IDAHO WINS SIX STRAIGHT

IX LAST TWO GAMES WITH WAILA
WALLA MEN GEM STATEST
HAD NO TIME TO SPARE.

Keene Not in the Last Game, Samms Shows Up Well in Second Half.

Final standing of the teams: 

Wen Lest P. C.
Idaho 10 2 .833
Washington 9 3 .750
W. S. C. 8 4 .667
O. A. 4 8 .333
Oregon 2 8 .290
Whitman 0 12 .000

Idaho ended the 1914 Saturday night basketball schedule by defeating Whitman for the seventh and sixth time this season on Friday and Saturday nights of last week. Friday night the game was all Idaho's from the start, because there was considerable impatience shown among the spectators because the Idaho men did not run up a large score as was expected. Idaho certainly showed a great improvement over their work when here before and it was owing to their lack of accuracy when shooting at the basket, that kept Idaho out of trouble. The visitors had the ball most of the time and placed a great deal the better game at field work. The home team displayed a complete lack of "pep" and appeared to be glued to the floor. But nothing more could be expected of them. The crowd went up to the Gym expecting to be entertained by seeing men simply swing the Missionaries, and the Idaho team came forth with as much interest as did the crowd.

The first basket was thrown by Hyde within about 7 seconds of play. It was tipped from center to Sellon, who released to Idaho, and the latter scored a goal on the next toss. From this point on, the goals did not come so easily and Idaho earned all she made. The first half ended with the score 17 to 0 with Idaho in the lead.

The second half was nearly over before anyone scored, again from the field. The final score was 37 to 14, definitely winning the entitle championship for Idaho.

Loren was again the star of the game, but he was run a close second by Keene. Keene does not show up in a game as does Loren, but he is guarding certainly adds a tower of strength to his team. Louis, however, scored 17 out of the 27 points for Idaho, in spite of all the watching which the Missionaries aimed in his direction. Sellon, who was probably the best man on the team, but he was not voted any points at all.

The Intercolleges:
Whitman (14)
Boise (17)
So. Iowa (19)
Mo. St. (27)
W. S. C. (28)
Oregon (30)

Substitutions—Gray for Hyde: Mc Allister for Heslet, Cowan for Findlay.

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MEN'S DORM AN ACTUAL NECESSITY

STRICTS NEEDED FOR A PLACE FOR MEN OF UNIVERSITY TO EAT, SLEEP, AND STUDY.

Close Association Among the Non-Fraternity Men Almost Impossible Under Present Conditions.

The questions which confront our university today are many and varied. Problems in business administration and scholastic work constantly appear for solution and in most cases these problems are being solved satisfactorily. Each year new departments are added and new courses offered to meet the demands of the growing student body.

Now let us consider briefly the accommodations which are offered the new student who comes to Idaho. The situations for the girls in planning for they are admitted at once into Ridenbaugh Hall, the girls' dormitory, where clean and sunny rooms and good board at reasonable rates may be procured.

Where does the boy go? This question may be more easily answered by telling when he does not go. He does not go to the boys' dormitory. There is no such place at the University of Idaho. So with a classified list of "rooms and board," kindly furnished him by the Y. M. C. A., the new student makes a canvass of the town. He soon discovers that the rooms at best are "spare rooms" many times unfit to live in and usually one room must suffice for both a study room and a sleeping room. The room which violates the simplest laws of health. Proper lighting, heating, and ventilating facilities are lacking in part in most of the rented rooms. One reason for such poor accommodations is this: The guarantee family which "makes the bed for two or three boys" is figuring on a basis of dollars and cents. A profit is realized by a condition which violates the simplest laws of health. A profit is made in conditions which violate the simplest laws of health. The conditions under which the boy exists. Arguing from the side of health, the fraternities have little to say about which to boast. The overcrowded condition in the fraternity is best illustrated by the ingeniously equipment employed to assist. In other words, some of the "books" are placed one above another, sometimes three deep. The accommodations offered the student are wholly inadequate.

The only real way of settling the difficulty for all time is by the construction of a dormitory which would be open to all men enrolled in the university. Not only do the present dormitories fail to meet the needs of the students, but the Ridenbaugh Hall is self-supporting.

