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BEZDECK'S MEN WIN IN DESPERATE STRUGGLE OVER IDAHO ELEVEN.

Buck's Sensational Punting Caused Webfooters Much Grief.

The old Oregon "jinx" failed to slip away to the realm of the Dodo and other extinct things when the proteges of Coaches Griffith and Bezdeck met on the varsity field Saturday afternoon and the Eugene eleven pulled down the big end of a 13 to 0 count.

The "jinx" was on the job all the time and it seemed to have slipped a horseshoe to every one of its webfooter minions, since the two forward passes that gave Oregon its touchdowns were both breaks in the luck that went against Idaho.

The first Oregon score came in the second quarter. The ball was in Idaho's possession in the middle of the field when a forward pass was called for; Buck Phillips handled the oval and he started it on a line for Dingle, but Malarky, Oregon's right half, snared it en route and ripped through for a sixty yard run and a touchdown. Parsons kicked the goal.

The other webfoot count came in the third session. Bezdek's men worked the pigskin down to Idaho's 30 yard line and Beckett shot a perfect peg to Parsons, who grabbed the leather and carried it over the chalk line. The Oregon captain missed his try for the goal.

The Silver and Gold aggregation had the best of the battling in the first quarter. Burns kicked off to Cornell to initiate things. The webfooters were unable to gain and Beckett punted to Purdy. Phillips returned the kick after a couple of plays and the booting duel continued during most of the quarter. Idaho had one fine chance to register when Bob Burns tried a drop-kick from the 30-yard line but the stubborn pigskin missed by an inch and Beckett kicked out of danger.

The punting battle between Phillips and Beckett continued during the second quarter with the honors going to Buck. Neither team could make much yardage. Both attempted several passes but none of the heaves affected the game very much until Buck started the fatal peg that Malarky intercepted. Burns tried a drop-kick toward the end of the quarter but big Philbin broke through and blocked it.

Oregon kicked off to start the third quarter. Burns, Brown and Hamilton got away for some good gains but the Eugene aggregation managed to get within striking distance of the Idaho goal and Beckett cut loose the pass that gave Oregon its second touchdown. Parsons' catch of the hurtling pigskin was a sensational one and he had no trouble hiking the ten yards that separated him from the Idaho line. When Parsons missed his try for goal the score was left at 13 to 0 in favor of Oregon and that count was the one finally chalked up.



P. BURNS



Stanley BROWN

The fourth quarter was rather uneventful. Both coaches began to rush their subs into the game and although all of the second-string men showed good stuff no sensational plays were pulled off. The battling was fairly even in this final session, the windup coming with the ball in Oregon's possession on Idaho's 30 yard line.

Weather conditions were ideal and a big crowd was on hand.

The lineup:
Idaho. Oregon.
Dewald.....L. E. R.....Garnett
Phillips.....L. T. R.....Philbin
Kipp.....L. G. R.....Cook
Hays.....C.....Risley
Johnstone.....R. G. L.....Snyder
Dingle.....R. E. L.....Weist
Purdy.....Q.....Cornell
Burns.....L. H. R.....Malarky
Jardine.....R. H. L.....Parsons
Brown.....F.....Bryant

Substitutions—Idaho: Hamilton for Purdy, Gerlough for Dewald, Purdy for Jardine, Betty for Dingle, Williams for Burns, Buffington for Johnstone. Oregon: Bigbee for Weist, Huntington for Cornell, Cornell for Huntington, Weist for Garrett, Huntington for Cornell, Cornwall for Malarky.

Referee, Roscoe Fawcett; Umpire, Moyer; Head linesman, Jones.

Dean and Mrs. Eldridge, and Dr. and Mrs. Von Ende were guests of Omega Pi at dinner Wednesday.

Maybelle Rudisell and Zella Bigham came up from Kenrdick Saturday for the game.

Frances Bailey is pledged Omega Pi.

GRIDIRON GRIST.

The fickle goddess was not content with placing a kiss on the brow of each webfooter, she had to slobber all over the entire Eugene team.

Bezdeck's men recovered nine-tenths of their own fumbles and they seemed to be always ready to pounce on the leather when it oozed its way through the hands of an Idaho warrior.

Next season we'll hook 'em for fair. Gronniger was the real bright light of the silver and gold eleven. In on every play, he kept the brilliant Parsons from making any of his usual sensational runs and whenever he grabbed a man that boy came crashing to the ground. "Groni" is already labeled for the All-Northwestern team.

The much touted Cornell, Oregon's quarter, failed to show any scintillating stuff during the game. Purdy and Jardine made him look feeble when it came to running back punts.

Time was taken out frequently during the contest. Two of the webfooters were hurt in the first five minutes of play and Purdy took a vicious jolt before the game had gone very far. Jardine was knocked out in the third quarter when two men tackled him with a battering-ram smash.

Bezdeck, Oregon's coach, disgraced himself and the institution he represents by hitting a boy in the crowd back of the visitors bench. The Oregon tutor seems to become a pure nut the minute a gridiron battle starts.

LONG DISTANCE MEET SATURDAY

SPEEDY MEN FROM WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE TO COMPETE WITH LOCAL TEAM

Race Promises to Be the Best Run in a Good Many Years.

The Washington State College, it is said has some of the best cross-country men in the field which has competed there for some time. They are all new men at the college but have had considerable experience in the cross-country work before entering college, so it is expected that the Idaho men will have to run.

