

WE LIKE ASSEMBLIES

Bouquets to the sophomores for reviving the old Idaho custom of stunt assemblies! Well organized and cleverly executed, the show was a credit to the long hours of work that must have been necessary to make it possible. Jason hopes to see other groups carry on more all-school entertainment of this kind!

Actually there are good reasons why this sort of entertainment should be continued. First of all, the student body is smaller now. Before, the auditorium was almost incapable of seating the entire student body. But now that our enrollment hovers about 800, the auditorium is entirely adequate. Second, it brightens weekends that aren't quite so lively as they used to be when men outnumbered the women three to one. Assemblies are fun to put on (Just ask the cast of the sophomore show!) and are definitely a welcome novelty to the week-end routine of shows, occasional dances, and cokes at the Bucket.

WE LIKE 'EM FREE

Jason nods approvingly at the free sign at the door of the show. Success of such shows lies in the attendance of most of the students. The death of earlier assemblies of this kind is attributed largely to the practice of charging admission. Originally, there was no charge, but someone decided to make money on them by adding a small admission fee. Each year the amount charged for admission grew—and as admission charges went up, attendance went down until finally the custom of stunt assemblies was shelved.

MEETINGS HELP

The student body is smaller now—why not take advantage of the fact through more class activities? Under present circumstances, class officers are active only twice a year—when they run for election and when they sponsor a week of dances and serenades. The remainder of the time, they just don't function. Classes are organized, but has anyone ever heard of a sophomore or junior class meeting?

Duties of the officers are reduced to the equivalent of general chairmen of a dance committee. As it stands now, the only time the secretary actually sees a ledger or the treasurer does bookkeeping is when they pose for Gem snaps of class officers! Now that the enrollment is smaller, the classes are no larger than the membership of some of the larger clubs on the campus. There is no reason why the class shouldn't begin to function as an organized group—not just a splurge in a week of serenades and dances but sponsoring class breakfasts or class picnics.

Student body support can be achieved for a class project. The sophomores have demonstrated that with the success of Holly week—a packed auditorium for their assembly and a capacity crowd of nearly 200 for their Holly dance. Organization, hard work and enthusiasm was the secret of their success. Let's have more of it!

Stunt Introduces New Yell Leaders

Something new was added in the basketball half-time entertainment at the Idaho-Geiger Field shooting match Tuesday night. Spectators at the Memorial gym witnessed the first performance of the new Vandal yell king, Jim Pieroni. In a novel stunt, the six yell queens and king leaped through seven paper hoops which spelled out the name, Vandals, to start the hoop season well on its way. In presenting several new yells, the squad showed their ability and skill in performing as a team.

Mary Holden, yell queen, announced that the new sweaters ordered for the cheer leaders have not yet been delivered.

HEY

Frank James announced that he will not be responsible for clubs left in the club-house after December 15, as he is leaving for the holidays. Adequate storage facilities are not available, and dampness is not kind to either clubs, or bags. Students are asked to claim their equipment as soon as possible.

Boards Will Award Cups For Xmas Decorations

Final arrangements were made for the Christmas decoration contest at a combined meeting of the Pan-Hellenic and Interfraternity councils December 7, when a discussion of the contest was held. It has recently been announced that Forney, Hays, and Ridenbaugh Halls, and the Campus club as well as the sororities and fraternities have entered this contest.

The winning decorations will be chosen at 7 p. m. Saturday by Miss Margaret Ritchie, Dean J. G. Eldridge, and Dr. H. W. Steffens, judges for the contest. However, announcement of the winners will not be made until intermission of the basketball game Tuesday night.

Prizes for the winning groups will be two engraved trophy cups, donated by the Pan-Hellenic, Interfraternity, and Independent councils. One will be awarded to the best decorated women's living groups, and the other will be presented to the best decorated of the men's living groups.

This Christmas decoration contest marks the revival of one of Idaho's most popular traditions, which was not used last year.

Report Discloses Four Sources Of U. Finances

During the current biennium, the federal government, through the Army and Navy training units, has financed a large share of the operating expense at the University of Idaho, as indicated in the printed financial report being sent to all members of the forthcoming legislature and state officials by President Harrison C. Dale. The Navy contract expires June 15, 1945, and it is uncertain how much longer the Army contract will be continued, the president reports.

The printed report indicates the university derives income from four sources: state appropriations, federal appropriations, land grant income, and institutional receipts, such as sales of produce and livestock from the experiment station farms. Also included is a statement of the university's financial dealings with the Navy, involving three contracts with six supplements, and with the Army, from which there have been nine contracts.

Mr. Coope Speaks For Westminster

Westminster Guild held a meeting Tuesday evening in the student union building and Geoffrey Coope of the English department gave several Christmas readings for the program. Dr. and Mrs. John Furnas, the new minister of the Presbyterian church, and his wife both spoke to the group. The program was closed by group singing of Christmas carols.

The next meeting will be held in the student union building January 9, the first Tuesday after vacation.

Coach Awards "I"

ASUI executive board last night approved the recommendation of Mike Ryan, track coach, and J. A. Brown, athletic director, to issue an "I" sweater to Jack Anderson. Anderson earned the award for cross country competition.

Soldiers To Elect Queen Of Formal Xmas Ball

Sponsoring the last formal dance of the season, the Army training unit is planning to hold its Christmas ball December 15 in the Student Union ballroom at 9 p. m. Trainees will choose their queen from candidates nominated by each women's house.

Ballots which are to be given to servicemen attending will be used to vote for one candidate competing for the Army Queen title. Nominees are Elizabeth Glenn, Delta Gamma; Shirley Brandt, Gamma Phi Beta; Dede Edgington, Kappa Kappa Gamma; Helen Morfit, Delta Delta Delta; Beverly Simon, Alpha Phi; Lavonna Craggs, Pi Beta Phi; and Joan Lorang, Kappa Alpha Theta. Others are Pieta Williams, Alpha Chi Omega; Alice Bastida, Hays hall; June Beasley, Forney

Buses To Provide Transportation For Vacationers

Union Pacific bus company has agreed to provide ample accommodations for those signing up in advance to go to southern Idaho during the Christmas holiday, according to President Harrison C. Dale. Students interested should sign up immediately at the Moscow hotel.

One bus leaves Moscow at 10 a. m. and arrives in Boise at 11:30 p. m., with one change at Grangeville. Another, leaving at 3:30 p. m., goes by way of Pendleton and reaches Boise at 10 a. m. the next day. Those who wish may catch the eastbound train out of Pendleton, according to information received by the president.

No information has been received from the Union Pacific concerning special trains from Moscow to southern Idaho, President Dale said.

IRC Meets Friday For Discussion On South Africa

Following the presentation of a March of Time film, the International Relations club, meeting Friday evening, will discuss the importance of South Africa to the United States and its most important figure in recent history. Other questions to be discussed concern the negro problem of South Africa in relation to the problem in the United States and also the Boer war and its most prominent phases.

Current events of the week will be discussed by Dr. Boyd Martin and Mr. Robert Hosack.

