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## The Pre-Final Pressure Is Off

In three weeks students will begin another siege of finals, but this time they will enter final week under less pressure than they did last quarter. This is because of a new ruling that instructors must not give examinations during the week before finals.
The majority of students find that their work tends to pile up on them. Even though at the beginning they made good resolutions to keep up in all their assignments, still at the end they find they have a term paper, a book report and a notebook due, to say nothing of several books to read and a composition to write.

This isn't necessarily because they are lazy or careless about their work. It is just because, in keeping up with their daily assignments, they have to let the bigger term proj-
ects, which most classes require, slide along with a little being done on them from time to time. Then, as the end of the quarter draws near, they have to rush to get it done.
Under this new ruling, students will have the week before finals in which to finish up their term papers, notebooks and so forth without having to cope with a series of "pre final" examinations. If they are fortunate they will also find time during this period to begin a review of the work they have covered during the quarter in preparation for "the test"
This will not only relieve the pressure for students, but it will also give them a chance to put their
time comes.

Editorials and foeturos sppoasing in the Spartion Doily reflect the viewpoint of the writor and make no
claim to roprosent student opinion, nor sro they nocossarily oxpressive of the Doillys own policy. Un. n, nor are they necessarily expressive
signed editorials are by the editor.

## Who Owns The Shield?

Twelve years ago five freshmen fled looking for a shield, decided it would make through the countryside by automobile with a small piece of wood a foot and a half in diameter, on which was glued a ply-wood Spartan head. Three times the shield switched cars and continued the flight from the sophomores, until it finally was lodged where no one could get to it-a bank vault.

It was the intention of the two classes for the shield to be offered every quarter as a prize to be kept by the winning class for the duration of the quarter.
Although not legalistically minded, to us there can seem no doubt but that the class which locked the shield up still retains prior rights of ownership. At any rate, Spartan Knights have little basis for hanging on to the shield merely because a friend of a Spartan Knight worked in the bank where the article was kept, and since the Knights are

## ORGANIZATION CALENDAR



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His is just stu hast quarter I wrote, but fechly eeven-inch conglomeration that
ceebly, a
atalowed catalogued the idiosyncracies of the various members of the Spartan Daily staff. On this groggy Saturday morning, with the sun
and $I$ in a conversational mod it and $I$ in a conversational mod, it
seems appropriate to take up where last the ink was dry.

## I have heard it said, more often

 than not, that the journalist neverdoes anything. What the critics mean is that What the critics studies the patterned prosaics that

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## Nothing Sacred

## somebody else has whipped up

There has never been, with a rare exception, a member of the spar xception, a member of the Spar
an Daily staff who was also good mathematician or a good
chemist, or one who even under. stood these one w

## To the clum

To the chem major, all othe studies are subordinate to his pri mary subject, and he and the psy chologist and the musician and the mechanic seem unable to under
stand that to a journalist his fession is a composite of all ression is a composite of all of
these. Not that the writer knows a single important fact about any of the liberal arts; but he does un-
derstand them, and understand their place in the relative schem of things.
To watch Frank Bonanno punch a typewriter all over a desk and
then completely rewrite his fin ished drafteterery Vancerite Perrys fork-
ling himeeff into a noryous bork ing himself into a nervous break-
nice giff.
Knights want the shield to hang in their new official abode at 95 South Fourteenth It would look nice, they feel, above a fire place or davenport.
But after all, the plaque is only plywood decorated with a Spartan head and a little gilt pint, now pretty well rubbed off. It has no sentimental value for the Spartan Knights, they have none of the group interest in the
article which would arise in the hearts of freshmen and sophomores. Another plaque could be made which would serve the purposes of the Knights in the same capacity
while the historic tales which float around the piece hallow it to the hearts of all lower classmen. There can be no replacement for them. There can be only one such shield with which their class forerunners, staged the
Spartan Battle of the Century."

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ailbox in front of the mod- stamp, had even theigh glass mailbox in front the corner. phoning. ernistic house around glance that phing
their son at college has again for- many letters about recire a good gotten to write them." many letters about careless goung
soldiers who forget One of our students I remember an inget their parents that this week on a postcard, a A young fellow was being France gentle hint from his dad that the up and down the main marched home folks wouldn't mind hearing the village. He was rigged out in from him once in a while. Which brings up the general question.

