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ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING STUDENTS . . . on their recent field trip to the Bay Area, visited the General Electric Company's Apparatus Works in Oakland. Here the students listen to C. R. Benson, Asst. Sales Mgr. of the Transformer Division, explain one part of the manufacturing process in transformers. From left to right: Harold P. Christy, Earnest Young, Lloyd D. Bates, Benson, Charles W. Hutcherson, C. H. Foster, Keith Southward, and Myron E. Glenn.

## GI's Warned Against 'Summer Vacation' With Pay

G. I. Readjustment Allowances are not intended as summer vacation pay, James G. Bryant, Chairman of the California Employment Stabilization Commission, advised Cal Poly student veterans today. The Commission administers the California Department of Employment which cooperates with the Veterans' Administration in the administration of the readjustment allowance program provided in the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944.

Even if he is otherwise qualified

a veteran is not eligible for readjustment allowances for unemployment if he is receiving subsistence allowances for education or training under the act, or is not available for suitable work, Mr. Bryant said.

"This means," he explained, that in between school terms and during vacation periods, veterans should make sure that their federal government school subsistence allowance payments have been discontinued before claiming readjustment allowances.

"Further, the veteran who is

planning merely to rest and play between school terms is not eligible for readjustment allowances. Among other things, he must be available for employment and willing to accept a suitable job during each period for which he claims a readjustment allowance."

The law provides that further rights to readjustment allowances shall be forfeited by a veteran who knowingly accepts an allowance to which he is not entitled. In addition, misrepresentation or fraud are punishable by fines and prison sentences.

## SAC Okehs Constitution Sets Up Awards System

Major business at the SAC meeting last Tuesday night included the establishment of an awards system for activity keys and consideration of the proposed student Constitution and by-laws. The SAC voted unanimously to accept the proposed Constitution and by-laws and to refer the document to the student body for ratification or rejection at the general election to be held May 22.

## Poly Phase Finishes Bay Area Journey

By Ed Durbin

The Poly Phase club made its annual field trip, visiting the industrial electrical plants in the San Francisco Bay area, the naval base on Mare Island at Vallejo, and the cyclotron (atom smasher) on the campus of the University of California at Berkeley. The trip, beginning Wednesday, May 7th, and ending Sunday, May 11th, was made by private vehicle. The purpose of the tour was not only to study the production and construction angles of the electrical engineering field, but to give the men first hand information on various phases of employment in their profession.

Thirty electrical engineering students and two advisors, E. C. Glover and Warren Anderson made the trip. Arrangements for the trip including lodging, were made by John Benton and Dick Pitman.

The participants met Thursday morning at the Y.M.C.A. on Turk Street, and from there proceeded to the General Electric Company's Oakland Apparatus Works where transformers and vertical motors are made for the West. Thursday afternoon the club visited Westinghouse plant in Emeryville which was similar to the G. E. plant. At Westinghouse the students met Dick Morton, Poly graduate, who is now foreman of the transformer department.

Friday morning was devoted to touring P. G. and E.'s station "A", a steam power plant, and the P. G. and E. distribution sub-station "H". Friday afternoon the group was conducted through the Mare Island Naval Base at Vallejo.

Radar equipment, the manufacture of quartz crystals, and the Mare Island transmitting station were among the things shown.

The last stop on the list was the cyclotron, or atom smasher, as it is commonly known. Here it was possible to see actual pictures of the splitting of the atom. The cyclotron, itself, is completely operated by remote control.

This being the last stop on the agenda, the visitors "infiltrated" through the cyclotron guards back to their respective cars for the long trek home.

### TO HOLD YMCA MEETING

At a recent meeting of the Student YMCA group plans were made for the final meeting of the year to be held at the Gemada Tea Room, May 20, with the Reverend Roy, from the Ballard Presbyterian Church of Santa Ynez Valley, as the guest speaker.

### SAFETY CONTEST WINNERS

Winners of the recent El Mustang safety contest may pick up their prizes at the publications office, Room 16, next Tuesday afternoon. Possible score in the contest was 92. The winners are: Frederick A. Cliby, 76; Edmund E. Haas, 72; and Emmons Blake, 70.

An Awards committee was appointed to consider the applications of students for activity keys. The SAC voted to accept the plan set up by the existing committee which awards keys to students who have earned 100 or more activity points.

Ken Lucas, chairman of the committee, announced that applications for keys would be available from May 16 to 23 in the student body office, room 17, Adm. Bldg. Applications will be accepted only from students who plan to leave Poly at the end of the current quarter.

The schedule, as set up by the committee, follows with the report of the committee. Students who qualify for a key are urged to turn in their points as soon as possible on the provided forms. Completed forms will be accepted at the student body office until May 23.

This schedule is retroactive to students now enrolled at California State Polytechnic College. Transfer students from San Dimas may be awarded up to fifty points for activities carried on at the southern branch. The system will be altered to fit the provisions of the new constitution, if and when such constitution is ratified. The committee will administer the awarding of points and evaluate the claims to points.

Points under at least three headings are required to earn a key.

### Student Body Officers:

President, 75; vice president 60; student manager, 60; other officers, 45.

### Publications:

Editor El Rodeo and El Mustang 45; assistant editors, 25; business manager 25; reporters, 5; editor and business manager (minor publications) 20.

### Music:

Band, Glee Club, and Collegians. president and manager, 25; other officers, 15; members 5; members of smaller groups an extra 5.

### Athletics:

Major sports (athletic points are cumulative.) Captain and most valuable player, 15; manager and assistant manager, 10 only; lettermen, 5; team members, 5.

Minor sports, Captain, 10; lettermen 5; team members, 5.

### Classes:

President, 10; other officers, 5.

Clubs (recognized by the student body)

President, 10; other officers, 5.

### Poly Royal:

General superintendent, 45; other officers, 25; members of the executive committee, 15; activity chairman, 15 to 5, depending on the activity.

### Student Affairs Council:

Student officers, 0; members 20.

### Rally Committee:

The yell leader is counted as a student officer; assistant yell leader, 10; member 5.

### Student Court:

Members, 5.

Temporary Committees, appointed by student president or SAC.

Members, 5.

### Outside Publicity:

A maximum of 25 points to be awarded to any one person, at the discretion of the awards committee and to be sparingly given.

## Y Elects Officers For Coming Year

The Student YMCA Group, at a recent meeting, elected the following students to office for the coming year: Pierre Anderson was elected to the presidency, Milton Brown was voted into the vice-president's chair Jim Jessup was elected to the secretary's position, and Roland Hickman was unanimously re-elected as treasurer. The group voted for Dr. Frederick Essig and Clarence Radius as Faculty Advisors.

Prior to the election, Pierre Anderson and Gordon Landry discussed with the group in their recent attendance at the Regional Student Council Conference held at Santa Monica.

George Miller, local YMCA secretary and advisor to the group, was present at the meeting.

### ARCHITECT TO BE HIRED

The freshman students in Architecture had been worried over the possibility of there not being a second year course in Architecture due to the lack of an architect to teach the course. At a conference held Tuesday afternoon between Eugene A. Egan and a group of architectural students, Egan informed the group that although the college does not as yet have an architect, the students may rest assured that a qualified teacher will be procured prior to the fall quarter.

### ARCHITECTS MEET MAY 27

The Architectural Club will have a dinner meeting at the Gemada Tea Room on May 27, according to John Crowson, president of the club. William Decker Holdredge, a San Luis Obispo architect, will be the guest speaker. This will be the final meeting of the school year for the club.

## WHAT'S DOIN' - -

### Saturday, May 17:

10 a. m. to 6 p. m. — Horticulture club picnic, Avila.

2 p. m. — Bots and Spurs barbecue, Diamond Ranch (near Avila)

### Sunday, May 18:

10 a. m. — Los Lecheros picnic and barbecue, county park

### Monday, May 19:

5:30 p. m. — Public Speaking class meeting, JC room, Cafe 1.

7 p. m. — Dairy Club meeting, AC Aud.

### Tuesday, May 20:

Noon — Ag Inspection dept. meeting, JC room, Cafe 1.