Dr. To Do Research

Dr. Andrew Van Hook, a former member of the University's chemistry faculty, has accepted a research position at the University of Wyoming, according to information sent by Mrs. Van Hook to friends in Moscow.

The family has been residing at Easton, Pa., since leaving Idaho.

Ridenbaugh Plans "Frosty Frolic"

Ridenbaugh hall has scheduled a Christmas semi-formal dance for Saturday night. A winter background of frosted trees and windows will help carry out the theme "Frosty Frolic."

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hugo Johnson, Dean and Mrs. D. S. Jeffers and Mrs. K. M. Christensen will act as patrons and patronesses. Barbara Ravenscroft is in charge of the arrangements for the dance. Music will be furnished by radio station KWSC at Pullman.



MARY HOLDEN, Holly Queen

Queen Mary Presides At Holly Festivities

With a wreath of greens and red holly berries, Mary Holden was crowned 1944 Holly Queen at the traditional sophomore class dance held December 9, in the student union ballroom. Fred Keiper announced the election of Miss Holden during intermission of the dance, after which she was escorted to a white throne set against an evergreen background. Crowning the queen was Joseph Brye who presented her with a gift of perfume.

Co-chairmen of the dance were Eileen Quinn and Willie Deffenbach who planned with Elizabeth Rofinol, decorations chairman, to carry out the theme of "Snow Stars" in the ballroom decorations. The ceiling was blanketed with white stars, and imitation snow, used to bank the orchestra stand, completed the winter atmosphere. Spotlights flooded the huge stars of evergreen boughs which encircled the numbers of the class's graduating year.

Another successful production of Holly Week was an assembly staged December 18, in the auditorium for all students and faculty of the university. Use of audience disturbances and ushers on roller skates made the program unusual and humorous. Dave Stidolph, acting as master of ceremonies, introduced the band playing popular recorded arrangements and Fred Keiper's troupe of dancers. "Bobby-sox swooners" Lucille Thompson and Louise Schlegel cheered a number by Betty Ann "Sinatra" Craggs. Climaxing the humorous program was a vocal by Stidolph, after which he introduced the 11 candidates for Sophomore Holly Queen.

U. Women Help Fill Moscow Quota

With the aid of university women rolling bandages, the Moscow Red Cross was enabled to fill their quota before Christmas, Mrs. Louise Boas, chairman, announced.

Cardinal Keys organized bandage folding for women's groups on the campus, completing 3500 last Saturday, and 2000 the preceding week.

Supervised by members of the local Red Cross, the rolling of bandages took place in the Delta Gamma, Delta Delta Delta, and Alpha Chi Omega house. Dinner exchanges will be sponsored between women's groups again Tuesday.

Delts Initiate Four

Delta Tau Delta initiated four pledges into the Idaho chapter Sunday. Those initiated are Donald Gardner of Cascade, Howard Kambitsch of Santa Cruz, California, Gerald Hatrup of The Dalles, Oregon, and Howard Kuffman of Grangeville.

University Singing Group To Present Xmas Concert Sunday Afternoon

Furthering the spirit of the holiday season, the University Singers, under the direction of Miss Ruth E. Erickson, are presenting their first concert of the year Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the university auditorium. The entire program will be in keeping with the yuletide season. In addition to the program of music by the group, there will be community singing under the leadership of A. A. Beecher.

Debate Team Ties With Whitman For Meet Honors

Tying with Whitman for first place in the Tri-school debate meet December 7 and 8, Idaho gained possession of the cup awarded to the winning team. Idaho and Whitman both had an average of nine wins and seven losses, while Washington State College trailed with six wins and 10 losses. Last year the cup went to Whitman. The school who wins it three times will gain permanent possession.

On the four varsity debate teams from Idaho are Joyce McMahon and Frances Freeman, Frances Rhea and Geneva Ferguson, Elaine Anderson and Gerry Merrill, and Clara Beth Young and Ada Mae Rich.

Members of two of Idaho's teams—Elaine Anderson, Gerry Merrill, Frances Rhea and Geneva Ferguson—tied for the highest score recorded for individual teams, each winning three out of four debates.

The question for the debate was: "Resolved that the federal government should enact compulsory arbitration for labor disputes."

The next debate meet in which Idaho will participate will be held in Pullman January 13, with teams from Lewiston Normal, Whitman and Gonzaga competing. This tournament has been held on the university campus in the past, but will be held in Pullman to lessen transportation difficulties.

Students To Hear Singing Group At Game Tonight

Making their debut tonight before the student body, the All Girl Singing Orchestra will entertain between halves at the basketball game.

Students may still place their suggestions for naming the orchestra in the ballot box in the Student Union lounge. The contest will end next week when the winner is announced in the Christmas edition of the Argonaut. Judging the entries will be a committee of faculty members and students, and their decision will decide the winner of the prize of \$5 in war stamps.

After playing to a capacity audience of 2300 at the Hanford War Project and the Pasco Naval Base in Washington, where the girls presented everything from boogie-woogie to Ave Maria, they returned Wednesday morning from their tour of three days.

LDS Initiates 17; Plans 45 Events

Lambda Delta Sigma, the L. D. S. church organization, held their formal initiation ceremony at 7:30 p. m. Sunday evening in the Institute. The initiates were: Inez Loveless, Geraldine Merrill, Venis Johnson, Geraldine Shortridge, Margaret Gambin, Kenneth Cook, Earl McLain, and Franklin Briscoe.

Others were: Jane Jenkins, June Wilson, Marie Larson, Jackie Ritchie, Bonnie Bennett, Betty Brookbush, Edith Cable, Jean Priest, and Billie Adamson.

Among the guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. James P. Martin, and Mr. and Mrs. George Tanner, faculty advisors. President Eliza Taylor stated that plans are being made for social activities for next year.

Christmas Party

Women's Athletic association executive board, the women's "I" club, and members of the physical education department faculty were the guests of Mrs. Earl Acuff Wednesday evening. The party, carrying out a Christmas theme, was held at the home of Dean A. W. Fahrenwald.

HOLLY

Mortar Board members, senior women's honorary, will sell Christmas holly at group houses on the campus during the dinner hour this evening, Mary Mangum, president of the organization, announces. Members have spent the last two days tying the sprays into corsages.

The holly arrived Tuesday from Seattle, Mrs. Mangum said, and is fresh and crisp, with large red berries.

Grattan Talks To Students About Australia

C. Hartley Grattan, well-known American author and authority on Australian literature, spoke to assembled political science students and faculty members December 7, on the topic, "Australia Today."

Mr. Grattan stressed throughout his informal speech that Australia is an agricultural country, but domestically it is well industrialized. Most of the inhabitants live in the city, while a great deal of the continent is economically worthless. Australia, in regard to foreign politics, is small, but specific, and a member of the British Commonwealth of nations.

