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Last Day to Drop
Courses Today

Will Seniors Ever Sneak? No! Say Mighty Juniors

Seniors Are Boastful in Face of Senior Plans for Big Day

DATE AGAIN POSTPONED

Seniors, Under Fox, Maintain Dignified Silence in Regards to Date

The great and marvelous annual Senior Sneak Day has again been mysteriously postponed by the hectic and very worried high and mighty seniors.

Will the Senior class president, Byron Fox, be kidnapped by members of the Junior Secret Committee? Or will the Junior class president, Carl Palmer, be kidnapped?? Are the great Seniors or the lowly Juniors going to win in Senior Sneak Day fracas to take place on _____?

And why was the Sneak Day postponed from Thursday to _____?

Could it be possible that the Juniors discovered the secret?

At last (it couldn't be kept in longer) the Juniors have laid plans to trap the Seniors. And (Continued on Page Three)

Phelan Contest Decided; Announcement May 18

Latest reports on the Phelan contest indicate that the work of judging is all but finished, with decisions already completed for poetry and essay groups. The next story decisions are expected to be in by the end of this week.

No decisions will be made until May 18th, when a special assembly will be held in the Little Theater. The winning names will be announced then and the prizes distributed. At this time the winning one-act play will be staged by members of the Speech Arts department. Other one-winning selections will be listed in excerpt.

Reports have it that the one-act play chosen for first prize is of a very high calibre. In the minds of one of the judges who selected it "it can stand with any college-written play in the country."

So high grade entertainment is assured for the May 18th assembly as well as the shrouded-in-mystery contest announcements whose mystery has, at the present time, got the college vastly intrigued. Don't forget May 18th at the Little Theater.

Last Day To Drop Courses; Registrar

Today is the last day courses can be dropped.
Registrars Office.

Trackmen Leave For Big Far Western Conference Conflict At State Capitol

BLESH AND SQUAD OF TWENTY-FIVE SPARTANS LEAVE FOR SACRAMENTO TODAY

"If my boys turn in their best times and distances San Jose State may upset the favored Fresno State team," with that parting shot Coach Erwin Blesh prepares to embark for Sacramento this afternoon with 26 Spartan tracksters to compete in trials and finals for Far Western Conference honors tomorrow at Sacramento stadium. Schools to be represented are Fresno State, College of Pacific, Chico State, University of Nevada, and California Agricultural College.

Defending the title will be Coach Flint Hanner's Fresno State Bulldogs, who are slight favorites to keep the title in their own backyard for at least another year.

Spartans Have Chance

Chances of knocking the kingpins off their perch are wrapped up in only one of the other five contenders, that being San Jose State. Led by Captain Doug Taylor, who is to vie for honors in both the dashes, broad jump, and to run anchor in the relay, the Spartans will be pushing the Bulldogs all the way. Blesh feels that all his men have reached their peak and are in better condition now than ever before. Cunningham in the javelin throw, with marks of 210 and 214 feet chalked up this season, is the only Spartan with a cinch first place. Taylor will be broadjumping against Floyd Wilson, in hopes of wresting the crown from the diminutive Fresnoan. Taylor holds one victory over Wilson, outjumping him in the dual between Fresno and San Jose a few weeks ago.

Possibilities of first places go with Harper in the mile, Salvato in the hundred, Prouty in the pole vault, Clemo in the 880, and Knight in the low hurdles. San Jose's hopes lie in Fresno's being edged out of their first places by members of the weaker teams.

College of Pacific, depending on Johnny Hoobyar and Lawrence Hatch for their points, remain without a hope for first or second place, but should be counted on to finish in the upper half. Hoobyar, if good weather conditions prevail, is considered a likely prospect to crack the Conference 440 record of 49.5 set by Bill Hubbard several years ago. (Continued on Page Four)

Coach Optimistic



"If my boys turn in their best times and distances we may upset Fresno State," says Coach Erwin Blesh, as his men depart for Sacramento.

SPARTAN DEBATERS TO MEET STANFORD SQUAD HERE

One of the most exciting debates between Stanford and State will occur at 11 o'clock in the Little Theatre on Tuesday, the 9th, on the subject of "Must America Travel the Moscow Road?"

Dick Lynden, and Charles Pinkham, accomplished debaters of San Jose State, will uphold the affirmative of the question. Interpreting Marxian Socialism as the goal of the Russian revolution, Lynden and Pinkham will attempt to prove that America will follow the Moscow road, but since we already have an educated proletariat and an industrial civilization, we will avoid the chaos which came out of Russia's premature economic revolution.

Prospective Student Teachers Must Meet

All students who plan to do student teaching during the year 1933-34 must absolutely attend a meeting in the Little Theater this noon, prompt 12 o'clock. At this time those who attend will sign with Dr. Freeland.

