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### "THE COLLEGE WIDOW."

This play to be given by the Seniors on Class Day of Commencement Week, promises to be of unusual interest. The play itself is one of the strongest of its kind. In fact George Ade, the author, made his reputation by this production and opened up a new field in the dramatic world. "The College Widow" was the forerunner of a long list of college plays such as "Strongheart," "Dick," as presented by our English club last year, "Higbee of Harvard," and other plays of equal prominence, none of which, however, equals the original production. The writer has made no small royalty off of he play. It has been given with success in colleges all over the country and is this year being given by the Seniors at Oregon and Lewiston State Normal School.

In addition to the merits of the play itself, several members of the senior class have played with distinction in former performances so that the success of this number of the commencement calendar seems assured.

Daily rehearsals began last Monday and will continue till the presentation of the play. The exact time of the performance has not been 'definitely fixed. It probably will be given in the afternoon of June 8 if no other time is available. The gymnasium can be darkened so that proper light effects can be produced. The cast is as Billy".....Bert George Prexy..... Jewett Matthews Larrabee.....Frank Magee 'Bub'' Hicks.....Ludwig Gerlough Hon. Hiram Bolton......Ray Peebler Hon. Elam Hicks......Ed. Strohbehn Tabot.....Samuel Vanco "Ollie"......Willard Gwin Tibbetts. .....Arthur Pauls "Stub".....Charles Johnson Matty McGowan.....Robert St. Clair Dick McAllister.....Gifford Fawcett Pearson.....Leigh Savidge Hopper.....Frank Noble Murphy......Jessee Fuller Jane.....Icy Curtis Flora.....Edna Dewey Bessie.....Olive Coram Mrs. Dalzelle.....Anna Kiefer Sally.....Lotta Manspeaker Cora......Ruth Hunting Bertha.....Ora Howard Luella...... Mary Gibb Ruth.....Ruth Broman

Some New Faculty Rulès. By a recent vote of the faculty the



The Old School of Mines Building

This building standing under the the wood working shops and class shelter of the hill on the southern edge rooms of the engineering department. of the campus, is now the oldest of the University group with the exception of class rooms including a physics lecture Ridenbaugh Hall which was completed room. This room is equipped with a at the same time in 1902. As its lecture table to which water, gas, and name implies, it was designed for the alternating and direct currents are at-School of Mines but was occupied by all times accessable and is provided that department only to the time of with a powerful lantern capable not the fire.

than those of almost any other structure on the campus. It houses the departments of chemistry, physics and civil, electrical and mechanical en-gineering. These uses are now more a steam plant and generators capable or less temporary and it is probable of providing electrical current for the that the building in time, will be de voted to the class rooms and llaboratories of the chemistry department a isa for which it is very well suited. One wing of the third floor is now occupied by a large drafting room which is lighted by sky lights. The for testing the strength of materials. other wing is fitted up for an elementary chemistry laboratory. This de in this machine and 16 foot bridge partment also has a large lecture room on the same floor and a splendidly equipped advanced laboratory on the second floor. In connection with this are smaller rooms used for preparation rooms, balance rooms and office. The remainder of the second floor is utilized by the general laboratory, the electrical shops and, the heating plant of both laboratory of the physics department, this building and Ridenbaugh Hall.

Prof. Vaughn was at Sandpoint last Saturday in consultation with the Bonner County Board of Education. Prof. Hulme is going to Wallace today for is hostess at the first to be given May the same purpose in connection with 6th in the Domestic Science Departthe Shoshone county board.

On the first floor are offices and At present its uses are more varied also the image of any natural object on the screen. The electrical engineering laboratories with their extensive collec-tion of electrical machinery and appar-

whole University. The Civil Engineering Department has its laboratory and class room upon this floor. The most interesting feature of its equipment is a Tinius-Olsen machine of 200,000 pounds capacity Iron and steel rods break like threads, timbers are crushed with ease. A very elaborate series of tests are being made on Idaho timber by the department in conjunction with, the United States government.

The basement is put to service as well and accomodates the carpenter

The members of the Senior Cookery class are working on their Senior dinners and dietaries. Lotta Manspeaker

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## W. S. C. WINS BIG ANNUAL MEE

Although Idaho was defeated by a greater number of points in the track meet last Saturday than ever before, yet those who saw the meet were not disappointed in the showing made by the Idaho Athletes.

