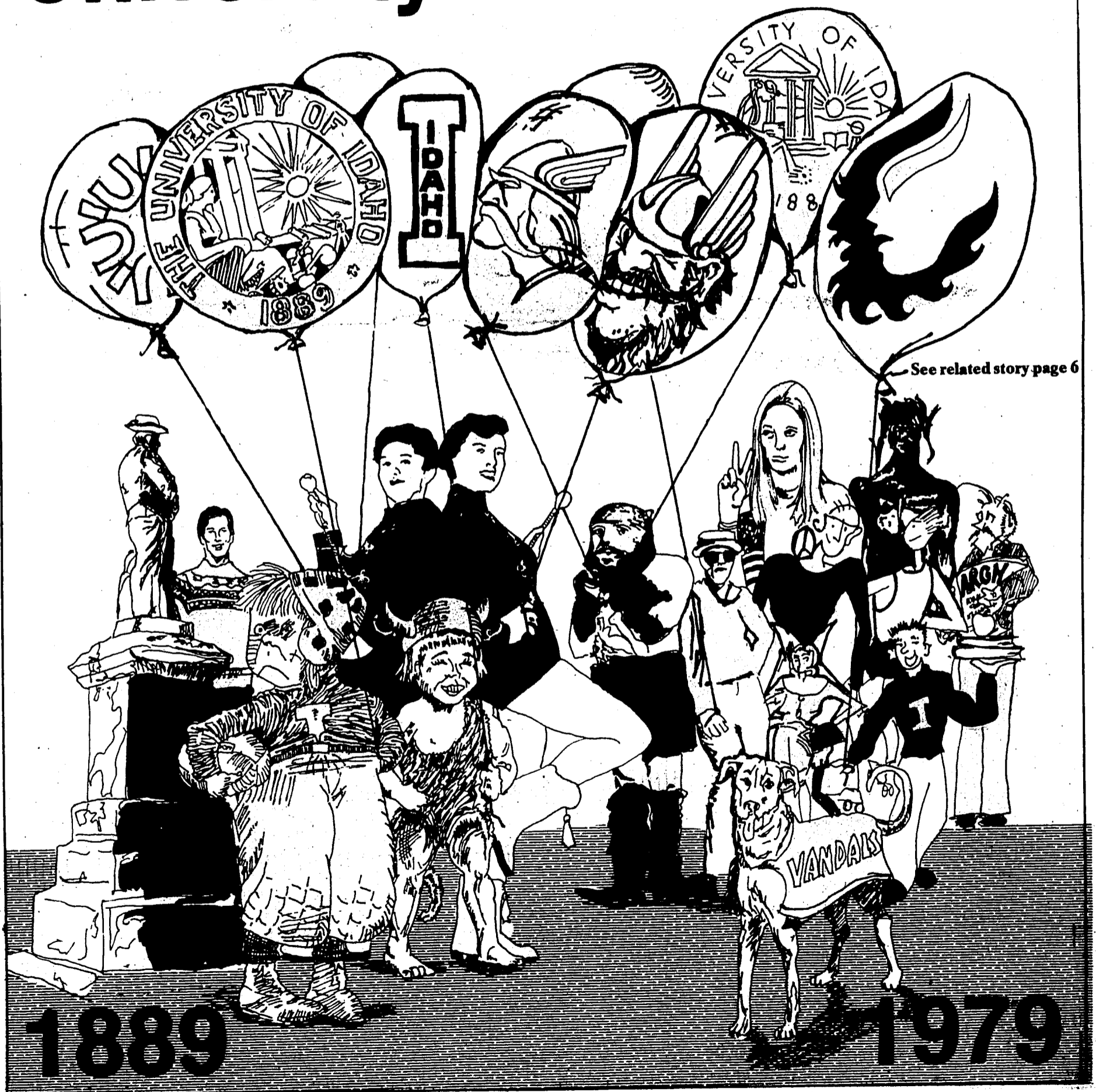


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## President's space carries higher fine

by Kathy Barnard

Don't park in the president's parking spot, or you could find yourself with a wheel lock and a fine three times the normal amount for improper parking on campus.

Anyone parking in the president's reserve spot in the parking lot west of the Administration annex is immobilized with a wheel lock, which requires a \$15 fine to be removed, according to Lee Perryman, campus parking coordinator. The usual fine for illegal parking, or for any offense other than meter violations, is \$4, he said.

The higher fine is based on two regulations, according to Chuck Woolson, director of institutional services.

Section E-3 of the campus

parking regulation reads:

"Signs have been erected for the purpose of defining parking areas and to notify drivers of other regulations with which they must comply."

Section J-3-a-1 reads:

"The university may order the mechanical immobilization of, or the impoundment and storage of, any vehicle parked in areas where parking is not allowed."

"On a purely regulatory basis, the higher fine is legitimate," Woolson said. "The higher fine is being enforced specifically on his (Dr. Gibb's) instruction."

"It is consistent with the regulations," Cecil Hathaway, head of the campus traffic committee, said. However,

the committee has appealed at least one \$15 citation for parking in the president's space.

"The committee simply felt a \$15 fine was unreasonable," he said.

Gibb said wasting time trying to find a parking spot prompted his request for wheel locks on cars parked in his space.

"Last week I came back to my space three times one day and found someone in my space. Students and other people who were waiting to see me had to wait even longer because I couldn't find a place to park," he said.

"I also requested that wheel locks be put on people parking in handicapped spaces illegally," he said.

## Journalists announce contest dates

A Feb. 10 deadline for entries in the 1978-79 Mark of Excellence Contest for college journalists has been announced by the Society of Professional Journalists.

The contest annually recognizes outstanding student writers, editors, broadcasters, cartoonists and photographers. Eligible to compete are persons working on academic degrees who were enrolled as college or university students during the contest period, Feb. 1, 1978 to Feb. 1, 1979. No fees are

required in the open competition, and entries are not restricted to publication or broadcast on campus.

Entries, which should be submitted to SPJ regional directors, will be judged by professionals from each geographical area. Top entries in each category will be recognized at the society's regional conferences this spring.

Winning regional entries in each category will be forwarded to the society's headquarters to compete for

national awards.

Categories for the contest are: **NEWSPAPERS**—editorial writing, editorial cartooning, spot news, depth reporting (including series and features) and all-round student newspaper; **MAGAZINE**—non-fiction article and all-round student magazine; **BROADCASTING**—radio spot news, radio depth reporting, television spot news and television depth reporting; and **PHOTOGRAPHY**—news photo and feature photo.

## Senate to consider KUOI's financial woes

The ASUI Senate will consider three bills concerning KUOI-FM's financial problems at its meeting 7 p.m. Wednesday in the SUB Chiefs Room.

The first bill provides for a transfer of \$2,563.66 from the ASUI general reserve account to the irregular help portion of the KUOI account. The second bill provides for a transfer of \$2,705.66 from the repair and replacement reserve to the operating expenses portion of the KUOI account. The third bill provides for a rebudgeting.

The station spent more than 80 percent of its budget for the last semester, according to ASUI President Rick Howard.

The senate will also consider living group assignments. Proposed assignments are:

DeMeyer—Phi Delta Theta, Hays, Delta Sigma Phi and Willis Sweet.

Wani—Lambda Chi Alpha, Kappa Kappa Gamma and off campus.

Noble—Kappa Alpha Theta, Snow, Beta Theta Pi and Houston.

Wright—Whitman, Sigma

Alpha Epsilon, Pi Beta Phi and off campus.

McMahan—Alpha Chi Omega, Chrisman, Phi Kappa Tau, Sigma Nu and off campus.

Groff—Tau Kappa Epsilon, Shoup, McCoy and Kappa Sigma.

Crossan—Alpha Gamma Delta, Graham, French and Phi Gamma Delta.

Shaber—Forney, Gary Loess, Sigma Chi and Delta Tau Delta.

Hopla—Theta Chi, Olesen, Gault and Pi Kappa Alpha.

Morris—Delta Delta Delta, McConnell, Targhee and Carter.

