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Mrs. Thomas Mercer holds Randall Wayne Mercer, winner of the "First Baby of 1949" contest. Randall Wayne is the first baby born to a San Jose State college family during the new year.

—photo by Jack Haddon

Randall Mercer Is Declared 'First Baby Of 1949' By Daily Ad Staff Contest Editor

By JOHN DEL SECCO

Randall Wayne Mercer is the winner of the "First Baby of 1949" contest at San Jose State college. Dick Hugo, Contest editor, acclaimed "little Mercer" winner yesterday when the contest closed.

The infant was born at 2:57 p.m. January 6 at O'Connor hospital.

He is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mercer, 54 Spartan City, San Jose. The first born, Robert Leroy, is two and a half years old.

Mercer, a senior physics major, made the first of two entries in the contest conducted by the Spartan Daily advertising staff and merchants of San Jose.

Blue-eyed, seven-pound, nine-ounce Randall Wayne wins a jackpot of 16 prizes donated by Spartan Daily advertisers. The gifts include blankets, 500 pounds of ice, diaper service, an 8x10 photograph, donuts, canned milk, and surprisingly, a haircut for "pop."

The Spartan family will appear on the radio show "Spartans on Review" soon, according to Hugo. The program is heard every Tuesday at 8 p.m. over station KEEN. Mercer is a native of Victoria, British Columbia. He served over three years in the Air Corps. The couple met as neighborhood sweethearts and have been married for six years.

"I didn't expect him so soon," Mrs. Mercer said of the event. He came before some of those who were to be born in December.

Dr. Leon P. Fox was the attending physician.

'Revelries' Cast To Number 237, Center On 'Leads'

"How's It Goin'," 1949 Revelries production, will have a cast of 237, Ray Bishop, director of the show, announced yesterday. He explained, however, that only two parts will run completely through the show.

"The story centers around Cosmo Carmichel and the Dean," Bishop stated, "and these will be the only continuous roles in the show."

Bishop said that Cosmo Carmichel is a freshman angel, who, because of a mixup of records by the Veteran's administration of heaven, cannot enter the department of heaven that he wishes. Because of the mixup, Cosmo, who was famous on earth as a song writer, has never been heard of, nor has his alma mater, San Jose State college.

Cosmo and the Dean return to earth and to the Spartan campus in an effort to locate Cosmo's degree from this college so he may prove his worth in heaven. It is here that the satire on college life takes place.

After many gruelling experiences, Cosmo, with his last minutes of ectoplasmic existence running out, finds—well, Bishop said that any one who attends Revelries will find out what happens.

"You won't be disappointed," assured Bishop.

'Truth Will Out' On Air Tonight

"Truth Will Out" is the title of a light domestic comedy to be broadcast by the SJSC Radio guild over station KEEN tonight from 8:15 to 8:30.

The cast will consist of Jackson Young, Barbara Champion, Shirley Wilber, Gale McGuire, Maurice Freeland, and John Plotti.

RESTORATION COMEDY TO BE PRESENTED

'Love For Love' Starts Run Feb. 3; Jensen, Gindhart Star

By VERN BAKER

"Love for Love," the third production of the Speech and Drama department, will be presented Feb. 3 through Feb. 7 in the Little Theater. Dr. James Clancy, director of the play, announced yesterday. James Jensen and Ann Gindhart have been selected to play the romantic leads of the cast of seventeen.

Jensen will play Valentine, and Miss Gindhart will portray Angelica, the lovers in William Congreve's comedy of manners.

Adding a touch of comedy to the play will be Ben Gillis as Ben and Gwen Samuelson as Miss Prue.

Playing Sir Sampson Legend will be Don Holladay, Scandal will be played by Jim Forster, Tattle by Conrad Smith, and as Foresight, Cliff Roche.

Joan Buechner will portray Mrs. Foresight, and Betsy Smith will play Mrs. Fraill.

In the role of Jeremy is Paul Beaudry; Trapland, Matt Pelto; Snap, Tommy Harney; Steward, Hohn Hayden; and Buckman, Ivan Van Perre.

Bette Rehorst will be seen as the nurse, and Gloria Pitcher as Jenny.

Dr. Clancy explained that "Love

for Love" is a satire upon the vices and follies of Congreve's time. He said that in this play, Congreve's masterpiece in plot, human interest and pure stagecraft has been termed the best artificial comedy or comedy of manners in the English language.

