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Over the Fence

By JACK SALYER

FUNERALS FOR WOMEN

Fascist General Franco sent 40 bombing planes under cover of a heavy fog over Madrid and dropped more than 40 bombs, killing and wounding over 300 persons. Two whole city blocks were smashed to bits in the residential district. The victims were mostly women and children. There was no pretense of conducting the war against the fighting forces of Madrid, as not a single Loyalist soldier was killed or injured. As soon as Loyalist planes took to the air, the Fascist airmen scurried back home minus one bomber and two pursuit planes.

MOST EMBARRASSING

Generalissimo Chiang-Kai-shek's army is all ready to descend upon Marshall Chang, but the leader of this army is reposing in Marshall Chang's clutches. If Chiang-Kai-shek's men come gunning for Chang, they will find their leader quite dead, so they must negotiate, and negotiations take time.

CANTERBURY AND EDWARD

Public reaction to the Archbishop of Canterbury's recent blast against the erring Edward makes that dignitary uncomfortable. Said he: "It was like a stab in my heart, when King Edward abdicated," and someone replied, "You were the first to stab him in the back." The fact that the Archbishop's heart had been stabbed way back in September shows that it was not as painful as he pretends, for no sounds of anguish issued from his lips until Edward was safely out of the country. Both Baldwin and the Archbishop were told by Edward in September that he intended to marry Mrs. Simpson.

A HUMBOLDT LUMBERJACK

Vernor Thornton, lanky end, won the doughnut eating contest at the Squad's Donut Dunking party by eating 24. To prove that he was not impaired by the feat, he with three others presented numbers from the opera Faust, soon to be given on the campus.

State Band Turned Down As Entry in New Year's Parade

The Santa Barbara State college band will not march in the Pasadena Tournament of Roses parade on New Year's day this year as in the past, according to information received recently by Ed Cole band manager.

Applications were sent out by the southern city about a month ago to the various band managers, but last week Pasadena sent word that due to the fact they had had so many band applications this year they would be unable to entertain the Gaucho band. They also expressed a wish that Santa Barbara would be included in the parade next year.

Sehon Has Varied Background Member of Original Orchesis Society Here

Miss Elizabeth Sehon was born and raised in Louisville, Kentucky. She attended the University of Wisconsin, where she majored in dancing and received a B.A. degree. She later went to Ohio State university, where she procured an M.A. degree in progressive education. Miss Sehon has taught and attended summer schools in Wisconsin, and at the University of Southern California.

Miss Sehon studied and has done special dance work with David Humphrey and Kreutzberg. She considers Kreutzberg a fine teacher, and the work she did under him as particularly interesting, and of incalculable value.

Miss Sehon is a charter member of the Orchesis Dance group which was formed while she was attending the University of Wis-

Holiday Hilarity Greet Gauchos



The "Pampas Cowboy" rides again
Crying "Peace on Earth, Goodwill to Men."
El Gaucho staff extends Christmas cheer,
And best of luck through the coming year.

Prexy Obtains Stadium Plans

Work on New Campus Starts with Clearing of Trees for Parking Space

With work on the new campus started by the removal of trees and the preparations for parking space, President C. L. Phelps has been presented with the map of the stadium planned for the new campus. Work of the present clearance is being carried on by WPA workers in cooperation with Ralph Stevens, noted Santa Barbara landscape architect.

The plan for the field as mapped now arranges for the field to run parallel with the ocean. The bleachers will be built in a horseshoe leaving the east end open and with a field house built under the southside. Placed on the beach side of the campus a fill on half the field will be made from a cut on the other half.

President Phelps attended a conference of the State Council of California Teachers Association, held last week-end.

Packard Perturbs, Prof Pops 'Phooey'

Dr. Edward Nettles, erst-while history professor, had the misfortune last week to be run into by a long, black shiny Packard. Finding the usual exit from the school blocked by an oil truck, he and several other individuals decided to try their luck at leaving school by way of the entrance. The other law-breakers were lucky; but not so our hero. As he left the school grounds he collided with the Packard entering the campus, causing no little damage to Dr. Nettles' car but left the aggressor unhurt.

