get into the wonld? Is it for love of pleasure, or scholarship, or wealth, or social standing, or something better than all these?

The missionary enterprise has also the claim on college men and women to go: The churches are calling for men and women of call is seen in these fact, that whereas one out of every five persons in America is a Christian, in the missionary's fields of work there is
but one Christian in every quarter
a million people.- In-the nex college, generation 24;000 students
will graduate, of whom 5000 will be Christians. A part of these must stay at home. But one half perhaps will be able to go to the foreign field, and to them comes the call, to place themselves in the centers of vice and suffering abroad, and to combat the forces which are evil. "The home and the foreign field, are, really, all one. There is no boundary line Wo gould where there is the greatest need. The man who believes in the Christian rotigion ought to seek propagate it most effectively.
"The foreign missionary onterprise claims our attention on purely selfish grounds, as well. The ndividual's greatest welfare often depends upon his answering affirm atively a call to foreign service. I remember the case of a man at the University of California in my
student days. He was president of student days. He was president of almost' every other honor possibl for him to win. He was a Christian in his Freshman and Sophomore years, and to him the question of going to the foreign field presented itself. His answer was to turn the call down. The result was that he lost his grip on the right living, and he ended his carcer a drunkard.

Calls are coming, constantly to the Foreign Department of the International Committee of Y, M.
A.'s to organize associations in cities in Japan, China, and India, especially in the great student centres. The students produce the rulers of these countries, and they are therefore the nost im. portant class to get hold on, in missionary work. Today the student class of China is turning to he education of the West. These and th $\Rightarrow$ thousands of students at Calcutta, India, and other such great centres of education, are the missionary's opportunity. Our brightest men are responding to it. Robertson, who was professor of Mechanical Engineering at Purdue University, Gleason, Ned Carter from Harvard, and many other of the best men of all the Universities have gone.
"There is also the other grea force in the missionary field called the Student Volunteer Movement. It has up to now been instrumental in sending some 3000 college students to service in the foreign field.'
It was under the auspices of the Mission Study Department of the local Y. M. C. A. that Mr. Rhodes address was given. F. E. Lukens Chairman of the Missionary Committee of the Association, presided.
'Do you think my voice would fill that big hall?"
No; it would probably empty "-Ex.
"What is your name, little boy?" "The teacher asked
"Jule," he answered
"You should say Julius; and now what is this other little boy's

## "Billious." $" \mathrm{Ex}$

Darlington.-"I tell you it paye o advertise. I had six invitations

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ing sentences, and she gave a num her. of thrusts, interspersed with slang, at minor points in the negave case "Proof," she asserted 'had nut been' given by the negative for their statements." How ever, it develnged that by "proof" she meant only the mentioning of of the $s$ urces of information:- Then she trok up the last point in the negative case-the inipovement of rrvice. With more training and experience Miss Davis will make a ery able debater. She has unusul confidence and self-possession.
In the presence of a goodesized adience the second annual debale between the Leviston Normal chool and the Freshman class wa Saturday evening, January 19. By vote of two to one the visitor were declared the victors:
The question was" "Resolved, That cities in the United States with the solution of the trinsportation problem in private ownership and operation." Tie Freshmen argued for the negative and the Normal School for the affirmative.
Mr. William Solibakke opened the debate. He outlined clearly the onditions of municipal transportaion in the United States from the beginning of the first street car line until the present time. And he proved the adequacy of the service He spoke clearly and deliberately.
Miss Maud Sullivan unfolded the plan of the negative. Her side, she aid, would prove (1) the feasibility f municipal ownership and operaion, (2) its success in Europe, (3) its success in Brooklyn, (4) its elimination of corruption, and (5) its mprovement in service. She de-
roted her time to the feasibility ol the negative's plan. In the las minute or two she attempted some work in refutation. She spoke quietly and earnestly. With mor experience and confidence she ought o do good work in debate.
Mr. John Wheeler showed that Chicago-a city often referred to by the previous speaker-had rejected municipal ownership and operation, and that Mr. Dalrymple, the Glassow expert, had pronounced against the municipalization of the Chicag street car system. He proved that regulation could achieve every ob ect. of the transportation. system He is a vigorous and empratic
speaker. His earnestness and sinperity were evident.
Mr. John Yoder produced many Mr. Joharts to illustrate the de velopment of municipal ownership in Glasgow, Liverpool, London and Brooklyn. He did no work at all n refutation.
Mr. Clifford Edmundson replied o the charts. No account of the indebtedness of the cities and the annual interest payments, he said had been made. ..The fares quoted were for only short rides. This resulte in slums. Then he proved with striking statistics that were not even questioned by the negative the impracticability of their plan. H delivery is animated and effective. Miss Essie Davis proved hersel To the affirmative plan of regulation To the affirmative plan of regulation
she replied with a few rather slight-

