

**Merry Christmas!**  
The Spartan Daily Wishes  
To Extend To Its Readers  
All The Season's Greetings

## Perry Appointed Daily Editor

### Book Exchange

### GROUP HANDLES TEXTS FOR SMALL SERVICE TAX

Student Operated, Non-Profit Organization Begins Work

The Student Book Exchange, a non-profit student service, begins its second day of operation today in the booth in front of the Morris Dailey auditorium.

The exchange, entirely student operated, sells books for students at the cost of five cents per book. Students wishing to have their books handled through the exchange are asked to list the title, author, and the price asked on a card, obtainable at the booth.

This card is to be submitted with the book and completes the procedure for selling books through the exchange.

Books not sold this quarter will be kept over vacation and sold at the beginning of the winter quarter. Money received by the exchange for the books will be returned immediately to the students requesting the same at the exchange booth.

If the book is not sold there is no charge by the service. The booth will be open today and tomorrow from 9 until 4 o'clock.

Five service organizations sponsor the Student Book Exchange, Spartan Spears, Spartan Knights, the college YMCA and YWCA, and Alpha Phi Omega.

The exchange has been in operation one quarter, having started during the spring quarter. Information about the exchange may be obtained from students at the booth.

### S J Players Open Winter Quarter With 'The Father'

Opening the winter quarter of the San Jose Players, campus dramatic group, will be Strindberg's sombre tragedy, "The Father," to be presented in the Little Theatre January 30 and 31.

Tryouts for the play, written by the greatest woman-hater of all time, will be held January 7 next quarter from 4 to 6 o'clock in the Little Theatre.

Seldom produced, Strindberg's drama tells the story of a woman's revenge on her husband by driving him insane. Well known to students of the drama, this play is described as one of the most exciting psychological melodramas of the modern European theatre.

Choice of the final production of the winter quarter will be in the hands of students and season-book holders, who will select one of four suggested plays by a ballot to be run in the Daily.

The four plays, all modern comedies, include "Father Malachy's Miracle," by Doherty, "Holliday" by Barry, "Margin for Error" by Clare Booth, and "Charlie's Aunt" by Brandon Thomas.

### Three Ways To Get Grades

Three ways to spoil an otherwise peaceful Christmas vacation, according to the Registrar's office, are these:

1. Call in person at the Registrar's office for your grade card on or after Thursday, December 19;
2. Deposit a self-addressed, stamped envelope in the slot in the Business office door; or
3. Put five cents in one of the envelopes provided by the Business office, address it, and deposit it in the slot.

### Fifty Students Apply For CAA Flight Training

Fifty students have applied already for flight training under the Civil Aeronautics Administration for next quarter, according to Charles Stewart, acting controller and assistant CAA co-ordinator, but more students are urged to make applications.

Preliminary physical examinations will be given candidates as soon as the winter quarter opens, Stewart said. Although no quota has as yet been set for San Jose State college, Stewart is anxious for more students to make applications for both preliminary and advanced training.

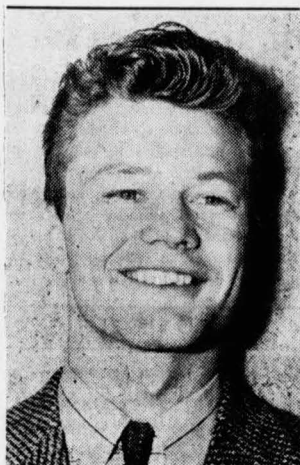
A pledge which each applicant must sign stating that he must take flight training in the military service of the United States takes effect only in case of national emergency, Stewart emphasizes.

To be eligible for CAA training, which starts January 15, students must have completed two years of college work by the time he finishes the program, and must be at least 19 years old and not over 26.

### Faculty Issues Second Publication

Faculty News, monthly publication of the faculty of San Jose State college came out Tuesday afternoon with its second edition of 26 pages of stories, letters, poems, humorous sketches of the various faculty members.

### Daily Editors--New And Old



Above are the two figured in the Spartan Daily editorship change, Vance Perry, left, and Pony Swenson. Perry succeeds the latter, who completes his classwork here with the end of this quarter.