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would be lessened or lost altogether. The size and cost of construction are items of secondary importance. If the situation is once understood in its right light, a boys building at Idaho will not long be wanting. It is high time that the facts be known, that the old eighteenth century practice of "board and room anywhere" be abolished, and a modern sanitary dormitory be erected where non-fraternity men especially may live in due form and incidents where they may experience the "joys of fraternity" — of closer association. Obviously the only solution for this problem of student accommodation is a boys' dormitory. It is interesting to note that while much good affecting the life of the college undergraduate, has been accomplished, the most important feature of his college days is neglected. Let's start boosting.

NOT TEMPERANCE ADVOCATES

Only 12 College Men Display Interest One Way of Other Woertendyke Tails.

It may only be another indication of the half isolation that college students build around their little world to separate them from the great busy world outside, that college men failed to show interest in the discussion of the liquor problem by Mr. Woertendyke last Sunday afternoon. It has quite often seemed to be the case that students take an almost negligible interest in the questions that occupy the interest of the man on the street, and there is no doubt that Mr. Woertendyke's subject is holding the attention of the man on the street.

To accurately state the attitude of the average college man toward the temperance problem would be a fairly difficult task, but it would probably be no exaggeration to state that the twelve out of two hundred men who listened to the speaker Sunday afternoon represent the true proportion of college men that are actively interested in the solution of the problem. Student life is no longer blighted by wholesale dissipation as was true in former decades, but student sentiment is very indifferent to the policy of government in regard to what has now generally come to be considered as a great evil. "Let a man drink it if he wants to, it is none of my affair," expresses the ordinary college man's opinion of the whole proposition.

Those who heard Mr. Woertendyke's lecture in Morrill Hall were entertained by a forcible, logical, and interesting presentation of the status of the liquor business as seen from the point of view of a practicing lawyer. His various points were illustrated by apt and witty illustrations. He followed the rather novel line of argument that in granting protection to the liquor traffic, the government had broken its initial agreement with the people to protect them from everything that was injurious to their safety, well-being, and prosperity. He then showed how that deep down the government was involved in this protection through the operation of the revenue laws.

COMEDY OF ERRORS COMING

Cost New Chosen and They are Working Hard to Prepare for Early Performance.

The cost of the characters for the "Comedy of Errors" has been chosen now for nearly a week. Due to the fact that the date on which the play should have been staged is the same as the date on which we will play basketball with the University of Washington, the performance will not occur until the following Monday, March 14. This is the day before the normal sophomore-freshman night. To see which everybody cut classes, and it will not, therefore, conflict with your study periods.

The cast is as follows:

Assist. Manager ....... Arthur Lyons
Antipholus of Ephesus .... Donald Davis
Antipholus of Syracuse ... B. H. Lehman
Dromio of Ephesus ....... Ross Carter
Dromio of Syracuse ....... Ezra Fiedelstated
Halthazar ............... McCullough
Lucina .................... Charles Crump
Pirat Merchant .......... Knudsen
Second Merchant .......... McDowall
Pench ....................... Green
Aemilia .................... Anna McEntire
Adrastea ................... Klousing Volberg
Larissa ..................... Bird Hall
Love ....................... Gladys Anthony
Pyne ....................... Nettie Bauer

Reserve the date, March 16.

T. M. C. A.
Joint Monthly Meeting—Special Music.
Saturday evening at a joint cabinet meeting held in Ridenbaugh Hall it was decided to unite the forces of the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. in a regular monthly meeting of the two organizations. Special music will be arranged for these meetings and every effort made to make them attractive. President Carlyle will address the first meeting on the subject of "The Country Church." If you fail to come you will be missing something that will be worth while. The date is March 15, in the auditorium. The regular session of the Y. M. C. A. will meet next Sunday as usual. Rev. Warner will speak on the subject, "How to Meet Difficulties in Bible Study." Only two things are necessary to make this meeting a success; be there yourself and bring someone with you. There are some signs of renewed interest in Association work. We only need a few more hands to fan the blaze. Rev. Honchells, traveling secretary for the Student Volunteer Movement for Foreign Missions, left Saturday morning for Pullman. Mr. Honchell was pleased at the interest shown in mission work by the few who attended his meetings. It is greatly to be regretted that most of the students did not come in contact with the fine personality of this representative of the student movement. Mr. Honchell was a most interesting speaker and an

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IGNORE THAT IMPULSE.