- Mr. William Solibakke used the ive minutes for refutation to good advantage. In reply to the demand proof" he produced a list of he most eminent authorities upon the subject. In reply to the dis paraging sentences referring to regu lations he read the most authorita
tive and convincing lestimony. In reply to the Glasgow chart he howed how it revealed the fact tha the working people of the cities live in the slums. Finally he showed the impracticability of the munici palization of the street car systems His work was incisive and telling He was by far the best debater the contest.
At the conclusion of the debat the situation was this: (1) Th affirmative's contention that all the bjects of a city transportation sys em can be obtained by regulatio remained intact; and (2) the nega ive's first and indispensable con tention that their plan is. feasible was effectively assailed
The judges were Mr. Frank Moore ttorney, of Moscow, Mr. Edward S Fowler, attorney, of Lewiston, and Rev. Mr. Abels, of Moscow, Mr Guy Holman was the chairman. It was a spirited debate; and the subject prcyed a very interesting one Several debaters came over from the Washington State College. That subject with Whitman College and the University of Montana.


## EXAM. RULES

The Regulations for Examinationis wil

## Go In Force.

The rules for governing examin ations, as published below, ar uthoritative, having been-issued rom the Dean's office-and will be nforced in all examinations nex week. They are framed with such ingenuity as to -utterly deprive the would-be pony riders of his expected sssistance.

Each student shall furnish he instructor with one or-more of he examination books at or befor he last recitation in the subject Names are not to be written upo these.

No books or papers of any kind are to be taken into the ex amination room by the student, no ven examination books.

If scratch paper is "desired he opposite or back pages of the examination books are to be used and no such pages torn out.
R. O. Jones to Stewart- Ca you find the story of Ruth in this New Testament? I've been looking for it for the last hall hour."

## daho Vs,

 Endicott A. C.Athletic Club Overwhelmed by the Score of 76.8
daho's Prospects Are Growing Bright
er as the Season Prosresses

Of courge it was another of those hard luck stories; Balderston, one of our best men, was sick else the core would have been different As it was the boys did the best they they under the circumstances and managed to run the score up to 76 . The management however wants it The management however wants it
distinctly understood that hereafter all games will be played up to schedule time and scores may be xpected to ascend several degrees higher on the thermometer of goa demarkation.
In the game Friday night the Club was distinctly outclassed all hrough the game. İdaho's work was surprising, censational, and pleasing, especially to their sup porters.
Notwithstanding the fact that it was one of the severest winter evenings of-the year, a, good crowd was present at our first. home game of he season. The yells for Endicott nlivened the monotonous cheers of "Hurrah for Deak and Bob" and "ohew -em-up-Chiok.
The first half started with Young and Robertson as forwards, Case and Small as guards and Deak, all alone or centre. Endicott lined up, H ndre (Capt) and G Wilon, ndrews (Capt.) and G. Wilson, an Wilson $\dot{L}$. Wilson and Logson, guards, an Homer Andrews, centre. The game started with Idaho much quicker and faster than Endicott. In less than two minutes Idaho had thre oals; and the final score for the first half was 50-1, Endicott mak ing one on a foul.
In. the second hali Case was witched to forward in place of Young, and Johnson and Galloway came in as guards. Later Simpson eplaced Röbertson, H.-Smith_took entre, Perkins replaced Johnson and Edınundson replaced Galloway Every one of the subs that were out was given a little working out and ach one showed up in fine shape nd manner.
Sensational features of the game were the bnisket throwing of "Deak' and Robertson, and "Chick's" en deavors to stab Andrews in the face with his left eye. The team work was superfine, and all the old plays nd some new ones worked to per ection. Coach Griffith, when seen


