'Love transcends gender'

Area gays speak out

by Kerrin McMahan

"We're people, just like everyone else." That is the message of the Northwest Gay People's Alliance, a Moscow group now entering its fifth year as an organization. The president and vice president of NWGPA, both of whom are students who prefer not be identified, talked to the Argonaut about the group's purpose and goals.

The club was started in the fall of 1974, and was later incorporated as a non-profit organization under Idaho law, the officers said. NWGPA originally covered a wider area in Idaho, Washington and Montana, but has regressed in recent years to just the Palouse and northern Idaho.

"More and more, people who join are college students," they said.

There are four major areas involved in the club's services and activities, the vice president explained. The first and predominant area is the regular meetings, she said. The meetings are held every other Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the U of I Women's Center. The first meeting of the semester will be tonight.

"These meetings are for the lesbians and gay men in Moscow and surrounding communities, but we do have some straight members," she said. "Usually one of their closest friends is gay, so they come along, and they're very accepted. But anyone who's just interested is welcome, as long as they're not hostile."

"In fact, we'd like to have more straight people at the meetings, just to find out what's going on, to see that we're just regular people," the president added. "And they might get something out of the meetings, too," he said. "A lot of the topics this semester will deal, in one way or another, with sexism, and that's just as applicable to straight people as to gays."

Another aspect of the club is social activity, the vice president said. Events such as dances, parties and picnics are often held, she said. "The idea is to get together, to make friends, to have a good time," she said. "Support is a big part of it, just being able to feel that you're okay. And everyone needs friendship. Lots of times, if you're gay, you feel very different, and you feel alienated from what's going on socially on campus or in town."

A third area of activity is educating and informing the public on both the emotional and political aspects of homosexuality, the vice president said.

One way the group tries to do this is through a free monthly newsletter, the Palouse Gay News, produced jointly with the Gay People's Alliance in Pullman. The newsletter is available at the Women's Center and at Bookpeople in Moscow. The club also maintains a speakers' bureau, she said.

"It's usually four people from our group, two men and two women. They speak to classes, usually psychology and human sexuality classes, and any professor who wants to look us up can," she said. "Sometimes church groups and religious organizations have us come talk." Speakers are available for any group that requests them, she said.

"This can be a very valuable thing for us," she said. "We want people to see that we're just like everyone else, we're not these crazy people running around. We're going to school, working, contributing to society. We're decent human beings."

"Then, maybe when a gay rights issue comes up they'll say, I don't see any reason for these people to be oppressed."

The fourth concern of the club is counseling. Nightline can refer people to a member of the club for information about gay activities and

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have members who are teachers, and members who are going into teaching, and that's one area that's really sensitive.

There are currently about 40-45 people who come to meetings regularly, the officers said. This year, the club plans to have speakers at each meeting to talk on issues of relevance to lesbians and gay men, they said.

Corky Bush, assistant dean for Student Advisory Services, will speak on sexism at the second meeting this year, they said. Tonight's program will be a film entitled "The Word Is Out," which features interviews with 27 gay people, the president said. They talk about the different stages in their lives, how they first realized they were gay, how they're adjusting to it now, and how they're looking at the future," he said.

Some years the group emphasizes political issues, and some years it's more socially oriented, the vice president said. "This year we're going to have some parties and dances, but we're also going to have some politically emphasized speakers," she said. "There should be a good balance."

Most of the time, members who are working or going to school don't have the time or desire to be really politically active, the president explained. One president of the group several years ago was on the Moscow Housing Commission and worked toward getting an anti-discrimination ordinance.

"But that didn't pass. Well, it passed for one night, and then they rescinded it the next day when they found out what they'd done."

"We have no rights in Idaho," he added. "If your landlord finds out you're gay and kicks you out, you have no redress at all."

The attitude of many people toward homosexuality is a major problem, they said. People tend to see gay people as being deviant or promiscuous, they said. But gays are just as likely to develop long-term relationships as are heterosexuals they said.

"In heterosexuality, there's the whole single bar scene. You know, one-night stands. And there's the same scene in the gay bars. That's definitely one part of it," the vice president said.

