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EIGHT MORE DAYS LEFT FOR TOY PILE

Contributions Wanted For Needy Children

With only eight more days of school remaining in the quarter, the Spartan Daily's fifth annual toy drive is now in the last lap. Already a week under way, the drive has garnered only about twenty toys so far, according to members of the Publications staff.

Toys of any size, shape, color, or condition are in demand, it was announced. These same toys will be sent to the local fire department, where any necessary repairs will be made; and then they will be distributed to the hundreds of needy children in San Jose.

"Before we can give toys to any children, you students will have to give toys to us," stated Fred Merrick, editor of the Spartan Daily, while urging cooperation in the drive on the part of the students.

Sadie Hawkins Is Theme For Newman Dance

Utilizing the comic strip character, Sadie Hawkins, for their theme, the Newman club will give their last dance of the quarter Saturday night at the clubhouse on Fifth street. Hill-billy numbers will be used to fit in with the theme of the affair.

Dance Chairman Tom Harvey urges everyone to get into the swing of things and wear hill-billy attire to fit the theme. Attractive prizes will be given for the most original and outlandish get-up.

To make the dance more interesting it will be a "Gal bring boy" affair. "Now is the time for all you gals to nab that beau-brummel you wanted a date with all year," comments Chairman Harvey.

Miss Hill Gives Asilomar Information

Interviews for the purpose of giving information on the Asilomar Intercollegiate Conference will be given from nine to one o'clock today by Miss Mary Frances Hill, YWCA secretary, in the 'Y' room.

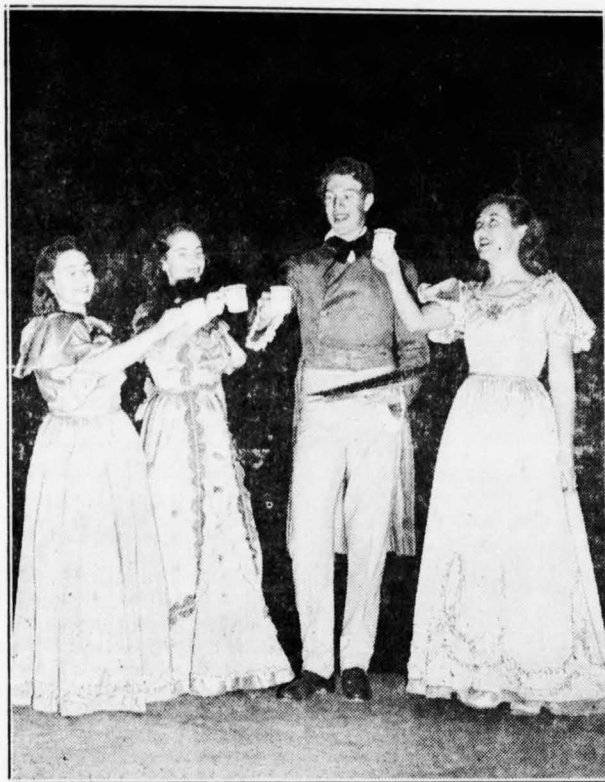
Any student who would like to attend the conference but is anxious to learn more about it should contact Miss Hill at this time. Students who have decided to attend Asilomar may sign their registration cards at this time.

The Asilomar Conference, an annual affair, will be held from December 26 to January 2, at Asilomar near Pacific Grove on Monterey Bay.

Accounting Society Holds Last Meeting At Hotel

Their last meeting of the quarter will be held tonight at 7:30 by Alpha Eta Sigma, accounting society, at the Hotel DeAnza.

PLAY ROLES IN 'CHRISTMAS CAROL'



PRESENTED TOMORROW NIGHT— Pictured above are several characters who will appear in Dickens' outstanding play. Shown in one of the scenes, left to right, Babs Granite as Dorinda, Barbara Bellah as Daisy, Lewis Daniel as Fred, and Pat Ironsides as Della. —Spartan Daily Photo.

'Peace' Subject Of Poytress' Forum Talk

Speaking on "What About The Peace?" Dr. William Poytress will consider the problems that arise from a declaration of peace when the Open Forum meets tomorrow at 11:00 in the Little Theater.

"The war will be over some day — will the world make the mistakes of the last war, will the belligerents become so engrossed in defeating the enemy that no thought is given to a consideration of the conditions that would make for a sounder and more permanent peace?" questions Dr. Poytress.