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# U of I should comply with Title IX this year

by Lynda Herrick

In order to comply with the Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, the women's athletic program requires \$200,000 to \$270,000, said Kathy Clark, U of I assistant women's athletic director.

Clark expects to meet the new interpretation regulations of Title IX issued by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare by Sept. 1, 1979.

Title IX was implemented to ensure equal opportunities for men and women by eliminating discrimination on the basis of sex in federally funded programs.

According to *The Chronical of Higher Education*, Part I of the interpretation aims at "immediately eliminating discrimination in university athletic programs as they are today." Part II deals with "eliminating over a reasonable period of time, the discriminatory effects of the historic emphasis on men's sports, and to facilitate the continued growth of women's athletics."

The interpretation states that intercollegiate football is "unique, because of the size of its teams, the support staffs and facilities it requires and the volume of revenue it generates."

Clark said the "worst" area of inequity is in the area of women's athletic scholarships. She said other areas for the women's program to develop "as it should be" are operating expenses—including telephone expenditures, postage, insurance, awards and equipment, and traveling expenses.

Clark said some of the financial alternatives for compliance with title IX would be:

- increase in state funds.
- increase in student fees.
- Vandal Booster support—women's athletics has not asked for support until now.
- increase out-of-state women's athlete waivers.

Clark said, "It's a very difficult thing, especially with the one percent money crunch, to come up with new money."

President Gibb has postponed the addition of women's athletic scholarships, but she said she has been "assured" that the women's athletic department will receive equal "per capita expenditures." She said "average per capita expenditures" will be determined by dividing total expenses for each sex by the total number of participating athletes of each sex. (e.g., if there are 100 men athletes and

50 female, then the total expenditure for women will be half that of men.)

Clark said that "for the most part" women's and men's athletics are "fairly comparable." She said the university recognizes "something has to be done and now we're zeroing in." (Men participating in U of I athletic programs are issued shoes. Clark said, women athletes have never been issued shoes.) "But," she said, "the U of I has the best possible atmosphere" to solve the existing inequities.

As of Sept. 1, 1979, H.E.W. would "assume" that the university is in compliance with the Title IX regulations, Clark said. Investigation of the campus would occur if a sex discrimination complaint was filed to the Office of Civil Rights. She said that if the university was not in compliance, then federal funds would be withdrawn from the institution.

Donna Holt, director of the Women's Center, said that if the university lacks funds for an equal opportunity program, "including all educational opportunities," then it would have to "cut down on time and spread the funds around." She said, "I know men are allowed to go in the locker room when women are not."

Holt said that it's not hard for a university to be in compliance with Title IX. "You have to decide, I'm going to think differently. I'm going to think in a nonsexist way," she said. She added, "It's possible. It's not taking away anybody's freedom, it's extending that freedom to everybody."

Carol Franklin, Assistant Affirmative Action Officer, said "We urge people who feel there is sex bias to bring it to our attention." She said that the Affirmative Action Office has "no indication" that there are "specific problems" with Title IX.

Franklin said each university department was required to do a self-evaluation of its department to insure that the programs were free from sex bias.

In concluding the self-evaluation, some of the recommendations from departments were:

—The College of Agriculture—provide a workshop for recruiting female high school students.

—College of Business and Economics—include more

pictures of women in brochures.

—Home Economics Department—assure that men and women receive scholarships on the basis of qualification not gender, picture men in brochures and provide information in course catalogues that all classes are open to both men and women.

Franklin said there were no sex bias in admissions before or after the implementation of Title IX. She said, "We can't say that there aren't any problems—as people identify them we deal with them." She said, "It's hard to know everything that's going on out there—we need help too."

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## 'Sure, I'll find my class—eventually'

After the dust of registration had settled, at least one U of I student had misplaced a class. A senior majoring in commercial recreation had lost a biweekly 8 a.m. class, and did not know where to find it.

It could have happened to anyone. On the first day of class, she arrived fifteen

minutes late to find the classroom empty. Assuming the class had been dismissed early, she planned to "catch it the next time around."

However, when Tuesday came, she didn't hear her alarm clock, and missed the class again.

"I woke up at 8:00 and it takes a half hour to walk from

my house, so I didn't even try it," she said.

By Thursday morning, she was prepared to take on the class, only to find the classroom empty when she arrived. "It looked like it had never been used before. And the department hadn't been notified of the room change."

The student, who wishes to remain unidentified, is a veteran of many classes, including the early ones. This is the first one she has ever misplaced. Her only hope now, she says, is to find the phantom professor before the drop date.

## Pound talk to feature Dickey

James Dickey, author of the book *Deliverance*, will be the featured speaker of the fifth annual Pound Lecture in the Humanities, scheduled for April 26.

The lecture is sponsored annually by the English department and the Humanities Library in honor of the world-acclaimed Idaho poet Ezra Pound.

Dickey joins the ranks of previous honored guests of the U of I lecture, which includes Marshall McLuhan and Buckminster Fuller. He has served as Humanities Consultant to the Library of Congress, one of the few poets to have held that position.

The topic of the lecture has not been released, as it is the choice of the speaker. Previous speakers have chosen a variety of topics,

including a last year's discussion of Pound's and T.S. Eliot's poetry by the Canadian sociologist McLuhan.



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# Commentary

## There's a positive side, too

Too often we tend to focus on the negative side of this university. That's probably as it should be. Without knowledge of these concerns, we can never begin to solve them.

But in the rush to point them out, we frequently ignore the many positive sides. These deserve mention, particularly today as the U of I enters its tenth decade:

—The U of I continues to provide the state and nation with a great deal of research advances. Agriculture, biology, wildlife and forestry are among the fields of study that have been greatly aided by this.

—The university also sponsors research into the social sciences. An example here is the Bureau of Public Affairs Research which periodically provides local government officials with vital information.

—Students enjoy a wide variety of pursuits: The U of I offers degrees ranging from bachelors to doctorates. The university produces educators, agricultural experts, lawyers, engineers..., and even a few journalists.

—U of I graduates have made their mark at all levels, including the national scene. U of I grads helped produce cortisone, which has proved extremely effective in treating severe asthma and inflammation, and teflon, which has shown innumerable benefits.

One U of I graduate helped organize the Paris Peace Talks which led to the end of the U.S. involvement in Vietnam.

These are but a few examples of the fruitful partnership between this institution and the state and nation.

It comes as no surprise that out-of-state students are increasingly fond of this university. It offers them what native institutions lack.

For one thing, this university is one of a handful of residential-type campuses. With a good part of the student population living either in dormitories or fraternities and sororities, students can choose from a multitude of social activities.

We are also fortunate in attending school in a nice small community. Moscow is something of a rarity today—the classic college town. It operates largely on a first-name basis.

But it is the spirit of this university that largely sets it apart from most. Despite inflation, budget crunches, and other fiscal problems, the U of I continues to offer an education at a price affordable to virtually anyone.

The U of I represents the spirit of opportunity to all, not merely those who can afford it. As the university marks its ninetieth year, hopefully those who are trusted with its welfare will remember that.

M.T.

## Nixon's return: why so easy?

Former President Richard Nixon returns to the White House this week to greet Chinese Vice Premier Teng Hsiao-ping.

It signifies to some extent Nixon's emerging respectability. But it seems ironic that it would come almost a week following former Attorney General John Mitchell's release from prison.

Nixon is being honored for his part in the thawing of relations between the People's Republic of China and the United States. Since Teng's visit marks the first state visit by any communist Chinese leader to this nation, President Carter deemed it appropriate to invite Nixon.

Nixon will be remembered for his role in normalizing relations with China. But he will also be remembered for Watergate.

To accord him official status even now seems incredible to those who vividly remember his excesses while in office.

While Nixon has been making his increased number of public appearances this year, he has continually refused to acknowledge his mistake. His position in Watergate was a policy error.

What's frightening is his re-emergence may indicate that future historians may agree with him.

Perhaps Nixon's administration can not be evaluated totally under the shadow of Watergate. That administration had several major accomplishments that aided this country.