Heaping insult upon injury, the following day when Dr. Nettles parked a "garage" car in his usual parking place, he was rewarded with a welfare parking notice saying, "this car is parked in the wrong place." "Phooey," says Nettles.

Dur Collegiate Colleagues

UTAH COMES INTO THE NEWS Going Indian

The anthropology class will hold its Annual American Indian banquet. They will follow Indian life as close as possible. The menu will include American Indian dishes served in Indian style. All those attending must wear burlesque Indian costumes. The entertainment will include Indian games.

The Women's Choice

At the Spinster's Spree, sponsored by the A.W.S., the co-eds will elect the most eligible bachelor.

Everybody's Learning to Knit

To get into Company "M" chapter of the Scabbard and Blade, a national honorary military fraternity, the pledges are required to knit six square inches. The pieces will later be composed into a horse-blanket which will be given to the Cadet-Colonel.

Lost Duck

Members of the Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity of Utah mourn the disappearance of their famous duck Cicero. He disappeared the day before Thanksgiving. It is feared that he might have been mistaken for a turkey.

State Ends Season With Aggie Fray

Christmas Day Game Presents First Inter- Sectional Conflict Before Local Football Enthusiasts

By JACK KITCHEN

Winding up their most successful grid season, the Santa Barbara State college Gauchos take the field against the highly-touted New Mexico Aggies, Christmas Day, in the first inter-sectional encounter ever to be played in the fair city of Santa Barbara.

A brilliant array of talent will sparkle on the turf of Peabody Stadium, with the Gauchos presenting their two "Little All-Americans," Captain Doug Oldershaw and Howard Yeager, while the Aggies will offer two of the greatest and most versatile backfield men in the Southwest in Lem Pratt and Hookey Apodaca.

Engle Receives First Prize in Book Contest

Arthur Glover, Jr. Merits Second; Clare Call Takes Third

Evelyn Engle, reviewing "Lost Paradise," by Robert Coffin, has been announced the winner of the Book Review contest sponsored by Arthur H. Batchelder, El Gaucho columnist, last month. Dr. William Maxwell, English instructor, acted as judge.

Glover Is Second

Arthur Glover, Jr., second prize winner, wrote of "My Great, Wide, Beautiful World," by Juanita Harrison.

Clare Call, who commented on "Green Mansions," by W. H. Hudson, was awarded third prize. The winner will be given his choice of 1,800 books.

The winning review read, "There is something of Eden before the Fall—something Wordsworthian—in Robert Coffin's boyhood on a Maine coast farm. The people are real. Aunt Emma with her missionary zeal. Uncle Thomas, who tried to run his farm on a nautical schedule, Peter's (his) mother symbolized by a luster pitcher, and his father's singing hymns, might have been someone we knew. Mr. Coffin, as well as a poet, is a remarkable story teller."

R. Harris Receives Gift from Gauchos

Ray Harris, Santa Barbara State gardener, was the recipient of a black and chromium smoking stand presented to him last Tuesday in the assembly by the Associated students and the Welfare committee in recognition of services performed by him for the students.

The stand was engraved in silver with the following inscription, "To Ray Harris, in recognition of his willing service to Santa Barbara State Student Body, presented by the Welfare committee, December 15, 1936."

Co-ed Wins Archery Contest Eighty-Three Teams Enter Tournament

Pym Lee Lucas, State student, is named winner of second highest score, a class "A" rating and a gold pin, in the National Telegraphic Archery Meet conducted last spring, in a recent Bulletin of the National Archery association. She, with seven teammates, represented Los Angeles Jr. College and brought home first honors for team competition. For the second consecutive year, the L.A.J.C. team won the high score.

Elizabeth Chalstrom of Utah U. made the highest score, 496, while Miss Lucas made two points less. The L.A.J.C. team score was 3,591, a total of 369 points better than the Phoenix Jr. College, second place holder.

Class "A" rating and certificate and a gold pin were given to each

of the archers making a score of 425; class "B" certificate to those over 350 and "C" to those over 300.