Idaho is represented by Campbell, O'Rouky, and DeHaven and judging by the fast time these men made last Saturday in the race for the gold medal we feel confident that one or more of them will blaze the way to fame in the coming contest.

The race will begin at 2:30 sharp. In order to give the spectators all possible chance to see the event, and to make the most desirable course for the runners, it has been decided to run 604 yards of the race on the new track field before the run is taken over the country. From the new field the runners go westward where they will be seen laying off in rapid paces the length of the course.

The finish will be on the new field at the foot of the stadium. The contestants will be seen for half a mile before they reach the finish.

Washington State College will perhaps enter five men with only three entries for the run. Just how many will be entered representing Idaho is not known.

Come out and make it encouraging for the runners and incidentally help our boys win.

The hour is 2:30 Saturday.

GOLD MEDAL AWARDED.

The gold medal, which is given to the winner of the annual cross-country race, was won last Saturday by Campbell of Bonners Ferry. Second place was won by O'Rouky of Coeur d'Alene and third by DeHaven of Grangeville.

The time was as follows, for 4 1/2 miles:

Campbell, 25 minutes, 19 2/5 seconds; O'Rouky, 25 minutes, 40 seconds; DeHaven, 25 minutes, 58 seconds.

These three men will meet a team from Washington State College here next Saturday.

CALENDAR

- Nov. 2, Mon.—Home Economics Assn., Ad. Building.
- Nov. 4, Wed.—De Smet Club.
- Nov. 6, Fri.—Faculty Recital, evening.
- Nov. 7, Sat.—Football, W. S. C., at Pullman.
- Nov. 7, Sat.—Athletic Ball, Gym.
- Nov. 7, Sat.—Cross Country Meet at Corvallis.



HAYES



GRONNIGER

DEBATING CLUB IS ORGANIZED

STUDENTS INTERESTED IN FORENSIC WORK HAVE FORMED NEW ORGANIZATION.

More Men and Better Men Will Be Available for Idaho's Debating Teams in the Future.

Last Thursday evening the new debate club held its first meeting since its organization of two weeks previous. The program Thursday evening consisted of each member making an extemporaneous speech. The subjects for each speech being assigned by the chairman as it came each one's turn to orate. This new and unusual program was carried out with considerable success. Being new at this kind of public speaking many of the speeches were not as well organized or given with as much confidence as if time for study had been allowed, but every speech was fired with an enthusiasm and freshness which made the first program a glaring success. To give a well organized and convincing speech on-the spur-of the moment requires practice and that is the most that the club has to offer. Among the variety of topics discussed was a "Criticism of the Present Administration," one on "Modern Methods of Hearing," "The Effects of the European War upon the U. S."

On October the eleventh a number of men interested in debating and public speaking met and organized themselves into a debate club. Only a temporary organization was effected which is to be superceded by a permanent organization when the full membership is acquired and when the constitution will have been drawn up. Of the present organization M. Ison is president, O. M. Nesbit, vice president, Alvin Beckman secretary. The membership is small but rich in purpose and the outlook for the future is most gratifying.

The new organization is destined to accomplish several things in connection with our University and to develop phases of education which do not come in the regular curriculum. Then the forensic society aims first, to fit out and equip students to ably defend the "silver and gold" when her position as northwest debate champion shall be disputed; second, to boost Idaho's forensic work; third, but first in importance, train its members to look an audience squarely in the face and reason with coolness, logic and system to train men to champion in a creditable way issues and policies arising in later life in our great popular government. An organization with such aims and such a fair opportunity for reaching these aims the organization cannot help proving a great benefit to our University, to our individuality and to our efficiency as American citizens.

THE COUNTY FAIR.

The Bingville Annual County Fair, which was held in Lewis Hall last Saturday evening, was even more of a success than had been anticipated. Crowds of students and townspeople, who had been attracted by the large hand bills, surged into the hall from eight o'clock to nine-thirty, intent upon seeing and enjoying everything.

In one end of the hall was an excellent (?) display of "grains and grasses

groan in and aroun' Bingville." All of them were there, from Jimson weed to thistle. Beside it was the exhibit of fruits and vegetables. The attractive manner of display, and the appropriate labels, made this exhibit especially "educashionale." Another exhibit displayed fancy work and other articles "too numerous to menshun."

The side shows were well attended. Possibly the minstrel show, the Delta Gamma Vaudevill, and the Heart Specialists, Drs. Wood and McCall, were the most popular attractions, but the others were also well supported.

W. S. C. SQUAD USES GHOST BALL

Hard Work for State College Football Warriors

WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE, PULLMAN, Oct. 28.—The "ghost" ball made its first appearance on Rogers field last night and Coach Bender's proteges were put through their paces until the moon put in an appearance. Bender and Kienholz will give the men strenuous practice nightly from now until the big Idaho game, which will be played here November 7, Kienholz using his second squad as a battering ram against Bender's first team.

Arrangements are being made to accommodate a crowd of 5000 people and the entire field has been inclosed in a barbed wire fence to keep the spectators from crowding onto the gridiron. Bleachers will be erected on the cinder track.

W. S. C. Star Will not Enter Races.

Washington State Colloge, Oct. 28.—(Special).—W. S. C. cross country running took a backward step yesterday when it was found that Hanson, captain of the team, who was counted on to do great things this year, had contracted an illness which would prevent him taking part in any of the meets this season, at least.

Hanson was the only experienced man on the team and his loss will be a severe handicap. Williams, of last year's team, has been graduated, while Hathway failed to return.

