

Although the plaudits are a week overdue, congratulations and bouquets go to the yell leaders at their card-stunt presentations at the Dad's Day game. The stunts were exceptionally well worked out and the figures presented were clear-cut and readily understandable. This is the first time that these stunts have ever been given with any degree of success and those responsible are to be heartily congratulated with this kind of leadership, the proposed organized cheering section for basketball games should be a decided success.

The Home Ec club established a precedent Friday night when they held the annual Co-ed Prom at the S.U.B. For some unknown reason, the girls failed to hire an orchestra and the dancers were supplied with music by the orchestra that was supposedly playing for the regular ticket dance. Much unfavorable comment has been heard on the subject. Many of the dancers at the ticket dance objected on the grounds that it amounted to a situation whereby they were paying for someone else's dance without attending. Also, it deprived some orchestra of the opportunity to play and the other orchestra received no additional stipend for playing two dances at the same time. We think that this practice is decidedly unfair, both to the ones who are paying for the orchestra and to the musicians. Whether the affair was planned that way or not, we think it is to be censured and avoided in the future.

The following descriptive simile was born with the inauguration of the new campus bus service. "As deserted as the University-Crosstown bus on a sunny day." Capacity load on the new bus seems to be two passengers and driver. There is, seemingly, no danger of being trampled by the crowds alighting from its steps, and a nice quiet ride, away from the maddening throng, can be had for a dime. Rumors that the managers of the line are spending their time in church, praying for winter to come, are without reliable verification, but we can see where this might well be true. Observations made while standing around waiting for the bus—Who said we weren't having a Thanksgiving vacation?—Girls don't seem to realize that their bare knees shining above their rolled stockings are not the least bit enticing. The rear entrance to the Ad. building between classes, is as smoking as a poolroom.—Wonder if the two star basketball players with sprained ankles will be ready to play the second semester.

Dean Cromwell, John Barrymore, Gary Cooper and Bugs Baer all were cartoonists before attaining success in their present fields.

MILITARY CHECKS HERE

Checks for students in advanced military have arrived and may be picked up at the Bursar's office, army officers announced last night. Students in advanced army receive 25 cents a day during their enrollment in the course, are handed second lieutenants' commissions in the reserve corps upon graduation. The present payroll is the first of the current year, has been long-awaited as the result of some students' delinquency in signing the payroll.

Big Apple Succeeds Flitter Idea For '37er Edition of Senior Ball

They get a new idea for these senior fade-outs from year to year. The Senior ball is truly a grand climax to all the social flings of four years' collegiate experience. An idea always comes along to make the thing go over with greater exuberance than the ordinary dance. Last year it was "Senior Rhapsody in Black and Flitter." The Bucket was thick in flitter. Flitter! that was the by-word of the senior committees under the leadership of Winston Goss, general chairman. Flitter—it was just a publicity stunt, but it added a batch of enthusiasm to the Senior ball.

Seniors Susie Q Saturday Night At Snappy Stomp

Mammoth Apple to Decorate the Bucket Dance Floor at Formal Ball

Hallelujah! Let's all "peel the big apple." What apple? Why the mammoth apple that will grace the entrance to the Blue Bucket dance floor, next Saturday night for the Senior Ball. "The 'Big Apple', one of the most popular dances ever to sweep this country, with the exception of the 'Charleston', will be the theme of the ball," announced Spokane Smith, chairman of the decorations. "Miss 1938 June graduate in her cap and gown will be 'Susie-Q'ing and 'sissie-pantsing' around the walls of the Bucket. All of these decorations are being prepared by the Collegiate decorators from Pullman.

"We are sending special invitations to the W.S.C. student body president and senior class president," explained Dean Green, general chairman, "in hopes that this act will become a tradition.

"There will be a desk in the Ad building Wednesday, Thursday and Friday for the sale of tickets. Only 200 tickets are left, and these are rapidly being sold so get yours early," explained Green. "There will also be a desk in the Student Union building, with the programs for the dance; these programs will be available anytime Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday."

Patrons and patronesses for this annual formal affair will be Governor and Mrs. Barzilla Clark, Dr. Evelyn Miller; and board of regents members, including Mrs. A. A. Steele, Parma; J. F. Jenny, Cottonwood; Clency St. Clair, Idaho Falls; Jerome J. Day, Wallace; and John W. Condie, Boise.

Special invitations have been issued Dean and Mrs. J. S. Jeffers of the forestry department; Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Tessier; Maj. and Mrs. C. F. Sutherland; Dean and Mrs. J. F. Messenger; John Banks, ASU president; Stonko Pavkov, senior class president; and the Washington state class administrator.

JAPAN IS TOPIC OF CLUB TALK

Japan will be the topic of discussion at the regular meeting of the International Relations club at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Student Union building. These discussions, while mainly for political science students, are open to anyone who is interested.

Connie Conneally will lead the discussion. Dean Eldridge and Mr. Ferguson are the advisors of the club.

Coach Twogood Mapping Out His Basketball Tactics on the Gym Floor



PICTURED ABOVE is Coach Forrest Twogood and his Vandal hoopsters mapping out a play that they will use against the Whitman Missionaries Thursday night. Players show their intensive interest in Coach Twogood's floor tactics. Interested spectators are from left to right: Bill Kramer, Freshman Coach Al Paddock, Bill English, Roy Ramey, Curtis Jarvis, and Shirley Lund. Standing are: Bob Lund and Bob Parks.

