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## TRACK MEET NEXT SUNDAY

W. S. C. and Idaho to Hold Annual Event—Weather Permitting.

In spite of the rather disastrous showing Saturday afternoon, Idaho will have another opportunity to "show Pullman up" and every man in college who can walk can make a point. The "trackmeet" or "half-way meeting" that has become an annual afternoon, provided that Jupiter Pluvius consents to abdicate by that date. The Idaho delegation will meet by the Sixth street bridge at half past one o'clock, and walk in a body down the O.-W. R. & N. track to the halfway school house, where they will be met by the representatives of the Pullman school. After a short time spent in getting acquainted, the men will gather on the hillside in much the same manner as similar groups meet at the conference and have a "sing" followed by a number of live talks on the conference by those who have been there. Besides the students there will be representatives from the faculty of each institution present.

The return trip will be made in ample time to reach Moscow for early lunch, and an exceedingly pleasant afternoon is assured those who attend.

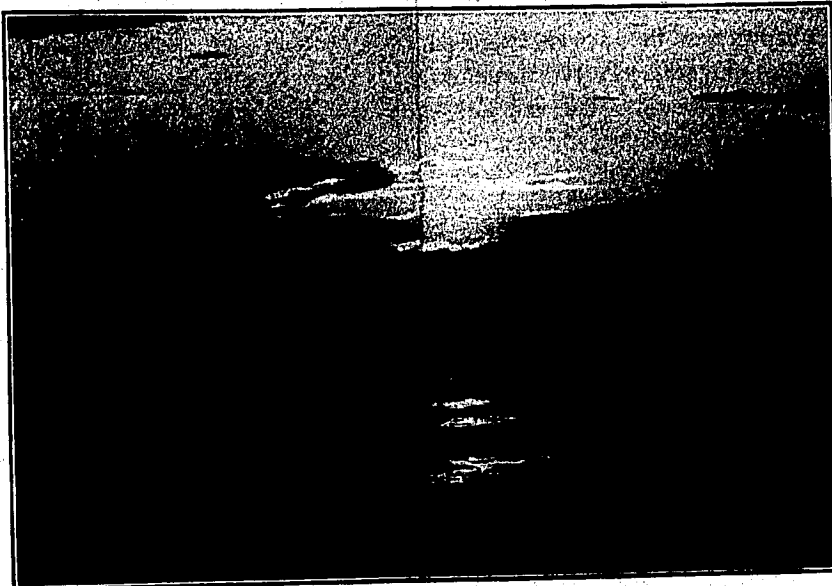
### Track Team to Whitman.

Idaho will meet Whitman in their annual track meet next Saturday at Walla Walla. Both teams were beaten about the same margin by W. S. C. and the meet ought to be a good one. The Idaho men are getting into better shape every day and Heo will probably take a team of twelve men to the meet.

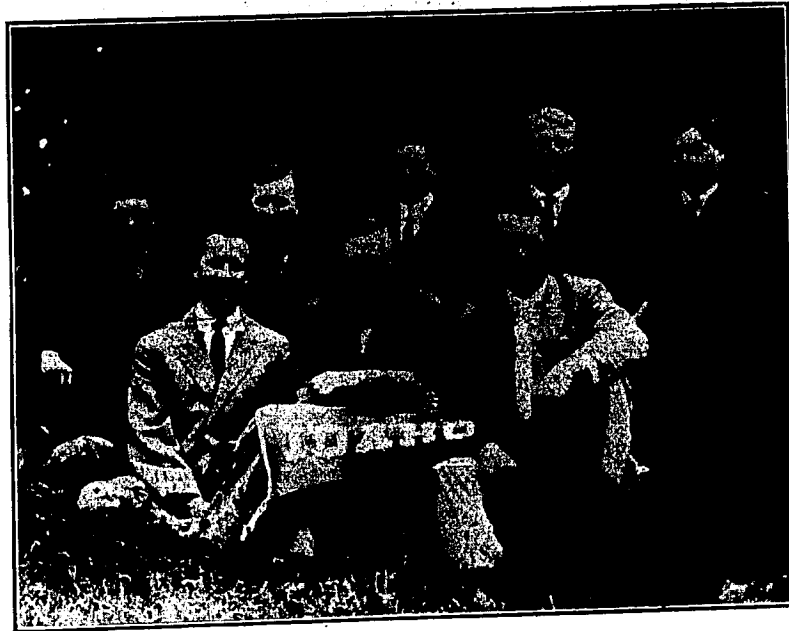
A week from next Saturday the conference meet is pulled off at Walla Walla with six colleges entered. Idaho will enter a team but about our only hopes lie in the eight events with Phillips. He is expected to raise his present record in the javelin and will also probably take the discus.

### Last Game With W. S. C.

Everybody out to the last game of the season. Idaho will cross bats with W. S. C. for the last time on the 24th of this month. We have excellent chances of grabbing this game and the boys are going after it. Come on out and see them do it.



Moonlight at Columbia Beach.



Idaho at the Conference in 1912.

### Delegate Tells of Y. W. C. A. Conference.

At a Y. W. C. A. conference, time certainly flies. The ten days that I spent at Seaside, Ore., seemed to have wings, so swiftly did they pass. There were so many interesting people to become acquainted with, so many beautiful places to visit, and so much to be gained from the daily study classes, councils and addresses.

The Y. W. C. A. plans to appeal to young women along four general avenues: the physical, the social, the intellectual, and the spiritual. For this reason the conference emphasized these factors in the program.