7 p. m. — YMCA group dinner, Gemada Tea Room.

7 p. m. — Mustang Flying club meeting, Cr. 11 & 14A.

### Wednesday, May 21:

6:30 p. m. — Young Farmer meeting, Adm. 214.

## McPhee Meets With College Presidents

President Julian McPhee is in Sacramento attending the state college presidents' meeting this Thursday and Friday. Topics under discussion include the effect of legislation on the colleges and accreditation for credentials.

On Saturday, May 17, he will be at San Dimas to speak at the Poly Vue, the equivalent of our Poly Royal.

President McPhee will meet with the state attorney general and the veterans administration officials May 21, for the purpose of obtaining a more favorable interpretation by the state of the federal veterans contracts.

### STUDENT OFFICER QUALIFICATIONS

"Inasmuch as voting for the adoption of the new constitution will not take place until May 22, qualifications for the nominations of student body officers will be those as listed under the present constitution," Leon Carolan, associated student president announced today.

### GUS BECK PASSES OUT

Carl G. Beck, popular instructor at Cal Poly handed out cigars this week. The occasion was the birth of a grandson, his first. The Chief now has a competitor in the faculty ranks. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Bernard "Pete" Schaffer.



# Full Text of Constitution and By-Laws

In these pages you will find the complete text of the proposed Constitution and By-laws which are up for ratification. We ask you to read the text carefully. If this Constitution and By-laws are ratified at the general election, May 22 they will become the governing laws of the Associated Students of California State Polytechnic College. We feel that in order to vote intelligently, you, as students, should have the opportunity to study what you are asked to ratify. If you have any questions concerning this document we ask you to attend a meeting to be held in room 211 of the Adm. Bldg. from 2 until 5 p. m. next Tuesday. Members of the committee which wrote this Constitution and By-laws will be on hand to explain the provisions of the document and to answer your questions.

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## Proposed CONSTITUTION Associated Students of the California State Polytechnic College San Luis Obispo PREAMBLE

Believing that the highest efficiency of the Associated Students of the California State Polytechnic College can best be attained through the application of democratic policies and principles, we, the students of the California State Polytechnic College, working in collaboration with the administration and the faculty, do hereby adopt this Constitution and By-laws.

### ARTICLE I Name and Colors

Section I. The name of this student association shall be the "Associated Students of the California State Polytechnic College" at San Luis Obispo, and colloquially known as "The Mustangs."

a. The Associated Students of the California State Polytechnic College may be referred to as "Associated Students" throughout the Constitution and By-laws.

Section II. The official colors of the college shall be green and gold.

### ARTICLE II Membership

#### Section I. Active.

a. Any enrolled student of the California State Polytechnic College shall be eligible for active membership.

#### Section II. Associate.

a. Any faculty member, immediate member of the faculty member's family, regular employee in the California State Polytechnic College, and wife of an enrolled student shall be eligible for associate membership.

1. Any faculty member who has been an associate member for five consecutive years shall be granted annual associate membership without further annual assessment.

#### Section III. Honorary.

a. Any individual who performs an outstanding service or deed for the benefit of the Associated Students may have honorary membership bestowed upon him by the Student Affairs Council.

### ARTICLE III Officers

Section I. The elected officers of the Associated Students shall be a President, a Vice-President, and a Secretary.

### ARTICLE IV Student Affairs Council

Section I. The government and direction of the Associated Students and the control of its property shall be vested in the Student Affairs Council.

#### Section II. Membership.

a. Elected Officers of the Associated Students.

1. President.

2. Vice-President.

3. Secretary.

b. Inter-Department Council as established in Bylaws, Article IX, Section I.

1. One representative for each division as established in the curriculum of the California State Polytechnic College.

c. Inter-Club Council as established in Bylaws, Article IX, Section II.

1. One representative for each eight (or part thereof) recognized clubs or societies.

d. Boards as established in Bylaws, Article VIII.

1. One representative from each of the following officially constituted boards.

(a) Athletics.

(b) Music.

(c) Publications and publicity.

(d) Poly Royal.

e. Regular classes.

1. One representative from each class:

(a) Freshman.

(b) Sophomore.

(c) Junior.

(d) Senior.

f. Faculty.

1. One faculty advisor.

2. One representative of the faculty or administration.

g. Graduate Manager.

Section III. All members of the Student Affairs Council, as enumerated in Section II, shall be voting members, except the graduate manager.

### ARTICLE V Advisory Commission

Section I. An Advisory Commission shall be established, whose function shall be to review matters referred to it by the Student Affairs Council, the President of the California State Polytechnic College, or one of the established boards.

#### Section II. Membership.

a. Students.

1. President of the Associated Students.

2. One representative from the Student Affairs Council.

3. One representative from Inter-Club Council.

4. One representative from Inter-Department Council.

b. Faculty and Administration.

1. The President of the California State Polytechnic College or his representative.

2. Two members from the faculty at large.

3. One faculty representative from the Student Affairs Council.

### ARTICLE VI Meetings

Section I. Associated Students.

a. A majority shall constitute a quorum.

b. Regular meetings shall be held at least once each quarter of the regular school year.

c. Special meetings may be called by the President of the Associated Students.

d. Special meetings must be called within two weeks by the President of the Associated Students upon presentation of a petition signed by twenty (20) per cent of the regular members of the Associated Students.

Section II. Student Affairs Council.

a. A majority shall constitute a quorum.

b. Regular meetings shall be held at least once each month

throughout the regular school year.

c. Special meetings may be called by the President of the Associated Students.

Section III. Advisory Commission.

a. Regular meetings shall be held once each quarter during the second regular week of instruction, except that the first meeting of the fall quarter shall be during the fifth week.

b. Special meetings may be called by the President of the Associated Students.

c. Special meetings may be called by the President of the California State Polytechnic College.

d. A meeting must be held within one week after referral of any matter to the commission for action as designated in Article V, Section I.

### Section IV. Time and Place.

a. The chairman of each group shall designate the time and place of each group meeting.

### ARTICLE VII Term of Office

Section I. The tenure of an elected or appointed officer shall be for one regular school year terminating at the end of the spring quarter.

### ARTICLE VIII Recall

#### Section I. Procedure.

a. Any elected officer may be subject to recall upon the presentation of a petition at a regular or special meeting of the Associated Students if said petition is signed by thirty (30) per cent of the regular members of the Associated Students.

b. The petition shall then be referred to a vote by ballot of the members of the Associated Students within two weeks.

c. If a two-thirds majority of the votes cast shall be in favor of a recall, the recall shall be considered legal and effective.

### ARTICLE IX Referendum

#### Section I. Procedure.

a. On petition of thirty (30) per cent of the members of the Associated Students, any official act of the Student Affairs Council must be submitted to a vote of the members of the Associated Students.

b. To be effective, such a petition must be filed within two weeks after the announcement of the action.

c. The President shall then call a special meeting of the Associated Students, at which meeting the question shall be openly discussed and a date set for election, not less than one week nor more than two weeks, from the day of the meeting.

d. Voting shall be by secret ballot and a negative vote of two-thirds of those voting shall be required to defeat the act.

### ARTICLE X Amendments

#### Section I. Procedure.

a. The proposed amendment must be initiated by either of the following two methods:

1. It may be signed by at least twenty (20) per cent of the active members of the Associated Students and handed to the secretary of the Associated Students by any one of the signers.

2. It may be recommended, upon two-thirds majority vote appro-

val, by the Student Affairs Council.

b. The date of the filing of the petition and notices of the election, with a full statement of the amendment, shall be posted conspicuously and shall be run in the columns of the paper of the Associated Students for one week previous to the election.

c. Voting shall be by secret ballot, and a favorable vote of two-thirds of those voting shall be necessary to pass the amendment.

d. The amendment is to take effect immediately upon passage by the required majority.

### ARTICLE XI Administrative Review

Section I. All regulations and procedures outlined in the Constitution, the Bylaws, and the amendments thereto, shall be subject to review by the President of California State Polytechnic College.

### ARTICLE XII Ratification

Section I. The ratification by a two-thirds majority of the voters in an Associated Student election shall be sufficient for the establishment of this Constitution and Bylaws.