Eighty-three teams took part in the Seventh Annual Women's National Telegraphic Archery Tournament and 21 of these were from the southwest. The tournament heads decided to divide the nation up into districts, combining areas of similar climatic conditions, and have district as well as national competition. The reason for the majority of the first 10 places going to the southwest, the bulletin reports, is that they have continued outdoor practice whereas the east and the mid-west do not.

The southwest took six of the first 10 places, the south two, and the east one.

Gauchos Are Heavier

In the starting line-up, the Big Green Wave of State will have a 21-pound weight advantage over their inter-sectional rivals, but will give way to a heavier backfield of the opponents.

The Christmas game at Peabody stadium is being sponsored by the Santa Barbara Scouts for their "Sunshine Fund," and a sellout will give the charity fund enough money to make the Christmas holiday a much brighter one for underprivileged and crippled children in Ventura, Santa Barbara and San Luis Obispo counties.

Six Faculty Heads Attend Meeting of Los Angeles Alums

Six faculty members and five home economics seniors will travel to Los Angeles Saturday morning to attend a breakfast meeting of the Los Angeles alumni at the Women's Athletic club, December 19.

Dr. Robert Lane, assistant superintendent of schools in the southern city will talk on "Progressive Educational Trends." Ray Case is president of the southern alumni organization and Nathan Wells is treasurer.

Faculty attending are Mrs. Laura S. Price, Dr. Elizabeth Bishop, Mrs. Jane Miller Abraham, registrar, and President and Mrs. Clarence Phelps. Students at the breakfast will be Mildred Gardner, Lola Taylor, Mildred Cummings, Evelyn Braman and Catherine Caldwell.

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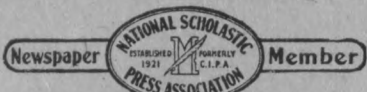
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Why Not Broadcast?

Radio, one of the most modern and effective methods of communication, has many aims, including three prominent ones, the presentation of entertainment, advertising and education.

In dealing with a comparatively new idea, that of a possibility of presenting weekly or semi-weekly Santa Barbara State college programs over the air, the three purposes mentioned above must be kept in mind. Colleges throughout the nation have adopted the suggestion of stations located in college towns that they broadcast an hour or half-hour program at different times throughout the regular school year and in such colleges holding extra-sessions, during the summer months.

By offering different types of programs, Santa Barbara could give material to the listeners-in which would easily fall in line with education, entertainment and advertising. First, by devoting a program to each department and its activities, the educational values derived would be beneficial to those interested in the college, by explaining and illustrating the work continually going on within our portals.

Secondly, with collegiate talent of various sorts easily within reach, entertainment as a suitable variation, could be presented. Thirdly, by the perfection and careful maintenance of the said programs, profitable and remunerative means of advertising would be carried on.

If the college programs were given over KDB, from the downtown station, the cost would be comparatively small. If the college itself was in a position to install a movable microphone, it would be more expensive with regard to installation of equipment.

Benefits from such a project would be worthwhile from a student viewpoint; not only would students be able to make clear their college activities, but those concerned with the actual broadcast would gain valuable and practical experience. Undoubtedly, the plans would require careful thought and work on the part of a few, but as the idea is one of concern to all of us it deserves consideration.

Boost Minor Sports

With the conclusion of football, undisputedly the king of sports, comes the opportunity of the various minor sports. Basketball is already well under way, but as this game does not use an overly amount of the male talent there is room for the instigation of other activities to make Santa Barbara State well-known not only for its outstanding football teams but in other fields as well.

Such sports as golf, tennis and swimming have always been attacked in a half-hearted manner on the Gaucho campus, and there is no reason with a male population of almost 500 students why these minor sports could not be boosted to attain an enviable position in the eyes of the students.

Recently the office of the comptroller received a letter from the Occidental campus concerning the activities of their swimming squad. In it they requested a date for a swimming tourney with the Gaucho institution. As at present there is no organized aquatic team on the campus undoubtedly this request must be refused.

