

Joe Russ Elected New President Of California FFA

Joe Russ of Ferndale was elected state Future Farmer President at the 27th annual state FFA convention which came to a close early Wednesday at Cal Poly.

Other state officers are Bob Zimmerman of Porterville, vice-president; Cliff Bath of Santa Rosa, secretary; Douglas Tatro of Campo, treasurer; Bill Cooper of Callotaga, reporter; and George Roberts of Redlands, sentinel.

Cal Poly President Julian A. McPhee, who served as first state advisor of the Future Farmers from 1928 to 1944, welcomed the 600-strong delegation to the campus as activities got underway early Monday morning.

One of the highlights of the convention was the visit of Bill Gunter, national FFA president from Live Oak, Fla., who told the delegation, "If we can mold the farm youth of today, we will be molding the future leaders of our country."

Larry Royer, president of the Illinois association, revealed his impression of California hospitality when he said, "You people in California sure have a way of making a fellow feel welcome."

Another distinguished FFA personality at the convention was Jay Wright of Alamo, Nevada, national vice-president representing the Pacific region.

Retiring state president Joe Faure of Porterville commented Wednesday, "This was one of the smoothest-run conventions I've been to."

Receiving the Star State Farmer award at the award banquet Tuesday night was Charles Filice of Hollister, winner from the South Coast region. Other regional winners included Cliff Bath of Santa Rosa, Robert Bakman of Lancaster, Gary Jewett of Williams, Gary Clausen of Turlock, and Don Anderson of Central Union in Fresno.

FFA Foundation awards went to Jim Andres of Arvin (soil and water conservation), Melvin Corrie of Tulare (farm electrification), Russell Milton of Susanville (farm mechanics), Reggie Gomes of Hanford (public speaking), Phil Nyberg of Ferndale (Star dairy farmer), and the Madera chapter (Farm Safety award). Each received \$100.

Kimber Scholarship Goes To F. Meares

Forrest Meares, junior poultry husbandry major at Cal Poly, was named recipient of the annual \$500 Kimber scholarship this week at the poultry department's monthly meeting. Meares, outstanding in extra-curricular and poultry work, was presented the award by Robert McCall, Cal Poly alumnus and presently a Kimber farms field representative.

According to Richard Leach, poultry department head, this is the second year Kimber farms—one of the state's larger poultry breeding farms—has offered the scholarship. The award is presented to the upper class poultry major who shows outstanding scholarship and leadership in the department.

Also present during the presentation was Dr. F. B. Hutt, former head of the Cornell university poultry department who is presently doing special duty at the Kimber farms on leave from the college.

Urgent Request For Blood Issued Today

A man in San Luis Obispo needs your blood badly. Alexander Hart, San Luis Obispo businessman, is in a local hospital today suffering from aplastic anemia. This is a type of blood malady that requires many transfusions of blood to keep the patient alive.

A call has been issued to Cal Poly students to help replenish the dwindling stock of blood that has been used. Any type blood is acceptable for replacement.

Appointments to donate blood may be secured by calling Ken Jones, president of the tri-county blood bank, at telephone 3141 today.

This is an opportunity for individuals, clubs and organizations to throw their support behind a really worthwhile project—a man's life.

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LOOK OUT FOR THAT PAINT CAN!—It's Friday the 13th and Steve Emanuel, business manager of El Mustang, has apparently ignored the warning on the front page of the paper he's reading. Maybe he'll walk off into the gutter in time to avoid a knock on the head. A broken leg is much better.

Pick Up Those Cups

"Skid-Row Dive" Effect Of El Corral Hazardous

by Eura Menae

Let's face it. At times El Corral resembles an ill-kept pig pen. There are long stretches during the day when it is neither wise nor safe to flop into a seat after buying a cup of coffee. The seats quite often are reservoirs for spilled coffee, uneaten parts of spudnuts and sandwiches and mud and feces from the shoes of the "foot-propers". It is unwise to wear clean clothes, as they are usually good for only one trip.

The papers scattered about also contribute to the generally unkempt look of the place. No one minds if you pack your lunch in a paper bag and take it in El Corral to eat it with a cup of coffee, but sure as shootin' you don't have to leave the paper bag, used napkins and orange peels laying on the table when you are through. Imagine what visitors have to say regarding the most popular spot on campus!

Management OK
The purpose of this story is not to criticize the personnel or management of El Corral. It is aimed at arousing students themselves. We, on El Mustang, don't wish to stomp for something that the student body feels would be a waste of time. But if you feel, as we do, that the idea of cleaning the mess up is worthwhile, then clean up your own mess. On the other hand, if you feel that this would be of little value, then go ahead and drink your coffee in a dump.

Students can do it
"We will cooperate 100 percent with students in putting on extra help to keep the bussing stations clean," Graduate Manager Harry Wineroth said this week. "We are making every effort now to keep the place clean and straight and (Continued on page 8)

Today Last Chance To Order Cal Poly Long-Play Record

Today is the last day of the pre-sale for the 1955 88-rpm Home Concert record, according to Harold P. Davidson, head of the music department.

Student and faculty members may place their orders in the student body office anytime before 5 p.m. today, along with a \$1 down payment. The full cost will be about \$8.25, the balance to be paid upon receiving the record.

Today is the last day that orders will be accepted. Only a limited number based upon the pre-sale tally will be ordered. The records will not be on sale in El Corral store as they were last year.