### NEXT QUARTER

### STUDENTS FACE LATE FEE UNLESS HERE BY DEC. 30

Washington Square students this year must return to the campus before New Year's Day unless they wish to pay the \$1 late fee and face the risk of filled classes, Registrar Joe E. West emphasized yesterday.

For the second time in recent years winter quarter registration will be held before New Year's Day and instruction will begin on the day usually set aside for planning the New Year's Eve celebration.

Registration of all full-time students will begin with the C's and D's at 7:15 a.m. Monday morning, December 30. Classes get underway the following day, December 31, with a holiday at the beginning of the New Year.

January 3 is the last day to register late or to add courses.

The early return to classes was scheduled by the administration in order to allow students more time to work before Christmas.

### Council Studies Change Of Date For Revelries

Strong possibility that Spartan Revelries, annual student produced show, will be divorced from Spardi Gras day was hinted by the student council at its final business meeting of the year last Sunday.

While any action on making the change was deferred until next quarter, council members freely discussed the advisability of separating the two traditional celebrations, with the Revelries being held sometime in the Winter quarter.

Lull in winter quarter activities and the crowding of too many events into Spardi Gras day were the two main reasons given for wanting to make the change. Councilman Bill Van Vleck, who is heading the Spartan Revelries committee, discounted the possibility that a winter quarter show would be on too short a notice.

If the Revelries date is changed, council members' tentative plans call for a costume ball the night of Spardi Gras day, instead of the usual sport dance which winds up the festivities.

### College Flag Contest Opens; Cash Prize Given

Offering a \$5 prize for the best design submitted, the student council will sponsor a college flag contest, beginning Registration day and ending January 10, announces President Bob Payne.

Rules have not been drawn up yet, but will be ready for publication opening day of the contest, Payne says.

### NYA Time Cards Due Tomorrow

"Anyone leaving school without first personally signing and bringing his NYA time cards to my office before five o'clock Friday will positively not get his money sent him," states Paul M. Pitman, Dean of Men.

These cards must also have the home or Christmas address of the student in order that the money will reach him since the government does not forward such mail, according to Pitman.

### DON GRIFFIN NAMED NEW RALLY HEAD BY COUNCIL

Maninna Heads Social Affairs

Editorial destinies of the Spartan Daily for the winter quarter have been placed in the hands of Vance Perry, senior journalism major, it was officially announced yesterday by the student council, which made the appointment upon recommendation of Department Head Dwight Bentel.

Perry succeeds Carl (Pony) Swenson, senior, who leaves at the end of this quarter to complete his journalism curriculum as a member of the Fullerton Daily News Tribune staff for a period of 10 weeks.

Previous to his appointment to the editorship, Perry has held the position of news editor, copy editor and has served as associate editor this quarter. Before coming to San Jose State college in 1939, Perry was editor of The Arroyo, Riverside junior college publication.

Other winter quarter appointments made by the council, were Harrett Maninna, social affairs chairman, and Don Griffin rally head. Maninna succeeds Walt Curry, while Griffin replaces Don True, who has held the position during the last two quarters.

Although a number of vacancies on the student council loom for next quarter, no action will be taken to fill these until the first winter meeting. Verne Williams, on leave of absence, is expected to (Continued on Page 5)

### Riding Club Takes Places In Show

Members of the San Jose State college Riding club won a first, second, and third place and a special prize in the Sectional Horse show given by San Francisco junior college at the San Francisco riding school last Saturday.

Students participating in the event were: Virginia Peekema, Barbara Lee Owen, Jane Lovell, Duke McKinnon, Mercedes Fish and Paula Beckwith.

Six members will compete Saturday night in a horse show with San Mateo J.C. at the Gymkhana club here, according to Paula Beckwith, president.

The club will resume its weekly rides starting the first of next quarter.

### Bill Regan Gets Job As Photographer In SF

Bill Regan, 1940 graduate in journalism, received a position with the Pan-Pacific press bureau yesterday.

While attending San Jose State college he was a day editor on the Spartan Daily and Photo Editor of La Torre.



