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## Over the Fence

### Supreme Court Delivers

In upholding the Wagner Labor Relations law the Supreme Court has rendered more than a decision on the question involved. They have decided, narrowly to be sure, to behave in a manner designed to meet with the approval of the New Deal. This is a healthy sign. The gentlemen of the court are trying to show the country that they are not such bad fellows after all and can be trusted, so the plan to make them impotent need go no further.

### Baldwin In Open

That the British government has been secretly in favor of the Franco crowd from the beginning has been a secret from nobody but the British public who have been fed treacle in one form or another ever since Stanley took charge. They were fooled over the Ethiopian affair which Baldwin slid out of as gracefully as an adagio dancer by giving Hoare the sack. Now Baldwin refuses to convoy food, which is NOT contraband, into Bilbao—clearly a pro-Fascist decision. And even the public in England knows that Baldwin has been playing a double game with them, and they are howling in Commons. If Baldwin's crew survives this piece of trickery, it will depend on how tightly the British citizenry, who are pro-Loyalist, can hold their noses.

### Alfonso Invests

Nobody would have suspected Alfonso was a fool after his wise, if hasty, departure from Spain after the elections in 1931. That was not only statesmanship; it was wisdom. It saved his heirs the pain of mourning him a martyr's death. But he has done something that takes away fifty points from his I. Q. He has invested money in his chances of being restored to the throne. He put ten million dollars into the eager hand of Franco with the understanding that a king should soon be chosen for Spain and Alfonso would be it. He even let his relatives put their cash into the cause, which was generous of him, but foolish, as he has about as much chance of sitting on the Spanish throne as whoever claims to be the Czar has of sleeping in the Kremlin.

## Educator Attends Convention in Texas

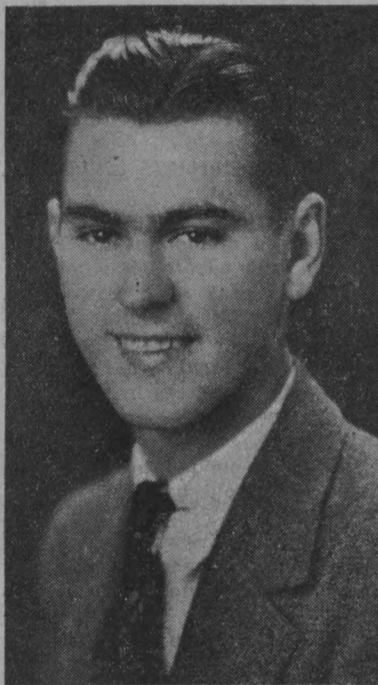
Miss Edith M. Leonard, kindergarten-primary head, returned to State college after a trip to San Antonio, Texas, where she attended a convention on "Trends in Early Childhood Education." Two of her speeches, "Trends in Functional Reading" and "Student Teacher Activities and Other Fields of Work" will be published in the next issue of the official "Early Childhood Education Magazine."

Twenty-five hundred people from all over the United States, Japan, Canada, Germany, England, and Honolulu attended the convention held at the Plaza hotel. The groups held discussions on teacher guidance, curriculum guidance, trends in reading, etc., lead by respective specialists in each field, with the meet planned by Margery Hardy, childhood education authority. Miss Leonard participated with reading and teaching guidance speeches.

This conference celebrates the 100th anniversary of the founding of kindergartens by Frederick Froebel in Germany in 1837. Panels artistically presenting his life were shown, as were exhibits of the advance of the kindergartens in the last 100 years.

Pre-discussion breakfasts were held, during which the group formulated discussions for the day, and every phase of early childhood education was developed.

## In Race for A.S.B. Presidency



Dave Pollock (above) and Danny D'Alfonso, (left).

## Leaders Pick 'Gavel and Key' Name for New Honorary

### Evans Speaks to Seniors

#### Class Studies Teacher's Duty in Juvenile Delinquency

Ebbets hall will be the scene of the monthly Senior class breakfast, tomorrow morning at 7 a.m., with Mr. Arthur Evans, Santa Barbara county juvenile probation officer and guest lecturer at State, as the speaker. Mr. Evans' topic will be "The Teacher's Duty in Preventing Juvenile Delinquency."

Mrs. Jane Miller Abraham will make announcements concerning placements and the filling of requirements before commencement. Class business will include consideration of the senior gift, plans for the annual class day on May 18 and ordering of caps, gowns and graduation announcements.

#### Hoyt's Plea

In requesting the attendance of all seniors, Bill Hoyt, class president, said, "As the school year closes, it is important that all seniors attend monthly meetings, in order to receive the necessary information for the requirements for graduation and placement in teaching positions."

