

**HOME COMING WEEK**

The Home Coming Committee is, as the slang expression puts it, going at it hard.

This committee was chosen by Mr. Agosti, who states that the idea was representing the student body as much as the faculty. The two members from each class were chosen, and besides this the athletic committee is represented by Mr. Peteler.

As his assistant Mr. Agosti chose Mr. Besice, Mr. Perozo and Mr. Peteler.

The committee consists of the following students: Byron Langenbeck, Chester Davis, Juniors; George Isola, Louis Morganti, Sophomore; Morris White, Byron Mecham, Freshmen; Robert Hills, athletic committee.

The circulars have been planned, which will include on November 14 from 7 to 4 visiting classes and school. In the evening at 7 o'clock there will be a serpentine down town and at 7:30 p.m. a basket lunch. It is to have one of those good old time bonfire rallies with lots of pep here on the Poly field. On November 15 from 9 a.m. to 12 a.m. the Alumni will register and visit the general stores, shops and Ag. department. At noon hot coffee will be served and there will be a piano recital.

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Circulars are being sent out to the Alumni. There will be four different issues, each telling about the Home Coming.

We hope to have a good crowd coming back to dear old Poly to enjoy the football coming and to renew old acquaintances.

**Meetings of Agricultural Teachers' Association**

A meeting of this organization was held at the Madera High School last Saturday.

Mr. Rathbone, head of the agricultural department, gave a brief history of the farm, attended and spoke on the subject of agriculture at the California Polytechnic School. Considerable interest was shown in Mr. Rathbone's talk and many questions were asked regarding the work here.

A special invitation from the Polytechnic to the association to hold their spring meeting here.

Other speakers on the program were W. E. Balston, agriculture club leader, and Mr. Henry M. Skidmore, supervisor of agricultural teachers' training and formerly with the Federal Board for Vocational Education at Washington, D. C.

For the last two weeks the Dormitory Club has been filled with queer noises. Some say that it is the members of the band practicing, but it sounds more like a cow with asthma than anything else.

**POLY MOTION PICTURE**

Mr. Kinney, the director of motion picture production for the California Polytechnic School, is busy putting the final touches on the Poly campus. He is trying to have one of those good old time bonfire rallies with lots of pep here on the Poly field. On November 15 from 9 a.m. to 12 a.m. the Alumni will register and visit the general stores, shops and Ag. department. At noon hot coffee will be served and there will be a piano recital.

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**Mechanics Visit Destroyers**

The Engineering-Mechanics Association will visit the warships to Avalon by 2 P.M. after the Afternoon visit to the government destroyers. The ships left from in front of the Administration building at 1 o'clock p.m. and arrived in Avalon without mishap.

A landing party came ashore at a very late hour, and the vehicles were taken out to the ship without delay. The water was a little rough and the quality was washed over in getting in and out of the launch, and some of the men were very wet and tired from working with free baths.

At last everybody was safely on board, and we started to look around. The sailors were very hospitable and several were very obliging in showing the party over the ship.

Wilbur Miller was disappointed because the radio set, Langenbeck tried to drink the alcohol out of the compass, and Fuller wanted to blow the whistle, but, on the whole, the桷h be handled very well.

We were explained the operations of the deck equipment, including the fire fighting appliances used and were shown through the engine and boiler rooms. The engines and their auxiliaries were explained, and work in the Engineering and steamship engineering.

Mr. Knott began to assume a thoughtful expression, and expressed some concern over the very excellent dinner he had eaten, and although he was very pale, so we decided to return to shore.

Fred Louis could not be found, but after a short search he was discovered in the galleys shooting craps with a mahogany.

We got ashore without much difficulty and arrived back at Poly about 4 o'clock.

**Rainy Day Session**

The students were very much disappointed when it was announced Tuesday fourth period that they were to have rainy day session. Dinner was served at the Dining Hall at 11:15 and school took up at 12. In that way we went home at an hour earlier, which was appreciated by us all.

**TO BAKERSFIELD**

This Thursday noon the football caravan will leave from the Administration building for Bakersfield. On the next day, Friday, the Poly eleven will tangle with the Bakersfield Junior College. Our boys will have no easy task during the Friday game, but we are sure they will hold the powerful Fresno State Teachers down to 9 in a 9-0 score at Bakersfield next Friday.

Although the Poly squad will be considered as the underdog by the experts, we are going to shift the men around so as to make the best of the situation and make the boys proud.