Clam digging, surf bathing, tramps, drives and various forms of athletics furnished recreation for the delegates.

After the first informal get-acquainted social, everyone was expected to speak to everyone else. Later a more formal reception gave the girls an opportunity to become acquainted with the ladies and speakers of the conference. The social activities culminated in

Association day, to which each association represented was asked to contribute its share. There were stunts of all kinds and descriptions, the ladies threw off their load of responsibilities and gave a most ludicrous interpretation of the old fashioned "singing school."

Bible study, mission study and the discussion of technical association problems, under the direction of competent men and women of large experience filled the morning hours to the brim.

The twilight vendors on the beach and the evening platform messages, so full of truth and inspiration to service, brought each busy, happy day to a fitting and restful close.

### GERTRUDE BYRNS, '10.

Miss Rankin, of Colfax, and Miss Bragg, of Hood River, Ore., were guests at the Omega Pi house over Saturday and Sunday.

Miss C. Coram of Grangeville is spending the week at the Gamma Phi Beta House visiting her sister Jess.

## CAMPUS DAY PLANS READY

Pageant of Flowers Next Monday May 26, Will Start from Lewis Hall.

The committee in charge of Campus day consisting of Miss French, Miss Stephens and Gus Larson, has arranged a program that promises to exceed in beauty and effectiveness anything yet attempted. The annual spring festival will attract most of the townspeople as well as the students and faculty of the university. It is desired that everyone bring their lunch and be prepared to spend the day.

The committee has arranged with the co-operation of the ladies of the faculty to have lunch served for all members of the faculty and student body in the open space near Ridenbaugh hall.

In its general features, the program will be similar to the one held last year. The exercises will begin at 10:00 o'clock when Prof. E. J. Carey will blow bugle calls from the tower of the Administration building.

The May day procession in the form of a flower pageant will then start from Lewis hall, and proceed around the campus to the open space in front of the Ad building. The senior girls in cap and gown will precede, then will follow in order, the May queen, her crown bearers and attendants, the Spring Flowers and Butterflies.

Then will follow the crowning of the May queen by her attendants, the girls of the sophomore class, and a gavotte. Next will be the Garland dance by the Spring Flowers, which will be represented in costume by the Freshman girls. At the end of the Garland dance will be the Butterflies, presented by the advanced dancing class. The May pole dances will then close the pageant.

The orations by representatives of the different classes and the address by the speaker of the day will conclude the morning's program.

The cadet band will furnish the music for the procession and before lunch. In the afternoon, the University orchestra and the glee clubs will furnish music from the balcony of Ridenbaugh hall.

Games in both the men's and women's tennis tournaments will be played on the courts in front of the dormitory, and some interesting contests are expected.

With such a delightful program in store, provided the weather man is sufficiently placated, we may look forward to the most enjoyable event of the school year.

### Improvements About the Campus.

It is the policy of the present administration under President Carlisle to devote more attention to the beautifying and improvement of the grounds and surroundings of the university. A comprehensive scheme of improvement providing for the future growth of the institution was outlined several years ago by Olmstead Bros., landscape architects of Boston, Mass. Many of the ideas proposed, have, however, proved impractical on account of unforeseen obstacles.

For some time Professor Steinman has been making surveys and preparing designs and estimates for a number of projected improvements on and about the University campus. He has been assisted in this work by some of the students in the civil engineering department. For the benefit of all who are interested in these improvements, we print the following information about them:

Several additions and changes to the system of drives and walks on the campus are being planned. According to Dr. Steinman's plans, the present drive terminating in the circle in front of the Administration building will be continued around the northeast corner to the auditorium entrance. Thence it will describe a symmetrical horse-shoe curve passing in front of the gymnasium and emerging at University avenue to continue straight to Morrill hall.

Ample provision is made for discharging large crowds for evening affairs at the auditorium or gymnasium and congestion will be prevented by encouraging continuous circulation of vehicles around these drives, entering the campus on the east side and leaving it by way of Idaho avenue. Cement walks will be located alongside these drives and the space between these walks and the buildings will be parked and ornamental shrubs planted.

All of the wooden walks on the campus will be replaced by cement as fast as the appropriations will permit. The walk across the campus to the engineering building will be relocated on a curve along the contour to avoid the present objectionable grades. Among the new walks will be one from Ash St. across the campus curving into the present main walk toward the Ad Building; another will curve off from the main walk toward the Auditorium entrance; another will follow the drive from the east entrance of the campus and will branch above Liszt Hall into the walks leading to the Ad. and Engineering Buildings. The walk around the new horse-shoe curve will replace the present walk toward the gymnasium, affording a more direct route to that building from either the Ad. Building or Morrill Hall. In the new walks and drives, advantage will be taken of the aesthetic value of graceful curves in preference to

straight lines in landscape planning. An attempt is made to eliminate the present practice among the students of cutting across the lawns, by introducing new walks along the lines of natural travel; it is hoped that the students will co operate in this effort by using these walks when they are completed.

The ground in back of the Administration Building will be cleared and terraced, with a uniform slope of two per cent toward the new athletic field. For this purpose, 11,619 yards of dirt have to be moved. Poe and Co. of Pullman have accepted the contract at 16 cents per yard and have already commenced the work of grading.