Continuing, he asks, "What are the Allies fighting for? It has been repeatedly said that they are fighting to destroy 'Hitlerism!' And then what? What follows Hitlerism? What about colonies? What about freedom and independence for India? What about a Federation of Europe? Of 'Union Now'?"

All students interested in this program are invited to be on hand, according to Miss Marie Tinkler, chairman.

Annual Phi Sigma Chi Formal Saturday

Phi Sigma Chi fraternity will hold their annual pledge dance at the San Jose Country Club Saturday night, it was announced yesterday by fraternity officers.

Dancing will be to the music of Howard Frederick's orchestra, formerly under the direction of Leonard Graye, and will last from 9:00 to 1:00.

Bids for the informal affair are selling at \$1.25.

N.Y.A. WORKERS MUST APPLY TO COLLEGE DEANS

Scheduled to go into effect immediately is an important regulation for all those on N.Y.A., announces Dean of Women Miss Helen Dimmick.

Students now working on N.Y.A. must make personal application for renewal if they wish to work next quarter, states Miss Dimmick. She also points out that no work may be done after December 18, unless a release slip is obtained.

Women students who wish to be placed next quarter should apply to Miss Dimmick before December 11, while men students should apply to Mr. Paul Pitman, Dean of Men. Renewal is particularly important, Miss Dimmick stresses.

Men For House Selected Soon

All men interested in living in the new cooperative house next quarter must deposit one dollar in the Controller's office by noon today, Erwin Blesh, committeeman in charge, announced yesterday.

By depositing the dollar and leaving their name and address, the committee will have an indication of the number of men and who is to occupy the house next quarter.

A final selection will be made by the committee and published in the Spartan Daily December 8. Those who have been selected must deposit \$4 by Wednesday noon, December 13. As the house will only hold about 25 men a few may not be among those selected and may receive their dollar back after the final selection.

Twenty-third Free Christmas Play Given Tomorrow

By GLEN KRUMME

The San Jose Players will present their twenty-third annual free Christmas play on Thursday and Friday nights.

This season's play is the world-famous "Christmas Carol", authored by the English novelist, Charles Dickens. This story, which has been translated into almost every language, was adapted to the stage by Miss Douglas.

SCROOGE, THE MISER

The story concerns the life and loves of one Scrooge, as miserly a man as ever used a substitute. His loves were three: namely, gold, silver, and marketable goods. His working day was spent in making money, his leisure in fondling his gold, and in between he prodded his nephew, Fred, in order to get the maximum benefit from his labor. They didn't have labor unions in those days.

Now, one night (it happened to be just before Christmas) some visions appeared to the old gent. Scrooge couldn't understand this because the portion of rum he had had was the usual two fingers. The visions were of Marlow, long dead partner of Scrooge, Christmas Past, Christmas Present, and Christmas Future. Now, these ghosts urged the old fellow to mend his ways. Scrooge laughed, "Ha, ha." Then words they did bandy back and forth.

To Christmas Future belongs the credit for the conversion. Christmas Future revealed to Scrooge how his gold and goods would be stolen after his death and many other things.

CHANGE OF CHARACTER

Well (would you believe it?) the old man became quite a generous character. He went to church and gave his nephew a raise, and did all manner of wonderful things.

Moral: A reformed man is to the world a thing of beauty and a joy forever.

Former Student Places Scenario With Kate Smith

Jean Holloway, who recently was awarded a playwright-acting contract by the Columbia Broadcasting System of New York, has placed her scenario, "Katherine Howard", with Kate Smith, Mr. Hugh W. Gillis announces.

The script of the former State drama major will be used as a vehicle for Helen Mencken, famous American stage star, and may be heard over radio station KFRC Friday night at 8 p.m.

Miss Holloway withdrew from San Jose State early in the quarter in order to fulfill her ten-week contract obligations.

She obtained the contract through a writers' conference in Denver, Colorado. She may return to State and complete the requirements for her A.B. degree in drama at the expiration of her contract, Mr. Gillis says.

"Katherine Howard" was originally written for class work here. She was the wife of Henry VIII. The setting is in the cell of the prisoner, Katherine Howard, just before she is executed by order of the king.

Helen Mencken, who will play the title role in the radio play, is well-known to American theatergoers. She starred in the smash hit, "The Old Maid", which was given a Pulitzer prize. Recently, Miss Mencken has been active in radio drama.

Dexters Play To Capacity Audience

Playing to a capacity audience in the Little Theater, Betty Barbour Dexter, celloist, with her husband, Benning Dexter, pianist, presented a sonata recital last night.