Since the game with Modesto Coach Agosti has decided to discard the first and second team idea in practice, and instead is going to shift the men around so as to make every Poly student to boost the team.

The Green and Orange team intends to make a real fight of this game at Bakersfield. If the Drifters win, it will be a big boost for Superior football ability and experience.

**Agricultural Clubs**

**County Meet**

Mr. Murphy, county farm advisor, and Mr. Spooner, president of the county farm bureau, had a conference with Dr. Crandall and Mr. Rathbone Tuesday regarding various agricultural matters which includes an agreement on cooperation.

On Saturday, Nov. 1, some 25 Agriculture Club boys and girls of various parts of the county are to meet with Mr. Murphy in order to get first hand from the county farm advisor, to outline work for the following year in poultry, cattle and other classes. The visiting boys and girls will be served lunch with Mr. White.

Another matter of great importance discussed in this connection was the coming annual meeting of the California Dairy Council, which will be held during the winter in San Luis Obispo. The Polytechnic Agriculture department is planning to render substantial assistance in making this on hands very profitable and successful gathering.

Another means in which the Agricultural department hopes to be of great service is the conducting of cow testing work by which the dairymen discover their 'boarders.'

**Party Next Saturday**

The faculty wives are planning a delightful party for the Ampala girls and the Dorm boys next Saturday night which is to be held in the Dormitory room. Everybody is anxiously waiting for the happy event.

**OLD POLYITE COMES BACK**

Harold Newman came to visit us last Sunday morning. He is a very old Polyite, Mr. Newman is from Santa Paula. He graduated Poly in 1911. Now he is in charge of a fruit ranch near Santa Paula. Mr. Newman is a very enthusiastic Polyite and comes back every time he gets a chance.

**Electric Class Fools Hens**

The latest project of the Senior Electric Class is with the poultry department of the school. It seems that certain members of the Agriculture department conceived the brilliant idea of causing two eggs to bloom and act as though they were very easy to raise and are doing so by means of furnishing extra hours of daylight, and it has been reported by the Senior Class in Electricity to devise the means of lighting the hen house so that the hens can not be expected to sit up nights to turn out the lights, a very way of operating the dimming device by means of a time clock is to be worked out by the electrician student, by recrucing their inventive abilities to the utmost to produce the desired results, and it is hoped that the Ags benefiting by their labors will appreciate the effort.

**Sax Met Disaster**

Poor Stocking must have overcome with the score made by the town company Monday afternoon for he was going home when he was a partici­ pant in a wreck on the Morro Road. Luckily the plane was not seriously injured. Well, Sox, we'll see that you don't get overcome again.

**Letter from Jack Hammond**

Cpt. Deuel received a letter from Jack Hammond in which he stated that he is attending Davis and is taking the degree course. Jack is attending Davis because they are one of the leading high schools of that vicinity. He sent a dollar for the yearly subscription of the Polygram.

Jack is coming home to spend the Christmas holidays and says he is coming up to visit us.

**Song Committee**

The song committee, consisting of Rae Mayhall, Margaret, and 20 others, is progressing nicely. They have obtained in the neighborhood of four new songs which contain lots of pep. They hope to be able to practise some of these songs at the rally Thursday.
CONFIDENCE

We, who are attending Poly now, or are supposed to, know what our aim is to be in life. Perhaps we do not know just exactly what we wish to do and, even if we do, time may change this view. At any rate we are now on the threshold of manhood and womanhood. The chances are that we ourselves now so shall be formed by time.

During his talk in assembly Mr. Bently mentioned that it is a very important point. He said, "Do not over-estimate your assets, but do not underestimate them. As one of our instructors said, 'Strike that happy medium.'"

Successful men know their abilities but they also know their limitations.

A timid person staggered under a heavy load and a tall building is one by a great struggle. If there is anything one can do, and if you can do it, don't be afraid to try, but try and make an attempt anyway. There is a saying that opportunity knocks every day. It will not open the door and allow her to enter unless you are there to open and allow her to come in.

Opposite this, though, we have the over-confident and over-successful person who can build victim out of every man and every woman.

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The more successful the man, the more he is over-confident and forward man. Opportunity is just as important not to underestimate her.

Quinones and Sam Hotchkiss spent a pleasant night at the dairy barn last Friday night. We are sure that the cows enjoyed it.

Dr. Al Young need have no fear of having the largest feet in the Dormitory. The captain is thinking of withholding White to go upstairs in the Dorm for the fear of the ceiling cracking when he steps on it.

