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## SORORITY LEADS IN SCHOLARSHIP HONORS FOR SPRING PERIOD

**Thirty-five Per Cent of Members Have Average Above Grade of Two**

Fraternity scholarship averages for last semester were announced this week. Delta Sigma Epsilon Sorority leads with an average of 1.7. Individual member averages of that sorority reached the highest mark among the 90 students in the local Greek Letter groups. They were those of Isabel Bolton with 1.1 and Virginia Colton with the same standing. It was also disclosed that thirty-five per cent of the students belonging to fraternities had an average of above 2.

The standings follow: Fraternities: Sigma Alpha Kappa: president, Annin; sponsor, Wilbur Selle, average 2.14; Beta Sigma Chi: president, Atwood, sponsor, Mr. Walker, average 2.37. Sororities: Phi Chi Alpha: president, Esther Usher, sponsor, Mrs. Croswell, average 1.74; Tau Gamma Sigma: president, Esther Hawley, sponsor, Miss Weage, average 2.35; Phi Kappa Gamma: president, Dorothy Kimes, sponsor, Miss Bradley, average 2.23; Delta Zeta Delta: president, Ester Janssens, sponsor, Mrs. Miller, average 2.17; Delta Sigma Epsilon: president, Anna Cowan, sponsor, Miss Elsie Pond, average 1.7; and Alpha Theta Chi: president, B. Haberlitz, sponsor, Miss Severy, average 2.0. The officers above are for last semester.

## Taylor Speaks to Students At Assembly Yesterday

Dr. M. S. Taylor, president of Oregon State Hospitality Club, presented his message to the student body yesterday morning. He is known as "Big Brother" to eleven state reform schools, as he has devoted many years of study to boys and girls in these institutions.

"Over eighty per cent of the children in reform schools are there as victims of circumstances, and not of their own making," declared Dr. Taylor, whose mission it is to bring homeless children and childless homes together. He continued by explaining the importance of appreciation, or intolerance by adding: "Intolerance causes children to leave school, and not the lack of money or their environment." A reading was given to illustrate this point.

Two stories were given to illustrate that the adult today is responsible for the success of the boy and girl.

In conclusion, Dr. Taylor said: "If we can get into the minds of the boys and girls a spirit of tolerance for the people who have made it possible for them to be in school, it will be the greatest lesson that can be taught them."

Dr. Taylor, who is to be in Santa Barbara for some time, will give various talks to the people of this community.

Gum chewing in Paris is being abandoned because of the advance from 2 to 6 cents a package in the price.

## Flunk Notices to be Out A Week from Monday

Flunk notices will be out Monday after next, according to Mrs. Steele. These famous "red cards," or "valentines," will be turned in to the office next week. Mrs. Steele stated that she fears the number will be quite large with this issuance, although hopes are held for a better showing than is anticipated.

## HOME EC TO HOLD PARTY TONIGHT IN COURT

A patriotic party of the Home Economics department, at which the women of the faculty and the new members of the department will be the guests, will be held tonight at 8 p. m. in the College Sun Room. A special musical program will feature the program. This will consist of a string quartet and other numbers. Games will be enjoyed, following the music.

Those in charge of the party are Corinne Kelly, chairman, Blanche Heninger, Francisca Luck, Lucile Hester and Freda Wagner.

A Hallowe'en social was held by the Tau Gamma Sigma sorority last Saturday night. Dancing was the leading diversion of the evening, but palm reading by the professional palmist, Mrs. Heartnal, created an interesting sensation.

## Courtesy Of Rooting Sections Topic At Meeting Of Yell Leaders

Resulting in the organization of the Pacific Coast Yell Leaders' Association, the state-wide meeting of yell kings, held at the University of Southern California last Friday and Saturday, was attended by Norvel Dice, Roadrunner leader, together with representatives from seven other institutions.