"Introducing Australia," a recent publication by Mr. Grattan, is recognized in this country as the standard work and publication in Australia and a standard survey of their country. The author gathered his facts for this book during the time he was in Australia in 1937-38. This trip was made possible by a grant awarded him by the Carnegie Corporation of New York to study the social development of Australia. He also possesses the largest collection of Australian literature in the United States and is the author of nine other books, among which is "Australia and New Zealand Today."

Mr. Grattan was in Moscow as a guest of the Rotary club and stopped here during a trip to the West for Harper's Bazaar, of which he is contributing editor. From Moscow he continued to Lewiston for a similar engagement before returning to his home in New York.

U. Will Light Tree

The university Christmas tree will be lighted again this year for the first time since the blackout went into effect in 1941, President Harrison C. Dale has announced. For many students this will be a new sight on the Idaho campus, but others will remember it as a famed tradition.

Miss Collette Announces Crews For 'Papa Is All'

Announcement of production crews by Miss Jean Collette, director, completed personnel arrangements for the presentation of "Papa Is All," second ASUI play of the year. Rehearsals for the production are now well under way, with Bill Davidson, Grace Lillard, Ed Dolva, Marion Wilson, Barbara Jo Smith, and Mike Oswald in the cast.

Working as stage manager is Elizabeth Hadley, with Don Rankin as assistant. On the stage crew are Jean Pugh, Mary Dochios, Muriel Smedley, Mary Jane Donart, Joanne Hunter, Dorothy Bowell, Yvonne Hamlin, Peggy Macklin, and Eve Smith.

Gerry Merrill, named as head of stage dressing, will be assisted by Ann Price, Venis Johnson, Barbara Bedwell, Margaret Arnold, and Alma Hoefner.

Chosen as technical manager is Marjorie Mock, with Elaine Anderson and Marion Krussman acting as assistants to the director.

Soloists For the afternoon concert are Robert Walls, baritone; Jean Taylor, soprano; and Jean Armour, violinist.

The program is as follows: Noel, by McLenore; A Joyous Christmas Song, Gevaert; and Carol of the Singing Reeds, Johnson, presented by the University Singers. Jesu Bambino, by Yon, sung by Jean Taylor, soprano, with Jean Armour, playing a violin obligato. Edmundson's Angels in the Night, and Cain's Lullay, My Jesu, by the Small Ensemble.

Arioso, by Bach-Franko; and Evening by Yost, will be played by Jean Armour, violinist. The Shepherds' Christmas Song, a Swiss folk song, and The Christ of the Snow, a Hungarian carol, are to be presented by the University Singers. O Holy Night, Adam, sung by Robert Walls, baritone, and accompanied by the University Singers, will complete the program.

Library Displays Xmas Scenes, Card Collection

"The First Christmas" and "The Modern Christmas," symbolic of the past and present, are portrayed in the Administration building's first floor library showcases. Arrangement of the showcases was done by Miss Eleanor Walker, who joined the library staff in October. The dolls and furniture used in these displays were loaned to the library by Sally DuSault, Adel Thomas, and Leila Belle Thomas.

Soon to be added to the library Christmas festivity will be a number of quaint and modern Christmas cards, which will be used in decorating the window of a door in the library square. Over a period of ten years, the library personnel has collected about 200 Christmas cards, which were given to the library by students and people who have received them from various places of interest.

The library has requested that any discarded or useless Christmas cards received during the holidays can be turned in to the library so that they can be added to the growing collection. Cards from foreign countries, places of interest, or any having outstanding histories are especially welcome.

Students To Work In Army Kitchen

Any students wishing employment during Christmas vacation are given the opportunity to work in the Army kitchen at Lindley hall, according to Robert F. Green, director of dormitories.

The job entails serving meals for an hour three times a day, at 7 a. m., noon and 5:15 p. m. Meals will be furnished. If students wish to work more than three hours arrangements can be made.

Any students who are interested or have questions are asked to contact Mr. Green either at his office in Willis Sweet hall or by telephone at 8031.

Housemothers Plan Xmas Luncheon

Housemothers will hold their annual Christmas luncheon at Hotel Moscow Thursday noon. Hostesses are Mrs. Herbert Samms and Mrs. Della S. Atkinson. Bridge will be played after lunch and a Christmas gift exchange has been planned.

Dale Goes To Boise

President Harrison C. Dale is leaving Saturday to attend the board of regents meeting in Boise December 18. Routine business will be considered, he reported.

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Keeping Up On Things

Furthering interest in world affairs and bringing to the campus specialized speakers to discuss topics of general interest in the fields of political, economic, and cultural relationships between nations has been the particular job of the International Relations club, one of the most active student organizations on this campus. Its weekly meetings are attended by not only students, but faculty members, their families and townspeople as well.

A continuous and regular panel for the discussion of current news is presented each week by Dr. Boyd Martin and Robert E. Hosack, both of the political science department. Last year, Chandler Bragdon, European history instructor and author of "Communique Comment," was a member of the forum.

Marked maps and summaries of the war appear daily in the main library, through the courtesy of the International Relations club and a committee consisting of Margaret Norie, Jane Parks, Lucille Cummings, Violet Steneck, and Frances Freeman.

Recently, the addition of "March of Time" movies has brought the campus up-to-date news, which is used as the basis of discussion afterwards. The International Relations club now boasts 100 books on international organization, problems of peace and studies of specific foreign areas. The library was provided by the Carnegie endowment and is open to the use of any student in the university.

Idaho members of the club enter annually the Northwest regional conference of International Relations clubs, and the Carnegie endowment presents two national authorities on topics of international affairs: Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, British Columbia and Alberta, Canada, are included in this northwest section, and last year the meeting was held in Spokane. Idahoans will journey to Eugene, Oregon, for the conference next spring.

Idaho's International Relations club is entirely student-managed, arranging its own program and policies. Marjorie Mock is president of the club, which boasts 30 members, and Frances Freeman is librarian. Anyone who attends regularly is considered a member, and it's open to the whole student body.

Members of this organization united to learn about international affairs because they saw a need for it on this campus, and in comparison to other colleges, the Idaho group is one of the most active. Suggestions made at the Spokane conference last spring were all already being practiced on this campus.

If 30 members of a club as active as this one can keep up on current affairs every day of every week to help the rest of us along, we have a great opportunity to take advantage of the weekly meetings planned for us. They're held every Friday evening in the small ballroom of the Bucket—for free and for all.

MULBERRY BUSH

Just like the rest of the shrubbery, the Bush seems a little frosty. Don't gripe that I don't get around much anymore, it's just that the old spectacles got a little steamed up. No, it wasn't due to the rise in temperature at seeing any cute blond—rather 'twas a very definitely brunette gal, namely Gloria Clinkscales from up Hays way who started the barometer acting like a helicopter shooting landings.

And if you're conveniently near a "Don Ameche," dial 2176—if a WOMAN answers, please don't tell the dean. And even if the big communication device isn't too handy, it might be worth your while. As a note to the reader, this item is a paid advertisement, and you can be sure that the Phi Gam boys will be receiving a very business-like statement, come the foist of the month. If anyone else is interested in getting their name in this sheet, our price is 30 cents per inch.