The record features over 50 minutes of musical selections from the 1955 Home Concert last month—including numbers by the glee club, Collegian orchestra, Majors and Minors, and collegiate quartet.

The records are expected to arrive before the end of this month.

Ready In September

Andrews Hotel To Open As Poly Rooming House

The Andrews hotel, across Osos street from the San Luis Obispo county courthouse, will open in early September as a residence for Cal Poly students, it was revealed late Wednesday. Located in the heart of the downtown area, the hotel will house over 180 students, according to Dan Lawson, assistant activities officer.

Poly UN Delegates Learn By Doing At Conference In SF

Cal Poly's UN delegation followed the policy of "learn-by-doing" at the model United Nations conference held at San Francisco State college last week.

As the official representatives of Pakistan, the group delved into the problems and affairs of the south Asian country in typical UN style.

Representatives from some 100 universities, colleges, and junior colleges throughout the western states gathered in the Bay city for the annual event.

"The Cal Poly group was the only one there to have its picture in the San Francisco Examiner," according to Dorothy Wright, official observer for the Poly ambassadors.

Members of the delegation included Mohammed Bedri, Mrs. June Briggs, Mukhtar Mohammed Dean, Guy Dillens, Mosha Dreksler, Mehdi Iarandi, Duane Hendrickson, Ralph Jarrett, Richard H. Johnson, Maynard Kepler, Isat Mackaoui, Adnan Shocair, Cecil Thacker, Jorge Torrico, Student Chairman Arni Miller, Faculty Advisor Ralph Dilts, and Dorothy Wright.

Cal Poly Enters Bullfrog In Annual Calaveras Jubilee

Cal Poly has entered a green and gold bullfrog in the Calaveras fair and Jumping Frog Jubilee next weekend at Angels Camp.

Jumpmaster I has been entered by the Newman club as the official entry of the college. Few have seen the rana catesbeiana yet. An unconfirmed report says the frog had one comment to make while in secret training yesterday. "Croak!"

Jumpmaster's official trainer is Ed Harmon of Raymond, who happens to be a freshman animal husbandry major with rather limited experience with bullfrogs.

With an eye on the world champion inter-collegiate title and grand prize money totaling over \$1,500, Harmon has been flashing greenbacks in front of the frog for the past several days with encouraging results. Apparently Jumpmaster would prefer flies.

The bullfrog might have his mind on the female gender. There's a nasty rumor circulating that the Cal Poly entry has been seeing Washington State's Deep-Freeze Della, who is also training in this vicinity.

Cal Poly's participation in the celebrated Mother Lode event, which Mark Twain wrote about years ago, will not be limited to frogs alone.

Will Thomas of Willow and Jeff McGrew of Woodland, members of an agricultural journalism field team from Cal Poly, will assist in the publicity department.

John Mette, graduate of the department and former El Mustang editor, is publicity director for the Jubilee.

Offender Picked Up On Morals Charge

Picked up last week for a morals offense following a complaint from a local citizen, an individual indirectly connected with Cal Poly spent last weekend in one of the town lock-ups.

He was released on three dollars bail last Monday and placed on probation, as specified by law.

Resting comfortably and eating well after his release, the offender when questioned could only reply in a contented growl.

His owners, the members of Delta Sigma Phi fraternity, contend that their mascot, a hound of doubtful parentage, was unaware of any law restricting him from natural pursuits and was an ignorant and innocent victim of society's persecutions.

Formerly in the Milner hotel chain the building closed May 1st is now undergoing complete renovation. "It will operate under a co-operative set-up similar to the Mustang house on lower Higuera," Lawson said, "although no rates have been disclosed yet."

The hotel is not prepared to accept reservations at the present time, Lawson pointed out, but he said the owners, Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Hewson, hope to be able to accept reservations before the end of the quarter from students currently enrolled at Cal Poly.

The converted hotel will offer complete dining facilities, a lounge with TV and piano, and a recreation hall with facilities for billiards and table tennis.

The majority of the rooms have private or adjoining baths. The place is being refurbished in deluxe style, with new desks, twin beds, and innerspring mattresses. More than half of the floor area is carpeted.

Each room will have a telephone, with the central switchboard located off the lobby. The students themselves may possibly take over the switchboard responsibilities, according to the owners.

Lawson describes the dining hall as quite large, perhaps with a capacity of 200 students. "The Hewsons have even agreed to allow dances in the dining hall," Lawson said.

The activities officer commented that the rejuvenated hotel would be about the largest off-campus college housing unit that he knew of anywhere.

The hotel will house almost as many students as Jespersen, Heron, and Chase halls combined, which are scheduled to be converted to girls' dormitories in the near future.

Mrs. Nancy Davis, now house-mother at the Mustang house, will become head housemother at the new downtown dormitory, Lawson disclosed.

Mustang Spotlight Hits John Jeffreys

Galloping off with the latest Mustang of the Week honors is John Jeffreys, active and talented member of the Poly fold.

One of those all-around fellows, Jeffreys was cited for his contributions to several campus-wide activities. He is baritone part captain in the glee club and also exercises his larynx in the Majors and Minors.

Though not a Hollywood celebrity, Jeffreys could probably qualify for an Oscar on the local theatrical scene as an undisputed standout in the Ad Libbers.

Jeffreys is also active on the SAC communications committee, the College Union board, and the Cal Poly Grange. Though originally from Brooklyn and later Los An-



John Jeffreys

geles, he is an aspiring animal husbandry major in his junior year.

