## Our Closed Door

The state of Idaho and its university attracted some at tention this week with announcements from Governor Clark hnd President Dale that this university would accept no tricted war areas on the coast.
The announcements were not exactly unexpected. They ollow consistently the policy of Idaho's governor these past months in imposing all possible restrictions upon emigrating apanese from coastal areas.
We will not howl idealistically about the rights of the indiidual in a democratic state. We are realistic enough to know hat any government, democratic or otherwise, needs curtall his arbitrary, unqualified restriction placed on American apanese students from out of the state of Idaho.
The government's plans to evacuate Japanese from imfortant coastal areas, is an important and acceptable one. Fe can sympathize with individual cases, but this is war and o our American citizens located in Japan receive as courtegmes of war give up rights of the individual to the better gmes of war give up rights of the indiv
afety and protection of the whole state.
But the university's announcement, without giving an
merican Japanes studen merican Japanese student a chance to present good proof
moral and excellent character traits, says in effect an moral and excellent character traits, says in effect: "You,
tho are born in this country of Japanese parents, and so Hho are born in this country of Japanese parents, and so
mnfortunate as not to have graduated from an Idaho high dhool,, cannot, as far as we are concerned, finish your eduation."
Undemocratic? Yes. It's sentence passed without benefit It trial. More than that, it's unpatriotic. The immediate efret, if such a selfish policy is followed by all other states, pill result in clogging the government's efforts to get all dapanese out of the important military areas as soon as posifle. It certainly makes no easier our government's program If rehabilitating these people in new surroundings.
Ilore important results of such action will be seen in the More important results of such action will be seen in the
ears after the war. In normal times these Japanese would cars anter the war. In normal times these Japanese would
cacepted as citizens, and be allowed to train themselves in Ir universities to carry on in adult life as intelligent citizens. Vow we are at war, and we issue blanket pronouncements. tregardess of an American Japanese student's ability, his
miteligence, his character and moral standing-his educafielligence, his character and moral standing-his educaWe finished.
We are not naive. Education will not of itself prevent an tmerican Japanese from being treacherous. We are not ask-

## Commuñique Comment

Loss of the British heavy cruisers＂Dorsetshire＂and ＂Coss of the British heavy cruisers bianes in the Indian ＂Cornwal＂s after attaks by en adious blow to the Allied catuse Ocean adds up to more ser U．S．and Filipilib defense linibs
 in the Bataan Penisual．The his army for service on an－ frees General Yamashita and his army ortant uhits of the other front，but the sinking of two imporese t8 8 btain naval British Asiatic fleet may enable the Japanese
control of the Bay of Béngal and make landings on the long eontrol of the Bay of Be
exposed Indian coastline．
Mountainous terrain between Burma and the lowlands o eastern India reitiders difficult a Japaitese land inyasion of Indià ftón the highlaidas．bf Horthern Burma．The Niphonlese must，thèrefore，smash British naval power in the Bay o Bengal ind then transiditt trobs and equipment from Bur－ mese pofts to the poitits chosen for landints on the fidian coast．Setzurie of Ceylon may be part of the Tdkio program， since capture of that island would give the Japanese air－ fields for raids agtinst Madras and other population centers it sdutherf Indd．Niphoditese conitrol of Ceyldin wuily aso deprive the British
and Trincothalee．Military observers at Washington are speculating bn the strenigth of the defenses of India．The British and native troops in thalia dre estimated at abbut a million men；but a latge proportion of this number is in the first stäges of training and lacks equipment．The British forces which proved their heroism in the Malay States and Singapore were provely Indiañ．Loss of those units with their arms and ar－ tillery handicaps General Wavell in planining the defense of India．The Indian cities lack adequate protection in the ronese of anti－aircraft guns and air－raid shelters． hombers will probably try to repeat their performance ove Singapore；where incendiaries dropped on the Asiatic popui－
of the native quarter caused panic among the A of the
lation．

Atterican cotrespondents iń İidia report petsistent apathy in regard to the British－Japanese war in all chasses of the Indian people．Agrebiment between Cripps and the Congress Party may coite today－dnd it may create fighting spirit äitiong the lidiatis；but observers on the spot have serious Goubits．Loiddon and Washington are concerned over the strong objectioris madee by Gandhi and by Indian industri－ alists to the scorched－eatith program planned by the British authoritiés in case of Jäpartésé invasion．Wealthy Indians seem to want tô probtect theiri propefty at diny cost；the itti poverished másses do nöt stéén tó realizè that Japari＇s ini－ perialism will be less humane than Britain＇s．