"Women left over 30 days will be confiscated." So reads the big ad for the SAE Bowery brawl. Well, well, . . . and the Bush always thought they were such nice, sweet boys. Wonder which bar fly they are hoarding from last year.

Now it's being told—it seems that all the connoisseurs of feminine pluchritude who voted at the dance for the Holly queen wanted double or nothing, as the vote resulted in a tie between Judy Boon and Mary Holden. And what a ball situation for the patrons and patronesses who had to make the final decision! It seems that a slip of the coin placed the prickly holly wreath crown on Mary's fair brow. But they could at least have given the determining piece

of collateral to Judy. Wonder if the "Boom, Boom, Boom" smash-up idea of the yell leaders was inaugurated by the Trolley Song. Whatever the inspiration, it went over with a big bang. Another pleasing little piece of news that was whispered to the Bush, is that the Bucket will remain open until 10 p.m. on nights when there is a home game. Bob Hendren's head must still be reeling from his big week-end return to ye olde camp. Must be quite a change—army camp to this Mrs. Carter's school for fems. Anyway, he must have had a gay time—Ken Chatlin and a couple of Gamma Phi's did their darndest to help him out.

Last spring Leona Bales wore a Delt pin, but Uncle Sam's mail service carried it Nampa way to Dave Schwalbe. We've seen the couple together frequently lately, and right now are just waiting for further developments. 'Twas mentioned before that it's been

Entertainment Holds Spell Over American Colleges

Waiting until next week to get all the big holiday plans and pre-season activities pertaining to Christmas, let's just take a "magic carpet" trip via the exchange papers and see what's happening where.

At Whitman College in Walla, the "Pioneer" tells the story of a group of co-eds who received a K ration package through the mail, and proceeded to use it for a midnight snack. Said the co-eds when they were through, "Never again will we regard the American soldier lightly. He alone can eat U. S. Army Field Ration K and survive."

At the University of Toledo at 11 p.m. each evening, women students at the Florence Scott Libby dormitory may be seen streaming into the living room, where lights are blazing, to do their evening exercises to music. It seems the women there prefer slim waists and hips at the risk of becoming muscle-bound for the rest of their lives.

New Canteen

Over Washington way, the annual swing concert by the university concert band was given in Seattle on December 6, says the "Daily." A Coast Guard band, several singing numbers, and a "jive" atmosphere were featured, along with the numbers by the concert band. Totem club at the University now has a canteen in the basement of Clark Hall where students may purchase all general school supplies, cough drops, candy, gum and cigarettes; this post, sponsored by the upper classwomen's activity honorary, saves lots of students in lots of emergencies.

"The Evergreen" is full of newsy items to let the world know what Washington Staters are doing these days. The volunteer aid work by campus co-eds, in conjunction with the Red Cross, includes filling Christmas bags for WAVES and WACS overseas. Junior Panhellenic sponsored a "Hello" day for the entire campus with signs posted along the walks, and tags were worn by the students. Mortar Board held its third Coffee Hour, with women students giving brief talks on liberal education and liberal schools and a history of curriculum.

At Brigham Young university, one hundred women are getting their first taste of cooperative living in their newly acquired dormitory. It is the first time there has been such a women's living group on the campus.

What's In the Future?

The Ouija board has replaced the crystal ball at Montana State, says the "Kaimin," and is being used as a favorite recreation in the lounges, offices, and living rooms all over the campus, even replacing bridge and dancing.

We have noticed that many universities and colleges have a special hour set aside for assemblies scheduled during the week. This time is used for school assemblies, with talent shows and other special features, when an out-of-town guest is not scheduled for the hour. The University of Utah, according to the "Chronicle," is asking for the return of their special assembly hour, taken away when the ASTP fellows were on the campus, formerly timed for 11 a. m. on Friday. Thursday at 11 is the time set at Washington State, and they have had several convocations this year, using campus talent.

These Men!

For closing, how about this little poem from the "Oregon State Barometer": "If you let him kiss you, he wishes you were more reserved. If you don't, he'll seek consolation pretty foggy out, so can't see clouding matters up with any mis-statements in trying to name the queen of the coming military ball. There may not be much above this neck, but I prize mine more than Jers.

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Legionnaires Plan Dinner-Dance

Invitations to the World War II veterans enrolled on the campus, as well as their wives and dates have been extended by the American Legion and the ladies auxiliary for their annual dinner-dance party to be held at the Legion cabin at 6:30 tomorrow evening.

C. E. Lampman, in charge of publicity, has expressed the desire that the attendance will be large since "this is the initial step in a get-acquainted program the American Legion is currently undertaking."

"Old-time dancing, as well as modern, will comprise the second part of the program," he said, "and we have obtained a real hill-billy outfit in the form of the 'Cactus Gulch Boys' to provide music. Mrs. Mary Lou Acuff and women from the physical education department will also aid in the old-time dancing," he said.

SERVICE MAIL BAG

Maj. Gen. Ross E. Rowell, Boise, was decorated by Adm. Chester W. Nimitz with the Legion of Merit medal for outstanding service and steadfast devotion to duty as commanding general of marine aviation in the Pacific.

Credited with bringing down a Messerschmitt 109 and the destruction of three German planes on the ground, Lt. Elvador Ritter, Emmett, was awarded the Air Medal with oak leaf clusters. Lt. Richard M. Lunstrum, Boise, has been awarded the Air Medal with 10 oak leaf clusters for bringing down an FW 190 in a battle near Magdeburg, Germany.

Highly sociable. However, a Varga picture drew him out of shell for a few minutes but the rest of the world doesn't seem to interest him. How's that for a G. I.?

That's all there's time for now. This reporter faces finals in a few days along with the rest of the trainees, so wish us luck.

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Personality Of The Week

is that diminutive bundle of charm, who last week set a new record by becoming Idaho's first and only Sophomore Holly week queen. Miss Mary Holden, who flashes a Kappa key plus a third finger left hand decoration, calls the fair city of Idaho Falls her home.

Being elected a queen is no new thing to personable Mary. Her high-school record includes being Victory ball queen, football queen, and yell queen. To add to all this she has made her first appearance on the Idaho maple court as the university yell queen. She Can Cook!

Nineteen-year-old Mary not only looks like a queen, but she also has the charm that attracts Idaho males as well as small dogs and elderly ladies. Unlike most engaged girls, Mary can cook something besides tuna toast-wiches. Being domestic is not the hobby of this petite Miss, however, as she also engages in hiking, bowling, picnics and other active sports.

She likes movies and gives Van Johnson the nod when it comes to male leads. Maybe its his resemblance to a certain carrot topped para-trooper now overseas.

For those interested, the vital statistics follow. She's just about 5 feet tall, weighs 115 pounds in her Sunday-go-to-meeting clothes, has honey brown hair and gray-green eyes. She'd like to be taller and you'll know her by her super-built-up wooden shoes and spike pumps.

Keep your eyes on this peppy sophomore (as if most of you need to be told.) She's going places and don't say we didn't tell you. (Look for her picture on page 1)

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 Attic Club meeting at 1 o'clock. There will not be a meeting of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers until a later date, which will be announced.