In most cases a good indication of the type of characterization that each role demands is shown by each character's name," Dr. Clancy said.

In brief, the story of "Love for Love" centers around Angelica, the ward of the testy Sir Sampson Legend, who tricks her guardian out of Valentine Legend's bond, and subsequently reveals that she loves Valentine. Sir Sampson, however, has tried to disinherite Valentine in favor of his younger brother, Benjamin Legend.

The costumes will be made by Miss Madeliene Sinco and Mr. Chez Hahel of the Speech and Drama department and will feature the "finery and elegance of the restoration period," Dr. Clancy said.

Settings will be designed by J. Wendell Johnson, and staging and construction will be supervised by Jim Lioi.

'La Torre' Space Bills Payable

All organizations that have contracted for space in the 1949 La Torre must make their payments in the Graduate Manager's office by Friday, Jan. 21. All contracts not paid for by this date will be canceled, according to La Torre editors Bob Moon and Jim Mapes.

Cal Vets Asked For Book Costs

Students enrolled under the California educational program are asked to leave an estimate of the cost of their books and supplies for the current quarter at the veterans' office as soon as possible.

Miss Stella Barreto of the veterans office says that these reports should be made by Jan. 17.

Editor Appoints Subordinates On 'Spartan Daily'

Editor Bob Boden appointed and handed out reportorial assignments to 46 members of the Spartan Daily editorial staff during the first meeting of the staff Monday.

Heading the list of appointments, for the largest staff in Daily history, were seniors Leonard Kreidt and Bob Blackmon who drew associate editors' positions.

Virgil Wilson, Arnold Wechter, and Betty Whitaker are editors of the feature, sports, and society departments, respectively.

Bob Heisey, junior from Oakland, takes a new job, that of desk chief. In this position, he will oversee reportorial and make-up work and coordinate departmental news.

Jack Golden is wire editor. Speed Geduldig is copy editor and Roger Freeberg and Royce Root are desk assistants. Another new position is that of photo editor, assigned this quarter to John Del Secco. Phil Smith is exchange editor, and Elaine James is librarian.

In charge of make-up are the following editors: Vern Baker, George Stratton, Frank Brown, Freeberg, Smith, Golden, and Elaine James.

The task of gleaning and writing campus news is handled by: John Cartwright, Carl Case, Margaret Case, W. R. Crabbe, Helen Davis, Don Fitzgerald, Marvin Frydenlund, Ambrose Haggard, Robert Hawkes, James Hayes, Robert Hemingway, and Carl Holmberg.

Senior Pictures

All seniors who had senior pictures taken for the La Torre are requested to pick up their proofs at Wings Studio, Porter building, by 4:30 p.m., Monday, Jan. 17.

Inman, Romero, Crampton Pace Local Cage Victory

By HAL SOUSA

San Jose State's sharp-shooting Spartan cagers celebrated their return home with a convincing 57-51 victory over San Francisco State college last evening in Spartan gym before a large crowd. The Washington Square frosh quintet made it an all-San Jose night by downing the Gator JV's, 46-41, in the preliminary. After the first few minutes of the contest, it was Coach Walt McPherson's five all the way.

There was no way to stop the Spartans after they found the range.

Johnny Burton sent the visitors into an early lead with a one-handed shot. The little forward was not expected to see action and was a surprise starter on the Gator team.

But, this lead was short-lived. Chuck Crampton, starting at forward in place of the injured Bob Hagen, tied up the tilt with a 30-footer. Highlighted by two long shots by Ralph Romero, the Gold and White crew forged into a 15-10 lead.

Big Stu Inman began to find his shooting eye and began hitting the net. However, Coach Dan Farmer's hoopsters matched basket for basket mainly through the efforts of Angelo Maestri. The bay city group now trailed, 22-21, but San Jose began pouring the pressure on.

This set the stage for a beautiful rebound by Romero, who also added a free throw after being fouled. Forward Don McCaslin's push shot gave the Spartans a 27-12 lead at the intermission.

Returning to the hardwood to start the third quarter, San Jose couldn't buy a bucket for four minutes. McCaslin finally broke the scoring ice for the Spartans with a goal.

Control of both backboards was a big factor in stopping the Gators' bid for a victory. With eight minutes remaining in the game, Stu Inman dropped in four tallies to put the CCAA champs in a commanding 51-40 lead.

High point honors for the evening went to consistent Stu Inman, who swished 18 points through the net.