Outstanding number of the evening was the Variation of a theme of Mozart by Beethoven.

Also well received by the large audience was the Sonata in E Minor by Brahms, Sammartini's Sonata in G Major, and the Sonata in E Minor, Opus 38 by Hure was well applauded by the appreciative audience.

Mrs. Dexter is first celloist in the college symphony.

Foster Named Captain

Dean Foster, center back on this year's water polo team was elected 1940 captain by his teammates at a dinner given at the home of Coach Charlie Walker last night. Foster, a senior next year, came to San Jose from Muir Tech high in Pasadena.

John Weybrew Is Newly-Elected Pegasus Head

John Weybrew was elected to succeed Mary Belick as president of Pegasus, literary honor society, at a meeting of that organization held Monday night in the Spartan Stags hall.

Also chosen to hold office during the winter quarter were Cora Marie Savage, vice-president, and Mary Traub, secretary.

Recordings of famous literary selections were played at the meeting by Dr. James O. Wood, adviser.

There will be no more meetings of the society until next quarter. Any student wishing to try out for membership is requested to submit an original manuscript to Dr. Wood or any member of the organization.

Peace Group Meets

The meeting of the Campus Peace Society erroneously announced for yesterday, will be held today in Room 53 at 12:15.

Editorial Page

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DAY EDITOR, This Issue..... BEN FRIZZI

We Are Again Proud . . .

San Jose State college not only won national recognition this season for its great football team, but also won special attention for the fine sportsmanship displayed by the Spartans and witnessed by thousands of fans who attended the games.

Very seldom was a Spartan player charged with unnecessary roughness, and if such was the case, it was purely unintentional and perhaps due to the high tension experienced on the field by finely trained, competitive athletes. Opponents had nothing but praise for the clean play of the Spartans.

For example: Perhaps one of the finest gestures of sportsmanship was shown in the Santa Barbara game on a slightly muddy field, by Managers Walt M a z z o n e and Chauncey Benevento. Armed with sticks to clean the mud from the cleats of the Spartan players, this pair displayed fine sportsmanship by also cleaning the shoes of the Santa Barbara players as well. Such friendly relations as these create better feeling among the players as well as the schools.

And so, for the outstanding sportsmanship displayed by the Spartans on the football field, San Jose State college is proud of its great team. —Frizzi.

NOTICES

LOST: A watch and double-breasted chain with locket, in the basement locker room of the Men's gym. Finder please return to Lost and Found.

Will the following freshmen on the nominating committee please report to Bill Wills in Room 21 at 12:30 today: Phyllis Gorden, Mildred Wadland, Rosemary Burnette, Daphne Gardner, Robert Spalding, Lola Bangs, Beverly Roberts, Douglas Curry, Charles Brown, Hugh Manley, Barbara Wallis, Douglas Mills, Jean Hess, Grace Markey, Happy Baily, Jim Otterson, Glenna Frost, Barbara Kurtz.

Orchesis will meet tonight from 5:00-7:00. Important!

Would like to contact someone going south on the 14th or 15th to Santa Barbara. Will share expenses. Phone Bal. 5613 in the evening. Gerry Hoyt.

S.G.O. meeting at frat house tonight. Be there.—Fortune.

Will all students planning to take observation and participation next quarter please register in the Education office sometime during the week, December 4-8. Please make out your entire program before signing up for this course.

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There will be a meeting tonight at 7:30 p.m. of Alpha Eta Sigma at Hotel DeAnza. All members please be there.
—Larry Bastianon, pres.

Yal Omads: There will be a joint meeting today with Rainbow Girls in Room H.3. 12:30 to 1:00. Everyone please attend. —Arth.

The Freshman Women's Assembly has been postponed until Thursday, Dec. 14. All freshman women plan to be there.

Radio club meeting tonight at 7:30 in the club Shack.

Chi Pi Sigma: Short business meeting tomorrow night at 7:30 in the Spartan Stags' building.
—Maroney.

A.P.O. meeting tonight at Bill Watson's at 7:30 sharp.
—Walt Fisher, pres.

Important meeting of the Riding club today at 3:00 in the Women's gym. All old and new members please be there promptly!
—Barbara Matthew.

WEEKLY EYE-TEMS
Knowledge And The Eyes
If you are not getting the marks in college you think you should, maybe your eyes are to blame. Knowledge, you know, 85% of it, depends on the eyes—and over 30% of college students have defective eyesight.
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Fat In The Fire

By JIM BAILEY

Just nineteen more shop-lifting days until Xmas.