The project for a boulevard leading from Main St. directly to the campus has been temporarily abandoned. A new route, selected by the Moscow Chamber of Commerce, extends along W. Sixth street and Deakin Ave. to University Ave., thence along the east boundary of the campus to the drive described above. The entire length of this line will be improved and paved; it will cross the Paradise on a concrete bridge in front of the main entrance to the fair grounds.

The grading of the new athletic field will soon be commenced. The field will be a level rectangle, 400 by 680 feet, surrounded by slopes of 2 to 1 on the south and east. Porous tile underdrains will be liberally employed to keep the field dry. The plans indicate a quarter-mile track enclosing the football gridiron; a baseball diamond in the northeast corner (near the gymnasium); a 220-yard straightaway, and special places for weight and jump events. A temporary grandstand will be erected on the south side, but will ultimately be replaced by concrete construction. It is planned to have special days each year for the students to turn out and work upon these improvements, so that much time and money may be saved.

The heating plant will be enlarged and improved, the addition of another boiler unit being considered. Professor Larson has made the computations for this purpose and is also designing an extension of the piping system to the other buildings.

At the request of Northern Pacific officials, surveys and estimates have been made for a spur track leading directly to the heating plant. This track will save the University the cost of haulage, amounting to 50 cents per ton of coal used. Professor Steinman has calculated that this improvement will be worth over \$10,000 to the university, whereas, its actual cost will be only about \$4,145.

Louise Richardson left Thursday for her home in Vancouver, having been forced to return to the coast on account of ill health.

Miss Stephens and Miss Schermerhorn were dinner guests of Omega Pi Thursday evening.

Omega Pi entertained Miss Dolly Bean at dinner Tuesday evening.

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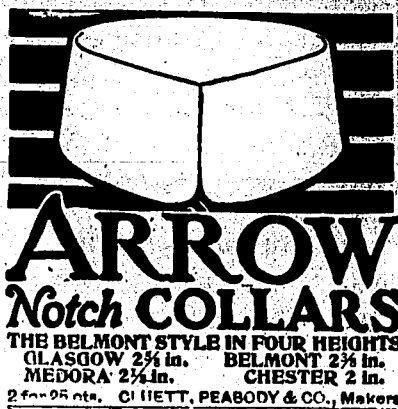
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### OBSERVE PURITY DAY.

November 9, 1913, will be generally observed in the state of Idaho as Purity day. Governor John M. Haines has complied with the request of the World's Purity Federation to so designate that date for its observance will be general, not only over this country but all other Christian countries. A proclamation was not issued especially setting aside the date by the governor of Idaho, but instead he followed the suggestion of Governor Brewer of Mississippi to give his official sanction to the date at the request of the federation president through the press.

B. S. Steadwell, president of the World's Purity Federation, with his headquarters at La Crosse, Wis., wrote to Governor Haines asking him to call the attention of Idaho residents to Purity day and its general recognition over the country, requesting that as wide publicity as possible be given to the matter.

Governor Haines has replied as follows:

"B. S. Steadwell, President  
"World's Purity Federation,  
"La Crosse, Wis.

"Dear Sir: Replying to your letter of the 13th instant, I have the honor to inform you that I shall be glad to follow the precedent of Governor Brewer of Mississippi and to recommend the observance of Sunday, the 9th of November next, as Purity day throughout the state.

"This action on my part can and will be given circulation through the press of the state and I have no doubt that the ministers of our churches will be glad to take up the idea and to arrange for special services that day.

"Yours very respectfully.

"JOHN M. HAINES,  
"Governor."

A man who is president of the student body of his university, a member of the Glee Club, and a prominent athlete, gives his idea of the importance of going to the conference as follows:

"Any fellow who has once been to a Pacific Grove Conference needs to have no arguments presented to him to get him there the second time.

"It is agreed that our lives are greatly influenced by those with whom we come in contact. To think high thoughts and to work good deeds we must seek those who are an inspiration toward the higher things of life. At Pacific Grove the seeking is made easy, for there are gathered together leaders who have been out in the world and have done things—leaders in religious thought, leaders in the mission field, leaders in our colleges. Every fellow has the opportunity of coming in daily contact with these leaders and drawing from their lives inspiration that will mould his in the years to come. And besides the leaders there is the association with the strongest college men of the region. Intimate acquaintance with the men from our colleges cannot fail to give one a broader outlook.

"One cannot go to Pacific Grove and come away unchanged. No matter what he is going to be—preacher, missionary, doctor, lawyer, business man—he cannot pass those ten days,

where he has the chance to study world problems, a chance to go down on the rocks and feel the power of the mighty Pacific, to taste and smell its salty spray, a chance to go out into the hills and get the smell of the pines, without receiving something that will make him a far more efficient work man in whatever field he enters."

The following is an excerpt from an article by Prof. Norman F. Coleman of Reed College, Portland, on "Social Sympathy." Prof. Coleman will be one of the leaders at the Columbia Beach Conference.