But Nixon, the man who let his subordinates serve jail terms while he accepted a presidential pardon, can and must be evaluated by that performance.

M.T.

## Vocal minority shouldn't rule

While putting together last Tuesday's *Argonaut* we noticed the overwhelming support given ASUI President Rick Howard in his efforts to remain registered as a lobbyist.

It wasn't until later that we also noticed a surprising similarity in the authors of the letters: that is, all were or have been members of the College Republicans.

This may have been an organized letter-drive or simply coincidence arising from similar viewpoints. But if this was an organized letter-drive it displays a flagrant misuse of the *Argonaut's* letter column.

When people disagree with editorials in our paper, we encourage them to respond in our letters column.

But when someone responds to certain political issues and is a member of a certain ideological group, (i.e. College Republicans, or their Democratic counterparts, etc.) those people should identify themselves as members of that group.

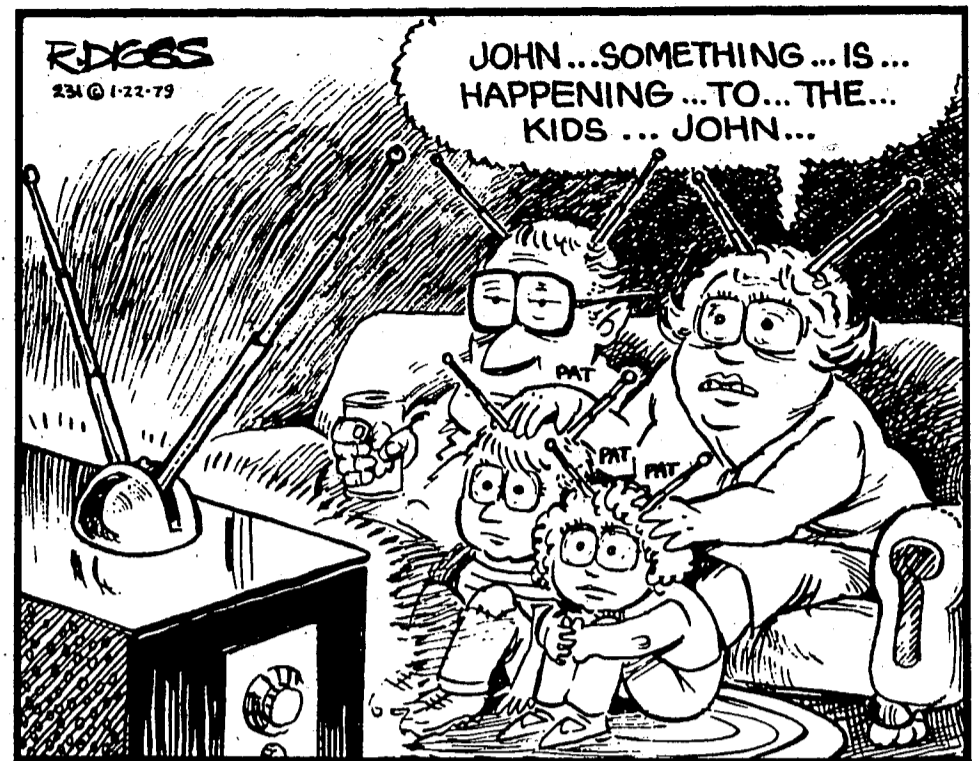
Letters taken separately might indicate a groundswell of public opinion about a certain issue when in fact there is little.

Making the *Argonaut* letter policy stricter would solve this problem but also stifle the flow of ideas.

A vocal minority shouldn't be able to dominate the pages set aside specifically for a student forum.

We ask our readers to identify themselves as honestly as we do when taking a stand.

G.S.



betsy brown

## asui influence

The tempest in the ASUI teapot has ended. ASUI President Rick Howard and Legislative Liaison Dave Boone have cancelled their registration as lobbyists. The ASUI Senate, which had insisted on having a "liaison" and not a "lobbyist" in Boise, is presumably pleased. Most people are still unsure of the difference between a "liaison" and a "lobbyist," but this distinction is no longer important.

It is now time for all of us to forget this embarrassing squabble and turn our attention to more important business.

Most ASUI elected officials joined the student because they believe that student government can effectively represent student interests. The one percent initiative is likely to have a drastic effect on the students of this university. Certainly, the ASUI government is willing to accept the responsibility of taking an active role in helping the U of I deal with this situation. It has both the duty and the ability to do so.

For instance, the well being of the students of this university depends on the U of I receiving adequate funding from the Idaho Legislature. Surely it is the responsibility of the ASUI government to influence the Legislature to provide adequate funding.

It will not be enough for the student senate to pass well-intentioned resolutions about this subject. If this sounds as if I am suggesting a need for some ASUI "lobbying" in Boise, so be it.

Although U of I President Richard Gibb recently told *Campus News* that the latest budget cutting exercise "was not a wasted effort," more emergency planning will be necessary if budget cuts are actually made. The student government, left out of previous budget exercises, should insist on a formal role in future planning for budget cuts.

The administration has avoided suggesting specific budget cuts so far, supposedly to avoid unnecessary panic in the university. But will the decision about specific cuts be delayed so long that there won't be time for anyone to challenge the administration's proposals? ASUI leaders should find the answer to this question.

Our student representatives should also talk with various faculty leaders about how students and faculty can work together to deal with the effects of the one percent. Such faculty leaders could include officers of the Faculty Council and the heads of local chapters of the Idaho Federation of Teachers and the American Association of University Professors.

The Board of Regents may be considering instituting in-state tuition. In-state tuition would not only violate the Idaho Constitution, but might also price many students right out of the higher education market. The ASUI government should be working to convince the regents that this is not a workable solution to the university's financial problems.

Students at the U of I have common concerns with students at other Idaho universities. Members of the ASUI government might do well to work with their counterparts at ISU, BSU and LCSC.

Finally, our student government needs to gather the opinions of U of I students about issues surrounding the one percent initiative, perhaps through some sort of referendum.

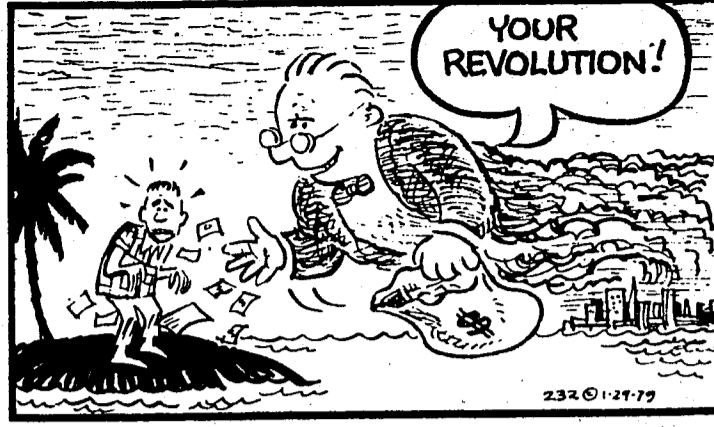
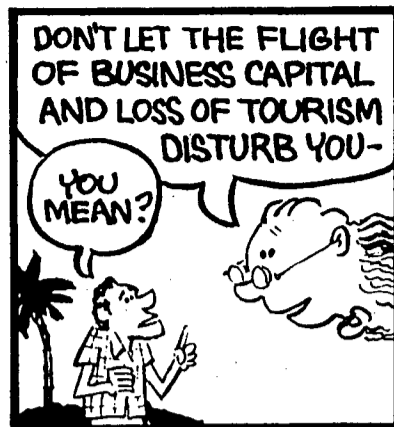
None of these suggestions is particularly radical. I am simply proposing that ASUI elected officials use the power they claim to already have. How well they are able to do this will be a crucial test of their credibility.

## LETTER POLICY

The *Argonaut* will accept letters to the editor until noon the days prior to publication. All letters become the property of the *Argonaut*. Letters must be typed, double-spaced, signed in ink by the author, and include the author's phone number and address for verification. Names may be withheld upon request at the editor's discretion.