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DR. T. W. MacQUARRIE

## Just Among Ourselves

WE are beginning to think that many of our low grades are the result of overloads. A good many students have a tendency to register for too many units of work. Especially is this so when they are also attempting to earn a part or all of their way through college.

Sixteen and one-half units is a full load. That should take all of the time of a good student.

There are no simple, natural laws that govern load, but we must have some way of measuring, and experience in American colleges seems to indicate that a study load of 15 to 16½ units is about all a good student can handle when he is free to put all of his time on it.

So, when you come to register next quarter, don't expect to take more than 16½ units unless you have already demonstrated that you are an unusually good student and that you have full time for the work.

If you must do outside work,

don't expect to take a full load. For every five hours or thereabouts of outside work, you should cut off at least one unit from your study list.

In the meantime, the Personnel Committee will spend a good many hours considering the cases of those who have attempted work beyond their capacities.

## NOTICES

Will the person who found a small yellow band folder after the COP parade please return it to the Lost and Found or the Music department. W.O.D.

There will be a farewell dinner for Carl Arth, past president, and graduating senior tonight at the house. Will all the members contact one of the fellows that live at the house and say whether they will attend. Please let us know before Thursday noon. Bill Booth.

## NOTICES

WANTED—A male room mate. A very reasonable room near 7th and San Carlos. Apply Dean Pittman's office.

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Wanted: A ride to Los Angeles, San Diego, or some point south. Glad to share expenses. Call Bal. 6116 today or tomorrow before 9 p.m. Cal Moody.

All those working on the committee of the Alpha Pi Omega New Year's party please meet in front of the quad at 12:05 today for a short meeting to smooth up arrangements before the vacation. Thanks.—Baskin.

● PONY SWENSON

## Putting 2 & 2 Together

An open letter to my successor, Vance Perry:

BOWING OUT—Friend Vance, the inevitable has come, and my all too short a term as Spartan Daily editor draws to an end with this final edition. It is with a great deal of sadness that I must relinquish my responsibilities as editor, yet it is with real pleasure that I leave the job in such capable and deserving hands as yours. It is through your own personal efforts,

ability, and attitude that you have reached the ultimate goal of most college journalists—the editorship.

REPETITION NOT NEEDED—As my assistant you have worked in such close cooperation with me that it is needless to point out to you what your coming job has in store. I know you are fully cognizant of what goes with the editorship, its problems and its merits. You know that the demands of many will tax your discretion, but you will always do what you think is for the best interests of the college. You will be patient with those who offer unwarranted criticism and appreciative of those who give favorable comment.

IN PASSING—I shall always be indebted to you for your services rendered during my reign. You have proved a trustworthy colleague and a valued friend. Also I am grateful to the others who have worked so diligently, especially John Healey, my capable copy editor, and Harry Graham, whose editorial page has set a standard and Frank Rondone, the printer.

This has been a pleasant job from the very beginning until the clink of the final linotype matrix. Thus, another editor passes.

## NOTICE

The following students are charged out with athletic equipment and unless it is checked in to me by the end of the week they will not be allowed to register next quarter: Wardell, H. Smith, M. Wempe, Don Thomsen, C. Townsend, Vic Schirle, Harry Wenzell, Hal Ellis, Joe Hunter, R. Seagrave, C. McKay, Wilford McDaniel, Frank Arnerich, August Avila, Otto Kuhl, Warren Morton, Ed Roberts, Mervyn Cowan, Geo Edes, Milt Pyle, Earl Paullus, Lewis Lacy, Warren Sunzeri, Usher Tucker, Henry Walters, Forrest Michaels, Bob Meusel, J. E. Wilson.

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## Spartan Grid Prospects For Next Year Hot

Although losing 10 seniors from this year's football team, Spartan prospects for next season are already looking up fairly bright.

Coaches Winkelman and Warner lose an entire backfield unit and then some in Truck Tonnell, fullback, Joe Rishwain and Jack Sarkisian, quarterbacks; Howard Costello, left half, and Ted Andrews and Rex Pursell, right halves.