"The principle is this: one learns social efficiency not by thinking about it, longing for it, or straining toward it, but by practicing it. Here again, 'Wisdom is before the face of him that hath understanding, but the eyes of a fool are in the ends of the earth.' Social service does not mean something far away, but something close at hand. The broadening and quickening of one's social sympathy need not wait for romantic excursions into foreign quarters of our great cities nor in fraternizing with denizens of the underworld, it may begin with the man who sweeps the corridors or the woman who waits on the table. There are probably many students who earnestly desire to be helpful to their fellow-men and who may even vaguely aspire to be "social workers," who never go farther than to use ordinary forms of politeness with those outside their own circle in fraternity, club, or Christian Association. It is not necessary to enter upon campaigns of investigation, to invade the privacy of one's fellows, armed with earnest purpose and scripture texts; what is necessary is intercourse on the basis of simple manhood with men of diverse experience and different aims. The most serious cause of weakness in college Christian Association work is a sort of spiritual inbreeding. Men trained to hold certain religious standards and beliefs meet with each other and talk with each other so exclusively that there comes to be a uniform tone in their voices, and consciously or unconsciously they drive away the very man who most needs to know them and whom they most need to know. The approach is not of superior to inferior, but of man to man with sincere willingness to learn and sincere desire to share whatever truth each has gained. This is an attitude which quickly becomes habitual with a student of sincere heart and purpose. Flashes of insight in untutored minds, and quiet heroism in homely conduct come home to him with warmth and cheer, and help him to keep his soul in simple truth unallured by social prestige and unflattered by academic distinction."

Miss Bell Sweet entertained Mrs. C. A. Stewart, Miss Ruth Broman and the upperclassmen of Gamma Phi Beta in a most delightful manner Tuesday evening. The affair was in honor of Louise Richardson.

Mrs. A. Wilmot of Wallace spent the week-end with her daughter Anne.

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### Dr. Steinman Tells of Conference Experience.

Last summer I had the pleasure of accompanying the Idaho delegation to the Y. M. C. A. conference at Columbia beach, and it was one of the most enjoyable and inspiring experiences of my life. It was at a similar conference at Northfield, Mass., during my student days at Columbia university that I received my first impression of the true meaning of Christianity. At these conferences many a youth realizes for the first time that Christianity is a living religion for real men, men with red blood in their veins; that it is a positive program of effort for human betterment, through personal fight for character and social service—all in the name of Christ. Through daily contact with men whose message is backed by their own lives of self-sacrifice and service, we cannot fail to be strengthened and inspired to higher resolves.

Among the new ideas brought back by our delegation last summer, there were two that have notably influenced our efforts of Christian service during the past year; one was the Boy scout scheme and the other was the plan of Y. M. C. A. extension work through deputations trips to neighboring communities.

Columbia Beach is an ideal site for the Northwest conference, both for its recreational opportunities and its impressive surroundings. The camp life, athletic sports and contests, hiking through the woods, rowing and canoeing in the river, bathing in the ocean—these are some of the recreative features of the conference. On the other hand, picture a hundred young men gathered on the beach around a bright campfire, under the stars, singing college songs and listening to inspiring addresses, while the waves of the Pacific beat upon the sands, and you will realize some of the priceless impressions carried away from the conference. I would not have missed my trip to Columbia Beach for any other form of vacation imaginable, and it is with the grateful memory of my own impressions that I urge all who possibly can to attend the conference next month. It is worth any sacrifice.

D. B. STEINMAN.

## W. S. C. SWAMPS IDAHO IN TRACK MEET

### Phillips of Idaho Individual Star With 15 Points.

Last Saturday on the Idaho field W. S. C. ran away with the annual dual track meet between the two schools. The final score was 85½ to 39½ points. W. S. C. walked away with every running event on the program, Idaho winning her only firsts in the weight events. However Buck Phillips upheld Idaho's reputation. He won the shot with a heave of over 38 feet; he hurled the discus 120 feet 11½ inches and broke the American record in the javelin with a mighty throw of 182 feet 6 inches. This is certainly a days work for one man and is a record to be proud of.

The field was muddy and a drizzly rain fell at intervals during the meet, making fast time impossible. Morrison gave the W. S. C. sprinters an awful run for their money in the sprints and within the next year or two will develop into one of the best in the conference: he made 9 points, taking second in the 100, 220, and broad jump. Dingle and Ankorn ran a pretty race in the half mile, taking second and third. W. S. C. won all the points in the 440 and two mile and took first and second in the high jump and low hurdles.

While we lost the meet, our prospects for a winning team in the next few years are very bright. All the men but two are either Freshmen or Sophomores and will do much more for Idaho. Phillips is good for two years more and Dingle, Ankorn, Harris, Morrison Brown and Barton are freshmen. Downing, Warren and Scott are Juniors and Capt. Whitten is the only man to be lost by graduation.

The following is a summary of the events.

Mile run—Schultz, W. S. C., first; Downing, Idaho, second; Hanson, W. S. C. third. Time 4 minutes, 47 seconds.

440-yard dash—Dietz, W., first; Casad, W., second; McDougal, W., third; 54 seconds.

High jump—Powell and Hall, W., tied for first; Scott, Idaho and Coe, W., tied for second. Height, 5 feet, 6 inches.

Shot put—Phillips, Idaho, first; Love, W., second; Anderson, W., third; 38 feet 6½ inches.

120-yard hurdles—Powell, W., first; Ankorn, Idaho, second; McCroskey, W., disqualified; 18 1.5 seconds.

100-yard dash—Cooke, W., first; Morrison, Idaho, second; Gwinn, W., third; 10 3.5 seconds.

Discus throw—Phillips, Idaho, won; Love, W., second; Anderson, W., third; 114 feet, 10 inches.

After the event Phillips again throw for 120 feet 11½ inches.

The record for Idaho was 109 feet.

Two-mile run—Williams, W., first; Hanson, W., second; Lewis, W., third; 10 minutes, 29 seconds.

Broad jump—Powell, W., first; Morrison, Idaho, second; Coe, W., third; 20 feet 3 inches.