Tell me not in spoiny verses Married life is buta dreamHe who oft his joy rehearses Isn't so happyy as he may seem. Livee of bald men all remind us We should choose our wives with care,
Or, departing, leave behind us Half our natural head of hair. - Ex

Fred Orr is absent from achoo on account of sickness.
Mr . Ploughman, of Boise, has registered as a preparatory student.
F. E. McDonald has left school for the desire "to see the old home place."

Clyde Chaffins is unable to attend classes at present on account of bronchitis.
Lewis Grete and R. O. Jones came down from the mines the middle of the week.

Miss Martha Sempert did not re'turn to school' until late on account of the illness of her brother.
For information about a first class run away see Yothers. The cause, not the result, of the wreck was an arm out of place.

Umbrellas recovered. Newhandles and all binds of repairing. Rubber stamps made to order at the Moscow Bicycle Works.

PLANS BEFORE LEGISLATURE
Pres, Mclean on his Return from Bolse, Tells of Bims Affecting Univerilty

President McLean returned to Moscow Monday after a considerable fbsence which he has spent in attending the regents meeting, in a trip to Chicago, where he inspected some of the buildings of the University of Chicago, and in looking after important bills relating to the University, which are to be presented at the legislature now in session. Mo an Argónaut reporter, President of the legislation proposed in behal of the University:
After my trip east I returned to Boise January 15th. and spent six days in consultation with the members of the Executive Committee of the Regents and the members of the legislature from Latah ccunty. At the time I left Boise legislation had been prepared covering the following points and it is expected that bills will be submitted to the legislature within a few days: 1. Appropr:ation of the School of Science Interest fund to University maintenance. 2. Appropriation of the accruals during 1906-7 in the College of Agliculture Interest fund. 3. Ac-

## Idaho Spirit

Show It Friday Night, January 25, at the Basket Ball Game

## IDAHO vs. W. S. C.

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Miss Della Shaff, '07, is confined to her room with a serious attack of appendicitis. The doctors fear that an operation may be necessary This illness is" doubly unfortunate coming ăs it does just before the nid-year exams.
A stack of silver dollars one foot high laid flatwise one upon the other is offered by Callahan's Commoner for the best three short stories submitted. Send stamp for particulars to James E. Callahan, Editor, 109 Randolph St., Chicago, Ill.

## military Ball

The Military Ball will be given on Feb. 21. All those desiring to have invitations sent to friends should give names and addresses of these to Capt. Sheppard not later than Jan. 31.
eptance of the conditions of th Adams Act by the State of Idaho 4. State Inheritance Tax, the pro ceeds to be appropriated to main tenance, the construction and equipment of buildings; apparatus, books and instruction in the University. 5. The $\$ 185,000$ required for the Administration to be divided as fol owe : $\$ 120,000$ to be raised by a wo years' mill rate of $3-4$ cf a mill on the assessed valuation of the state and the remainirg $\$ 65,000$ to be raised by the issue of state bonds for that amount. 6. The maintenance of the University and small appropriations for permanent improvement, to be included in the general appropriation bill. In the preliminary discussion of these measures the members of the lejislature have shown a disposition to provide for the great needs of the University as fully as the financial esources of the state will permit nd the favorable action of the legslature is anticipated in all the points enumerated.
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All of the students, and especially the Dorm. girls, have cause to remember Mrs. French for her many kin inesses and the many times she has opened her home to the stll dents.