If a group of men interested in swimming could combine their talents to formulate such a team they would not only be doing the school a great favor in promoting it in the field of sports but would doubtless earn for themselves remuneration in the form of athletic numerals.

With a little boosting from the students no doubt such a team could be formulated. Practice could be maintained at the local Y.M.C.A. and with a little effort a capable instructor could also be found. To broaden our athletic activities the formulation of a swimming team on the campus would therefore be an asset to the entire school.—I.M.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

Friday, Dec. 18—Nothing scheduled.
Saturday, Dec. 19—Sunday, Jan. 3—Christmas vacation.
Monday, Jan. 4—Fraternities; Phi Delta Pi; Gnome Club; Pu Ko How; Kappa Omicron Phi.
Tuesday, Jan. 5—Department meetings, 2nd hour; Debate, 8th hour; Alpha Phi Gamma; Orchesis; Delta Phi Upsilon; K.-P. department.
Wednesday, Jan. 6—College "Y"; Recreation night; Pan Hellenic; Band; Riding class; Varsity-Frosh basketball, gigantic.
Thursday, Jan. 7—Student Council.

Long Shots

By LONGIE

Am entertaining a guest columnist—will not be responsible for anything herein.—LONGIE.

Dame Rumor has it that a merger is about to take place, with Catherine Caldwell and Bruce Le Claire set to tie that matrimonial knot—if, that is, they get her kin's permish.



Louie Trigueiro was the recipient of a pre-yuletide gift, when five fair co-eds presented him with one nicely wrapped holiday package. When opened, the contents provided a huge surprise. The gift? Yes. A lobster, containing absolutely nothing.

It seems off-again-on-again Millie Lincoln is devoting this week's spare time to Teddy Rohlfen.

Armae Brewster is engaging in correspondence with Uncle Samuel's Navy. Her admirers remit by the three's and four's.

Bouquets to Phil Jones, one of the Jones boys, for his intriguing manner in pouring the polish. Is this that "professional" attitude?

Cosy Tavern couples: Larry Main and Madge Bunch along with Clary Lair and Dede Biller.

What local grizzer almost got himself mixed up in some recent divorce proceedings?

Add silly scenes: Fletcher, Pagliotti and Mulock young unsophisticated smokers. Nit—Ruthie Taylor trying to grow up.



The Kymograph (a recorder of pulse and heart beats to youse dopes that don't know) in Doc Noble's physiology lab, recently took a terrific beating. It seems that June Vance accidentally walked past a window during the process of "buzz" Busby's going through the test maneuvers. The recorder went on a binge and did flip-flops all over the graph.

Lost—One black onyx setting from signet diamond ring. Liberal reward. Return to gal who is reported thata-way about George Gray.

Barrison Simmons celebrated his natal day yesterday, contrary to rumors he is not twins. The mistake was that Financier Lowsley's private secty. also had the pleasure of adding another year to her life.

In closing we would like to receive contributions toward the purchase of a soap-box, to provide Powell (Oriental Express) Lee something to stand on while washing the faces of the Gaucho varsity basketballers while acting as official water-boy.

A good quip to close with: Conversation overheard. Tu-lips Palmer asked "Barrel" Twaddell if he knew the new King. "Alas," said Twaddell, "poor York, I know him well."—Shakespeare.

EASTLACK MARRIES

Venetta Eastlack, June '36, was married recently to Donald Ward Harris. They are living in Walnut Park, near Los Angeles.

FORMER GRAD VISITS

Mary Bell, June 1936, who is teaching in Pomona visited the campus last week. She was a house guest of Bettie Walker's.

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Book Chatter

By Arthur H. Batchelder

Why Give a Book for Christmas?

For centuries of Christmas's the pious answer to this question has been that books should be given for Christmas because they are gifts that endure. Bosh! Nonsense! So are tie holders, grand pianos, tin trunks and the like.

Let's give books to people who like to read. If some of your friends have not discovered the joys of reading, don't endeavor to convert them by presenting them with a book for Christmas. The tie holders are better—for them. But for you, and your reading friends there is no better gift than a swell book!

Here are a few hints. I hope they are helpful.