Letters will be edited for spelling, grammar, clarity and conciseness. To allow space for as many letters as possible, letters should be limited to 250 words. All points in letters will be retained, but letters may be edited for brevity.

The *Argonaut* reserves the right to not run any letter.



rick howard

cooperation/representation

Are the students of the U of I (ASUI) going to suffer the consequences of an irresponsible student government? As your president, I want you the students to know that this is *not* the case!

In the last two weeks, the *Argonaut* has printed several stories and opinions concerning a confrontation with the ASUI Senate and myself. Gloria Stonecipher as editor has offered me a chance to voice my side of the issue. But rather than presenting an opinion of what is now history, I would like to address two expressed concerns that have developed as an outcome of this disagreement:

cooperation between the ASUI Senate and ASUI President, and student representation in Boise at the State Legislature.

Poor relations between the ASUI Senate and President in the past have demonstrated that productiveness is greatly hindered by the lack of cooperation. The thought of repeating last year's scene has many students rightfully concerned.

However, current senate-president relations are good and are daily getting better. I believe the student leaders that are your ASUI officials have learned a great deal from the lack of cooperation and the disagreement on

this issue. The haunting past opened all our eyes. Through this experience and an evaluation of each side, unity and a desire to work together has developed. We are now looking to the future—setting goals and ambitions for new programs and better services to the students. This will be an aggressive and productive year for the ASUI.

The timing for this kind of an ASUI government is good, too. Because of the demands of the one percent initiative, the Legislature is looking more seriously at cutting expenses and increasing revenue. Many actions taken by these legislative houses

directly relate to students. Such issues as higher education appropriations, residential requirements, student aid programs and possible implementation of in-state tuition (to mention a few) are ASUI concerns. And students want these concerns presented.

We do recognize this need, and have an ASUI legislative liaison at the Idaho Legislature in Boise. Your liaison, Dave Boone, is doing a super job for the ASUI.

We are not creating unwanted issues, but are preparing and waiting for our turn. If an issue develops (i.e. in-state tuition) the ASUI will be able to express the students' concerns.

Response

Senators gone?

Editor,

What has happened to the senators who were going to represent the students? What has happened to the senators who were going to cooperate with the ASUI President?

Were they kidnapped? Replaced & MIA? KIA? I looked for them at Wednesday's senate meeting, but found only three.

Nine other individuals, posing as senators, wholly failed to represent or cooperate. They failed to even ask for student input, let alone listen to what little they had. And they failed to even attempt to cooperate with a president who had gone out of his way to try to cooperate with them.

Now the senate has a new task before them. They must define the duties of a liaison, so that Dave Boone and Rick Howard will be able to represent us in Boise.

Let us hope that our real senators can be found soon, so that the ASUI can once again proceed in a positive direction.

Bill Oliver

Entertaining ideas

Editor,

What is your opinion on what kind of entertainment the ASUI entertainment department should be working on? Should we be working on a few large rock & roll concerts, or more smaller concerts like Doc Watson, jazz, and swing music? Do you have an opinion?

Better yet, would you want to get involved? As I see it, the success or failure of our entertainment committee is dependent on student involvement. Needless to say, we need

help, the more the better.

Presently the Coffee House and a monthly mini-concert is what we have that is operable. But this semester there are good possibilities of attracting promoters to the facilities we have here financial risk-free. Plus we have to plan next semester's entertainment.

One thing I'd like to see a committee work on is having a two-day folk festival next fall, plus working on grants to support it. The entertainment department is also going to have a budget for next fall. What this money is going to be spent on depends on your response now.

There is going to be a meeting this Thursday, Feb. 1 at 7:30 pm in the ASUI dept. room in the SUB. If you have any ideas at all on the production, promotion, marketing, or what you want for entertainment, please attend.

Ed Statzel

Homosexual rats

Editor,

Perhaps this excerpt Of Crystal Origin may be of interest to your readers.

A researcher built a large cage complete with food and water. He then put a male and a female rat in it. Soon there were four, then eight, sixteen, and so on. In time there were almost wall-to-wall rats. But he would not let one go.

When matters became unbearable, they segregated into lesbians and homosexuals.

If this is how nature controls overcrowding, it follows: as the rats die off, the cage would become rat-free, life-free. But does nature also control undercrowding?

If only the research had taken one more step, and withdrew all but a

lesbian and a homosexual, would nature now permit a litter?

Or, could a lesbian and homosexual produce a baby. Alone on an island?

Now the matter would be controlled. And we would know. Either way.

B.M. Osowitz, Retired

Cuban prisoner

Editor,

To your readers:

I NEED YOUR HELP! My best friend's father is being held as a political prisoner in Cuba. In the early 60's he was living in Cuba as an American citizen. He was a rancher but he also supplied common information to the CIA. Under this capacity he was imprisoned by the Cuban government and sentenced to 30 years in jail where he has been ever since. My friend was less than five years old when his father was taken from him and his family.

I would like to ask every one of you to help my friend get to know his father. Would you all please take a pencil and paper and write your congressmen asking that all necessary steps be taken to facilitate the release of a good man, Laurence Lunt, from unduly wasting the best years of his family life cooped up in a Cuban prison cell?

In an effort to help a friend, I thank you from the bottom of my heart!

Tom Neff

Pride in the way

Editor,

The ASUI Senate has done it again! It has somehow managed to put pettiness and personal pride ahead of logical reasoning.

The senate *knows* the one percent initiative has passed. It *knows* that a

bill calling for in-state tuition will be presented before this session of the Idaho Legislature. It *knows* of far reaching effects on post-secondary education in Idaho.

It *knows* of the real possibility of decreased funding for the university. It *knows* that a lot can happen down in Boise that will have far reaching effects on post-secondary education in Idaho.

It *knows* all this! But who does the senate want to represent us before the Legislature? Who does it want to present the students' side?

If we are to believe the results of Wednesday's meeting, the ASUI Senate wants us to be represented by no one at all! It passed a bill which, in effect, prohibits Legislative Liaison Dave Boone and ASUI President Rick Howard from presenting the students side before the legislature.

Is this in the best interest of the students? Or is the senate still having fun playing in the sand?

Just whom are our senators serving anyway? Us...or their egos?!

Sincerely  
Jim Biasca

Anniversary salute

Editor,

Today the U of I celebrates its 90th Birthday. This is unique in that this institution is older than our great state itself.

It's important to look around the campus and for that matter the entire state and see what this university has accomplished. Sometimes it is easy to take much of this for granted; but today especially, we should be proud, as students and faculty to be associated with this great university.

University of Idaho we salute you, and wish you a happy 90th Birthday.

Rick Sparks

# University gains charter one year before statehood

by Cary Hegreberg

Upon delving into the past, it seems apparent the U of I has come a long way since it was signed into existence by the territorial legislature Jan. 30, 1889, more than a year before Idaho became a state.

The actual bill was introduced to the legislature by J.W. Brigham, whose wife, Nellie, was one of the first students to enroll when the university opened its doors in October, 1892. (At that time it was quite unusual for women to attend college.)

The university was formed in northern Idaho, specifically Moscow, partly to prevent the Idaho Panhandle from being annexed by the Washington Territory. A bill to that effect was passed by the U.S. Congress, but was vetoed by President Grover Cleveland. Fearing such a movement may arise again, the Idaho Territorial Legislature thought if a university was established in northern Idaho, it could not be annexed by Washington.

When the bill was submitted to the legislature, it was strongly criticized by the *Idaho Daily Statesman*. The *Statesman* contended there was no need for a university and if worst came to worst and a university was formed in northern Idaho, it should be located in Lewiston, "because the scenery there is better."

Despite the controversy, the bill passed both houses of the legislature Jan. 29, and was signed by Governor Stevenson Jan. 30, since known as "Founders Day."

Several years passed before the university could muster funds to begin operation. In fact, many people speculated that the university would never begin operation.