A great exhibition of basketball both on offense and defense was turned in by Ralph Romero and Chuck Crampton. Romero, the human jumping jack, and Crampton tallied 13 and 12 points respectively for the Spartans.

TeaRoom Open In Ec Building

A tea room will be opened on the San Jose State college campus, Mrs. Fern Wendt of the Home Economics department announced yesterday. It will be a project under the operation of girls in the Tea Room Management class and will be open on Tuesdays and Thursdays, beginning Jan. 25.

"Five girls," she said, "will plan the menus and decorations, act as waitresses, and serve as managers of the tea room. Their duties will be rotated."

Mrs. Wendt explained that meals will be planned with men's appetites in mind, and three-course dinners are to be served. She urged those who plan to take their noon meal there to call Mrs. Greenwood in the Home Economics office (extension 305) to make their reservations.

The tea room will be in operation every Tuesday and Thursday noon until 2 o'clock from Jan. 25 through the rest of the Winter quarter. It will be located on the main floor of the Home Economics building and will be easily recognized by the tea pot hanging near the door.

Co-ed Recreation Committee Meets

The Co-ed Recreation committee will hold their first meeting of the quarter in the Little Theater at 2:30 this afternoon to discuss plans for future events, it has been learned.

Nora Lynch, chairman of the committee, urges all students to attend and offer suggestions for future co-ed entertainment and recreation.

Campus Capers

Young Married Set Adds More Spartans To Roster

Smith-Ridgely

St. Lucy's Catholic church in Campbell was the setting for the marriage of Mary Dolores Smith to Stephen S. Ridgely Jr.

A gown of white slipper satin designed with fitted bodice, double peplum, full skirt and a train was worn by the bride. Her fingertip veil was held by a crown of seed pearls. She carried an orchid on a prayer book.

Honor attendant was the bride's sister, Miss Regina Smith. Bridesmaids were Margaret Smith and Pegge Smith. Their gowns were of taffeta. Roses were fashioned in their headpieces and they also carried bouquets of roses.

John Ridgely was best man for his brother.

Mrs. Ridgely is a senior occupational therapy student while her husband, also a senior, is majoring in English. He served with the Army Air forces and is a graduate of Charlotte Hall Military academy, Maryland, and attended San Francisco State college and the Drew school in San Francisco.

Hitchman-Veltum

A holiday wedding united two San Jose State college students, Miss Shirley Jean Hitchman and Douglas L. Veltum.

The bride was attired in white slipper satin. The gown was designed with an off-the-shoulder effect bordering a yoke of chantilly lace, and an en, train hooped skirt.

Her finger-tip veil was edged with chantilly lace and was held by a beaded coronet. Completing the costume was a single strand of pearls, a gift of the bridegroom.

The bride carried a bouquet of white orchids combined with stephanotis.

Miss Hitchman is affiliated with Gamma Phi Beta sorority, and is also member of Alpha Eta Sigma, accounting honor society.

Pearson-Fullmer

Miss Winifred Pearson became Mrs. Del Fullmer at a double ring ceremony during the holidays at the Unitarian church.

The former Miss Pearson is a general elementary major at SJS and a member of Mu Phi Epsilon. The bridegroom is a music major and a former member of Beta Chi Sigma.

Fleming-Dickinson

Miss Janice Fleming and William C. Dickinson were married recently at a double ring ceremony at the St. Mark's Episcopal church in Upland, Calif.

The bridegroom, a graduate from Chaffey college, is studying here for his general secondary degree in social science.

Hitchcock-Busack

Miss Joyce Arlene Hitchcock donned a rose beige gabardine suit for her marriage to Charles John Busack, Jr. in the Stone Church of Willow Glen.

The bride complimented her ensemble with chocolate brown accessories and an orchid corsage.

Both the bride and bridegroom are former Spartans.

Romantic Views Revealed By Newly-Engaged Couples

Toni Martinelli

Miss Toni Martinelli announced her engagement to Robert Cook to her Delta Zeta sorority sisters at a before-Christmas dinner dance by passing the traditional box of chocolate.

An interior decorating major at San Jose State college, Miss Martinelli is a member of Gamma Lambda chapter of Delta Zeta sorority. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd A. Martinelli of Concord.

Cook is majoring in electronics. His affiliation is Gamma Delta chapter of Kappa Alpha fraternity at State. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cook of Redwood City.

Francis Lobingier

Mary George Co-op was treated to chocolates last week when Frances Lobingier announced her engagement to Jack Bassett.

