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Varsity, Society Basketball Begins

Faculty Preaching Mission to End Sunday

The ninth annual Faculty Preaching Mission began Monday, November 14, and will run through Sunday evening, November 20.

Miss Helen Wilson gave the opening chapel address on Monday morning.

Professor Marian Reeves spoke during the Tuesday chapel and Professor John Dix was heard on Wednesday.

The Thursday address was given by Paul Kunkel, assistant registrar, with M. A. Wilson bringing the concluding chapel message on Friday.

Richard Jackson, College High instructor, spoke Wednesday night at the regular College Church mid-week service.

Dean of Students, Thomas Leupp, will close the Faculty Preaching Mission Sunday night at College Church.

Professor Elwood Sanner, head of the Department of Religion, has presided at the chapel services and has introduced the speakers.

Artists Chosen for Civic Music Concerts

"The 1955-56 membership campaign of the Nampa Civic Music Association was a great success," Double E. Hill, president of the group, announced Saturday night following the close of the drive. Hill expressed the thanks of the association officers and campaign committee for the willing cooperation of campaign workers, press and radio in bringing to a successful conclusion the first campaign of the new association.

Artists for the 1955-56 season were selected Saturday night to conform directly with the talent ballots sent in by members of the Civic Music Association.

An overwhelming number of votes expressed preference for a duo-piano team. To comply with this demand, the association will present Josette and Yvette Roman internationally famous French piano team.

Civic Music members' number



These are the new Crusader cheerleaders for the coming basketball season. Clockwise from left are: Willadean Barber, Wilson Barber, LaDonna Nafziger, and Jim Quick.

Olys-ADPs to Present 'The Man'

Thanksgiving at NNC is marked by worship, fun, feasting and the thrill and drama of the society plays.

Thanksgiving night will mark

two vote went to the vocal ensemble category, and in this bracket the Association will present the "Winged Victory Chorus," a uniformed male choir.

Next in line of preference was the baritone category. Carl Palangi, bass-baritone of the San Francisco Opera, will be presented by the Civic Music Association this season.

Fourth largest number of votes in the Civic Music Balloting went to violin, and in this classification the association will present Maurice Wilk. He has been heralded throughout Europe and the United States with more than 90 successful appearances.

Membership cards together with a schedule of the dates of the performances will be mailed to Civic Music Members shortly before the first concert of the season.

the presentation of the "The Man", a psychological drama by Mel Dinelli. Sponsored by members of the ADP and Olympian societies, the play will run two nights—November 24 and 25.

Marilyn Samp and Dell Chumley are directing the play. In releasing the names of the cast for publication, the directors said that double-casting has been used for the two main roles. Elmo Hatlestad and Ron Kirkpatrick are cast as "the man", Howard Wilton. Mrs. Gillis, kindly old housekeeper who falls into great danger, is portrayed by Barbara Sandford and Faye Wilson. Eloise Tate as Mrs. Gillis' niece and LeRoy James as a friendly grocery boy, fail to rescue the elderly woman. Tom Matlock and Alan Rodda play friendly business men who are helpless in the face of the situation. Don Morgan is cast as a repair man who comes to the aid of Mrs. Gillis but fails to check one important item.

Say the play directors: "This is a unique play in that it is a psychological study of human beings. It has been produced successfully by a number of state universities."

Annual Basketball Jamboree Tomorrow Night

Tomorrow night at 6:00 o'clock the annual basketball jamboree will begin with the SLA girls versus the ADP girls. The jamboree will be in the gym, and the SLA and LSP boys play at 7:00, the Oly and LSP girls at 8:00, and the ADP and Oly boys at 9:00 o'clock.

Half-time entertainment for the four games will be skits provided by the societies in this order: LSP, Oly, ADP, and SLA.

The winning society receives 100 points toward the faculty loving cup, second place 75 points, third place 50 points, and fourth place 25 points. Judging is based on sportsmanship, enthusiasm, decorations, and half-time entertainment.

Society members sit in their own society sections which will be: Olys, northeast end; LSPs southeast end; SLAs, northwest end; ADPs, southwest end.

"Rhapsody in Bluegrass" to be Shown

Tonight will be the only night N.N.C. students will be able to attend an Audubon lecture free of charge.

This program, to be held in the chapel, will begin at 8 p.m. rather than 7:30 p.m. as was mistakenly announced previously.

An all-color motion picture, "Rhapsody in Blue Grass," and a commentary by Mr. Walter H. Shackleton, photographer for the film, will comprise the lecture which will last approximately an hour and a quarter to an hour and a half.