Discussion of the problems of yelling and rooting sections was taken up at the meeting. Problems of the individual colleges were discussed, and matters of rooting section courtesy were looked into. It was decided to make it a rule of courtesy to allow the losing rooting section to sing their alma mater first, as well as preceding with their yells, which would be followed by the display of the winning section, which congregates in front of the losers, who remain seated in the rooting section.

Copies of the minutes of the meeting are being sent to the yell leaders of the coast colleges in hope that their interest can be aroused and the organization made stronger. It is planned to have an annual meeting, at which matters pertaining to rooting can be developed.

The schools represented at the meet were Pomona, Occidental, U. S. C., University of California, Southern Branch; Fresno State, Stanford, and Santa Barbara State College.

While at the meeting, the visiting

## CASTS FOR ONE ACT PLAYS CHOSEN AT TRYOUTS

The cast for the two plays to be presented to the Student Body at the first assembly in December was chosen at the tryouts held yesterday. Dean Ashworth and Floyd Kenney were the judges.

The two plays to be given are "The Flight of the Herons," by Marietta C. Kennard, and "Elolements While You Wait," by Caroline Stevens. The former is somewhat heavy and gives a chance for very good acting, while the other is a farce calculated to amuse all concerned.

The cast taking part in the first play, that of the "Heron," is:

Anna Kerenoff, a prisoner, Anita Deardorf; Caterina Kerenoff, her mother, Viola Barr; Mitri Kosloo, her lover, Roger Clapp; Ivan, a prison guard, Lawrence Pollard; and Michael, the same, Ben Margolies.

The second play will be put on by the following:

Dick, in love with Sylvette, Jack Vince; Percy, in love with love, Floyd Kenney; Sylvette, in love, Rosamond Martin; and Aunt Jane, annoyed by love, Charlotte Bellman.

Most of these students are new to the college audiences, but they all have ability, according to the judges.

Fullerton junior college has a new water and light plant by which they will generate their own electricity and have their own water power.

## ROADRUNNERS AND AZTECS IN GRID CLASH TOMORROW

### December 3 Set as Date for Men's Glee Club Dance

The Men's Glee Club will stage its annual dance on December 3 at Recreation Center. Tickets for the affair have been circulated and are now on sale by members of the club. Admission is to be a dollar per couple. The funds raised by the dance will go to defray expenses incurred on the annual club tour, to be held later in the year.

## ANNUAL MEN'S CLUB FEED IS HELD THIS WEEK

The Men's Club held its first social event of the year last Tuesday evening at the Y. M. C. A. in the form of a "feed." A program consisting of local talent followed the meal.

The dinner was served at 6:30 by Chef Ted Marshall and his assistants. General agreement was that the repeat was fully within the high standard consistently set by the aforementioned cook.

The program opened with a piano selection from Chopin given by Reid Hollingsworth, and was followed by a few jazz selections by the Men's Club Orchestra, which consists of Reid Hollingsworth, George Raddue, Roland Lakin, and "Red" Gillum. Keith Gunn, president of the Club, then thanked those present for their co-operation with the first social event and expressed a desire for bigger success of the next meeting. President Phelps then thanked the faculty members for their support. Dean Ashworth was next with humorous verses, and an original Ducky Skit by Keith Gunn and Dan Britton closed the program, leaving all in good humor and generally acclamatory over the meeting's success.

### Social Science Club Holds Annual Dinner Wednesday

The Social Science Club held its annual dinner last Wednesday evening in the cafeteria. Being guest night, several outside persons were present. These included Coach and Mrs. DeGroot, Mr. and Mrs. Copeland as guests of honor, besides the guests of the members. Rosamond Martin, president of the club, presided.

Speeches were the main feature of the evening. Coach DeGroot, the new sponsor, and Mr. Copeland made short talks, the subject of Mr. Copeland being astronomy. Edwina Kenney, Lawrence Pollard, Roger Clapp and Henry Batchelder each spoke to the audience of thirty people.

Decorations for the dinner were carried out in flowers of all sorts. The place cards were in the shape of stars, as related to Mr. Copeland's talk.

The Japanese imperial household will not indorse the automobile as the official vehicle for transportation of the royal family.