"Castillian Rose" to Be Presented Here for Pen Women

As one of the most important events in the music production history of San Jose State, the "Castillian Rose," an original musical phantasy will be presented this Saturday in the College Little Theatre by the League of American Pen Women.

Miss Alma Lowry Williams, who is an instructor in the Music department of San Jose State, largely composed the music for the phantasy, and also arranged that composed by other members of the group. Miss Williams is directing the play and will take the part of Conception Arguello.

Other members of San Jose State will participate in this production. The part of Rezanov will be taken by Bernard Prichard. Others appearing in the cast are Emil Miland, Charles Pait, Raymond Jans, Herbert Miller, Frances Gifford, Evelyn Hartman, and a women's double quartette, composed of Gladys Rood, Mildred Muurgotten, Margaret Mellier, Margaret Gamble, Audrey Colby, Katherine Smith, Margaret McIntpre, and Marcella Gran. Emily Schwartz will accompany on the piano, and Jack Fidanque will play the guitar.

Alice Maude Schutte, Mayette Wilkins, Clare Percy Westphal, Estelle Greathhead, Margaret Hale Chappel, Rozella Crever, Josephine Hughston, and Alma Lowry Williams, members of the poetry and music group, wrote the phantasy.

The production will be an invitational affair for members of the Santa Clara County branch of the League of American Pen Women and their guests.

Arcata Teachers Choir To Sing Here Monday

Of special interest to music lovers of San Jose comes the announcement of the assembly scheduled for next Monday morning, May 8th, which will feature the choir of the Arcata Teachers College.

The morning assembly at 11 o'clock will be a sort of a choir festival in which the Arcata choir and the San Jose State choir will sing for each other.

Si Simoni, Cody, Cox Combine On Dance Success

Nite of May 5th Promises To Be Outstanding at State

PUNCH WILL BE SERVED

Many Capable Committees Form Efficient Staff for Si Simoni

A thoroughly enjoyable evening is promised to those who attend the Student Body dance in the Men's Gym, Friday evening, May fifth, by Si Simoni, chairman of Student Affairs.

Cox's nine-piece orchestra will furnish the music for the affair and Gino Muschi of KQW will entertain during intermission with accordion solos.

Punch will be served.

Russel Cody is in charge of the lights, and others who are working with Chairman Simoni on the dance are Beryl Tree, Louise Winans, Alberta Jones, Gail Baldwin, Harry Jennings, Paul Becker, Amby Nichols, Hugh Staffelbach, Frank Yearian, Larry Egleson, Elmer Stoll, Bob Leslie, George Harrison and Bill MacQuarie.

Attorney Burnett Speaks at Frosh Orientation

Attorney John M. Burnett of San Jose was the guest speaker at Freshman orientation yesterday, telling what the college graduate in business thinks of the present day college student. Besides practicing law in San Jose, Mr. Burnett teaches it; therefore his talk was given from the viewpoint of teacher, student, and professional business man, and proved timely and helpful to the audience.

Mr. Burnett prepared his talk for three groups: the student who is preparing for professional work, the potential teacher, and the student who comes to college with the idea of spending four years in pleasant surroundings under more or less pleasant conditions. The first two groups were emphasized.

Those who are preparing for entrance into the professional fields, such as medicine, law, and engineering, are substantially equipped in fundamentals, generally, but lack knowledge of the classics, literature, grammar, and other cultural subjects, in Mr. Burnett's opinion. For instance, a pre-legal student is very likely to devote his studies almost entirely to economics and political science, courses which are valuable and necessary, but more advantageous if combined with the established fundamentals such as literature, reading, writing, and grammar. Unless he does this, he is (Continued on Page Two)

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Caliban's Columnies

By Owen Ulph
In Tuesday's edition of the Times, not that it has anything to do with the Biography of William Shakespeare, but to get back to the point—in Tuesday's edition of the Times, Mr. Rudolph Engfer reprimands English students for failing to commemorate the birth of one, William Shakespeare, poet and dramatist.

So that it might prove an incentive to such students to commemorate his birth next year, I have compiled a few simple statistics on the subject, such as the title suggests.

Shakespeare was born on the 26th of April, 1564.

April 23—Shakespeare born. Encyc. Brit. 14 eds.

April 1—All fools day. (don't know what this has to do with Shakespeare, but it helps fill up his biography.)

April 23—Shakespeare died. New Int.

April 25—P. G. Wodehouse born.

April 22—William Shakespeare died.

April 1—Birth of Christ.

April (?)—Shakespeare born. (This shows the influence of statisticians.)

April 25—Shakespeare died.

April 26—Shakespeare baptised. Dec. 25—Birth of Christ.

April 22—Shakespeare born. (Children were then baptised four days after birth.)

April 22—Shakespeare born at Stratford-on-Avon. (Baptism occurs on the first Sunday after birth and Shakespeare was born definitely on a Tuesday and was baptised definitely on the 26, which sets the date at the 22.)