In the first place the injunction, "Love ye one another," was meant to include more than two people, or it would be "I love you and you and you." There are at least three good reasons why you should not obey the injunction: you might be dashing up and down the campus while others are to sit and grind away at their books; you might boss Roosevelt; or walk off their baggage to Nazi; or worry-up on a headache over the price of a bottle of beer, or try to get a good jacket. You will ruin your student's health, and thus disturb the peace of his relations with himself and student and student.

Another good reason why you must not attempt to hurry the solution of the problem that you make the instructors jealous and thus disturb the peace of student relations, the "sitting-in." This year is even of a graver nature than the first one and may lead to developments that are something. The last important reason is that you make your father, who cultivates the unions that you may have knowledge, jealous and thus you disturb the domestic relations between the members of your family and the distribut- ing point. But "Ye Gods" you ob- ject, "she is such a perfect peach." Follies! It is but a fact that you are the chocolate you are safe enough to buy and the first thing that you know you will not have the price of an admission ticket to the ideal game of conference baseball. But there is rapidly developing a pick and choosing habit, which threatens to become a perma- nent nuisance. We refer to the prac- tice of some of the people in the uni- versity who come every evening to the library to meet and stroll home with other people who are not allowed social engagements during the study week days. We do not mean the occa- sional incursions into the "green-eyes" ranks, but the definite system daily practiced by some fellows, in the advanced states of the habit. Such a person as that conduct is in our opinion. Possibly, but at any rate, for an up- per pistol, could one tolerate a round the same where some poor cre- ed is trying to cram for a test, in a "glorious" atmosphere, and the" old Idaho Crane brush in retreating melancholy, is not to set a poor example to pay less, and the only way we have to close the library.

CHEERING.

It may seem a very peculiar time to mention the good of cheering, now that the time when it is most needed in a yearly part for this year.

at least, College cheering at Idaho had undoubtedly suffered a severe decline. Not that the side-liners make less noise than they used to do, but because effective cheering has been largely supplanted by the less dignified and less effective disturbance, known as "rooting." At the games played with Pullman the farmers who came to "root" clearly out did us in two ways. Their numbers were increased by giving a remarkable volume and accuracy the old yea snappy rely. When the teams had made their appearance the Idaho people responded with the OLD Idaho yell. After this a few were given the teams and individual play- ers, and then the senseless rooting began in earnest. "Come on Idaho," who with "small dobbler," were among the most delightful of the scenes, which succeeded in separating themselves from the general class, which darkened the spectators and confused the signals of the players. When the Boise players (especially) excited, it held its breath till the out come of a struggle was cer- tain. Could the Idaho Student find some way of showing his interest and spirit other than this country of continuous rooting of players? During the execution of the most difficult parts of the game, it would seem that a respectful silence might be taken as a token of hearty support.

SHALL IDAHO ABOLISH INTER-COLLEGIATE ATHLETICS?

From a recent issue of the Harvard Alumni bulletin we quote the follow- ing four paragraphs. These paragraphs invite careful attention. This is much talk in Idaho about the aboli- tion of intercollegiate athletics. The "advantages of intercollegiate athletics" before widespread publication. What shall we do here? Is it possible to keep intercollegiate athletics and get rid of the evils? If it is not, the next question we should face and at- tempt to answer in this: Are the evils inherent in intercollegiate athletics so great as to justify the abolition of such athletics? Here are the Harvard par- agraphs.

"There is no dearth of evidence that the smoke arising in the form of tear gas attacks on the inroads of school and college athletics can be followed back to an active fire. It is a fire that has been raging for a year, recently to a body of Cornellian men in St. Louis in words which he described as enough to get me into hot water. Clear up to my ears when I get back to Idaho." He expressed himself as follows: I have looked at this athletic situation from every standpoint and angle and it looks to me something like this: in any way, if athletic are not a good thing, they ought to be abolished. If they are a good thing for the boys, it would seem to me that the universe would take over and control absolutely every branch of sport; so away with this business. Keep this flowing, no matter how, and see that the athletic of the universe are run to advantage.

