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Regents OK Plan For Hispanic Major

A long-range program of development for the major field of study in Hispanic Civilization at Santa Barbara College has been set forth and approved by the Regents of the University.

Based on a report and recom-mendation of the Regents' Committee on Educational Policy, the program was announced from Berkeley recently.

Hispanic Heritage

The Hispanic Civilization mahere in 1953, is closely related to the historical and social her- conformity with the Regents' pol-

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itage of the community of Santa Barbara. At the Regents' meeting held on the Santa Barbara College campus in September the Hispanic Society of Santa Barbara urged support of the pro-

The guiding principle of the Regents' policy statement explains that "the program of Hispanic Civilization shall be undergraduate in all its emphasis and shall be interdisciplinary in its jor of the college's Division of orientation. Moreover, all fur-Letters and Science, instituted ther development of the curricuther development of the curriculum in this field shall be in strict

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icy statement for Santa Barbara College which was issued in September, 1953."

Regents' Goal

That statement of the Regents outlined the goal of Santa Barbara College as a "liberal arts college of the highest quality, enabling it to become a distinguished unit of the University." It is said that the undergraduate instruction should be dominant, but opened the way for the establishment of a limited graduate program and authorized the institution to request accreditation for the general secondary credential from the State Department of Education.

The announced policy on the Hispanic Civilization offerings listed eight objectives with appropriate recommendations and comments for each, including such items as establishment of a visiting professorship, augmenta-tion of library resources, additional regular academic positions, scholarships, conferences and institutes on campus, summer courses, exchange professorships and budgetary support.

Financial Support

"It must be emphasized," the statement reads, "that these objectives have been formulated in part in anticipation of some private financial support for the pro-

Dr. Stephen S. Goodspeed, associate professor of political science, is chairman of the College Committee on Hispanic Civilization. Serving with him on the committee are Dr. Pablo Avila, associate professor of Spanish; Dr. Kurt Baer, associate professor of art, and Dr. Philip W. Powell, professor of history. Dr. Powell was instrumental in the establishment of the program and served as chairman of the committee until this fall.

FROM PNEUMONIA

University President Robert Gordon Sproul was stricken ill with bronchial pneumonia last week while on a trip to New York concerning the University.

It has been announced from Berkeley that he is feeling better and is expected to return to work some time this week.

President Sproul was placed in the Columbia Presbyterian Hospital in Harkness Pavilion, where he was taken from the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel.

He suffered an attack of pneumonia earlier this year, and informants say that he has not been feeling well for some time.

President Sproul is this year celebrating his 25th anniversary as president of the University. He has been associated with the University in one capacity or another for almost a half-century.

Soup Spoons

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Soup spoons, that is. Large metal spoons will be given to any soup sippers who ask for them instead of the usual wooden ones. However, if spoons keep turning up missing as in the past, only wooden ones will be given out.

Dick Goode, Chairman SU Committee

AMS BULLETIN

The lucky number this week wins a free gift from Harris and Frank Men's Store, 820 State Street. The winner this week is No. 226.

Dick Love AMS President

SEE YOU NEXT YEAR?

I'm going home for my Christmas vacation today. I'm going to do a little studying and have a little fun. Next year I'd like to come back.

I'll be driving in a car down to L.A. and I'll be in a car when I return. Like most people I'll be doing a lot of travelling by car over the holidays. It saves the feet. It saves time. The power of 200 horses is at your command to whisk you to your destination. 3000 pounds of steel and glass smooths the trip and keeps out the rain. A car is a convenience. It's more than that.

IT'S A TRAP. Glass shatters and leaves jagged edges to scar faces and sever heads from bodies. Steering wheels crush chests. Solid steel crumbles like an accordian and pushes stomachs up where lungs should be. Upholstery catches fire and turns a car into an oven.

People who have been in accidents know. You know, too, but you may have forgotten. How many times have you seen yourself - for a fleeting moment - as part of a picture in the newspaper? How many times did you drive a little too quickly? drink a little too much? pass a little too often and a little too close? How many times have you stepped on the brakes or moved back into your own lane just in time? What did you think about before you let out your breath and made a wisecrack to your companions? You probably don't remember.

