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## CALENDAR FOR 1920-1921

### SUMMER SESSION, 1920

- **Registration**: June 7 and 8
- **Classes meet**: June 8
- **First Term closes**: July 16
- **Second term opens**: July 19
- **Quarter closes**: August 27

### FIRST QUARTER

- **Registration**: October 1 and 2
- **Classes meet**: October 4
- **Thanksgiving Vacation**: November 25-28
- **Quarter closes**: December 23
- **Christmas Vacation**: December 24-January 2

### SECOND QUARTER

- **Registration**: January 3
- **Classes begin**: January 4
- **Quarter closes**: March 18

### THIRD QUARTER

- **Registration**: March 18 and 19
- **Classes meet**: March 21
- **Commencement**: June 2
The Washington State Normal School at Ellensburg is maintained for the training of teachers for the elementary schools. The following courses are offered:

**Two Years**—
- Kindergarten
- Primary
- Intermediate
- Grammar Grade
- Rural

**Three Years**—
- School Supervision
- Home Economics
- Manual Training
- Physical Education
- Art
- Music

Life diplomas are issued on the basis of the diplomas obtained from the above courses after twenty-four months of successful teaching experience. A Normal School Elementary Certificate is issued at the end of the first year of the two-year courses. This certificate is good for two years and is not renewable.

The work in the above courses comprises both professional and academic training. Practice teaching is given in all grades and in the rural training centers. Correspondence work is offered in many departments and extension work in the professional field.

The school publishes a number of useful bulletins each year and packet libraries are sent out for the use of teachers remote from library facilities.

The actual cost of attendance at the Normal School for a year is unusually low and the opportunities for self-help plentiful. The demand for trained teachers far exceeds the supply and all indications are that this condition will last for some time. Salaries are steadily and rapidly rising and teaching conditions in the state are most attractive. The profession of teaching is more and more recognized by laymen and teachers as one of the biggest factors for service in the development and preservation of high national ideals.

Investigate the opportunities it affords for service and write for information to

George H. Black, President,
Washington State Normal School,
Ellensburg, Washington.
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

A MUSICAL QUINTETTE

SCENE FROM SENIOR PLAY, "A WOMAN'S WAY"

MILLINERY CLASS
EIGHTH GRADE HANDWORK

HURDLE RACE ON ANNUAL PLAY DAY

KINDERGARTEN BAND

CORRECTIVE GYMNASICS
ANNUAL SCHOOL PICNIC IN TAENUM CANYON

VIEW OF YAKIMA RIVER FROM CIRCLE DRIVE
THE WASHINGTON STATE NORMAL SCHOOL, the oldest in the state, was established in Ellensburg in 1890. The city of Ellensburg is situated in the Kittitas Valley, known as one of the most beautiful and prosperous valleys in Washington. It is at the base of the Cascade mountains and is surrounded on all sides by spurs from this range. Numerous peaks rise to lofty elevations, and topping all to the northwest stands out the rugged summit of Mt. Stuart, the Matterhorn of America.

The Kittitas Valley is reported to have more sunshine both summer and winter than any other locality in the state. Due to the absence of humidity the summer days are never oppressive and a case of sunstroke is unknown, while the cold in winter is without the penetrating chill felt in more humid climates. It has the best health record in the state.

The farms of the valley are diversified and the farmers prosperous. They own substantial homes, automobiles and fine herds of cattle and horses. The residents of the town and country are loyal and generous to a degree as is evidenced by their over-subscription to all war funds.

Ellensburg typifies high average American community conditions, free from the over stimulus of the large American city and providing good modern community life conditions such as are found in prosperous all-American smaller cities. It has churches of nearly every denomination, a fine Y. M. C. A., a new $50,000 hospital fitted with the most modern equipment obtainable, a public library, and excellent public schools, including a recently built $60,000 high school. The State Normal is erecting a new $75,000 Woman’s Building on its campus. This building will be up-to-date in all respects relating to the welfare of the students of the institution.

Ellensburg is situated on the main lines of both the Northern Pacific and the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroads and is also the central Washington hub of the state highway system. It is on the great Sunset Highway, as the Washington section of the National Park Transcontinental Highway is known. This highway crosses Snoqualmie Pass in the upper section of Kittitas county, follows along the shore of Lake Keechelus thru Cle Elum to Ellensburg and then east, nearly every mile being macadamized. The Inland Empire Highway branches off to the southeast, going thru Yakima, Pasco and Walla Walla and then north to Spokane. Branching north from Ellensburg into the Wenatchee and Okanogan country are two routes, one over Blewett Pass and one over Colockum Pass, both scenic and well improved.

In the canyons around Ellensburg are hundreds of beauty spots for campers. The Nanum, the Taenum, the Menastash, the Swauk and the Teanaway are spots where hundreds of automobile loads of pleasure seekers go every week-end in the summer season.
NINTH STREET, FROM THE CAMPUS

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