"Over against there words of a evan- gilist in athletics it is interesting to note the report of the Idaho of Idaho, opened its doors in 1911, under the presidency of a Harrard man, W. T. Foster, '91. The athletics prob- lem was carefully studied, and a policy, thus described by President Foster, was adopted: Physical education, by

giene and out-of-door games for all the students and faculty, especially those who need it, and the organization of intercollegiate athletics for a very small group of students, especially those who might be taken as a testimony of hearty support.

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MISS HOOVER AND MISS KELLY DO
ING GREAT WORK AMONG
IDAHO WOMEN.

Exhibition Trains and Lectures
Throughout the State Bring Uni-
versity to the People.

Last year was the beginning of the
extension work of the Univer-
sity of Idaho in home economics. This
field of work was opened by Miss
Hoover, principally in the southern
part of the state. For seven weeks she
visited Idaho farms,作了ided by Miss Tona McCurtin.

For the most part this work was ac-
complished by movable schools. The
school consisted of lectures and de-
monstrations given to farmers' wives
and town women.

The purpose of extension work is to
bring the college to those who can
not come to college. Incidentally it
increases the popularity of the Idaho
University by giving many people a
knowledge of our work, who ould
otherwise know nothing of it. Extension
work in home economics has proved
extremely popular in Idaho, for Miss
Hoover gave no less than two
hundred lectures with the attendance
ranging from seventy-five to five
hundred or a thousand.

Last June Miss Amy Kelly was
employed for home economics extension
work. She had her base quarters in
Boise, leaving the work of northern
Idaho to Miss Hoover.

The Northern Pacific railroad real-
ized the importance of extension work
and gave the university a demonstra-
tion train of five cars containing
furniture, books, cooking apparatus
and other equipment for the poorer
people.

The train was known as the "Live stock
Special." Here the people saw de-
monstrations for testing pure textiles,
for judging beef cuts as the western
butchers sell them, and the effect
dirt, has on milk as shown by a series
of bottles.

Milk was the lively sample, which
remained sweet throughout the trip;
another had a fly dropped in it; an-
other a straw; another the milkman's
finger and another a drop of water.
These were all in different stages of
decomposition. This demonstration
showed the value of clean milk. An
abundance of food samples was shown
in bottles varying in cost and quality.
These were only a few of the points
of interest in the car, but is enough to
show what an immense work the ex-
tension work covers.

Another factor in this field is the
lectures at teachers' institutes and
summer schools. Miss Kelly took the
northern circuit while Miss Hoover took
the southern.

During the summer school Miss Kel-
ly taught a class of rural teachers
which was a form of extension work
in Boise: every day she had large
audiences averaging about three hours.
Her lectures are new
assembled and used for lessons in
movable schools.

The lessons are as follows:
1. Planning daily meals.
2. Principles of cooking the
three chief foods.
3. Food for children.
4. The invalid Tray.
5. Bread.
6. Feeding the daughter to set and
serve.

Bulletins are now an important fac-
tor in our extension work. The latest
is a market bulletin put out by the Pa-
cific railway free of charge. There
are two thousand people on the mail-
ing list.

In concluding the work it might be
well to show the necessity of edu-
cating our women to the need of train-
ing and education by a quotation from
Dean Bailey of Cornell University:
"We cannot develop the best citizens
in the open country, without developing
the women as well as the men, and
just as many of them. We cannot
reach the country life problem until
we send back to the farm and small
towns as many well trained women as
men."

NOT GUILTY, 18 WADAMS

Clever Work of His Counsel Rescues
Him from Serious Penalties.

Lawyer Reports Case.

Harry McAdams was acquitted of
the charge of arson in the "most
convincing" manner on Friday.

The argument of the defense was in-
igorous and amusing in several de-
tails. The prosecution had proved cer-
tain tracks, which corresponded to
those made by the defendant's shoes,
that the defendant had been to My.