Since these calculations the calendar system has been changed to the difference of thirteen days which places Shakespeare's birth really on:

Birth	Death
April 9	April 9
April 10	April 10
April 11	April 11
April 12	April 12
April 13	April 13

Well—well, who cares as Shakespeare probably didn't write any plays anyway.

That the hen-pecked husband who got tired of his wife and tried to trade her in for a new one at the Women's Exchange, is the same one who sent for a veterinary surgeon when his wife was kicked by a horse?

The Billiken

I'm tired. I'm tired of the people I know; I'm tired of the people I pass on the street. I'm tired of short stories in which the characters are named "Cairstairs" or "Spike;" of women who giggle and women with low, sweet guffaws; of gelatin desserts; of inferiority complexes, and of glib young psychologists.

I want never to see another moving picture with a heroine that trembles, "Why do you look at me this way?" I can't bear the thought of seeing "sherbert" in print again. I'm tired of side-walked humped by tree roots, and of tap dancers, and of people who say, "Hello, there!"

I'm weary of ostentatiously athletic women who wear low-heeled shoes and masculine sweaters; of newspaper columnists who invent jargon; of people who play harmonicas; of amateur actors who have heard that the world's a stage. I'm tired of being introduced to people who say "Plezz-tuhmeecha;" of women who always talk about sex; of women who never talk about sex.

I'm tired of creatures who dwell upon the advantages of suicide, and of people who take chemistry, and jokes about beer.

I'm tired of pictures of the vestal virgins; of men with feeble mustaches, like seaweed on the face of a corpse washed ashore; of professors who make the same wisecracks in two or more classes a day; of jig-saw puzzles; of hearing about Oscar Wilde; of smelling formaldehyde and dog fish.

I could exist without people who say "tomayto"; without people who say "tomahito" and smirk; without left-handed people who boast about it; without hearing the sonnets of Elizabeth Barrett Browning.

I'm tired of the erratic class numerals in the quad sidewalk; of etched glass; of Mark Twain; of people who flee at "El Portal."

I'm tired of euphemistic professors; of being patronized by (Editor's note. At this point the Editor's patient came to an end. He sent the foregoing material to the printer—the paper must be filled—and consigned the remaining nineteen pages of the Billiken's whimperings to the very bottom of the Times' office wastebasket. Any imbecile who cares to read further in these lachrymations is perfectly welcome to search for the manuscript.)

James Lawrence Billwiller.

Notebook Notes

By Rudolph Engfer
All these caustic comments concerning the superiority of women, or vice versa, are getting on my nerves.

It all started in one of the literature classes when I commented upon some of the virtues of George Eliot. Since that time some of the severest critics have called me "a conceited ass," "egotist"—which I am not (probably an egoist, but not an egotist)—and names too numerous to mention. Here is how I stand on the question: Are men superior to women in the creative field?

Woman has played a dual role; or as another writer wrote recently, "The paradox of woman begins and ends with her double function in the scheme of life: to amuse man and reproduce him." In either of these roles, she cannot be excelled, but her product in the other fields are pitiful examples compared with the works of the opposite sex.

In fact, they would never be remembered, in many cases, but that their material was a product of a woman. To mention her conduct when buying clothes, her business acumen, and the rest of that argument would take too much space—and you know the story, anyway.

My contention is: the contributions women have made in the field of creative literature, arts, and sciences have been inferior to that of men.

This "New Deal" for women has not been encouraging, although the ever-watchful President Roosevelt has appointed three women to fill important posts in our government. Again, it smacks very much of the old army game: get the women's votes. Re-election appears to be uppermost in his mind—or his backers' minds.

Listen, gals, many of you can run rings around me, but I was trying to take an objective view of the old question.

The woeful appeal of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War, on the radio, last month, was a sample of what may come from this branch of the veterans in the months to follow. They sounded a "warning" to every village, city, county, and state in these United States what will happen when the new pension ratings go into effect. Hospitals (county) will be deluged by ex-service men, and charity associations will feel the increased demands.

It was this organization which engineered the enormous increase of pensions—214 thousand wounded men are recorded by the War Department, but the present list (or did until recently) number was over 800 thousand receiving pensions for liabilities.

The story, accredited to one of the campus historians (in the English department) to the effect that Cleopatra did not die from the bite of an asp, but called for a boa-constrictor, seems logical. She preferred to be hugged to death.

Another question still unanswered is: What will be the status of those ladies who were called

Machiavelli Mutteres

At last it has come. The millennium it to hand. The most spasmodic column that has ever graced the Times' alabaster sheets the one they thought was deader than Adam, that wouldn't even bother to rise on Judgment Day, has come back.

"Oh," you inquire politely, "was it ever gone?" Yes and/or No. It—we—couldn't stand it any longer. This time you growl impatiently, "Couldn't stand what?"