### Students Develop Air-Mindedness

Last Thursday night the president of the Aviation club, Lawson Miller, stated, "Five of our men and six of our women members have taken actual flight instruction at Goleta." The rate for the instruction has been put at such a price that it will save a great amount of money by the time the students are ready to receive their private operators license.

An invitation has been extended to any and all students to attend the meetings

### Lambourne Chosen As Next Year's Prexy; Don Follett Honored

Gathering at the Barbara hotel for a dinner business meeting, last night, some 30 campus leaders organized into a men's honorary service group, formally accepted the name of "Gavel and Key," and elected officers for the coming year.

A constitution drawn up by a temporary board of directors under the leadership of Don Follett, was accepted by the group.

Officers elected to serve were Fred Lambourne, president; Dave Pollock, vice-president; Nat Hales, secretary; Jack Kitchen, treasurer; Carl Sundquist, chairman of administrative affairs; Danny D'Alfonso, chairman of campus affairs; and Ed Cole, chairman of public relations. The elected group acts as the board of directors guiding the organization.

#### Follett Honorary Prexy

Follett, originator and backer of the new group, was voted the position of honorary president, with Bill Hoyt being named as honorary chairman of administrative affairs for his work in the formation of the organization. Both men will sit with the board of directors in official capacities for the remainder of this semester.

Other business of the meeting included the passing of a resolution to promote the awarding of a scholarship honor plaque to the outstanding woman and man student on the campus, each year. A recommendation was voted to back Al Anderson, junior class chairman, in the sponsorship of junior-senior prom dance with a popular orchestra providing music.

#### Hales Gives Report

In following its purpose as a coordinating body backing student affairs, a report on the Estudiantina, given by Nat Hales, student manager was heard, and assignments given to aid the annual play-day.

## Student Election Board Releases Petitions

### Pollock and Sanderson Backers Circulate Petitions, with Seymour and Lincoln in Vice-Presidential Race

Petitions were released today by the student body election board, composed of Barry Simons, Al Latham, Dorothy Riche, and Capt. Paul Jones, for nominations to the offices, including the presidency, the vice-presidency, the secretaryship, and the position of yell leader.

According to the committee, petitions have been issued to backers of Dave Pollock, and Harold Sanderson for president; of Ann Seymour and Millicent Lincoln for vice-president; of Jean McArthur and Lois Scheppele for secretary, and

## Staters Hear Lecture on Indians

### Utah Archaeologist Tells of Eastern Relations to Early Americans

"Where did the Indians in South America, Central America, and Mexico come from?" There have been many theories on the subject, but Mr. James S. Arrigona, archeologist from Salt Lake City, presented to the assembly at State college Tuesday an answer which would tend to disprove the idea that the natives originated in this hemisphere.

Mr. Arrigona's first-hand examination of the pyramids of the Western hemisphere and those of Egypt indicate a distinct similarity between the artisanship of the East and West. Two points of divergence lie in the fact that the Mexican pyramids are larger than the Egyptian and are solid throughout. Those in Egypt are hollow. According to the speaker, the two largest pyramids in the world, the Pyramid of the Moon and the Pyramid of the Sun, are located within 25 miles of Mexico City.

#### Civilization Advanced

In speaking of the advanced civilization of the Indians, Mr. Arrigona told of their calendar, which includes 18 months, each 20 days long, giving them a year of almost exactly the same number of days as our calendar. Their lensless astronomy could clock the seasons and their development of the compass was quite successful.

Mr. Arrigona explained briefly the reasons back of the various theories held by archeologists as to the Indians' origin. Plato's theory of a lost continent has many supporters among present-day scientists, he said. Others engaged in this research believe that the Indians immigrated from Egypt, and still others that they came from Jerusalem. The similarity between writings, the pyramids, the "Arch of Initial Series," and their language would seem to best support the theory of Egypt being the mother country of the Indians of the Western hemisphere, according to the speaker.

of Fred Smoot, as yell leader. A lack of more petition forms by the election group, is believed to have resulted in the possibility of more nominees not as yet being officially in the running.

Supporters of Danny D'Alfonso for the presidential office are expected to take out a petition as soon as forms are available, with other possible candidates in the field including Leo Butts, Tommy Lindquist, Alfredo Chavez, Doug Oldershaw and Al Anderson.

In the race thus far for the vice-president's office are two women. Millicent Lincoln, a freshman and a member of the Delta Zeta Delta sorority and Ann Seymour, junior, a member of Alpha Theta Chi.

#### Two for Secretary

Jean McArthur, sophomore and Tau Gamma Sigma member will oppose Lois Scheppele, junior, of Alpha Theta Chi, for the office of secretary. Fred Smoot, Gamma Sigma Pi, is the only candidate for the position of yell leader who has a petition out.