The future Mrs. Bassett is a senior general elementary major from Sunnyvale.

They plan to be married in September and make their home in New York while the benedict-elect completes his studies at Cornell university where he is majoring in English.

Geraldine Quadros

Geraldine Quadros announced her engagement last Wednesday night to Frank L. Shelley, Jr., by passing the traditional box of chocolates to her sorority sisters.

The bride-elect is a junior at SJS and a member of Alpha Phi and the Sigma society.

The couple plan to be married in the late summer.

Mary Jones

Former attendants of SJS, Miss Mary E. Jones of Campbell and George C. Gleed have added their names to the list of recently engaged couples.

Ruth McQueen

Miss Ruth McQueen disclosed the news of her engagement to Art Overton when she passed the traditional box of chocolates to her Delta Zeta and Kappa Phi sisters.

The couple's plans were also revealed to friends and relatives at several teas given at the home of the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. McQueen of Los Gatos.

Miss McQueen is a senior merchandising major. She was president of Kappa Phi last year. She now holds the position of rush chairman for Delta Zeta.

The benedict-elect is a junior majoring in commercial art. He is a member of the Bachelor's club. Wedding bells will ring in June for the couple.

Peggy Etherton

News of Peggy Etherton's engagement to Art Butler, announced recently at the regular meeting of her sorority, was concealed in red balloons which were broken by her sisters.

Peggy, a general elementary major here, is affiliated with Allensians, soon to become Kappa Kappa Gamma. She is also secretary of the AWS.

Butler passed cigars to the members of his fraternity, Delta Sigma Gamma.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Dinner Planned By Faculty Wives

Dinner will be held for the husbands of faculty wives Jan. 19 at 7 p.m. in the Parish hall of the Trinity church, according to Mrs. Forrest Baird.

Mrs. Baird, chairman of the faculty wives, said that tables will be arranged to accommodate ten persons. Each table will be decorated and served by two hostesses.

Club Holds Party In Student Union

The Dorian club gave a party New Year's Eve in the Student Union, with 27 couples attending.

The evening's schedule was highlighted with dancing from 9 to 12. Refreshments, with ham and all the trimmings, were served.

Door prizes for the night were won by Dr. Schmoldt, Dr. Wills, Dr. Clark, Dr. Morris and Mr. Gunderson.

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Fairness Committee Enters Second Year Of Studying Exam Cheating Techniques

Endeavoring to promote a high degree of efficiency and fairness among students and faculty members, the fairness committee swings into its second year of activity.

Mr. Elmo Robinson, committee chairman, reports that some progress has been made during the last year to protect student rights by suggesting methods of promoting fairness in academic matters. The committee has so far worked on techniques for the faculty, Robinson said. It has urged the faculty to deliver fair examinations and assignments, and to insure proper seating and policing. The committee also has set up a process by which the student who is unjustly charged with cheating may appeal to his or her respective dean.

Last November, the committee submitted a bill of student obligations to the student organizations at San Jose State college. The bill was presented without recommendation, Robinson explained, and is meant only for discussion. "At present, three or four favorable replies supporting the recommendations have been received."

The ultimate hope of the submitted bill of obligations, Robinson stressed, is that they be generally agreed upon as acceptable to the student body, and that amendments be adopted as representing student opinion on campus. The bill of obligations will be printed in tomorrow's Daily.

Faculty members of the Fairness committee, appointed by the college president, also include Dr. Ruth Tiedeman, Dr. Donald Alvin, Mr. William Gould, Mr. Arthur Williams and Mr. Glenn Hartman. Student members, appointed by the student body president, are Ramona Hicks, Dale LaMar and Robert Madsen.

WCNS Opens List For Death Valley

Students wishing to attend the West Coast Nature School, March 27 through April 3, were reminded today that registration for the six-day "vacation" field course at Death Valley will begin at 8:30 in room 100, Science building.

"Those wishing to register must pay their \$15 fees when signing," declared Dr. Gertrude Cavins, registrar for the school. "We will accept no promises to pay, since the list is being made up on a first-come-first-served basis."

The WCNS directors also pointed out that they will be unable to accept any reservations for accommodations in Death Valley, except those for the general camping group, under the direction of Drs. G. Alexander McCallum and Robert D. Rhodes.