The interest of the cross country followers centers on the annual dual meet between Idaho and W. S. C., which will be held at Moscow Saturday. Five men will be entered, although only the first three places will score.

A rally was held in the gymnasium on Friday before the Oregon game to practice songs and yells. From the gymnasium, which was the scene of the first act, the assembled departed for the athletic field, where act two was given. Here the Freshmen had gathered into a heap all the rubbish within a radius of two miles, so they were well prepared to furnish a little light on the subject for those whose vision was hazy as to Idaho's fate on the morrow.

Humphries' chorus can not be excelled for quality of tone. Several difficult selections were rendered and the musicians showed such polished technique and brilliancy of execution that the audience was actually enraptured. They showed a noble disdain for the light productions of modern composers and hearkened back to the old masters for inspiration.

Next session—Nov. 6, 7:30 p. m.
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ASSEMBLY.

Some mirth was excited at assembly by a slight mistake on the part of several of the short course students, who evidently sensed a kindred spirit in the Senior aggregation and proceeded to mingle with them on terms of complete equality, even going so far as to occupy some of the choice front seats preempted by the Seniors. Ideas seemed to differ as to the exact result of this. Some thought that the presence of the undeveloped short course material in the territory especially allotted to the Seniors seemed somehow to detract from the dignity of that class. Others, influenced no doubt, by class jealousy, were equally positive that the Seniors seemed to be elevated and ennobled by a slight sprinkling of their shorter-coursed brethren. Be this as it may, we are all agreed that the short course people are entitled to the best that we have to give, and we don't much care where they sit if they will only come regularly to Assembly.

The somber beauty of the movement from one of the most unpronounceable of Russian composers which the string quartet played for us will linger long in the memory. This selection harmonized especially well with the spirit of memorial service.

President Brannon devoted a few moments to a sincere appreciation of the life and work of George Hall, whose life while he was with us characterized three things: Sincerity, thoroughness and lasting fidelity. He was faithful in the small things—in the schedule of hours, and, what is more, in the schedule of performance. We revere the memory of a coworker who stood for these three great principles. A song by a carefully selected choir, "Heart, Be Still," added just the proper closing note to a brief but affecting memorial service.

Gale Seaman, traveling secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, was allowed a few minutes to plead the cause of the Y. M. C. A., and to state the financial needs of the organization in our own University. Mr. Seaman knows his subject thoroughly and has the power of bringing out the most important points in his argument by a few well-chosen sentences. He emphasized the fact that the Y. M. C. A. is a strong organization, with good friends in high authority. The captain of the rugby team at Stanford last year was also president of the Y. M. C. A., and a most enthusiastic worker. The call for funds to support the work here in Idaho was met by a contribution of something over one hundred dollars. This will do for a starter, but it isn't what we ought to be willing to do for our Y. M. C. A. We have been very fortunate in securing a man like Mr. Leonard for our first secretary and we ought to back him a little better than this. Perhaps there is no one thing which can do more for our University than a virile Young Men's Christian Association, and Mr. Leonard has shown himself capable of leading such a movement. Perhaps pushing would be a better word, for Leonard is one of that rare genus of men who prefer to keep themselves in the background and give others the credit for their work.

In the very limited time remaining to him Rev. Watson of the Episcopalian church addressed the students on the subject of "Character and Thought." Rev. Watson is a man of rare spiritual vision combined with a warm human sympathy which enables him to understand the hearts of his hearers. His work among the young

NOTICE.

The Sophomore-Freshman football game will be played at 2:30 Saturday, October 31.

During the same hour the cross-country run will take place. Both events may be seen from the stadium on the new field.

Admission for both events will be 25 cents, proceeds to go toward buying blankets for the first team.

people has especially fitted him for the office of spiritual adviser to the University students, and we are always glad to have him speak to us. The opening words of his address constituted a call to the realization of our tremendous responsibility as University students. We must ask ourselves not so much, "what can we do for ourselves?" as "what can we do for others?" The definition of true University spirit which followed should go with us all through college. "To seek those things that are really worth while, that is the true University spirit." The spirit of the dreamer breathed through the ensuing exhortation not to make the fatal mistake of thinking that the most important things are visible. This is not even true in the physical world, for the powers of cohesion and of gravitation are invisible forces, and yet they control the earth. In every individual there is an invisible power of supreme importance. This is the power of thought. It fashions and moulds not only character but physical characteristics, so that men may know what manner of thoughts you think by the marks which they have left on your features. The life of nations as well as individuals is molded by thought. The Greeks thought of beauty, and the result is to be found in their incomparable art. The Romans thought in terms of law and order, and the result was a well ordered empire knit together by the "pox Romana." The Jewish race turned its thoughts toward religion, and through them was the promise fulfilled: "Abraham, thy seed shall teach the world of Me." The power of thought is unlimited. Thoughts are the food of our souls, and just as physical traits may be transmitted from father to son, so tainted habits of thought are dangerous to posterity. For the sake of our children we must think clean thoughts. "For though my body may extend from pole to pole. My thought is still the measure of my soul."

W. S. C. GUARDS CATCH "SPY"

WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE, PULLMAN; Oct. 28.—The "watchful waiting" policy of the state college vigilance squad bore its first fruit during practice last night, when an alleged spy was caught behind the trees in Tanglewood while the football team was running through the signals. The stranger stated that he was only watching the practice and that he was a student here last year, but was unable to name any student or faculty acquaintances. Only heroic protestations saved him from a ducking at the hands of the eager vigilantes, and he was given two minutes to leave the vicinity of Rogers field, but was out of range in that many seconds. The precaution of watching the field is taken to guard against the possibility of the signals falling into the hands of the Idaho team.—Spokesman-Review.



