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#### NOTED EDUCATOR SPEAKS TO STUDENTS THURSDAY MORNING

Mrs. Marietta L. Johnson, founder of the Fairhope school of Organic Education, in Alabama, gave a worthwhile talk on "Education and Progress" Thursday morning at nine o'clock in the cafeteria.

Mrs. Johnson gave an interesting account of the type of work, that is done in her own school. There external rewards are not used to make the students study, no grades are given, no special distinction accorded, nor rapid promotion given students, but instead students are promoted according to their ages thereby insuring that students of the same age associate with each other.

Children are taught how to best enjoy life, how to get the most wholesome fun out of existence. The students work because they love their work, and they enjoy doing it. Until students reach the high school, no outside home work is given them.

#### CHRISTMAS BASKET GIVEN BY A. W. S.

The A. W. S. following its custom, will give a Christmas basket to a needy family this year. For four or five years the A. W. S. has sent a Christmas basket to this poor family. The father of the family is a total invalid and though the mother works it would be impossible for her to provide a merry Christmas for the children of the family without outside help.

Bernice Gange, president of the A. W. S. and Margarite Glatin, vice-president, are to actually give the basket to the family but a hundred per cent of the A. W. S., by their contributions, made the basket possible. Voluntary donations amounting to over \$26.00 were collected from the A. W. S. members this week. The captains in charge of collecting the money were: Beth Teall, Grace Tall, Thelma Walters, Edwina Kenney, Mabel being laid upon things that can be Ellis, Irene Cameron, Helen Heb- weighed and measured that it is ard, Lucille Dexter, Marjorie Gran- necessary to lay emphasis upon ger, Ester Janssens, Marget Mc- those phases of human activity that Tavish, Francis Bath, Margarite Glatin, Helen Culp, and Ebba Franklin.

Miss Severy made a hasty trip to San Jose and the University of California on official cusiness for President Phelps. She left Monday night and returned Thursday son's class in Political Science morning.



## CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

Christmas is here once more. It is a day of rejoicing and good cheer for most of us, yet we must not forget that all over the world there is suffering and poverty, that Christmas for many is far from 'merry'. In this United States of ours there is so much of happiness that we are apt to forget that other lands are not so blessed. Therefore as we are gathered around our cheerful firesides during these Christmas days, let us give thought to those other less fortunate souls and then give praise to God for the well-being that is ours.

The Eagle wishes you a Merry Christmas and a Happy, Prosperous New Year. May the year 1925 shower all the blessings, good will, and good luck on you all!

#### MR. JACOBS SPEAKS IN LOS ANGELES TODAY

Mr. Charles L. Jacobs, head of the Community Mechanics Department, addressed the joint session of the Educational Research and Vocational Guidance Associations this morning. The joint meeting this morning was a part of the regular session of California Teachers' Association, southern section.

"The Inspirational Aspect of Vocational Guidance Work" was the subject of Mr. Jacob's speech. Mr. Jacobs pointed out that in this materialistic world so much stress is are at the basis of all human action, namely, the emotional phase which can be stirred up by due and proper inspiration.

Professor Russel of the Political Science Department of the University of California visited Dr. Elli-Monday afternoon.

#### MRS. BARNETT RECEIVES **GIFT OF APPRECIATION**

The Men's Glee Club gave Mrs. Barnett a handsome leather initialed brief case at the rehearsal Monday evening. The case was presented by Mr. Wirths the president of the Glee Club who spoke in behalf of the Glee Club of their appreciation of Mrs. Barnett's services.

# STATE SUPPRESSES BOOK **USED IN HYGIENE CLASS**

College women has been forced to child a desire to cultivate good posdiscard the textbook which it has been using for the past year and a half because of its suppression by the State Board of Education.

The book which is "Personal Hygiene" by Jesse Williams aroused considerable dissention among students last year because of its onesided view-point and its condemnation of several methods of treatment in common usage.