But Christmas is a time for remembering. And a time when too many people forget. Last year 36,000 Americans died in traffic accidents. That's not far from the entire population of Santa Barbara. The number killed who were of college age equaled almost four times the size of our student

That was our Christmas present to the nation: 7800 lives. It's certainly one case when it isn't better to give than to

Many Gauchos will be hitting the road today. I hope that's all they hit. The vacation period is the time of peak use of automobiles by college students, and the time of peak

I'm leaving for my Christmas vacation, today. Next year I'd like to come back. I'd like to see you back, too.

The Editor

MEN STUDENTS PLAN BANQUET

Plans are being made for an AMS Banquet to be held Sunday, Jan. 8, at the American Legion Hall in Santa Barbara, AMS President Dick Love has announced. The evening's activities will include dinner, a guest speaker, and entertain-

Dick declared that Sunday, Jan. 8, will be the last day before Dead Week that a party can be held, and urges all to come to "live it up" before fi-

P. L. 550 Veterans

Korean veterans are urged to sign their vouchers for December before leaving for the Christmas vacation, in case they should forget to do so when they return. So to insure getting a check, be sure to sign before you leave.

GAL DEBATERS SCORE AGAIN

Female members of the Gaucho debate squad rolled up another impressive victory for Santa Barbara last weekend.

Barbara Sager, a freshman, and Mary Ellen Dougherty, a junior, teamed together to take first place in upper women's debate at the Southern California Fall Tournament at Occidental College.

This tournament is held for those students who do not attend the annual Western States Championship tourney, which took place this year in Washington. Barbara and Mary Ellen went through the entire tournament undefeated.

Barbara also took third place in lower division women's extemporaneous speaking.

BASKETBALL GAME Scheduled for Monday Night, Dec. 19th—Gauchos vs. San Jose State . . .

CANCELLED!



Sylvia Noble and Tom Taylor were seen in a cutting from Tennessee Williams' play, "This Property Is Condemned," as part of last week's production of "A La Carte" in the Little Theater.

—Photo by Carle Moore, Brooks Institute.

*Classes of two or fewer units will have examinations from 8-10 A.M. or 1-3 P.M.

FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

German 1 and 3, Greek 1

French & Spanish 1, 2, 3, 4 Music 15

Subject A, English 1A-1B, 3 MWF

*8-11 A.M.

11 MWF

10 MWF

9 MWF

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1 MWF

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and 4 MWF

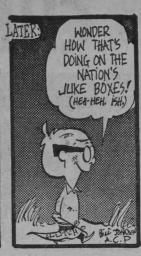
Classes held at 5:00 or during the evening will be scheduled at a non-conflicting hour.











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ADVERTISING MANAGER

by PETE VORZIMER

Those Manzanita girls are every bit as wonderful as their reputation. Did you know that for the last couple of weeks the girls have been scraping up money to pay for a round-trip fare in order that Joyce Robello, their president, could go back to her home in Hawaii for Christmas vacation? They couldn't have picked a more terrific girl than Joyce.

The girls collected money among themselves, then added the hall treasury to pay for it. This means that they haven't had nor will have any joints for the remainder of the semester.

Joyce didn't have the slightest knowledge that this was going on ... and when they sprang it to her, the same little doll who saw to it the Birch session was taped recorded this one too. The whole thing sounded like 50 women all bawling with happiness at once.

Hats go off to the Manzanita maids for the most terrific gesture of the year . . . and I'd like to know where else but in UCSB's Las Casitas could this happen.

You better watch out, Lenny McCabe. Rumor has it that Sam and George are taking up a collection to get you a ticket to Hawaii (that's where Lenny's from) - only it's a one-way ticket. You see, every weekday morning Pineapple McCabe wakes up Birch Hall (around 7 a.m.) by pounding his huge grubby paws on Sam's and George's door. They take him down to the IA campus each morning. Every morning the earth - shattering smashing of the door; every morning, "Hey Sam! It's me Pineapple. Open the door!" and every morning, "Go 'way, I'm not here. . . . I've already gone." eBtter watch out, Lenny.