Jeffreys is not one to back down when the fire gets a little hot. He's proved this several times as an alert member of Poly's student fire department.

Coming Events

Friday, May 13
Film "Day the Earth Stood Still" Eng. aud. 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, May 14
Sunday, May 15
Monday, May 16
Sr. Class meeting Eng. a. d. 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, May 17
Student Gov't comm. Adm. 209 Noon
Student affairs council Lib. 206 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, May 18
Student Wives glee club Eng. aud 8:00 p.m.
Thursday, May 19
Assembly—Judo Eng. aud. 11:00 a.m.
Student Gov't comm. Lib. 116 Noon
Friday, May 20
Film "Johnny Belinda" Eng. aud. 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, May 21
Dance (Kane O'Hawaii) Gym 9:00 p.m.

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News In Brief . . .

Farm Power Shifts

The shift of farm power from manual labor to mechanization has opened up unlimited possibilities in the farm machinery field, according to Ray Fletcher, sales manager of Allis Chalmers Co. of Los Angeles.

Fletcher spoke to over 150 Cal Poly agricultural engineering majors, their friends, and alumni who attended the banquet recently at the Anderson hotel.

Visas To Leave U.S.

Any foreign student who has a 101(a)15(F) Visa and who wishes to visit Canada, Mexico, or who wishes to leave the United States for a brief visit to any other country, will be required to obtain a new non-immigrant visa when returning . . .

The visa which each student

now holds is valid only for the one admission. Foreign students who intend to visit lands outside the United States should come to the Dean of Students' office at least four weeks before departure to make the necessary arrangements.

Food For Poly Sellers

The "annual feed" for Poly Corintheans, sponsored by Rudolph A. Polley, architectural engineering instructor, will be held Tuesday evening. The big word: FREE! Reservations may be made through Polley, Richard W. Turk (Hillcrest 15 or box 2175), or Tom Coakley (Palomar 5 or box 825).

From Cool To Hot

The Air Conditioning club expects a hot election May 20.

Aspiring candidates include, president, Harry George, Bob Warnagieris, and Bill Phakides; vice-president, George, Warnagieris, Elliott Nichols, and George Viramontes; secretary, Charles Walling, Skip Petau, and Gordon Chambers.

Treasurer, Chambers, Lloyd Lundstrom, George Cox, and Paul Miersch; sergeant-at-arms, Don Yates, Cox, and Satoru Yamagata.

Guest From Baghdad

Sherif Arab Yusuf, assistant professor in the Engineering college at Baghdad, will be a guest of Cal Poly next Monday and Tuesday.

He is the representative of the ministry of education with the Bradley university team for technical education in Iraq.

LIFTING HORIZONS

Dr. Knowles A. Ryerson, dean of the College of Agriculture at the University of California in Berkeley, will speak on "Lifting Horizons in the Far East" next Thursday at 8 p.m. in the Engineering auditorium.

Ryerson has worked for the United States government in several capacities in connection with improving agricultural and scientific conditions in countries of Southeast Asia and the South Pacific.

Twenty-four ornamental horticulture students carried on projects in 1953 of growing bedding plants and ornamentals with the gross sales value of \$8,100.

"Skid-Row Dive"

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with the students assisting, we can do it.

"We have a nicer set-up here at Poly than most student co-ops. But if the students want to live in a dump—then it'll be a dump."

Imagine the embarrassment of a student who brings his parents into El Corral during the day. He sits them down at one of the tables, and what confronts them—the usual mess! What excuse can he give them? Should he say how lazy the Mustangs really are? Perhaps nothing will be said, but all the reams of good publicity about Cal Poly that are mailed every day can be offset by just such an example.

The next time you go in for a cup and a cigaret remind yourself that you have an obligation not only to yourself, but to others as well. Soon, if everyone did this, the entire sloppy mess would be eliminated completely. That way, the five-cent cup of coffee would be here to stay as a trademark of Cal Poly's famous El Corral.

The Cal Poly library book collection contains approximately 44,000 volumes, and the periodical subscription list 490 current titles.

Love Looking For Poly Royal Board

"Nominations are open for the 24th Annual Poly Royal board," Don Love, 1955 Poly Royal superintendent, announced yesterday.

"They can be submitted until the elections on May 19," said Love. Offices available include general superintendent, first assistant superintendent, second assistant superintendent, treasurer, director of special events, director of publicity, director of arrangements, director of agriculture, director of engineering, and director of liberal arts.

Nominations can be given to any member of the nominating committee, which includes Harry Smith, Jess Herrera, Bill Simpson, and Jim Yoshino; or they may be submitted to Carl Beck in Adm. 187. Past experience is not a requirement.

"We've had an excellent board this year. Everyone has done his part. I only hope that we can get men of the same caliber on next year's board and start planning the 24th Annual Poly Royal the first week in September," he concluded.

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Campus Botanical Gardens To Be Dedicated Friday

An extensive botanical garden in Poly canyon, which has been under development for nearly two years, will be dedicated to President Julian A. McPhee next Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, it was revealed this week.

Located about a half mile up the canyon to the northwest of the immediate campus, the garden is a project of Tri-Beta, which has spent over 750 man-hours constructing trails, setting out plants and trees, and erecting signs.

George Kihara, president of Tri-Beta, estimates the garden to be about 10 acres in extent. Part of the natural vegetation in the garden, particularly along the stream that flows down the floor of the

canyon, gives the area a natural scenic appearance, says Richard Wunrow of Los Angeles, who is heading the development this year as part of his senior project.