Dr. DeVoss tells me that he has heavy marching order, full pack, had more than the usual number | of letters this year, and particular- | bricks in his pockets to satisfy the |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ly in the last few weeks, from charge and wheants who were if parents whose boys have failed to to favor the young in no mood write Of course, we all agree I found that the fellow. write. Of course, we aly agree been found that the discipline hed bit lazy, certainly thoughtless, battalion because the man by perhaps petulant. It's a way we failed to write to his mother had perhaps petulant. 1ts a way we

have of punishing the home folks in Kansas. Incidentally, thed $\begin{array}{ll}\text { when they don't behave. } & \text { or had ordered the soldier to mathe }\end{array}$ There is nothing much that one five letters to his mother that very can do about it. We invite the night and he, the major, would young man in and ask him if he is choose the one which seemed bat still registered in the college, if he to indicate the attitude of a dostis all right, and if he happens to ful son. Those letters were to be emember some recent ancestors
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of his.
The
The delinquent is usually much man parade would continue the解列, didn't realize that it next day.
had been so long, had been carry- If you know what I mean.

## Margin For Error

EVERY other columnist has, so, Even our enterprising adverth now it is my turn: ing staff seems to have fallen vis Most important and influential tim to the charms of the gree time of the year seems to be grass, etc. They aer planning 1
SPRING. Why we don't know, but
special spring edition of the Dals SPRING. Why we don't know, but special spring edition of the Dalk, it seems to have a stronger effect $\begin{aligned} & \text { to be devoted mainly to what nes } \\ & \text { on every department of college } \\ & \text { clothes can accomplish for the }\end{aligned}$ on every department of college clothes can accomplish for the
than any other season. And it students who during the long drat than any other season. And it students who during the long drat doesnt' stop there. Every walk of miserable winter have lost ther life is influenced by the synchro- sense of originality, but still hare nized appearance of the birds, bees and nature's new spring ensemble.
Those much publicised first signs
spring seem to lubricate the wheels of the world at large. Business people dress up their shop indows, a revolution in the fashon world takes place, poets, paint ers, writers and musicians glow with potential masterpieces and the road to romance has a traffic jam. he "where-with-all". (Ther w. erior motive is commercial The with advertising.) The question arises; men well The w, but who looks at them! hat a woman should write tite ashion column (this is probaldy the closest she'll ever get to ith ing her opinions regarding sill subject.)

## NOTICES

Miss Barbara Ross' beginning dinner February 27 at $7: 30$ pleas
dance class 28A, which meets reg- let us have your 35 cents betart dance class 28A, which meets reg- let us have your 35 cents befur ularly at $1 \mathrm{p.m}$. on Mondays and midnight tomorrow. Fridays, will meet on Monday and -Emily Bohnett, Vivian Lassa Wednesday at 1 p.m. this week in-

All girls dancing in the etralk
ganza will meet at the pool at 6 ild tonight without fail. Junior and senior Home Eco-
nomic majors and minors should

Volunteers are wanted for the pre-register for the spring quarter
with Dr. Margaret Jones sometime technical staff of "Margin it
during the five during the five days following the Error". Electricians, stage ders issuance of new class schedules. Please have a tentative program

The state Flying club bw
hanged its meetings from WW
Radio Speaking class: Meet at nesday to Monday at $70^{\circ}$ clock tation KQW at 8:15 tomorrow room S31. morning for trip through the stu-dio.-Ray Irwin.

Will all committee heads of
Will all committee heads 18
All members of Der Deutche 4:00 today in room 24.
Verein who wish to go to the -Beverly Bynes
down over a "hot" editorial topic; | insight into human character nul or John Healey silently cursing ize that though the scientist div the beat reporters who have air- covers and perfects, the jounnh tight reasons why they can't go creates. down to the shop on a certain
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even those students with the least

# State Boxers Tie Idaho Vandals 4 To 4 <br> EAPPER, PORTAL wive SCALPS ON WORHERN TOUR A fighting San Jose State cat $\begin{array}{ll}\text { lise boxing team came from be- } \\ \text { tive Friday night to earn a } & 4-4\end{array}$ <br> \section*{In Thick Of CCAA Cage Race} <br> <br> SPARTANS HAND <br> <br> SPARTANS HAND NEVADA WOLVES NEVADA WOLVES DOUBLE SETBACK 