"But there's also another part to it," she said. "Of friendships, of people that you work with, that kind of relationship. Your family relationships, your lover, Long-term relationships."

One of the reasons the term "gay" came into use was that the word "homosexual" implies an emphasis on sex, the president said.

"When people think of homosexuality, they think of it only in terms of sex," he said. "And they forget that the same sentiments are involved, the same intangible human emotions that are found in a heterosexual relationship are present in a homosexual relationship. There's no difference," he said. "Love is absolute, it transcends gender."

And yet there's a group of people who would literally destroy a person, spiritually and physically, just for the unforgivable sin of loving the wrong person."
More grads expected

A roller coaster of ups and downs is projected for high school graduates in Idaho and other western states in a new study by the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education (WICHE).

The study projects the number of high school graduates in Idaho will peak about 1980 and then decrease about 10 percent in the next four years. The analysis then indicates an upturn in graduates after 1984 with a particularly sharp increase after 1990. Graduates in 1995 are projected to be 28 percent greater than the peak year of 1980.

"This study is a first step in determining the potential flow of high school graduates into the college ranks," said Phillip Sirotkin, WICHE's Executive Director. "It provides hard data and analysis to assist educational and political decision makers in Idaho and elsewhere in making judgments about the future of higher education."

Nationally, since about 50 percent of high school graduates enter college as first-year students the next term, fluctuations in numbers of high school graduates will have a significant impact on the future of higher education.

Idaho's pattern of rises and falls in high school graduates is considerably different than the United States as a whole or the 13 western states as a region. Those projections show generally decreasing numbers of high school graduates from 1979 in contrast to Idaho's projected increases after 1984. Idaho's pattern is similar, however, to its neighbor states of Utah and Wyoming.

In response to the report, Milt Small, executive director of the Office of the State Board of Education, said, "The WICHE report confirms that the long-range planning document currently being developed by the State Board of Education has correctly anticipated the potential college-age population for the next ten years in Idaho. Despite some leveling off over the short term, it is necessary to continue planning for future growth."

Dr. Clifford M. Trump, deputy director for academic planning in the Office of the State Board of Education, said, "Enrollment decline does not appear to be a long-term problem for Idaho. The information certainly is a strong argument for the maintenance and not the dismantlement of the quality education programs during a period of fiscal restraint."

WICHE's 15-year projections are based on an examination of historical enrollment figures and the assessment of such factors as annual births, the dropout rate, and the pattern of migration into and out of a particular state.

Idaho's pattern shows evidence of substantial, sustained in-migration since 1970. In addition, Idaho births have shown a sharp upward trend in the last four years. This contrasts to the national pattern of roughly constant numbers of annual births in the mid-1970s.

The dropout rate in Idaho is somewhat below the average for the western states with about 80 percent of Idaho's public school 10th graders going on to receive their high school diplomas with 78 percent for the western states combined.
Commentary

Bikepaths no luxury

It seems few city council members ride bicycles around Moscow. Perhaps if they did they might realize bicyclists' lives are in danger in this town and would have a little more sympathy for the hundreds of people around who can't afford to drive cars.

The council ignored pleas from local bicycle enthusiasts last week to increase appropriations for bike paths from $2500 to $10,000. Granted, $2,500 is a start, but it is a drop in the bucket as far as actually establishing a bike path network around town.

As the price of gas continues to soar, many people are turning to pedal power as an alternative to the automobile. Moscow is experiencing a larger than average influx of bicyclists since the town is composed largely of university students, many of whom find the two-wheeler an affordable form of transportation.

Bike paths are not extravagant luxuries for a handful of "kids" as some Cadillac-driving townsmen might argue. Special bicycle paths are necessary for the safety of an increasing number of students, children and other residents who enjoy riding bicycles.

If you've ever ridden a bicycle down Main Street or the Troy highway, you've probably seen your life flash before your eyes and wished you could meet some of those clever drivers on equal terms in a dark alley.

It's time for city leaders to realize that bicycles are used extensively for point-to-point transportation, not just for fun.