WE CAN'T STAND ANY MORE OF THE CHEAP PUBLICITY THAT THE MOST HATED MAN ON THE CAMPUS HAS ACQUIRED THROUGH RAISING A MOUSTACHE! This fatuous calf—let us call him Smith (although he is also called Jones, Hey-you, Stoopid, and ##!#! &) is nothing more than a hi-school cut-up in long trousers. His brain is non-existent, his wit superficial, and his cleverness grossly exaggerated.

Let us lay, once and for all, this myth about a misunderstood genius, an idealist gone Sanders-Glyer. He is nothing more than a self-inflated hack-writer who blushes when a co-ed giggles at him. His so-called sophistication is so shallow that he once wrote a composition for a girl and then asked for a date. And after that he wrote (but not for publication) "Nuts on wimmin! If I would give me half a chance, I'd be happy with her forever. I'd even marry her. I'd even work for her!" Three weeks later he had forgotten her existence.

And here is another touching bit from an authentic manuscript: ". . . I used to walk in moonlight by myself and think about her, and sigh her name, and weep when she went out with someone else. . . ." (This was another girl.) And here is yet another: ". . . I can't fall in love anymore. . . . It was all killed years ago."

Machiavelli pauses at this point to ask adequate police protection. This then, reveals the campus cynic, the worldly wise young dilettante. Let the mask be stripped once and for all from this egotistical misconception of a hyphenated blank. Already he has become a Name, a glory-seeking addlepate who has bluffed the morons comprising this college, into thinking that someday he will say something. Let no one be deceived. He will only continue to dish out trite puns and sickly "humorous" bilge. But it will get over. The flock of geese that is laughingly called collegiate will go on thinking of him as an embryo G. B. Shaw—and be perfectly right.

And now he's raised a moustache. Ye Gods . . . —M. L.

"gold-diggers," now that we are off the gold standard?

Several months ago the radio programs featured one Jewish comedian on a program which extolled the virtues of ham.

A five dollar reward is offered for the return of the white-gold wrist watch lost in the women's dressing room of the Science wing. Phone Marian Pash, Santa Clara 27J11. The return of it would be greatly appreciated.

Do You Know?

That while pacifists talk and rebuke, Japanese troops are pressing ahead only 60 miles from Peiping, ancient capital of China. The war machine is something that will not await the words of men. Deeds only count.

That the following conversation was recently carried on between Ed Boardman and Frank Yearian? Frank (showing identification cards): If you'd never seen any picture of me but this, you wouldn't trust me, would you? Ed: I wouldn't want to commit myself!

That speaking of cave men reminds us of the time when Monroe Ledyard was "suave in his handling of the fair sex. Can it be that Dot Woodrow is the cause of this sudden change?"

That we took Mr. Nichols' advice and looked for some peculiar names? Here are some of them: Take for instance that team of Shew, Chew, Chow and Chuck. Pretty good, eh? Then, there are those literary luminaries Norris, Lewis, Wilde and Thurber. But this is out of my line.

That first in the ranks of the great misunderstood is Adah Mae Rhoads? It seems she likes to sing on bright and sunny days. And of course some people don't appreciate art (?), and growl, "What's the matter with you?"

That Dr. Freeland thinks that "The Fighting President" is a picture for morons? There must be lots of morons in San Jose if you can judge by the crowds attending. Hope there's no reflection on the subject.

That a certain co-ed gets her mail at school because her parents don't understand her. Oh, oh, wonder why?

Latest reports on the Uplift Seales moustache contest. Uplift leading by three hairs and two microbes.

Why Theron Fox eats his lunch at home?

Freshman Orientation

(Continued from Page One) not training himself to think, and does not learn much about humanity.

If he has a good knowledge of the classics, he can convey the impression that he is an educated, cultured individual, and his business will be more profitable. Mr. Burnett attributed the fault for this incomplete education to the times and to the material appearing in magazines and newspapers.

Illustrating his points with accounts of personal experiences, Mr. Burnett told of commencement day at Santa Clara University, when he was valedictorian of his class. He obtained a position with a law firm, but found that law-school knowledge did not help him to write out complaints and draw bonds. In his first case he had difficulty in asking questions that would not be leading; therefore he stands for more practical education.

Ruth Montgomery, Society Editor

Social and Sorority Section

Dorothy Haggitt, Asst. Society Ed.

ASILOMAR SAND DUNE PARTY WILL BE GIVEN THURSDAY EVENING

There is going to be a beach party at the "Asilomar Sand Dunes," Thursday, May 11th, from 6 o'clock in room one of the new-making building.

We'll take a jaunt down the beach, and we won't forget to bring our lunches, since food is important. There will be sand water provided, and we'll see the first glimpse of this summer conference for college women, held at Asilomar, that rocky coast we'll set out for Europe, and travel through France, Italy, Switzerland, Germany, Holland, and England, through movies Miss Aalfs while in Europe last summer.