Biographies:

"The Living Jefferson," by Truslow Adams . . . Mr. Adams gives a backward and forward glance, beginning with the contest between governmental theories in colonial times, and ending with the uncertain situation of democracy and personal liberty in our own day.

"Portrait of an Era," as drawn by Charles Dana Gibson . . . by Fairfax Downey . . . profusely illustrated . . . (just the thing for the art-friend).

"Heads and Tales," by Malvina Hoffman, glorious illustrations of her sculpture work. Speedy reading, fine organization and an all round good book.

New Fiction:

"Scorpion: A Good Bad Horse," by Will James. Sufficient to say that he wrote "Smoky," his most famous success.

"Sea-Mary," by O. R. Pilat. A rousing sea story full of action and intrigue.

"The War Goes On," by Sholem Asch. The novel of the century. My favorite book for 1936. Heartily recommended by Dr. Maxwell.

New Sporting Books:

"The Modern Angler," by J. A. Knight. All the new developments in every line of fishing. Just the thing for that fisher-friend.

"The Modern Gun," by T. D. S. Purdey and Captain J. A. Purdey. All about guns and gunning.

Illustrated Gift Books:

"Famous Prints," with notes by F. Weitenkamp. 70 famous prints including Rembrandts, Durers, Turners, Whistlers, etc. A modest price of \$30.

"Just Cats," text by T. O. Beachcroft; illustrated by L. D. Luard.

Children's Books:

"Louisa Alcott's People," edited by May Lamberton Becker. Nuf said, if by this author.

"The Reformed Pirate," by F.

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Radio Ranglings

Monday night on Lux Radio theatre will be one of the first appearances, together, of Dick Powell and Joan Blondell. They will do scenes from "Gold-diggers of 1937." This is their latest picture together. This is also about the first time that the Radio theatre uses a picture as its story.

Have you heard the "I'm in business" gags yet? They go like this: 1st person, "I'm in business." 2nd person, "What kind of business?"

1st person, "Cracker business." 2nd person, "How's business?" 1st person, "Crumby."

These are set to music. At times, Ted Fio Rito's band uses it. It is sort of cute but some of them are as bad as the "knock-knocks."

Well, Ken Murray left the air with Oswald last Tuesday. They are going on a personal appearance tour for the next few months. According to most pictures we have seen, they will have to wear signs so that people can be sure of which one is Oswald. They will be replaced by Al Jolson, Martha Raye and Sid Silvers. Sid Silvers is one of the very much better stooges. He also spends his time thinking up gags. Some of them, quite a few in fact, were used in "Born to Dance." Anyway, the Jolson program starts next Tuesday at 8:30 over Columbia.

Be sure to listen to the radio at least part of the time on New Year's eve. Usually the bands play all the best songs of the old year and preview the songs of the coming year. At any rate tune in.

We hope that Eddie Cantor does not have something happening to his program again this Sunday. It was funny the first Sunday, and amusing the second time, the third was still fairly amusing, but if it is tried again it will be rather boring.

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These are just a few samples of 1936's glorious literary achievements. Good luck on your Christmas buying for your book-lover!

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SPORTS

Pratt Versus Yeager Holds Grid Spotlight

Stater Contrasts Track Skill Against Ability of New Mexican Ace

Lem Pratt versus Howard Yeager has been sized as the question to be solved when the New Mexico Aggies attempt to elude the State college Gauchos on Christmas day. With Yeager presenting the light of the game in the eyes of the Santa Barbara sportsmen, Pratt is coming up as the surprise with plans of landing the home team in the wrong end of the score.

Physically, Yeager is a trifle the superior while Pratt bears the appellation of triple threat man. Yeager looks stronger on any form of written judgments with his track record as a century ace and as a broad-jumper but the present contest is not to see how fast a sprint can be rolled off, but how long a sprint can be made with the ball.

Pratt's Last Game

Other angles on the Pratt side of the argument are that this is his last game, that the speed he has developed on the playing field is that type of speed peculiar to football, that he is probably the will-of-the-wisp on the gridiron even more than Yeager, and that his manner of play fools the opponents because they don't know what to expect. The most important feature of Pratt's ability is that he runs in a fashion which might be described as a trot.