In the line, losses are Lou Antognani at end, Svend Hansen, tackle, Kenny Cook, guard, and Morris Buckingham, center.

### STARS COME BACK

While these losses don't exactly give a coach cause for smiling, the list of those men returning for more Gold and White duty is impressive.

At ends, two first stringers, John Allen, and Co-Captain Ed Wenberg, and George Terry and Joe Marelich return. For tackles there will be the other co-captain, Bob Hamill, and George Hearn and Gray McConnell.

Jim Wilson will be back at the running guard spot, while Bob Riddle is being groomed to fill Cook's big shoes. Riddle's competition will come from Ralph Herrick and possible Jaysee transfers.

At center, Willie Wool, the sophomore, will be back. "Sag" Saghe-

## Intra-Mural

By SID NIEDERHAUSER

Ronald Edwards was crowned king of the college ping pong players last week, defeating Vic Morton in the finals, 21-12, 28-26, 21-16.

This match was well played and both men fought for every point, especially in the second set that went to 28-26 before a decision.

Credit for fine playing and sportsmanship goes to all those who competed in the tournament, run under the supervision of Tony Nasimento.

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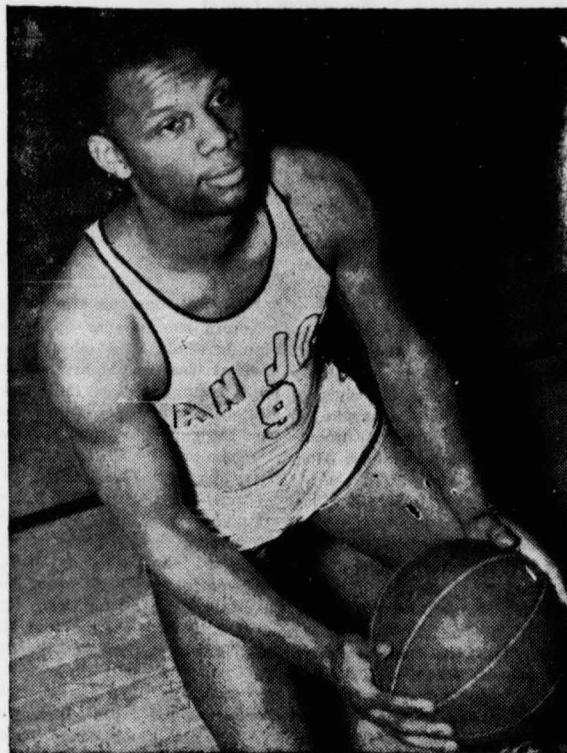
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telion, 235-pounder from Stockton, will also come up from the frosh to bolster this spot.

### HUBA-HUBA

In the backfield there will be Dick Hubbell, the swift Hawaiian fullback who sparked more than one San Jose victory this year with triple-threat Fred Lindsay to back him up, at the halves there remains Bud Nygren, Aubrey Minter and John Woffington (could you ask for more), and at quarterback will be George Wagner, the chunky kid from Southern Cal, who is destined for a starring role.

## Sparta's Busiest Athlete



Pictured above is Johnnie Allen, one of Sparta's greatest and busiest athletes, who turns to basketball next quarter. Johnnie, who has played a big part in Sparta's football success the past two seasons, holds down a regular guard post on Coach Walt McPherson's varsity casaba squad. Johnnie manages to keep

pretty busy the year around, following up basketball with baseball and spring football. Wonder what he'd do if he had time to go out for track?

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# ARROW SHIRTS

## SPORT SLANTS

By BENNIE FRIZZI

Guess football isn't really dead until that last football is tucked away on New Year's Day, so here's brushing up a few more football facts concerning Sparta:

Santa Barbara's student paper, El Gaucho, has come up with an all-conference team that looks pretty darn good, but as is usually the case regarding any all-star selection, we take exception to a couple of choices.

### WHERE'S ALLEN?

In the first place, they left off John Allen, and there are plenty of students around this neck of the woods who will back me up when I say that any all-star outfit minus the name of John Allen just isn't an all-star outfit.