880-yard run—Schultz, W., first; Dingle, Idaho, second; Ankorn, Idaho third; 2 minutes 14 4.5 seconds.

Javelin throw—Phillips, Idaho, first; Deitz, W., second; Cooke, W., third; 183 feet, 6 inches.

220-yard hurdles—McCroskey, W., first; Beckman, W., second; Ankorn, Idaho, third; 28 4.5 seconds.

220-yard dash—Cooke, W., first; Morrison, Idaho, second; Dietz, W., third; 24 3.5 seconds.

Relay race not run.

### The Girls' Conference at Gearhart Park.

The Pacific Northwest Y. W. C. A. conference opens on Tuesday, June 17, and continues until June 27. It is held as last year, at the beautiful new Gearhart hotel at Gearhart Park, Oregon, directly on the ocean.

The daily program, while not quite so strenuous as that of the men at Columbia Beach, is similar, having also addresses by noted speakers, bible and mission study classes, and athletic and other recreative features. The conference is a gathering for the women student of all the colleges in the four Northwest states, and also for those engaged in city work. The average attendance is about two hundred.

Among those on the faculty this year are Professor C. A. Isaacs, of the department of mathematics at Washington State college and Dean J. G. Eldridge, of the University of Idaho.

It is hoped that several may be able to attend from the University of Idaho. It is a never-to-be forgotten experience, crowded with pleasant happenings and acquaintanceships. The sight of the open ocean itself is worth much to an inlander.

### Ice Cream.

There are few departments of the university that put out a product to compete in the open market. The creamery department does. Their butter was judged the best in the state at Caldwell last fall. The ice cream is great. You had better try a cone some sunny afternoon. They will treat you splendidly at the creamery. By the way, do you eat "Varsity" butter? It is the very best, made from pasteurized cream under the strictest aseptic conditions. Loyalty should move students to use university products especially since they are best.

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The trip to the Student conference is worth while for a multitude of reasons—not only for the good one may receive but for the interesting sights that one encounters. Last year we who attended the conference landed in Portland in time to see the renowned Portland Rose carnival. Such a pageant is in itself worth going far to see. At the same time there lay in the harbor two of Uncle Sam's battleships open to visitors, and it afforded us of the Inland Empire great pleasure indeed to go over them from top to bottom.

On our arrival at the beach, there was this thing to surprise the new and inexperienced man—the fact that the Northwest has so many universities, colleges and normal schools. There were delegations from at least twenty-seven institutions.

Another thing that one learned was that the conference was not necessarily a meeting for those who intended entering the ministry, missionary or even Y. M. C. A. work. To be sure there were many present who were inclined to enter one of these branches, but there was a great interest shown by laymen on the many vital social, political and religious questions of the day. What can the business man and the college man do to benefit the conditions of mankind without entering any religious vocation? To this end business men of great prominence are brought to the conference to impart what they know. We learn from them that it is the busiest men that have time for beneficial work outside their professions and that the catch phrase "We haven't time" is fairly run into the ground.

In a way the conference is like a Chautauqua in that prominent men from the whole country are brought here to lecture and instruct during this short period. Some of these are even in so great demand that they cannot be held for the full time but stay perhaps a day, perhaps two, and are gone. It was from some of these that I got the most good. Thus we meet and get acquainted with men of note and influence, and through this experience it will be far easier to meet other great men. But it is not all work at the conference. There are many amusements into which everybody enters with much zeal. There were tennis and volleyball, teams for baseball, football, and track organized by different sections of the country represented; Inland Empire, Puget Sound, and Willamette Valley. A home run in indoor baseball made your name familiar on every tongue and made you greeted afterwards by everybody by your name. Nor can the delightful hikes thru the roads and to nearby wrecks and summer resort,

and the canoeing on the River Neacoxie, or even the picking of wild strawberries, be passed by without mention.

Most important of all, probably, is that this is a Student Conference, not one of preachers or of denominations. It is the association with men of other colleges that was of inestimable benefit. It is these short friendships that will be ever sweet in our memories, and we leave the conference with the sincere desire that we meet again in the future some of those who passed together with us the most enjoyable days of their life at Columbia Beach. It is to be hoped that many men from Idaho will take advantage of this opportunity to meet men of prominence and influence from other colleges.

ROBERT J. GERLOUGH.

**Engineering Papers Honor Dr. Steinman.**

Last week two magazines published articles by Dr. Steinman. In the number of "Engineering and Contracting" for May 7th we find an article entitled "Bridges, a Comparative Study" introduced with the following words: "At the annual Congress of Engineering and Scientific societies held at Spokane, Wash, in February, a discussion by Prof. D. B. Steinman, University of Idaho, of span lengths of cantilever and suspension bridges merited particular attention. We print the discussion in full as follows." The article is illustrated by five cuts of bridges designed by the author.

In "Pacific Builder and Engineer" for May 10th, is printed the second instalment of Dr. Steinman's paper on "Limiting, Maximum and Economic Bridge Spans, the first instalment having appeared in the preceding month's issue. The "Engineering Record" has written to the author for permission to reprint the article.

In "Pacific Builder and Engineer" for March 8th, in an account of the Spokane Congress of Engineering and Scientific Societies, the reporter writes: "Suspension Bridges and Cantilevers" was the subject of an able paper read at the afternoon session by Dr. D. B. Steinman of Idaho University, Moscow. This paper was analytical and practical and was illustrated by sketches and drawings. Remarks followed by Messrs. Fowler and Ralston commending the value of Dr. Steinman's paper." The same issue contains a photograph of Professor Steinman as "One of the five Wires of the Engineering Congress."

