# The Idaho Argonaut 




## The Last Lap

THE twelve weeks' exams are over, and the last lap of would be well to check up, and determine just what scholastic condition confronts you How many what are overdue? How many reports that should have been handed in weeks ago have never as yet been worked been? How many unexcused absences stare you in the face? There is a myriad of similar questions that you can ask yourself.
And now is the time to settle them, and straighten up all work for the final uphill pull. Ten days remain before the Christmas holidays. This brief period affords practically the only time in which these matters can be settled. After the return from vacation there are but 21 days in which to overcome the effects of joyful idleness and rest examinations. The next ten days may mean a difference between an "A" and a "B" average for the a differenc even the difference between continuing in college during the spring months or an enforced vacation.

## Spring Vacation

BY recent action of the faculty spring vacation was cut mencement to be held one week. This will permit complanned, and the argument that a spring vacation wa necessary to break the monotony of the five and a half months from the Christmas holidays until the close of col Thi
This decision has created a happy medium between the two extremes-no spring vacation at all, with commence the spring earlier date, and a spring vacation as a break in ments have been embraced in the decision . ments have been embraced in the decision.

## In Memoriam

In memoriam of those poor
.souls who perished in the last extend our heartfelt whmpathy and for whose redemption we bow our heads and most humbly pray,
this space is respectiully dedican ted.

## UNIVERSITY TO HAVE XMAS

 TREE PROGRAM ON CAMPUSThe university is to have an uniqu Christmas program to typify the Yule during the mid-year on the campu tain of the large trees on the campus are to be lighted and the entire stud
entn body will take part in the festivities. As has been done in the past students will sing carols and seren-
ade different buildings of the univerade different buildings of the univer-
sity. The committee that has been appointed to make the necespary ar rangements is composed of Prof. E. o. Bangs, Mrs. Blomquist, Prof. Joh
Cushman, Miss Adair Cushman, Miss Adair, and Miss Mc

TO BUILD LIBRARY Making possible an exterior decor-
ative feature for the ative feature for the new University
of Washington library which other wise would have been omitted prob ably for many years, Horace C
Henry, of Seatte, has given the Uni Henry, of Seatte, has given the Uni
versity $\$ 1,800$, to be expended in the remodeling of 18 statues of great
men which are to adorn the facade of men which are
the structure.
The gift will materially contribute toward making the new library bullding the most imposing structure
on the University of Washington on the University of Washington
campus, and perhaps the campus, and perhaps the most im-
posing building in Seattle. Construction work on the bullding al ready is under way.
The university
$\$ 250,000$ gift from Mrs. Anderson in memory of the late Alfred H. Anderson, the state's pioneer
Iumberman, to be used for the contruction of a new forestry building. The university architects have been drected to prepare plans and pras
ceed with the construction work Try This On A Bowl of Mashed Spu My idea of a short story is a short
waiter shortchanging a waiter shortchanging a short sighted after midnight.
randals have thper
GARES SCUEDEE HOME 1924 GRID SEASOX
(Continued from page one) game might be played in Spokane alpresent time in Moscow. . S. C. TEAM TO Travel As the result of the schedule makcoast conference games at home University of Washington and the Whiversity of Idaho will not meet the gridiron field next season.
The California teams The California teams and Wash-
ington will play only four conferen games, while Oregon, the Oregon Aggies, Washington State and Idaho
Fill be called Will be called upon to meet five conwas made the road In 1923 Iliaho yar made the road team, while this Washington State Collegk and the leam being built up by Coach A. A. Exendine.

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$\$ 35$ will be offered annualy, begin ning with 1923-1924, for an essay o, a "oubject dealing with the "Priyip.
les of Free Government," according to an announcement made by Prof. H. C. Dale,
 govern the competition for this year any student in the university. Studonts regularly enrolled in Economic (American Government) as part of their work in that course, will be topice suggested.
 words in length, neatily only of 8 by 11 inch paper. not later than April 19, 1924.
(4) The final award will be based
on the recommendation of three judges, selected from outside the
thoulty of the university. toculty of the university. Recogni-
ton of the winner and payment of the prize money will be made at Commencement time.
(5) The followin
for 1923-1924:
(a) "The Presidential Primary", (b) "Legislative Blocs in Con gress." "(c) "The Idaho System of Taxa
Hon." (d) "The League of Nations,
i919-1923." 1919-1923
od from the economics office.

## Off

## Side <br> Plays

Now that the twelve weeks exam
and Thanksgiving vacation are in the backe
face.
We've heard tell of a special train
to North Dakota, wonder if there anything to it?
Anyone who would think of going little chickens in the creek.
No dances makes it kinda tough on
That was only a random
A pound of Gorgonzola cheese and a package of Carroway
The management has decided not to go too stron
been withdrawn.
They don't have the shows in the them were the good old days.
Whe Pretzel Bender's Ball has been somed ofr-dissension among the boysthe rest wanted to wear coats.
A tribe of Montana Indians adopted tho Gonzaga football team, pretty
wott for them-if their college education fails they can get a job in front of a cigar store anyway
Don't buy a pocket book with your last two-bits-get
two for a quarter.
An ad in "Vantty Fair". WANTED: A man to cut meat, vulcanize
wleness, and play a clarinet in the band Saturday night.
A man playing solitaire found fiv
The heighth of fastldiousness ising the sleeves of your

Nowadays we get about as much fun out of cutting classes as a middle The local theatre manager says the Federal Court gives him some tough competition. Look for reduced rates soon.
Did you ever look through a needie with a glass eye?
Use your other eye, things will then seem much clearer.
 sium is steel and native stone. The
huge steel beams are being placed
now aud are being furnished
Mid the now and are belng furnished by the
Midvale Steel conpany of Denver. The stone is being mined a few miles from the campus in a quarry opened especially for university buildings,
which in the future will all be of the which in tie stone.
same native stan
some of the dimensions will emphasize the gigantic proportions of the structure. The building is 150 by 240 feet. The basketball floor has a clear
floor space 100 by 180 feet, giving floor space 100 by 130 feet, giving
roof for three ceurts, side by side. In rood for three ce will be two smaller
addition there gymnasiums, each 40 by 40 feet, de signed for boxing, wrestling, hand-
bail, and other sports. The tiled ball, and other sports. The tiled
swinmming pool will be 30 by 100 feet, one of the largest in this region In the basement there will be a rifle range 20 by 100 feet. The armory
ander the same roof, will be 100 by 140 feet, large enough to lay out egualtion baseball diamond.

## frat pledges to bar

high schiol athletes
Berkeley, Cal., Dec. 9 -Just
before adjournment Saturday
night the Pacific coast inter-colnight the Pacinc coast inter-cole that no high school student pledged by a college fraternity while in high school shall be ellgible for athletic competition on teams of a conference member The rule was adopted to stop
the practice of Greek letter soclettes pledging high school stars to build up the athletic strength of their institutions, it was said. to raste funds for
rebilliding hibrary University of Cincinnati--The Un versity of Cincinnati is projecting
drive to raise funds for the reluild ing of the Lourain library in Belg ium, America's part in the recon-
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