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## WILLIAMS' JUBILEE SINGERS.

Colored Company to Appear Before Moscow Audience for Fifth Time May 4.

For the fifth time the Williams' Dixie Jubilee Singers are to appear before a Moscow audience on next Tuesday night May 4, at the Methodist church. The fact that each successive appearance has drawn a larger audience than the preceding proves that the company is one that is worth hearing. Since its organization the personnel of the company has not changed except for the addition of one soprano singer which now enables the management to present to the public both a male and ladies quartette.

The chorus work of the company is excellent and the individual members always evoke much praise in their solo work. Especially has the bass singer, Mr. Crabbe, been a favorite with all audiences. An entire change of program is given each year so no one need fear a monotonous reception. For an evening of thoro enjoyment we know of nothing better to recommend to our readers both from the standpoint of music and mirth. The company comes under the auspices of the college Young Men's Christian Association who have placed the admission at the nominal sum of 50cts for adults and 25 cts for children. Some press comments:

I have met Williams' Jubilee Singers on several Chautauqua platforms.—They are ladies and gentlemen of culture and also great singers and entertainers.—Capt. Richmond Pearson Hobson.

I have had the good fortune to hear Williams' Jubilee Singers and I know of no other organization of its kind that is so well qualified to entertain the average audience and that so easily and naturally awakens a warm and enthusiastic response in the hearts of those who listen. It is a real pleasure to meet these people, as well as to hear them, for they are educated and cultivated, and they make friends wherever they go. Not only do they sing the old Southern songs with remarkable effect, but they interpret the more classical compositions in a manner that excites the wonder and admiration of all who are fortunate enough to hear them, and I commend them most heartily to lovers of music everywhere.—J. A. Parks, Largest Publisher of Quartette Music in the World, York, Nebraska.

An audience of more than twelve hundred people greeted Williams' Jubilee Singers at the White Temple, Saturday evening and from the great applause, every one was delighted.—"The Oregonian," Portland Ore.

Word has just been received of the death of Captain Albert N. Brunzell of the Philippine Marine Corps Service. Mr. Brunzell was a student at the University in 1898 when he volunteered for the Spanish-American war. He has been since that time in the military service and had just received his Captain's commission.

## OREGON HITS A SNAG

With a record of having won 6 of the eight games she had played on her trip the men of the Oregon team trotted onto the new Idaho diamond Friday afternoon and ran up against a surprise.

Appelman pitched a good game for Idaho allowing only four hits, two of which were two baggers that came in the fifth.

Oregon went to bat first and went out in one two three order on grounders to Walker, Appelman, and Barrett.

Slack was the first man up for Idaho and rapped out a neat single, went to second on McKenzie's grounder down first base line, stole third, and died there, Johnson going out on a fly to third and Curtis being unable to connect, retired the side.

Appelman presented Clark of Oregon with a pass, Henkle was thrown out at first on a grounder to Walker, McKensie struck out, and Woid shared Henkles fate.

Barrett batted out a neat single, Lundstrom sacrificed him to second, he went to third when Hanson batted one to pitcher and came home on an error by the first baseman.

Walker took the ball in the back and went to first and died there, Appelman going out on a foul that the first baseman gathered in.

Gus hit the first man up for Oregon, the next man sacrificed the runner to second, He went to third on a grounder to Walker and came home on a single by Heard. Johnson retired the side with a pop up fly to Appelman.

In the third Slack got his base on balls, stole second and died there when the next three men up struck out.

Clark was up first for Oregon and got on second when Williams dropped his long fly to left field, but the next three were thrown out at first by Barrett, Appelman, and Barrett.

In Idaho's half of the fourth Barrett was thrown out on a grounder to second, and Lundstrom and Williams struck out.

In the fifth Oregon started something. Sullivan was thrown out at first on a grounder to second. The next man up batted out a two base hit and went to third on a passed ball. Colman rapped out a short drive to Barrett and went to first while Barrett tried to cut off Gabelson at the plate but "Mid" said he was safe.

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## SATURDAY'S BIG MEET.