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### Proposed BYLAWS

Associated Students of California  
State Polytechnic College

### ARTICLE I Membership, Privileges and Benefits

#### Section I. Active.

a. Admission to all Student Body sponsored activities including athletic contests, music activities, and social functions, free or at reduced rates as prescribed by Student Affairs Council. (Rates subject to federal tax, if any.)

b. One copy of the yearly publication, El Rodeo, free or at a reduced rate as prescribed by Student Affairs Council.

c. Subscription to the weekly publication, El Mustang.

d. One vote at each general Associated Student election.

e. Participation in any student body sponsored activity.

f. Such additional privileges as may be prescribed by Student Affairs Council.

#### Section II. Associate and Honorary.

a. Admission to all student body sponsored activities, including athletic contests, music activities, and social functions, free or at reduced rates as prescribed by Student Affairs Council. (Rates subject to federal tax, if any.)

b. Subscription to El Mustang.

c. Such additional privileges as may be prescribed by Student Affairs Council or as otherwise designated in the Constitution or Bylaws.

### ARTICLE II Dues

#### Section I.

a. Should a change be recommended, the dues for active and/or associate membership in the Associated Students shall be prescribed by the Student Affairs Council. Approval is subject to a majority vote of the Associated Students at the regular spring election.

1. Should the recommended dues fail to receive a majority vote, the

dues shall be the same as those of the current year.

### ARTICLE III Duties and Qualifications of Officers

#### Section I. President:

a. Shall be chairman of the Student Affairs Council.

b. Shall be responsible for calling and conducting the regular Associated Students meetings and the Student Affairs Council meetings.

c. Shall have the power of appointment as delegated by the Constitution and the Bylaws and the power of appointing temporary committees.

d. Shall serve on all permanent committees in an advisory capacity.

e. Shall make appointments to fill any vacancy, either appointive or elective, subject to approval of Student Affairs Council.

#### Section II. Vice-President:

a. Shall act as substitute for the President of Associated Students in case of absence or disability of the President.

b. Shall be the chairman of the Inter-Department Council.

c. Shall be the chairman of the Inter-Club Council.

d. Shall be in charge of social activities of Associated Students and of the programs for student body assemblies.

#### Section III. Secretary:

a. Shall be secretary of the Student Affairs Council.

b. Shall keep a record of the Associated Students and of the Student Affairs Council meetings.

c. Shall keep a roll of the membership of the Student Affairs Council.

d. Shall notify officers and committees of their election or appointment and time of meetings.

e. Shall keep a list of all committees.

f. Shall keep in a safe and permanent place the original copy of the Constitution, Bylaws, and activities code, and cause any amendments thereto to be officially recorded.

g. Shall notify members of regular and special meetings.

h. Shall post the minutes of the regular Student Affairs Council meetings within two days after a meeting in at least two prominent places on the campus.

i. Shall post the minutes of the meetings of the Associated Students by the Tuesday following the meeting in at least two prominent places on the campus.

#### Section IV. Qualifications.

a. Shall be upper classmen (junior or senior) during term of office.

b. Shall carry at least twelve (12) units each quarter during term of office.

c. Shall have maintained a scholastic average of "C" or above in academic work taken at this and/or any other collegiate institution.

d. Shall have been in regular attendance at the California State Polytechnic College at least three quarters prior to nomination.

e. Shall hold active membership in the Associated Students.

### ARTICLE IV Election

#### Section I. Time.

a. The general election of the officers of the Associated Students

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## Bill Othart

For Secretary

"Let's Get Organized with Othart"

Student Election May 22

VOTE VOTE VOTE



Madge for Good Management  
"The Constitution Candidate"

VOTE FOR

## PAUL MADGE

Student Body President

Election---May 22



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shall be held during the seventh regular week of instruction of each spring quarter.

b. Nominations for the elective officers of the Associated Students shall open three weeks prior to the date set for the election and shall close one week prior to the date of election.

Section II. Election Committee.  
a. An election committee of five (5) shall be appointed by the President of the Associated Students and approved by the Student Affairs Council one week prior to the date set for opening of nominations.

b. The election committee:  
1. Shall present to Associated Students the name of one or more candidates for each office.

2. Shall receive and cause to be placed on the ballot the name of any active member of the Associated Students upon the receipt of a petition in his behalf signed by not less than fifty (50) active members of the Associated Students.

3. Shall certify as to the eligibility of each candidate.

4. Shall be responsible for any run-off election.

5. Shall be responsible for any special election.

6. Shall be responsible for the entire conduct of the elections, including provision for petition blanks, preparation of ballots, establishment of polling places, provision of clerks and ballot boxes, counting the ballots, and posting the results.

Section III. Voting.  
a. Voting shall be by secret ballot upon presentation of the voter's student body card.

b. A majority of votes cast shall be required to elect.

Section IV. Special Elections.  
a. In the event neither the President nor the vice-president of the Associated Students returns to school, a special election shall be held to fill the vacancies.

b. The procedure shall be the same as outlined in Sections I, II, and III, except that part "a" of Section I shall read as follows: A general election shall be held as specified by the Student Affairs Council.

#### ARTICLE V

##### Student Affairs Council

Section I. Duties and Powers.  
a. Shall be responsible for and have final authority in supervision and direction of the affairs, properties, and conduct of the Associated Students.

b. Shall be responsible for the levying of fees for special events and authorizing of all expenditures of Associated Students funds.

c. Shall prepare an annual budget.

d. Shall provide for an annual audit.

e. Shall hear reports of boards and committees.

f. If agreement cannot be reached, the matter shall be referred to the Advisory Commission.

g. Shall have final approval on all student and employee appointments under Associated Students control whose appointments have not otherwise been provided for.

h. Shall appoint representatives of the Associated Students.

#### ARTICLE VI

##### Advisory Commission

Section I. Membership and Selection.

a. Student.

1. President of the Associated Students.

2. One representative elected by the Student Affairs Council from its membership.

3. One representative elected by the Inter-Club Council from its membership.

4. One representative elected by the Inter-Department Council from its membership.

b. Faculty.

1. President of California State Polytechnic College or his representative.

2. Two members appointed by the President of California State Polytechnic College from the administration and faculty.

3. The faculty advisor of Student Affairs Council.

Section II. Term of Office.

a. The members will be elected or appointed annually to take office at the first regular meeting held during the fifth week of instruction of the fall quarter.

Section III. Officers.

a. The officers shall consist of a chairman and secretary to be elected by the Advisory Commission from among its membership.

Section IV. Duties and Powers.

a. Shall act in an advisory or recommending capacity on all

matters referred to the Commission.

1. May refer the matter back to the originating body with recommendations.

2. May recommend that the matter be referred to the President of the California State Polytechnic College for his action.

b. Shall act as interpreting agent for Constitution, Bylaws, and activity code.

#### ARTICLE VII

##### Graduate Manager

Section I. Employment.

a. The graduate manager will be selected by and responsible to the Student Affairs Council.

Section II. Duties of the Graduate Manager.

a. Shall prepare the annual budget of the Associated Students for the Student Affairs Council.

b. Shall act as fiscal officer and manager for the Associated Students.

c. Shall be charged with the keeping of such fiscal records as demanded by the Student Affairs Council and in accordance with accepted business practices.

d. Shall act as ex-officio secretary to the Student Affairs Council and the Board of Athletic Control.

#### ARTICLE VIII

##### Boards

Section I.  
a. A board shall be established for each Associated Student activity receiving direct appropriation from funds of the Associated Students.

1. Boards shall be established for:

(a) Athletics.

(b) Music.

(c) Publications and publicity.

(d) Poly Royal.

b. In requesting funds for its respective functions, each board must prepare a budget each year and submit it to the Student Affairs Council for approval.

c. Each board shall be responsible to the Student Affairs Council for the conduct of its powers and duties and shall prepare reports as requested.

d. In the event any act of a board is vetoed by its faculty advisor, the matter shall be referred to the Advisory Commission for recommendations.

a. Officers.