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Police Students Do 'Field Work'

The Police school of San Jose State announced yesterday that they have placed 17 of their students in active positions with either the San Jose Police department or with the Sheriff's office. These men are carrying a complete schedule in SJS and, at the same time, are working a regular shift for the local gendarmery.

Another 16 men have auxiliary positions with the Sheriff's office and police.

Dance After Game Is Friday Plan

An after-game dance will be sponsored by the junior class Friday night from 10 p.m. to 1 a.m. in the Women's gym following the SJS-Nebraska basketball game.

Hot coffee and hot donuts will be available to thaw out cold Spartans.

"We'll have the kind of music students will enjoy while dancing," said Bobbe Hillis, junior class treasurer and chairman of the dance.

Music will be off-the-record.

As she is going to be married next month, she is very busy getting her torso ready.

\$5000 Set As Goal Of WSSF Fund Finders

Five thousand dollars was tentatively set as the goal for San Jose State college's contribution to the World Student Service fund at the last meeting of the WSSF steering committee, Chairman Marsh Pitman announced.

Other steering committee members at the meeting were Barbara Barr, special events chairman; Marian Bell, special events committee; Bud Brown, mapping committee sub-chairman; Lloyd Brown, canvassing committee personnel sub-chairman; Helen Davis, publicity chairman; John Fugitt, film committee sub-chairman; Mary Minshall, speakers' bureau sub-chairman; Pamela Moore, special events committee; Jewel Schneider, newspaper sub-chairman; and Barney Schussel, canvassing committee chairman.

Pitman urges all campus organizations to send at least one representative to the steering committee meetings.

Tau Gamma Sells Homemade Candy

A sale of homemade candy is being sponsored today in the Women's gym by members of Tau Gamma, honorary society of the Physical Education department, according to Edith Thompson, president of the group.

The candy sale, which will be held in the entrance to the gym, will begin at 10 o'clock.

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Announcements

FRESHMAN CLASS: Council meeting today in B-12 at 3:30 p.m.
PHILOSOPHY CLUB: Election of officers and talk on "Alternatives to an Armed Truce" tomorrow at 4:30 in Apt. 2, 210 S. Seventh street.

TRI BETA: Members and neophytes asked to attend informal initiation Thursday night in S-31 at 7:30 p.m.

PHI UPSILON PI: Meet today in room S-29 at 12:30.

PLACEMENT OFFICE: Any student who will receive a KP or GE credential by September 1949 is eligible to take an elementary teacher's exam for San Jose schools. Inquire at Placement office before Feb. 10.

CHEMISTS acquainted with inorganic quantitative analysis can obtain information for work at the Placement office.

WAA BOWLING CLUB: All co-eds invited to participate tomorrow at the Jose Bowl from 3:30-5:30 p.m.

PAN AMERICAN LEAGUE: Meeting of officers today in room 30 at 12:30.

KAPPA SIGMA KAPPA: Pledges and members, 7:30 p.m., 596 S. 10th.

PI BETA SIGMA: 7 p.m. in room 107.

SJSC AMATEUR RADIO CLUB: Election of officers tonight in S-3 at 7:30.

MERCHANT SEAMEN: All former members of the Maritime Service or Merchant Marine meet Friday at 11:30 in room 11.

ENTOMOLOGY CLUB: Fill out records today in S-222 at 12:30.

SINGSTUNDE: Any student welcome to sing German songs in room 21 today from 3:30-4:30 p.m.

RADIO GUILD: This afternoon in room 165C at 3:30.

RECREATION COMMITTEE: Student Y lounge today at 4:30.

PI NU SIGMA: Election of officers tomorrow at 12:30.

DELTA PHI DELTA: Room A-1 today at 4:30.

PHI SIGMA KAPPA: Tonight in room 24 at 7:30.

DELTA THETA OMEGA: 7:30 tonight at frat house.

PSI CHI: Friday, Jan. 14, in room 116 at 4:30.

SGO: Tonight at Ste. Claire hotel at 7:30. Membership and guests.

CO-ED RECREATION: 12:30 today in Little Theater; everyone welcome.

ORCHESTRAS: Modern dancers invited to meet in dance studio today at 3:30 p.m.

Student Blood Donors Asked To Report

All students who were pledged to donate blood last quarter and who received cards asking them to make appointments should do so as soon as possible, announced Miss Catherine Wallace of the physiotherapy department.

Appointments may be made either with Miss Wallace or directly with the Red Cross center at 440 N. First street. The center takes blood donations on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 a.m. to 12 noon, on Wednesdays from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., and on Fridays from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.