CRIMINAL COURTS

HARRY WADAMS
As he appeared before the
magistrate.

Quackenbush's house, and that he had
rifled a jar of kerosene, and after
setting the fire to the house, discov-
ered the jar with a crack of the eye
by the roadside. These the prosecution
laid to the door in evidence. The shoes
alleged to have made the tracks were admitted
in evidence. The counsel for the de-
fendant then arose and proved that the
shoes belonged to the defendant's
billed man, Jones. The defense further
proved that Mr. Quackenbush had a
very beautiful daughter; that the said
Jones was greatly infatuated with her,
and that she looked upon said Jones
with disfavor and correspondence; that as
a result of this Jill, said Jones became
affected with melancholy, and burned
the girl's home in vengeance. The
defense, much impressed by the force
of such convincing testimony, immediately
acquitted the defendant.

New Spelling Rules.

New Spelling Rule
in 175 words, have been adopted by the Reform
Spelling Board. In most instances
the simpler and shorter form of the
words has received the faculty san-
c tion. For instance, the word "cata-
logue" dropped the final "ue," and
"thorough" is now spelled "thoroughly".

Sentimentalists will be rejoiced to
know that the good old-fashioned
"Flines" has not had the poesy com-
pletely out of it by being spelled "flint."

In the rule changing "ed" to "ted,"
the rule has not been reversed.

WILL SIGG ORATORIO.

A cantata entitled "King Arthur"
based on the legend of the Knights
of the Round Table, is now being
rehearsed by 100 undergraduates of
the Ohio State University under the
direction of Alfred R. Barrington.

The oratorio is to be given as a feature
of commencement week this year at
the university. It is thought that the
success of the chorus will result in
the organization of a permanent choral
society on the campus.

Prof. R. V. Elliott will sing Friday
and Saturday at Spokane. He attended
the better Judging contest and also
visited the Monroe and Hallwood
farms on which are the two lodging
Holstein herds in the northwest.
ENRITAMMENT BY FACULTY LADIES

INSTRUCTORS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HOME ECONOMICS ARE HOSTESS TO GIRLS.

Rooms Gaily Decorated with Butterflies and Green Favors—Model Men Were Selected by All.

The home economics girls were delightfully entertained Saturday afternoon by the instructors of that department, Miss Hoover, Miss Leiby and Miss Davis. The hall of the department, the rooms, and the dining room were gay with yellow butterflies, afloat in the air or tilting on dark green screens and drooping forms.

The guests were received in the large reception room which had been cleared of dancing. Before the dance, however, a young lady selected the man best suited to her needs from the crowd that had been gathered on the front board. Men there were from every walk of life and with every qualification or with none. While the escort notes of Caruso and semichord filled the air with love songs each girl was given five minutes in which to justify her choice. Needless to say some of the reasons were more choice than the men.

Miss French then gave two well-chosen readings in her characteristic charming style. After some time spent in the ordinary dancing refreshments were served. The yellow and white butterfly scheme was carried out beautifully in the snowy clothes, swags of white butterflies and bilt by soft yellow candle light. The centerpieces were gold domes with the butterfly. The refreshments prepped the hostesses entirely worthy of their calling and most successful entertainers.

AGRICULTURAL CLUB MEETING

Club Will Offer Medals for Judging of Stock, Grains and Butter. Students Enthusiastic.

At a meeting of the Idaho Agricultural club Wednesday evening arrangements were completed for the judging contest to be held March 6. About 25 students were present, also Prof. Iddings. It was the annual entomological meeting of the year and all the students are entering lively into the plans for the contest.

Three departments will be represented, Animal Husbandry, Agronomy, and Dairying, and both long and short course students, who have had work along these lines, will be eligible to contest for the gold medals offered. Heads of departments will determine which students are eligible and which students are not, and will also choose the students to act as judges of the contestants. In animal husbandry there will be various classes of judging. In branches which will be grazed in dairying will be dairy products such as butter and cheese.

Prof. Iddings gave one of his ardent talks to the students at the meeting urging their constant attendance at the club meetings. For our own benefit we must attend these meetings. The whole agricultural faculty endeavors to get the plan of study in the courses cooperating with the students to make it a success.