1. The student manager of each board shall be chairman and be the representative to Student Affairs Council.

2. Faculty advisor.

Y. Meetings.

1. The annual board meeting for recommendation of candidates for Student Affairs Council approval shall be held during the eighth week of instruction during the spring quarter.

2. Special meetings may be called by the manager or the advisor.

Section II. Board of Athletic Control.

a. Membership.

1. Student:

(a) Student manager selected by the board and approved by Student Affairs Council.

(b) Two representatives at large appointed by the President of Associated Students.

(c) President of Block P Society.

2. Faculty, one of whom shall be elected by the board as its advisor.

(a) Director of athletics.

(b) One faculty representative appointed by the President of California State Polytechnic College.

(c) Two faculty representatives selected by the board.

3. Alumni.

(a) Two members of the California State Polytechnic College Alumni Association appointed by the President of Alumni Association.

4. Graduate manager.

b. All members shall be voting members, with the following exceptions:

1. The faculty advisor, who shall have veto power.

2. The two Alumni Association representatives.

3. The graduate manager, who shall act as ex-officio secretary of the board.

c. The board shall control the expenditure of funds allotted to it.

d. The board shall be responsible for the general policies concerning student athletics.

Section III. Board of Music Control.

a. Membership.

1. Student:

(a) Student manager selected by the board and approved by Student Affairs Council.

(b) Five representatives elected by established organizations within the music department.

(c) One student at large appointed by the President of the Associated Students.

2. Faculty, one of whom shall be

elected by the board as its advisor:

(a) The head of the music department.

(b) One faculty member at large appointed by the President of California State Polytechnic College.

b. All members shall be voting members except the faculty advisor, who shall have veto power.

c. The board may recommend to the Student Affairs Council the removal of any board member who is not fulfilling his duties.

d. The board shall control the funds allotted to it.

e. The board shall be responsible for the general policies concerning the music activities.

Section IV. Board of Publications and Publicity Control.

a. Membership.

1. Student:

(a) Student manager selected by the board and approved by Student Affairs Council.

(b) Editor of El Mustang selected by the board and approved by Student Affairs Council.

(c) Editor of El Bodeo selected by the board and approved by Student Affairs Council.

(d) Two members elected by and from the established publications and publicity staffs.

(e) Representative of Press Club selected from its membership.

(f) Student at large appointed by the President of Associated Students.

2. Faculty, one of whom shall be elected by the board as its advisor:

(a) One faculty representative appointed by the President of California State Polytechnic College.

(b) Two faculty representatives selected by the board.

b. All members shall be voting members except the advisor, who shall have veto power.

c. The board may recommend to the Student Affairs Council the removal of any member of the board who is not fulfilling his duties.

d. The board shall control the expenditure of funds allotted to it.

e. The board shall be responsible for the general policies concerning the student publications and publicity activities.

Section V. Board of Poly Royal Control.

a. Membership.

1. Student:

(a) Student manager selected by board and approved by Student Affairs Council.

(b) One representative from each recognized department of the school selected by the department clubs.

2. Faculty, one of whom shall be elected by the board as its advisor.

(a) One faculty representative appointed by the President of California State Polytechnic College.

(b) One faculty representative selected by the board.

b. All members shall be voting members except the faculty advisor, who shall have veto power.

c. The board shall control the funds allotted to it.

d. The board shall be responsible for conducting the annual Poly Royal.

#### ARTICLE IX

##### Councils

Section I. Inter-Department Council.

a. An Inter-Department Council shall be established, whose function shall be to act as a coordinating body between the groups represented by its membership and the Student Affairs Council.

b. Membership.

1. Student:

(a) Vice-president of the Associated Students.

(b) President of each recognized department club.

2. Faculty:

(a) One faculty member from each division, elected by the council.

c. Duties.

1. To elect from its membership to the Student Affairs Council one representative from each division.

2. To elect from its membership to the Advisory Commission one representative.

3. To aid the vice-president of the Associated Students in planning and carrying out the social activities of the Associated Students.

Section II. Inter-Club Council.

a. An Inter-Club Council shall be established, whose function shall be to act as a coordinating body between the groups represented by its membership and the Student Affairs Council.

b. Membership.

1. Student:

(a) Vice-president of the Associated Students.

(b) President of each recognized social club and society.

2. Faculty:

(a) Two faculty members at large elected by the council.

1. To elect from its membership one representative to the Student Affairs Council for each eight (or part thereof) recognized clubs or societies.

2. To elect from its membership to the Advisory Commission one representative.

3. To aid the vice-president of the Associated Students in the planning and carrying out the social activities of the Associated Students.

Section III. Officers.

a. Chairman.

1. The vice-president of the Associated Students shall be chairman of both councils.

b. Secretary.

1. The secretary to be elected by each council from its membership.

Section IV. Meetings.

a. Regular meetings shall be held once each month.

b. Special meetings may be called by the vice-president of the Associated Students.

c. The vice-president of the Associated Students shall designate the time and place of meetings.

#### ARTICLE X

##### Standing Committees

Section I. Rally Committee.

a. Membership.

1. Chairman selected by the Student Affairs Council.

2. Ten (10) to sixteen (16) members recommended by the chairman of the Rally Committee and approved by the Student Affairs Council.

3. One faculty advisor appointed by President of California State Polytechnic College.

b. The committee shall be responsible for promoting school spirit and shall assist in conducting student activities.

c. The committee shall select the yell leaders.

d. The committee shall be responsible to the Student Affairs Council for its program of activities.

e. The committee shall be provided with appropriate insignia and equipment by the Student Affairs Council.

f. Meetings shall be called by the chairman as required.

Section II. Award Committee.

a. Membership.

1. Secretary of Associated Students shall be chairman.

2. Four (4), two (2) each from junior and senior classes, recommended by the chairman and approved by the Student Affairs Council.

b. The committee shall be responsible for recording student activity points.

c. The committee shall recommend to the Student Affairs Council the award of an activity key to meritorious students.

d. Meetings shall be called by the chairman as required.

e. All records shall be securely kept in the custody of the graduate manager.

#### ARTICLE XI

##### Amendments

Section I. Procedure.

a. The proposed amendment must be initiated by either of the following two methods:

1. It may be signed by at least twenty (20) per cent of the active members of the Associated Students and handed to the secretary of the Associated Students by any one of the signers.

2. It may be recommended, upon two-thirds majority vote approval, by the Student Affairs Council.

b. The date of the filing of the petition and notices of the election, with a full statement of this amendment, shall be posted conspicuously and shall be run in the columns of the paper of the Associated Students for one week previous to the election.

c. Voting shall be by secret ballot, and a favorable majority vote of those voting shall be necessary to pass the amendment.

d. The amendment is to take effect immediately upon passage by the required majority.

#### ARTICLE XII

##### Parliamentary Rules

Section I.

a. Roberts' Rules of Order, revised, shall govern all Associated Students deliberations in all cases in which it does not conflict with the Constitution or By-laws.

#### ARTICLE XIII

##### Activities Code

Section I. Purpose.

a. In order to provide a means for recording the specific regulations of any student activity, the Student Affairs Council shall initiate an activities code which shall be a part of the Constitution and By-laws of the Associated Students.

Section II. Operation.

a. With the approval of the Student Affairs Council, any organization may draw up regulations or amend its regulations governing its operations and policies, provided they are not in conflict with the Constitution or By-laws.

Every student should take an active interest and part in the student elections—it is your duty to vote and work for your candidate.

## Don Seaton

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# Mustangs Take Final Game From Bulldogs

The Cal Poly Mustangs closed the current season with a blaze of glory by taking Fresno to the cleaners, Saturday, 6-5, in Fresno. It was Don Crawford again, as he scattered 7 hits through the nine innings.

Poly started the ball rolling by garnering a run in the first inning when Fraser got life on a walk, stole second, and was sacrificed to third by Moroski.

Then "Pewee" stole the act again by pilfering home plate for the run. Fresno came right back in the second inning to tie up the ball game on a hit by Rogers and an error by Fisher. In the third inning Fresno scored 2 runs and came back again in the fourth with 2 more runs. This made the score 5-2.