#### COLLEGE SOCIAL AFFAIR WILL BE HELD DURING CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

The Annual Mid-Winter Prom, formerly given by the Junior College Department, will be given at the Samarkand Hotel at some date during the Christmas holidays. Final arrangements have not been completed as yet, but plans call for a similar party to that given last year.

There have been several tentative dates considered for the Prom during the week following Christmas, the most promising of which is the Monday night the 29th. Definite announcements will follow later in the local newspapers.

## DR. HERBERT STOLZ ADDRESSES STUDENTS

Dr. Herbert Stolz, State Driector of Physical Education, spoke to a joint assembly of men and women last Friday on the general purposes of physical education work. Stating that he is interested primarily in physical education as a contribution to education in general, Dr. Stolz continued his address with a brief outline of the three aims of the work.

The first purpose, he pointed out, is the development of organic vitality by the use of the large muscle groups of the body. The great reduction of incidental exercise by the general use of transportation facilities has tended to make the physical education work in the schools more essential than ever before.

Character development is one of the fundamental purposes of physical education in the elementary grades, he said. Physical Education aims through teaching the child to play the game fair to shape the point of view to one of loyalty to principle.

Posture is the third factor in physical education which Dr. Stolz emphasized. By appealing to personal pride the physical education The hygiene class for Junior instructor aims to instill in the ture.

## SUBJECTS ARE NOT TO BE DROPPED NOW

No more petitions for dropping subjects will be received by the credentials committee following the Christmas holidays. Any student dropping a subject after this week will receive a "five" in that subject.



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## THAT DISTURBING NOISE!

Such discourtesy as displayed by several students who talked continually throughout an address in Thursday's assembly is intolerable and unexcusable in college students. Although it is possible to make allowances for slight irregular conduct due to the poor seating facilities, actions which disturb a whole group of people are decidedly discourteous and unexcusable. Not only were students seated in the immediate vicinity of the disturbers, who were in the rear of the room, annoyed, but those in the front rows were conscious of the irritating undertone. The fact that even the speaker himself was disturbed by the talking indicates the extent of the discourtesy.

When students were given the opportunity of hearing a man of Dr. Wirt's ability, one is astounded that they were not interested enough to pay attention. But their thoughtlessness in not permitting others to listen to the lecture is certainly unbecoming in students of college standing.

## DR. CRANDALL VISITS COLLEGE ON MONDAY

Doctor Ben R. Crandall, president of the California Polytechnic School at San Luis Obispo, and Mr. John A. Perozzi, superintendent of Power, Heat and Light on the Campus and farm at California Polytechnic, were visitors at the College on Monday. They were very much interested in the work that is being done in the buildings and in the life on the campus. Doctor Crandall said, "that we have as our president a man who is considered one of the best leaders in the educational life of the state."

Doctor Crandall and Mr. Perozzi were the guests of Mr. Jacobs at a luncheon held at the Carrillo Hotel Monday, where Mr. Jacobs addressed a session of Santa Barbara City and County Teachers' Institute on the subject of "Educational Tests in Measurements with Reference to Determining Mechanical Aptitude."

# ALUMNI REUNION HOLDS BREAKFAST IN SOUTH

The Southern Section of the Alumni Association meeting was held Ana and Los Angeles during the this morning in the ball room of vacation.

the Alexandria Hotel in Los Angeles. The room was attractively decorated in the Holiday colors. Those who went down from the college were: President Phelps, Mr. Jacobs, Miss Severy, Miss Ebbets, Mrs. Miller, Dean Pyle, Miss Dillinger, Mary Anderson, Carrie Smith, Laura Smith, and Dean Ashworth.

This is the time for the election of officers, but the returns were not in when the paper went to press.

# STUDENTS SIGN LIST FOR PHILHARMONIC TICKETS

Students are signing up this week for tickets for the Philharmonic concerts which are to be given here in January, February, and March.

The first of these concerts will be presented the 5th of January, the day school opens after the Christmas holidays. The afternoon of Sunday the 4th, Arthur Bliss will give a lecture illustrative of the concerts, explaining the programs and giving examples of the music, on the piano. This will probably be held at the Lobero theatre.