Students are invited to inspect the garden and take in the dedication ceremonies, which will be conducted in the garden next Friday just west of the Pederson ranch, some 1/2 mile up the canyon from the upper dorms. Parking facilities for cars, however, are quite limited.

Initial preparations for establishing the garden were started back in 1948 by Dr. Robert F. Hoover, Cal Poly biology instructor and recognized as one of the foremost plant pathologists on the west coast.

The garden site was granted by the college farm committee in early 1958, and Dorence Kernok, biological science major from San Jose, took over student leadership of the project.

Wunrow points out that the garden will be convenient for both recreational and educational purposes, and that it will provide an excellent area for plant study.

The garden contains yucca and cacti, permanent moisture plants, native bulbs, evergreens, deciduous, and shrub.

Additional plants for the garden were recently imported from the Santa Barbara botanic garden and also the Saratoga foundation.

Both students and instructors have been adding to the garden. Last year Kernok brought back from Sequoia a number of young trees, including Lodgepole pine, Ponderosa pine, Giant Sequoia, and Sierra juniper.

Annual Math Award Goes To John Clark

John P. Clark, freshman mathematics major from Mountain View, has been given the annual Mathematics Achievement award from the Chemical Rubber Publishing company.

Clark received the recognition for his achievements in mathematics as a freshman at Cal Poly. He was presented an engraved handbook of mathematical tables, furnished by the company.

Cal Poly's "Glamourized Swine Unit"



A DISGUSTING EXPOSE—Dirty cups and plates left on the tables in El Corral fountain give this Cal Poly leading arena the appearance of a glamourized swine unit. As a result, the five-cent cup of coffee is about to leave. There is no excuse for the student, faculty member, or employee who walks off without bussing his dirty dishes. (Photo by Lotsepelch)

Cobalt 60 Used By Welding Dept. For X-Raying Welds

Shipment of one Curie of radioactive Cobalt 60 was received recently by the welding department at Cal Poly, as authorized by the U. S. atomic energy commission. According to Richard C. Wiley, welding department head, the radioactive material will be used by advanced welding engineering students in investigating weld strength.

The atomic energy commission indicated that this consignment was one of few delivered to colleges for student use.

Although the quantity received amounted to but one gram in weight, the lead shipping container weighed 325 pounds.

Such radioactive material as this is used extensively in industry today in important inspection processes. Defects in metal are looked into in the same manner as broken bones in medical X-ray work. The radioactive energy source received by the college is equivalent to approximately a 250,000 volt X-ray machine.

Adequate safe-handling precautions, including use of monitoring instruments, film badges and other radiation sensitive devices will be part of the Cal Poly training program.

The college ornamental horticulture department operated 81 student projects with 45 students participating. Sales of student projects at the college nursery amounted to \$8,200.

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COFFEE NERVES

The Daily Tar Heel, University of North Carolina's newspaper, claims the college's coffee bar sold an average of 20,000 to 25,000 cups of coffee during exam period which was double the usual amount, and that the sale of No-Dos also soared to twice the usual amount.

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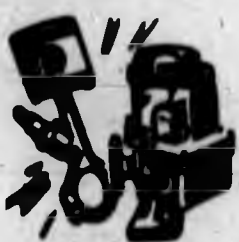
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SPORTS



Sports Editor.....Ed Slevin

Netmen Compete For CCAA Honors

Coached by Ed Jorgensen the Cal Poly tennis squad journeyed to Fresno for the two-day California Collegiate Athletic association playoffs yesterday and today. The racquetmen will be making their bid for championship honors in the important matches.

The Mustang netmen have a six won, two loss record for the current season. They opened the season against the San Luis Obispo tennis club and defeated them, 6-2. Continuing their winning streak the tennis squad beat Pasadena college, Fresno State, and Santa Barbara, with respective scores of, 9-1, 8-1, and 8-4.

Following the four straight wins the Green and Gold squad suffered defeats to the hands of Cal Tech and Santa Barbara, 5-4 and 8-1.

Their last two matches saw victories over San Jose State, 5-4, and Fresno State, 8-1.

Santa Barbara, defending champs, will be favored in the 1955 tourney play but the Mustangs are rated as a top contender.

Coach Jorgensen lost four lettermen on the squad in Dave Ziemer, George Hunter, Vaughn Wright and Mark Huffaker and finished third in the CCAA race last season. Returning lettermen for the Mustangs are Vern Hobson and Javier Ascarruns.

Jorgensen listed the tentative lineup as follows: Vern Hobson, first singles and Roger Hing, second singles. Chuck Harber and Javier Ascarruns will take over first doubles, with Bill Barclay, Vic Bowker or George Bush making up the second doubles combination.



MUSTANG QUARTERBACKS ... Pictured left to right are: Jack Sears, Jerry Duncan, Joe Bankens, Don Tucker, Will Stennet, Vern Valdes and Tom Reynolds.

Mustang Gridgers Shape Into Top Squad For Fall

After nine days of brushing up on fundamentals and getting into shape, the prospects of the 1955 Mustang grid squad go into their first full team scrimmage tomorrow at 10 a. m. With approximately 60 hopefuls turned out, Mustang Mentor Leroy Hughes lists the following as the

'best of the new crop'.
"Rudy Brooks is one of the best looking halfbacks the Mustang campus has ever seen," says Hughes. "He has the potential of being the best halfback in the history of the college and he can do everything but eat the football," continued Hughes. Brooks is just recently out of the service and before entering the service was first string on the 1952 Washington State squad. A few weeks ago Brooks broke the Cal Poly college record in the century dash with a time of 9.7.