As the team stands, San Jose has five men on it, Fresno four, and Santa Barbara two. Poor San Diego State was completely ignored and this corner thinks Bob Brietbard, a swell Aztec guard, should have been named.

Here's how the Gaucho scribes picked them: Pickens, S.B., and Mulkey, Fresno, ends; Hansen, San Jose, and Irola, Fresno, tackles; Cook, San Jose, and Renfro, Fresno, guards; Buckingham, San Jose, center; Rishwain, San Jose, quarterback; Nygren, San Jose, and Terry, Fresno, halves; (where's Ernie Poore by the way); and Ernie Saenz, S.B., fullback.

Kenny Cook, considered one of the best guards on the Pacific coast, was ignored by the Associated Press in their Little All-American selections. Cook was the only Spartan even considered, being given honorable mention among the guards. Fresno's Jack Mulkey

was named for one of the first team end spots. We can't quite understand the A.P.'s selections, especially after they gave not only Cook, but Bud Nygren and John Allen, honorable All-Coast mention among the best top teams. Nygren and Cook received the same mention on the United Press All-Coast.

### HOW ABOUT IT?

It seems that the West Shrine selectors are passing up a good man in Cook. You'd think they'd have at least one Spartan on the team, if only to show their appreciation, after Leroy Zimmerman won the game for them last year.

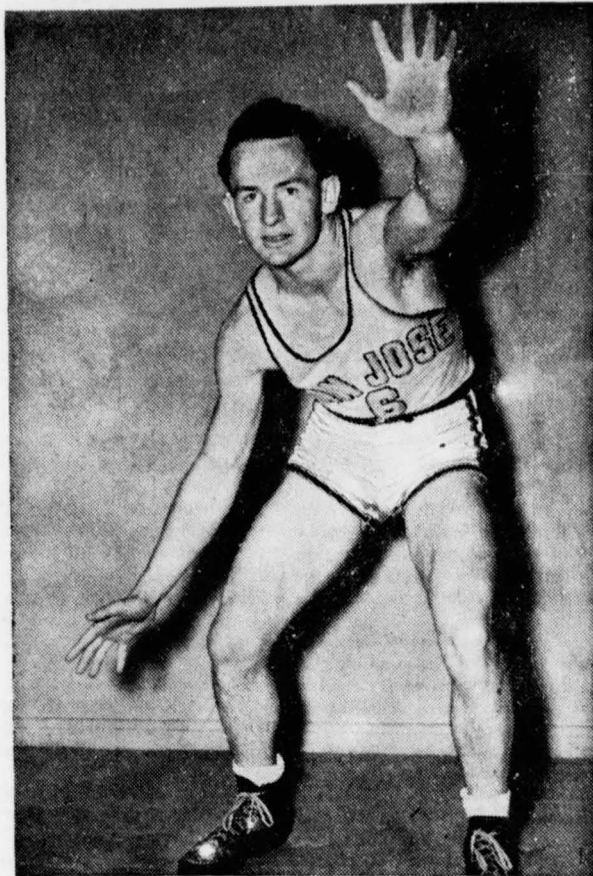
While on all-star teams, here's the way San Jose picked their all-opponents outfit: Mulkey, Fresno, and Kynock, USF, ends; Irola, Fresno, and Evans, Texas, tackles; Brietbard, San Diego, and Fraiola, Willamette, guards; Burgess, Fresno, center; Maughan, Utah, quarterback; Poore, Fresno, and Motley, Nevada, halves; and Mattingly, Texas, fullback. Mulkey, Motley, and Poore are named as the three toughest faced all year.

Allen and Cook made Fresno State's all-opponent team, while Cook and Nygren were named in the Willamette University selections.

### NEXT YEAR

Looking ahead to next year San Jose officials are hot on the trail of some outstanding games. "Pop" Warner is trying to line up Temple in the east, and is also trying to convince University of California officials that a Spartan-Bear clash would fill plenty of seats in the Berkeley stadium.