Mr. Peters plans to visit Santa

## CHRISTMAS BELLS

I heard the bells on Christmas Day Their old, familiar carols play, And wild and sweet

The words repeat

Of peace on earth, good-will to men!

And thought how, as the day had come.

The belfries of all Christendom Had rolled along

The unbroken song Of peace on earth, good-will to men!

Till, ringing, singing on its way, The world revolved from night to day,

A voice, a chime,

Barton Hopkins

Margaret Burke

Fred Diehl

A chant sublime

Of peace on earth, good-will to men!

Then from each black, accursed mouth.

- The cannon thundered in the South, And with the sound
- The carols drowned
- Of peace on earth, good-will to men!

It was as if an earthquake rent The hearth-stones of a continent, And made forlorn

The households born

Of peace on earth, good-will to men!

And in despair I bowed my head; "There is no peace on earth," I said,

"For hate is strong,

And mocks the song

Of peace on earth, good-will to men!"

Then pealed the bells more loud and deep:

"God is not dead, nor doth He sleep!

The Wrong shal fail,

The Right prevail,

With peace on earth, good-will to men!"

-Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

#### LITERARY FORUM ADOPTS CONSTITUTION

The Literary Forum adopted its constitution at its regular meeting last Monday night in the Gym. A pre-view of "A Christmas Chime" was given before the Forum at that time.

## **ALUMNI LUNCHEON** HELD AT EL PASEO

Those who attended the Alumni luncheon at El Paseo Tuesday noon report an enjoyable reunion. Among the sixty-four who were present were a number of the faculty, two of them, Mrs. Barnett and Mrs. Clark being graduates of the College, and other graduates of the S. B. S. C. who are teaching or living in the county.

The Alumni of this county belong to the southern section but as many are unable to attend the luncheons that are held in Los Angeles, plans were made to meet informally once a year.

Mrs. Miller spoke on Alumni Organizations as a whole. There are Bay district-Harry Hambly, President.

Valley section-Warren Wood, President.

Southern section-Miss Essie Eliot, President.

Dr. Stockton gave a very interesting talk on "The Development of the School" stressing the physical activities as being the background for academic growth.

#### DR. STOCKTON TALKS TO TEACHERS THIS WEEK

Dr. J. Leroy Stockton, Vice-president of the College, was in charge of the "Educational Measurements" section of the Santa Barbara City and County Teachers' Institute. Dr. Stockton who is an authority in the field of educational measurements has given the teachers some valuable material in this line.

#### MRS. PRICE SPEAKS AT TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

Mrs. Price, Principal of the Elementary School, spoke to a session of the Santa Barbara Teacher's Institute Tuesday afternoon on the subject "First Grade Reading." The group of city and county teachers received such valuable suggestions from Mrs. Price that she was requested to return on Wednesday.

Mr. Berns is going to spend his vacation in Santa Barbara. He is quoted as saying he plans "to work," and also, "to have an interesting time.'

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#### CELEBRATION HELD AT RECREATION CENTER

Attention has been called to the Community Christmas Celebration to be held at Recreation Center the evening of December 24th. There will be a program presented, consisting of carols and tableaux. The general public is invited to the celebration, free admission cards to be obtained at either Recreation Center or the Community Arts office.

#### GYMNASIUM CLASS STUDIES GAMES

The Beginning General Professional Physical Education class has begun the study of the various games of different countries. The class divided itself in several groups, each group taking for its study some especial country. After the holiday each group will present its game to the class as a whole.

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## CHRISTMAS PROGRAM VOTED SUCCESS

The happy Christmas spirit was aroused by the Christmas program given at assembly hour Tuesday. The program started with the children of the Elementary School who sang four carols. The upper division pupils sang "We Three Kings of Orient Are," "Silent Night," and "The First Noel." The younger children of the lower division sang "Away in the Manger."

Following these was a baritone solo, sung by Monroe Langlo.

"A Christmas Chime," by Margaret Cameron, completed the program. The play was exceptionally well done, each of the four actors showing unusual ability.