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NOTICE

It is requested that the contributing editors make their contributions according to schedule posted on bulletin board in the Administration building, first floor. Please comply with request. Unless this is done the Argonaut will not be published on Wednesday.

THE RALLY.

The rally last Friday evening was not altogether a success. Several reasons may be attributed to its failure. In the first place, when a student goes to the rally he should go with the determination to help make it as successful a rally as it is possible to make it. He should feel just as duty bound to do his part there as in the class room. If he "slides" in the class room he is a burden to the class. If he is only half-hearted at the rally and acts indifferently toward the purpose for which the rally was arranged he is not doing the right thing by himself or by his fellow students. Then, too, it seemed as though this rally was scheduled on an unexpected date so it conflicted with a large number of the "dates" on the campus; consequently those "dates" became a part of the rally and did not promote its true purpose. This was very undesirable as the co-operation of all the students was needed to make the rally a success. This is merely a reminder for future rallies. We discourage any student to "raise a fuss" over the result, for we feel confident after this suggestion that at the next rally, which comes November 6, there will be no arrangements made for any fussing that will have a tendency to defeat its purpose.

POWER OF CONCENTRATION.

There are altogether too many students who have not learned to concentrate their minds on the work they do. They have not learned to respect the laws governing the relation which exists between mind and work. After hours of study in preparation for a lesson they find it impossible to recite. Their minds are almost blanks so far as being able to recite that lesson is concerned. A dull tired feeling is the result of an attempt to study for too long a period at one sitting.

The mind is not a machine. It cannot do the same kind of work for an indefinite length of time. Only for a short period is it possible to concentrate one's mind on one kind of work and when fatigue is felt the work should be changed so as to rest the mind. If one continues work when this stage is reached, no knowledge is gained, the impaired mental faculties will not act and there is really more lost than gained. To concentrate one's

mind is of prime importance in studying and then the mind should not be taxed too heavily in concentrating it on one subject for too long a period.

SELF-RELIANCE.

Many men in all vocations of life are miserable failures. In many cases this can be attributed to the lack of self-reliance which in turn is due to dependence on others. Dependence is a sure sign of inferiority, and self-reliance is one of the first requisites to mankind. Responsibility is feared because of their weakness. They never achieve anything worthy of recognition for this must be done thru sacrifice. In place of meeting difficulties face to face they seek the paths of least resistance and sacrifice the chance of strengthening themselves to overcome the obstacles. They drift with the flood of circumstances instead of forcing circumstances to an issue favorable to their success. Only thru hardship and opposition can true manhood and self-reliance be cultivated without which success is impossible.

On the other hand the self-reliant young man seeks not to dodge obstacles but with a determination to win he blazes through his life, overcoming these difficulties in defiance for greater ones. Battles to him are sought rather than avoided, because each one fought means additional strength and courage and serves as a stepping stone in his upward climb. He is not always victorious. They are found only in story books. In every defeat he learns a lesson which would otherwise have been impossible and which will ultimately mean victory.

Such a man may succeed far beyond expectations. He may be handicapped by poverty and other misfortunes but nothing keeps him down. The state and the nation need just such men—men whom in their development see no fear of defeat and seek not to avoid difficulties but to overcome them. There may be a suggestion here for students who are shaping their habits for life. Perhaps they are not all of the prosperous, whose every need is supplied. The problems which confront a student in getting an education may be freely as vexing as any he will be forced to face in the school of life. Self-reliance may be cultivated in the class room, in forensic work, in activities on the campus and in various student activities. Let us make use of these opportunities now and develop a characteristic which is a sure stepping-stone to success.

DO IT NOW.

Old students will recognize a familiar notice on the bulletin boards—a call for photos for the 1916 annual. Usually little attention is paid to such notices at this time and the result has been that both the annual staff and the photographers have suffered severe handicaps in the midseason rush. The matter of individual pictures is a most important item, for pictorial representation of the four classes forms the basis for the construction of the entire annual. Solid reading matter would prove about as irksome as W. S. C. bear stories. Hence pictures are the first and last thing to be considered in the makeup of a Junior publication.

In one sense a college annual is a class product and it was once assumed that if the annual produced met with

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the approval of the class the publication was a success.

But in a larger sense because a college annual portrays and chronicles the activities of the entire student body the old narrow idea of its significance has well nigh disappeared. To be a success it must gain the approval of students and friends over the entire state. With an enlarged field the cooperation of every student as an essential factor in the building of a strong annual becomes imperative.

Let us not forget that time is required to finish the hundreds of proofs.

The capacity of the local studios is limited and knowing this we should "do it now" and avoid the indescribable January rush resulting from the sin of procrastination.

MEETING OF ASSOCIATED MINERS.

The associated miners met at the Zeta Delta House last Tuesday evening for the first time this year. Prof. Currier gave interesting talks on the opportunities of the mining engineer. These talks were followed by informal discussions along the same line.

The following officers were elected: President, W. N. Ellis; vice president, B. F. Smith; Supt., Norman Holden; foreman, S. S. Bloom; shift boss, J. C. McCormick; consulting engineer, Prof. Livingston.

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Four Men Are Chosen to Represent Idaho in Big Triangular Debate.