Play Progresses With New Vigor

"A Doll's House" Has Christmas Setting Fit Yuletide Performance

"Turkey Day" with all its ensuing festivities did not deter the play cast of "A Doll's House" from rehearsals. Work has been going ahead steadily on the production, so that a finished and polished production will be presented on the evenings of December 9 and 10.

This play has for its theme the sociological problem of a married couple and their efforts to adjust widely different personalities to meet the crises in their lives. Although the play contains much food for thought, it promises to be a most interesting and stimulating production.

The setting will be that of the interior of a moderately well furnished Victorian home at the Christmas season. The Christmas tree on the stage will be most fitting for the approaching yuletide holidays. Costumes will also be of the modish Victorian era.

"Vacation Special" Featured for Next Bucket

"Vacation Special" will be the theme of the December issue of the Blue Bucket, campus humor magazine, which will go on sale Tuesday, December 15. Cartoons to be selected from contest entries will be highlighted in this issue. The contest, open to any university student, began November 26 and will continue until December 2. A \$2.50 cash prize will be awarded to the individual submitting the best cartoon.

Victims Recover From Accident

Ruth Ryan, Gooding, university junior, and Carlton Stockwell, taxi driver, who were victims of the train-taxi accident of last Tuesday evening, are reported improving rapidly. Miss Ryan has been released from the university infirmary and Bill's Taxi reports that their driver, Mr. Stockwell, was sufficiently improved to be removed from Gritman hospital to his home.

It's a Fowl Story, Decides R. Meador

Thursday it was a juicy 10-pound roasted goose for Sgt. Robert Meador of the military department. Sunday it was an appetizing roasted pheasant for Sgt. Meador. The sergeant didn't care for turkey, and no time-honored tradition was going to interfere with his gustatory pleasures. Thanksgiving holiday customs meant nothing to him. He was going to have his birds all right, but no turkey was to be included.

But fate felled the sergeant. A bone-silver from his Sunday pheasant lodged in his throat and resisted all efforts to get it out. He was hurried to a doctor in Lewiston. Out came the bone. Relieved, the sergeant decided to risk a chance on a game-board before making the return trip. He won a turkey.

Army Sergeant Is Added To R.O.T.C. Staff

For the second time this fall the personnel of the military department has been increased. Jefferson D. Morgan, regular army sergeant, has been added to the staff. Two months ago Sergeant Meador and Schmall were added to the staff, the former as supply sergeant and the latter as clerical assistant. Sergeant Morgan will also serve in this latter capacity.

New addition to the staff comes from Arkansas, but he began his military service in Hawaii in 1921. Since then he has served successively in the Philippines, Vancouver, Wash.; San Antonio, Texas; Fort George Wright, Spokane, from whence he was transferred to the university.

Women Will Hear Serenade Group From Lindley Hall

Sixteen choristers of Lindley hall will serenade Women's group houses with Christmas carols for several consecutive nights before vacation days. In a driving rain the chorus recently serenaded all women's houses, brought many out into the rain to listen. Frequent practices in Science 110 under the leadership of Kenneth Lauritzen, musical education major, have served to harmonize the recently-organized group.

Sophomore Holly Day Plans Await The Approval of Dean Miller

Cups for Decorations To Be Awarded at Sophomore Assembly

Many plans for the sophomore holly day week assembly and serenade hang in the balance today, awaiting permission of Dr. Evelyn Miller, dean of women, on her return from southern Idaho.

Twelve o'clock permission was authorized for the dance December 16 by Doctor Miller in a telephone call from Boise. Cups for decorations will be presented to the winning house at the sophomore assembly, it was decided at a decorations committee meeting last night at the Student Union building. Rules governing house decorations were also made. It was decided that house decorations must be up Sunday, December 11, and will be judged that evening. All houses are restricted to the spending of ten dollars for house decorations.

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## Maybe It's The Color - -

For a few days now a shiny new university-cross town bus has been in operation in Moscow, making hourly trips to and from the Administration building. The trips are conveniently timed to deliver students in time for classes, and to carry away those departing at the end of the hour. A fine idea, and no doubt a convenience to many, who hail from across town to classes daily.

But where are the passengers? Seldom, so far, has the bus been seen with more than three riders aboard, and most times with none at all, save the lonesome driver.

The reason, it seems, can be traced down to the old fundamental economic rule of price. Apparently the current charge is too great in the estimation of most students for a lift of a few blocks to the campus center. For that matter, any of the local taxi companies will deliver you to your destination on the campus from their downtown office for a dime—the same rate charged by the bus company. And who wouldn't rather ride in a cozy private taxi than a bus?

Maybe it's the color of the vehicle. After all, it is done up nicely in W.S.C.'s colors, maroon and gray.

The solution may lie in the deep snow and cold winter months; but more effective would be a reduction in the tariff. Since the city of Moscow does not cover an extremely large expanse of land, probably the operators could successfully charge from five to ten cents for the service and find themselves handsomely rewarded with a several times fuller load on most trips than they now carry.

Of course the difference between a nickel and a dime is small to most of us, but in terms of bus fare, it is indeed a large amount. (After much controversy, the Spokane United Railways were recently granted permission to raise their fares from seven to seven and one-half cents per token.)

Here's hoping the new service gets on its feet and is supported by students and townspeople alike. If an adjustment in price is necessary, let it be made. It's certain that if the operators increase their income, they'll be much happier and better service will be given.