Annual Track Contest with W. S. C. Hopeful. Special Trains for Meet and Folk.

Next Saturday at Pullman will occur the annual field and track meet between the Silver and Gold and the Crimson and Gray.

Manager Griner has arranged for a special train to leave Moscow at 1 o'clock and return as soon as the meet is over.

Several of the events promise to be of special interest. W. S. C. supporters are confident of winning a victory over Montgomery in the dashes with their new man Nelson, while the Idaho supporters are equally sure of Montgomery's victory.

Although Price was defeated by Cooil in the two mile run by a few feet, his admirers still have wonderful confidence in his ability, and expect to see him turn the tables on May 1. He can stand a remarkable hot pace and always has a strong finish.

Strohecker is doing good work in the pole vault and both high and broad jumps and will make some one work hard to take any of these events from him.

Montgomery should have no trouble in winning the low hurdles and Driscoll will make Captain Putman of W. S. C. move faster than he ever has before if he beats him over the "high sticks." In the weights Jewell who won the discuss last week promises to repeat his performance next Saturday.

The meet will be pulled off fast and should not extend over a longer period than two hours. W. S. C. is trying to establish a reputation for running their meets off fast, and Idaho disposed of her triangular in two hours.

Remember, the train leaves at 1 o'clock and that it will return immediately after the meet.

In addition to the field meet Governor Folk of Missouri will speak in the evening. Governor Folk is a man of national reputation and is well worth hearing. A special train will return to Moscow after his lecture.

Dr. Axtell left Sunday evening for a short tour of schools in the extreme northern counties of the state. Dr. Sage and Mrs. Axtell are taking his classes this week.

## TRY OUT FOR SENIOR PLAY

Fourth Year Class Contest for Places in Cast of "College Widow."

Monday afternoon occurred the first tryout ever held at Idaho for places in an English Club Play, when twenty-four members of the Senior Class contested for parts in "The College Widow." This is the play which the class has decided to present during Commencement Week, and the English Club, which is to have charge of the production, chose the try out method of casting the two main characters. The undertaking, a first experiment, was so successful that the club will doubtless adopt this method of casting plays in the future. The tryout was successful not only in view of the large number who entered, but also because of the high grade of work done by the competitors. The average performance was most satisfactory and several individuals, who have never hitherto taken part in dramatics were surprisingly able. Another gratifying result of the tryout was the unanimity of the judges' decisions. There can now be no possible cause for ill feeling. Not only were the general averages strikingly even but the grading separately were nearly uniform. For this reason no one can say that he failed in any one point or was marked down by any judge since the markings all tallied without consultation.

Among the girls Icy Curtis received first ranking and will be awarded the part of the "College Widow." Olive Coram received second place. Others receiving special mention were the Misses Dewey and Howard. Among the boys Bert George received first ranking. Others specially mentioned were Ludwig Gerlough, Frank Magee, Ray Peebler, Jewitt Matthews and Robert Jones. The club reserves the right to cast the entire play with the exception of the first two characters.

The judges—Mrs. Roland Hodgins, Dean Eldridge, Prof. Hulme—marked 25 per cent on each of the following points; 1. Memorizing. 2. Interpretation. 3. Stage Presence. 4. Voice.

### Sociology Lecture.

Prof. Wm. Worthington of Whitman college will lecture before the sociological society meeting next Friday the 30th at 2:55 in room 27 of Morrill hall. His subject will be a general one on the relations of the individual to society and should be of interest to all students, not only to those interested in special phases of economics and sociology.

### Beta Sigma Party

The members of the Beta Sigma sorority entertained their friends at a dancing party at their home Friday evening, April 23. The house was beautifully decorated with cut flowers and purple lights. The especially invited guests were the sorority patronesses—Mesdames French, Hodgins, Eldridge and Carithers, Misses Thompson and Holt of Pullman, Miss West of Lewiston, and Misses Brown and Zurnhoff of Moscow.