Say, Patty, why don't you ask George just exactly what decorations the men of Palm put on him? He still hasn't gotten them completely off, so there's still a chance to witness Palm's dirty

The Sycamore demolition team is still busy at work—blasted a doorknob off Tom Taylor's door the other day.

I've heard about people being hung, but only recently did I witness a meatball being hung in

effigy. One of Miss Best's little latex delights was (with great difficulty) impaled on the end of a fork and suspended by a string in such a manner that when the door to the dining hall was opened the meatball would come flying at the poor unsuspecting soul.

I'm waiting for some of you splendid people out there to submit some good weekly quotes and questions. . . .

A young University of California graduate student returned recently from a one-man expedition into the central highlands of New Guinea where he discovered the fossilized bones of the oldest animals ever found there.

A Roman scholar and soldier named Pliny the Elder was close to the secret of pasteurizing milk 1800 years before the process was developed by Louis Pasteur, according to a Latin scholar on the Los Angeles campus of the University of California.

ACROSS FROM THE BANK

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In addition to their mundane duty of tolling the hour every 60 minutes, the campus chimes have burst forth with Christmas music all this week.

Perhaps, then, this is an appropriate time of the year to reveal some of the inner workings of our carillon, which is housed in the audio-visual department of the library.

Inner Workings

Mr. Simonds of the audio-visual department explained that the striking of the hour, the melody that comes before it, called "Westminster Chimes," and the tunes that are played at 5:10 p.m. and at other times are all set off electronically by an arrangement of pegged metal discs and holes which mesh upon electrical contact.

The music is contained on plastic, modern versions of the old-fashioned piano roll; there are five of these rolls in the library, each with five or six melodies, which are produced by a carillon company in Los An-

Tiny hammers strike metal rods which are one-fourth inch in diameter and vary in length from one to two feet, depending upon the tone desired; then these small reverberations are amplified by 100-watt speakers on the roof of the library to a solid gonging sound that rings out across the campus telling you to hurry (or else not to, because you're already late).

Berkeley Chimes

Everyone knows about Berkeley's chimes, cloistered in the Campanile tower. These differ from Santa Barbara's carillon in that they are real bells and are operated manually; also, they play only at noon every day.

Although the SBC chimes are ordinarily played electronically, there are special occasions, such as university meetings on this campus and the inaugurationdedication last spring. when they are played manually. Miss Turner and Dr. Gillespie of the music department have performed at the little keyboard at such times.

Music Festival When the Stokowsky music festival was presented in Santa Barbara this fall, a 100-key caril-

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lon was installed by the Los Angeles carillon company (the SBC instrument has only 25 keys), and Del Roper, who is with this company, played every day dur-

ing the festival. Mr. Roper also arranges special music for the Santa Barbara carillon, and he has devised a whole new system of musical notation to suit this instrument, which is unusual musically. It is a two-keyboard instrument and differs from regular bells in that the overtones are produced ac-

cannot be used for the carillon. Now the next time someone asks you about the chimes you won't have to say, "All I know is what I hear!"

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Aquacade Swimmers And Workers Needed

Aquacade 1956 needs swimmers, divers, floaters, and committee workers. A meeting will be held Monday, Jan. 9, at 4 p.m. in Bldg. 421, Rm. 110. All interested, swimmers or non - swimmers, are urged by the chairman to attend. It was also announced that three non-swimmers, one for each show, are needed to climax the performances.

BEAUTY PAYOFF NORMAN PAUL

Now that Christmas is so close, we hope that you are all looking your loveliest, and will continue to look that way throughout the New

Next year, as in the years past, we stand ready to help you with all your grooming problems, or if you are one of the few who has no beauty problems, we are here to keep you looking just as lovely as you are.

We hope every one of you have the most wonderful Christmas and New Year's Holidays.

We hope that skiing does not take too big a toll among you and that you will all return to school raring to go.