## Captains Varsity Cagers



Captain Hal "Pappy" Carruth is a small man as basketball players are rated, but he more than makes up for his lack of stature with ability. "Hal" leads the varsity cagers in a 22-game schedule, starting during the holidays, December 27 and 28, against Humboldt State. Hal is expected to hold down one of the first string forward spots when the Spartans play their first game of the winter quarter on January 3, meeting Utah State's Aggies in an intersectional clash in Spartan pavilion.

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## Health Office To Offer Course In Home Nursing

A course in practical home nursing will be added to the Health department's curriculum next quarter, according to Miss Margaret Twombly, Health and Hygiene head.

It will be a two unit course, given from 3 to 5, Mondays and Wednesdays, with Mrs. Helen Vinson of the Health staff instructing.

"We feel such a course is important, because the army and navy take nurses out of the civilian population, which often leaves a shortage for public service, as in the recent influenza epidemic," Miss Twombly declares.

"Students completing this study should be able to obtain a Red Cross certificate for home nursing, as this organization has sent out requests for persons with training in reading a thermometer, changing beds, and so forth."

## Discussion Of Defense Held

Approximately 40 of the city's leading business and professional people met with a group of San Jose State college educators Monday night at Hotel De Anza to discuss the problem of education and replacement training for the national defense program.

Chairman for the meeting was Dr. Earl Atkinson, head of the Commerce department. Keynote talk was delivered by Dr. William Poytress, Social Science department head, who with Worth Oswald presented a picture of how economic problems will affect the education-for-defense program.

Questions brought before the meeting included: Will there be employment opportunities for those now in training in our various training institutions? How many additional workers may be required to fill the needs of business? What can the schools and colleges do? What can business do?

## Council Appointment

(Continued from Page 1)  
return to replace temporary Councilman Swenson. There is also a possibility that Gay Van Perre and Bill Van Vleck will be absent next quarter because of student teaching.

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## Miss Thompson To Sing For Yuletide

Christmas holidays mean more work to Miss Maurine Thompson, music department faculty member, who has at least five singing engagements scheduled for the holiday season.

Miss Thompson, a popular soloist, sang alto arias of "The Messiah" with San Jose Chorus last night. She sings with the Modesto chorus Sunday, December 15.

On Wednesday, December 18, Miss Thompson presents a group of Christmas songs to the San Jose Music Study club for their Christmas tea. The Presbyterian Church choir will have her as soloist for their cantata to be given December 20 and 22.

Would like a ride to Elko, Nevada or vicinity. Willing to share expenses. Party of 1 or 2. Call Ballard 2240-J.

Lost: A rust wool purse. Left in room 127, Monday between 10 and 12. Please turn into the Information office as soon as possible. Reva Galvin.

Wanted: A ride for two to Los Angeles or Santa Ana on Friday after 3 p.m. or anytime Saturday. Gladly share expenses. Call Bal. 3636. Ellen Neal.

## STUDENTS MEET AT ASILOMAR DECEMBER 26

Students from western states and Hawaii will discuss social programs and mutual problems when they meet at the annual conference in Asilomar, December 26 to January 2.

Each year approximately 600 students attend the conference. Thirty San Jose State college students are expected to attend this year.

"Participation in an Asilomar Conference gives direction to thinking through personal and social problems, and is an enriching experience in social living," states Dr. Bertha Mason of the college medical staff in speaking of the YW-YMCA conference which will be held on the Monterey peninsula.

Anyone wishing a ride to Eureka, Friday noon, and willing to share expenses, please contact me through my co-op box.

—Brian Pearce.

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Will the person who found my ruler and pencils please turn them in to the Lost and Found. At least turn the ruler in—I borrowed it. B. T.

Deutscher Verein: Will the following members please go to the La Torre office and sign for the

## Three Honored By Debate Team

Chosen as the outstanding speakers in the recent inter-squad debate tournament, Tom Griffin, Ronald Maas, and Woodrow Semerau were presented with bronze keys Monday afternoon at a meeting of the debate teams.

The presentation was made by Leroy Troutner, president of the Spartan Senate, honorary debate society.

Deutscher Verein on their photo cards: Vivian Larson, Lois Bohnett, Ronald Hadley, Russ Roesler, Marjorie Turman.—R.H.D.

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