## Track Meet

UNIVERSITY of IDAHO vs. WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE

### SATURDAY----2:15 P. M.

Special train leaves Moscow on O. R. & N. at 1:00 p. m., returning immediately after meet.

Friday, April 30, is the date of the Idaho-W. S. C. Baseball Game at Moscow

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## Calendar.

April 30, Friday—Base Ball, W. S. C. at Moscow.  
 May 1, Saturday—Track meet, W. S. C. at Pullman.  
 May 4, Tuesday—Williams' Jubilee Singers at M. E. church.  
 May 8, Saturday—Track meet, Whitman at Moscow.  
 May 14, Friday—Track meet, Triangular at Eugene.  
 May 15, Saturday—Base Ball, Whitman at Moscow.  
 May 17, Monday—Track meet, O. A. C. at Corvallis.  
 May 21, Friday—Interstate Oratorical Contest, M. E. Church.

## ON TO PULLMAN

There will be things doing next Saturday afternoon when the track team representing the University meets the same aggregation from Washington State college. The Pullman college won over Idaho last year and is more than confident of the same result Saturday. But somehow or other these things do not always work out as anticipated. On paper we were beaten by a score of 32 to 0 in football once, but when the smoke of battle had lifted and the dead carried off, it was learned that Idaho had won by 5 to 4. There are going to be surprises sprung next Saturday afternoon all along the line. Every loyal student of the University ought to be there to see the meet. This track team we are taking over, composed mostly of new men, deserves the encouragement of a good Idaho attendance. Let no one fail to do his part. We all must be there and root. Idaho's consistent and insistent rooting has been a powerful factor in more than one victory. Everybody goes!

Among the interesting features of the meet will be a hard, gruelling, neck to neck race between Idaho's premier quarter miler Edmundson, a professional runner from W. S. C. and Pullman has been trying for years to beat Edmundson. All kinds of "fast" men have gone up against him, but "Heck" always came out ahead. This year W. S. C. has in Nelson, with an eastern record, a fast man indeed, and who they claim can win over Edmundson easily in the 440 yard dash, while Edmundson isn't eligible for points at Pullman because of the four year rule, yet he has consented to again "show" our friends across the line how he can run. He is in fairly good condition, isn't saying much, is training all the time, and we are all going to see a good race Saturday.

## "I TOLD YOU SO"

Since the two victories over Oregon in base ball last week we feel like say-

ing "I told you so." It will be remembered that we predicted a change in Idaho's base ball career. The start has been made and now it is up to the students to continue it. Next Friday we meet W. S. C. in base ball at Moscow. Those who saw the boys playing in the first games are sure to be there, and those who did not see them ought to be there if they enjoy good ball playing. A victory on Friday will help win on Saturday in track, and two united victories practically means a victorious season. Come great come small, win one win all.

## LABOR DAY.

Wednesday, May 5, has been set apart as the annual university Labor Day. Last year on this day the new Athletic Field was cleared and graded. This year it has been planned to fence the field.

This is a most laudable undertaking and we bespeak the hearty co-operation of all the students from the most humble of first year preps., to the most dignified of seniors. Since the request for this day came from the student body all members of this organization are bound by a moral obligation to use it in the way the faculty have granted it, namely by manual labor on the athletic field. Students should be even more solicitous about being present at the activities of this day than they are at their routine class work because they are being extended a favor in the granting of their own petition. And farther than this they owe at least one day of labor each year to their Alma Mater.

We hope that those in charge of the work will have the plans all well laid and the student body well organized so that the work may move off rapidly. Let there be plenty of leaders appointed and let those leaders be followed. In this way only can the most efficient work be done.

Not only is this a day of work for the boys, but the girls can and should have a part. Let them provide lunch and encourage the men by their presence. Thus Idaho's Second Labor Day will be both a work and social day.

## Alumni Meeting.

Last June, at the meeting of the Alumni, it was proposed by the University authorities to give the Alumni some function in the government of the institution.

The Alumni after taking preliminary steps toward such a move, left the organization to be perfected at their next annual meeting a year from that date; to wit: at the coming commencement.