## Case Finds Jobs, Too

A fundamental defect in the education system of the day has apparently been remedied quite satisfactorily at Case School of Applied Science in Cleveland, Ohio—at least, for this year. In addition to his diploma, each of the 123 members of the graduating class will receive a job.

Most of the jobs are with large steel corporations, telephone companies, iceless refrigeration concerns and aluminum firms. This Utopian state of affairs has been brought about through the courageous efforts of one Mrs. E. T. West, secretary to the president of the college.

When the president, one day, directed her to place all members of the class of '37, it seems she didn't even bat an eye. She simply wrote letters to all the large firms in the United States stating the qualifications of the "Case boys." Requests for personal interviews soon began to pour in.

The president proudly offers her work as "an example of a project that may well be followed by other college officials." However, in spite of the remarkable success of Mrs. West's scheme, we will wager that President Sproul would hesitate to order his secretary to find jobs for the 3100 graduates of the University. —Daily California.

## Survey Shows Chem Not a Snap! Bureau of Ed Makes Recent Report

What is the most difficult college subject?  
Organic chemistry.

This is revealed in a study made by the Bureau of Educational Surveys, New York City.

The bureau found that the use of college outlines and other supplementary aids to study was in direct proportion to difficulty in the subject experienced by the student, and that the number of students in organic chemistry using college outlines far exceeded that of any other course.

According to the study, science courses as a group are a major source of difficulty, with history, particularly ancient, medieval, not far behind. Study of Shakespeare's plays rates "hardest" of the English literature courses.

The subjects most baffling to

students, in order of their difficulty, as revealed by the survey, are: organic chemistry, statistics, physics, general psychology, inorganic chemistry, principles of economics, political science, general biology, history of the middle ages, history of Europe, American government, and English literature.

Students questioned during the study stated that the college outlines simplified their work by giving them a picture of the course as a whole in advance of the field to be covered, and were especially valuable for review purposes. Faculty members, while generally opposed to their use in cramming for exams, found them useful as manuals around which to build lectures and class discussions and in encouraging students to do supplementary reading.

## Seeing The Shows

**Nuart—Wednesday-Saturday:**  
"THE BARRIER" — starring lovely Jean Parker, Otto Kruger, Leo Carrillo, and James Ellison. Based on Rex Beach's outdoor novel and filmed at Mount Baker, Wash., the story deals with the innocent romance between a West Point graduate on duty in Alaska and a young part Indian girl from the back woods. Good acting, filming, and setting.  
**Kenworthy—Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday:**

"MADAME X" — starring Gladys George, John Beal, Warren William, and Reginald Owen. A heart stabbing drama of Jacqueline Fleuriot who deserts her husband and soon when falsely accused of murder. As she shifts from continent to continent, she gradually deteriorates until as an old harridan she kills a notorious gambler to prevent his blackmailing her husband. At the trial she is defended unwittingly by her own son. Good.

## In the Spot

The cast of "The Dolls House" at their Thanksgiving dinners in Moscow—all because the spotlight kept burning and burning. Ah! the trials and tribulations mixed with the glory of drama!

Buddy Hagen and Sheila Jansen will probably steal the show. When Mel Westerdahl comes on stage and says "It is I, Mrs. Helmer!" Buddy and Sheila really run in fright to hide behind the skirts of Carol Jean Davis! By the way—they are to play the parts of the children in the play.

Miss Collette was very dramatically showing Nora (Carol Jean) how to wrench herself away from her husband, Peter Dodds and skidded into a settee. Incidentally, that won't be in the show.

The presentation of the play, "The Dolls House" will be on Thursday and Friday nights—December 9th and 10th, which will enable everyone to see it. Good idea, isn't it? Always before there were seats of other things going on and students were not able to see the plays. The house has always been full before, tho, so we wonder what it will be like this time.

Well, they only have less than two weeks to practice and from all reports it is going along fine. Carol Jean Davis has a hard part to play but she will put on an A-1 performance is our guess. Then of course, there is George Oram and he always manages to come through.

**POTATOES FATTEN LAMBS**  
Raw potatoes have proved to be an exceptionally satisfactory feed for fattening lambs, says Edward Hackedorn, head of the department of animal husbandry at Washington State college. Several years' experience with feeding them at the Washington experiment station shows that one ton of potatoes replaced one-sixth of a ton of grain (corn, wheat, or barley). The experiments were with 65 and one-third of a ton of hay, to 75 pound feeder lambs.

### EDITOR VS. LAWYER

**The Lawyer**  
I slept in an editor's bed last night, When no other chanced to be nigh, And I thought, as I tumbled into the editor's bed, How easily editors lie!

**The Editor**  
If the lawyer slept in the editor's bed, When no lawyer chanced to be nigh, And though he has written and naively said, "How easily editors lie," He must then admit, as he lay on that bed, And slept to his heart's desire, Whatever he may say of the editor's bed, Then the lawyer himself was the liar.

## Letters To the Editor

The letters appearing in this column do not necessarily reflect the policy of the Argonaut, nor the opinions of the editor. The Argonaut invites the opinions of its readers and discussions of student interest, but reserves the right to censor any contribution. All letters must be addressed "to the editor" and must be signed by the author.—Ed.

**To The Editor:**  
I've often wondered why graduate students are given no place in the Gem. There are a goodly number of them and were they given a place they would present a new market for Gem sales. The regular students would be interested and appreciative, I believe. As it is, graduate students show little interest in the Gem because they are not "shareholders" in it.