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'Career Open House' For Seniors in S.F.

Graduating students with home ties in the San Francisco Bay area are invited to attend a "Career Open House" in San Francisco Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 27 and 28, it was announced today by officials of Macy's.

"We are extending a special invitation to students interested in retailing, regardless of majors," according to G. Luther Weibel, personnel director. He added that the Open House will afford visitors an opportunity to see Macy's California divisional headquarters in operation and to analyze retail career possibilities.

Students may telephone SUtter 1,800, Ext. 503, for registration prior to Dec. 27.

TOWER OF BABEL

i live in the top of the tower of babel—

what language do they speak

i know how to scream with several inflections,

but

they only murmur at me and make gestures with their hands;

i understand the hands. the symbols.

Bright Red!

some of them shriek incessantly, not listening, only pleading; some are mute (do they think?) only hands . . .

i live in the top of the tower of babelwhat language do they speak here? do they speak here?

-Kate Gilpin

SEASON'S GREETINGS May the New Year be a prosperous one

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SPORTSCENE

by Jordan Romeo

held to discuss recent criticism aimed at athletic problems on the Santa Barbara College campus. The meeting was called by "Spud" Harder, SBC athletic director, and was attended by about 35 interested students. coaches and El Gaucho writers.

Mr. Harder opened the meeting with a plea to El Gaucho sportswriters to print "positive" stories which reflect the "good" side of Gaucho athletics. Whereupon someone in the back of the room shouted, "Shall be print fiction?" "No," said Harder through the subsequent wave of laughter, "but we would like to have this institution shown in a more favorable light by the student newspaper which is circulated to many other schools."
Further elaboration by Harder

on this point was cut short by a student demanding that the meeting get down to business with questions posed and answered.

Money
With reference to this column's

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"Tried One Lately?"

assertion not long ago that the Last week an open meeting was average high school gets more money for football equipment than SBC, Duane Mittan, former chairman of Board of Athletic Control, explained that the methods of obtaining athletic funds were different. High school money comes through A.D.A., or Average Daily Attendance. In other words the high school is paid by its school district according to the total attendance record of its enrollment. This, stated Mittan, usually totals to much more than what the college can manage. SBC sports get a percentage of the funds from an estimated total of budgetable student enrollees. In other words, Graduate Manager Bob Lorden figures out what the probable attendance will be, and the total student body funds are estimated. Sports are allotted between 31 and 33 per cent of this tentative total, and football only a percentage of this percentage.

This is why Football Coach

Stan Williamson's proposed \$5,767 equipment list was slashed to the anemic \$2,841 he received. Football's cut of the total take ust was not enough to fill the bill. How do we remedy the situ-

Vicious Circle

It turns out that we're dealing with a great big vicious circle. We need a season of big crowds at the Gaucho home games to provide a surplus of money to spend on the team. These crowds won't come out unless we have a good, tough, WINNING team. Since the chances for a winning

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GLENN DICKEY JORDAN ROMEO GIL ROMOFF

ent budget, the circle is complete, as Mittan called it, "a hopeless situation."

Freshman Teams

Exhibiting his usual perfect timing, Glenn Dickey picked this point for a pertinent question: "If we don't have enough to decently outfit a varsity team, where will the money come from to support this shiny new freshman-team program you're planning for next year?"

It was now that we heard about the "budgetable" and "total" student body funds. It seems that the percentage allotted a school department comes out of only some of the student body funds. For example, Santa Barbara has 2100 students this semester. Of this 2100, the money of only 1700 students was utilized, these being the so-called "budgetable" students. This situation arises because of making out budgets in advance, when the total enrollment can only be estimated. Harder stated that if a way can be found to take a percentage of ALL student body funds, there will be enough for his freshmanteam program.

Whether anything will come of this is doubtful, but it is another case of promising big on little if any solid ground.

Accomplishment

There has been a new development that causes Glenn and me to feel that we have accomplished something with our work — at least we are taking credit for it. It seems that an increase of around 175 students is expected next year. According to Harder, of the extra approximate \$5,250 for sports, football is to get about \$1,750. Add this to Stan's \$2,800 and the situation will ease somewhat. Glenn and I have been accused of "rabble rousing," but without our literary frothing at the mouth not even this little would have been done. Well hurrah for us!