With but two or three exceptions the Silver and Gold team was composed of new men. And they were not in the best of physical condition because of adverse weather conditions.

The first event was the 880 yard run, W. S. C. won all three places in this event, Johnson tying the northwest record held by Edmundson. Denning for Idaho ran a good half mile for a new man but the pace was to fast. The hundred yard dash was won by Nelson of W. S. C. in 9 4-5 seconds... This is a new record for W. S. C., they never having had a man before who could do better than 10 1-5. Montgomery was a close second in this race and must have run under 10 seconds.

Strohecker sprung a surprise in the nole wault by doing eleven feet. This is within, an, inch and a half of the college record, but he refused to try to break it because of the high jump which was egon stor follow. or Insthe latter he, tied for first livith Putman after jumping 5ft 9 in This makes new college record for this event acut

Putman ton the 129 yard funding in 16. Driscoll was a close second in this race .... He has perfect form in clearing the hurdles but tlacks somewhat in speed. The 220 was a pretty race run between.--Montgomery and Lowery for first place. Montgomery won in 22-1-5 seconds which is me fifth slower, than his own record. harden.

Cooil of W. S. C. did great work in the distance runs. He ran, the mile in-4:31 2-5 without being crowded in the least and broke the northwest record of 4:32 held, by Merritt. of Whitman, He also broke the northwest record in the two mile run. ... This: event he ran, in 10:22. He, was pressed close, in this race by Price of Idaho who ran a remarkable, race. ... Price finished strong but not with a sprint.

The 440 was run in two heats. The first was between Nelson and Edmundson and was won by the former in 50. 1-5 sec. This is also a northwest record. Lowery won the second heat in 53 1-5 seconds and was given second place as Edmundson was not elligible to compete this year.

.Montgomery's work in the hurdles was phenomenal. He ran them in 25. 2-5 seconds which is two fifths slower than his own record. Yet this was the first time that, he had run over more than two at one time thus far during the season. >The relay, won by W. S. C. was a pretty event. McInturff ran first for Idaho and came in a few yards behind. Denning the next man ran a wonderful race for 300 yards and was well in the lead, but the pace was to fast and he weakened coming in several yards behind his opponent. Jessup and Montgomery both ran good quarters and gained on their men but the lead was to great for them. The day was perfect and put the athletes on their nerve as it was the Continued on Srdpage

number of condition examin lowed in any one subject has been reduced from two to one. This means that one who incurs a condition in June must pass it off on or before the Saturday preceding the opening of college in September or repeat the subject, similarly, one who is conditioned in February must make it up within three weeks.

Ira Cleveland, who left college several weeks ago on account of ill health, is visiting at the University a few days this week. He will not re-enter school this year but expects to take up his work next year.

Cathryn Smith returned Sunday from a week's visit at her home in Potlatch.

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### Calendar.

May 8, Saturday- Track meet, Whitman at Moscow.

May 6, Thursday-Baseball, Lewiston High vs. Prep., Moscow.

May 14, Friday—Track meet, Tri-angular at Eugene

May 15, Saturday-Base Ball, Whitman at Moscow.

May 17, Monday-Track meet, O. A. C. at Corvallis.

May 21, Friday-Interstate Oratorcal Contest, M. E. Church.

THE MEET WITH WHITMAN.

On next Saturday Idaho meets the track team from Whitman college on the Idaho field.

Altho our team was defeated by W. S. C. last week yet we do not feel that there is cause for discouragement. When it is considered that Idaho has no track coach and that W. S. C. has a student body practically three times as large as our own, the showing was exceptionally good. From comparative scores the meet next Saturday should be close and interesting. To win, the support of every student and faculty member is needed. We would essecurity mention the latter as the faculty have not been very fully represented at the athletic events this spring. Let us all see this meet and make it a victorious one.