The university did begin operation, however, and when the first president, Franklin Gault, arrived in Moscow, he saw a freshly plowed campus with the west wing of the original Administration Building in the center. That building later burned in 1906.

The campus originally consisted of a 20-acre wheatfield which the regents purchased for \$4,000.

When classes began, about a month after Gault arrived, the 30 students and John Ostrander, the only faculty member other than Gault, had to stand because there was no furniture in the entire building.

Life for the university was provided by the Morrill Act, for which Morrill Hall is named. The Morrill Act, signed by President Abraham Lincoln during the Civil War, established land-grant colleges throughout the United States by endowing them with land and money. In return the institutions were to provide military training



programs for young men attending them.

The idea of land-grant colleges was revolutionary because emphasis was given to agriculture and the mechanical arts. This was a definite break from the "classical" colleges, which were for the few, whereas land-grant colleges like the U of I were for the many.

When the U of I was

designated the state's land-grant college in 1891, it received \$30,000 and more land.

Since its modest beginnings, having the U of I located in Moscow or "northern Idaho" has met with mixed reactions from people of the state.

However, the *Blackfoot News* in May, 1889 may have accurately assessed the reasons for selecting Moscow

as the site for the university: "It is often told in Southern Idaho that all roads lead to Moscow, that Moscow has the loveliest ladies and the noblest men of any town in the Territory, that its surrounding country has the most fertile valleys and the most beautiful mountains and upon whose tops one can stand and tickle the feet of Democratic angels."

## Celebration includes free cake and coffee

Free birthday cake and coffee will be available in the SUB and Satellite SUB from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. today in honor of the university's ninetieth anniversary.

A brief cake-cutting ceremony will also be held today at about 2 p.m. in the Faculty Lounge in conjunction with the regular Faculty Council meeting. "We thought if we're having a cake, a cutting of the cake ceremony is symbolic," said Dr. Arthur Gittins, chairman of the committee planning the anniversary activities.

Gittins said President

Richard Gibb will make several comments at the ceremony and certain representatives of the university, including students, alumni, faculty, emeritus faculty, staff and members of the community have been invited.

ASUI president, Rick Howard, forwarded a resolution to the state legislature formally recognizing the university's ninetieth anniversary and its contributions to the state. Similar resolutions were submitted to the Moscow City Council and the ASUI Senate.

Howard said the Vandaleers, a U of I choral group, will perform selections such as "Here We Have Idaho" before the legislature later this week. The Vandaleers, formed in 1930, were also a part of the fiftieth anniversary celebration in 1939.

Celebrations will continue throughout the year at events such as Parents Weekend and alumni gatherings, Gittins said.

A special emblem, commemorating the ninetieth anniversary, was developed by Leo Ames, creative director of the publications department, to be used on official university correspondence throughout the year.

According to an earlier *Argonaut* story, a tree was to be planted near the new addition to the Shattuck Arboretum, in honor of the anniversary but due to the snowy conditions it will be done sometime this spring.

"There's something unique about a ninetieth anniversary," Gittins said, "we should look back with a certain sense of accomplishment and look ahead with optimism for the future."



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A cold seat on a cold day didn't prevent this student from indulging in his noontime meal. Photo by Jim Johnson.

## Crime Check

- Dennis Falk, U of I beef barn manager, reported a state-owned pickup stolen early Saturday morning.
- A reel-to-reel Sony tape player, valued at approximately \$200, was last week reported taken from the Uof I Music Library.
- Jan McCroskey reported a \$10 blue parking sticker stolen from her vehicle while the vehicle was parked near Memorial Gym.
- Robin Ward last week reported an electric portable typewriter and case, value about \$200, stolen sometime over Christmas break from a study table in the law building basement.
- Greg Melton last week reported two orange-yellow traffic cones, estimated value \$20, taken from the Administration Building parking lot.
- Jim Meyer last week reported a blue fabric and Chrome chair, estimated value \$45, stolen sometime during the past three months from JEB room 21.
- Betsy Brown last week reported the right passenger door window of her car broken while the car was parked in the north SUB lot. Damage estimated at \$50.

## Continuing ED offers French

- A continuing education class in conversational French for adults will begin Feb. 13. The class will meet every Tuesday, from 7 to 10 p.m., in room 316 of the Administration Building.
- Registration fee for the course, which runs through May 15, is \$35.
- There are also openings in several other continuing education courses, including glassblowing, Seminole Indian patchwork and beginning Spanish.
- For more information about spring semester classes, or to pre-register, call the continuing education office, 885-6486.



## Skiers should note slope light conditions

Skiing can be more fun once a skier learns to cope with light—too much or too little of it—on the slopes, according to the president of the Idaho Optometric Association.

Dr. Jack Kimball said changing light conditions affect skiers' ability to see, their performance and safety. "Too little light is the more dangerous condition for skiers," Kimball said. "Distance vision is significantly diminished, especially for older skiers and the marginally nearsighted. It becomes more difficult to judge distances between yourself and another skier or object. Also shadows and flat light conditions make it

difficult to read the terrain accurately."

To combat changing light conditions, Kimball skiers use goggles with interchangeable plastic lenses of varying tints.

He recommends skiers wear tinted sunglasses or goggles that screen out 75 to 90 percent of available light on bright, cloudy days as well as sunny ones.

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# Sports

## School records fall as swimmers win four

by Sam Wear

Kathy Schmahl set a new school record in the women's 200-yard breaststroke in 2:36.11 minutes, and Nancy Bechtholdt swam to a school record in the 400-yard individual medley with a time of 4:56.51 as the U of I men

and women swimmers cruised to a pair of wins on campus Friday and Saturday.

"I was really surprised it all went so well," replied a happy U of I coach John DeMeyer. "Very simply, we did extremely well." The women defeated Whitman 89-31 Friday and Pacific Lutheran University Saturday 86-37. The men crushed Whitman 86-19, and PLU 70-40, a team they expected much more competition from.

Friday evening there was never any doubt what the outcome of the meet would be as DeMeyer positioned many of his swimmers into events they normally do not compete in. Individual winners included Kris Albin, Linda DeMeyer, and Nancy Rand, while Kathy Schmahl and Nancy Bechtholdt were double and triple winners respectively. For the men, Don Moravec and co-captain Mark Norquist won two events.

Expecting keener competition with Pacific Lutheran University on Saturday, all Vandal swimmers were back in their normal events against the Tacoma school. Sporting five double winners, the swimmers picked up where they left off on Friday evening as they breezed past the Lutes to raise the women's record to 7-2, and the men's to 7-1.

Nancy Bechtholdt once again paced the women swimmers with wins in the 50, 100, and 200-yard freestyles, and Kathy Schmahl won both the 50 and 100-yard breaststroke. For the men, Don Moravec won the 200-yard individual medley, and 500-yard freestyle, and co-captain Steve Cobb won the 200-yard freestyle and backstroke.

In the diving competition, Jerry Wicks from Kamiah won both the men's one and three meter diving, while the U of I women's diver Monica Newman won the one and three meter competition as well.

The Vandals have two more days to rest before they depart from Moscow early Thursday morning for three straight days of competition on the Oregon coast against Portland State, Southern Oregon, Lewis and Clark, and Willamette.



U of I sophomore Don Bokor competes in the one-meter competition on Saturday against Pacific Lutheran University. The men went on to defeat PLU 70-40. Photo by Hugh Lentz.

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### Vandals in Oregon

U of I track coach Mike Keller took 24 men to Portland, Ore. this past weekend to compete in the Portland Indoor Invitational and came back "very pleased" with several of the performances turned in by his cindermen.

After taking a semester off for student teaching, Doug Beckman came home with wins in the mile in 4:12 minutes and the 1000-meter run in 2:16.9 minutes. Freshman sensation John Trott, running in the more competitive evening race, placed third in the 1,000-meter run with a time of 2:13.04 minutes.

Former Vandal Big Sky Champ Steve Saras threw 547" in the shot, and U of I distance runner Garydon Philaja placed second in both the mile and 1000-meter behind Doug Beckman in the morning races. Other performances by Vandal men included a second place finish by Bob Peterson in the high-jump, and a 6.4 second timing in the 60-yard dash by Claude DeFour, a Trinidad, West Indies, native.