Lurker held the Mustangs scoreless until the big eighth inning when they piled up 4 runs to go ahead 6-5, where they stayed the rest of the game. Crawford led off with a single, was forced at second by Fraser, who stole second on the first pitch. Moroski singled infield and Haas got an "Annie Oakley" to load the bags. "Pinky" Bebernes then came to bat and hit a long double in left center bringing in two more runs. The ball was labeled a home run, but hit an air pocket and dropped for a double. Big, bad Bob Bennett came to bat and singled sharply to left field bringing in Haas and Bebernes to put the Mustangs ahead 6-5. After the fourth inning, Crawford held the boys from Fresno to two hits and had complete control of the situation from then on out. Bennett and chucker, Crawford each got two hits at the plate for Poly.

In the first game of the series, played Friday afternoon, the "Must-nags" were edged out 10-9 in 11 innings, the game being played in a "typhoon". Big Karl Frei started on the mound for the Mottmen and pitched eight and one third innings, when Williams came in to relieve him in time to receive credit for the loss. Lack of support proved fatal to Poly as they went down to defeat before the slants of Fresno's star chucker, Smith, 10-9.

#### Box scores

	R	H	E
Cal Poly	101	101	140
Fresno	201	021	080
Cal Poly	100	100	040
Fresno	012	200	000

#### DORM RESERVATIONS OPEN

Students wishing to retain the same rooms they are now occupying, next fall, should notify both Major Deuel and their dorm superintendent, and leave their deposit. As some of the permanent dorms are to be closed this summer for repairs, students who are not to be here must check out completely in order to provide space. If your dorm is to undergo repairs, contact Major Deuel immediately for summer accommodations.

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## Call for Pugilists Issued by Pavelko

Coach Chuck Pavelko has issued a call for all potential boxers now enrolled in the college to come out at 4 p. m. Monday for a meeting with the boxing staff. The meeting will be held in the gymnasium.

Last year's boxing team did well and Pavelko is expecting to field a much better team during the next season.

If your girl doesn't like you at all, It may be something about your last call.

## Home on the Range, or Why Don't You Return?

An investigation into the origin of the cowboy song has just been completed by the campus society for the prevention of cruelty to humans.

President A. K. Miller, Seagull No. 1, said, "The cowboy song is a form of torture devised as the result of stinking grub from the chuck wagon out on the lone prairie."

"I attribute its present popularity to the fact that in any nation of 140,000,000 people, there must, of necessity, be a commensurate ratio of assorted dimwits."

## Announce Baseball Letterman Awards

The athletic department has announced the following men have been recommended by Coach Bob Mott for the award of a varsity letter: Burt Haas, Wilbur Mayhew, Henry Moroski, Vern Bebernes, James Fisher, John Williams, Karl Frei, Charlie Hoffman, Eugene Fraser, Ed Lesky, Bob Bennett, Don Crawford, Don Garman and George Schroeder (Mgr.).

When driving, remember the campus speed limit: 20 m.p.h.

## Crops, Seagull Take Openers

The intra-mural softball league started with a bang last Wednesday evening. Two games were played on the new soft ball diamonds and both were good for plenty of hits and runs.

Of the two leagues formed, the Mustang and the Pony league, both games Monday featured the Mustang league. Crops took on the Dairy boys and walloped them by the score of 18-10.

	R	H	E
Crops	18	10	0
Dairy	10	8	2

Batteries, Crops: Croce, Dave.

Dairy: Mull, McBride. Umpire: John Moroski.

In the second game played the Faculty 'Brainstrusters' dropped a close one to the Seagull ball club by a score of 8-7. Bill Troutner, the faculty chucker, weakened in the latter part of the ball game and walked the winning run across.

	R	H	E
Faculty	7	8	5
Seagull	8	11	2

Batteries, Faculty: Troutner, Egan. Seagull: Bonner, Zigich.

Umpire: John Wright.

The complete schedule of the coming games is posted in the gymnasium.

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**JOHNNY CROWSON** . . . architecture major and San Diego import, is captain and anchor man of the Dauntless Hall bowling team of the Cal Poly League. The bowling league was started for the benefit of the pin men in the various campus organizations. The League recently applied for a student body recognition and have presented their proposed Constitution to the SAC. The League plans many activities for the future. At present the men are working out a system of cash benefits for hot rollers. Headed by Don Conley, the men keep the local alleys hot every Monday night. At present there are eight Poly teams in this league. — P. S. It was a strike.

## Queen Reception Given by Wives

By Betty McLaughlin

The Poly Royal reception of the Queen and Princesses, given by the students' wives club, was held in the Hillcrest Lounge, Thursday night, May 1. It was estimated that a crowd of about 800 people were received.

The queen, Catherine Dupont, and her princesses, Eva Brebas, Louise Kirk, Jo Ann Martinsen, and Carolyn Waite were seated in one corner of the lounge, with the queen on a dais.

The refreshment counter was decorated with a crown of pastel sweet peas, and the rest of the

lounge was beautifully arranged with fresh cut flowers. A small fence formed a stage for the entertainers at one end of the room.

Doris Gregowski was chairman of the reception, with Betty Weller in charge of refreshments; Ruth Renihan in charge of decorations; and Jo Roney in charge of entertainment.

The entertainment for the evening included the Octet from the Glee Club, soloists Sally De Vos, and Otho Budd, and the Symphonettes.

The hostesses for the evening were the presiding officers: Pres. Pat Grube, Vice Pres. Marjorie Grotzke, Treas. Doris Gregowski, Sec. Lis Stratton, membership chairman Cecile Heald, hostess chairman Didi Garrett, and the members of the Symphonettes.

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## Tennis Team Squeezed Out In Fresno Meet

The Cal Poly tennis team lost a close 5-4 decision to Fresno State College in a series of matches played in 101 degree heat at Fresno last Thursday. Two Mustang freshmen, Art Chaffee and Greg Ebat, won points in the singles matches and then teamed with different partners to account for wins in the doubles.

**Results:**  
(1) Singles: Ken McCarthy (F) d. Marshall Miller (Poly), 6-2, 6-1.  
(2) Art Chaffee (Poly) d. Graydon Nichols (F), 6-4, 4-6, 6-4.  
(3) Emery Mitchell (F) d. Don Seaton (Poly), 8-6, 4-6, 6-0.  
(4) Mel Routh (F) d. Bob Redden (Poly) 6-3, 6-4.  
(5) Greg Ebat (Poly) d. Al Davies (F), 6-1, 6-1.  
(6) Ed Ramous (F) d. Lee Grube (Poly), 6-4, 6-4.  
**Doubles:**  
(1) Miller and Chaffee (Poly) d. Mitchell and Davies (F), 6-0, 6-3.  
(2) Redden and Ebat (Poly) d. Nichols and Ramous (F), 8-6, 6-3.  
(3) Routh and Ed Becknell (F) d. Seaton and Grube (Poly), 6-4, 6-4.

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# SPORTS ROUNDUP

By JOE GRIFFIN

Whenever a group of students get together for a bull session the conversation generally moves around to women, to the past week end, and finally to the prowess of Cal Poly in athletics. Before long one of these Mustangs will try to get up on a table and finish the argument with the flat statement that as far as this college is concerned, we are in. Moving to the top of the 'little big time.' He will contend that come next year with the football team, boxing team, and the baseball team we will find that Cal Poly will be a hard outfit to stop, in any conference.

On the surface I agree with these people. It all looks wonderful on paper. The only catch is this. To come out a winner you must have manpower, the individuals to perform. This brings up the question of an athlete not being able to maintain the necessary "C" average and his going on probation. If perchance he does not get off probation the following quarter his collegiate goose is cooked. I am not advocating giving anyone a free grade or a free ride through school. I know from experience that during my first quarter here at Poly things were really rough as far as grades went but I also remember a couple of instructors who bent over backwards to help me over the rough spots during Football season. It is true that as the result of that first quarter, probation followed, but the next session I fared better. Come next fall most of the fellows will be back and ready to play ball again on this assumption: During the season there must be some place where I can go for help when I begin to slip. If this is not provided then I will continue doing just what I came to Poly to do, get an education and get out of school. Between the two of us, just who is going to suffer, the ball player, or the prestige of the college? The men participating in sports here at Poly are for the most part between the ages of 23-27 years old and few if any are going to let athletics interfere with their obtaining an education. A few did the past year, but not again. The men that I speak for are just the ones who are genuinely interested in obtaining that schooling, not the ones trying to get by on their ability on the field. I would only help those who try to help themselves.