This is a regular Association meeting of the College Y. W. C. and all members and friends are invited. Come along and enjoy a delightful evening at the beach and take a trip abroad without getting sea-sick. We'll be in time for the Triena concert.

Meeting at 8:15 a. m., in front of the Seventh street entrance to the campus, the groups will drive to Shannon road and Los Gatos highway, where they will meet Eleanor Rye, the leader of the expedition. From there the group will travel to Los Gatos and hike to an elevation of 2,100 feet.

Bring water, your lunch, and if you are without a car bring twenty cents for transportation. Sign on the main bulletin board if you wish to go on the trip.

Home of San Jose Dies at Home Recently

Mrs. Leonie Portal Torney, the wife of Thomas F. Torney, died at her home after a lengthy illness. Mrs. Torney was a native of San Jose and had resided here many years.

She is survived by her husband, two sons, James and Warren P. Torney, students in San Jose, and a daughter, Mrs. Frederic Gehret, a sister, Mrs. Gertrude Gehret, San Francisco. She was a sister of the late S. E. Portal.

The Thomas Monahan Undertaking Parlors are making the general arrangements.

Poytress Will Lead Discussion Monday

Monday, May 8, at 7:30 o'clock, in room 14, another of the series of discussions on "Religion in the Modern World" will be held. Dr. Poytress, head of Political Science at San Jose State, will lead the discussion. Many have attended these meetings and all are invited.

AMERICAN Mat. 20c Nites 25c

ENDS TODAY
Secrets of the French Police
Grilli Andre, Gregory Ratoff

and
Helen Twelvretrees
Robert Young
"UNSHAME!"
Also Comedy, News, Cartoon

SATURDAY
First time shown in San Jose
"THE KING MURDER"
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Coming Sunday
ZARO, Master Astrologer, Philosopher, Scientist
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Beta Gamma Chi Society Will Entertain Pledges

The Beta Gamma Chi society will be guests of Miss Virginia Kent of Saratoga soon at an evening of dancing in honor of their new pledges. Many attractive diversions are being planned by the hostess for her guests. The lovely home in the foothills will lend itself beautifully for this charming affair.

Miss Marie Curtis, faculty advisor, and the president and hostess will receive the guests.

Hiking Club Leaves for Los Gatos Sunday

A trip to Umunkun Mountain, back of Los Gatos, will be taken this Sunday, May 7, by the Hiking Club and any one else who wishes to go.

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Helen Dimmick Receives Appointment Recently

Dean Helen Dimmick has been appointed to the Executive Board for the California Association of Women Deans, Principals and Vice Principals for all Universities, Teachers Colleges, Junior Colleges and High Schools.

The position is to be held for two years. The organization will carry on under the leadership of Frances Fraser, President of the Riverside Junior College, who will act as president of the board.

James Green Is Elected President of Santa Clara

James Green of Santa Clara University was elected president of the student body at their election this week. He is Richard Doyle's competent successor.

James Carr and Joe Paglia were selected as able men for the offices of vice president and secretary, respectively.

Jerome McLaughlin competed with Green in a run-over election.

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Saturday Luncheon Is Well Attended by Allenian Alumna Society

The Allenian Alumna society had a lovely luncheon at the Western Woman's Club in San Francisco, Saturday afternoon last.

This is a semi-annual affair, the main purpose of it being for business reports and the election of officers. At this time Mrs. Leola Brown Richards was re-elected president, and Miss Dorothy Smith was elected to the office of vice-president.

The tables were beautiful with iris, pansies, and many colored roses. After luncheon bridge was enjoyed during the afternoon, following which the members motored back to San Jose and Palo Alto.

E. Lindbloom Announces Recent Marriage

A pleasant surprise to San Jose friends is the announcement that Miss Elsie Lindbloom was married to Richard Riordan, of Flagstaff, Arizona, on March 25. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Anna C. Lindbloom, 439 South Thirteenth street.

The couple have been making their home on one of the Riordan ranches, at Oak Creek Canyon, 30 miles from Flagstaff.

Miss Lindbloom attended San Jose State for three years, graduating from Arizona State Teachers College. She also spent a semester at the University of California, and is a San Jose High School graduate. She has been in Arizona for the past two years, where she met Mr. Riordan, member of a prominent Arizona family.

Sneak Day

(Continued from Page One)
on the eventful and also fateful day, the Juniors have gained permission to ring the traditional bell in the Campus Tower from five minutes to nine until nine fifteen a. m. After that all Juniors will spring into their car and dash away after the Seniors. Or will they?

And furthermore, the Juniors have a black and yellow flag with the distinguished numerals of '34, which will be waved frequently and maybe triumphantly on the Senior Sneak Day by the Juniors.