 DOUBLE SETBACK}
to with a highly favored national mampionship University of Idaho yosew. The tie was a moral victory for te Spartans inasmuch as Idaho is nputed to have the strongest team in the United States. Coach DeTitt Portal attributes the team's mexpected showing to the "ambiistrous offense" displayed for the
ist time this year. firt time this year
The meet was undecided until te final heavyweight match when yurtan Jack Kemper came from
wind to defeat Veto Berllus of wiind to defeat Veto Berllus of
wablo. Berrlus shaded Kemper in lato. Berrlus shaded Kemper in
te first round, but Kemper came to first round, but Kemper came
iws strong and had Berllus on wiks strong and had Berlius on ful round.
Kemper's victory made him the my double winner on the trip and te only boxer to return without Is salp shaved. Portal also saved 45 hair as San Jose won eight out $d$ its 16 matches on the tour. The Spartans might have won to meet in the $\mathbf{1 2 7}$-pound class then Dick Miyagawa cut his eye it the second round. Miyagawa ns leading Frank Kara, PCI titleWider, at the time but
of forfeit the match.
m forfeit the match.
In a surprise move, Portal subdelted bantamweight Bob Web-
be for Tony Nasimento in the le for Tony Nasimento in the
attreight class. Webber lost an uypular decision to Norman

## The summary

Heated Bill Sell Kara, Idaho 127 pounds-Frank Kara, Idaho, thated Dick Miyagawa, San Jose (eat eye).
135 pounds - Norman Jensen,
he. he, defeated Don Reed, Idaho. 158 pounds-Bill Moulden, San ${ }^{\text {lomen }}$ luho. defeated Claude Hansen, lis pounds-Stan Smith, San
hee won from Thabo. (Technical knockout). 175
phato,
pounds-Lated Jack $\begin{gathered}\text { Erickson, } \\ \text { Sarkisian, }\end{gathered}$ in dose.
In Jose, defeated Vito Berllus
Sweaters Clinch 'A' League Play


Milton "Milky" Phelps, Little All-American forward from San Diego State college, will be in the thick of California Collegiate Athletic Association race tonight and tomorrow night, when the Spartans battle the Aztecs for what may be the deciding games of Ho cortemem bee

## VARSITY BASEBALLERS OPEN AGAINST STANFORD INDIANS TOMORROW

San Jose State's varsity baseball nine will make its belated ap pearance of the 1941 season when it treks up to Stanford tomorrow to engage the Indian nine on the Sunken diamond. Rain, which caused the season's opener to be postponed, may also cause McPherson to cancel this tilt.

The Spartan varsity will go into the fray with a few meager days
of practice behind them and no
actual contest played. Still in
doubt as to whom he will start,
mentor McPherson will probably
stick with a lineup of mostly
veterans.
INDIANS STRONG

Siebert, Helbush, Carruth Lead San Joseans In Scoring by ben frizz

Spartan basketballers got into the mood for the series opener with San Diego tonight by handing the University of Nevada a double setback over the weekend, 50 to 42 on Friday, 57 to 42 on Saturday night.

Tall Menno Siebert led the Spartan attack, taking 12 and 14 points on the two nights for a total of 26. O'Shaughnessy led the Wolfpack scoring by matching Siebert for high point honors, making 16 on Friday and 10 on Saturday for a FROSH CAGERS IN DOUBLE WIN OVER WEEKEND

## START FAST

In Saturday night's game the Spartans started fast with Sieber sinking the first five points for San Jose, but the Wolves spurted to the fore by 9 to 7 in six minutes. That was the only time they were ahead. With Siebert, Carruth Uhrhammer, Carter and Helbush peppering the basket the Spartans had a 31 to 20 margin at halftime Uhrhammer showed signs of coming out of his slump during this scoring spree, whisking in two quick baskets Just before the gun. Also encouraging was the sparkling play of Captain Hal Carruth, who accounted for 16 points in both games.

CARTER SPARKLES In the second half the Spartans kept hitting the basket and were never headed. Charlie Sturz played a good defensive game in this half, alive for the fans with his clown alive for the fans with his clown-
ing, in addition to turning in a sparkling game.
In Friday night's game the Spartans started slow and found Spartans started slow and found minutes by a score of 5 to 0 . Ernie Allen, Siebert and Boysen put the Spartans back in the ball game in Spartans back in the ball game in
short order and by halftime Coach short order and by halftime Coach 21 to 18 advantage.