Faculty members desiring to attend this lecture must pay the regular admission fee of \$1.10 for adults. Students from other schools attending will be charged 50 cents in addition to showing their student body tickets.

Dr. Aller remarked that only "top notch" nature photographers are employed by the Audubon Society. The society then arranges traveling lecture series held all over the United States for them.

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Let's Be Optimists

By LaDonna Nafziger

I remember once reading a little poem which contained much wisdom. It was:

'Twixt the optimist and the pessimist
The difference is droll.
The optimist sees the doughnut
While the pessimist sees the hole.

Life, like a doughnut, may be viewed from many different angles. It may be seen full, rich and worthwhile or empty like the hole of a doughnut. It's in the eye and the mind. An optimist looks at an oyster and expects a pearl. A pessimist looks at an oyster and expects ptomaine poisoning.

I'll admit that sometimes it is difficult to try to picture the bright side of things, but there is always something to be thankful for. I am reminded of the story of the little shoemaker who left the gas turned on in his shop one night and upon arriving in the morning struck a match to light it. There was a terrific explosion, and the shoemaker was blown out through the door almost to the middle of the street.

A passer-by rushed to his assistance, and, after helping him to rise, inquired if he was injured. The little shoemaker gazed at his place of business, which was burning quite briskly, and said: "No, I ain't. But I got out just in time, eh?"

I like to recall the words of Lewis L. Clark, who said: "If your confidence needs boosting, just stop for a moment and consider that this old world in which we have found such happiness has throughout the past ages been visited by every catastrophe of which the human mind can conceive, and from each of these dark periods it has emerged always and eternally a progressive world."

"Finally, I say, cheer up. Let's look on the bright side rather than the dark side, and above all let us understand that there are no insurmountable obstacles standing in the path of our progress, that we are competent to solve the things that confront us, and that they will be solved."

I like to preach the gospel of optimism. Quit complaining and start cheering. There is always something to cheer about. Just like the old lady who was complaining about the weather. "Awful weather, isn't it?" she said.

Her friend answered cheerfully, "Awful weather is better than no weather."

The three virtues of the Bible are Faith, Hope and Charity. Isn't it a strange fact that of the three Biblical virtues, two are the ideals of optimism.

Look up, be happy and cheerful and you shall succeed in anything and that in the end is everything. The optimist leads a successful life you undertake, and if you don't succeed you will at least be happy, because his is a happy life and any life that is happy is successful.

Is It That Bad?

Doomsday—November 11—has come and gone. In the wake of the "Bench" were athletic-literary society directors tearing their hair over disqualified play cast and team members; professors sadly shaking their heads over

the intellectual laxness of their students; and the students themselves who casually greet each other, "Did you get on the Bench?"

Whatever the reaction, a lot of the professors' and the students' time and effort (which would have been better spent on the

LOOKING AROUND

with MARVIN BRUNSON



Facts and Fancy

Two weeks ago in this column I began a story. The hero of the story was facing calamity at the end of the first chapter. But this story is different than most. This time the hero does not escape catastrophe. In fact at the present time he is on the Bench.

So much for fancy. Now let's face facts. How can he get OFF the Bench.

I have devised Plan 3-S especially for such occasions. By its use I hope we may all get off the Bench forever. Here is the plan.

1. Slay horseplay
2. Slight unessentials
3. Stick to studying

Gordon Garlie Passes

Gordon Minard Garlie, 37, of 1320 Holly street died shortly after noon Tuesday in a Nampa hospital of injuries suffered Tuesday morning when his car collided with an engine at the railroad crossing north of Tieg's corner.

He was manager of the Gibbs Industrial Hardware store here.

Sheriff Dale Haile said that Garlie apparently failed to see the train. The car was carried 40 feet along the tracks and then overturned in a ditch.

Garlie was taking a five-gallon can of gasoline to a school bus, which had run out of gas, at the time of the accident. When a wrecker arrived to remove the car, the gasoline exploded and the vehicle caught fire and burned.

The Sheriff and Coroner John Alsip said Tuesday evening that they are continuing their investigation of the accident and have not decided whether to call an inquest. An autopsy was performed Tuesday night at Alsip chapel.

Mr. Garlie was born May 22,

original lesson) will go into the raising of these bench marks.

The purpose of the mid-semester grades and of the Bench is to let us know where we stand in our classes. As such they are helpful in detecting those weak spots that we'll want to improve.