All petitions must be turned in to the election board by Friday, with campaign speeches to be held on April 20 before a special meeting of the student body. April 23 has been set by the student council as the date for the election.

## Maxwell Addresses Pressmen at Dinner

Dr. William A. Maxwell, instructor in English, spoke on "The English Language" at a dinner meeting of the Southern California Colleague Press convention at El Cortijo following the conclave on the local campus Friday afternoon. The meeting was conducted under the leadership of Petie McKinney, president of the group and editor of El Gaucho, and Bill Hoyt, toastmaster and president of Alpha Phi Gamma, national journalistic fraternity.

Work on the campus was devoted to panel discussions of newspaper activities with executives of the Santa Barbara News-Press as leaders. Topics and their leaders were editorial writing, Herb Oris; news, Larry Smith; make-up, Harold Jacobs; and advertising, Fred Bartlett.

Following the discussions tea was served in the Women's clubroom to the convention participants. Pat Ireland was in charge of this with Kay Stock and Geneva Tapie as assistants.

#### History of Language

Dr. Maxwell's speech on the English speech included a brief etymology of the language in its Nordic origin. Also he reviewed several other languages and the different developments in the alphabet. He spoke on the importance of the English language as the commercial tool rather than the greatest literary utility. Also he criticized the present alphabet and difficulties that arose in spelling.

In the business meeting it was decided that the next convention would be either at Pomona college or Whittier college with both the secretary and the president chosen from the school entertaining the convention. The annual high school convention was held in conjunction with the college meeting.

## Las Espuelas Don Green and White Colors

### Soph Women Organize Honorary Group to Promote Spirit

As Wednesday rolls around, a question forms in the mind of many students. Just what is the meaning of the uniform white sweater worn by a certain group of campus women on this day.

To begin, the sweater was someone's good idea, as a way in which to distinguish members of Las Espuelas. The bright, green emblems are the official insigna of the organization.

For further explanation, Las Espuelas is the sophomore women's honor organization and is patterned after the national organization, "The Spurs". Its purpose is to

promote school spirit and support of all activities in which the student body participates, and to foster a spirit of loyalty and helpfulness among campus women.

Applicants are from the upper freshman or the lower sophomore class and are chosen for their interest and participation in college activities, for dependability, character, and scholarship which must be 2.5 or better. A member is automatically disqualified if she fails to maintain this average or if she becomes lax in her duties as a member. The first semester is purely probationary.

A list of candidates is submitted

by the president of Las Espuelas to the A.W.S. Board and are there voted on according to their merit.

This year, a new tradition has been started. White sweaters with the Las Espuelas emblem on them are worn every Wednesday. Later on a numeral will be added so that when members reach their Junior years and are then alumni members, students can tell which girls are active members.

In case anyone is interested in doing any work for the remainder of the semester see Cecile Katz, Pat Ireland, Miss Bennink, any Las Espuelas member or Ann Seymour.

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**The Sportsminded Minority**

"How many sports are there on the Gaucho campus?" Just ask the average student. Nine out of ten of our loyal undergraduates will mention football and basketball and then begin to stumble. No one takes even the trouble to find out about college activity in the fields of baseball, America's favorite sport, and track, a sport that dates back to the ancient Greek Olympic games.

Are baseball games and track meets in no wise deserving of student support? Do these athletes give less for their school than the pigskin toters and casaba tossers? Will their victories mean less than victories in other sports?

The attendance at the Varsity baseball tilts with the Whittier Poets on Friday and Saturday was a disgrace to a school of this size! The work alone that precedes one of these spring contests should warrant at least a sprinkling of fans. The baseball team, however, makes no plea for attendance on this ground. This team is on a par with any and all teams in the conference and at present loom as the only squad with any possibility of keeping San Diego from waltzing off with its fourth straight championship this year.

On May 6, 7, and 8, the Gauchos will meet the title-hungry Aztecs here in Santa Barbara. If our boys trot out on the diamond with a few hundred cheering supporters at their backs, they may be depended upon to really give all they have in an attempt to avenge a close 9-8 defeat last year and to vindicate the students' faith in them.—A.B.T.H.

**Disgraceful Situation—**

The assembly committee has brought several interesting and important lecturers to the campus for the past month but the general run of students have either felt that sleep was more important or that other activities should not be interfered with by the speakers.

It seems rather sad that such a condition exists in this institution of higher learning. Not many schools have the rare opportunities of hearing such fine and learned men as Dr. Kofoid, Mr. James S. Arrigona, Dr. Walter Dexter and Mr. W. R. Hayward, and by looking at the attendance at these recent meetings it appears that the students of this college do not feel that these educators have anything that is transmittable.