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Sportraits By WADE WILSON

In gathering this dope and data, I couldn't help but notice the voluminous library of copy, pictures, and sports statistics acquired and filed by San Jose State's Publicity Director, **DANNY HILL**. He should be highly commended for his fine work on the basketball brochure that he released for press and radio info. The two secretaries of the boys' gymnasium, the Misses **BARBAREZ** and **LEE**, can always be counted upon for a pleasant smile, ready information, and helpful suggestions, regardless if they are busy on something else. Their lookout for the general welfare of all their wards, the athletes and physical education majors, is a marvel to see. Sympathy they've got for all the students, and sympathy they seldom get for their thankless job.

CHARLIE WALKER, in his perennial, natty, bow tie, seems never to tire in his endless energy in putting forth work on any aquatic activity. While nosing for news around the gym it seems as if **TED MUMBY** was conducting classes all over the place. With gymnastics, wrestling, and tennis seeming to take all his time, he still finds time to head a very successful intramural basketball tournament.

Interviewing the coaches of the various sports is somewhat like going to the dentist, that is if you can find either one. You plan the appointment and then usually dread every minute of it. Sometimes it is harder to get their mouths open and talking than it is for the dentist to get your mouth open and not talking. It's not that they are hard to talk to, but to glean any information out of what they tell you, is the part that is tough. Overheard at the NCAA meeting in San Francisco: The committee has reversed itself in the decision of a reversed center and come out with, you guessed it, a reversed center.

Can't help but admire **DEE PORTAL'S** devotion to good clean boxing. His interest in promoting good clean amateur matches with the boys' welfare first in his heart. The big bad wolves of Reno must have thought it over—after Santa Clara trapped them—and offered head football coach and Athletic Director **JOE SHEEKETSKI** new bait in the manner of a five-year contract at an undisclosed salary. Since he took over from **JIM AIKEN**, now at the University of Oregon, in 1946, **JOE** has pounded the win column for 18 out of 22 attempts.

BELTING BEN HOGAN fared miserably in this year's Los Angeles Open golf tournament. After winning the tournament in 1947 and in 1948 **BEN** couldn't put together a game on the links known as **HOGAN'S ALLEY**. **BEN** hopes to be back and at his best in this week's Bing Crosby tournament opening at Del Monte.

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Peek Preview Of Dee Portal's Classy Featherweight Boxers

With the boxing season blossoming out into a full bouquet, an attempt will be made to present the participants of each weight class in a daily account until all weight divisions have been covered.

The curtain raiser, or the 125-pound class, opens with two of the cleverest boxers that have graced **Dee Portal's** boxing teams. In one corner will be **Mike Rivera**. Mike is 24 years old, 5 feet, 6 inches, and hails from nearby Santa Clara High. This is his second year of boxing and although not a hard puncher, he can be classified as a good boxer and will see a lot of action.

Manuel Martinez rests lightly on the stool in the other corner and for vital statistics Manuel is 22 years old and is 5 feet, 6 inches. He was born in Scotts Bluff, Nebraska, but claims Ceres, California, as his home. He graduated from high school in 1941 and attended Modesto J.C. in 1946-47.

Coach Portal says of Martinez, "If he continues to improve in the next two years, he should go down eventually as one of San Jose State's great boxers."

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Spartan Matmen Open With Gators

San Jose State's varsity and jayvee wrestling squads will open their 1949 season this Friday in San Francisco against the powerful San Francisco State Gators.

Coach **Ted Mumby's** Spartan grapplers will pit a well balanced team against the San Franciscans, who have already trounced their first two opponents this year, Alameda NAS and Treasure Island Naval Electronics school.

Spartan **Billy Rothwell** tangles with **Don Burbank** in the 121-pound opening match. **Little Joe Kimura** follows Burbank to the mat for the Gators in the next bout which may be the best of the night. **Kimura**, a 128-pounder, was Pacific Coast champ last year in that class and will give San Jose's **Don Daley** a rugged tussle.

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McSpadden Speaks Tonight On Golf

Harold "Jug" **McSpadden's** lecture on the inside of golf will begin at 7 o'clock tonight in the **Morris Dailey** auditorium, according to **Danny Hill**, athletic publicity director.

The former golfing great is being sponsored by the men's P. E. frat, **Phi Epsilon Kappa**.

There will be a question and answer session following the discussion.

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