If money were provided for bike paths in Moscow, everybody would be better off. Car drivers wouldn't have to cuss about a slow bike rider jamming up traffic, and bike riders wouldn't have to worry about getting killed in a traffic jam by a cursing motorist.

Mass transit a must

Spending a three-day weekend in Moscow with nothing but a worn pair of Airless for transportation brings to mind visions of a public transit system that would connect outlying areas with downtown Moscow and maybe, just maybe, reach Pullman, too.

Actually, there are very few reasons why such a system must be just a pipe dream in Moscow. Granted, the initial expense of implementing a transit system would be high, but the advantages of connecting the communities far outweigh that cost.

Many families already commute between Moscow and Pullman for work and school. The money and gasoline saved by being able to jump on a bus instead of driving a family car, alone, would justify the system.

Implementing a transit system would also keep the number of drinking drivers to a minimum on Friday and Saturday nights when WSU and U of I students decide to go on a binge.

Connecting Moscow and Pullman would also serve as a shot in the arm for both communities' ailing downtown areas. College students, senior citizens and other carless citizens would jump at the chance to explore new shopping and entertainment spots. Their business would help revitalize area plagued by the competition of new shopping malls.

The need for a link between the two university towns is obvious. What isn't at this point is the initiative and cooperation needed to establish that link.

Kathryn Barnard

Vegetarians put the bite on...

Mark Crane

I used to work construction with a man named Doug. He was a likeable fellow, and we got along well—until lunchtime.

Doug did not eat meat. He said eating meat was morally wrong because it involved the killing of other living creatures. He also said meat was unwholesome, that it caused cancer, hardening of the arteries and an assortment of other ailments.

That was all okay with me. If Doug was dense enough to work long days in hot weather and eat nothing but raisins and carrot sticks, it was no skin off my nose.

But Doug wasn't content just torturing himself—he wanted me to become a partaker in his vegetarian philosophy. Every lunch break became a crusade.

I would just be sitting down, unwrapping a roast-beef sandwich or a Big Mac, and Doug would start preaching.

"How does it feel to be a killer?" he would say as he glared over an empty plate. "Don't you think that cow you're eating wanted to live just as bad as you do? Why don't you just kill me and eat me for lunch? It's the same thing.

My argument, between bites, was that if merciful individuals like me didn't eat the cows the poor beasts would die of old age or run around the country getting killed by trucks and trains. We carnivores were actually performing an act of service to society by keeping the cow population in check.

Then one day I woke up feeling absolutely rotten. Flu or virus or something. I went to work, and Doug noticed my condition.

"Didn't I warn you?" he said. "I've been telling you about those diseases and preserving them to put in meat. Now do you believe me?"

Doug saw my illness as a golden opportunity.

"I know this real nice health food restaurant downtown," he said. "Everything in the place is organic, and they don't serve any meat.

My head hurt too much to argue with the guy, so I agreed to go with him for lunch. At noon Doug and I and his dog, Ozzie, went downtown. The "restaurant" Doug had been raving about all morning looked like a cross between a spud cellar and a mad-scientist's laboratory. It was a dingy—affair, with dozens of shelves stocked with pills, and bushel baskets full of dirty fruit and vegetables stacked in the corners.

The place was full of the most malnourished people we've seen in our life. They looked like walking, walking skeletons.

They were all shopping for pills, saying things like, "Have you tried these new alfalfa cubes? They're great for the digestive tract," or "I think I need some of those wheat-germ tablets. I've lost 30 pounds since Tuesday and I think they should stabilize my metabolism."

Doug pointed to a couple of picnic tables at the back of the room and said that was where we would eat.

I looked at the menu and was instantly glad that Doug was paying for lunch. A bowl of watery soup cost almost two bucks. A slice of whole wheat bread was 75 cents, and natural honey was extra. I saw one guy walk in off the street and pay 85 cents for one wormy apple.

Doug explained that the food was so expensive because none of it caused cancer.

I considered telling Doug I would rather pay for chemotherapy treatment than eat for one week in that joint. But he was buying so I kept quiet.

The food was tasty enough, but without meat it didn't satisfy my appetite. I finished lunch and sat wishing I had a foot-long hot dog.