Potential Gridgers

Others looking in good shape according to Hughes is Bill Retzer a transfer from Davis; Jim Antoine an all-jaycee halfback from San Bernardino junior college last season; Andy Brownwood, sophomore who made second team all-American jaycee at Antelope Valley JC and Don Tucker who last season played junior varsity ball for the Mustangs.

Steve Reid, center last year for the Cal Poly junior varsity, looks very promising also, according to Hughes.

Injured List

"So far we have had three men injured," said the Silver Fox. "Clarence Crow, a two-year all league end at the College of Sequoias, pulled a muscle in his shoulder; Bob Bolinger, a starting halfback on the Mustang junior varsity last season, has a bruised foot and Jim Mosich, an all-league guard from Star of the Sea high school in Los Angeles, has a pulled muscle.

Perry Jeter, Cal Poly's outstanding halfback the past two years, is expected out for practice next Monday. Jeter is on the baseball squad and his diamond (Continued on page 5)

Softball Playoffs Monday & Tuesday

In the intramural softball league Chase hall and the Young Farmers will be in the playoffs against the winners of the Wednesday and Thursday night leagues. Playoffs will be May 16 and 17.

Chase hall copped first place honors in the Monday league with five wins and no losses while the Young Farmers came in first in the Tuesday league with the same record.

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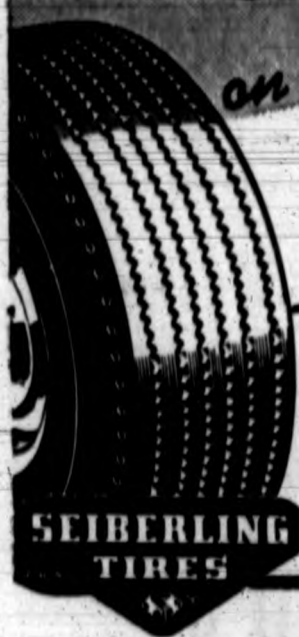
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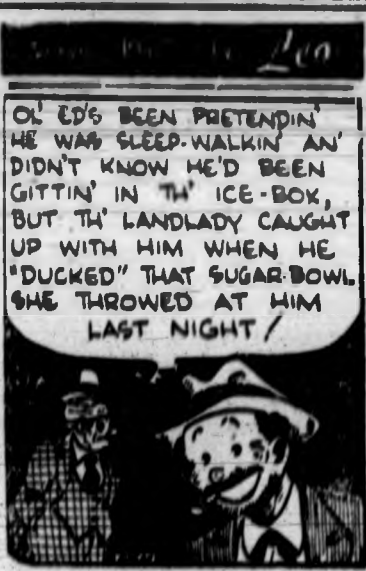
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Fresno Hosts Mustangs In CCAA Conference Play

California Poly comes back into CCAA conference play today when the Bulldogs of Fresno State host the Mustangs in a doubleheader on the Fresno diamond. At present the Bulldogs and San Diego State are leading the league with Cal Poly in third place.

Following the Fresno tilt, the Green and Gold baseballers of Tom Lee travel to Santa Barbara to meet the Westmont Warriors on Tuesday, May 17. Cal Poly has beaten Westmont previously by a 5-4 score and dropped a game to the Bulldogs, 8-2.

The doubleheader against the Astecs of San Diego State last weekend was rained out and the return tilts have been tentatively scheduled for May 23 at 10 a.m. on the Mustang diamond.

Mustang Mentor Tom Lee, will most likely start Lefty Ken Lee for the first Fresno tilt and will choose between Terry Harris and Paul Patrick for the nightcap. Harris has shown steady improvement during the season and may get the nod for the second contest.

The Mustang squad has been plagued with errors and weak hitting but the Leemen hope to rectify themselves with errorless ball and sound smashes. Heading the list of hitters is first baseman Clive Remund with a .262 percentage. John Rodenmayer, second baseman,

has seen limited action and is hitting .273.

Remund leads in runs batted in with 20 while outfielder Dick Rogers is following with 13. Remund is also first in hits with 22 with outfielder Perry Jeter next with 17. Jeter heads the Mustangs in runs with 18. The Green and Gold have crossed the plate 118 times with opponents hitting for 143 runs.

Freshman hurler Ken Lee has a five-won, two-lost mound record plus a good earned run average of 2.86 in 61 innings. Ken Matson in 31 innings has a 1.74 ERA while Harris with limited activity has a .63 ERA. Patrick, starting late in the season, has a 3.13 ERA.

For the Fresno series Art Dyer (.200) and Jim Zanolli (.219) will share the catching chores. Remund will take over the initial sack with Rodenmayer at second. Captain Dick Morrow (.209) will be at third base and Rob Neal (.136) at shortstop. Jeter (.210), Neil Lemos (.208) and Rogers (.240) will make up the outfield.



Paul Patrick
Possible Starter

Rodeo Squad Travels To Provo, Utah For Fifth Meet

Competing in their fifth rodeo of the 1955 "Riding and Roping" season the Cal Poly Rodeo team will travel to Provo, Utah to try to regain their standing as a top rodeo squad in intercollegiate competition.