The medals, secured by Dean Carr, will be well worth the attempt to win them. Six gold gold watch chains, 3 as first prizes, 3 as second will be given by Moscow businesses. Hagan and Cushing, Geo. Creighton, Fred Veach, Fire Trust Co., First National Bank, Mark P. Miller.

A banner will be given in each department as third prize, by the agricultural club.

The contest has been provided with a fitting conclusion. Saturday evening all will sit at a stag banquet and under Prof. Nicholson's guidance, wit and wisdom are expected to play in their brightest colors.


IDAHO MAY PLAY AT HOME

Washington Ready to Play on the Home Floor If Other Matters Can Be Arranged.

The northwest conference basketball ball series will probably be played off on the home floor, from the appearance of the turn which affairs have recently taken. Gus Larson is in receipt of a telegram from the Washington management offering to play the series of this week on the Idaho floor, the local management taking all the gate receipts and paying the expenses of the visitors. It was impossible for Idaho to accept this offer because of the condition of the team, but from the tone of the communication it is altogether probable that Washington will be willing to meet Idaho on the same conditions here, instead of playing for half of the gate receipts on the W. C. R. floor according to the conference agreement. Gus Larson has stated it would be altogether satisfactory with Idaho. Consequently Idaho is very likely to have the conference championship game staged on her home floor.

While the Idaho team is not in good condition now, it is hoped by Coach Griffith that they will be in the best of trim by the time we meet the Wash-ingtonians.

There is no way by which to judge the relative strength of the two teams since neither team has been playing in the same class. However, W. S. C. has about as strong a team as Idaho had last year, and since Idaho has shown her superiority over the ex-champions it is not altogether unlikely that she will be a match for the team from the westside.

The is the best time that Idaho has ever been a winning team for several years and she probably never did have a championship. The games are staged on the home floor, there ought not to be a student in college absent from the game, even though it will cost an extra cent.

Whether the series is to be played here or at Pullman, it is time to talk the matter up and get the Idaho spirit in good shape for the biggest event of the college year, for we want your business, no matter how small, and in return we offer you every safety and convenience known to modern banking.
Tuesday evening, Mrs. Charles Fisher, supervisor of the Clearwater National Forest, lectured to the forestry club on the subject, "Improvement Work on National Forests." Mr. Fisher was formerly a resident of Moscow and a student at the university, and he prefaced his remarks with some reminiscences of his activities in its younger days.

Regarding the improvement work he said, "Forest improvement and forest protection go hand in hand. Improvement, on the Clearwater, involves clearing barns, fences, roads, trails, telephone lines, rail lines, etc., all of which are clearly part of the administrative scheme of the forest. In the forest so far, the estimated value of all improvements is $10,000, including dollars and thirds of which are for protection and lines of communication. It is thought that only 25 per cent of the lands embraced in the national forests are now open to quite easy access. There is only an interval of about seven miles between lines of travel. This is looked upon as a safe average."

"Cooperation with the lumbermen is sought because it means pooling of forces between the forest service and the forest users. In the grazing districts of the northwest the cooperation is more with the stock men."

As to the sources of funds for carrying on the improvement work Mr. Fisher said, "One of the great sources of help is what is known as the "25 per cent" tax. Twenty-five per cent of all receipts from the national forests is paid to the secretary of the state in which the forests are located, to be expended for the improvement of roads and schools. This money is then subdivided to the counties and the national forests."

"Another source of funds is the "ten per cent" item. The act of Aug. 16, 1912, states that an additional 10 per cent of all money received from the national forests shall be available for the construction of roads and trails on national forests within the state. Thus, the state pays 25 per cent of the gross revenue from forests within its boundaries."

"The Weeks act, under which the government is allowed to do anything which has been deprecated of the forest provides also for the protection of forest lands. Last year it gave $700 to the state of Idaho, $1000 to the state of Montana, and $2500 to the state of Idaho."