The Seniors have also laid plans to trap the Juniors and keep them from following on the frolic. But can they keep these plans secret? The Juniors say no and the Seniors say yes, and the rest of the campus say both yes and no.

The Seniors are positive that the Juniors can't find them on the great day, but the Juniors are even advocating the motto, "An eye for an eye and a woman for a woman," and the more women the merrier, 'cause, according to the Juniors the Junior women know how to do things. So look out, even you Senior women!

The Juniors say the Seniors are afraid and the Seniors say the Juniors are simply terrified. But just the same the Juniors are ready to wave defiantly their black and yellow flag in the very faces of the Seniors.

It is even said by the Juniors that they know more about Senior Sneak Day than the Seniors themselves. Maybe they're right. So far there's only four members of the Seniors who really know what's that about Sneak Day, but there's a whole lot of Juniors who

POPULAR COUPLE RECEIVE MANY CONGRATULATIONS

Since the announcement of the engagement of Miss Glennie Spence to Mr. Don Hascall, several weeks ago, the popular young couple have been widely entertained.

Mrs. Richard Russell and Mrs. James Chestnutt were joint hostesses at a delightful linen shower for Miss Spence. At this time the bride-to-be received many beautiful gifts from her many friends who gathered to honor her, and enjoy a pleasant afternoon of bridge.

CORD AND CALICO IS SPRING DANCE THEME GIVEN BY LA TORRE

The "Cord and Calico" dance will be the next big event on the social calendar for the State College. The nature of the dance has caused a great deal of approved comment from the students. Something different is always greatly anticipated and this will be.

The Spring La Torre dance worked out by this same committee was such a great success that those students who attended that one may expect just another such excellent time.

Jack Carraher, prominent student on the La Torre staff, is heading this event. He is making every effort to make this an enjoyable evening for every student who attends the dance. Internship numbers of unusual distinction are going to be given and perhaps will be kept secret until that evening. Russ Rankin, business manager of the year book, is ably assisting the chairman with plans for the Cord and Calico.

This event is scheduled for May 12th, Friday evening, in the Men's Gym. Sam Ziegler's orchestra will furnish the music. The price of this dance will be twenty-five cents per person, or fifty cents a couple.

Sigma Kappa Alpha Has Initiation Saturday Eve

At a pleasant gathering at the home of Dr. Olive Kuntz Saturday evening, April 29, Joseph Alder was initiated into Sigma Kappa Alpha, history honor society. The ceremony of initiation was followed by an informal Italian supper and an evening of conversation. A feature of the occasion was a reading by the initiate from a volume of his poetry. This was the second initiation held by the organization this year, Miss Mackay having been received into membership at a meeting in February.

But what everybody wants to know is whether or not the mysterious phone call to Theron Fox at 6 a. m. Thursday was about Senior Sneak Day. The Senior class president will tell you that "—" (but even that is a secret!) Ask him and find out, and while you're doing it also ask him how he felt when several Juniors advanced threateningly towards him.

When are the Seniors going to end this awful suspense? Maybe that's secret too. And what we want to know is—can the secret Senior committee inform the secret Junior committee of the secret events on the Senior's Secret Sneak Day, or—oh well—perhaps we'll all be secretly exhumed on anyway.

Three cheers for Senior Sneak Day!

Due to unavoidable circumstances the Bibliophile picnic to have been held on Friday, May 5th, has been indefinitely postponed. Watch the bulletin board and the Times for the date.

BLANCHE MILLER ENTERTAINS COLLEGE SORORITY

The Allenian Society held its last regular meeting at the home of Blanche Miller on Myrtle Avenue. It was in the form of a social meeting. A program was presented by the pledges who are Nell Britton, Rose Mezzanases, Eva Ahl, Dorothy Maddock, Dorothy Vail, and Josephine Conner. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

DELTA THETA OMEGA TO ENTERTAIN MONDAY EVE

Monday evening, May 8th, the Delta Theta Omega fraternity will hold pledging service at the Hotel Sainte Claire. The event will climax a very successful rushing season.

Spartans Have Chance To Dump Fresno Bulldogs

Dope Sheet on F W C Track Meet Offered By Spartan Scribes

Murdock and Bishop Bring Out Long Awaited Form Card

Well, here it is! The season's prize act of idiocy has finally been committed. Those masters of the psychic, Murdock and Bishop, have presented their masterpiece to the wrath of the public mind.

However, in lieu of future developments, a few explanations of the above choices mind be tended. For instance, it will be noted that Lee Ayers has been picked to win both sprints. On the basis of his performances against San Jose in the dual meet, the Fresno flash cannot be installed as anything but the favorite. However, should his now famous "muscle" fail to stand the strain the sprints will probably turn out different than "doped" above.