Santa Barbara will clash with San Diego in the Southern city tomorrow in one of the season's closest games. The Aztecs will enter the fray slight favorites over the Roadrunners, playing the game on their home field before a home crowd.

Coach DeGroot states that both teams are very evenly matched. Santa Barbara's winning will depend upon taking and holding the offensive early in the game.

A comparison of scores made this year would give the Roadrunners an advantage over the Southerners. In our first game of the season, Southern Branch administered a 25-0 beating. A little later in the season the Bruins tangled with San Diego and sent them home with the short end of a 42-7 score—ten points worse than ours, allowing for San Diego's score. Meeting Cal Christian, the Aztecs won a close game 21-16, the equivalent of our 13-6 victory, with the edge in our favor, as the Roadrunners were not so closely pressed. Last week, Fresno, which defeated us 25-0, scored 28 points to San Diego's 7, outplaying the Aztecs throughout. The team is now fully 100 per cent better than it was at the start of the season and more can be expected. It played a defensive game throughout the Fresno struggle.

DeGroot is still hampered by a shortage of backfield men, mustering only seven, three of whom are not in the best of shape. The line remains practically the same. Cravens, a new man in football, is showing remarkable efficiency at guard and will probably start the game. This is his first year in football of any sort and he has already established a first-string berth.

The tentative starting line-ups for Santa Barbara are: Center, Vince; guards, Feary, Cravens; tackles, Denno, Lopez; ends, Martin, Foss; halves, Swanson, Foss; quarter, Curtis; full, Clemore.

Substitutes are: Backfield, O'Reilly, Brubaker, Morehead; line, Williams, Larsen, Lawrence, Mabe and Pollard.

For San Diego the following will probably begin: Center, Smith; guards, See, Avery; tackles, Robb, Barnes; ends, Fitz, Garner; halves, Fox, Matt; quarter, Gross; full, Ruffe.

### DeGroot Writes on Trojan-Stanford Game in Local Daily

Coach DeGroot, in a special signed article in the Santa Barbara Daily News of Tuesday, explained the Stanford-Trojan football game of last Saturday as a complete victory for Stanford. He also outlined the game and explained that efficient scouting and well executed fake plays won the game for the Cards.

Before securing his position here, Coach DeGroot was also engaged in newspaper sport writing in addition to his regular duties. This article is the first appearing under his name in the local papers.



**Tennis Prospectives  
Line Up For  
Coming Tournament**

# SPORTS

FOOTBALL -- HOCKEY -- TENNIS -- ARCHERY

**Preliminary Finals  
In Hockey  
To Be Played Today**

## FIRST FINAL HOCKEY GAME SCHEDULED FOR TODAY

The Freshman and Sophomore women will meet in the first of the final games of hockey today at 3:30 p. m. at the high school field.

The Frosh team is the more experienced of the two, as the majority of the players began hockey in high school, but the Sophomores are doing good work and it will be a close game. Mrs. DeGroot is the coach, and has helped the girls a great deal. Eleanor Warren, the lone senior, will play on the Frosh side.

The team that wins two games out of three will be the champions of the hockey season.

Gladys Worsham is the Sophomore captain, while Marguerite Webster is the Freshman leader.

A change has been made both as to time and place of final games. All games will be completed before the Thanksgiving vacation, which then will necessitate some of them being played sooner than anticipated. It has also been decided to hold all the games on the high school field. Dorothy Kimes, chairman of the sport, states that games will have to be played at times when it is convenient for the high school, thus no definite dates can be given.

## Members of Faculty Go North To Meeting of Registrars

Santa Barbara representation at a registrar's convention at Berkeley yesterday and today consisted of Mrs. Miller, the local registrar, Miss Severy, credentials committee chairman, and Dean Ashworth. The convention, which is the first of its kind to be held in this section, represents the registrars of colleges and universities of the Pacific coast and Rocky Mountain regions.