The fastest thing on wheels is a Kike on a bike in the Reich!

This new German magnetic mine is supposed to be the most deadly machine of destruction since the invention of the machine gun . . . what about a woman at the wheel of an automobile?

Japanese soldiers are noted for their perfect white teeth . . . they probably got them from gnawing on China!

According to the latest report, Hitler has given the world twenty-four hours to get out!

That's nothing . . . the faculty has given me two weeks to catch up!

These new planes at Moffett Field are pretty fast. One of the pilots the other day accidentally kicked the throttle as he reached out to shake the hand of the captain goodbye, and grabbed a cow's tail somewhere in northern California.


That's no bull, either! (heh-heh.)

In case of a fire . . . throw in Sausalito!

It's getting pretty cold around this town. Last night I awoke to find the steam heater had climbed into bed with me!

I'm making an ice-box cake in my room tonight!

FAMOUS FINALES: You can't flunk me, I'm a five-year man!

CHRISTMAS SEALS
Tuberculosis is still the first cause of death among communicable diseases in California. Christmas Seals fight tuberculosis.

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NOTICES
There will be a Yal Omed meeting Wednesday evening, Dec. 6, at the Scottish Rite Temple. Meeting will start at 7:30 and it is vitally necessary that all members attend.
—Arthur Chomor.

There will be a meeting of the Job's Daughters club today in Rm. H.E. 2 at 12:15. All club members please be there, and bring your lunches!

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WHAT TO GET HER? SOME CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

By PEGGY RITCHER

If you don't know her very well . . . but would like to know her better . . . woo her with perfume. Pick out the kind you like, because you'll be wearing it at the finish anyway . . .

. . . or get personal and send her initialed kerchiefs or a handbag with huge metal monograms . . .

. . . incidentally a cigaret case would look stunning with her name spelled out on the cover . . . a compact to match would go over big . . .

. . . if she isn't counting calories . . . sweets to the sweet is always a nice suggestion . . .

. . . "she won't forget the man who remembers" . . . neither will her mother . . . come on and loosen up those purse strings and send "Ma" a bunch of flowers . . .

mothers can put in a good word, you know . . .

. . . perhaps you're away from home . . . a picture of you will help keep her mind off the local swains . . .

. . . and to make sure she'll stay home in the evenings when you can't drop over for a visit, enrich her mind with a good novel . . .

. . . those cute little musical powder boxes always intrigue the modern miss . . .

. . . save wear and tear on your tux pockets and give her a roomy evening bag . . . you'll probably end up carrying it yourself so get one with handles . . .

. . . scarfs always come in handy . . . you can get them in dressy silk . . . or warm wooly ones . . .

Scanning The Stacks

By IRENE MELTON

"Will you help me, please?"

Little do aid-seeking students realize they are making statistic history when they ask the reference desk librarian for advice with some problem in our library.

According to a report by Miss Joyce Backus, head of the Library department, the greatest per cent increase in library activities has been in the number of requests for assistance at the reference desk. A 67 per cent gain over the demands for help in November, 1937, when 874 literary S.O.S.'s were issued is found in the 11,464 "Help!" pleas cried in November, 1939.

Another interesting revelation of the statistical survey is the meager 16 per cent increase shown in the number of pictures circulated from the education desk.

This second finding brings to mind the fact that our splendid picture collection has received all too little publicity. Veritably overflowing the large filing cabinets of the education desk with its 20,000 pictures on almost any subject one can think of, this mammoth photo gallery proves a boon to student teachers eager to brighten their classrooms with visual aids to education.

"Naturally, all of the pictures on Christmas are the most popular right now," the education librarian reveals, "but in the fall of the year Indian scenes and photographs rank highest in demand. As for all year-round favorites, well, animal pictures, especially cat and dog prints, take first prize, as well as pictures of early California missions and scenes of early modes of transportation.

Outstanding section of the collection is the costume division, containing reproductions of dress all over the world. The value of this group will be enhanced no little with the addition, sometime

next quarter, of a set of Godey reproductions, taken from Godey's Ladies' Book, a magazine popular from 1839 to 1890. Colored steel engravings of what the well-dressed women of that period wore will add color and historic value to this section.

The product of six years of borrowing, buying, and begging pictures, the picture collection is a worthwhile part of our library system and one worthy of notice by everyone.