Couldn't they be included as an individual class just as the four undergraduate classes are? Aren't they a part of our student body? Here's a chance to further the distinctiveness of your issue of the Gem of the Mountains.  
(Mrs. D. G.)  
Class of 1938

**To The Editor:**  
One of the first things that should be taught college freshmen is not to act college. Perhaps the first week of their college year should be devoted to boiling the little fellows in oil and otherwise torturing them to get out of their systems all desire to wear monkey caps and do snake dances. Then, if they persist in acting conventionally college, they should all be shipped to the Warner Brothers studios in Hollywood to cut up in motion pictures about college life—a doom worse than Siberia.

In short, this period of chastening would be a most excellent chance to wean college youngsters, as possible candidates for the intelligent Americanism, from our all-too-prevalent American weakness for labels, and for acting and

dressing the part. There are, of course, in every college a few lusty little nitwits who lead in this collegiate babbity. They should be smacked to earth by their more embarrassed classmates. It is the embarrassed who are right, but it is the healthy little babbities who prevail.

This goes, too, for after life, and I think that I have suggested a bit of pedagogy here by which the colleges can eventually improve American life as a whole. What America needs, for one thing, is fewer joiners.

The best actors look like businessmen. Only the hams look like actors. The best writers and artists look like brokers for storekeepers. Only the phonies wear long hair and Windsor ties. The best musicians might be mistaken for chemists. The best college students ought to look the least college.

If we can't get intelligent people from our colleges, we ought to close the colleges. And I think it would help a lot toward this end to smack all that is collegiate out of the freshmen before they are a week old.  
(Signed) D. H.

**To The Editor:**  
I am plenty griped. The students of the University of Idaho PAY over \$42,000.00 a year for ASUI activities. Why is it that we have to PAY an added 15 cents to attend Idaho Boxing cards when we have already PAID for them in our ASUI tickets.

It seems to be that the general admission alone should finance these cards. Why should I pay \$8.50 each semester for ASUI tickets and then pay again at each boxing card?

The executive board should consider this TONIGHT and take action before the W. S. C. Idaho bouts Friday.  
C. R. B.

## Dates 'n Doo Dads

Here's a laff! They call it the Student Union building—but why mention the student part of it? Seems mostly to function for the benefit of the tired working soul's sore feet. Anyway, it's a darned shame a fellow can't get even a hamburger after 12:30 on Saturday nights. After all, some of us don't feed our dates before we take 'em home, which doesn't mean we're not hungry. Oh, for the good ol' Bucket days.

But now that me gripin' over here's a tentative member of the S. M. Club (secret marriage, to you!) Gosh, this campus simply rings with wedding bells (bells?), doesn't it? But to carry on, what young pledge of what sorority has supposedly been married at the age of 16 to a senior in high school? Annulment is either pending or already settled, 'tis said. Luscious?

We wonder if "Lemywo" Smith will pay her bet after her weekend at Chatcolet. Beth Bothwell has really got Charlie Mallard wondrin'. Tch, tch! 'n a fraternity brother too. The Sigma Nus evidently pledge real drinkin' men, don't they? Bet they were pleased to hear how well George Bremer

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### Vandals Open Casaba Season Thursday Against Whitman

With their opening game coming up Thursday night at Walla Walla and with the early-season series with Cheney finally set definitely for December 7 and 11, Vandal basketball men train this week in their final pre-season workouts.

The highlight of this week's practice will be the open game between the varsity and the freshman teams Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. It will be the only chance fans and students will have to see the team in action until Cheney normal plays here December 7.

**Play Cheney December 7**  
The Cheney series, originally scheduled for December 4 and 11, was changed permanently this week. Graduate Manager George E. Horton announced that the first in the two-game series will be played here December 7. The second game, December 11, will be played on the Cheney home floor.

Th addition of these two games to the pre-Christmas line-up makes the schedule complete. The first of the two-game Whitman series will be played Thursday night in Walla Walla. The return engagement will be here December 10. The U. C. L. A. series December 16 and 17 and the seven-game south Idaho and Utah road trip during the Christmas vacation will complete the non-conference schedule.

**Twogood Back From Seattle**  
Coach Forrest Twogood, just returned from a conference meeting in Seattle, has not seen the squad work out since Thursday. Consequently, Coach Twogood has not yet definitely decided who will make the trip to Walla Walla.

### Cross Country Team Tapers Off Training Until January

With a smile of satisfied pleasure, Coach Mike Ryan yesterday announced that track training was over until the middle of January when indoor competition is scheduled to start.

After trouncing both Washington State and Montana harriers and making a perfect score against the Whitman Missionaries, the University of Idaho cross country team completed their most successful season in years last Wednesday in Portland when they won the Pacific Coast cross country championship.

**Seven Men Receive Rewards**  
Slated to receive letters and gold track shoes symbolic of a conference championship after their undefeated season were Pat Probst, Wesley Lathen, Seward Mounday, Dick Slade, Fred Millette, Rex Fluharty, and Dan Petersen. It was these seven men who went to Portland and outran representatives of every other school in the northern division.

Of the seven men who earned letters this year, at least five are slated to represent the Vandals in next year's competition, and coupled with additions from the freshman squad and excellent reserve material from this year's varsity crew, Coach Ryan expects to mould another championship team.