On Saturday, October 17, the eighth annual debate for the Borah Debate Prize was held in the court room of the Law school. Two members of the Law school faculty and Prof. Lewis acted as the judges. First place was won by Charles Chandler, who last year was registered in the College of Letters and Sciences, and who is now in the first year of the Law school. He comes from the northern part of the state, just across the line from Farmington, Washington, from which high school he was graduated. A second member of the Borah team is Laurence Huff, a senior, from Cottonwood, who is registered in the College of Letters and Sciences. The other member of the team is a senior in the College of Letters and Sciences, Alvin Beckman, who hails from the classic burg of Troy. These three men, together with Julius Nordby, the only one of the quartet who has had experience in inter-collegiate debating, will give a good account of themselves in the coming debates with the Oregon Agricultural College and the Washington State College.

In this hour of need the annual Borah Debate Fund of fifty dollars which has been expended for books and magazines bearing upon the questions of the organization of state government will be a great help. For this help and for the previous help in the last seven years, we extend our heartiest thanks to Senator Borah. The Borah Library, as well as the Price Library, is filling a place in the University's collection of books that otherwise would have been almost entirely vacant. These books will be of great use not only to the debaters of the present college year, but to all the future generations of students in the Department of Government.

The question debated in the Borah contest and also to be discussed in the coming inter-collegiate debates, reads as follows: "Resolved, That there should be adopted in the commonwealths of the United States a system of government wherein there is a ministry responsible to a unicameral legislature and similar in general features to the governmental systems of other English speaking countries, constitutional questions waived." It is a vital and interesting subject, and our debaters are finding it to be quite well worth the great amount of time they have to spend upon it.

The subjects and the winners of the previous Borah Debates are as follows:

1907—"Employers' Liability for Industrial Accidents." Ira Tweedy, John A. Rock and Guy Holman.

1908—"A Graduated Federal Income Tax." Ira Tweedy, Jewett D. Matthews and Robert O. Jones.

1909—"Federal Incorporation for Interstate Commerce Corporations." Ransom Mackie; Paul M. Clemens and John A. Rock.

1910—"Old Age Pensions in Eng-

land." Ira Tweedy, Paul Durrie and Ralph Foster.

1911—"The Settlement of Industrial Disputes." Ralph Foster, Parker V. Lucas and John McEvers.

1912—"Incorporation of Labor Unions." Parker V. Lucas, Harry McAdams and Homer Barton.

1913—"The Control of Industrial Combinations." Joseph M. Pond, Clarence F. Johnson, Frank Dotson.

FORENSIC.

Last Thursday evening in the debate council assembled Mr. Johnson submitted a letter for the council's consideration. The letter was a challenge from the U. of Southern California challenging the University of Idaho to a friendly debate to take place sometime next semester in either Moscow or Los Angeles or both on a question to which both parties could agree and having one, two or three men on each team. The council instructed Secretary Bowers to answer the letter to the effect that Idaho would meet them in Los Angeles with a two-man team on a question to be decided. In all probability arrangements for the contest will be completed in the near future.

Arrangements for a duel debate with Reed College have been under way for some time and it is expected that the question will be known before many weeks. These contests ought to prove very alluring to all students with any kind of forensic talent or those having a desire to develop such powers. Such contests will put to test Idaho's very best material. The spoils of victory will be of sufficient worth to engage the serious attention of our best speakers.

Agricultural Club Meets.

Meeting of the Agricultural Club was held Wednesday, October 21, with an attendance of thirty students. The annual judging contest and banquet were dismissed and it was decided to hold them next spring just before the close of school of practical agriculture. The treasurer reported the club in first class financial standing. Mr. R. R. Pittinger favored the students with a violin solo, with O. W. Johnson as accompanist. He responded to an encore.

In the absence of the regular speaker for the evening, Pres. Fjeldsted called upon various students for extemporaneous talks upon assigned topics. They were all very instructive and helpful. The students spoke as follows.

L. A. Denning—"Why I am Studying Dairying."

Frank LaFrenz—"Why I am Studying Animal Husbandry."

A. Kinnison—"Why I am Studying Horticulture."

R. Cammack—"The Advantages of Butter Judging and the Good to Be Derived from the Experience."

A. L. Johnson—"Grain Judging."

W. Waters—"Berkshire Hogs."

A committee was appointed to look into the matter of giving appropriate medals to the judging teams of the various departments in the Agricultural school, after which the meeting adjourned.

The club is in a flourishing condition and all Ag students are advised to join for the benefit they'll receive.

Heard in microbiology: Prof. Wright—"Name two kinds of microorganisms."

Wight—"Acrobatic and nonacrobatic."

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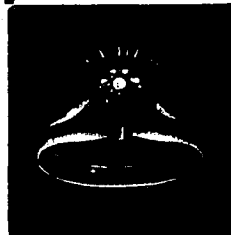
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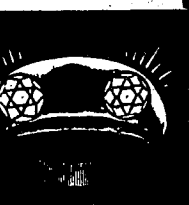


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DIET FOR ROOTERS.