### Assembly.

mbly last Wednesday was by a beautiful piano solo by Lucile Robards. Prof. Sheldon gave a very interesting talk on his last summer's trip from San Francisco to New York by way of Pinama. The trip consumed thirty days. Most of this time was spent on the Pacific side, where about fourteen stops were made. One of the first of the ports visited was San Blas. It is built in a very primitive style of architecture, most of the houses being thatched huts. This place was most interesting because it is an old sixteenth century navy yard and was once demolished by Sir Francis Drake. Some relics of those times still remain. The next port, Manzanello, was noticeable for its filth and evil smell. The chief attraction here was a large with the supplementary courses in the next place, is an old Spar

is so plentiful there. Mahogany is used even for railroad ties and for fuel. Guatamala's president in reality is an absolute monarch who rules the people like a tyrant. Not long ago he executed 150-citizens because they differed from him politically.

Salvador is much farther advanced than Guatamala. It has much cultivated land, is thickly settled and has a stable currency, and an excellent police force. It is one of the most powerful of the Central American states.

The Professor went from here to Panama. It is well kept, and nas well paved streets since it has come under American authority.

The trip from the canal to New York was not very remarkable except for a hurricane which came up in the West Indies.

#### Sociology Lecture.

Prof. Worthington of the department of economics and sociology at Whitman College spoke before the Idaho Sociological Society at an open meeting last Friday afternoon.

He chose for his subject "The Relation of the Individual to Society". The thought of the whole lecture was that the individual and society are inseparable and that each depends upon the other for existence.

As soon as society absorbs entirely the individual, personality and social types die. Inversely, the community in which the individual recognizes no social obligations degenerates into a savage tribe where socialism of the evil kind is present. The interests of the individual and society are common. Good men tend to produce good societies and good societies tend to produce good men.

This lecture was the last of a series of inter changes between the heads of the sociology departments of the three colleges of the Inland Empire." This plan was started by Mr. Vaughan of Idaho and has evoked favorable comments from all these institutions. Not only are the lectures instructive but the system tends to create a more friendly feeling between the schools represented.

#### Law Course Offered# #

A three year law course leading to the degree of LL. B. will begin September, 1909. Entrance requirements will be the same as those for the B. A. or B. S. courses in the College of Letters and Sciences.

Registration for the First Semester occurs September 20 and 21, 1909.

Catalogues and admission blanks may be obtained by addressing The Bursar, University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho.

For this course one professor will be employed during the first year whose name will be given out within a few days. With one man devoting his entire time to the technical side together lake full of alligators. At Acapulca, regular college work the law course promises to be successful and efficient which has been kept up with all the Instructors will be added each year as the demand increases so that this department will be made one of the strongest in the University. Already there are several students preparing of this school meets a long felt need.

"Her cloudless summer skies, her fragrant

spring, Tone life and love anew, and make us sing, For all their rarely tinted evening hues Are not surpassed but by the morning dews Forrest L. Sower, '11, was awarded second-place-in-the-marking-of-the judges on his verses "In the Castle of Nature."

B. E. Davis, of the Preparatory Department was given third place, with descriptive verses, again under the caption "Idaho"

Work has begun on the leveling of the terrace which surrounded the old Ad" building. The dirt will be removed to the hollow in front of Ridenbaugh hall raising the level of the present tennis court about six and one half feet. Messrs Pierce, Savidge and Rogers did the estimating under the supervision of Mr. Sims.

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гоп. old cannon. None of these are dated later than 1750.

A most interesting part of the trip along the Mexican coast was afforded by the chinese steerage passengers who for a law course and the establishment were trying to get into Mexico in order to sneak across the border into the United States. The Mexican health department were trying to aid our government and whenever a chinaman tried to land the health officer found him afflicted with some disease. But place the Captain got rid of three chinamen by bribing the health officer with two drinks of whiskey.

because of the mahogany wood which of Idaho run as follows:

Prize Shield Awarded.

The Idaho shield offered by Mr. Vaughn for the best poem on some theme distinctively Idahoan, goes to Mr. G. H. Maughan, Senior in the Colone or two chinamen were generally lege of Agriculture, for a 15-line poem disposed of at every port. At one entitled "Idaho." The poem will be printed first in the "Student Farmer" by special request of the author, of which Mr. Maughan is business mana-San Jose Guata mala, is interesting ger. Two of the couplets descriptive

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Mrs. MacLean and Miss Sweet went to Spokane Tuesday morning.

Miss Sonna enjoyed a visit from her mother of Boise on last Saturday and Sunday.

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The Preparatory committee on Dramatics has made the following disposition of the funds derived from the recent Prep. play. Ten dollars toward permanent dramatic fund; eleven dollars donated to Preparatory School; eighteen dollars for dance given by the cast to the school.