# Vandals win; Newman Big Sky Player of the Week

by Marty Renzhofer

Well, the Vandals finally won their first conference game, and in fine fashion. Idaho blew out the Boise State Broncos 69-48, an effort that gave the Vandals their seventh win of the season and snapped a seven-game losing streak.

The road trip didn't start off like Idaho would have wanted. Idaho lost a tough 92-84 decision in Pocatello to Idaho State. Lawrence Butler, the Big Sky's leading scorer at 27.4 points a game, was held to only 10 points in the first half. But he exploded for 25 second half points to offset a 26 point game by Idaho's Don

Newman.

Idaho led at half time on the strength of a Bill Hessing steal and layup at the buzzer, 31-30. But ISU outscored Idaho 21-10 during the early part of the second half to take control of the game.

The next night in Boise, the same situation presented itself to the Vandals. Up at the half

32-24, and later 39-28, the Broncos reeled off 10 straight points to pull within one. But a steal by Don Newman led to a basket, and Reed Jaussi and Newman teamed to make it 45-39. After a Boise bucket, the Vandals shut out the Broncos for the next eight minutes while scoring 11 unanswered points to put the game away.

Newman, again, led the way scoring with 25 points. This,

following a 26-point performance of the night before, made him Big Sky Player of the Week.

"I'm happy for the win," said Newman. "It's just what the team needed. We're looking forward to this weekend and the two Montana schools coming to the dome. It just shows you what we can do when we get it together."



Sophomore Patty O'Connor grabs a rebound from two Oregon College of Education players in Saturday evening's contest. It was one of the 14 caroms she grabbed in the women's double-overtime loss. Photo by Rick Steiner.

## Women's basketball team falters

The Idaho Vandal women's basketball team and its seven-game winning streak snapped this weekend with a pair of losses, 73-50 to Eastern Washington, and 63-60 in double overtime to Oregon College of Education.

In the first game, Eastern outscored Idaho 47-21 in the

### Coed takes first

Cross-country wiz Molly Ahlgren took her second 7-kilometer first place in as many weeks, and Moscow native Cindy Partridge was a close fourth in the women's competition, as the U of I Vandal Ski Club traveled to the Anthony Lakes region of Eastern Oregon Saturday to compete in a southern divisional meet.

As was the situation in Sandpoint only a week earlier, the women were unable to find a third person to compete with them; therefore, they could not qualify for final team standings.

Tuck Miller, the U of I men's number one skier, pulled a muscle during the men's race, and was forced to withdraw from the competition. Students Jim Syfield went on to place fourteenth in the 10-kilometer race, and competing in his first race ever, Rich Edland placed thirty-fifth.

Edith Partridge, the team's advisor and coach, indicated the Moscow team is only one person short of fielding an alpine squad now. Interested persons should contact Partridge at 882-7232.

first half. Even though Idaho took control of the game in the second half, the margin was too much to make up.

Mary Heath and Patty O'Connor were the leading scorers for the Vandals with 14 and 12 points respectively. Heath and Cathy Feely only managed four rebounds a piece to take top honors there.

The second game of the weekend was a more exciting game. OCE pulled out a double overtime victory on the strength of eight points by Bev Pratt and Christy Southard in the final five minutes. Idaho outscored OCE from the field in this game, but only went to the foul line five times compared to 22 for Oregon.

In the first half of the game, the Vandals were down 24-12

before Mary Heath scored six straight points. The Vandals reeled off 11 straight points before OCE scored to take a 26-23 halftime lead.

In the second half, the score went back and forth with neither team taking any kind of a lead. With two seconds left to play, and the Vandals, on points by Karin Sobotta and Feely, ahead 48-46, Oregon tied the game on two freethrows.

In the second game, the lead continued to go back and forth until, with three seconds left in the first overtime, Sobotta sank a 25-footer to tie the game.

The two losses put the women's record at 9-4. Their next game is tonight in the WHEB. at 6 p.m.

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# Entertainment

## Catherine Burge and James Smith featured in Young Artist's Concert

Two U of I students, a pianist and a cellist, will be featured artists in the third annual Young Artists' Concert with the Washington Idaho Symphony Feb. 11 and 12. The students won the opportunity to play with the orchestra in auditions held last fall.

The Young Artists Concert will be held at Lewiston High School, Sunday, Feb. 11 at 8 p.m. and at the U of I

Administration Building Auditorium, Monday, Feb. 12 at 8 p.m.

The pianist, Catherine A. Burge, will play Camille Saint-Saens's Piano Concerto No. 2 in G minor. Originally from Pittsburgh, Pa., Burge is a graduate teaching assistant at the U of I and piano instructor for the U of I's continuing education program. She gained a bachelor of arts degree in music with honors

from Ohio University.

Cellist James Smith will perform Gabriel Faure's *Elegie* with the orchestra. Smith, whose home town is Gresham, Ore., is presently a cello major at the U of I. He won a number of competitions in Oregon and twice received scholarships to attend Boston University's Tanglewood, a summer music institute in Lenox, Mass.

In addition to Burge and Smith, Pullman french horn player Stanton Falling will play Haydn's Concerto No. 1 in D Major. The program for the concert is completed by two Spokane artists, Laurel Yost, playing Beethoven's Piano Concerto No. 1 in C Major and Greg Presley, performing Prokofieff's Piano Concerto No. 3. Each of the concerto performers will be playing the first movements of their respective works.

According to orchestra manager Gleanne Wray the Moscow Mall Merchant's Association is underwriting much of the cost of this year's Young Artist's Series.

The orchestra is under the direction of H. James Schoepflin. Admission is \$2 for senior citizens and students and \$4 for adults.

## Dance auditions announced

Auditions for the University Dance Theatre's spring concert will be held in the dance studio Wednesday, Jan. 31 at noon and Thursday, Feb. 1 at 7 p.m.

All those interested in performing in the concert, to

be presented April 5 to 7, must attend at least one of the auditions.

Choreographers are looking for modern, ballet and jazz dancers. Beginners are welcome.

Tuesday, Jan. 30...

Campus Christian Center will meet at noon for a Bible study titled Jesus Hidden and Revealed-Mark. Guest will be Pastor Mikkel Thompson.

Wednesday, Jan. 31...

Outdoor Program is sponsoring a multi-image slide abstraction called "Moonshadow," a photographic celebration about the total eclipse of the sun. The program will be in the SUB ballroom and a guest from the Physics dept. will be present to answer questions.

History Phi Alpha Theta will meet at the Faculty Lounge in the FOC at 6 p.m. for a pot luck dinner to be followed by a business meeting. Sign up in the history office or call Kit Freudenberg at 882-3314.

Women's Center features a brown bag program at noon. Speaker will be Elaine Johnson of the Student Counseling Center. Her topic will be "feminist Therapy: A Mental Health Alternative for Women."

Orienteering Club will host an introduction to cross country skiing at 7 p.m. in the SUB ballroom. This meeting is preparation for an outing planned for Feb. 10. For more information contact Nancy Weller at 882-4544 or Larry Broughton at 882-8970.

Thursday, Feb. 1...

Campus Christian Center will hold a Bible study at noon. Topic will be "Paul's word of liberation for women and men." Guest will be Pastor Roger Pettenger.

Young Life Rejects will meet at Campus Christian Center. Transportation is available. If need call 882-2126.

German Kaffeeklatsch will meet at the Campus Christian Center at 4 p.m. for conversation, refreshments and a short German film, "Deutschlandspiegel... All interested persons are invited to attend.

Amnesty International will meet at the Campus Christian Center at 7:30 p.m. A movie on "Swaziland" will be shown. A WSU committee for the support of South African freedom will give a report on their activities. New members are welcome to attend.

Forestry Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Forestry Building for a discussion and planning of the spring "Woodsmen's" meet. All are welcome.