I seem to have run out of space again, so the myriad of other things I had to say will have to wait till next time.

Please don't forget all about this over the holidays, because we intend to keep you informed in our own inimitable style. Meanwhile, Merry Christmas, Happy New Year, and Vive la UCLA in the Rose Bowl!

team are pretty slim on the pres- SBC Wins Seventh; Crusaders Stopped

by Glenn Dickey

It's nice to have a strong defense, but an offense comes in handy now and then, too, as the Gauchos found out Tuesday night as they eased by Pasadena Nazarene 69-63. The victory was the seventh straight for the Blue and Gold five which has yet to taste

The Gaucho defense played its usual fine game Tuesday but when Pasadena suddenly started hitting in the second half, it required some tall shooting to stay ahead.

Defensive Battle

The first half was pretty much of a defensive battle as the Gauchos left the court at half time with a 31-25 lead. Their defensive play during this 20 minutes was as good as it has been at any time this year. The Crusaders were "casting off" from far out because they couldn't get any shots from anywhere else.

Their second half defensive play was probably just as good but the visitors started hitting on those desperation shots and no defense in the world can stop a team that suddenly breaks loose like that.

Dick Acres led the scoring for the night as he tossed in an even 20 points, 14 of them coming in the pressure-packed second half. Tommy Williams experienced something of an off night for him, scoring "only" 19.

Bond Stars

Crusader star Jim Bond proved to be everything he was supposed to be as he tossed in 17 points to lead the Pasadena scoring and did a tremendous job of rebounding. It seems incredible that he got that many because the Santa Barbara zone defense was collapsing on Bond, with oftentimes three men on the big center, even when he didn't have the ball. Consequently, there were few times when he was able to get the ball to shoot but when he did it was curtains.

After the slow first half, the Blue and Gold came back strong to widen their lead to 48-32 at one point. Then Pasadena suddenly started hitting and started whittling the lead down. The Gauchos maintained their poise and their lead, however, as the visitors never got closer than four points, at 63-59, although the action was fast and furious during the last 15 minutes.

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by Glenn Dickey

What makes an athlete great? I was just reflecting on this subject after watching Sugar Ray Robinson dispose of Bobo Olson in two rounds last Friday night.

I'm not one that holds that beating Olson wasn't much since he was a mediocre champion. I think Olson has been a good champion and a very good fight-

Olson Better

Olson is, despite the knockout, a better fighter than Robinson right now. Yet Olson is, in my opinion, "only" a very good fighter and Sugar Ray is a great

Does that sound like a contradiction? What I mean is this: A great fighter is one who has that extra little spark that makes him the best. This has nothing to do with his ability as such.

Perhaps this can be better demonstrated by example. Olson has been knocked out by Archie Moore (once) and Robinson (twice). No doubt he wanted to get up all three times, but he

Ray Comes Back

Robinson, in the fight that got him a chance at the title, was nearly knocked out by Rocky Castellani. He got up off the floor and somehow managed to "weather the storm" and win the

Going back a little farther, to his last fight as a middleweight before "retiring" against this same Olson.

Bobo was winning that night at the end of 10 rounds, and by a fairly wide margin.

Robinson put on a terrific finish to win the decision.

Going back still farther. The second Randy Turpin fight in which Ray won back his title for the first time.

Turpin, too, was ahead that night going into the 10th round, I believe. Then he made the mistake of cutting Robinson, a bad enough cut that the fight might be stopped. Robinson knew this.

He TKO'd Turpin in this same round.

My last example. The fight with Jake LaMotto that gave Ray the middleweight crown.

also was ahead, if slightly, going At The Movies LaMotta, the "Bronx Bull," into the eighth round. Then in this round he backed Robinson into a corner and started swinging away with his sledgehammer fists. Sugar slipped some punches, blocked some, and finally got out of the jam.