Doug ate slowly, savoring each spool of soup. He finished, pushed away his empty bowl and said, "Now, don't you feel better already?"

"It's nice to eat a meal without having the life of some animal on your conscience, isn't it?"

I had been leaning over, petting Ozzie who was napping under the table.

"Look Doug," I said, "You've been calling me a killer all summer. Do you really think it's that bad to eat meat?"

"Absolutely. Doesn't it say 'Thou shalt not kill'?"

"Then what do you feed Ozzie?"

"I've got my pardon!"

"I want to know what you feed Ozzie."

"I don't see what I feed him has to do with anything."

"Come on, Doug. What do you feed your dog?"

Doug swallowed and looked down at his fork... "Hamburger."
**Letters**

**Christians**

Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship (IVCF) on the U of I campus is a group of students committed to the Lord Jesus Christ as God incarnate and Lord of the universe. As individuals with a common purpose, that of biblical (and therefore radical) obedience to our Lord, we seek to testify to Christ's Lordship in at least three ways:

1) Through evangelism in obedience to the Great Commission (Matt. 28:19,20), leading individuals to know Christ as Savior and Lord;
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We believe in the unique divine inspiration, entire inerrancy and authority of the Bible, in Christ's death on the cross as the full and only payment for every person's sins, in the historical fact of His bodily resurrection, and in His physical return.

We invite anyone professing Christ as Lord to join us in fellowship, and in the same way we invite anyone who has questions about our beliefs or who thinks we must have "checked our brains in at the door" to believe such statements to get in touch with us. We are happy to answer any questions or discuss our world view with others.

If you have questions you can stop by Jan Bauermeister's room at Steel House, Scott Waggoner's in Gault (room 109), or my room at Gault (number G-12).

On behalf of Inter-Varsity,

Jim Plum
Chapter President, Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship

**Love's lost**

Editor,

It started in the Fall of '78. We met and fell in love. Of course unusual circumstances surrounded us. We learned and loved but our first big step was Christmas vacation. It came and love was sure in the air. The things we did and said; all those special events. No need to write them down. We always had the upcoming summer vacation in the back of our heads. We were ready to break us smoothly. Went the Spring of '79; of course with a few hassles. Nothing comes easy, right? I'm not Greek. "Does that have anything to do with it?" I asked

Christian and such stuff; maybe that wouldn't kill us. So the summer came and 2,500 miles separated us. A lot of tears at the airport; don't forget the letters almost every day. How beautiful, I even visited her on the 4th of July. How secure. So the summer went by with only the Fall ahead and to be with her again. Rush—10 days or so I was there in the Scow. Rush is over. Are we? Is it the pimplies? Is it the Eastern accent? What went wrong? It must have been the marriage talk, right?

Please Rush back to me, Joe

**Tubbing no fun**

Editor,

See the girl walk. She is going to class. The boys chase the girl. That is the Plumage the Girl game. Maybe they'd better tag the ones who want to play. Staple a green card to their ears. Because when I chose to live in the dorms I knew I didn't want to play. Besides, I didn't know the rules. Was it my turn to move? What next? Should I swim around? I've got a pretty good breaststroke. (BREASTstroke—does that make YOU boys giggle?)

I soon found I didn't have to do anything. The dunks broke them up. They slapped their thighs and giggled hysterically. I guess they were about to move to be the grasping hands, skipping around the container, and singing "Ring Around the Water Tub." So this is what you boys (men just doesn't seem to fit: an adult male, a human being, a person, mankind) do. A way of amusing oneself; a pastime; a diversion; a game. If little else, the girl is a toy. While it may be a frustrating plaything, it is nonetheless fascinating, frequently rewarding, and it comes already assembled. You don't have to put it together on Christmas morning. It's high time you realized, honeybabes, that blow up toys are much less frustrating for they bob right back up when submerged. Now, wouldn't that be more fun?

Julie Roche

**Midnight slides**

Editor,

To the two groups of girls did it last week, the three boys in the red truck who did it at 2 a.m. Tuesday, and the boys who did it at 3:20 a.m. Thursday:

It's obvious the soul of the Sigma Nu is weeping. It weeps for adults who think like children.