The Mustang squad has placed first in the rodeo of the season at the Milton-Freewater rodeo and then went on to place second behind Pierce junior college. Pierce has scored 2896 points in the four meets while Cal Poly has a total of 1600. Other teams competing have been Brigham Young, Colorado A and M, Arizona State, San Dimas, Cal Aggies, Mt. San Antonio, Fresno State and Washington State.

In the past the Mustangs have operated with one rodeo team entering in all the contests. Now as they plan for the future they have two squads the second just recently formed. Members on the second team are Ed Berryessa, Ed Hayes, Bill Corhill, Don Switzer, Tom Ellery and Jim Lyons.

Lyons is a member of the first team but he is traveling with the second squad to show them the ropes of the game. For the rodeo this weekend the second team is going to compete and the Cal Poly squad is favored to cop the events. The colleges are divided into four

regions in the Western states and the two top teams are picked from each region for the finals. At present Pierce JC is first and Cal Poly is second in their region and these two teams are the likely contenders for the finals. Upon entering the finals all points scored in previous rodeos are abolished and the eight teams present start with a clean slate.

Collegiate Photography Contest Ends Monday

Over \$1000 in prize money is available in a nationwide photography contest for collegiate photographers.

The contest, sponsored by Campus Merchandising Bureau, Inc. for Liggett & Myers Tobacco company, features the theme, "campus stand-outs." The subject of the photograph should be a personality stand-out representing a campus type. The contest closes May 16.

Further rules are available through the journalism department.

Thornton Lee, one of the all-time great pitchers for the Chicago White Sox, hurled for the Mustangs in 1926. He was coached by Joseph Deuel.

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Golf Championship Playoffs Underway In Los Angeles

Undeclared in dual play, Coach Don Watts takes his Mustang golfers to the Riviera Country club in Los Angeles for a CCAA conference tourney today. Scheduled to begin tourney play yesterday, the action will continue today.

The Mustangs have competed in four meets and have emerged on top in each of them. Coach Don Watts' divotmen have run up some of the highest scores against opponents this season than in any other year. They started off with a bang by trouncing Santa Barbara, 54-0, and continued their winning ways with victories over Fresno State, 30-24, Los Angeles State, 29-25, and Santa Barbara, 48-11.

Fresno State, the defending champion, and San Diego State take on the favored roles in CCAA golf play. However Cal Poly defeated both squads and are also listed as possible champs.

Coach Watts lists the Mustang six man team as follows: Frank Bernardi, Loula McFadden, Tom Trefts, Phil Conn, Dick Wilson and Joe Alcegar.

Cal Poly finished second in the golf championship last year.

MUSTANG GRIDDERS—Cont.
duties have prevented him from attending spring practice.

Need Size

"On the whole, the squad is looking good but we do need size in the guard slots," said Hughes. "We have size at tackle but we need men with more agility," added Hughes.

"If we were to pick a starting team tomorrow the choice would probably be the following: Jerry Duncan, quarterback; Rudy Brooks, left half; Danny Delgado, right half; Marljon Ancich, fullback; Bud Chadwick and Al Moriarty, end; Pete Davies and John Rehder, tackle; Jim Mosich and John Oakes, guard, and Duane Wickstrom at center.

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Rube Goldberg Contraption Demonstrates Fluid Flow

By Bob Reid

"It's a beauty, with all that chrome plating, but what is it?" That could be the oft-asked question from the layman after viewing the recently completed "portable hydraulics laboratory" constructed by ME majors Charles Lloyd and Lambert Mayr as their senior project. "Pipes, valves, tanks and other gear making up the portable lab may give it the appearance of a Rube Goldberg contraption, but the 500 hours of work put in was definitely not for laughs," says co-builder Lloyd.

"The contraption is a very practical answer to the instructional problem of explaining the theories pertaining to fluids flowing in piping systems," according to Joy O. Richardson, ME department head.

By means of plexiglass sections, the various effects are demonstrated visually. The entire unit is portably mounted on casters for ease in moving to and from the classroom.

Co-builders Lloyd and Mayr used a design developed by Peter Lampman, 1954 Poly ME grad, now an ensign serving with the United States Navy.

Minor changes in type of materials that Lampman has specified were necessary because of difficulties in procurement," says Lloyd.

The assembly work consisted of forming, welding, soldering, painting, etc. A local plating company handled the chrome beauty treatment.

The builders agree that fabrication of the plexiglass parts probably involved more problems than anything else. All joints had to be watertight.

Jeep—The pronunciation of initials sometimes gives the English language a brand-new word. This is what happened when a new kind of US Army vehicle was officially named "General Purpose Car." It was referred to by its initials, G.P., thus the expression, "jeep."

Placement Calendar

FRIDAY, MAY 13

FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION — Representatives Gordon R. Wood and Howard M. Bollinger will interview seniors in bio. sci., psy. sci., crops, OH, soils, hort., ser. & insp.

MONDAY, MAY 16

AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE — C. H. Bensley district supervisor, R. O. McHenry, Farrell S. Stone, will interview seniors in bio. sci., crops, OH, and soils. Appointments for interviews must be made in advance in the Placement office.

More To Dorm Mgr. Job Than Turning In Time Card

"Top flight student dorm managers greatly assist in improving housing and study conditions. His qualities of service and leadership are tested daily. Consequently, this is not a position for anyone who does not have a genuine interest in helping people with their problems," says James Wilkinson, resident student counselor.

"Dorm managers earn from \$25 to \$50 a month, depending on their responsibility," continued Wilkinson. "However, there is more to the job than submitting your time card. The following list contains a few of the minimum standards, attitudes and commitments. The candidate:

"1. Must rank academically in the upper half of the student body.