In the part of Joe Terrill, Eston Laughlin did some exceptionally fine acting. Madeline Klinke played the part of Gladys Terrill with unusual skill. Somersa Through 3. Activities Fall Ha Arm Be

Mary Virginia Platt fairly lived the part of the flirtatious "Dolly Wakely." Arthur Hill was the picture of the embarrassed lover who has quarreled, but cannot stoop to "make up" the quarrel.

Much of the credit for the success of the play goes to Dean Ashworth, the director, and Margaret Burke, the manager, who worked unceasingly on it.

#### DR. STOLZ LECTURES ON WOMEN'S ATHLETICS

Dr. Herbert Stolz, State Physical Education Director who addressed the women students Friday afternoon at two o'clock pointed out the value of a general "Play Day" for college women. Dr. Stolz who does not believe in elimination athletic contests for women, advocates a play day in which all women may participate. Condemning athletic spectacles rather than participation, he urged abolishment of eliminative teams. According to Dr. Stolz there is an extensive opportunity for development of women's athletics in our College.

#### CHRISTMAS DANCE ENJOYED BY ALL

A very merry Christmas dance was enjoyed by the Student Body at Samarkand last Friday night. A Christmas tree, gay with toys, was the outstanding feature of the party. Each guest brought a gift for the tree; the gifts will be distributed among the poor children of the city at Christmas.

Another feature of the evening's entertainment was the colorful gypsy dance by Marjorie Sawyers: The "Whistle Dance" achieved a hilarious success.

Ruth Garner, assisted by a committee, managed the affair. The dance, given by the Student Body, was sponsored by the A. W. S. Members of the Faculty patronized the party.

## EXHIBITION GIVEN BY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

A very interesting exhibition of gymnasium activities was given Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock by the fifth and sixth grades of the Elementary school. Miss Pond had charge of the pupils and Lucile Dexter and Ruth Garner supervised the activities.

Many of the fathers and mothers of the children were present as well as some of the college students. The lower grades were also allowed to attend. The program given is as follows:

1. Folk Dances

Shoemaker's Dance, Hickory Dickory Dock,

Stunts
 Somersault,
 Through the stick,
Activities
 Fall Hanging,
 Arm Bending,
 Spring Board Jump,
 Swedish Ladder,
 Rope Ladder,
 Stall Bars,
 Single Rope Jump,
Games
 Relay.

# FOLK DANCING GIVEN

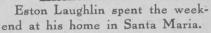
TUESDAY MORNING The gym class of Freshmen Home Economics girls gave their program of folk dances Tuesday morning at 9:30. Folk dances representing the different nationalities were given, and costumes that particularly represented each nationality were worn. Edith Comstock and Miss Weage worked out the costumes which were very colorful.

Miss Alice Gross was pianist for the dances.

The dances given were the Danish Dance of Greeting, Gustaf's Skol (Swedish), Highland Schottische (Scotch), Swedish Clap Dance, German Hopping Dance, Norwegian Mountain March, and Goralike (Polish).

**TEACHERS ADDRESSED** BY DR. WM. ELLISON Dr. William H. Ellison addressed the Social Science section of the Santa Barbara City and County Teachers' Institute Wednesday afternoon. He spoke on "The Current Event's Mind," a subject which Dr. Ellison is deeply interested in.

BLOCK "S" SPONSORS DANCE AT SAMARKAND A greatly enjoyed dance was given under the auspices of the Block "S" Society last night at Samarkand. Jack Vince, assisted by a committee, managed the party.



Mrs. Miller is going to attend the New Year's Football game in Pasadena during the Christmas holidays. Mr. Gilliland plans to attend the Notre Dame-Stanford game at Pasadena on New Year's.

Edith Comstock and Ebba Franklin are going home to San Francisco for the Christmas holidays.

Rene Le Fevre, Carlisle German, and Paul Cradler spent last week visiting and observing secondary schools in the vicinity of Los Angeles. As these students are members of the Community Mechanics Department, their primary interest was in the shop courses of those schools.