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## Cal Christian Defeated By 13-6 Score at Stadium Last Friday

Santa Barbara State played a heady game of football to defeat the fighting Parsons from Cal Christian by a 13-6 score at Peabody Stadium last Friday afternoon.

Consistent hard hitting by the backfield and a fast charging line spelled victory for the Roadrunners. Ed O'Reilly's ability to pull the unexpected kept Cal Christian puzzled throughout the entire game.

At the kickoff, Cal Christian took the ball down the field to the S. B. 40-yard line before being held for downs. The Roadrunners then took the ball and headed down the field for a touchdown, making 75 yards in four consecutive first downs. Curtis tore off 12 and 20-yard gains, alternating with O'Reilly and Clemore in carrying the ball. Curtis carried it over for a touchdown and Foss converted.

The second score came when Foss put a 40-yard kick out of Cal Christian's 1-yard line. Nervick kicked to Swanson, who returned the ball 12 yards. O'Reilly tore off 12 yards and Swanson 2. Foss dropped back to the 28-yard line and dropped the ball over the uprights for a field goal. The score stood 10-0.

Cal Christian then opened up the aerial attack that brought them their lone touchdown. Four passes were completed before the Roadrunners could solve the plays. The last pass took the ball over for the score, Cates failing to convert. Score 10-6.

The second half was featured by Swanson's return of kicks. He started the final scoring expedition down the field by returning the kickoff 15 yards. Curtis made 16 yards in

two plays. Swanson made 2 more. Foss once more dropped the ball over for three points, from the 20-yard line.

Cal Christian opened up the passing game again, and completed one for 25 yard. Clemore intercepted the next attempt on the 45-yard line. Mixing a line plunging game with a passing attack the Roadrunners went down the field, only to lose the ball on a fumble on the 20-yard line.

Santa Barbara was in the offensive the remainder of the game, with Cal Christian fighting desperately to prevent another score. Foss failed in a third attempt at a drop-kick. The game ended with the Parsons in possession of the ball on their own 20-yard line.

## CLASS TENNIS MEETS SLOWLY PROGRESS

The class tennis tournaments have progressed slowly this week with only a few preliminaries played. The nine games played have begun the tournament arrangements successfully, according to those interested in the newly-established sport.

Results of the Sophomore meets follows: Abbot and Kenney, 6-1, 6-3, in favor of Abbot; Larsen and Mabe, 6-0, 6-1, in favor of Mabe; Tomlinson and Smith, 6-2, 6-3, in favor of Smith; Feary and Alberts, in favor of Alberts.

In the Freshman tournament, Francis Manis defeated Al Thurmond yesterday, with Boeseke, Donahoe, Harold Manis drawing byes.

## Soccer Game Between Women's Gym Classes

A soccer game between the two women's gymnasium classes Wednesday afternoon resulted in a victory for the team captained by Marian Hauan. The close score of 1-0, the tally being made by the Greens, of which Miss Hauan was leader, was made at the close of the contest.

Both teams were coached by Coach DeGroot, and were evenly matched. The first period class wore a green insignia, and were known as the Greens, while the opposition, the second period class, chose red.

The line-up for the Reds was Faith Sheen, captain; Anna Daniels, Elizabeth Ezaki, Eva Jepsen, Elizabeth Campbell, Freda Wagner, forwards; May Chamberlain, Ruth Hunt, Anna Nygren, Elizabeth Cash, Edris Nevins, fullbacks, and Emily Van Wagner, goal.

The winners, the Greens, were Marian Hauan, captain; Gladys Worsham, Emma Hanson, Dorothy Merritt, Rosamond Martin, Betty Bradley, Beryl Dunning, forwards; Rose Konda, Katherine Bennick, Florence Izant, halfbacks; Doris Larsen, Geneva Patten, fullbacks, and Marian Hauan, goal.

The Southern Branch varsity swimming team is seriously considering attempting the Catalina channel swim.

## DeGroot Plans for at Least Another Year Here; Football Next Fall to be Developed

Football prospects for next year loom strong with a statement given out by Coach DeGroot that he plans to remain here for at least another year. He states that his plans are still indefinite, although he intends to return to Stanford University at a later date to complete his work for a doctor of education degree.