MONDAY:
 Member of Dalda Tau Gamma will meet at the student union building at 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY:
 There will not be a meeting of the Canterbury society before Christmas.

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Christmas Parties Hold Society Spotlight

Christmas parties hold the limelight in all campus activities in this week preceding the holidays. Formal dinners, and parties are scheduled in every house.

Kappa Alpha Theta alumnae and their children were entertained at a Christmas party Sunday night. Members prepared stunts, song, and readings for amusing the children. As turnabout the talented youngsters sang and played the piano. Chocolate and strawberry ice cream, cookies, milk and coffee were served, and the children received pop corn balls.

Dick Nelson, Spokane, and Mr. and Mrs. Al Fleschner were Sunday dinner guests at the Theta house.

Jean Mariner, Theta, will leave Sunday for Pittsburg where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Iver Holliday, Idaho alumnae. Pinned to Ben Kinney, Jr., former Idaho Fiji, she will attend the New Year's Ball at West Point with him.

Alumnae and their children were guests of the Alpha Phi women at a Christmas party Sunday night. Mothers of the members and pledges and Dean Louise Carter were special guests.

Alpha Chi Omega women were entertained at an Alpha Phi fireside Wednesday. Shirley Calvert, Kellogg, was Sunday dinner guest at the Alpha Phi house.

Delta Delta Delta women will have a Christmas fireside for the house tonight. A dessert will be served, and toys will be exchanged. The toys will then be donated to the firemen for distribution among Moscow children. Each class in the house will give a stunt.

Sunday the Tri-Delts are having a formal dinner for members and pledges. Sunday night a Christmas party will be held where gifts will be exchanged and refreshments will be served.

Province Director Visits
Mrs. Floyd E. Ellis, province director, will visit the Pi Beta Phi chapter this week-end. A dessert fireside has been planned by the alumnae and active members for Saturday evening, in her honor.

A formal dinner will be given Sunday for Mrs. Ellis, announced Jean Thompson, chairman.

Kappa Kappa Gamma entertained at dinner Wednesday Mrs. Hugh Inness-Brown of New York City, Pfc. and Mrs. Hugh Inness-Brown, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rider of Moscow. Mrs. Inness-Brown, Jr., is the former Rusty Markland, who was married here recently.

Dean Louise Carter was a dinner guest of Kappa Kappa Gamma Sunday.

Visiting Gerry Luce at the Alpha Chi house over the weekend were Betty June Smith and Carolyn Cabbage of Spokane.

Former Idaho Sigma Chi, Pvt. Robert Hendren, visited on the campus this week. Pvt. Hendren was on leave from camp in Seattle, Washington.

Women of Hays hall held a formal dinner dance last Wednesday evening. Special guests were Wallace Kenyon, Ed Dalva, Herbert Reese, Anita Hamilton, Marjorie Hamilton, Jim Mann, and John Mast.

Dinner guests Sunday of Delta Gamma were Mr. and Mrs. E. J.

Marty, Dean and Mrs. J. G. Eldridge, and Mrs. K. M. Christensen.

Charlotte Ann Cramer of Spokane visited her sister, Jo Marie Cramer, at Gamma Phi Beta Sunday.

Visitors of Forney hall last weekend were Mary Rizzuto, Doris Bauer, Betty Doupe all of Spokane and Marybellé Carnie of Coeur d'Alene. Miss Carnie had just returned from a trip to Chicago where she was one of Idaho's representatives in the National 4-H Congress.

Service men visiting on the campus over the weekend were Pfc. Richard Cordon who is stationed at Van Nuys, California, and Cpl. William Ball of Fort George Wright, Spokane.

Open House Planned
Phi Delta Theta will hold open house Friday night. On Saturday evening Delta Tau Deltas and Phi Gamma Deltas will entertain their dates at firesides.

The annual Christmas party for the Alpha Chi Omega alumnae and their children will be held this Sunday night. Refreshments will be served, and the freshmen will put on a Christmas program followed by an exchange of gifts. Alpha Phi is making arrangements for their annual Christmas party for alumnae and their children Sunday also.

Women of Forney Hall have scheduled a Christmas fireside for Sunday evening.

Miss Elsie Nielsen was a dinner guest Sunday of Ridenbaugh hall. A visitor over the weekend of that residence was Thelma Chapman of Orofino who was visiting her sister, Donna.

Twelve members of Kappa Sigma were guests of the Pullman chapter last Sunday. A social afternoon was enjoyed.

Pi Beta Phi will entertain at its annual Christmas party Thursday night from 7 until 9, given in honor of the alumnae and their children. Joella Gage and Gwen McKay, co-chairmen of the party, will conduct a program of games and Christmas carols. Pat Burris, Barbara Collins, and Phyllis Bristol will present several trio numbers. Geri Potter is in charge of refreshments.

Tom Ryan as Santa Claus will deliver Christmas presents to the boys and girls attending the party.

Newman Club Holds Christmas Party

Newman club entertained members Sunday night with a Christmas party. The party was held in the small ballroom at the Bucket between 4 and 6 p. m.

Ice cream, cookies, and coffee were served following the games and dancing. Co-social chairmen were Patty Kulzer and Mary Stanek.

Tomato plants were first cultivated in Europe on the coast of Spain and Portugal about 1535.



Pat Bowlby Weds Robert Sutphen.

Patricia Bowlby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert W. Bowlby of Moscow, became the bride of Sgt. Robert F. Sutphen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sutphen of Villisca, Iowa, in a ceremony performed by the Rev. Willard E. Stanton at the Methodist church Sunday, November 12.

The bride, wearing a white chiffon beaded dress and fingertip veil, was given in marriage by her father. The bride's sister, Carol, was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Lucille Halversen and Elaine Anderson.

Best man was Leslie Howells and ushers were Max Cail and Bill Helmsworth. Diane Jonas and Lois Winner lighted the candles, while Lucille Thompson played "Whispering" and "Always" on the organ.

Following the ceremony a reception was given at the church for the bridal party, relatives, and friends. The couple left for Villisca, Iowa, immediately after the ceremony.

The bride is a 1944 graduate of the university where she majored in dietetics. She was a member of Delta Tau Gamma and Spurs.

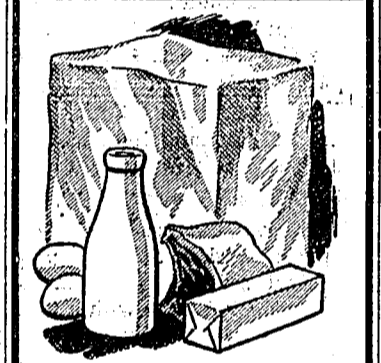
The bridegroom attended the University of Idaho last year in the AST program. He is now stationed at Camp Crowder, Missouri, where the couple is making their home temporarily.