"2. Must have sufficient time available to do the job.

"3. Should have been a dorm resident or have had equivalent experience.

"4. Must be an upperclassman or have had two years of college.

"These and other criteria will be considered when next year's managers are selected. Those of you who are vitally interested in this program and meet these requirements should make application for the position. It is our earnest desire to get some of our top Mustangs in the housing program. The position of dorm manager is an important one. It is one which will develop leadership qualities and be of invaluable assistance in the individual's future business or professional life.

"Applications may be obtained in the offices of the dean of students, counseling center or housing office, and should be returned to the counseling center or housing office by Friday, May 20," concluded the counselor.

Ninety milk cows and 45 young stock were included in the dairy projects operated by 45 students in the college dairy department. Income from dairy projects was approximately \$22,000.

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College Quips . . .

State off to the San Jose Spar-tan for their editorial admitting that Cal Poly has become one of the major teams on the west coast gridiron.

This item comes from Stephen-ville, Texas' Tarleton State college's "The J-Tac."

Everyone wondered why the co-

eds hesitated to attend the speech workshop listed in the Daily Tex-an as meeting in room 121 of the Speech building.

A quick check revealed the reason. The workshop meets in room 122, not 121, and rightly so, since room 121 has MEN printed on the door in bold, black letters.

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Skid Row For Coffee Cups

Apparently the only five-cent cup of coffee between Los Angeles and San Francisco is about to go.

"In spite of repeated requests in El Corral asking students to buss their own coffee cups, and extra help taken on to keep the place clean," says Harry Wineroth, "there are just too many students, faculty and employees leaving their tables littered with cups, sandwich wrappings and other junk to keep the place looking like an eating establishment." Frankly, we can't understand why there is a problem at all. It isn't too much to ask of someone to stow his own dirty cup after he's through with it—on the way out he has to go past the bussing station anyway.

If "Harry's Poison" cost a dime instead of a nickel, then you might be justified in leaving your mess for someone else to clean up. If the present sloppy situation persists then, of necessity, the price will go up.

The practice of tipping the tables to clean them is not only frowned upon by the management, but barefoot yokels may step on the broken cups and cut their little pinkies.



"So this is how Pierce JC wins all the Rodeos!"

The Offbeat

By Litch

The annual Music department barbecue to be held in Cuesta park tomorrow will bring the glee club, Collegians, and marching band together for one last "blow-out" before the summer vacation.

Highlighting the sports scene will be the softball game between the glee club and Collegians. The glee club won last year, but there is a question whether the championship indicates victory again this year. Well, look at the Brooklyn Dodgers!

With due respect to the farmers, the weatherman has already loused up two weekends in a row. Better lay off this time. Wouldn't want to miss those inch-thick steaks, beans, salad, and trimmings.

The barbecue is under the direction of Bob Fox and the newly-elected officers for the coming school year.

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Today is the last day to order that 1955 Home Concert record. Better submit your order and down payment in the student body office immediately.

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Two old faces returned to the campus during Poly Royal. They were identified as Bob Scofield, '58) and Ike Schab.

Bob, who played trumpet in the Collegians, is now working for an entomologist in Pasadena. Ike, sax player in the Collegians and former author of this column, is working for Conair at Pomona. It does the heart good to see old friends return year after year.

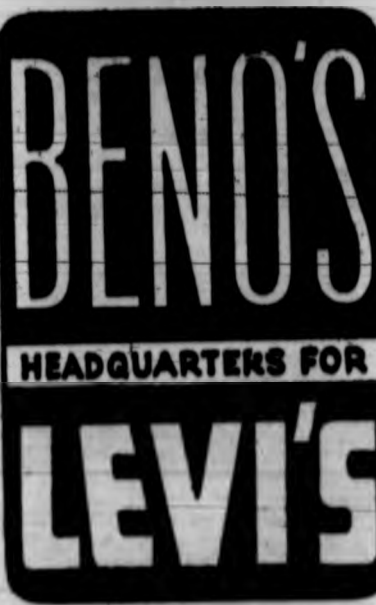
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Wedding bells will ring soon for Larry Glandon and Ken Matson. Just what do these tenors have, anyway?

Larry, a social science senior and leader of the Majors and Minors, is engaged to Miss Terry Brown of San Luis Obispo. Matson, pitcher on the Mustang baseball team, will team up with Miss Bunny Christie, also of San Luis Obispo. Congratulations.

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Weekly "30"

by Dick Van Brackle

By Bob Flood
Guest Editor

Cal Poly has entered its first bullfrog in the Calaveras Jubilee, but we've learned through the grapevine that he's still "just a name." Better do some fast huntin'. This whole thing could mean international recognition for the college. Take, for instance, "Shake, Rattle, and Roll," who set a new world record at the Horned Toad derby in Coalinga last weekend. His time: 1.8. Must have been the 100-inch sprint.

Lastest oddity to come across the editor's desk was a perfumed telegram... Western Union sample of an ideal Mother's Day greeting.

Hats are being worn on the nation's campuses again, according to a reliable retail trade magazine. New styles call for narrower brims, tapered crowns and deep charcoal colors.

The Michaelangelos of Cal Poly's architectural department are at it again. Water color paintings will rotate on Hillcrest walls in the near future.