In the interim, Dr. McLean prepared the outlines of a plan for organization, a copy of which was mailed to each member of the Alumni. The plan is intended for a suggestion to be considered when the organization is effected.

To organize, it will be necessary to have a large representation of the Alumni in attendance at our next meeting in June.

All is favorable to a well attended reunion this year. Many of our older members have not seen the progress made in building at the University in

the last few years and will be interested to note the progress; also this is the 20th anniversary of the institution and therefore a good time for a visit to the Alma Mater from those long absent; again this is the regular rally year for two of the largest classes—those of 1903 and 1906; moreover the organization itself is important and all loyal members we hope, will be present to give their assistance.

CHAS. A. MONTANDON,  
 Pres. of Alumni.

Robert St. Clair has resigned the base ball managership and Frank Magee has been appointed in his place. Mr. Magee has had much experience in base ball as player, captain, and manager and promises to complete a successful season.

Miss Meldrum is still in the Hospital.

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Who, frightened by a mouse stepped in the taffy at midnight?

Rollin Smith is in the hospital threatened with pneumonia.

Miss French left for south Idaho last week on a tour of High School investigation. During her absence Mrs. Caldwell is in charge of Ridenbaugh Hall.

Wallace Strohecker spent Saturday and Sunday at his home in Garfield.

Prof. Soulen is away this week visiting High Schools in the northern part of the state.

Mrs. Eldridge entertained Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. Axtell's birthday.

Lieutenant Cole entertained two of his young lady friends at luncheon last Monday.

Messrs Gerlough and Stewart went to Spokane Friday on business connected with the 1910 annual.

Iva Emmett returned from a week's visit at her home in Kellogg Sunday night.

Prof. Hulme returned from Southern Idaho last Friday where he has been inspecting High Schools.

Prof. Parsons has consented to give a lantern slide lecture on the "manufacture of antitoxins" next Friday, April 30, at 7:30 p. m. in Science Hall. Students and faculty are cordially invited to attend. An interesting talk is assured.

**Assembly.**

Those who attended Assembly last Wednesday were given a rare treat in the form of a musical program. Vera Gray was the first performer. She gave a rendering of "The Brook," beautiful because of its suggestiveness of rippling water. Next Dean Eldridge sang some of Robert Burns' poems to music composed by Professor Cogswell.

He also sang a song of which both the words and music were composed by Prof. Cogswell. Mr. Carey favored the audience with two pleasing cornet solos. This was followed by two most delightful vocal solos by Miss Caldwell. Mr. Carl Grissen the violin instructor, then rendered a beautiful Hungarian piece which was enthusiastically enjoyed. The last number on the program was a piano duet by Professor Cogswell and Miss Stockton. It was entitled "William Tell" and was imitative of a storm in the Alps. It was much enjoyed by all. The students are all enthusiastic in their praises of the entertainment given by the music department. It is hoped that there may more like it.

**VARSITY WINS THREE CORNERED TRACK MEET**

College 57, Aggies 50, Preps 14, New Men Show up Well.

Idaho was given a chance to see what kind of a track team she is to have this season last Wednesday in the three cornered meet between the college, the agricultural department and the preps.

There were but few surprises in store for the spectators. McInturff ran a remarkable 440 and finished second to Edmundson. He ran much of the distance on his nerve as he had not been

in training.

Price's work in the two mile was of the highest class. He ran the distance in 10:35 without extending himself as he was almost 400 yards in the lead of Wight who took second place.

The 220 yard dash was the most hotly contested event of the afternoon, Capt. Montgomery winning by a hair's breadth from Edmundson.

The new men who showed up best were Jewell and Frazier in the weights and Denning, Jessup, McInturff and Price in the middle and long distance runs.

Herc Smith won 21 points, Strohecker 20, Edmundson 16 and Montgomery 10.

The management is to be commended on the way the events were run off. It took but two hours for the fourteen events.

**SUMMARY OF MEET.**

100 yard dash, 1 Montgomery V. 2 Edmundson A, 3 Jessup V. Time 10 2-5.