Perhaps it is that the students are so intellectually low that they are not interested in such things. If this is the case, it would seem wise that the program committee bring in something that would require a little less intellect to appreciate. There is little sense in bringing such people from far distance to speak before an audience that hardly ever runs over 100 students.

A variation of entertainment might held the situation. Why not have other types of assemblies interspersed with lectures by such men? Until the problem is solved, it is this writer's opinion that, the eds and coeds of this campus should attend the assemblies with the hope that they might be able to absorb some of the ideas that the speakers attempt to put over to them.—H.L.

**Always a Problem**

Last night brought forth a number of conflicting rumors with as many as five candidates for the presidential office being suggested. Regardless of whether or not anything comes of these rumors, the election apparently will now be a closely contested run-off.

In reporting the news to the students at large the staff of El Gaucho can only report actual and all happenings in the interest of the welfare of the student body. We will attempt to maintain a non-partisan, unbiased opinion throughout its entirety.

**CAMPUS CALENDAR**

Wednesday, April 14—Senior class committee meeting; 4-H club; Band; Riding class; Block "S" meeting.  
Thursday, April 15—Senior breakfast; W.A.A. meeting.  
Friday, April 16—Preliminary archery tournament, 3:00 p.m.; Kappa Omicron Phi formal initiation and dinner.  
Saturday, April 17—Delta Zeta Delta Formal; Glee club contest, San Diego.  
Sunday, April 18—Student body, college cabin; Delta Sigma Epsilon buffet dinner; Pu Ko How picnic.  
Monday, April 19—Fraternity meetings; Gnome club; Pu Ko How; Phi Delta Pi; Kappa Omicron Phi.  
Tuesday, April 20—Art department meeting; Delta Phi Upsilon.  
Wednesday, April 21—Spanish club, 4:00 p.m.; Band; Riding class; Alpha Phi Gamma; Recreation night.

**The Chimney Sweep . . . . .**

By WESTAWAY

Another pile after a very full week-end; two or three dances, a press dinner, and picnics. It seems that there was a colossal influx of K.P. cuties and high school girls at the "balloon bust" Saturday night. Popular too. The Somerville twin that Harold Fortress escorted has possibilities, but I understand he will leave the adolescent stuff alone for awhile; he is taking Jean McSkimming to the D.Z.D. formal. I can't figure out whether Harry Livezey stood Betty Lomoreaux up or vice versa. Dick Saxe and Eleanor Brauns were together again after a slight split-up. By the way Dick won a prize waltz with a blind date the other night. I hear that Love's love is Mabel Forsyth. Frank Ellings and Gwelda Lloyd; Ellings must like to dance with her—inseparable. Don Sparks gets brutal and blacks Evelyn Palmaymesa's eye—cave man stuff.

Betty Card and Jack Erbes, Vivian Scott and Marlin Nelson, Shiela de Richburg and Francis Burke, Dorothy Belmont and Leo Harlow. Bobby Morelli has a secret passion. Jane Leslie and Cameron Wells were too small to be admitted to El Cortijo. And what about all these shieks in Panama suits.

That flash Dorothy Cameron was with Lawrence Leslie at the Tau Gam informal. Why didn't Lois "peanuts" Scheppele want Warren Rouse to know that she was attending the show with Bob Long. Jean Dewitt attending the show with another fellow all the time. Dora Johnson and Leo Butts completely blind to everyone else at El Cortijo. Butch put in a request for "Love in Bloom" over KDB. Some new couples at the D.Z.D. formal: Arnold Rose and Alice Boeseke, Danny D'Alfonso and Janice Westwick. Girls looking for grease spots after dancing with Howard Yeager at the dance.—Bye, '30 for this time.

**Statements by the POWERS THAT BE**

All members of the Revue cast wishing pictures should get them before Friday noon in the controller's office.  
DAVE POLLOCK.

Freshman and sophomore class dues must be paid immediately, as delinquents will not be admitted to the annual Hay-Hoedown to be held in the near future.  
DANNY D'ALFONSO.  
DAVID JONES.

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**To Leeward**

By GNAT

"The Good Earth" seems to be quite popular these days, even in columns. Hanley may think that dirt throwing covers the ground, but it's just a camouflage. Which makes everything as clear as mud, doesn't it.

An open letter from my public to Theodora:

Dear Ted:  
Poor little child, my pretty boy, Why did the hunter mark thee out?

Wert thou betrayed by thine own joy?  
Singed through childhood's merry shout?

The Colorado state senate must have a high opinion of the President as they adopted a resolution to name a peak of not less than 14,000 feet "Mt. Franklin Roosevelt." And in Washington, the death of Representative Focht left the Republican forces in the House the smallest in the party's history.