New (S) On KROK

Listeners to KROK are going to have a chance to hear ministerial students preach on the new program, "KROK Church of the Air." This half-hour program to be heard on Sundays at 3:30 p.m., will be directed by students in Prof. Sanner's homiletics class

"If you happened to hear a terrific racket coming from KROK a few weeks ago, it's nothing to worry about," says Gene Hansen, manager. "It was just the KROK staff trying out the new Allied Radio push button tape recorder. Students are invited to stop in and see this new addition to the station."

The station also has a new G. E. Telechron clock mounted over the console. In addition to these improvements KROK has received a shipment of new sacred and classical records. More major improvements are planned for the near future.

Gene Hansen announces that questionnaires will be handed out to the student body next week. The purpose of these questionnaires will be to provide KROK with a knowledge of what its listeners want. He urges that all students fill out these questionnaires carefully and completely as future plans for KROK will be based upon the results of this survey.

1918, in Pierce County, Wis., and moved with his parents to Hannaford, N. D., when he was 10 years of age. He was graduated from high school there in 1913 and moved to Seattle where he was married June 26, 1943, to Alice Pederson. The couple lived there until he entered the Navy in 1945. They moved to Nampa in 1949 and he was graduated Cum Laude from NNC in 1953.

While in college he was a member of the Olympian Society, Alpha Phi Lambda, (now the Collegiate Ministerial Association) and the Christian Workers' Band.

He was a member of the College Church where he was director of the boys and girls caravan programs and taught a Sunday School class.

Surviving in addition to Mrs. Garlie are a son, Ronald Paul, 1; two daughters, Marilyn Deane, 9, and Judith Kay, 7; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Garlie of Hannaford, and two brothers Elliott Garlie of Nampa and Robert Gene Garlie of Hannaford.

Alsip chapel is arranging services.

Hills Cuts Cage Varsity

The Crusaders are "getting down to business," says Coach Orrin Hills.

Thirteen players now make up the varsity team which is practicing daily for its first game Nov. 26, with Westminster in Central gym.

Included on this first team are six lettermen back from the 1954-55 squad which won 19 while losing 11. Three of these returning lettermen were starters last season. They are forward Mickey Dean, the team's leading scorer, guard Duane Peppley, and guard Hal Weber. Reserves back are forward Clarence Kinzler, guard Duane Steuckle, and center Leon Doan. Another returning letterman Arnie Finkbeiner, did not play last year.

Two transfers also make the top thirteen. They are Jay Dean, from Oregon State College, and Dave Gardner, from Lewis and Clark. Both of these players started for their respective schools last season.

Sophomores up from last year's junior varsity team are Don Doan, Dan Martin, Al Freeman, and Cecil Campbell. The lone freshman on the team is Sam Willard.

SPORTS

Wally Brown, Editor

Crusaders to Meet Harlem Clowns November 29

The Harlem Clowns, those classy, comical cut-ups, will come to Nampa Nov. 29, for a basketball game with NNC.

The exhibition contest will be sponsored by the NNC athletic department and will start at 8:15 p.m.

This season the Clowns are in their twentieth year of touring the nation. They opened their schedule near Chicago Nov. 1, and will play through Canada, Montana, Idaho, Washington, Oregon, California, Arizona, New Mexico, and Colorado.

Manager Al "Runt" Pullins has gathered together a team this year that combines high-caliber basketball playing with laugh-provoking comedy routines. The Clowns specialize in fancy exhibitions, razzle-dazzle ball handling, intricate routines and both planned and impromptu comedy.

"We have the best," says Pullins, "our team is big, young, enthusiastic and the boys have fun playing."

Cheer Leaders Chosen Fun Night

The highlight of last Friday night's entertainment was the election of LaDonna Nafziger, Willie Barber, Jim Quick, and Wilson Barber as this year's cheerleaders.

Earlier in the evening the all-stars defeated the ADP girls in a volleyball game; and the Morrison Hall girls came out victorious in an exciting pillow fight with Hadley Hall girls. Flour sifting quite freely from an unknown pillow added to the general confusion of the fight.

Other activities on the evening's agenda were boy's volleyball games with the ADPs and the Olys being the victors, and special events of boxing and tumbling. The evening's events were topped off by the boy's all-stars defeating the faculty in a volleyball game.

College High Sports

The CHS basketball candidates had their first turn-out Tuesday the 8th at 6:30. There was a good response with over thirty candidates appearing. Among these there are six returning lettermen: Don Gould, Larry and Jerry Hull, Bill James, Don Olmstead, and Keith Wright. College High will have two teams again this year, a varsity composed of 12 to 15 players and a junior varsity.