The recent tendency toward decline in the volume of sound produced by the rooters of the various universities and colleges has given rise to much consideration of ways and means of improving present rooting conditions. Many of our most representative college men are bemoaning the fact that unless something is done to elevate the rooting standard in our schools the time will come when any football team will be able to hear the quarterback's signals without the slightest difficulty, and the glory of the good old game will be only a distant memory. Whereas in the good old days of yore it was only necessary for the yell leader to say "Let there be noise," and there was noise. In these days the same personage is often left to yell alone, while the great rooting section sits silently to his efforts. In the larger Universities it very often happens that the yell leader is the first to be carried from the field, dripping with perspiration and curses at an unresponsive bunch of canary-voiced rooters. Some have even burst blood-vessels in an organized effort to make a noise like a whole rooting section.

Clearly this is not as it should be. Something must be done and that quickly. Several suggestions have already come in from high authorities. One is to the effect that a collection might be taken among the students and the money used to hire a small group of menagerie animals which could be counted on to produce the required amount of noise. By careful calculation it is estimated that an elephant, a lion, a bass drum and two dozen mice liberated at the proper moment would produce as much noise as two thousand students' assisted by the Homeville Marine band. But on careful investigation of the students pocket books this suggestion was deemed impracticable.

There is one suggestion, however, which seems at the same time reasonable and appealing. This is that all rooters be given special training combined with a careful diet of wholesome and sustaining food which would enable them to sustain their voices throughout the game. Many a rooter has lost his high position in the esteem of his contemporaries because of a temporary failure of his vocal organs occasioned by late hours and over-feeling. Strict supervision would obviate this. One of the greatest coaches in the west was one day overheard to remark that no man could root his best on a diet of fresh roasted peanuts and economical specials. The same has recommended dry toast and hot water as the best dietetical preparation for a day's rooting. Such suggestions coming from such high authority at least serve to indicate the trend of modern thought. Is it too much then to look forward to the day when all loyal football supporters will sit down to a common table with the object of building up their voices for the next big game?

The next question to be solved is the choice of a diet. It is at once evident that only those foods should be chosen which would develop a heavy, booming, penetrating and if possible even a reverberating voice. Think of the advantage at a football game of having a voice with an echo! For this purpose we might suggest:

First, frogs legs, inasmuch as frogs have admirable voices for rooting.

Second, spare ribs of the common

donkey, which is famous for the depth and resonance of its voice.

Third, Swiss cheese from the famous Echo valley in Oregon.

These and many other articles might be suggested, but we will be as brief as possible. There is one food, however, which should be used more than any other. This is the milk of human kindness. Possibly the constant use of the benevolent fluid might induce a better spirit among the occasional raving rooters who consider that their chief duty is to bring about the destruction of as many of the opposing team as possible by such cries as "kill him," "chew his ear off," "hit him in the eye." Listening to such remarks it is almost impossible to restrain an impulsive whisper in this fiendish person's ear, "go on out there and kill him yourself, old chappy. Nobody else has the nerve." If there is anything more disgusting, anything which does more to brutalize football but I beg your pardon, we were discussing rooting dietetics, were we not?

Annual Sophomore-Freshman Football Game to Be Played Saturday.

Saturday, Oct. 31, will be staged one of the fastest class football games ever played on the Idaho field. During the fore part of the training season it looked as if the Freshmen had a walk-away, with many old high school stars such as Everly, Largent, Evans, Johnson, and with a large per cent playing on the second team.

But when the Sophomore team played the high school they threw a new light on the subject by outplaying the fast high school team in every department of the game.

With McCormis, Goodman, Booth, Inghouse, in the line, and a fast backfield made up of Dingle, West, McCall and Bonneville, it looks like the Sophomores would put up some fight. The game will be called promptly at the scheduled time.

The department of electrical engineering has acquired a portion of the equipment for a wireless station. It is intended to complete the equipment in the near future. At present the apparatus is quartered in the Engineering Building but it is hoped that a small building may be erected for this use exclusively.

SUBJECT AND PREDICATE

During a recent examination of enlisted men in the U. S. navy this question was asked:

"Name the principal parts of a sentence." One puzzled sailorman wrote: "Solitary confinement, and bread and water."

Coach A. A. Stagg of the University of Chicago football team is going to use a motorcycle to follow his team up and down Marshall field this fall. The veteran coach has been suffering from neuritis for some time and was confined to his home for many weeks but decided to use the motorbike rather than miss being with his squad on the field.

This is not a new stunt for Coach Stagg, altho the motorcycle is new. During the seasons of 1904 and 1905 Mr. Stagg was troubled with neuritis, but in those days the motorbike was not in use, so the "Old Man" followed his team nightly on a bicycle.

Heard in the new debating society: "I move that we reskin (rescind) that motion."

COMET.

Delavan's Comet is the object of chief interest in the sky. It can be seen without a telescope in the northeast just before daybreak. This week the comet will approach its nearest to the earth, which is 145 million miles away.

MATH STUDENT.

If the Freshmen defeat the Sophomores, next Saturday, by a field goal and a touchdown and the Sophomores approach the ten yard line, how old is the captain?

Heard in English class: "I always put a comma after woman."

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Brief Local News

Beta Theta Pi called on Ridenbaugh Hall Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bailey of Coeur d'Alene visited their daughter, Frances, at Ridenbaugh Hall Friday and Saturday of last week.

Mr. B. C. Russel of Boise visited his sister, Flora, at Ridenbaugh Hall Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Redway, aunt of Miss Elizabeth Redway, spent the week-end with her niece, Elizabeth, at Ridenbaugh Hall.

Mrs. F. F. Rae entertained Mary Vesen, Grace Darling and Rose Curtis at dinner Sunday.

Mrs. Hare invited Venna Patterson to Sunday dinner at the Presbyterian manse.