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## BASKETBALL QUINTET PLAYS INITIAL GAME

#### Redlands Contest Held Last Night in Gym

The Santa Maria Junior College basketball team could not play the local casaba tossers last Saturday as had been tentatively planned due to a lack of funds in the northern school.

The first intercollegiate game of the season was played last night in the local gym against the fast Redlands University five which is making a tour of the San Joaquin Valley and came out of its way to oblige the local college. This paper went to press before returns of the game were obtained; so the account will probably be published in the next issue. The lineups were as follows: Redlands-Hosegood (Capt.), McGilbra, Jeffers, forwards; Belcher, Wiley, Brown, Morse, and Brubaker, guards; Car-

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## EIGHT STUDENTS RECEIVE AID FROM HEALTH BENEFIT ASSOCIATION

To date this year the Health Benefit Fund has borne the following expenses:

1.	Injuries Received by Francis O'Reilly	\$ 7.65
	X-Ray of Injuries Received by Kathryn Kueffer	7.00
	X-Ray of Injuries Received by Jack Vince	15.00
	Surgical Dressings for Francis O'Reilly	1.50
5.	Dressing of Ankle of Edmund O'Reilly	2.00
	X-Ray of Ankle of Robert Wormser	7.50
7.	Services for Ted Ellsworth	6.50
8.	X-Ray of Arm for Harold Furman	5.00
	and the second	
	TOTAL PAID OUT OF FUND	\$59 15

The above report shows what the Health Benefit Fund has borne to date. Members of the Association have received benefits for injuries received in the Gym, on the Athletic Field, in automobile wrecks and from falling over cliffs.

With the opening of the spring semester a drive will be launched to get at least 250 members. Cards will be issued to all members and will contain full information regarding the receiving of benefits from the Fund, places to go for Medical Services, X-Rays, etc.

The Treasurer, Edith Comstock, reports a comfortable balance in the treasury to meet any bills that may come up between now and the end of the semester.

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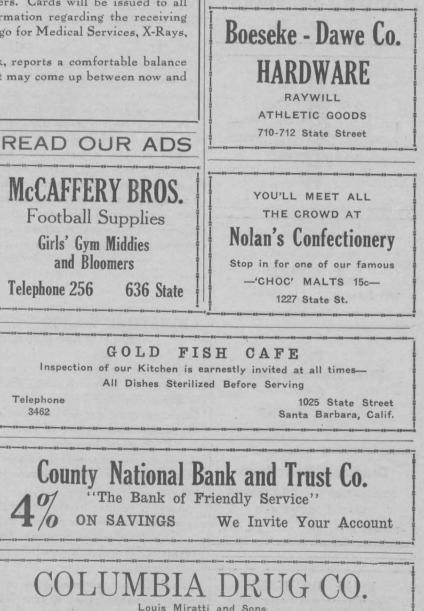
centers. The first game after Christmas will be played in the local gym against the University of California 145 pounders. This game is a certainty. The Bear Cubs are a fast five and the local quintet will have to step fast to hold their own. The college has an excellent team this year, as has been shown in some recent snappy practices. If the team will not forget the game over vacation and will come back full of pep, it has a good chance in the game on January 7. Contrary to the schedule published in last week's Eagle, the next game will be played against U. of C. from Berkeley instead of Southern Branch.

#### DR. STOLZ TALKS ON MEN'S ATHLETICS

Dr. Herbert Stolz, the State Director of Physical Education, spoke to the men at a special assembly held last Friday afternoon. The general subject of his talk was men's athletics, and he also spoke on the standards in athletics.

# LINDER ELECTED TO CAPTAIN QUINTET

Perry Linder was elected captain and Phil Brotherton chosen manager at 'skull practice' of the basketball men Wednesday evening. Linder has demonstrated his leadership in all branches of athletics during his work at the college, and his election to the captaincy of the basketball squad comes in recognition of his splendid work here Linder is a letterman from the 1923-24 team of casaba throwers. Phil Brotherton has been prominent in college basketball circles for the past two seasons, playing on the varsity squad in the 1922-23 season and both the varsity and lightweight squads in the 1923-24 contests.



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