In his coaching this year, DeGroot has been building for the future, and close followers of the Roadrunners aggregation state that with the foundation the men are receiving this year in the fundamentals of the game and in DeGroot's system, a strong eleven is to be expected next fall... Much of this year's material will be on hand next year.

## Preliminary Scores Made by Women in Archery Sport

Scores for archery have been announced by Miss Weage. These, she explains, are still inaccurate, but they give indication of the progress that had been made.

Scores are for the average number of points made each time the target is hit. The ten women making the highest points are Stella Haverland, 4.4; Ester Janssens, 4.3; Grace Birss, 3.7; Isabelle Vaughn, 3.6; Ardis Sloane, 3.5; Margaret Mincher, 3.5; Della Haverland, 3.4; Margaret Kramer, 3.4; Edith Wyman, 3.2, and Anna Nygren, 3.0.

The ten women who have used the least number of arrows per hit are Margaret Mincher, 1.5; Charlotte Bellman, 1.5; Edith Wyman, 1.8; Julia Ann Grimshaw, 1.8; Grace Birss, 2; Isabelle Vaughn, 2.2; Ester Janssens, 2.6; Anna Nygren, 3.0; Kathleen Donahue, 3.0, and Stella Haverland, 3.4.

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## OUTING CLUB SOCIAL OVER MOUNTAINS SUCCESSFUL

The Outing Club barbecue held last Sunday at the Santa Ynez cabin was considered decidedly successful by those in charge. Approximately thirty-five faculty members and students were present, and all enjoyed the picnic.

Dinner, of the Ted Marshall make, was served at 1 p. m., under large oak trees. Games were played before and after the dinner, and short hikes to near canyons were made. Faculty members and students joined in the various forms of sports, all of which aided in making the entire time spent at the cabin enjoyable.

As the first social event, the affair greatly aided the club's membership according to Clayton Sheesely, president. Because of the fact that many have paid their dues and failed to sign their names on the membership list, it has been difficult to determine exactly the total, but that number is in the thirties.

Future plans in brief were also announced by the president. Some of the events planned, which customarily take place each year, are a hike to La Cumbre, which will probably occur within three weeks, an automobile trip to Najoqui Falls, a moonlight hike in February, an island trip during the first of May, trips to the club cabin, and others.

The organization is persistent in its campaign for greater membership. It is said that an increase in the latter will aid building additions to the Santa Ynez cabin and insure much better times on all of the trips.

The cabin now held by the Outing Club was constructed in 1920 by the earlier members of the organization. Since that time it has annually been the object of many trips.

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Gent: "And what are you going to be?"  
Kid: "Nine."

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## Ousting of Wash. Prexy Causes Student Objection

(By New Student Service)  
Torch light demonstrations by 3000 students and threats of a stoppage of all classes enlivened the beginning of the fall quarter at the University of Washington. Not only is the student body agog, but also Seattle and the entire state, at the summary dismissal of Dr. Henry Suzzallo, President of the University.

This act is the climax of a long contest between Governor Hartley and President Suzzallo. The five university trustees who voted for the dismissal are Hartley men. The two other trustees have resigned in protest. They echo a state-wide protest which may result in impeachment proceedings against Governor Hartley when the Legislature convenes in January. Three thousand students in a torch light procession before Dr. Suzzallo's house threatened to go on a strike, but were dissuaded by him. The University of Washington Daily, student paper, has been outspoken in its defense of Dr. Suzzallo during the acrimonious controversy last year.

Opposition between Governor Hartley and Dr. Suzzallo dates back to the war, according to newspaper dispatches from the scene of conflict, "when the governor, then a private citizen, and a big timber operator, was having labor troubles. Dr. Suzzallo, then on the Labor Industries Board, suggested as a solution an eight-hour day for the workers, and there for the first time they clashed."