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## Idaho vs. Endicott A. C

## Continvod trom tirst pige)

beat the same club 16-7 a few week ago shows our strength as compared with our friendly rival on the border All of the men showed up fin but, we need a real live game lefore we can make any predictions Further we dare not say for fear we judge dishonestly
Goals for Idaho: Wyman 16 Robertson 9, Case 8, Small 2, Simp son 2, Young 1
Goals for Endicott: Wilson 1, Andrews 2.
Fouls for Endicott: Wilson 2. Total score: Idaho 76, Endicot 8.

Umpire: J. G. Griffith
Timekeeper: H. McChesney

## WHAT'S THE MATTER

Do the Girls of the U. Appreclate Gym. Privlleges?
Five brave girls, mostly freshmen on Fridny night took advantage of the tradition that the use of the Gymnasium belongs to the girls of the University on Mondays, Wednesdays; and Fridays, and sought to secure some exercise by virtue of the privilege. After listlessly tossing a basket ball around for perhaps 15 minutes the five lone representatives of feminine aspir ation after physical development trotted off and yielded the floor to the Endicott basketball teann, which wished to practice.
The incident aroused some reflections in the minds of certain upper classmen who have been in college ever since the Gym was first thrown open for use. It was announced from the start that the privileges of the Gym belonged to the women on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. At first a few bold spirits ventured to exercise the privilege, but by and by even these lost their zeal, and it has been long since the Gym has presented a lively scene on girls' days.
The reasons for the apparent indifference of the fair sex to opportunities for exercise are not plain. Certainly if the women do not wish to use the Gym on the days assigned to them, it should be thrown open to the men of the University. Perhaps with the coming of a physical director, and the beginning of systematic work in physical culture, the girls will claim their rights, 'and use the facilities provided, with sufficient enthusiasm to justify the continuance of their gymnasium privileges.

NEW GYM. INSTRUCTOR AR

1. D. McChesney from Burlinston lowa, Takes Charge of the Gymnasts and Track Men
H. D. McChesney, for the pas six years gymnasium instructor a the Young Men's Christian Association of Buriington, Iowa, arrived here last week to act as instructor in the gymnasium :nd track coach. Several classes on the parallel bars, rings and horses have been organ ized of both boys und girls. The track men will begin in à few days on the indoor track and a good team is a cerrtainty.
Mr. McChesney is a graduate of Davenport High School, Iowa, and a man of considerable training and experience along athletic lines. He is an expert gymnast, and also ! pecializes in the pole vault and jump of the track events. He holds the individual championship in amateur gymnastics in the state of Iowa: The assoriation team of which he was a member holds the premium cup for the State of Iowa in gymnasium and track work in the Amateur League of North America.
Mr. McChesney desires everyone to get out and make the now large classes even larger aṇd says that if Haho does not have a winning track team, he cannot:tell anything from looks. Help him all you can in the good work.

## Engineers Wax Dramatic

One of the most interesting of the English Club's achievements, if the project is carried out, is likely to be the presentation - sometime in the coming semester of a Shaksperian play, not by the literature loving students in the Arts courses, but by the engineering section of the Freshman English class. A number of engineering students have succeeded admirably in the plays which have been thus far presented by the club, and this encourages the belief that a play in which all the actors are engineers will be a complete success. The play that will be chosen is "Julius Caesar." . It is understood that some work is already being done in preparation for the performance, and that the men of mathematic and machinery are tering into the project with en

## offers Interesting Course

Dr. McKinley has announced that he will offer a new course in coming semester during th Drama of the Greeks and Romans.


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This course is offered in the belief that there may be some who have not the time to master the ancient languages, but who would be glad to make such acquanintances with the old masters of the drama, as this course will give.

## Correction in Dates

An announcement in last week' Argonaut regarding the date of the opering of the new semester gave an erroneous impression which will be corrected by the following quotation from the calendar asgiven in the catalogue. "First Semester examinations begin Jan. 28 (Monday); First Semester examinations end Feb. 1, Friday; Registration, Feb. 4, (Monday); Sicond Semester begins Feb. 5, (Tuesday.) The article in the last Argonaul gave the impression that work for the Second Semester would not begin till Wednesday.

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