Mr. Fisher then took up and discussed different kinds of improvements. He spoke especially of the difficulties encountered in the building and maintenance of telephone lines. The line in the country can trees. Split insulators are used so that, during a tree falls across the line, the wire is pulled through the insulator, allowing enough slack so that the line is not broken. It has been found advisable to build the lines so that they can be taken down in the winter. Iron roads are used. In the spring, from these hooks the insulators are hung by loops. To take down the line it is necessary only to remove the loops from the hooks. The line is left on the ground during the winter and replaced in the spring.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Nona Morley spent the week-end at her home in Colfax. Ellen McCreom and Vivian Allen attended the Military Ball at Pullman Saturday night.

Why shave yourself? Get a first class shave at Russell's.

Prof. and Mrs. H. L. Atwood called in formuvaly on Alpha Kappa Kappa Sunday afternoon.

Miss Helen Woods entertained at dinner Friday evening Mabelle Radenell and Dorothy Wren.

Tah Alpha initiated E. K. Humpf, Tuesday evening. After the rite a feed at Childress.

Leo P. Smith, "17, has left school and abroad and will spend the remainder of the term at his home in Colfax."

Gamma Phi Beta entertained Mr. and Mrs. Hulme and Mr. and Mrs. And Frits at a dinner on Wednesday evening.

Dean and Mrs. W. L. Carlyle were dinner guests of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity Sunday, March 17.

We have the latest in haircuts. New stock just arrived. Russell's Barber shop.

At a dinner at Colfax, Colorado, who registered in college at the beginning of the second semester, has left school for the rest of the term.

Miss Francine Hanken entertained the Misses Claudia, Mabelle Rodenell, and Leesia Lohman at an informal tea Saturday afternoon.

Miss Lillian Richmond has had a visit from her mother during the week-end, Miss Richmond is a student at Idaho state college.

Mr. J. M. Matteo was the hostess of a delightful week-end party. The guests were Gladys Lesinger, Bertha Speed, and Mrs. and Mr. vacancy.

The Misses Loden, Rodenell, Kness, Lohman, Wean, Martin, and Kenne were guests at an informal dinner party at the Theta Xi Epsilon fraternity Sunday, February 28.

Jene. La Posse has opened parlor for massage, hairdressing, pedicure and treatments. With Buckley Sisters. Switches and trans formations made up from your own hair.

"Misses Mildred Armit and Lucile Bohnett attended the Military Ball at Pullman Saturday afternoon. While there they were guests of the Beta Sigma.

Helen Griffith attended the New Delta without success. Miss Evelyn Meeks is leaving school this week. Miss Meeks has been called to her home in Idaho, because of illness in her mother's family."

Dr. E. O. Sisson, Commissioner of Education, starts tour in the north."

Will be in Spokane tonight and goes to Bonner County—Plans to visit Moscow March 12.

With a view of visiting the public schools of the northern part of the state, Dr. E. O. Sisson, Idaho commissioner of education, is now on his way north from Boise to begin his thirteenth complete trip of the lour which have not been announced. Dr. Sisson will arrive at Spokane tonight and from that point he will go to Bonner's Ferry to visit the schools at that place. "Dr. Carlyle, acting commissioner of the university, left for Spokane today where he will meet Dr. Sisson for a conference and will accompany him as far as Sandpoint where he will inspect the experiment farm."

Dr. Sisson will visit a number of points in the north and plans to be in Moscow about March 12. He will be at Lewiston on March 9 and from there he will go to Grangeville where he will participate in the exercises dedicating the new Grangeville high school building which has just been completed. It is understood that Governor John M. Hattey may join him there on that occasion.

Dr. Sisson has been truly engaged since assuming his position with the higher institutions. It is well, he has announced his purpose to make a complete study of the public schools and his trip north at this time for that purpose marks his initial work in that line.
CUSTOMS OF OXFORD DEFENDED

CRITICS OF ADVERSE NATURE

ON UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD

REFUTED BY GERLOUGH.

To the Editor of the Argonaut.