The Idaho Post has printed up a lot |+ of "Idaho" pennant posters suitable + or wall decorations and suit case posters which are complimentary to all students who call at the office. This is another indication of the Post's favorable attitude towards the college + students. Messrs Ricksecker and Evans, the proprietors, are loyal supporters of all University activities and are the students friends.

The father of George Tolman who left\_college\_a\_few\_weeks\_ago,\_died + last Saturday.

Leigh Savidge '09 was operated on for appendicitis May 1. Mr. Savidge has been suffering for several weeks but had thought the operation could be + postponed till college closes. He is rapidly recovering and expects to be out in two or three weeks.

Prof Axtell returned last Saturday from a very satisfactory tour of high | schools in North Idaho.

Professors Morley and von Ende returned Friday from: an extended visit among the high schools in Southeastern Idaho. During the trip of almost three weeks they covered about a dozen schools and report a favorable outlook for students next year.

Rasmus Anderson left Monday for Bonners Ferry where he will take charge of the city creamery.

L. Sherman Gerlough made a business trip to Genesee last Friday.

Anna and Minnie Kiefer, Georgia and Edna Davis, and Margaret Harmer visited in Colfar, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

Lester Albert visited in Lewiston Saturday and Sunday.

The Ridenbaugh Hall girls gave another one of their enjoyable dances Saturday evening. Music was furnished by the piano and drum. Those who did not care to dance made merry in the library at a candy pull.

Ida Carssow was called home last

# ... Students' Matinee Musicale...

Another interesting program was given in Liszt Hall on last Tuesday afternoon. One can hardly realize what it means to young musical students to play for the first time before an audience, unless one has been tried likewise. Among the new pupils the playing of Lottie Works deserves especial mention. • She shows marked individuality in her playing.

Grace Prugger played with a careful attention to detail. Miss Johnson hardly did herself justice, as her playing showed a consciousness of the audience. That once overeome, her works can be appreciated as it deserves, because naturally she is very easy at the piano.

Miss Stephenson had the difficult Mazurka theme attractively worked out.

Miss Shultz, one of the best students in the department played the intricate "Weinet Bon-Bons" very well. Miss Hitt sang for the students for the first time, inter-

preting the song very daintily.

The group of childrens' songs by Miss Horton was not sung, as Miss Horton was unable to appear.

### Program.

.....Lichner On the Meadow..... Rosa Kulhanek (Pupil of Miss Stockton) \_\_\_\_\_ De Grau Feu Follett (Fire-fly)

Masque Ball (Melodies from Opera by Verdi).....S. Smith Rosa Strohbehn

Myrtle Hitt

Valse Styrienne......Wollenhaupt Lottie Works (Pupil of Miss Stockton)

Tarentelle (Italian Spider Dance) Op. 85, No. 1.....Heller Valse Chromatique......Godard Grace Prugger Children's Songs: Life Lesson.....Nevin "If No One Ever Marries Me"...Rogers"

Carrie Horton

La Sonnambula (Melodies from the Opera "The Sleepwalker" by Bellini)..... Leybach Pearl Johnson

Gertrude Stephenson

Wiener Bon Bons (Paraphrase on waltz by Strauss) ......Rive-King Zona Schultz

W. S. C. Wins Annual Meet

Continued from first page first warm day of the season. As a result three north west records were

made-one in the two-mile, the mile and 440 while the 880 record was tied.

Besides these W. S. C. made college hurdles, the broad jump and the high jump. Idaho's only record was made in the latter. The following is the summary of the meet:

SUMMARY. Half-mile run-Johnson, Clark and

North, all W. S. C.; time: 2 1-5. 100-yard dash-Nelson, W. S. C Montgomery, Idaho; Lowery, W. S. C.;

time 9 4-5.

High jump-Putman, W. S. C., and Strohecker, Idaho, tied for first at 5 feet 9 inches and divided the points, each taking four; Van Moulton third. Discus-Mead and Dinse, W. S. C.; Jewell, Idaho; distance 110 feet 4 inches.

220-yard hurdles-Montgomery, Idarecords in the 100 yard dash, 120 yard ho; Putman and Lafollette; W: S. C. :25 time 2-5.