Two weeks ago, we had here at Cal Poly, a swimmer who in the next year would have been one of the best on the coast. Today this man is not in school because of low scholastic standing.

I feel, myself, that this incident could have been avoided if the proper precautions had been taken beforehand by the athletic department and by the administration. Some people here at Poly do not share this point of view, but they are in a great minority. If they have anything to say on the matter this column is always open for constructive criticism.

About an hour ago I went up and had a talk with Bill Troutner about the situation and for some advice as to a possible remedy. We went over the question and the conclusion we arrived at was that something should be done as soon as possible. He suggested that the men concerned should take the question up and present it to Mr. Egan for further consideration and at the same time said that action would be taken if the problem were presented properly. That is good enough for me.

I feel sure that if we could get a few of these minor problems settled once and for all, it would be reflected in the brand of ball that is being played, we wouldn't lose good athletes via the back door, and on an average, the grades would be much better. The college would benefit as far as prestige goes and the man himself would leave school and be able to cope with the occupation for which he was trained.

**FORGOTTEN MAN . . .**

Without deflating anyone's ego and with elections coming up May 22, I would like to remind the student body of a man here at Poly who has done much for the advancement of this college on the gridiron. This person was the big factor in last year's successful football season and in the coming year will be a big gun in our initial entrance on the football scenes of 2C2A competition. Any time you have a party on the field whose presence alone gives a squad a shot in the arm at the right time he must be all-around in every respect. I can remember times when the going was rough that this party would come back into the huddle after picking up 5 or 10 yards and figure he didn't run hard enough and ask for another try to see if he could do better. Also I can remember times when after running the ball down to scoring territory and his signal was called he would ask the quarterback to let someone else take it over. That is what in my mind makes an outstanding athlete. He was strictly a team player and on top of that was the most respected man on the squad. There isn't a man walking around the campus of Cal Poly that can say a word about this party that isn't praise. If you don't think so ask a few questions and find out for yourself. When you cast your vote for the most valuable athlete think of the party you're voting for. Compare him with Jim Yates, and then vote.

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## Vote "Yes"

Next Thursday the students of California State Polytechnic College will vote on an issue that is of great importance to the student body. At that time you will have the opportunity to either ratify the newly proposed Constitution or to reject that document.

The editor of El Mustang has some very definite convictions concerning the coming student election. It is not the policy of El Mustang to campaign for any of the candidates for election. Yes, the editor is interested in seeing that certain candidates are elected, but it would not be fair to use the editorial columns of your newspaper to plug for those men, no matter how able or efficient the editor believes them to be.

However, in the case of the new Constitution, your editor feels that the situation is different. El Mustang is very much in favor of this new Constitution. We feel that it would be a great mistake for the students at Cal Poly to fail to ratify this document.

Anyone who has had any experience in trying to work with the present Constitution knows just how ambiguous and antiquated it is. This was recognized last year and a committee was appointed to see what could be done with it. They recommended that it be discarded and a new one drawn up. The committee was told by SAC to go ahead and write a new document.

The committee did not rush into the job but carefully worked out a schedule or plan of action. They wrote to other colleges and requested copies of student Constitutions in effect at these other schools. All in all, the men had over half a dozen constitutions to draw material from. The document they drew up is not patterned after any one of these constitutions; it takes the best points of each and incorporates them into a single document. The men on the committee, and students throughout the college were asked to contribute ideas. The best of these ideas have also been included in the new constitution.

We want to thank Blick Wells, Art Gilstrap, Al Quist, Leo Rodgers, and Bill Troutner and Carl G. Beck, the advisors, for the time, the effort, and the quality of the document that they have evolved. Many other students and faculty members had a hand in producing this constitution. We think that they, too, deserve the thanks of the entire student body.

We have printed the document and the accompanying by-laws in this issue of El Mustang. Study them carefully. We think that you will agree that the proposed constitution is an excellent piece of work. We haven't space here to even hit the best features of the document. We want you to remember this: The Constitution as proposed, is only a skeleton. The by-laws give the meat to the document. As a skeleton, the Constitution is rather rigid, but the by-laws can be altered easily if the need arises. The two, together, make an excellent ruling code which can easily expand with the growing needs of the college.

The committee has announced that they will hold an open meeting next Tuesday from 2 to 5 p. m. in room 211 of the Administration building. At this meeting, any interested person may ask questions concerning the proposed Constitution and by-laws. We hope that all of you who have questions will attend. Don't forget to vote next Thursday. Don't forget to vote "YES" on the proposed Constitution and by-laws; they were written for your benefit.

—J.M.P.

## DOWN THE MIDDLE

with YOUR PREXY  
LEON GAROLAN

Election time is here! Good old election time! That's the time each candidate says nice things about himself and hopes the students believe him. Seriously, this is your chance to take part in the governing of your student body. This is your chance to take part in democracy in action — of which most of us have heard so much and done so little.

There are some excellent candidates running for student offices. Regardless for whom you vote, get out and cast your ballot. Someone has said that the minority elects the officers for an organization. If the attendance at our last assembly is any indication of this, then I am afraid that I'll have to agree with that statement. If the small number of students who did attend last Friday's assembly are the ones who will elect next year's officers, then all attempts to bring the student government down to the students will have been in vain for anyone trying. Let's get out and support your choice for your student leaders this next Thursday, May 22, in El Corral from 9 to 4.

A good word to the small group who so adequately handled Poly Royal traffic on the campus. For a hard job well done, thanks. Those fellows put in a lot of hours and did a swell job.

## LOOKIN' ON...

with GLENN ARTHUR

Our swimming team took a blow when the best swimmer was given his walking papers because of low grades. Still, I have seen the day when some of the "wheels" have been able to stay in school. These so-called "wheels" have done nothing about outside activities to further the interests of Cal Poly. We need a scholastic committee here, certainly. But right now I want to say that there should be a student, probably a senior, in an advisory capacity attached to the committee. A disinterested student's viewpoint might clarify a lot of the trials and tribulations of the faculty on the scholastic committee.

This athletic trophy that is to be awarded to Poly's outstanding athlete is great. The way the individual is to be picked is for the birds. I'll wager that not 25 per cent of the student body can name 25 per cent of the lettermen of this year, and still it is up to the student body to pick the outstanding athlete. It is too late now to change the procedure, but next year I suggest that the picking of Poly's star sports performer be left to the lettermen of next year. The boys on the team know who should get this award far better than any of the spectators.

Next Thursday will be student body elections. It is immaterial to me who you students vote for, but vote. There will be a spirited campaign carried on by all office-seekers. Don't be carried away by bright signs and loud talk. Pick the man who in your estimation will be able to carry Poly through a banner year.

There have been some students mentioning the "sign" in front of the Ad building. It is a sorry affair. The paint is peeling off, the letters are becoming indistinguishable. In short, I think that a new sign would be the answer to the problem.

## Dear John

"Dear John"

This short note that I am writing is just an attempt to try to explain to you how honored I feel in having been able to attend and reign over the "Poly Royal of 1947."

It was an experience that I shall never forget, believe me! The students, parents, friends and faculty provided the most friendly atmosphere that I have ever been in. Everyone that I met had something kind and interesting to say. I really felt that I belonged to Poly.

You had many surprises in store for me, especially the gift and student body card which are now my most cherished possessions. My only regret is that I won't be able to use the student body card more often. But if I ever get a chance, I certainly shall give it a work-out.

My parents and sister were so thankful that they, too, had an opportunity to visit such a grand school.

You should be very proud of your Poly Royal. In my opinion, it was the finest country fair that I have ever seen and had the privilege to attend.

Please give my best regards to everyone.

Always,

Katie.

ED. NOTE: Our thanks to you Katie for being a grand and gracious Queen. This letter was received last week in the publications department and we are very happy to print it. Thank again, Katie.