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**A. S. U. I. Officers Elected.**  
 As provided by the constitution of the A. S. U. I. the annual election of student officers was held on Friday of last week. The result of the election was as follows: For president, V. Samms, 154; B. Kennison, 145. For vice president, Chester Smith, 153; M. Kennedy, 143; for secretary, Gladys Collins, 108; Lusetta Lubken, 132. For treasurer, M. Mulkey, 195; A. Sutton, 93. For editor of The Argonaut, George Donart, 176; R. G. Adams, 120. For associate editor, A. L. Johnson, 153. No opposition on ballot. Complimentary votes, Gladys Lesinger, 2; Rose Curtis, 2; R. J. Leth, 1. For business manager of The Argonaut, R. F. Tuttle, 293—no opposition. For assistant business manager of The Argonaut, Ray Cammack, 191; W. Jackson, 90. For athletic board, seven to be elected, Thomas Doyle, 245; Johnny Hayden, 242; Hugo Donart, 219; John Phillips, 219; George Scott, 208; Vic Jones, 197; A. Knudson, 185; R. Mitchell, 175; W. B. Johnson, 166; George Donart, 89. For debate council, six to be elected, J. M. Pond, 262; O. Nesbit, 235; T. Warren, 261; M. Monroe, 234; R. Crater, 226; P. Ostrout, 226, and Clarence Johnson, 203.

Mrs. Sylvester was the dinner guest of Omega Pi Wednesday evening.

**Priscilla to Be Given Again.**  
 Owing to the great number of requests for a second presentation of Priscilla from people in Moscow and the University, Prof. Eugene Storer has decided to repeat the performance in the auditorium Friday evening. The cast will be the same as that which presented the opera in April, except that Horace Chamberlain will take the part of Governor Bradford in place of Claude Heard, who is not in school.

The University orchestra, under the direction of Prof. Collens, will assist the glee clubs as before. Rehearsals have been held several times a week during the last few weeks. The lighting effects on the stage have been improved, and the performance promises to surpass the previous one in excellence. Seats are on sale at the Corner Drug Store and at the University at 50 and 35c.

Some of the outstanding experiences of a conference include the making of many new friends of the lasting worth while variety; invigorating recreation alongside the breakers of the Pacific ocean; larger and truer conceptions of of the religious and social problems of our age; clear visions and strong convictions as to life vocations; and finally invaluable training for Christian leadership, both in and out of college.—F. T. Osborne, '13.

Prof. Soulen leaves for Star, Idaho, to give the commencement address next Friday evening. Six of the ten graduates are coming to Idaho next year. A similar engagement at Winchester had to be declined on account of conflict of dates.

Applications from summer school students are pouring in daily. They include the names of teachers from Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Minnesota, Washington, and every county in Idaho. Many college students are also planning to attend.

### Treasurer A. S. U. I. Makes Report

To the members of A. S. U. I.:

Herewith I submit my report of the receipts and disbursements of the various funds for the month ending April 30th, 1913.

#### ATHLETIC FUND

Expenditures as follows:  
 First National Bank—on athletic note and interest \$500.00  
 J. J. Sterner—football pictures for the annual 3.50  
 David & Ely—athletic supplies by Larson 83.35  
 \$586.85  
 Balance on hand from last report \$710.76  
 Less expenditures as above 586.85  
 Balance on hand..... \$123.91

NOTE. Manager Larson has \$200.00 from this fund for baseball and track expenses. The balance due on the Athletic note is about \$425.00

#### ARGONAUT FUND

Expenditures as follows:  
 Idaho Post—printing Argonaut for April \$ 68.20  
 R. D. Bistline—salary three issues—April 6.00  
 R. F. Tuttle—salary \$6 00; for postage \$5 00; salary of T. P. Doyle \$4.00. 15.00  
 D. M. Buffington—to the "Law Argonaut"—regular printing expense \$22.50; refund from regular advertising bills \$21.05 43.55  
 Balance on hand from last report \$223.73  
 Less expenditures as above 132.75  
 Balance on hand..... \$90.98

#### DEBATE FUND

Expenditures as follows:  
 Stechert & Co, New York—books and debate supplies \$ 17.38  
 Wallace—8 gold debate pins 31.50  
 Ladies' Guild—part of debate banquet expense 6.89  
 Balance on hand from last report \$55.77  
 Less expenditures as above 55.77  
 Account balanced

#### MISCELLANEOUS FUND

Expenditures as follows:  
 Ladies' Guild—balance due from debate council banquet \$15.11  
 Balance on hand from last report \$183.95  
 Less expenditures as above 15.11  
 \$168.84

Respectfully submitted,  
 PARKER V. LUCAS,  
 Treasurer.

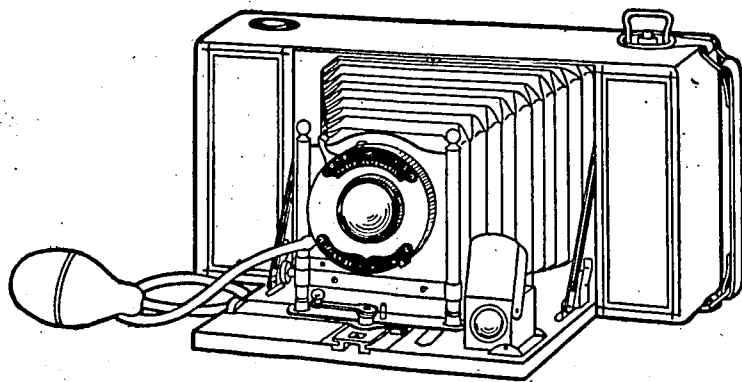
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### INTERFRATERNITY LEAGUE SCHEDULE.