On defense the New Mexican holds the safety spot from where he has terrorized the opponent with punt returns. On offense he does half of the ball-packing, nearly all of the kicking, and has a shrewd quick-kick from the Aggie short punt formation. Incidentally Pratt has been All-Conference in the Border league for three consecutive years.

Another 'Red Grange'

Of the contrasting power "Whirling Ankles" Yeager, there is little to say and nothing to say that has not already been said. Recently, he was compared with Red Grange with his 13 touchdowns and his thousand yards from running plays. Howard is credited with being a better runner by virtue of his supple ankles and fine balance in his hips. Running he is trickier than any opponent he has met this season and on defense he is a real threat to anybody's plans.

As pass receiving skill has not been said much of, it seems that he may spring a surprise by getting on the catching end of some of Gardenhire's lengthy tosses. But as to what he will reveal in this game the only certainty is that it will be a surprise.

HUSKIES INVITED

Washington Huskies have been asked to spend 10 days in Santa Barbara, practicing at Phelps Field preceding their game with Pittsburgh in the Rose Bowl, New Year's Day. The invitation was extended by W. G. Herron, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, who is a Washington alumnus.

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The Gauchos' Galloping Ghost



Yeager and Pratt of New Mexico will settle the question, "who is the better man?" on Christmas Day.

Gauchos Lose Five Gridsters Christmas Day

Twaddell, Gardner, Poole, Hale, Fredburg End Football Careers

When the final gun is sounded on the Gauchos' Christmas day battle with the New Mexico Aggies at Peabody stadium, it will mark the close of the intercollegiate athletic careers of five of Coach "Spud" Harder's Big Green gridsters, namely Johnnie Twaddell, Sid Gardner, Keaster Hale, Earl Fredburg and Bill Poole.

Having performed on the football field for three years, Bill Poole, a home town product, is the only three year man who graduates; Poole, a reserve tackle this year, has proven his worth many times and will be missed a great deal next term.

Gardner, Hayman Fight

Sid "Stubby" Gardner is a product of Ventura Junior college, by way of Santa Paula High school; another dependable reserve man who performs behind the unsung guard is Frank Hayman.

John "Barrel" Twaddell, reliable tackle who has been acclaimed the student body's most genial member, came to State as a transfer from Bakersfield junior college. He will be missed not only because of his bang-up playing but also because of his good natured spirit among the men.

Keaster Hale, a former Taft J.C. product, has had the misfortune of playing behind the Gauchos' All-American, Doug Oldershaw, but Hale, whenever given a chance, has duplicated Doug's outstanding ability, and has been named many times by Harder as his most dependable reserve man.

Fredburg Ends Career

Winding up his football warfare this year is burly Earl Fredburg, another Taft transfer, who has played only one year at the local institution, but, alternating with Twaddell at the tackle spot, has provided the forward wall with outstanding play on many occasions. By virtue of both Fredburg and Twaddell leaving, a sore spot is put in Harder's side for next season, as they were the only left tackles this year and "Spud" will have to develop new men for this position.

Passing in Review

By TED JOHAM

Now that the season is drawing to a close, it is time to give credit to a few of the boys that do a lot for the team—and what they do is no snap job. It may be nice to pack the ball and it is even creditable to block out the opponents, but who makes any points by carrying shoes. Yet it is these very tasks that must be taken care of win, lose, or tie. No matter what happens in a game, someone has to take charge of the equipment, see to it that nothing is lost, strayed or stolen. Not only must equipment be taken care of, but players must be taped, watered and sponged. Taking care of these jobs not only for games but for every night of practice hasn't been a simple task, but it has been well done for this entire season. So it is for this job of drudgery and plain sweat that we wish to commend Jimmie Jordano and Carl Sundquist.