Governor Hartley was elected in 1924, and one of his first proposals was the establishment of a super board to direct all educational institutions in the State, instead of the several Boards of Regents.

Although Dr. Suzzallo did not oppose this openly, it was understood he did not favor it. Then Governor Hartley became embroiled with the Legislature, which finally passed over his veto appropriations for educational institutions in excess of what he approved.

Governor Hartley stumped the State in the September primaries attempting to get a friendly Legislature nominated, but failed. He also failed to gain control of the Republican State Central Committee.

In recent months the Governor weeded out the Board of Regents of the university until he had on it five of his own appointees.

Another sore point between Governor Hartley and Dr. Suzzallo was the organized opposition to the Governor's educational policies of the University Alumni Association.

The Governor caused the association's offices to be removed from the campus. Governor Hartley in explaining the opposition to his policies in the press and on the part of other elective State officials charges that it is a 'smoke screen' to hide a real fight which he says he is making to prevent despoiling of State grants of timber set aside for educational institutions.

With Oregon, the Cards were penalized fifteen times for a loss of 175 yards.

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In order to send out an expedition to capture the bullfrog, it will be necessary to start a house to home campaign to raise funds for equipment. Six popular college debutantes are expected to submit their names as contestants in a beauty campaign to raise funds.

Contestants will be judged in the following four points:

1. Must be blonds, auburn, or brunette.
2. Must be of pleasingly plump type.
3. Must have crossed eyes.
4. Must have natural love for bullfrogs, turtles, crickets, goldfish, and waterlilies.

Votes will be distributed as follows: one penny gives you 100 votes; a safety pin gives 50 votes; a straight pin gives 25 votes.

All hairpins will be put on display in the trophy case. Turn in your votes either to the editor or Mrs. Steele.

Next Friday at the afternoon promenade in the gym the standing of each contestant will be announced. All are urged to be there. Select your queen now and campaign for her!

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Well, I helped Ester Janssens carry the big dictionary back last week. Yep—they needed paper to light the bonfire with.  
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Batch got so excited when S.B. made their touchdown that he threw his knee out on the side lines.  
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ONE REASON WHY ED O'REILLY DOES NOT EAT AT THE CAFY IS BECAUSE AN-NIN IS SO BIG HE EATS OUT OF ED'S PLATE INSTEAD OF HIS OWN.  
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This week's headache capsules are awarded to the dear lovers who were playing face tag over the telephone.  
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LATE NEWS ON THE CONTEST  
Three aspiring beauties have handed in their names. In order to conceal their identity they have entered as Miss Keiths Gun, Miss Hotsie Papa, Miss Anins Animal. The other three are expected to join before sundown.  
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WE AWARDED THE JUNIOR BENCH TO THE ¼ WIT WHO LIGHTED A CIGAR AND JUMPED OUT OF THE EIGHTH STORY OF THE GRANADA BUILDING, THINKING HE WAS A COMET.  
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Can you imagine:  
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Doc. Maxwell with golfknickers.  
Prof. Peters bald headed.  
Prof. Selle with a moustache.  
Mrs. Camp with a wind blown bob.  
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"I guess I've lost another pupil," said the professor as his glass eye rolled down the kitchen sink.

## Subject "A" Examination Looms on Horizon; Takes Place on November 13

English "A" examination! Words of terrible portentions, capable of striking terror to the heart of the poor, unprepared Freshman, and the cause of much trembling.

November 13, Saturday, at 9 o'clock those of the Freshman class who have not had the examination will be given the opportunity to display their ability to write exaemporaneously. With Dr. Maxwell in attendance, the examination will take place in room 45. It will cover at least three hours. Those who take it must be completely supplied with paper and pen and ink. They are asked also to bring fifty cents to cover the examination fee.

Jean Christy, who was a former student here, and a member of the Alpha Theta Chi sorority, recently joined the Theta Sigma Phi, national women's journalistic sorority, in the University of California. Miss Christy has been working on the staff of the Blue and Gold, the University annual, and is now a junior news editor on that publication.

Son—Papa, give me a nickel to see the sea serpent.