	Non-Frat.	Kappa Sigma	Zeta Delta	Theta Mu Epsilon	Phi Delta Theta
Non-Fraternity	<b>KEEP</b>	May 17 Saturday 9:00	June 2 Monday 4:00	May 28 Wednesday 4:00	May 31 Saturday 3:00
Kappa Sigma	May 17 Saturday 9:00.	<b>THESE</b>	Tuesday June 3 4:00	May 30 Friday 4:00	May 30 Friday 4:00
Zeta Delta	June 2 Monday 4:00	June 3 Tuesday 4:00	<b>GAMES</b>	May 24 Saturday 3:00	May 16 Friday 4:00
Theta Mu Epsilon	May 28 Wednesday 4:00	May 30 Friday 4:00	May 24 Saturday 3:00	<b>IN</b>	May 10 Saturday 9:00
Phi Delta Theta	May 31 Saturday 3:00	May 23 Friday 3:00	May 16 Friday 4:00	May 10 Saturday 9:00	<b>MIND</b>

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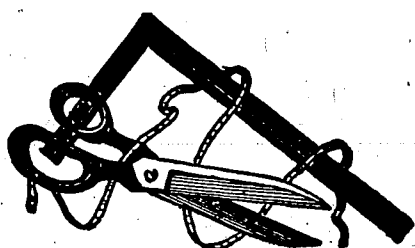
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**NORTHWEST STUDENT CONFERENCE**

**Y. M. C. A. Leaders and Speakers From all Parts of World, June 14-23.**

"The best ten days of my life" is the almost universal testimony of thousands of men who have attended one of the Y. M. C. A. Student Conferences held each year in the United States and in foreign lands. This is not the rash statement of an enthusiastic delegate immediately after returning from one of these inspiring gatherings, but is his sober judgment formed during years of study or service following his conference experiences.

There is a spirit, an atmosphere prevailing in such a gathering that must be experienced to be comprehended, but the uninitiated must know something of what a student conference has for him before he will devote to it ten days of his summer vacation and the thirty or forty dollars which are involved. The purpose of this article is to answer that question in as far as that may be possible.

The Northwest Student Conference is held at Columbia Beach about fifteen miles south of Astoria. The camp is beautifully situated about one half mile from the long, sandy beach of the mighty Pacific Ocean, and has almost ideal natural advantages. The ten days are a delightful mingling of indoor and outdoor life, mostly outdoor.

The delegates are about 125 men from nearly every college of the four northwest states and British Columbia. The faculty or leaders are all picked men selected for their unusual ability to associate with and help young men.

In order that the limited time may be spent to the best advantage, a systematic program for each day is arranged. This includes study classes in the mornings in Bible study, Mission study, and in the most effective methods of college association work.

The afternoons are devoted to recreation, and the evenings to inspirational addresses by noted men on subjects of peculiar interest to college men. Of particular value are the Life Work addresses. Thousands of men all over this continent and in other lands look back to these summer conference camps as the places where under nearly ideal conditions, they were able to settle the perplexing problem of choosing their life vocation.

A special attraction this year, and one that does not come more than once in a decade, is a delegation from the Tenth Conference of the World's Student Christian Federation to be held at Lake Mohawk in New York, June 2-8. The representatives at Columbia Beach will probably be students from India, China and Japan, and it will be a rare privilege to meet these men, each of whom is a leader in the student movement of his own country.

Among the leaders, will be Dr. H. C. Mason, who delivers the Baccalaureate sermon this year. He was one

of the most popular leaders at last year's conference.

An incidental, but not slight attraction will be the opportunity of seeing the magnificent Rose Festival, which will be held in Portland, June 9-11, without extra expense.

**"Facing The Music" Very Enjoyable Farce.**

The Junior class presentation of "Facing The Music" afforded the assembled faculty, students and town guests an evening of hearty laughter and enjoyment. The play was well staged—the lighting quite the best that any performance in the auditorium has yet had; the setting, costumes and make up were good, and the rollick-lightness and quickness with which the action moved along gave evidence of dramatic appreciation as well as careful preparation.

The trying situations of John Smith, the other Mr. Smith's much involved life were carried off by Clough Perkins who was easily the star of this entertaining farce. He was ably assisted in his many difficulties by Vestal Hockett, who, as the other Mr. Smith's guest, was not the possessor of a sympathetic soul but, nevertheless, was as ready to lend a helping hand to his much badgered host as to laugh at him.

Too bad Mr. Hockett had such a heavy cold—his voice marred his otherwise excellent presentation of Dick Desmond.

It would be hard to find a more "parson like" parson than was Lawrence Mason when he solemnly announced, "I am the Rev. John Smith, the Curate of St. Andrews."