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SPARTAN BOWL BID IN TURMOIL

Renown Judo Act Set For Spartan Gym Next Week

San Jose wrestling fans will be treated to a first class judo exhibition when Mr. Kotani, world-famous jiu jitsu expert fresh from a tour of South America, meets Professor Yamauchi, local Japanese grunt and groan artist, in the Men's gym next week.

TENTATIVE DATE

Date for the event has been set tentatively for Thursday evening, December 14, according to Mel Bruno, captain of San Jose State's wrestling team.

Kotani is a disciple of Professor Kano, Japanese inventor of the judo form of wrestling.

SPARTANS IN ACTION

An added attraction on the evening's program will be a series of matches between a five-man judo team representing San Jose State college and a Japanese team from San Francisco. The Spartan team will be headed and coached by Mel Bruno.

Bruno stated that Judo is a specialized form of jiu jitsu, training in the art is included in the curriculum of students in the Police School, which has become an essential tool for use in police work.

Inter-Class Swimming Meet Won By Juniors; Winter Plans Made

Junior women swimmers came out on top with three wins in the series of interclass quarterly swims that were concluded Monday night in the Spartan pool.

In the meet Monday night the juniors defeated the sophomores 48 to 37, and the freshmen swamped the seniors 60 to 9. Billy Starrett, Ruby Freitas, and Carol Meyers starred for the juniors; Norma Ofstedt, Phyllis Jung, and Jeanne Cancilla, for the sophs, and Evelyn Woodard, Sara Jane Corwen, Joyce Hansen, Roberta Hardwick, and Jeanne Kohlmoos for the frosh.

After the meet contestants and officials enjoyed English plum pudding at Miss Gail Tucker's home. Plans were made for a marathon swim for the winter quarter.

Captain Cook



Presenting Ventura junior college's gift to the Spartan grid-iron, Handsome "Kenny-bo" Cook, the boy with the "educated toe" and 29 points to his credit for this season. "Kenny-bo" will head the San Jose State footballers next year, having been named "Captain" Cook by a general vote of the squad Monday afternoon.

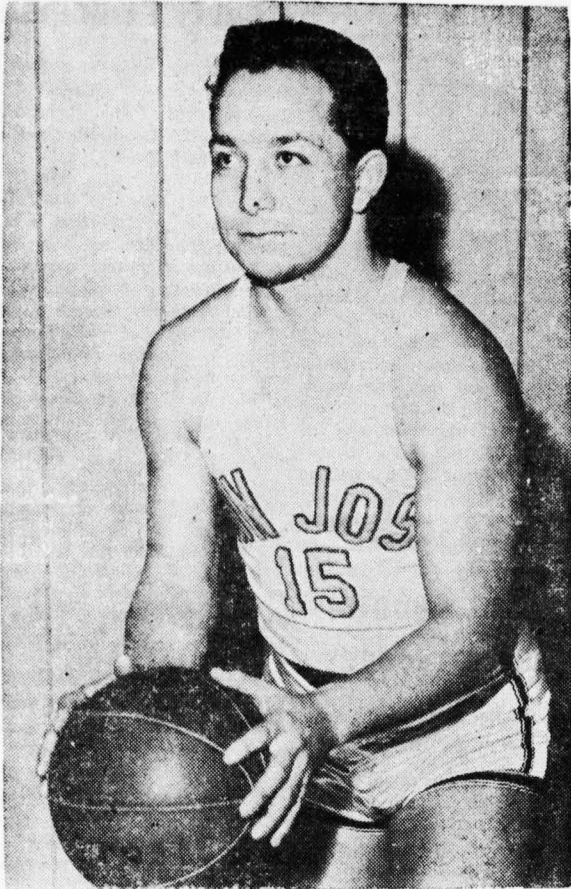
NOTICE

P.E. minors: Important meeting tomorrow night at 7:15.

Spartan Daily Sports

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Cage Captain Looks To Future



Captain Gus Kotta, pictured above, who will lead the Spartan basketball team in their 1940 quest for the California Collegiate Athletic Association title. Kotta will be seen in action when the Spartans battle the UCLA Bruins in the local pavilion on December 18 and 19 in a two-game series. This will be the first appearance of the Spartans for the coming cage season.

Spartan Cagers Set For Season Opener

Two Practice Tilts Before Facing UCLA

Intensive training is in order for the twenty basketball players out for practice this week, as the Spartan quintet prepares to open its 1940 campaign for the California Collegiate Athletic Association crown.