Interesting enough to pass along is the story told by Larry Smith, local news editor, who has been in China as a newspaper correspondent for the past three years. While covering one of the major wars of China, Mr. Smith had occasion to be close to the front trenches, and at noon time was rather surprised and amused to hear a loud gong ring out up and down the line at 12 o'clock, after which firing immediately ceased

and the opponents crawled out of their dugouts into full view of one another and ate lunch. At one o'clock the gong again sounded and—fighting resumed.

Weel, the editress and the B.E.X. have progressed as far as the picnic. Now what?

Interesting—was the remark of one Raymond Goss McKelvey, "I am apparently more vague and incoherent than ever this morning."

And before I go any further (Hanley says I couldn't go far enough to suit him) I would like to ask if this printing is plain enough, or would you like me to clean your glasses? Oh! Those aren't glasses, they're circles under your eyes. Then you'd better stay home nights or Cupid will tell all.

Ted's ramblings are like parachute jumping. It's a job which you have to start at the top and work down. And the former is plenty hard work for any ordinary illiterate college student.

Spring and romance, flowers and birds and trees and things inspired this from one whose modesty permits me to use only:

Walked together,  
Strolled together,  
All semester long,  
Crammed together,  
Flunked together,  
Wonder what was wrong?

Well, I forgot to cram and flunked by myself, so I'll have to be going to see or . . . It's none of your business. Scram.

**Radio Ranglings**

Tonight marks the return of Lily Pons to radio after nearly a year's absence except for two or three guest-star appearances. She has refused several other offers so that she would be able to return to the air under the direction of Andre Kostelanetz when the Nino Martini series was concluded. She evidently realizes that the Kostelanetz-Pons combination is one of the better ones of the air for several reasons. You know those rumors and what good publicity they are. Miss Pons does not intend to abandon her operatic arias but will also sing popular songs. This must be the influence of "That Girl from Paris" reviews and their approval of her "swinging the Blue Danube." Besides Miss Pons, Kostelanetz will continue to present the Chesterfield Chorus. This group is not known so well for their type of song as they are for their arrangements, which are tops. Be sure to tune in tonight at 6 over Columbia.

Here are some keyhole notes . . . Ella Logan should certainly go places on radio. One really should see "Top of the Town" just to hear Miss Logan and Gertrude Niessen. Both are right up there on top . . .

**Dope Sheet**

Name: Dick Wichman  
Birthplace: Chicago  
Birthday: October 28  
Position: President of Alpha Phi Omega; president of College Y  
Childhood ambition: To live on a cannibal island  
Present ambition: To be a religious educator  
Hobby: Working with young people.

Most embarrassing moment: Being mentioned in the dirt column. Mr. Wichman has been in 27 state capital buildings. Every summer Dick goes to the north woods of Wisconsin. After graduating from here he is going to San Anselmo to attend a Presbyterian seminary.

Let us hope that Jack Benny and Mary Livingstone return George Burns' and Gracie Allen's appearance on their program. If their return is anywhere near the riot the first attempt was last Sunday it certainly will be something . . . by the way, George and Gracie returned to the air last Monday over NBC Red network at 6:30 p.m. . . . here are a few programs to listen to tonight. From 6-6:30, Andre Kostelanetz; from 6:30-7, Jessica Dragonette; from 7-7:30, Hit Parade.

# SPORTS

## Hardermen Cinch Whittier Series

### Gray Sets New Hurdle Mark as Poets Win 86 to 44

#### Denno's Men Drop Meet to Poets

**Gauchos Win Pole Vault, High Jump, Javelin and High Hurdles**

While the Whittier Poets were going about in a methodical way to pile up an 86 to 44 triumph over the improving Gaucho cindermen, Bill Gray, pride and joy of Coach Ray Denno, in one way or another redeemed the weakness of the rest of the team by skimming over the high hurdles in the fast time of 15.2 seconds for a new Santa Barbara State college record, and the fastest time ever run by a local boy.

Gray was off to a slow start, but at the fourth barrier he had caught and passed his running mate, Ray Stalmack, and Kenny Richardson, the Quaker entry. Stalmack pressed Gray quite closely until the last hurdle which was a little too high for the former Compton J. C. star to clear.