## Porcelain paintings on display at Gallery II on WSU campus

Eva Kwong, Pullman artist, is exhibiting 22 porcelain paintings in Gallery II at Washington State University

through Feb. 7. The gallery is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mondays through Fridays in the Fine Arts Center.

## Bassoonist Klimko slates concert

Bassoon music ranging from an avant garde composition to a Bach work written around 1720 will be featured by Ronald Klimko in a recital at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 6.

The U of I professor of music will perform in the Music Building Recital Hall. The recital is open to the public without charge.

His program includes Suite No. 1 in G Major B.W.V. 1007 by J.S. Bach, a work based on the traditional movements of the baroque dance suite which allows the soloist a chance to "play with all the virtuosity, flair, tenderness and control that he can muster." Also included is the Sonata for Bassoon and piano by Italian-American composer Romeo Cascarino.

He will also perform

"Child's Play" for bassoon and piano by David Ward-Steinman, a modern work requiring new sounds from both bassoonist and pianist; "Vocalise, Op. 34, by Sergei Rachmaninoff; and Sonata for Bassoon and Piano Op. 168 by Camille Saint-Saens.

The Rachmaninoff composition is played on the German system bassoon and the Saint-Saens is on the French system, giving the audience a chance to hear "both the lyrical similarities as well as the differences between these two somewhat dissimilar instruments," Klimko noted.

Klimko will close his recital with a new work written by Canadian composer Talivaldis Kenins. Kenins' Sextet for

Bassoon and Strings was written in 1978 and allows the bassoonist to play both the French and German instruments in one work. Both bassoonist and string players are required to produce new sounds, including a section where they play and hum all at the same time.

Assisting Klimko will be Jay Mauchley, assistant professor of music, piano; Stephen Folks, associate professor of music, violin; LeRoy Bauer, professor of music, viola; and Dr. William Wharton, associate professor of music, cello. Students D. Robert Burroughs, violin, and Rae Ann Gustafson, bass viol, will also assist.

The recital is free and open to the public.

## Scholarship applications available; due Feb. 24

Applications are now available for Delta Delta Delta Service projects scholarships.

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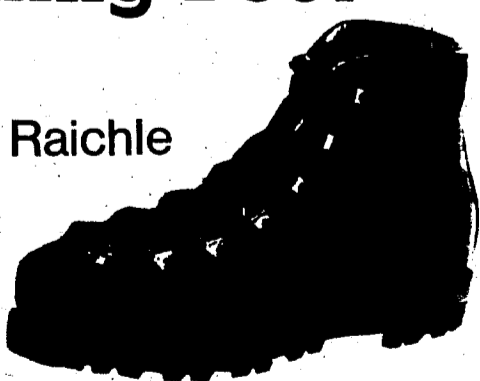
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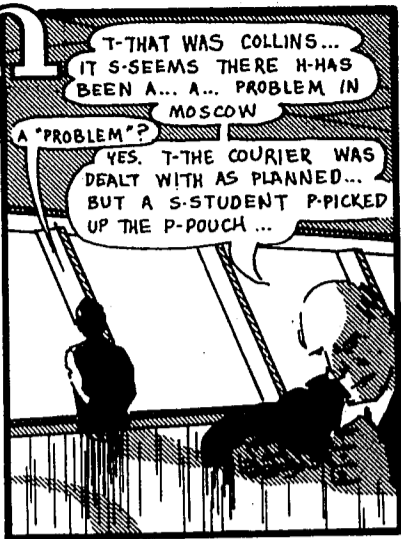
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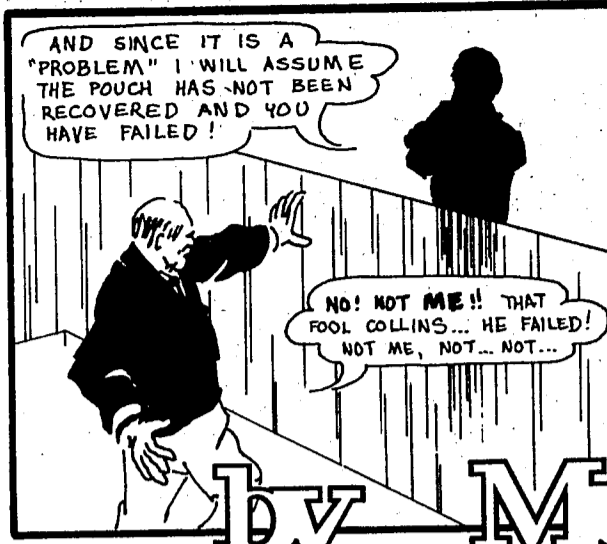
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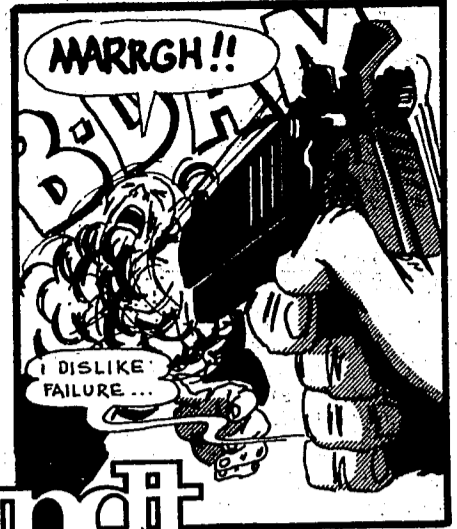


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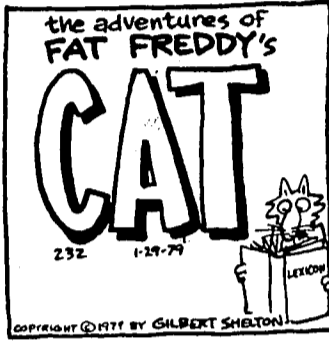
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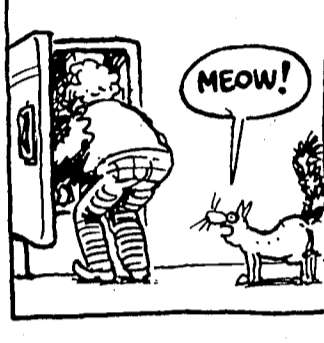
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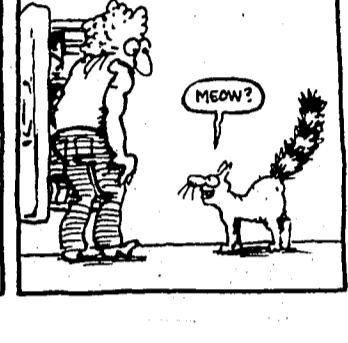
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Attention, scum: repent now, or God will cast the world into darkness February 26th! Send \$10 check or money order to: J.H. Christ, 600 ASUI Avenue.  
Join the grass roots revolution! Nation saving time is here. Membership fee \$10. Christian-Bull-Moose-Flying Tiger Party, P.O. Box 1094, Manila, Philippines. Fifty percent commission paid to recruiters of new members.

- Shotokan Karate club meets Tuesday, small gym WHEB. Thursday dance room WHEB. Beginners 8:00-9:00, Intermediate 9:00-10:00.
- 16. LOST AND FOUND**  
Lost: girls 1978 Caldwell High School ring. Silver with green stone, initialed B.S. Call Erick Anderson at 885-7578.
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- 17. MISCELLANEOUS**  
Time has run out on the nation-destroying Quasi-Government Democrat-Republican monopolist party. They have embezzled public funds by legislative action for distribution among themselves using the Federal Election Commission (which could serve a worthy purpose otherwise) to launder the taxpayer's money and pass it back to those who

embezzled the treasury funds in the first place. These quasi-government Democrat-Republican monopolist politicians are just two sides of the same coin. They survive in undemocratic and unrepresentational elections rigged to exclude all meaningful and effective competition and opposition. They have debased the currency causing catastrophic inflation, sent over fifty thousand great Americans to their death in Vietnam without giving them the chance to win, are destroying people's capitalism, individuality, they sold out the national interests to powerful lobbies, exported jobs to foreign countries, introduced a very low morality and standard of integrity in government, corrupted American media to make it ultra mercenary and bureaucratic, failed to keep pace with the integrity and democracy of Western European country politics and elections, created

a racket out of the federal budget and countless other depredations against the people and our Constitution, and cut off the media to any meaningful and effective opposition to themselves. You should all join before our country goes down the drain. Local party positions, electors, candidacies available.