220 yard dash 1 Montgomery V, 2 Edmundson A, 3 McInturff P. 23 flat.

440 yard dash 1 Edmundson A, 2 McInturff P, Denning P. 52 2-5.

880 yard dash 1 Edmundson A, 2 Denning P, 3 Beckner V. 2.09 3-5.

Mile run 1 Price V, 2 Hunting V, 3 Jessup V. 4:56 4-5.

2 mile run 1 Price V, 2 Wight V. Time 10:35.

220 hurdles, 1 Strohecker V, 2 Davis P, 3 Wadsworth A. Time 29 seconds.

120 hurdles 1 Driscoll A, 2 Smith A, 3 Davis P. Time 18 seconds.

High jump 1 Strohecker V, 2 H, Smith A, 3 Driscoll A.

Broad jump 1 Strohecker V, 2 H Smith A, 3 Fluharty A, 20 ft. 9in.

Hammer 1 H Smith A, 2 Frazier V, 3 Stokesberry A.

Shot 1 H. Smith A, 2 Jewell V, 3 Frazier V.

Discus 1 H. Smith A. 2 Jewell V 3 Frazier V.

Pole vault, 1 Strohecker V, 2 Rayburn P, 3 Wadsworth A, height 10 ft. V, Varsity, A, Agriculture, P, Prep.

**Association Notes.**

The Y. W. C. A. hour last Thursday, was a novel and unusually interesting one. Miss French whose skill in reading is well known to all the students read the beautiful story "The Lost Word," by Van Dyke. The attendance was exceptionally large.

Prof. Terrill addressed the young Men of the University last Sunday on "The Miracles of Unbelief." So large was the topic that the speaker was forced to spend much of his time in directing the attention of those present to the many books bearing on the subject. The talk was interesting from the beginning.

**Oregon Hits a Snag**

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The next man up went to second on an error by Lundstrom and scored on Jameson's two bagger. Colman tried to get home on Lundstrom's error but couldn't make it, Lundstrom recovering and throwing him out at the home plate. Clark got to first when Curtis dropped Lundstrom's throw. Henkle walked but the next man went out on a grounder to second.

In Idaho's half, Walker got to first when Oregon's right fielder dropped his fly but was thrown out by the catcher when he tried to steal second. Appelman fanned the air three times, Slack got hit and McKenzie was thrown

out at first when he batted an easy one to pitcher.

In the sixth Oregon's first man up flew out to left field the next man got a single, stole second and went to sleep about ten feet from the plate where McKenzie caught him with a perfect throw. Gabelson, the next man up, got four balls and he also got sleepy and McKenzie caught him off third.

In the sixth "Chic" went out on a grounder to short stop, Curtis on a foul tip that the catcher gathered in and Barrett rapped out a nice double but he failed to stay close enough to second and the catcher threw him out.

In the seventh Oregon went down on three grounders, being thrown out at first and at this point the Idaho Rooters woke up and as a result the balloon went up.

Lundstrom went to first on Clark's error, got to second on Hanson's drive, made third on a bad throw of the catchers and came home on Walker's single, Hanson going to third during the excitement. Appelman fanned again. Slack drove out a nice single that brought Hansen home and Walker came home on the return of McKenzie's long fly to left. Johnson struck out but Idaho had annexed three scores.

In the eighth Oregon went out in the one two three order but Curtis for Idaho came up and batted out a single. Barrett bunted to sacrifice Curtis to second but the first baseman had to jump to get the ball on the throw and Barrett was safe and Lundstrom sacrificed with a long fly to center that enabled Curtis to come home. Hansen batted out a long fly to right field but the right fielder didn't get a good grip on it and dropped it. Hansen got to third but Walker was thrown out at first on a grounder to short stop.

In Oregon's half of the ninth Gus struck them out one after the other and it was all over, score 5 to 3.

Innings	Total
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	
Runs 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 3	
Ore. Hits 0 0 1 0 2 1 0 0 4	
Runs 0 1 0 0 0 0 3 1 0 5	
Ida. Hits 1 1 0 0 0 1 2 1 0 9	

Struck out by Appelman 5, by Heard 9. Two-base hits Jamison, Gabelman, Barrett. Umpire, Middleton.