Joe

**Kerosene Controversy burns...**

Betsy Brown

RED RIVER, Idaho—I've been out here in the woods working on a Forest Service fire crew for the past two months. Although I have a newspaper subscription, it's still difficult to keep abreast of events. So you will forgive me, I hope, if I am just a little vague on the details of the situation I am about to discuss.

The story goes something like this. President Carter has agreed to sell the Iranian government about two million barrels, or 47 million dollars worth of the kerosene its people need for cooking and heating. Iran is short of kerosene because the recent revolution disrupted refinery operations.

Apparently, union leaders, Republican presidential candidates and a lot of other people are very unhappy about this. Many seem to feel that selling the kerosene to Iran might worsen a heating oil shortage that has been predicted for the U.S. this winter. Some people object to the sale on the basis of the Islamic Republic's violations of human rights.

I'm no Carter fan, but this time Jimmy's detractors are being a little bit ridiculous.

Certainly, the new Iranian government is nearly as repressive as the shah's regime. But letting the Iranians freeze and starve for lack of kerosene won't improve their situation any. And if we have such strong moral reasons for not doing business with the Iranian government, why don't we stop buying their crude oil? That would really turn the screws on the Ayatollah, but no one has suggested such a drastic measure.

The problem is that many of us Americans are selfish. Some of us would prefer to allow Iran to freeze and starve rather than make the horrible sacrifice of putting on a sweater and turning the thermostat down to 65 degrees.

Selling two million barrels of kerosene to Iran will have virtually no effect on our supply of petroleum

**Letter Policy**

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The Argonaut reserves the right to not run any letter.
Bikers protest path cuts

More than 50 bicyclists, many of them students, attended last Tuesday's city council meeting to protest the council's inaction on establishing bike routes in Moscow.

The group, calling themselves the Ad Hoc Bikers, sought unsuccessfully to have the appropriation for bicycle routes increased from $2,500 to $10,000. Last year $10,000 was appropriated, but none of the money was spent, according to Andy Rice, a student and member of the Ad Hoc Bikers.

Rice said he attended the council budget hearing last month when the appropriation was established. "I watched them cut the bike route allocation from $10,000 to $2,500," he said. "The council said they let the bike routes slide because no one had come to the meetings to express any concern." Rice said.

So Rice and some other interested bikers got together and called a meeting to organize a presentation for the final budget hearing.

A city bicycle committee had been formed last year to develop a proposal for the bicycle routes, but the committee has not yet established a plan, Rice said. Ted Cowen of Moscow is chairman of the committee.

"We didn't call the meeting to give Cowen and the planners a hard time," Rice said. "We just wanted to find out what was going on and make sure people attended the final budget hearing."

At Tuesday's meeting, the council challenged the bikers to find ways to raise money themselves, Rice said. "I want to be fair to them, but they should have realized from the start that bike routes should be a high priority," he said. "They promised to spend $10,000 last year, and we trusted them."

The next meeting of the official city bike committee will be Thursday Sept. 6. The Ad Hoc Bikers will "wait and see what happens," Rice said. "The city committee is finally getting a proposal together, and it sounds excellent."

Rice stressed that bike routes are necessary for safety, and not a luxury. "Under current conditions, bikers who follow traffic regulations can get hurt. If nothing else, there needs to be some way worked out for bikers to get across Main Street," Rice said.

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The ASUI is accepting applications for the following positions:

- Senator (one)
- Finance Manager (one)
- Communications Board members (four)
- Administrative Assistants (two)
- Senate Assistants (three)

Deadline for applications is 5 p.m. Friday, Sept. 7

Applications can be picked up in the ASUI office at the SUB
Entertainment

Events

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 5
...Women in Communications, Inc. will hold a slide show about communications careers in the SUB Appaloosa Room at 7 p.m. All WICI members should attend, as this is the organizational meeting for the year.

The Moscow Parks and Recreation Department's adult flag football team will hold an organizational meeting at 7 p.m. at Eggers Youth Center, 1515 E. D Street. For further information, call 882-0240.