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ing for any mäss emigration of Japariese stdadents to the University of Idaho．We do nöt want hậhazard allotments with no careful regard to the individual student＇s abilities and character．
But in all fairness to those loyal Japanese citizens，we ask that universities and colleges outside of the military areas give as many as póssible a chance to carry on their academic work：The army takes them．Of what are we afraid？
And if these pronouncements be riade on basis of self－de： fense and patriotism，we protest cratic principles for which we are fightig．It is self－derense patriotic；they＇ll have something to do with politics and patriotic；they＇l ${ }^{\text {economies．－K．C．}}$

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It isin＇t student enthusiasm atid rogressiveness that retarded imiar movement on this campus： vorking students slaved most ob the winter－bibing kicked from dd－ ministrative office to administtia tive office and smarted with thie

## Alpha Zeta Elects

 New OfficersAlpha Zeta，agricultural hon－ orary；elected officers at their
weekly meeting last night：They are Melvin Ehlers，chancellor，Éd Bodily，censor；，Leo Van Every， scribe；Duane Hansen，treasurer；
Keith Merrill，claronicler；Ken Westfall Alpha Zeta publication，and Boyd Whittle，assistant editor．

## WAA SOFTBALL STARTS

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The broadcast will bê from 2:30 ph. to 2.45 p.m. All aterwaras, fecordlings of its songs, with the ssistp of tred turig repre entative of , Fong with, those of 18 ecordings along of ith the western egion will, be sent to Waring fon intal jugging. first part of the fiay of known regional winher will travel to New York city, with all expenses paid, to compete in tróm each of séven bther regions. Songs to be judged consist of tre selected by thë cehorus, and one school song.
En route to Spokane, the chorus En route to spor for ápearnees at Plummer and Coeur d'Alene high schools. Maurice Ritchy will be
whe cello soloist for thèse performnces. Don Singer will accampany te chorus during áli performances Idaho Eintertains PE Conivention
The northwest district of the American Associciation of Heaith Physical Education, and Recrealion will hold its convention here today and tomorrow with Idaho and WSC as co-hosts. Students rom universities, colleges, junior colleges, and normal schools in tontanà will ătténa.
tontana
Dr. Johin Sùñàwall, M.D.,Ph.D. professor at the University of Michigan, will be the main speakM, and the discussion Clifford Moffitt, WSC, and LaVern Bell, Idaho fitt, WSC, and Lavern Bell, Idaho A luncheon will be given today in charge of arrangen Johnson is in charge of arrangements. Peggy Tway will tap dance, Ruth Ellen ackson will give a reading, and he campus quartet will sing munity singing.


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## Wöilien Will Beegín

 Leisure MeetsVAA has scheduled three tour- faments in leisure .time sports, Jane Elen Cunningham, mezzo according to Mris. Frances Bas Near" by Bach and "Sundow" pra, physical education instructor. By Hageman, accompanied by naments begin Monday at the side Jensen, clarinetist wan tamar of the softball field. One side "Ronsen, clarmetist, will present practice is necessary for dualfy- to" by Mozart with weldon Cor ore is necessary for quallfyAI: All women interested in a pianist, wlii play "Sad Blrd" by single elimination golf and tennis Ravel and "Mouvement" by by doubles tournament may sigh, up bussy.

in the Women's gym; Administra--
tion building, or at the golf course tion building, or at the golf course
by April 15. The tournament schedules will be posted Thament

## Campus Calendar

 FRIMAXTHETA SIGMA meets at 12:30 Hays hall.
ALL CHEMISTRY majors meet at 4:10 p.m., Science 110.
STUDENT bookstore advisory board, 4 p.m., ASUI office.
UNIVERStTY BUS leaves for
P.E. convention at Pullman from the Bucket at 8:00 p.m.
TAPS and TERPS: Wardrobe committee, $1: 30$ p.m.; Ghouls, 2 p,m; Gerrymanders, $2: 30$ p.m.;
Deep in the Heart of Texas 3 p Coep in the Heart of Texas, 3 p.m.; 3:45 p.m.; Jarabe Tapatio, 4:30 p.m. p.m.; Jarabe Tapatio, 4:30 MONDAY
TAP PRACTICE, Whistler's Mother-in-Law, 4 p.m
SCABBARD and BLADE mem-
in Memorial gym 106. Informal
DAVIDSON LEAVES Lieut. Arthur Davidson of the university ROTC staff has been transferred to Fort Ord, Calif,, according to word received from the military department yesterday. Lieutenant Davidson will be stationed with the 19th Engineer regiment.
Lieutenant Davidson was an in structor in the college of engineering prior to his call to active
duty last year.