Dear Sir:—Superficial observations on Oxford have frequently been written by Rhodes Scholars and have appeared in newspapers and magazines in America and in the city of Moscow. So that I need not catalog and comment at length on the resemblance of Oxford colleges to prisons, on the university police system, and on the dislike generally manifested at this university for girls, or perhaps I should call them by a more becoming title and say women students. Women students do come to Oxford and read in courses which are the same for men but they are not granted a degree for it. They sometimes come to the same lectures as men but they usually sit in a different part of the lecture room and are overlooked does not find it hard to discern that their presence is not sought for.

The university police system is, I think, in modern times, designed to keep the men at the university from looking at a girl and any such offense is subject to heavy penalties. The city is patrolled every night by two university officials called “progs” and they are assisted by eight or ten big town fellows called “bull-dogs” who are fleet of foot to catch students who attempt to evade the rules. To distinguish people of the town from those of the “gown” all members of the university are compelled to wear their gowns to lectures and after night fall. When you go to examinations you must also appear in a white arctic.

I have read about the vice-chancellor’s court in a document of the early middle ages, and it is printed in Shuck’s charters. That court is held every Friday still, and has exclusive and unlimited jurisdiction in all civil causes of action not relating to French

hold. It administers the common law, and its procedure is governed by rules issued by the vice-chancellor, with the approval of the rule committee of the supreme court. However the ecclesiastical and criminal jurisdiction formerly possessed by this court is now obsolete, and its jurisdiction in probate was taken away in 1857.

University members make their presence known at Oxford by going to chapel or to roll call in the morning or by eating a dinner. Eating a dinner is a privilege of dons and graduates and some men who have been at Oxford for two years. For at Oxford the dons are supervised in their attendance, it seems, as well as the students. The same thing is true for people who wish to become lawyers. They must eat so much before they are called to the bar. I have been told that persons who wish to see the halls visited the temples in London where are the dining halls for lawyers and the bars to which they are called. The halls in London are somewhat the same as at Oxford except that the bars for railing is in front of the high table.

I have heard the criticism made that student cannot feel himself a true man if he is locked up in his college every night and cannot get out of it after nine p.m. However, at Oxford it seems to have much the same effect on students to lock them up in college as it had on John Bunyan when he was locked up in jail. He wrote Pilgrim’s Progress under those conditions and if he had not been locked up and forced into intellectual pursuits he might have been a tinker all his life. It is a far different thing from locking up a man’s mind when you lock up his legs.

Another criticism I have heard about Oxford is that it is the only place in England where it is not disgraceful for a man to get drunk. I do not think that such a criticism comes from the same persons who say that there is no freedom in the student life at Oxford. It is true that at Oxford there is not a very strong sentiment in favor of the prohibition of the liquor traffic. But I will say in defense of it here that no one will be expected to drink unless he wants to. I will also say that every Rhodes Scholar who comes to Oxford ought to make up his mind before he comes here not to acquire any habits that he would be ashamed of if he fell into them in America for it is because of their individuality that Rhodes Scholars are sent to Oxford and they are repeatedly urged by the managers of the Rhodes Trust not to lose any of that individuality by imitating other people’s habits. Cecil Rhodes was not foolish when he made his will. He wanted to fertilize again the Englishman’s mind with the ideals of good old Puritan and Anglo-Saxon stock.

Another I will say that I cannot imagine and it has never been my privilege to see a more industrious and scholarly and cultured gathering of students than you can find in an Oxford college. Every man you meet is most intent upon his practical line of work and I cannot imagine such a state of affairs in Oxford as I have heard, exist in German universities where one-third of the students drink themselves to death. One-third go into the army, and the other third rule the country.

Finally I perhaps ought to add a few lines about the colleges at Oxford which I have heard some American editors call prisons. I ought perhaps to say that for any one who is a student of architecture Oxford ought to be one of his first sources of inspiration. For I know of no other city in the world where there is a wealth of different and original styles. You can trace Gothic architecture in these colleges, and in the buildings in and near Oxford, in almost all its English developments. There are Oxford turrets. Then at St. John’s there is the best example of a Norman church that I know of. The “Early English” style, the “Decorated” with its beautiful tracery, and the “Perpendicular” with its lines running upward toward God are worth examining and gazing at for years.

I am very truly yours,

LUDWIG F. GERLOUGH.