With the Spartans scheduled to face a San Francisco team of unknown quantity on Thursday night in the local pavilion, Coach Hubbard must work overtime to get a starting line-up on the floor by game time.

Still to report for practice are John Allen, first string guard, Bob Titchenal, and "Truck" Tornell, who are still out for football pending an invitation to a "Bowl" game.

In the meantime, Coach Hubbard must depend on his veterans for the first two or three games. In Captain Gus Kotta the Spartans have one of the smartest cagers ever to set foot on the Spartan Pavilion floor. Returning for his final year of competition will be

"Swede" Smersfelt, who according to many experts, should have his best season this year. Smersfelt is unbeatable when "hot" and undoubtedly will make things uncomfortable for many Spartan opponents.

The Spartans face the UCLA Bruins on the nights of December 18 and 19 with only two practice tilts under their belts. According to information received, the Bruins will have had only one practice tilt before facing the Spartans.

Hubbard will depend largely on his sophomores and the few junior college transfers to make up the backbone of his cage squad. Given a good chance to break into the starting line-up before the UCLA games are George Ford and Charlie Sturz, both up from the frosh team. Little is known as to what the transfers will do until given an opportunity to show their stuff.

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No Report From Promoter Of Southern Game

By CARLTON PEREGOY
San Jose State's "bowl business" was in a terrific muddle at a late hour last night.

The reasons are many!!

1. The local evening paper came out with the astounding news that the Los Angeles Coliseum in which the "Olympic Bowl" is supposed to be played if it ever comes to pass, is already dated for a high school championship contest on December 16, the date set by the promoters of the bowl game. It was also reported that officials in charge of that stadium knew nothing of the possibility of the Olympic Bowl and in fact did not even know of the promoter who is supposed to be behind the game.

2. One of the teams said to be contacted for the game accepted a bid to play in the Sugar Bowl when Texas A & M agreed to meet Tulane in the New Year's Day classic in New Orleans.

3. No word had come from Larry Sunbrock who had left San Jose after several hours of conference with Coach Dud DeGroot. Sunbrock stated when he left this city Monday evening that he would contact DeGroot sometime yesterday and inform him of the latest information on the proposed game.

4. Evidently no publicity has been given the Olympic Bowl in southern California sports circles. On his regular radio broadcast last night, Braven Dyer, dean of southern California sports writers, "suggested" a post-season game featuring San Jose State college and another prominent coast team, and mentioned Santa Clara and Gonzaga.

Reason number one was looked upon as a misunderstanding by Coach DeGroot. He said that there was probably a mistake by Coliseum officials, and as for the officials not knowing Larry Sunbrock, that is almost impossible. Sunbrock is well-known in athletic circles for sponsoring sports events of all kinds.

Probably the promoter had not received anything definite from the two schools contacted and was waiting for reports from them before contacting DeGroot again.

The whole thing seems to be a mixed-up affair and now that Texas

Marin J. C. Five Battles Frosh Cagers Saturday

Yearlings In Opener With Northerners

San Jose's freshman basketball quintet, which, according to Coach Frank Carroll, is the strongest in recent years, will open their 1939 cage schedule against Marin junior college Saturday night at 8 p.m. in the local gymnasium.

The State yearlings, which are three deep in all positions, will enter the contest as an unknown quantity, although the squad boasts many former prep stars.

Coach Carroll has cut the original turnout of over 90 performers to 24 aspiring casabamen. As yet definite first and second teams have not been chosen as Carroll has been giving the entire squad drills on the various fundamentals of the game.

Although plans are being made for a preliminary contest Saturday night, Walt McPherson, graduate manager, has not received final word from the quintets he has contacted.

The frosh squad is as follows: Felice, Hedigard, Campion, Killup, Diedrickson, Emerson, Cowain, Sunzeri, Bruni, Neuroth, Chiappi, Maniz, Borg, Chalfont, Tognetti, Folendorf, Butler, Helbush, Manley, Robinson, Kennedy, Cotley, Granutti, Burchfriel.

Badminton Title Won By Fairley

Jim Fairley becomes intramural badminton tournament champion by virtue of a victory over Webb, 15-5, 15-6, 15-9, at noon yesterday. Fairley was No. 1 on last year's badminton team.

Webb reached the final round of the tourney by a win over Nickel, 15-4, 15-4, 16-17. The badminton tournament winds up intramural sports for this quarter, Coach Tiny Hartranft announces.

A & M has accepted a bid, some definite word will be forthcoming. This word is expected at any moment, and if it comes during the day special bulletins will be placed in the window of the Publications office.