Gamma Phi Honors Mothers, Alumnae

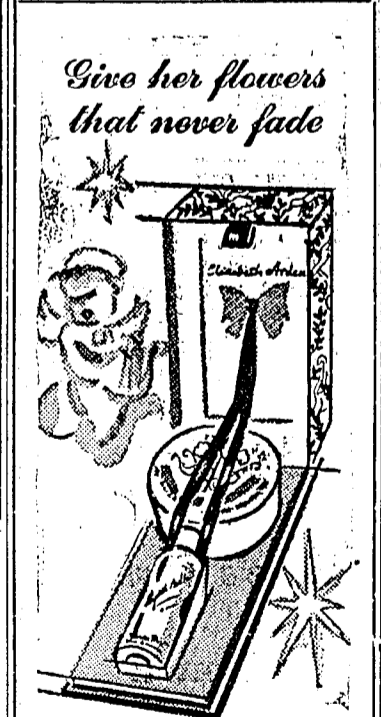
Gamma Phi Betas entertained mothers and alumnae at their annual Christmas party last night. Afterwards refreshments were served to seventy guests and members—the sorority freshmen sponsored a program and the party was closed by the group singing Christmas carols.

Eighteen mothers of Gamma Phi Betas were present at their meeting last Monday. The luncheon table was decorated with red candles which lent a holiday atmosphere to the occasion.

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CHOSEN from a group of five other candidates, Eve Smith, Kappa Alpha Theta, was named Sigma Chi sweetheart at their annual dance last Friday night. She was presented with the traditional cup by Ken Chattin, president.

The formal sweetheart dance was given at the Sigma Chi house with the theme carried out in the blue and gold colors of the fraternity. Music was by Red Jensen and his band, and the patrons and patronesses were Mrs. J. E. Gardner, and Mr. and Mrs. Hall Macklin.

Last Sunday, Miss Smith was presented with the Sweetheart pin at a dinner given by the Sigma Chi. Other finalists for the title were Barbara Thompson, Pi Beta Phi; Juanita Bryan, Gamma Phi Beta; Jané Thompson, Kappa Kappa Gamma; Doris Gochmour, Hays Hall; and Virginia Campbell, Alpha Chi Omega.

SAEs Recreate Bowery Scene

"Good old days of the bowery" will be revived when the Sigma Alpha Epsilons hold their annual bowery dance Saturday night, December 16. Those attending the dance will be garbed in costumes typical of the Gay 90's, and their activity will be centered around "Steve's Amusement Emporium."

According to Dean Shaver, chairman of the dance, Benny Beer to a Bottle and his Seven Burps are slated to supply the music.

Patrons and patronesses will be Mrs. Kay Shaver, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Abbott, J. C. Brye and guest, C. A. Truatt.

Special guests are Ben Martin, Leonard Wilson, Herbert Reese, Jerry Riddle, Clark Hopkins, and Robert Remaklus.

Kappa Phi Invites All To Program

Kappa Phi will present its annual candle lighting ceremony Sunday, December 17. Lucille Thompson, choir director, announced that it will be open to the public. The program includes carols sung by the choir and quartet and Christmas readings by Frances Freeman and Carol Gardner.

Last Tuesday, Kappa Phi women were entertained at the home of Mrs. S. W. Hagedorn at a Christmas party for pledges and active members. The national magazine, "Candle Beam," and the yearly programs were distributed during the evening.

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Chomphing At The Bitt

By JERS.

The old—er bigger boys tell me that it is bad to start out a new period with a bad score. Hence out on the limb again! Last week ye' old' Chomphing missed both gal' contests leaving in the wake a big score of 1,000. The fields in each case were too much for me. Even though the Christmas decorations have not been materially started for the groups competition I would predict that the Kappa Sigs will win the cup for the men's houses with the girls from either the Tri-Delt or Gamma Foo house with a new trophy in their glamorous laps. Let's see what happens between now and then.

Cesar J. Homer tells me that the "weeks" are really floating about now at this time. Courtesy and recreation to mention two with a few non-descripts added in for good measure. The Phi Delt fresh had a breather Tuesday when Morpheus met the members in the house library. Such either is or isn't life.

SWEETHEART BOYS

Down below Morrill and above the Betas (house) is located the Sigma Chi kitchen with rooming quarters attached. There 7 members now hand their hats when the chapter meets behind the proverbial doors. Tom Rowland and Tom Campbell are the two "old men," married and living "cross town. Pres. Ken Chattin, and Bud Chandler, transfer from Wash. U., were the others who started the year with the latter leaving between now and then to go into the Navy. These four during fall rushing made off with 16 pledges enabling them to operate both the house and the kitchen. Dick Ohms,

Geo. Frazier, Bob Jasper, Frank Henderson and Frank Pratt were recently initiated, with Pratt leaving to join the Navy. Except for the Toms 'cross town these boys now on the hill are all still wearing their ill' white crosses. But then time has been known to create differences in situations.

Although the house was built in 1925 it is still one of the newest looking houses of the men's division. Although 'most' killing themselves, among others, with their Sweetheart contest the last two weeks—filled with dinners, luncheons, firesides, serenades, and the big dance, they are but fast on the recovery, scheduling a fireside this Friday. For other types of amusement the Sigs (not Sig Chis, so the Sigs tell me) yearly swipe, or endeavor to, the Kappa love benches, with its ensuing stunt night; have an annual snowfight with the Alpha Chi yearlings and throw a large huge gigantic barn dance.

Back on the general campus we find the Gamma Phis asleep at the switch with planes, buzzing

and stunting about the house—all in vain. Coming up this week-end are three basketball games that best you—all attend mainly on account of Idaho winning Tuesday and they might repeat (we hope) the performance. Also is an open fireside at the Phi Delt house after the game Friday (10:00) and the SAE's Bowery dance Saturday. Talk about the students not feading the Arg, perhaps we might bring to note that the armed services and Will Hays are not the only censors with the big-scissors. Where or when and with whom is the big question. Let's keep at those old books for the while for the vacation is not to start officially until 5 on Wednesday.

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BENCH NOTES

By JACK ANDERSON

Maybe this basketball is no longer an old men's game. We "grandpas" of twenty may well view with alarm the performance of 17-year-old Bob O'Connor, Moscow's gift to the Idaho cage crew. Playing either center or forward, the versatile freshman has scored an average of 11 points a game in seven pre-conference tilts, to head the Vandal scoring list. Like many other boys in his position, Bob decided to come to college for a year instead of attending high school as a senior, in accordance with the stepped up wartime academic program adopted by the university.

In his three years at Moscow, O'Connor earned five major sport letters. He was captain and right end of the last year's Bear grid machine, making his second award in that sport. As a forward on the district champion Bear hoop quint he was chosen for the all-district team. Came spring, Bob donned spikes, wound up his throwing arm, and became part of the Bear cinder squad. At the bi-state meet in Lewiston, he ran on the 880 relay team, which finished second. While resting between the events on the oval, javelin tossing kept him occupied. Basketball is a sport for the speedy, so track ability is definitely no drawback.

