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(One Arab to another "Abyssinia"?)

The Newsance!

"THE VOICE OF THE STUDENTS"

JOIN A CLUB!

Friday, March 11 1955

""""DIG THAT MAN "JACKSON" HE'S A PROUD DADDY""""

Ralph Jackson, an illustrious member of the PJC Freshman class has become the father of a bunching baby boy, and the new lad's name is "Stephen", and entered this world March 3rd. It's Jackson's first child, but the Newsance comment is...Give him time..... Congrats.....

Great American Sports Humor....Ted Husing, Veteran top-flight football announcer, a word-smoothie of the airways, once during a broadcast described a colorful scene on the grid-iron thusly:

"I see the men are wearing little red rooting caps. The girls have nothing on."

GET THIS INFO NOW.....SO YOU CAN PLAN TO ATTEND THE "SMOKER" LATER ON... MARCH 24th at PJC.....On thursday March 24th there will be a smoker in the PJC Gym....The fan-fare to be held that evening will be announced later by the Rag or Newsance....Plan now to attendIt will be an affair you can't afford to miss...Think it over.....

ACTUNG,,,,ATTENTION ALL VETS OF OVERSEAS DUTY????? CARE TO COME TO A 'VFW' MEETING SOMETIME.... THE "Vets of Foreign Wars Post No 6869" (Deering Memorial) need you in their organization? The small fees dues of \$3.00 you can belong to a trully accredited outfit whose "No 1" goal is to see that the interests of the Veteran is kepted before the public eye...Just because the past wars are over there are quite a few people in Washington, who'd like to cut up your benefits and treat WWII & K-Vets like the raw deals the WWI Vets got.. "Don't let the public forget you, You didn't forget them!!!!"

Meetings are held every other Tuesday in the Post home on Congress St. in Libbytown. Social events are a frequent occurrence there, in the form of parties, dances, bingo, pinochle and regular get-to-gethers..(Most of these events are absolutely "free"....They also have a bowling team a softball team, and a team of swell fellows all banded together for their own mutual benefit. Why not think it over and join in America's greatest Vets' Team the "VFW" ----- **Join NOW!!**

If you need any further info on joining this outfit see J.P. Smith

We've revived the Campus Interviews column in response to some requests. And our roving reporter had an excellent question to ask as he interviewed students around the campus this week. Dick Kilbride stirred up quite a controversy when he said that he was going to petition the Student Council for action to make PJC a co-ed school. We asked some students around the campus, and this is what they had to say about PJC going co-ed or remaining stag:

Marshall Dion, Frosh - "It would definitely be better to stay stag like it is, because if it were co-ed, the classes would be stiff and formal, and we male students would constantly have to watch our every bit of conversation, so as not to shock any feminine ears."

Miss Harriet Gamage, PJC's only co-ed (part-time) : "Of course this puts me on the spot, but I really believe that it would benefit PJC to go co-ed. I think that there would be more interest in school activities if there were girls here to participate along with the boys."

Bob Davis, Frosh: "I think we'd get a hell of a lot more out of school with women around. They'd push the activities around here, and make it a better all-around educational institution."

Harry Staples, Pre-College: "Most of the boys of PJC are doing okay scholastically, and I can't see bringing into this college the Opposite Sex, who might, (and statistics have proved) upset the train of thought of men who are trying to make a future for themselves. Remember, it is either now or never for most of us who are trying to get a start toward the colleges of our choice. So, - to prevent all the hair-twisting and neck-turning, (if the girls were here) let's keep PJC stag."

Dick Bouchard, Pre-College: "The sight of a shapely leg might turn a few heads in class, but it might also wake up some of the students in the 8 o'clock classes. I think there'd be more interest in school activities with members of the fair sex around, and it would benefit the school."

Scott Lovejoy, Senior: "By all means, ~~co-ed~~. It would really boost the morale around here! Yeasah, man, -- Let's have some of that luscious female stuff around here to perk up the spirits!"

So there you have it. Do you have anything to say that you want printed?? Remember, the NEWSANCE is your paper, - it isn't called the "Voice of the Students" for nothing. If you have anything you want to say in print on any subject, (well, almost any subject) simply contact Norm Richards, John Smith, or Lloyd Mudie, and we'll gladly print it. Watch for Campus Interviews again soon, - we may interview you next.

The camera crew for the Stag is taking pictures for the yearbook, so all you hams watch the bulletins for the correct time and place for the picture of your club.