Mr. "Cass" Kennedy of LaCrosse, Wash., came over to see the game last Saturday. While here he was the guest of A. K. E.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Griffith were dinner guests of Alpha Kappa Epsilon last Sunday.

Alpha Kappa Epsilon entertained Prof. Robb at dinner Wednesday evening.

Mr. Barr of St. Maries visited his friend, Paul Raney, at the A. K. E. House during the week-end.

Lester Robinson was a visitor at A. K. E. Saturday and Sunday.

Prof. Soulen returned on Saturday from Asotin and Clarkston where he addressed two enthusiastic meetings for parents and teachers.

The young woman's Christian Association held their meeting in Ridenbaugh Hall, October 21. Miss Rose Curtis, chairman of the meeting's committee, had planned for a splendid meeting. The subject was "Christian Womanhood in the Twentieth Century." Brief talks were given on the lives and works of Helen Keller, Jane Addams and Jessie Wilson Sayre, representative christian women of the twentieth century. Short talks were given on the physical, educational and spiritual ideal of the twentieth century girl. The association was delighted with a vocal solo by Miss Valborg Kjosness and a piano solo by Miss Florence Mayme. The girls left, feeling that it was the best meeting they had had so far this year.

Messrs. Lundstrum and Storey drove overland from Walla Walla last Friday to witness the Idaho-Oregon game. Fritz is well known here as an athlete of ability, while Mr. Storey was a football man at Oregon a few years ago. They were guests at the Kappa Sigma House.

Kappa Sigma gave an informal smoker last Saturday evening. The guests were Messrs. Peterson, Hardelson, Lundstrum, Storey and Patterson.

Albert Knudson went to Lewiston Friday with his squad of high school athletes. The game was played in the morning and resulted in a 0-0 tie. The coach and a part of his team returned hurriedly in an automobile to be here in time for the Oregon game.

Zeta Delta called informally on Gamma Phi Beta, Omega Pi, and Delta Gamma, Sunday afternoon.

Hallard Foester, '13, who, since his graduation, has been fighting Greasers and assaying ore for the El Tigre Mining company in Old Mexico, came up to take in the Oregon game, as part of his vacation, which he has been spending at his home in Nampa.

F. D. Allen, a prominent Spokane attorney, was a visitor at the Zeta Delta House Friday and Saturday.

Messrs. Parsons, Garrett, Malarkey, Beckett and Philbin, members of the Oregon football team, visited the Zeta Delta house Friday evening.

The following new appointments and transfers have been made in the Battalion of Cadets:

Special Orders No. 3. Cadet Color Sargeant R. R. Miller is hereby appointed First Lieutenant and assigned to Company B. Cadet Color Sargeant Wm. Schofield is appointed First Lieutenant and assigned to Company A. Cadet Private Everly is hereby appointed Second Lieutenant and assigned to Company A. Cadet Private Shoup is hereby appointed Second Lieutenant and assigned to Company B. Cadet First Sargeant Lockwood is hereby appointed Second Lieutenant and assigned to Company C.

Special Orders No. 4. Second Lieutenant Lockwood is hereby appointed First Lieutenant and assigned to Company C. Cadet Private O. Knurson is hereby appointed Second Lieutenant and assigned to Company C. Caret First Sargeant Montague is hereby appointed Second Lieutenant and made battalion quartermaster and Ordnance officer.

Mr. Guy Needham, student secretary of the Y. M. C. A. for Oregon and Idaho, addressed the students Sunday night in the Methodist church on the "Value of Temptation." There are two meanings of the word temptation in the Bible, the first means to seduce and is used only in the Old Testament; the second meaning of temptation used entirely in the New Testament is to test or prove. This is the meaning which is placed upon it in James 1:2. Character is formed by resisting the temptation to which we are all at some time in our experience subjected.

The editorial in the last issue on seeding down the football field and changing the baseball diamond gave rise to the following conversation:

Frank—"Al, I hear the diamond is going to be changed in the spring."
Al—"Yes, and the 'home base' has already been provided."

According to the 1915 "Gem of the Mountains" it was on this date that Gronpiger joined the boy scouts. Get an annual and keep posted.

NOTICE:

Dr. Shattuck announces that the short course in forestry begins November 2.

W. D. Weatherford, field secretary for the Y. M. C. A. for the south will be in Moscow March 9, 10, and 11, to deliver a series of addresses on moral and religious topics. He is a strong man and an interesting speaker.

While attending Vanderbilt University he distinguished himself by his athletic prowess and scholastic ability. After graduating from Vanderbilt he studied in the large eastern universities and procured his doctors degree.

For the past 12 years he has been actively identified with the work of the Y. M. C. A. in the colleges. He has also been active in the negro work in the south and ranks second to Booker T. Washington in the uplift of that race.

Prof. (lecturing)—"When I say man, it embraces women"???

NOTICE.

The executive board of the A. S. U. I. at its last regular meeting, decided to offer prizes for the best three yells submitted:

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The executive board reserves the right to reject any or all yells. Those presenting yells will proceed as follows:

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3. Fold each separately and label each, "yell," and "name," respectively.
4. Place both in a sealed envelope and drop in the letter box in Prof. Soulen's office. Third floor, Administration building.

The contest will close December 1st and the yells will be graded on that date.

O. F. CARLSON,
Pres. Executive Board.

LIST OF CADET CORPS OFFICERS

The following is the list of Cadet Corps officers, U. of I.—

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Captains—L. T. Stone, Sherman Gregory, Samuel Morrisor.