The Northwest Gay People's Alliance will show a film, Word Is Out, at 7:30 p.m. in the U of 1 Women's Center. Events planned for the fall semester will be discussed. Refreshments. Everyone is welcome.

...The Outdoor Program will show a slide presentation at 7:30 in the Borah Theater on outdoor adventure opportunities. The program will also present information on places to go and involvement in outdoor activities. Admission is free.

...The Associated Student Wives of the U of 1 will meet in the Faculty Office Building Lounge at 8 p.m. For rides or more information, call Carolyn at 882-1826.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 6
...Dave Colelough, district ranger for the Palouse ranger district, will discuss the fate of current roads and trails in and around Elk Creek Falls, in a meeting organized by Friends of the Environment in the Ee-Da-Ho room of the SUB at noon. The public is invited.

...The Outdoor Program will hold a Recreation and Lifetime Sports Fair in the SUB Ballroom and Borah Theater from noon to 9 p.m. Many campus recreation organizations will be in attendance to help students participate or find more information. Films and slides will be shown in the Borah Theater.

...The Out of the Blue' frisbee club and the Vandal Ski Club will be at the Recreation and Lifetime Sports Fair.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, SEPT. 7 & 8
...The Latter Day Saints will hold their fourth annual 125 family yard sale at the LDS church, corner of Mountain View and Robinson Lake Roads. The sale will run on Friday from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday evening there will be a chicken dinner at $2.25 per person. Partial dinners will also be available.

University Dance Theatre holds concert auditions

Auditions for University Dance Theatre's Fall Concert will be held in the Dance Studio (WHEB) on Thursday, September 6 at 7 p.m. and Friday, September 7 at noon. All those interested in performing in the concert, to be presented October 25, 26, and 27 in the Hartung Theatre, must attend one of the auditions.

The University Dance Theatre is composed of a self-supporting group of students who enjoy the process of creating and expressing their unique personal attitudes through dance. The choreography includes modern dance, ballet and jazz styles and the ability level of the performer may range from "almost beginner" to advanced dancer.

Whatever the ability level, the dancers must be able to bring to the dance a feeling for and a delight in movement as well as a movement memory, a musical sense and the potential for a personal style.

A general information meeting will be held in the Dance Studio at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, September 4 for those wishing to find out more about the auditions and the concert.

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Intramural Corner

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Inttramural managers meeting at 7 p.m. in Memorial Gym 400; must attend to sign up.
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Vandal running back Randy Davenport finds daylight during a recent Vandal practice on the field near the Kibbie Dome. Idaho enters its final week of practice before flying south to face Fresno State University in Saturday's season opener. Photo by Bob Bain.

Football

There's optimism in the Vandal camp

by Bernie Wilson

When Rocky Tuttle recently spoke about Idaho's 1979 football schedule, he minced no words.

"If we don't have everyone back, we're not going to win. None of the other teams we play have an advantage. We're going to be better than them."

In fact, almost every other Vandal veteran has about the same thing to say.

"It was once said the Vandals play a champagne schedule on a beer budget and some of the season won-loss records seem to bear this out," the senior running back said. "I feel good about the scheduling changes, because we are now playing more teams on our competitive level."

A look at past Idaho records shows losses to Pac-10 schools Arizona State, Oregon, and Washington State, and other NCAA Division I schools such as San Jose State University and University of Nevada-Las Vegas.

This year, however, things have changed quite a bit, as reflected in Tuttle's speech. Not only have most of the Division I teams given way to more competitive, Division I-AA non-conference opponents, but the Vandals will have the unusual advantage of playing six games in the Kibbie Dome.

"Plus, by the time the season is over the Vandals may feel like the Seattle Seahawks or the Houston Oilers, as they will play two road games in domes."

"I think the schedule change will be to our advantage because our caliber of play will fit in with a division of teams that are our equals," said sophomore running back Russell Davis.

"It's the best thing that has happened to Idaho in the past 20 years," reflected Marty Marshall, a senior linebacker from Ontario, Ore.

And like his players, head coach Jerry Davitch is pleased with the schedule.

"This year we've got the schedule, fine kids and, if we're not injured early, we should do okay," he said after a recent practice.

