



BUILDING PLANS

Just outside my office window is a tall telephone pole. On calm spring days I love to gaze at it, noting how the little blades of grass are pushing up around the base of it and wondering what one could possibly write about such a fine world.

"Hello," I yelled, "what were you doing up there?" "Seeing which way the wind was blowing," he answered.

"How does it blow?" I asked and instantly wished I hadn't. He began to tell me.

He explained that disagreement had arisen even before appropriations were granted as to the construction of the new dairy building and engineering laboratory.

"Which kind of buildings do you suppose will be built?" Tommy inquired suddenly.

"Why, I suppose the deans and department heads know best what they need," I replied. "If they are sure they are right, I suppose they will hold out for what they want."

"Have you noticed," Tommy asked, "how many faculty members pass the buck when you want to know something and act as though they were always looking over their shoulder?"

"Yes," I said, "but I don't know what that has to do with it."

"Well, it indicates that some of them have decided it isn't always wise to hold out and that they should be careful about making decisions."

"If I understand what you mean," I answered, "it would appear that you are not looking over your shoulder sufficiently."

"I can't help it," he complained. "My neck is so sore I can't turn my head."

And with that he whisked away. DEFENSE OF PHI BETES

In line with established "policy," the Argonaut carried an editorial in its last issue with which the editor did not agree.

First I must amplify some of the statements made by the writer of the editorial. The top man in the activity scramble, he said, may be offered a Silver Lance bid.

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Alec Templeton To Play In Concert Monday

Music lovers who have followed with interest the fascinating career of Alec Templeton, concert and radio pianist, will be able to hear him in person next Monday, March 31, in the Memorial gymnasium, where he will be presented under the sponsorship of the Community Concert Association.

Equally at home with the classics and modern music, Mr. Templeton will offer a varied program, ranging from standard classics to his own compositions, impressions and improvisations.

Debussy, Bach, and Mozart, in the order named, are Templeton's favorite classical composers, and his program is certain to contain a representation of each.

Spur of the Moment The young pianist may ask members of the audience to call out musical notes, which he will consolidate into a spur-of-the-moment composition.

His agile mind constantly collects impressions of things he feels and hears. The results are wistful compositions such as "Humming Blues" or the dignified "Redwoods in Bohemian Grove."

Born in Wales Alec Templeton was born in Cardiff, South Wales and spent his life in England until 1934, when he came to this country as a member of Jack Hylton's orchestra.

He is currently featured on the radio program, "Alec Templeton Time," which is heard each Friday evening at 6:30 and 9:30 o'clock (CST) over the red network of the National Broadcasting company.

Prizes will be awarded at booths and concessions which will be constructed around the gym. Dancing will be held in the center of the floor. Joe Titus' orchestra will play.

A jitterbug contest will be held during the evening with the queen acting as judge. Any couple is eligible for the contest.

Schierman To Give Physical Exams Second Lieut. A. H. Schierman, U. S. Marine Corps, will be in Moscow March 26, 27, and 28 to conduct personal interviews and give physical examinations to applicants for the candidates' class for reserve commissions in the United States Marine corps, according to word received from the Marine corps western recruiting division at Portland.

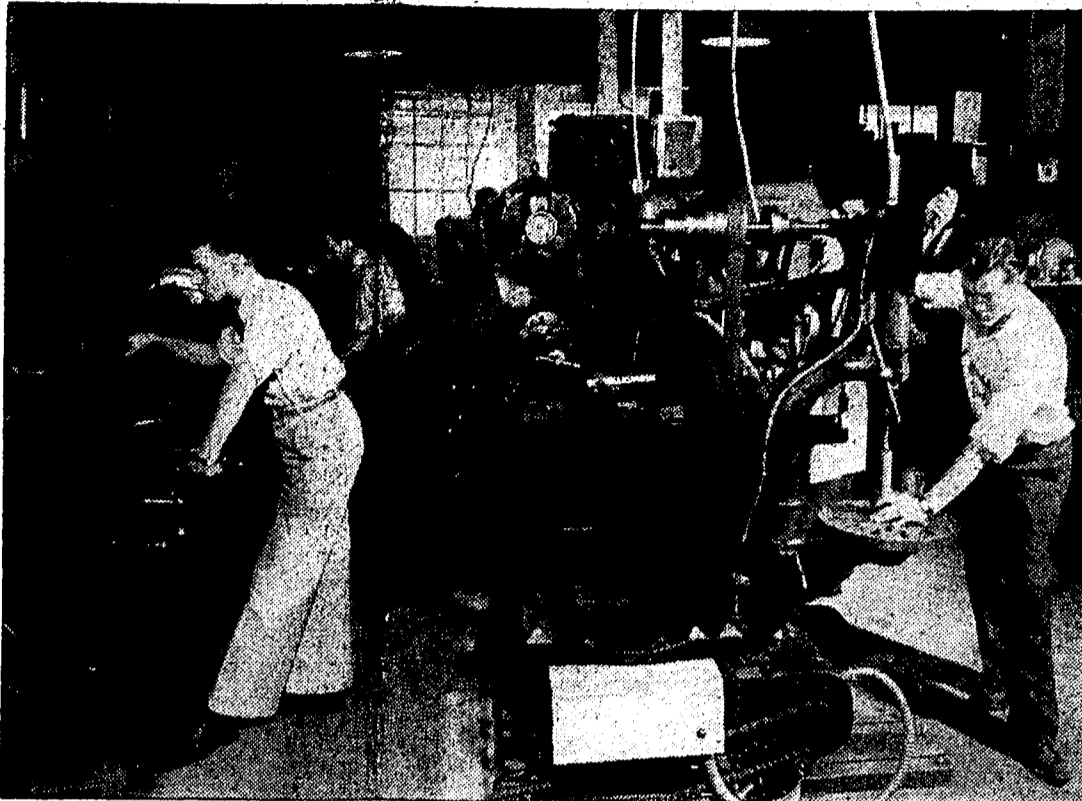
Applicants will be able to get information concerning the time and place of the interview by inquiring at the university military department.