From there on in he handed Jake a terrible beating until it was stopped in the 13th.

This, then, is what I mean by a great fighter. One who comes from behind, who gets off the floor, to win. One who is most dangerous when he's hurt. Robinson is this kind of fighter. Insofar as skill goes, right now he is definitely not the best middleweight around. But so long as he retains this spark of greatness he will be dangerous.

Probably this spark can be summed up as pride and fear. Pride that makes an athlete want to be on top, and fear that he will fall that makes him fight even

Given this, an athlete can be flamboyant or quiet, and he will be great. Robinson is flamboyant. So is Ted Williams. But Joe DiMaggio had this same spark and so did Joe Louis, both of whom were the very opposite of flamboyant.

Christmas Greetings What with the Christmas season coming up, you'll get a lengthy respite from this column -until Jan. 5, as a matter of

fact. Until that date, I'd like to wish a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to all the members of the football team,

CAGERS SEEK 8TH AND 9TH STRAIGHT

by Gil Romoff

Unbeaten in seven straight starts, Santa Barbara hosts the University of Redlands Bulldogs at the National Guard Armory tonight. Game time is 8:15.

Not too much is known about the Bulldogs except that they were edged out by Pasadena Nazarene in the semifinals of the Redlands Tourney. Pasadena later gave the Gauchos some very unpleasant moments before bowing, 64 to 47, in the tournament

Redlands uses a fast breaking type of offense, and in Bill Endeman possesses a man who is a tremendous shot and rebounder. Endeman was named to the alltournament team.

Coach Willie Wilton announced a probable starting lineup of Tom Williams and Charley Dunn, forwards; Dick Acres, center, and Johnny Osborne and Leroy eHrrick, guards.

In last Saturday night's game with Long Beach State the tight Gaucho defense held the Staters, a team which had been averaging over 100 points a game, to but 54 in chalking up an easy 65-to-54 victory. In fact, the Gauchos have allowed their opponents an average of but 52 points a game while averaging 72 a game them-

Tomorrow night the Gauches host the Pepperdine College Waves at the National Guard Armory with tip-off time again at

The Gauchos will be looking for revenge when they play the Waves because last year the visitors dumped the home-breds twice by scores of 73 to 56 and 71 to 65. The Gauchos lost but five other games all season.

Capt. Ermine Zappa, 6-foot-4-inch center and forward, and Forwards Jim O'Leary and Linwood Burns are the returning lettermen. To go with these three, Coach Ducky Dowell will have two outstanding transfers from New Jersey, Jim Fennelli and Frank DeBoskey; another transfer from San Diego, George Taylor, and several top men from the Wave junior varsity.

The Waves employ a fast break-set style of play along with a smooth passing game.

by Jack Nakano Schedules subject to change

without notice AIRPORT DRIVE-IN Friday - Saturday

"The Girl on the Red Velvet Swing," Joan Collins, Ray

"I Died a Thousand Times," Shelley Winters, Jack Pal-

Sunday on "The Big Knife," Shelley Winters, Jack Palance "Illegal," Jayne Mansfield, Ed-

ward G. Robinson **CALIFORNIA** Friday - Saturday "Seven Cities of Gold," Rita

Moreno, Richard Egan "Mississippi Gambler," Piper Laurie, Tyrone Power

Sunday on "Marty," Betsy Blair, Ernest Borgnine

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"Running Wild," William
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Friday on

"Honky Tonk," Lana Turner, Clark Gable

"Billy the Kid," Mary Howard, Robert Taylor STATE

Friday on

"Heidi and Peter," Swiss made "Music Land," Fred Waring, Benny Goodman

"Spud" Harder, Dr. Paul Scherer and all of my other friends.

Tattle Tales . . . by Janet Adameck See, I told you-December 16 sum, and Elaine Greening and

really did come. Now we can all go home and take it easy (maybe?) and spend all the money we haven't got on Christmas presents-that is, if we haven't already. Ho-ho-ho! Merry Christ-

Speaking of Ho-Ho-Ho!, Santa Claus (alias Billy Ryan) at the Christmas Formal on Friday really did a rousing job. Old Saint Nick certainly put everyone in the Christmas spirit.