Two other men to be remembered for their fine work are Allen Neil and Ken Noble. Allen's work as a cartoonist has been of valuable service, especially to local newspapers. But been of valuable service, especially let us offer a word of thanks to what has proved the greatest aid to the Gauchos sports' staff, Ken Noble, publicity director. Ken has not been in immediate contact with all the students, but yet he has served to acquaint more people with the Gauchos squad than any other source of information. To his constant aid we can offer only a word of thanks and our goodwill, but perhaps Ken sees a real satisfaction in just doing a good job for the entire season.

"Are the varsity men or mice? Will they accept the proffered challenge of the Frosh basketball squad?" asked Coach Willie Wilton this morning in an interview. "We have a good team this year and feel that not only would we give the varsity a good game but we would literally take them to the cleaners!"

Coach Wilton said he wanted his squad to play the varsity as soon as time and place permitted.

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SOCIETY NEWS

HELEN LONGAWA

A.W.S. Entertains Students at Pre-Christmas Tea in Clubroom

Leonard and Seymour Pour; Pat Ireland Acts As Hostess

A large percentage of the student body, both men and women, attended the A.W.S. Christmas tea held from 3:00 to 4:30 p.m. in the women's club room, Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Edith Leonard, kindergarten primary department head, and Ann Seymour, A.W.S. president poured, with Pat Ireland, vice-president and social chairman, in charge.

Frances Hoelscher, Gretalie Fitzgerald, Louise Jackson, Petie McKinney, Miriam Turton, Charlotte Naess, Wilma Kiesner, Dorothy Riche and Nancy Clapp served as hostesses.

Committee heads for the event included Blanche Hillman, food; Cecile Dillehunt, decorations; and Kathryn Bowers, serving.

"The A.W.S. was extremely gratified to view the number of men present at the tea. The invitation was extended to include all students, and we appreciate the large turn-out," stated Miss Ireland.

The room was decorated with poinsettias. Cakes decorated with green and red icing, and Christmas candy were served.

Alpha Theta Chi Has Annual Xmas Party

Actives and alumnae members of Alpha Theta Chi, social sorority, met jointly for their annual Christmas party in conjunction with a pot-luck supper Tuesday night at the home of Mary Ericson, alumnus, on Hope Avenue.

Gifts were interchanged after the business meeting, and distributed from a Christmas tree decorated in blue and silver, sorority colors. The group discussed the social calendar for 1937.

Actives present included Kay Westaway, Stella Mae Smith, Evelyn Warner, Barbara Putman, Madge Bunch, Cecile Dillehunt, Dede Biller and Bettie Walker. Alumnae attending were Irish Duncan, Bernice Denno, Connie Bredsteen, Claire Wise, Carolyn Barr, Mary Cannon, Charlotte Mobeley, Margaret Patrick, and the hostess, Mary Ericson.

Club Presents Dolls for Yuletide Basket

Pu Ko How, social club, held its regular meeting last week, at the home of Mrs. Ruth Kiney, 310 Calle Noguerra. The members brought dressed dolls, which were taken to Dean Bennink's office as the club's contribution to the A.W.S. Christmas basket.

Plans for a "Hard Time" dance to be held in January were discussed and the following committees were named: Mary Ellen Bolton, hall; Betty Card, orchestra; and Shirley Cort, decorations.

After the meeting adjourned, small gifts were distributed and refreshments were served.

PORTER'S VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Porter, of Berkeley, visited the campus last week-end. They also attended the Christmas formal. Mr. Porter was formerly printing instructor on the campus, but at present is teaching in the Berkeley High school.

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Traditional Sweets Reveal Engagement

At the meeting of Delta Sigma Epsilon, national social fraternity, last Monday evening at the sorority house, the engagement of Margaret Laing to Thornley Roe was announced. The traditional five pound box of chocolates was presented by Miss Laing to the active members.

Margaret, who graduated in '36, is at present taking additional work on the campus. Thornley "Tiny" Roe, who came from Berkeley, was a member of the Gaucho squad in 1933 and 1934. The date of the wedding has not been set.

Christmas gifts were exchanged at the meeting, and refreshments were served. Actives attending were Thelma George, Helen Buckman, Catherine Caldwell, Virginia Rogers, Evelyn Braman, Betty Westcott, Alice Goff, Helen Patterson, Nellie Rathjen and Irene Baptiste, president. Alumnae included Dorothy Poole, Margaret Laing and Mrs. Margaret Bennett, sponsor.