### Idaho Superior Statistics Show

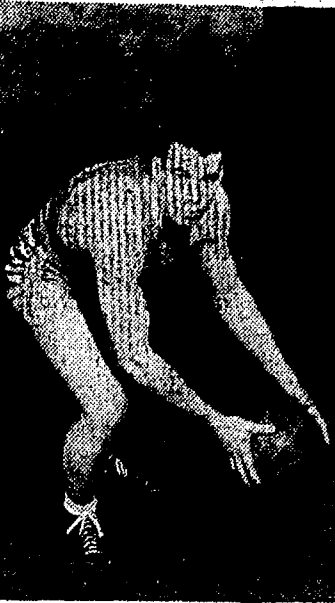
Those "vital statistics" which show in cold-blooded figures just what football teams amount to enable boosters of this year's Vandal team to "point with pride."

Records compiled this week show that Idaho was superior in nearly every department this season.

Total yardage gained by Vandals was 1,694, to 1,337 for eight opponents. Idaho passes were good for 425 yards to 201 for opponents. Idaho gained 61 first downs; opponents gained 54.

Some statistical highlights of the season show that Idaho passing had its best day in the St. Mary's game when Harold Roise tossed completions good for 115 yards, that the Vandals made their best yardage showing in the Oregon State game when they tied the Beavers with 216 yards.

### Forward This Year



**DON JOHNSON**, veteran Vandal basketball man, faces his last year in college competition. Coach Twogood has shifted the big Troy boy this year to the forward position. Last year Johnson played mostly in the center position although he was shifted from time to time to the forward and guard positions.

### Burlap Acoustics Now Complete

Their Value is Proved by Informal Try-out by Students

Burlap acoustical material was permanently installed in the Memorial gym Wednesday by university workmen. Exactly 24 strips, 70 feet long, and 10 feet wide hang from overhead girders.

Because the material failed to arrive until Saturday noon of the Jimmie Lunceford dance, only half of the material had been hung for the evening.

An informal try-out by students of the music department shows the value of the burlap. If the material is wholly successful, at the varsity mixer, next dance in the gym, it will become permanent.

**Try Out Shows Value**  
More than \$300 of burlap was purchased by Floyd Packer, purchasing agent, authorized by Harrison C. Dale, president. This has been hung panorama fashion with the east and west end walls entirely covered.

**Recommended by Radio Expert**  
Arrangement of the burlap material was carried out according to recommendations by John Davis, Columbia Broadcasting system.

According to Prof. Archie N. Jones, head of music department, the burlap will decrease time sounds from 20 seconds to 3 seconds. Two seconds prolongation is considered perfect.

### Dean Says Choose Your Course Before College

"Planning for College", by Max McConn, dean of LeHigh university, is one of the new books published by Frederick A. Stokes & Co. Now that you are already at college, it is probably too late to tell you that Dean McConn contends that the choice of a college course should be made before choosing a college. When he discovered that only 52 per cent of the students of a Middle Western state university ever graduated, Dean McConn asked himself: "Who ought to go to college?" His answer is only those with a fairly high degree of bookish aptitude, an awakened intellectual interest in something, and a capacity for self-direction. If you are interested in discovering if this describes you, there are psychology tests that can be made on the basis of high school rank, college aptitude and reading tests, and interest tests.

But since you probably arrived where you are without taking these examinations, you may want to read what Dean McConn offers to get the most out of your four years, so that, in the words of the song, you won't have to stretch it such a helluva lot to show results from dear old Michigan or Squeedunk as the case may be.

The remedy is attending lectures and concerts, choosing your companions wisely, and evaluating your extra-curricular activities.

# The Idaho Argonaut

## W.S.C.-Idaho Coaches Revamp Several Fight Cards For Friday

Four changes in the Idaho-Washington State boxing card set for Moscow, December 3 were announced today by Louis August, Idaho boxing coach. Three of the changes were

### His Second Season



#### Notice to Townspeople:

Ringside tickets will be sold at the Moscow Hotel Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. each one of these days. Ringside tickets will sell at \$1.10.

made by Coach Ike Deeter of Washington State and one by August.

Change of greatest interest to Moscow and Pullman fans is the switching of Forrest Ober to meet Jess Willard, Jr. Both men are football men from their respective schools; Ober tossed the gloves in several matches as a freshman last season at Idaho, and is developing into a more scientific mitt artist.

**Willard Won One**  
Willard has taken a few pointers from his illustrious father, former World Champ Jess Willard, Sr. Young Willard has one collegiate fight which turned out to be an easy affair, but when he meets the Idaho Ober, mitts are expected to fly furiously for three rounds.

Another change on the card is the substituting of Mack Saunders, Sandpoint, Idaho, boy, for Jim Nixon on the Idaho team, and placing Bob Quiggle on the Cougar outfit. Saunders played football last fall for Idaho and is entering his first season of boxing. Quiggle is a southpaw artist and is rough and tough.

**Add Tarbox, Doeg**  
Tom Tarbox steps into the ring against Milton Osterhout instead of Carl Stock, who was lined up for the Idaho football end. Fred Doeg has been substituted on the Washington State squad for Miles Erickson in the match with Idaho's Tiger Joe Fallini.

Interest is high among Moscow boxing fans and students, and another record house is expected as was witnessed at the freshman card between the two schools.

Joey August, Spokane brother of the Idaho coach, has been assigned the refereeing job.

**READY TO FACE THE WHITMAN** Missionaries this Thursday night over at Walla Walla is little Steve Belko. Belko is ready now after a brief rest from changing from football to basketball suit, to start another season on the Vandal Casaba machine. This year marks Belko's second year on the University of Idaho basketball team.