PLAYS HARD

Bob is not a "flash" or "boy wonder," but gets his points by smooth, steady play, and lots of fight. One item, to me, that stands out as a quality that all good athletes must have, is sportsmanship. During the Central Idaho tournament last year I noticed that even when play became close, and correspondingly rough, he would come out of a bruising tangle of arms and legs and grin; or if a player on the opposing team went down, he was the first to help him to his feet. Small things—yes—but the kind that make the difference between a mediocre or an outstanding player.

This easy-going fellow has proved his ability to adapt himself to the transition from high-school, to college ball, and we'll be watching him for some classy ball-handling for the Silver-and-Gold this season.

OH, WHERE'S MY FEET?

The liting strains of the "Skater's Waltz" buzz in our ears as we pick ourselves off the ice for another try, and we know that winter is really here. Robinson lake is the current attraction, and it has the hardest surface, take it from me. Oh, yes, they tell me that the girls' tennis court makes a dandy skating rink, with a seating capacity of around 300. Here's a chance for some civic-minded group to make a lot of fun for a lot of gals and guys, with Old Man Winter doing most of the dirty work. Vacation is coming up, but weather permitting, afterwards—well...

I'm afraid my friend, Jose, will never quite understand American sports. It seems he spent a frigid three hours the other night in a vain attempt to hear the mating call of the badminton bird. Alright, I'm going...

U. Hoopsters Lose Two Straight Pre-Conf. Tilts

A high-flying Eastern Washington College of Education five showered the Vandals with a barrage of baskets in the second half to drop them for their worst defeat of the pre-conference season to date. Idaho jumped into an early 5 to 0 lead, and both teams played steady ball until three minutes before the half when the boys from Cheney began tossing them in from everywhere to lead 27-13 at the intermission. Resuming their torrid pace, EWCE pulled away steadily without great difficulty. O'Connor kept his scoring average climbing with 11; followed by Overholser, Finlayson, Smith and Morse, with 4 each.

How It Happened

EWCE 63, Idaho 35.

	fg	ft	tp
Taylor, f	1	0	2
O'Connor, f	5	1	11
Smith, f	1	1	3
Overholser, g, f	2	0	4
Finlayson, g, c	2	0	4
Call, c, g	0	0	0
Pyne, g	1	2	4
Carbaugh, g	0	2	2
Morse, g	1	2	4
Stewart, g	0	0	0
Bogder, g	1	0	2
Totals	18	3	39

Saturday Night

McCaw Hospital 37, Idaho 35.

Coming from behind in the last minutes of play, the "I" boys fell one basket short of overcoming the convalescents' fourth quarter lead. Bob O'Connor came through with four field goals and 8 free throws, to pile up 16 counters. Len Pyne, who was leading scoring for the Brownmen prior to this series, gathered 6 tallies. There seemed to be no hole in the basket, as a succession of Idaho shots curled around the hoop, only to drop outside. McCaw had a half-time margin of 25-19. Team work of the Moscow squad showed steady improvement during this

Grumblers Form Unique Society For Gripping

By MIKE WOLFE

Gripping is a great old American tradition. Millions of man hours are used each year in the practice of this great pastime. Remember how some experts could sit down after supper, warm up on some comparatively minor issues, and in an hour or so, surrounded by a thin blue haze, be vigorously complaining about approximately two-thirds of the subjects to be found in the Encyclopedia Americana?

The fact is that gripping takes up entirely too much time. If there's anything that makes me mad it's—Oops, sorry. In the interests of national defense, proper digestion, neglected studies, and stuff like that, we propose that gripping be streamlined.

By dint of not-so-persistent inquiry, we found out that approximately 90 per cent of present day gripping concerns: people who do the wrong thing, people who don't do the right thing, people with annoying personal traits. As a matter of fact, a major part of the time spent in gripping is spent in defense of the griper's point of view, as if he somehow suspected that he really hadn't a case at all.

The new streamlined way: you stand squarely up to the mirror and say in resonant, well modulated tones, "The food I get to eat

game, and shot-making difficulties in the extreme kept them away from victory.

Scores:

	fg	ft	tp
Finlayson	2	0	4
Taylor	2	0	4
O'Connor	4	8	16
Pyne	3	0	6
Carbaugh	1	0	2
Overholser	1	1	3
Morse	0	0	0
Call	0	0	0
Smith	0	0	0
Stewart	0	0	0
Totals	13	9	35

Vandals Outrun Air Force 39-28 In First Home Game

Idaho Vandals, still smarting from last week's close miss with McCaw Hospital, bounced into the win column Tuesday, handing the Army Air Force team of Walla Walla the short end of a 39 to 28 score. The game was the first of a series of five home games, and brought pre-conference standings to three won and four lost. Ranga Bob O'Connor, frosh forward, paced the attack by splitting the cords for 12 points. "Lightfoot" Len Pyne and Bill Carbaugh racked up 7 each for next spot on the scoring ladder. The flyers, with Captain Don Johnson, ex-Idaho track star at the controls, had difficulty in centering the hoop throughout the game and rimmed the greater part of their shots. Stevens, forward for the aviators found the hoop for 7.

Shooting Poor

Neither team could keep erring passes out of their play, and during the fast-break, running, first quarter the ball changed hands with regularity.

Sidelight of the first half was Lenny Pyne's playing of Bourland's missed shot off the backboard into the AAF basket. The aircorpsmen led 11 to 10 at the end of the first quarter, the last time they saw the lead, as the Moscowians pulled away gradually the rest of the game. After acquiring a 22 to 13 lead at the half, Idaho's pace slowed and no scoring was made in the first four minutes of the second frame.

Coch J. A. "Babe" Brown substituted sparingly in the first three quarters, but changed nearly the entire team in the final. A flurry of missed shots, bad passes, and down the court running closed the contest. The Vandals were tabbed with 14 fouls, the flyers with only 4.

Walla Walla AAF (28)

	fg	ft	tp
Stevens	3	1	2
Wheeler	0	1	0
Bourland	2	1	0
Kotas	2	0	0
Petracelli	3	0	1
Butkus	0	0	1
Johnson	1	1	0
Beek	0	1	0
Back	0	1	0
Totals	11	6	4

Idaho (39)

	fg	ft	tp
Finlayson, f	1	0	4
Taylor, f	2	1	2
O'Connor, c	6	0	3
Pyne, g	3	1	2
Carbaugh, g	3	1	1
Overholser, f	2	0	1
Smith, g	0	0	0
Morse, g	1	0	1
Call, f	0	0	0
Stewart, g	0	0	0
Totals	18	3	14

Halftime score—Idaho 22, Walla Walla AB 13. Free throws missed.—Walla Walla: Stevens, Bourland 3, Kotas, Petracelli; Idaho—Pyne 2, Officials—Easter and Johnson.

In this place is not fit for dogs. Then you spend the rest of the evening buying War Bonds or something. Simple, isn't it? In case you feel that your own opinion about the food is a little shaky you add resolutely "And the American Society for the Condensation of Gripping agrees with me." Thus, having submitted to the final arbiter, you may rest in peace. Feels great, doesn't it?