So ends another week as "trial and error" editor of El Mustang. The honorable Vern Highly, who just returned from his publicity duties at the Chowchilla junior fair, will take over next week while Dick Van Brackle, Alton Pryor, and yours truly cover the Salinas Valley fair at King City.

And that's "30" for this week.

Thumbs-Up

Thumbs-Down

Dear Editor:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the many kind people at Cal Poly for all the nice get well cards and flowers that have been sent to me.

Knowing that I am remembered and thought of by my friends at Cal Poly makes the days shorter and the discomfort easier to stand.

Sincerely

Mrs. Mona Plath
(Ed. Note: Mrs. Plath, wife of M/Sgt. Charles Plath of the M&A department, is in Letterman general hospital recuperating from a major operation. She has been there for several weeks now and will be there for six more. Since she is unable to write, she is using this medium to thank the people here at Poly who have remembered her with cards and flowers.)

To the Students, Faculty and Employees of Cal Poly:

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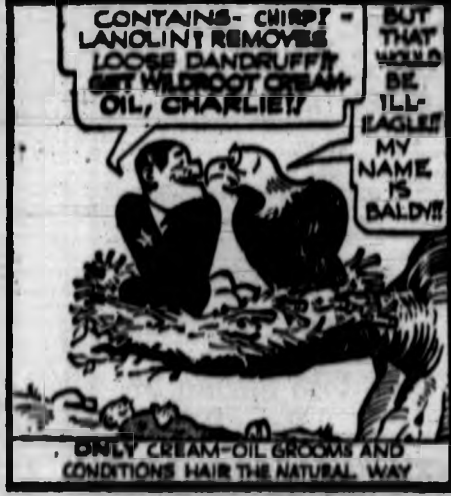
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Dos Palos Takes State Title In Parliamentary Procedure

Dos Palos walked off with the state FFA parliamentary procedure contest held on the Cal Poly campus last Saturday.

Salinas placed second and San Luis Obispo third. Orange, McFarland and Hughson trailed in that order.

Mrs. California Former Cal Poly Student Wife

Mrs. Samuel P. Girvan, former Poly student wife and the new Mrs. California, left early this week to compete in the Mrs. America finals held in Elinor Village, Ormond Beach, Fla. Mrs. Girvan's husband attended Cal Poly as a dairy husbandry major from March, 1949 to December, 1950.

Selected by the Chino Young Homemakers to compete in the state contest, Mrs. Girvan captured the state title in Los Angeles last month.

To compete in the same skills that earned her the Mrs. California honor, she was "boning up" last week for "exams" in three different divisions:

(1) the merits of a complete meal which must be cooked in two hours or less with both the quality of the finished product and efficiency of work methods being evaluated; (2) sewing and ironing skills; (3) merits of the contestants in such characteristics as personality, appearance, poise, grooming, family patterns, community service, character and friendliness.

Since winning the state title, Mrs. Girvan has made 24 personal appearances, has received a gas range, washer and dryer, a 10-piece cooking utensil set and a 100-piece wardrobe.

Mr. and Mrs. Girvan have four children, Diane, 18; Patrick, 12; Christina, 6; and Mike (a girl), 4.

Deadline Tomorrow For Activity Key

"Monitors, tomorrow at 5 p.m. is the deadline for having your activity key award applications turned in," says Charles Anderson, chairman.

"The award key, certificate and information are on display in the window outside the student body office. All persons interested, but in doubt of their eligibility, are urged to check their point-standing in the ASB office," concluded Anderson.

Over 130 Waiting For Annuals Unclaimed Within Next Week

Those who have failed to pick up their copies of the 1955 El Rodeo yearbook may obtain them in the student body office before May 21.

Don Nielson, sales manager, warns that all books unclaimed by that time will be sold to those on the waiting list, which now carries over 130 names.

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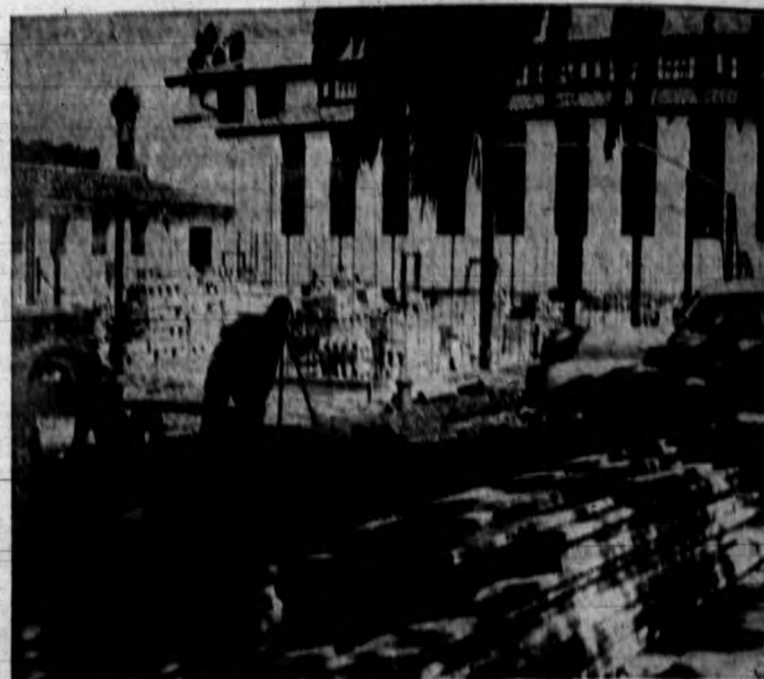
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