Miss Tosney, as Nora, the other Mr. Smith's wife, was delightfully naive and vivacious. The misunderstandings that arose from the fact that both she and Miss Petcina bore the name of "Mrs. John Smith," caused much amusement. Particularly well done was the quarrel that closed the second act and left Nora and Mable fainting on the shoulders of Col. Duncan Smith, the other Mr. Smith's uncle (Merton Kennedy) who seemed not averse to supporting his fair burdens, though like the typical British officer, he fled precipitately from a woman's tears. Even Sergeant Duffie, attached to Vine Street Police Station—well done by Vernon Fawcett—could not resist the charm of Miss Petcina, who, as Mable, the Curate's wife, brought sunshine into her Johnnie's life and to the audience as well.

Miss Wayman gave an appreciative interpretation of the lines of Mrs. Ponting, the other Mr. Smith's housekeeper, who liked a small flurry now and then from whatever source it might come.

Miss Hockett, as Miss Fotheringay of the Bijou theatre, kept the demure, sweet college girl before the audience, rather than, the more easy mannered Bijou actress.

The university orchestra furnished some excellent music during the intermissions. The concert march, Lulu von Lindon, by Lee Fall, was particularly enjoyable.

## OMEGA PI HAS PICNIC

One of the finest sunshine days and the prettiest moonlight nights that Moscow has yet seen this season was made the best of by the Omega Pi girls, when they and some of their friends departed in heavily loaded hay-racks for the mountains.

The crowd left Moscow about 4:00 p. m. for the Barton summer-home, Tarry-a-while. The cabin and trees about were beautifully lighted with Japanese lanterns. A large and satisfying lunch was served at once, after which the picnickers danced to music furnished by Doyle's orchestra, or gathered about the large camp fire toasting marsh mallows and singing songs. The time for departure came all too soon, when the merry-makers put out the fires and returned home by moon-light.

The guests were: L. Jessup, L. Case, G. Tumbhe, R. Brookhart, W. Kjosness, V. Sieler, L. Brown, A. Cristenson, G. Sylvester, L. Rowell, A. Kinneson, Prof. Gurney, R. Gerlough, M. Anderson, C. Sylvester, R. B. Cartee, E. Perkins, H. Holaday, P. Peterson, R. Mitchell, W. Scott, R. D. Armstrong, C. Melugin. Mrs. Clark, the Omega Pi matron, chaperoned the party.

### Tennis Match Friday.

On next Friday afternoon the Lewiston High school will play the university at Moscow.

They will bring four men for the men's events and two young ladies for the ladies' events. The men are all strong players and will put up a fine game. Beach is their best man and his serving is a feature. He is only 15 years old and is considered one of the best in Lewiston.

Misses Wing and Niel, who will play in the ladies' events, are both strong players. Miss Wing has played for years and is a strong player in every way.

The university team will probably be picked from the following men: David, Soulen, Wright, Swnaki and Perkins. In the ladies' events it is very likely Misses Kettenbach and Brown will play.

It is hoped that there will be a large crowd out to see these different matches. A large crowd on the side lines in tennis, helps the players to win the same as in any other sport.

On the 24 of this month U. of I. will play W. S. C. It is reported that W. S. C. has a very strong team, so it is up to us to do our best. There will be matches with outside teams every Saturday from now on.

The first round of the tourney is all played off and are now classified. It is very likely that some of the men will work up into the upper class, and if they do, this will afford some interesting matches.

Mrs. Paul Savidge, Althea Ott and Muriel Leigh were the guests of Gamma Phi Beta at dinner Tuesday.

## COMMENCEMENT SPEAKERS NAMED

Able Orators Secured for Commencement Week.

Unusually strong speakers have been secured for the commencement exercises this year. All addresses will be given in the new university auditorium.

The Baccalaureate Sermon will be delivered Sunday morning, June 8, at 11 o'clock, by Rev. H. C. Mason D. D., of the University Congregational church in Seattle. He is a graduate of McGill University of Montreal.

Pres. E. A. Bryan, LL. D., of Washington State College, will address the university convocation, which is called for Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The commencement address will be given at 10:30, Wednesday morning. It will be preceded by the academic procession. The speaker will be Prof. Francis W. Shepardson LL. D., professor of American history at the University of Chicago.

### Idaho Wins and Ties at Whitman.

Idaho played the best ball of the season and defeated Whitman college in the first game and tied in the second. The grounds were muddy and the games were rather slow. Mitchell pitched the first game and got off well for a new man. This was his first intercollegiate game. Gerlough twirled the second and had to be content with a tie as rain stopped the game with the score 9 to 9.

Several men broke into the hit column with a vengeance. Jardine and Numbers both batted like crazy men in both games. Keane fielded remarkably well in both games.

Idaho pepped up considerably in fielding and made only two errors in each game. If the boys can keep this up we can win the next two games from W. S. C. Its a cinch that we won't be in the cellar, anyway which is some consolation: Whitman already has a stranglehold on that place.

The following is a lineup of the teams.

WHITMAN	IDAHO
Rolstad, c	Numbers, ss
Barnett, 1b	Jardine, 3b
Perringer, rf	Jones, cf
Blackman, 3b	Keane, 2b
Gale, 2b	Hayden, lf
Nilef, lf	Humphries, 1b
Fitts, ss	Donart, rf
Burns, cf	Robinson, c
Bennington, p	Mitchell, p
Barry, p	Gerlough, p

Mrs. M. E. Lewis entertained members of Gamma Phi Beta and Phi Delta Theta at a most delightful dancing party Friday evening in honor of Miss Vandersteg.

Delta Gamma entertained at dinner Sunday Clay Koelsch, Virgil Samms, Vestal Hockett, Raymond Safford, Sherman Gregory and George Tabad.



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