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Instructor Soloist With Symphony Orchestra Tuesday

Miss Robinson Plays At Quarterly Concert

Miss Frances Robinson, stringed instrument instructor, will be soloist with the San Jose State college 110-piece symphony orchestra in its quarterly concert Tuesday night at 8:15 in the Morris Dailey auditorium, announces Mr. Adolph Otterstein, conductor.

Miss Robinson, who has charge of the Chamber Music Recital series, will play the First Movement, Violin Concerto in D Major by Brahms.

The symphony, one of the foremost college organizations of its kind on the coast, has been asked to play for the National Music Educators Conference in Los Angeles next March.

Local music teachers and their pupils have been extended invitations to the concert which is free to the public, according to Mr. Otterstein.

Christmas Theme Of H. E. Exhibit

Christmas spirit in the form of appropriate gifts and personality wrappings is the theme of the exhibit now on display in the Home Economics building.

Types of material used in Christmas wrappings and appropriate costs of interesting packages are exhibited.

This display is a project of Jean Sipple.

Ceramics Exhibit In Civic Auditorium

A ceramics exhibit sponsored by the Central California Ceramics club will open today at 2 p.m. in Room B of the Civic Auditorium.

Membership in the ceramics club is largely made up of present and former San Jose State college students who have studied ceramics here under Professor Herbert H. Sanders.

In this first exhibit of the club, the work of more than 20 contributing members will be displayed and will include hand and wheel made pots, ceramic sculpture, and pottery.

Hours for the exhibit are Wednesday 2-6, Thursday 10-6, and Friday 10-10. In charge is Jim Diehl, vice-president of the organization.

NOTICE

The Lion's club dinner, honoring the football team, that was to be held tonight has been postponed one week, until Wednesday, December 13. Time and place are the same: the main dining room of the Sainte Claire at 6:30.

—Dud DeGroot.

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Consumer Class Hears Speaker Today At 11:00

Richard V. Hart, of Roos Bros., will speak before the class in Consumer Economics on "Intelligent Buying of Men's Clothing and Accessories" at 11 o'clock today in Room 139, according to Dr. Earl W. Atkinson, head of the Commerce department.

Open to all those who are interested, this talk will be the third of a total of four outside speakers to be heard by the Consumer Economics class.

Friday, the class will hear Harry Knox, of the San Jose Better Business Bureau.

LA TORRE PICTURES

Following is a complete list of those who have La Torre picture appointments at Bushnell's studio today:

- 9:15 Reginato, Joe; 9:30 McMurry, George; 9:45 Staley, Hugh; 10:45 Peterson, Donald; 11:30 Murdock, Betty; 12:45 Backus, Joyce; 1:15 Hull, Jane; 1:30 Spenker, Lenyth; 2:00 Meadows, Weaver; 2:15 Lovoi, Frank; 2:30 McCabe, Margery; 3:00 Todd, Lorin; 3:30 Strohmaier, Inadell; 3:45 Bernsdorf, Dorothea; 4:00 Jacobs, Allen; 4:30 Jones, Margaret; 4:45 Flack, Ethel.

Gamma Phi Sigma Holds Dinner For Pledges

Climaxed by a dinner for new members, formal initiation of pledges was held this week by Gamma Phi Sigma, social fraternity, at the fraternity house on South Fifth street.

The initiation was presided over by President Bill Edwards at the DeAnza which at the same time commemorated the first anniversary of the organization.

The new members are John Bishop, Warner Keeley, Forest O'Brien, Don Worledge, Ed Barr, Hugh Phares, Mannie Silva, Tom Harvey, Phil Freeland, Bob Sullivan, Bob Swanson, Dave Davis, Al Aiton, Hubert Wagner, Norm Guttormsen, Morris Buckingham, Jerry Matthews, Karl Evens, Bill Sally, Bill Johnston, and Don Madson, honorary member.

NOTICES
There will be a meeting of the Japanese Student club today at 12:20 in Rm. 21. Please be prompt.

Special meeting of Rainbow club at 12:15 tomorrow in Room 3 of H.E. bldg. Installation postponed. There will be a joint meeting with Yal Omed to discuss plans for annual Christmas party.

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Spartan Knight Derby Winners Tucker, Crockett

The winners of this year's annual Spartan Knight derby—Usher Tucker and Mert Crockett!