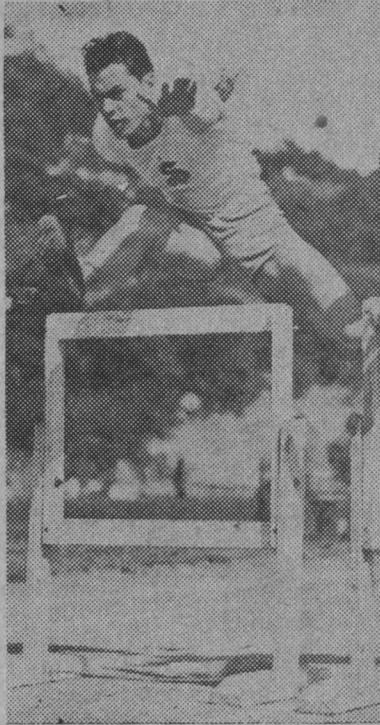
The sprinting demon from Whittier lived up to advance notices and took clean sweeps in both the 100 and 200. The century saw a terrific battle between Howard Yeager and Elvin Hutchinson for third place, with Howie getting nosed out by a gnat's whisker. The race was won in 10.1 seconds and the local boy was close enough to have run 10.2 seconds.

Gray's victory in the highs was the only running race won by a Green and White clad athlete. Victories were however, chalked up in the pole vault, high jump and javelin; in the latter event the Gauchos captured all three places, while in the pole vault Neil Beat and Harold Sanderson took first and second, there being no third entry.

Beat's performance in the pole vault, while not comparable to that of Bill Sefton in Los Angeles last Saturday, was remarkable in that this was the first time he had done any vaulting this year and he cleared 11 feet six inches after the event was over. Sanderson, another one of the "highly trained" athletes, went over 10 feet six inches which was good for second.

Stalmack won the wand-waffing event with a heave of 171 feet 10 inches. Pete Weld gave the discus a 122 feet ride to land in third place behind Lingenfelter and Dietrick of the Poets.

Bill Gray



Just when our boy Gray starts running close to 15 flat, a San Diego man does 14.8 in the high hurdles. These Aztecs—they get in our hair.

#### Tennis Club

For the purpose of furthering interest in tennis on the campus and participating in intramural and intercollegiate competition, a club open to all tennis enthusiasts, beginners and veterans alike has been formed.

Tournaments are to be held for the purpose of ranking players according to their abilities, and forming a Gaucho tennis team from the outstanding players.

The fact that there is plenty of potential material for a strong team this year on the campus is quite evident, with several of the ranking city players enrolled here.

First matches will be the Ojai Inter-Collegiate championships where representatives from all the outstanding universities and colleges meet for what is practically the Southern California championship. State has always sent representatives and with support should be able to make itself felt in the southern division.

A meeting will be held in the gym at 12:40 today and all interested are asked to attend.

#### Peagreeners Win Meet

**Frosh Take All Running Races from Opponents**

Winning every running race and all but three of the field events, the Gauchito cindermen won a triangle meet from the tracksters of Santa Maria J. C. and Mira Monte J. C. by the scores of 81½ to 31 to 39½.

This meet held in conjunction with the Gaucho-Poet meet was never in doubt as to the final outcome, with the local peagreeners capturing one first place after another.

George Gray pulled a surprise in the 100 yard dash by winning over McArthur, and Putman and Johnson of Santa Maria. Usually a 440 runner, Gray was a late entry in the 100 and after a hard battle, Gray also won the 440, leading all of the way and winning in 52.7 seconds, Eddie Kellog of the Frosh was a fair second.

A peculiar thing happened in the discus, with McKee of Santa Maria winning. The northerner had a mark out about 125 and on his final toss, the disc hit the ice pick marker on the top and went on to land about a foot further on. The ice pick turned a couple of loops and came down to land in the exact spot where the platter had come to earth.

Harold Mortress continued his winning ways by taking first in the high and low hurdles, the broad jump and tying for a first in the high jump. There was some dispute about winning the highs, because the hurdles were not locked shut and the Stater managed to fold over three of them. However, a rule was dug up which stated a hurdle had to be knocked off its base before it counted against a runner.

Arnold Rose in the high jump, Bill Young in the pole vault, Jessup in the 880, Fujimoto in the mile and two mile, Callis in the broad jump and Edgewood in the discus were point winners for the Gauchitos.

#### Helen Rogers Wins Tennis Tournney

Helen Rogers won the State college women's championship in a hard fought match, 6-2, 4-6, 6-4, from Ruth Angwin, last year's victor, Sunday, April 11, in a tourney on the Biltmore courts. The event culminated the annual Women's Tennis tournament held at the college.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Jacobs and Dr. William Ellison were invited as special guests of the W.A.A., which sponsored the affair. Refreshments were served following the match, with Ethel Clendennen and Wilma Kiesner in charge.

Mr. Hal Graham secured permission for the event to take place on the Montecito courts, and refereed the games.