**Dramatic Groups Present Plays**  
Presenting a group of one-act plays at the Presbyterian church auditorium, Mask and Wig and the Wesley Players, dramatic clubs of the Methodist and Presbyterian churches respectively, will roll up the curtains Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock on "Such a Little Swede."

This play mixes the Irish and the Swedish humor to bring material success to a son of Erin.

Sandwiched between two piping comedies is a bit of pathos in "Dead Men Can't Hurt You" in which the very eligible spinstress gets one glimpse of happiness and sees a bullet blast it away.

To anyone who has had his experiences with elevators, the last play will find its mark. An elevator is lost and packed in its four walls is a cross section of distressed and idiotic humanity.

Cast for the three plays is as follows: "Such a Little Swede," Vernon Harris, Joe Sellers, and Olive Jane Bjorklund. "Dead Men Can't Hurt You," Jerry Mills, Venita Marsh, Vernon Ravenscroft, Iris Morgan, and Bob Higgins. "Lost," Wilbur Merchant, Avon Wilson, Harold Durham, Jean Sears, Patricia Weiser, Elsie Stokesberry, Joe Sellers.

The plays are given under the direction of Harold Durham, Miss Marrold Beem, and Miss Mary McManamin.

Ski classes sponsored by the Vandal outing club are being held every Monday at 7 p.m. in the women's gym. These weekly classes are held to give preliminary training in skiing, form and balance.

There will be a meeting of the International Relations club in the basement of the Women's gym Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Kappa Phi pledge meeting in Women's gym Tuesday at 5 p.m. All pledges must be present. Important!

Interfraternity council meeting Wednesday at 9:15 p.m. in the Blue Bucket.

## SOUVENIR PROGRAMS AVAILABLE

Football program collectors may get a limited supply of Idaho programs at the Student Book store, James Kalbus, manager, announced today. The programs are for the Idaho games with Oregon State, Utah State and Montana.

The supply is limited. Several copies of the Utah State and Montana issues are available, however. No charge is being made for the programs.

### --From The Bench--

By Bill Johnston

After every football season (to use a very bad pun), comes that hectic period, the "Bowling" season. While grid fanatics all over the country watch California to see who will get the eastern bid for the Rose Bowl fracas, other "Bowls" are picking their New Year's candidates.

Of primary interest to Idaho fans are the rumors that Colorado and Montana may play in the Cotton Bowl and that Texas Tech may invite Gonzaga to a Sun Bowl game in El Paso.

A Montana-Colorado post-season game seems to us to be a "natural." An unbeaten Colorado team sparked by the potent "Whizzer" White and a once-beaten Montana aggregation starring "Pop" Popovitch, should mix it up to everybody's satisfaction.

Since Idaho spilled the Grizzlies, many believe that Montana hasn't a good enough team to meet Colorado on even terms. But a loss to the 1937 Idaho squad is not a shameful mark on any team's record. The Grizzlies are still good contenders for Bowl honors.

The other game rumored, Texas Tech vs. Gonzaga, is a puzzler. After the Bulldogs' spotty record and their 27 to 0 loss to Santa Clara last week, they are far from being a "top flight" team. At first glance, the rumored game looks like a sports writer's dream or Texas Tech's way of inviting somebody they can lick.

Basketball, opening at Idaho this week, will claim the attention of sport fans pretty steadily from now on until February 28 when the Vandals close their season here against Washington State. The prospects look better than they have for some time. But if the team fails to live up to expectations, fans can look to the same drawback that faces other athletic teams here for part of the answer—the lack of a field house.

A good share of Coach Twogood's training will be taken up by the track team which has no other place than the gym to work out this winter. No one is to blame. The track squad has carved a fine name for itself on the Pacific coast honor plaque, and it has to have an opportunity to practice to keep it there. Until Idaho has a decent field house, all teams will have to divide the gym for winter practice. Idaho athletic records will suffer.

One example of what Vandal fighters think of their prospects in the W. S. C. boxing card Friday is the attitude of Aaron (Punchy) Blewitt: "I think we should win five out of the eight. Personally, I'm up against a tough man; a mighty tough man. But I think I have a 50-50 chance." Maybe he's tough, too.

## New Union Depot Is Rapidly Being Completed

The new Moscow Union depot, being erected jointly by the Union Pacific railroad and the Northern Pacific railroad, is rapidly nearing completion. According to latest information, Idaho students returning home on the student "special" will depart from the new station.

The building is constructed in an oblong shape, with the waiting room occupying the center. A combined ticket agency for both railway systems and spacious restrooms are on the left side of the lobby, and the baggage checking counter and storage room take the remaining space on the right end.

At present work is held up by a delay in shipment of materials from the East. Workmen are now installing radiators for the steam heating system, and soon will be busy placing tile on the floors.

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## Sigma Xi to Hold Panel Discussion

A panel discussion on the presentation of science courses in school by Prof. W. C. Shull, entomology department, G. W. Hammar, physics department, Prof. L. C. Cady of the chemistry department, and Dean Jeffers of the forestry school will be the feature of the dinner meeting of Sigma Xi Wednesday evening, it was announced today.

Members of the honorary will feast at six o'clock in the S.U.B. and listen immediately after-

wards to the comments and opinions of the four Idaho professors on the modern science teacher's problems and methods.

Cooperative purchase of supplies in Columbus, Ohio, by fraternities and sororities at Ohio State university saved them 16 per cent on \$90,000 worth of provisions during the last year.