"If one thing, our schedule is 100,000 times better than last year."

By the time Idaho played its home opener last season, it had run headlong into three Division I schools on the road, and was handed three resounding defeats. And after losing to Northern Arizona University in the Dome, the Vandals were whipped by another Division I fright, the University of Nevada-Las Vegas.

But following Saturday's opener at Fresno State University, Idaho will only have to take on 1978 Big Sky champ Northern Arizona on the road before coming home to play University of the Pacific on Sept. 22 and University of Puget Sound Sept. 29.

Terry Idler, the sophomore running back who was redshirted last week due to a knee injury, reflected earlier a general team attitude: "It won't get our spirits down by getting the crud beat out of us in the first four games."

One thing Davitch said he (continued on page 9)
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would like to see changed is facing a Division I team on the road in the season opener, but added, that situation is locked into Idaho's schedule for several years.

"Everybody would like to play the first game of the season, without a doubt," he said. "Bill Belknap (athletic director) had done as much as humanly possible to realign it as best as he can."

"If one thing, I'd like to find the Sisters of the Poor to play in our first game rather than Fresno State," Davitch said. "I'd rather play the South Side Y.M.C.A."

Davitch explained that Fresno State, being a bigger school, has more money to commit to a larger number of scholarships than a school Idaho's size, increasing their depth of offensive and defensive units.

"If I was Fresno, I'd be thrilled to death to play Idaho," he added.

Davitch said he thinks Pacific may be the toughest of the first three teams the Vandals face, due to the quality of the athletes playing for the Stockton, Calif., school.

Once the first four games have been taken care of, Idaho will finish its Big Sky schedule in six straight games, finishing the year against a new team on the schedule, South Dakota State, in the Dome Nov. 17.

The Vandals travel to Idaho State University Oct. 6, return to Moscow to face Boise State and Montana, head to Bozeman to tackle Montana State University, play host to Nevada-Reno, the new kid in the Big Sky, and then play the final road game at Weber State.

Mike Hagadone, another senior who is coming off a redshirt season, also expressed optimism about the schedule.

"It's a definite plus to the program. It's really not much fun going into a game knowing that there's a slim chance of winning when you play teams like Arizona State (last played in 1975) or San Jose State."

"This is the first time since I've been here that we've had six home games," Tuttle said. "There's not one team on there we can't beat."

Where there's a will, there's a way. Laura Tonkovich runs on the outdoor track Saturday, despite the fact it's hardly recognizable as such during the current resurfacing work. Photo by Bob Bain.

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Kickoff banquet set

The University of Idaho Athletic Department will hold a kickoff banquet Wednesday evening at the University Inn-Best Western. A social hour at 6 p.m. will precede the 7 p.m. dinner. Idaho head football coach Jerry Davitch will be guest speaker. Also, 17 of the senior football players who will make the trip to Fresno State University for Saturday's season opener will be in attendance.

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Forestry, Mines plan building expansion

The College of Mines and Earth Resources has begun a two-phase fund-raising drive to expand the space available for teaching and research, and the college of Forestry, Wildlife and Range Sciences has announced a fund-raising project to construct a combination classroom/office complex.

Phase one of the College of Mines program will complete construction of the already existing building now housing the college. Phase two would construct an annex for teaching and research adjacent to the college.

According to Dr. Maynard Miller, college dean, funding for phase one will come from private sources, particularly the Northwest mining industry, whose professional personnel are often drawn from among the college's graduates. A meeting with industry executives to discuss their companies' roles is planned for September.

Miller said the completion of the present building is necessary to meet higher student enrollments and to ensure the college's geological engineering program maintains its present level of excellence.

The college stands as a unique institution in the Northwest for such training, he said, "because we stress professional education which is applicable to the mining industry. Ours is the only mining college in Oregon, Washington and Idaho," Miller said.

"The mining industry must have geological and mining engineers with a solid technical background," Miller said. "To ensure continued accreditation in our geological engineering program, it is essential that we have a geological/rock mechanics laboratory under construction by June 1980."

Phase two of the drive would raise funds for a seven-story annex to be built adjacent to the present facility. Overall enrollment has increased 40 percent in the last 10 years.