#### Passing in Review

By TED JOHAM

A curious thing about these games the baseballers of State and Whittier played is brought out in the fact that in the first game the locals score and then in the second encounter the boys really put on a hair raising game.

One thing that the writer didn't especially care for at the games played last week-end was the "war-hooping" of the Whittier mentor, Chief Newman. It didn't quite hit the right cord with the various and sundry "violinists" gathered in and about the ball park, 'nuff said.

The Gauchos seem to be well on their way to another diamond title if the results of the last few games have any bearing on the final standings.

Word has trickled in from the south that Jim Benton has the inside track in the race for All-Conference basketball guard honors, and also that Tooley Palmer is almost a cinch to land a berth on the second team.

Irving Howe, a classmate of a goodly number of the present class of '38 from the local high school, vaulting for Southern California last Saturday, cleared 13 feet, 6 inches. It must be tough to be that good and only take third place. Vaulting of that sort could certainly be used here on the Gaucho campus right now.

Some of the boys on the track team have been getting post cards from Nick Carter, erstwhile Gaucho track coach. In one to Bill Gray he said that he had the national record holder in the high hurdles running for him, the record is 15.6 seconds. Maybe we ought to send a team down to that meet and give a few of our boys a couple of medals.

It's about time we began hearing about any trips to Australia being proposed for the baseballers. Although this is a little early to see whether they deserve it or not a little hint dropped now might inspire the boys on to greater efforts.

While on the subject of trips, the powers that be could start to work on a trip for the track team back to one of the big eastern relay meets. There are a bunch of ineligible men on the varsity and with the strongest frosh team in years coming up maybe a few national championships could be coming our way. Think it over.

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#### Harderites Jump on Quakers

**Double Win Over Quakers Puts Gauchos Back in Running for Title**

Going at the Poets with a vengeance, the Gaucho harderites took a two game series from the Quakers by the scores of 17 to 5 and 8 to 7. The games were played in Pershing park Friday and Saturday afternoon.

The Big Green victory Friday was reminiscent of the victory the champs scored last year on the Poets' home diamond, when 15 runs crossed the plate in the first inning for the Gauchos. Although no such orgy of runs crossed the plate, the Gauchos were complete masters of the situation and gradually ran the score up.

**Poet Comeback**

Saturday the Poets came back blood in their eyes and determined to put a stop to the winning ways of the Hilltoppers. They almost succeeded in breaking into the win column, but with the score tied the game went on into the 13th inning when a timely hit by Bobby Murray brought in the winning run.

Lloyd Erhard started the first game, but was lifted in the fifth to save him for Saturday if he should be needed. McNeice followed him on the mound and pitched good ball. In the ninth, Earl Homan was put on the slab and surprised the onlookers with a display of fireworks on the ball that baffled the southerners.

**Powell Lee Starts**

Saturday Powell Lee was given the starting assignment on the rubber. Lee showed plenty of speed but was inclined to be a wee bit wild. Only one Poet was lucky enough to get a clean hit off of the "Shanghai Express."

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## Fraternities Hold Picnic

## Paradise Camp Is Scene of Sunday Outing

Campus fraternity members and guests, seventy-five strong, assembled Sunday, April 11, at Paradise camp for a picnic and fun-fest. Arriving at the valley camping spot at noon, the men chose sides and played baseball until mid-afternoon, when all picnickers put aside sports and frolic and applied themselves to serious eating.

Each individual present brought his own lunch, but coffee and ice cream were served by the members of Sigma Alpha Kappa of which Bill Poole is president.

Following the lunch, the frat members once more engaged in friendly baseball tilts. At 4:30, everyone adjourned to the Santa Ynez River for a swim.

Arnold Rose, Gamma Sig member, was the winner of an impromptu short swimming race in the river. Mr. Paul A. Jones, accompanied by Mrs. Jones, was present at the picnic as the head of the Interfraternity council. At sundown, the party dispersed and returned to Santa Barbara.

## Gam Sigs, Anacapas Win Hoop Games

Beginning the intramural play in basketball, the Gamma Sigma Pi team won a close 10 to 9 game from the hoopsters of Sigma Alpha Kappa Monday night in the State college gym.

Moving into a tie for the first place in the standings the Anacapa club last night defeated the Tau Omegas by a 31 to 24 score. The clubbers led all the way. The game was marked by numerous fouls.

## New Gnomers Give Novel Dance Friday

One of the most successful Gnome Club dances of the year was held Friday evening, April 9, in Ebbets Hall. The old members and their guests were entertained by the new members of the organization.

The hall was cleverly decorated in a South Sea motif and each guest was given a lei as he entered. Approximately fifty couples attended the affair.

The sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Don Fisher.