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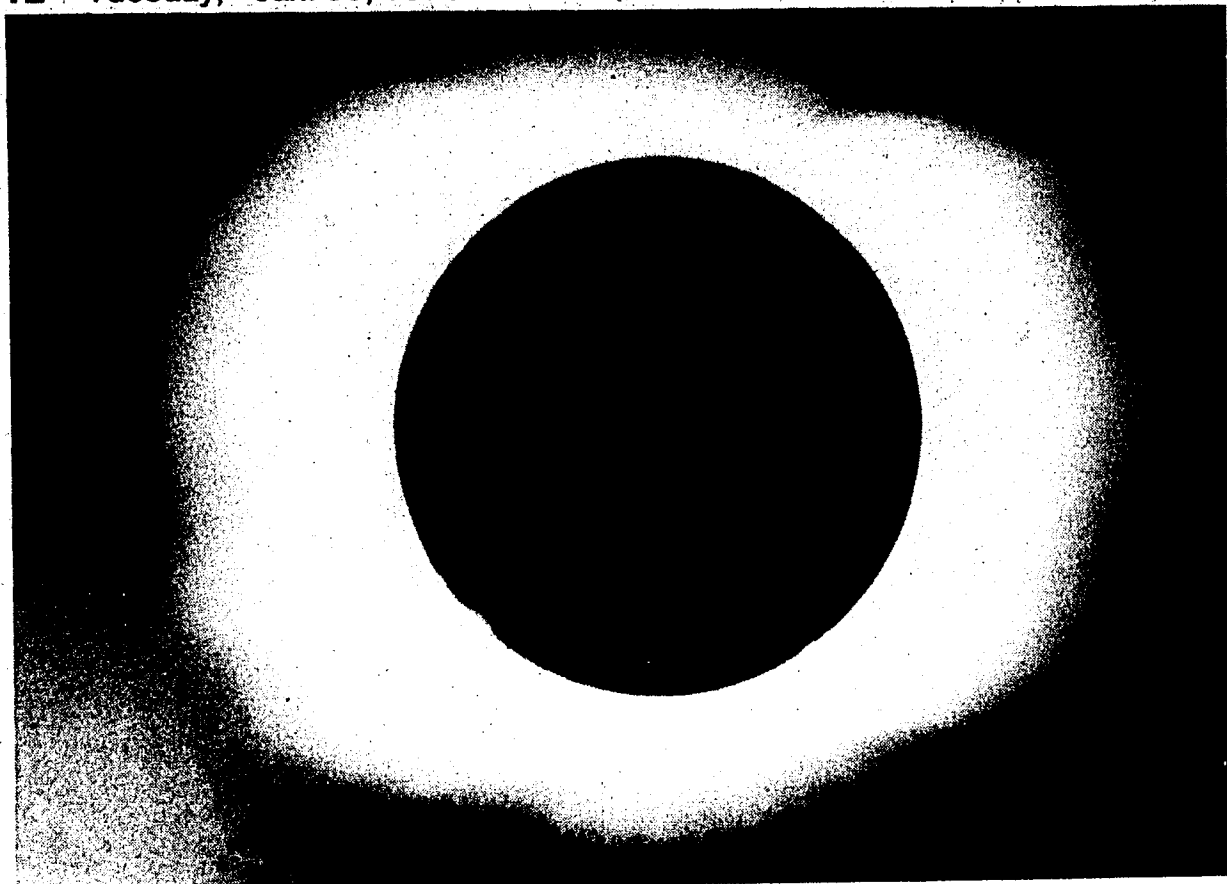
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Images like this total eclipse are superimposed with slides of northern lights and wilderness scenes to produce "Moonshadow, an abstract multi-image slide presentation celebrating the Feb. 26 total solar eclipse to happen in this area. Sponsored by the Outdoor program, the presentation will be shown tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. in the SUB Ballroom.

## Solar eclipse '79 to pass Moscow

"Moonshadow, '79" is what the U of I Outdoor Program and similar programs in the Northwest call the Feb. 26 total solar eclipse.

The eclipse path will stretch from the Astoria, Ore. area, cross along the Columbia Gorge, arch up across northern Oregon, southern Washington and northern Idaho, sweep across Montana, northwestern North Dakota, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, and end up over Greenland. Moscow will be in this path of totality.

The path of totality is about 170 miles wide and a partial eclipse will be seen outside this path. The length of the eclipse from first contact of the moon and sun until last contact is about two and a half hours. The length of totality differs with location, but averages about two and a half minutes. In Moscow, the sun starts eclipsing at 7:15 a.m. and end at 9:32 a.m. with the sun becoming totally eclipsed at 8:19 a.m. Totality will be two and a half minutes.

The U of I Outdoor Program has gathered resources about the eclipse for months. A regional conference of college Outdoor Programs last fall spent much of its time discussing projects and planning around "Moonshadow." People who attended the conference are planning to initiate trips, conferences, symposiums, and publicity, including posters, silk-screened T-shirts, slide shows and photographic exhibits, to stimulate interest in sharing and learning winter wilderness skills to prepare for eclipse viewing.

The U of I Outdoor Program has already silk-screened some "Moonshadow" T-shirts and plans to make more Feb. 7.

Gary Grimm, coordinator of the U of I Outdoor Program, has pioneered the "Moonshadow" idea, travelling along the eclipse path, contacting communities and schools. He has recently completed a multi-image slide presentation involving four projectors, with 3 images on the screen at one time. This "Moonshadow" show has been videotaped for possible distribution regionally.

"Moonshadow" will be shown this Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Student Union Ballroom. A member of the U of I Physics Department will be on hand to answer questions.

The Outdoor Program is also sponsoring two eclipse talks to be given by Tom Ingerson of the Physics Department. The first, Feb. 14 at 7:30 p.m. in room 112, Physical Science Building will be for those interested in photographing the eclipse.

The second, Feb. 21, same time and place as the first, will cover the history, mythology and specifics of total eclipses. All programs are open and free to the campus and community.

Katy Flanagan, assistant coordinator of the U of I Outdoor Program, says many people are planning wilderness excursions in areas included in the path of totality.

There are already two trips in the making through the

Outdoor Program. Interested persons are welcome to browse over the resources the Outdoor Program has about the eclipse or maybe join in the planning of a trip.

## ROTC enrollment increases; drilling, monetary gains cited

"On campuses across the nation, college students continue to show renewed interest in the opportunities offered by the Army Reserve Officers' Training Corps (ROTC)," says a press release from the Army ROTC Fourth Region Headquarters.

This trend is reflected in Army ROTC enrollment at the U of I, according to Capt. Bill Pierce, assistant professor of military science. Pierce said enrollment closed last spring with 88 students. This semester 122 students are enrolled in the Army ROTC program.

### Late registration closes today

Today is the last day to register late, change to a pass/fail option, audit a course or add courses, according to Associate Registrar Jo Baldrige.

"Students can add classes up to the end, if they petition their deans," she said, "but the regulations say tomorrow is the last day. As long as the number of credits doesn't exceed the number of weeks left in the semester, a student can add any course he likes with the permission of the instructor and the dean."

The press release attributes the increased interest in Army ROTC to changes in the program which include less drilling, monetary benefits, and revised military science courses.

There is virtually no drilling in the first two years of the four-year program, Pierce said. Classes concentrate on leadership and management styles during these years. For the second two years the students are under contract and receive \$100 a month, Pierce said.

There are only two majors the Army ROTC can't use: theology and military science majors, Pierce said. "You've heard the phrase 'the civilian army'? We utilize every major that this college puts out. You name it. We need everything."

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