The annex, Miller said, would enable the college to consolidate its staff under one roof and have access to better-equipped facilities.

The U of I College of Forestry, Wildlife and Range Sciences has also announced a fund-raising drive to construct a combination classroom/office complex.

The proposed annex would cost about $2.5 million, according to Dr. John H. Ehrenreich, college dean. It would be used primarily to provide classroom space for students and offices for staff.

The new annex, Ehrenreich said, has been planned to include a minimum of laboratory space because of the high cost of such facilities. "We wanted a building designed to give us the office space to house our staff and enough classroom space to teach our students efficiently."

The present building was dedicated in 1971 and was constructed at a cost of $3.5 million using primarily state and federal funding. Now, many of the laboratories designed for complex or special procedures must be used for lectures or laboratory classes which do not need or utilize the full capabilities of the present building.

The annex, as designed, would allow space to be shifted to match the college's needs. Movable partitions would enclose offices and classrooms in the three-story building.
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Clothing choices crucial, says U of I specialist

Dressing for success is apparently "in" these days. How we drape our bodies tells others a great deal about the "inner person," and, according to Sonja F. Rue, newly appointed U of I extension textiles and clothing specialist, each of us must carefully choose the "message" our clothing conveys.

"Clothing is such a personal thing that it is the only assistance home economists can give is in the form of blocks of basic information," she said. "It's up to the individual to select these pieces together as it is for personally appropriate.

Rue, who previously served as state clothing specialist at North Dakota State University, Fargo, replaces S. Nellie K. Patson, who resigned from the position.

"Everyone needs to have a basic knowledge of textiles so he or she understands the performance that can be expected of each kind of fiber," the U of I specialist stated. "They need to know about the care requirements and costs associated with each fiber type—"in time and in money—and they should know that quality in clothing construction—the way garments are put together.

She observed that everyone has to realize there will be tradeoffs in weight in most clothing decisions.

"Many are used to thinking that the more economical way to clothe themselves and their families is to buy the cheapest clothes," she said. "For some purposes, that's OK, but 'investment dressing' really has its benefits, too.

"For instance, she noted, 'nothing's wrong with spending $50 for a classically styled skirt. Carefully shopped for, such a wardrobe basic can be dressed up or down with stylish accessories. Quality clothing not only fits better but also lasts longer than inexpensive garments which are often poorly constructed.

"The quality of men's clothing generally has been good for a long time, because U.S. men haven't stood still for shoddy construction," Rue observed. "Working with county extension home economists, she hopes to encourage Idaho women to become more demanding of higher quality garments, too.

"These days, it seems that more people are paying less attention to fashion fluctuations and fads," she remarked. "I'd like to foster this attitude so the designers who've picked up on the trend to classically styled clothes will be encouraged to continue.

Rue, who joined the U of I Cooperative Extension Service on July 1, indicated one of her basic responsibilities as a state specialist is to help county home economists provide local citizens useful information about all aspects of clothing and textiles.

The U of I specialist also intends to focus on clothes budgeting, merchandising techniques for clothing and fabric retailers and special clothing needs for people such as those requiring hard-to-find sizes or alterations to accommodate physical handicaps.

In coming months, she will prepare packaged teaching programs on these and other topics for distribution to county home economists.

A native of Glen Ullin, N.D., Rue holds a bachelor's degree in home economics education and a master's degree in textiles and clothing from North Dakota State University. She has done graduate work in communications, teaching a course entitled "Communication and Change" at NDSU, and has continued her professional development by attending a number of workshops.

Since 1976, she has been a free-lance writer and educational consultant. In 1978, she was campaign manager for three North Dakota state legislative candidates.

While NDSU clothing specialist from 1972 to 1976, Rue was responsible for program management and development of 4-H textiles and clothing programs. She also served as state safety adviser for homemaker programs and, in 1978, participated in a traffic safety education research project for a governor's task force on traffic safety.

She has held offices in several professional honorary organizations, including Phi Upsilon Omicron and Delta Kappa Gamma, and her interests include travel, reading, cross-country skiing, interior design and sewing.

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