The various committee heads included Helen Brownless, decorations; Bernice Beaumont, music; Dorothy Emerson, invitations; Eunice Gaines, clean-up; and Nadine Arundell was the general chairman for the event.

Plans have been made for the annual club formal which is to be held May 8. Leona Grow, social chairman of the club, will act as general manager of the affair.

## W.A.A. Plans Dinner Initiation

The W.A.A. is having an important initiation supper meeting in the Gaucho club Thursday evening, April 15, at 5:00 o'clock. Merle Thomas, Dorothy Allen, Betty Ravey and Iva Walsh are in charge of the dinner. Clara Ross is in charge of the Fun Initiation; Marguerite Kohler is in charge of formal invitations.

The meeting will include reports from Rena Sacconaghi and Rose Pagliotti, who attended the F.C.W. Western District convention in Eugene, Oregon. All members are urged to attend. Dinner, 25 cents. R.S.V.P. to Nancy Clapp before Wednesday night, April 14. Telephone 24313

## Two Classes Plan Dance

## Palmyresa, Kitchen and Smoot Aid Frosh, Soph Prexies

Under the leadership of David Jones, frosh class president, and Danny D'Alfonso, sophomore prexy, plans for the annual Frosh-Soph "Hay Hoedown" are under way. May 1 has been chosen as the date for the traditional lower-class gathering and is to be held again at the Cerca Del Mar ballroom in Carpinteria.

Committee heads working with the two presidents include Jack Kitchen, sophomore social chairman, in charge of the dance; Fred Smoot, handling all arrangements for the decorations; and Betty Palmyresa who is arranging for refreshments and invitations.

Plans advanced by the leaders named Fred Lambourne's Collegians as the orchestra providing music for the gala "hick" affair. The dance is slated to begin at nine o'clock, with refreshments including punch and doughnuts being provided. Prizes will be awarded for the best costumes of the evening. In keeping with the theme, decorations will include saddles, wagons and bales of hay.

All class dues must be paid by freshmen and sophomore members before admittance to the dance. Outside guest cards may be obtained for 50 cents.

## PLAY DAY PLANNED

Whittier Play Day is to be held April 17. All W.A.A. members are urged to attend. All kinds of games will be played. Don't forget to sign up in the gym if you are planning to go. Transportation will be given to those who need it.

## Delta Zetas Hold Election of Officers

An election of officers took place at the regular meeting of the Delta Zeta Delta sorority meeting Monday evening, April 12, at the home of Elinor Stewart, president. Alice Boeseke was chosen social chairman of the organization; corresponding secretary, Rosalind Rawicz; and publicity, Irene Minikin.

A discussion of final plans for the annual spring formal this Saturday evening at the Montecito Country club took place. Miss Boeseke, assisted by Joan Drennen, Edna Arnold and Betty Palmyresa, will be in charge of arrangements for the event, under the general supervision of Elinor Stewart.

An alumnae meeting of the sorority was held last night at the home of Mrs. Lucille Brown, 1825 Gillespie street, assisted by Mrs. Laura Campbell. The affair honored the new members of the sorority.

## Sorority Honors New Members

The members and alumnae of Tau Gamma Sigma, social sorority, and their guests gathered at the Strollers club last Friday night, April 9, for an informal dance which was held in honor of the recently initiated new members.

Following the dance a midnight supper was held at the home of the sponsor, Mrs. Helen Barnett. Mrs. McCray, an honorary alumnae of the organization, assisted Mrs. Barnett.

The arrangements for the dance were in charge of Charlotte Naess, social chairman of the group.

## New Frat to Have Hop

## Members Discuss Election Plans and Support

At their regular meeting Monday night, Gamma Sigma Pi fraternity planned an informal dance to be held this Saturday at the Southern Counties Auditorium, at Anacapa and Figueroa. Clifford Romer, social chairman, will be in charge with the assistance of his committee.

The election of officers for student body and support was discussed in open session. An opening and closing ceremony was submitted and accepted by the group. The president, David Westaway, appointed two officers; Bud McKinnon, as chaplain; and George McCrea as marshal.

The basketball team was commended for their victory over the Sigma Alpha Kappa team.

After the meeting Mrs. Merrill served refreshments. The next meeting will be held at Hugh Shiels' house in Hope Ranch.

## Alpha Thetas Select Nominees

Candidates for student body offices were nominated by members of Alpha Theta Chi, social sorority, at a special meeting Monday night, held at the home of Ann Seymour.

Lois Scheppele was chosen to run for secretary and Ann Seymour for vice-president. A shower was planned for Genne Jones, former president of the sorority, to be given this Saturday night at eight o'clock at the home of Phyllis La Source. Alumnae members of the group will be invited to attend.

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