The second game of the series was called at two p. m. Saturday, the day was cold and windy making fast play impossible.

In the first inning Idaho made two runs on two errors and two hits. In Oregon's half of the first Oregon got one run on Curtis' overthrow at third. The next four innings were blanks as far as runs were concerned. Burns pitched great ball for four innings allowing but one hit, when he was replaced by Hansen who kept up the good work.

In the sixth Idaho again batted out two runs and the scoring was over for Idaho. In the eighth Oregon got two more runs on errors, and in the ninth succeeded in tying the score but Hansen tightened up and blanked them in the tenth. At this point the four o'clock train came along and the Oregon team left the field.

Umpire Curtif gave them one minute to have a man at the bat in their half of the eleventh inning or forfeit the game, 9 to 0. At the end of time the umpire declared the game forfeited.

Both games of the series were clean tho the second was full of errors.

Lundstrom at short played a good fielding game. Walker had a bad day Saturday and "booted" several that looked easy.

The work of the entire team during the series was exceptionally good and Idaho should be able to take W. S. C.

into camp next Friday.  
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The big day of the Festival will be Friday, May 7th, and the largest number of visitors are expected on that date. The Friday afternoon concert will be given by the CHICAGO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA, in all probability the finest program ever presented in the west by any orchestra. The soloists for this concert will be Myrtle Elvyn, pianist, and Aida Hemmi, soprano.

In the evening of the same day, the College Chorus will sing Rossini's Stabat Mater. The soloists will be noted Eastern singers and the accompaniments will be played by the Chicago Symphony Orchestra. As the Stabat Mater occupies only about 40 minutes, the balance of the evening program will consist of numbers of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra.

All of the above will be on the afternoon and evening of May 7th

Other concerts will be as follows:

Wednesday evening May 5th.—Concert by the Faculty of the School of Music, the College Chorus, and the College Orchestra.

Thursday afternoon, May 6th.—Concert by the State College Band.

Thursday evening, May 6th.—Artists' Concert. Noted Eastern Artists including Harriet Frahm, David B. Duggan and Frank A. Preisch. Myrtle Elvyn, pianist.

A limited number of season tickets, good for all five concerts will be sold for \$2.00 each. Same may be secured by addressing Herbert Kimbrough, Pullman, Wash., and enclosing check to cover the amount. Single tickets will be sold only at the door, the prices ranging from 35 cents to \$1.00.

### W. S. C. Freshmen Win Second Inter-Freshmen Meet— Score 103 to 28.

Last Saturday the Idaho Freshmen were defeated by the W. S. C. first year men.

This is the second meet of this nature held between the two institutions. The first was held in 1907 and was won by Idaho with 72 points to 50.

The Idaho boys took but 28 points in the meet Saturday against 103 by the ir opponents, yet when we take into consideration that they were pitted against what is practically the W. S. C. first team they made a very creditable showing.

Idaho won but two firsts, the 120 yard hurdles and the discus. Every man fought hard for a place and those who saw the meet were more than satisfied with the work of the home team. Idaho was not in as good condition as W. S. C., several of the men being sick as a result of the encampment the week before. The relay was the prettiest event of the day. W. S. C. lead from the start. Jessup for Idaho ran a remarkable quarter in the third lap and gained on his opponent.

#### Dairy Student Accepts Position.

Mr. Rasmus Anderson, who is about to finish the one-year course in Dairying has been offered and has just accepted the position of buttet maker and manager of the Bonner's Ferry Creamery.

Counting the incidentals, this position pays about \$110 per month thruout the year. Mr. Anderson came to the University of Idaho last year from Oregon, feeling that the one-year Dairy course as offered here was by far the most practical of any offered by a Western institution. This good offer speaks highly of the general public esteem of our Dairy Department.

The Agricultural Club at a special meeting last week passed resolutions concerning Prof. French's leaving the University.



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