First Lieutenants—David Albert, C. Mickelwait, R. R. Miller, W. R. Schofield.

Second Lieutenants—Roy Shoup, Ronald Everly, F. Lockwood.

The total registration at Columbia University this year will be between 12,000 and 13,000. This is counting post-graduates in all courses, with a large freshman class.

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S. Johns College, Md.

Branding the death of Cadet Wm. Bowlus of Middleton, Md from a hazing escapade here on May 26 as murder, Judge Brashears today urged the grand jury to investigate the tragedy. Five freshmen were held responsible for the murder.

Oregon Agricultural College.

Four student representatives will be sent to the National Dairy Show to be held in Chicago, October 22 to 31, inclusive. Competition in the various stock judging events will be keen. The breeding associations of the country have offered an exceptionally large number of cash prizes, cups and scholarships and students from all over the United States will compete.

Brown University.

The university has just finished a gala week in celebration of its one hundred and fiftieth anniversary. Brown is the third oldest university in the New England states.

Washington State College

The college may have a new armory if the request of the regents is not overlooked by the governor. The regiment at Pullman now numbers over 500 cadets.

The associated students have taken unto themselves a book store. The store has been in operation since last July and judging from the interest the students are taking in it, the financial success of the store is assured.

The never-ending bear stories of the football squad are still cropping out in some of the northwestern gailies. Coach Bender will soon be granted a degree in this course.

University of Chicago.

Coach Stagg has tabooed fusers from all his teams, in a statement which he posted on the athletic bulletin board he said, "No fusers or smokers are wanted."

University of Oregon.

The associater students face a debt of \$2,457.15 at the beginning of this year. At the present time indications do not bid fair for a bright financial year. It will behoove us to watch our expenditures very close this year as assets are now too high compared with previous years.

Colorado State College.

The faculty social committee has sanctioned the so-called new dances that have been accepted by the best society. Only the one request is made, "Don't rag."

Montana Agricultural College.

The student body is considering a plan for a season ticket for athletics, forensics and other student activities. Judging from results of other colleges, where this plan is in effect, it is well worth consideration.

The University of Oregon students and the Oregon Agricultural College student body have decided not to hold the annual football game in Portland, but to hold it in Corvallis. By holding the games on the campus it is hoped

that undue commercialism will not have such a hold on the popular college sport as it has had in the past.

Columbia University.

It was announced that on account of having been called to service in the German Army the Kaiser Wilhelm professor designate, Dr. Theodore Niemeyer of the University of Kiel, and the professor designate of modern languages in Teachers College, Dr. Max Walter of Frankfort-on-the-Main, would not be able to come to Columbia this year.

The Roosevelt professor for the year, Prof. Henry W. Farnam of Yale University, has returned to America without entering upon his duties at the University of Berlin. Should the war be ended in the near future it is Prof. Farnam's hope to undertake his service at Berdin during the second half-year.

On the nomination of the University of Paris, M. Geouffre de Lapradelle, professor of public law in the University of Paris, was appointed visiting French professor for the year, vice M. Paul Hazard, who was called to military service. M. de Lapradelle is one of the best known European scholars in international law.

Upon the nomination of the Minister of Public Instruction of Austria, Dr. Eugene Oberhummer, professor of geography at the University of Vienne, was appointed visiting Austrian professor for the academic year. Despite the war, Prof. Oberhummer is expected at Columbia during the second half-year.

It was reported that Prof. Rerfield had been elected to the University Council as a representative of the Faculty of Law to succeed himself, and that Prof. Dunning had been elected as a representative of the Faculty of Political Science to succeed himself.

Leave of absence was granted to Asst. Prof. Muller of the department of romance languages and to M. Maurice Prevot of the department of architecture to enable them to respond to calls for service in the army.

The official registration figures given out at Columbia University following a meeting of the Trustees, show a big increase in practically all departments, and the only apparent effect of the war in Europe has been to send more students to the university. The net total is 12,509 students. This is an increase over last year of about 1,500 students.

This figure, large as it is, does not take into consideration the students who enroll in the new term in February. A conservative estimate made by the university authorities places the figures for the full academic year of 1914-15 at well over 14,000 students. Of this number, 5,590 were enrolled in the summer session. This means that there will be practically 9,000 students at the university this winter.

In the university corporation substantial gains are noted in the college, which shows an increase of 159 students, with a total of 905. The School of Medicine shows an increase of 43 students, and Journalism 32 students. There is a dropping off in the scientific schools owing to the fact that there are no freshman classes this year because of the graduation basis on which the engineering schools have been placed. The net total in the corporation is 8,484. Teachers College shows a gain of 200 students, Barnard College 70, College of Pharmacy 40, and the Extension Teaching Department 300.



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The second year class of the School of Practical Agriculture held its first meeting of the year at 3 p. m. Wednesday.

The class was reorganized, officers elected and rules adopted. A motion which found general favor with the class was that everyone wear a certain style of headdress.

The class wishes to cooperate with the other classes in making our school bigger and better than ever.

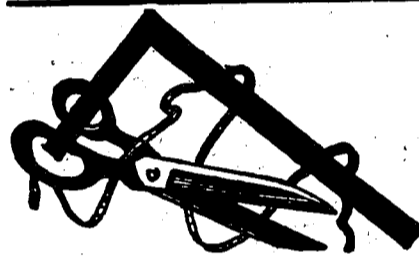
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