Father—Wasteful boy, here is a magnifying glass; go look at a worm.

A course in the art of pitching horseshoes is being planned by the women's physical education department of Oklahoma A. and M. College.

From the Syracuse University comes news that the freshmen completely demolished the sophomores in the annual Frosh-Soph battle. Five hundred freshmen administered a beating to the second year men that will not be forgotten for a long time. The flour rush was a complete victory for the yearlings, as were the wrestling and boxing matches.

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## College Grads Need Not Apply

The other day a Los Angeles employer was looking for a man to replace one of his help who had left. So he inserted a want ad in the dailies to the effect that a man was wanted, ending the paragraph with the phrase: "College graduates need not apply."

"I don't want no college graduates around my premises," he explained. "They is an impractical bunch—not worth much. All books, and not much else. I don't want 'em around in my way."

The attitude of this employer parallels that of many men in the country. To them a college—a more advanced education—is nothing; experience is everything. They believe in hard, raw experience with nothing to back it up, except a few knocks of the past.

Of course, the question of the advantages of a college education often is hard to settle. True, many leave college and that is about all that happens in their lives for the ensuing years. Then there is another group which finds a college education a real help, profiting by it, and being that much better prepared for a start.

Whether our friend who was so particular about his employed companionship ever found his name in Who's Who is another question, but we doubt very much if he was listed as outstanding in anything but a tax delinquent list. But he might find something to think about when he considers that 60% of the names in Who's Who are college products, a large percentage of the remainder being educated in less degree. Then he might reason out what helps get a name into the volume.

That 60% means a lot. It shows that colleges are bringing results, even though our friend thinks that because a grad fails to show marked ability above the old times of the business within the first twenty-four hours of employment that colleges are a waste of brick buildings and land. His shame would probably set the house afire if he thought of some of his early experiences, but they never occur to him. He was a good man when young, but the modern college grad—well, he is worse than hopeless.

But the 60% still stands, unmolested.

## STUDENT OPINION

This column is conducted by The Eagle for the benefit of the students. All letters are requested to be as brief as possible. They must be signed, although the name will be suppressed if desired. Place communications in The Eagle box. The Eagle will assume no responsibility for views published.

Dear Editor:

May I ask: "Where is our college Honor System?" Yes, may I ask, "Do the students of this institution have honesty?"

These questions came to my mind recently when I looked down from my quarters above the Spanish and French classroom and saw nine—yes nine—out of seventeen students, deliberately, absolutely, and consciously cheat during an examination.

This presents a situation unequalled, I believe, in the history of any college. That means that over fifty per cent of that class cheated. All of us hope this is not the case in every class, but deserves immediate consideration.

There are three courses of action. Either we must continue in the same

careless way and force our instructors to be policemen; or we can appeal to the innermost conscientiousness of each other; or we have each student sign an honor paragraph at the end of every examination.

May I ask you to think over and decide a definite course of action, for the matter will be brought up at the next student body meeting. This must be settled at once and for all. Thank you.

HENRY H. BATCHELDER,  
President of the Student Body.

Editor of The Eagle:

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the following men for their faithful services at the football game last Friday: Alfred Boradori, Robert Smith, Dick Oliver, Roland Lakin, George Raddue and Paul George. They did efficient work at the gates.

KEITH GUNN.

The University of Texas band is composed of 123 members and accompanies the football team to all off-campus games.

## Initiations of First Year Men Decreasing in Colleges

(By New Student Service)

Frosh-Soph battles seem to be decreasing in the colleges of the country, according to various reports received of faculty abolishment or more stringent rulings in connection with the hazing of Freshmen.

A referendum on Freshman Rules at Columbia University disclosed a large majority in favor of black caps and black ties for the beginners.

The referendum was held because of objection to the public hazing of freshmen. A paper war in the correspondence columns of the Spectator followed.

The would-be humanitarians lost.

Two years ago many of the freshman rules were abolished as the result of student agitation against them. Apparently the student body is unwilling to limit further the frosh restrictions.