Monday's Games

SIGMA CHI 34, SAE 25

George Frazier, Leroy Beeson and Chuck Henderson teamed up to give the Sigma Chi's their first intramural victory of the year. Heighth played an important role

Top ten scorers:

	G	FG	FT	TP
Brown, CC	4	23	2	42
Neiwirth, LDS	4	20	2	42
Beeson, SC	4	16	7	39
Walker, CC	4	14	3	31
Henderson, SC	3	14	2	30
Naylor, PD	3	12	4	28
Kilborn, KS	3	13	1	25
Arstein, KS	2	10	5	25
Strmac, SAE	3	11	2	24
Johnson, KS	4	11	1	23

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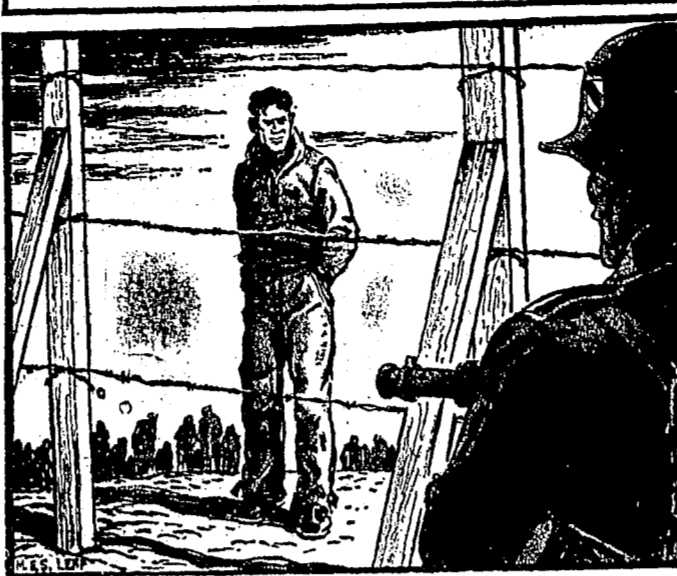
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AMERICAN HEROES

BY LEFF



Lt. Clarence Lipsky, United States Air Force, from Great Neck, L. I., was one of the first Americans to participate in the bombing of Germany and the occupied countries. Forced down over enemy territory, Lt. Lipsky is now in a Nazi prison. To free this American soldier, as well as guarantee your own future liberty, buy Sixth War Loan Bonds with every cent not needed for the essentials of living.

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Campus Club, SNs Tie Again In 'Mural Play

As intramural basketball rounds the turn into the home stretch, the Campus Club and Sigma Nu are perched squarely atop the team standings. The Campus Club holds a slight edge by having played all of its games, as Sigma Nu won two by forfeit. Phi Delta Theta occupies third place with 2 and 2. Play is steadily improving, and tighter games are forecast for this round.

League Standings

	W	L	Pct.
Campus Club	4	0	1.000
Sigma Nu	4	0	1.000
Phi Delta Theta	2	2	.500
L. D. S.	2	3	.400
Kappa Sigma	2	3	.400
Wheeler	1	2	.333
S. A. E.	1	2	.333
Phi Gamma Delta	1	2	.333
Delta Tau Delta	1	3	.250
Sigma Chi	1	4	.200

Schedule of game for next week: Monday—SAE vs. Delta Tau Delta, Phi Gamma Delta vs. Phi Delta Theta, Sigma Nu vs. L.D.S. No Games Wednesday.

Jim Brown, Campus club's high-scoring forward, continues to pace individual scorers in the intramural basketball race with a total of 48 points in four games, a 12 point game average. Bob Neiwirth, LDS, follows with a 42 point total, and Sigma Chi's Leroy Beeson ranks third with 39. Highest game average, however, goes to Oscar Arstein, lanky Kappa Sig forward with 25 tallies in only two tilts.

Top ten scorers: Brown, CC 4 23 2 42; Neiwirth, LDS 4 20 2 42; Beeson, SC 4 16 7 39; Walker, CC 4 14 3 31; Henderson, SC 3 14 2 30; Naylor, PD 3 12 4 28; Kilborn, KS 3 13 1 25; Arstein, KS 2 10 5 25; Strmac, SAE 3 11 2 24; Johnson, KS 4 11 1 23

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Cage Squad Books Four Home Tussles In Coming Week

A four game home-court schedule faces U. of I. hoopers before vacation. Thursday, Geiger Field's hefty team will invade the Memorial gym. The soldiers edged WSC by two points, in a high score fracas, and so this will be a tough game.

On Friday and Saturday nights, the V-12 re-inforced Gonzaga squad will play. The Vandals split with the sailors at Spokane, which indicates a close series.

Tuesday of next week the highly touted Eastern Washington College of Education Savages, who drubbed the Brownmen at Cheney last week, will play a return game. This will be a revenge game for Idaho, so should be worth watching.

Speed Up

Special electric lamps dry paint on aircraft instruments in nine minutes. The conventional way ovens require two hours per coat.

Shamanistic texts on bone are the earliest samples of writing discovered in China.

Sigs defeated LDS 37 to 25. The game was slow and a bit ragged in spots. Very few fouls were called during the contest, a rarity for this year's intermurals. Carl Neiwirth flipped in 12 points for the losers to increase his four game total to 42, only six points behind league-leading Jim Brown.

PHI DELTS 23, DELTA TAUS 22

In a low scoring, closely fought contest, the Phi Deltas moved into third position in the standings by virtue of a 23 to 22 win over Delta Tau Delta. Bud Galey paced the winners with nine points, while Bob Gardner's eight topped the losers.

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GAIL RUSSELL DIANA LYNN

Freshman O'Connor Sets Scoring Pace; Pyne Seconds

By RUSS WARD

Freshman Bob O'Connor, only 17 years old but hittin' that 'hoop like a seasoned veteran, is currently pacing the Vandals in scoring, statistics of the first seven games revealed today.

O'Connor, at the moment, has connected for 77 points on 30 field goals and 17 free throws, an 11-point game average. Runner-up Len Pyne, last season's point pacer, has pushed in a total of 53 points on 22 field goals and nine gift tosses. Bill Carbaugh with 30 and John Taylor with 24 follow in that order.

Winners in three of the seven tilts, the Vandals have accumulated 254 tallies, a 36-point game average, but the opposition has netted 290, a better than 41-point average.

Heading the "meanie" list is Pyne with 17 personals against him, but is pressed closely by Carbaugh with 16 and O'Connor's 15. Carbaugh is the only Idaho player ejected by the new five-foul ruling.

Individual scoring: (7 games) fg ft tp

O'Connor	30	17	15	77
Pyne	22	9	17	53
Carbaugh	11	8	16	30
Taylor	10	4	13	24
Overholser	9	4	10	22
Finlayson	10	2	11	22
Call	4	0	4	8
Morse	2	2	6	6
Smith	1	2	4	4
Arstein	1	1	1	3
Schiferl	1	0	1	2
Bogder	1	0	0	2
Stewart	0	1	1	1

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