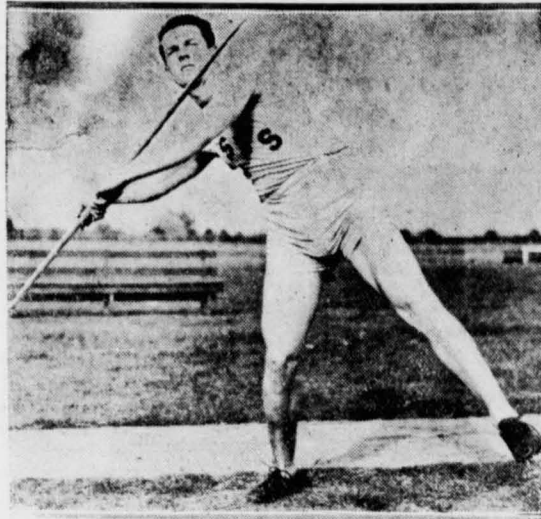
It will also be noted that Jack Prouty is not picked in the pole vault. Here is another case of a pulled muscle. Jack, who is capable of 13 feet, has not vaulted for over a month, and, consequently, is not counted in the money.

100—Ayers (F), Salvato (SJ), Taylor (SJ), Bardin (P).
220—Ayers (F), Hoobyar (P), Taylor (SJ), Salvato (SJ).
440—Hoobyar (P), Harris (F), Brantley (F), Jenks (C).
880—Robinson (F), Clemo (SJ), Orem (SJ), Francis SJ.
1 Mile—Harper (SJ), Hotchkiss (F), Hatch (P), Leonard (N).
2 Mile—Champion (F), Smith (N), Hatch (P), Coppin (C).
Low hurdles—Henry (C), Wilson (F), Knight (SJ), Hromadka (N).
High hurdles—Denham (F), Murphy (SJ), Hromadka (N), Knight (SJ).
Broad jump—Taylor (SJ), Wilson (F), Marty (F), Shehtanian (SJ).
High jump—Marty (F), Reid (C), Murphy (SJ), Corson (P).
Pole vault—Talbot (F), Wool (SJ), Stevens (SJ), Grestad (C).
Shot—Jorgenson (C), White (F), Brown (P), Lewis (F).
Discus—Cunningham (SJ), White (F), Challis (P), Sundquist (SJ).
Relay—Fresno, San Jose, Pacific, Aggies.
Fresno 66, San Jose 48, Pacific 20, Chico 15, Nevada 7, Cal. Aggies 6.

Du Bose, Injured Gridder, Will Return to Practice

Last Wednesday Glenn Du Bose, star freshman gridder who played such a large part in the Spartan victory last Saturday at Pacific, had his hand operated upon for a broken bone suffered in practice last week. While receiving a punt he fell on his hand and broke a small bone, and, although the injury was not serious enough to keep him out of the carnival the injury had to be attended to. He is expected back for practice within a few days.

Let's Get That Record, Frank!



Among those expected to break records in the Far Western Conference track meet tomorrow is Frank Cunningham of the local track team. Frank has the best mark made in America this season to his credit, a throw of 212 feet.

Far Western Conference Records

Event	Name	Date Made	Record
Mile	Abbott, Fresno	1929	4:30.9
100	Kellogg, Nevada	1928	9.8
440	Hubbard, San Jose	1929	49.5
120 H H	Kaster, Fresno	1929	14.5
2 Mile	Stoddard, San Jose	1932	9:57.8
880	Markle, Fresno	1931	1:57.9
220	Robinson, Nevada	1930	21.3
220 L H	Wilson, Fresno	1932	23.9
Discus	Corson, C. O. P.	1927	135' 9 1/4 "
Pole Vault	Wool, San Jose	1931	13' 2 1/4 "
Shot Put	White, Fresno	1931	45' 9 1/2 "
High Jump	Marty, Fresno	1932	6' 6 1/2 "
Javelin	Rowland, Fresno	1932	199' 10 "
Broad Jump	Wilson, Fresno	1932	23' 3 1/4 "
Relay	Fresno (Brantly, Horner, Rambo, Marty)	1932	3:22.2

COACH McDONALD HAS INAUGURATED SPRING BASKETBALL PRACTICE

Coach H. C. McDonald has inaugurated a new idea for basketball this spring when he announced a spring basketball practice. This practice is for the purpose of acquainting last year's Frosh with the Varsity system, for he expects these Frosh to be the backbone of his team next winter.

The early start of practice made last season will not be duplicated next fall and Coach McDonald expects to start practice sometime in November.

Forwards: Concannon, Downs, Hague, Glover, Cacitti, Hiatt, Fidanque, Horner.

Centers: Biddle, Lindner, Isenberger, Campen, Rea.

Guards: Liebrandt, George, Bibson, Marshall, Jackson, Francis, Rose, Arnerich, Wing, Woods.