Sparky Haid has promised to keep the dormitory doors warm. We all wish Sparky luck.

The fellow was all eating his supper in peace when someone yelled, "Powder River." The result was a cross between two cowboys and an earthquake. Eleven of the fellows disappeared and did not return until the following morning.

The Dorm Club is getting larger and larger. That shows real Poly spirit, and every member of the student body should be a part of this spirit.

Our little friend, Morris White, is our little Premier of the student body. He has been and still is the only person that can build victory out of defeat.

He is a person who knows what he can do and does not know what he is when.

What if you do fall once, twice, or fifty times. Every time you fall, you can come back with the knowledge of your failure and of one more way to do that job. You can. In time all the ways to fall will have been used and success is bound to follow.

Dorm Doings

A meeting of the Dorm Club was held October 14 for the purpose of stimulating school spirit. The members voted to organize a Tug of War team from Company "B", under the leadership of Mr. Langenbeck.

On November 23, by a vote of 57 to 44, students of the Dormitory designated a team from Company "B" to play a team from Company "C", under the leadership of Mr. Young.

A committee of Senior students was appointed to draw up a set of rules and regulations for the benefit of the new students.

Four windows and a large number of dresses were taken from the dormitory where they occurred at the dining hall last week.

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TOWN VS. DORM

This year the Town Team paraded in triumph over the Dorm on the football field here last Monday. The Town Team took their revenge, but not as much as they would have liked, for the Dorm Team trumped them to the tune of 26 to 0 last year and last Monday they were considered lucky to have survived the extra touchdown in a 12 to 8 score.

Although both teams played hard, the fight displayed by the Dorm was far superior to that of the Town Team. Long punts were of no avail to the Town Team. For, the Dorm held the line and made a landing. They tore around the end and bucked the line. Time and time again the Town Team, for the Dorm held the ball, was superior to that of the Town Team.

Monday they were considered lucky. The Dorm team played with the ball ability and condition that saved the Town Team from defeat again.

Quite a number of the players who were on the Town Team play with the Night Hawks after aggregation. In the second half, Captain Ginge of the Town Team made a pretty end run over Lumley. Two short yard touchdowns by Poly then ran back 20 yards. Lumley made tackles and recovered the ball. A perfect game was played.

Poly played the Santa Barbara State Teachers College last Saturday against a team which was heavier than they have been in a season.

The lineup for the game was as follows:

Lumley–left tackle, Roseville; left guard, Hubbard; center, Young; left guard, Reid; right tackle, Del Rio; right guard, Reynolds; quarterback, Lumley; halfback, White; left halfback, Reid; right halfback, Zanolli; fullback, Eveleth; end, Miller, Stafford, Traver, Pfeiffer, and Wakefield.

The game, play by play:

Game began with kick-off by White. Modesto backed the ball over 10 yards. End run over Lumley. Two punts by Lumley and White. Time out.

Poly then ran two off tackle successful. The ball was lost by Poly. Several bucking by Poly. Poly then ran 20 yards. Lumley made tackle at the 20 yard line. Modeato kicked. Stafford ran it back to Poly. Attempt to pass but the kick was blocked by Reid. Poly then ran back 10 yards. Major made tackle for Poly.

Modeato kicked. Mirado, right end, received the ball and ran it back 10 yards. Lumley made tackle at the 20 yard line. Poly then ran 20 yards. Lumley made tackle at the 20 yard line. Modeato kicked. Mirado made tackle at the 20 yard line.

Time out. Poly punts and ball goes outside the 20 yard line. Poly got ball and ran it back 10 yards. Lumley made tackle at the 20 yard line. Modeato made tackle at the 20 yard line. Modeato kicked. Stafford kicked it out for Poly.

The game continued and the Town Team played like a team.

POLY FOOTBALL

So far this season Poly has played three football games. The last one was played with the Modesto Junior College Team. This was our first regular conference game. The schedule in the Central Coast Conference has been shaken up a bit this year. The three new teams which we didn't play last year, are Modesto Junior College, Modesto High School, and the Fresno State Teachers College. Our record before this season is heavier than has been scored for in the past.

SCHEDULE of games yet to be played:

November 1 Poly plays Bakerafield Junior College at Bakerafield.
November 11, Armistice Day Poly plays the American Legion, Arroyo Grande Post here.
November 18 Poly plays the Fresno State Teachers College here. November 22 Poly plays the Santa Barbara State Teachers College here.