Dear John:

Those of us who worked on this year's Poly Royal feel that it was a success, and the Board of Directors worked hard and endeavored to do its best. As in all programs of the Poly Royal type, there are a few who get most of the credit, but I would like to take this opportunity to thank those who are really responsible for the success of this year's event — the entire student body.

You may have all kinds of executive boards and groups, but if you do not have men who are reliable and willing to spend time on such an event it will never be a

success. I want to say that while we were working on this year's Poly Royal, the manner in which certain students responded to our pleas for help was most gratifying. It has been a great privilege and honor to work with the students on this year's 15th Annual Poly Royal. At this time I would like to thank those students who undertook many of the hard and dirty jobs that gave no recognition, no thanks and no pay. I hope these students will personally accept this as a deep-felt thanks, and our only regret is that we cannot do more for those who gave so freely of their time and effort.

Signed: Milton H. Brown  
General Superintendent of  
15th Annual Poly Royal.

Dear John:

I wish to take this opportunity to extend thanks to all persons who helped the Poly Phase Club put on the Coronation Ball. We received the best possible cooperation from the Administration, Mr. Beck, and the Poly Royal Committee.

Saturday morning after the decorations had been negligently torn down by a group of Stockton High School boys, Mr. McGrath and some of the Air Conditioning students came over to the gym and helped us considerably. Many thanks to you fellows and may we be able to return the assistance some time in the future.

My special thanks to the members of the Poly Phase Club and Club Advisors who helped make the dance a success. Many of the fellows worked four full days on the decorations. A word of praise is due Max Decker and his helpers on the stage decorations and lighting. It was very good, Max. I wish also to thank the cloak room detail for a very good job. I hope that everyone enjoyed the Ball as much as I did.

Yours sincerely,  
Ed Durbin,  
Poly Phase Club President.

Dear John:

At the beginning of this last school year, didn't our Chief himself, in his address to the student body, say that we were known far and wide as one of the most friendly campuses on the West Coast? Does this friendship stop

the minute we hit California Boulevard? During the past few months it has become increasingly hard for those of us that do not have cars to catch a ride into town. It's even worse coming back to school—car after car with empty seats whizzes by with hardly a glance at the poor hitchhiker. Of course, there are those who always stop if they have room, and more power to them, but for those who find it a little too much trouble, where's your friendly spirit?

Robert Daw.

Ed. Note: "Never let a Mustang walk."

Dear John:

They tell me Poly Royal was quite a show. I don't know; about seven other fellows and I didn't see it, too much traffic.

I don't know why they threw the hot coals in my pants so quickly, but that's where the pain was.

Thanks to the fellows who helped channel the storm of cars through the crowded intersections and to the parking areas, more thanks to the fellows who cooperated.

Some typical replies to guards when they attempted to direct the traffic:

Old lady, "But I want to park here. I'll only be a minute."

Taxi driver, "They won't let me through here, and they won't let me through there & (!) & (!) — I'll bet I get through somewhere."

Anonymous, "P-f-f-t-t!" accompanied by various forms of thumb and five finger salutes, and other gestures.

Bill Smith

Dear John,

The question has arisen in my mind as to the derivation of the phrase, "Dear John" — make it about eight ems, will you?

Joe, the printer

ED NOTE: Dear Joe, It's a long story (I hope that it is long enough). It seems that people used to preface their epistolary renditions of domestic troubles with the hackneyed phrase "Dear John, this is the hardest letter I ever wrote. . . ." We clipped it down a little to fit our needs.

Hope it fits,  
Editor



## Poultry Exhibitors Draw Prizes from Many Sources

Many generous prizes were presented to the ribbon winners of the Poultry contests during Poly Royal.

McKeen's Hatchery, San Luis Obispo, presented Herb Riley and Ted Weber, both winners of Reserve Grand Champion ribbons with copies of the Standard of Perfection. Wes

## Cal Poly Host To FFA State Judging Teams

Teams from Santa Rosa High School dominated the annual state-wide judging contests of the Future Farmers of America, held here at California Polytechnic College over the week-end, with the Sonoma County School winning both the dairy cattle and livestock judging events, and taking second in agricultural mechanics. There were about 40 teams each in livestock and dairy cattle, 28 in poultry, 25 in agricultural mechanics and eight in milk judging.

Following Santa Rosa in the livestock competition, in order, were Woodland, Madera, Chaffey Union of Ontario and Visalia. High individuals in livestock judging was Travis Passmore of Madera, with Ben Roark of Santa Rosa second and Larry Gerneshusen of Woodland third.

The dairy cattle event, also won by Santa Rosa, saw Antelope Valley High School of Lancaster in second place, Anahy High School of Sebastopol third, Grossmont fourth and Chaffey fifth. High individual was Rodney Winkler of Sebastopol, with Russell Paterson of Chaffey second and Clement Guggiana of Santa Rosa third.

Napa took the poultry judging, followed in order by Central Union of El Centro, Lancaster, Ripon and Lodi. Bob Wassum of Napa was high man, Gordon Siemens of Lancaster was second and Robert Minnis of Grossman took third.

In the farm mechanics contest, Visalia was first, Santa Rosa second, Santa Maria third, MelHater fourth, and Lodi fifth. Hugh Williams of Santa Maria was high individual, Albert Avila of Visalia was second and Phil Stappart of Santa Maria was third high.

The milk judging state trophy went to Reedley, followed by Selma and Lancaster, John Mette of Reedley was high, John Patrick of Auburn second and Pat England of Reedley third.

The dairy cattle, poultry and milk teams are eligible to compete in the national Future Farmer competition at Waterloo, Iowa, October 1-2 and the livestock team at Kansas City, Mo., October 20. The livestock team may also enter the national meat judging at Kansas City.

## Farmers Sponsor The Last Student Dance of Year

By Charles Hitchcock

A barn dance will be held this Friday night in the Poly Gym. It will be sponsored by the Young Farmers who have gone all out to make certain an enjoyable evening for everyone. Music is to be furnished by the Collegians. Dancing will start at 9 p.m. and last till 12.

Past Farmer Hillcrest dances are only a sample of what you can expect at the dance this Friday night. Cold drinks of all varieties (soft) will be on sale, and there will be plenty to last all evening. Tickets will be handed out as students enter and during the dance a door prize will be given. Carl Beck, chapter adviser, will be present to call a couple of Paul Jones dances which are generally the climax of the Farmer's hope.

Wes Davies is in complete charge of the arrangements and says that no one will regret attending this Young Farmer dance. School is drawing to a close and the Farmers wish to make an impression on the student body with their last western fling.

## Glee Club Waxed Coast to Coast

By Otho M. Budd.

Poly Royal week was a week of great activity for the glee club. Monday night, regular rehearsal was held from 6:30 p. m. to 8 p. m. Tuesday night found the minstrels back in the music room to make a broadcast from 7:30 p. m. to 8 p. m. over the local network of KVEC. Rehearsal was held from 7 p. m. to 7:30 p. m. to warm up for the broadcast. Selections were sung by the club, as was a solo by Otho Budd.

Wednesday the club went to the high school at 7:15 and took part in the public school's week presentation. They were through at 9 p. m. and rushed right up to the studios of KVEC to start work on a transcription. This transcription, which was played on a coast to coast hook-up at 2:30 p.m. the following Saturday afternoon, took from 9:15 p. m. until 12:30 p. m.

Thursday night found the club out on the football field with the Sons O' Guns program to sing two selections. After the broadcast, the Octet rushed up to Hillcrest where a reception was being held by the student wives for the queen and her entourage. They sang three selections for the queen, after which Otha Budd sang three solos for her majesty. Both were received with enthusiasm by the royal cortege.

On Saturday night, the club sang two selections for the broadcast of the coronation of queen Katie. And thus the week of Poly Royal was finished.

Last Monday night, the club was fortunate enough to be able to cut some records during regular rehearsal from 6:30 to 8 p. m. After the rehearsal, the club proceeded to the monthly meeting of the Monday club, for which they sang a few selections.

