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INSTRUCTORS RETURN FROM CENTRAL VALLEY FIELD TRIP

By John Colombini

The head of the Crop Department and his assistant returned from a tour of the citrus to the General
The tour took place.

MURDER SCENE COVERED BY POLY STUDENT

Like all of the instructors and students, Al Auf der Heide had an annual promotion photograph taken for the yearbook. The session was conducted.

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A brand new service is being offered through our services. Students can place their wants directly in the hands of the students in the dormitories. El Mustang, eventually used for a dorm-room and warm-trailer, is always available for your advertisement.

The rates are low, being two cents a word for the first three insertions, with three insertions for five cents and six insertions for six cents. Ad will be placed at the bottom of the first page. No legible written changes. Add may be left and paid for either by placing the check in the mail box at the beginning of the hall, or by placing the check in the mail box at the end of the hall.

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NEW MACHINE IN REFLECTION Service in California.

The present and future physical features of the Central Water Authority were viewed and discussed. The main point of interest was the new million acres of farm land being returned to the state. The evening of the first day Regional Director R. L. Burke spent an informal half-hour with the traveling instructors in Fresno. Burke is head of all reckoning work in the area. From here, to the end of the trip the red carpet was rolled out so that everybody could be plainly viewed and the tour by the touring instructors was concluded.

But even after the trip, the students and faculty were faced with the fact that the 1947-1948 school year was fast coming.

The installation of the equipment was

In addition to the board members, other than public and private, the "Beanery," the usually unpredictable Shakespeare, the one who does "Othello," we had one of the greatest Barbershops in the world on campus Monday night.

Barricaded entrance of Poly Cafeteria was selected for the first attack. All the students, faculty, and wives assembled behind the barricades, then the student body of the same year. The morning of Friday, July 15, at 9 a.m. on the Poly student newsletter.

Registration for students not in attendance during the first half of the Summer Session will begin at 9 a.m. on Friday, July 15, at the entrance of the administration building.

There will be no school on Saturday, Sunday, or Monday. Classes will resume on the new schedule on Monday, July 28.

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Grieb Ranch Visited by Farm Management Class
By Carter Camp

Gus Beck, farm management instructor, recently took his class on a popularly received field trip to George Grieb’s walnut and apricot orchards in Arroyo Grande.

The class first made a tour of Grieb’s 30 acres of walnuts which are off Santa Barbara, 600 miles south of Poly. The Poly swimming pool has been closed for the rest of the summer, but the swimming beach is being drained in order to be on the market before the end of the growing season. Grieb purchased the one and a half acres of the orchard at different times during 1960, paying as much as $1000 an acre. He now wouldn’t sell any part of it for $4000 an acre.

"Watch for aphids," was Grieb’s warning, "and end as soon as the appearance. To do this he uses a chlorine spray applied with the aid of a 30 foot derrick and a Bean type dusting rig, dusting 60 pounds of the spray in the groves. Grieb has tried similar chemicals in the form of 'Vaper' which in his case proved unsatisfactory.

DOSENT USE COVER CROP

Finding that walnut trees need protection, he has protected his trees with ammunite similar to that used in the war. He has placed approximately 120 gallons of the material around each tree and found that this has prevented all widespread diseases. He has found that the limbs need to be shaken. This is done with the aid of the 80 foot derrick and special 12 foot poles. The limbs have to be shaken. This allows the water to penetrate the soil and the trees to grow. He doesn’t water his trees after May, spreading the water around the whole tree.

Grieb improves his walnut grove by spreading it out 30 feet to the tractor and 100 feet to the truck. He finds that this has helped him to have a deficiency of magnesium. He has applied a small amount of the magnesium compound to the tree. He doesn’t require cover crops as he believes that they take too much strength from the soil which he believes is already nutrient rich.

For cultivating the trees he has a 10 HP tractor and an International Dbl. 26, gas type. These are equipped with a field cultivator and roller, used in the early stages, to prepare the ground before the trees are planted. He believes in a minimum of cultivation and has found that he is cultivating a 60 foot wide area on his farm.

In pruning the trees, he removes only those branches that hamper his cultivation because he feels that wood left in the trees doesn’t harm them.

LIMBS SHAKEN

During the harvesting season, a six week period during October and November, five workers are hired to pick up the fallen crops, including the prunes. Many times the fruit and limbs have to be shaken. This is done with the aid of the 80 foot derrick and special 12 foot poles fitted with a rubber padded U-shaped attachment. This allows the water to penetrate the soil and the trees to grow. He doesn’t water his trees after May, spreading the water around the whole tree.

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Crops Students Raise Many Projects During Summer

By John Colombini

"Earning While Learning" has always been a motto of prime importance at Cal Poly. Under this motto students have carried on money-earning projects which have also proven very useful in ironing out problems which theory sometimes cannot.

In the Crops department, students under the supervision of Dr. Earl Storle, U.C. soils technician in the county, have been working on projects which have been started and continued this summer. Finley Bailey and Stuart Porter were unofficially credited as having the first tomatoes in the county. This was accomplished by the use of a hormone. Starry-eyed with the success of early tomatoes, Porter and Bailey intend to experiment with early lettuce, melons, and squash. Laun and Hilton have just begun harvesting and anticipate a crop of squash. Laun and Hilton have just begun harvesting and anticipate a crop of squash.

Poly Netmen to Enter Santa Barbara Open

Three Cal Poly netmen, Bob Redden, Grant Chaffee, and Marjorie Smith, are entered in the Cal Poly Photographic Society's tournament to be held July 26-27, according to information received from coach Gene Smith. The tournament is to be held at the county park, and the netmen intend to enter in the singles and doubles brackets.

On Saturday and Sunday, July 26-27, Bob Redden and Ronald Johns will play in the Santa Barbara Open tournament to be held in the county park. The tournament is to be held at the county park, and the netmen intend to enter in the singles and doubles brackets.

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Student-Operated Crop Store Offers Fruit, Vegetables

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The Crops department store is again offering its fresh fruits and vegetables for sale. This season, crop students are prepared to offer 80 varieties of fruits and vegetables, Paul Dougherty, head of the Crops department, stated. The prices are not higher than those of the commercial operator and that the prices are in line with quality.

The store is operated daily from 8 to 5 p.m. and is open from Sundays from 11 to 12 noon. The store, located in the basement of the Ag Ed building, is operated entirely by students, and all profit is used to support the management of Ernie "Shorty" Heald.

All products sold in the store are produced on the Cal Poly campus or by students. The store receives a 15 percent commission for selling the student projects. The money which comes from products sold by Cal Poly returns to the state. The purpose of these state-owned projects is for instructional purposes only. The amount returned to the state more than pays for the cost of operation.

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