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**CREIGHTONS**

**Campus Calendar**  
Any member of the Gem business staff that can type come to the S. U. B. at 5 p.m. on Tuesday.

The ASUI executive board will meet tonight at 7:30.

Faculty members and their wives who are interested in mixed recreation, will meet at the Women's gym at 4 o'clock Friday instead of Wednesday as previously announced.

**LOST!!** \$10 between the Nest and Blue Bucket, some time last Tuesday. Will finder please return to Al Skoag, 714 S. Washington. Phone 5771. Reward!

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### Interchurch Group Plans Banquet And Conference

An interchurch youth conference, sponsored by the Idaho Interchurch student council, will be held at the Methodist church, Saturday, December 4, from 4 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.

In the afternoon, after a short preliminary service, the delegates will form discussion groups, in which they will discuss problems related to religious life on the university campus. The afternoon session will be followed by a banquet, at which Miss Edith Simister, a missionary who has recently returned from China, will be the principal speaker.

Because of the large number of students who wish to attend, each Christian group is allowed only a small number of delegates.

In the past there has been only one conference of this kind during the school year, but this year the Council expects to hold a similar conference again in the second semester.

### Robertson-Nelson Wedding in Boise

Miss Lucile Nelson, daughter of C. O. Nelson, Boise, and Kenneth C. Robertson, Boise, were married Wednesday evening, November 24, at St. Michael's cathedral in Boise. Dean Frank A. Rhea officiated.

Miss Esther Flenner, cousin and sorority sister of the bride, was maid of honor.

The bride and bridegroom graduated here last June. The bride was president of W.A.A. and a member of Delta Gamma sorority. Mr. Robertson played on the Idaho basketball team three years, was a member of Scabard and Blade honorary, and Phi Gamma Delta fraternity.

After the ceremony, a reception was held at the Owyhee hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Robertson drove to Coeur d'Alene, Spokane, and Moscow, and are now at home at 1015 Hays street in Boise.

### Students To Give Plays Thursday

The beginning play production class of the dramatics department will present three one-act plays in the auditorium Thursday evening. These plays are of a varied type, directed by students from the advanced play production class, under the supervision of J. F. Sollers.

Student directors are Jane Pasley, Helen Abbott, and Naomi Hillman.

Students appearing in roles Thursday night are Jean Spellerburg, Joan Haag, Fae Harris, Sam Taylor, Wilma Hjort, Christine Nuckols, Walter Betts, Gilbert Snow, Blaine Crawford, Melvin Westerdahl, Marion Willsey, Dorothy Dyer, Jerry Davidson, and Annabel Wetzel.

### MISSIONARY TALKS TO COSMO CLUB

The Cosmopolitan club met Saturday night in the women's gym with Mrs. George S. Jones, former Korean missionary as guest speaker.

Mrs. Jones told about Korea—the country, its people, their customs, and the change that has developed with the advent of Christianity. She described the mission schools, hospitals, and life of the boys and girls as it has been affected by Christianity.

### PLAYDAY BILLED FOR DECEMBER 4

Plans for a W.A.A. playday to be held here December 4, with Lewiston and Pullman, are now underway.

Each place sends W.A.A. contestants and a full day of play and contests is scheduled. No definite plans have been announced yet, but will be as soon as an executive board meeting is held.

Mary had an Elgin watch. She swallowed it. It's gone. Now every time that Mary walks Time marches on!—Rocky Mt. Call.

# SOCIETY and Women's News

JEAN FENCE, society editor

MARGARET MATTES, women's editor

## Home Ec Held Dance Friday

Approximately 75 couples, clad in gingham dresses and overalls, danced Friday night at the Coed Harvest Prom, annual affair sponsored by the Home Economics club. Many balloons, clustered to form huge grape bunches, decorated the Bucket. Handblocked gingham programs helped carry out the harvest motif.

Doris Dawson was general chairman, assisted by Helen Berg, decorations; Betty Hall, programs; Goldie Manning, ticket sales; Mary Sullivan, hostesses; and Ernestine Wentworth, publicity.

Patronesses for the dance were Misses Elsie Maxwell, Marion Featherstone, Adah Lewis, and Louise Stedman.

## Social Calendar

Friday, December 3  
L.D.S. fall informal  
Tri Delt exchange with Pullman chapter  
Beta Theta Pi Christmas dance  
Associated Foresters Ball  
Forriey Hall Christmas dance  
Student Union dance  
Saturday, December 4  
Senior class ball

## Pem Club To Hold Meeting Thursday

The Pem club will hold an important meeting Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock in the women's gym. This meeting is for members only. Those attending are requested to bring their gym shoes.

This club is an organization composed of men and women students majoring or minoring in physical education.

## Fay Pettijohn Weds Spencer

Miss Fay Pettijohn, Castleford, became the bride of John Wood Spencer, Grangeville, last Friday morning at 10 o'clock at Grangeville.

The parents of the bride and groom and immediate friends were the only people present at the ceremony.

Mrs. Spencer was graduated from the University of Idaho last spring where she was a member of Pi Beta Phi. She was active in student activities, being president of Cardinal Key her senior year. She has been teaching music in Grangeville high school this year.

Mr. Spencer is a member of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity. He attended the University of Washington.

Mrs. Spencer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pettijohn, Castleford, and Mr. Spencer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Craig Spencer, Grangeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer will make their home in Grangeville following their honeymoon in San Francisco.