Poly Royal week for the Collegians was a tough one also. Regular rehearsals plus extra ones were needed to get into shape for an active week end.

This coming week end, the Collegians and the Octet will travel down to San Dimas for their annual Poly Vue celebration. Rehearsals are now being stepped up for the coming graduation.

## Horticulture Dept. Awards Contest Prizes

By Paul Tritenbach

Results of the Horticulture department's Poly Royal contest have been officially announced by Chuck Burroughs, chairman of Poly Royal activities.

First prize in the plant identification contest was presented to Mrs. O. W. Dalglish of San Luis Obispo. The flower arrangement contest, this year restricted to student wives, was judged by Mrs. George Drumm. She awarded the "sweepstakes" prize to Mrs. Cecil Heald.

Horticulture students in charge of these activities included Chuck Burroughs, Archie Ahrendes, Jim Coleman and Bill Gould.

The Tri-County Nurserymen's Association will convene on the campus Friday, May 23. Among the nurserymen planning to attend are the state president, and the executive secretary of the association. "This will be the first time the nurserymen have met in San Luis Obispo county," stated Howard Brown, instructor in charge of arrangements.

One of the actions approved at the Horticulture club's recent meeting was a Spring barbecue to be held Sunday afternoon, May 18. A beach near Avila has been selected for the affair, announced Archie Ahrendes, chairman.

At the same meeting, Bill Smith explained some of the intricacies of orchid germination and Wilbur Howes showed colored slides to the group.

Among the recent installations at the Propagation house are a refrigerator, for grafting wood and other materials, and a telephone.

## LOS LECHEROS TO HOLD PICNIC SUNDAY

Los Lecheros will hold their annual spring picnic and barbecue at the County Park on Sunday, May 18.

With over sixty persons having made reservations for the barbecue, Charlie Gilpin has arranged for plenty of steaks and drinks, and has a well rounded athletic program in store with Jim Fisher in charge. Bob Rivers and his wife are "staking claim" the night before and will have things rolling by the time festivities begin at 10 o'clock. The barbecue will start at 12:30.

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## Staff Needed to Publish Paper During Summer

Although Journalism courses were not listed in the tentative summer school schedule, several courses will be offered if there are sufficient students interested, the registrar's office announced today.

With an anticipated summer session enrollment of 500 to 600 students the continuation of publication of El Mustang throughout the summer has been recommended by the Publication Board. All students interested in working on the staff during the summer session are advised to contact R. E. Kennedy, Room 19, administration building, as soon as possible so that Journalism Practice credit of from one to three units can be arranged. Since a portion of the staff work on El Mustang will be done by students enrolled in Journalism 101, or Journalism 102, it is important that students interested in taking these courses also contact Kennedy so that a summer publication schedule can be worked out.

A request from several industrial students that Technical Journalism be offered during the summer session can be met only if a number of additional students intend to sign up for the course. The course is designed to teach students the fundamentals of feature writing and photographic illustrations of general and trade magazines. Students are encouraged to market manuscripts, and in many cases remuneration will be received by the students from the publications accepting the articles. Those interested are requested to contact Kennedy by May 26.

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## New Form for '346' Students

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"All Public Law 346 veterans who are currently enrolled for the Spring Quarter 1946-47 at the California Polytechnic college must, according to word which has just been received from the Veterans Administration, complete a 'Declaration of Intent' Form 7-216 if they wish to continue on as students at this college after June 4th, 1947, without interruption of their monthly subsistence payments. Forms will soon be available in the Recorder's office. When they are furnished to this college by the Veterans Administration, notices will be read in all classes and a notice will be posted on the bulletin board in the post office, giving information as to when students should appear in the Recorder's office to complete their forms. Form 7-216 must also be completed by all veterans who desire to request a Supplemental Certificate of Eligibility to enroll at any other school or who wish to have their June checks mailed to a different address.

"Students enrolled under Public Law 346 who desire to interrupt their training at the end of the current Spring Quarter on June 4th, 1947, must complete a 'Notice of Change of Training Status' Form 7-1908. This form may be obtained in the Recorder's Office.

"Failure of a veteran to complete these forms in the Recorder's Office will jeopardize his present and or future subsistence payments.

"A student enrolled at the California Polytechnic college, who has presented the school with his Certificate of Eligibility and Entitlement, may withdraw for a period of time and then return under Public Law 346 by virtue of his original Certificate of Eligibility which has been submitted to the school. If the Public Law 346 veteran wishes to enter any other school, it is then necessary that he apply to the Veterans Administration for a Supplemental certificate of Eligibility and Entitlement.

"Every Public Law 346 veteran will find that it will be necessary that he complete either Form 7-216 or Form 7-1908. Further information may be obtained at the time you appear to complete your form."

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## Student Wives Announce Plans

By Betty McLaughlin

The Students' Wives club held their regular business meeting last Thursday, May 8th, at 8:00 p.m. in the Hillcrest lounge.

Marjorie Grotzke, the social chairman, announced that a pot luck picnic will be held for the wives and their husbands on May 25th, at the county park in Lopez canyon, serving between 12-1 p.m. The committee will furnish plates, napkins and ice cream, with members bringing their own silver, beverage, and hot dish for eight, or sandwiches, relishes, cake cookies, or salad. Play equipment for games will be available.

The social chairman then announced that Phyllis Bassett, a member of the club, is a candidate for Fiesta Queen.

Doris Gregowski, the chairman of the reception for Poly Royal Queen, thanked all the committees helping to make the reception a success.

The Drama Group will meet Wednesday night, May 14th, at 7:45 in the Hillcrest lounge, announced Liz Stratton.

The next meeting will be held on May 22, at 8 p.m., in the Hillcrest Lounge. Husbands are invited to attend at 8:30 to enjoy the social part of the meeting.

## Students to Hear Poly's Teacher Training Plan

Want to be a high school teacher? California is going to need 5,000 new teachers per year for at least ten years. Maybe you will be one of them. You will have a chance to find out at the special teacher recruitment meeting to be held Monday evening, May 20, at 7:30 in room 214, Administration Building.

In making this announcement today, Dr. Neil M. Daniels, Acting Chairman of the committee on Teacher Education, said, "All prospective vocational agriculture and physical education teachers, and all individuals potentially interested in mathematics, physical and life science, and social studies teaching are urged to attend this meeting. The meeting will be short and to the point.

Daniels stated that this meeting would serve the following purposes: (1) provide vocational orientation for students who would like to know more about qualifications, rewards, and opportunities in the teaching profession, (2) give students information on Cal Poly's teacher education program, and (3) inform students what to do to qualify for a teaching position.

## Need Applicants For Publications

All students interested in holding editorial positions on any of the several student publications for the coming school year are requested to make application for the positions desired not later than June 1.

Positions open are as follows: editor, El Rodeo, editor El Mustang, editor Frosh Handbook, editor Goal Post, editor Mustang Roundup, business manager El Rodeo, business manager El Mustang, El Mustang business manager also will handle advertising for

all publications except the yearbook.

Students interested in becoming art editors, cartoonists, photographers, or assistant editors for any of the above publications also are invited to turn in applications for the positions wanted.

Regular application blanks may be obtained at the switchboard and must be filled in and returned to Room 19 on or before June 1 so that the Publication Board may make recommendations to the SAC before the close of the present school year.

### DISPENSARY NOTICE

Attention is called to the fact that treatment at the college dispensary is limited to the treatment of students, faculty and employees only. According to "Doc" Grisham, however, emergency cases involving student wives and their children will still be treated at the dispensary.

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Reactivation of the Aviation Cadet program is typical of the AAF's continuing effort to provide selected young men every opportunity to earn advancement. Cadets who win their wings as today's pilots will be the same kind of men who, in wartime, built and manned the world's mightiest air arm.

Make your plans now to get in at the start! By applying immediately after graduation, you can take your qualifying examinations and enter the July 1st class, or — if you want a summer vacation — you can take your examinations now and be ready to enter the class beginning October 15th. Further information is available at AAF Bases, U. S. Army Recruiting Stations, local Civil Air Patrol headquarters, or by writing to the Commanding General, Army Air Forces, Washington 25, D. C.



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