Two-mile run-Cooil, W. S. C.; Price, Idaho; Stokey, W. S. C.; time 10:22.

Relay won by North, Johnson, Lowry and Coe for W. S. C., who ran in the order named.

Captain Putman of W. S. C. was the star individual point winner. Captain Montgomery was Idaho's best

Althea Oit was called home Tuesday morning by the death of a near relative. Miss Ott will not return to college this year as her teaching work in the Mos- cow schools was almost completed and it would not be worth while to again take up the University work this sem-
ester.

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## W. S. C. WINS IN BASEBALL

The hoodoo that hangs over Idaho when she plays base ball with W. S. C., coupled with some costly errors by Idaho players, and an overwhelming amount of hard luck was the cause of a defeat for Idaho last Friday by a score of 6 to 2.

Idaho's scores came in the 9th inning when Appelman knocked the ball out for two bases, and Lundstrom and Hanson came home. There were two outs when all this happened but even then Idaho fans had hopes of tying the score, but to no avail.

The features of the game-were the pitching of Switzer for W. S. C., a neat double pulled off when Foren knocked one to Appelman who threw to Slack retiring Bradley and Slack throwing to Curtis retiring Foren.

The game played by Idaho was full of errors. Three times some one threw the ball away, twice men dropped the ball and twice they couldn't handle it the they were pretty fast. Some thing was also wrong with its base running

The game was an example of what a team is up against when luck is against them and W.S.C. certainly had all the horse shoes last Friday. Twice Idaho had a man on third with no outs.

W. S. C. made her first score in the third, with two men out when Rogers walked and Slack missed a fast one from Buck. "Chic" recovered and threw over McKenzie's head, Rogers scoring.

There was no further scoring till the 8th. Rogers again walked, Buck bunted one in front of the plate and was safe at first, McKenzie throwing high. Cave struck out and McKenzie caught Rogers asleep on second making two outs.

Brown laid down a two bagger bringing in Buck. Herrington brought Brown in with another two bagger and Bradley tried to make a home run out of a long fly to right field that. Hanson couldn't get, but was caught at the plate, retiring the side.

Again in the 9th, with a hit, a wild throw, a muffed fly and a stolen base, W. S. C. got in two more runs and the score was 6 to 0.

Idaho came to bat, McKenzie got a hit but was put out at second when Williams went-to first-on a-short-hit-to pitcher. Lundstrom got a scratch hit and Hansen went to first on fielders choice when Williams was thrown out at second. Appelman brought in Lundstrom and Hansen with a clean two base hit, but went to third when the Umpire said Switzer was delaying the game and died there, Slack striking out: W.S.C. Total

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Sermon, by the Rev. Chas. A. Edwards of Blackfoot, Sunday June 6; Commencement Concert, Monday June 7; Senior Class Play, "The College Widow,' Tuesday June 8; Regents' meeting, June 8; Alumni Banquet, June 8; Commencement Exercises, Hon. Burton L. French-delivering the address, Wednesday June 9; University Convocation, 3 p. m, June 9th; Presidents' Reception, evening June 9. This change was made in response to a petition from the officers of the Cadet Battalion on the grounds that many members could not attend the A. Y. P. Exposition if college closed as late as June 16.

#### Association Notes.

The regular meeting of the Y. W. C. A. last week was devoted to a general discussion of the topic "Judge Not". Special attention was given to its bearing on the college girls' relations with her fellow students.

The increased artendance at the meetings this spring is a matter of much encouragement to the Assocciation.

Ivan B. Rhodes, state Secretary for Oregon and Idaho addressed the Y. M. C. A. last Sunday on the general topic of student conferences. After the talk several members who have attended these summer gatherings spoke regarding their worth. The Association plans to assist several men to attend each year and this meeting was designed to set before the men the benefits to be derived from such attendance. For further information please see some member of the association.

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Commencemeat Exercises.

By action of the Regents all the exercises of Commencement at the University will be advanced one week; the final examinations thus beginning May 31st, and commencement day coming on June 9. The program for the week as announced is as follows: Senior Ball, Friday June 4; Preparatory School Exercises, Saturday June 5; Baccalaureate A fine line of Chiffon and Lace waists --some with Dutch collars just came by express. David & Ely Co., Ltd. Moscow's Greatest Store

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