## NEVADA SPURTS

Nevada closed the gap and in six minutes went ahead, 23 to 22 on Vaughn's field goal. The lead see-sawed back and forth for sev eral minutes with Siebert and Hel bush finally putting San Jose back in front with ten minutes to go, in fron
$30-29$.

At this point the game developed into another affair similar to the hectic Gaucho series with Nevada going into a 40 to 39 lead with four minutes to play.
Both games were rough with Referees Bunn and Bailey calling stand. San Jose drew most of the ouls, 43 compared to Nevada's 27 Helbush for San Jose, and Harris for Nevada, pressed the high scoris for honors, the former scoring 18 points in two games, while Harris accounted for 16 , fourteen com ing on Saturday night for high point honors.

## Nevada Wrestling

Matches Postponed
The scheduled wresting meet between the University of Nevada
and San Jose Friday night was and San Jose Friday night was
postponed at the last minute until postponed at the last minute until Early Friday morning Coach Sam Della Maggiore received a wire from the Nevada graduate manager stating the Wolfpack would not be able to appear. Next competition for the grapplers will be in the annual Far Western tournament at Oakland Friday and Saturday.

## DINNER FOLLOWS SWIM AT QUARTERLY CO-ED GET-TOGETHER THURSDAY <br> By Symphony

## If it rains as much this week as it did last week, women students

 who attend the Swim-a-nic scheduled for this Thursday evening may have to do their own swimming or use outboard motors to transport them to the Fior d'Italia hotel for the dinner that follows the swim.Swimmers will meet from 4 until 5:30 at the pool for the swimming part of the program. Swim-a-nic and the only requik from the Health office.
Following the swim, those students who desire to will adjourn Italian dinner. The cost of the Italian dinner. The cost
dinner will be 50 cents... dinner will to so cents... Those should sign up by 4 o'clock on the should sin gym or at the pool.
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Concluding the evening, the
group will attend the Stategroup will attend the State-Fulmeet at the pool.
The Swim-a-nic is a quarterly event sponsored by the Women's
Swimming club for all women students. One has been held each quarter since the pool structed.
Commitee tor the swim-a-nic Includes Jessie Burns, place cards; Elaine Hanks will assist with dec-
orations. Norma Ojstedt, Swimming club president, is in charge of the affair.

## BRONSON-WISE

 ENGAGEMENTMiss Helen Bronson, secretary
to the Registrar, has announced her engagement to Lauress Lee college from 1935 to 1937. Miss Bronson graduated from Miss Bronson graduated from
San Jose State college with the San Jose State college w. degree in commerce. Mr. Wise graduated from Stanford
class of 1939 .
class of 1930

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## Women Students Invited To Dance

Women students interested in
attending a series of dances to be
given for Moffett Field enlisted
men, starting March 8, are in-
vited to fill in application blanks
in Dean of Women Helen Dim-
mick's office, room 19.
The applications, which should
eontain references, will be sub-
mitted to a downtown committee
for approval. The women will be
notified by the committee.
Women are advised to attend in
groups, as transportation will be
provided only for the Moffett Field
men. The dances will last from
8:30 to $11: 30$ o'clock, and will be
held in the gymnasium of differ-
ent city school departments.
BusinesS Society
Meets Tonight

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| be held by members of Pi |  |
| mega Pi, business education soety, at the home of John Hermsrf, 601 South Fifth street, this ening at 7:30 sharp, declares | according to George Matthews of the Music department. <br> Students who wish to take part <br> in the contest may enter compo |
| upert Kendall, president. | sitions in the followi |
| W doing their student teach | piano solo, vocal solo, instrume |
|  | ps and choral groups |
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| "Since this is our last meeting, | Cash awards will |
| all members | ni |
| ar | division. |
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| which is planned," Kendall | numbers will be presented so |
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## COMMERCE CLUB REPLACED BY FOUR GROUPS Too large to function as an ficient organization, the Commer club, long an active group on the camps, has been replaced by four specialized groups, announces Earl W. Atkinson, Commerce department head. Pi Omega Pi, the first of these, is an honor society for those working for special secondary creden has been on the campus since 1934 This is headed by Rupert Kendal with Milburn Wright as faculty ad <br> Accounting majors are enrolled Raymond Col, with Wilbur Kelle and Weaver Meadows as facult advisers. This group plans afi tion with a national