Apparently the parties concerned were not very interested in the referendum. Only 197 first year men out of 437 registered their opinion. The complete vote of the four classes was 587 against 128 for the abolition of rules.

Meanwhile the faculty of New York University abolished hazing following arrests by the police in connection with recent frays.

Queens University (Canada) has finally abolished all freshman rules. At University of the South (Tenn.) the Alumni Association urges the student body to do away with hazing, while in other institutions they have been disregarded this year. "Shall the annual freshman-sophomore pushball contest be abolished in favor of duelling with cream puffs and ten pins?" the Hamline Oracle sarcastically asks. The reason is that "Hamline traditions are being sadly neglected and traditional battles delayed." The sophomores were unable to make the annual freshman parade as "interesting and impressive" as it has been in previous years, such is the report from the Connecticut Agricultural College where the faculty abolished paddling last year. An exception to the general apathy is noted at the University of Southern California. There a court of "Amazons" has been established by upperclass women to punish violations of tradition.

### Present Initiations Soft

In the rugged College days of long ago the present-day frosh initiation ceremonies would be sneered at as mere child's play; and as for the tendency to do away with rules of all sorts—that would be looked upon as nothing less than stark madness. In those days the best minds of the campus were enlisted in the invention of grotesque and terrifying ritual.

What were these initiations like? In Four Years at Yale, L. H. Baggs

describes such a ceremony. It went somewhat as follows:

The freshman is led forth blindfolded from his room to a mysterious place of pitch darkness. Someone blows a horn at his ear; an inner door opens and a hoarse voice bawls out his name. He is pushed roughly forward by a red devil assisted by a living skeleton that gleams phosphorescently. He is spirited upward in the void. Reaching what appears an elevation of several hundred feet he is assured by the increasing noise that he has finally reached the inquisitorial chamber. Someone jostles against him, and down he goes, down, down, until he strikes an awaiting blanket. Like Sancho Panza at the inn he is tossed into the air again and again, amid shrieks of "Go it, Freshie," "Well done Sub," "Shake him up," until a new candidate demands the attention of the tossers. Then he is officiously told to rest himself in a chair, the seat of which lets him into a pail of water, though a large sponge probably saves him from a bad wetting; his head and hands are thrust through a pillory and he is reviled in that ignoble pose. He is rolled in a huge squirrel's wheel, a noose is thrown around his neck, and he is placed under the guillotine. Then the bandage is whisked from his eyes, and he sees above the glittering knife of block tin, which falls within a foot of his throat and cannot possibly go further. Being thus executed he is thrust into a coffin which is hammered upon with such energy that he is at length brought to life, pulled out again, and made to wear his coat with the inside outwards as an indication that the ordeal is over.

Jesse Hawley, student body president in 1924 and student here last year, is teaching in San Diego. He has secured a job teaching drawing in the evening high school in addition to his regular work in the San Diego Memorial Junior High school. Mr. Hawley has also received a supervisor's credential from Sacramento.

"What are you crying for, my lad?"

"'Cause my father's invented a new soap and every time a customer comes in I get washed as an advertisement."

## THE EAGLE'S EYE

—An Upper Classmen Observes

HERE is a lot to be said for the spirit Santa Barbara State has shown at her football games this year.

The yelling and singing has improved 100%.

This is due mainly to the efforts of the yell leader, the song leader, and the pep committee, and they do deserve much praise.

However, in regard to songs, there is one question that arises... Is it right to sing "Our College Grand" as a rally song?

We have other good songs which are suitable for athletic events.

"Our College Grand" is our College hymn and should be saved for more formal occasions than between halves of a football game.

SPEAKING of football reminds me. Our team is playing what will probably be its last game tomorrow.

In spite of the gloomy start, the season has turned out well.

And what is more, the prospects for next year are good. A large part of the squad will be back next year.

Most of us wish that we were going to get another chance to see the gang in action this year. Maybe we will. Anyhow we are wishing the the boys the best of luck tomorrow.

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