Many students showed great interest in applications during the personal interviews given by Lieutenant Schierman in the military department several weeks ago. Lieutenant Schierman graduated from Idaho last year and is now serving as liaison officer in the marine corps.

Delegates Discuss World Problems Representatives of the Idaho International Relations club heard several round-table discussions on war, politics, democracy, and our neighbors to the south, at the Northwest convention of the clubs at Caldwell last Friday and Saturday.

Principal speakers at the convention were Harold S. Quigley, who spoke on "What Program in the Pacific?"; Dr. W. H. Hall, Jr., president of the College of Idaho, who spoke on "The Future of Democracy"; and Dr. D. M. Keizer, president of Reed college, who spoke on "Economic Implications of the Present World Turmoil."

No More Of This



Photographers snapping pictures of university students at work will not be able to catch the mechanical engineers in such scenes as this after the new engineering laboratory is completed next year.

Dean Invites High School Students To Second "All University" Day

High school students from Grangeville north to the Canadian border have been invited to attend "All University day," open house at the university, May 3, Dean Herbert J. Wunderlich revealed yesterday.

Designed to provide for all interested persons a glimpse of the inner workings and everyday procedure at Idaho, this will be the second consecutive year that "All University day" has been held.

Students and faculty members, as well as service organizations, will act as guides for visitors intending to spend the day inspecting the progress of the university.

Utah State Asks For War Play "All Reason Now Resigned," war-time play written by T. A. Sherman and Geoffrey Coope and produced here last week, will probably be produced at Utah State college this spring.

Albert O. Mitchell, member of the Utah speech and dramatics department, who attended Friday's performance, asked for a copy of the play and permission to produce it.

Vandaleers To Give Home Concert Vandaleers, university choral group, will present its home concert April 8 at 7:30 p.m. in the university auditorium, announces Prof. Alvah A. Beecher, head of the music department.

Class To Present Plays Thursday Students of the fundamentals of play production class and advanced play production will present two short plays Thursday at 7 p.m. in the U hut.

Plane Collision Kills Albert Skog, Former Student Second Lieut. Albert Skog, former Idaho student was killed Saturday in the Panama canal zone when his army pursuit plane crashed after colliding with another during flight formation.

Howard Manson, sophomore halfback, was getting the benefits of this particular demonstration yesterday afternoon as Coach Francis Schmidt demonstrated a quick-kick technique. About 40 players and numerous spectators turned out for the first spring practice.

Dr. C. U. Clark To Speak On Rumanian Affairs

Dr. Charles Upson Clark, former faculty member at Yale, world-wide traveler and lecturer, will lecture here next Monday morning in Memorial gymnasium at 11 o'clock.

Dr. Clark will speak on "Rumania and Its Neighbors." He has had extensive experience in the Balkan and Mediterranean regions of Europe. He has just returned from a two-year lecture tour in Europe.

His European tour began in February, 1940, at Genoa, Italy, and ended at Bucharest, Rumania, shortly after the earthquake which shook that country last winter.

Surrounded by air raid shelters and backed up by a large American flag, Joe Titus' band will blast defiance at toy bombers hung from the star-spangled ceiling.

Invite Guests Members of Scabbard and Blade, advanced military honorary, and all former as well as active members of Pershing Rifles are invited.

Tickets at \$1 per couple can be obtained from Knox. Melvin Rigdon is general chairman in charge of the dance.

Groups To Give Joint Banquet Annual business school banquet sponsored jointly by Alpha Kappa Psi, men's business honorary, and Phi Chi Theta, women's business honorary, will be held April 8, according to Bob Knox, president of the men's group.

Phi Betes Select New Member Mabel H. Ayres, junior English major, was announced Monday as an additional new member of the Idaho chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, national honorary scholastic society for students in the college of letters and science.

Debaters Receive Non-Decision Idaho-Utah State debate Friday night was marked in the records as a non-decision conflict.

Curtain To Present 'The Amazons' By Sir Pinero Members of the Curtian, dramatics honorary, decided Monday to present the play, "The Amazons" by Sir Arthur Pinero.

Activities were begun at the Pacific Forensic League tournament at Palo Alto, Calif., yesterday, where Idaho representatives Harry Lewies and Bernard Favaro are participating.

Dramatic Club Taps Nine Thespians Nine dramatists were pledged to Curtian, dramatics honorary, following Friday night's presentation of "All Reason Now Resigned."

Coach Walt Price last week was appointed assistant football coach, vacating the position of freshman coach. Price had been at Idaho since the fall of 1938.

Women To Attend Portland Meet Three faculty members and four students from the women's physical education department, will leave tomorrow to attend the Northwest district convention of the American association for health, physical education and recreation to be held in Portland Ore., Thursday to Saturday.

Students Begin Army Drills April 7

Classroom work done, military students will get out their uniforms relegated to closets last fall and on April 7 begin spring outdoor drill in preparation for the general inspection May 14.

First in order for the cadets will be a "refresher" course in basic parade drill which was taught in drills last fall.

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