 For secretarial majors, there isPi Delta Sigma, headed by James Gualtieri, with Jay Burger as fac
ulty adviser.
The, four-year merchandisin students are now forming a group and are working out plans fo
affiliation with a nationally known merchandising fraternity. Presi dent is Norman Brown, and ad THESE STUDENTS MUST REPORT TO HEALTH OFFICE
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port to the Health office, room 31
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Roland Johnson, Virginia Johnson, Phil Johnston, Dave Jones. Rose Kaitner, Byron Kalin, Ma
sako Kamitaki, Eleano sako Kamitaki, Eleanor Kamp
Vernon Keithley, George Kellogg Geraldine King, Robbins King, E izabeth Kitchen, Stephen Klass,
Richard Knos, Charles Kopp tinger, Darleen Krier, Marian Krouse, Fred Kruse, Otto Kuhl.
Philip LaBarbera, Robert Lamb Barbara La Peire, Beulahmae Lat rence, Paul Laut, Oscar Lawless,
Loan Le Brun, Leslie Leight, David Leonard, Mary Liev, Mabel Lin

five weeks remain IN MUSIC CONTEST
time during the spring quarter.

Concert To Be CHOP STICKS SOLD THIS Given March 4 WEEK FOR W.S.S.F. DRIVE

## San Jose State college's annua

 on Tuesday evening. March 4, at 8.15 in Morris Dailey auditorium, head of the Music department. Included on the program will be"Symphony Number 5 in E Minor" "Symphony Number 5 in E Minor
by Tschaikowsky, "Concerto Num ber 2 in D Minor for Flute and
Orchestra" by Mozart, "Afternoon of a Faun" by Debussey and "Pop
Goes the Weasel" by Cailliet. This is the first time that the symphony orchestra has presented a flute concerto, Otterstein said.
Major symphony orchestras have not been using woodwind and brass

## solo instru.

"Pop! Goes the Weasel" is an
arrangement of a familiar American folk tune and has become quite p
anteromon of a Faun" is is ex

Luncheon Club
Hears Speaker
Mary Morrissett, field secretary
for the Student Peace Service,
sponsored by the American Friends
Service committee, will speak to
members of the Fireside Luncheon
club today noon in the "Y" club-
rooms of the Student Center, 120
East San Antonio street.
Explaining the summer student
projects in the United States, Miss
Morrissett will also speak on those
in Mexico and Cuba.
The Student Peace Service is
an educational program where
students meet at an Institute of
International Relations for a train-
ing period, after which they work
in various communities for 6 or 7
weeks.
Miss Morrissett will be here pri-
marily to interview and recruite marily to interview and recruit
those who have an interest tace not have an inerest in O Emi Kimura, cenairnan
classes, in classrooms, in the quad and everywhere Wednesday, The classes, in classrooms, in the quad and everywhere Wednesday, Thens
day and Friday of this week, according to Emi Kimura, chaimen the World Student Service Fund Drive beginning today.
The chop sticks will symbolize the drive for funds to aid stuve
$\qquad$in war-torn China and the Far East to continue their education, The
goal of the drive has been set at
Evans Requests
 Afflicł Students
The following students hare
will be notified from the offreEdward Huilcle, Bill Johnstonemby, Bobly Murd, Clyde dart, Ken Walheeters, dackman, Clif Nelson, Bettr,
Grisell, Helen Sterling, YostionJerry Sankey, Jack Baldwin,
Bailey, Pearl Danel, Dorothy
liam Mclean, Dorothy Pe
Mr. Evans stated that atroPursell AnnounceEngagement
sion Thursday on the proposed
tor several weeks bepore exe exing
It was proposed by Len Brenna

he present " Y " system.
From the discussion was broughut the tact that mans menin the discussion groups and Cosrecreational and religious activ

Spartan, vs. Aztec
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 Confident of playing better bal ed with the almost superhuman task of dumping the Aztees twic
will "shoot the works" tonight.
 can click together. Caach MePher. ineup until just prior to gam
 find the CCAA title games an add The combination of Bill Helbush and Dutch Boysen at forwards,
Menno Siebert at center and the two Allens, (Ernie and John) at against Nevada and may get the against Nevada and may get the
opening assignment tonight. al though Boysen has started ver how games he has been rea very ew games he has been responsibl ral occasionen.