Spartans Conceded Good Chance in FWC Struggle Tomorrow

Spirited Opposition Between San Jose and Fresno's Growling Bulldogs

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Hoobyar has been clocked at 21.2 in the furlong around two turns, fast time in any company. Lawrence Hatch, running in the mile and two mile events, is to be given a place in both these events. The mile might find Hatch finishing first.

Chico State with Henry in the low hurdles and Jorgenson in the shot put, are not given many more points than what these two boys can score. Jorgenson also competes in the discus throw. Reid should place in the high jump.

Battling to keep out of the cellar position will be Nevada and Cal Aggies. It is hard to figure how the Nevadans are going to break in for a first place. Their strongest entry is Smith, a two miler. Festfall of Chico, who has tossed the discus 132 feet looks to be the best in this event, this probably being Chico's only points.

Trials in all the events up till the 880, will be held in the morning. Finals get underway at 2:00 o'clock.

Coach Erwin Blesh will enter the following men at Sacramento:

100 yard dash—Taylor, Salvato, Robinson.

220 yard dash—Taylor, Salvato, Robinson.

440 yard dash—McFedries, Hubbard, Murdock.

880 yard run—Clemo, Orem, Francis.

Mile run—Harper.

2 mile run—Harper, Lyda.

120 high hurdles—Knight, Murphy.

220 low hurdles—Knight, Wittenberg.

Relay — Hubbard, McFedries, Taylor, Orem, Clemo, Murdock. (Team not decided.)

Shot — Marshall, McPhetres, Cunningham.

Javelin — Cunningham, Sundquist.

Discus — Marquis, McPhetres, Arnold, or Cunningham.

Broad jump—Taylor, Bennett, Shehtanian.

High jump—Murphy, Wittenberg, Murphy.

Pole vault—Prouty, Wool, Stevens.

Hotchkiss of Fresno, who is figured very much in the money in the Conference, ran 4:28 in this same race and only finished third. That 4:28, by the way, represents the best time made in the circuit this year. More bad news.

Tomorrow's Far Western Conference track and field meet is not just an ordinary Far Western Conference meet. It is a pitched battle for permanent possession of the titular trophy. Both San Jose and Fresno have won the cup twice. Three wins are necessary for permanent possession. Tomorrow will decide!

The breaks and the condition of Lee Ayers' muscle will probably decide the Conference meet. The dope sheet printed elsewhere on this page gives Ayers a break and totals Fresno's points at 66. Should Ayers fall down completely and all of his ten points fall to San Jose, which is not beyond the realm of possibility, the final count would be 58-56 in favor of the Spartans.

However, a glance at the dope sheet shows that Fresno could readily break through with wins in the mile, low hurdles, broad jump, shot, and discus, which, counting Ayers' points, would send the Bulldog total skyrocketing into the eighties. All of which goes to show that anything can happen.

On the other hand, unexpected performances on the part of "come through" Spartans in the 440, shot, discus, pole vault, broad jump, hurdles, and javelin would definitely swing the meet San Jose's way. The trophy is far from lost yet.

The hurdle races at Sacramento are going to be corkers. In the highs we guess that the six finalists will be Denham of Fresno, Hromadka of Nevada, Feck of the California Aggies, Richardson of Pacific, and Murphy and Knight of San Jose. Denham appears to be the favorite although he just nosed out Knight in the Bulldog-Spartan dual meet. Murphy and Hromadka will be right up in the money, which means that once again, anything can happen.

In the lows, Henry of Chico and Wilson of Fresno, will renew the battle that resulted in a new Conference record of 23.9 for Wilson last year. Henry has the edge with a mark of 24 flat in the Pacific-Chico-Cal. Aggie meet a week ago. Knight of San Jose and Hromadka of Nevada have both run under 25 this season, which forecasts another classy barrier field.

Coach Blesh announced to the track team Wednesday that, aside from the relay team, the men who would go to the Fresno Relays would be the men who won their events in the Conference meet.

The finish of the mile at Sacramento is going to be one of those things you read about, but seldom see. Harper of San Jose, Hotchkiss of Fresno, and Hatch of Pacific, are three exceptional four lap men. The result of their battle for first ought to be a new Conference record. The present mark is 4:30.9 seconds, established by Abbott of Fresno in 1929. Both Harper and Hotchkiss have bettered that mark this season.

Intra-Mural

By Dick Bertrandias

Today is absolutely the last day for entering the intramural baseball tournament, and no two ways about it. Any late applicants will be gently but firmly refused. See Coach Walker, your class manager, or any Phy Ed Major if you wish to sign.

Some of you fellows who are planning to enter the intramural track meet should begin to limber up a bit now if you expect to come through with any attractive times. There will be more about this later.

As usual, the unfortunate lads that are considered varsity men are subjected to banishment, but as a balm for their pains they will be allowed to umpire, thereby being cussed severely and often (if that is considered a balm).