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FRESHIES VICTORIOUS

Win from Sophomores in an Evenly Contested Game.

Although the Sophomores showed a great improvement in yelling compared with their recent chapel effort, they were not the equal of the Freshmen upon the basket ball arena. The game, however, was not a "walk-over" for the Freshmen. Both teams were out to win and each thought that they could feel victory in the air. The game was in reality the game of either side up to the very last minute, the Freshmen winning by only three points.

In spite of the rough playing it is evident from some of the excellent work done in this game that with some careful coaching a team may be sent out from this institution which will be a decided improvement over any of our former excellent basket-ball teams.

For the Sophomores, Maloney at center and Smead at guard played star games. For the Freshmen, the goal throwing by Davis and the excellent guarding by Rader were star features. Agnew had a bad streak of luck and did not play up to his usual standard.

THE GAME.

Saturday evening saw about 160 people gathered to watch the game. At 8:10 o'clock the fun began with the following line-up:

| SOPHS. | FRESHIES. |
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| Maloney.....c..... | Lund |
| Ockerman.....r.f..... | Agnew |
| Fulton.....l.f..... | Davis |
| Smead.....l.g..... | Rader |
| Smith.....r.g..... | Hill |

In less than two minutes after the ball was first put into play two field goals were made by Maloney. It looked blue for the Freshmen, but here Smith fouled and Davis threw the free goal. From the toss-up the ball was again carried down the field by the Sophs., but Ockerman missed and Agnew got the ball. Agnew passed to Davis who missed. Agnew secured the ball again and also missed an easy goal. After some hard playing the ball was again carried down the field by the Sophs. and Ockerman threw the goal. Lund and Davis in turn missed the basket

and the ball was obtained by Smith. The Sophs. carried the ball down the field and Smead missed an easy goal. Lund fouled and Maloney made good the point. The Freshmen worked the ball down the field and Agnew threw a field goal. Maloney fouled and Davis failed to throw the free goal, but again obtained the ball and made a field goal. Maloney fouled and Davis failed to convert. Agnew and Maloney repeated the performance. After hard playing the Freshmen carried the ball to their end of the field and Davis threw the most difficult goal obtained during the game. Time was taken out for Lund, who was slightly injured. Lund soon recovered and the game went on. In a huge pile-up Hill fouled, Maloney missing the free goal. Hill again fouled and Maloney again failed to make good. Time called. Score 7-7.

SECOND HALF.

The same line-up appeared on both teams for the second half. The ball was obtained by Lund on the toss-up. Lund threw to Agnew. Smead tackled Agnew. Davis failed to throw the free goal. Rader obtained the ball near the Soph. goal and made a good pass to Davis who threw the basket. Smead fouled and Davis added one to the score. Hill fouled and Maloney missed the free goal. Agnew and Fulton repeated the stunt. Smead fouled and Davis converted. The score was now 13-7 and the Sophs. in the gallery began to look blue. Smith and Smead carried the ball the length of the field and Smead threw the sphere into the basket. A long, hard scrimmage followed, during which the ball was several times near each goal, but the guards did such effective work at this point that no score could be made. A foul was made by the Freshmen, but before the whistle could be blown Ockerman threw a field goal. Time was now taken out to decide whether the goal thrown by Ockerman should count or not. It was eventually decided that it should count. Both sides had a chance for a free goal and Davis made the best of the opportunity. Score, 14-11 in favor of Freshmen. The time was nearly up and the Sophs. were much excited, both upstairs and down. Lund was injured but soon returned to finish the game. Rader fouled and Ockerman

failed to throw the goal. Davis did better on Maloney's foul. Rader fouled and Fulton converted. Time was called and the game was over. Score: Freshmen, 15; Sophs, 12.

Umpire—Prof. Thatcher.

Referee—Richau.

Timekeeper—Thompson.

W. A. C.-Idaho Debate.

Our debate with the U. of I. is one of the forensic affairs to which all of the older students look forward with a great deal of interest. This interest is in reality due to the fact that it is the opening gun in our intellectual battles of each year. On its outcome, if we are inclined to read the future by omens, depends our success in debating throughout the year.

The manner of choosing our team was somewhat unique, but resulted in the selection of three particularly strong men to represent us. Mr. Kreager led his team to glorious victory over the team from U. of M. last year; won the Stearns Medal Debate here, and will represent us in our annual debate with Whitman College this year. Mr. Robinson won honors as an orator early in his college career and has since given every evidence of debating ability in his work in the Websterian society. While Mr. Berry has never before represented the college in an inter collegiate contest, he is known as a clear thinker, a ready speaker, and will hold up his end of the debate.

It is not only the privilege of every loyal student to go Moscow and support our team, but it is his duty as well. A team, be it ever so good, is better if supported. Now, fellow students, if you wish the team to win and also to maintain our former boast of always furnishing the larger share of the audience in our contests with Idaho, go to Moscow Saturday night. Make the Idaho assembly room look prettier than it has ever looked before by decorating the majority of the seats with Crimson and Gray.

J. W. B.

Don't forget the Declamation contest tomorrow night.

Mrs. Goodyear, of Colfax, was the guest of Prof. and Mrs. Fulmer last Wednesday.