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## Deita Chi Holds Conclave Here <br> About 20 members and 15 alumni of Delta Chl fraternity will iatend the northwest conclave of the raternity here this weekend. Delegates from didito, Washington, and Oreson state will hold their business session Saturday and will <br> RADIO SERVICE Sée MACS RADIO

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## Whitman Whips Vandals Four Games; Idaho Meets Lewiston Tomorrow

Whitman baseballers made it eight victories in nine games with the Vandals as they won four straight on MacLean header Wednesday and yesterday. first 6-5 in 12 innings, and header Wednesday, captura abbreviated five-inning nightcap. taking a 2-1 decision in a abo the first 12-8, then annexed Yesterday the Missionaries whe second by an $8-3$ count.
Schmidt To Begin Grid Scrimmages Saturday afternoon the Van-Idaho athlete of the year went to Sals meet Erb's Hardware of the second annual Vandal Stag Lewiston in a doubleheader on party Tuesday night. Col. C. R. MacLean field starting at 2 o'clock. Stark, Spokesman-Review sports Monday afternoon the Spokane editor, and Rod Klise, associated
Indians will invade Moscow for sportscaster, presented unofficial Francis A. Schmidt, Idaho foot- Indians will in ball coach, last night said that he a A three run rally in the ninth and Lewiston
still hoped to get more men out A three run rally in the ninthe $\mid$ That no official crowd limit has for practices scrimmage sessions as in the first game yesterday after- been placed by the military on soon as he could. No drills will noon. The Missionaries made 14 football crowds was the declarabe held tonight or tomorrow, he hits off Vandals Keith Parks and tion of Athletic Director. George seid, and that next week the squad Veto Berllus, including home runs Greene who said that all of the would continue work on funda-by Costello and Johnson. Dale conference schools were preparing mentals of offense. Clark led the Idaho swatsmen to. carry
n has been with four hits in five attempts
turning out regularly and has been, including a triple.
helping quite a bit with the work, Whitman Scores.
Schmidt said. He commented on Whitman scored four times in Schmidt said. He commented on Whitman scored four times in were presented with champions, the improvement of Merlin Ald- the sixth inning on three hits to lion awards which they won at the red and Ike Minata who have been |ice the second game. The Mis- PCC tourney. Guy Wicks, basketworking on punting. Minata is sionaries took an early lead in ball coach, presented Turner with a freshman who will be eligible the first inning when they banged a gold basketball as recognition for varsity competition next fall out three runs with the aid of for his being named to the if he attends summer school.
For the rest of spring practice Schmidt said that he will need Whitman's big sixth inning inmore men and again urged men wild pitch, and two stolen bases who have had high school football Tewhey and Jones led Idaho batsor who played as freshmen that men with two hits each. come out and help. Fe said that while they may not become varsity players therser ther help build

## " $"$ Club Initiates

 Twenty MembersTwenty Vandal athlete Twenty yandal athletes lastıWicks. Gerry Pederson and Howweek were initiated into the major ard Manson both are good pros Irvin Konopka. Four more men were eligiblitar

were not initiated.
Taken into the organization were Cliff Benson, Jack Newell, Bob Rosenberry, Norm Fredekind, Bill
Williams, Ray Hoobing, Ernie Craner, Byron Thomas, Wynne Longeteig, Don Anderson, Joe Innin Malta, Bob Vonderharr, Jack Tew- Whitman hey, Matt Lewis, Cleo Rowe, Dan Idaho........... $0 \begin{array}{llllllllll}0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 8 & 3 & 7\end{array}$ Davidoff, Howard Manson, George Batteries: Whitman - Johnson Redford, Earl Chandler, Buhl Sut- and Jerry Renfrow. Others sitz, Downing, and Konopka. eligible were Dean Lewis, Bill McGuire.


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tecta Cream Lotion for active sporis, $\$ 2.00$.

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Golf Team Closes Ladder Tourney.
that the course is now in exce shape. He said that some o greens, but that recent on had placed the links in the
Bill Holzer and Norm Larkin are tied for first place as a re-
sult of ladder play for golf team sult of ladder play for gole team members last week. James Free man and Rudy Franklin are in pectively. We raaho team wil meet in a practice match on the Idaho links next Sunday. First conference match for the Vandal olfers will be Saturday, April 18, gainst WSC on the Idaho course. Stan Jones finished fifth; Chuck house, seventh place in the ladder ourney. Other men who competed in the meet were Bob Smith, Bill Mangum, and Sunday Provenzano.
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