Joints

Two joints were held last weekend right in the midst of Christmas activities. The Kappa Sigs and Pi Phis and the Delts and Thetas all enjoyed their parties in the Christmas atmosphere.

Two Gaucho-ettes journeyed last weekend to the USC Sigma Chi Formal at the Bel Air Hotel. Chia O Mary Dilley and DG Eleanor Dito said that everything was very lush and just perfect.

Theta Sue Oliver announced the good news that she and Dick Worth are now engaged. The announcement was made at the Theta Christmas party last Sat-

Dinner Dance Delta Sigma Epsilon sorority held its dinner dance at the Mar

Monte Pavilion last Saturday. Music was furnished by the Ken Coulter Dance Band. Some of those attending were Diane Aime and Lambda Chi Bill Montgomery, Margaret Benbury and Don Sharpe, Robin Drake and Joe Byrne, Elaine Evers and Roy Kropff, Carol Soule and Bob Higbee, Gwen Tench and Dick Hendrickson, Elizabeth Bonno and Kappa Sig Jim Sylvia, Ursula aKrmann and Armand San-

Society Votes Grant To Jacobs For Work

Committee on Research of the American Philosophical Society at its last meeting voted to award a grant in research to Dr. Wilbur R. Jacobs, assistant professor of history at Santa Barbara College.

Sabbatical

Dr. Jacobs is on sabbatical leave this year, working at Harvard University on a biographical study of Francis Parkman, one of America's greatest historians. For several years Dr. Jacobs has made summer research trips to document repositories in the East and in Canada to gather materials for his forthcoming

He is the author of two previous books and a number of research articles in American history, and has been selected to give the next annual research lecture at Santa Barbara College.

Oldest Society

The American Philosophical Society is one of the oldest learned societies in the United States. Its origins can be traced to Benjamin Franklin's "Junto," a literary and scientific club founded

Today the society continues its function to promote useful knowledge and makes awards to deserving researchers in the sciences, in the social sciences and in the humanities.

Education Honorary Admit New Members

Twelve new members were initiated when Kappa Delta Phi, national honorary society in education, held its initiation banquet at Kerry's Restaurant Wednesday, Dec. 7.

They are Edward Conway, Joseph Diehl, George Guth, Alan McGregor, Marilyn Nollac, Jack O'Cain, Andrew Peebles, Carol Pittman, Claire Pope, Arvilla Preszler, Eleanor Saxe and Shirley Sopher.

Following the initiation ceremony Dr. Truman Lee Kelley, noted educator, iintiated Dr. Francis Bacon, speaker for the evening, as an honorary member.

Jamie Chapman.

The Alpha Phis learned on Monday that former members Julie Norby and Diane Linniger have announced their engagements in the Southland.

SAE Formal
The SAE annual Christmas Formal was held at the Barbara Hotel this year. Among those enjoying the pre-party at Jim Bell's and the dance were Bob Foss and DG Celia Shiffler, Kirk Ward and Pi Phi Mary Ann Lewis, Dick Canada and Chi O Dawn Bloom, Larry Higbee and Theta Marty Hopkins, John Olson and Pi hPi Alice McAdams, Jim Bell and DG Sally Leflang, George Clough and ADPi Diane Welder, Jerry Combs and Chi O Norma Weldon, Bert Stull and ADPi Thelma Tinker, Bill Thomas and Pi Phi Cynthia Billig, Dick iKeding and Gretchen Fate, Bob and Mary Purvis, Dan Hon

and Chi O Ellen Passick, Bill Fitzgerald and Pi hPi Helen Prince, Tim Garthwaite and ADPi June Roripaugh, Lew Kummerow and Chi O Barbara Gay, and Bob Carr and Pi hPi Ann Mouldenchardt.

Here's hoping that your Christmas will be perfect and your New Year the very best yet. I might say something about finals coming pretty soon, but that would ruin the mood, so I'll just end with Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. See you then (in the New Year, that is).



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