Coach Virgil Vail has already scheduled 16 games for the Trojan Varsity, with a possibility of 4 more. The J.V.'s have a possible 15 games under coach Dave Gardner.

This year's squad will compete in the Sky-line Conference. Other schools in the league are: St. Teresa, Greenleaf, Melba, Bruneau, and Grandview.

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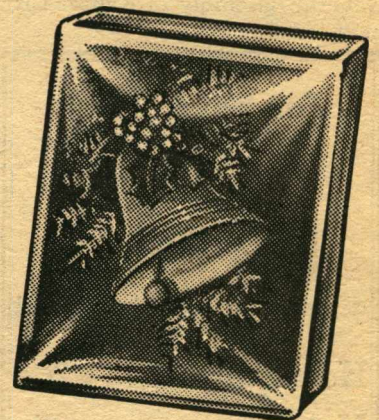
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Cupid's Corner

"I'd like to express my appreciation to members of the Armed Forces for their interest in my column, made manifest by their recent courageous actions.

—Cupid

Friday, November 11, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Heiserman of Kalama, Washington, announced the engagement of their daughter, Lenore, to Dick Johnson. Also of Kalama, he is now stationed at the air force base in Amarillo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Hutchins of Eugene, Oregon, announced the engagement of their daughter, Thelma, to Franklin Kennedy on Wednesday, November 16. Franklin, originally from Florida, is now stationed at the Mountain Home Air Force Base.

"Operation KC"

Members of the Crusader Choir announce that "Operation KC" is well under way with a hearty response from townspeople who are interested in the work of NNC.

"Operation KC" is the choir's project for this year as they work to solve the expense problem involved in their proposed tour to General Assembly in Kansas City next summer.

Nine-to-Five Club Dines at President's Home

A delicious buffet supper at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Hartley in Boise formed the setting for the Nine-to-Five Club meeting held Thursday evening, November 10. Following the supper, the twenty members attending were privileged to hear a talk on "Little Things That Bosses Like", by Mrs. Robert G. Thompson, secretary of the National Office Management Association in Boise. A picture was taken for the Oasis.

Scriblerus — Juno And Jupiter

At the Scriblerus Club meeting held at the home of Miss Washburn last week, Lois Morgan presented a discussion of Juno and Jupiter, major figures in Greek mythology. Oasis pictures were taken, and refreshments were served.

Speech Club Views Film

"How Successful is the Communist Conspiracy in the United States?" This was the film viewed by Speech Club members Tuesday evening. William Powell then led a round-table discussion on "Communism and the Church".

Business—IRC Clubs Hold Joint Meeting

Last Tuesday evening about forty members of the Business Club met in the chapel with the International Relations Club to view the film, "The Story of Winston Churchill." This was followed by a short business meeting at which time club pictures were taken for the Oasis.

Music Club Elects Officers

Newly elected officers of the Music Club include president, Don Edwards; secretary-treasurer, Melva Cullens; and publicity-membership chairman, Clayton Martin. At their regular meeting held November 8, T. C. Leckie presented a talk about the piano class which is a new experiment at N.N.C. this year.

Art Club

At the Art Club meeting held November 10, club advisor Mary Shaffer spoke on her trip to New York, which she took last summer in connection with her Master's work. She emphasized modern trends in art, showing slides and movies to illustrate.

Last Saturday afternoon at 2:00 seventeen Art Club members left

Trojan Talk

By Dave Jackson

The Speech Class, under the direction of Mrs. Bunts, will present "Tom Sawyer's Morning." The cast is just beginning rehearsals of the play. All members in the production were chosen from the Speech class. The cast is as follows: Tom Sawyer—Larry Hull; Joe Harper—Jerry Hull; Jim—Bill James; Aunt Polly—Iverna Lyda; New Boy—Dave Jackson; Ben Rogers—Phil Frisk; Billy Fisher—Milt Alexander; Johnnie Miller—Don Olmstead; Josie Miller—Barbara Keen; Huckleberry Finn—Keith Wright; Becky Thatcher—Lucy Cotner.

The play will be presented in the College Chapel (no date set) and again for the PTA Open House December 8th.

N.N.C. to visit the annual Idaho Art Exhibit in the Boise Art Museum. They also saw the art exhibit at the Fritchman Galleries and returned to N.N.C. after a Chinese dinner at the Golden Dragon.

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