## Foresters Will Pay Homage To Paul Bunyan At Ball

The Paul Bunyan theme being carried out in the programs, the Foresters' ball December 3 will have a special attraction of caricatures. Earnest Wohletz, assistant professor of forestry and Vernon A. Young, professor in the forestry school, will find themselves a part of the plaid shirt of "Paul."

Four slabs of different colored veneer will make up the programs. All foresters who have their Associated Forester's tickets will receive these programs free, while the others may buy them for \$1.

Tickets for the affair may be purchased from house representatives, and Ole Olson, chairman of the dance, warns of a limited number available.

Bill Chase and his "crusing chorusers" will provide music for the informal dance. It begins at 8:30 p.m. and will be held in

the Student Union building. Idaho foresters have paid homage to Paul Bunyan, knight of the timberland, for more than 20 years with this annual affair.

### TRY THIS

The year's proms and dances bring with them many new steps—the big apple and posin and the collegiate swing. The swing is made up of heel and toe movement and trucking. It begins with a forward walk which is called a "conversational step." Then the dancers cross legs and turn. The next step is called "hot cha" and consists of trucking single file and then together again with a side arch. The result is called swinging collegiately.

One of the seven kings of Rome was an ex-slave, Servius Tullius, who ruled in 578 B.C.

## Church To Speak At Phi Beta Meet

Dr. F. C. Church, head of European history department, will be the main speaker at a Phi Beta Kappa meeting to be held in the lounge of the women's gymnasium Thursday evening at 7:30.

"This is second of a series of open meetings to which the public is invited," said Dean J. G. Eldridge, local Phi Beta Kappa president.

Doctor Church's talk will be entitled "Hysterical Methods." The local chapter will sponsor three or four such open meetings during the year, according to Dean Eldridge.

## Personal Beauty Is Acquired Not Inherited, Says Expert

The idea that a desire for personal beauty is merely an evidence of vanity and an empty head, that in any case it is a waste of time because you are either born beautiful or you are not, is not only old-fashioned but cruel and false. The longing for personal beauty is common to almost all mankind. Insofar as it is realized, it is the expression of an artistic impulse as genuine and as valuable as that of the poet and the artist. But the desire for beauty is not only esthetic. It is also practical.

A recent survey taken via the heads of employment bureaus all over the country shows that essential requirements of women for business success are youth, charm and a lovely appearance. Beauty took a ranking place with brains. For, as the director of a large employment agency put it, if brains are necessary to "hold" an important job, good looks are necessary to get the job. And needless to say, bad grooming and an unattractive personality will quickly lose a job. There is no woman today who can afford to be ugly.

Certainly it is not true that beauties are born and not made. Of all the hundreds and hundreds of beautiful women I have known during over thirty years as adviser and consultant to the world's most beautiful and most famous women, I have seen less than a dozen who were born beautiful. The rest acquired beauty—some slowly and with difficulty, some easily and quickly.

Louise Fazenda made her motion picture debut in 1915 as an Indian girl in a western film.

## CHESS CLUB SETS ELECTION DATE

A meeting of the Chess club was held Sunday at Willis Sweet hall. Eight or nine members were present. Owen Early is presiding as president of the meetings at present. An election meeting will be held at the Fijl house next Sunday at 2:30 p.m. Anyone interested in chess is invited to join this club. There are no dues and the men are furnishing their own chess sets.

## Pledging Planned By Phi Eta Sigma

Phi Eta Sigma, national scholastic honorary society for undergraduates, will meet Wednesday afternoon at the S. A. E. house to pledge sophomores who passed the entrance requirements of 5.5 for their entire freshman year.

Members are initiated to Phi Eta Sigma for achieving either a 5.5 grade average for the first semester of their first school year, or for getting the same average for the entire year, if their first semester average does not reach the requirement.

### POEME

Sing a song of six pents  
Hear the freshmen sigh  
They'll think their pents are full of ents  
When the paddles start to fly.  
—Pacific Index.

## Along Fraternity Row

Sunday dinner guests of Delta Tau Delta were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Winter, and Mr. and Mrs. George Willet.

Miss Marlon Stockslayer, Salt Lake City, and Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Hampton, Blackfoot, are guests of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Murphy, Rupert, were week end guests of Beta Theta Pi.

Miss Dorothy Hale, Miss Helen Clark, Miss Peggy Lichter, Miss Lois Lawson, Miss Olga Green, Floyd Hohhmen, Don Ratliff, and Bob Ratliff were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Lindley hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth C. Robertson, Boise, were Sunday dinner guests of Delta Gamma.

Phi Delta Theta entertained Alpha Chi Omega at an exchange dance Monday evening.

About 70 members of Lindley hall and their guests had a roller skating party at Kennedy Ford skating rink Friday.

Sunday dinner guests of Sigma Alpha Epsilon were Miss Helen Wright, Miss Myrtle Jensen, and Miss Lorraine Jensen.

Delta Delta Delta entertained Ramona Rodgers, Tri Delt from Pullman, and Lola Goodell at dinner Sunday.

An informal fireside was given by Lambda Chi Alpha last Saturday evening.

House guests at the Pi Beta Phi house over Thanksgiving and the week-end were Misses Lois Thomas from Ashton, and Myrtle Jensen, University of Murtha were dinner guests of Portland.  
Verla Durant and Frances Pi Beta Phi on Sunday.

### Fister Philosophy

Nuts to school  
Nuts to books  
Damn the spring  
Damn the brooks  
To hell with birds  
And turtle doves  
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