'El Circulo Espanol' Holds Party-Meeting

Approximately 50 students attended the Christmas party given in conjunction with the regular meeting of the newly organized Spanish club, "El Circulo Espanol," Wednesday evening in the A.W.S. clubroom.

Two features of every Latin Christmas party are the "nacimiento," or nativity scene, and the "pinata," a game in which an urn full of small gifts is cracked by a blindfolded person and the scattered presents scrambled for. These two events were the highlights of the evening.

Members of the Spanish club presented a charade composed of three one act plays.

Everyone enjoyed the Christmas tree and the arrival of Santa Claus who distributed his gifts, according to the members.

Miss Ramelli, the sponsor, and Dr. Elmer Noble were the members of the faculty present.

Seymour Pleas for Yule Contributions

Ann Seymour, A.W.S. president, today made another plea in behalf of the Associated Women students' Christmas fund.

The Neighborhood House this year asked for money rather than foodstuffs. Each woman is asked to contribute 10 cents to this Yuletide cause.

Miss Seymour is also asking students to donate toys and books to the A.W.S. organization. The gifts and money will then be placed at the disposal of the charity organization.

Statements by the POWERS THAT BE

All students must buy tickets to the Christmas game by today in order to obtain student prices.

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Phi Kaps Make Plans for January Events

Final plans for a bridge tea Saturday, January 9, and an informal rush tea Sunday, January 17, were completed by members of Phi Kappa Gamma sorority at a special meeting, Wednesday night, at the home of Zelma McCleary on Alameda Padre Serra.

The bridge tea, to be held at the home of Doris DeAy on East Valerio street, is open to all women students on the campus, and tickets may be purchased from any active member the week following Christmas vacation. Committee heads are Ruth Hooker, tickets; Dorothy Allen, refreshments; Lucile Scrafford, prizes; and Jeanne Leive, publicity. Miss Elizabeth Sehon and Mrs. Van Rensselaer will act as sponsors of the event.

Those attending the meeting Wednesday were Miss Sehon, Zelma McCleary, Ruth Hooker, Jeanne Leive, Peggy Flynn, Carolyn Hofer, Mary Wilson, Lucile Scrafford and Doris DeAy.

Home Eccers Stage Post-Holiday Parley

There will be a regular meeting of the home economics department the first Tuesday after Christmas vacation, according to Jean Henderson, president.

"The meeting is for the purpose of electing officers for the coming semester," stated Miss Henderson. "so it is very necessary that all members of the department attend the meeting."

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Sorority Gives Mexican Party

D.Z.D. Actives Are Honored by Patronesses at Xmas Party

One of the most attractive Christmas parties of the holiday season was given last night in honor of the members of Delta Zeta Delta by the patronesses of the group. The affair was a Mexican supper given at the home of Mrs. Byron Abraham who was assisted by Mrs. J. B. Yeager and Dr. Helen Gregory.

The house was decorated with poinsettias and red and green candles. The members of the sorority brought gifts which were presented to the patronesses; Mrs. Abraham presented the alumnae president Mrs. John Porter with a gift of silver as a Christmas gift, from active and alumnae members.

Those enjoying the Christmas party were, Elisabeth Leonard, Elinor Stewart, Carmelita Janssens, Ester Porter, Louise Purvis, Persis Freeman, Isabel Vaughn, Zelva Pierce, Darlene Hapenny, Madeline Straw, Laura Campbell, Margaret Eastwood, Ann Covelle, Betty Greenwell, Myrtle Holt, Nancy Davens, Lillian Cooke, Marian Anderson, Helen Smith, Janet Birnie and Margaret Gandolfo.

Pan Hell Discusses Semi-Formal Dance

Pan Hellenic council met last week at the Delta Sigma Epsilon house to discuss plans for its semi-formal dance to be held on January 23.

The members also decided to add a new rushing event to the calendar. On January 17 all sororities will have open house

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