The above "Squires" put a fitting finish to their "Hell Week" activities in the wee hours of yesterday morning by trotting the Calaveras run of eight miles in the remarkable time of five hours flat, according to reports of their "harrowing experiences" given at the regular meeting of the honorary campus service fraternity yesterday noon.

Bill Johnston and Jus Lundquist ran a close second by negotiating six miles in four hours over the Almaden track.

Don True and Gus Covello tripped the Stevens Creek course of four miles in a little better than three hours.

Walt Mazzone and John Allen negotiated the lesser mileage of three miles, but took four hours, besides "scaring the daylight" out of an unsuspecting resident of the Evergreen district, who couldn't determine offhand if the boys had been run over by a train or were merely going through the routine of an informal initiation.

Spartan Senate Initiates Pledges

Informal initiation into the Spartan Senate, honorary debate society, was held for four new members of the society at its annual candidates' dinner Monday evening at the DeAnza hotel.

Initiated were Lyle Derby, David Atkinson, George Hopper, and Woodrow Semerau. Virginia Rocca, president of the Senate, presided at the meeting.

After the meeting the members discussed the interclass trophy debate that they sponsor annually. "This debate is designed to touch on problems of interest to the college student and offers rewards for those participating both through the class trophy that is won by the best debaters, and also winners will enter in a radio discussion or debate to be held next quarter," Ellis Rother, secretary-treasurer, announced yesterday.

Japanese Speaks To Class Today

Larry Tajiri, second-generation Japanese from San Francisco, will speak on "Japanese of California" in today's meeting of Mr. Claude Settles' Study of Races class in Room 13 at 2 o'clock.

The meeting is open to the public with members of the Japanese Student club particularly urged to attend. The Study of Races class has made a practice of inviting outside speakers of different nationalities to speak on their respective races.

The formal meeting will be followed by an open discussion.

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Mrs. Lillian Gray Addresses Sonoma County Principals

Mrs. Lillian Gray of the Education department addressed the Sonoma County Principals' Association at a dinner meeting yesterday at Santa Rosa.

Mrs. Gray's topic was "The Teacher as a Person". She called attention to the fact that a rich personal life, filled with a variety of interests, favorably affects the type of teaching in the classroom.

Mrs. Gray next speaks to the Roosevelt junior high school Girl's League on the topic of "The Efficient Personality".

The talk will feature ways and means of making a more dynamic response to school opportunities. How to grow through the cultivation of broad interests in music, art, reading, club membership, hobbies, etc. will be outlined during the course of the talk.

RAINBOW, YAL OMED DANCE FRIDAY NIGHT

With a toy set as the price of admission, the third annual Christmas party of the Yal Omed and Rainbow Girls organizations will be held Friday night at the Lion's Den, according to Carl Arth, president of the organization.

Dancing, games, and refreshments are on the bill for the evening, the party to last from 8:00 to 12:00. Special guests will be members of the newly-formed Job's Daughters club, it was announced.

Richard Ormsby and Jeannette Weld are committee heads for the function.

Important YWCA Finance Committee meeting today in the 'Y' room at 4 o'clock. All members please be present.

—Chrmn. Ena Quetin.

By VANCE PERRY
Fear of opening both barrels and exploding the full power of modern war instruments is one reason for the "phoniness" of the present European war, Dr. William Poytress told the Behind the News class yesterday.

"Such great developments in the engines of war have taken place since World War 1 that no one knows just how to coordinate their use or just what the effect would be if used," he said. "Probably everyone is afraid of the consequences."

HITLER SURPRISED
Hitler has continued to be surprised ever since he got himself into the war with Britain and France over his invasion of Poland, maintained Dr. Poytress, while the Allies have pursued their most favorable tactics—of waiting Germany out.

And neither side dares to start blasting with full military power. In pursuing his discussion of the nature of the war, Dr. Poytress brought out the comparative strengths of the opponents.

FRENCH SUPERIOR
The French army, he maintains, is far superior to the German; on the sea the Allies have at least an 8 to 1 preponderance; Germany's only superiority is in the air, a superiority which will soon disappear with the removal of the American embargo.

Other phases taken up by Dr. Poytress were the Russian-German agreement, Italy's neutrality, and Russia's program in the Baltic area.

Yesterday's meeting of the news class was the last of the quarter before the examination.

Radio Club Discusses New Tests Tonight

Members of the Radio club will meet at the Shack on the east side of the campus tonight to continue discussion on the new radio operators' tests now being given by the Federal Communication Commission, announces Harry Engwicht, adviser for the organization.

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